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Garza County News Briefs

Continuing Education

Western Texas College of Snyder is considering the possibility of offering continuing education classes in Post in typing, book-keeping/accounting and computer literacy.

In order to schedule the classes, the college needs to know how much interest there would be in the local courses.

If you are interested in taking any of these classes, please contact Lane Tannehill at 495-2494 or 495-2770.

Main Street Architect

New Main Street Architect, Ray Vela, will be in Post on Tuesday, February 16 to meet with property owners who are considering renovating commercial property.

The assistance is offered as part of the Main Street Project and is available at no cost to the property owner.

For further information concerning the program, contact Melissa Cunningham at 495-4157.

VFW Convention

District 7, Department of Texas, Veterans of Foreign Wars and its Auxiliary will have its winter convention February 13-14, 1988 with Lubbock Post 2466, 1505 34th Street, Lubbock, as the host Post.

Activities will start Saturday the 13th with registration from 4-7 p.m., and a dance starting at 9 p.m.

Sunday's activities are as follows: Registration, 9-10 a.m.; flag ceremony, 9:30 a.m.; memorial service, 10 a.m.; church of your choice, 10:30 a.m.; lunch and program, 12 noon; business meetings following lunch.

Representing the Department of Texas will be the Department Commander Felix Longoria, and the Department Auxiliary President Rosie Davis.

Revival Services

The Church of God of Prophecy, 602 W. 14th, is announcing revival services beginning Wednesday, February 10 and continuing through Sunday, February 14 with services conducted by Evangelist Carolyn Ledbetter of Cleveland, Tennessee.

Carolyn was head of the Sunday School Department of the church for several years and is now a national evangelist.

Pastor George Parker invites everyone to attend the services at 7 p.m. each evening and at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Sunday.

The Church of God of Prophecy is also accepting donations - cans, scrap metal - to raise money to help send some kids to summer camp. If you can help with this project, contact George Parker, 703 W. 12th or call 495-3474.

Commodities

Commodities will be distributed on Tuesday, February 16 at the 4-H Barn on the Lubbock Highway from 9:30 a.m. to 12 a.m. and from 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Identification cards you are now using will be good up to the month of March when new applications are taken.

Please save your current card as it will be needed for identification when new cards are issued.

College Art Courses

Friday, February 12 at 9 a.m. will be your last chance to register at the Algeria Art Center for spring semester Adult College Extension art classes which offer college credit to those participating.

John Gibson of Western Texas College in Snyder will be the instructor for the course. He was also the instructor for the fall semester

of this course, which was well received and attended by several Post Art Guild members.

The fee for the semester course is \$71.00 with an \$8.00 studio fee.

For further information, call Linda Puckett, PAG president, at 495-4000 or come by the art center.

Tax Counseling

Tax Counseling for the Elderly (TCE) is now in progress at the Post Public Library from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Monday and will continue through Monday, April 11, the last Monday before taxes are due.

Trained volunteers will help persons 60 years of age and older in preparing their tax returns.

The free counseling is sponsored by the IRS and A.A.R.P. If you need further information about the tax service, call 495-2525 or 495-2566.

Baseball Meeting

Don't forget the meeting for the Post Little League, Minor League and T-Ball baseball on Monday, February 22 at 7 p.m. in the Southwestern Public Service Reddy Room.

All managers and coaches of these three leagues need to be at this meeting to prepare for the 1988 season.

Sponsors, parents and any interested persons are also encouraged to attend.

Popcorn for Sale

If you need popcorn, the boy scouts still have several buckets left - regular popcorn only, no microwave corn - at \$5 per bucket.

If you are interested in helping the boy scouts, call Irene Fry at 495-3125.

George Account

Remember the special account which has been established at the First National for Benny George to cover medical expenses incurred during his illness.

Family friends have established the account and would appreciate your help and support.

Democratic Party

Democratic Party Headquarters are now open at 227 W. Main (west entrance) in Post.

All candidates and interested parties are invited to come by and visit or to call 495-2865 or 495-2866 for information.

Basketball Meeting

There will be another meeting of interested adults and parents of 3-6 grade girls interested in playing in the Junior Basketball program.

The meeting will be Monday, February 15 at 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Room of the Post Church of Christ.

Purpose of the meeting is to continue discussion of the program and possible coaches.

All parents of these girls are encouraged to attend. For further information, please call Rodney Marshall at 495-2816 or 495-3934.

Valentine Pictures

Pictures which were brought in for the Dispatch Valentine Brag Page can be picked up now at the Dispatch office. For those of you who have forgotten them, we also have pictures from last year which have not been picked up.

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02-05	29	16	4" s
02-06	32	16	.00
02-07	54	25	.00
02-08	61	26	.00

Information Courtesy of Wilma Yarbrow

City Council Calls for Elections May 7

by Rodney Marshall

The Post City Council called for city elections to be held Saturday, May 7, 1988 at their regular scheduled meeting Monday, February 8.

Council members terms that are expiring are Jack Alexander, Charles Wallace and Larry Waldrip. Monday, February 22, is the first filing date with Wednesday, March 23 as the last day to file.

Judy Bush was appointed to serve as election judge.

In other business, the council heard from Equeirino Alaniz asking about constructing a carport at his residence.

Robert Cox, from the Planning and Zoning Committee, was present and explained that he had gone to the residence and looked to see what could be done.

The only thing he could come out with is if Alaniz would construct the carport in the backyard because of not having enough room at the side of his house or in front of the house.

The council approved the recommendation of the Planning and Zoning Committee to deny Alaniz his request for a carport in front of beside his house.

The council started to look at appointing committee members but councilman Larry Waldrip asked to discuss a subject before the council appointed members.

"It has been brought to my attention by a good number of citizens that we should check to see if citizens appointed to our committees are delinquent in their taxes," commented Waldrip.

After some discussion the council delayed in the appointment of committee members and passed a

policy that from this point the council would give consideration to the position of taxes as to citizens being appointed to any committee by the city council.

Melissa Cunningham brought a Main Street Report to the council and pointed out the around \$452,000 had been re-invested in down town Post and that the landscaping project was doing well.

She pointed out that many of the committee were interested in Gateway structures to more than one entrance to town.

Cunningham asked and received approval for three additional Gateways to Post be drawn up.

Butch Davis, representing Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, were present to discuss several items.

First he asked approval from the council to request two bids for the seal coat bids which would cover around 30 blocks, almost 52,000 square yards.

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United Sewing Interviews On February 17

United Sewing Agency, Inc. will have representatives in Post Wednesday, February 17 from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the old Piggly Wiggly building, to take applications for employment with the sewing operation opening soon in Post.

The representatives will be interviewing applicants for sewing positions, inspectors, supervisors, bartackers, thread clippers, packers and a sewing machine mechanic.



WAITING TO TEE OFF-A snowman designed and built by Lance Bagby at his home at 10th and Avenue S is completely equipped with golf clubs and golf bag as he waits for the recent heavy snow fall to melt before he takes his first shot.

Commissioners Set Policy for Employees' Campaigning

by Lonnie Welborn

In a regular session of the Garza County Commissioners Court on Monday, February 8, County Judge Giles Dalby announced that the following policy had been set for county employees and would be inserted into official employee policies:

"Any employee of Garza County who runs for elective office may not campaign during working hours or while on duty. The use of county equipment in campaigning for elective office shall be prohibited on or off duty by any employee."

In other action taken by the court, the appointment of Charles Propst as Constable for Precinct 2 at a salary of one dollar per year with no benefits, was approved by the commissioners. It was pointed out that Propst was both certified and qualified for the position and the vote of the court was unanimous.

The court also agreed to a request from the PEDC to share in the expense of additional space for the Big Spring Out Reach Clinic, located in the old executive building of Postex Mills.

The county's share of the expense would be \$150 per month and would be paid monthly beginning at the end of February.

Mayor Giles C. McCrary appeared before the court to ask for approximately \$190 county funding for the Caprock Cultural Association.

A reduction in the CCA's funding from the county this year resulted in a cut in matching funds from other grants to the organization.

The court approved the funding which will be paid to the CCA when the mayor reports the exact amount of the matching funding needed.

Mayor McCrary and City Manager Bob Turner also discussed the condition of local airport runways and recommended that engineers look into the matter to see what needs to be done and how much the repairs will cost.

The mayor did advise the court that FAA funding should be available next year and that only neces-

FHA to Sponsor Annual Contest for Sweetheart

by Lupe Perez Jr.

The Future Homemakers of America will sponsor the annual Valentine Sweetheart Contest to be held February 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

School classes and organizations have chosen the following representatives to compete in the contest:

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sary repairs to bring the airport up to safety standards should be made at this time.

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First Baby Born in Garza County Arrives Feb. 1

Mr and Mrs Santiago Hernandez Jr are the parents of the first baby of 1988 born in Garza County's Garza Memorial Hospital.

Their baby girl, Veronica, was born February 1 at 1:20 p.m.

The baby was 19 inches long and weighed six pounds, 11 ounces at birth.

Her mother, Esther L., is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Florencio Lopez and the granddaughter of Mrs Anita Saldivar of Paballon, Aguascalientes, Republic of Mexico.

Veronica's father, Santiago Hernandez Jr is the son of Santiago Hernandez Sr.

The baby and parents are the recipients of gifts from the following merchants participating in the First Baby Contest:

First National Bank
Collier Drug
Prairie Flower Shop
Neff Western Auto
Caylor's Shell Station
United Supermarket
Garza Memorial Hospital
Handy Gifts
The Post Dispatch

'Room Service' Delights

Audiences Braving Ice, Snow

Outside it was cold and the ice and snow resulted in a number of reservation cancellations, but inside on the Garza Theatre stage things were hot indeed as the cast ran wild in their latest offering -- a madcap Marx Brothers farce "Room Service."

Director Will McCrary put the performers through their paces and succeeded in getting outstanding comedy performances from Earl Chapman, Lonnie Welborn, Roger McCurrin, Ronnie Gradine, Danielle Chapman, Mike Bartlett, Cheryl Thompson, Wes Burnett, Rodney Marshall, Bobby Flores, Randell Laurence, Mike Wells and Pete Newby.

Take one chiseling Broadway producer (McCrary) who is determined to get his play on the stage; add his two friends Binion (McCurrin), who has a fondness for a stuffed moose head, and Faker (Gradine), who has never had a good idea in his life; throw in the producer's girl friend and star,



FIRST BABY OF 1988-Posing with her mother Esther, for her first picture, is Veronica Hernandez, Garza County's first baby of the year. Veronica's father is Santiago Hernandez, Jr.

Christine (D. Chapman) and the playwright, Davis (Bartlett) a naive young man you just got off the train.

Put them all in the Broadway Hotel managed by Gribble (Welborn), the producers' brother-in-law who is trying desperately to hide the cast, crew, and the enormous bill they're building up and then send in the hotel director Wagner (Burnett) a thoroughly unlikeable man who is determined to put a stop to everything going on in the hotel.

For good measure, add a romantic interest, hotel-secretary Hilda (Thompson), for the playwright; a stage-struck Russian waiter (E. Chapman), who will even trade food for a part in a play; and a bill collector for the "We Never Sleep Collection Agency" (Flores) who is determined to get his money or Davis' typewriter.

Supply a backer's representative, Simon Jenkins (Marshall)

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CURTAIN CALL FOR "ROOM SERVICE"-Cast members of the recent Garza Theatre production taking their bows are: (back row, left to right) Mike Wells, Robert Flores, Rodney Marshall, Roger McCurrin, Ronnie Gradine, Will McCrary, Mike Bartlett, Randell Laurence and Earl Chapman; (middle, left to right) Pete Newby, Wes Burnett, Danielle Chapman, Cheryl Thompson and Lonnie Welborn; (front, left to right) James Burnett, Jennie Francis, Christy Morris, Richard Hudman and Mildred Stewart.

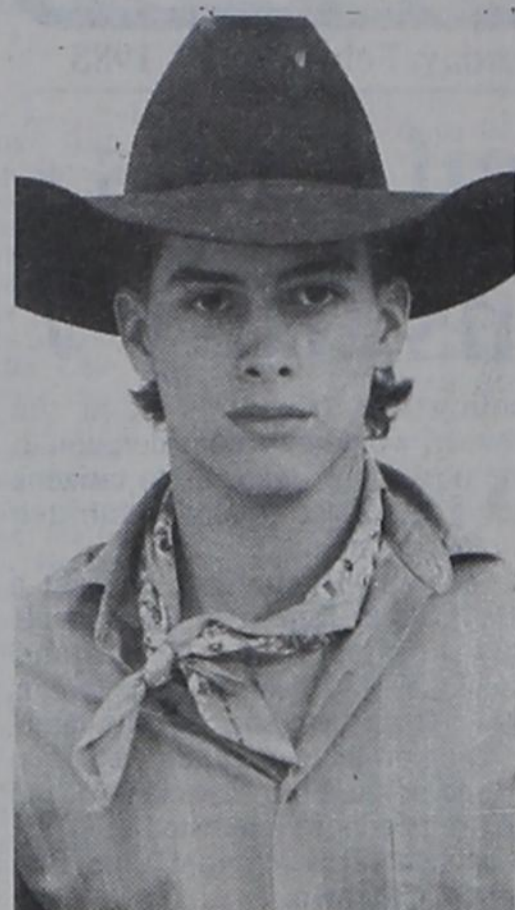
Obituary

Leatha Cederholm
 Funeral services for Leatha Cederholm are pending with Justice-Mason Funeral Home. She died at 1:45 p.m. Monday, February 8, 1988 in Twin Cedar Nursing Home after a lengthy illness. She was born in Montague County and moved to Post in 1949 from Amarillo. She married Carl Cederholm on August 12, 1939, in Barnum Springs. She retired from Mason and Co. in 1966. She was a Baptist. Survivors include her husband; a sister, Opal Pennell of Southland; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Letters to the Editor
 Dear Editor:
 On behalf of the Garza County Extension Homemakers, I want to take this means of thanking everyone who helped make the concession stand at the Junior Livestock Show a success. I especially thank those who worked, baked cakes for the auction, brownies and cookies, and Palmer Construction for furnishing all the ice. Without everyone's help we could not have made it. Last but not least, we thank those that took time to eat with us.
 Thanks,
 Sue Maxey, Secretary
 Garza County Extension
 Homemakers Council

Letter to the Editor
 I want to express my appreciation to those faithful patrons of the Garza Theatre who braved the icy elements last weekend to enjoy what I consider one of our best comedies, "Room Service." At the same time may I also say a belated thank you to Randell Laurence and the Post merchants who by their generosity at the Willy Awards helped raise almost \$600 toward restoring the front of the theater building.

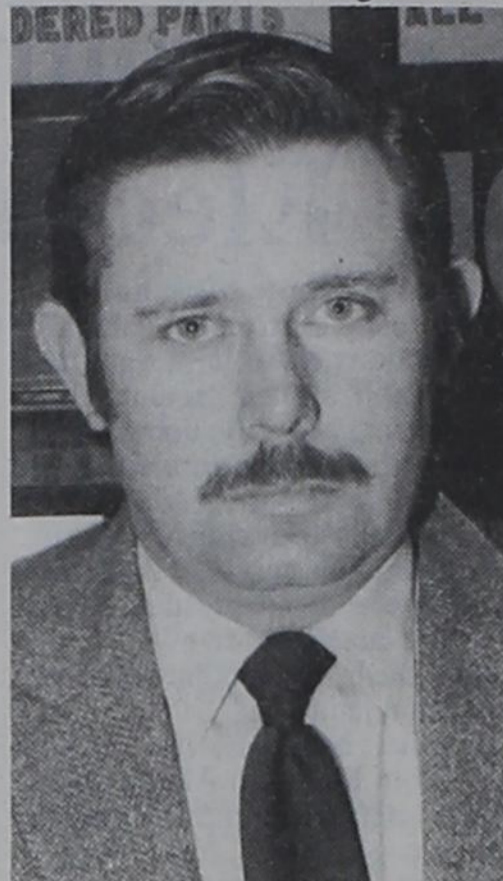
Will McCrary



Chad Davis was the winner of the prestigious Overall Sportsmanship Belt Buckle for hard work and contributions throughout the recent Garza County Junior Livestock Association Show.

Rodney Blancet Joins Vyas Motors...

by Rodney Marshall
 Mike Vyas, owner of Vyas Motors, Inc., welcomed Rodney Blancet as new Parts and Service Director this month. Blancet is 33 years old and had a wife, Shawnee, and a one year old son, Brice. They currently live in Wolfforth, driving back and forth. But Blancet does not doesn't waste time in the drive. "I'm able to pick up equipment in Lubbock in the mornings which saves us time and freight and is



Rodney Blancet

faster service for the customer," Blancet comments. Blancet graduated from high school at Stamford where he grew up. He gained his start for General Motors there where he worked for Cothrun Motor Company while in school and after he graduated. In all Blancet totals 12 years of General Motor experience with Alderson Cadillac in Lubbock and Phil Martin Autoplex in Levelland to his credit. Blancet has General Motor and BMW certificates to his credit and

was a certified Chevrolet technician in 1987 and a General Motors service advisor in 1987. He likes the smaller towns where he feels that you can get to know the people better. "I look forward to working with and helping the people in Post," Blancet said. Blancet is committed to customer satisfaction and believes that honesty and dedication to the employer and customer are vital. "I see a great challenge and a lot of opportunity in the town and in this position," he continued.

City Council...

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 The dual bids will consist of the regular method and the other for a latex asphalt and pre-coated rock which is higher but is reported to last longer. Parkhill, Smith and Cooper also agreed to pursue matching funds for the city from the Park Grant. The problems at the airport were discussed with Davis. Davis said that the company would do a preliminary evaluation to get the ramps and taxi ways at the airport in working condition till additional funding can be acquired. The council approved an agreement with Parkhill, Smith and Cooper for this year. Jean Westfall, Chief Appraiser of the Garza County Appraisal District, came to the council to discuss the possibility of filing tax delinquent suits. Westfall pointed out that the suits could be one of three ways: sue all delinquent taxes, those in only a limited number of years or only those properties belonging to unknown person or unknown addresses. The council thanked Westfall for bringing this to their attention but told her they were not in a position

to give an answer at this time. Joe McAteer and Tom Lonon, representing Sandefur and Swindle, presented the city audit to the council. After the pages were completed Lonon stated that the records were well kept and accurate and that the city personnel were very helpful in the study. Present at the meeting were Mayor Giles McCrary along with council members Waldrup, Charles Wallace, Jack Alexander and Larry Mills. Also present were City Manager Bob Turner, City Secretary Wanda Wilkerson and City Attorney Harvey Morton.

Commissioners

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 With county approval, the city would proceed with the basic minimum maintenance requirements for airport improvements as recommended by inspecting engineers. A plan for development of economic prospects for Garza County by an appointed committee was discussed and will be studied further and added to a later agenda.

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The Post Economic Development Corp.
 We are pleased to announce that the State of Texas has funded a grant to the PEDC for fire prevention and fire safety training.

The grant provides for free distribution of smoke detectors, and on Feb. 18 and 19, 1988 from 5:30 p.m. until 8 p.m. 200 smoke detectors will be given away free at the Post Volunteer Fire Department, East 8th St and Ave. H.

- Eligibility:
1. Must be 60 years old or older.
 2. Must be a Garza County area resident.
 3. Must own and reside in house that smoke detector will be installed in.
 4. Only one smoke detector per residence.
 5. Project administrator reserves the right to accept or reject any applicants.
 6. The Project Administrators will not be responsible for installation, maintenance or upkeep of any smoke detector.

'Room Service'

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 who has a check to finance the play, but seems destined to have a nervous collapse before he can deliver the check and get away from the madmen. And when everything seems safe and secure, send in a bank messenger (Wells), with the news that the check has bounced.

To further confuse things, fake the illness of Davis and have the hotel doctor (Laurence) come in complete with stethoscope, thermometer and rubber glove and pronounce the illness a fake.

To top off the evening, stage a suicide for Davis and hold a wake complete with moaning, sobbing and one of the world's worst renditions of "Abide With Me."

Enter hotel owner Senator Blake (Newby) who saves the day and the play -- and everybody exits laughing.

The fast, funny stage activity was made possible by the excellent stage management of Christy Morris, along with her crew consisting of James Burnett and Scott Zapert on lights; Richard Hudman, sound operator; Jennie Francis, assistant stage manager; Jayta Ticer, prompter; and Mildred Stewart, production manager. Garza Theatre veteran Robbie Francis was also on hand to help with back-stage activities.

House manager for the performances was Stephanie McCurran. Coming up next at the Garza Theatre will be Tennessee Williams' classic "The Glass Menagerie" to be presented March 17-20.

YOUR VOTE & SUPPORT APPRECIATED

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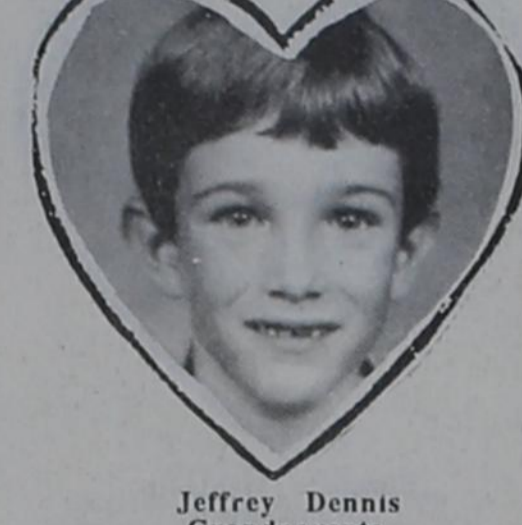
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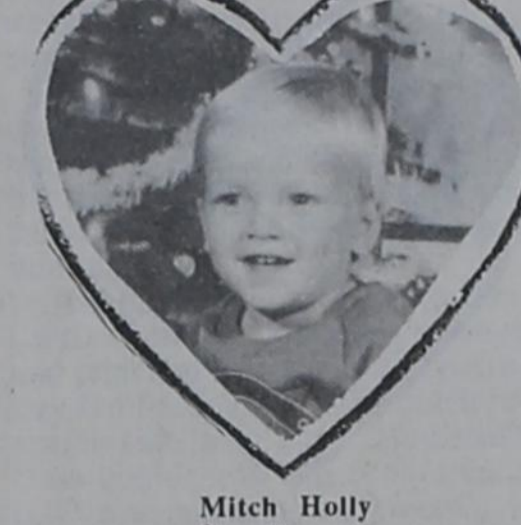
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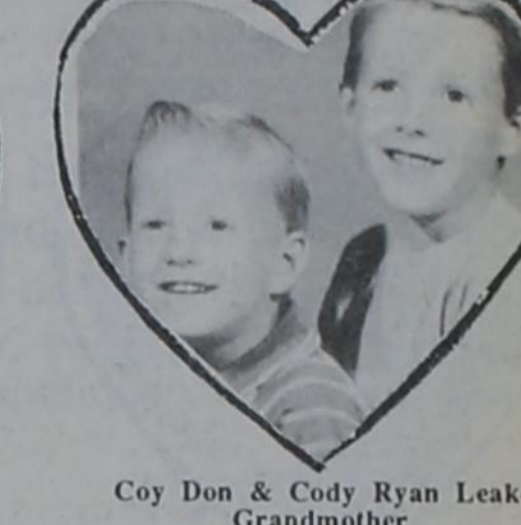
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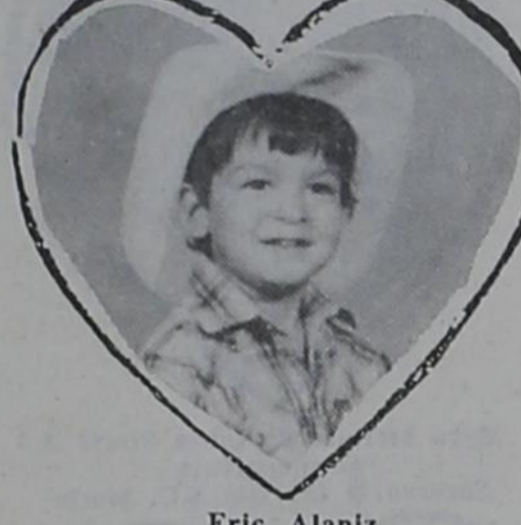
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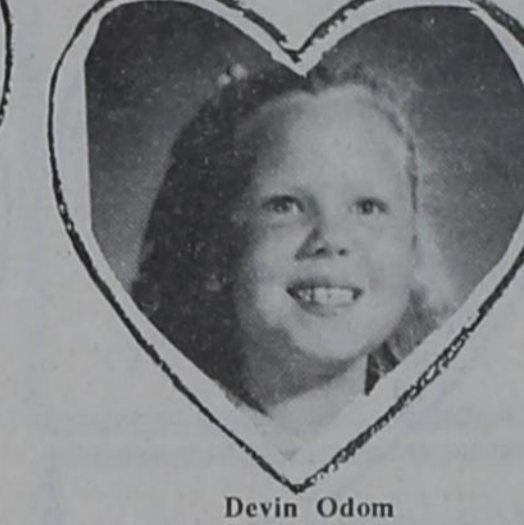
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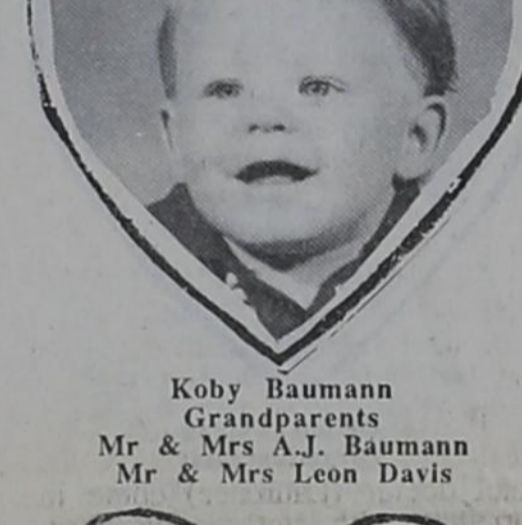
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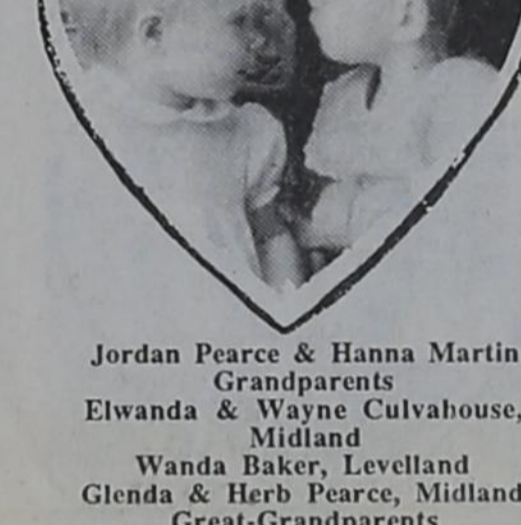
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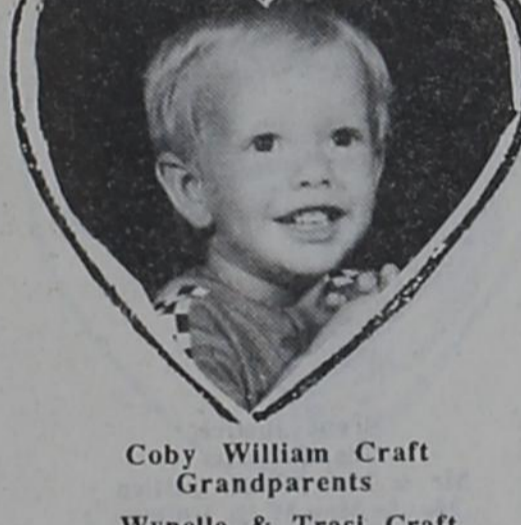
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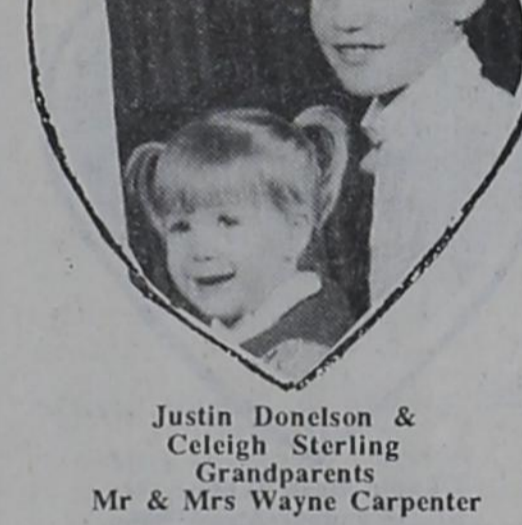
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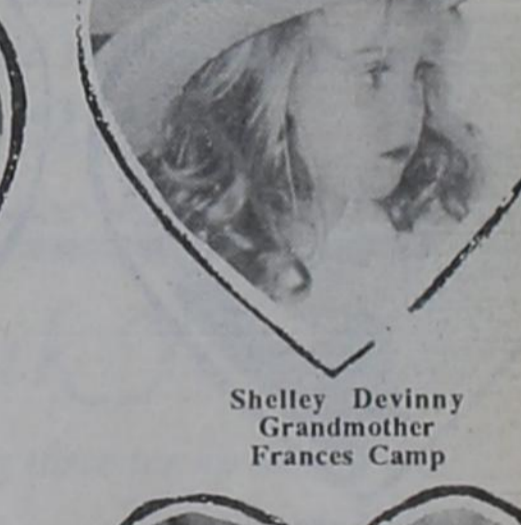
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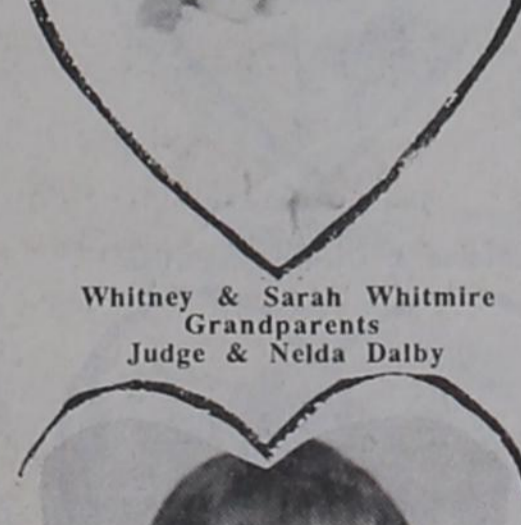
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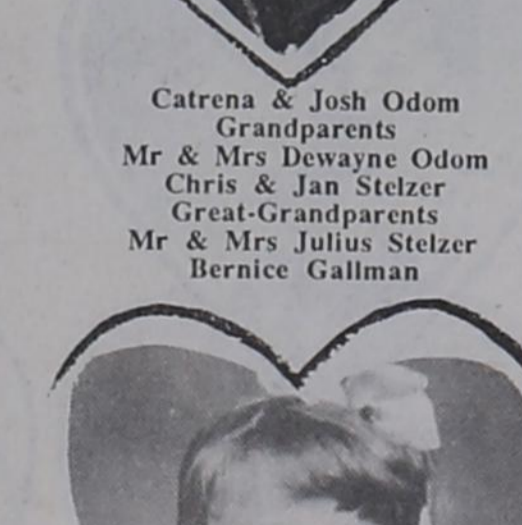
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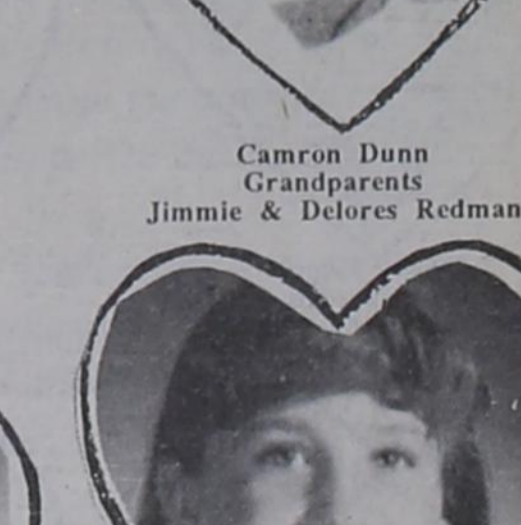
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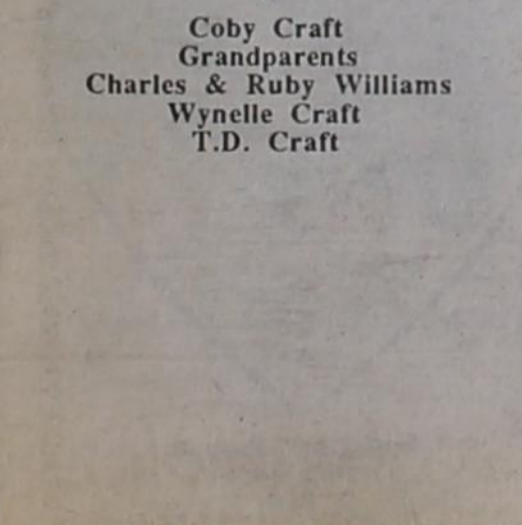
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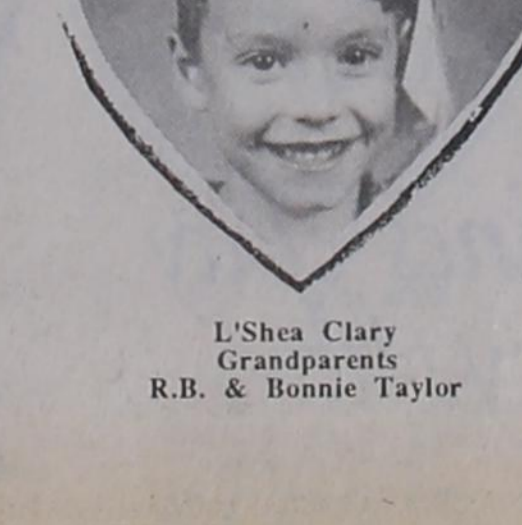
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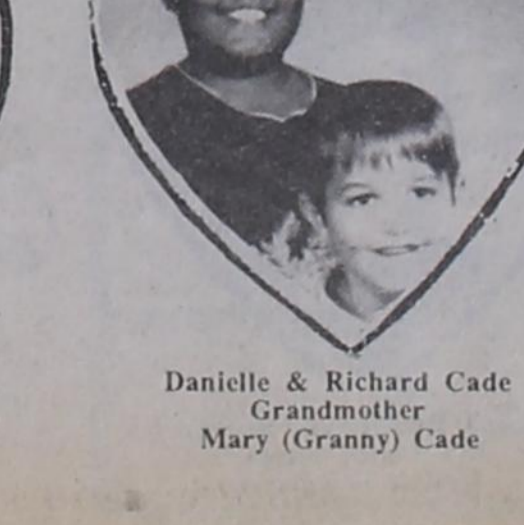
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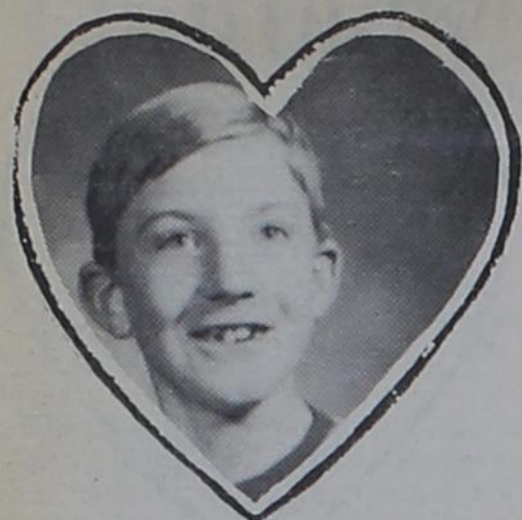


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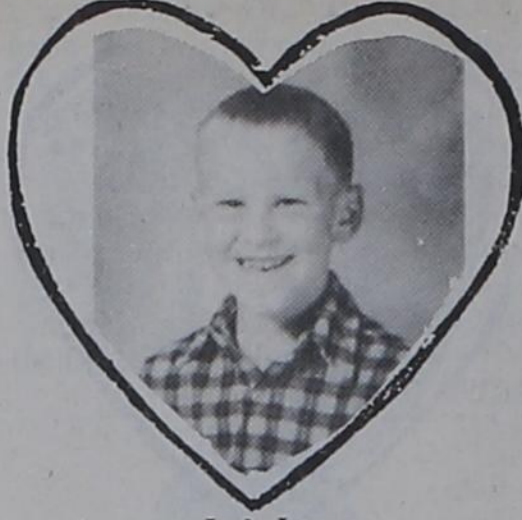
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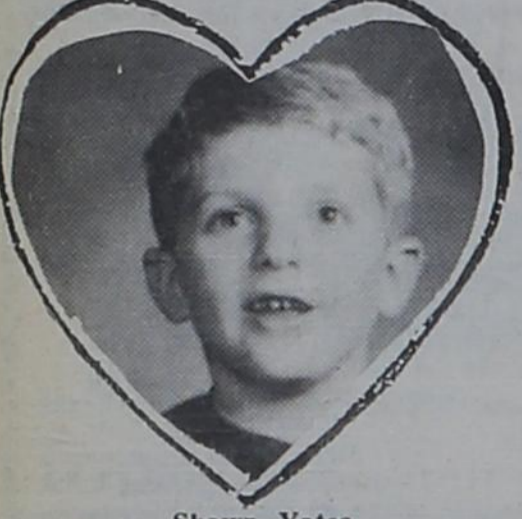
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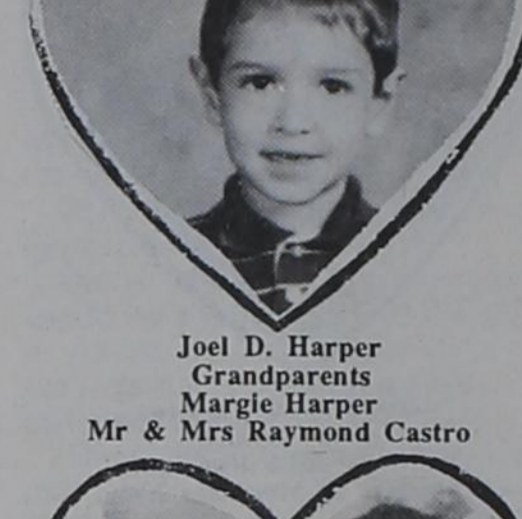
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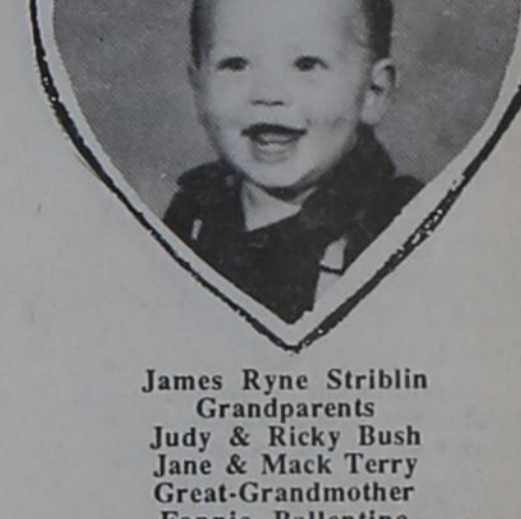
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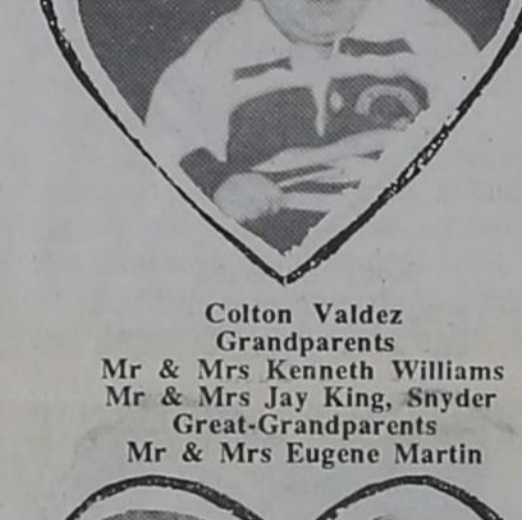
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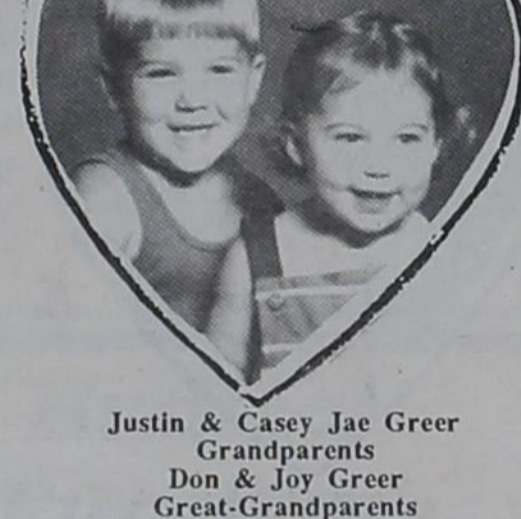
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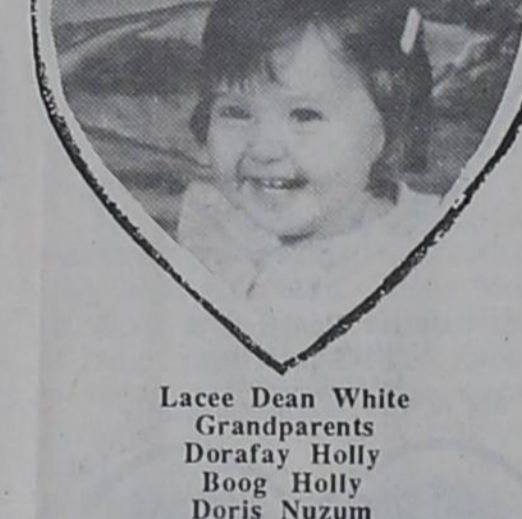
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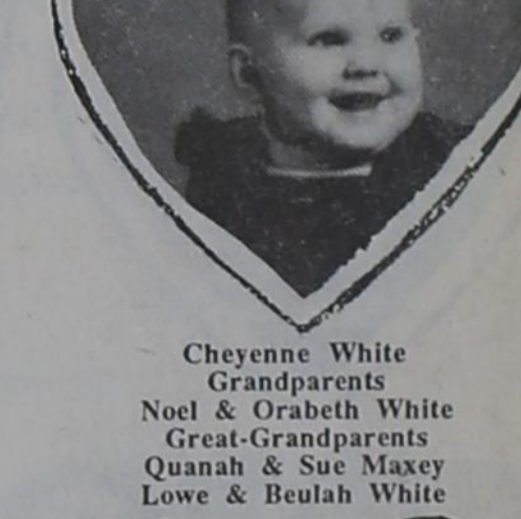
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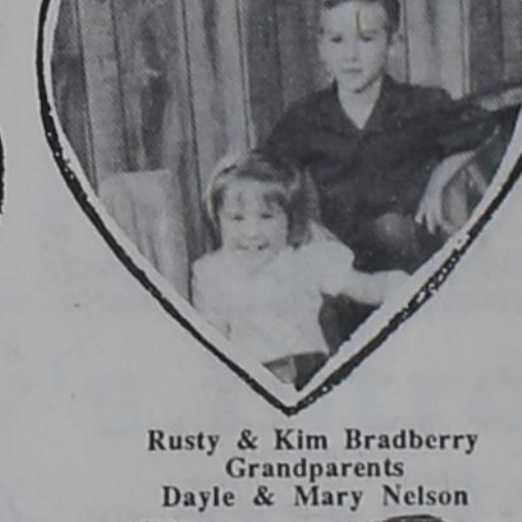
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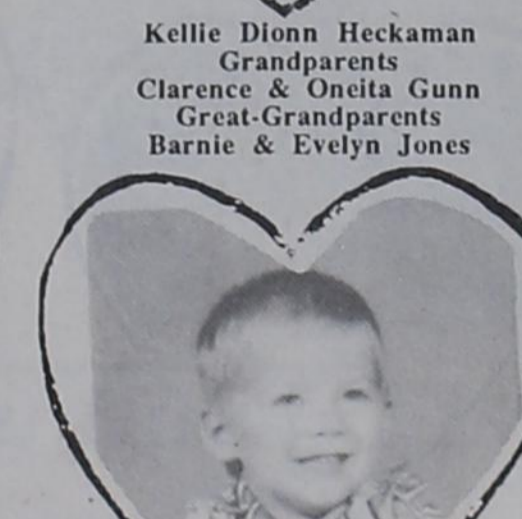
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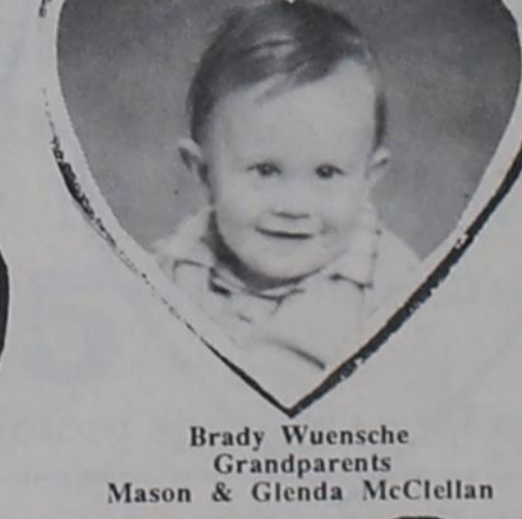
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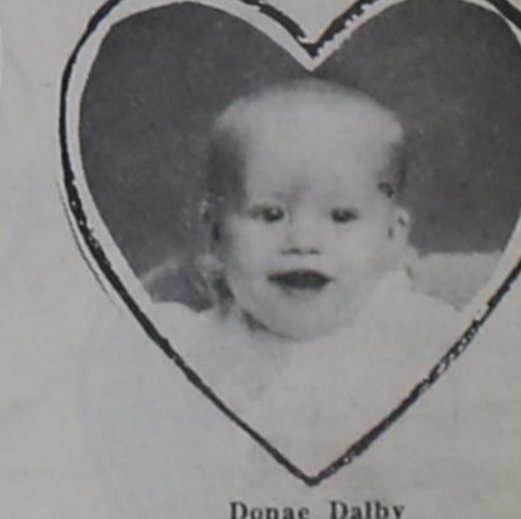
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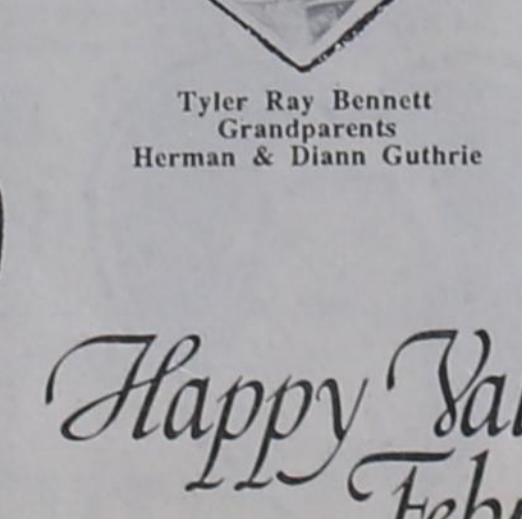
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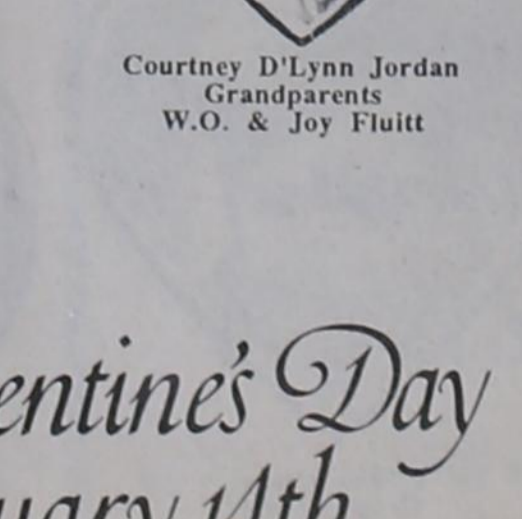
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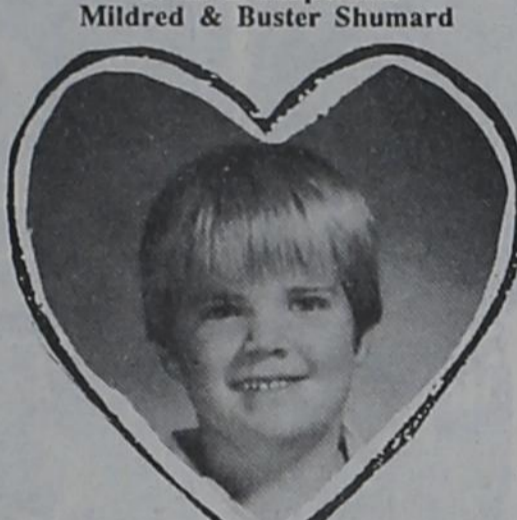
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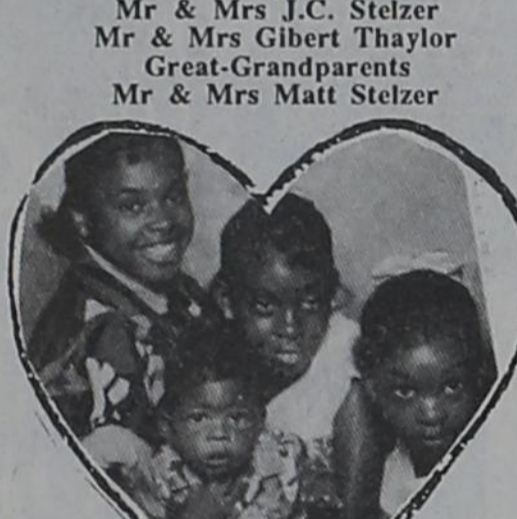
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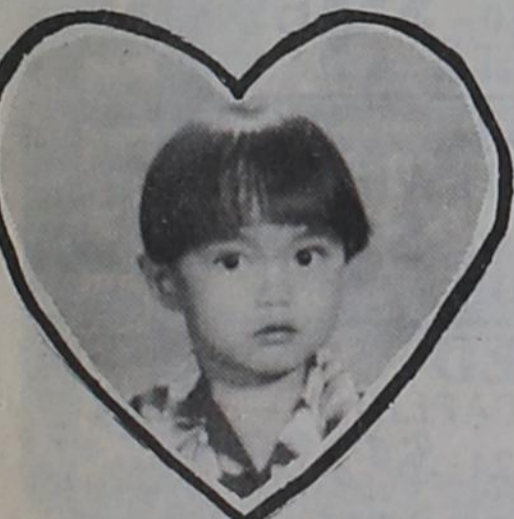
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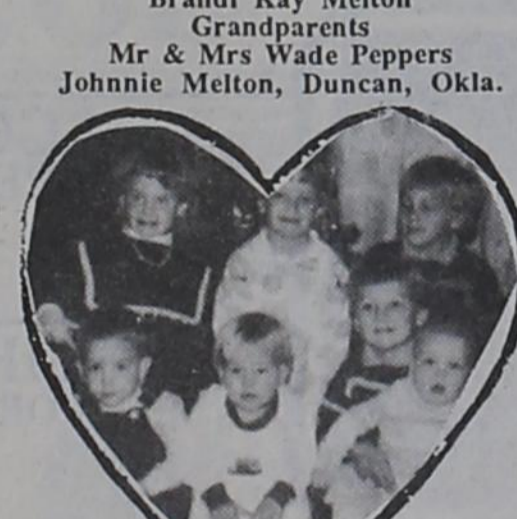
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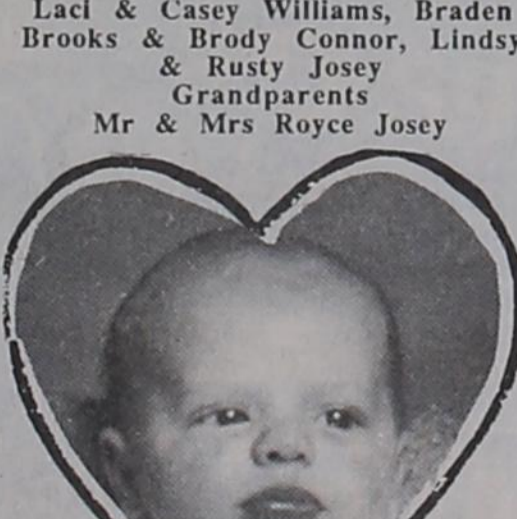
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New Teaching Method at Middle School

A new approach to the instruction and enrichment of students in the classroom was a success in the Post Middle School recently.

Nine students in a combined elementary and middle school gifted/talented class were actually directing their individual questions to, and hearing the responses from Peggy Lathlaen, one of the nation's top ten finalists for the "Teacher in Space" program.

When Julia Hudman, eighth-grade language arts teacher and grades 4-8 gifted education teacher, could not answer the technical questions her Future Problem Solving team had to ask on space travel, she used a method common now in the college classroom.

An intercom phone system is required so that everyone in the room may hear current information coming from the specialist in whatever subject the teacher needs updated information.

The Post schools have just recently installed intercom phones and principal Bud Davis and secretary Jan Bartlett did some quick research into how Mrs. Hudman's class could hold the "conference call" in an adjoining workroom.

"The students had done background research, and we had even brainstormed what questions might be pertinent to jobs and travel by the next century," Mrs. Hudman explained.

"Then I decided why not put our technical advances to use and do what one of my college professors has found effective. I never expected that we would actually be conferring with someone as dynamic and with such exposure as a would-be astronaut."

Questions were voiced by students Cody Collier, Jayson Fry, Sara Hudman, Kelly Line, Brad McDonald, Chanda Moreman, Laura Norman and Brant Windham.

Subjects of interest were the design of the future orbiting space stations, the job considerations of workers in the 21st century, possible solutions if a spacefarer shift ran out of supplies, and positive results that can come from establishment of space stations or colonies.

Peggy Lathlaen, a Friendswood, Texas classroom teacher, was notified that she was a space finalist in April 1985.

The following summer she participated in the NASA training and studied along with Christa McAuliffe and others for the 1986 space shuttle launch.

Currently Lathlaen travels about the nation giving seminars and workshops.

"This experience for the class was truly a highlight of my teaching resources," Mrs. Hudman said.

"I know that every teaching situation requires creativity and hard concentration for it to be effective."

"Teachers want their students to go out into their own careers with skills to approach the changing world. It's only fair that we take some of the technical tools of that changing world and make them work for us," she added.



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In the Neighborhood...

by Lonnie Welborn

A few weeks ago we had a visitor in the Dispatch from Battle Creek, Michigan - Virginia Moody - who is with the Post Cereals Division of General Foods. She had made a special trip here to see our town and is very interested in C.W. Post and things concerned with his life and times.

This week I received a note from Virginia, along with a copy of "Keeping Posted," the newsletter distributed to Battle Creek employees by the General Food Manufacturing Corporation.

Virginia also sent me a specially produced Post Grape-Nuts box celebrating the 90th Anniversary of the C.W. Post cereal.

It's encouraging to have someone take such an interest in our town and I appreciate the encouraging words Virginia Moody has for us.

Another out-of-towner we are pleased to see when he visits is Greg Wortham, Legislative Aide to State Representative Steve Carriker.

Greg was here recently for the Garza Theatre Willy Awards and

was also in the audience for "Room Service" Saturday night.

We appreciate the interest Greg has shown in Post and the fact that he likes to keep up with what we're trying to do.

Reception at WTC

Our congratulations to Stephanie McCurrin who will be completing the Western Texas College cosmetology course soon and was honored recently at a reception in the cosmetology lab.

Stephanie will be eligible to take Texas Board of Cosmetology tests for licensing when she has completed the 12-month course.

Training in Austin

Main Street Project Manager Melissa Cunningham was in Austin Monday through Thursday of last week for training sessions with the Main Street Project conducted through the Department of Commerce.

Orange Harvest Trip

Pam Ehret, daughter of Sandra Ehret of Post, is one of 38 Hardin-Simmons University students who went on the 1988 Orange Harvest Trip, sponsored by Student Foundation, to a university owned grove near Mission, Texas in the Rio Grande Valley.

The students and several HSU administrators left Friday, January 29 and worked two and one-half hours Saturday morning picking approximately 5,720 pounds of oranges.

Proceeds from the trip will be used for scholarships for Student Foundation members.

Attends Advisory Conference
JoAnn Mock, Administrator of the Caprock Cultural Association, was one of 35 arts council directors and regional chairpersons from across the state who were in Austin recently to attend a two-day Advisory Conference held by the Texas Arts Council.

The Texas Arts Council is a nonprofit, tax-exempt service or-

ganization for community arts agencies throughout the state, whose purpose is to educate, promote, develop, and support community arts programs in the state.

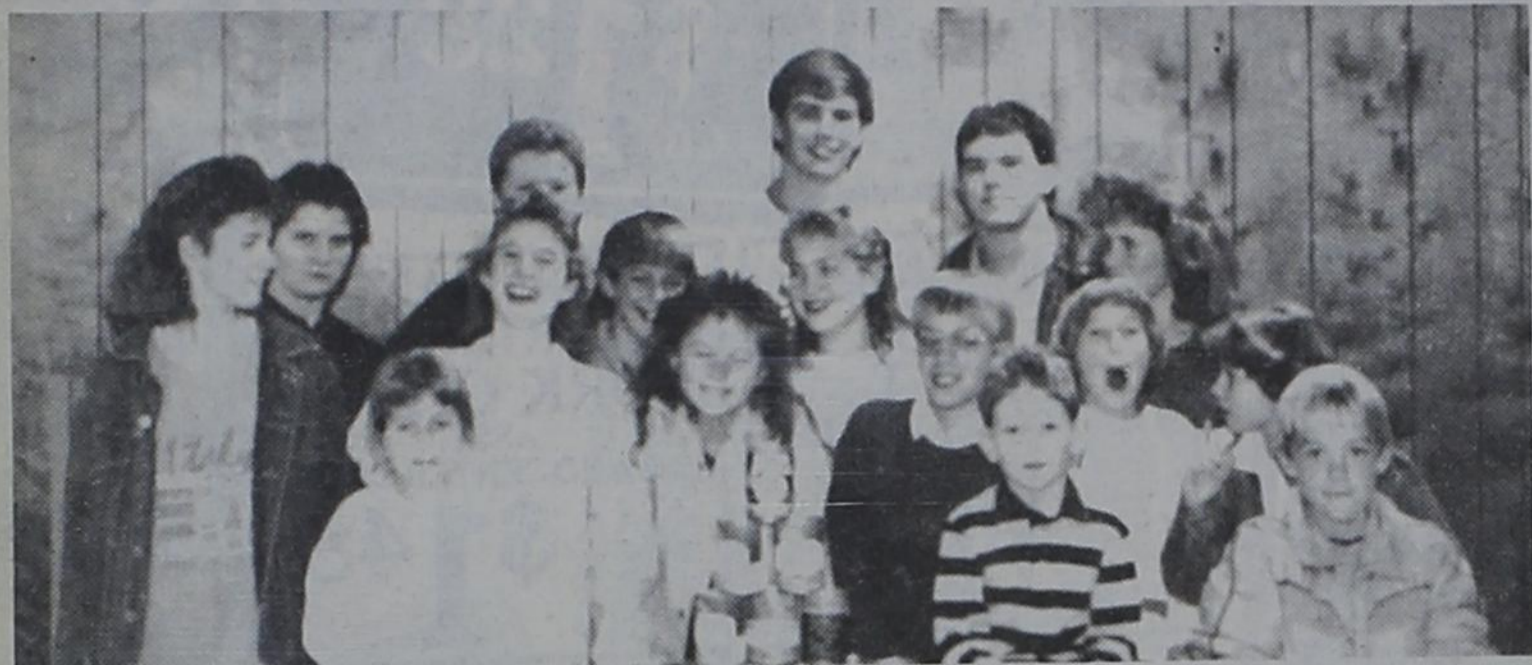
Dean's Honor Roll

Congratulations to Leigh McCook, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles McCook of Post, who is listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall 1987 semester at Abilene Christian University.

To be listed on the honor roll, a student must be enrolled for a grade in at least 12 semester hours and earn a 3.45 grade point average or higher.

Sunday Wedding

Tracie D'Ann Reed and Mark O'Daniel Holly are inviting all their friends to attend their wedding on Sunday, February 14 at 4 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Civic Center, Atrium Suite, 801 Avenue Q in Lubbock.



CLUB MAKES FOOD DONATION-Members of the Lucky Clover 4-H Club who recently donated food to Post Cares are (back row, left to right) Jill Richardson, Janell Jones, Jarrett Dickson and Richard Hudman; (middle row, left to right) Cindy Burch, Labeth Jones, Shawn Pennell, Amanda Richardson and Heather Dickson; (front row, left to right) Rebecca Stelzer, Amber Cooper, Chard Hart, Aaron Cooper, Jill Stelzer, Lori Hudman and Seth Pennell.

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Eric weighed seven pounds and nine ounces and was 19" long at birth.
Maternal grandparents are Mr and Mrs Jose Ruiz of Post.
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Rosa Gonzalez is Candidate in Lubbock Miss Teen Pageant

by Lonnie Welborn

Rosa Gonzalez, a Post High School junior and the daughter of Rosa Gonzalez of Post, is one of the candidates who will be competing in the Miss Teen Pageant to be held at Lubbock's Civic Center at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, February 13.

To be a contestant in the pageant, a girl must be young, talented, charming and pretty. Rosa Gonzalez is all these things -- and more.

She is an A-honor roll student, a member of the National Honor Society and serves as vice president of the Student Council, band president and choir council vice president.

Rosa is also active in her church youth group and is president of the CYO.

She is the current Lion's Club Sweetheart and has been in the Valentine Sweetheart Contest. Singing, dancing and the arts are some of her favorite things and she has appeared in school plays, including the recent production of "The Music Man."

Continuing her education is important to Rosa, but at this time she is undecided about her college or a major.

She first became acquainted with the Miss Teen Pageant when she was visiting in Big Spring and talked with a pageant representative in a local mall.

Rosa filled out the application and eventually received a reply that she had been accepted as a contestant.

The rules for pageant entrants are strict; and one of the requirements is at least 12 hours of community service work - which Rosa filled by volunteer service at Twin Cedar Nursing Home.

In the pageant itself, girls were given the choice of a speech or a talent performance.

Rosa chose the talent division - singing and dancing - and recorded her version of "You Keep Me Hanging On." She also choreographed a dance routine to the recording and will perform the dance while her musical number is played.

The day will begin early Saturday for Rosa and the other contestants with judges interviews beginning at 8 a.m. and continuing throughout the day.

The day will also include rehearsals for a group song, individual rehearsals and a luncheon.

The winner of the Saturday night event will go on to the state Miss Teen Pageant.

Rosa's sponsors for the event are Bryan Williams Insurance, C&C Well Service, Carlene Kyle, CYO, and Pedro Torres of Odessa.

Being the charming, well-mannered young lady she is, Rosa is also very quick to give credit to other people who have helped her in preparing for the pageant -- Kay Hays, Lynette Thuett, Margie Pennell and Linda Gordon.

We wish her well. Rosa Gonzalez is a very outstanding, very deserving person.



Rosa Gonzalez

Troop 316 Holds Fund Raiser

by Diana Poe

On January 24 Boy Scout Troop 316 held a fund raising Smorgasbord Dinner from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., which was a big success.

The meal consisted of fried chicken, baked chicken, spaghetti with meat sauce, meatloaf, potatoes, gravy, red beans, potato salad, a large salad bar, dessert and bread.

The money raised will go for trips, camping, supplies for the troop and badges. The boys need your support and they got it on January 24.

The parents of these boys do appreciate all those who turned out for the dinner.

Boys in Troop 316 are Shane Horton, Chuck Duncan, Jr., Cole LeBlanc, Jamie Morris, Michael

Bohn, Jr., Patrick Sanchez, Richard Sanchez, Chris VandeValde;

Ta Watson, Kelly Line, Lane Jones, Rynn Sappington, Jackie Cruse, Cody Collier, Mario Tobias, Tracy Albert, Lanny Poe, Adrian Castillo, Anthony Cruse and Paul Robinson.

We also give these people our sincere thanks and our appreciation for the donations they made to our dinner: Paul Jones, Mr & Mrs Steve Goodwin, Paul Simpson, Mr & Mrs Billy McKamie, Mr & Mrs Pete Newby;

Camp Post, families of Scouts from Troop 316, Dairy Queen, Livestock Association, Palmers Well Service, PDQ, United Grocery, Corner Grocery, H & M Dirt Contractors, Post Dispatch and KPOS for advertisements.

Max Chaffin Announces Candidacy for Sheriff

Max Chaffin has authorized the Post Dispatch to announce that he is a candidate for the office of Garza County Sheriff, subject to the March 8 Republican primary, and has issued the following campaign statement:

"I was born and raised in Garza County. I attended Pleasant Valley, Post and Southland Public Schools. I also attended Texas Tech University with a major in Business Administration and pre-law was my minor.

"I have experience in Military and Civil Police with experience in the city of Post as a city policeman. I am a life member of the VFW.

"I am married. My wife, Anne, and I have three children. They are all grown and married. We have five grandchildren and are expecting a sixth in April. My wife is employed as teacher in Southland I.S.D. and is in her 24th year there.

"We own and operate Cash and Carry Farm and Ranch Store at 114 S. Ave. I in Post, Texas.

"I have attended all the police schools and academies that all active police officers are required to attend.

"I feel that I have the experience and training to accomplish the duties of sheriff as well as another important qualification, that of management and administration.

"Few people seem to be aware that the expenditures of the sheriff's office of Garza County exceed a quarter of a million dollars a year.

"The actual expenditures for the last four years are as follows:

1984	\$216,608.67
1985	309,303.81
1986	307,255.14
1987	278,049.49

and the approved budget for 1988 is \$277,267.49.

"These figures can be verified by contacting the County Treasurer. The above figures represent quite and expenditure of the taxpayer's money. The daily expense for those five years comes to \$758.62 per day.

"I realize in seeking this office that it is not a part time job. To manage a budget of this magnitude and supervising the activities of this office is indeed a full time job and I am willing to assume the responsibility.

"I feel that with proper management the expenditures of this office can be reduced as well as the efficiency increased and if elected I will exert every effort to accomplish

these over-due goals.

"With the above in mind I honestly solicit your vote and support for the office of Sheriff of Garza County, Texas.

Cordell Custer Is Retired From Military

Col. G. Cordell Custer, son of Virginia Custer of Post, was decorated upon retirement from the U.S. Air Force culminating 30 years in the military.

Custer received the Defense Superior Service Medal in Alexandria, Virginia.

The Defense Superior Service Medal is awarded by the Secretary of Defense to any member of the Armed Forces of the United States who, while assigned to joint staffs and other joint activities of the Department of Defense, has rendered superior meritorious service in a position of significant responsibility.

Colonel Custer, a 1952 graduate of Post High School and a 1957 graduate of Texas Tech University, served as a facilities director with the Defense Fuel Supply Center.

Sweethearts...

(continued from Page 1)

- Freshmen-Sarah Williams
- Sophomore Class-Shal Sneed
- Junior Class-Traci Tannehill
- Senior Class-Susan Little
- Boy's Basketball-Megan Bush
- Lady Lopes-Keitha White
- Football -Christina Martinez
- Band-LaDonna Scott
- Video Club-Amber Crenshaw
- Annual Staff-Shan Bell
- Paper Staff-Angela Graves
- Girl's FCA-Trevah Bush
- Boy's FCA-Traci Bush
- Student Council-Kim Wulfjen
- Drama Club-Irma Garza
- N.H.S.-Rene Craig
- Choir-Cheryl Thompson
- FFA-Tyra Hart
- Greenhand-Joanna Binford.

Tickets at the door will be \$3.00 for adults and \$2.00 for students.

Reserved seat tickets are available for \$3.50 and may be purchased by contacting the Homemaking Department of Post High School or Susan Little.

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Bobby Blair

We would like to take this opportunity to thank our Ag teacher, Terry Smith for all of his hard work and support. Through his help we enjoyed much success in Garza County Jr. Livestock Show.

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Bobby Blair

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Jeremy King

Post 8th Grade "B" Team in Slaton Tournament

The Post eighth grade girls "B" team traveled to Slaton Friday and Saturday, January 29 & 30 losing two games to Slaton "A" and Cooper "A" teams.

Lucie Rodriguez, Shauna Poe and Sandra Mathies all scored two points in their 33-6 loss to Slaton's "A" team in the first game of the tournament.

In the second game Post "B" lost to Cooper "A", 30-10.

Dianna Ammons scored six points followed by Wendy Clay with two while Kristin Tiisworth and Crosvette Lopez had one point each.

Eighth Grade Girls Fall to Seminole By One Point

The Post eighth grade girls fell to the Seminole girls, 48-47, in a contest held Monday, February 1, in Seminole.

Post fell behind in the first quarter 14-6 and trailed 29-20 at halftime.

In the third quarter Post came storming back by scoring 15 points and holding Seminole to just five to pull ahead by one point, 35-34.

But Seminole would not die as they roared back for the win with 14 points while Post managed 12.

Laura Norman scored 19 points to lead the Post players while Trudy Woods added another 12.

Tonia Jefferson connected for seven, Sandy Allen dropped in four, Lucy Rodriguez collected three and Misty Bartlett had two.

This was the second district loss by the eighth grade girls.

Seventh Grade Boys Lose to Seminole, 42-28

The seventh grade boys fought hard but found themselves on the losing side, 42-28, of a contest with Seminole that was played Monday, February 1, in Post.

Seminole jumped out to a 16-4 lead after the first quarter of play.

Post came roaring back to out score Seminole 12-8 in the second period but still found themselves behind, 24-16.

Seminole again came out strong in the

third quarter adding 14 points while holding Post to just four and led 38-20 after three quarters.

In the fourth Post tried to come back out scoring Seminole 8-4 but it was not enough.

Josh Bush led the Post scoring with 11 points followed by Willie Barbosa with five and Damon Curtis collecting four.

Patrick Sanchez, Robert Baldrice, Craig Taylor and Rene Armendarez each had two points in the game.

Lady Lopes Lose Two Games Last Week

Cooper 61 - Post 44

The varsity Lady Lopes basketball team traveled to Cooper Tuesday, February 2, to play Cooper and came home with a 61-44 loss.

The Lopes started the ball game with a four point lead going ahead 16-12 at the end of the first quarter.

But the Lopes had trouble scoring in the second period scoring just six points while Cooper added another 12 to go ahead 24-22 at halftime.

The girls from Post came out fighting in the third period but were out scored by Cooper 13-9 for a 37-31 lead after three periods.

Cooper poured it on in the fourth scoring 24 points while holding the young Lopes to just 13 to gain the victory.

Keitha White led the scoring for Post with 10 points.

She was followed by Christina Martinez and Angela Graves with seven each while Traci Tannehill added six, Margaret Wynne

collected five and Kim Wulfjen dropped in four points.

Dana Morris and Megan Bush each had two points and Shal Sneed added one.

Brownfield 55 - Post 30

The Brownfield varsity ladies came to town last Friday, February 5, and kept their district title hopes alive by drumming the Post Lady Lopes, 55-30.

The Lady Lopes had a hard time getting untracked as they could only manage eight points in the first half while Brownfield showed their strength pouring in 23.

Brownfield continued their scoring spree with 15 and 17 points in the third and fourth quarters.

Post showed better results in the second half adding 12 and 10 points in the third and fourth periods.

Christina Martinez led the scoring for Post with 10 points followed by Angela Graves with six.

Keitha White and Shal Sneed each had four while Traci Tannehill, Margaret Wynne and Amber Crenshaw each added two points to the score.



A VIEW FROM THE CAPROCK-The recent heavy snowfall turned the Post area into a land of snow and ice as seen in this view from the roadside park on the Lubbock Caprock.

Antelopes Drop Two Games Last Week

Cooper 76 - Post 55

The Post varsity boys basketball team dropped a decision to Cooper, 76-55, last Tuesday, February 2, in Cooper.

Post fell behind 17-9 after the first quarter and were down 15 points, 38-23, at halftime.

Cooper added 24 more points in the third quarter while Post collected 12 to make the score 62-36.

The Antelopes out scored Cooper, 19-14, but still were behind in the final out come, 76-55.

Bill Rankin scored a high of 26 points in the contest.

Rance Sappington added six, Dustin Ammons popped in five while Alfredo Soria and Jr. Armendariz both collected four points each.

Michael McClain added three while Kevin Williams, Roger Adams and Lee Wayne Greathouse each had two points and Jamie Perez had one.

Brownfield 88 - Post 35

The Brownfield Cubs came to town last Friday, February 5, and beat Post, 88-35.

Brownfield jumped out to a 24-9 lead after one quarter and held a 40-19 advantage at halftime.

Post could only manage two points in the third quarter while Brownfield poured in 21 to make the score 61-21 after three periods of play.

In the final quarter Brownfield out scored Post 27-14 for the win.

Rankin had 13 points in the game followed by Sappington with six. Ammons, McClain and Armendariz each added four points while Perez and Greathouse each had two points.

Post 8th Grade Boys Suffer Loss to Seminole

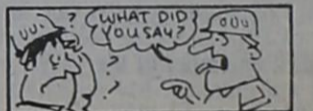
The Post eighth grade boys basketball team lost to the Seminole eighth grade boys, 71-19 last Monday, February 1.

Seminole jumped out to a 24-4 lead at the end of the first quarter and held a 39-7 lead at halftime.

Post scored 12 points in the second half but Seminole poured in 32 to secure the win.

Tommy Ammons led the scoring for Post with 14 points.

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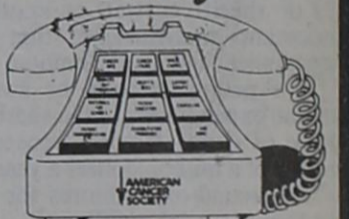


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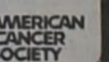
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Texas Economy Appears to be Recovering...Bullock Says

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Tuesday said final figures on strong 1987 Christmas sales are a good sign that the Texas economy is recovering.

"A surge in consumer spending in December brought in more than \$619 million in state sales taxes," Bullock said.

He said tax collections were about 56 percent more than tax collections in December of 1986.

The increase is well above any factor that can be attributed to the Legislature's hike in the sales tax

rate last fall from 4.125 percent to 6 percent.

Bullock said a survey of major retailers shows that Christmas season sales were up an average of 5.5 percent this year compared to the previous year.

"That's a healthy gain that will translate into a better financial position for Texas merchants and an overall improvement in the economy for all Texans," Bullock said.

He said strong retail sales provide a benchmark that consumers are gaining more confidence in the Texas economy.

New Tax Rule for Producers Involved in 'Two Year' Crops

Agricultural taxpayers beware: if you grow or raise anything that takes more than two years to become productive, you're subject to new tax rules about "preproductive" expenses.

"Such expenses will no longer be deductible," notes economist Dr. Kenneth Stokes of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "Instead, they'll have to be depreciated."

Schedule F on 1987 tax returns requires producers to select a method of depreciation for this year and future tax years. "There are only two options provided -- expensing or capitalizing," says Stokes, "but the choice isn't easy."

Stokes provides this basic information to help producers make their decision, but suggests that they may want to check with their accountants to see if other commodities come under the rule.

In the definition of "preproductive period," hogs, sheep and goats do not have a preproductive period over two years but cattle and horses do. The preproductive period for a beef cow extends from conception of the cow to delivery of her first calf.

For plants, Stokes notes that the time span extends from when the plant or seed is planted to when it begins yielding marketable quantities.

The option of expensing is easier but can be more costly in the long run, Stokes says. Expensing requires no special bookkeeping or cost allocation. It also allows producers to deduct preproductive expenses the same year they're incurred.

"However, if you select expensing, you will be required to depreciate all other future farm assets using a slow straight-line depreciation method," Stokes says.

"Furthermore, when you sell the plant or animal in question, any gain will be subject to depreciation recapture rules and treated as ordinary income," he adds.

Taxable retail sales in the fourth quarter of 1987 are estimated to total more than \$17.5 billion. This compares with retail sales in the fourth quarter of 1986 of \$16.7 billion.

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Also thanks for the add-ons from the 7-C's, Hackberry, Doris and Dillard Dunn. More thanks to Curt, Clay, Heath, Tom and Janle, Lance and Ronnie, Mike B. and to Chad Davis for showing my lamb. And also a big thanks to Dad and Rusty who always work hard to help us all year round. To all the ring help, to any 4-H member or FFA member we may have missed and to everyone who made our show a success for us, we say thank you.

Dana and Nancy Morris

Thank You!
I would like to thank everyone for their prayers and concern for me while I was in the hospital.

A special thanks to Shawn Bevers and Chad Davis for showing my steers at the stock show, to Rusty Morris, Lance Dunn, Perry Smith, Randy Lewis, Cindy Johnson, and Glenna Relter for helping get them ready to show. I also want to thank my Dad and Ed Sawyers for all of their support and effort in making this show possible for me.

Thanks to C-Bar Ranch, David Stelzer and the jackpot for buying my steer and to Quick-Lay Pipeline for the add-on.

Thanks for supporting me.

Jimmy Holleman



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David Beatty
Southland, F.F.A.

Thank You!

I would like to say thanks to Jay Bird of Quick Lay Pipeline and Joe and Kelly Mason, Mason Brothers Construction for purchasing my steer and their continued support of the Garza County Junior Livestock Show and Sale.

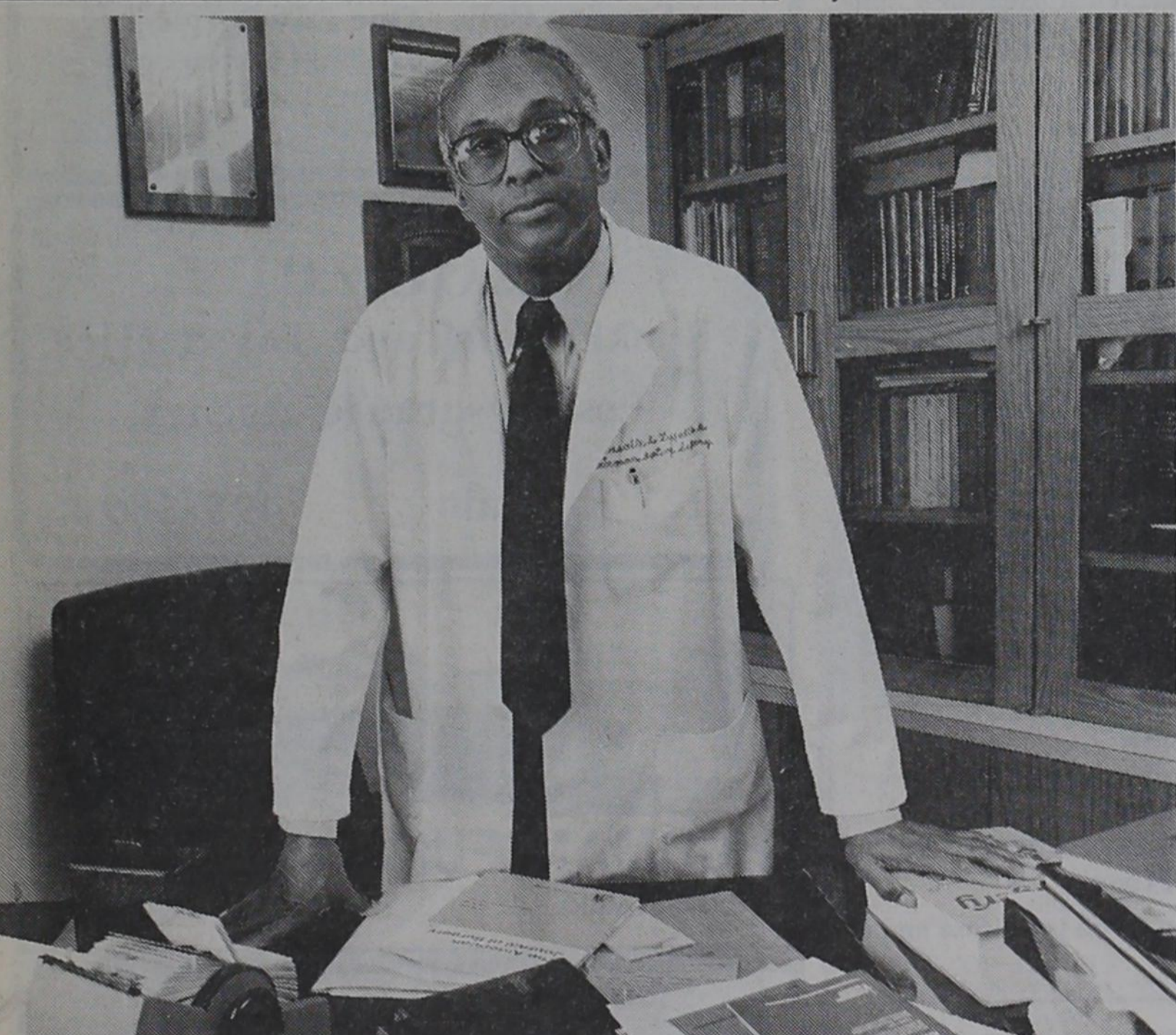
Also, thank you Keith Peel for showing my steer and Syd for all your help.

Korren Ann Payton

Thank You

Diekemper Oil for buying my lamb. To all the people who helped with the livestock show I thank you and appreciate your support.

Willie Mesa



Dr. LaSalle D. Leffall, Jr., past president, American Cancer Society

"If everyone over 50 had checkups for colorectal cancer, the cure rate could be as high as 75%."

"If more people had colorectal cancer checkups, more people could be cured," says Dr. LaSalle D. Leffall, Jr., M.D., F.A.C.S., Professor and Chairman of the Department of Surgery, Howard University Hospital, Washington, D.C. "It's that simple. You can't cure it if you don't know you have it." But if it's detected early, the cure rate for colorectal cancer is very high. Your doctor can perform the digital and proctoscopic exams, and you take care of the simple stool blood test at home.

The present cure rate is 44%. We believe it could be at least 31% higher. Since men and women are equally affected by this disease, we urge everyone over 50 to get regular checkups at the intervals specified in the box on the right.

Fact is, there will be 130,000 new cases of colorectal cancer this year. You can help us cure 75% of them.

If you are not in the age group affected please pass this information on to someone you know who

is. The warning signs for colorectal cancer are: a change in bowel habits and blood in the stool.

People with a family history of colon or rectal cancer or ulcerative colitis are at higher risk and are urged to be doubly cautious.

Help us raise the cure rate.

Colorectal Cancer Checkup Guidelines for men and women over 50 without symptoms:

- digital exam annually
- stool blood test annually
- procto exam every 3 to 5 years after 2 initial negative tests 1 year apart.

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A-1 Legal Notices

Application for Private Club License
 The undersigned hereby give notice of application to the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, Austin, Texas, for a Private Club Registration Permit to be located at 214 North Broadway, Post, Garza County, Texas. The Unincorporated Association of Members to be operated under the name of The Post Club.
 President - Jay Pollard
 Vice President - Earl Chapman
 Secretary - Treasurer - Jay Patel

A-3 Card of Thanks

Dear Friends,
 Thank you so much to the men that helped with taking Daddy's equipment to the auction. You were so generous with you time and it is greatly appreciated.
 Myrtle Peel
 Jimmy & Jeanie Byrd & family
 Rhea Huntley & family
 David & Beth Hooten & family

We want to thank all of you dear people for your loving care and concern for us in the loss of our dear loved one. The nurses and doctors who took such good care of Sexton, especially Dr Wilson for watching after his health the last few years and being with us at Lubbock during his last hours. To Paul D. Jones for being with us at the hospital and on our return home. For all the visits, food, cards, flowers and memorials, for your prayers and just being there when we needed you. To Dee & Janet for their loving care. We pray God's richest blessings on each of you.
 Inez Huntly
 Mayeth Clarke & family
 Carl & Rosie Huntly & children
 Glenn & Linda Huntly & children
 Darlene Blair

A-7 Lost & Found

REWARD - PLEASE RETURN CROCODILE CHECKBOOK/WALLET - NO QUESTIONS ASKED.
 701 N. AVE. O., 495-3355.

FOUND AT SHOW BARN - key ring with two (2) keys with orange plastic tag - One (1) beige boys coat - one (1) boys brown down-filled coat - one (1) blue plaid flannel shirt - one (1) pair white tennis shoes - these items may be picked up at the County Extension Office during regular hours.

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 Warren, 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.

A-17 Services & Repairs

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B-3 Jobs Wanted

Need a handy babysitter for emergencies, special occasions or just to get away from the kiddies - call 495-4018.

C-1 Homes for Rent

2 bedroom, carpeted and paneled unfurnished house, clean. Call 495-2188 after 5 p.m.

For rent - 5 room house, reasonable. Call 495-4015, after 6 o'clock.

One bedroom house for rent - Carolyn or Delwyn Hodges - 495-3107.

House for rent in Post - couple preferred with no pets - 828-3595 for details.

C-3 Apartments for Rent

For rent - apartment at 110 West 6th - will help furnish - call 495-2062 or 797-2233.

D-1 Mobile Home for Rent

Mobile home coming up for rent. Tom Power - 495-3051.

D-5 Mobile Homes for Sale

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E-1 Homes for Sale

For sale by owner - 4 bedroom, two bath, brick with new siding, new heat pump, stove top, dishwasher, Jenn-Aire convection oven, drapes, mini blinds, wood stove, fence, garden area. Call 495-3320. 405 Mohawk.

3 bedroom/2 bath, brick home - well cared for - one bedroom 15x22, fireplace and lovely cabinets, carport, fenced backyard with large storage building, large utility, central heating and air - call Theona Josey at 495-2687.

2 bedroom - 1 bath, built to FHA specifications. Will consider renting - call 495-3042 for appointment.

Two bedroom house for sale - new livingroom carpet, new kitchen floor - 1 1/2 lots. 513 North Broadway - call 495-2663 or after five 495-3803. \$12,000 cash.

House for sale - 3 bedrooms/2 bath, brick with two living areas, large covered patio - 303 Mohawk Drive - David Hart - call 495-2428 for appointment - priced to sell.

F-1 Miscellaneous for Sale

Trade - evaporative cooler and air conditioner duct for removable off the roof and patching roof - call 495-2816.

For sale - 8x35 trailer house - 495-3121.

For sale - 82 inch couch - good condition - see at 113 S. Ave. O. Katherine Johnson

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F-3 Garage Sales

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Trends for Men

Garage Sale - Saturday only - 715 West 5th - 9 til 3.

F-7 Pets and Supplies

Puppies to give away - 7 weeks old - 3 males and 5 females - come by 212 South Avenue F anytime.

Kittens - FREE - to loving home - call 495-4105 or come by 610 West 4th.

AKC registered Cocker for sale - 5 weeks old - 495-3355 - noon and after 6 p.m.

FREE - 4 puppies, mixed cocker - six weeks old - ready for new home - 495-2665 - 601 S. Ave. R.

F-11 Feed and Seed

For sale - Alfalfa hay - Tahoka - Lynn Cook - 998-4115.

For sale - Alfalfa hay and cane hay - call 495-3617.

F-21 Want to Buy or Trade

WANTED: 60 tons of #1 HAY - pay \$30 ton delivered to Richard Bird farm 17 miles N.E. of Post - 806-629-4379.

G-1 Motorcycles

For sale - 1984 Honda Aero 125 Scooter. Excellent condition. Only 1,406 miles - \$600.00 - call 495-3981 after 5 p.m. weekdays.

G-7 Trucks & Trailers for Sale

1988 Chevrolet Full size pick-up - must sell - pick up payments - call after 7 p.m. 495-2716.

For sale - completely enclosed two horse trailer - excellent condition, good tires and lights, nice paint - \$1,100 - call 806-495-4047 or 915-263-0081.

G-9 Autos for Sale

For sale - 1975 Ford Trino - as is - call 495-3081.

Farmers Have One More Chance to Enroll in CRP

Texas farmers have another opportunity to enroll highly erodible land in the Conservation Reserve Program during a sign-up period which continues through February 19.

Farmers may enroll land at Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service county offices where previously accepted bids do not exceed 25 percent of the cropland in the county.

"The February sign-up is the sixth since the program got underway two years ago," points out Dr B.L. Harris, soils specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Texans have already enrolled 2.8 million acres in CRP, and nationally about half of the 45 million acres targeted for the program are under contract and removed from crop production," notes Harris.

Farmers who participate in the 10-year commitment receive annual

Gramm Seeks Tax Repeal on Farmer's Fuel

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm will move to repeal the newly enacted tax on diesel fuel purchased by farmers and ranchers.

"It's as if somebody in government said, 'How can we make life tougher for farmers?' and the answer was, 'Make'em pay a tax they don't owe,'" Gramm said.

Diesel fuel for farm use has been totally exempt from the 15-cent per gallon federal excise tax. Under the new law, however, agricultural producers can only gain the exemption by first paying the tax and then asking for a refund when they file an income tax return.

"When the law takes effect in April, the immediate impact on Texas agriculture will be to increase the cost of diesel fuel by some 20 percent or more per gallon," he said.

Gramm called the new law "a bureaucratic nightmare and a first cousin to an idea Congress tried several years ago where the owners of private cars used in business travel were required to keep log books for the Internal Revenue Service.

Massive public protest forced Congress to abandon that requirement.

The senator will introduce the repeal legislation on the first day of the new congressional session.

Post Menu

February 15 - 19
Monday, February 15
 Breakfast - Assorted cereal, toast, fruit, milk.
 Lunch - Burrito with sauce, cabbage slaw, fried okra, apple-sauce, milk.

Tuesday, February 16
 Breakfast - Hot cakes, syrup, butter, sausage, fruit, milk.
 Lunch - Corn dog, french fries, mixed greens, cherry cobbler, milk.

Wednesday, February 17
 Breakfast - Muffins, fruit, milk.
 Lunch - Fried chicken, gravy, green beans, whipped potatoes, mixed fruit, cheese rolls, milk.

Thursday, February 18
 Breakfast - Malt-o-meal, bacon, toast, orange juice, milk.
 Lunch - Frito pie, lettuce salad, pinto beans, fudge cookies, corn bread, milk.

Friday, February 19
 Breakfast - Oatmeal, sausage, toast, fruit, milk.
 Lunch - Fish, mac & cheese, carrot salad, sweet peas, sliced peaches, corn bread, milk.

On Silk Stocking

Corner lot - 3 BR - 2 bath - 2 living areas. Lots of closet space. Basement.

Mobile Home

Two bedroom, two bath mobile home on two lots.

Good First Home

3 BR - 1 bath with carport, good condition and priced to sell.

Room to Roam

4 BR - 3 bath, brick, living room and den, closed in porch - make an offer.

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

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rental payments. In addition, the U.S. Department of Agriculture picks up half the cost of establishing a permanent conservation cover. Only highly erodible cropland is eligible. The highly erodible designation is based on land capability class, soil loss tolerance and the erodibility index, explains the soils specialist.

The land also must have produced an agricultural commodity during any two years from 1981-1985.

"In Texas the maximum, or cut-off, bids have ranged from \$35-55

an acre, depending on geographic location in the state," says Harris. "Cut-off bids in Texas' seven bid 'pools' have not changed since earlier signups.

"Texas still has many acres of land being cropped that will be subject to conservation compliance provisions, which take effect in 1990. CRP is a good alternate for many of those problems soils," says Harris.

County Extension offices have information to aid farmers in their decision-making about CRP.

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- 'It's a Small World' -

Travel Agent, Jeremy Josey, assembled travel experts from all over the world to entice a group of third graders to go on a trip.

Travel experts were dressed in costumes and sang and danced to music from the countries they

represented in a school production "It's A Small World" under the direction of Maritta Jackson.

Countries reviewed were Mexico,

England, Germany, Italy, Africa, the Orient, Australia, Europe, Russia, Ireland, Scotland, Jerusalem and the United States.

Flags of the different countries were hung from the ceiling and decorated the backdrop.

Some ninety third graders were included in the program.



THE BEATTLES - (left to right, front) Leonard DeLuna, Joshua Purdy, Todd Terry, (back) Chris Hernandez.



RUSSIA - (left to right) Ismael Diaz, Kipp Wilks, Robby Willborn, Jay Childers.



EUROPE - (left to right) Beverly Francis, Tisha Axtell and Christiane Pass.



MEXICO - (front row, left to right) Cha'la Boles, Margarito Rosas, Angie Quinonez, Freddie Pena; (back row, left to right) Melinda Alaniz, Adam Gutierrez, Creselda Garcia and Fabian Salas.



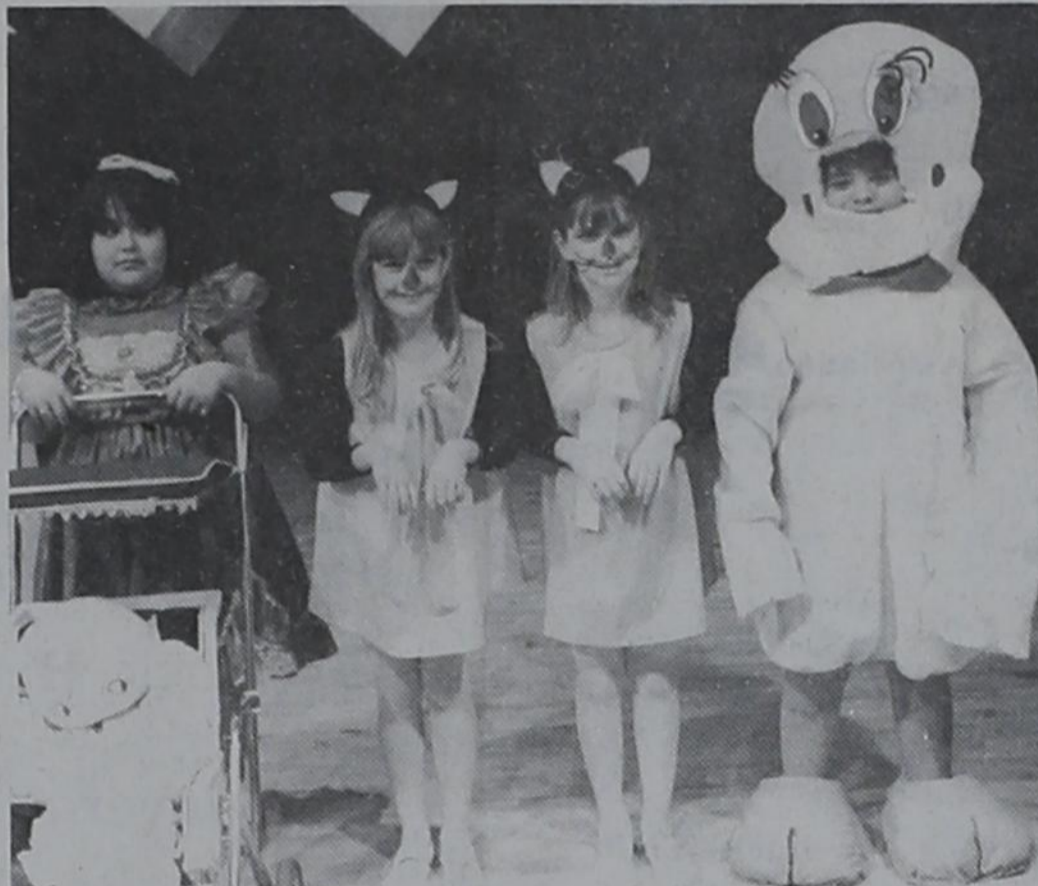
JAPAN - (left to right) Jennifer Derrick and Carly Rudd.



SCOTLAND - Devin Odom.



ENGLAND - Mario Romero.



JAPAN - (left to right) Renee Flores, Tammy Matthies, Briann Wilson and Sammy Zubia.



IRELAND - (left to right) Alisha Nelson, Jody Hawkins, Tabitha Blevins and Talina Bird.



STATUE OF LIBERTY - Christina Lopez; (left to right) - **CANADIAN MOUNTY** - Merced Lopez; and **UNCLE SAM** - Jimmy Boles.



GERMANY - (left to right) Robert Flores, Roy Perez and Patrick Soto



SOLOISTS - Brandon McDonald and Crystal Taylor.



ITALY - Nikki Pollard.



AUSTRALIA - (left to right) Renee Flores, Sarah Escobar and Nichole Cruse.



JERUSALEM - (front row, left to right) Margie Martinez, Isela Perez, Rocio Vasquez; (back row, left to right) Ana Gomez, Mari Armendariz, Heather Mason and Jessica Villa.



YANKEE DOODLE - (front row, left to right) Lisa Lawrence, Jason Gill, Willie Bell, Joshua Ticer, Falisha Jefferson, Manuel Criado, Robert Sanchez, Chad Williams; (middle row) Chris Sanchez; (back row, left to right) Blaine Sasser, Rebecca Perez, Israel Perez, Will Osborn, Jerry Crawford, Robert Davis, Kerri Zachery, Roland Basquez and Wayne Line.



CLASSROOM OF THIRD GRADERS - (seated, left to right) Denise Freeman, Amy Mason, Monica Schooler, Vance Guthrie, Seth Pennell; (standing, left to right) Michael Walton, Joe Basquez, Ole Gomez, Victor Ayala, Johnny Collazo, Ocie Bell, Clay Johnson and Jeremy Josey (travel agent).

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Lambs - Ken Cook, San Angelo - .8075c per lb.
Hogs - Plains Hog Co., Lubbock - .4550c per lb.

Livestock Hauler - Ken Young

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Auctioneer - Bobby Fletcher, Wolfforth

Superintendents

Ronnie Dunn, Swine
Rusty Morris, Sheep
Tom Middleton, Beef Cattle

Preparation of Barn and Highway Sign

Post FFA Chapter and ag students under supervision of Vo-Ag teachers Perry Smith and Lance Dunn.

Weigh-In Crew

James Dye at the scales; Lonnie Gene Peel, David Hart, Leon Gibbs, Ken Young, John Shults, John Haire, Jack Morris and Donny Stelzer for getting the animals into the scales, numbering hogs and ear tagging; Eydie Dunn, Janie Middleton, Jean Morris and Melanie Reece for their help with the books.

Trophy Committee

Walter Didway, Darrell Jones, Leon Gibbs and Wayne McDonald.

Bookkeepers

Orabeth White, Judy Bush, Glenda Shobe, Jean Morris and Eydie Dunn.

Program Assembly

Jane Mason, Kim Reiter, Gina Basquez, Diana Basquez, Russ Bird and Shane Bevers.

Nightwatchman - C.P. Roy

Show Ring Help

Swine Show - Casey Zachery, Craig Peel, Steve Cooper, Leon Gibbs, Ray Bagby.
Sheep Show - Leon Gibbs, Ken Young, Mike Bartlett.
Steer Show - Leon Gibbs.

Sale Ring Help

James Dye, Leon Gibbs, David Hart

Ribbon Presenters:

Krista Kemp, Garza County 4-H Sweetheart; Shelia Haire, Southland FFA Sweetheart; Janell Jones, Post FFA Sweetheart and Traci Bush and Trevah Bush, Graham 4-H club members.

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Caprock Glass - 2 back-slider windows purchased by Leon Gibbs and Robbie King.

Special Thanks

Garza County Extension Agent-Agriculture Syd Conner; Southland FFA Instructor Terry Smith, Post FFA Instructors Perry Smith and Lance Dunn - for your help and supervision.
Quanah Maxey for hauling ice and janitorial work in the concession stand; to the Green Thumb crew for hauling supplies and janitorial work.
To the Garza County Extension Homemakers for their hard work and good food. To the 4-Hers and adult leaders for assisting the Extension Homemakers.
We appreciate everything that was done by everyone to help make the 1988 Stock Show and Sale a success!

Jack Morris, President
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