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What Was It About 1988?

girls' Varsity basketball teams lost

games in the early part of January,

but the eighth grade girls beat Sla-

the Garza County Courthouse and

City Hall when Sandy Tomlinson

was chosen to fill the Extension

Agent-Home Economics position

formerly held by Colleen

Chadwick and Bob Turner began

named to the Texas All-State Choir

In school news, Eric Reece was

his duties as new City Manager.

January brought new faces to

ton by a score of 20-11.

by Lonnie Welborn

Contested elections, new faces, a new industry, a violent storm and a \$28,000 violation - just a small part of what was definitely a year of varied months.

1988 didn't, perhaps, have something for everyone - but it was never dull.

January January 1988 got off to a good start when United Sewing Agency announced plans to locate a branch of their company in Post, employing 20-25 people initially, with

Bridges, roads and streets were also in the news in January when

Dispatch

Announces

New Service

In its continuing effort to offer

better ways to serve its advertisers,

The Post Dispatch will launch a

special total market coverage

monthly edition beginning Wednesday, January 11.

popular special Sunday editions, the

monthly TMC in Garza County

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city limits and mailed delivery to rural routes on Wednesdays.

Subscribers outside of Garza

County will continue to receive the

weekly edition in the mail as usual.

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the TMC days.

remaining the same.

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Garza County Wednesday TMC Dates

January 11

February 15

March 15

April 12

May 10 June 14

July 12 August 9

September 13 October 11

November 8

December 6

Industry Jan. 25

The Post Dispatch annual special dition Business and Industrial

Advertising to support the special

tion will also be available, conet Rodney Marshall for details.

Those businesses which submit-

d information last year will be

nailed copies of the 1988 stories

possible with this special edition,

and if we missed you last year,

please call us so that we can make

this as complete a review as possi-

ble," publisher Wesley W. Burnett

Salute to Area

Business and

stories and photos.

or revisions.

emphasizes.

the Dispatch.

Patterned after the successful and

plans to expand the number of em-

the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission approved \$4.7 million worth of area projects, including authorization for a \$2.4 million project to rebuild four bridges all built in Garza County in the 1950s and the street running north to south in front of the Chamber of Commerce was renamed One Santa Fe Plaza by a vote of the Post City Council.

Monday, January 4 was the final day for candidates to file for public office subject to the March 8, 1988 primaries. Nine candidates had filed for various offices by January 3, but a surprising 22 candidates met the 6 p.m. January 4

filing deadline.

RECEIVES 35 YEAR PIN - Wayne Thomas (left) receives his 35 year pin from Post postmaster Johnny Kemp. Thomas started his career with the U.S. Postal Service in March 1954 in Lubbock. He was transferred to Post in April 1959 as a clerk and was one of the three original city carriers in November 1959. He now handles a rural route.

and Ben Kirkpatrick was named by the Texas Sportswriters' Association as first team All-State receiver and also received honorable mention as a linebacker. PHS lost its football coach when David Thompson, athletic director and head coach, accepted a position in Big Spring, but the po-sition was filled when former PHS assistant coach Dewayne Osborne was named by the Post ISD board

> of trustees to fill the position. County Judge Giles Dalby was named Citizen of the Year at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet January 23 and Handy Hardware, Handy Oilfield Supplies and Handy Gifts was named Business of the Year.

> The Garza County Junior Livestock Association Show and Sale January 28 and 29 netted \$51,926,26.

> And the Willy Awards were held January 30 in the Community Center with awards going to Garza Theatre's "Best of 1987."

> February Garza County's first baby of 1988 waited until February to put in an appearance, but Veronica, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Santiago Hernandez, was born February 1, 1988 at 1:20 p.m. She was 19 inches long and weighed six pounds and 11 ounces.

The City Council called for city elections to be held Saturday, May 7, 1988 for three positions on the

The post office changed its retail hours to 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and

announced they would be closed In sports, both the boys' and on Saturdays - all part of a nationwide change to comply with Postal Service reductions in operating expenses.

Contracts were signed for Post's new industry, United Sewing Agency and final plans were released for the historic downtown five block Main Street Landscaping Project. Plans were presented to the Texas State Highway Department by Melissa Cunningham and Debra Miller.

In the arts, James Rice and the Caprock Cultural Association received praise from participating schools and students for Rice's work in Post and Southland schools during his month-long period as resident artist-in-education; and at the Garza Theatre a fastpaced comedy "Room Service" opened with a cast filled with Willy Award winners and nominees.

In Post schools, Rene Craig was named Valentine Sweetheart and the Lady Lopes won their final season game - defeating Denver City 56-52. Keitha White and Christina Martinez played their final games.

February ended on a positive note when Southwestern Public Service and a committee representing the cities SPS serves in Texas announced a \$14.4 million of 3.1 percent over all reduction in electric rated-for SPS's residential, industrial and other retail customers.

March When all the votes were counted, E.A. Howard, Jr. (D), and David Stelzer (R) were winners of the County Judge race in the March 8 primary. Run-off elections were necessary in the Democratic Party between Billy Timms and Freddy Cockrell in the sheriff's race, Sammy Ellis and Lee Norman in the Precinct One Commissioners race; and Lonnie Gene Peel and Leroy Demming in the Precinct One/Three Constable race. Run off elections were set for April

Republicans chose Max Chaffin for their candidate for county sheriff. John Valdez (D) was the winner in the Precinct Three Commissioners race and unopposed Democratic candidates Preston Poole, county attorney and Chita Hataway, tax assessor-collector won their positions.

Albert Gore (D) and George Bush (R) were the favored candidates in the Presidential race.

In track, Varsity boys won fourth at relays in Wolfforth with

Blair Didway taking first place in the 400 meter dash.

Christina Martinez was named to the District 3AAA first team girls all-district basketball team. Angela Graves and Keitha White received honorable mention.

Bill Rankin and Rance Sappington were named to the boys' all-district 3AAA basketball team - Rankin to the first team, while Sappington made honorable

(Continued on Page 8)

Post Notes

by Wesley W. Burnett Well, get ready for another round of predictions.

It happens every year about this time as the so-called "crystal ball" gazers pump out their nonsense.

I say that because of observation over the years proves that most of these "Inquiring Minds Want To Know" folks are just filling a void for entertainment.

So, just for the fun of it, let me add my own Post city version to the list:

1. Apathetic Post citizens will come unglued when they open up their water bills at the end of this month. Even though we have publicized the fact that a 50 percent rate increase will be imposed...there

Search Opens for First '89 Garza Baby

The annual First Baby Contest officially began this morning at the stroke of midnight and will continue until Garza Memorial Hospital reports the birth of the first child in 1989 to married parents with a hospital staff physician.

Sponsors of the First Baby event

this year are

The First National Bank, \$50 savings bond; Garza Memorial Hospital,

free room and board; Handy Gifts, comb and brush set for the baby;

Prairie Flower Shop, baby corsage; United Supermarkets, case of baby formula and

The Post Dispatch, lifetime subscription for the baby.

Tickets Now Available for **Annual Banquet**

Tickets are now available for the annual Post Chamber of Commerce banquet Saturday, January 28, 1989 at 7 p.m. in the Post Community Center.

This year's banquet will have as its theme "Post: Past to Present" and will feature entertainment by Gloria Gilbert, Miss Texas of

Tickets for the popular event are \$10 each, which includes a steak dinner, and may be purchased at the Chamber of Commerce office or from any board member.

will be those irate citizens calling and complaining.

2. The continuing saga between the City of Post and White River Municipal Water District will not be resolved. But it will get more interesting.

3. The long awaited Main Street landscaping project will finally get "off the ground."

4. Puns at the Dispatch will become more elaborate and complicated, especially on Tuesdays.

5. The commissioners court and sheriff will struggle for answers to the law enforcement overtime problem, and that issue will get a lot of attention.

6. Post ISD athletes will run this spring on a newly resurfaced track. making many parents and sports fans happy.

7. Many of us will make reservations this month for motel space in Austin in anticipation of watching our varsity athletes compete in May at the state track meet. 8. State and federal taxes will go

9. Highway traffic through Post will continue to boost the local

10. I will not make any New Year's resolutions.

Garza County **News Briefs**

Post C.A.R.E.S. Post C.A.R.E.S. at 222 E. 8th

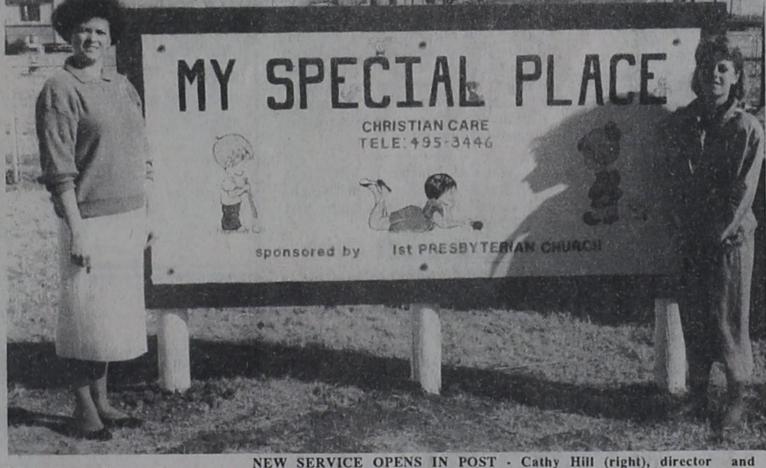
Street is now open Monday through Friday from 1 p.m. to 3

The organization appreciates your donations, but they ask that you please do not leave any food or clothing outside the building after 3 p.m. or on the weekend. Please bring donations by during regular working hours.

Leadership Coffee

In an effort to better try to coordinate events in the community, the Main Street Project will begin hosting monthly coffees/breakfasts for the presidents/chairpersons of all community organizations, clubs, groups, etc. The meeting will hopefully serve as a forum to plan and coordinate a community calendar of events year-round. The first coffee will be at Jackson's Cafe at 7:30 a.m. on Wednesday, January 4. Please Melissa contact

Cunningham at 495-4157 for more information.



Christian care center opened this week.

Linda Davis show the new sign at My Special Place, a new

Water Service Disrupted in Line Break

by Lonnie Welborn If you had been in the bottled water business in Post Thursday, you would've been several dollars

richer as Post residents rushed to

stock up anticipating a city-wide water shut down.

A break in one of the major lines on the Tahoka Highway was reported at 10:30 a.m. by Irene Fry, and by noon Thursday most of the 'alute will be published Wednesstreets in that area were flooded ay, January 25, 1989, with a dead-ne of Friday, January 20 set for without water.

The leak continued to increase Garza County businesses, govin size throughout the day and city workers were kept busy trying to ernment agencies and industries are get the pressure down so they encouraged to submit articles and photos to be included in the special could repair the leak.

At 3 p.m the decision was made to shut-down the city water, and radio station KPOS was notified and asked to broadcast the news that water service would be off for three to four hours.

Somehow, as the information was passed along, the three to four "We want to be as inclusive as hours the water would be off grew to 24 or more hours - and sales in bottled water grew accordingly.

With the help of the Post Volunteer Fire Department and the assistance of a pump from Jay Bird at Quick Lay Pipeline, workers were Information forms to help in able to get to the break. The leak preparing the stories are available at was fixed and full water service restored by 6 p.m.



WATER LINE BREAK - City water department employee Derrick Walls (left) works with director of public works Mike Sanchez (right). The water department crew worked several hours repairing the line at the corner of 8th St. and S. Avenue P.

W.H. Norman

Funeral services fo W.H. Norman, 71, were held Saturday December 31, 1988 at 2 p.m. in the Grassland Nazarene Church with the Reverend Bob Ferguson, pastor, officiating. Masonic graveside services were held in the Grassland Cemetery. Burial was under the director of Justice-Mason Funeral Home.

He died December 29, 1988 at his home. He was born January 18, 1917

in Grassland and attended school

He married Millie Mae Stewart on April 20, 1935 in Post. They

made their home in Grassland Community where they farmed until retirement. Mrs. Norman preceded him in death on December 31, 1976. At that time he move to Plains. He came back to Post in

He was a member of the Grassland Methodist Church and was a 32nd degree Mason.

Survivors include two sons, Wendell of Plains and Lendell of Carrolton; two daughters, Patsy Wylie of Lubbock and Penny Sappington of Post; two brothers, A.B. Norman of Levelland and Glen Norman of Post; two sisters, Mary Alice "Tot" Teaff of Post and Erlene Saage of Slaton; six grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were members of the Post Masonic Lodge.

Close City 4-H Club News

by Nancy Morris the home of Phyliss Walker on October 17 to make posters for their car wash. After the posters were made, each member was assigned a store to place their poster

for advertising. Members attending were Clint Melton, Nancy Morris and Keith Peel and adult leaders Shelia Melton, Jean Morris, Phyliss and Donny Walker and guest Tory

Josey.

The club met at the Reddy Room for its November 17 meet-

The meeting was called to order by president Dana Morris and roll was called by Misty Bartlett,

A report was made on the success of the car wash and plans were discussed on how to spend the money.

Plans were made for the De-The Close City 4-H Club met at cember meeting and a Christmas party was planned.

Attending were Dana and Nancy Morris, Misty Bartlett, Clint Melton and adults James Melton, Jean Morris and Phyliss Walker.

On December 20 the Christmas party was held at the Walker home. The group enjoyed refreshments and the exchanging of gag gifts and a movie was shown.

Each member brought a canned food item to be donated to Post C.A.R.E.S.

Members attending were Dana and Nancy Morris, Misty Bartlett, Clint Melton, Keith Peel, Steven Payton and guest Sara Alexander.

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YOUNG ARTISTS - (back row, left to right) Lorrye Ledbetter, Angela Wallace, instructor JoAnn Mock, Andrea Wallace, instructor Linda Puckett, Amy Wallace, instructor Ann Bratcher, Bailey Lester, (middle row, left to right) Monty Humble, April Leary, Amber Hammonds, Bobbye Lester, (front row, left to right) Michael Huff, Kayla Huff, Mandy Leary and Barrett Scrivner. (Photo courtesy Post Art Guild)

Young Artists Receive Awards from Art Guild

Members of the Post Art Guild's "Children's Art Class, 1988" attended a Christmas party and awards presentation on December 6 at the Algerita Art Cen-

Post Art Guild president Linda Puckett presented fifteen students "Artistic Achievement Awards" for the year 1988.

Recipients of the awards were: Lorrye Ledbetter, Angela Wallace, Andrea Wallace, Amy Wallace, Bailey Lester, Monty Humble, Mandy Leary, April Leary, Kayla Huff, Barrett Scrivner, David Norman, Janie Norman, Heather Mason, Mikki Wilks and Hettie Dudgeon (Senior Class).

Also attending the party were new students Amber Hammonds, Bobbye Lester and guests Brandi Puckett, Christi Oden and Michael

Art instructors Linda Puckett, JoAnn Mock, Ann Bratcher and Marie Neff, who tried to present to the students a fun adventure into art as they developed their ability to create, praised the young artists for the quality of their work and for their enthusiasm.

"Special thanks should go to the parents for helping us to achieve our goals and also to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Montgomery, who sponsored the art program," Puckett said.

New classes will begin January 9 and 10 at 3:30 p.m. at the Art Center. For more information regarding enrollment, contact Linda Puckett at 495-4000.

In the Neighborhood by Lonnie Welborn

It's that time again! And I'm Community Center. sure there are lots of people out there making New Year's resolutions they probably won't be able to keep - to lose weight, to stop smoking, to start exercising, etc. The list goes on and on.

But, as I pointed out last year at this time, I don't make New Year's resolutions. I gave them up long

I have my faults, yes - but like Lucy Van Pelt in the "Peanuts" comic strip, I prefer to think of them as "shortcomings." But, call them whatever you will - faults or shortcomings, I do have them - and I can live with them. Face it, if they're bad enough to warrant making "resolutions" to change them, I should've started changing them long before now.

However, I wish you every success in the world with your res-

Willy Awards

The word is out that to celebrate the end of a third successful season at the Garza Theatre another annual Post Academy Awards party will be held Satur-

Pizza Hut Will Open in April '89

Larry Hopp, Field District Manager for Pizza Management, Inc., announced Thursday, December 29, that Pizza Hut had secured a location site in Post and would open a restaurant here in April of 1989.

Construction on the building, which will be located in the 400 block of South Broadway, will begin February 1.

Hopp is currently advertising for applications for the positions of manager and assistant manager of the new Pizza Hut and interviews will be held Thursday, January 5, 1989 from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Multi-Services Building on the lake at City-County Park (in the JTPA office).

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day, January 21, 1989 at the Post

Will McCrary will be mailing out ballots and information about the party very soon...mark you cal-endars for this fun-filled event.

This year the evening will include a silent auction, a raffle, dinner, special musical performances and the awards ceremony. Following the awards, the

evening will continue with a dance. Watch for further details...and watch for your ballot in the mail.

At Twin Cedars Jeanette Ticer informs us that Christmas at Twin Cedars Nursing Home was a special time this year, thanks to a lot of people who helped make it a happy occasion.

Thanks go out from Dee and Billie Caylor and all the staff at Twin Cedars to everyone for a wonderful resident Christmas party...the family members who brought food and treats to add to the party...to the girls who volunteered the entertainment and music...and a special thank you to Mr. Walls for making sure Santa Claus came to the party.

On this January 1, 1989, best wishes to everyone "In the Neighborhood" for a a very happy and successful New Year.

Needlecraft Club Enjoys Christmas Party, Dec 16

Lucy Callis and Katharine Cathcart were hostesses to the Needlecraft Club Christmas party Friday, December 16 at 3 p.m. The home was decorated with the family's traditional yuletide ornaments.

Mrs. Cathcart showed the group over a dozen sweat shirts she had painted as family gifts.

Members present exchanged gifts and revealed the names of Secret Pals for the past year.

Flora Ussery was welcomed as a new member to the club and former member Pearl Polk was special guest of the club.

Hostesses served delicious refreshments to: Joyce Strubhart, Katherine Johnson, Marcylee Demming, Flora Ussery and Pearl



Buckle Up For Those Who Depend on You

Texas Coalition for Safety Belts

Dr. James Bell Presents **Program to Culture Club**

by Katharine Cathcart

The Woman's Culture Club met Wednesday, December 14, in the home of Ruby Kirkpatrick with Dorace Wilson as co-hostess. Joyce Strubhart and Iva Hudman assisted with the hospitalities.

The home was beautifully decorated with awe-inspiring creches from many countries and Kris Kringle, Santa Claus, St. Nicholas and their counterparts from other lands were displayed on one table.

Maxine Earl, club president, opened the program by reading a Christmas poem by Frances Smith Turnbow.

Dr. James Bell, pastor of First United Methodist Church, gave a very enlightening talk on the many cultures of the peoples of the earth. He stated that the study of cultures gives us a c'ue into the real being of the people.

Dr. Bell stated that the peoples of the world have six cultures: black, brown, tan, yellow, red and white.

The black man is tribal oriented, wanting to keep his family group together. The brown more is more complicated and harder to understand and is very patient. We should watch out for the tan man, as he is of a violent nature. We can all observe this by watching the uproar they keep stirring up in the Middle East.

The yellow man is most industrious and makes use of everything. They keep harmony, are honorable and ingenious. The red man and his Hispanic cousins enjoy celebrations and will have a fiesta to commemorate most any event.

The white man takes a more scientific approach to everything and keeps records and data about all endeavors. He thinks others should take a more rational, scientific approach and follow his efficient example.

Dr. Bell and his wife, Lynn, spent 26 years in missionary work, having begun their work among the American Indians of Montana, and thence westward to the Philippines, Korea, Taiwan, South East Asia, India and Africa.

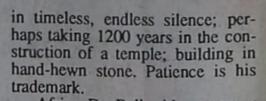
The brown man of India works

To keep peanuts at their munching

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tightly closed container.



Africa, Dr. Bell said, was never dull, It is moving, building and entering a new age. The average number of children in a family is 13. One is not prepared for the many dying, hungry and hurting people that are seen in Africa. Africa is not made up of countries, but of a number of tribes that have

gone on for generations. Dr. and Mrs. Bell lived in a house with an African chief who had five wives and 38 children. "Believe me it was not dull," Dr. Bell stated. The wives had a strict routine and knew when to take her turn as the chief's housekeeper.

Dr. Bell added, "I would wish for the vitality and determination of the African people."

"We will learn from this the rest of our lives; but we are so thankful to be home to our roots and back in West Texas."

Christian Filss of Julich, Germany, who is an exchange student with the "Youth for Understanding" program, gave a slide presentation of his home and city. Christian is living with Ken and Shirley LeBlanc and attending Post High School during his tenure in Amer-

Donna Craig introduced her daughter, LaDonna Craig, who is working on her Masters degree at Texas Tech. She is and advertising teaching assistant and research assistant in the School of Mass Communications. As an undergraduate she was a member of Alpha Chi Omega, Rho Lambda, American Advertising Federation, Women in Commerce, Inc., Alpha Delta Sigma, Kappa Tau Alpha and Golden Key National Honor Society.

The hostesses served beautiful and delicious refreshments to guests Dr. Bell, Christian Filss, Ken and Shirley Leblanc, LaDonna Craig and Barbara Hardin; and to members Buena Bouchier, Lillian Potts, Isabell Stelzer, Doll Haire, Donna Craig, Carol Newby, Jan Crawford, Mary Neff, Maxine Earl and Katharine Cathcart.

Members brought food contributions for Post C.A.R.E.S. and Christmas gifts for patients at M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston.



We would like to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone of our regular customers for their patronage during this past year.

We look forward to serving you again this coming цеат.

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adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any Railroad Commission of Texas, 6411. Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, 512/445-1373).

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Bonnie Johnson and her family wishes to extend their deepest appreciation to their friends and neighbors, to the doctors and Attention first time buyers. Two nurses, for the many cards, phone and three bedroom mobile homes. calls, food and TLC. Your prayers No credit needed. We deliver. Call have been an inspiration to all of us. We are looking forward to a healthy and happy New Year.

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Personals

The Post Group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Thursday night at the First Presbyterian Church, 910 W. 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.

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.

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1988: Year in Review

(Continued from Page 8) truck accident on the Gail Highway when his 18-wheeler tanker truck overturned.

November

Garza County voters turned out in record numbers for the November 8 general election, but no clear winners could be announced until over 500 absentee ballots were

Confusion and frustration surrounded the election as recounts were called for in the sheriff's race and constable precinct 2/4 race.

After the constable race recount, Mike Harper was officially named winner, but the recount request in the sheriff's race was rejected. E.A. Howard, Jr. for County Judge and Freddy Cockrell for sheriff were the big winners in the election. The Post Antelopes defeated

Seminole 24-20 and ended their season on a winning note with a 26-6 victory over the Slaton

Syd Conner received the Texas Superior Service Award, November 8 in ceremonies at Texas A&M University for his service to adults

and youth and for his 26 years of service to agricultural producers.

General Telephone announced a line charge increase of 60 cents. Post City Council met to discuss two matters pertaining to the White River Municipal Water District - an increase in water rates and

sale of water of third parties. Retiring Garza County officials Sheriff Jim Pippin, Tax Assessor-Collector Ruth Reno, County Judge Giles Dalby and Commissioner Buck Craft were honored with a reception by Garza County employees at the Post Community

A fire on November 29 destroyed the home and all the possessions of Greg and Heidi Phillips and their children. Residents of Post were quick to rally around and come to the aid of the couple.

December The Texas State Highway Department approved matching funds for Post's Main Street Landscaping Project and work will begin soon.

Texas Main Street Project Director Anice Reed visited Post in December and reported in an interview that the enthusiasm and willingness to work she saw in her first visit to Post were still there.

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Concerned parents and teens formed the Community Alcohol-Drug Abuse Council and tackled the drug and alcohol abuse problem in Post. Meetings and work-shops were scheduled and scheduled to acquaint people with the

Gross sales in Post were up 12.1 percent over the same period

Joe Harris of Southwestern Public Service was named an outstanding SPS manager.

Post High School Varsity girls won a Seagraves championship and the Post Antelopes took third place in the Seagraves tourney.

The all-school production "Annie Get Your Gun," directed by Candace McConnell, was enjoyed by a large audience.

A generous donation of \$10,000 to the Garza Theatre was used to improve the heating and air conditioning system at the theatre and audiences attending performances of the delightful comedy "Mary, Mary" appreciated the warm theatre.

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The Post City Council met with members of the White River Municipal Water District board of directors and challenged the board on the rate increase passed by WRMWD and the sale of water by the district to third parties.

Garza County Commissioners ended their year by paying a total of \$27,939.35 in back overtime wages to employees of the sheriff's department. The payments were the result of and investigation by the Department of Labor-Wage and Hour Division after a complaint was filed with anonymously with the DOL.

And to finish on a brighter note - the cotton crop for 1988 measures up to the bumper crop of last year.



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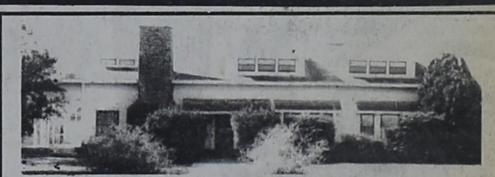
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In further sports news, Varsity Lady Lopes and 7th and 8th grade boys and girls continued their winning streak in area track relays.

Two men were arrested by the Garza County Sheriff's Department in connection with a local filling station burglary.

Tennessee Williams' classic play "The Glass Menagerie" captivated audiences at the Garza Theatre and in the schools, the PHS entry in U.I.L. one-act play competition "Children of a Lesser God," won first place here. Cheryl Thompson and Eric Reece were named best actress and actor. Southland's one-act play "Lily Daw and the Three Ladies," won zone U.I.L. competition and advanced to district.

Post's Main Street continued to take on a brighter look as work began on Jan's and the building immediately west of Jan's, and reno-

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vation continued at Hudman Fur-

April April showers brought a destructive hail storm to Post and insurance agents were busy inspecting property damages and filling out claims for most residents of Garza County.

Freddy Cockrell for sheriff, Sammy Ellis for commissioner precinct one and Lonnie Gene Peel, constable precinct one/three were winners in the Democratic run-off election April 12,

The PHS entry in one-act play U.I.L. competition continued to be a winner - taking first place in Brownfield and Kermit. PHS students lead the area in U.I.L. points in the spring over all academic

'Carelink," Lubbock's air ambulance helicopter visited Garza Memorial Hospital to acquaint Post residents with expanded emergency transport care - a cooperative venture of Methodist and Lubbock General Hospital.

PHS girls' and boys' track teams took first place in an Idalou meet and the Lady Lopes took home the trophy in a District 3AAA meet in Denver City.

The Garza Theatre celebrated its second anniversary with four outstanding performances of "Butterflies are Free.

Mayor Giles McCrary received an Honorary Doctorate from Texas Tech University, but if you wanted to write and congratulate him it would cost you more to mail the

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May Local elections were once again in the news in May when incumbents Larry Waldrip and Jack Alexander and newcomer Irene Fry were elected to the Post City Council on May 7. David Tyler was elected to serve another term on the Garza County Hospital board and was joined by Ronny Ammons. Don Payne, Jerry Hays and Dan Hodges won three positions on the Post ISD board of trustees.

In the month of May the weather was as unpredictable as local elections, and a tornado skipped over the City of Post.

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm visited in Post on May 4 to tour United Sewing Agency.

Four people were injured in a two-vehicle collision at the top of

the Caprock. Jill Richardson was named valedictorian and Keitha White salutatorian of PHS's graduating class. In Southland, Tammy Weaver and Michelle McGehee took the honors.

Angela Cruse was selected for a Girl Scout trip to Canada.

The Post Art Guild annual art show was highlighted by 300 en-

Graduation ceremonies were announced for Friday, May 27 at Post High School an Thursday, May 26 at Southland High School.

Members of the PHS Lady Lopes Varsity 400 meter relay team were Region IAAA champions and state qualifiers going to Memorial Stadium in Austin.

The Post Chamber of Commerce got a new manager when Kathryn Floyd, who had recently received her M.A. in Human Communications from Abilene Christian University, was named to that position beginning June 1.

And in downtown Post all eyes were turned toward the Tower Theatre and the owl which suddenly appeared there.

In June approval was issued by the State Highway Department for Phase I (three blocks of Main Street from Broadway east to the railroad tracks) of the Main Street Landscaping Project.

The Garza County 4-H Horse Show in the rodeo arena was a big success as was "Blithe Spirit," the Noel Coward comedy at the Garza

Steve Payton was among 2,000 4-Hers who gathered at Texas A&M University for the annual Texas 4-H Roundup.

Byra Vay Strong, 54, of Sny-der, was killed June 1, 1988 in a one-car accident on U.S. 84, approximately five miles outside

Glenda Baker, Garza County Drug and Alcohol Abuse Program Director was presented an award as Counselor of the Year for the Lubbock/South Plains area at a conference in Dallas.

Eric Reece, Christina Martinez and Trevor Thuett were PHS winners in State U.I.L. competition and Post Middle School students toured Washington, D.C.

Daring daytime robbers hit Corner Grocery in downtown Post, with two men robbing the cash drawer while the other two kept owner Marvin Williams busy in the back of the store.

July The Post Summer Festival and the second annual Shakespeare Festival provided eight days of entertainment in July. "A Mid-

summer Night's Dream" cast a spell on audiences in the Garza Theatre and other activities were on hand in Algerita Park.

Giles and Louise McCrary were honored at the theatre with a reception during the Shakespeare Festival for their outstanding contributions and support of the Garza Theatre.

The sheriff's department received a new telephone number in July and heavy rains closed several Garza County roads on July 11.

Handy Gifts had a grand reopening in July and Handy Hardware's entry in the "Mr. Legs" contest during the Summer Festival won the trophy.

In Commissioners Court, Judge Giles Dalby discussed joint contracts between the city and county and stressed the need for written agreements on everything shared jointly between the two.

In other action the Commissioners voted not to enter into a delinquent tax suit with the City of Post and Post ISD.

Ben Kirkpatrick was named "defensive most valuable player" of the North-South Game played at the Astrodome in Houston July 26. August

In August bingo in Post was one year old, and the city received \$1,032.43, its first bingo profits check from Bob Bullock, State Comptroller's office.

LaDonna Scott was selected to the Academic All-State Girls track team for Class AAA based on academic achievements and track accomplishments.

Dodson's Jewelry was broken into by persons unknown and robbed of several hundred dollars in watches and jewelry.

The City Council approved plans to improve the helicopter landing pad site adjacent to Garza Memorial Hospital and the County Commissioners awarded a bid for courthouse janitorial services to Nonnie Bright and Tommie

Fifty-three athletes reported for the first day of football practice.

Post ISD board of trustees reported heavy roof damages at the gym and closed the facility. The board also raised the 1988-89 tax rate to .75 cents per \$100 in a special called meeting.

The Post Stampede opened its 48th annual rodeo and cowboys representing Double U were off to the Texas Ranch Roundup in Wi-

The Texas Department of Agriculture asked local farmers for hay donations from CRP acres for bailing costs - \$30 a ton.

Past and present residents of Close City and Garlynn had a reunion August 20 at the Post Community Center.

Gina Basquez placed first in State 4-H record book competition and Shal Sneed and Robin Dean represented Post in the Miss White River Lake Pageant.

And at the Garza Theatre, the hilarious comedy "The Seven Year Itch" was playing to appreciative audiences.

September

The month of September brought us two birthdays of interest - the Woman's Culture Club celebrated its 75th anniversary and Post resident Guadalupe Perez celebrated his 108th birthday.

Tax rates were set by the hospital and the county - the hospital rate remained at .105 per \$100 evaluation and the county tax rate us unchanged at 17.5 cents per \$100.

The Gary Lester Memorial

Roping was held September 17 and the Post Art Guild hosted six prominent artists representing Thornhill's Gallery of Fine Art in Snyder.

The Post Antelopes opened their season with a strong win against Abernathy 25-19, but were defeated by the Idalou Wildcats

Lisa Taylor was named 1988 Homecoming Queen at Southland.

Dr. James Bell assumed his duties as minister of Post's First United Methodist Church after four year in Midland and many years serving in foreign countries.

Judge Giles Dalby was honored by the John Ben Shepperd Leadership Forum as an outstanding Texas leader and recipient of the Political Courage Award. He was also honored with a reception in the east wing of the State Capitol. October

The big news in October was the second annual Founder's Day Celebration and Harvest Festival October 13-15.

Post welcomed visitors from all over and entertained them with a full schedule of activities.

Garza County saluted 4-H with 4-H week October 2-8 and Gold Star awards went to Gina Basquez. and Janell Jones at the annual 4-H Banquet.

PHS Antelopes celebrated a 14-2 district victory over Lamesa and squeaked by the Roosevelt Eagles 6-0 and, while the school gymnasium was finally pronounced safe, problems continued on resurfacing the school track.

Rene Craig was named Harvest Festival Queen; Sarah Aguilar was chosen PHS Bank Sweetheart; and Amber Crenshaw as PHS Homecoming Queen.

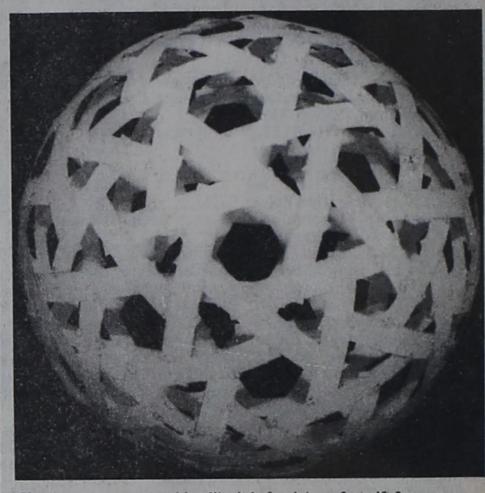
"The Sunshine Boys" opened at the Garza Theatre and played to

capacity audiences. Absentee voting was heavy for the November general election.

Garza County resident Curt Massey was fatally injured in a (Continued on Page 7)



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