

# The Post Dispatch

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## Rodeo lived up to promises

by Bill Galusha

The 54th Annual Post Stampede Rodeo August 11, 12, 13 provided three continuous nights of countless thrills and entertainment. Cowboys and Cowgirls from Post and several surrounding states competed in the events.

Terry Walls and his company, of Stephenville, Texas produced the rodeo and were in charge of the good quality TCRA animals that they provided for the rodeo. An entertaining clown act was provided by Scott Messina and his

Frisbee catching canine companion. Jody Nix provided his special kind of country swing music each night after the rodeo for the dance.

Parade Marshal for this years event was Bil Hedrick a 66 year Post resident. Hedrick has retired from competition, but she is a veteran of many years of rodeo events.

The winners from the three days of competition are:

Bareback: 1, Cole Tindal-Canada; 2 Randy Koehn-Guyman, Oklahoma,

3, Benji Fontenot-Seymour, Texas; 4 Spot Stobner-Austin, Texas.

Saddle Bronc: 1, Benji Fontenot-Seymour, Texas; 2, Doug Harrigah-Holliday, Texas; 3, Monty Jones-Aspermont, Texas; 4, Marty McCloy-Lazbuddie, Texas.

Calf Roping: 1, Rick Kyle-Vernon, Texas; 2, Ty Hays-Weatherford, Texas; 3, Bruce Gibbs-Olney, Texas; 4, Tony Reina-Boling, Texas.

Break Away Roping: 1, Kody Himes-Stanton, Texas; 2, Tina Sherrod-Big Spring, Texas; 3, Melanie Graf-Afton, Texas; 4, Shawn Wise-Vernon, Texas.

Steer Wrestling: 1, Gary Greene-Stephenville, Texas; 2, Micky Gee-Witchita, Texas; 3, Scott Quick-Weatherford, Texas; 4, Dennis Gee-Witchita, Texas.

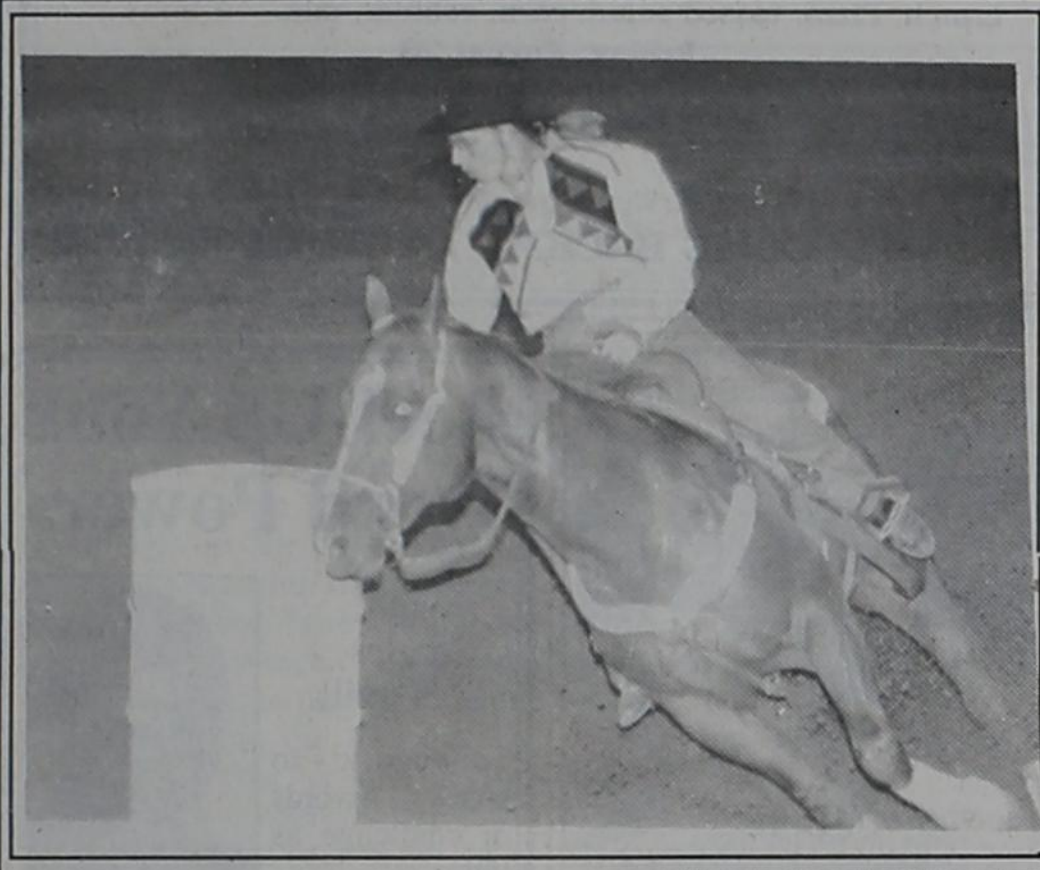
Barrels: 1, Stacy Rhinehart-Lubbock, Texas; 2, Lessa Baize-Stampford, Texas; 3, Dena Kirkpatrick-Post; Texas; 4, Linda Hart-Munday, Texas.

Team Roping: 1, Vance Vest-Shot Branham; 2, John Bland-Bryan Adams; 3, Guy Miller-Mark Mauldin; 4, Billy Stevens-Kirt Jones.

Bull Riding: 1, Michael Daniels-Lubbock, Texas; 2, Billy Latham-Howitchita, Texas; 3, Brent Hanks-Brownwood, Texas; 4, Larry Williams-Floydada, Texas.

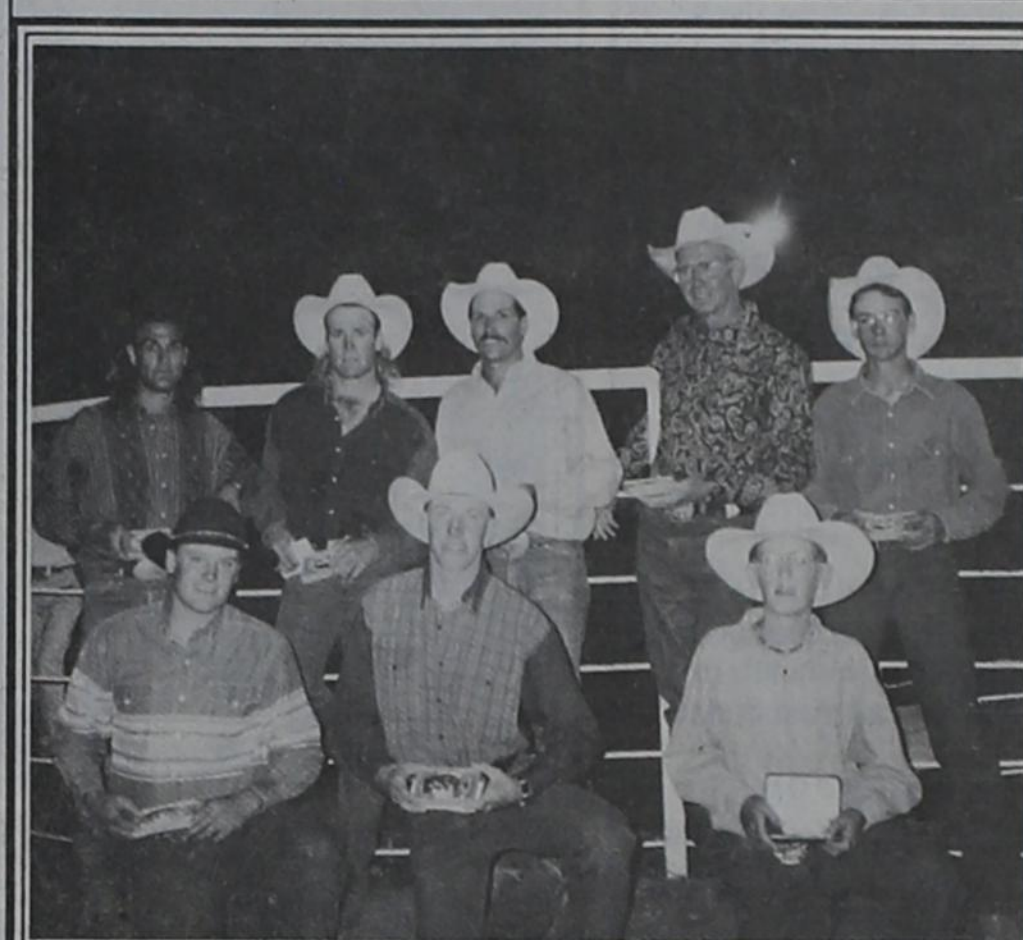
Junior Flag Race Thursday, Eric Schooler, Friday, Clint Johnson, All Around, Tandi Humble.

The Post Stampede Directors would like to send out a special thank you to all of the volunteers that so un-selfishly donated their time and efforts in helping to make this all possible.



Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

Dena Kirkpatrick takes 3rd place in barrels with a 17.59



Dispatch photo by Pam Humble

(Back row, L-R) Will Kirkpatrick, Joel Kirkpatrick, Mike Macy, Fred Myers, and Clay Johnson.  
(Front row L-R) Jeremy King, Justin Johnson, and Cody King.

## County buckle winners

### announced

by Bill Galusha

Garza County Roping winners received a new buckle as the best of the best in each division. In the team roping: first place went to Mike Macy and Joel Kirkpatrick; second place went to Clay Johnson and Kyle Fogerson; third place Mike Macy and Eddy Gravell; fourth place Clay Johnson and Jeff Williams.

In the Steer Stopping: first place Mike Macy; second place Fred Myers; third place Richard Hart; fourth place Karl Hall.

All around roper went to Mike Macy. The Heading buckle went to Clay Johnson. The Heeling Buckle was won by Joel Kirkpatrick. Steer Stopping Buckle went to Fred Myers and last but not least the Break Away was won by Cody King.

## Town Hall Meeting Monday August 29

Congressman Bill Sarpalius (D-Texas) will have a town hall meeting at 12:30p.m. on Monday August 29, at the Post Community Center, 113 West Main.

"This meeting will give Garza County residents an opportunity to share views and concerns with me," Sarpalius said. "Congress is going to be making some extremely tough decisions during the rest of this

session, and those decisions have a big impact on the people of Garza County and throughout the 13th Congressional District.

"I want to make sure your voices are heard in Washington, and that is why these town hall meetings are important to us in our part of Texas. Our government really does work best when we work together."

## Dry-hydrant installed for fire truck re-fills

by Bill Galusha

For the last two years Garza County had been in drought conditions. The dry conditions have been the cause of many fires with loss of property. In many regions of the county there are no water supplies to refill the fire departments trucks when they have been emptied putting out fires.

In most cases local oil companies such as Strawn Transport & Acid Company have provided tanker trucks to refill the fire trucks. Jimmy Apel of Big Country Resource Conservation and Development Area, Inc., became concerned that "one of these times they won't have a truck available." In that situation a water supply could be 30 minutes or more away.

Apel and Joe LaBarbara went to Georgia and observed what was called a "dry-hydrant" in operation there. This was three years ago, at which time there were no dry-hydrants in existence in the state of Texas. A dry-hydrant is a device that can be put into existing water supplies such as ponds, irrigation pits or hooked directly to irrigation wells. This water then can be pumped into the fire truck tanks, by way of existing

pumps already on the trucks.

After introducing the idea to several counties in the last three years, Apel has gotten over 250 installed in Texas. Apel approached the Garza County Commissioners on the idea of a dry-hydrant for Garza County. The Commissioners financed the dry-hydrant and the County forestry service reimburse them.

The problem of where to put the hydrant was left up to Obie Kelly of the Soil Conservation Service. The drought conditions of the past two years left a scarcity of available water sources. Riley Miller, of Justiceburg solved the problem. Miller has several sections of land that have a water supply for irrigation. After a fire on his land, and being able to see first hand the dilemma the fire department was faced with he offered to donate an irrigation tank as a spot for the dry-hydrant.

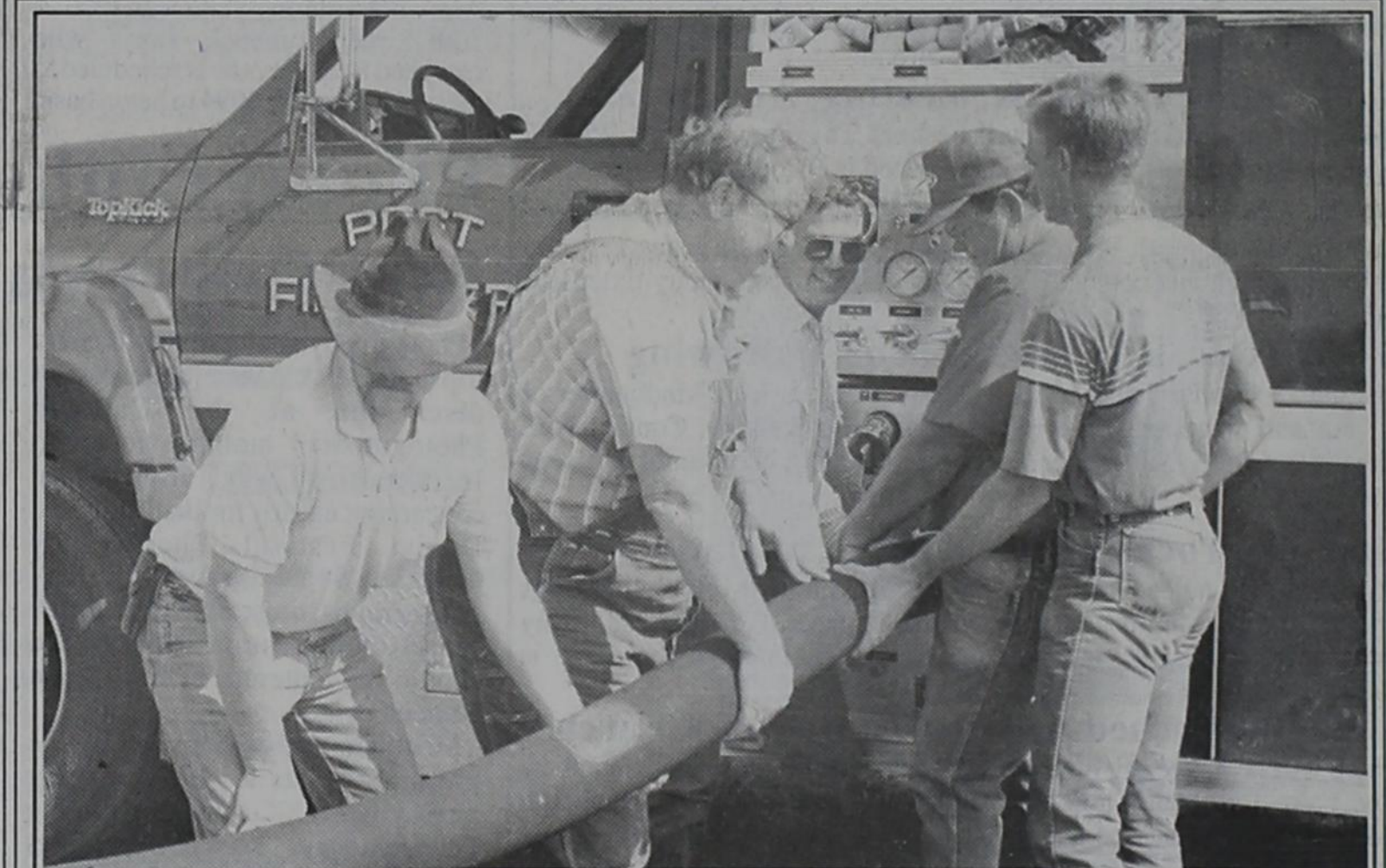
August 12 the dry-hydrant was installed on Riley Miller's land. Jimmy Apel was there, Cleon Namken and Obie Kelly both of the Soil Conservation Service were there as

well as Ronnie Metsgar Fire Chief and Delbert Rudd, Assistant fire Chief. Gene Claborn was there of H & M Construction to operate the back hoe that was needed to install the dry-hydrant.

The dry-hydrant uses a six inch PVC line installed approximately 3-4 feet below the water line. On the end of the pipe is a strainer that has a series of holes drilled into the pipe making the opening equivalent to 18s. At the other end is a fitting that the fire trucks can hook a hose onto and suck water from the source.

With the truck hooked up and the pump operating, as many as 5 or 6 fire trucks can be refilled at one time by running lines from the main pump truck. Water can be pumped at a rate of approximately 500 gallons per minute into the trucks.

Apel wishes to thank all of the people involved in getting this dry-hydrant installed, Garza County Commissioners, the Soil Conservation Service, the Fire Department and the graciousness of Riley Miller, who without his water supply the hydrant would have had no place to be installed.



Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

(L-R,) Jimmy Apel, Obie Kelly, Delbert Rudd Ronnie Metsgar, Cleon Namken. Hooking up the new Dry-Hydrant is more than one man can handle.

## Past history revealed

# The Algerita Hotel has hidden a very colorful past since 1908



Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

The Algerita Hotel stands tall as one of the "original eight" rock buildings erected by the Double U Company in Post City, 1908. The Algerita was one of the "Finest hotels this side of St. Louis." The hotel served fine food, had elegant furniture, a fine barber shop, and water closets with running water.

by Bill Galusha

In 1908 C. W. Post had built eight buildings in Post City to serve as permanent fixtures of his town. Post wanted his town to be a garden spot, an oasis on the plains. One of the most important to attract people was to be the Algerita Hotel (named for a red fruited shrub). The buildings were built of rock that was gathered locally at Alexander's Quarry, the closest place for lumber to be brought in was 70 miles away in Colorado City.

The original eight buildings were a restaurant, a rooming house, a planning mill, an office building, a blacksmith shop/machine shop and the Algerita Hotel. The stone structures were built at least in part by Col. J. A. Douglas and James (Jim) Parker who was a Forman for C. W. Post's newly formed Double U Company. Gary White was hired to do the roofing and gravel laying on the building.

C. W. Post had traveled West Texas many times and had stayed in many hotels of less than desirable character. He wanted his hotel to be one that would attract people to his expanding town. July 17, 1908 the Algerita was completed and opened for business. It was an elegant hotel. It had 30 rooms, elegantly furnished, bathrooms with water closets that flushed. Its barber shop "was the finest anywhere," one traveler was quoted as saying.

Post had laid plans for every step of the construction and operation of the hotel. A manager was to be found before the hotel was completed, (L. M. Brown) the food was to be the best anywhere. "Serve

good food even if you don't make a lot of money and people will come, the hotel will make up the lost money," Post was quoted as saying.

"The linens are to be changed after each guest," Post wrote his manager. "Never cook a steak that is simmering in grease, boiling makes it tender and left-over meat can later be used for stews or soups." Postum was to be served with every meal and was to be re-boiled every 20 minutes to be sure of its freshness.

Tables were to be 3 foot by 5 foot and have table cloths. Rooms were to let for one dollar a night for workmen and the deluxe rooms. The deluxe fee include padding under the table cloth and a napkin on the table. Brussels carpet in every room double width carpet in the hallways and splendid paintings graced the walls.

The hotel soon became a favorite rendezvous for parties among the local inhabitants of Post. During Christmas of 1908 every room was rented, some rooms had three occupants to a bed. 150 guests made it "one of the finest parties this part of the country had ever known," a guest was quoted as saying. Over 50 couples danced until early morning hours.

The word had gotten back to Post that a wild liquor was served everything goes party had occurred at his dream hotel. Word was sent down to his managers in February 1909 that L. M. Brown was to be re-assigned and Miss Narnie Bardwell took over as manager. Soon after her taking charge of the hotel drinking was replaced by more harmless past times like dominoes, and the future parties were still enjoyable, but without the "Devils Rum."

In June of the same year C. W. Post

came to visit his dream town. He stayed at the Algerita and hardly slept all night. He decided the mattresses were to hard and immediately ordered another mattress be put on top of the ones that were there. He ordered longer sheets, more blankets and larger helpings of food. e thought the food was too expensive and a larger portion would make up the difference for the price.

During the early years of Post City, C. W. Post was sending off circulars to other cities and towns advertising his homes and land partials that could be bought on easy terms with little money down. At first people came by covered wagon and horseback. In 1910 when Post was able to secure (by means of a \$50,000 stipend) the Santa Fe railroad began bringing car loads of immigrants.

The immigrant cars (as they soon became known) came with people, livestock and all their personal belongings. All except a place to live. After the railroad had moved on, some of their crewmen's tents had been left behind and were quickly moved into by immigrants waiting for their homes to be built. The hotel was the preference, but for those without the capital it could not be afforded.

Word was soon spread across the land, "a luxury hotel, with elegant furniture and fine food was available in Post City." Many travelers were reputed to have planned their trips or went out of their way just to be able to spend the night at the Algerita. It was said "The Algerita is the finest hotel this side of St. Louis."

Bryan Williams, who worked for Post during these years, he would meet the prospective buyers coming in on the immigrant trains and bring them to the

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# Post Notes

## Stockshow entries for fair are due

Stockshow entries for the junior shows are due in the Garza County Extension Office by noon, Thursday, August 18.

## Hours set for historical museum

The Garza County Historical Museum located at 117 N. Ave. N will be open Wednesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. through 12 p.m. and 1-5 p.m. Volunteers are needed, call Brenda at 495-2207.

## Beef Cattle Conference August 25

The 1994 West Texas Beef Cattle Conference is scheduled for Thursday, August 25 in Snyder. Registration is due in the Garza County Extension Office by noon on August 19. Call 495-2050 if you have any questions.

## Elementary school enrolling for 94-95 year

All children planning to attend Post Elementary School for the 94-95 school year need to be enrolled before August 22. Birth certificate and social security cards are required at time of enrollment.

## WPS offers support group

Women's Protective Services support group for victims of domestic violence is held every Tuesday from 9:30 a.m. until 10:30 for adults who have been emotionally, physically or sexually abused by a spouse, relationship partner or family member. The group meets at the WPS office located at the Postex Mill. For more information call 1-800-736-6491.

## Fund established to benefit Gordon

A benefit fund has been established at the First National Bank of Post for Linda Gordon. All donations will assist Gordon with incurred medical expenses.

## Service Officer available in courthouse

The Garza County Service officer will be available at the Garza County Courthouse 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. the third Saturday of each month from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. For an appointment or information call Ann Stelzer at 495-3645 after 6 p.m.

## Gospel Singing set for August 20

The Garza County Trailblazers will hold an evening of Old Time Gospel Singing Saturday, August 20 at 7:30 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center. Everyone is invited.

## Orientation and Open House set for Aug 18

Post Middle School Orientation is scheduled for Thursday, August 18 at the Elementary Auditorium beginning at 6:45 p.m. Open House will immediately follow at the Middle School. Refreshments will be served in the Middle School Commons Area and babysitting will be available in the Middle School Gym for children under five years of age.

## Softball benefit for Gordon scheduled

A co-ed softball tournament is scheduled for August 26 and 27 with all proceeds to benefit Linda Gordon. All churches and organizations are encouraged to participate. For more information contact Deana at 495-3048; Diana at 495-2429 or Sheila at 495-4063. Donations will be accepted.

## Registration at Christian School

Registration is currently open at First Baptist Church Christian School for the 1994-95 school year. Pre school classes are available to those children who will be 3 or 4 years of age before September 1. Elementary classes are available for kindergarten-5th grades. Registration and book fees are required at time of enrollment for new students. Birth certificate, social security number and shot records are also mandatory. For further information call 495-3554 from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

## Friends in Crisis meeting August 25

A Friends in Crisis meeting will be held Thursday, August 25 at 7 p.m. at the Old Mill office. Anyone interested is encouraged to attend.

## 4-H seeking Fashion Follies participants

Any 4-H'ers or youth interested in learning to make a jeans vest and learning to sew should contact Deanna Lee at the Garza County Extension Office at 495-2050.

## Tickets available for beef drawing

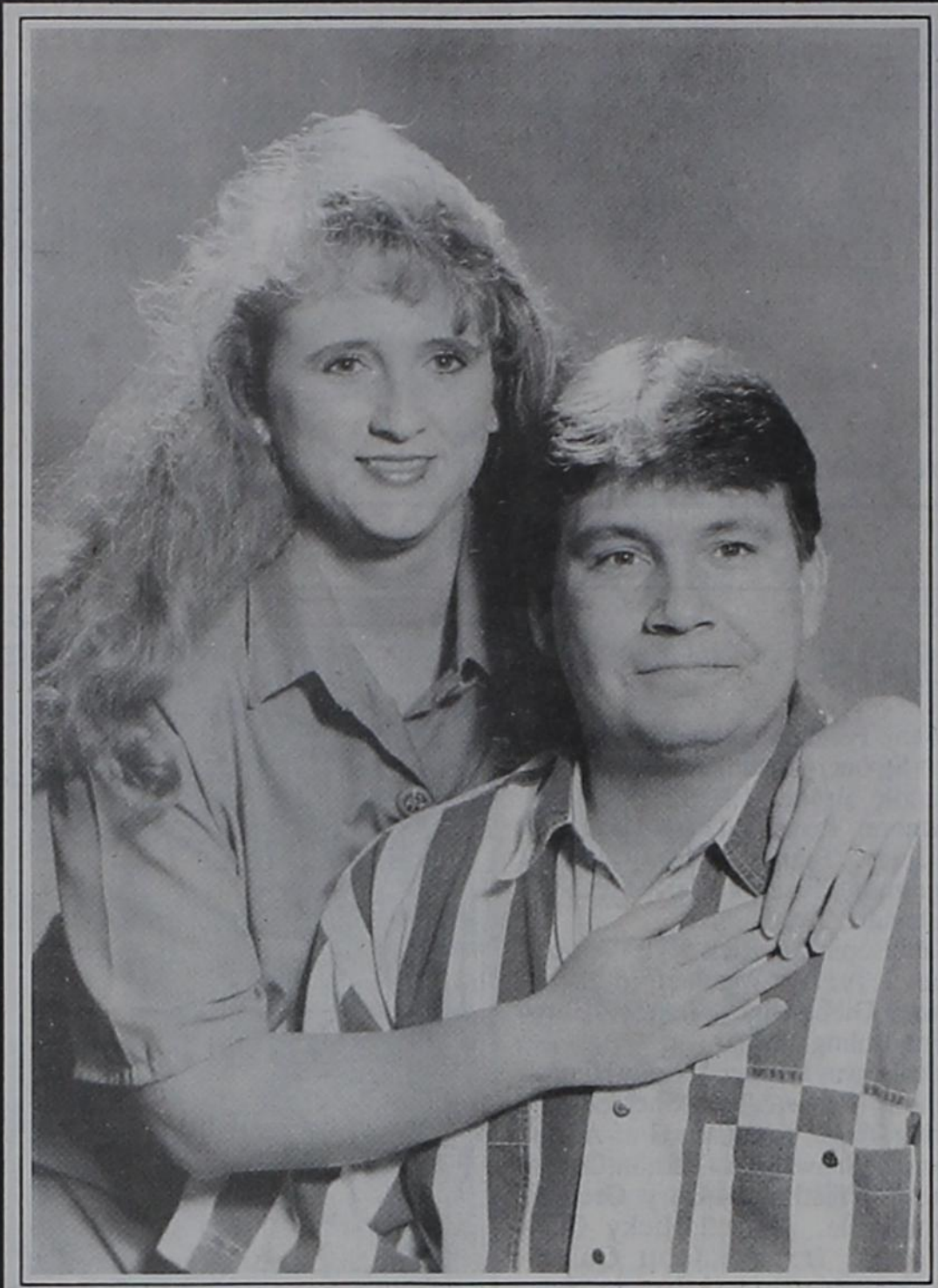
The Garza County Trailblazers are selling tickets for a hindquarter of beef, cut and wrapped for the freezer as a fundraiser. Contact Nell Matthews or Betty Stanley or purchase tickets at the Senior Citizens Center.

## Caprock Ladies Golf Association

The Caprock Ladies Golf Association will hold their weekly meetings every Wednesday night at 6 p.m. at the Caprock Golf Course. Any woman who enjoys playing golf or would like to learn the game is encouraged to attend.

## Meeting scheduled for Lutheran Church

There will be a meeting on August 23 for past congregational members of the Faith Lutheran Church at 7:30 p.m. The future of the church building will be discussed and suggestions will be taken followed by a vote.



## Green and Steinsick announce September wedding plans

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Green of Spearsville, La. announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jami Dawn to Jeffrey Scott Steinsick, son of Ann Steinsick and the late Carl Steinsick of El Dorado, Ark.

The wedding will be held at 4 p.m. Saturday, September 10 at Ebenezer Baptist Church in El Dorado.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Inez Capps of Post. She is a 1988 graduate of Snyder High School and is employed by Lowe's as Credit Office Manager in El Dorado.

The prospective groom is a 1987 graduate of Norphlet High School and is employed by Sharp's Inc. of Smackover, Ark.

## Local man joins Army

Shawn Edwin Read, a 1994 graduate of Post High School, has joined the U. S. Army.

Sergeant Bobby J. Lermon of the Army's Recruiting Station at 4206-A 50th Street, Lubbock, Texas, who recruited Read, says he is scheduled to report October 28, 1994 to begin basic

training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina. Read has committed to six years' service and asked for advanced individual training as a Tactical Transport Helicopter Repairer.

Read is the son of John Read of Abilene, Texas and Cathy Lagow.

## Photographers prepare for fall exhibits

Photography shows, exhibits, field trips, and travels were hot topics of discussion at the Caprock Photographers monthly meeting. Information was distributed concerning entries for the Littlefield Denim Festival Photography Contest, September 4-10. All photographs must relate to some aspect of the cotton industry and should be entered before 5 pm September 4.

Members were reminded to be preparing prints for the upcoming display in the CCA building during Founders Day. This year members are encouraged to bring some additional matted prints with protective wrapping for sale as well as framed prints.

Larry Fintel of Armadillo Camera in Lubbock presented the program on mounting and matting techniques. He discussed both

archival and less expensive ways of preserving and presenting photos. Many of the techniques he discussed were very creative, efficient and eye appealing.

Dates for the Fall show are set for November 1-14. Bill Mueller reported to the membership that the brochures are being printed and will be ready to mail by next meeting.

Eydie Capps and Lillie Hart brought contact sheets of photos taken during a previous field trip to Heritage Farms near Shallowater.

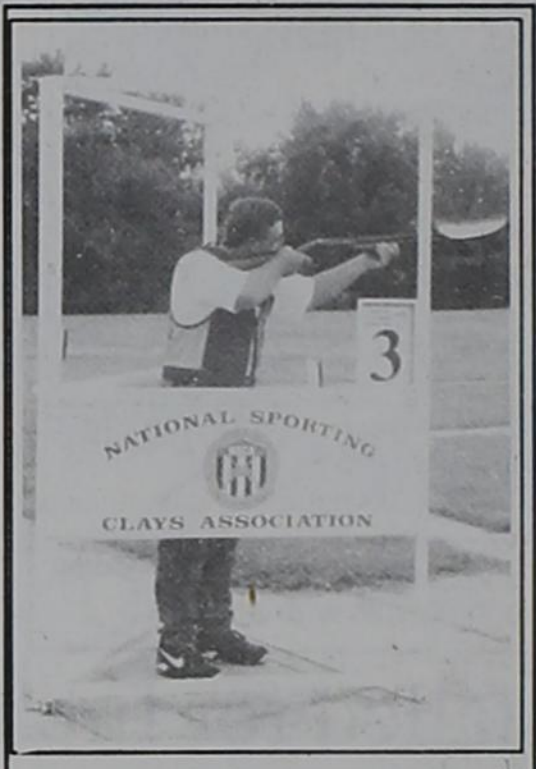
Caprock Photographers meet in the Algerita Arts Center 126 E. Main, the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm. Everyone interested in photography is invited to attend the meetings.

### Menus

**Trail Blazers**  
**Thursday, August 4**  
 Braised beef tips, hominy, brussel sprouts, tossed salad, wheat bread, apple cobbler, choice of beverage.  
**Friday, August 5**  
 Sloppy joes on a bun, later tots, carrots, pickles, pineapple chunks, gingerbread, choice of beverage.  
**Monday, August 8**  
 Beef enchiladas, Spanish rice, green beans, lettuce/tomato salad, crackers, dry jello salad, choice of beverage.  
**Tuesday, August 9**  
 Pork chop, au gratin potatoes, carrots & zucchini, tossed salad, wheat roll, angel food cake, choice of beverage.  
**Wednesday, August 10**  
 Chicken fried steak, baked potato, broccoli, wheat roll, oranges & bananas, choice of beverage.

**Post Schools**  
**Monday, August 22**  
 Breakfast: Dry cereal, toast, peanut butter & jelly, fruit, milk.  
 Lunch: Corn dogs, French fries, mixed vegetables, fruit, cookie, milk.  
**Tuesday, August 23**  
 Breakfast: Malt-o-meal, sausage, toast, fruit, milk.  
 Lunch: Tacos w/sauce, pinto beans, lettuce & tomato, sliced peaches, cornbread, milk.  
**Wednesday, August 24**  
 Breakfast: Cowboy bread, fruit, milk.  
 Lunch: Chicken strips, whipped potatoes, green beans, jello, milk.  
**Thursday, August 25**  
 Breakfast: French toast sticks, syrup, fruit, milk.  
 Lunch: Pizza, tossed salad, corn, cobbler, milk.  
**Friday, August 26**  
 Breakfast: Oatmeal, bacon, toast, fruit, milk.  
 Lunch: Burrito w/sauce, health slaw, French fries, fruit cocktail, milk.

**WELCOME BACK!!** **Clip and Save**



CHAD WILLIAMS is shown shooting five stand sporting clays at the State 4-H shoot

## Williams participates in shoot for 4-H

Chad Williams, 15, recently participated in the State 4-H shoot in San Antonio.

Williams, son of Pam Workman of Post, shot five stand sporting clays, International Trap and Skeet and American Trap and Skeet. He shoots with the Borden County Club.

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 veracity n. - truthfulness; honesty.  
 habitude n. - a habit or custom.  
 aspersions n. - the spreading of damaging information in order to ruin someone's reputation.  
 Example of usage when foregoing are combined:  
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**Tax 'n Facts**  
 by Terri S. Cash, CPA  
 WHO GETS CUSTODY OF THE EXEMPTION?

Married couples whose children are still their dependents--born after 1974 or a full-time student under 24, and at least half supported by parents--take a tax exemption for them as a matter of course. When there is a divorce, though, things can get a little complicated. In most divorce negotiations, whatever partners want or don't want to give each other, they are usually agreed to give as little as possible to the Internal Revenue Service. In many cases, that means that exemptions and deductions go where they will do the most good, taxwise--to the parent with the higher income. But not always. Basically, the exemption goes to the custodial parent. In divorces before 1985, the exemption could be awarded the other parent paying at least \$600 support. Today, the noncustodial parent gets the exemption only if the custodial parent agrees and signs Form 8332. Beware of phaseout rules, though, that may cut the amount of personal exemptions for higher-income taxpayers.

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## Birth Announcements

### William Harrison Ellis

Tad and Kelly Ellis of Canyon wish to announce the birth of their son, William Harrison on August 11, 1994 at 6:11 p.m. Will was 21 inches in length and weighed seven pounds, three and a half ounces. Grandparents are Jim and Nedra Ellis and Judy Carlson of Amarillo.

Great Grandparents are Lois Childs of Post and the late W.H. Childs. Great great grandmother is Mrs. Eva Childs of Post.

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## Thank You,

Words can not begin to express my sincere gratitude to the Post Stampede Rodeo Association directors for asking me to serve as parade marshall for the 1994 rodeo parade. You have no idea what an honor that was for me.

Thanks again for the beautiful plaque and the opportunity to once again participate in the rodeo and parade that has been such an important part of my life.

**Bil Hedrick**

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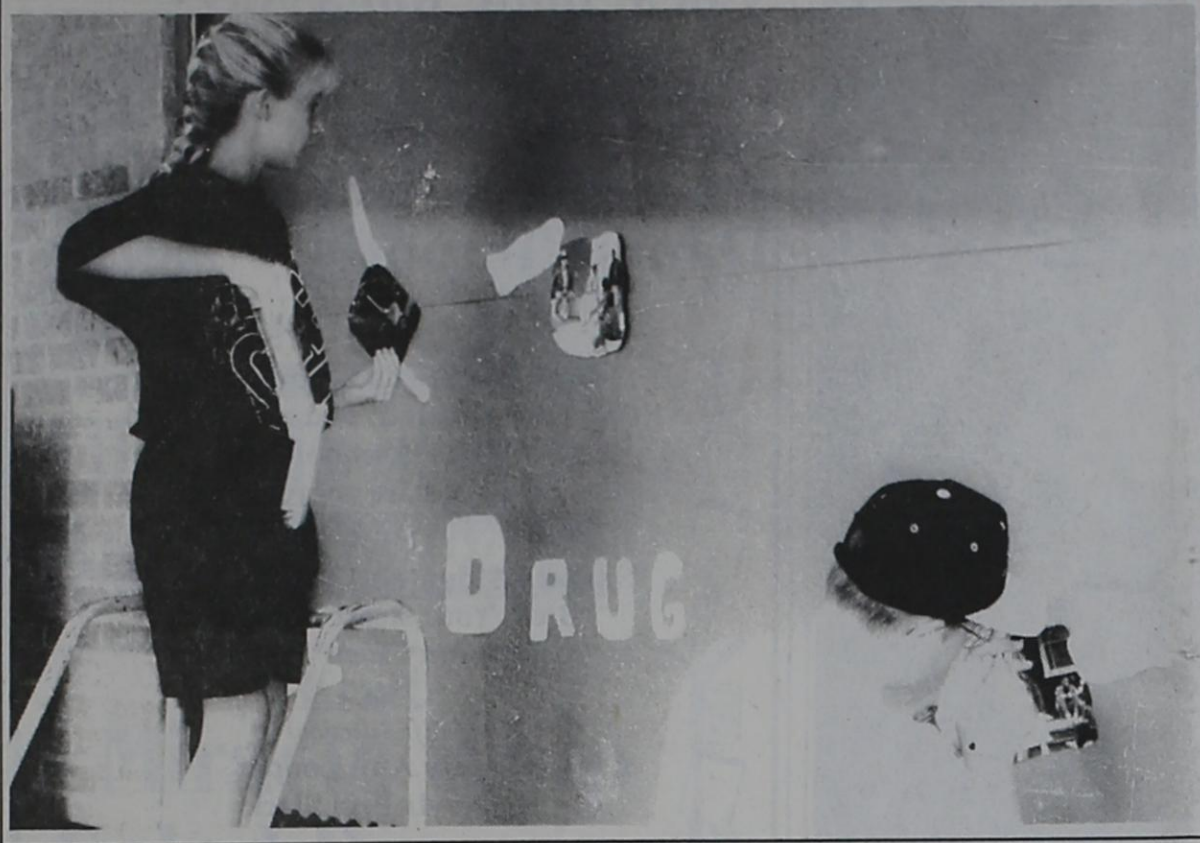
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Post Middle School S.T.A.R.S. (Students, Teachers, Adults, Reaching, Solutions) prepared a bulletin board for the beginning of school. S.T.A.R.S. will be introduced to students and faculty at the beginning of the school year. "Through S.T.A.R.S. we will be motivated, educated and trained to support ourselves and others to live drug free lifestyles," said Dedra Adams program director. Officers of S.T.A.R.S. are Kelci Hart, Tori Foster and Luke Williams.

## Exercise-induced asthma attacks expected to increase with excitement of school activities

For children with asthma, returning to the excitement and challenges of school-sponsored athletics can result in a little-discussed problem—exercise-induced asthma.

abuse by other students and quick action during an asthma attack is critical."

Teachers about how sports could affect their asthma.

"A little education can make school sports both fun and safe," said Seilheimer.

"Asthma is a leading cause of school absenteeism and exercise is a common trigger," said Dr. Dan K. Seilheimer, associate professor of clinical pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine. "But it doesn't have to be a barrier to sports participation."

Exercise-induced asthma results when rapid breathing leads to bronchial spasms. Exercising in low temperatures or humidity can also trigger asthma.

Seilheimer says many parents, teachers and coaches may not be as knowledgeable as they should about exercise-induced asthma.

"Watch for coughing, shortness of breath, chest tightness, or wheezing while exercising," Seilheimer said.

"These are symptoms of an attack, but they can be controlled with medication."

According to Christine Wagner of the Children's Asthma Center, most schools restrict use of inhalers, although it has "been successfully challenged in several districts."

"Children who have been instructed in the proper use of inhalers should be allowed to carry them," said Wagner. "There is little potential for

## Post Independent School District 1994-1995 School Calendar



August 22, 1994  
 August 29, 1994  
 September 5, 1994  
 September 30, 1994  
 November 11, 1994  
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 November 24-25, 1994  
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 January 3, 1995  
 January 17, 1995  
 January 20, 1995  
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 March 13-17, 1995  
 April 7, 1995  
 April 10-13, 1995  
 April 14-17, 1995  
 April 28, 1995  
 May 5, 1995  
 May 9-12, 1995  
 May 25, 1995  
 May 26, 1995  
 May 26, 1995

Classes begin  
 Teacher in-service  
 Labor Day  
 End of 1st six weeks  
 End of 2nd six weeks  
 Teacher in-service  
 Thanksgiving holiday  
 End of 3rd six weeks

Christmas break  
 Teacher workday  
 2nd semester begins  
 School holiday  
 TAAS testing  
 Spring break  
 End of 5th six weeks  
 NAPT  
 Easter holiday  
 Bad weather day (if not used)  
 Bad weather day (if not used)  
 TAAS testing  
 End of 6th weeks  
 Graduation  
 Teacher workday

## Parents should be encouraging and supportive as children prepare for the first day of school

A child's first day of school can be an "A+" if parents do a little homework of their own.

"A parent's attitude about school plays a big part in how the child accepts this new responsibility," said Dr. Lou Ann Mock, a child psychologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "Put aside any anxieties you may have about your own school experience."

Mock encourages parents to build excitement about the first day by emphasizing that school is the beginning of a wonderful adventure.

"If your child has been in day care, make clear that this change is a real accomplishment and that now they are grown up enough to go to 'real school,'" she said.

However, children may have concerns about this new experience.

Rather than make assumptions, Mock says, ask if the child has any questions about going to school. "The concerns may be as simple as

wondering where the bathroom is or what will happen if they get sick at school," she said.

Parents often make the mistake of trying to fit too many activities in at the end of the summer. It is better to slow down a child's schedule as the start of school approaches.

Mock suggests the following techniques to prepare a child for the big day.

- Visit the school during the summer.

- Begin the appropriate bedtime and wake-up schedule a week or two in advance.

- Figure out the best morning routine.

- Let your child pick out the first-day clothes and lay them out in advance.

- Get up earlier on the first day, so the morning will not be rushed.

"If possible, arrange to go to work a little later that day," Mock said. "This will put less pressure on you."

She encourages parents to make the first-day separation go as quickly as possible. Parents can always call the school later to make sure all is well.

At the end of the day, Mock recommends a family celebration with the child picking a favorite meal or restaurant.

"Be encouraging and supportive as your child takes this important step into the world," she said.

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Post Gold Bold Antelopes began practicing for the upcoming season last week. Their first scrimmage will be at Abernathy Friday night beginning with the freshman team at 5 p.m.

# Shop for Back-to-School Needs

## Post Elementary School Supply List

### KINDERGARTEN

- 2 #2 pencils
- 1 box 16 count crayons
- 1 pr. sharp point scissors
- 1 Elmer's school glue/black label
- 1 box wide tip water color markers/10 count box
- 1 pencil eraser/large
- 2 boxes facial tissue/large
- 2 glue sticks
- 1 PRANG water colors/small

### FIRST GRADE

- 2 box /16 count crayons
- 12 pencils/#2
- 1 pair sharp point scissors
- 1 Elmer's school glue/black label
- 1 plastic box for supplies
- 3 boxes facial tissue/large
- 3 red grading pen/not pencils
- 2 large erasers
- 1 small spiral notebook/one subject
- 1 PRANG water colors/8 color
- 1 set wide tip markers
- 2 pkg. white construction paper
- 1 pkg. asst. colors construction paper
- 6 heavy duty folders w/pockets

### SECOND GRADE

- 2 pkg. wide rule notebook paper/large
- 12 #2 pencils
- 1 pencil eraser/large
- 1 box 24 count crayons
- 1 pr. sharp point scissors
- 1 wooden ruler/inches & metric
- 1 Elmer's school glue/black label
- 1 box for supplies
- 6 red grading pencils
- 1 red grading pen
- 1 large spiral/one subject/wide rule
- 1 large pkg. white construction paper
- 3 boxes facial tissue/large
- 6 folders with pockets/heaty duty

### THIRD GRADE

- 2 pkg. construction paper/asst. colors
- 2 pkg. notebook paper/large
- 10 #2 pencils
- 1 pencil eraser/large
- 1 pr. sharp point scissors
- 1 Elmer's school glue/black label
- 1 wooden ruler/inches & metric
- 1 plastic box for supplies
- 1 box 24 count crayons
- 2 red grading pencils
- 1 red grading pen
- 3 spiral notebooks/large/one subject
- 1 3 ring notebook/heavy/no trapper keepers
- 2 boxes facial tissue/large
- 1 Blistex
- 1 zipper bag for pens and pencils
- 1 pkg. notebook dividers

### FOURTH GRADE

- 1 box for supplies (or zipper bag)
- 6 #2 pencils
- 1 box map colors
- 1 box 24 ct. crayons
- 1 pr. sharp point scissors
- 4 pkg. notebook paper/large
- 2 red grading pens
- 2 spiral notebook/one subject
- 1 3 oz. Elmer's school glue/black label
- 1 wooden ruler/inches & metric
- 1 notebook/heavy duty
- 4 folders with brads
- 1 pkg. 50 count construction paper/asst. colors
- 3 boxes facial tissue/large

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### FIFTH GRADE

- 1 box for supplies
- 1 notebook/heavy quality/no trapper keepers
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- 1 ink stick or ball point pen
- 2 red grading pens or pencils
- 1 box map colors/small
- 1 box 24 count crayons
- 1 wooden ruler/metric & inches
- 1 pr. sharp point scissors
- 1 Elmer's school glue/black label
- 2 folders with brads
- 3 boxes facial tissue/large

### MIDDLE SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST

#### 6-7-8-GRADE HISTORY

- Red grading pen
- Folder with pockets
- #2 pencils
- Map pencils or crayons
- Black or blue pen
- Highlighter
- Erasermate

#### 6th LANGUAGE ARTS

- White wide-lined paper
- Spiral-wide-lined
- 2 red grading pens
- 2 blue or black ballpoint pens
- #2 pencils
- Folder with pockets
- Highlighter

#### 6th MATH

- Loose leaf notebook paper
- Spiral notebook
- 2 pencils
- Folder with pockets
- Blue or black pen
- Red pen

#### 7th MATH

- Pencils & or erasermate
- Notebook paper
- Spiral Ruler
- Markers or crayons
- Eraser

#### 8th GRADE MATH & ALGEBRA I

- Paper
- 2 Folders
- 4 Pencils
- Eraser
- Ruler
- 1 Red pen & blue or black pen
- 5 Subject spiral



### 6-7-8-SCIENCE

- Black or blue pen & red pen
- #2 pencil
- Loose leaf paper
- Spiral Notebook
- Folder with brads

### 6th READING

- White wide lined paper
- Red grading pen
- Folder with pockets
- Highlighters

### 7th LANGUAGE ARTS

- 5 Subject spiral
- 2 Folders with brads & pockets
- Red grading pen
- Blue or black pen
- Pencil

### 7th COMPUTER LITERACY

- Spiral Notebook Paper
- Folder with brads
- Pen
- Pencils

### 6-7-8-ART

- Sketching pad
- 2 #1 pencils
- 1 Gum eraser
- 1 Spiral notebook
- 2 Dk. blue or black pens
- 2 Red pens or pencils
- Old shirt or smock

### 8th LANGUAGE ARTS

- 1 Single section spiral notebook
- Notebook paper
- 1 Regular notebook with five dividers
- 2 Dk. blue or black pens
- 2 #2 Pencils
- Correcting fluid (optional)





By the time you read this the Post Stampede Rodeo will be over, but I'll bet those who worked hard to put it on are still tying up loose ends! I know that the 4-H leaders and parents who worked in the concession stand during the rodeo and dance are trying to recuperate...and I'll guess that John Senter is probably sick of hamburgers! My appreciation to Ruby Jones for her labor of love in slicing all the tomatoes, onions and lettuce for those hamburgers that John cooked. Thanks to all who spent time and energy to see that the #1 fund-raiser for Garza County 4-H'ers was a success. (For those of you that don't already know, I was in Austin giving a wedding reception for my daughter Kristen.) I wonder what excuse I can use next year? I do have one more daughter to marry off, if my luck holds she'll plan the wedding for the second weekend in August of 1995.

# Radishes, Roots & Rosebuds

by Deanna Lee  
Garza County Extension Agent  
Home Economics



Mary Cade and I worked at the recycling trailer last Wednesday and were kept busy with a steady stream of recyclers. In two hours time we collected a "heap of stuff". It certainly is nice when people bring the articles rinsed and sorted...thanks.

Since we still have a few more weeks before school starts, I thought I might pass on some excerpts from The Ten Commandments For All Travelers. 1. Thou shalt not expect to find all things precisely as they were at home, for thou hast left home to find things different! 3. Thou shalt not let other travelers (tour members) get on thy nerves, for thou art paying good money to enjoy thyself. 8. Thou shalt not judge all people of a state by one person with whom thou hast a problem. If you would like a copy of all ten commandments, stop by the office and I'll make you one. I thought that even though it was written cleverly that there is a lot of truth in each one.

I hear conversations around town frequently about people who are ill or have developed health problems and are needing to change their diets. Let me remind you, that anytime you need information on any subject, nutrition included, please call the office. We have educational material of all kinds. Today, fat is the big culprit, but sodium, sugar and fiber in the diet also have to be watched by many of us, so call if you find yourself wondering, "What is left for me to eat!"

We've been working on our Long Range Extension Plan for Garza County and are currently reviewing the issues that were determined by the Study Groups last April. The issues are all related to the Four State Goals of Texas...Health, Safety, and Well-Being, Environmental Stewardship and Natural Resource, Economic Competitiveness, Viability and Family Stability, and lastly, Development of Life Skills and Leadership Qualities.

You know, I have always wondered how Santa Claus can afford to make and give away all the toys to the children year after year. Well, my question was answered just this week by Carmen Lopez's son, Adrian. His mother was explaining to him that he needed to take good care of the bicycle that Santa gave him last year and his response was, "Well, it doesn't cost Santa anything." She was disappointed in his response of course, until after further questioning, Adrian pointed out that Santa recycles, and he just turns all of our trash into toys for children! Well now, you can only imagine my delight to find out that all of this time I have been working on Post Recycles so that Santa can break even! I thought that for a six year old his answer was quite innovative.



Mrs. Bruce Bellinghausen

## Posey and Bellinghausen married August 6

Patricia Lynn Posey and Bruce Wayne Bellinghausen were married Saturday, August 6, 1994 at Memorial Park Gazebo in Amarillo. The Rev. Tom Lane officiated. The bride is the daughter of Gene and Betty Posey of Post. Parents of the groom are Alvin and Dolores Bellinghausen of Amarillo. Honor attendant was Kathy Danner of Amarillo. Bridal attendant was daughter of the bride, Rachel Lofgren, of Amarillo. Best man was Alvin Bellinghausen and groomsmen were Don Campbell, both of Amarillo. Ushers were Nathan Bellinghausen and Shane Danner, both of Amarillo. Serving as flower girl was Amber Bellinghausen. Ring bearer was Shannon Bellinghausen. The bride is the traffic manager at Amarillo Gear Co. The groom works for MMM Heating and Air Conditioning. The couple will reside in Amarillo.

## West Texas Beef Cattle Conference August 25

The 1994 West Texas Beef Cattle Conference is scheduled for Thursday, August 25, 1994 at the Scurry County Coliseum in Snyder. The conference is presented by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Dawson, Scurry, Borden, Garza, Mitchell and Lynn Counties. Deadline for advance registration is August 19, 1994 at the extension offices. The conference begins with the registration at 8 a.m. and continues until 4 p.m. Some of the topics listed on the

agenda include herd health, nutrition, Texas Ranch to Rail Program, quality management, meat quality evaluation, cattleman's question and answers, stocker cattle management, beef council survey results and more. Producers and others that have certified private, licensed private, non-commercial or commercial license can receive two continuing education units for attending this entire program. Each participant must have their license number and social security number available at the workshop.

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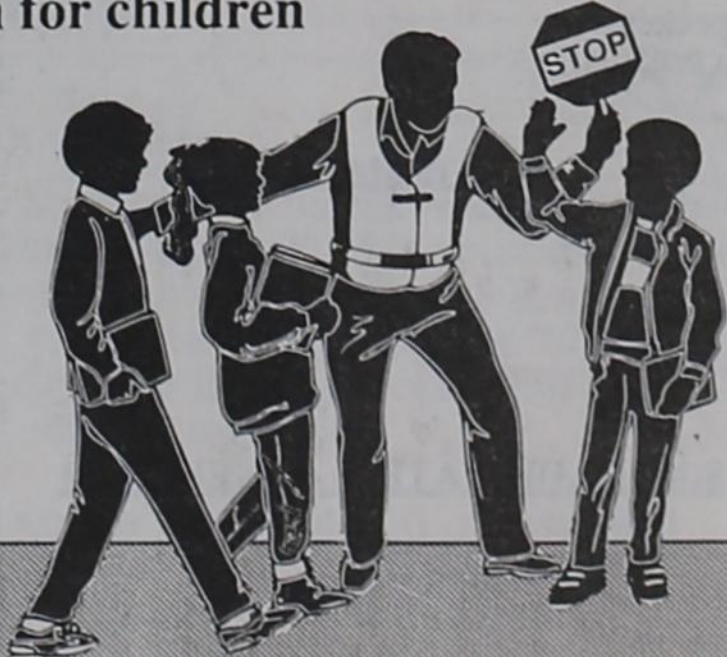
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## •Algerita Hotel

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 hotel for breakfast. They were then taken out to Post's model farms for a first hand look.

Many times during the Algerita's early years management of the establishment were replaced do to bad management. W. O. Stevens, of the board of directors, and his wife took over management in the spring of 1911. Then in 1912 C. P. Shearer and his wife replaced them. The couple invested their own money in the hotel but the venture failed.

When the couple had lost all their capital as well as a good deal of Double U Company funds, Post blamed the board for keeping them on so long. When the couple left Mrs. Shearer left her diamond wedding ring as security for the \$203.43 debt they owed. When C. W. Post became aware of the dilemma he ordered the board to find the couple, send them \$150.00 and return her wedding ring.

Mrs. Minnie Comer had leased the Algerita from C. W. Post's developers around 1912. In 1913 her twin daughters Helen Comer and Hazel Comer came to live in Post. It was during one of Williams immigrant tours that he met Helen Comer at the Algerita, they were married in 1914.

After C. W. Post's death in 1914 his Chalet style office building on the Santa Fe tracks was remodeled and renamed the Algerita. The new Algerita was run by George Tracy beginning in the early 1940s. It remained the Algerita Hotel until it burned in December 1961.

The original Algerita was renamed the Rodgers (either hotel or rooming house). The barber shop stayed in the west side of the building but the lower floor was vacated for only a short time. Sometime in late 1914 or early 1915 the cafe section (the east side) was a bank.

The First State bank was began as a private bank by W. O. Stevens, First National Bank's first cashier and later changed to Citizens National Bank. In 1933 First State Bank and First National Bank merged and moved into the old First National Bank building across the street.

At the end of W. W. I Doctors Surman and Williams formed a partnership. The Ponton Sanitarium was closed and they needed an office. The back rooms of the Algerita would serve them as doctor's offices until sometime in the late 1950s.

Sometime in the late 1941 W. R. Graeber became affiliated with several food, bakery, and packing houses in Post. In that same year he would move his grocery store enterprises into the bottom of the Algerita and named it the Comer Grocery. The Comer Grocery remained there until 1958 when they moved into what is now Ammons Printing and later to the East side of the tracks where it remains today.

From that point on the Algerita was for the most part left to the elements. The Post Art Guild was looking for a permanent building for their organization. The wooden (2nd) Algerita burned in 1961 and they had been forced to meet in various places and homes until 1984 when they secured a long time lease for the Algerita Hotel.

Major repairs were needed and renovation has progresses slowly primarily due to revenue. But the Algerita name once again graces the front of one of C. W. Post's original eight buildings. In the back rooms where the doctors once made sick people well, the Garza County Trailblazers Inc., senior citizens organization cooks meals for senior citizens five days a-week.

## Letters to the Editor

Letters to the Editor are welcome. All letters must be signed, however, if requested the name can be withheld from publication. All letters are printed as they are received and no punctuation or grammar will be changed.

Dear Editor,  
 I've worked in and around Post for the past 40 years, I've played the Fiddle for near 50 years, I play mostly gospel and religious music. I went to the guy with the big white hat at the old theatre, who has the Medicine Show of a sort. The lady in charge was very rude, so was he, I smelled liquor on his breath, I asked him or her if I could play at the Medicine show, they informed me that I would have to do an audition on tape and bring it to them. Big Deal. The Medicine Show I was informed is for professionals, you know, this isn't Nashville, Its no more then a Musical like at Meadow or Slaton, or Plainview, they don't charge \$5 to get in. I'm afraid this

Medicine Show is a money making thing to pad somebodys pocketbook real nice. The man with the big white hat I can play circles around him any ole time. This is our hometown for down to earth common ranch and farm folks, not Nashville. Lets keep this thing open, free to anyone who wants to play or come to listen. I was very disappointed that I even went to talk to the two people. They are the same two who have the West Texas Opry in Lubbock. From what I hear, none of the Post Citizens are going to get to play at the Post Medicine show, and one of the money made there will stay in Post, Texas. When the Medicine show ends each time, all the proceeds will leave here, I was informed that no one is being paid, then why charge \$5 a person, its all going in somebodys pocket, you know that.

Sincerely,  
 James Box  
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## Video classes to show work

Charlene Gilbert, of Temple University in Philadelphia has been in Post training, Middle School children in videography, and helping them create and direct productions for local cable station, Channel 31. Children have created their own public service announcements on fire safety, health issues, and the state graduation exam to be shown to school children on Channel 31.

Gilbert has also held classes for high school students and adults at Post Middle School July 11-August 18. Gilbert has worked in cooperation with the Caprock Cultural Association.

A reception will be held showing the completed video projects at the Algerita Arts Center, Sunday, Aug. 20 from 2p.m.-4p.m. The reception is to be hosted by the Caprock Cultural Association. The public is invited to attend the reception and to view the videos.

Gilbert was one of 23 specially selected graduate students in the arts that moved into 21 rural communities and two inner cities for the summer through the 1994 Arts Corps program.

Arts Corps is a \$250,000 pilot project funded by the National Endowment for the Arts and coordinated by the National Assembly of Local Arts Agencies (NALAA).

"Arts Corps is a wonderful opportunity for local arts agencies and the communities," said Robert Lynch, President and Chief Executive Officer of the National Assembly of Local Arts Agencies.

Arts Corps provided each community \$1,000 to help defray the costs of the residency, and an additional \$1,500 for each student's housing. Each student receives a stipend of \$3,200 for expenses and \$1,000 for art supplies.



Future Bold Gold Cheerleaders completed their rookie cheerleader clinic last Thursday, August 11 with a public performance at the Track Field. Post High School Cheerleaders conducted the training clinic for the future cheerleaders.

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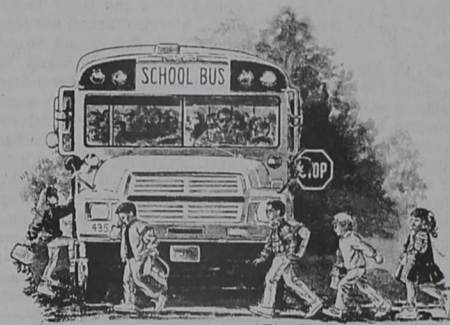
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**Post Health Care Clinic**

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**The Post Dispatch**

123 E. Main - 495-2816  
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FOUR SETS OF twins participated in the Wayland Baptist University's Cheerleader Camp recently in Plainview. Among the twins present at the camp were: (l-r) Sonya and Tonya Harp of Post; Ashley and Amber Basinger of Southland; Rachel and Ginger Noblett of Texico, NM; and Bessie and Wynne Liedtke of Trinity School in Midland.

### Tucker family gathers for reunion at Lake Brownwood

Four generations were represented at the 16th annual family reunion of the Henry Mack and Virgie Genera (Lawrence) Tucker family which was held July 29-31, at the Mountain View Lodge on Lake Brownwood.

The family enjoyed the fellowship of being together as well as the good barbecue provided by Cloves and Max Tucker who co-chaired the food committee for this year. The annual auction was a great success with everything from nuts and pickles to bird houses and everything in between being donated to offset the cost of the reunion. Games were played and a lot of catching up was done.

President Mike Bernhard presided over the business meeting Sunday morning and presented a report from the treasurer and secretary regarding the state of the family. Six high school graduates were recognized as well as one Master's Degree for Donna Moffett who was not able to attend the reunion this year.

The shining triumph of the reunion was a cookbook compiled by Debbie Ford with recipes contributed by everyone in the family who wished to pass their favorites on. It included some of the recipes from Virgie Tucker which have been handed down for everyone to keep and use. A good time was had by all with plans to continue to meet each year with love and fellowship.

Those in attendance were: Juanita

(Tucker) McBee, Brownwood; Robert Cloves and Ada Tucker, Lubbock; Max and Doris Tucker, Clifton; Maxine (Tucker) and Jerry Conoly Post; Robert and Sharon Shedd, Garland; Andy Shedd, Ft. Davis, Panama; Bernard and Staci Barsuhn, Grant, Dustin, Blayne and Monika, Pensacola, Florida; Joe Dale and Connie Tucker and Rachael Garcia, Texas City; Mike and Vicki Bernhardt, Shane and Amy, Clifton;; Joe and Melanie Tucker, Chase and Trent, Texas City; Tom and Janis Drake, Lubbock; Mark Drake and guest Nicole Jones, Lubbock; Jeffrey Drake, Lubbock; J.O. and Cheryl Cummings, Trey, Richie,

Brittney and guest Bryan, Denver City, Bob and Karen Tucker, Houston; Walter and Debbie Ford, Heather and Coby, Abilene, with their guests Donna Dommer, Jamie, Linda and Robert, Ft. Worth; Marty Conoly, Vernon; Jeremy Tucker and guest Mary Spurrell, Texas City.

### Workshop to target small businesses

There will be a morning workshop on "SBA Financing for Small Business," Wednesday, August 31 in the SBA Conference Room, 1611 10th Street, Suite 200, Lubbock. The workshop is being sponsored by the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA). Registration begins at 9 a.m. and the program will conclude at 10 a.m.

Subjects for the morning workshop include: "SBA Loan Application," and "Other SBA Programs". There is no registration fee for the workshop but pre-registration is encouraged due to limited space.

This workshop will provide financing information relative to starting a business. Women, this is an excellent opportunity to learn about financing a business. Statistics of the U.S. Census Bureau and SBA show woman are starting businesses at twice the rate of men. Nearly 40 percent of all small businesses will be woman-owned by the year 2000 if the current trend continues.

For more information contact Ruby Abarca at 743-7462 or 1-800-676-1005.

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### Community Calendar

- ☞ August 18: Lions Club meeting, 6:30 a.m. Chaparral
  - ☞ August 22: Commissioners Court, 9 a.m., Courthouse, third floor.
  - ☞ August 25: Lions Club meeting, 6:30 a.m. Chaparral
  - ☞ August 25: Friends in Crisis meeting, 7 p.m. Old Mill office on Mill Road.
  - ☞ September 2-4: Old Mill Trade Days.
- Deadline for inclusion in the coming week's paper is Friday by 5 p.m. (THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS)*

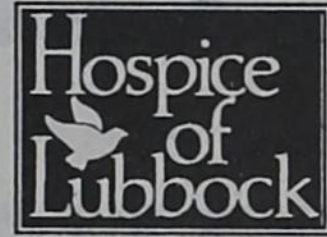
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#### FALL 1994 SCHEDULE

September 16	5:30-9:30 pm
September 17	8:30 am-4:30pm
September 18	2:00-6:00pm
Sept. 20, 22, 27	6:00-10:00pm
September 29	6:00-9:00pm

50-240 (Rev. 5-94/2)

### 1994 Property Tax Rates in Post I.S.D.

This notice concerns 1994 property tax rates for Post school district. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

#### Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes	\$ 5,348,016.88
Last year's debt taxes	\$ -0-
Last year's total taxes	\$ 5,348,016.88
Last year's tax base	\$ 397,200,320.00
Last year's total tax rate	\$ 1.35788 /\$100

#### This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 5,336,961.85
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 306,376,020.
= This year's effective tax rate	\$ 1.741965 /\$100
x 1.03 = maximum rate unless the school district publishes notices and holds hearing	\$ 1.7942 /\$100

#### This year's rollback tax rate:

School maintenance and operations component	\$ 5,448,219.00
+ This year's tax base	\$ 306,825,120.00
= This year's local maintenance and operating rate	\$ 1.775676 /\$100
+ \$.06 cents = this year's maximum operating rate	\$ 1.835676 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ -0- /\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$ 1.835676 /\$100

For a school district with additional rollback rate for pollution control, insert the following lines:

+ Additional rate for pollution control	\$ N/A /\$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$ N/A /\$100

50-179 (Rev. 5-94/3)

#### Schedule A Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
General Fund	\$ 2,850,000.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at Garza Central Appraisal District - 124 E. Main, Post, Texas 79356

Name of person preparing this notice Billie Y. Windham  
Title Chief Appraiser

Date prepared 8/2/94

## POST ISD EFFECTIVE TAX RATE EXPLANATION

The members of the Post ISD Board of Trustees want you to know that they are not considering adopting the \$1.74 effective tax rate. The effective tax rate is the rate that would be needed to provide that same amount of tax revenue that was generated the past year.

Publishing the effective rate notice is a state requirement. The board of trustees is considering a tax rate increase of approximately .05.

The increase is necessary to help make up a small portion of the approximately \$1,240,000 that has been lost due to declining mineral values.



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Billy and Mittie Braddock

Thanks for each and every one who took part and attended the Braddock reunion August 6 and 7.

Bill and Mittie Braddock

I want to thank everyone for their visits, cards, flowers, prayers and food while I was in the hospital since I have returned home. A special thanks to all the ministers for your visits. May God Bless you all.

Ruby Carpenter.

This is to thank all that have shown their love and concern during the long illness and death of Boy's brother, W.C. Hart.

The visits, prayers, flowers, cards, and calls mean a lot in times like these. To Bro Daryl Smith and Bro Larry Moore for ministering to us in our home. Thank you and may "Our Loving Lord" care for you and yours always.

Boy and Elizabeth Hart

Rex and I would like to thank everyone for all the cards, calls, visits, and everyone's prayers while he was in the hospital.

Thanks again, Rex and Brenda Prather. Maybe he will be "Back in the saddle again!"

### Public Service

Golden Plains Care Center, 607 W. 5th, Post, Texas 79356, admits residents without discrimination of race, color, gender or religion.

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### Apartments for Rent

Apartments for rent - 109 N. Ave. N. Call 495-4061, day or 495-2520, after 5.

### Trailer Lots to Rent

Post Economic Development Corporation has travel trailer and camper trailer spaces available for rent. \$75 per month. Call 495-2818 to inquire.

Trailer space for rent. Clean lots. Contact Johnnie Willson at 495-2320 or come by 908 W. 12th.

### Mobile Homes for Rent

3 bedroom, 2 bath, mobile home for rent. \$350/month, \$200 deposit, 105 W. 5th. 495-2631.

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Fully furnished 3 bedroom trailer; dishwasher, washer & dryer - good location. Call after 5 p.m. 495-2336.

### Homes for Sale

2 bedroom house for sale. 508 S. Ave. N. 784-0832.

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### Acreage for Sale

Farm/Ranch for sale. Approximately 270 acres. By golf course. City water, trailer house with addition, fenced yard, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths with basement. For more information call 495-2051, days or 495-2627 after 5 p.m. Ask for Wanda.

### Miscellaneous for Sale

Eljer commode, beige color, \$30; oak gas logs, used twice, \$50. 495-3310.

Mini bike, \$75 or best offer. Call 495-2368. Call after 5 p.m. for Randy Britton.

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### Garage Sales

Moving sale - Friday & Saturday, 7:30 - 7:110 E. 10th. Piano, furniture, clothing, misc.

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Yard sale - behind Pizza Hut, Saturday, August 20, 8 a.m. Great prices.

Saturday, 9-12, used books, hard and paperback. In back of Wells Pharmacy.

Yard sale - 410 N. Ave. O, Friday, 9 a.m. Arcade games, children's clothes and trampoline.

### Trailers for Sale

For sale - 1987 Coleman travel trailer, Call 495-2631.

### Back - To - School Garage Sale

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### Feed & Seed & Livestock

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### Vehicles for Sale

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### Lost and Found

The First Baptist Church has several dishes and pans left from funeral luncheons this summer. Please come by the church office to claim.

### Legal Notices

APPLICATION FOR WINE ONLY PACKAGE STORE PERMIT AND BEER RETAILER OFF-PREMISE LICENSE

An application has been applied with Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a wine-only package store permit and a beer retailer off-premise license to be located at 501 East Main Street, Post, Garza County, Texas.

Said business will be operated under the name of Longhorn Beer and Wine, Corporation name MKC Operating, Inc. Kurt Chapman President & Secretary

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR OIL AND GAS WASTE DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT

United Oil and Minerals, Inc., 108 Wild Basin Road, Suite 320, Austin, Texas 78746 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into a porous formation not productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the San Andres formation Clear Fork, Glorietta, Well Number 15. The proposed disposal well is located 7 miles West of Justiceburg in the Teas East (Pennsylvanian), in Garza County. The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2529 to 4400 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or request for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (telephone 512/463-6792).

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**10 years ago**  
**August 15, 1984**  
 Heavy rains hampered the 44th annual Post Stampede Rodeo held Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Post received between 2.5 and 3 inches of moisture.

The 4-H float won first prize in the parade followed by the band boosters in second place and the EMTs with third.

**20 years ago**  
**August 15, 1974**  
 Post school trustees employed eight new teachers—including a personable new band director—Monday night to complete the faculty for the 74-75 year. The new teachers are: Mr. and Mrs. Scott Houston, Carlene Kyle, Larry Doyle, Christine Morris, Maxine Parks, Terry Rightmire, Melba Sue Fryar.

Fred Myers of Southland won the all around saddle in the Garza County roping by roping two calves and two steers in a total time of 99 seconds. Robbie King of Post won the silver trophy buckle for second place.

**30 years ago**  
**August 13, 1964**  
 Taylor Knight of Tahoka and Margaret Brewer of Lamesa won the all-around cowboy and cowgirl saddles in the junior division of the Post Stampede Rodeo.

be completed. She is associated with Dr. James G. Casey in the Casey-Russell Clinic at 605 West 7th behind Garza Memorial Hospital.

**40 years ago**  
**August 19, 1954**  
 Judge Ralph W. Yarborough, Democratic candidate for governor, rode in the Post Stampede parade mounted on a horse owned by Hinton Fluitt.

Natha Jo Mears, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mears of Guthrie was presented the trophy for "most typical rider under 10" in the Post Stampede Parade. Thirty foreign agricultural leaders touring the United States arrived in Post to tour the Postex Mill where Garza sheets and pillowcases are made. The visitors were from Thailand, Costa Rica, Formosa, Brazil, Egypt, Iran, Italy, Uruguay, Greece, Yugoslavia, and Turkey.

**50 years ago**  
**August 17, 1944**  
 James Minor of Post was cited by his regiment of the 36th "Texas" Infantry Division and was awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for his participation in combat with the enemy while serving on the Fifth Army front in Italy.

Troy Fort won by 12.6 seconds in the matched roping contest between he and Walton Pogue. The contest was a 20 head match with each man Dr. Margaret Russell, Post's first "lady doctor", began her medical practice after waiting almost a month for her physician quarters to

Garza County roping winners were Claude Drennan, George Harlen and Novis Rodgers.

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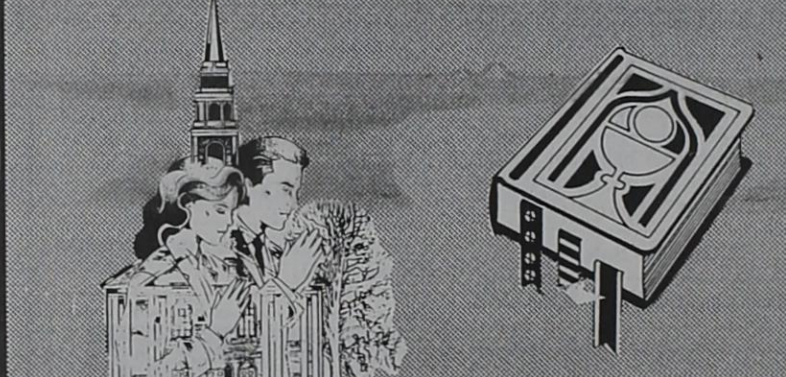
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## From the Pulpit Spiritual gifts

Why is there so much controversy concerning Spiritual gifts? Do they really exist, and if so, why are they not working for so many?

First of all, gifts of the Spirit should not be confused with the gift of the Holy Spirit. (1 John 3-24) "...we know that he abideth in us, by the Spirit which he hath given us." Nor should Spiritual gifts be confused with the fruit of the Spirit, which is the product or results that the Holy Spirit brings in a persons life. (Galatians 5 (22-23).

So what are Spiritual gifts and what purpose do they serve? Spiritual gifts are supernatural gifts that every true believer has received. You have a Spiritual gift if you are truly saved. Here is where so many have a problem understanding gifts. It has to do with the word supernatural. Something that natural man can not understand or explain. As a result, many would just as soon say there are no gifts. Some even say these gifts passed away with the apostles, using 1 Cor. 13 (8) as their reason why. "Charity never faileth" but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge; it shall vanish away." There will be a time when gifts are no longer needed. But when? Verse 9 through 123 tells us, when we meet Jesus face to face at His return. Remember, we are the body of Christ, His church, and His body must function just as Jesus did when He was walking on the earth. He needs all the parts of His body. He does not need man to throw away certain parts because man does not understand the supernatural.

If someone says you the gifts have passed away that person simply does not understand what the body of Christ is, nor what the body of Christ does. Jesus said, the work that I do, you shall do also. Well, did Jesus do supernatural works? How can we possibly do the work of Jesus without supernatural gifts? Jesus said, the Son can do nothing of himself. Guess what, neither can you. How did Jesus do supernatural things? By the working of the Holy Spirit in Him. That is how you and I do the work also. By allowing God's Holy Spirit to control and use our lives in the

specific areas of the gifts He provides. It's called being Spirit filled. Another term that frightens some.

According to 1 Cor 12 (7) and (11) every person has some gift that the Holy Spirit wants to control and use. You can not pick your gift. You can not earn your gift. You can only receive and submit to it's use.

These gifts are listed in Romans 12 (3-8) as motivational gifts, 1 Cor 12 (28) as ministry gifts, and 1 Cor (8-10) as manifestation gifts. You have a motivational gift that is to be used in a ministry gift with the Spirit bringing the manifestation gift to light.

What happens when gifts are denied or when gifts are ignored? What happens if gifts are misused? Just look around. You will see dead churches with dead pulpits. You will see lukewarmness that makes God sick. Rev. 3 (16). You will see programmed religion, instead of true worship in Spirit and truth. You will see a social club, instead of a house of prayer.

Even those who know the truth about gifts are concerned as to why they don't seem to be working today as they should. The reason is very simple. It is because the greatest gift is missing. It is called LOVE. (1 Cor 13). When we seek the gift without seeking the giver we miss God. When we fail to love one another, we fail to love God. Without that love our spiritual gifts will fail to function and the work of Jesus will go undone.

1 John 3 (16) says, "Hereby perceive we the love of God, because He laid down his life for us; and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren." Don't expect to see the supernatural gifts until you begin to see supernatural love in the body of Christ.

In closing, remember, that Satan is our enemy. If he can keep the gifts from working in the church, then he will stop the work of Jesus. Fight to claim your gift, and allow God to use that gift for his glory.

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