

OS catalogs on sale as big weekend nears

The 1976 OS Catalog, dedicated to the life of a living legend, the three times world steer roping champion, went on sale at a dozen local stores and here Tuesday.

which means the OS Ranch Steer Roping and Art Exhibit,

Blood donors sought Friday

A blood giving event — "The 1977 Healthy Birthday America Reunion" — will be held in the new Post Community Center from 2 to 6 p. m. Friday.

All blood donors who want to give blood to help others give are invited to attend.

Blood Services of Lubbock will be on hand as will Garza Memorial Hospital nurses, who are donating their time to the cause.

Members of the Women's Hospital Auxiliary, the Garza County American Cancer Society and the American Heart Association will be on hand to assist.

Blood Services of Lubbock serves 38 hospitals in a county area with over 14,000 patients of blood and blood products annually.

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scheduled for Oct. 2-3, isn't very far away.

The catalog, priced at \$4 this year, contains a feature article for the first time on Jim Prather, originator of West Texas Boys Ranch benefit weekend; an illustrated explanation of "steer roping for the layman"; as well as pictures of the 38 artists and the 35 professional ropers who will participate in the OS weekend.

The ropers section, devoting a page to each roper, contains action shots of all ropers mostly in the 1975 OS Steer Roping as photographed by Post's own Ed Neff, official OS photographer.

Besides the action picture of each roper is the brand of that cowboy as well as his signature.

The artists' section contains small pictures of the artists and larger ones of their works along with their signatures.

Inside the front cover is a beautiful dust raising shot of a roper off his horse and headed into the dust for the fallen steer.

Inside the back cover is a two-page picture of the barbecue fires at the ranch during the OS weekend.

The cover itself contains a painting of grazing horses by Tom Ryan of Stamford, vice chairman of the OS Ranch steer roping and Art Exhibit Committee.

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PLEDGE CENTER IN POST — Pictured above are three members of the VFW Auxiliary and the VFW who manned the telephones for the Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon. They are left to right, Mrs. Weldon Horton, Rosemary Rogers and Weldon Horton. — (Staff Photo)

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The Post Dispatch

Forty-Ninth Year Post, Garza County, Texas Thursday, Sept. 9, 1976 Number 15

PHS grad dies in car wreck

Mrs. Christine Stodder, 40, former Post High School grad, was killed Sept. 4 in a one-car automobile accident 16 miles north of her home in Eagle Pass, Tex.

Mrs. Stodder is the former Christine Blodgett and was a 1955 Post high graduate. She was owner and operator of the Eagle Pass airport, although not a flyer herself. She had moved to Eagle Pass 17 years ago.

Survivors include one daughter, Rita Renee Elkins of the home; a son, Chesley Earol Elkins of the home; her mother, Mrs. Edna Cheves of Post; and two sisters, Mrs. Loretta Puckett and sons and Mrs. Martha Wilke and daughter, Kim, of Lubbock.

She was preceded in death by her father, Gilbert Blodgett, a sister, Edna Mae Cox, and a niece, Lea Ann Wilke.

Funeral services were conducted in Eagle Pass.

Big suit set for Sept. 27

The largest damage suit in Garza County history is scheduled to come to trial here in district court at 1:30 Monday afternoon, Sept. 27, according to a new Garza County jury docket.

It's the \$1,250,000 damage suit brought against the Santa Fe Railroad by Gene Wiggins, guardian of the state and person of Raymond Wiggins, as the result of a flaming pickup truck-freight train crash at the Main Street crossing here early in the morning of May 8, 1974.

The case is listed number 1 on the new docket and The Dispatch understands that District Judge George Hansard has set aside all of that week for the trial, if necessary.

While there are 10 cases listed on the docket, two are reported to have been settled and are in the process of being dismissed.

Court watchers say if the big Santa Fe does come to trial, and isn't settled out of court in advance, none of the other cases on the docket are expected to be heard.



YOUNG POST FUND RAISERS — These six youngsters and one more, not pictured, raised \$237.60 here Monday in a door to door canvass of their neighborhoods for contributions to Jerry Lewis's muscular dystrophy telethon. Above, back row, l to r, Scott Lewis, Stuart Price, Randy Littrell and Starlet Reidel; front row, Alfonso Castro and Patty Hale. Not shown is Dean Martin Coffee. Stuart and Alfonso know first hand of the disease. — (Staff Photo)

\$1,566 pledged here during Lewis telethon

Post and Garza County folks contributed \$1,566 to Jerry Lewis's Labor Day Telethon to aid the fight against muscular dystrophy.

The Post VFW and Ladies Auxiliary joined the "love network" for the telethon with members manning telephones

at the VFW Clubhouse here to accept pledges during the 22½ hours show televised from Las Vegas and Lubbock.

Stuart Price, local high school youth who has suffered from the disease and currently is The Dispatch's sports cartoonist, conducted a neighborhood canvass Monday and raised \$132 of the total.

Rosemary Rogers of the Post VFW Auxiliary served as pledge center coordinator for the local effort.

A new national record of well over \$20 million in pledges was raised as well as a regional record for the Lubbock viewing area.

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The Antelope Booster Club will be meeting at 7 p. m. now instead of 7:30 p. m. on Monday night at the High School Learning Center. The meeting time was changed to give people more time after the meeting to attend other activities.

Memberships are still being sold so see some of the boosters or Martha Compton at the bank.

Two Post residents, Polly Cravy and Johnny Robison, will be participating in the Fiesta '76 which will be held Saturday in the Municipal Garden and Arts Center, 4215 University Ave. in Lubbock.

Both will be in Booth 56 and Polly will be showing jewelry and other collections she has, with Mr. Robison showing his metal sculpture.

A fiesta is sponsored each year by the center and is an opportunity for artists to show their works and for viewers to buy those things that interest them.

Artists and craftsmen from West Texas, New Mexico and

them a better current picture of hospital finances before seeking to borrow short term operating funds until new tax money becomes available in about 60 days.

Directors will have a special meeting possibly this weekend to make some financial decisions.

Bills for the month total approximately \$14,688, including a \$9,500 air conditioning repair bill and September salaries will be about \$17,000.

Hospital Administrator Perry Hunsaker gave directors a report showing 41 patients for the hospital during August for a total of 170 patient days, an average stay of 5.4 days and an average patient load for the month of 4.1 per day.

The hospital also treated 101 outpatients during the month.

These figures brought the patient total for 1976 to date to 530 patients for a total of 2,831 patient days, an average stay of 11.1 days per patient, and an average of 5.1 patients per day occupancy.

Five babies were born during August in bring hospital births for the first eight months to 58. Outpatients for the year total 985.

Three classes begin this week in Post Extension Center

The Post Extension Center of Western Texas College at Snyder survived a slow fall enrollment with three classes beginning in freshman-level English, history and Spanish.

Lane Tannehill, Post coordinator for the center, announced that enrollment will be continued through this weekend. Openings are available in any of the three classes, especially Spanish where the initial enrollment has only been 12.

Seventeen are enrolled in English and 15 in history. Class minimums are 15. The English class will meet Monday night

for the first time. The history class met Tuesday night and the Spanish class Wednesday night for the first time.

"The people of the Post area have shown they want to keep the Post Extension Center in operation here," Tannehill said in announcing the filling of three of the offered classes.

Tannehill said textbooks for the courses are available in his office in the high school. He can be reached during school hours at either 2058 or 2770 and at home at nights for those seeking late enrollments.

Collier's is looted of drugs and cash

Burglars who knew their drugs broke into the Bob Collier drug store one night last week and took an estimated \$1,500 worth of expensive drugs and \$750 in cash.

Deputy Sheriff Troy Vest said entrance was gained by forcing the back door.

Pharmacist Don Payne told The Dispatch that some of the stolen drugs could be used by addicts but others would kill them if used.

"But they knew the drugs," he said. "They took the expensive ones and left the inexpensive ones."

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The druggist figures the can was used as a container in which to load the stolen merchandise.

Drugs taken included percodan, phem No. 3, synalgud DC, Demeral in 50 mg and also in 100 mgs. quaalude 300, equazic, thoracic in 75, 100 and 150 mgs., quidine, quinine, valium in 2, 5 and 10 mgs., dextedrine, menobamate, dorden, and emprine, No. 3.

Saturday rites for Lela Parrack

Funeral services for Mrs. Lela Parrack, 70, of Post, were held Saturday, Sept. 4 at 2:30 p. m. in the Trinity Baptist Church in Post. The Rev. Gene Prevo, pastor, assisted by the Rev. Jimmy Kennedy, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, officiated the service.

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

She died Thursday at Garza Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Born Sept. 30, 1905 in Palo Pinto County, she moved to Garza County in 1915. She was retired from Burlington Industries. Her husband J. B. Parrack, preceded her in death in 1964.

She was a charter member of the Trinity Baptist Church and had been a member of the Baptist Church since childhood.

Survivors include three brothers, Tommy Bowen of Odessa, Jack Bowen of Abilene and Bill Bowen of Roswell, N. M., 10 nieces and nephews, Billy Bowen of Roswell, Wilburn Jackson of Merritt Island, Fla., Minnie Jo Mears of Odessa, Mary Lee Finch of Fort Worth, Judy Hardin of Bellville, Tex., Marvin Bowen of Annona, Tex., Donnie Gene Bowen of Austin, Claude Bowen of Abilene, David Bowen of Odessa, Charles Bowen of Quito, Ecuador and Louise Greene of Post.

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Dispatch Editorials

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Another fellow's viewpoint

You aren't you anymore. Instead you are a Post highway patrolman sitting in the highway patrol office in the county's law enforcement complex making out reports.

The Dispatch reporter comes in on his weekly rounds and asks what's new.

You think a moment and shake your head. It's the same old thing. But he asks a question here and another there and you get to talking. Then the frustration starts coming out of you.

You tell him on Labor Day night you stopped a drunk highway speeder doing 105 miles an hour only a few miles from Post.

That isn't new really, you explain, because these days the speeders are going faster and faster — faster really than ever before because they now feel "safe" as their CB radios can tell them where all the "smokies" are.

You know those highway statistics. They are getting more grim by the day. More people are driving fast again despite the 55-miles-per-hour speed limit because of the CB radio. They are thereby getting into more wrecks and more people are getting injured — and lots more are getting killed.

You shake your head. How do you explain the CB radio to the citizen who views it as a "game" to report on the location of all "smokies" to anybody and everybody.

Lots of those "anybodies" are now driving

at excessive speeds and they are not only endangering their own lives but those of everybody else on the highway, including all their CB helpers who tell them when it's "safe" to speed.

You know these people who "play games with you" on the CB radios are the ones who pay your salary, who expect you to keep that highway safe.

You have a CB too. You know all the good that little radio can do. You know how great it is to be able to speak to the folks you see on the highway to break up the monotony of long drives and how in times of emergency with instant communications to out-of-the-way places they can help so much — even help you in your work.

Nope, no news today. A drunken 105-miles-per-hour speeder isn't news anymore in the "CB era". Not unless he's stopped that is by somebody other than you — and the stopping was a four-fatality head-on collision.

You remember a recent highway collision you worked. After the ambulances had gone and the wreckers were hooking up to the smashed vehicles you noticed CB antennas still sticking up from the back of each compacted car.

You remember that vividly because you shook your head and reflected that those CBs hadn't made it "safe" to speed at all.

Remember When

10 YEARS AGO

Dual producer is completed in San Andres, Gloria zones; Garza point marker will be dedicated, 15 miles south of Post on Gail highway; new Title 1 program approved for schools; Dr. Harry Tubbs elected vice-president of the Texas Academy of General Practice; sanatorium building is accepted as gift; three ties in election of ASCS committee-men; 1,289 enrolled in school here; Lopes to Lockney for first out-of-town tilt; Jimmy Hundley and Melvin Best win partnership golf meet; Post opens with 14-8 win over Hale Center.

15 YEARS AGO

Garza County's first bale ginned at Planters Gin by Elbert Humble of Kaigary community; City Police court is set up with appointment of Judge Wallace Simpson's new Thriftway Super Market at 122 North Broadway to open; Irby G. Metcalf named president of Garza County Community Chest with Bryan J. Williams named chairman of the "all in one" financial drive; Antelope 11 to face Colorado City in first home tilt; hardfought Lopes lose to Ralls, 7-6 in opener; addition is moved in for church at Pleasant Valley.

25 YEARS AGO

Kenneth Rogers elected president of Antelope Band; junior rodeo association financial statement proves show big success; school starts in county with 864 Post students enrolled; bollworm and careless worm infestation dangers cotton; modern day rainmakers use everything the Old-Timers did except explosives; Miss Geraldine Dunlap bride-elect of James King; Pvt. Roy Teaff finishes basic AF courses; Antelopes open 1951 season in clash with Crosbyton team.

\$28 million for school grant

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Congressman Omar Burleson announces the approval of \$28,775,291 U. S. Office of Education grant to the Texas Education Agency at Austin, to provide Special Programs for Educationally Disadvantaged Children.

Included among the fifty-six counties is Garza County, with the Southland School District operating a program.

The Texas Education Agency will provide a comprehensive educational program for over 100,000 students during the period July 1, 1976 and ending September 30, 1977, and will involve both summer and regular school year programs.

The program has been specifically designed to compensate for the frequently interrupted and ineffective schooling migrant children receive as they follow the crops across the nation.

This effort will have oral language as its major thrust. Individualized instruction will also be offered in reading and mathematics. Cultural enrichment will be offered through multicultural education. All students will benefit from health and nutritional services. A food program will be offered in cooperation with the U. S. Department of Agricultural.

DINNER GUESTS

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Vera Gossett Sunday for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Rammage and Larry of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Gossett and boys.

A dead person may vote legally, if he mails an absentee ballot and dies before election day.



HAPPINESS IS...

KNOWING

Don't you hate to be left out—when everyone else seems to be in the know? Isn't there a whole lot more you wish you knew? Do you feel too old to learn?

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STATE CAPITAL
Highlights
AND
Sidelights
by Lyndell Williams

AUSTIN — Southwest Bell Telephone Company has asked the new Public Utilities Commission to approve a rate increase that would cost consumers about \$300 million a year.

PUC may act within five months, a member indicated.

More than \$110 million of the requested increase would come from increases in local service.

Rates, under the proposal, would go up from \$9.20 to \$11.50 monthly in Houston, from \$8.20 to \$10 in Dallas, from \$8 to \$9.45 in Fort Worth and from \$7.35 to \$9.45 in San Antonio.

Other proposed increases: Corpus Christi, \$6.90-\$8.50; McAllen, \$7.05-\$8.15; Amarillo, \$5.85-\$8.50; Lubbock, \$5.90-\$8.50.

Business telephone rates also would increase sharply. Five to six dollar a month hikes would be common. The increase for business lines in Lubbock and Amarillo would be about nine dollars.

Bell seeks another \$8.1 million in additional revenue from a 20-cents per call charge in pay telephones, where a dime now does the job.

The company also wants more money for key telephones, private branch exchanges, Centrex service, private lines, WATS service, miscellaneous equipment, touchtone phones and other items.

Bell's new vice president for Texas, Doyle E. Rogers, said the increases would boost the company's return (after taxes) on fair value of its investment from 6.16 per cent to 9.5 per cent.

Action by Atty. Gen. John Hill last year scaled down a long distance rate hike from \$40 million to \$25 million.

Bell now proposes to charge customers for information calls on tele-

phone numbers if they make more than three such calls a month. Revenue increase from this alone would be \$26.5 million in Texas.

Bond Fight Launched

A new group has formed to fight the \$400 million state water bond issue to be voted on November 2.

John Henry Faulk of Madisonville, humorist and broadcaster, is chairman of the group, "Citizens Against Water Taxes."

Faulk at a news conference here charged proponents of the bonds would seek to revive the \$3.5 billion Texas water plan which was defeated in 1969. He also noted that Texas Water Development Board has spent only \$201 million of an earlier \$400 million bond issue.

Chairmanship Row Heats

Both Democratic and Republican parties now have blistering contests for their state chairmanships.

Incumbent Democratic Chairman Calvin Guest is opposed by John Henry Tatum of Lufkin, the Angelina County chairman. Tatum blasts Guest as a do-nothing chairman who doesn't aid Democratic candidates and hasn't made full disclosure of party finance records.

Guest defends his record, boasts of cutting the party's deficit from \$150,000 to \$110,000, encouraging increased participation by all segments and emphasizes he has filed regular audit reports on Democratic contributions and spending.

Ray Barnhart of Pasadena, leader of Texas Ronald Reagan forces, is challenging Ray Hutchison of Dallas for Republican chairman.

Texas Welfare Department is moving ahead with plans to buy a \$17 million computer system from Sperry-Univac.

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Southwestern Bell, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas effective October 7, 1976.

It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish an 18 percent increase in the company's intra-state gross revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas.



PUBLIC NOTICE

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
GENERAL ELECTION NOV. 2, 1976

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 49)

Repealing Sections 49-d and 49-d-1 of Article III of the Texas Constitution, S.J.R. 49 amends Section 49-c of Article III of the Texas Constitution to provide for and authorize an additional \$400 million in Texas water development bonds that may be issued on approval of two-thirds of the members of each house of the Legislature for such water development purposes as the Legislature may prescribe.

The amendment contains a specific prohibition against the use of state funds for the development of water resources from the Mississippi River and also requires that before any single water development project may be undertaken requiring the expenditure of more than \$35 million in bond proceeds, it must be approved by resolution of the Legislature.

The amendment removes the constitutional requirement that certain revenues must be used to retire water development and water quality enhancement bonds and removes the constitutional interest rate limit on such bonds.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing an increase of \$400 million in the amount of Texas Water Development Bonds that may be issued on approval of two-thirds of the legislature; amending and consolidating provisions of Sections 49-c, 49-d and 49-d-1 of Article III of the Texas Constitution; and repealing Sections 49-d and 49-d-1 of the Texas Constitution."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 99)

H.J.R. 99 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to increase from \$100 million to \$200 million the aggregate principle amount of Texas water development bonds which may be issued and outstanding by the Texas Water Development Board to provide grants and loans for water quality enhancement purposes as established by the Legislature.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"A constitutional amendment to increase from \$100 million to \$200 million the amount of Texas Water Development Bonds that may be issued for water quality enhancement purposes."

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COTTON TALKS

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

LUBBOCK — Members and associates of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. the first week in October are being offered a package North Carolina tour of textile mills, a synthetic fiber mill, a synthetic fiber research laboratories of Cotton Incorporated and an overnight stay at one of America's most famous resorts, the Pinehurst Hotel and Country Club.

In cooperation with the American Textile Manufacturers Institute, PCG periodically arranges such tours "to give

High Plains cotton people a chance to better understand the industry for which they supply the raw material," according to W. B. Criswell of Idalou, current President of the 25-county cotton producer organization.

Reservations for the 1976 tour are now being accepted at the PCG office in Lubbock on a first-come, first-served basis. Bot men and women are invited. Cost of the tour, in the neighborhood of \$330 per person, will be borne by

participants.

The 1976 tour will leave Lubbock Municipal Airport at 11:40 a. m. October 3 and return at 11:40 p. m. October 6. The nights of October 3 and 4 will be spent in Charlotte, North Carolina, from where the group will travel October 4 by chartered bus to a Fiber Industries synthetic fiber making facility at Shelby, and to Springs Mills textile manufacturing plants at Fort Lawn October 5. Fiber Industries, a division of Celanese Corporation, converts petroleum by-products into polyester, a major competitor for cotton fiber markets.

Springs is the nation's fifth largest textile manufacturer, marketing a wide range of fabrics for multiple end uses. Visits are scheduled to Springs' cotton warehouse complex, its Elliott cotton yard plant, and to the company's Grace finishing plant where fabrics are bleached, dyed, screen printed, and packaged at a capacity rate of over 10 million yards per week.

Celanese will host a luncheon for the tour group on Monday, the American Textile Manufacturers Institute will host a reception and dinner Monday evening, and Springs will treat the group at lunch on Tuesday.

The High Plains cotton people will have free time for rest and recreation at Pinehurst from after dinner on October 5 until departure at 1 p. m. October 6. Pinehurst offers a choice of golf on any of five courses, tennis, skeet shooting, swimming, sauna baths or a trip to the stables to watch fine horses being groomed and worked for the trotting races.

The research laboratories of Cotton Incorporated, to be seen at Raleigh, North Carolina, on the afternoon of October 6, is where a good portion of cotton producers' dollar-a-bale CI contributions are spent on spinning, weaving, knitting, fabric development and finishing research to help cotton compete with man-made fibers.

"This should be as educational and as entertaining as the tours we have had before," says Criswell, "and if so it will be well worth its cost in time and money to everyone who can go."

PCG officials say the tour will accommodate up to about 42 persons. They expect the tour to be oversubscribed, and therefore suggest that interested cotton producers or cotton-allied businessmen not delay in contacting the PCG office.

The dogtooth violet is not really a violet, but belongs to the lily family.



COMPLETES MEDICAL ASSISTANT TRAINING — Linda Byrd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Byrd of Post, is pictured here addressing her class during pinning ceremonies recently at the Brian Institute in Tulsa. She is now in her internship, in the planned parenthood field, and has accepted a job in Muskogee, Okla. She is a 1967 PH5 graduate.

Twin Cedars Nursing Home News

By INA COX

Sunday services were brought to us by Bro. Prevo of the Trinity Baptist Church.

Don Neumann of the Faith Lutheran Church brought us some beautiful flowers from the Nelson, Koslan wedding.

Irene Wheeler is in the Garza Memorial Hospital. Hope she will soon be able to come back to us.

Mrs. Emma Dunlap went to live with her daughter in Irving, Tex. We will miss her.

Mrs. Barley, Mrs. Randall's daughter, gave her a birthday party on Sept. 3. Everyone enjoyed the cake and punch.

Our birthdays are celebrated at the home, the last Tuesday of each month. August 31 was our birthday party for those in July and August. Mrs. Miller, Joe Thomas, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Lee all celebrated with gifts, cake and punch, furnished by our special guest, Jo Ella Sparlin, Dink Boren, Malecy Johnston, Becky Parnell, Teresa Sparlin, Rosemary Stelzer, Betty Horton and Francis Matthews, all members of the VFW Auxiliary.

We had a nice surprise visit last week, the Golden Years ladies dropped in on us. They

Hunter safety class planned

LUBBOCK — Texas hunters are a mobile group and each year hundreds travel in Texas and out of state for deer and pheasant from New Mexico to the Dakotas.

Most of the states which attract Texas hunters require hunter safety training for many age groups before issuing a license. Texas does not require this training.

To assist Texas hunters on he South Plains in obtaining this training, another hunter safety class has been scheduled for Sept. 15, 16 & 17, beginning at 7 p. m. each night at the Adult Learning Center, 13th and Ave. T, Lubbock.

A minimal charge of \$1 will be required for registration and books.

More information is available by contacting Joe Davis, 744-8405, or the P&WD, 744-6847.

were Edna Lude, Nora Kiker, Maudie Pettigrew and Bertha Printz.

We enjoyed the home grown tomatoes that Mrs. Douglas Buchanan gave us.

Visitors this week included, Cludy and Lucile Walker, Virginia Terry, Billy and Johnny Clayton, Gerald and Marie Clayton, Anna and George Waldrop of Odessa, Edgar Fox, Don Neumann and Kay Neumann.

7th graders play 6-6 scrimmage

Coach Bill Unberhagen's seventh grade squad — all 44 players who had only been out a week — won't officially open their season until tonight when they meet Lockney in Antelope Stadium at 5:30 p. m.

They journeyed to Cooper last week and engaged in a scrimmage with the Cooper seventh graders.

Coach Unberhagen reported it was about even between the two teams with each getting one touchdown and the scrimmage score ending 6-6.

Steve Gandy got Post's points when he broke off tackle 80 yards for a touchdown on Post's second offensive possession to knot the score.

Cooper got its points off a 40-yard run on a quarterback keeper.

Coach Unberhagen used all 44 local players in the scrimmage and said he is planning a few lineup changes as a result.



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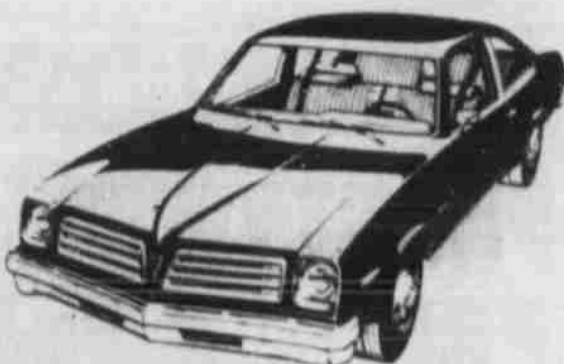
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Political Column

The Post Dispatch is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following candidates subject to the May and June Democratic Primary Elections: **FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 101st DISTRICT:** W. S. (Bill) Heatly (re-election.) **DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 100th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:** Joe Smith, (re-election) **FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:** T. H. Tipton (re-election) **FOR COUNTY SHERIFF:** Jim Pippin **FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 1:** T. D. (Buck) Craft **FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 3:** Mike Cisneros

Card of Thanks

It is a comfort to us, to have good friends that have been so thoughtful during the illness and loss of our loved one. Your sincere expression of love; with prayers, cards, food and flowers will long be remembered by those of us who knew her love. May God's blessings touch each of your lives.

Donald McLendon Family

We would like to thank everyone for their prayers, beautiful flowers, wonderful food, visits, phone calls, and cards in the loss of our loved one. Special thanks to Bro. Gene and Jan Prevo, Bro. Jimmy and Margie Kennedy, Nona Smith and Dortha Jackson for being with us in the last few hours of her life. Special thanks to Dr. Wilson, Perry Hunsaker and the wonderful nurses. Everyone that was so wonderful to us will never be forgotten.

We love you all and our prayer is God will richly bless all.

The Family of
Lela Parrack

We would like to thank the sophomore class for the money they donated to pay for Kam Huntley's spray of flowers. The Sophomore Class Officers

To all the people who visited, wrote and called with good wishes for a speedy recovery from my recent emergency surgery we give thanks. I'll be a little slow this week, but should be back to a fairly slow poke next week. I'm grateful.

Harry Tubbs

We have found great comfort knowing how deeply you share our sorrow. Thank you for every kindness extended to us and we will always remember you with love.

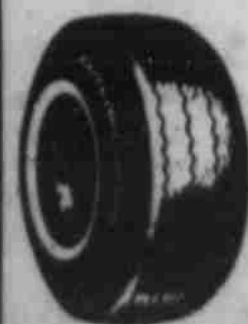
The Family of Mae Shipley

To my friends and loved ones: I want to thank each one of you for your prayers, visits, cards, flowers, etc. given me during my stay in the hospital and while convalescing at home. I assure you it was all most gratefully appreciated. May the Lord bless each of you in my prayer.

T. H. Tipton

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FOR SALE: Two bedroom house newly remodeled. To see call 2841.

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HOUSE FOR SALE: 909 West 11th. To see call 2385 after 6 p.m. For further information call Scott or Judy Houston at 806-247-2197 after 5 p.m. in Friona, Tex.

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FOR SALE: 3 bedroom brick house, large den and livingroom combination, fenced backyard. Call 495-3185. 203 Mohawk.

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2tc 6-10

FOR SALE: Four lots, two houses, \$5,000. Call 2423.

2tc 9-22

FOR SALE: One house, four rooms and bath, 111 West 12th. Phone 2480 8 to 5.

2tc 9-27

For Rent

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for rent. Call Mrs. Graeber at 3168.

2tc 9-9

FOR RENT: Three trailers spaces. Inquire at Jackson's Cafeteria.

2tc 5-1

One VACANCIES at Twin Cedar Nursing Home. Call 495-3022.

2tc 4-22

Steam Carpet Cleaning.
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2tc 1-15

The good Lord obviously intended us to listen more than we talk - otherwise He would have given us two mouths and one ear.

For Sale

FOR SALE: Boat for Sale, Seacrest, 14 foot bass boat, 20 HP Mercury motor, trailer, trolling motor, boat cover. \$1975. Like New. 495-3453 after 4 p.m.

2tp 9-2

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2tc 7-15

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12tp 8-5

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2tc 8-26

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2tc 9-9

FOR SALE: AKC English Springer Spaniel pups eight weeks old. Hunting background. Has shots. Call 747-6679 Lubbock.

2tc 9-9

FOR SALE: Regulation 4 x 8 size pool table with accessories and lights; three bar stools. Call 2022 before 3 p.m.

2tc 9-9

FOR SALE: 76 Pinto wagon, still in warranty. Call 996-5390 or 495-2814.

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2tc 9-9

FOR SALE: 1964 Comet, some new parts, runs good \$250 and 1972 Apache pop up camper, all fiberglass, sleeps six, fully equipped with refrigerator, portaport, shower, water heater, etc. \$1850. See at 201 West 11th. Call 3615 after 5:30.

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FOR SALE: 55,000 BTU double wall heater thermostat controlled. \$40. Call 3422.

2tp 9-9

FOR SALE: Coffee table, two end tables, gold noga hide chair, lamp and table combination. 206 West 12th.

2tp 9-9

FOR SALE: Pickup, old model but in good shape. 116 East 4th or call 2619.

2tp 9-9

Public Notice

FOUND: One Bird Dog in the Verbera area. Owner can easily identify. Call 629-4348 to claim your dog.

2tp 9-9

LOST

25 or 30 people who ordinarily attend Sunday School. If found please return to Graham Methodist Church, Route 3, Post, Texas. You will receive a blessing as your reward.

2tp 9-9

Legal

BIDS ASKED
The Board of Trustees of the Post Independent School District will receive sealed bids until 4:00 p.m., October 11, 1976, on the following:
1 - 1966 Chevrolet Panel 8 passenger school bus - poor condition.
1 - 1965 Chevrolet 36 passenger school bus - poor condition.

Bids will be opened at the regular Board Meeting at 7:30 p.m., October 11, 1976, in the Board Room of Post Independent School District, 200 W. 6th, Post, Texas. Bids not received by the designated time shall not be considered. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject in whole or in part any bid submitted.

Bid envelopes should be marked, "Bid on Bus." Mailing address: P. O. Box 70, Post, Texas 79356.

Post Independent School District Board of Trustees
Wanda Mitchell, Secretary
2tc 9-2

BUDGET HEARING
A public meeting of Board of Trustees of the Southland Independent School District on the school district's 1976-77 budget will be held at 8:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 13, 1976, in the Southland Superintendent's office.

2tc 9-9

LEGAL NOTICE

The Commissioners' Court of Garza County, Texas, will hold a public hearing Monday, September 13, 1976, on the proposed budget for Garza County for the year 1977. The hearing will begin at 10:00 o'clock a.m. in the district courtroom, second floor of the county courthouse. A copy of the budget will be available for review.

Giles W. Dalby
County Judge,
Garza County Texas
2tc 9-2

Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: 11 miles out of Post on Highway 1313, one mile west on dirt road. Three families, Rita Mason, Bessie Lee and Mae Allison house.

2tc 9-9

FOR SALE SATURDAY: Bedstead, chairs, braided rugs and miscellaneous. 702 West 10th St.

2tp 9-9

GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, one mile on Lubbock Hwy, turn on Golf course road and follow signs. Washing machine, couch and two chairs, desk, drapes, bedspread, lots of kitchen items, good clothes. Joy Greer and Dale Nichols.

2tc 9-9

GARAGE SALE: 114 E. 12th. Several families. Thursday afternoon and all day Friday.

2tc 9-9

GARAGE SALE: 1/2 mile east of Grassland on pavement. Saturday from 9 to 6.

2tc 9-9

GARAGE SALE: All day Saturday at 602 West 5th. Baby items and clothes, household items and miscellaneous.

2tp 9-9

CARPORT SALE: 517 N. Ave. F 10 till 7 Everything must go - real cheap. Saturday.

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Miscellaneous

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2tc 9-9

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2tc 3-4

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2tc 3-20

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State head to be speaker

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When the Post Music Club opens its new year on Saturday, Sept. 11 with a luncheon, Mrs. C. E. Christmann of Lubbock, newly elected president of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs, will be the main speaker. This event marks the first time that the Post club, a member of the National Federation of Music Clubs, has been visited by a state president.

The luncheon will be served by members of the Assembly of God Church and will convene at the new Community Center at 11:30.

The District 11 president, Mrs. E. D. Barnes of Levelland, will also be an honored guest, making her official call upon the Post Club. Mrs. Barnes has worked in the Texas Federation of Music Clubs for many years, having held several offices in her own Levelland Music Club.

Soloists on the program are Mrs. Dan Ziegler and Mrs. Dan Hodges, with the club chorus director, Mrs. Tom Pass, directing the assembly in singing the federation hymn.

The club will be welcoming new members and several guests. Mrs. Jerry Crenshaw will introduce the new year book, with the approved course of study being country-western music. The yearbook committee felt that this type of music would be interesting during the American Bicentennial and the Garza County Centennial observance.

Graveside services for Bilberry infant

Graveside services for Damon Lamar Bilberry, two month old son of Jeannie Marie Bilberry, were held Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. with Glenn Reece officiating.

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

The baby died at 10 a.m. Sept. 6 in the home.

Survivors include the mother, Jeannie Marie Bilberry, grandparents, Edna Bilberry and John Huffman of Post, a number of aunts and uncles and one sister, Dawn Marie Bilberry of the home.

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Rites held for Etna Jones

Services for Mrs. Buford (Etna) Jones, 76, of Ruidoso, former pioneer Southland area resident, were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church at Slaton.

Mrs. Jones died at 3:45 a.m. Sunday in the Ruidoso-Hondo Valley Hospital.

A native of Hardeman County, she moved to West Texas in 1915. She was married to Buford Jones July 26, 1918, in Southland and was a resident of the Southland area until moving to Ruidoso in 1970.

She was a charter member of the First Baptist Church of Southland and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband; a son, J. B. of Ruidoso; one daughter, Mrs. Olga Mae Grosz of Milwaukee; four sisters, Mrs. Leona Anthony, Mrs. Dollo Langley and Mrs. Easter Belle Briggs, all of Lubbock, and Mrs. Blanche Roland of Tucumcari; two brothers, Son Wood of Truth or Consequences, N.M., and Howard Wood of Slaton; and eight grandchildren.

The Rev. E. K. Shepherd, pastor of the Wilson Baptist church, officiated the funeral service. Burial was in Southland Cemetery under the direction of Englund Funeral Service of Slaton.

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MRS. LARRY KOSLAN
(Arla Nelson)

Nelson-Koslan vows read in Wilson church

Miss Arla Jane Nelson and Larry Edward Koslan were united in marriage in double ring ceremonies Saturday, Sept. 4 at 7 p. m. in the St. Paul Lutheran Church of Wilson.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arlie E. Nelson and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Koslan, both of route 2, Post.

The ceremony was read by the Rev. Richard Rist, pastor of the Wilson church and was assisted by the Rev. Don Neumann, pastor of the Faith Lutheran Church of Post. The altar was decorated with white baskets of gladiolas and greenery, accented with candleabra decorated with white bows and greenery, standing on either side of the altar. The altar bouquet was white carnations and baby's breath.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of all-over white Chantillace, featuring a fitted basque bodice with a high neck of lace. The long full Bishop sleeves fell to a tight fitted cuff. The skirt fell from the waistline into a deep lace flounce which fell to a slipper length hemline in the front. In the back, the gown swept to a chapel length train, softened by the flounce.

Her headpiece was a cathedral length veil in the mantilla style, with matching chantillace edging. She carried white carnations and baby's breath with streamers in rainbow colors.

Carrying out the tradition of something old, she wore a silver crucifix necklace, something new was her dress, something borrowed was a hoop and something blue was a garter. She wore a penny in her shoe for good luck.

Member drive set Sept. 23

The Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce met for its regular meeting Tuesday at noon.

A membership drive was discussed with a tentative date of September 23 set with a luncheon to be held from 11 to 1 p. m. in the new community center.

Placing of the boys from the Boys Ranch was also discussed, with the weekend of Oct. 2 for the boys to be placed in local homes. If anyone is interested in keeping some boys during that weekend, they are asked to contact Betty Posey.

Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 18 and 19 has been set aside for the Texas Swine Influenza Clinic to be held in the new community center from 8 to 5. Registered nurses will be in charge of the clinic.

Members attending the meeting were Marie Neff, Judy McAllister, Vada Clary, Betty Posey, Maxine Marks, and Joy Greer.

Shumard, Mrs. Doyle Fry, Mrs. Larry Ford, Bonnie and Jason, Mrs. Lamar Jones, Mara Lee and Lane, Jennifer and Gentry Owen, Lex Dunn, Lance Alexander, Kim Britton, Sherry Hawley, Randy Lewis and Jayta Ticer.

Pam Rogers of Lubbock served as maid of honor with bridesmaids, Joy Jean Basinger of Southland, Debbie Siler of Eden, Tex., and Sandra Bos-tick, cousin of the bride of Post.

They were attired in identical gowns of frosted voile with flocked roses of rainbow colors of pink, blue, yellow and green. The dresses featured a bodice above the normal waistline with a low round neckline. The sleeves were large puff sleeves. The gathered skirts were accented with large ruffles. They wore matching picture hats, with self tie bands and carried bouquets of rainbow colored daisies and baby's breath with streamers. Their necklaces, were gifts of the bride.

Miss Lisa Nelson, sister of the bride served as flower girl. She was attired in a gown of yellow to match the honor attendants. Lance Bland, cousin of the bride, served as ring bearer and was wearing a white tuxedo with a yellow shirt.

Candles were lighted by Teresa Nelson sister of the bride, and Bonnie Koslan, sister of the groom. Their dresses were matching to those of the attendants.

David Koslan, brother of the groom, served as bestman, with Mike Koslan, brother of the groom, Mark Meaker of Lubbock and Douglas Moerbe of Lubbock, cousins of the groom serving as groomsmen. They wore black tuxedos with rainbow colored shirts.

Randy Thomas and Thomas Moerbe, cousins of the groom were ushers. Wedding music was provided by organist, Twilla Talkmitt, accompanying Margie Pennell, vocalist, who sang, "Let It Be Me" and "The Lord's Prayer."

A reception followed in the Parrish Hall with Carla Nelson sister of the bride registering guests.

The brides' table was laid with a white lace cloth over green, featuring a centerpiece of white daisies and rainbow colored carnations, accented with baby's breath and flanked by rainbow candles.

The bride's cake was four tiered and featured rainbow colors of roses and buds with each tier decorated in bells, doves and the traditional bride and groom. Crystal appointments were used.

The grooms table was draped in blue with a lace overskirt. The centerpiece was a large white candle on a silver base. The bridesmaids' bouquets were used around the candle. The grooms' cake was a double chocolate twin heart shaped cake.

Members of the house party were Shirley Bland and Karen Moerbe, Joan Strofer and Joy Strofer.

For the wedding trip, the bride wore a blue and white two-piece dress.

The couple will reside in Waco where he will attend TSTI.

Out of town guests for the wedding were from Clifton, Stephenville, California, Big Lake, Lubbock, Canyon, Slaton, Post and Tyler.



MRS. KEITH COMER
(Carla Britnell)

Carla Britnell wed to Keith Comer in Kermit

Carla Marie Britnell became the bride of Ronald Keith Comer in ceremonies read at Grace Temple Baptist Church in Kermit, August 28, at 3 p. m.

The bride is the daughter of Toni Britnell of Post and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Comer of Kermit.

The Rev. Bob Fagan, minister, read the ceremony before an archway decorated with white daisies, white wedding bells, blue satin bows and greenery.

The bride given in marriage by her great uncle, Carl H. Barker, her namesake, wore a gown made by her mother and aunt. The dress was floor length white satin, featuring a scoop neckline, long sleeves and bodice, and cuffs trimmed with rosebud lace and accented with hand sewn tiny seed pearls. Her veil accented with hand sewn lace and pearls was waist length of illusion chiffon. She carried a bouquet of white daisies and baby's breath with blue and white satin streamers.

The traditional something old was a pearl drop earring necklace belonging to the bride's maternal great-grandmother, approximately 90 years old, pearl earrings were new, she borrowed a penny from her brother and wore it in her shoe and wore the traditional blue garter trimmed in lace and tiny white lace butterflies.

The bride honored her mother and the mother of the groom by presenting them with long stemmed American beauty roses, signifying the joining of families.

Miss De Ann Loehmen, cousin of the bride of Odessa served as Maid of Honor.

She was attired in a floor length powder blue sateen knit dress with the bodice trimmed in white lace and featuring a v-neck. She wore a white lace picture hat, and carried a bouquet of white daisies trimmed with blue and white streamers.

Don Holaman of Kermit served as best man with Eddie Britnell, brother of the bride of Post and Terry Knighton of Kermit serving as ushers.

Liz Horner of Kermit accompanied Cathy Bickle as she sang "Wedding Song" and "We've Only Just Begun."

A reception followed in the church fellowship hall. Following a wedding trip to the Dallas-Fort Worth area the couple will be at home at 508 Apt. B West Austin, Kermit, Texas, where the groom is employed by the Republic Supply Co., in Kermit.

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Engagement is told at Dalby ranch party

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Dalby had an announcement party for their daughter, Rebecca Lynn, and John Whitely, State Representative, on Monday evening at their home on the Cross H Ranch. The engagement of the couple and wedding plans for December were announced.

Guests were greeted by Judge Mrs. Dalby and presented their daughter and Mr. Whitely, his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, and his father, Mr. Whitely, all of Houston.

Gary Hall of Lubbock led at the bride's book and 275 guests registered for the evening. Mrs. Beth Gannon, sister of the bride, and Miss Phyllis Gannon of Lubbock were other members of the houseparty.

A buffet supper was served the dining table featuring arrangement of yellow punch and cupcakes were served to the honoree, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Shumard, Tommy

and white chrysanthemums, and other fall arrangements were used throughout the house.

Dance music was provided on the patio by the West Texas Sand Band of Lubbock.

Special guests for the occasion included Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parrish of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Floyd, grandparents of the honoree, and Mrs. Patti Driskell of Dallas, sister of the prospective bridegroom.

Out-of-town guests came from Lubbock, Dallas, Hereford, Houston, Knox City, Slaton, Snyder and Lamesa.

Stacy Shumard honored on birthday

Stacy Shumard was honored with a party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shumard on her sixth birthday, Saturday, Aug. 28.

A frontier and western theme was carried out in the table decorations and cake. Cherry punch and cupcakes were served to the honoree, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Shumard, Tommy

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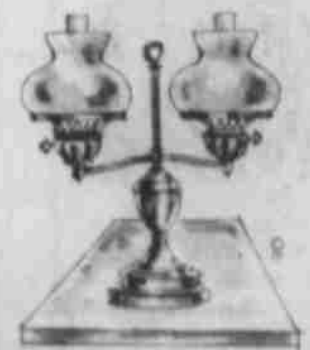
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Research begins for possible Crosbyton solar energy plant

LUBBOCK — A new contract signed by Texas Tech University and the national Energy Research and Development Agency (ERDA) could make the Texas town of Crosbyton a household word in a nation hungry for moderately priced energy.

The contract calls for total research funding of about \$2.4 million but leading to the possibility of funding up to \$22 million for the construction of a solar energy plant. It would serve the city of Crosbyton but also be a prototype for future energy systems for other small towns or agricultural areas. The research is organized into steps, the first of which costs between \$658,000 and \$879,000.

Crosbyton's population is 2,314. It is on the edge of the Texas Panhandle, on the South Plains of West Texas, where clear sky days average about 163 per year and the partly cloudy days are likely to account for another 104. A major reason for its selection as the possible site for a prototype solar energy plant was its early reaction to the energy crisis. Officials of the town approached Texas Tech University engineering faculty with a request for help. The ERDA contract is an outgrowth of that request.

Working with Texas Tech faculty in the research will be E-Systems, Inc., of Dallas.

Principal investigators are two members of the Texas Tech electrical engineering faculty, Drs. John D. Reichert, the project director, and Stanley R. Liberty, project manager. Liberty is also a director of the Institute for Energy Research in the college of engineering and an associate dean of the Graduate School.

E-Systems, as a subcontractor, will assist with both research and construction phases of the project if actual construction is the route chosen, Reichert said.

The first step of the contract signed this week (week of Aug. 29) covers a 10-month period with a review at the end of six months, according to Reichert and Liberty. If research results are positive at the end of six months, the project will move forward toward construction of a prototype for the solar energy plant.

If research results indicate that the original project design could not succeed, it will be documented for future researchers, phased out, and alternate sources of energy will be sought for Crosbyton.

It is the review provision which accounts for the contract range of ERDA support in the first step, amounting to \$658,212 if initial research gives negative answers and \$879,710 if the project is moving forward toward actual construction of a prototype solar energy system.

A major review at the end of 10 months will determine if the

second step of funding will take place and the project develop toward completion of the entire solar energy system.

"Because Texas Tech faculty have other commitments, including regular teaching loads, and because this is an unusually large and complex project," Reichert said, "E-Systems will furnish corollary work as a subcontractor."

Dr. Yudi P. Gupta, director of energy programs for E-Systems will be the project director for that company and Robert Walters will be project manager for E-Systems.

Other Texas Tech faculty involved in the project at this time are associated with the departments of electrical, chemical, civil and mechanical engineering, geosciences and mathematics. Additional disciplines probably will become involved later, the engineers said. Travis L. Simpson will be administrative coordinator.

Initially, research will re-

quire gathering and analysis of site data. There will be studies of soil and wind at Crosbyton, the frequency and velocity of dust storms which might damage a solar mirror, the frequency of cloud or dust cover which could reduce the availability of solar energy, and other factors important to the success of the venture.

The concept involved in the Crosbyton project is more than a century old, but it has unique features which promise highly practical results, Reichert said. The approach proposed for the project is the Fixed Mirror-Distributed Focus (FMDF) concept, while most other systems call for the use of reflectors which move with the sun and focus its rays on one hot spot.

The FMDF — with the focus of the sun's rays distributed across the collector as the sun moves — is expected to be less costly than the more commonly proposed systems. It is being designed to feed solar energy,

converted to electrical energy, into the power system Crosbyton already has.

The research will include a study of the interface between solar and fossil fuel systems in order that electrical frequencies, energy loads and all other elements can be matched to make the two systems work in

harmony. The look of the system will be something like a partially sunken football stadium with an east-west alignment and bleachers removed on the south side. The remaining "bleacher and playing area" would encompass the solar collector. Because of its appearance Reichert refers

to it as a "solar gridiron." "The high cost for this prototype," Reichert said, "will be the result, in part, of the research and design costs and first-of-a-kind hardware. We

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SUNDAY GUESTS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ray Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Mason of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mason Jr., and girls of Friona, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Matthies and Sandra of Post.

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By VIVA DAVIS
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of Lubbock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ambers Parrish. Sunday visitors of Mrs. Pearl Wallace were Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Tucker, Bobby and Joy of Lubbock and Mrs. Carl Millett of Albuquerque, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Drake and children of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gossett met their daughter, Mrs. Jason Justice and a friend in Lubbock where they ate lunch and visited one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClellan and Mrs. Willie Mason returned home last Monday from a visit in Laverne, Okla., with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Maxey and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Oakley and family spent the holiday weekend in El Paso with Mr.

and Mrs. Franklin Maxey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mason and family and Mrs. Willie Mason visited Saturday night in Pecos. They attended a 60th wedding anniversary in Monahan for Lewis's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lewis on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel White, Steve and Keitha Beth were Sunday dinner guests of the Silas Shorts. Everett Hufford who will soon be going to Israel with his wife and small daughters was a supper guest of the Shorts.

Mrs. Pete Hays visited Sunday afternoon with the Carl Fluitts. Sunday evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Fluit and Joy of Morton, Mr. and

Mrs. Elmo Bush and Mrs. Harold Reno and granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Benton of Irving, Jerry Johnson, Mrs. Innis Thuet, and Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson were visitors last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wagoner Johnson. Mrs. Innis Thuet returned home in Post last Monday after a stay with Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Williams, David and Joe Barr visited in Odessa Sunday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gilbow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Goff and two children, Jake Goff of Lubbock visited Mrs. Mary Ethridge last Sunday. Paul Wheatley and Daymon Ethridge visited a short while, the men were hunting birds.

Johnnie Rogers and Murphy Lee met two of Mrs. Rogers niece's in Brownfield last Sunday and visited a while. They were from Lovington, N. M.

A group of the Close relatives met in the Bobby Cowdrey home Sunday afternoon and helped Mrs. Mary Peel cele-

brate her birthday a little early. The group enjoyed home made ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wallace of Pecos visited Saturday afternoon with his grandmother Mrs. Pearl Wallace.

The Graham HD club met Sept. 3 in the center for the first meeting after vacation. Roll call was answered with "How I Spent My Summer". The council report was given by the president, Loucille Morris.

Xie Collins, Home Service Advisor for Southwestern Public Service of Lubbock presented the program on food preparation.

The group met at 10 a. m., and helped prepare the food and also helped eat it at noon. Eight members, the agent, Paula Cawthon and Xie Collins were present.

CATCHES FIRST FISH

Miss Lisa Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, went on her first fishing trip over the Labor Day Weekend. She caught two sand trout while fishing with her grandfather in the Gulf of Mexico.

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Greenbug resistant sorghums are among several featured research highlights of this year's annual field day of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

The event will be Tuesday, Sept. 14, at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Halfway, 14 miles west of Plainview on Highway 70.

Dr. Charles R. Ward, research entomologist, and Dr. Jerry Johnson, sorghum breeder who has been instrumental in developing greenbug resistant breeding lines, will be on hand to discuss this year's studies. Both Ward and Johnson are research scientists based at the Lubbock Experiment Station which is co-hosting the special occasion.

Several experimental greenbug resistant hybrids produced by Johnson as well as numerous commercial hybrids will be

available for public viewing during the field day, says Ward. Gene Latham, Hale County Extension Service entomologist, and Dr. William (Pat) Morrison, area entomologist for the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Lubbock, also will be on hand to discuss greenbug resistant sorghums. They will be stationed three miles down the road (Highway 70), east of Halfway, at a research demonstration-planting of greenbug sorghums. These sorghums are located on the north side of the road, Ward says.

"During four stops of the station's research plots, results from nine studies conducted to find alternative chemicals for controlling the greenbug in sorghum will be discussed," says Ward. "The excellent performance of Lorsban, a new chemical insecticide used in ground and aerial tests against the greenbug, also will be featured."

Ward adds that attention also will be focused on another major sorghum pest, the Banks grass mite, during four discussions. In several chemical control studies, researchers failed to obtain control of the grass mite with any of the registered products on the market. The failure of chemical control techniques, he adds, stresses the importance of research being conducted at several locations to screen sorghum and corn genotypes for resistance to damage by the mites.

"One such study, a planting of 172 commercially available corn hybrids and 38 inbred corn lines, is being conducted at Halfway," Ward notes. "Eddie Bynum and Terry Mitchell, entomology research assistants will be available at these plots to answer questions. A smaller test of several sorghums that have indicated resistance to the mite in previous studies can be viewed at that site also," he adds.

A recent innovation in weed control equipment is proving effective in controlling johnsongrass, a weed pest that inundates the Texas High Plains, reports a Texas Agricultural Experiment Station scientist at Halfway.

The innovation is the recirculating sprayer, a device attached to tractors which is used to kill weeds which are taller than the crop.

The sprayer is one of several featured highlights of the upcoming field day next Tuesday, Sept. 14.

Dr. John Abernathy, TAES scientist who heads up weed control research for the Lubbock Experiment Station which is co-hosting the field day, says the recirculating sprayer has given in research tests excellent johnsongrass control in cotton and soybeans at a cost of less than two dollars per acre.

"The sprayer is in commercial production now," says Abernathy, "and is locally available. Several commercial units will be displayed during field day activities."

Guests will see experimental tests using the recirculating sprayer in such studies as chemical roging of sorghum, johnsongrass and shattercane control in sorghum, whiteweed control in skip row, and volunteer sunflower control.

In addition, prairie sunflower, rough blackfoot, cottonweed, nutsedge, lanceleaf sage, and oakleaf thornapple, along with other existing weeds will be viewed from an identification and control standpoint in various crops, notes the researcher.

"A considerable amount of crop injury from herbicide use has been observed this season," he says. "We will explain the latest data on how much residual herbicide is required to cause injury to rotational crops as well as some specific herbicide injury problems in corn."

Abernathy adds that research over the last three years has shown wide differences in crop response to certain herbicides. He says some specific crop varieties are much more tolerant than others to various herbicides.

Hospital Notes

Those admitted to Garza Memorial Hospital since Tuesday of last week were:
 Mina Tarrant, obstetrical
 Alice Parsons, medical
 Dismissed
 Antonio Pedrosa
 Ray Bagby
 Marva Rainbolt
 Robert Hardin
 Mina Tarrant

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. David Tarrant of Spur announce the birth of a son, Damin Douglas, born Thursday, Sept. 2 in Garza Memorial Hospital at 11:44 p. m., weighing 7 lbs., 10 oz.

An old superstition says that if a girl sleeps with amiror under her pillow, she will dream of what her future husband looks like

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Lopes' defense wins opener, 12 to 8, over Lockney

Interception and fumble set up two touchdowns

The defense just about did it all Friday night as Coach Jackie Brown's Post Antelopes opened a new football season with a 12 to 8 victory over the Lockney Longhorns at Lockney.

Defenders set up both Lope touchdowns with a pass interception to the Horn 6 and a fumble recovery on the Lockney 4.

Not only that but the defense, aided by the excellent punting of Guard Buddy Britton, held the bigger Horns outside the Post 32 all night except for a 52-yard pass play which brought the home team's only score.

And on that one Defensive Halfback Rodney Teaff fell down covering Split End Allen Sterling about to receive the pass from Quarterback Glen Lane on Post's 30.

Allen had only to pluck the ball out of the air and ramble on in for the tying touchdown with two minutes left in the first half.

Lockney, apparently feeling safer relaying on Lane's southpaw passing than anybody's kicking toe, then went for two conversion points and made it on a quick throw across the middle to Flanker Ricky Hrbacek for an 8-6 intermission lead.

Post put the game's first points on the board with 10:17 left in the second period when Lockney backed by a good punt and two penalties to its six-yard-line tried a surprise pass.

The pass was picked off by Raymie Holly and returned to the Lockney six. Halfback Randy Baker took it in on a pitchout around right end on the first play for six points.

Britton, who handles all the kicking chores for the Lopes this year, missed the conversion kick into the wind, the ball sailing slightly to the right.

Post's winning touchdown came early in the fourth period after the Lopes had been held on downs on Lockney's four, driving there from the Lockney 30 after a Horn punt had sailed straight up in the air on fourth down for no gain.

On Lockney's first scrimmage play, and the last play of the third period, Horn Quarterback Lane was smeared by the center of the Lope line while taking a handoff, fumbled with Tackle Danny Saldivar recovering.

On the play, Lane was injured and removed from the game. He later was taken from the field by ambulance to a Lubbock hospital for examination for a possible neck injury.

After the Lopes gained a yard on the first play, Fullback Perry Rogers rammed over left tackle for the winning score.

This time, Post went for a two-point conversion play and Quarterback Brad Shepherd's pass fell incomplete.

The stout, alert Lope defense was doubly important because the new offense never really got untracked.

Lope backs had difficulty finding any holes in the big Lockney line and Quarterback Brad Shepherd was sacked several times trying to pass as the Horns swarmed all over him.

Shepherd possibly wound up with the most rushing yards of the Post backs — if you didn't count his "sack losses" — when he started going outside and inside on keepers in the second half, twice breaking away for first downs and on another occasion having another good gainer wiped out by a 15-yard clipping penalty.

Lockney had the best of the offensive statistics, picking up 197 yards rushing, losing 31 for a net of 166, with 13 first downs, and 3 of 13 passes completed for 83 yards.

Post had 102 yards rushing, losing 42 mostly on "sacks," for a net of 60, made six first downs, completed two of five passes for 41 yards.

The alert Lopes recovered four Longhorn fumbles and intercepted four Lockney passes. This meant in the passing department when Lockney put

the ball in the air, Post came down with it more times — four — than Lockney did — three.

Quarterback Shepherd was intercepted only once but that resulted in a 17 yard gain, thanks to the alertness of the Lopes.

On the play, the Lockney safety, Clint Riddle, intercepted a long throw intended for Split End Evans Heaton. He returned it 20 yards, but fumbled when tackled and the Lopes pounced on the loose ball on the Lockney 38.

On another occasion, End Matt Allison recovered a Lockney fumble on the Horn 27 right after Post had scored the game's first touchdown.

Three plays netted nothing and Britton was short — but not by too much — on an accurate 44-yard field goal try with the ball going down on the Lockney 34.

Another big fumble recovery stopped a desperate Horn drive in the fourth period which had

Post	Lockney stats.	Lockney
6	First Downs	13
102	Yards Rushing	197
42	Yards Lost	31
60	Net Yds Rushing	166
5	Passes Attempted	13
2	Passes Completed	3
41	Yds. Passing	83
4	Passes Int. by	1
7	Punts	5
42	Punting Ave.	20
5	Penalties	8
55	Yds. Penalized	74
2	Fumbles Lost	4

traveled 55 yards to the Post 32 after the Lopes had gone ahead.

Linebacker Rogers covered this loose ball to end the thrust with 2:35 to play, but it took the Lopes' fourth pass interception with 28 seconds to play to seal the victory.

Sub quarterback Billy Sesson, who went in when Lane was injured, threw long from his own 30. Heaton picked it off 38 yards downfield on the Post 32 for his second interception of the game.

Jimmy Dorland scored the other theft for the Post secondary which last year piled up quite a steal record on opposition throwers.

Certainly one sound aspect of the new Antelope Club, besides its defense, is its kicking game with Britton handling punts, kickoffs and field goal and conversion kicks — the works.

With a breeze at his back Friday night, he sailed his first effort high over the heads of the Horn secondary for a 70-yard effort which put Lockney in a hole on its 14.

He lost another 70-yard breeze-helped punt later in the game due to a penalty on the play, but all told kicked seven times for a very respectable 42 yard average, with half or more of those kicks into the wind.

Britton also had enough leg to come close on his 44-yard field goal try.

Linebacker Baker, not only scored one TD and got off a couple of good runs on offense, but he hit hard on defense too — getting the "tackle of the night" when he hit Halfback Joe McDonald who was coming full speed through an apparent wide open tackle hole. McDunald went down on his back and wasn't effective as a yard-maker after the play.

Post came out of the game with no reported injuries.

Coach Brown said he was "proud of the team effort" but added that the club has a lot of work to do to improve its attack.

Macy's filly is runnerup

Bob Macy was at Santa Fe Downs Sunday afternoon to see his two-year-old thoroughbred filly, Even More So, finish second in the \$26,000 Silver Stakes.

His other thoroughbred, Pollyammy, won a six furlough race Monday afternoon in the closing racing program at the Santa Fe Track.



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NEW COACH — Pictured above is Keith Gast new Southland High School football coach.

Caprock golf tourney is Sept. 18-19

The annual Caprock Club Golf Tournament is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 18 and 19.

Four flights of tourney play are planned with the first 18-hole medal play round determining the flights and the 18-hole Sunday round completing flight play.

Entry fee for the tourney is \$10.

Between 35 and 40 golfers are expected.

Besides two days of play this includes a 7:30 o'clock Saturday night barbecue at the Caprock clubhouse which will follow a long driving contest and a putting contest for tourney players. The barbecue is for both players and their wives.

Winner of each flight will receive a trophy and \$10. Runners-up each get \$10 and third place flight finishers \$7.50.

Sidelines

By JIM CORNISH

Coach Bobby Davis notched his first AAA victory at Corpus Christi Calallen Friday night, just as Coach Brown picked up his first win as a high school head coach with the Antelopes victory at Lockney.

Davis's Calallen club scored an easy 39 to 0 victory over Mathis, picked to finish last in District 30AAA this season. Calallen is rated fourth in District 15AAA this season coming off an 8-1-1 season a year ago.

One high school rule change this year fans may not be aware of which will make a whale of a difference when called in the 15 yard penalty on roughing the passer.

If the pass is completed on the play in which the roughing penalty is called the 15 yards are marked off from where the play ends after the pass completion, not the line of scrimmage.

Junior Varsity smothers Cooper 44-0 in opener

Coach Jerry Reynolds' Post Junior Varsity opened its season here Thursday night with an easy 44 to 0 victory over Cooper's JV's who never once threatened Post's goal line.

The locals rolled up 361 yards rushing and completed the only pass thrown, a 30-yarder from Quarterback Bryan Compton to Dale Redman.

On defense, they intercepted four Cooper passes and recovered three visitors' fumbles to completely dominate the game.

In the first period, Post drove 57 yards for a tally the first time it got the ball with Halfback Tim Morris getting the last two yards and the TD on a dive play. Leslie Looney's conversion kick was blocked.

Compton got the second touchdown on an 18-yard run and Halfback Mike Holly got two conversion points on a dive play to make it 14-0.

Fullback Darrell Reece added the third touchdown, getting the last two yards, with Looney

booting the point to make it 21-0.

Halfback Morris got his second TD on a four-yard dive play and Looney converted to make it 28-0 at the halftime intermission.

In the third period, Post drove 58 yards the first time it got the ball with Morris scoring for the third time on an 8 or four yard dive play. Looney's conversion kick was wide.

On the next series, Post's drive was stopped inside Cooper's 20, so Looney banged a 29-yard field goal through the uprights for three.

In the last quarter, Wingback Shawn Scott got the final score, racing 22 yards for the TD. Looney converted for his sixth "toe point" of the night.

Carlos Varela intercepted two Cooper passes and Steve Shedd and Shawn Scott one each.

The junior varsity will journey to Lockney today to meet the Lockney JV's tonight. They expect an entirely different kind of ball game.

IN CLASS AA HEADLINER

Slaton picked over Dimmitt

What the binoculars see this week is the distinct possibility of being wiped out of the football forecasting business this weekend because so many of the picks are so tough.

Remember, your Dispatch prognosticator is on record as promising to retire the Friday night he falls below .500 in guessing the outcome of games involving the Post Antelopes and their nine seasonal opponents.

Right now, your prognosticator is sporting a "questionable" .777 correct percentage, which will be explained later, but here are your nine Friday night specials.

POST at Coahoma: We're staying with a winner, hopeful the Lopes soon will come up with an offense to go with their defense.

LOCKNEY at Friona: The big Longhorns will win if little quarterback Glen Lane is healthy, and maybe they can do it if he isn't.

Canyon at FLOYDADA: One of the real toughies. The Winds look to be a real "class" AA club and are going against an AAA squad which dropped its opener to AAAA Lubbock Monterey Saturday night, which makes it really hard to figure.

SWEETWATER at Colorado City: Here's another AAA vs. AA matchup but we're going this time with the AAA club which beat Breckenridge, 14-6 last week while Colorado City was failing to score in a three-TD loss to Slaton.

PLAINS at Tahoka: There is an A vs. AA confrontation with Plains rated as one of the

state's top ten clubs in Class A and coming off a very convincing 39 to 0 thumping of Morton in its opener.

Cooper at MULESHOE: Both teams dropped their openers, but the Mules lost to Portales 15 to 7, while Cooper was being swatted by Class A Ralls 31-13.

Dimmitt at SLATON: Here's the big AA game of the night between the district 3AAA and SAA favorites. Dimmitt was clobbering Crosbyton 36-6 while the Tigers were slamming District 6AA favorite Colorado City, 21-0. The Tigers have the homefield advantage which is worth a touchdown — and maybe, also, our district pride shows through.

Crosbyton at ROOSEVELT: The Eagles, who took Lorenzo 19-6 last week, shouldn't have to much difficulty with the Class A Chiefs.

FRENSHIP at Lorenzo: Who knows really?

Denver City at KERMIT: Kermit has dropped from AAA to AA classification this year and is favored to win District 7AA over such toughies as Ozona, Crane and Sonora. It's hard to pick against the Mustangs though.

Your grid picker had six right, two wrong, and one tie last week (Coahoma's 6-6 standoff with Wall, a tough Class A club.)

He explains "the house" always has some advantage in gambling so football forecasters deserve the benefit of all ties — because they are not losses — so he figured that one a "win."

His pick of Floydada over Friona, which turned out to be

Lope squad generally in good shape for Coahoma road trip

Coach Jackie Brown's Post Antelopes are in good physical shape for their second Friday night out of town in a row when they travel to Coahoma to play the rugged Coahoma Bulldogs of District 6AA.

The only "hurt" worth mentioning from the Lockney opener was a ruptured finger tendon suffered by End Mike Waldrip.

Wingback Randall Wyatt, who didn't get into the Longhorn game, remains a doubtful starter this week. Coach Brown reported, because of an ankle sprain suffered three weeks ago.

Coahoma and Wall tied 6-6 in their opener at Wall last week, but Wall happens to be such a highly regarded Class A school it is ranked No. 4 in the state. So that doesn't take anything away from the Bulldogs.

Coahoma this year returns six defensive and four offensive starters and will have a more experienced squad than that which the Lopes defeated here a year ago.

The Bulldogs also have a quarterback who can throw, Brown reports. He said the Bulldogs run out of both the wishbone and the I-slot formations.

The Post mentor attributed the lack of Lope offense more to the Lockney defense than the inabilities of the Post club to make the new offense go last Friday night.

"They had really big tackles in there and made it tough," Brown declared.

He said he expects the Lope attack to improve from week to week.

As for the defense, he credited the Lope tacklers with knocking the ball loose on those four Lockney fumbles which were the turning points in the game.

"They just didn't drop the ball," he said Tuesday. "We knocked it loose."

He credited the entire defense unit with good play, but noted that errors were made and improvement expected. He singled out junior linebacker Raymie Holly, for praise as fast improving. Holly made the interception to set up the first Post touchdown against Lockney.

Brown also had praise for the Lope specialty teams. He explained the coaches are trying to use as many younger players as possible on kickoffs and punt coverage to both give them experience and save a lot

a 31 to 0 smashing for the Winds, didn't get in the paper. He thinks the typesetter must have lost her concentration and left it out, although he concedes he might have been guilty in the typing. Anyway, he claims that one too.

of running for the players who right now are seeing a lot of "both ways action" and get little rest on the sidelines.

"Our coverage was very good," he pointed out.

The Post mentor expects to start about the same lineup as opened against Lockney.

On offense this includes: Brad Shepherd at quarterback, Randy Baker and Butch Booth at halfbacks and Perry Rogers at fullback; Matt Allison and Evans Heaton at ends, Danny

Saldivar and Casey Zachary at tackles; Buddy Britton and Mike Babb at guards and Kirkpatrick at center.

The defensive unit will feature Britton at left end, Saldivar left tackle, Babb at nose guard, Zachary at right tackle, probably Steve Davis at right end; Baker and Rogers, line backers; Allison at rover in the secondary; Rodney Teaff, halfback, Heaton at safety and Dorland at cornerback.

Eighth Graders wallop Cooper 40-0 on road

Coach Mickey Long used all 37 players on his eighth grade football squad last Thursday night as the Post team opened its season on the Cooper gridiron with an easy 40-0 victory.

Fullback Gary Baker, a younger brother of Post Varsity starter Randy Baker, was the scoring star of the evening with three touchdowns and two conversion point runs for a total of 22 points.

This is the way the scoring went:

Baker rammed five yards to cap a drive for the first touchdown with Wingback Lance Dunn getting the conversion points on a run.

Dunn tallied the second

and Fullback Noel Pena ran the two conversion points.

Pena then got the third touchdown on a 13-yard run. Baker slashed in for two conversion points to make it 20 to 0.

Baker broke away off tackle for a 40-yard scoring run. Quarterback Drew Kirkpatrick got the two-point conversion.

Baker then wound things up with his third touchdown, a 10-yard burst and ran in the conversion points.

Post fans who don't drive out-of-town games will get the first opportunity to see the eighth graders in action when they meet Lockney Antelope Stadium with a 7:30 m. kickoff.

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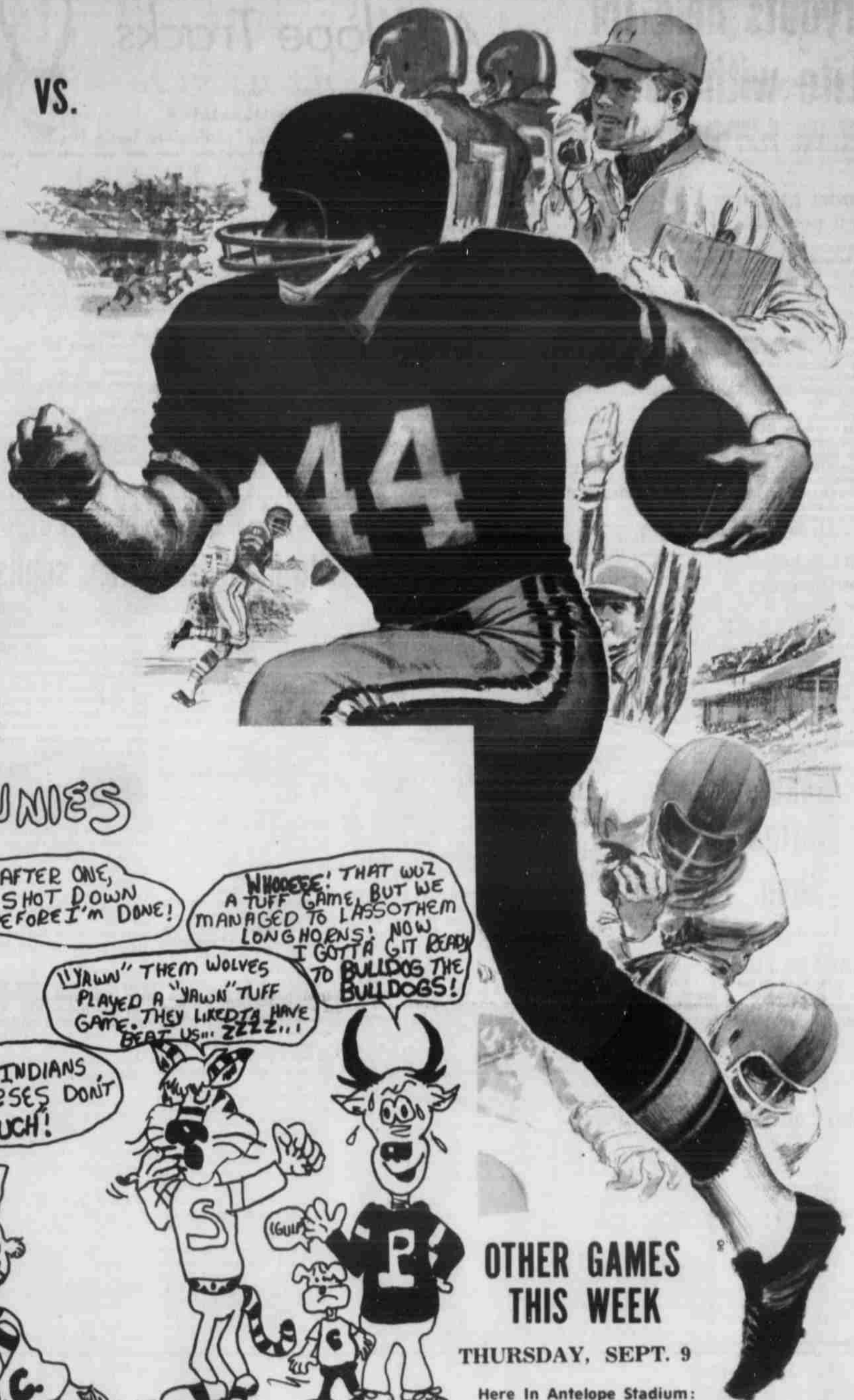
AT COAHOMA

8 P.M. Friday,
Sept. 10

This one will be the home opener for the Coahoma Bulldogs after a disappointing 6-6 tie with tough Class A Wall at Wall last Friday night. Which means the Bulldogs will be victory hungry.

The Post Antelopes have yet to develop any consistency in their new attack but in defeating Lockney exhibited a stout defense and plenty of individual ability.

All in all it shapes up as a slam-bang type of a game which the breaks may decide. The Lopes capitalized on fumbles, interceptions and their kicking game to defeat Lockney. They may need more than that this week.



FOOTBALL-FONNIES



OTHER GAMES THIS WEEK

THURSDAY, SEPT. 9

Here in Antelope Stadium:

5:30 p.m. Seventh graders vs. Lockney

7:30 p.m. Eighth graders vs. Lockney

At Lockney:

5:30 p.m. Post Freshmen Vs. Lockney

7:30 p.m. Post JVs vs. Lockney JVs.

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Tryouts held for 'Life with Father'

The Drama Club held its second meeting of the year last Wednesday. The meeting was called to decide on the

all-school play. The play that the Drama Club chose was "Life With Father" by Clarence Day.

Junior high has first pep rally

The Junior High School held a pep rally last Thursday to encourage the 7th and 8th grade football teams on to a winning streak.

The cheerleaders, Deann Ammons, Lana Dunn, Holly Giddens, Marinette Hays and Stella Harper, kept the spirit going by doing different chants and yells.

The Post Junior High Band played tunes while Missy Beauchamp, Jana Terry and Charla Williams did their twirling routines.

This was the Junior High's first pep rally of the season and the enthusiasm was spreading like wildfire. Let's get behind these people and spirit the 7th and 8th grade football teams on to a winning streak.

Dance set at youth center

There will be a dance in the new Youth Center Saturday, Sept. 11 from 8:30 to 11:30 p. m., with "Nothing Fancy" band playing.

Admission will be \$2 per person, but with a membership card admission will be \$1.50.

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Eagle Roundup

Southland School News

Classes Elect Favorites

Class favorites were elected last week. Senior favorites are Joy Basinger and Junior Buxkemper; junior favorites are Mary Valdez and Frankie Valdez; sophomore favorites are Carmen Diaz and Jay Callaway; and freshman favorites are Debra Crawford and Sherman Daugherty.

Class Officers

High school class officers for the 1976-77 school year have also been elected. Senior officers are Junior Buxkemper, president; John Chaffin, vice-president; and Joy Basinger, secretary-treasurer. Junior class officers are Frankie Valdez, president; Steve Valdez, vice-president; and Nathan Wheeler, secretary-treasurer. Sophomore officers are Jay Callaway, president; Berry Alvis, vice-president; Elaine Buxkemper, secretary and Katrina Chaffin, treasurer.

Junior high and elementary favorites and officers will be listed next week.

Yearbook Staff is Selected

Chip Boreing is the editor of the 1977 Eagle's Nest yearbook. Curt Wheeler is assistant editor, and Joy Basinger is secretary-treasurer. The seniors, who sponsor the annual have been selling ads in Slaton, Post, Wilson and Southland.

Jerry Clark, Taylor Publishing Co., representative, met with the seniors Sept. 1 to help the seniors select covers and end sheets and to discuss business matters. The yearbooks will be published next August.

Yearbooks sales for the 1977 annuals will begin Tuesday, Sept. 14 and continue through the following Tuesday, Sept. 21. Annuals may be purchased then for the full price of \$6 or \$3.50 down with the other \$3.50 to be paid in May.

School Pictures

School pictures will be made Monday, Sept. 13, beginning at 9 a. m. In addition to individual class pictures, other pictures are scheduled to be made, including the faculty, school employees, board members, football pictures and some group pictures.

Mark Twain Assembly

A Mark Twain assembly is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 16 at 1 p. m. in the school auditorium. There will be no admission charge.

Football Schedule

High School Sept. 3, Patton Springs, there, 8 p. m.; Sept. 10, McCauley, there, 8 p. m.; Sept. 17, Bethel School, Carlbad, here, 8 p. m.; Sept. 24, Cotton Center, here, 8 p. m.; Oct. 1, Whittharrel, there, 8 p. m.

First high school pep rally is sensation

The first pep rally of the year was a sensation Friday. The spirit was high and everyone was ready to begin another year of high-powered yelling.

The pep rally got off to a good start with the Antelopes coming in to the fight song. When everything had died down the cheerleaders began their chants and everyone joined in. Then the band played a feature tune and the twirlers began their routine while the whole student body got up and cheered — BEAT LOCKNEY!

Coach Jackie Brown gave

this year's opening speech and you might have called it "short and sweet", but the cheering nearly blew the roof off the gymnasium when he got through.

Next came the spirit stick with each class yelling it's loudest. Miss Morris, this week's spirit judge, chose the seniors over all. The school song ended the rally and you could feel the pride through every inch of the gymnasium.

What a way to start off a football season — WOW!

Scott Walker, Matt Lemon to head freshmen, sophs

The freshman and sophomore classes held their elections for class officers this past week. The freshman class officers

are Scott Walker, president; Donna Baumann, vice-president; Carolyn Pringler, secretary-treasurer; and student council representatives, Meg Reed and Daniel Morrow.

Matt Lemon will be heading the sophomore class along with Darrell Reese, vice-president; Sylvia Curtis, secretary-treasurer; Belinda Fluit, reporter; and student council representatives, Jack Moore and Lisa Cowdrey.

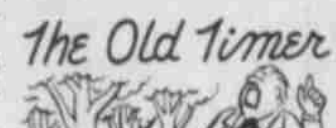
The junior and senior classes elected their 76-77 class officers at the end of the last school year. These people began their jobs at the end of last year.

The junior class officers are Sharon Johnson, president; Donna Josey, vice-president; Raymie Holly, secretary-treasurer; Karla Kennedy, reporter; and student council representatives, Gloria Martinez and Cindy Kirkpatrick and Bruce Waldrup.

Mark Kirkpatrick will be serving as senior class president along with Steve White, vice president; Kim Lott, secretary; Matt Allison, treasurer and Darlene Gunn, reporter.

The newly elected senior student council representatives are Christie Conner, Kyle Duren, and Karen Williams.

Each class officer is planning to do a fine job this year. So everyone get behind these people and give them all the encouragement you can.



"After all is said and done, more is said than done."

Teach kids how to survive fire at home

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Fire Prevention week is October 3-9. This is the first of a five-part series by Dr. Gary S. Nelson, safety engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, designed to help parents teach their children and themselves how to survive a house fire.)

children how to survive a fire. In the fifth part of this series, a final "rookie" examination will be presented to determine whether your children qualify as "firemen."

The first drill is "Meet the Fire Chief". In this drill, the entire family called the "fire department staff," gets together

her to make escape plans. "fire chief" is elected to draw rough diagram of the house, asks the other "firemen" help map out two separate escape routes from every room in the house. There must be a main route, and in case that is blocked, an alternate. Special attention to escape from bedrooms where fire most likely to trap you. Depend much on stairways. These are often flooded with heat and deadly smoke, making passage impossible.

Your best escape route through a window, perhaps that opens into a garage or porch roof. Even if you get to the ground from the you can usually wait safely the fresh air for rescue. Or could use a sturdy trellis commercially available fire escape ladder either portable permanently installed. A bed rope might be all right athletic youngsters if they down hand over hand instead sliding.

Decide on who will help young children or the elderly the family and where you meet after the escape, so no risks going back in for someone who is already safe.

A youngster may want draw his own copy of a fire-escape plans and regulations to put on a bulletin board in his room.

Part 2 of this series deals with two of six drills designed to teach children how to survive a fire.

New air force recruiter here

ARLINGTON, TEX. — SSgt. Jim McCullough has recently been assigned as the Air Force Recruiting representative for the Post area. A three-year veteran of recruiting duty in Sherman, Tex., Sergeant McCullough is a July 1973 graduate of the USAF Recruiter Course, and is well qualified to present the facts about Air Force career opportunities to young men and women.

Sergeant McCullough has eight years service in the Air Force. He has been an aircraft propeller repairman, and has had assignments in Texas, Virginia, Georgia, the Philippine Islands, England, Vietnam and Thailand.

Sergeant McCullough is a native of Springdale, Ark. He is married and has one son and one daughter.

Sergeant McCullough's office is located at 4206 50th St., in Lubbock. Persons interested in Air Force career opportunities or information are invited to call him collect at 762-7601.

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The Cavern is naturally air conditioned at 56 degrees, which might make for a cool day at the beach, but it's perfect for walking if you're wearing a light sweater. The complete walk-in trip begins at the Cavern's natural entrance near the visitor center and usually takes two and a half to three hours. But if you'd like, you can linger there, admiring the delicate formations, until the departure time of the last elevator. Everyone must depart by elevator. The visitor center is located seven miles west of Highway 62-180 at the end of State Route 7, 27 miles southwest of Carlsbad, N. M. and 150 miles east of El Paso, Tex.

The park is a Designated Fee Area and the visitor center is the place to pay the daily entrance fee of \$3 for private non-commercial vehicle or \$1 per person for those arriving by commercial carrier. Golden Eagle and Golden Age passports are honored. Start your walk-in trip anytime between 8 a. m. and 3:15 p. m. daily during the winter and for a longer period during the summer, depending on the availability of staffing. And if you don't think you can handle the walk-in, go down in the elevator for the Big Room tour. The first mile and a half of the walk-in trip features an 830 foot descent, then an 80 foot ascent up Appetite Hill before reaching the Underground Lunchroom where the elevators are located.

The second part of the trip starts at the lunchroom and is a relatively easy, level walk of a mile and a quarter around the Big Room. Be sure to bring low-heeled, rubber-soled shoes for the climbing and don't forget your camera. Photography, including use of flash and time exposures, is permitted. In the Caverns, which is part of one of the largest underground cave systems in the world, there are dozens of mind-boggling formations with such names as Hall of Giants, Queen's Chamber, King's Palace, Frozen Waterfall and Bashful Elephant. You'll enjoy them all. As you enter, you'll be given a radio receiver and along the way, you can pick up messages that tell you about the features you are near. You may set the receiver on any of three channels—one in English, one in Spanish and one especially designed for children. There are rangers stationed strategically along the trail to answer questions or to help you in any way. While the main cavern is the principal attraction of this national park, it is not the only one. There's plenty more, including a spectacular bat flight out of the Cavern mouth at dusk in summers and backcountry beauty. A "cool" place? Yes. Even "super" maybe, and to the National Park Service, SUPER stands for Safety, Use, Preserve and Enjoy the Resource. If you are planning a vacation Right Around Home, write the National Park Service, P. O. Box 728, Room P-3 Santa Fe, N. M. 87501, for a trip planning guide to those parks within an easy drive of your home.

Post grad takes research post

Johnny Wallace, a former resident of Post and graduate of PHS, will soon be moving to San Antonio to begin work at the Southwest Research Institute, a non-profit corporation devoted to industrial research. He will be working in the Instrumentation Lab of the Engines, Fuels and Lubricants Division.

Johnny and his wife Brenda will be leaving Pecos where he was instrument Technician at the Skid Pad Department of Automotive Proving Grounds, Inc. The San Antonio based Institute has branches in Corpus Christi, Houston and also maintains offices in Washington, D. C. It began operations in 1947 and now has a staff of approximately 1400 with an annual research budget of \$33 million.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wallace of the Graham Community. **ATTENDS FUNERAL** Mrs. Lillie Kitchen returned last Friday from Azel, Tex., where she visited with relatives for two weeks and attended the funeral of a brother.



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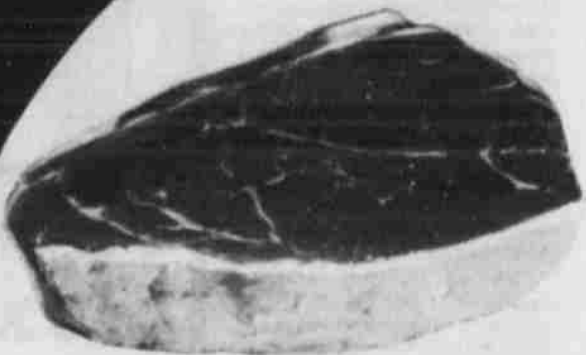
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WASHINGTON, D. C. — Under new procedures, the congress is required to have all appropriation bills completed by September 15. After that time it is the feeling of quite a few of us that the Country would be better off if the Congress adjourned for the remainder of the year. As long it is in session, there is always someone dreaming up some new expensive scheme in the name of "benefits" to the country.

There is some encouragement in the fact that the leadership in both the House of Representatives and the Senate has abandoned consideration of several highly controversial proposed measures. One such measure is the so-called Humphrey-Hawkins bill providing for full employment and balanced growth. This measure has been discussed here before and will be around in the future but, at least for the time, there is little

prospect of its being passed in this session. Hopefully, it will not be in the next or the next but it will doubtless be pushed. The oil "Divestiture" bill which would force oil companies to engage in only one facet of the business is also being abandoned for the time.

Natural gas price deregulation, although approved by the Senate Commerce Committee, is not likely to be considered. It lost some of its impetus when the Federal Power Commission raised the ceiling price for new natural gas.

Any national health insurance legislation is too big a subject to tackle at this late date. Here again, it will be around in the next session as it has been for the last several years.

The postcard voter registration bill has passed the House of Representatives but it is in dispute in the Senate as to which committee has jurisdiction over it. It is fortunate the prospects for its final enactment into law are slim. This is a measure which attempts to tell states how to conduct their voter registration. It is obviously an imposition on states' rights. Although our State of Texas has a postcard registration law it nevertheless need not be told how to further conduct its affairs in this regard.

Gun control legislation has been approved by a Senate Subcommittee but the sponsors say no further actions will be taken unless they are assured that the House will act. Just this past week, the House turned down gun control legislation passed by the District of Columbia Government controlling handguns which pretty well assures that there will be no gun control legislation in this session.

An omnibus revision in the Federal Criminal Code, although good in some parts, hardly has a chance of passing before the adjournment of the Congress and has taken a low priority in both chambers. Tentative plans call for the congress to either adjourn or recess on October 2. Due to the November election on November 2, it is necessary that Members return home for their campaigns. If the usual pattern is followed, there is good chance that the Congress would only recess and return after the election and would likely be in session for the remainder of the year. It is worth repeating that the national would probably be better off for the congress to remain out of session until next January.

Feeder cattle market for '76 not bright

COLLEGE STATION — Producers thinking of holding onto their feeder cattle may want to take a closer look at the market situation, at least for the remainder of 1976. Things aren't too bright, according to one authority, Dr. Ed Uvacek, livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

His analysis comes after an extensive trip through cattle country, the Corn Belt and visits with several feedlot managers.

"I look for feeder prices to weaken into the fall and winter for a number of reasons," says Uvacek. "Among these are the continued weakness in fed cattle prices, big feedlot losses, no major drop in sight for feedgrain prices, a big supply of feeders still available, and more competition from other meats, such as pork broilers."

Feeder prices this fall and winter will have a big effect on the overall cattle industry, believes the Texas A&M University System specialist. They will determine the extent of cow liquidation, the number of feeders held over into 1977, and the feedlot profitability for the first half of next year.

Uvacek sees this situation developing in the months ahead: "Choice feeder steers in the 600-700 pound range will likely move to the low \$30's by October. Many feeder animals will move to slaughter during this period. Some price gains could then result as we move into the winter months and the demand from feedlots begins to recover. The extent of the price rise into 1977 will depend on how many animals are held over the winter. Too many holdovers will keep the price gain down."

432 books for library in '76

A total of 432 new books have been added to Post Public Library shelves so far in 1976, 85 of them during August, Librarian Pee Wee Pierce reports.

In her August library report, Mrs. Pierce said 941 books were checked out during the month, 673 of them adult books and 268 juvenile books; to bring the library's circulation for the first eight months of the year to 7,705.

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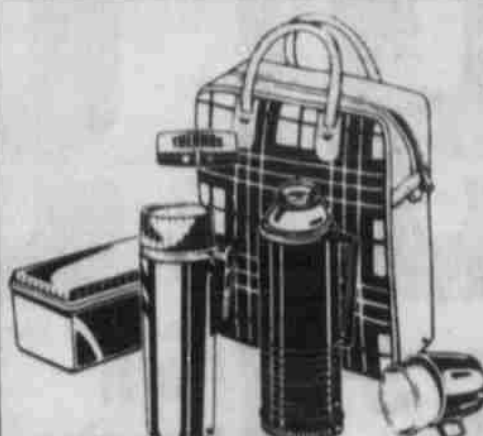
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