



HOLIDAY FUN AT PARK FOR ALL AGES

Martine Francis, 10-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Francis of Houston, sits on a blanket in the shade at city-county park Monday evening, while her mother, Robbie, 4, stands at right. They are the grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Francis of Route 3.—(Staff Photo)



Chairs are much more comfortable for the older folks as they await the start of the big holiday musical show, "Tex—Cradle of Giants." Pictured above left to right are Willie B. Sullivan, Bettie Pierce and Irene Ammons.

Very little drilling space under Main

Four days were required last week to find a tunnel under Main street at Broadway intersection for a new six-inch city water line.

Most concerned watchers agreed the city "was going to be" as Plains Utility Co., Lubbock drilled under Main Street 20 times only to find a wide variety of obstructions before finally achieving success of its 21st attempt.

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It was hardly a profitable venture for the Lubbock city which did a whole lot of drilling than that being getting through.

"We hit a lot of things out there, including an electric line, and hit them solid," Maddox said. "I thought we were going to have to close Main Street and tear it up."

Praise rally here tonight

A "Praise Rally" will be held in the Post Community Center Thursday night, July 6, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

The rally is the regular youth service and will be open to all youth in the community.

The junior high on up.

A singing group, "Jerusalem Commission", of Lubbock will perform contemporary folk music. The group is composed of four young people.

There is no admission charge for the rally and Jeff Newman, youth director of the First Baptist Church, manages all youth of the community to come and fellowship together.

Automated pickup of trash expands slowly

City Manager Pete Maddox is going to be a happy man when the city finally has its new automated trash collection system completely installed.

The city has been "hung up" to speak over slow progress from the Plains Utility Co. firm selling them the automated system. The firm has been "hung up" for weeks on the delivery of lids for the automated trash containers.

They got a delivery of 96 lids for the automated trash containers and is hoping for a delivery of lids direct from the Plains Utility Co. this week.

The business district has been operating under the

even though the highway department told us we couldn't. There didn't seem to be any other way for three or four days.

The city has an old four-inch water line running north and south under Broadway from Eighth to Tenth street. In view of the street widening and remodeling, the city is abandoning this old cast iron line and is putting the new six inch line in the parking on the east side about four feet down.

That new six-inch water line is going to give us better water pressure on that fire hydrant on the corner, the city manager said.

He said about two more days of work are needed now to complete the line for the full two blocks. It already has been taken across eighth street on the south and will tie into a 10-inch line on the Tenth street corner.

\$13 million in vacation pay

GREENSBORO, N. C. — Burlington Industries' hourly paid employees in 10 states will receive vacation pay totaling some \$13 million this fiscal year, company officials announced this week.

Payments of approximately \$6½ million will be distributed to employees during the summer vacation period, coinciding generally with the Fourth of July holiday; similar payments of approximately \$6½ million were made during the Christmas holiday period last December.

H. L. Quintana, Burlington vice president for personnel, said approximately 50,000 Burlington employees are receiving the vacation payments. Individual amounts are based on employee length of service and earnings.

Burlington's hourly-paid employees also received a wage increase effective June 13, averaging 9 percent throughout the company's various manufacturing operations.

new automated system for a couple of months, and the southwest residential area has the new automated system installed.

City Manager Maddox says the city still lacks about 100 of the three-yard containers and 88 of the 1½ yard containers. He told The Dispatch if he had waited for the new plastic lids on the smaller containers he wouldn't have received any of them yet, so he took delivery on the first group with steel lids.

With the city trying to pick up trash with two collection systems, and expand one system and contract the other at the same time, it is difficult not to

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Musical, barbecue highlight holiday

Post's ninth annual Fourth of July celebration Monday in the park was one of the best ever, though the crowd was a bit smaller than usual.

The two high points of a nice, lazy day were the beef barbecue and the free country music show, "Tex—Cradle of Giants."

Between 1,300 and 1,350 ate the barbecue which a lot of old-timers declared was the best ever as far as the meat was concerned.

Chief Cook Jimmy Moore and his big crew deserve a lot of credit for the tenderness of the meat.

The Dispatch learned that for the first time in years the meat was not put on the coals to cook until 4 a. m.

It was finished just in time to be taken off and sliced before the 5:30 p. m. barbecue serving began. This accounted for its unusual tenderness, the experts explained.

The country music show, presented by a touring group of talented youngsters from South Plains College in Levelland, had something for almost everybody.

It's 40 songs and dances told the story of the develop-

ment of country music in the Lone Star state over the last 140 years.

With their big show wagon stage set at the bottom of the park's grassy slope, the setting was ideal for viewers to sit in chairs or on blankets and watch the performance below them.

The show moved with plenty of zip and variety through two hours of musical action to generous applause and a host of favorable comment when it was over.

Actually, the cast which is putting the show on some 40 or 50 times this summer all over West Texas, had three substitutes in its starting lineup. One of the parents of the bass player had suffered a severe stroke in Oklahoma, the drummer had almost cut his finger off over the weekend, and for another equally important reason the third cast member couldn't make it.

It took about three hours before the show to get all the electronic gear set up and in working order. The college had a lot of money tied up in that equipment. One had only to look at the sound controls to realize that.

A stiff south breeze over the lake kept the heat off the crowd throughout the afternoon and early evening.

There were lots of visitors attending the affair who had come to see relatives over the weekend. One gracious lady taught school here in 1926 and was back to talk to old-timers.

LEGION MEETING

There will be an American Legion meeting Tuesday, July 12, at 8 p. m. in the American Legion building. All members are urged to attend.



IT ONLY GOES TO SHOW — It has always been said that when you're sleepy pull over to the side of the road and take a nap. This is living proof that should do just that. This truck belonging to Haskins Trucking, Inc., of Longview flipped on its side when the driver went to sleep last Wednesday morning at 4 a. m. about four miles south of Post on US-84. The driver was uninjured and was out picking up his load of paper sacks the following day.

Garza's '77 oil valuations are up \$4.5 million

Garza County's oil business is still getting better — according to Pritchard and Abbott, the tax engineers.

They have yet to come up to the final figure, but estimate Garza's 100 percent oil valuation will be up another \$4,500,000 this year.

This will be the fourth straight increase.

The \$4,500,000 increase brings oil valuations this year to approximately \$28,516,000.

The 100 percent value of all other properties in the county as assessed this year is only \$9,084,000.

This brings Garza's total valuation to \$37,600,000. It also means that oil will

carry over 75 percent of the county's property tax load this year.

The county taxable valuation is only 25 percent of real value. With this small percentage, a 95 cent tax rate and a 95 percent collection, the oil valuation increase alone will raise an additional \$10,153.13 for budget purposes for the coming budget year.



We find ourselves in an unusual place as we write this column about an unusual subject.

Whereabouts of 4 sought

Victor Hudman, who is in charge of the planning for the Golden Jubilee class reunion in the fall of 1978 of the Post High School Class of 1928 has located all the 30 members of the class but three and the class sponsor.

Anyone knowing the present whereabouts of Sheila Mullings, Harry Savage or Stanley Brannen are asked to contact Hudman here.

The class sponsor, whose whereabouts is also sought, is Lucille Bates.

Hudman reports he has had a lot of fun in tracking down members of the class and is hopeful of finding everyone before the fall of 1978 rolls around when the reunion is planned to follow an Antelope football game here on the Labor Day weekend.

Math teacher here resigns

Supt. of Schools Bill Shiver figured Tuesday he had the candidates needed to fill the vacancies in the Post faculty for the 1977-78 school year — two science teachers and two elementary teachers.

He thought this would be a mild summer for him in teacher recruitment.

That was before he opened his mail Tuesday morning. In it he found the resignation of Terry Rightmire, high school math teacher.

Math teachers are in the shortest supply of any.

Blood drive here July 13

A blood drive will be held Wednesday, July 13, in the Post Community Center sponsored by the Blood Services of Lubbock and Garza Memorial Hospital.

A goal of 35 pints has been set and blood may be given between the hours of 2 and 6 p. m.

Blood services is a non-profit, self supporting organization and supplies blood needs for Garza County and 38 other area hospitals. The service needs 70 pints of blood per day to meet the needs of all these hospitals.

We're in the newsroom, now being remodeled. Of The Snyder Daily News, on Tuesday night, trying to propel a very strange type-writer under the unlikely circumstances that it has a worse ribbon on it than mine back in Post.

Farther back in the Snyder News Building, Norma and Corky are busy setting type and ads for The Dispatch.

That what happens when things go wrong in the newspaper business. It's in times of emergencies that you look around and are pleased to find that your friends are ready to help.

What happened in our case was that when we went into production Tuesday morning — or should we say tried to go into production — our photo-composition machine with all its electronic guts was acting up.

Normally, Corky puts in a long distance call to the service center in Dallas, explains what the machine is doing wrong and then is told what to change or replace from the kit to correct it. He went through an hour of procedures on the phone and didn't find anything wrong.

That's when we got the really bad news. "It must be in the keyboard then," Corky was told. "We'll fly you out a spare keyboard from our plant in Connecticut and you send yours in. We'll fix yours and send it back. It will take a few days." That was the bad news from the repair man.

All of which meant for the first time since going off set we were "broke down at home" and "going out of town."

So we called the three nearest publishers — in Tahoka, Slaton and Snyder — and all three of them said come on over and use our equipment tonight.

Since Snyder is a daily and has two photo-composition machines instead of one for a weekly, and is also through for the day at 3 p. m., we chose Snyder. And here we are.

On Wednesday morning we will take what news comes in that morning and take it to Slaton with us. We'll set it at the Slaton Slatonite before running it across town to Brazos Offset plant to have it printed.

It's great to have friends like this. Publisher Roy McQueen at Snyder, Publisher Dalton Woods at Slaton and Publishers Johnny and D'Linda Valentine at Tahoka.

In this new electronic world of newspapering, we all feel a bit strange. In the newspaper business, the help your neighbor rule has always dominated in times of crisis. We can see now, that though we've escaped hot lead into the electronic age, emergencies are still with us.

And close-by newspaper friends are the greatest people in the world.

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The Post (Tex.) Dispatch

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Real tempest brewing

Are you ready for the metric system? Right now, the United States is committed officially to conversion to the metric system by the end of 1979.

No more quarts of milk, fifths of whiskey, 100 yard dashes, 55 miles an hour, 36 inch waistbands and 32 inch sleeves, 10 pound sacks of flour, 165 degree summer days, etc. and etc.

The numbers world we live in is all going to be changed — or so declared Congress when they passed the bill back in 1975. It was signed into law in December of that year.

From now on things are going to get a mite sticky we will predict.

The federal highway administration recently announced that it was stopping a \$100 million project to convert all speed limit signs to the metric system by Dec. 31, 1979.

Widespread public opposition cancelled the plan. Of some 5,000 comments received by the federal agency on the plan, 98 percent were very unfavorable.

Distilleries already have begun conversion to metric quantities for wine and liquor because of the metric law. By next year all new cars will have speedometers measuring both miles and kilometers per hour. Some grocery store items already are being converted to new metric sizes, just in case you haven't noticed.

The whole conversion to the metric

system is being delayed somewhat because a 21-member National Metric Board, designed by the law to guide conversion both in and out of government, is yet to be appointed by President Carter.

Word from the administration is that the President sometime this month will finally name the board that "got lost" in the 1976 presidential race.

We would guess one of the best and most popular Christmas gifts this year will be a new measuring gadget to convert all the numbers we are so familiar with into the metric equivalent.

It is going to be interesting to see how strongly the public resists the change which will finally put the United States way of doing things on the same plane with the rest of the countries of this world, which already are metric.

Our guess — the public is going to resist — very fiercely too. It will be mean, and protest, but in the end all good Americans will bow to our bureaucrats and with considerable griping will accept the inevitable but only after a furious struggle.

Although this is not a life and death issue, like the solution of the energy problem, you can expect to hear as much or more opposition to it as you do to all the energy saving proposals put forward.

Change does not come easily for us. We're too stubborn.



AUSTIN — Gov. Dolph Briscoe returns from a European vacation this week and preparations for the special session of the Legislature are expected to speed up.

Briscoe has already indicated he will issue the formal call proclamation by Friday, July 8, with the session due to start at 10 a.m. the following Monday.

The governor's desk is probably pretty well cluttered up with letters from legislators and their constituents asking him to expand the session beyond adoption of a public school finance bill for the next two years.

Although Briscoe has indicated thus far he has given priority only to school finance, he is known to be considering several other legislative matters which died during the regular session.

Among the bills he is being asked to consider reviving for the special session are:

(1) Reduction of the state sales tax on utility bills which Briscoe says he would like considered if enough money is available and there are indications the money is there.

(2) A state "money management" bill requiring the Treasury to invest more of Texas' idle funds in interest-paying accounts which its author, Rep. Frank Hartung, says will earn the state about \$42 million every two years.

(3) Legislation to prevent abuse of nursing home patients.

(4) A general property tax law revision on the order of one Rep. Wayne Peveto of Orange pushed in the regular session only to see it die in the Senate.

(5) A constitutional amendment to let all farm, ranch and timber land be taxed according to productive rather than market value.

(6) A bill allowing independent school districts state-wide to elect trustees from single member districts.

Tax Exemptions

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has called attention to two new laws passed by the legislature and designed to broaden the definitions of groups eligible for exemption from the sales and use tax.

HB2080, effective August 29, provides any group qualifying for exemption from federal income tax under Internal Code Section 501(c) (3) may also qualify for exemption from state sales and use tax as well.

HB190, already in effect, exempts the sales or rental of motor vehicles to churches or religious societies if the vehicles are designed to carry more than six people and are used primarily for transportation to and from church or religious services or meetings.

Bar Mum

Officials of the State Bar of Texas are withholding comment until further

study can be made of the U. S. Supreme Court's ruling that lawyers cannot be prohibited from advertising the fees they charge clients for routine legal services.

State Bar Pres. Travis Shelton said comment would be inappropriate until the organization has had a chance to study the court's decision in an Arizona case.

Hearings Scheduled

The House Committee on Public Education will conduct hearings on the proposed public school finance legislation on Thursday and Friday, July 7 and 8, starting at 9 a.m. each day.

Chairman Rep. Tom Massey of San Angelo called for testimony this week from all interested groups and individuals to help legislators in the decision making process to follow in the special session.

AG Opinions

Atty. Gen. John Hill has issued an opinion that in effect says counties are responsible for maintaining and constructing virtually all roads in unincorporated areas and long-established traffic arteries linking various communities in the county.

The only way the county can work on residential streets or property of another county entity is if the entity is willing to pay the county for the work, Hill held.

The attorney general also held last week that minors between 14 and 17 years of age charged with driving while intoxicated may be jailed if they are unable to make bond.

Even though they may be jailed for failure to make bond, Hill said they must be held in separate facilities from adult detainees.

Texas' deepest well—28,938

DALLAS — Looking for the deepest well in Texas?

According to "77 Facts About Texas Oil and Gas" published for free public distribution by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Assn., the state's deepest is a 28,938-foot Wheeler County gas well.

Or, how about the number of Texas offshore wildcats drilled in 1976?

That would be 147, according to "77 Facts," 136 of which were dry holes.

These are among the 77 highlight facts and figures about the Texas oil and gas industry included in the latest edition of the Association's annual "Facts Series." The leaflet also points out that oil hunters spent \$2.2 billion in Texas drilling ventures last year, with \$745 million lost in dry holes.

Copies of 77 Facts are free to the public upon request to the Association, 1341 W. Mockingbird Lane, Suite 1111 E. Dallas, 75247.

VISITS IN CLOVIS

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10 YEARS AGO

Staff Sgt. Wendell C. Landtroop of Post, 25, has been awarded the Silver Star for battlefield heroism and leadership in repelling a Viet Cong attack; city dads vote to add fourth policeman in effort to cope with two most vexing problems — dogs and burglars; council tables 11.5 percent Pioneer Gas rate hike request; David Nichols has 5-1 record pitching for Lubbock Hubbers, that city's leading semi-pro club; David Conolly among 20 players named to Little League All-Stars.

15 YEARS AGO

Construction bids for White River dam project, opened at Crosbyton, total \$3,365,000 — less than \$90,000 above the engineer's estimates, while at home Post's water supply was dwindling again after the Postex mills started up after the Fourth of July week shutdown; the city recently hooked on three new water wells and hopes to have four more pumping within a week; bank deposits as of June 30 here at \$7,510,759.43, up almost \$1,200,000 from same date a year before; school trustees agree to request of Post Ministerial Alliance that a sex education course be added to both high school and junior high curriculums; two Post riders and a roper are champions in July 4th rodeos with Jimmy Moore top cash winner in 32nd annual Texas Cowboy Reunion at Stamford where R. E. Josey won the double mugging title; Eddie Stewart won a saddle as outstanding rider in Clarendon's Rim Rock Rodeo, Moore won the saddle bronc riding championship in same rodeo.

25 YEARS AGO

Dr. Harry Tubbs opens practice in Post, coming here from Fredericksburg where he was associated with Kiedel Memorial Hospital, his first patient was Jodi Cash, week-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Cash; Monta Moore takes over Post Rotary Club gavel as new president; Victor Hudman, Lions club head, announces civic club to sponsor "play day" which will include donkey ball game, greased pig chase, an "Arkansas Derby", a pie eating contest, and a "beauty contest" to determine the homeliest man in Garza County; ranchers and farmers in the western half of the county will meet to complete organization to join West Texas Weather Improvement Association after efforts failed to raise \$6,300 quota for entire Garza County; John Lott is a director of the organization; Open house will be held Sunday afternoon at the new First Baptist Church parsonage, a three-bedroom brick home across from the church.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Don Davies of Detroit, Mich., are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Davies. While in Texas, they plan to attend the International Starcraft Camp-Out in Fredericksburg.



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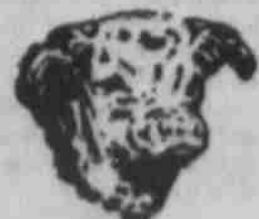
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Grazing system best utilizes range land

Delta County covers a total of 385,000 acres of which 175 are rangeland. Over 90 percent of the county is devoted to ranching.

Ranching each foot of land produces two crops, cattle and grass. Cattle is the primary crop but grass is the sustaining base. Specialized grazing systems are often utilized to get the most out of both crops. A

grazing system is defined as the manipulation of livestock grazing to accomplish a desired result.

One of the results would be allowing key plants to complete their full growth cycle in order to produce seed and increase vigor with production. A sound grazing system is designed to get the most beef production even when drought condi-

tions are present. With fewer cattle on hand and more grass on the ground the chances of survival are greatly increased. In many cases a rancher will find he can run fewer cows producing fewer calves yet have more pounds of beef for market. With fewer head he can expect less handling, higher conception rates and heavier calves. All this is achieved by cows grazing grass of higher nutritional value.

Another result is uniform grazing. In other words, avoiding selective or spot grazing of the choice grasses. With a grazing system the rancher can harvest more pounds of forage before the key grasses are over used and weakened.

The third result many ranchers have observed is management of the cattle. Cattle can be worked and closely observed during rotation periods. Low producers can be replaced and unhealthy animals are detected. All of this adds to increased income. Economics are the key.

Few ranchers would install a grazing system if enough livestock products could not be produced to repay cost of installation of fences and water sources. However, in many cases little or no additional expense can be expected. In an analysis of 100 various ranches, a four pasture grazing system could be installed on 52 ranches with no additional cost and on 22 more if a mile or two of fence were installed. This would indicate cost of installing grazing systems are low, and cost recovered quickly.

Grazing systems have a place in range management. They are not a remedy that will solve all the problems now confronting ranchers, but can lessen some.

Watson to head youth crusade

Johnny Ray Watson, singer, writer and composer, will lead a five-night Community Youth Crusade July 13-17 at Cooper United Methodist Church in Woodrow.

Informal singing will start at 7:30 p. m., and the crusade will begin at 8 p. m. Special music will be presented Wednesday, July 13 by the "Shiloh Singers" from Oakwood U.M.C., Thursday by the "Radiation Singers" from St. Luke's U. M. C., Friday by the "Jeremiah's Commission" from Lubbock, and Saturday by "The Soul Savers" from Lorenzo.

Watson, the 6-8 basketball star at McMurtry College, was the leading scorer, rebounder, and most valuable player for the 1970-71 season at the Abilene school after receiving all-state recognition in high school.

In December, 1972, Watson began traveling across the country, and then across the world, singing and sharing in churches, auditoriums, military bases, high schools and colleges.

Texas Electric asks big boost

COLORADO CITY — The Texas Electric Service Co. last week filed requests for a 23.6 percent rate increase here and for the communities of Lorraine and Westbrook.

Even with the boost the rate will be among the lowest in Texas and the nation, TESC manager, B. B. Hardee said here.

Slaton opens own museum

SLATON — The Slaton Museum, an on going project of last year's bicentennial celebration, opened here the Fourth of July.

An old downtown plumbing shop was purchased for \$5,000 as a home for the museum and in recent months has been renovated into a museum.

Several fund raising projects have brought in money and some \$2,000 already has been paid on the building.

Over 150 letters were sent out to area old-timers seeking antiques for the museum and 225 items have been accepted to date, including the old postal service window of the Slaton postoffice, negotiated as a gift via the federal government.

A non-profit corporation has been formed to operate the museum. Regular museum hours probably will be set in August.

Prepaid legal plan for Texas teachers

AUSTIN — "The Texas State Teachers Association (TSTA) is now in the process of enrolling its 140,000 members in a group prepaid legal services plan offered by Texas Legal Protection Plan, Inc.," announced Billy Snow, Director of Special Services at TSTA.

"Prepaid legal is a major addition to our program and I know it will be of great benefit to our members," he added.

Texas Legal Protection Plan, Inc. (TLPP) is a non-profit corporation formed by the State Bar of Texas for the purpose of administering a prepaid legal service plan in Texas.

"TLPP pays attorney fees in a manner similar to the way group health insurance companies pay doctor bills. Our objective is to encourage preventive law as well as to provide protection from high legal expenses," said Franklin Jones, Jr., of Marshall, Board Chairman of TLPP.

"Participants are free to choose the contracting attorney of their choice and we pay the attorney directly," explained Jones. "The plan works very simply and the program cost ranges

Area DPS Hq. to Crosbyton

CROSBYTON — Department of Public Safety officials flew in from Austin recently for a ceremony in which they purchased a former abstract building here for conversion into Area 5A-3 DPS offices.

Area 5A-3 serves seven South Plains counties — Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Kent, King and Stonewall.

It's the first area DPS office established in a small town, according to Ken Evans, DPS sergeant for the area.

New producer for Dorward field

The Dorward field northwest of Justiceburg has another small new producer.

It is W. M. and A. P. Fuller's No. 3-A. M. A. Fuller unit, seven and one-half miles northwest of Justiceburg, which has recently completed as a 26.31 barrels of oil daily producer plus 95 barrels of water.

Production is from an interval at 2,422 to 2,497 feet. The well was drilled to a total depth of 2,600 feet.

Credit program here July 28

There will be a program on credit here in the Post Community Center, July 28, at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

Gail House, Home Economist at Tech, will be one of the featured speakers. She is connected with the Homemakers Service Aids here in Post.

The program will include: types of credit, advantages and disadvantages of credit, how to use credit efficiently. This program is in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Paula Cawthon, C. E. A. will be giving part of the program. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

13 CBs stolen in Slaton same night

SLATON — Thirteen CB radios were stolen here sometime Sunday night, June 26, the same night eight were stolen in Post.

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Keeton over the weekend were Mrs. T. C. Dulaney and Darlene of Pasadena, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Wally Stedman, Troy and Traci, Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Hood, Jennifer, Debbie and Dale, all of Lubbock, and Linda, Judy and Steve Curb of Post.

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As It Looks from Here

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WASHINGTON, D. C. — In the days immediately ahead, we will know whether or not we are going to have the B-1 Bomber as a third leg of the three most important parts of national defense.

When President Carter was a candidate, he indicated in a speech in Oklahoma that he was for the new bomber to replace our aged B-52's. On another occasion, he indicated to a group to whom he was speaking that the B-1 Bomber should not be funded.

More recently, as President and Commander-in-Chief, he has indicated he favors putting the B-1 into production and will have to make a decision right away. Today's bombers are delivery vehicles for about one-half our nuclear force. The B-52 fleet is a quarter of a century old and has been out of production for years. Younger men in the Air Force are not as old as the planes they are flying.

The B-52, designed in 1948, is high altitude operational. The Russians developed an anti-aircraft missile capable of shooting them down from their high level of flight. If the B-52's were not outmoded otherwise, it was proved in 1960 that if the Soviets could shoot down our U-2 plane, they certainly could reach our B-52. This simply means that our best bomber aircraft has greatly declined in its usefulness.

The Soviet Union is building a modern bomber known as the "Backfire". They are rapidly increasing the number and accuracy of its missile warheads, making them capable of launching a disarming strike against our land base forces, including our B-52's on the ground.

The B-1 aircraft can be dispersed in a number of our airfields, other than strategic bases. It has a remarkable lifting capability, which means it can get off the ground in a hurry. It is able to fly at very low levels, avoiding detection by radar. It is twice as fast and only two-thirds the size of our old B-52's, but can carry twice the payload.

Some opponents to building the B-1 advocate modernizing our B-52, but it would still be a slow, vulnerable airplane. Expensive, of course. Some opponents of the strongest possible national defense say we can not afford a new bomber and, in fact, say we can not afford other weapons to protect this Country. We can't

afford it — we can't afford a thousand and one things the Federal Government is doing if we simply look at it in dollars and cents. The other side of the coin is that we can not afford not to have it.

If our defense capabilities are neglected — should our country become more vulnerable to attack — then all the good things we have are not likely to be worth much. If we in this age fail to provide the best possible

protection for the future, we fail in our responsibilities.

As has been said here on many occasions, there is no more certain way to maintain peace than to be prepared for the worst. Our chief adversaries in this world understand strength. We can have all the SALT talks and negotiations on disarmament there are to be had, but unless we deal from a position of strength, we will have little bargaining power.

Twin Cedars Nursing Home News

By FLETA WALLS
Sunday services were brought to us by the Church of Christ. Next week's will be by the Church of God of Prophecy.

The VFW Ladies Auxiliary honored our resident who had birthdays in June last Tuesday June 28th. They gave gifts to the guests of honor and served all residents punch and cookies. Also Rosemary

Demonstration Club came Saturday and brought home-made cakes for our residents.

Visitors this week included: Emma De Busk, Mrs. Grace Cummings, Mrs. Ted Aten, Inez McGrew, Lucille

Walker, Ruby Kirkpatrick, Don Neumann, Paul Sherrill, Jim Hundley, Keri Barrington, Edith Clary, Vera Gossett, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bowman and Steven of

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Slaton needs 16 classrooms

SLATON — The Slaton school board at a recent special meeting got the first look at blueprints for renovations and additions. Slaton schools estimated cost \$3,200,000.

Supt. J. C. McCluskey explained the plans call for 16 additional classrooms throughout the system to offset present overcrowded conditions. He said the plan included "no frills."

Class averages in Slaton schools averaged 35 to 40 students, faculty representatives told school trustees and representatives of public invited to the session.

McCluskey said the Slaton high school building

built for 350 students last semester had 525 students crowded into its classrooms. The high school deemed the "critical" by an architectural representative.

A bond issue vote expected to go to the voters sometime in September will take two years complete construction.

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District 4-H dress revue to be today

LUBBOCK — Young ladies from 4-H clubs throughout the South Plains will model their own creations in this year's District 2 4-H dress revue this afternoon.

They compete for honors and the right to represent the district in state competition.

"Fashion Fandango" is the theme of the event which is at the Texas Tech University Center ballroom, according to County Extension Agent Paula Cawthon.

Representing Garza County will be Cynthia Bland and Tanya Bland.

Already the ladies are winners of county competition. Contestants are judged on their sewing and construction skill, overall appearance, modeling abilities, and their 4-H record books.

A luncheon will be served for dress revue participants, parents, and guests following contest activities. Revue begins at 2 p. m. with Mr. Edward Breihan, manager of Plains Cooperative Oil, presenting the honors.

In addition to the naming

of the top seniors who will compete in the State 4-H Dress Revue this September, awards also will include the recognition of the girl making the best all-cotton outfit and the best all-wool garment.

Two junior level contests will be staged at the same time as senior competition. These younger ladies, ages 9-11 and 12-14 will not compete beyond the district level. For them, the event offers experience and leadership development.

Parents, 4-H leaders, and special guests will be on hand for the occasion. The public is invited to the 2 p. m. revue.

Game day is held at center

Game Day at the Community Center was June 30 with lunch served to 29 persons attending.

Those attending were Nora and Bill Hennesson and granddaughter, Rose Askins, D. C. and Verna Roberts, Winnie Henderson, Opal Williams, Ruth Dale, Winnie Henderson, Ralph Gregg, Lillian Young, Edna Peede, Guy Shultz, W. D. Williams, R. B. Perrin, Lou Marks, Ruby Kirkpatrick, Virginia and Mike Custer, Violet Smith, Ola Keeton, Wally Tate, Arlin Sartain, Maxine Marks and Enid Gossett. Special guests were J. D. Payne of T. E. C. Lubbock, Sharla Burkhead and David Cardenas of the SPAG Office in Levelland.

At Community Center

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

At Community Center

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

July 9 — 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

July 10 — 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

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July 12 — 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

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Happy Birthday

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Charles Lyn Baker
Benny Clary
Harold Lucas
Mrs. Ira Farmer
Boyd Bowen
Paula Jo Foster

July 9
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Anne Harmon
A. J. Howell Jr.
Mrs. Ozella Hill
Lou Marks

July 10
Judy Carol Norman
Ann Hendrix
David Rivera

July 11
Mrs. Max Gordon
Jimmy Hundley
Travis Gilmore
Delwin Fluitt
Lois Rosenbaum
Wilma Jean Cary

July 12
Terry Marc Lyman
Mrs. Odean Cummings
Max Tucker
Linda Carol Proctor
Rhonda Case

July 13
Jerry Key
Lester Josey
David Warren Yancy
James Morris
Vicki Carol Palmer
Charlie Brown
Michael Charles Shedd
Teresa Sparlin
Patricia Davis

July 14
Ann Messer
Quay Williams
Lynda Young
Ronnie Graves
Leonard Short
Mrs. Jim Hundley
Mrs. Joe Cook
Robert Lee Mock

Salli Bush is honored

Salli Bess Bush, the new infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bush, was honored with a layette coffee Saturday morning.

The home of Mrs. Lonnie Gene Peel was the scene of the event with approximately 50 guests registering between the hours of 10 and 11:30 a. m. Miss Kayla Peel assisted at the register table.

Special guests included the honoree's mother, her sisters, Trevah and Traci Bush, and her grandmothers, Mrs. J. D. McCampbell and Mrs. Elmo Bush.

The serving table was covered with a yellow cloth and centered with a yellow and pink giraffe surrounded by babies and yellow miniature mums. Crystal appointments and a silver coffee service were used with Jane Mason serving the coffee and fruit punch. Other refreshments were sausage balls, miniature jelly-filled muffins, melon balls, mints and nuts.

Hostesses were Jennie Cowdrey, Orabeth White, Cindy Mitchell and Mrs. Peel.

Foreign doctors are honored at supper

A covered dish supper honored Post's foreign doctors June 28 at 7 p. m. in the Fellowship Hall of the First Christian Church.

Hostess for the occasion was Mrs. Linda Malouf, International Hostess Chairman for the Federated Women's Club of the Caprock District.

Honored guests for the supper were Dr. and Mrs. Ricardo M. Rodriguez, Dr. and Mrs. Ho Seong Park, and Dr. James Tuan. Other guests were Dr. and Mrs. William C. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hunsaker.

Mrs. Malouf opened the affair with a prayer and President of the Woman's Club, Ruby Kirkpatrick, gave a welcome.

Cantaloupe prices are more attractive

COLLEGE STATION — Canned fruits and vegetables — and fresh cantaloupe — have attractive prices in many Texas grocery markets. Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, a consumer marketing information specialist reports.

Mrs. Clyatt, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, summarizes this week's grocery situation as follows:

GROCERY MARKET

ISLES

In addition to canned produce "specials", consumers can find low prices on pasta, grapefruit juice and sandwich buns.

In freezer chests, economical prices appear on meat pies, orange juice, potatoes and fish, although some fish prices are "inching upward."

FRESH FRUITS

Cantaloupe quality is excellent at attractive prices and plentiful watermelons have moderate prices. Texas honeydew melons reflect lower prices, but apricots, nectarines and plums are still relatively high priced. Varying prices appear on bananas, cherries, oranges, peaches and pineapples. so

Entertainment was provided by Mmes. Patty Kirkpatrick, Lea Ann Hodges, Marita Jackson and Kay Lamb.

Following the dinner, Mrs. Malouf repeated the welcome and read two poems, "Love in Bloom" and "What It Will Take to be a Success."

Club members attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bouchier, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Potts, Ruby Kirkpatrick, Lois Williams, Estelle Davis, Loree Thaxton, Nita Burgess, Doll Haire, Annalou Clinesmith, Maxine Marks, Joy Dickson and hostess Linda Malouf.

The next club meeting will be September 14.

Thommanson reunion here

For the first time since 1935, the seven children of the late Mr. and Mrs. George E. Thommarson of Earth, Tex., were together. The reunion was held July 1-4 at the American Legion Building in Post.

A total of 52 friends and relatives were in attendance. There were persons from California, New Mexico, Missouri, Oklahoma, Virginia, and Texas.

The children attending were Mrs. Robert Hucklebee, Seneca, Mo., Joseph Thommarson, Goodman, Mo., Mrs. William Inglis, Marysville, Calif., Andrew Thommarson, Escondido, Calif., R. D. Thommarson, Roswell, N. M., Mrs. C. L. Babb, Bogota, Tex., and Mrs. John Rudd, Post.

The next reunion was set for 1979 here in Post.

VACATION TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes returned home recently following a three weeks vacation. They visited with Mrs. Hughes brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mathes and family in Las Vegas, Nevada and all went to San Diego, for deep sea fishing and also toured the Roy Rogers Museum. They also visited Mr. Hughes sister, Mrs. Rachel Gollehon and family in Bakersfield, California where they toured Universal Studios in Hollywood and Sequoia National Park.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Those admitted to Garza Memorial Hospital since Tuesday of last week were: George Samson, medical; Dustin Ray, medical; Martha Romo, medical; James Hardin, medical; Emma Caffey, medical; Ethel Waldrup, medical; John Waldrup, medical; Dismissed: Donald Pennell

James Hardin
Billie Hedrick
Grace Winters
Emma Caffey
Juliana Mason
Dustin Ray

WEEKEND VISITORS
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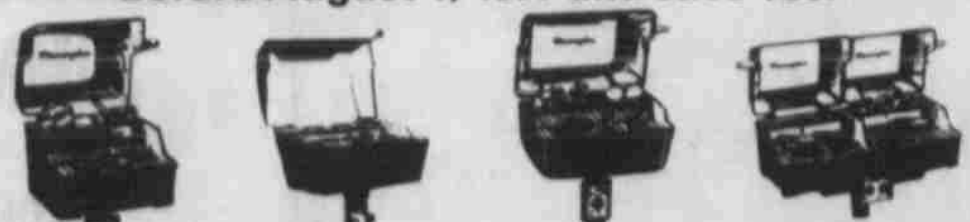
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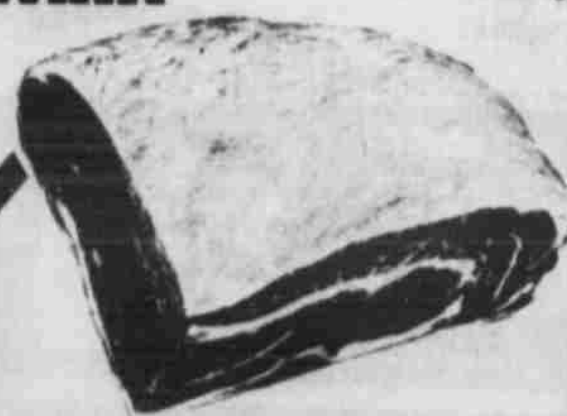
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Legal Notice

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given to the owners, whether herein named or correctly named or not, of property abutting upon streets hereinafter named and designated, within the limits herein defined, in the City of Post, Texas, and all persons owning or claiming any interest in any such abutting property, or others interested in any of said property, or in any other proceedings, contracts and matters hereinto mentioned, that:

The City Council of the City of Post, Texas, by duly enacted Ordinance, has determined the necessity for, and ordered the permanent improvement of, the following described streets within the following limits, in the City of Post, Texas, to-wit:

Unit No. One: FIFTEENTH STREET from west right-of-way U. S. Highway 84 west to the centerline of Avenue M.

Unit No. Two: FIFTEENTH STREET from centerline of Avenue M to the East property line of Avenue S.

By said Ordinances, the City Council of the City of Post, Texas has ordered said streets, to be improved by excavating, grading and paving the same, by the installation of drainage facilities, and by constructing curbs and gutters, where adequate curbs and gutters are not now in place, together with other drains, incidentals and appurtenances thereunto; said paving to consist of a double course of asphalt surface on a six (6) inch compacted caliche sub base, height and width as provided for in the plans and specifications therefor provided by the City Engineer and heretofore approved and adopted by said City Council, all of said improvements to be done and constructed in the manner and of the materials as provided for in said plans and specifications which said plans and specifications and contracts are hereby expressly referred to for a more detailed description of said improvements, and are on file in the office of the City Council of the City of Post, Texas.

That said City Council has caused the City Engineer to prepare and file the hereinafter set out instruments of costs for such improvements and has heretofore by duly enacted Ordinance determined the necessity of levying assessments for a portion of the cost of constructing said curbs and gutters against the property abutting upon said street within the limits above defined, and the real and true owners thereof, and did adopt and determine the hereinafter set out proposed apportionment of the cost of said improvements between said City and the said abutting property, and the real and true owners thereof, and that the portion of said cost proposed to be assessed against the said abutting property, and the owners, thereof, will be in accordance with front foot rule or plan and did further adopt as the proposed rates and estimates of said costs in reference to and for said curbs and gutters within the limits above defined at \$4.10 per foot for a total estimated cost in Unit 1 of \$8,815.00 and in Unit 2, of \$11,523.00.

A hearing will be given and held by and before the City Council of the City of Post, Texas, on the eleventh day of July, 1977, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., in the City Council Chamber of the City Hall of the City of Post, Texas, to the owners, whether named or correctly named herein or not, of all property abutting upon said street within the limits above defined, and to all persons owning or claiming any such abutting property, or interest therein and to all others owning, claiming or interested in said abutting property or any of the proceedings, contracts, or matters and things herein mentioned are instant to said improvements or contracts herein described.

At said time and place, all of such persons, firms, corporations, estates, and their agents and attorneys, shall have the right to appear and be heard and

offer testimony as to said assessments, and to the amounts thereof, proposed to be assessed against said abutting property, and the owners thereof, the lien and charge of personal liability secure payment of said improvements, the special benefits to accrue to each such abutting property and the owner or owners thereof by virtue of said improvements, if any, or concerning any error, invalidity, irregularity or deficiency, in any proceeding or contract in reference to said improvements, and said proposed assessments, and concerning any other matter or things as to which hearing is a constitutional prerequisite to the validity of said assessments, proceedings and improvements on which they are entitled to hearing under the constitution and laws of the State of Texas and the proceedings of said City Council of the City of Post, Texas.

Following such hearings, assessments will be levied against each and every parcel of property abutting upon said streets, within the limits above defined, and the real and true owners thereof, for the portion of the cost of said curbs and gutters determined by said City Council to be payable by such abutting properties, and the owners thereof, and said assessments shall where permitted by law be and constitute a first and prior lien on said abutting property, from the date said improvements were ordered by said City Council and shall be a personal liability and a charge against the real and true owners thereof, as of said date, whether such property be described or correctly described, or such owners be named, or correctly named in such proceedings, or not, and no error, mistake or discrepancy in the names of such owner or owners or in describing said property in this Notice or in any of said proceedings with reference to such improvements, shall invalidate any assessments or certificate issued in evidence thereof, but nevertheless, each parcel of property abutting upon said streets, the owner or owners thereof, shall be charged with, and be liable for said improvement all as provided for under the Article 1105-b, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes of Texas as Amended, under which said improvements and assessments and proceedings are being constructed, performed and levied.

All of said matters and things, all owning or claim-

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and Leigh McCook third in the girls diving.

Lance Alexander was runnerup to McCook in division 1 (7 to 9), Joel Kirkpatrick was second and Curt Greer third in the No. 2 division (10-12 years), Mark Odom and Pat King tied for second in division 3 (12 to 14) and Mike Holly was second and Mike Riedel third in division 4 (15-16).

In the two girls swimming races, Ginger Young won both, the free style and backstroke. Ginny Young was runnerup in both, while Leigh McCook was third in free style and Rhonda Storie third in back stroke.

In boys swimming, in division 1 (7-9) Jay McCook won the free style, Lance Alexander was second and Tyge Payne was third. There was no backstroke race in this division.

In division 2 (10-12) Joek Kirkpatrick won the free style followed by Jeff Lamb and Zane Knowles. In backstroke, Lamb was the winner with Curt Greer second and Zane Knowles third.

In division 3, the same winners finished one-two-three in both free style and backstroke. They were Will Kirkpatrick, first, Mark Odom, second and Pat King, third.

In division 4 (15-16) Mike Holly won both races with Mike Riedel second and Chris Beggs third in the free style and the places reversed with Beggs second and Riedel third in the backstroke.

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Ray J. Diekemper Jr., has Garza's newest oil well.

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VISITS HERE

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kocurek this weekend were Glenda, Angie and Deidre Kloesel from San Angelo.

ing any such abutting property or any interest therein, as well as all others and in any wise interested or affected by the things and matters herein mentioned will take notice.

DONE BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL, of the City of Post, Texas, on this the 7th day of June, 1977.

pete Maddox
City Manager of the City of Post, Texas
Wanda Wilkerson
City Secretary



LUBBOCK — The farm bill is now scheduled to begin its journey through the House of Representatives in Washington on Friday, July 15, but the real "action" will be carried over until the following week.

The bill reported by the House Ag Committee has been given an open rule, and if all goes according to plan general debate will take place in the House on the 15th. But the offering of amendments and voting probably will not come before July 19, according to word received by Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

The cotton section of the bill under consideration calls for a Commodity Credit Corporation loan level equal to the smaller of (1) 85 percent of the four-year average U. S. spot market price for cotton or (2) 90 percent of a price equivalent to the adjusted average Liverpool Cotton Outlook "A" index during the first two weeks of October preceding the required loan announcement on November 1 each year. The loan level for 1978, the first year of the program, would be 51.1 cents for Strict Low Middling 1-16th inch cotton.

The bill stipulates a target price at 110 percent of the loan, which for 1978 would figure 5.1 cents per pound.

A farm measure already passed by the Senate sets the loan by the same formula and at the same level as the House. But the Senate bill would set the target price at the cost of production as determined by the Secretary. For 1978 the Senate proposed target figure would be 51.1 cents, five cents below the price called for in the House bill. This and other differences between the House and Senate versions will be ironed out in a House-Senate Conference Committee after the House takes final action.

Under both bills farmers would be paid the difference between market price and

the target price on production from the farm allotment, as is done under current law.

The Senate measure would set cotton allotments at a percentage (not less than 90 percent nor more than 100 percent) of each year's planted acreage. The percentage factor would be determined by dividing the acreage calculated by the Secretary as needed to supply domestic and export markets by his estimated U. S. acreage for harvest.

The House Ag Committee measure as it will be offered by Committee Chairman Tom Foley of Washington proposes no change in the current system which sets cotton allotments on historical plantings. But the House Cotton Subcommittee, chaired by David Bowen of Mississippi, has held hearings and reported a bill to base cotton allotments on current year plantings as does the Senate bill, but without the 90 percent minimum "factor."

The Bowen bill will be offered as a committee amendment by Chairman Foley.

"It now appears that the cotton section of the House bill, which is essentially what has been proposed by a unified cotton industry, including the Bowen allotment proposal," says PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson, "May have fairly smooth sailing."

Feed grain and wheat price support levels however are expected to be controversial, and a final house vote may not come until July 19 or later.

WEEKEND GUESTS

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Williams over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Dolen Dempsey of Seagraves. They attended the celebration at the park Monday.

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