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Annual rodeo begins three days of fun Aug. 11,12,13

by Julie Hudman

The 54th Annual Post Stampede Rodeo is upon us!

Entries close at the rodeo office at noon on Wednesday, August 10. Nine action-packed events are on tap for Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, August 11-13. They are bareback bronc riding, calf roping, saddle bronc riding,



Bill Hedrick in the Stamford, Texas rodeo parade 1948. Hedrick was a barrel racing contestant.

barrel racing, team roping, bull riding, steer wrestling, girls breakaway roping and the junior flag racing for ages 12 and under.

Terry Walls and his company are in charge of the stock, and he takes pride in supplying good TCRA quality animals for his shows across the country. Scott Messina will take on the clown and bull fighting duties. He, too, has years of experience in rodeoing.

At the close of each night's performance Jody Nix and his band will perform for the musical and dance entertainment. Also, the finals for the Garza County Roping will follow Saturday's performance. These Garza County ropers began their competition last Saturday. So, beginning with the 7:45 p.m. Grand Entry and going through midnight each night, fans can enjoy this weekend in Post.

Youngsters who wish to enter the clown contest may meet at the Garza Museum on North Ave. N at 4 p.m. They will be informed on the judging procedure before the parade.

The opening parade will form at 5 p.m. on Thursday, August 11 on West Main. Parade Marshall Bill Hedrick will lead the way through downtown Post.

Bil was only a young girl when the first Stampede Rodeo was organized. However, she has managed to keep a copy of every Post rodeo program through the years since 1941. She was born Bil Kennedy and taught to ride at

an early age by her father L.P. Kennedy, Jr. Through L.P.'s acquaintances Bil wound up riding a cutting horse belonging to some man from Breckenridge. So in later years, when the Stampede had out of town sponsors for their cowgirls, Bil first rode as a representative for Breckenridge in the Cowgirls Sponsor Contest.

As a young woman Bil won many accomplishments with her riding skills. She said that through all the barrel races, "I won more on my favorite gray horse Danny than any other horse I ever rode." She eventually sold Danny when he was about twenty-two years old, and he was last used to pony the race horses at the track.

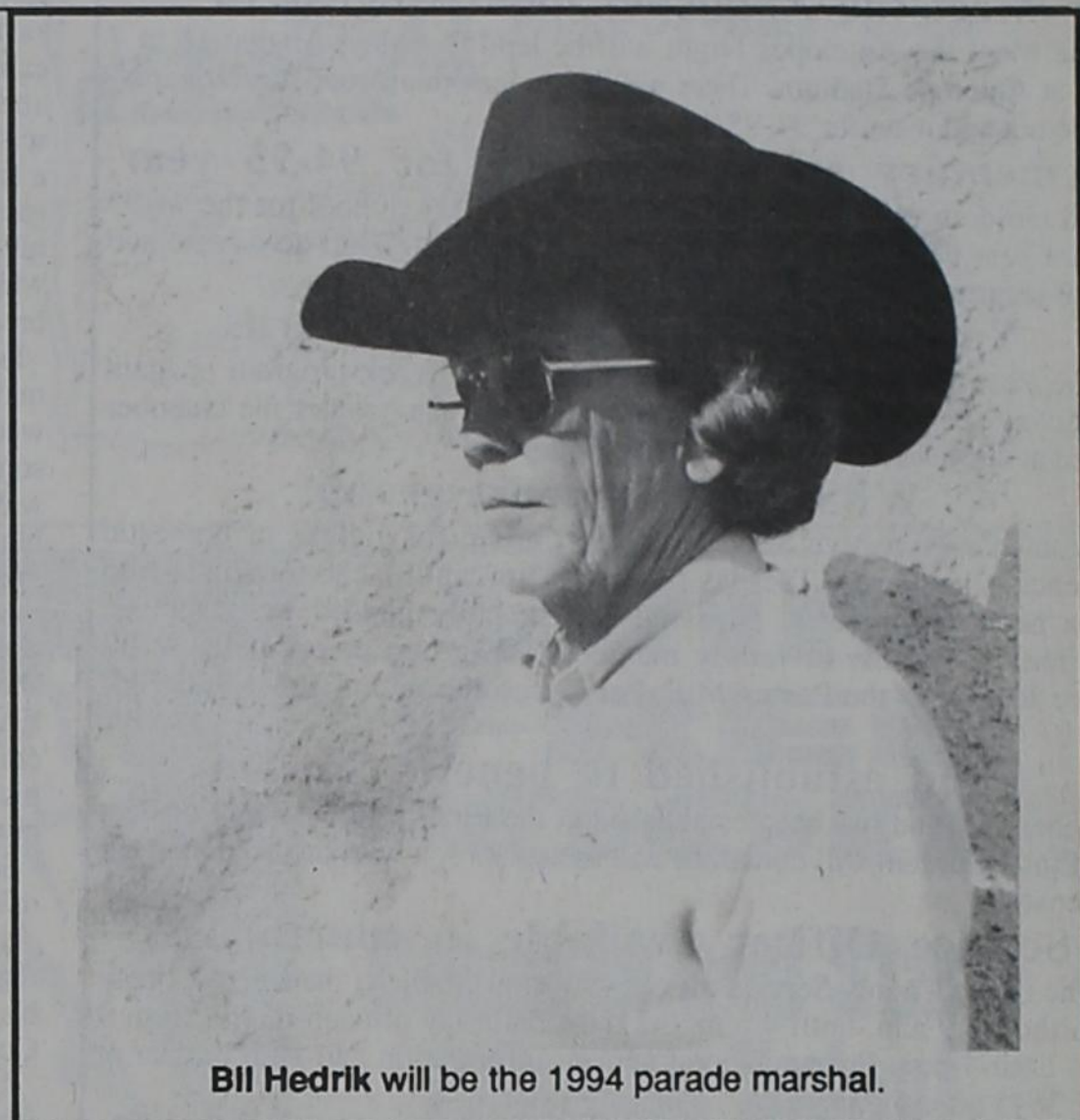
Bil attended Texas Tech University and belonged to their rodeo team. Competing for Tech and rodeoing all around this are some of Bil's dearest memories.

Bil was married to J.L. Hedrick who also rode. He enjoyed taking his family along, and Bil says, "if the kids and I couldn't go along, then he wouldn't go to the rodeo."

Those who know Bil Hedrick understand how genuine a person she is and how much she has guided other young riders. Due to an automobile accident years ago, Bil will most likely lead the parade unmounted. Still her learned instincts about horses and their individual quirks prove invaluable to anyone with the chance to listen.

Bil instilled her love for horses in her two children, Natha Jo Hart of Post and John Bill Hedrick of Abilene. Jo graduated from Angelo State University, but she manages to continue her riding in between teaching in the Post schools and raising her son Shawn. John Bill attended Texas Tech University and has recently become the minister of a church in Abilene. An interesting fact is that Bil and John Bill are the only two-generation members of the Texas Tech Rodeo Team. Bil was the first Rodeo Queen of the Tech Rodeo Team, and she can remember when the team became an intercollegiate sport back around 1948.

Bil can look back over the past programs and point out familiar names and facts about the rider. For instance, Hoyle Nix was listed as a competitor in the Wild Cow Milking in the 1946 program. After he finished competing he would go up into the stands and play his fiddle for everyone's enjoyment. Today it's Hoyle's son Jody who plays for the dance. Those early rodeo events were Mad Scramble, Calf Roping, Saddle Bronc Riding, a Short Pole Game, Wild Cow Milking, Steer Riding, Cowgirl Calf Penning Contest, Old Men's Breakaway Contest, and the Garza Co. Calf Roping Contest. It's fitting that many of those early events have been carried over. Major changes have



Bill Hedrick will be the 1994 parade marshal.

Eight finalists in county roping advance to rodeo

by Bill Galusha

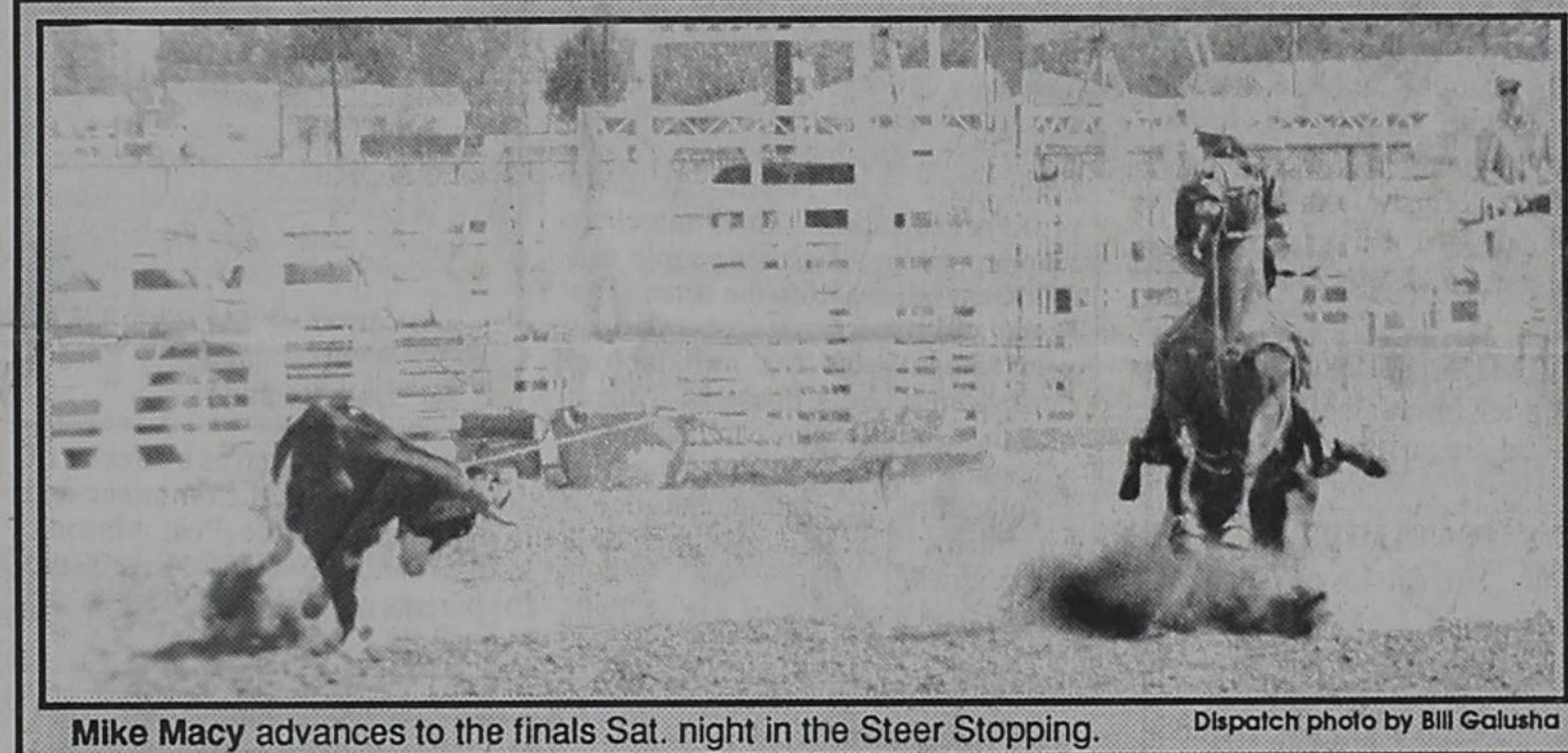
The annual Garza County Roping took place at the Post Stampede Rodeo grounds Saturday August 6. The breakaway calf roping and calf roping winners were decided Saturday. The top four competitors of the steer stopping and the team roping will be going on to compete this coming Saturday night at the 54th Post Stampede Rodeo.

The top three winners in the breakaway calf roping were Clay Johnson first place, Cody King second place and Cory King captured third. In the calf roping Joel Kirkpatrick took first place with Clay Johnson taking second place.

The four competitors in the steer stopping who will go on to compete in

the finals at the rodeo Saturday are, Karl Hall, Mike Macy, Fred Myers and Richard Hart. The four team roping teams that will move on to Saturdays competition are Clay Johnson and Kyle Fogerson, Mike Macy and Eddy Gravell, Clay Johnson and Jeff Williams and the final team is Mike Macy and Joel Kirkpatrick.

The steer stopping and team roping competitors times earned last Saturday will carry over to the rodeo Saturday night. The teams will compete Saturday with their times being added together for a combined total. The best total times from the competition will decide the winners.



Mike Macy advances to the finals Sat. night in the Steer Stopping.

Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

Commissioners toil over 94-95 budget talks

by Bill Galusha

The Commissioners Court met in regular session Mon., August 8. The main concern of the commissioners was the 94-95 budget, though other items were decided at the session.

O.B. Kelly with the Soil Conservation Service was present to inform the court a location for a Dry Hydrant was located. Riley Miller of

Justiceburg offered Garza County the benefit of his irrigation wells at Justiceburg as a location for the Dry Hydrant. "This will enable our fire trucks to go to the location and hook up to the hydrant and refill the trucks cutting down on the need of water tankers," said Judge Giles Dalby.

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Major highway repairs for Post and Lubbock areas

by Bill Galusha

A meeting was held last week at the Chaparral Restaurant between Post city officials and the Texas Transportation Department. The main topic of the meeting was concerning a "Transportation Improvement Program" of the Lubbock rural area which includes Post.

The introduction program was held for the purpose of informing Garza County officials of the upcoming proposed highway projects. Representing the State Highway Department was Steve Warren, Director of Transportation Planning and Development. Misty Stevens, Transportation Planner, was there to answer questions concerning the plans for the construction projects and to assist Warren.

Over \$30 million dollars annually has been allocated for improvements of our highway system as enunciated in the "Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act" (ISTEA) of 1991. The main purpose of the Act is "to develop a National Inter modal

Transportation System that is economically efficient, environmentally sound, provides the foundation for the Nation to compete in the global economy and will move people and goods in an energy efficient manner."

The Federal-aid program will encompass about 920,000 miles and will be based on a new framework. The major federal-aid programs are, National Highway Systems (NHS), Interstate, Surface Transportation Program (STP), and Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation Program. The highway funds are available for activities that enhance the environment.

The Lubbock district consists of 17 counties and has an annual obligation authority of approximately \$30 million dollars. The \$30 million dollars will be used to improve state and county maintained roads and highways.

Approved for April 1995 in Garza County is highway 84 from two miles SE of Justiceburg to the Scurry County line approximately \$9.3 million dollars

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Summer ends, classes to begin Aug. 22

by Bill Galusha

With the summer coming to an end it's time to start thinking about going back to school. The first day of classes for the Post Independent School District will begin August 22.

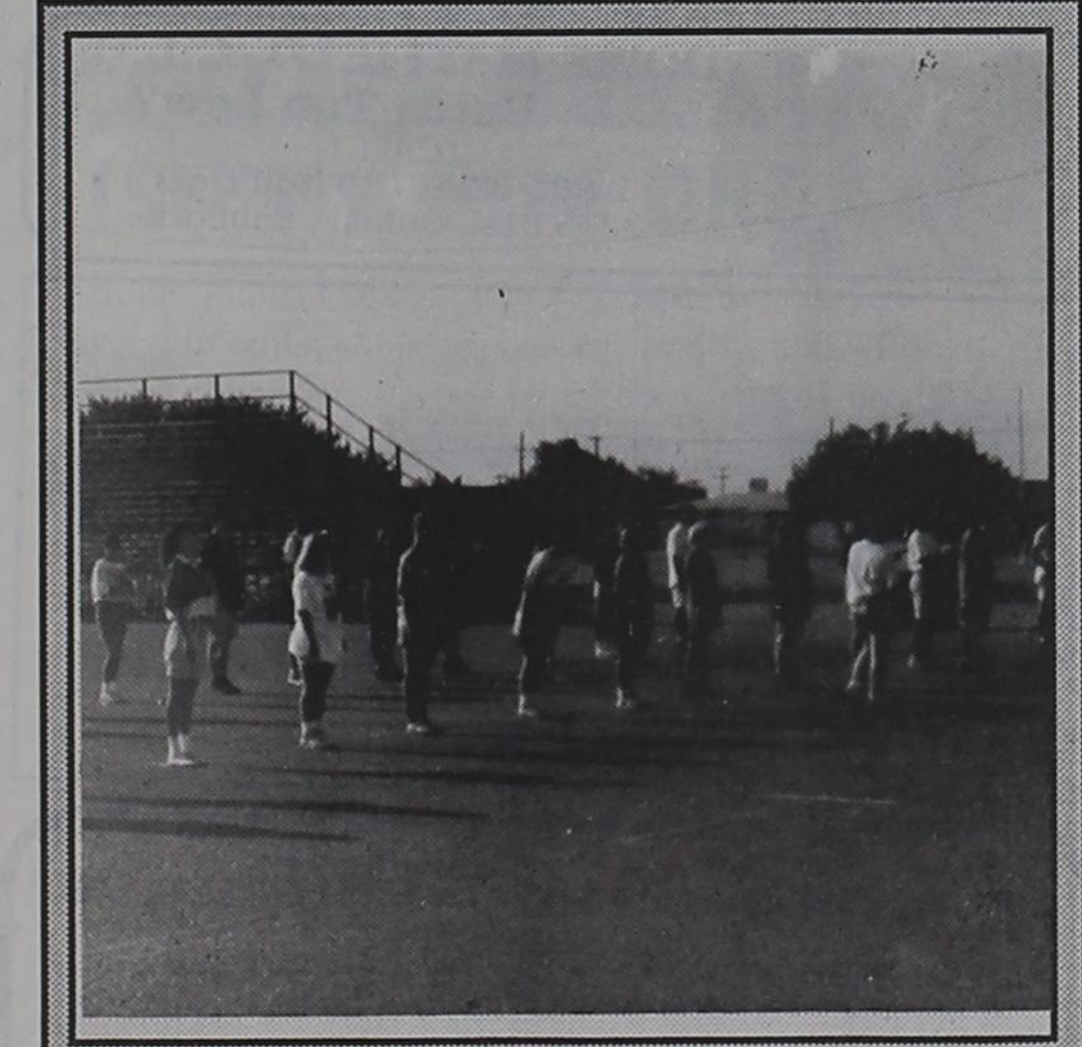
Although the schools have not been officially open they have been busy with final preparations for opening day. Custodians have been finishing the final cleaning and last minute painting, teachers are getting books and desks in order and cafeteria personnel have been finishing up with menus and pots and pans.

August 3 was the beginning day of the Bold Gold Antelopes football practice. Although there was no football in the summer the team was soon reminded of the rigorous routine involved in training and practice. Running and passing, tackling and learning plays are all a part of their daily routine until school begins.

Music teachers have called the band back to school. David Lewis who begins his first year with P.I.S.D. is the new Music Director. Lewis has been teaching at Lockart, for the last 12 years. New to the music department is Terrance Brown who joined the music staff as assistant music director. Brown is a recent graduate of Texas Tech University in Lubbock and is also in the Army Reserves.

"This is my first major career move and I'm really excited about it. I want to motivate the kids, get them off the couch and from in front of the TV, I want to bring as much of the world to them as possible," said Brown.

"We sent out letters to all the previous band students and we've had a good turn out. I want people to know that anyone interested in band is welcome to come join us," said Lewis. The band will be practicing from 9am until 12 noon five days a week until the 12th of August. "They (interested students) can either come by here or they can call



With school to begin in less than two weeks band students are summoned back to school to practice marching.

Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

the band hall at 495-2789 anytime," Lewis added.

Nancy Vaughn, middle school librarian would like the students to know about a new book reading program that will be in the Middle School Library this year. The name of the program is "Electronic Book Shelf." The program will give the students a chance to get extra points for reading more books and comprehending what they read.

There are three series of books that the students can choose from. The Blue Bonnet, the Lonestar, and the

Newberry. There are over 40 books in the three series that the students can read. When the student is finished reading a particular book in either series they take a short exam on the computer.

The purpose of the exam is to tell the teachers whether the student has read the book and if they (the student) understood what they have read. According to how well the student scores on the exam they will be awarded points. At the end of the year

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Benefit to be held for local cancer patient Aug. 26, & 27

A benefit co-ed softball game will be played Friday and Saturday, August 26 and 27 at the David Nichols Park on Snyder highway. All proceeds will go to benefit cancer patient Linda Gordon.

Gordon, a Post Elementary School P. E. Teachers aid and a Post resident has been undergoing treatment for Cancer the last five years at Hodges Cancer Center, Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Recently the cancer has spread to the bone and a more aggressive approach was deemed necessary.

Her treatment has been transferred to M. D. Anderson in Houston, Texas where a bone marrow transplant along with Chemotherapy and Radiation treatments have been scheduled for sometime around September 1. After the transplant she will be in isolation for a minimum of six weeks. "We're going to nip this thing at the bud," Gordon said.

Gordon has been forced to take a leave of absence from work to battle her cancer and expenses have been astronomical. "We've been very humble through all of this, the people here in Post have been so wonderful and supportive I just don't know what to say," Gordon said.

Anyone who would like to play in this co-ed softball game is encouraged to come out and enjoy the fun. Dean Gunn of the First National Bank encourages all softball enthusiasts to come out and play ball. "If you don't have a team to play on, we will find you one," said Gunn.

All church groups, clubs, organizations and/or businesses are asked to come out. There will be a \$100 dollar entry fee for each team to enter. There will be no charge for spectators to come and watch the games, but any and all donations will be appreciated. There will be refreshments and food for sale on the location. All proceeds will go to benefit Linda Gordon.

If you would like to make a donation or find out more information about the events contact Deana Gunn at 495-2804.

"Peer Mediation" at middle school successful

by Bill Galusha

"Peer Mediation" at Post Middle School has been designated a complete success. "We've went from a few fights a week to one once in awhile," said Marita Jackson, Middle School Principle. Peer Mediation was first observed by Marita Jackson and counselor Sharla Wells in a school in Albuquerque, New Mexico last summer. After observing the program and hearing of the results they organized an implementation team of Post Middle School teachers to plan and organize the local peer mediation program here.

Instead of having teachers discipline students a mediator (a trained student) aids in resolving the problem. Any type of conflict can be settled in the mediation process, some of which include

rumors, threats, put downs and insults. Mediation can be called for by the students themselves, teachers, on-lookers, parents or counselors. The mediators explain the rules to the students, no name calling, no put downs, no interrupting each other, no physical fighting or threats and they must have a genuine desire to solve their problem.

After the guide lines and rules have been agreed to by the two parties involved the mediator uses the problem solving process to resolve the dispute in such a way that neither if the two parties loses. Mediators listen to both sides of the problem, restate it and ask the each of the disputants how they feel.

After brainstorming for a solution that each disputant agrees to an agreement is written up and signed.

The mediator is in this way able to follow up on the success of the resolution. "Some of our mediators have been students who have been in mediation themselves, we want to teach kids to solve their own problems," said Wells.

Last year the trained staff members were Dedra Adams, Kristi Fulmer, Marita Jackson, Aaron Rathbun and Sharla Wells. The trained student mediators were Albert Armendariz, John Barbosa, Amanda Cordson, Patricia De Luna, Michaela Eagle, Scotty Gaydos, Kathy Gerner, Tasha Gilbert, Melissa Guierrez, Kelci Hart, Rebecca Hubble, Rachelle Jones, Luis Leos, Chris Metzger, Scott Metzger, Cody Nelson, Erica Schooler, Cassie Short and Luke Williams.

Out of the 59 cases referred to mediation, there were 55 solved, "I would call the program a success," said Jackson.

Post Notes

Human Services Dept. schedules open house

The local Department of Human Services and Department of Protective and Regulatory Services will be having an open house on Monday, August 15 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. The general public is invited to attend and refreshments will be served. Informational pamphlets and statistical fact sheets for Garza County will be available at the local office.

Hours set for historical museum

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

Meet the Antelopes night August 16

The Meet the Antelopes Night will be held Tuesday, August 16 at 7 p.m. at Antelope Stadium. There will be an ice cream supper afterwards! Come out and meet the 94-95 Antelopes!!

Elementary school enrolling for 94-95 year

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

Yard of the week program returns

The Post Chamber of Commerce Yard of the Week program is again underway. Persons wishing to nominate yards can contact the chamber office at 495-3461.

WPS offers support group

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

Fund established to benefit Gordon

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

Service Officer available in courthouse

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

Orientation and Open House set for Aug 18

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

Softball benefit for Gordon scheduled

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

Registration at Christian School

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

Immunization Clinic August 12

Texas Department of Health will be having an Immunization Clinic August 12 from 1-5 p.m. Please bring Social Security number and immunization record.

Booster club schedules meeting

The Antelope Booster Club will meet Monday, August 15 at 7 p.m. at the SPS Reddy Room.

Fluvanna Fire Department to hold supper

Fluvanna Volunteer Fire Department will have it's annual Laredo Supper and Bake Sale Auction August 13 at 7 p.m. at the Fluvanna Community Center. Door prizes will be drawn during the meal and sale. The public is invited to attend.

Commodities distribution

The commodities distribution are held on the third Monday every month at the Service Center on the Snyder Highway. The center will be open for the distribution from 9 - 12 and from 1-3 p.m. The commodities distribution will continue at the Service Barn until further notice.

Christian Music Night August 13

Jackson Ministries will be hosting a Christian Music Night August 13 at 7 p.m. at the Chaparral Steak House in the Garden Room. Everyone is invited to attend and encouraged to bring a song to sing.

Caprock Ladies Golf Association

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

Meeting scheduled for Lutheran Church

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

PHS annuals ready for pick up

PHS students may pick up their annuals they ordered on Wednesday, August 10 from 6-8 p.m. at the football field.

Ladies fun time enjoys salad supper

The ladies fun time salad supper was held last Monday night at 6:30 pm. Guests were Exa Fay Gilmore,

Johnnie Francis, Ruth Martin, Inez Huntley, Nona Lusk, Marietta Pruitt, Mary Gunn, Pansy M. Smith, Jewell White, Verna Roberts, Alice Woodrow, Jean Tipton, Hooter Terry and Mary Welborn. Hostesses for the supper were Mary Hogue and Inez Ritchie.

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Peel and Slack married in candlelight service

Kayla Donice Peel and Lyle M. "Skip" Slack II were married in a candlelight wedding service Saturday, July 30 in the First United Methodist Church in Bryan.

Rev. Jim Ross, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with brass votive candelabras entwined with large white tulle bows and miniature roses from Tyler. The wedding aisle featured the same large tulle bows and miniature roses.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her brothers, Kraig Peel of Comstock and Keith Peel of Lubbock, wore a white satin gown adorned with pearl enhanced lace overlays on the bodice and elbow length sleeves. The scalloped cathedral train flowed from a large pouf bow surrounding a satin rose. Her hat featured an elbow length tulle veil. She carried a bouquet of white roses, iris, stephanotis and baby's breath.

For something old the bride wore her maternal and paternal grandmothers' wedding rings. Her bridal gown was something new. Something borrowed was her mother's pearl earrings. A blue garter made by Sue Maxey of Post completed the wedding tradition.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Jana Middleton of McAllen. The sheer sleeves and yoke of her white linen suit were enhanced with embroidery and pearls. She wore a picture hat and carried a bouquet of mixed summer flowers.

Serving as best man was Scott Slack of Abilene, brother of the groom.

Shayla Peel, niece of the bride, registered the guests. She was assisted by her mother Shirley Peel, both of Comstock.

Lee Bason, Kathy Wimpee and Randy Wimpee, all of Bryan, sang traditional wedding music while the guests were being seated. Billy Garrett, also of Bryan, was the organist.



Mrs. Lyle M. Slack II

The reception following the ceremony was held at the Bonnie Gambrel House in Bryan. Guests had a choice of being served traditional wedding cake in the dining room of the house, or a layered sandwich and fruit outside on the deck surrounding the pool.

The bride and groom are both graduates of Texas A&M University.

The bride is employed by ANCO Insurance Managers, Inc. of Bryan as the Business Service Manager. The groom is employed by Texas A&M University as a counselor and teacher. They will make their home in Bryan.

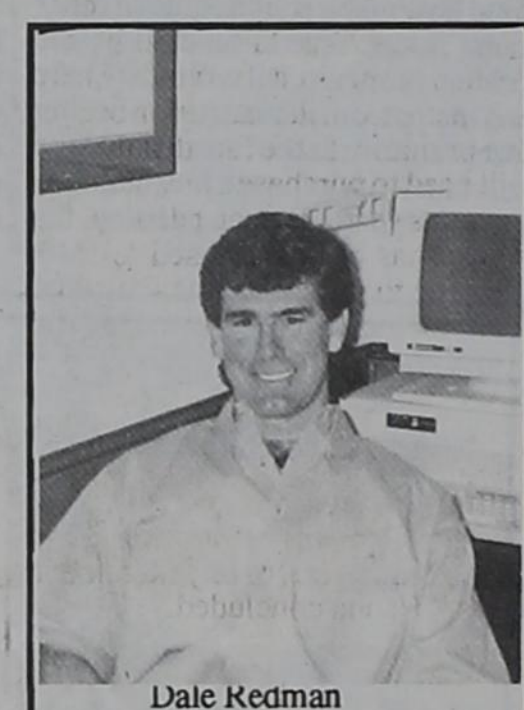
Parents of the bridal couple are Mrs. Janet Fowler of Lubbock; Lonnie Gene Peel of Post and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle M. Slack of Abilene.

Snyder man elected to "Business Hall of Fame Foundation"

Post native Dale Redman, owner and president of Reef Chemical Co., Inc. in Snyder, has been elected to the Texas Business Hall of Fame Foundation Board of Directors.

The Texas Business Hall of Fame Foundation is an 11-year-old, non-profit organization with 77 directors who are leading business people and represent cities across the state. The Foundation recognizes exceptional achievement in business by inducting outstanding Texas business leaders into the Hall of Fame, and supports education in the state by awarding scholarships to graduate students attending Texas colleges and universities.

The 1984 graduate of Texas Tech



Dale Redman

University has served as a director of the Post Chamber of Commerce and is a member of the Post Masonic Lodge. He and his wife, Penny, are the parents of Rachel, 7; Reid, 5; and Hunter, 2.

Commissioners

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In the last fiscal year Garza County has lost over \$85 million dollars in gas and oil revenues. The lost revenues puts forth before the county the problem of where the money is going to come from to run the county. "To enable the county to generate the same amount of revenue as last year an estimated tax rate of .36 would be needed," said Laura Hataway tax A/C. "I think it's our duty to let the public decide and put in their opinions," said judge Dalby.

The budget and the tax problem were left on the table until the commissioners can come up with a budget they think is as comparable to last years as possible. After that has been reached the Commissioners Court will call for public hearings on the matter. "I'm totally against a tax increase," said judge Dalby.

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Birth Announcements

Taylor Neal Ammons of Lubbock is thrilled to announce the arrival of her baby sister, Raegan Rande, born July 23 at 2:18 p.m. She weighed seven pounds, nine ounces and was 20 inches long. The girls parents are Randy and Julie Ammons of Lubbock. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ammons of Post; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Calabro; and Mr. and Mrs. Howard White, all of El Paso. Great grandmother is Mrs. Anne Byrd of Post.



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Trail Blazers

Thursday, August 11
Glazed ham, corn, oriental vegetables, tossed salad, wheat roll, frosted cake, choice of beverage.

Friday, August 12
BBQ sausage, baked potato, okra, tossed salad, cornbread, peaches, choice of beverage.

Monday, August 15
Swiss steak, corn, okra, cucumber slices, biscuit, apricot cobbler, choice of beverage.

Tuesday, August 16
Fish nuggets, pinto beans, spinach, coleslaw, cornbread, poke cake, choice of beverage.

Wednesday, August 17
Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, peas & carrots, bran muffin, pineapple chunks, choice of beverage.

Beef Up Your Word Power

with Charles Somerville



strident adj. - a harsh sound that grates on the nerves.

boisterous adj. - rough and noisy.

role exchange n. - a trading of what one does with someone else.

Example of usage when foregoing are combined:

A role exchange often comes when a small child, bullied by a strident, boisterous parent, becomes a strident, boisterous teenager who bullies the parent.

Highways

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has been allocated for the project. In Justiceburg there has been \$0.5 million dollars to be used on the County roads and to install flashing lights at the Railroad crossing south of Justiceburg.

There will be many projects forthcoming in several counties including Post. Projects include seal coating, miscellaneous signal and landscaping projects, and bridge and overpass repairs. Some of the roads mentioned in the project are, FM 1294, FM 2591 at White River Bridge, US 82 at Silver Falls Bridge and FM 1729 to FM 597.

The Lubbock district and state apportionment for 1995 is \$30,022,028, for 1996 \$30,022,028 and for 1997 the apportionment is \$33,730,028.

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Tax 'n Facts

by Terri S. Cash, CPA

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First: it has to be a real job with reasonable pay; that makes the salary deductible to the company as a business expense. With that proviso, a child can earn up to \$3,800 this year without owing any tax on it. Higher earnings, the next \$2,750, are taxed at 15 percent. Remember, the kiddie tax only refers to unearned income.

In an unincorporated business, no Social Security tax has to be withheld if the child is under 18 years of age. This represents a total savings of 15.3 percent-half for the company, half for the kid. Best of all if the teenager sets up an IRA and contributes \$2,000 to it--from earned money or even a smart gift from the parents--this raises to \$5,800 the amount that can be earned tax-free this year.

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POST VARSITY Cheerleaders attending the National Cheerleading Camp August 1-4 in Plainview were: (l-r) Amber Cooper, Jill Stelzer, Melissa Williams, Sonya Harp, Tonya Harp and DeeJe' Estep. The squad brought home several ribbons and awards.

Varsity cheerleaders attend NCA Camp August 1-4 in Plainview

The Post Varsity Cheerleading squad brought home several honors from the Wayland University National Cheerleading Association (NCA) Camp held August 1-4 in Plainview. Post's varsity cheerleaders attending the camp were Amber Cooper, Jill Stelzer, Melissa Williams, Sonya Harp,

Tonya Harp and DeeJe' Estep. The camp attracted 246 cheerleaders and 40 sponsors from 32 schools across the Southwest. Post received seven blue (superior) ribbons; one red (excellent) ribbon; two team awards; and a trophy for working the best together as a squad.

They also brought home the "Spirit Stick". Out of 25 squads present, the Post cheerleaders were rated in the top four and were given the opportunity to try out for All-National Squad.

City to install new 6 inch water main

by Bill Galusha
A public hearing was held August 2, 1994 at City Hall concerning a \$250,000 grant to be used to replace and/or repair water lines that are worn out or too small to supply enough water to residences or for fire control. Ches Carthel of Oller Engineering surveyed the project and submitted an estimate of \$250,000 to be reviewed by the South Plains Association of Government (SPAG). Howco Co. out of Lubbock will be contracted to do the work on the water lines. Kay Howard of the Howco Company, a Government consultant was there to speak to the council on behalf of Howco. Howard assured the council that the estimate was within the \$250,000 limit the city had set and could possibly come in under budget. Some of the work proposed for the project is to replace 8400 feet of two inch water lines with new six inch lines at an estimated cost of \$30 per foot. A new fire hydrant will also be installed West of Mohhawk on 13th street. If this grant meets the criteria set forth by the ruling body in September, work could begin on the project as early as April. At the regular City Council meeting held immediately after the public hearing two more grants and the annual budget were on the agenda. One state grant also for \$250,000 has already been awarded to the city for housing rehabilitation. This grant money is to be used in conjunction with guide lines set forth by the government and dispersed by a special task force that

represents a broad contingency of the general public. "Applications for people to apply for this grant money should be available to the public in approximately 45 days," said Rick Hanna, City Manager. The funds if awarded can not exceed \$10,000 per dwelling and are to be used for the purpose of minor roof repair, ventilation, storm windows, minor plumbing and other things that are not of a cosmetic nature. The money is to be used for applications related to the health and well fare of the resident. "The city will notify the general public as soon as applications are made available. We do not even have all the guide lines yet," Hanna said in closing. Another grant discussed was the ICTEA Grant. The ICTEA Grant is a state grant that if approved will be used to better the community of Post. Sidewalk repair is one major consideration that was discussed among the council members. "I think we especially need to repair the sidewalks on Main street, they're an

Other project ideas for the grant that were put before the council were repairs on the Garza County Historical Museum, external repairs on the Algerita and restoration of one of the first churches built in Post in 1916, the old First Presbyterian Church on Ave K and 10th street. The budget was discussed by the council in very general terms. There is an increase in the sanitation budget due primarily to the fact that the city will need to purchase a new garbage truck this year. The water department budget has been increased to meet the need to purchase a new pick up truck for the water department. The police department budget is up due to the purchase of a new squad car. "As far as the overall budget is concerned, it (the budget) is very comparable to last years. It looks as though there will be no increase in services this year, or any increase in taxes," Hanna concluded.

*Thank you,
Words cannot adequately express our appreciation for all the financial contributions, prayers, kind words, and love our friends have blessed us with. Heather will not be able to return to Japan for additional treatment and we have worked out things with the insurance company, so we are asking that any further financial gifts be directed to Linda Gordan to help her defray medical expenses. Please continue to keep us in your prayers.
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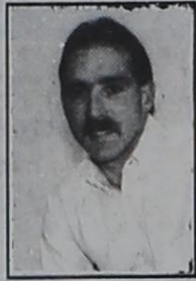
The 1994 West Texas Beef Cattle Conference is scheduled for Thursday, August 25, at the Scurry County Coliseum in Snyder. The educational program is being presented by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Dawson, Scurry, Borden, Garza, Mitchell and Lynn Counties.

Topics to be covered at the conference include Forage Testing and Range Nutrition by Kent Mills; Texas Ranch to Rail Program by Dr. Matt Cravey; Avoiding Injection Discounts and Total Quality Management by Dr. Dan Hale; Meat Quality Evaluation by Texas Beef Management by Dr. Dan Hale; Meat Quality Evaluation by Texas Beef Council; Stocker Cattle Management by Drs. Brent Bean, Charles Church and Cravey; Forage Improvement Through Complete Brush Control by J.F. Cadenhead; and a Cattleman's Question and Answer session.

Registration for the conference is \$5 in advance or \$10 at the door. Deadline for advance registration is due August 19 to one of the county Extension Offices listed above. Make checks payable to: Scurry County Ag Extension Fund.

Producers and others can receive two Continuing Education units (CEUs) for attending the entire program. Each participant must have their license number. If not available for the license has been lost, call TDA Licensing office at 1-512-475-1657 prior to the course to ask for the license number. Each participant should also have their social security number available at the workshop.

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Deanna Lee (right) CEA-HE received a Certificate of Completion for an Agricultural Financial Management in Agriculture Seminar from Wayne A. Hayenga, Professor & Extension Specialist of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The seminar was conducted July 18-20, 1994 at Seven Oaks Resort at Wimberley for County Extension Agents to better teach farmers and ranchers about financial matters. Topics included financial statement development and analysis, making cash flow projections, investment analysis and forms of business organization. The seminar was put on with financial assistance from the G. Rollie White Charitable Trust, Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Texas Extension Education Foundation, Inc. Lee is a Garza County Extension Agent in Post.

The Mexicanos Unidos would like to thank all the people who came to the Algerita Park. Thank you for your support! We would also like to thank Pizza Hut for the pizza coupons and First Baptist Church for letting us use their volleyball net.

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Photographs entered in the contest must be the original work or idea of the exhibitor. Commercial printing is accepted. Photographs must be mounted, matted, or framed suitable for hanging by a peg board hook with the hanger approximately 2" below the top. The photographers name, address, entry title and price should be on the back of the entry.

Approximately eight separate categories portraying some aspect of the cotton industry will apply for black and white photographs and color prints. Categories are: 1. Cotton plants, 2. Persons involved in cotton production, 3. Equipment, 4. Denim, 5. Other cotton products. Categories may be created or deleted depending on entry numbers.

Cash awards of \$100 will be awarded to the Juror's Choice photograph and \$50 to the People Choice winner. Ribbons will be awarded 1,2,3, and honorable mention in each category at the judge's discretion. There will be a 15% commission on all sales.

Entries will be accepted September 3, 1-6 pm and September 4, 1-5 pm at 427 Phelps Ave. Judging begins at 9 am September 5. The exhibit will be open to the public September 6-9 from 5-8pm and on Saturday, September 10 from 9am to 4 pm.

A category of old photographs depicting the cotton industry will be assembled for display purposes. Information about the photograph including where the photo was taken and individuals in the photo should accompany the photograph if known.

For additional information contact Stephen Henry, 313 West 4th St., Littlefield, Tx, (806) 385-4481 or 894-3123.

Taylor honored at bridal showers and luncheon

A bridal shower honoring Lori Taylor, bride elect of Michael Shane Dorman, was held on Sunday, June 12, 1994 at the First Baptist Church in Post.

The brides chosen colors of hot pink, purple, yellow and green were carried out in the decorations. Punch and cookies were served to the guests.

The hostess gift was completer pieces of the bride's china.

Hostesses for the shower were Martha Baker, Alexa Collier, Linda Gordon, Kay Hays, Dorothy McCook, Carol McDonald, Cindy Mitchell, Edna Owen, Debbie Palmer, Marinette Tyler, Diann Windham and Marilyn Williams.

A lingerie shower was given in honor of Taylor on Friday, July 22, 1994 in the home of Marilyn Williams.

Cookies and punch were served to those attending.

A gift of lingerie was given to the bride elect by the hostesses.

The hostesses were the bride's maid of honor, Jennifer Keim of Spearman, Monica Stephens of Tahoka, Rachel Dunn of Lubbock and Megan Bush of San Angelo.

Taylor was honored at a bridal luncheon Friday, July 22, 1994 in the home of Carol Payne.

Guests were served a delicious assortment of quiche, muffins, fruit, and almond tea.

A honeymoon basket was given to the bride.

Hostesses were Carol Payne, LuAnne Terry, Nancy Kemp, Thressa Harp and Marianne Hart.

Criminal laws update scheduled at SPC

A criminal laws update on the Texas Penal Code, Code of Criminal Procedure and Drug Laws 1994 Legislative Enactments is scheduled Aug. 23-24 at South Plains College.

Classes will meet 5:30-10:30 pm daily in the SPC Petroleum Technology-Law Enforcement Building, room 115. Cost, which includes tuition and supplies, is \$22.

Additional classes will be offered 5:30-10 pm Aug. 25-26 and 8 am-5

pm Aug. 29-31.

Registration deadline is Aug. 22.

Participants will receive copies of the new laws and procedures enacted during the last legislative session.

Formal registration will be completed at the first class session.

Either payment in full or a purchase order number is required on the first day of class. A minimum of 10 people must enroll in order for the class to make.

For more information, contact the

SPC Law Enforcement Office at 806-894-9611, ext. 291.

Free and Reduced Priced Meals

Post Independent School District today announced its policy for providing free and reduced price meals for children served under the National School Lunch Program. Each school and/or the central office has a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by any interested party.

The household size and income criteria identified below will be used to determine eligibility for free and reduced price benefits. Children from households whose income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free or reduced price meals. Foster children that are the legal responsibility of a welfare agency or court may also be eligible for benefits regardless of the income of the household with whom they reside. Eligibility for the foster child is based on the child's income.

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2	18,204	1,517	351
3	22,792	1,900	439
4	27,380	2,282	527
5	31,556	2,664	615
6	36,556	3,047	703
7	41,144	3,429	792
8	45,732	3,811	880
For each additional member add....	+4,588	+383	+89

Application forms are being distributed to all households with a letter informing households of the availability of free and reduced price meals for their children. Applications also are available at the principal's office in each school. To apply for free and reduced price meals, households must fill out the application and return it to the school. Applications may be submitted anytime during the school year.

For school officials to determine eligibility for free and reduced price benefits, households receiving food stamps or AFDC only have to list their child's name, food stamp or AFDC case number and an adult household member must sign the application. Households who do not list a food stamp or AFDC case number must list the names of all household members, the amount and source of the income received by each household member who signs the application. If neither household member has a Social Security number, the household member must indicate that a social security number is not available. The application must be signed by an adult household member.

Under the provisions of the free and reduced price meal policy will review applications and determine eligibility. Parents and guardians dissatisfied with the ruling of the official may wish to make a formal appeal for a hearing on the decision. They may make a request either orally or in writing to the Principal.

Households that list a food stamp or AFDC case number must report when the household no longer received these benefits. Other households approved for benefits based on income information must report increases in household income of over \$50 per month or \$600 per year and decreases in household size. Also, if a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should contact the school. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for benefits if the household's income falls at or below the levels shown above.

In the operation of child feeding programs administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, no child will be discriminated against because of race, color, sex, national origin, age or handicap. If any member of a household believes they have been discriminated against, they should write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

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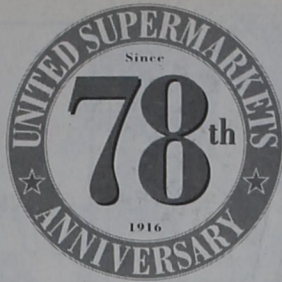
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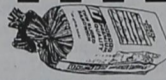
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While catching up some reading this past week, I came across some facts that necessitate sharing with my readers. These figures come from a CommuniQue of Texans' War on Drugs.

Alcohol use is involved in: 70% of all murders; 70% of boating accidents; 66% of fatal accidents; 65% of all arrests; 60% of sex crimes against children; 60% of child abuse cases; 53% of fire deaths; 50% of rapes; 45% of drownings; 44.6% of traffic fatalities; 41% of assaults; and 37% of suicides.

In addition to this, alcohol was involved in one out of four family problems and in one out of three failed marriages. If those figures don't get your attention, I will make a statement that just might! Alcohol and other drug problems cost each man, woman and child in America \$800 a year. Even though this true, less than 5% of the total amount of health care expenditures are invested in efforts to PREVENT causes of death including alcohol, tobacco and other drug use. What can we do about this? How can we get involved so that prevention becomes a priority when health care budgets are discussed?

I am not making a moral judgment about drinking. I am, however, saying that whether we choose to drink or not, we need to be aware of the risks involved. We also need to make sure that our young people are aware of these risks. Unfortunately, the 60% of children that are beaten and abused, know them well. Setting an example is the best way to teach our children how we want them to behave.

Boy, these was a "hot time in the old town" Trade Days weekend here in Post. The resurrection of the Tower Theater was a success in my estimation. I was delighted to see several Post residents perform. They were terrific. The mural painted by Bob Chennault is awesome, the new seats are comfortable, and the air conditioning system has to be one of the best! Brrrr, it was cold! I think a good time was had by all. My thanks to all of the people responsible.

If you are planning a trip to the coast this month, you might avoid eating raw or partially cooked oysters. There is a common saltwater microorganism which is carried at times by oysters, particularly in summer months in Gulf Coast waters. It can be the cause of severe illness and death for some individuals with certain medical conditions. Since I am going to be there for a few days, I was certainly glad I happened to read this.

When I was driving on the south side of Post a few weeks back, I saw evidence of some brush fires, and even last week a house in town caught fire. I found a brochure by the Post Volunteer Department and thought I might share. For instance if you catch on fire: STOP where you are, running only fans the fire. DROP to the floor or ground, if you stand the fire will rise to your face. ROLL slowly on the floor in a blanket or rug if possible. Three ways to protect our family are to install smoke detectors, establish an escape plan and practice, and then put a Type ABC extinguisher in the home, this type works on all types of fires. I hope none of us ever have to use this information, but we need to be prepared in case we do.

Now to my favorite subject...recycling! Thanks Tonja and Lisa for your help last Wednesday. Remember recyclers, we take cardboard, but not from food boxes or drink cartons, only the brown corrugated cardboard that can be broken down flat.

An energy saving hint I just read: Close your refrigerator on a \$1 bill. If you can easily pull out the bill, the door may need a new gasket. Another way to save energy is to decide what you want from the refrigerator before you open the door. Gotcha!

Radishes, Roots & Rosebuds

by Deanna Lee
Garza County Extension Agent
Home Economics



L-R Mary Neff of Post, Lucille Barbour, Tulia, Caprock District Pres., Dorothy Kemp, Corpus Christi, State Pres., Donna Craig of Post

Women's club plans to strengthen organization

The Caprock District of The Texas Federation of Women's Clubs met recently at the Garden and Arts Center in Lubbock to look at ways of strengthening the organization through the year 2000.

A record 72 women attended the district meeting, including state members who are in line for the federations presidency. The federation will consider Lubbock, along with other cities, for a future statewide convention.

Among the topics discussed at the district meeting were ways in which the federation could be made more interesting and appealing to younger women, said Lucille Barbour of Tulia, president of the Caprock District.

A team of executive leaders from the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs attended the meeting, including Dorothy S. Kemp of Corpus Christi, president; Marion Gamertsfelder of Dalhart, first


vice president; Mary Beth Guy of Kirbyville, second president; Bobbe Mitchell of Sanderson, treasurer.

The national organization - General Federation of Women's Clubs operates through six departments. They are , conservation, education, home life, international affairs and public affairs.

Barbour said a board meeting and workshop have been scheduled by the Caprock District for Nov. 5 at the First Methodist Church in Denver City.

All of the cities in the Caprock District that have federation members sent representatives to the Lubbock meeting. Mary Neff and Donna Craig were the representatives from Women's Culture Club, of Post. They brought home 2 State Awards: 1st place in "Education" category and 2nd place in "Outstanding District Chairman's Resume-International Cultural Exchange" by member Donna Craig.





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The first few weeks of school are the most dangerous, said Major Lamar Beckworth of the Texas Department of Public Safety. "Many youngsters are attending school for the first time and others might be going to a different school where they are unfamiliar with local traffic conditions."

Another problem is that during the summer vacation some drivers have gotten out of the habit of being alert for both school zones and school buses. "Every year there appears to be an unnecessary rash of accidents caused by drivers who fail to follow safe driving habits for a stopped school bus," Major Beckworth stated.

Texas State law requires drivers on the some roadway as a school bus that is stopped to load or unload students, to also stop until the school bus driver has turned off the flashing red lights. This law applies unless the vehicle is separated from the bus by a divided highway with a median strip.

Just because most of the children will be in school, we must not forget the preschoolers who will still be playing in residential areas. Remember, drive as if you had a child in and around school areas--because someone has.

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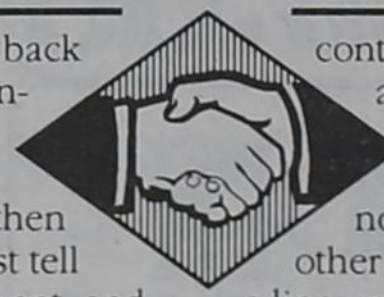
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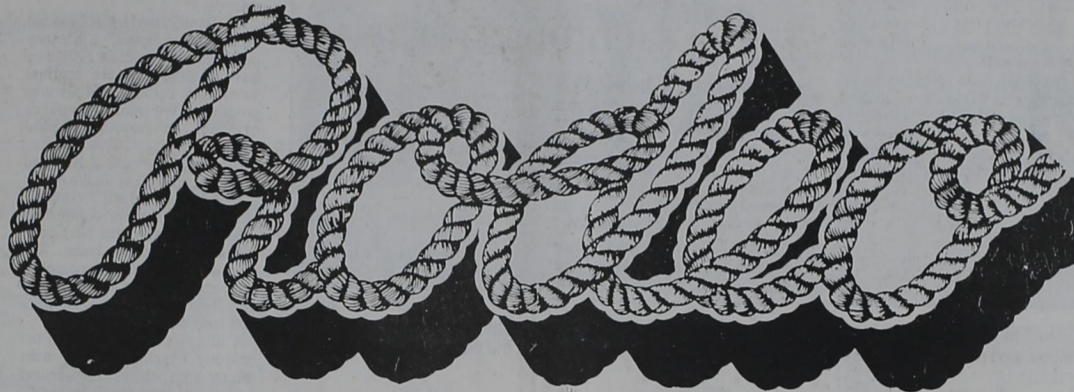


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Hotel Garza stands as a reminder of Post's early days

by Bill Galusha

In the early years of Post City there was a great shortage of rental housing. Pioneers were arriving by covered wagon, rail and car with nothing more than the desire to live in Post City. C. W. Post was selling land to whomever could afford the payments, something many people could not get anywhere else.

Two of the early pioneers of Post, were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hume. They came to Post from Fulton, Mo. Mr. Hume hauled freight from Snyder by mule teams. Mrs. Hume wanted a boarding house in which she could house and feed the bachelors and people that had no more than a tent for a home. Mr. Hume agreed to have one built for her.

Jimmy Napier who was a friend of (George) Scotty Samson a stone mason did most of C.W. Post's masonry work in the early years. Napier agreed to build Hume a boarding house if Mrs. Hume would board him free. She agreed and the building of the Hume Boarding House began in 1915.

C.W. Post's, Double U Company was the main builder at that time and were also aware of the housing shortage. Double U Company had their own architect Mr. Gilmore on the pay roll. Gilmore was the architect on the project, Napier and Samson were the masons and Hume was the financier.

Before the building was completed it was leased out to three different parties. C. R. Brown leased the top level of the building for the sole purpose of being a boarding house. The east side of the bottom referred to as "store room" was leased to a J. O. Blair and J. L. Watson for the sole purpose of being a "Variety Store." The west half of the bottom was leased to the United States Post Office. The Post Office remained in the building until 1935.

Hume died in 1921 or 22 and W E Porterfield gained possession of the hotel and named it the "Whitehouse Hotel." The variety store was turned



Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

Built in 1916, the Hotel Garza has served as Post Office, an embroidery shop, a sewing shop, rooming house, and now a bed and breakfast. The hotel stands as a reminder of the early years of Post.

into a seamstress shop run by Clara Porterfield around the same time. Porterfield was an accomplished seamstress and was quite popular with the local residents. She also made dress and ready made clothes she had on shelves and racks to sell, as well as custom sewing. Her father W. E. Porterfield ran the rooming house up stairs. After her fathers death Clara ran both businesses up until about 1926. It is recalled by Eddie Warren "I remember she had a parrot, it would talk all the time," Warren said. "I used to love to go into the sewing shop. She had fabrics and fancy lace and ready made cloths on the rack," said Pauline

Warren. Sometime in the mid to late 20s the building was leased to Texas Pacific Coal and Oil. The upstairs was still used as a hotel and boarding house. It is believed that around that time M J Malocif leased the lower east side of the building and began his dry goods store there. His business was booming and his clientele building until his untimely death. After his death his son closed the variety store down and moved it to Southland. Sometime in the 30s Porterfield opened up an embroidery shop in the East side of the building, the Post office was looking for a different place

to move to and the hotel was fast becoming run down and neglected. Due to the many changes of owners. Thomas Hagood took possession of the building in 1947 until the mid to late 60s. The name was changed at that time to the "Hotel Garza." There was no food sold at that time in the hotel and there were only two bathrooms upstairs for the renters to use. In 1961, Buren Matthews gained possession of the building and changed the name to "Mats Hotel." Most of the renters during this time were long term. The hotel was fast becoming run down and needed a complete

remodeling.

In 1991 Jim and Janice Plummer from Idalou were looking for a change in lifestyle. Jim Plummer, a 15 year radio announcer, had gone as far in advancement in his vocation as was possible, "short of going into sales and I didn't want to do that," Plummer said.

While visiting Post they noticed that the hotel was for sale. They saw behind the layers of dirt and graffiti and many coats of paint to a true part of historical Post. A part of the past that, with a lot of work, could once again be brought back to its original beauty and splendor.

They bought the Hotel Garza and became "Innkeepers." Since they purchased the hotel in 1991 they have retained all the original woodwork ceilings and fixtures possible. "We want to keep it as original as possible," said Plummer.

The Hotel is now a bed and breakfast with 10 available rooms at the present time and 7 more still in various stages of completion upstairs. Most rooms have been restored with private baths. The downstairs renovation is complete and restored to its original condition, complete with antiques and hard wood floors.

A library/sitting room is in the balcony overlooking the main dining area where a full course breakfast is served to all the guests. Most rooms are rented by reservation though walk-ins are welcome. The Hotel Garza is available for special functions such as family reunions or company retreats.

"Many people think that we are only open for the theatre crowd, we're open to the public also," Plummer added. The hotel now serves lunch on Fri. and Sat. Also the hotel continues a dinner buffet on Fri. and Sat. prior to Garza Theatre shows.



Aaron Davis

Davis assists in battling fires

ABF AR Aaron Davis left his duty station along with three other seaman to assist in battling the raging fires that have destroyed thousands of acres of grass and trees in several states and left many people homeless. Davis and his shipmates left Leavenworth, Washington this week after volunteering for the assignment.

Davis, a 1992 Post graduate joined the navy in January of this year. He has been stationed aboard the USS Nimitz in Bremerton, Washington. Davis, a flight deck crewman specializes in aircraft handling, fire fighting and rescue procedures.

Davis is the son of Leslie and Linda Davis of Post.

Community Calendar

- August 11: Lions Club Meeting, 6:30 a.m., Chaparral Steak House
 - August 11: Post Stampede Rodeo parade, 5:30 p.m.
 - August 11-13: Post Stampede Rodeo, Stampede Rodeo Grounds, 7:45 p.m.
 - August 18: Lions Club meeting, 6:30 a.m. Chaparral
 - August 22: Commissioners Court, 9 a.m., Courthouse, third floor.
 - August 25: Lions Club meeting, 6:30 a.m. Chaparral
 - August 25: Charrals in Crisis meeting, 7 p.m. Old Mill office on Mill Road.
 - September 2-4: Old Mill Trade Days
- Deadline for inclusion in the coming week's paper is Friday by 5 p.m. (THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS)

Fall registration begins at SPC

Fall registration at South Plains College begins the week of Aug. 22.

The registration schedule for SPC's Levelland campus, 1401 College Avenue, is as follows:

- Aug. 24, pre-registration pay day for pre-registered students only, 9 a.m.-6:30 p.m. in the Student Center.
- Aug. 25, evening registration for evening students only, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- Aug. 26, registration continues,

registration permit required, 8:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-3:30 p.m.

•Aug. 29, classes begin.

•Aug. 29-Sept. 1, late registration, 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. and 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Registration schedule for the SPC Lubbock campus, 1302 Main, is:

- Aug. 23 returning student registration for students enrolled in spring or summer of 1994 only, 9 a.m.-noon, last name L-Z; 3-6 p.m., last name A-K; and 6-7 p.m., last name A-Z.

•Aug. 24, new student registration for new students only, 9-11 a.m., last name L-Z; and 11 a.m.-1 p.m., last name A-K; open registration 4-7 p.m.

•Aug. 25, open registration 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

•Aug. 27, classes begin.

•Aug. 29-Sept. 1, late registration, 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m. and 4-6:30 p.m.

- September 2 has been designated on both campuses as the last day to register for fall classes



Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

Bob and Melody Burns of Las Cruces, New Mexico attended the "Musical Grays" family reunion in Post and entertained the audiences of "Trail of the Lonesome Pine" with gospel music between acts of the play.

Quart of oil can create slick

One quart of oil, dumped in water can create a two-acre oil slick or pollute 250,000 gallons of drinking water. Each year, an estimated 18 million gallons of oil are improperly dumped by "do-it-yourselfers" who change their own oil. Other automotive items like lead-acid batteries, antifreeze and tires can also cause environmental problems.

Recycling Programs For The Road:

Texas recently passed laws that penalize those who dump motor oil, used tires or lead-acid batteries with fines up to \$10,000 per day. Pouring used motor oil on weeds, fence lines or on roads for dust control, for example, is now illegal. Antifreeze regulations are expected soon. Dealers must now accept used tires and batteries at the time of a replacement purchase.

Motor Oil:
The Texas Legislature enacted an 8¢ fee on each gallon of oil sold in Texas. That money is made available to cities and communities (through grants by the TNRCC) to aid in the establishment of used oil collection programs.

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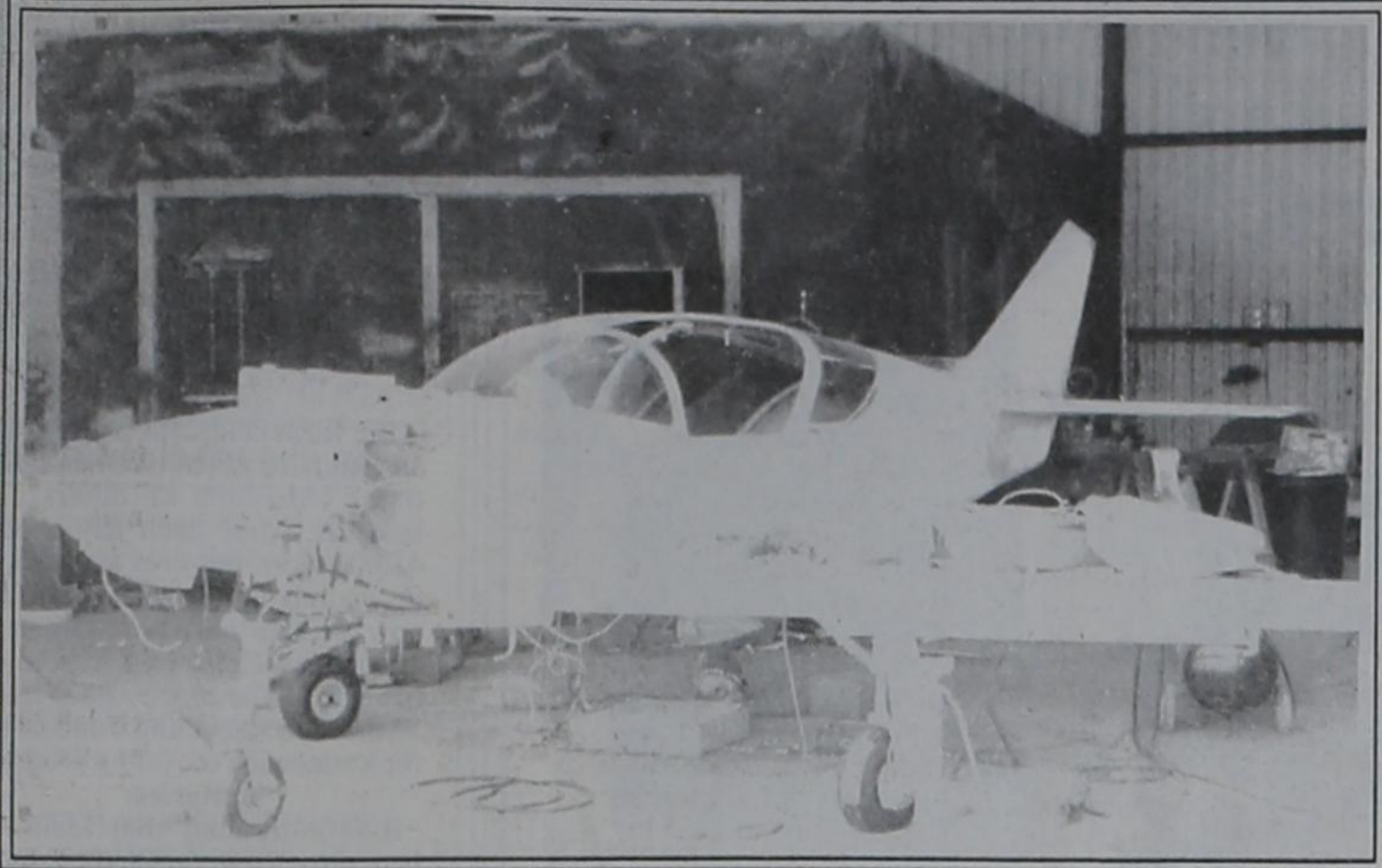
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An airplane kit that really flies



Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

Most airplanes built from a kit are only flown from the ground. James Dooley plans on climbing into this one and flying it from the cockpit when he finishes it in about two months.

by Bill Galusha
James Dooley has been re-building, restoring and flying airplanes since 1949. His latest project is a "Glas-air" kit airplane from an Arlington, Washington manufacture. "This is the second one of these I've built. The other one is out at the airport, the only difference between the two is this one has retractable landing gear and the other one doesn't," said Dooley.

The Glas-air is a two seat plane with a top speed of approximately 200 mph and gets about 20 mpg in land estimates. "It will go about as high as you can stand it," said Dooley. Though Dooley has never had a flying lesson in his life he's been flying for 45 years and has done crop dusting, fertilizing and spraying to kill off mesquite trees in the area.

"I fly just as a hobby now," Dooley stated. With several airplane restoring and rebuilding projects over the years Dooley has built or rebuilt and flown many types of airplanes. Dooley has been working on this project for several months and expects to finish early this fall.

When asked how he was going to get the plane to the airport, "I'll just hook a tow-bar to the front wheel and tow it about 20 to 25 mph, it's only about two miles," Dooley replied.

"He (Dooley) has never had a lesson in his life, one day he just got into a plane and thought he could fly. I guess he could, he's flying," said Wanda Dooley, James's wife. Dooley decided he wanted to fly so he got into a plane and drove it around on the ground for awhile and then took off with no prior

flying lessons or training. "It's harder to drive it on the ground than it is in the air," Dooley added.

He continued, "Up in the sky you have the whole world to correct an error and no roads to follow. On the ground you're limited to certain areas. For all the people who are curious, I plan on painting it white, whiter than egg shell white, that way it reflects heat and runs a little cooler," Dooley said in closing.

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Area youths attend music camp July 25-30

Several youths from Post and the surrounding area attended the Bethel Studio of Music Notebuster's Camp held in Snyder July 25-30. Among those attending were: Bottom row (l-r) Bailey Stoker, Whitney Rogers, Stormy Clark, all of Snyder; Kaylee Stubblefield of Colorado City; Bryony Martin of Post and Temple Latimer of Odessa. Second row (l-r): Zach Greenlee of Rotan; Ryan McKamie, Craig Bowen, Starling Shields, all of Snyder; Jennifer Petty of Colorado City; Karomy Drum, Cara Best, both of Snyder; Faith Feaster of Colorado City. Top row (l-r): Julia Valis of San Angelo; Johnnie Riggs and Amber Kelley, both of Colorado City; and Brandi Murphree of Rotan. Not pictured are Jenny Chandler of Snyder and Matthew Leininger of Post.

Applications available for tax exam

Applications are now available from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for tax practitioners who wish to take the annual IRS tax examination.

The exam helps qualify tax practitioners, other than attorneys and Certified Public Accountants, to represent their clients before the IRS for audits and related tax matters.

Practitioners must have their completed applications postmarked no later than August 1.

Applicants have four years to pass all four parts of the two-day exam, provided certain conditions are met. Last year 9,000 persons applied to take the exam.

More details about the exam and enrollment requirements are available by contacting the IRS and requesting Publication 1470 "Package for the Special Enrollment Examination." The publication and application blanks can be obtained by calling (214) 742-2440 or toll-free 1-800-829-1040 or write to IRS-Training, ATTN: SEA exam, 1100 Commerce-1600 MSAT, Dallas, TX 75242.

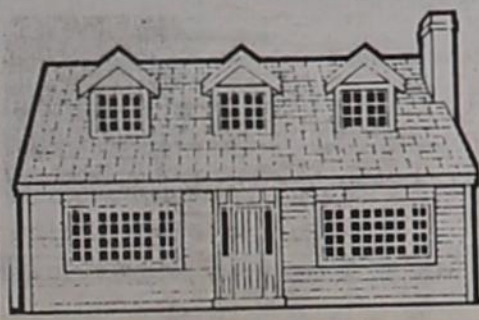
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1994 Property Tax Rates in City of Post

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

Last year's tax rate:

Last year's operating taxes	\$ 284,799.96
Last year's debt taxes	\$ -0-
Last year's total taxes	\$ 284,799.96
Last year's tax base	\$ 83,196,921.
Last year's total tax rate	\$.34232 /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:

Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 284,063.85
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 67,649,880.00
= This year's effective tax rate	\$.419903 /\$100

In the first year a hospital district or city collects the additional sales tax to reduce property taxes, it must insert the following lines unless its first adjustment was made last year.

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ N/A /\$100
= Effective tax rate	\$ N/A /\$100

x 1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing	\$.432500 /\$100
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This year's rollback tax rate:

Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for transferred function)	\$ 284,063.85
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 67,649,880.00
= This year's effective operating rate	\$.419903 /\$100
x 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$.453495 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ -0- /\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$.453495 /\$100

A hospital district or city that collects the additional sales tax to reduce property taxes, including one that collects the tax for the first time this year, must insert the following lines:

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ -0- /\$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$ -0- /\$100

For a taxing unit with additional rollback rate for pollution control, insert the following lines:

+ Additional rate for pollution control requirement	\$ -0- /\$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$ -0- /\$100

Schedule A Unencumbered Fund Balances

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

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
General Fund	\$ 35,000.00

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

Name of person preparing this notice: Billie Y. Windham
Title: Chief Appraiser
Date prepared: 8/2/94

Tower ribbon cutting was held July 29

by Bill Galusha
Friday July 29 was the official ribbon cutting and grand opening of the newly remodeled Tower Theatre. After being closed down and neglected for many years the Tower is once again open for the purpose of entertaining the public. A. C. Cash supervised the renovation along with many local residents who either donated their time and talent or worked for minimal pay to put life back into the Tower Theatre. Saturday nights performance by Doc Caldwell's Medicine Show kicked off the beginning of many shows. The date of the next show is unknown but "We'll let everyone know and we'll advertise so there will be no doubt of when the next performance will be," said Cash.



Dispatch photo by Bill Galusha

From left to right, front row: Jim Hamilton, Mike Mitchell, Wanda Mitchell, Ann Stelzer, A.C. Cash, Jo Cash, Giles Dalby, Jim Jackson, Juanita Peel, and Brenda Brown. Back row (L-R) Kenny Ratke, Victor Ashley, Clay Ashley, Jim Plummer, Albert Stone, Herb Walls, and Rick Hanna.

More TNRC tips

Oil Filters:
An estimated 30 million oil filters are dumped in Texas landfills each year. This threatens water supplies, increases landfill construction costs and wastes readily recyclable scrap metal. The TNRC is recruiting businesses to serve as collection centers for used oil filters. As of April 1, 1994, it is illegal for anyone to throw used oil filters in the trash.

Tires:
The Texas landscape is dotted with an estimated 100 million discarded tires. Millions of others clog landfills, while each day another 41,000 worn-out tires are stacking up, waiting for disposal. Texas law now requires that a tire charge a fee on each new car, truck or motorcycle tire sold. The money goes into a Waste Tire Recycling Fund to pay for a statewide recycling program.

Batteries:
It is estimated that lead-acid batteries used in cars and trucks are the source of two-thirds of all lead in our garbage landfills, and that lead can seep into water supplies. car and truck batteries are easily recyclable. Texas law now requires that dealers add a \$2 fee to the price of a lead-acid battery of less than twelve volts and a \$3 fee to the price of lead-acid batteries of twelve volts or more.

Some desire is necessary to keep life in motion.
—Samuel Johnson

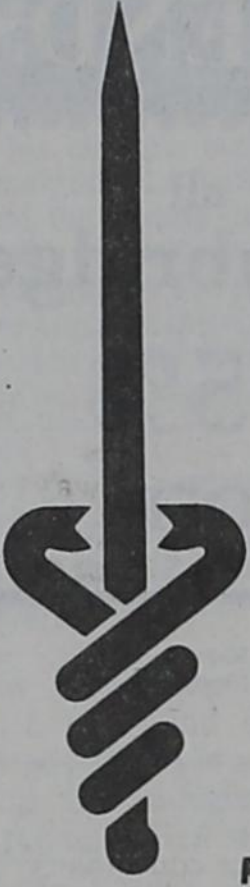
Health care seminar held in community center

by Bill Galusha
Garza Memorial Hospital and Methodist Hospital of Lubbock hosted an open forum at the Post Community Center Thursday, August 4. Two Vice presidents from Methodist Regional Services, Jim Bullard and Jim Wurts were the main speakers from Methodist. The theme of the forum was Methodist Hospitals affiliation with Garza Memorial Hospital and healthcare. Garza Memorial Hospital was represented by Maritta Reed, hospital Administrator. Three years ago Garza Memorial Hospital had an affiliation with St. Mary's Hospital. At a time when the cost of health care was on the rise and its availability in Garza county was in question, Methodist Hospital made an acceptable proposal to the Garza Memorial Hospital that benefited both the hospital, the staff and the patients. The arrangement with St. Mary's was canceled and a lasting, working affiliation with Methodist Hospital Regional Services was born. Skyrocketing healthcare costs have forced many doctors to look toward affiliations with larger health organizations. The high cost of malpractice insurance, medical supplies, equipment and personnel, have left many rural clinics no

alternative but to close their doors. When the Garza Memorial Hospital board voted to the affiliation with Methodist Hospital it gave Garza Memorial Hospital access to all the benefits that are allotted a large corporation. This in turn gives the residents of Garza county access to medical equipment and technology that would not be available otherwise. By not having to support expensive equipment Garza Memorial Hospital is also able to keep the cost of health care down. "Patients also have access to many of Methodist Hospitals services that we would otherwise be unable to provide, such as a Chaplain," said Reed. The affiliation has also allotted the medical personnel of Garza Memorial Hospital access to more employee benefits that would otherwise not be available. Through all of this Methodist Hospital has allowed Garza Memorial Hospital to provide the best medical care, equipment and staff possible. All personnel and staff at Garza Memorial Hospital are still under full authority of the local hospital board. But if needed, they have

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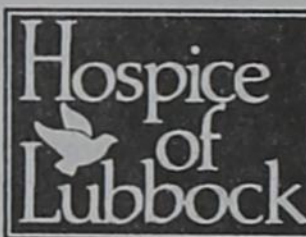
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FALL 1994 SCHEDULE

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

Overweight scales back operation

by Bill Galusha
The overweight weight station on Highway 380 and Old Mill Road (highway 207) is once again open to aid the DPS License and Weight troopers in apprehending violators of over-weight commercial vehicles. The state certified scales re-opened August 2. Since the scale re-opened Tuesday, as of Friday August 5 there was a total of 12 suspected weight violators brought in to be weighed. Out of the 12 trucks weighed there were eight trucks that were over weight and issued citations. The overweight violators are issued citations and required to park their vehicles and off-load the proper amount of weight in order to not exceed the maximum legal limit of 80,000 pounds. The violators have 10 days to answer the citation and appear before the Justice of the Peace and pay the fine. The minimum fine for overweight violations starts at \$100 and up. If the violator chooses not to pay the fine they are required to appear before the Justice of the Peace in the county where the violation took place and make a plea. The primary License and Weight officer for the Post area is Trooper Orren Hooper, a 14 year veteran with the DPS. There are a total of six troopers who each cover about a 200 mile radius "I will be the main trooper in the Post area, we can go anywhere but we usually cover a specific area," said Hooper. Until the weight station in Post re-opened the troopers who stopped a suspected weight violator were required to either take the vehicle to another scale or weigh the truck on the portable scales they carry in the trunk of their car. "By having this scale here in Post it makes my job a lot safer and easier," said Hooper. There are no warning signs on the highway, the troopers after working in the weight and license department for awhile learn to identify which trucks may be overweight. They pull the vehicle over and make them either pull onto their portable scales or to follow them to a weight station such as the one in Post.

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

1994 **Property Tax Rates in** Southland I.S.D.

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

Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 478,027.19
Last year's debt taxes	\$ -0-
Last year's total taxes	\$ 478,027.19
Last year's tax base	\$ 36,467,670.00
Last year's total tax rate	\$ 1.31850 /\$100
This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 477,443.75
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 32,867,700.
= This year's effective tax rate	\$ 1.452623 /\$100
x 1.03 = maximum rate unless the school district publishes notices and holds hearing	\$ 1.4962 /\$100
This year's rollback tax rate:	
School maintenance and operations component	\$ 498,896.00
+ This year's tax base	\$ 32,889,450.
= This year's local maintenance and operating rate	\$ 1.516888 /\$100
+ \$.06 cents = this year's maximum operating rate	\$ 1.576888 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ -0- /\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$ 1.576888 /\$100

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

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

Schedule A Unencumbered Fund Balances

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

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
General Fund	\$ 430,161.

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

Name of person preparing this notice: Billie Y. Windham
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Date prepared: 8/2/94

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Garage Sales

Yard sale - Clothes, storm windows, bicycles, and miscellaneous. 8 a.m.-2 p.m. 514 W. 10th

Garage sale - 608 W. 3rd, Thursday, Friday & Saturday, 8-7

Big garage sale - Saturday, 8-7, 201 W. 11th (corner of 11th & Ave. K). Good quality boys and girls clothes & shoes, toys, childrens books, mattresses, golf bags & golf shoes, bedspreads, curtains, lamps, lots of misc.

1011 Sunset Drive in carport behind house. Friday only 8-2. 495-3310.

Yard sale - 3 families, 107 E. 7th, Saturday, 8 a.m.

3 family garage sale. 316 W. 7th, Saturday 9-7

616 W. 4th, Thursday, August 11, 9 a.m. No Early Callers!

2 family carport sale - Thursday, 8-2, 305 W. 6th. Living room furniture, mens coats, clothes, odds & ends.

Back yard sale - Saturday, August 13, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. 708 W. 10th St.

Garage sale - 906 W. 5th, Saturday, 2-30.

Yard sale: 416 W. 13th, Saturday, 8-2:30.

Wednesday, August 9th only, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. 1.3 miles North of Close City, FM 399. Antique jewelry, sectional sofa, area rugs, too many items to list.

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5. For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Dr. Bobby Bain at 501 South Avenue K, 495-3343.

The Post ISD Board of Trustees will conduct a hearing on the proposed budget for the 1994-95 school year. The hearing will be August 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the Administration Building located at 501 S. Avenue K in Post.

The Texas Department of Transportation has the following job open:

JOB TITLE: Assistant Maintenance Section Supervisor II

SALARY: \$2,095

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Graduation from high school or equivalent plus five (5) years experience in roadway maintenance work or construction work. Related college education or technical training may be substituted for experience on a year per year basis. Must have one (1) year supervisory experience.

LOCATION: Gail, Texas

Job Vacancy Number: 4 08 K535 053

JOB DESCRIPTION: Under supervision of the Maintenance Section Supervisor, performs many of the same duties of the supervisor including supervising the crews within the section and inspecting roads. Work requires contact with the public.

ADDRESS: Applications may be

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RESUMES: Resumes will be accepted for whatever additional information they contain but not in place of a completed application.

CLOSING DATE: August 16, 1994 at 5 p.m.

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Obituaries

Raymond Rolan

Services for Raymond Rolan, 77, in 1953 and Jackie Ann Cook in 1987, were held Sunday, August 7, 1994 at First Baptist Church. Darryl Smith, pastor, officiated.

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

Rolan died August 5, 1994 at Twin Cedars Nursing Home.

He was born October 8, 1916 in Vashiti, Tx to Oma (Ballman) and Charley Franklin Rolan. He married Audrey Stewart in Slaton on December 10, 1943. She preceded him in death August 9, 1991. He was a farmer and a Baptist.

Rolan was preceded in death by two daughters Dorothy Faye Rolan

Wade Hampton Ray

Services for Wade Hampton Ray, 90, were held Monday, August 8, 1994 at the Post Church of Christ. Paul Jones officiated.

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

Ray died August 5, 1994 at Golden Plains.

He was born May 25, 1904 in Wise Co to Ida (Foster) and John Ray. He married Thelma Stevens September 22, 1923 in Post. She died August 3, 1986. He was a

W.C. Hart

Service for W.C. Hart, 72, of Snyder are scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, August 10, 1994 at Colonial Hill Baptist Church with Rev. Miller Robinson officiating.

Burial will be in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Hart died Monday, August 8, 1994 at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

He was born April 22, 1922 in Seminole. He married Juanita Elkins in November 1948 in Scurry County. He lived most of his life in Scurry County and was a member of the Episcopal Church. He was a rancher and cattle buyer. He was formerly a Director of the West Texas Boys Ranch in San Angelo. He was a member of the National Livestock Dealers Association, Southwest Cattle Raisers

Survivors include two daughters, Clara Rolan and Jean Baldree, both of Post; one son, Michael Rolan of Brownfield; five sisters, Della Carlton of Post, Lilly Bergh of Denver, Co, Jo Grubar of Clovis, NM, Willa Mae Hill of Lubbock and Opal Brooks of Fontana, Ca; three brothers, J.C. Rolan of Benton, Ak, Alvin Rolan of Canton, and M.C. Rolan of Hobbs, NM; seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jeff Rolan, Clay Rolan, Philip Rolan, J.R. Walls, Carl Bruce Hall and Brent Baldree.

farmer and a Church of Christ member.

Survivors include two sons, R.C. Ray of Post, Weldon Ray of Pecos; one daughter, Mattie Perry of Chandler, Az; two brothers, H.F. Ray of Flora Vista, NM, J.P. Ray of Post; one sister, Evie Mason of Tahoka; ten grandchildren; 19 great grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Gary Ray, Dennis Ray, Jim Ray, Cody Rizzo, Don Eppard, and Gary Barcom.

Association and a member of the Board of Directors of Snyder National Bank.

Survivors include his wife, Juanita Hart of Snyder; one son, Kenny Hart of Snyder; one step-son Redge Heard of Snyder; three brothers, H.H. (Boy) Hart of Post, J.D. Hart of Gail, Rufus Hart of Snyder; eight sisters, Bird Wade, Lena Crenshaw, Era Galyear, Bennie Prather, Jean McCormick, all of Snyder, Johnnie Lee Hart of Big Spring and Vera Nell Harless of Abilene, Hattie Lee Prather of Vinita, Ok; three grandchildren and one great grandchild.

The family suggests memorials to the San Angelo West Texas Boys Ranch or Cogdell Hospital Auxiliary.

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First Christian Church812 W 13th, Post 495-3716

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Church of Christ108 N ave M, Post 495-2326
Graham Chapel Church of Christ7 miles west on Tahoka Hwy 1 mile south

Church of God

Church of God of Prophecy602 W 14th, Post 495-3644
Power House Church of God and ChristPine Ave, Post
Iglesia De Dios De La Profecia508 N. Ave. G, Post 495-3735
Bread of Life Church of God314 N. Ave I, Post 495-2237

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From the Pulpit It's your choice!!

Three men were having a discussion. The first one said, "The trouble with most people today is that they eat too much!"

The second one said, "It's not how much you eat that causes the trouble, but what you eat, that is what's important!"

The third man said, "It's not how much you eat or what you eat that causes the problems. But! It is what's eating you that is the biggest problem!"

Purposelessness leads to unhappiness. Unhappiness leads to boredom. Real joy has gone out of millions of lives today. And this means that we become sick. Whenever the spirit of a man loses its purpose, the body substitutes a perversion instead. "Eat, drink and be merry; for tomorrow we die;" is the motto of the spiritually bankrupt.



Jim Graham

Out of the first 10,000,000 men examined for military service during the Vietnam War, 2,800,000 were rejected. The reason given was mental disabilities.

The Los Angeles Times reported former President Kennedy as saying, "Selective Service rejects nearly one out of two young men as mentally, physically, or morally unfit for any kind of military service."

Dr. Charles Mayo reports that every second hospital bed is for the mentally afflicted. And that one in ten face serious mental illness. And that one in twenty will be in a mental hospital at some time.

Further, it has been reported and estimated that three in four patients are ill of mental disturbances. That out of every one hundred cases of stomach trouble only fifteen are organic. Surgeons are discovering that you cannot cut pain out of a stomach when that stomach has an emotional origin.

Centuries ago, Hippocrates gave modern medical men a bit of advice. "It is more important to know what kind of person has a disease than to know what kind of disease has a person."

But! What has caused man's spiritually and moral illness? And what is the cure? It can be described with one word, "Sin!" Sin is a moral and spiritual disease that only God can heal. And this only by His forgiving power and ever present mercy.

There are seven basic illnesses of the soul that plagues man today. Let us consider only one of these today.

Illness #1 is boredom! Life without a purpose! The average person today has nothing for which to live today. He exists from week to week from pay day to pay day.

A young 18 year old girl blew her brains out New Year's Eve leaving this message behind, "I have found nothing worthwhile to live for." Carol Landis and Marilyn Monroe, famous movie stars ended their lives. Why? Everything was theirs it seemed. But! There evidently was no real purpose, real purpose in life. Boredom is what it is called.

Man desires purpose and meaning in his life. But he seeks it in the wrong places. The magazine "This Week", ran an article with the title, "We want meaning in our lives." Niki Cruz, a gang leader in New York City only found meaning and purpose in his life in one person.

And the Bible tells us that person is Jesus Christ. Jesus is the only real answer to the illness called boredom. He will give you real meaning and purpose in living. Jesus gives happiness and peace; purpose and direction; tranquility and satisfaction to those who know Him.

Do you know Him? You can! All you need to do is to ask Him to come into your life. Revelations 3:20 says, "Behold I stand at the door and knock. If any man hears my knock and opens the door, I will come into him and will cup with him and he with me." Will you open the door of your heart and let Jesus come in? I hope so.

It's your choice! Purpose or purposelessness! Boredom and no real meaning in life, or Jesus and everything worth living for!

You see, it is what's eating you that is the problem! Jesus Christ is the answer.
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