

Chamber of Commerce banquet Saturday honors citizen, business of the year

Humorist Ellis Posey to entertain

The Post Chamber of Commerce will recognize its Citizen of the Year and Business of the Year at Saturday's annual banquet to be held at the Community Center beginning at 7 p.m.

In addition to the catered meal, the banquet will feature humorist Ellis Posey, who will start his search for the "World's Funniest Texans."

Tickets for the banquet are available from any of the Chamber of Commerce board of directors or at the Chamber of Commerce at office in the south end of City Hall.

"For years I've wanted to do something to show my appreciation to all those funny Texans who share their humorous stories with me," Posey said. "Everybody has one or more true funny stories... those funny things that happen in the family or at work that get told over and over."

Now Posey wants to get more people involved in the process. His search for the World's Funniest Texans is his way of making it more fun. It's open to all ages, including artists and writers as well as storytellers.

People in the Post area who would like to be part of the search for the World's

Funniest Texans may submit their written, photographed, photocopies or audio, cassette taped entries to the Post Chamber of Commerce before noon, February 8.

Local entrants will be acknowledged at the banquet that evening. Then they will be presented with a certificate proclaiming them to be one of the World's Funniest Texans.

A fifth generation Texan, Posey believes our sense of humor sets Texans apart from other people.

"Our ancestors were tough folks who knew how to deal with hardship and disaster," he says.

"As often as not they dealt with them through humor, by poking fun at themselves and the world around them. We still do that better than anyone on earth. It's part of our heritage."

Born in Hereford, Posey grew up living and working all over the state. In the mid-1950s he moved to Lubbock where he was Channel 13 weatherman, using his Air Force meteorological experiences.

"It's always a homecoming for me when I get back to this part of the country," Posey says, "it's a chance to renew old acquaintances and make new friends."

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Friday deadline set for 'Grandma Brag' special

Deadline for submitting photos for the annual "Grandma Brag" pages, to be published Wednesday, February 12 in The Post Dispatch, will be Friday, February 7 at 5 p.m.

"This is one of our favorite projects during the year," Dispatch publisher Wes Burnett emphasizes, "it's so much fun to visit with our proud grandparents and take a peek at their newest family members or share the excitement of these little ones growing up."

Burnett emphasized that the price for the individual "Valentines" are still \$5, which has not changed since 1985. Wallet size photos are appropriate, either color or black and white.

Special edition features Cotton Unlimited

A special edition included in this issue of The Post Dispatch features Post's newest and largest industry with a complete and detailed review of Cotton Unlimited, Inc.

The special edition includes a history of the development of the cotton based products as well as exclusive commentaries by Texas governmental leaders.

"Our special thanks to all the businesses who helped us produce this special edition by purchasing advertising," Dispatch publisher Wes Burnett emphasizes.

'Bad weather days' set aside for later

Post ISD superintendent Bill Shiver has announced the randomly selected dates of February 10 and 11 as "bad weather days" will be regularly scheduled class days.

"We are required to build in two bad weather days in the school calendar," Shiver explains, "this means that two days will be selected at random and designated as 'bad weather days.' I selected at random February 10 and 11, 1992. My reason for selecting these two days is that usually we have an ice storm of some severity at some time during the month of February or March."

"If we are lucky and do not have to use the bad weather days, then we can use one day for the State Track Meet in May and one day for a Teacher Work Day to be used at the end of the semester," Shiver added.

"One of the most difficult decisions that I make each year is whether or not to have school when we have bad weather," he continued. "In fact, over the past 27 years, I have yet to make a decision that was supported by everyone."

"My regular schedule is to arrive at the office at a little before four in the morning. When the weather is bad, I drive the Gail road and take the turn-off toward Graham. I attempt to determine if it is safe enough to have school and notify the radio station between five and five-thirty a.m. Believe me, the tension is great until all have arrived safely."

More add-ons and correction

In last week's listing of premium buyers of the Garza County Junior Livestock Show and Sale the following was omitted:

Macee Mills, steer, premium by Guin and Charla Miller and Cotton Unlimited, Inc., \$450.

More add-ons were reported this week which include Chad Williams, \$50 by Clay Johnson and Will Osborn, \$25 by Curt and Kim Greer.

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Redistricting plan rejected, council reviews options

Discrepancy in population numbers sends matter back for study

by Wes Burnett

The Post City Council, following a public hearing on the proposed redistricting plan, voted in its regular meeting Monday night to table the issue until a review of the population figures for the "safe minority" district could be completed.

A careful analysis of the redistricting committee's proposal by city staff showed an additional 100 anglos in the northeast ward, which brings the percent of the minority population to 60.54.

City attorney Harvey Morton emphasized that any proposal of a "safe" minority district with less than 65 percent minority population would have very little chance of being approved by the U.S. Department of Justice.

After a discussion of the issue, council members requested city employee Delbert Rudd, who had studied and prepared the report, to meet with former redistricting committee chairman Linda Hernandez in an attempt to resolve the differences in the figures.

In the committee's proposal the affected voting ward had a total of 1,255 people with 608 Hispanic, 434 White, 178 Black and 15 other for a 63.8 percent minority population. The city staff's report showed 1,364 population with 628 Hispanic, 538 White, 183 Black and 15 other. Both reports used the same U.S. Census data.

Morton also explained that when the council begins the process again, a full report of the previous committee's activities will be needed, but he had been unable to obtain detailed records of the committee's meetings and only four of the nine voting ward proposals had been located.

Dr. William C. Wilson, a member of the committee, answered that the "others were probably thrown away, because they just didn't meet the population requirements."

Morton pointed out that there were at least two meetings where no minutes were recorded and at the first meeting he was not notified and therefore was unable to attend.

"We are starting over again, but we start with a disadvantage at not being able to supply the necessary information for the records I am sure the Justice Department is going to ask for," Morton added.

He also told the council that the law requires the new voting wards be established at least five months prior to the election. "So, even if we approved a plan tonight, which the Justice Department would approve, we still couldn't get elections in the wards this year."

In other action, the council heard a detailed report by Texas Department of Health regional engineer Linda Wyatt on the new rules regulating landfills. She emphasized that the state is only following federal law in its enforcement.

The cost to maintain a landfill in cities the size of Post is estimated to be more than \$72 per ton, which would be \$430,000 annually here just for the landfill, not counting the additional costs of collecting.

Wyatt also pointed out that the cost of applying for a landfill, which Post would have to do under the new regulations, would be prohibitive. She cited

Plainview's current investment of approximately \$4 million in its application process and the permit still has not been approved.

The Post landfill is expected to be closed in 18 months and the council plans to study various options in the next few months.

Council members accepted the proposal by city manager Bob Turner to use the remaining budgeted funding of \$7,500 to hire a Main Street manager. The matter was discussed at length with Chamber of Commerce president Linda Waldrip and other Main Street Project supporters at the meeting. Former mayor Giles McCrary emphasized the importance of having a manager to guide and direct volunteer efforts, especially on those special projects such as the highly successful Founder's Day.

The lone bid by Bryan Williams and Son Insurance of \$15,000 for vehicle insurance was accepted. All the local insurance agents were notified of the opportunity to bid. Council member Jim Schooler was the lone dissenter in the vote to accept the bid.

Two city council members along with Turner plan to attend next Tuesday's Post ISD board of trustees meeting to discuss the operating terms for the school's baseball program. The ISD has requested use of the baseball field at David Nichols Park. Council members Larry Mills and Dan Lamb plan to attend with Turner.

An ordinance to restrict the height of footstones at the cemetery will be prepared as the council wrestled with the best way to protect the appearance at the cemetery. A recent burial included a tall footstone, which blocks the view of an adjoining plot.

A special called meeting was approved for noon, February 19 to consider a drilling permit by The George R. Brown Partnership.

The council approved the second reading of the planning and zoning ordinance amendment which provides regulations for "move-in" buildings.

A used pickup was sold to the highest bidder of \$311 following a brief discussion of the matter. Schooler asked Mayor Jim Jackson which pickup was being sold, "I'm not sure which one it is," and Jackson replied, "it's the one the colored boy has been driving." Jerry Osborn was the high bidder.

Following a brief discussion of administrative matters, the council adjourned at approximately 10:45 p.m.

Three arrested in incidents here

Garza County Sheriff's deputies arrested a 43 year old man January 31, charging him with DWI.

On February 2 a 20 year old man was transferred to the Texas Department of Corrections on revoking of his probation in connection with a burglary of a motor vehicle conviction.

A 21 year old man was also charged with DWI February 3 and remains in custody in the county jail.

Dale Redman selected as one of four for 'American Gladiator World Tournament

Word breezed through town last week about Post's Dale Redman being selected as one of four South Plains men to compete in the February 10 American Gladiators World Tournament in Lubbock.

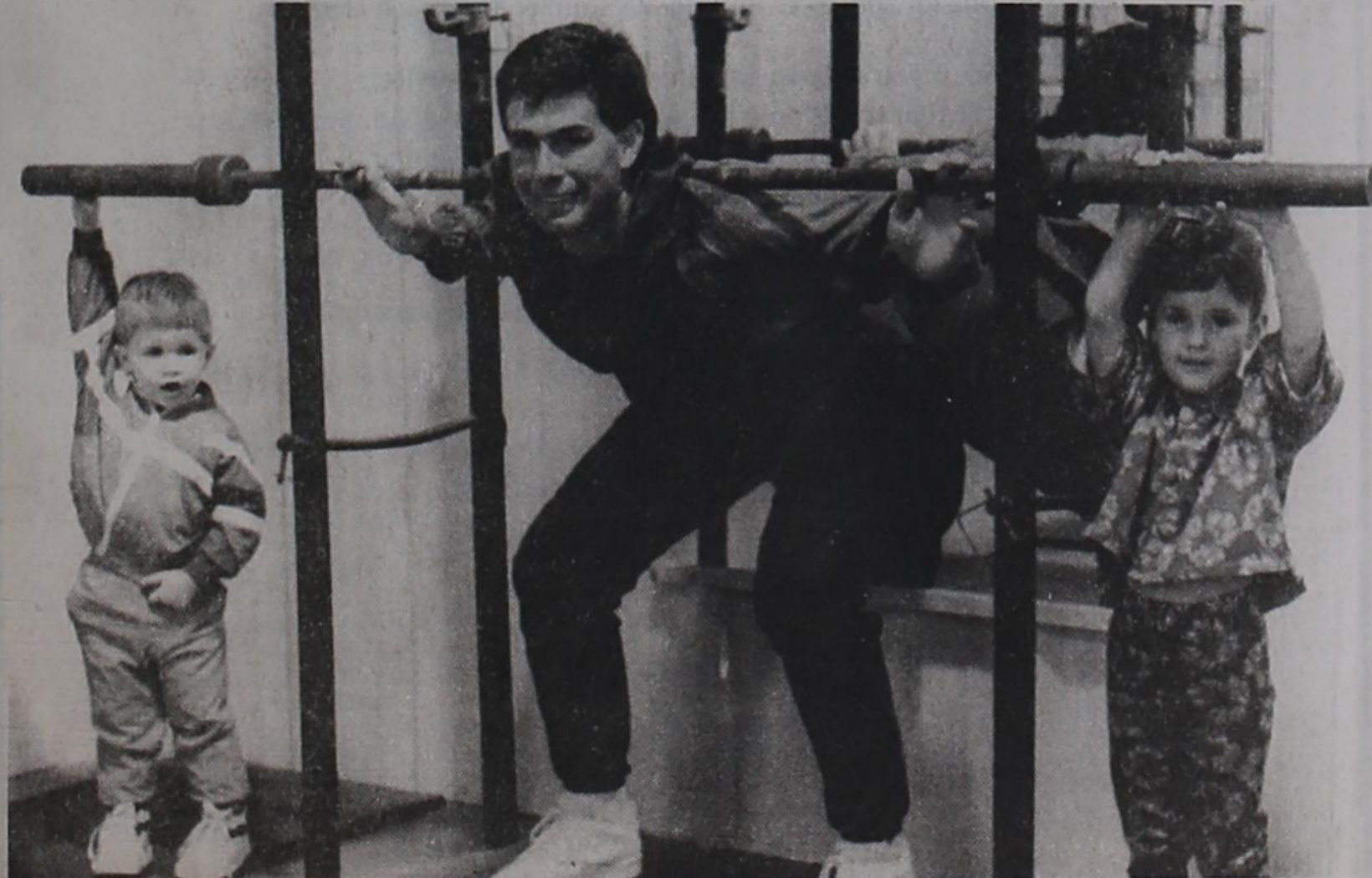
Redman joined a Lamesan and two Lubbockites in the elite matchup, outscoring approximately 350 contestants at the try-outs in late January.

The tournament will held in Lubbock's Municipal Coliseum and one of the four local men will win the right to travel to California for additional competition.

Competition includes power ball, assault, the wall, break-through conqueror, the eliminator and the joust.

"I really didn't do any preparing at all for the try-outs," Redman admits, "but I have been doing some workouts the past week or so. It's going to really be fun."

Redman laughed about his upcoming match and said he told his dad, Jimmy, "I hope I don't embarrass myself," to which his father replied, "son, I'm not worried about you, I just hope you don't embarrass Post."



AMERICAN GLADIATOR competitor Dale Redman gets a little help from his children, Reid (left) and Rachel (right) as he prepares for the February 10 tournament in Lubbock.

Borden County ISD earns state honor on tests

The Texas Education Agency has released a summary of results of college admissions testing program for 1989 and 1990 seniors, which placed Borden County ISD in a unique category.

Only two schools in the state were reported with an average or "mean total score" for the verbal and math portions of the Standard Aptitude Test (SAT) higher than 1,000 with more than 50 percent of the student populations taking the test. Highland Park ISD in Dallas County was the other school to achieve this measurement.

Borden County ISD and Highland Park also were the only schools to average or "mean composite" for the English and math portions of the American College Testing (ACT) that was higher than 23 with more than 60 percent of the student population taking that particular test.

As reported in The Borden County Star.

NEWS BRIEFS

Y.E.S. Valentine Party

Y.E.S. (Youth Exchanging with Seniors) Valentine Party is Thursday, February 6, 4:30 p.m. at Post High School Home Economics Department. If you need transportation, call Ann Nobles at 495-2050.

Flores family benefit

A benefit to assist Terry Flores and her children, the family of the late Bobby Flores, will be held at the V.F.W. February 15, 1992 at 5 p.m. Dinner plates will be \$3 each and auction and dance will follow with music by "Night Crew". Those interested in helping with donations should call Susan Gonzales at 495-3240, Eva Gonzales at 495-2258, Raquel Collazo at 495-3952, Jackie Gonzales at 496-5351, Tammy Alomari at 495-3631 and Becky Warren at 495-3319.

4-H Livestock Judging

All 4-H'ers interested in trying out for Livestock Judging Teams need to attend a meeting Thursday, February 6 at 5 p.m. at the show barn.

San Antonio Stock Show

4-H Exhibitors participating in the San Antonio Stock Show and their parents will meet Thursday, February 6 at 6:30 p.m. at the Show Barn to finalize arrangements.

Post 4-H Club to Meet

The Post 4-H Club meeting will be held Thursday, February 6, 7:30 p.m. at the show barn.

Have you signed your homestead exemption?

A reminder - if you have not signed your homestead exemption and an exemption you may go by the Garza County Appraisal District Office at 124 East Main to do so. Also, if you were born in 1926 or before, you would be eligible for the over 65 exemption. Sign up deadline on these exemptions is April 30, 1992.

Family loses all in fire

Former residents of Post lost all their belongings in a fire Saturday night in Lubbock. Sammy Perez and family, former residents of Post are left without any personal belongings. If you would like to donate please call Patsy Soto at 495-2157.

Y.E.S. needs more seniors

Y.E.S. (Youth Exchanging With Seniors) Project needs more senior citizens. If you are age 65 and older and can use some help around your house and would like to have a high school aged youth help you, call Ann Nobles, 495-2050.

Derick Dunn scholarship fund

A scholarship fund in memory of PHS graduate Derick Dunn has been established to recognize outstanding Garza County youth. The fund was announced last Saturday afternoon by Larry Mills at the Garza County Junior Livestock Association show and sale. The first scholarship will be awarded in 1993. A pledge from Giles McCrary of \$5,000 to be matched dollar for dollar will provide the initial funding. Those interested in contributing should contact Mills at 495-3726 or the First National Bank.

AARP Offers Free Tax Service

AARP has announced that they are offering free income tax service to anyone that has a need for it. The service will be offered on Tuesdays from 9 to 11 a.m. at the Post Public Library. For more information contact Jean Davenport at 495-2630.

Chamber needs your help

The Chamber of Commerce is always receiving calls on houses for rent. If you have a rent house in or around the Post or Garza county area or know of someone that does, the chamber is interested in any details you might have. We are willing to give your name and number out to interested parties. If you have any information please contact the Post Chamber of Commerce at 806-495-3461.

Commodities distribution

The commodities distribution will be held on Tuesday, February 18 at the Service Center on the Snyder Highway. The center will be open for the distribution from 9:30 - 12 and from 1-3:30 p.m. The distribution is held on the third Tuesday of each month.

Post Lions Club to sponsor blood drive

The Post Lions Club will sponsor a Blood Drive on February 6 from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall. The Club is trying to get a minimum of 50 pints in this drive. Contact any Lions Club member for an appointment.

Obituaries

Clara Smallwood

Services for Clara J. Ingram Smallwood, 83, of Lubbock, were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, January 26, 1992 in Resthaven Funeral Home with the Rev. Wilburn Coffman, associate pastor of Southcrest Baptist Church, officiating.

Entombment was in Resthaven Mausoleum.

Mrs. Smallwood died at 5:56

p.m. Wednesday, January 22, 1992 in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born in Texico, N.M., and was a longtime resident of Dublin before moving to Lubbock in June 1991. She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, O.L. Smallwood of Dublin; a son, Charles Ingram of Morenci, Ariz.; three daughters, Margie Carpenter of Post, Betty Hill of Lubbock and Ora Mae Burrow of Wolfthorpe; two brothers, Oliver White of Dublin and Jim White of Tahoka; 11 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Mike Johnson, Kenny Hill, Travis Burrow, David Burrow, Camron Burrow and Mark Ingram.

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Darrell Lloyd Jones

Funeral services for Darrell Lloyd Jones were held Friday, January 31, 1992 at St. Alben's Episcopal Church at 11 a.m. in Washington, D.C. Interment was in Rockcreek Cemetery.

He died Sunday, January 26, 1992 after a lengthy illness.

He was, in his youth, a member of Post Boy Scout Troop # 16. During his high school years he was an employee of the Garza Theatre.

Darrell graduated from Post High School in 1933. He joined the U.S. Army Air Corps in World War II with 12th Air Force in North Africa and the 8th Air Force

in England. He was awarded the D.F.C. Medal of Honor. In 1945 he entered George Washington University and law school upon graduation in 1950 he served 24 years in the office of General Council, U.S. General Accounting Office. He spent four years in retirement before joining a local law firm. He retired in 1980.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth of Washington, D.C.; a daughter, Darrell Landon Spalding; two grandchildren, Robert Lloyd and Carrie Anne Spalding of Boca Raton, Florida and a sister, Patricia J. Lacy.

John Blair Guthrie

Funeral services for John Blair (J.B.) Guthrie were held Friday, January 31, 1992 at 2 p.m. in the Calvary Baptist Church with Rev. Billie Smith, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, officiating. He was assisted by Rev. Steve Long, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church.

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

He died Wednesday, January 29, 1992 at his home in Longview. He was 75.

He was born July 8, 1916 in Moody, Texas. He married Essie Snow on July 25, 1937 in Bartlett. She preceded him in death on January 21, 1981. He then married Mattie Elizabeth Oney on March 25, 1981 in Longview.

He was a retired textile worker and a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Mattie Elizabeth of Longview; three sons, Wesley Guthrie and Herman Guthrie, both of Post, and John L. Guthrie of Littlefield; three daughters, Bonnie Taylor, Mildred Massey and Lucille Baker, all of Post; three step-sons, J.B. Oney of Union Grove, C.L. Oney and Ray Oney, both of Longview; four step-daughters, Opal Shaw and Bernice Swinford, both of Longview, Edna Mae Warren of Gladewater and Doris Gunn of Post; two sisters, Eddie Weddle and Clara Harrison, both of Moody; 17 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons Bryan Taylor, Greg Massey, Dustin Massey, Rodney Guthrie, Danny Guthrie, Ronny Guthrie and Billy Guthrie.



J.B. Guthrie

Travis Graham

Funeral services for Travis Graham, 61, of Lamesa were held Tuesday, February 4, 1992 at 3 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church with Jim Terry, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Lamesa Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Branon Funeral Home.

He died Saturday, February 1, 1992 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

He was born December 14, 1930 in Petersburg.

He had moved to Tahoka from Plainview in 1966 and then moved to Lamesa in 1970. He served as the court reporter for the 106 Judicial District for 25 years. He was a member of the National Shorthand Reporters Association. He received an honorable discharge from the U.S. Army in 1953. He

was preceded in death by one brother, J.C. Graham, in 1962.

Survivors include a sister, Juanita Harris of Big Lake; a brother, Calvin Graham of Romoland, Ca. and several neices and nephews.

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Living on the Edge of the Caprock

by John Senter
CEA-Ag
Garza Ag Improvement
Committee Sets Plans for 1992

The Garza Extension Ag Improvement Committee met on Monday, February 3 to set plans for the coming year and line up some topics for possible producer meetings. The committee carried on a great meeting and here are

some of the topics the group arrived at for possible programs in the coming twelve months.

In the area of Result Demonstrations, the committee agreed to continue the tests with surge irrigation systems. Cotton variety trials are again to be included in the works for cotton producers and their information. Hopefully these two areas will allow producers the opportunity to see the difference surge irrigation can make and determine the potential of these systems for conservative watering in cotton fields. Variety trials remain important to assist producers in gaining insight into the constantly changing cotton varieties. These tests will allow producers to compare different varieties of cotton under the same conditions and determine yield differences and production potential.

Continuing Education Units remained high on the list of training meetings to be offered. Fifteen hours of CEU's must be obtained by all private applicators, before 1996, in order to retain certification. Water and Land Rights were discussed in detail and training on these topics, and their relationship seem to be areas in which there is a great deal of interest.

Of course, the Garza County Ag Day will remain a priority on the list of events and the committee has plans to be involved once again. The committee conducted an excellent meeting and is constantly open to suggestions of Garza County producers. If you have ideas on crop, beef cattle, forage or weed and brush control, feel free to contact any committee

member or our office.

Financial Opportunities Explained to Farm Families

Factors such as cotton market and the weather are making 1992 financing difficult for many producers. To assist producers in this situation, the Extension Service will hold a series of programs entitled "Financial Alternatives for Farm Families."

Topics to be discussed include loan restructuring, cash flow analysis, the mediation process in resolved distressed loans, a description of various bankruptcy alternatives and tax implications of any type of loan restructuring. Speakers will include Dr Danny Klinefelter, Extension economist and management specialist and Dr Gary Condra, director of the Ag Loan Mediation Program at Texas Tech.

The programs will be held in: Abilene at the TAMU Extension and Research Center, February 11 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. In Amarillo, February 12 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the TAMU Extension Center and in Lubbock at the TAMU Research and Extension Center from 9 a.m. until noon on February 13. The sessions will be cosponsored by the Extension Service and the Agricultural Economics Department at Texas Tech University. There will be no charge for the sessions and producer are urged to call the Extension office at 495-2050 for more details.

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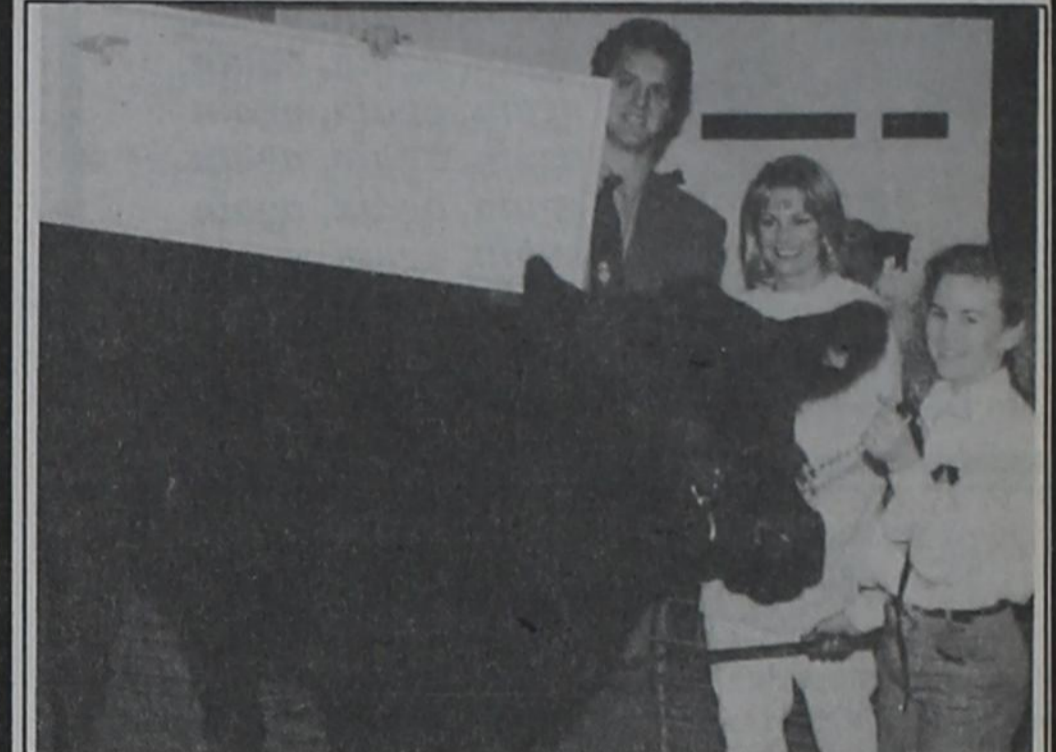
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Talina Bird

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Thanks to all premium buyers and those who "added-on" who were listed in last weeks paper.

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Farmer's Cooperative Compress
Highland Pump
Jerry Osborn

Thanks to -

Pat Green and Garza-Lynn Farm Bureau Directors for Sportsmanship and Senior Showmanship Buckles.
Quick Lay Pipeline for Junior Swine, Sheep & Beef Showmanship Buckles.
Conner Herefords and Godbold, Inc. for Rate of Gain Buckle and cash award.
Junior and Diane Stelzer for sponsoring all awards and judge for Rabbit Show.
Cal-Maine Foods, Inc. and United Supermarket for trophies, banners, and ribbons.
Dickens Electric Cooperative, Inc. for sponsoring Horse Showmanship Buckles (to be awarded in May).

Also to -

Rafe Foreman, Attorney at Law; Tony Mann of Lubbock Livestock and Plains Hog Company of Lubbock for purchasing floor prices on animals.
Syd Conner, Announcer, and Rafe Foreman, Auctioneer, for jobs well done.
Acco Feeds and Purina Feeds for providing Exhibitor Number Cards.

Thanks to Building Fund donors -

Bryan Williams Insurance
Jerry Osborn for replacing & installing new hot water heater, and building 2 quilt racks which were auctioned to Lee Howard and Jimmy Norman.
Johnnie Norman for donating 2 sweat-shirts which were auctioned to Vernon's Quality Tinting.
Anonymous donor who gave 2 sweat-shirts which were auctioned to Mike Johnson and Ken Young.
Syd Conner, Curtis Hudman, Vernon's Quality Tinting, Randy Conner, Richard Hart, Bo Stephens, Mary Miller, Rafe Foreman, Linda Dye, and Freddy Cockrell for purchasing baked goods donated by Mary Basinger, Labeth Jones, Sue Maxey, Jarita Clary, Angela Hammond, Thresa Harp, Oneita Gunn, Lorry Ledbetter, and other anonymous cooks.

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Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Inc.
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And a special thanks to -

Weigh-in and ring help including James Dye, Delwin Fluitt, Dicky Wallace, Curtis Hudman, Jimmy Bartlett, Clyde Cash, Wayne McDonald, Joe Harris, Lee Norman, Steve Cooper, Donnie Stelzer, Junior Stelzer, Shane Bevers, Bobby Brumley, Sid Estep, Tamra Gerner, Brooks Conner, Rusty Morris, Aaron Davis, Shawn Bevers, Trey Payne, Tony Thomas, Curt Greer, Karl Gerner and Mark Greer.

Superintendents - Ronnie Dunn, Rusty Morris, Jay Pollard, and Milton Williams.

Bookkeepers - Diane Graves, Andra Dunn, Melanie Morris, Diane Stelzer, Wilma Smith, Jamie Cooper, and Jan Bartlett.

Night watchmen Maurice Herridge and Jeff Fulfer, and janitor Scott Zappert.

Award presenters - Heather Dickson, Amber Cooper, Labeth Jones and Cori Weaver.

Youth advisors - John Senter, County Extension Agent-Agriculture, and Vo-Ag Instructors Perry Smith, Lance Dunn and David Farquhar.

Concession Stand Committee - Ann Nobles, County Extension Agent-Home Economics; Jaynie Dickson; Wilma Smith; Debbie Ledbetter and Billie Redman; and all 4-H and F.F.A. members and their parents who worked in the concession stand.

And thanks to the exhibitors who were helpful and courteous at all times.

THANKS!

Steve Cooper, President
Garza County Jr. Livestock Association

Kenneth Williams seeks Precinct 3 Commissioner

I, Kenneth Wayne Williams, announce that I have filed as candidate for the office of Commissioner of Precinct Three of Garza County, subject to the Democratic primary March 10.

I was born and raised in Post and have lived here practically all of my life. I graduated from Post High School, South Plains College, Levelland, and attended Texas Tech University.

My wife is Carolyn Martin, who also grew up in Post, and we have two daughters and a son, all of whom are married and live with

their families in Post.

I am a businessman and a taxpayer. I have been a partner in Comer Grocery for many years and have supported my community and paid my taxes.

My roots are in Garza County and I am acquainted with and friends of many of the residents of the community.

I am asking for the opportunity to work for the people as commissioner of precinct three and to offer fair and unbiased representation.

I hope to see you, the voters, personally before the election.



Kenneth Williams

Energy crisis program funds

The South Plains Community Action Association, Inc wishes to announce its receipt of energy crisis program funds to assist the truly needy in Garza County. The program is available as to first come, first serve.

The purpose of this program is to provide assistance to eligible persons experiencing an energy-related crisis or energy-related emergency.

It is not a utility assistance program. Priority shall be given eligible households with persons 60 years or older and/or with handicapped persons.

This priority does not exclude other income eligible households. A person must apply at Garza Community Action, during the hour of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., and bring his utility bill and evidence of his income for the last 30 days.

Proof of income may consist of checks, check stubs, award letters, employer statements, or other similar documents.

For additional information concerning this assistance, please contact Linda Alaniz or Margie Polanco at Community Action.

Warren promoted

Chet and Becky Warren, of Post, have been advised that their son, Dewayne Warren, has been promoted to the rank of Senior Airman.

Warren, who is stationed at Kadena Air Force Base in Okinawa, is a 1988 graduate of Post High School.

He is the grandson of Travis and Henri Thomas of Post and the late Ray Warren, Betty Gaskill and Mr and Mrs Gene Barto, all of Fort Worth.



SRA Dewayne Warren

Thank you to the First National Bank for buying the premium on my second place Durock hog.
Thank you Mamaw and Papaw for your add-on.
Thank you Daddy for all your help.

Lorrye Ledbetter

I would like to express my appreciation to Hackberry Co-Op Gin and the GCJLA Jackpot for paying the premium on my pigs.

I also want to send out my sincerest thanks to Tony Thomas for buying my Durock back.

Finally, I would like to thank Macee Mills and Tony Thomas for the add-ons to my pigs.

Brad McDonald.

Thank you

Grandpa and Grandma Stelzer for purchasing my lamb and add-on at the Livestock Show.

My appreciation to Jr and Diane Stelzer for sponsoring the rabbit show.

Your support is greatly appreciated.

Rebecca Stelzer

Thank you

Grandpa and Grandma Stelzer for buying my pigs at the Livestock Sale.

Thanks also to United Supermarkets and Cal-Maine Foods, Inc. for donating the trophies, banners and ribbons.

Also to Quick-Lay Pipeline for donating the Jr Showmanship buckles.

Your support is greatly appreciated.

Jill Stelzer

Thank you Grandpa and Grandma for Buying my lambs.

Special thanks go to Perry Smith, Lance Dunn, John Senter, Darrell and Janell Jones and Lee Howard for your help and support. I have learned a lot this year.

The biggest "thank you" goes to my dad for all the time he spent helping me to learn how to show my lambs. I couldn't have done it without you, Dad!

J.C. Stelzer

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How about 7.75% tax deferred interest?
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Thank You A.E. Redman

for making it possible for us to have animals to show this year.

Michael Self
Daniel Redman

Thank you to everyone in the GARZA COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION for making it possible for the young people of Garza County to participate in such a high quality show.

I especially thank all the individuals and businesses who donated to the GCJLA Jackpot fund for the premium sale and to Larry and Kim Mills and Peel's Texaco for the add-ons for my steer.

Ryan Hart

Thanks to

- Lance Dunn
- Ronnie Dunn
- Milton Williams
- Palmer Construction
- Donny and Diane Stelzer

for help and buying our hogs

Michael Self
Daniel Redman



Clarence and Velma Warren

Warrens celebrate 45th anniversary

Mr and Mrs Clarence Warren will celebrate their 45th wedding anniversary Saturday, February 8, 1992 with a family dinner.

Warren and the former Velma Shaw were married February 8, 1947 in Hillsboro. They moved to Post on March 22, 1948.

The couple has four children, Linford Warren and Brenda Sweeten, both of Post, Billy Warren of Lubbock and Danny Warren of Odessa. They have 10 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Care About Clean Air...

...because when you can't breathe, nothing else matters.

AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION
The Christmas Seal Program

I would like to thank everyone who contributed to the jackpot during the GCJLA stockshow and sale.

Thanks to jackpot for purchasing the premium on my hogs.

Thanks to Graham Co-Op Gin for their add-on.

Thanks to Mamaw and Papaw for their add-on.

Matthew Ledbetter

Thanks to

The First National Bank for purchasing my pig at the Garza County Junior Livestock Show and sale and to Rafe Foreman for his add-on.

DeeJé Estep

I would like to thank the Jackpot for purchasing my 3rd and 4th place lambs at the Garza County Junior Livestock Show and Sale.

Joe Schoonover

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Special \$109.00

- *Powerful 3 HP, 15 amp AC/DC, 6000 rpm motor.
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Spring Opportunity Session 1992

REGISTRATION Monday, February 10, 1992
8:30-11:30 a.m.
1:30-4:30 p.m.
Only Night Registration 6:00-7:00 p.m.
BEGIN REGISTRATION IN LRC - ADMISSIONS OFFICE

CLASSES BEGIN Monday, February 10, 1992
LAST DAY TO REGISTER Friday, February 14, 1992
LAST DAY TO DROP Tuesday, March 31, 1992
LAST DAY OF CLASSES Wednesday, May 6, 1992

JOU 130-320	Intro./Photo.	M	6:30-9:55	SC-105	Brown, D	\$24
LAB	TBA			SC-105	Brown, D	
ART 139-100	Photography	M	6:30-9:55	SC-105	Brown, D	\$24
LAB	TBA			SC-105	Brown, D	
ART 232-101	Painting	TH	6:30-9:20	FA-117	Gibson, J	\$10
LAB	TBA			FA-117	Gibson, J	
ART 233-102	3-D Design	TH	6:30-9:20	FA-122	Staff	\$24
LAB	TBA			FA-122	Staff	
ART 234-103	Ceramics	TH	6:30-9:20	FA-122	Staff	\$24
LAB	TBA			FA-122	Staff	
ART 235-104	Jewelry/Glass	TH	6:30-9:55	FA-103	Brunson, T	\$24
LAB	TBA			FA-103	Brunson, T	
ART 237-105	Sculpture	TH	6:30-9:20	FA-122	Staff	\$24
LAB	TBA			FA-122	Staff	
BUS 235-610	Bus. Acct. I	MWF	1:00-2:10	7A-107	Snider, J	
LAB	TBA			7A-107	Snider, J	
CS 238-180	Comp. Appltns	M	6:30-9:55	LRC-203	Canada, B	\$20
LAB	TBA			LRC-203	Canada, B	
ENG 231-300	Amer. Lit.	W	6:30-9:55	2B-110	Barkowsky	
GEO 232-227	World Geog.	TH	2:45-6:10	2C-104	Palmer, J	
GOV 232-225	Amer. Govt.	TH	6:30-9:55	2C-102	McGe, J	
GOV 236-226	Intro./Comp.					
Pol.	MWF	12:00-1:10		2C-102	McGe, J	
HPE 212-400	Adv. Golf	M	1:00-2:00	ProShop	Harrison	\$24
LAB	TBA			ProShop	Harrison	
HPE 212-401	Scuba	TTH	6:00-9:25	Pool	Reed, R	\$24
(Begins March 24)						
HPE 212-402	Springbrd Div.	TBA	7:15-9:20	Pool	Harrison M	\$10
LAB	TBA			Pool	Harrison M	
MTR 133-175	Coll. Algebra	MW	6:30-8:30	2B-110	Staff	\$ 8
LAB	TBA			2B-110	Staff	
MTH 240-176	Elem. Stats.	TH	6:00-9:25	7A-118	Burriss, B	\$ 8
LAB	TBA			7A-118	Burriss, B	
MUS 131-106	Music Appr.	T	6:30-9:55	FA-105	Hardgree, B	
PHI 132-227	Ethics	TBA		2B-125	Fleer, G	
PSY 230-228	Curr./Iss./Psy.	TH	6:30-9:55	Hood, M		
SPA 132-321	Conv. Spanish	W	6:30-9:55	7B-105	Adams, R	\$ 5
(Non-transferable)						
W 132-500	Intro. to Wldg.	M	5:30-10:30	Wldg.	Walker, S	\$24
LAB	TBA			Wldg.	Walker, S	
WP 137-611	Basic Comp/Info.					
Processing	MW	12:00-12:55		7A-105	Wesson, T	\$15
LAB	TBA			7A-105	Wesson, T	

PLACEMENT TESTING
Placement testing is required for all students enrolling. Bring ACT or SAT scores. If ACT or SAT scores are unavailable, a Western Texas College Placement Test will be given during periods of scheduled registration.
Three testing sites are available: the Western Texas College Placement Test may be taken at 1:30 p.m., Monday, February 10. Test will be given at the Western Texas College Counseling Office. A \$10 fee will be charged for the test.
TEXAS ACADEMIC SKILLS PROGRAM (TASP)
Students who have NOT earned 3 semester college credit hours (90) on the last Fall Semester are required to take the Texas Academic Skills Program (TASP) test. Such students must take the test before completing their first 15 hours of college coursework. All students will be required to provide documentation of TASP status. This documentation will be TASP test score reports, transcripts or both.
It is the policy of Western Texas College not to discriminate on the basis of age, sex, handicap, race, color, creed or national origin in its educational and occupational programs, activities or employment as required by Title IX, Section 504 and Title VI.
Western Texas College will take steps to ensure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.
Western Texas College toma medidas para asegurar que falta de habilidades de ingles no sea un obstaculo para poder ser admitido o para que pueda participar en todos los programas educacionales y vocacionales que ofrecemos.
For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Mrs. Sarah McCowan, at Western Texas College, Snyder, Texas 79586, 915-752-8511, ext. 302 or Section 504 Coordinator, Mr. Clay Hickman at Western Texas College, Snyder, Texas 79586, 915-752-8511, ext. 306.
Refund Policy for complete withdrawal: Spring Opportunity Session: February 10-12, 80%; February 13-17, 50%; No Refund after Feb. 18. Fees for a changed schedule will be assessed through February 14, 1992.



SPIRIT of Savings!

Double Coupons
7 days a week see store for details

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Coke or 7-Up
6 - 12 oz. cans
\$1.59
3 Liter \$1.69

GROCERY
Eagle Potato Chips
Reg or BBQ
6 oz. **.79**

Roman Meal Bread
24 oz. **.79**

Betty Crocker Cake Mix
Assorted 18 oz.
.89
Betty Crocker Assorted Frostings 16 oz. \$1.19

Ritz Crackers
Regular or Low Salt 16 oz. or Ritz Bits Peanut Butter or Cheese 10.5 oz.
\$1.99

Texsun Grapefruit Juice
46 oz. **3 for \$2**

Kellogg's Frosted Flakes
20 oz. **\$2.99**

Del Monte Classics Vegetables
Asst. 9-10 oz. **.69**

Franco American Pasta
Spaghetti, SpaghettiO's, CircusO's, SportyO's, or TeddyO's 14.75 oz.
2 for .89

Casserole Pinto Beans
2 lb. **.59**

Kraft Miracle Whip
Reg or Light 32 oz. **\$1.69**

Folgers Coffee
Fine, ADC or Regular Perc
13 oz. **2 for \$3**

Honey Boy Pink Salmon
14.75 oz. **2 for \$3**

Hunt's Whole Tomatoes
14 oz. **2 for \$1**

NONFOOD
Puffs
Puffs Plus with Lotion or Extra Strength 108 ct. or Puffs White or Asst. Facials Reg. 175 ct.
.99

Ivory, Joy or Dawn
Regular or Mountain Spring
42 oz. **\$1.99**

M & M Candy
Plain or Peanut
14 oz. **\$2.19**

Valentine CANDY
Hershey Kisses
14 oz. **\$2.19**

Charmin Bath Tissue
White, Yellow or Blue
4 ct. **5 for \$4**

Purina Dog Chow
25 lb **\$6.99**

Purina Dog Biscuits
Med or Lg. 2 lb **2 for \$3**

Brach Conversation Heart
Small 10 oz. **.79**

Brach Nougat Kisses
8 oz. **\$1.19**

Boxed Candy Heart
8.5 oz. **\$4.79**

Red or Green Leaf Lettuce



2 for \$1

Mustard, Collard, Turnip Greens

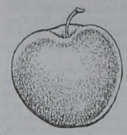
U.S. #1 White Rose or New Red Potatoes

2 for \$1 | **2 lbs. .89**

Garden Fresh
PRODUCE

Tropical Coconuts	2 for \$1
Medium Yellow Onions	4 lbs. \$1
Snow-white Cauliflower	large head each \$1.49
Dole Salad Mix	3 lb. ea. \$1.98
Sweet Juicy Limes	large 7 for \$1

Extra Fancy Granny Smith Apples



lb. **.69**

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Crisp Crunchy Carrots

.98 | **2 lbs. \$1**

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Blue Bell Ice Cream



Reg. Light, Yogurt, Free

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Asst. 1/2 gallon

Mrs. Paul's Healthy Treasures Fish Fillets or Sticks 7-8 oz. **\$1.69**

Ore Ida Fries



Regular or Crinkle Cut

2 lb. **2 for \$3**

Birds Eye Cob Corn



\$1.39

4 ct.

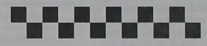
Merico Texas Style Biscuits Butter Flavor 12 oz.

2 for .79

Digiorno Lasagna, Angel's Hair, Fettucine, Linguini

9 oz. **.69**
Digiorno Assorted Sauces 7-12 oz. \$1.99

DAIRY



Treesweet Orange Juice



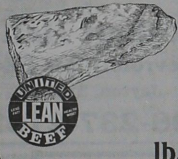
Chilled

64 oz.

\$1.69

Imperial Margarine Quarters 1 lb. **2 for \$1**

United Extra Lean Brisket



Market Trimmed

\$1.89

lb.

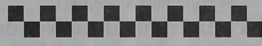
Extra Lean Chopped Sirloin Steak



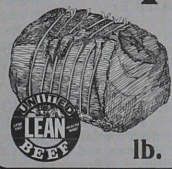
\$2.29

lb.

Quality
MEAT



United Extra Lean Boneless Rump Roast



\$1.69

lb.

Super Valu Pak Extra Lean Ground Beef



\$1.69

lb.

Regular Pak lb. \$1.79

United Extra Lean Boneless Sirloin Tip Roast



\$2.49

lb.

Extra Lean Boneless Stew Meat

Lean Cubes of Beef!

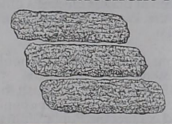


\$1.98

lb.

Lean Steak Fingers

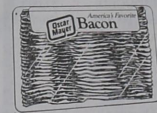
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Tyson Grade "A" Whole Fryers



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Card of Thanks

Thank you for your thoughts, prayers, flowers and cards we received during the time of the loss of my mother.
Marge & Wayne Carpenter

I wish to thank everyone for the many prayers, cards, visits and any concern you have shown me in the hospital and since I came home. I so appreciate everything. If I ever get strong again, I'll try and return the favor.
Thanks again to everyone,
Mary & James Stone

I want to thank friends and relatives for flowers, cards and visits while I was in the hospital and at my sons. Thank you girls for cleaning my house. Thanks for food and visits since I came home.
I love you all,
Rena Ferguson

A special thank you to everyone for their cards, flowers, phone calls, kindness and prayers during the loss of my father.
Susan Pennell

Personals

Post Group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Thursday night at the First Presbyterian Church, 901 West 10th at 8 p.m. Closed meetings are held except on the last Thursday night of the month, 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 495-3667 or 629-4393.

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3/1 with central heat, bath redone, 2 lots, large bedrooms, storage everywhere.	REDUCED! 37,000
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3/2/2 + RV cover. Beautiful panelling; good carpet; stove & DW; plbg, wiring, & roof good.	37,500
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Commercial building (40 X 75) on downtown lot. Good condition \$8.25 /sq. ft.	\$24,500
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Help Wanted

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE WANTED for South Plains Health District of Dawson County in Lamesa. 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Must be an R.N. with current Texas License required. Experience preferred. Some local and five country daytime travel required with reimbursement for travel. Applications may be obtained through the SPPHD office, 919 E. Main, Brownfield. Deadline February 14, 1992 or until position filled. All applications and/or questions should be referred through Barbara Bouton, R.N., D.O.N. at 806-637-2164.

Jobs Wanted

Will do cleaning & ironing, 110 North Avenue N., Francesia Aranda.

Office Space for Rent

La Hermosa Inter. Church, located at 122 North Avenue K, will be selling tacos de Cabeza Friday, February 7, from 12 noon to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 6 a.m. to 1 p.m. The money will be used to benefit our youth as a fund raiser.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR WEATHER MODIFICATION PERMIT

Notice is given that COLORADO RIVER MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT, P.O. Box 869, Big Spring, Texas 79721-0869 has filed an application, pursuant to Chapter 18, Texas Water Code, and Texas Water

Commission (TWC) Rule §289 for a State Permit to conduct weather modification (cloud-seeding) activities within the watersheds of its three reservoirs in west central Texas. The permit is being requested for the purpose of increasing rainfall during the period of March 1 - November 30, during the years 1992, 1993, 1994, and 1995. (The project will not involve hail suppression at any time.)

The proposed weather modification operation is to be carried out in both an "operational area" and a "target area" to cause the intended effects to occur only in the target area. The operational area is that area described as being the area between an outer boundary which is defined by a line that encompasses the block of counties of Lynn, Garza, Kent, Fisher, Nolan, Runnels, Coke, Sterling, Glasscock, Martin and Dawson, and an inner boundary which is that of the target area.

The area to be affected by the proposed weather modification operation is the target area. The target area is that area described as bounded by a line beginning at a point of origin at Big Spring, Texas, and running along Highway 87 in a northwesterly direction to Lamesa; thence, east along the northern boundary lines of Dawson, Borden, and Scurry Counties to Highway 84; thence, southeast along Highway 84 to Roscoe, in Nolan County; thence, south-southeast to Maryneal; thence, east to the Nolan-Taylor County border; thence, south along the eastern Nolan County line to the Runnels County border; thence, east along the northern Runnels County line; thence, south along the eastern Runnels County line; thence, west along the southern Runnels County line to a point where the southern Coke County line meets Runnels County; thence, west along the southern Coke County line to a point 13 miles south of Robert Lee in Coke County; thence, north to Robert Lee; thence, west to Highway 87 at a point approximately 13 miles northwest of Sterling City; thence, northwesterly along Highway 87 to the point of origin at Big Spring, Texas.

The application by the Colorado River Municipal Water District (CRMWD) was filed on November 15, 1991. The CRMWD has a valid Texas weather modification license which was issued on December 18, 1974 and has been renewed each year since 1976. TWC Rule §289 states that the

Commission shall hold a public hearing on the application prior to the issuance of the permit if 25 eligible persons submit written request for public hearing within 30 days after the first publication of the Notice. A public hearing has been requested by at least 25 eligible persons and Notice of Intent to Conduct Weather Modification Activities has been published as required. A Hearings Examiner of the Texas Water Commission will conduct a public hearing at: 9:30 a.m. - Monday, March 2, 1992, Dorothy Garrett Coliseum - East Room, Howard College Campus, 1001 Birdwell Lane, Big Spring, Texas.

The hearing may be continued from time to time and place to place, if necessary, to develop all relevant evidence bearing on the subject of the hearing. The Texas Water Commission reserves the right to schedule or reschedule hearings as it deems necessary. Further information concerning any aspect of this proceeding, if available, may be obtained by writing George W. Bomar, Senior Technical Specialist, Permitting Section, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711, telephone 512/371-6351. Information concerning any procedures of the hearing may be obtained by contacting Carl Forrester, Senior Administrative Law Judge, at the same address or by calling 512/463-7875. Information concerning public participation in hearing may be obtained by contacting Mary Sals, Public Interest Counsel, at the same address or by calling 512/463-8030.

Issued this 29th day of January, 1992.
Gloria A. Vasquez, Chief Clerk
Texas Water Commission

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Brazos Electric Power Cooperative, Inc., hereby gives notice that on January 17, 1992, it filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas an APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR PROPOSED GENERATING FACILITIES for two 104 MW simple cycle gas-fired combustion turbines. Brazos Electric's site of choice, and the only site involved in the Application, is Brazos Electric's existing R. W. Miller Plant site on Lake Palo Pinto in Palo Pinto County, Texas, as shown on the map published herewith. The Rural Electrification Administration, which must approve the project, is reviewing two alternate locations: Brazos Electric's existing plant sites in Bell and Parker Counties. The estimated expense associated with the project is \$65,332,000. A copy of the filing is available for inspection at Brazos Electric's offices at 2404 La Salle Avenue, Waco, Texas or at the Commission in Austin.

Persons with questions about the project should contact William B. Townsend, Jr., at Brazos Electric at (817)750-6377. Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon the action sought, should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, at 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin, Texas 78757, or call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512)458-0256, or (512)458-0221 for the telecommunications device for the deaf. The deadline for intervention in the proceeding will be 60 days after the final publication of this notice.

BRAZOS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

Yesteryears

Gleaned from the files of *The Post Dispatch*. Microfilm copies are available at the Post Public Library.

by Pat Burnett
10 Years Ago
February 4, 1982

Mr and Mrs Walter Stolle will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday. They were married February 11, 1932 in Posey.

Verna Roberts visiting in Slaton last weekend with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr and Mrs Walter Kellum. Also visiting were her brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs Zearl Robinson, Robin Jones and Mrs Jewel Ward.

The Woman's Culture Club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs Estelle Davis.

A new birth this week was Joshua Cole Fumagalli. He was born February 2.

G.W. Greer breaks his arm in a fall from a rig stepladder.

20 Years Ago
February 3, 1972

Three new nurses started working Monday at Garza Memorial Hospital. They are Carolina Leano, Primavera de Jesus and Gilda Saido.

Jackie Moore of the Post Does and Randall Hays of the Antelopes were crowned basketball sweethearts at basketball game.

Duke Altman receives bachelor's degree at Texas Tech.

Visiting last Thursday in the home of Mrs Wesley Stephens were Mrs E.A. Howard and Mrs James Babb.

The Boy Scouts celebrated 62nd anniversary.

Lil Abner to be presented by the Post High School choir tonight and Saturday night.

30 Years Ago
February 1, 1962

Final rites held Saturday for Mrs Giles W. Connell, a resident of Garza County for 42 years.

Mr and Mrs Chester Morris and Anne attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Friday night and Saturday afternoon.

Mrs Susie Brown is visiting in Carlsbad, N.M. with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Roy Brown, Sr.

Paul Ray Brown is honored on his fifth birthday with a party in the home of his grandparents, Mr and Mrs W.C. Kiker.

Congratulations to the Post freshman boys basketball team for their consolation trophy from Snyder. Danny Pierce made the all-tourney team.

Mr Charles Black is a new teacher at Post Junior High.

Ben-Hur is showing at the Tower theater this week.

40 Years Ago
January 31, 1952

Cherry Dodson is Poster Girl with the 1952 March of Dimes fund raising campaign.

J.R. Durrett has served Post and Government 20 years as volunteer weatherman.

Mrs E.E. Peel is honored at layette shower in home of Mrs Elmer Cowdrey.

Sammie Williams and Rheba Hays were initiated into the Rainbow Assembly at the Masonic hall Tuesday night.

Happy Birthday today goes to E.E. Pierce, Linda Gayle Hill, Mrs Jim Ashcraft, Tom Haygood and Carolyn Ledbetter.

Clint Herring was honored with a birthday dinner Saturday, given by his wife and daughter, Jan.

Miss Margaret Bingham marries Jacky Meeks January 22.

50 Years Ago
Fifty Years Ago This Week


Dan Altman, Harold Voss and Wilburn Cash enlisted in the Air Force over the weekend.

M.L. Morris is visiting his daughter, Mrs Josh Cogsdill, and family in Lubbock.

James Stallings, who is in the photographic division of the Navy in Hawaii, called his mother on her birthday.

Boy Scouts collected approximately two and one-half tons of scrap paper in their drive, according to Huston Hoover.

State Capital



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN - The Texas Supreme Court struck down the Legislature's plan to hike school property taxes, but left the illegal tax structure in place until next year.

By giving lawmakers — including those who will be elected to the next Legislature — a long deadline, justices dodged the task of writing the controversial law themselves.

Somewhat defusing the politics for now, the court did not shut down state funding of public schools, but it probably catapulted the issue to the top of voter shopping lists for 1992.

This marks the third time in as many years the High Court has rejected the Legislature's remedy, despite Gov. Ann Richards' pointed warning that frustrated lawmakers may just let the justices write the new law themselves.

Reacting last week, the governor accused the GOP-dominated court of "calling for an income tax."

"What's happening in all this Mickey Mouse is that the administrators, the teachers cannot plan because they never know how much money they're going to have," she said.

Conservative Victory?

But conservatives hailed the 7-2 decision as a victory over liberals, pointing as evidence to the fact that only liberals reacted angrily to the ruling.

Senate Education Committee Chairman Carl Parker, D-Port Arthur, sponsor of the now-dead measure, accused the court of "posturing politically."

"Republicans, who are on the court who participated in the first double-tough opinion, caught a lot of flack from their constituents...and they started looking for a way to backpedal," Parker said.

Attorney General Dan Morales did not criticize the justices and said he didn't think the decision was political.

"We believe there is ample opportunity and ample time over the course of 1992 to prepare for a situation where the Legislature can hit the ground running," Morales said of the 1993 regular legislative session.

Redistricting Aftermath

In the aftermath of the redistricting battle, Federal Judge James Nowlin reopened court records which were sealed amid Democrat cries of foul play.

Meanwhile, Morales angered some Democratic senators by firing two attorneys chosen by lawmakers to help the Texas Democratic Party with redistricting.

Departing were Austin lawyers Richard Gray and David Richards, former husband of Gov. Ann Richards.

Morales hired Paul Coggins of Dallas to probe whether State Rep. George Pierce, R-San Antonio, helped federal judges draw new districts.

Sen. Ted Lyon, D-Rockwall, was critical: "Morales could well be the father of Republicans taking over the Texas Senate."

In a peripheral issue, Republican lawyers criticized Democratic lawyers representing minor-

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Other Highlights

- School district property values remained level statewide in 1991, although some districts saw sharp rises or falls, Comptroller John Sharp said last week. As of Jan. 1, 1991, Texas school district taxable wealth totaled \$364 billion, about one-half percent more than the previous year, Sharp said.
- Although Texas provided \$727 million in additional state aid for public education this year, Texas dropped from 32nd to 35th among the states in the average salary paid to teachers, said Olivia Besteiro, Texas State Teachers Association president.
- Deann Friedholm, an aide to Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, told an audience that Texas' health-care systems is fragmented and underfunded, and will probably stay that way until Americans make health care affordable for all.
- Thousands of applicants for licenses to sell lottery tickets showed up to be fingerprinted last week as part of the application process.

ity groups for billing the state for more than \$750,000 in fees.

But Jim Herrington, of the Texas Civil Rights Project, said the fees were "cheap" compared to previous redistricting lawsuits, and predicted Texas taxpayers will probably pay more than \$6 million in attorneys' fees to lawyers suing the state over redistricting.

This doesn't include the \$1 million it cost taxpayers to finance the recent special session which produced the plan rejected by the court.

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Trail Blazers Lunch Menu

Thursday, February 6
Baked turkey, gravy, collar greens, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie, cornbread dressing, milk or beverage choice, margarine.

Friday, February 7
Hamburger patty, potato Au Gratin, vegetable soup, sliced apples, brown/serve roll, yellow cake with icing, milk or beverage choice, margarine.

Monday, February 10
Salmon patties, carrot raisin salad, blackeye peas, cornbread, fruit salad, milk or beverage choice, margarine.

Tuesday, February 11
Spaghetti with meat sauce, tossed green salad, Italian dressing, Italian garlic bread, cherry pie, milk or beverage choice, margarine.

Wednesday, February 12
Baked chicken, wild rice, broccoli with cheese sauce, brown/serve roll, jello, milk or beverage choice, margarine.

Post School Menu

Monday, February 10
Breakfast- Malt-o-meal, bacon, toast, fruit, milk.
Lunch- Tacos with sauce, lettuce, corn, fruit cobbler, milk.

Tuesday, February 11
Breakfast- Sweet rolls, fruit, milk.
Lunch- Corn dogs, pork 'n beans, mixed greens, fruit, corn bread, milk.

Wednesday, February 12
Breakfast- Assorted cereal, toast, peanut butter, fruit, milk.
Lunch- Ham and gravy, sweet potatoes, green beans, pudding, rolls, milk.

Thursday, February 13
Breakfast- Oatmeal, sausage, toast, fruit, milk.
Lunch- Spaghetti with meat sauce, cabbage slaw, pinto beans, no bake chocolate cookies, garlic toast, milk.

Friday, February 14
Breakfast- Manager's choice.
Lunch- Fish, macaroni & cheese, whipped potatoes, carrot coins, birthday cake, corn bread, milk.

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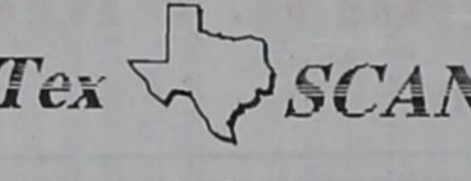
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31 Increase one's speed	76 Travel to foreign lands	117 Dispatch boat	17 Bog	16 Discharge	107 Foolish talk: slang
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Oil and gas well completions increased in December, and number of completed wells were up in 1991 compared to 1990

Texas oil and gas operators reported 197 gas and 386 oil, and 28 service completions in December 1991, according to Railroad Commission Chairman Lena Guerrero. In November the total was 153 gas and 356 oil, and 28 service completions. December 1990's total was 201 gas and 448 oil, and 30 service completions.

For the entire year of 1991, the Commission recorded a total of 9,400

well completions, a three percent increase from the 9,082 completions recorded in 1991.

Gas completions in December included 11 in the San Antonio area (District 1), 25 in the Refugio area (District 2), 20 in Southeast Texas (District 3), 47 in deep South Texas (District 4), five in East Central Texas (District 5), 31 in East Texas (District 6), eight in West Central Texas (District 7B), 23 in the San Angelo area (District 7C), five in the Midland area (District 8), nine in North Texas (District 9), and 13 in the Panhandle (District 10), according to Guerrero.

Oil completions included 45 in the San Antonio area (District 1), six in the Refugio area (District 2), 56 in Southeast Texas (District 3), five in deep South Texas (District 4), four in East Central Texas (District 5), 15 in East Texas (District 6), 51 in West Central Texas (District 7B), 56 in the San Angelo area (District 7C), 52 in the Midland area (District 8), 43 in the Lubbock area (District 8A), 42 in North Texas (District 9), and 11 in the Panhandle (District 10).

Guerrero said operators reported 738 holes plugged in December, compared to 1,158 in November. A total of 162 dry holes were reported in December, compared to 278 in November.

Oil and gas drilling permits issued increased in December, but the 1991 permit total was lower than 1990

A total of 1,085 drilling permits were issued by the Railroad Commission in December, according to RRC Chairman Lena Guerrero. In November the total was 1,028. December 1990's total was 1,258.

For the entire year of 1991, the Commission issued 13,810 drilling permits, a 12 percent decrease from the 15,653 issued during 1990.

The December total included 644 permits to drill new oil and gas tests,

30 to re-enter existing well bores, 40 to deepen existing holes, 135 to plugback existing holes, and 67 for other wells. Operators were also issued 169 amended drilling permits.

Guerrero said permits issued for new oil and gas holes in December included 36 in the San Antonio area (District 1), 31 in the Refugio area (District 2), 50 in Southeast Texas (District 3), 49 in deep South Texas (District 4), 15 in East Central Texas (District 5), 37 in East Texas (District 6), 77 in West Central Texas (District 7B), 56 in the San Angelo area (District 7C), 110 in the Midland area (District 8), 67 in the Lubbock area (District 8A), 91 in North Texas (District 9), and 25 in the Panhandle (District 10).

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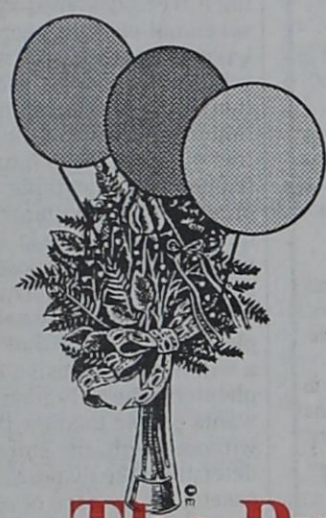
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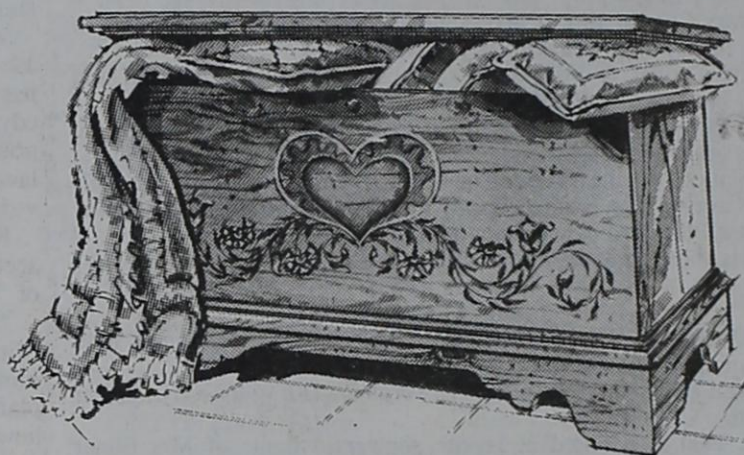
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Wednesday, February 5, 1992

Best economic news for Post in 10 years

by Wesley W. Burnett

Almost 10 years ago rumors were flying fast and furious in Post that Burlington Industries would be shutting down its Postex plant and predictions of gloom and doom filled the air.

With more than 350 employees on the payroll, it seemed like the beginning of the end of our economic base here.

But when Burlington finally lowered the boom in the winter of 1983, community and civic leaders went to work immediately looking for ways to offset the impending economic loss.

In 1984 Burlington announced its intention to donate the old plant property to a local organization, and the Post Economic Development Corp. took official ownership.

The past seven years have been filled with frustrations, mixed with a lot of disappointments for the PEDC board of directors, but the long hours and consistent efforts finally began to show results in May 1987 when Postex Warehouses signed a long term lease to store cotton bales here.

That small beginning didn't look like much then to people here clamoring for a big time industry with hundreds of employees, but small beginnings often provide bigger benefits later.

Joe Pate, a seasoned cotton merchant and investor from Lubbock, found what he was looking for at the old Postex plant building, lots of open space to store thousands of bales of cotton in a controlled warehouse. He also saw that there was plenty of room for future expansion.

So when Paul Muncrief came to Pate to begin their discussions about manufacturing cotton-based insulating mate-

rials, the Postex plant building seemed like a natural place to consider.

"I really liked Post," Muncrief said, "and although we were offered great incentives by other South Plains cities, including Plainview, Levelland and Lubbock, I just had my mind set on locating here."

PEDC chairman Judge Giles Dalby and board members Patty Kirkpatrick, A.C. Cash, Charles Adams and Wanda Mitchell met with Pate and Muncrief beginning in 1989. After months of preparations, a lease was signed in June 1990 providing for 58,000 square feet of space on the east side of the Postex Plant Building.

The 15 year lease also allows for future expansion as needed by Cotton Unlimited, Inc.

There is an additional 220,000 square feet of space available for the expected expansion.

"For example," Dalby said, "it looks like they may need another 100,000 square feet in the near future to store a large volume of cotton for manufacturing."

During the past year PEDC board members have worked "behind the scenes" assisting Cotton Unlimited with financial support.

"Normal banking sources for new ventures has been just about non-existent," Dalby added, "especially with the increased regulations and market conditions set on banks."

"Texas voters approved the Texas Agriculture Financing Authority in 1989, setting up a \$20 million bond issue, and we decided our best chance of getting adequate financing for Cotton Unlimited would be through that

avenue," Dalby explained.

He and the board, along with Pate and his associates, began an intensive effort to secure the TAFE loan approval.

The complicated process included the use of PEDC as the applicant to the TAFE board for a \$2 million loan to be repaid by Cotton Unlimited.

Cotton Unlimited board members had already invested more than \$1 million into the venture.

"We were determined that this manufacturing effort would be successful and that our town needed this industry... really, the entire state needs it, Cotton Unlimited is using raw materials produced by Texas farmers and that's what the TAFE funding was created to support," Dalby emphasized.

"We felt we had an excellent opportunity and one that would be favorably received by the TAFE board in Austin," he added.

Just when all looked well for the loan application, Dalby received a message one day last June informing him that although the TAFE board had approved the project, newly elected Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry had overridden the decision, denying the loan.

Perry said that his decision was based on the method of approval, not the loan program. He felt that the previous TAFE board had established a policy for loan approvals that left the commissioner completely out of the decision making process.

The political tangle that almost derailed financing for our new industry put Dalby and the PEDC board members into action. Phone calls to state leaders, including suggestions for a compromise position and a trip to

Austin to appear before the TAFE board, finally resulted in approval of the loan package.

"In my more than 21 years of public service," Dalby said, "I've never worked on a project as challenging or as frustrating at times nor as rewarding as this one."

"When Burlington shut down here, we were just at a loss as to what to do. But we just kept trying," Dalby added.

"With their oil absorbent material and cotton insulation products, I think the timing is just perfect," he said. "Now it's just a matter of getting the product to the market and it'll take off. I don't think they will be able to supply all the demand from this one manufacturing facility."

"The PEDC board is pleased with the outcome of this effort, and we continue to work diligently with Cotton Unlimited and Postex Warehouses to increase employment opportunities for the people of Post," Dalby concluded.

What the world needs is a better "mousetrap" to capture spilled oil to save the environment, and Cotton Unlimited is ready to fill the void. And really, the cotton-based products, including the environmentally safe insulation materials, give Cotton Unlimited and Post a virtually unlimited economic future.

No wonder everyone around here is excited about welcoming Cotton Unlimited to Post!

Cotton Unlimited continues innovation started by C.W. Post

by Kimberly Crystaloski

To many Texans, the city of Post is best known for "Post Toasties," but to history buffs, Post means much more than just flakes.

C. W. Post came to West Texas in 1907 with more than just cereal in mind. He was an inventor and an industrialist, and in 1912 had a mill constructed for textile purposes.

The mill, located on Old Mill Road, now houses a different kind of cotton

innovation, one might say, an innovation suitable for today's environmental movement.

"We're an environmental product, an energy-related product and an agriculture product," said Wanda Mitchell, administrative assistant at Cotton Unlimited Inc., the new innovative occupant of the Postex Plant which currently employs 35 people.

One of several products being

perfected at Cotton Unlimited is insulation made from cotton.

Muncrief concluded that the Lubbock area would be a logical location to set up a manufacturing plant because west Texas produces more cotton than any other area of this size in the world, said Joe Pate, president of Cotton Unlimited, Inc.

Pate said due to climatic conditions, some years produce lower grade cotton than others.

"I've been in the cotton business for a life time; born on a cotton farm, a farmer by trade and a cotton warehouseman."

He said Paul Muncrief came to see him with a squarefoot piece of

efficient."

Pate, who served in the Marine air corps during the Korean War, said one of the things that attracted him to Muncrief's proposal was that he has spent the last thirty years trying to develop new usages for cotton.

"But this project accomplishes more in one swoop than what I've

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product in his hand.

"I was impressed with Paul and with the potential and as I studied it further, I became convinced this was an opportunity to consume cotton in a true and different manner."

He said he was also impressed with the fact that more cotton could be consumed per dollar of capital investment in this non-woven approach.

Paul Muncrief and Joe Pate joined hands almost 4 years ago, but the company wasn't actually organized until January of 1990.

Pate said initially the line in Post was a research and development line, but decided to operate a natural commercial production line with limited capacity. And Cotton Unlimited is planning to expand to other areas as well.

"We are negotiating with some people about putting in a line to service the West coast."

"If the product has good reception, as all of our market testing has indicated, we will eventually put in plants that could service the whole nation— probably some 6 to 10 plants."

Pate said there are limitations with insulation from the standpoint of freight and volume. And the rule of thumb is that it usually isn't shipped more than about 600 miles.

"In order to service the entire nation, we would have to have numerous plants to be freight

been involved in, in all these years."

He said the insulation industry is a very large industry and the total insulation industry is about twenty billion dollars a year.

"We could get a small fraction of it and use up to about several hundred thousand bales of cotton a year."

As another selling point, Pate pointed out that there is strong evidence from research in regard to health hazards and fiberglass.

"Then there is the obvious thing that cotton is very comfortable to handle, while fiberglass is onerous."

After a lot of hard work, the company has perfected the techniques to achieve the "R-Values" with a small enough amount of cotton to make it a viable business industry.

"We have not only achieved that, but we have exceeded it."

He said another aspect in question about the product was flammability.

"We did find a very satisfactory fire retardant which is a non-toxic chemical."

Other aspects which Pate considered before getting involved was the prices of cotton fluctuating and the "springback" factor.

"One of the big secrets to insulating is trapping air."

To trap air, Cotton Unlimited uses a polyester fiber which has a memory to promote a "springback" factor.

"Cotton itself has a natural compaction factor to it, so you can't

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**The Post Economic
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We are extremely pleased to have assisted Cotton Unlimited with its development from an idea to production of its innovative cotton based products.

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Cotton Unlimited protects Texas coastline

by Texas Land Commissioner
Garry Mauro

Concern for the environment is changing the way the world does business. You will never find a better example of this than to consider that land-locked Post, Texas, is now on the cutting edge of oil-spill technology designed to protect our coast.

Cotton Unlimited has put Post on new map, that map referred to by people in the Coast Guard, ocean-going skimmer captains, and cleanup experts from around the world.

This is going to mean a lot to Post and to Texas. Cotton Unlimited gives the Texas General Land Office one more weapon in our arsenal to fight the inevitable spills that plague our coast. The absorbent boom material Cotton Unlimited produces will help us protect our sensitive marsh areas and our beaches. I'm proud that this is a Texas product -- one with a bright future.

All the product needs now is a chance to prove itself. Unfortunately, that will only come through other misfortune -- a spill.

But, with the volume of traffic our coast supports, that spill could come any day or night, but we know that it will come.

Cotton Unlimited has positioned itself well and has prepared for the day when its product will be called for. I'm confident that Cotton Unlimited will respond effectively and efficiently.

The company's product is part of a greater movement in the field of spill-fighting technology. The law that put my agency in charge of spills also established the Coastal Protection Fund, a two-

cent per barrel fee on oil moved through Texas ports.

From that fee, \$1.25 million may be spent annually on research into developing technologies. This can apply to many technologies, including cotton absorbent, polymers or bioremediation, the use of microorganisms to change the chemical structure of oil and remove it from the water.

I strongly believe that emerging technologies will provide us with breakthroughs in oil spill cleanup. We will always need the traditional means, but every new tool

we have, the better off we are.

And, since the Texas economy will long be based largely around petroleum, I want Texas companies to lead the way in dealing with accidents. That's only right. But, if we do not continue to act aggressively, as has Cotton Unlimited, other states and other countries will be more than happy to come in here and provide us with their technology.

Following Cotton Unlimited's example, Texas companies can make real headway toward not only solving environmental problems, but toward creating the foundation of a new industry to lead us out of the financial doldrums and into the 21st century.

Innovations...

(Continued from Page 2)

get the "springback" with just cotton."

Beside all of the other advantages to the cotton insulation developed by Cotton Unlimited, it is also treated to be mildew and rodent resistant.

"So there were a lot of things we had to learn the get the strength, springback, fire retardancy, and thermal qualities, and at times some of them were hard to accomplish."

"It's basically been a positive project all the way through, there's never been any major doubts that we weren't going to accomplish our goals."

Pate said the company has received nothing but positive feedback from various segments of the industry with a genuine interest in a willingness to try the product. He said the feedback probably stems from a concern and dislike for fiberglass.

"The small fibers, called "microns" contained in fiberglass have the same characteristics as asbestos and don't absolve in the lungs, so it can be cancerous."

The cotton used to make the insulation by Cotton Unlimited is non-toxic, weighs less than fiberglass, emits no hazardous materials into the environment, and the production rates are comparable to fiberglass rates.

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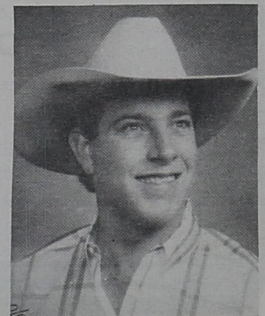
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and to all of you in our community who have worked behind the scenes in so many ways to make our dream come true.

We are proud to call Post our home and we look forward to a bright and prosperous future for all of us.

Thank you all very much!



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Construction experience spawns insulation idea

by Kimberly Crystaloski

One afternoon while discussing the problems of fiberglass insulation with fellow construction workers over a cup of coffee, Paul Muncrief

decided the topic of conversation could go even further than a coffee shop.

In 1987, Muncrief decided insulation could be made with a

material which did not contain harmful toxins, cause the skin to be irritated when handled, and was more cost effective than fiberglass.

Originally from Las Cruces, New Mexico, he decided to crystallize his dream by tapping into West Texas cotton. And what better place than the C.W. Post mill.

Muncrief said he knew that others had tried to make cotton insulation successful in the past, but those products fell short of standards by not being flame retardant, having the wrong weight, and not being cost effective.

Muncrief worked intensively on the cotton insulation concept from July, 1986 to August, 1989. He was experimenting with polyester blends of cotton and analyzing different flame retardants.

Also during that three year period, Muncrief spent time developing his product to pass insulation standards and looked for financing.

But it wasn't an overnight success for Muncrief. He encountered some obstacles with the R-value, or heat factor measure, and the density of the product.

Since the concept was a relatively new idea, oven companies were skeptical and did not want to commit themselves to a full line production of an oven to match Muncrief's requirements.

"The idea is so simple that they wondered why someone had not already done it," he said.

Unable to find what he needed to

fulfill his invention's aim, he was ready to throw in the towel.

"In 1988, I was really getting discouraged with the oven situation, but I got my mind changed by a fiberglass company making a bid on the technology."

During that same year, he met Joe Pate, and investor from Lubbock.

"I couldn't have found a better partner than Joe," Muncrief said.

Since then, the obstacles have been overcome and the cotton insulation product is ready for a commercial market.

"We have been getting a lot of calls from places like Michigan and Pennsylvania," Muncrief said.

He said the company would eventually like to sell licenses to others who would be interested in selling the product.

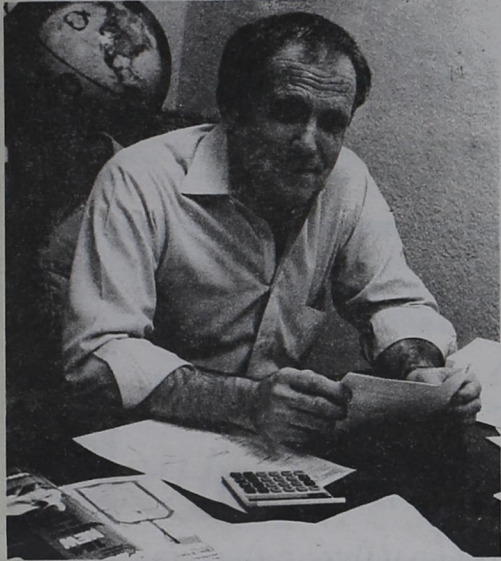
Muncrief also developed a line of oil spill cleanup products called "InstaSorb."

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We especially welcome you to our community and extend our heartiest best wishes for your success. We too believe in Post and its economic future...and we join you in our enthusiasm for tomorrow.



Mitchell enthusiastic about future with Cotton Unlimited

by Kimberly Crystaloski
Wanda Mitchell, originally from Stamford, is the administrative assistant to Paul Muncrief at Cotton Unlimited, Inc.'s plant in Post.

Mitchell has lived in Post since 1958, and has seen the economic development of Post flourish.

"I've lived in Post for 34 years and I have never seen anything that has come with the opportunity this has," she said.

Working closely with Muncrief, Mitchell has seen Cotton Unlimited

develop into a company whose concepts are on the cutting edge.

"I have never been so excited in my life about a product," said Mitchell of the cotton insulation.

She said the main point is that in a time when many companies are utilizing large amounts of water, Cotton Unlimited uses very little water in the production of their products.

"It's an exciting time for me because it's a very innovative thing to do," Mitchell said.



Wanda Mitchell - administrative assistant.

Davis brings extensive management expertise to plant

by Kimberly Crystaloski

At Cotton Unlimited Inc., the manufacturing process is one that must be handled with careful management and expertise to assure a high quality product.

Originally from Ralls, David Davis, the plant manager has the duties of supervising employees, ordering parts, and is responsible for the control of the product. And for Davis, this means about a twelve-hour day.

"My job is to make sure the material is what we say it is," said Davis.

Davis and his family moved to Post about two years ago from Ralls, where he was President of D. Farms Inc. and also farmed 4,000 acres of cotton. He has been in the cotton industry for 15 years, and has seen all the ups and downs of the cotton farmer in West Texas.

He feels Cotton Unlimited's product line could not have happened at a better time.

"I think it's the best thing that has ever happened to a cotton farmer in west Texas," he said.

The main reason for this, said Davis, is with Cotton Unlimited's products, the grade of cotton doesn't matter, whereas in other areas of the industry, the grade is crucial.



David Davis - plant manager.

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Manufacturing requires careful control

by Kimberly Crystaloski

The process of manufacturing the cotton is, as mentioned previously, one in which all elements, such as the cotton blend and the temperature, must be carefully managed.

The process was explained to me by David Davis, plant manager, in the following way.

First, the raw product, in this case, cotton, is placed into the "picker" which "opens the product up," or separates it. The cotton is now on it's way to the "willow" machine where the fire retardant is applied. After the fire retardant is sprayed onto the cotton, it moves into the "lower dryer" which is run at 320 degrees, drying the cotton. From there it goes into the "blend line" machine, which has four "hunters", all having separate functions, but blending the material at the same time. The first and third "hunters" dump the cotton onto a conveyer, and the second and fourth, blend the cotton with a polyester binder which may be used, depending on the product. From the "blend line," the cotton moves into a "volumetric Opener," which agitates the cotton together and acts as a reserve. From there it goes into the "even feed" which evenly puts the material into the next machine, the "cord" machine and then into the "cross lapper," which lays out the material. The material is now ready for the oven, where the weight is controlled.

The oven used in the manufacturing process is unique in that it is the only one of it's kind, said Davis.

"Most conventional ovens blow from the top down, this one blows from the bottom up, which gives it a loft," Davis said.

From the oven, the hot material is transferred onto two conveying belts which set the memory for the springback of the material, which is set at an ounce per-square-foot measure. Davis said the average R-values range from R-11 to R-19.

The material is then cooled, and is

on it's way through a "needle loom" which has approximately 10,000 needles in it, running 11 feet a minute, said Davis.

Then the material is either stored, has a paper backing applied, or sent to the sewing room, depending on it's future usage.

Meanwhile, in another part of the plant, a fifty-thousand dollar R-value machine is testing the thermal ratings of Cotton Unlimited's products as well as other's.

"What we do is put the blend of the material, the weight per-square-foot and the thickness, and enter it, and the machine will give you a printout of the R-value," said Jayta Cravy, who works in the quality control department.



Jayta Cravy - quality control.

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InstaSorb discovery started at Muncrief home

by Kimberly Crystaloski
The history of Cotton Unlimited's oil spill cleanup product "InstaSorb" is unique in that it was somewhat of casual discovery made by Muncrief as he listened to his wife, Mary, complain about the need for a new kitchen floor mop.

He then started experimenting with oil and cotton to determine the absorbency capabilities that are inherent in cotton fibers.

He discovered that not only did the cotton absorb oil, but also absorbed other petroleum-based products and held 20 times its weight.

Joe Pate said he was attracted to the idea for various reasons, but mainly because it can be recycled.

"With our oil absorbent product, it's a natural product which is a renewable source which can be recycled, and puts us in the middle of the 'green' movement," said Pate.

He said he had to wrestle with Muncrief's idea for a long while, from a personal standpoint, because he knew it would take a number of years and quite an effort in energy.

"I wasn't quite sure I was willing to put forth that commitment, but it intrigued me so much I couldn't turn it down," Pate said.

Because of state laws and federal laws that have been passed recently, Pate sees a large market for the oil absorbent products.

"People in the business of transporting oil are going to be equipped with personnel and equipment to move quickly to inventory those products," he said.

Pate said the primary product used for oil spills now is polypropylene.

"Our product, at present, could be put through a ring or a press, and 90 percent of the original oil could be extracted," he said.

Pate said Cotton Unlimited is in a research mode of extracting the oil from the cotton so that it can be put into a landfill or be recycled.

Muncrief said the material must contain less than 600 parts per million of hydrocarbons before being rendered into oil and water absorbent

products, or before going to a landfill.

"The state wants to see a complete circle of products with nothing going to landfills," said Muncrief.

Other research being done, said Muncrief, is the idea of "bio-remediation."

This process involves microbes which could eat the oil and possibly the whole product when a certain moisture level is reached, he said.



Vicki Walls - quality control.



Becky Beggs - computer programmer.

Future looks bright and clear

I very much appreciate your giving me the opportunity to say "happy first birthday" to "Cotton Unlimited." Like Post itself, "Cotton Unlimited" is unique in many ways, and, in my opinion, its future is bright and clear.

Most of us recall that, when the cotton mill closed in the early 1980s, the building was returned to the city, and there were many prophets of gloom and doom who predicted that Post was going the way of so many small population cities in West Texas.

But, that was not to be. Those Post residents with vision, and there were too many to name here, decided not to let that happen. Instead of an end to the story of Post, it may turn out that it really is just the beginning of what is ahead for the residents of Garza County.

As we all know by now, Joe Pate and Paul Muncrief had developed a product based on the use of our area's greatest agricultural product -- cotton -- and have created a new industry.

Organized originally as a research and development project, "Cotton Unlimited" has led the way in a breakthrough in the development of a product to be used in the insulation industry.

The insulation is 80 percent cotton and 20 percent polyester, is fully fire retardant and weighs about 60 to 65 percent less than fiberglass. Anyone who has ever worked with fiberlass under-

stands the ease of handling this product because no respiratory equipment or special protective clothing needs to be used.

"Cotton Unlimited" is just what the name implies -- unlimited -- because the research is continuing, and the "sky is the limit."

During this period when we hear so much about our weak economy, and the newspapers and airways are so full of bad news, "Cotton Unlimited" looms as a bright spot here in West Texas.

The plant typifies the "never say never" attitude that built West Texas in the first place. Our forefathers who ran cattle and then began farming here in this area would have been proud of the spirit that has been displayed in getting "Cotton Unlimited" off the ground.

Again, it is a pleasure to wish them a happy birthday. May there be many more.

Yours very truly,
John T. Montford

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TAFAs awards \$2 million loan guarantee for Cotton Unlimited

by Rick Perry
Texas Agriculture
Commissioner

In August 1991, the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority (TAFAs) awarded Cotton Unlimited Inc a \$2 million loan guaranty, allowing this vital young company to move full speed ahead.

As a member of the TAFAs board, I'm proud to say I had a hand in that decision.

TAFAs, an authority within the Texas Department of Agriculture, must look long and hard at any application for the state-backed loan guaranties we are authorized to award. The other five board members and I agreed that Cotton Unlimited demonstrated that rare combination - innovation and practicality, creativity and common sense - that represents the best of Texas entrepreneurship. It was exactly the kind of enterprise we wanted to support.

Cotton Unlimited takes a raw commodity that grows abundantly in its own back yard and converts it into processed products with a demonstrated market need. What's more, the company's products are environmentally sound and, at least one of them - an oil absorption material - actually enhances the environment.

Just as important, Cotton Unlimited creates jobs and spurs the local economy. The company currently buys 12,000 bales of raw cotton each year from area farmers and employs 35 people. Within the decade, those figures are expected to rise to 50,000 bales and 150 workers.

The loan guaranty was awarded to help Cotton Unlimited underwrite its manufacture of oil absorption material, cotton-based insulation and other cotton products

- disposable biodegradable diapers, blankets, tent material, casket liners and furniture stuffing.

No one can deny the importance of environmentally sensitive products. Of equal importance, however, is the company's reliance on Texas cotton to manufacture them.

As America's top cotton producer, Texas harvests a third of all U.S. cotton. In 1990, our growers harvested five billion bales. However, more than 90 percent of Texas cotton currently leaves the state for processing.

By exporting our raw commodities, we are, in effect, exporting jobs, opportunities and dollars that otherwise would go into Texans' pocketbooks, and, closer to home, the pocketbooks of folks in Post and other West Texas communities.

Early in my administration I launched "Make it TEXAS," a program aimed at increasing the state's level of food and fiber processing. Texas, the second largest agriculture producer in the United States, processes only about eight percent of its raw commodities compared to a national average of 20 percent. It's high time we started earning the value-added profits that come from processing our own raw products.

Cotton Unlimited is helping us do just that. By investing in Post and in West Texas farmers, it is multiplying profits earned from cotton and keeping those profits here at home.



Juanita Ayala (left to right), Val Nesmith, Rachel Collazo and Carmen Lopez - sewing.



Lucie Peña (left to right), Stacy Collazo, Susie Garcia and Ella Cortinaz - line technicians.

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The efforts of Cotton Unlimited are making the outlook brighter for an area that has been affected by the recent harsh economic conditions.

I believe in Cotton Unlimited and look forward to continuing to work with this positive organization in the future.

Sincerely,
David Counts
State Representative

We proudly salute Cotton Unlimited and offer our best wishes for your future!

Dr Jeff and Syan Young



Leroy Garcia (left) and Jr Ray Gonzales - line technicians.



Art Lopez, line supervisor (left to right), line technician John York, quality control James Barner and inventory Dan Lamb.



Bill Gandy, maintenance, (left to right) line technicians Luis Duran and Junior Armendariz.

Cotton Unlimited offers solutions for environment

by Kimberly Crystaloski

While attending college at New Mexico State University, Paul Muncrief never expected to play such a major role in today's "green movement."

As a political science major he hoped to become an attorney, and at one time a professional baseball player. He later dropped out to work full time but still kept some of the attorney-hopeful's knack for dealing with bureaucratic complexities.

While others send money to their favorite environmental organizations, Muncrief developed at least two products that directly affect West Texans in generating the economy.

"I was tired of the stereotype that west Texas cotton is inferior, there isn't a better cotton," said Muncrief.

He said local farmers as well as state agencies have been receptive to his ideas.

"We've gotten a very good reception and assistance from the Texas Department of Agriculture, the Land Commissioner's office, New Mexico State University and the press in general," said Joe Pate of the numerous supporters of Cotton Unlimited.

Wanda Mitchell, administrative secretary to Muncrief, estimates that one -million seven-hundred-fifty thousand dollars is generated in profit due to Cotton Unlimited's impact as far as payroll.

"We didn't have anybody come back who did not like the product, when tested," said Pat Mitchell, of marketing and sales.

Mitchell also said a local purchase has been made by Mobile Oil Salt Creek Unit used to cleanup an oil spill Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. Many other local companies have used the product and in every case there have been repeat orders.

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