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Bee swarms increasing danger to local residents

by Greg Jones, Garza County Extension Agent Agriculture

Over the past two to three weeks there have been sighting of bee activity in and around Post. There are several things that residents need to be aware of in dealing with honey bees.

There are both European Honey Bees (EHB) and Africanized Honey Bees (AHB) present in Garza County and the High Plains.

The behavior, not the outward appearance of the AHB is different from the EHB. Both bees are approximately 5/8" long. AHB are slightly smaller than the EHB but bees are so similar in visual appearance that only a lab analysis can tell them apart.

To determine if a bee colony or swarm contain AHB members, the Entomology Department at Texas A&M University through their Texas Honey Bee I.D. Lab, will examine the samples to determine the probability of Africanization. There is currently no charge for the service. The only cost associated with the procedure is in shipping the collection to the site.

Proper procedures need to be followed in order to ensure accurate identification. This information is available at the Extension office or on-line at <http://honeybee.tamu.edu>.

Basic procedure are: 1) Send 20-50 bees in a leak-proof container; 2) Container should contain enough rubbing alcohol to cover the bees; 3) Do not freeze or let sample bees dry out; 4) Complete the collection form (available at Extension office or on-line).

The following is more information about honey bees that might assist you in dealing with them. The AHB swarms much more frequently than other honey bees. A colony is a group of bees with comb and brood. The colony may either be managed (white hive boxes maintained by professional beekeepers) or wild (feral).

A group of bees that are in the process of leaving their parent colony and starting a nest in a new location is called a "swarm". Usually a new queen is reared to stay with the parent colony and the old queen flies off with the swarm. Scout bees often locate potential nest sites prior to swarming, but the swarm may spend a day or two clustered in impressive, hanging clumps on branches or in other temporary locations until the bees settle on a new nesting site. If they can't find a suitable location, the bees may fly several

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Vernon Newsom, Mansfield ISD Superintendent (left) congratulates Danny Jones (right) during dedication ceremonies for the Danny Jones Middle School in Mansfield. Jones is a graduate of Post High School. (Photo courtesy Kay Hays)

Post's own Danny Jones honored at new middle school dedication

A longtime educator and former Post resident was honored last month when a new school bearing his name opened its doors to students in the Mansfield Independent School District.

Danny Jones Middle School, located at 4500 E. Broad Street in Mansfield, was dedicated in ceremonies held Aug. 16. The facility was named for Danny Jones, a 35-year educator who first began considering a career in education while he was an elementary school student in Post.

"I had some wonderful teachers in Post," Jones said this week. "They influenced me in wanting to become a teacher."

Jones, who was born in Lubbock, grew up in Graham Chapel and attended Post schools. He graduated from Post High School in 1961 and attended West Texas State University, now West Texas A&M, where he earned a degree in art education.

Following graduation, Jones spent two years teaching in northwest Texas before moving to New Mexico where he taught for a year. He returned to Texas and taught at several schools before he and his wife, decided to seek work in the Dallas/Fort Worth area. The couple moved to Mansfield in 1974 after Jones landed a job teaching art at Mansfield High School.

Jones and his wife, Lynn, are the parents of two children, Mike and Kay both graduated from Mansfield schools. Lynn, too, was an educator, logging service to both the elementary and middle schools in Mansfield.

Jones retired from teaching in 2001, but he will long be remembered for his work in the classroom thanks to the 162,000-square-foot, 55-classroom facility that carries his name.

The ceremony marking the occasion drew about 400 school acquaintances and friends, and another 60 family members attended the event. Also in attendance were several of Jones' classmates from the Post High School graduating class of 1961, including Kay Hays of Post, Patsy Leonard of Lubbock, Frankie Millican of Odessa and Denise and Leonard Marusak of Ranger.

Joy Keller, president of the Mansfield ISD board of trustees, delivered the dedicatory address and directed several remarks to the honoree.

"When children became a part of your classroom environment, you were embracing," Keller said. "You had that great ability to make everyone feel welcome and important. You cared for the students. You genuinely cared. You saw talent and ability in all your students. You especially saw talent and ability in those that did not necessarily see it in themselves."

"Why name a school after Danny Jones? There are many that are great instructors, but there are very few that have such tremendous positive influences on so many young lives in a community. I am confident that many individuals who had the privilege of your influence are indeed better people as a result. It is my hope that this school that bears the name Danny Jones be a reflection of the man: gentle, full of life, displaying both great imagination and a sense of genuine caring."

In his closing remarks, Mansfield ISD Superintendent Vernon Newsom said he hopes that each classroom in the new facility will "exude the same learning and acceptance of each child as exemplified by Danny Jones' example as a teacher."

Jones said he is excited to have been recognized in such a way. "It's just such a spectacular honor," he said. "It's such a nice honor to have your life's work recognized. I'm just flabbergasted."

Jones, who has a brother, Jimmy, and other relatives who still reside in Post, said he has seen many of his art students realize success in art-related careers.

"I've had so many students come back to me and tell me I've made such a big difference in their lives," he said. "This school is just the icing on the cake."

GHD sticks with same rate, increase in taxes

Taxpayers in the Garza County Hospital District will see no tax rate increase in the coming fiscal year thanks to action taken Sept. 2 by board members.

District officials voted in favor of maintaining the .11481 per \$100 valuation rate utilized in the current fiscal year.

Although taxpayers will realize no hike in the tax rate, some may see an increase in their tax bills thanks to jumps in property values. Last month, board member Fred Howell pointed out that the district has projected a revenue increase of more than \$36,000, or about 7.88 percent, through tax collections in the new fiscal year.

In other business, district officials heard from attorney Phillip Mack Furlow of Tahoka, who provided an educational presentation on the Texas Open Meetings Act and executive sessions.

The board's next regular meeting is set for Sept. 16 at 6:30 p.m. in the Citizens Bank Community Room.

Voter registration deadline nears

The deadline to register to vote in the Nov. 2 general election, which this year will include the presidential election, is Oct. 4. To request an application for Texas voter registration online, go to <http://www.sos.state.tx.us/elections/voter/reqvr.shtml>.

Registration cards also should be available locally at the Garza County courthouse. Early voting by personal appearance will run Oct. 18-29.

Auditions set Sat. for 'Hobbit,' 'Christmas Story'

Joint auditions for the first two shows of the Garza Theatre's upcoming season will take place Saturday from noon to 2 p.m. in the Monterey Church of Christ, 3616 58th St., in Lubbock.

The first show will be J.R.R. Tolkien's "The Hobbit," the story that sets up "Lord of the Rings." Under the direction of Mitchell Britton, the show will play at 8 p.m. Oct. 22, 23, 29 and 30 and Nov. 5-6 and at 2:30 p.m. Nov. 7.

A cast of 26 males and females of all ages from 5 year old and older is needed. Additional extras also may be called.

Rehearsals begin Sept. 13 in Lubbock before moving to Post in mid-October.

For more information on this play, contact Britton at 748-6256 or e-mail brittonmd@sbcglobal.net.

The second show will be Jean Shepherd's "A Christmas Story" directed by Laura Bryan. Show dates will be Dec. 3, 4, 10, 11, 17 and 18 at 8 p.m. and on Dec. 5 at 2:30 p.m.

A cast of 11, including two men and two women ages 30-45 and five boys and two girls who pass for ages 6-11, are needed.

Rehearsals begin Oct. 4 in Lubbock and will move to Post in mid-November.

For more information on the holiday play, contact Bryan at 745-5657 or e-mail sns@montereycoc.org.



Dan Cockrum receives 60 Year Award

60 YEAR AWARD — Dan Bush Cockrum, formerly of Post, is shown here along with his wife, Sybil, receiving a 60-Year Award and Pin from the Masons, Lodge 1058 of Post. Cockrum and his wife now reside at Lynnwood Assisted Living Center in Tahoka. He was initiated as a Mason on July 14, 1944. He was a contract pumper and owner Cockrum Printing Co. in Post for 30 years. Pictured in back are Masons Pat Pennell, Archie Gill, District Deputy Jack Morrison, Ronnie Metzgar and Jimmy Jones. (Photo courtesy Lynn County News)

Post Notes

Elementary Patriotic Assembly

The Elementary School will have a patriotic program on Friday, September 10 at 10:00 a.m. in the Elementary auditorium. The children performing will be from Pre-K to 5th grade. We would like to invite all veterans and men and women that presently serve in our Armed Forces, Fireman, policemen, highway patrolmen, EMT's, doctors, nurses, prison guards, pastors, and any other civil servants are also invited to attend. There will be special seating provided at the front of the auditorium for these people.

Benefit Dance for Arturo Torrez

A benefit dance will be held on Saturday, September 11 from 8 a.m. - 1 a.m. at the Post Community Center. Tickets are on sale for \$8 per person and \$15 a couple. Music will be provided by Juan Casares y Su Conjunto. Also, from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. there will be carnitas and enchilada plates for \$5. All proceeds will help Arturo Torrez with medical expenses. Call 495-2670 after 4 p.m. or call 928-7964 for more information.

Town Hall Meeting

There will be a town hall meeting to discuss and start organizing for the Post Centennial to be held in 2007. Committees are needed for special events, organization, publicity, and funding. Please attend and bring your ideas and expertise to this meeting. The meeting will hold on Tuesday, September 14 at 7 p.m. in the Post Community Center. This is your chance to be a part of the 100th anniversary of your city. Everyone is invited.

Ladies Auxiliary Post 6797

The Ladies Auxiliary Post 6797 will meet on Monday, September 13 at the post at 6 p.m. for their regular monthly meeting.

Post 6797 VFW Selling Car Magnets

Post 6797 VFW will meet Monday, September 13 at 7 p.m. at the post home. The men are selling car magnets that support our troops for \$3, there are different ones, anyone wishing to purchase these can call Commander Chuck Ratliff at 495-2026.

GED Classes Offered

GED classes begin on Thursday, September 21 in the High School building in room 18. Enter thru the southwest doors. Classes meet on Tuesday and Thursday from 5-8 p.m. For more information call Post High School at 495-2770.

Special Priced Homecoming Mums

Jackie Cruse has a limited number of custom made, one of a kind homecoming mums available at a discounted price. Call 495-1076 for more information.

SPAG Offers Training

The South Plains Association of Governments' Area Agency on Aging will conduct an orientation from 1-4 p.m. September 18 at 1323 58th St. in Lubbock for nursing home volunteer advocates. Individuals must be willing to attend several classes during a three-month period. Volunteers are needed at nursing facilities throughout the region. For information call 687-0940 or 1-888-418-6564.

Gospel Music Concert

Post Lions Club will present "Stars of Gospel Music" a FREE concert featuring Jubil-heirs, Patricia Patrick and Second Generation on Saturday, September 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Post Elementary school auditorium. VIP seats are available with Lions donation. Call 781-8481.

Bold Gold Pep Rallies

Post High School will hold their Pep Rallies every Friday at 9 a.m. at the Antelope Arena. The public is invited to come out and support the Antelope squad.

Homecoming Game Ball

The Antelope Booster Club are selling chances for the homecoming game ball, at \$1 each or 6 for \$5. With the game ball, the winner will also receive one of the new Rowdy Rags. The winner will be announced at halftime. To purchase tickets, contact either Pixie Grisham or Karen and David Nichols at 495-3409.

Antelope Booster Club Posters

The Antelope Booster Club is once again selling posters of the individual players, teams, individual cheerleaders, or cheerleader squad to businesses for display when they purchase a business membership. Parents, grandparents and friends can also order a poster of their choice for \$25. Contact Allen and Pixie Grisham or Rex and Terri Cash to order a poster.

Class of 1954 Reunion

The PHS class of 1954 will hold its 50th reunion on Friday and Saturday, September 17th and 18th. There will be a reception before the homecoming game on Friday, from 5-7 p.m. in the Citizens Bank community room, 210 N. Broadway, and a gathering after the game at the same location. All friends and family of classmates are invited to come by the bank for visitation and refreshments. If you are a classmate, and have questions regarding other planned activities, you may contact Natalie Shepherd at 495-3300 or Velta King at 495-1598.

Dance Classes to Begin

Dance classes for boys and girls, ages 3 thru 3rd grade will begin Monday, September 13. You may register your child that day in the teen room of the Community Center at 5:30 p.m. Classes will include ballet, tap and jazz. Call 495-4966 for more information.

Softball Clinic

Texas Tech pitcher Keely Tucker and Julie Young, Post High School's softball coach will hold a softball clinic Saturday, September 25 from 9 a.m. until 12 noon for ages Kindergarten thru 8th grade. The price is \$25, \$5 discount for each sibling. For more information contact Lance Dunn at 495-2770 during the day or 996-5622 at night or Joey Cowley at 495-1884.

Antelope Booster Club

Weekly meetings for the Antelope Booster Club will be held on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. in the Post High School library. The meetings will include the coaches report and a review of the previous varsity game, plus a preview of the next opponent. All parents and Antelope fans are invited to attend.

Thank you!

Many thanks for the prayers, cards, calls, and visits during my recent hospital stay. A very special thanks to the Post EMTs for their skills and compassion. The prayers and encouragement from local pastors and congregations meant a great deal to me. All of this has certainly hastened my recovery.
 God Bless You!
 Jack and Sandra Alexander

Songwriter's Workshop

Saturday, September 25
 1 to 4 p.m. - \$25

Instructor David Waldon, songwriter, performer
 The workshop will cover basics of songwriting:

- Difference between lyrics and poetry
- The 12 types of rhymes/how to use the best
- Art of songwriter vs. the craft
- Chords and melody
- Copyrighting your songs

David Waldon is a BMI-published songwriter and has co-written songs and toured with country artist Shelley Lane.

REGISTER EARLY... SEATING IS LIMITED

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 Ruby Lane Books, 127 E. Main St., Post, Texas 79356

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Nick Flanigan and Kristol Hill announce engagement

Paul and Velleda Hill of El Paso are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kristol Hill of Plainview, to Nick Flanigan of Plainview, son of Billy Max and Nancy Gordon of Post.

A Jan. 22, 2005, ceremony is planned. The bride-elect is a 2001 graduate of Eastwood High School in El Paso. She is a candidate for December 2004 graduation from Wayland Baptist University in Lubbock where she is a charter member of the Alpha Delta Kappa sorority and is listed on the Dean's List. She is employed by Lemmo.



Bill and Ruth Bennett celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William Ralph (Bill) Bennett, formerly of Crosbyton, Texas, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Friday, September 24, 2004. There will be a come and go reception in their honor in Oklahoma City on Sunday, September 26.

Bill Bennett and Ruth Lavelle McMahon were married on September 24, 1954 at the First Church of the Nazarene, Post, Texas. Their children are Patti and Dale Orcutt of Crescent, Oklahoma and Judi and Steve Rogers of Ponca City, Oklahoma. Their granddaughters are Chantel Rogers of Ponca City and Kira Orcutt of Crescent.

The Bennetts now reside in Crescent, Oklahoma (P.O. Box 496) and invite old friends and students to write them or come and visit.

Songwriter's workshop scheduled here September 25

A workshop for beginning songwriters will be held Saturday, September 25, 1 through 4 p.m. at Ruby Lane Books, 127 E. Main, in Post. The workshop leader is David Waldon, a BMI-published songwriter and performer.

Cost for the 3-hour workshop is \$25. Workshop participants are encouraged to bring instruments. This workshop will cover the basics of songwriting:

The difference between lyrics and poetry, 12 types of rhymes and how to use the best, The art of songwriting

vs the craft (inspiration vs perspiration), Chord and melody and Copyrighting your songs. Waldon, has 30 years experience in the music business including touring with country recording artist Shelley Laine. Richard Banks of National Public Radio recently reviewed Waldon's Christmas CD, "A Simple Christmas." His style and skill will have you believing you are listening to more than one instrumentalist.

In addition to concert appearances with Laine, Waldon played at the Blue Bird Cafe in Nashville and ap-

peared on several television and radio broadcasts. David studied guitar at the University of North Texas; sang with the Texas Bach Choir and the San Antonio and Sacramento, CA Symphony Mastersingers.

To register for the workshop, send your name, address and telephone number along with the workshop fee of \$25 to: Songwriter's Workshop, Ruby Lane Books, 127 E. Main St., Post, TX 79356. For more information call 806-496-0140 or email Rosa@rubylanebooks.com.

13 arrested here ...

Thirteen arrests were made during the past week in Garza County, according to records provided by the sheriff's department.

On Aug. 24, a 56-year-old was picked up for public intoxication, and on Aug. 27, a 23-year-old was arrested for driving while license suspended. An 18-year-old was picked up for minor in possession and possession of marijuana/under two ounces on Aug. 28.

Two arrests were made Aug. 29, including that of a 31-year-old for public intoxication and a 40-year-old for driving while intoxicated.

On Aug. 30, a 40-year-old was picked up by authorities on application to revoke, while on Aug. 31, two individuals, ages 17 and 24, were picked up and held for the border patrol.

Arrests for DWI were made on Sept. 2 and Sept. 4, involving individuals ages 39 and 37 years of age.

On Sept. 5, a 34-year-old was jailed for DWI with a child and violation of probation order.

Two arrests were made Sept. 6, including a 19-year-old arrested for public intoxication and a 62-year-old jailed for injury to a child/simple assault.

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Bee swarms...

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miles and cluster again. Typically an EHB hive will swarm once every 12 months. However, the AHB may swarm as often as every six weeks and can produce a couple of separate swarms each time. This is important for you to know, because if AHBs swarm more often, the likelihood of you encountering an AHB swarm increases significantly.

Regardless of myths to the contrary, Africanized honey bees do not fly out in angry swarms to randomly attack unlucky victims. However, the AHB can become highly defensive in order to protect their hive, or home. Again, it is now better to consistently exercise caution with respect to all bee activity. So keep your distance from any swarms of bees.

The Africanized honey bees are extremely protective of their hive and brood. The AHB's definition of the "home turf" is also much larger than the European honey bee. So, try to allow ample physical distance between yourself and the hive.

Control Methods

Chemicals are sometimes necessary for control. Such products include Sevin, Pyrethrins, Malathion as well as several others. Either spray or dust formulations can be used. Dust formulations generally disperse better particularly in a wall or other cavity.

Extreme caution should be taken if you are treating a colony or hive. The best time to treat bees is at night or early in the morning. What to do if Attacked by Africanized Honey Bees

The following steps should be taken if you are attacked by bees:

1. RUN away quickly. Do not stop to help others. However, small children and the disabled may need some assistance.

2. As you are running, pull your shirt up over your head to protect your face, but make sure it does not slow your progress. This will help keep the bees from targeting the sensitive area around your head and eyes.

3. Continue to RUN. Do not stop running until you reach shelter, such as a vehicle or building. A few bees may follow you indoors. However, if you run to a well-lit area, the bees will tend to become confused and fly to windows. Do not jump into water. If you are trapped for some reason, cover up with blankets, sleeping bags, clothes or whatever else is immediately available.

4. Do not swat at the bees or flail your arms. Bees are attracted to movement and crushed bees emit a smell that will attract more bees.

5. Once you have reached shelter or have outrun the bees, remove all stingers. When a honey bee stings it leaves its stinger in the skin. This kills the honey bee so it can't sting again, but it also means that venom continues to enter into the wound for a short time.

6. Do not pull stingers out with tweezers or your fingers. This will only squeeze more venom into the wound. Instead, scrape the stinger out sideways using your fingernail, the edge of a credit card, a dull knife blade or other straight-edged object.

7. If you have been stung more than 15 times, or are feeling ill, or if you have any reason to believe you may be allergic to bee stings, seek medical attention immediately. The average person can safely tolerate 10 stings per pound of body weight. This means that although 500 stings can kill a child, the average adult can withstand more than 1,100 stings.

If you have a colony or swarm that you would like to have collected, Mark Griffith from the Rockin' Bee Farm in Dickens at (806) 623-5116 or 623-5116, or Lela Owens at 495-1489 may be contacted to assist you. There is no fee but a donation is requested. Other pest control services can be contacted for extermination.

For more information call (806) 495-4400 or come by the Extension office at 215 West Main in Post.

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Horse Clinics & Show

Halter Class Showmanship Clinics are scheduled for September 12 and 19, 2004. The clinics will start at 3:00 p.m. each day at the rodeo grounds. Youth who do not own but have access to a horse are encouraged to participate. Call Kim Reiter at 495-2774 for more information and to register. This is in preparation for the Garza County Jr. Livestock Horse Show October 10.

Hog Tags & Validation

Anyone wanting to show hogs at the county show or a major livestock show, please call in and order your validation tags. All hogs for the GCJLA and major shows will be validated. Orders for tags must be made by September 22.

GCJLA Meeting

Garza County Jr. Livestock Association will meet Tuesday, September 14, at 8:00 p.m. at the Extension office at 215 West Main Street in Post. All parents and supporters of the county stock show are encouraged to attend.



The Lubbock Gold 10 & Under Allstars Team are (back row left to right), Coaches Joey Cowley and Matt Driskell (middle row), Breanna Villareal, CJ Hernandez, Chelsey Driskell, Rebecca Neel, Lauren Heinrich and KK Horton (front row), Kyla Perez, Bailey Wipff, Gabriella Aguirre, Teraka Cowley, Sara Whitson and Miranda Hair.



The Lubbock Blue 18 & Under Allstars Team are (back row left to right), Coaches Emillee Smith (Lubbock) and Amanda Cedillo (Lorenzo) (middle row), Kayla Osuna (Crosbyton), Amanda Rodriguez (Lorenzo), Patty Delgado (New Deal), Kendra Quincy (Ralls) and Ashley Young (Post) (front row), Brittany Osuna (Crosbyton), Monique Janssen (Lubbock), Traci Nelson (Post) and Allison Blevins (Post).

Jay Young announces candidacy for county, district clerk

My name is Jay Young and I would like to be your next county and district clerk.

With the years of experience I have in the business industry, I feel that this job is within my field of experience and expertise. After my college days I went to work for banks in the Lubbock and Dallas area, which led me to a 14-year career in the computer industry, specifically in customer relations. When the opportunity came for me to move back to my hometown community, I didn't look back.

I have enjoyed the experience I have gotten here in Post as a local florist. I am also a member of the Garza Theatre, serving on the board as secretary. I am also a member of the board of directors of the Post Commerce & Tourism Bureau.

I ask that the citizens of Garza County allow me to serve them and the proud communities of the county of Garza as their next county and district clerk.

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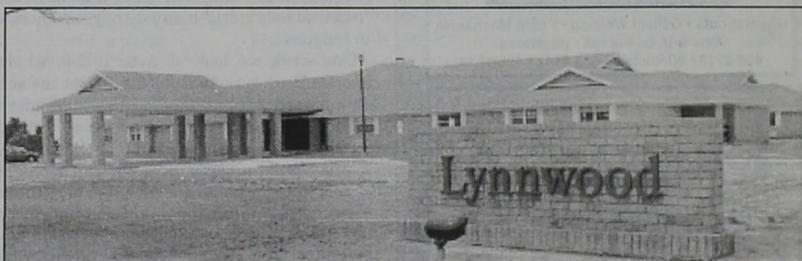
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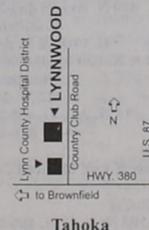
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Obituaries

Emmett (Andy) Stelzer

Services for Emmett (Andy) Stelzer, 78, of Post were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Sept. 6, 2004, in the Holy Cross Catholic Church with Father Paul Karieakatt and Father Lawrence Hemp officiating. Rosary was said at 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 5, at Hudman Funeral Home. Burial with military honors was in the Terrace Cemetery.



He died Friday, Sept. 3, at the Golden Plains Care Center.

Born June 26, 1926, in Muenster, he married Rosemary Deiter on Sept. 26, 1950, in Lindsay. She died March 30, 2000. He was a World War II veteran and a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. He served as the VFW's state commander from 1983 to 1984. He worked in the oil industry until his retirement.

Survivors include one son, David Stelzer of Post; two daughters, Linda Baker and Mary Ann Stelzer, both of Post; three brothers, J.C. Stelzer of Post, G.A. Stelzer of Buena Park, Calif., and Maurice Stelzer of Hobbs, N.M.; and two grandchildren, Michael and Kimberly Stelzer, both of Lubbock.

Letters to the Editor

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Ricki Baker, Hedley

Enough of t hreats from Lubbock...

Enough already with the threats about closing Lake Alan Henry for boating and recreational purposes and about not making improvements to the recreational facilities at the lake.

Certainly the Lubbock City Council members can do just about anything they want to but they should consider a couple of things. Before they do the first they should ask the City Attorney what the legal fees, court costs and damages might be if they take such action.

Before they cancel the improvements they should obtain a list of the people that have purchased season passes at the lake and thus identify those that are most affected by the failure to make needed improvements.

I believe they will find that those most affected are citizens of Lubbock and not property owners that have their own private boat launch ramp. Anyone who has been to the lake on a holiday weekend will realize some improvements are needed.

I have never swam in or boated on Lake Alan Henry, but I have driven around it and have seen the residents of West Texas enjoying this beautiful lake. It is time for some reasonable voices on the Lubbock City Council to speak up and start considering what is best for the residents of Lubbock, Lubbock County and West Texas.
Fred Howell

District 4-H Council Training Program

On August tenth, the District 4-H Council attended a training course, which consisted of learning leadership games and a ropes course challenge. The Council, along with twenty-five other 4-H-ers attended the training at Texas Tech.

Many of the activities included were: The Free Jump from a twenty-foot pole, the High Wire Ropes Course Challenge, the Human Knot, Rubber Tube, and the Marble Game. Through these activities the 4-H-ers learned about leadership, trust, teamwork, and responsibility.

District Officers attending were: Kami Keaton (Floyd County), Cody Preston (Hockley County), Brant Wall (Hale County), Cory Church (Lubbock County), Blayne Coleman (Hale County), and Maggie Dalton (Lubbock County).

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On God's Word

by Timothy W. Burnett

Receive holy spirit ... Acts 19:2-7

When we allow God's word to interpret itself, we can see that with mathematical exactness and scientific precision God defines the term "receive the holy ghost" to mean the point in time that spirit-filled people begin to speak in tongues. Last week we looked at Acts chapter 10 and saw that Peter and his companions knew Cornelius and his household "received holy spirit" because they saw them speak in tongues.

This week we look at Acts 19:2-6, where the apostle Paul came to Ephesus. To set the scene, a Jew named Apollos taught the Ephesians for a while. He was a very knowledgeable man and strong in the scriptures. Yet he knew only the baptism of John. (Acts 19:24-25). During his stay, a couple of loving believers "took him unto them, and expounded unto him the way of God more perfectly" (verse 26). These two believers were Aquila and Priscilla. They were a married couple who also quartered the apostle Paul for a while. (Acts 18:1-3). Of course Paul would have expounded unto them the way of God more perfectly also.

Now we arrive at the point where Paul enters Ephesus. Acts 19:2-6, "He [Paul] said unto them, 'Have you received [lambano] the holy ghost since you believed?' And they said unto him, 'We have not so much as heard whether there be any holy ghost.' And he said unto them, 'Unto what then were you baptized?' And they said, 'Unto John's baptism.' Then said Paul, 'John verily baptized with the baptism of repentance, saying unto the people, that they should believe on him which should come after him, that is, on Christ Jesus.' When they heard this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. And when Paul had laid his hands upon

them, the holy ghost came on them; and they spoke with tongues, and prophesied."

Paul first asked if they received, or laid-hold of holy spirit since they believed. This alone reveals that to lay-hold of holy spirit chronologically comes after to believe. The use of "believe" can be understood better when we consider its results, which is to be filled with holy spirit. When we consider Romans 10:9-10, we can see that Paul referred to when they believed with their hearts that God raised Jesus Christ from the dead, which is unto righteousness or being filled with holy spirit. In other words, he asked them if they laid-hold of holy spirit since they were filled with holy spirit.

They had not even heard that it was possible to lay-hold of holy spirit. They were only baptized with the baptism of John. So Paul taught them that the old tradition of John's baptism was unto repentance. He might have even taught how the baptism of water was a sign of things to come. And that now they must be baptized with holy spirit. It says that after they heard him, they were "baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus." This means that they were filled with holy spirit. Then after Paul prayed for them, the holy ghost came on them when they spoke with tongues. Paul would have taught them how to speak in tongues, and its spiritual significance. First they believed unto being filled with holy spirit. Second, they began to speak in tongues. Sound familiar? For a comparison, see Acts 2-4.

Next week we will study the use of the Biblical Greek word "epi" in the context of speaking in tongues.

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Opinions

A 9-11 Memorial based on reality

by Timothy W. Burnett

On September 11, 2001 a devastating event grabbed the attention of our eyes and minds. We were mesmerized by television images of two commercial airliners piercing the North and South Towers of what was the World Trade Center (WTC) in Manhattan, New York. Anchor people were scratching their heads with awe and confusion as they tried to make sense out of the chaos that ensued. Courageous Police and Firefighters confidently stormed the buildings to rescue the injured and help guide the others out. Rescue plans were implemented in a timely and professional manner.

Suddenly an unexpected and disastrous thing happened about 40 minutes later. The buildings began to fall from the top down at different times. Anchor people were just as speechless as nearly every one of us. Three years have passed, and it is not forgotten.

In memory of the victims and their families, we want to take an honest and real look at the events of September 11, 2001.

Some of the information is borrowed from the final report of the 9-11 Commission (CR). Observations from television news broadcasts will be based on an accumulation of all the broadcasts this author has seen.

On the morning of September 11, 2001, at approximately 8:14 a.m. the Boston - L.A. American Airlines (AA) Flight 11 was hijacked. The report mentioned that "unarmed" flight attendants were stabbed along with an Israeli military official named Daniel Lewin. At 8:25 a.m. Boston Control Center heard an "accidental" transmission indicating that a hijacking had occurred and that a bomb was on-board the plane. The plane plunged into the North Tower of the World Trade Center at 8:46 a.m. Although the transponder was deactivated, a controller was able to track the plane with radar. According to proper protocol, the information was periodically relayed up the chain of command to the FAA Command Center.

At 8:14 a.m. United Airlines Flight 175 also departed Boston's Logan Airport just as AA Flight 11 was being hijacked. Just after take-off the flight crew finished a report on a "suspicious transmission" from another plane. They heard a transmission from AA Flight 11. United's Flight 175 last transmission with Boston Control was after 8:42. The 9-11 CR makes no mention of any communication between Control and United 175 about a hijacking on AA 11. At 8:47 a.m. the beacon codes for United 175 were changed twice, and at 8:51 a.m. a controller noted it had deviated from its assigned altitude. Eight minutes later the controller noted that United 175 altered its heading to New York City. Twelve minutes later United 175 struck the South Tower of the WTC.

Between the 8:25 a.m. official discovery of AA 11 hijacking and the 8:47 hijacking of United 175, Herndon Command Center had approximately 22 minutes to call for intercept by F-15 Fighter Jets. During his visit with an elementary school in Florida, President Bush was privately informed by an advisor that a small twin-engine plane hit one of the Towers of the WTC. Unaware of a major problem, the President of the United States continued with his visit.

At 8:20 a.m., AA Flight 77 took off from Washington Dulles International Airport, approximately five minutes before Boston Control established a hijacking on AA 11. By the time AA 77 reached an altitude of 35,000 feet at 8:46 a.m., Boston Control already sent a number of reports to FAA Center about the AA 11 hijacking, and the United 175 hijacking was already reported. The 9-11 CR revealed that Washington Dulles Control had no knowledge of the other hijackings.

At 8:54 a.m. a Washington Dulles Controller noted AA 77 deviated from assigned altitude. Two minutes later the transponder was turned off, but radar contact was later returned. At 9:34 a.m. AA 77 took a 330 degree turn and eventually plunged into the Pentagon at 9:37 a.m. The 9-11 CR reported that no F-15 Fighter Jets were defending the Pentagon before and after the moment of impact. At 9:08 a.m. Mission Crew Commander decided to move fighters over Manhattan. At 8:37:52 a.m. Northeast Air Defense Sector (NEADS) Command ordered the scramble of two F-15 Fighters from Otis AFB which is only about 153 miles from New York City. NEADS received notice of the AA 11 hijacking only nine minutes before it hit the tower. The fighters were put in "holding" along the Long Island Coast from 9:09 a.m. until 9:13 a.m. They were never given a target location. This would have been the time the fighters actually broke holding position and headed to Manhattan. The 9-11 CR noted that the fighters were never dispatched to the Pentagon.

At 8:42 a.m. United Flight 93 took off from Newark's Liberty International Airport. While waiting on their 25 minute delayed departure, the United 93 crew was never informed of the AA 11 and United 175 hijackings. The 9-11 CR made the following statement, "it does not seem to have occurred to leadership [FAA] that they needed to alert other aircraft." It later stated, "By all accounts, the first 46 minutes of Flight 93's cross-country trip proceeded routinely. Radio communications from the plane were normal. Heading, speed and altitude ran according to plan. At 9:24 a.m., Ballinger's warning to United 93 was received in the cockpit. The hijackers attacked at 9:28 a.m." (CR, p. 11). The reference to "Ballinger" is about a controller named Ed

Ballinger who finally, on his own initiative, began to send out warnings to 16 international flights and other domestic flights. The passengers on United 93 formed an organized militia of unarmed people and stormed the hijackers. At 9:57 a.m. the passengers assaulted the hijackers. The pilots attempted to rock the plane in order to throw-off the assault. Finally, just seconds before the passengers were about to enter the cockpit, the pilots rolled the plane straight into the ground at 10:02 a.m. In this account, the pilots' being able to control the plane is based on records of transmissions heard from Control.

Similar to the other flights, United 93 hijackers claimed to have a bomb on-board and the hijackers informed the passengers of their intent to return to the airport. They referred to an intention to make some demands. Evidence of at least one bomb on each plane was seen on the television broadcasts of that day. Within a micro-second after each plane entered the respective buildings a large explosion burst out through the entrance hole. In the case of United 175, the explosion blew out from both the entrance and exit side. A study of modern jet fuel reveals that it is made to not explode. Given a scenario with no bombs, the planes might have entered the buildings and flames might have been seen within a minute after the entry. One of the broadcasts showed a close-up view of United 175 as it entered the building. The wings cut through the building like a hot knife through butter. This means the fuel supply would not have been disrupted to the point of burning until at least several seconds later.

Although the 9-11 CR used a great deal of apologetic language when discussing the initial response to the hijackings, an honest look at the report shows that at least the last three planes could have been intercepted in advance had normal protocol been followed. Somebody in the FAA Command and/or at the Herndon Command Center disrupted the proper and normal flow of communication that would have otherwise resulted in the Air Defense interception. Not only did the Pentagon have no protection, but the President of the United States was falsely advised on the matter.

After the country was shocked with airliners' strike on WTC, they watched for nearly an hour as emergency crews worked on rescue efforts. The firefighters reportedly got as far as the area where the planes had hit. With respect and honor for the victims and their families, a brief examination of the buildings' collapse is warranted.

As noted above, the fire fighters worked in the buildings with no doubt about the buildings' structural integrity. Yet all of a sudden, the buildings began to fall quickly at different times. The fact that the emergency crews made it as far as the planes' entry levels, raises serious questions about the popular notion that the buildings collapsed due to compromise in structural integrity at impact. According to records of emergency transmissions, there were no reports of damage caused by a fiery inferno. Fire fighters who got very close to the floors that held the planes, reported entering through doors and seeing walls and desks. Based on common sense, a fire that would melt the huge support beams would no doubt destroy the walls and doors and flooring for at least two or three floors below and above.

There is also the matter of timing. If there was a beam-melting fire, the emergency crews would have observed significant shifting and dropping in the structure over time. They would not have been suddenly surprised. There would have been a call to get out of the building much sooner. Something drastic happened to cause the two buildings to suddenly drop so fast.

During the early television reports and interviews, a number of people reportedly heard a loud "boom," and then watched the buildings drop. A review of the video broadcasts reveals an amazing reality. Explosives were remotely detonated right at the bottom of the building section which began to drop. As difficult as this is, a review of the broadcast clips will show a huge burst of black smoke from all sides just a microsecond before the section began to drop. A large flame also came into view. During a second review, with attention focused a few floors below, two plumes of smoke burst out through some of the center windows. The plumes can be seen one after the other just about five to ten floors apart. From the camera angle, two plumes can be seen on two different sides of the building and at about the same floors. Without any experience in the demolition field, we can only assume that the smaller and secondary bursts were meant to provide a condition of less Resistance between floors during the first 10 - 20 floors of the collapse. This might have then allowed the combination of it's weight and speed to pancake down at a much faster rate. Somebody knew exactly how fast the initial drop needed for a quick and terrorizing image.

Many people were affected in different ways by that sad and horrific event on September 11, 2001. May the survivors be encouraged and comforted to move on in their lives, with the wisdom and experience to be able to help and comfort another person who has been traumatized and injured. May they be reassured that millions of Americans watched their afflictions with tears, and with prayers to the one true God and Father of Jesus Christ our Lord.

The 9-11 Commission Report is online at www.gpoaccess.gov/911.

DDT kills mosquitos, not people

by Keith Lockitch

Environmental ideology demands opposition to DDT despite the millions of malaria deaths its use could prevent.

The West Nile virus deaths being reported across North America are a grim echo of a larger tragedy. Each year a million lives are taken worldwide by another mosquito-borne killer: malaria.

Though nearly eradicated decades ago, malaria has resurged with a vengeance. But the real tragedy is that its horrific death toll is largely preventable. The most effective agent of mosquito control, the pesticide DDT, has been essentially discarded—discarded based not on scientific concerns about its safety, but on environmental dogma.

The environmental crusade against DDT began with Rachel Carson's antipesticide diatribe "Silent Spring," published in 1962 at the height of the worldwide antimalaria campaign. The widespread spraying of DDT had caused a spectacular drop in malaria incidence—Sri Lanka, for example, reported 2.8 million malaria victims in 1948, but by 1963 it had only 17. Yet Carson's book made no mention of this. It said nothing of DDT's crucial role in eradicating malaria in industrialized countries, or of the tens of millions of lives saved by its use.

Instead, Carson filled her book with misinformation—alleging, among other claims, that DDT causes cancer. Her unsubstantiated assertion that continued DDT use would unleash a cancer epidemic generated a panicked fear of the pesticide that endures as public opinion to this day.

But the scientific case against DDT was, and still is, nonexistent. Almost 60 years have passed since the malaria-spraying campaigns began—with hundreds of millions of people exposed to large concentrations of DDT—yet, according to international health scholar Amir Attaran, the scientific literature "has not even one peer reviewed, independently replicated study linking exposure to DDT with any adverse health outcome." Indeed, in a 1956 study human volunteers ate DDT every day for over two years with no ill effects then or since.

Abundant scientific evidence supporting the safety and importance of DDT was presented during seven months of testimony before the newly formed EPA in 1971. The presiding judge ruled unequivocally against a ban. But the public furor against DDT—fueled by "Silent Spring" and the growing environmental movement—was so great that a ban was imposed anyway. The EPA administrator, who hadn't even bothered to attend the hearings, overruled his own judge and imposed the ban in defiance of the facts and evidence. And the 1972 ban in the United States led to an effective worldwide ban, as countries dependent on U.S.-funded aid

agencies curtailed their DDT use to comply with those agencies' demands.

So if scientific facts are not what has driven the furor against DDT, what has? Estimates put today's malaria incidence worldwide at around 300 million cases, with a million deaths every year. If this enormous toll of human suffering and death is preventable, why do environmentalists—who profess to be the defenders of life—continue to press for a global DDT ban?

The answer is that environmental ideology values an untouched environment above human life. The root of the opposition to DDT is not science but the environmentalist moral premise that it is wrong for man to "tamper" with nature.

The large-scale eradication of disease-carrying insects epitomizes the control of nature by man. This is DDT's sin. To Carson and the environmentalists she inspired, "the control of nature" is a phrase conceived in arrogance, born of the Neanderthal age of biology and philosophy. Nature, they hold, is intrinsically valuable and must be kept free from human interference.

On this environmentalist premise the proper attitude to nature is not to seek to improve it for human benefit, but to show "humility" before its "vast forces" and leave it alone. We should seek, Carson wrote, not to eliminate malarial mosquitoes with pesticides, but to find instead "a reasonable accommodation between the insect hordes and ourselves." If the untouched, "natural" state is one in which millions contract deadly diseases, so be it. Carson's current heirs agree. Earth First! founder Dave Foreman writes: "Ours is an ecological perspective that views Earth as a community and recognizes such apparent enemies as 'disease' (e.g., malaria) and 'pests' (e.g., mosquitoes) not as manifestations of evil to be overcome but rather as vital and necessary components of a complex and vibrant biosphere."

In the few minutes it has taken you to read this article, over a thousand people have contracted malaria and half a dozen have died. This is the life-or-death consequence of viewing pestilent insects as a "necessary" component of a "vibrant biosphere" and seeking a "reasonable accommodation" with them.

To stop this global health catastrophe, the ban on DDT must be rescinded. But even more important is to reject the environmental ideology on which the ban is based.

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No security without self defense

by Wes Burnett

I was very disappointed, but not a bit surprised, that the recent report issued by the so-called "9/11 commission" did not address one of the most critical failures regarding the terrorist September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks.

The report admitted what most Americans already know... our airports are packed with defenseless people... and commercial airliners were and continue as prime targets of terrorists.

And it's just as obvious that terrorists pick defenseless targets ... they do not attack strongly defended people. It's just common sense, and right out of the guerrilla warfare manuals... "hit 'em where they ain't" as Gen. Bedford Forrest exclaimed during his very successful campaigns against Yankee armies in the 1860s.

What's disappointing is that so many people seem to think it's okay for government to strip individual Americans of their right of self defense. Taking away our ability to defend ourselves. And, worse, there seems to be a wide spread acceptance of the notion that somehow government's more aggressive clamping down on our right of self defense will make things more difficult for terrorists.

Quite the opposite is the result of this disastrous course. Not to mention the fact that our constitution clearly and unequivocally guarantees us the right of self defense.

We must not forget that dreadful day three years ago when defenseless passengers and flight crews were victims of this grand government plan to "make America safer" by taking away the right to carry arms or weapons for defense.

Had even one passenger or crew member been armed on any of those aircraft, we would not be rehashing the "what-ifs" of that fateful day. It is amazing to me that so many Americans don't get it ... if you want to defend yourself against the wierdos of our day, you must be prepared to defend yourself ... and that means owning, training and being prepared to use weapons for self defense.

If passengers and flight crews were armed (voluntarily), and everyone knew it... cowardly terrorists, no matter how determined, will look for easier targets. Perhaps the next time it'll be schools (such as what happened last week in Russia. Everyone in the world knows that our schools are packed with defenseless teachers, administrators and students.

Even churches are not exempt. It wasn't too many years ago that a church in Fort Worth experienced their own taste of a terrorist... although not a foreign one. Had one member of that church been armed, there would have been a lot fewer victims.

We must begin to challenge government officials who want to make us even less able to defend ourselves. Alas, I fear that the majority take the "it can't happen here" approach, giving in to the cry for disarming Americans.

Terrorists or armed enemies will not attack us if they know we are well armed and prepared to defend ourselves. They will simply go where people are unarmed... taking the path of least resistance.

The shame of our time is our lame defense of our right of self defense. Every time I go near an airport, the sight of those defenseless people is a reminder that we will continue to suffer from fear and deprivation while we rely on government to defend us.

The only sure way to defend ourselves against terrorists is through individual self defense. But a fist or a plastic knife will not do the trick.

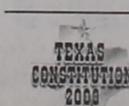
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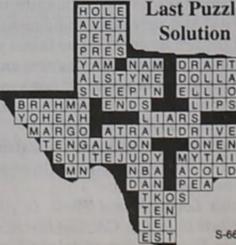
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Yesteryears

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10 Years Ago September 7, 1994

The concrete slab for the new Citizens Bank was poured last week. The new bank that has been in the planning stages for several months is expected to be finished in six months. The temporary bank that is now housed in a trailer will be removed and there will be three drive through lanes and an ATM machine.

The Ladies Fun Time Club met Monday with Hooter Terry and Inez Ritchie as hostesses. Guest attending were: Lucille Bush, Johnnie Francis, Winona Ward, Nona Lusk, Mary Gunn, Ruth Martin, Joyce Hodges, Exa Fay Gilmore, Mary Wilborn, Opal Williams, Mary Hogue, Pettie Dudgeon, Doris Ruddle, Helen Jones, Jean Tipton, Marietta Pruet, Emma Cervantez, Verna Roberts, Alice Woodrow, Terry and Katharine Cathcart.

Elementary students who mastered math and reading on TAAS were Brice Easterling, Jessica Mason, Tandi Humble, Manuella Hernandez, Kenda Josey, Nicolle Gray, Shara Egbert, Traven Smith and Matt Leininger.

Emma Crosby of Cirencester, England is touring the United States the old fashioned way, on horseback. It took Miss Crosby 106 days to get here on her horse "Smoking Spear". She stopped for a short rest at the Redman's residence.

20 Years Ago September 12, 1984

Burlington Industries has announced its intention to donate all of its Post properties to a recently established non-profit development organization in Garza County. The actual transfer of the property to the Post Economic Development Corp. is expected to take place later this month.

For What It's Worth: Tim Tannehill, former Bold Gold Antelope quarterback, suffered a broken right ankle in a scrimmage against Southern State in Arkansas last week. Tim plays for Kilgore College. He has just thrown a touchdown pass on the previous play. Tim had surgery at Baylor Medical Center.

Corey McCleskey, age 13, of Post, has recently become a Junior Member of the American Simmental Association.

Mason Justice and Bob Hudson got together this past weekend to talk about old times. Mr. Hudson and his wife live in Carbondale, Illinois and spent the weekend in Post visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Justice. Justice and Hudson were in the 5th Army Airborne Training Center together during the European Theatre. This was the first time in 12 years the two had seen each other.

30 Years Ago September 12, 1974

The Southland community has landed Garza County's newest industry - a \$1,750,000 egg laying complex and automated processing plant which will be built by Cal-Maine Foods, Inc. When completely developed, it will have a million chickens and employ an estimated 38 to 40 persons.

Olin Young of Peralta, N. M., who was crowned the 1974 world champion steer roper last weekend, will head the field of 32 top professional ropers for the fourth annual OS Ranch Benefit Steer Roping.

The city council voted to hire Harvey L. Morton of Lubbock as Post's new city attorney.

Mark Greer was elected president of the Close City 4-H Club. Other officers were Cindy Terry, vice president; Nita Jo Gunn, secretary-treasurer; Kim Trammel, reporter; Danny Gunn, boy council delegate and Lance Dunn, alternate.

Births: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hart who live in California, announce the birth of a son, Jason Lee Hart, on September 3. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perez announce the birth of a son, Robert Lee, born Saturday September 7.

Miss Sherry Lynn White became the bride of Stanley Wayne McNeely in a double ring wedding ceremony in the New Home Baptist Church. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Carter Gene White of Wilson, formerly of the Graham community, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McNeely of New Home.

40 Years Ago September 10, 1964

The Post city council voted unanimously to ask for Police Chief Elton Corley's resignation after arriving at the conclusion that he "just isn't getting the job done."

The fourth annual Antelope worship service will be held at 7 p.m. Sunday at the First Christian Church, Bernard S. Ramsey, minister, has announced.

Joe B. Taylor of the Graham community is the grower of the first 1964 bale of plains cotton ginned in Garza County.

One of Post's local artists, Juanice Robinson will open her first private showing of paintings at Levi's Banquet Room.

The Post High School pep squad is making itself heard at pep rallies and football games under the leadership of six cheerleaders: Linda Altman, De Ann Walker, Micki Sterling, Julia Childs, Beverly Duncan and Meredith Newby.

Post Jaycees accommodates some 500 tourists with refreshments over the Labor Day weekend at their rest stop on U. S. Hwy. 84.

60 Years Ago September 7, 1944

High school graduates from last year are very busy this time of the year, some are going away to school, some are working and this year, as never before, the attention of the boys is centered on some branch of military service. Some of them have already started working. Jeanette Gilmore began her work as bookkeeper at the First National Bank. Wanda Lou Williams is employed at Mrs. Cardwell's Beauty Shop. W. L. Crider is market manager at Piggly Wiggly, and Mae McDougle is working at Postex Cotton Mill. Texas Tech will enroll Dorrae Propst, Pearl Fleming, Elsie Josey and Mary Margaret Graham. Three boys are farming this fall: Dale Cravy, Scott Davis and James Lucas. Frank Stokes, Alvin Davis and Kenneth Turner will enroll in A. and M. in October. Hugh Templeton was inducted into the army, Victor Sweeten and Dorris Ray Porter were inducted in July, Marshall Mason, jr. is with an army class studying at Baylor.

Giles Dalby, son of Mrs. Blanch Connell Dalby, observed his twelfth birthday on September 1. An informal party of a few friends was enjoyed at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Connell. Friends enjoying the event with Giles were Jackie and Dan Redman, Ronnie Boucher, J. G. Cash and Leon Miller.

Soldier of the Week: Pvt. Lee Wayne Hardin, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Hardin former Post citizens, is now stationed on Guadacanal in the Solomons. He is attached to the Medical Unit and has been there since December 1943. Lee Wayne entered the service soon after completing Post High school in May of 1943.

Justiceburg school opened its school year Monday with nineteen pupils enrolled, according to Mrs. V. A. Lobban, teacher. Mrs. Henry Key is driving the school bus this year bringing six pupils on into Post High school.

50 Years Ago September 9, 1954

George (Scotty) Samson, who, as a stone mason, has literally helped build Post during the 47 years he has lived here, will be honored at a barbecue dinner Thursday, October 7 in C. W. Post Memorial Scout Hall. T. R. Greenfield, pioneer Post merchant, will be principal speaker, with O. L. (Ollie) Weakley as master of ceremonies. Musical entertainment will be provided by the "Serenaders," who telecast daily from Station KCBG-TV in Lubbock.

Harold Lucas was elected commander of James C. Cole Post of the American Legion at a meeting Tuesday night. He succeeds Bobby Pierce.

Mrs. Hattie Clarkson began her new duties this week as secretary to D. C. Arthur, superintendent of the Post schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Gene King announce the arrival of Deana Gaynell on September 2, in Garza Memorial Hospital.

The 1953-54 season was the first for the Garza Town Hall and Concert Association. Concerts presented during the season were: The Schultz Trio, Virginia Sale, humorist; the Karamu Colored Quartet, and Joseph Callaway, author, lecturer and artist.



Winning 1st Place in Team Roping Average category during the 2004 Garza County Team Roping Competition at the Stampede Rodeo Arena are Chuck Prather King (left) and Cory King (right). Jeremy King (center) presenting awards.



Winning 1st Place in Steer Roping category during the 2004 Garza County Team Roping Competition at the Stampede Rodeo Arena is Chuck Prather (left). Jeremy King (right) presenting award.



Winner of the Novice Team Roping Buckle in the Header Category, during the 2004 Garza County Team Roping Competition at the Stampede Rodeo Arena, is Randy Moore (left). Jeremy King (right) presenting award.



Winner of the Novice Team Roping Buckle in the Heeler Category, during the 2004 Garza County Team Roping Competition at the Stampede Rodeo Arena, is Miles Underwood (left). Jeremy King (right) presenting award.



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- TXism: "watering" (pond)
- horse doc (2 wds.)
- this Nocona was father of Chief Quannah Parker
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- sweet tater
- '60s battleground for many TXns
- "Too Tall" was Cowboys 1st ever pick
- Van ____ TX
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- TX Mac Davis was "Reese ____" in "Daytona Beach"
- TX cattle breed
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- TXism: "stretch your ____" (smile)
- TX Dalhart's "Can't ____ Me Calling Caroline?"
- TXism: "truth stretchers"
- this TX Jones pioneered the theater-in-the-round
- TXism: "tough as ____ steak"
- ____ hat
- TXism: "It'll make your hair stand ____" (scary)
- TX Stephen Stills tune: "____ Blue Eyes"

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- TXism: "got ____ feathers trimmed"
- TX "Monkee" Mike (init.)
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- TXism: "playing with ____ deck" (unlucky)
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- XIT brand did not mean "____ in Texas"
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Sept. 9	7-8th	@ Lockney	5:00 & 6:30
	JV	Lockney	6:00
Sept. 10	Varsity	@ Lockney	7:30
Sept. 16	7-8th	New Deal	5 & 6:30
	JV	TBA	7:00
Sept. 17	Varsity	Homecoming Roscoe	7:30
Sept. 23	7-8th	@ Denver City	5 & 6:30
	JV	Denver City	7:00
Sept 24*	Varsity	@ Denver City	7:30
Sept 30	7-8th	Abernathy	5:00
	JV	@ Abernathy	7:00
Oct. 1*	Varsity	Abernathy	7:30
Oct. 7	7-8th	@ Shallowater	5 & 6:30
	JV	Shallowater	7:00
Oct. 8*	Varsity	@ Shallowater	7:30
Oct. 14	7-8th	@ Idalou	5 & 6:30
	JV	Idalou	7:00
Oct. 15*	Varsity	@ Idalou	7:30
Oct. 21	7-8th	Tahoka	5 & 6:30
	JV	@ Tahoka	7:00
Oct. 22*	Varsity	Tahoka	7:30
Oct. 28	7-8th	@ Slaton	5 & 6:30
	JV	Slaton	7:00
Oct. 29*	Varsity	@ Slaton	7:30
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