

Firemen thanked for assistance in Tahoka blaze

The Post Volunteer Fire Department's assistance in fighting a raging fire at Tahoka on Sunday morning, Dec. 22, has earned the Post firemen the gratitude of the entire Tahoka community, according to a letter to The Dispatch from Ed Redwine, secretary of the Tahoka Fire Department.

"Good neighbors are indeed a treasure and we have found a 'treasure' in our friends in the Post Fire Department," the Tahoka fireman wrote.

The fire, which started in the top of a grain elevator at 4:45 a. m., caused an estimated \$750,000 damage. From the grain elevator, the fire leaped a highway and a cotton gin in a roaring northwest wind, burning cotton and some wooden buildings beyond.

Firemen from Tahoka, Post, O'Donnell and Slaton had the fire beaten back by 11 a. m., but water was played on tough spots until late hour Sunday.

The 21 Post firemen who assisted in fighting the blaze arrived just in time to save a thousand bales of cotton," according to one of the gin owners.

Redwine's letter expressing gratitude for the Post Fire Department's assistance follows:

"Good neighbors are indeed a treasure and we have found a 'treasure' in our friends in the Post Fire Department.

"Despite sub-freezing temperatures and high winds, the Post Fire Department came to our aid, along with units from Slaton and O'Donnell, when fire threatened the east part of our city on Dec. 22.

"The men of the Post Fire Department stayed on the job six hours before being released to return to Post.

"Had it not been for the help received from our good neighbors, damage would have soared well in excess of the \$750,000 loss estimated in the fire.

"We are sure the people of Post are proud of the fine work done by these volunteers, and we want them to know that the Tahoka Fire Department and the citizens of Tahoka are grateful and very appreciative of the aid rendered to us.

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The First National Bank topped the \$11,000,000 mark in total deposits for the first time as of the close of its 1968 business Tuesday afternoon.

The new deposits record is \$11,068,549.82.

This is over a million dollars more than the 1967 deposit peak of \$9,978,145.22.

The bank's previous high in total deposits — which include savings and demand — was \$10,340,000 set in 1964. The new record tops the old mark by over \$728,000.

The bank had set a new record of Dec. 30 with total deposits of \$10,676,002.11, only to have it topped 24 hours later as the year ended.

J. B. Potts, bank president, anticipated an even higher record of deposits in the first few days of 1969, with a peak expected around next Monday, Jan. 6.

He explained deposits usually climb over the year-end total in the first five days of January.

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Two tractors owned by Joe Irons are shot up

Police this week were investigating the "shooting up" sometime over the weekend of two tractors owned by Joe Irons.

Five lights were shot out on the tractors, four tires were shot up and holes shot in the hoods and fenders of the tractors, which were parked about three miles southwest of town.

Officers said the shots evidently were fired from a .22 rifle.

Historical Committee to meet on Jan. 14

Officers will be installed and awards presented at the Garza County Historical Survey Committee's first meeting of the new year on Tuesday, Jan. 14, instead of on Jan. 7, as previously announced.

The meeting will be held at 10 a. m. at the First National Bank Community Room.

Two districts would be eliminated

One school district proposed for county

Two of the three school districts in Garza County would be eliminated and school financing would be revised under the proposal of Gov. John Connally's Committee on Public School Education (COPE) made public Saturday.

Statewide, the program would reduce the number of school districts from 1,218 to 353, eliminating all but 19 of the present 662 districts with less than 500 pupils.

COPE recommends that Garza County, along with 218 other counties, should have but a single district. The present districts are the Post Independent and the Justiceburg Common School District.

The general guideline is that every district have at least 2,600 children in a 12-grade system. Exceptions would be countywide (or larger) districts with at least 1,600 pupils, "sparse area" districts covering at least a county with less than 1,600 pupils, and special purpose districts such as those run by military bases.

The committee proposed that the legislature adopt its map of school district realignment, provided that

the state board of education name a school district reorganization study committee in each county. The committees would either approve the COPE proposal for their counties or recommend alternatives. The state board of education then would issue the final statewide school district reorganization plan by June 1, 1971.

Surveys of legislators indicate districts and new formulas for computing state and local shares

885 voters have registered here

Since Oct. 1, 885 Garza countians have registered to vote in this year's election, T. H. Tipton, county tax assessor-collector, reported Tuesday morning.

The voter registration deadline is Jan. 31.

Approximately 2,700 voters were registered for the 1968 elections, but not that many are expected to register for 1969 due to it being an "off" election year.

of school costs will meet considerable resistance in the 1969 legislature.

COPE computed school costs for each district, based on equalizing taxes, for 1969-70 and 1970-71. Estimated increases for 1969-70 are based mainly on proposed salary increases, including a \$6.66 raise for bachelor degree teachers with no experience. The estimates for 1970-71 include a proposed teacher sick leave plan, a 10-month salary schedule for teachers, teacher aides and a \$1 per pupil allowance for instructional materials.

The COPE figures show Justiceburg with an average daily attendance of 17 pupils for the 1967-68 school year, Southland with an ADA of 162 and Post with an ADA (See School District, Page 4)

UNDERGOING TREATMENT

James Minor is in Room 417 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock where he has been a patient since Dec. 20. He is undergoing treatment and is reported by Mrs. Minor to be improving.

Year 1968 another big 'newsmaker' here

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The Dispatch presents here its annual "Year in Review—Headlines of 1968," which summarizes in brief the top news stories of the first 11 months of the past year.)

JANUARY
Post's first "Miss 1968" is Tina Ann Ayala, born at 2:13 p. m. New Year's Day at Garza Memorial Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Ayala; Ansil O'Neal elected president of Chamber of Commerce; first political announcements of year are those of Sheriff Fay Claborn and Russell Wilks Jr. for Pct. 3 county commissioner; signs changed converting FM Road 122 into State Hwy. 207;

City council assigns TV cable franchise to Clearview of Post; funerals held for William J. Benson, 95, and Mrs. Myrtle B. Bachelor, 89; School Supt. Bill Shiver's contract extended one year;

FEBRUARY
Dr. Charles W. Jarvis speaker

at Chamber of Commerce banquet attended by 300; Chamber's "outstanding" awards go to Vernon Scott, Rosemary Chapman and Maxine Marks; Postex Mills historical marker dedicated with Charles A. Gibson of Greenville, S. C., as speaker; Kay Litton crowned FHA Valentine Sweetheart; Bill Pool and Bob Tidwell appointed as new members of hospital board;

Charles R. Hutchins announces resignation as Post High School principal, with board naming Vernon Payne to replace him; Billie Snow, 13, makes first trip to Galveston hospital for corrective treatment under auspices of Post Jaycees; fifth annual George Washington Birthday Sale held;

Antelopes end basketball season with victory over Morton; Jay Norman, Texas Farmers Union president, speaker at banquet of Garza

County Farmers Union; funeral held for Homer Milton Ford 79; the Rev. Curtis Lee elected Rotary Club president; hospital turned down for renewal of Medicare; Bailey Mayo elected United Fund president; the Rev. George L. Miller named librarian of Post Public Library.

MARCH
Reception held for gubernatorial candidate Preston Smith; Harold Lucas becomes Post's new Chevrolet and Oldsmobile dealer; funerals held for Sam A. Horton Sr., 69, and George Hubble, 67; second "sudden" snow of season falls; Ansil O'Neal promoted to manager of Pioneer Gas Co.'s Slaton office; Dennis Altman and Micki Sterling named "Mr. and Mrs. Post High School" for 1967-68;

Two members of Post High School girls' basketball team, Kar-

Cotton ginnings go over 25,000

Most bountiful crop 'in years' just about in

With Garza's most bountiful cotton harvest "in years" all but finished weary ginner totaled up 25,248 bales ginned up to mid-afternoon Tuesday with 250 more bales on the yard.

Ginner estimated another 1,140 bales still in the fields which would bring the year's total in bales to 26,738.

Only one gin — Planters in Post — worked on Christmas Day with three hours off for Christmas dinner, but practically all the gins were scheduled for New Year's Day ginnings despite the bowl game lineup on television.

The Basinger Gin at Southland is the first gin to close for the season, but it was due to machinery breakdowns and not design.

An engine breakdown on Dec. 23 brought the closing and Southland area farmers were asked to gin their cotton at nearby gins.

Gin Manager Herman Havis said it was the third major breakdown of the ginning season. He added the gin will open the 1969 ginning season with an all-electric ginning operation.

The Basinger Gin total stood at 1,450 bales when the shutdown came.

Grades and "mikes" were reported to be holding up surprisingly well for so late in the season.

The gin by gin reports: Planters Gin: 2,600 bales ginned, plus 225 more on the yard. Another 500 bales expected.

Storie Gin: 1,549 bales tagged out with only 20 to 40 more estimated still in fields in area.

Graham Gin: 6,812 gales ginned with 25 or 30 more on yard. Manager Bill McMahon estimates 150 to 160 bales still in fields. Operation had been reduced at gin to one crew.

Close City Gin: 4,140 bales ginned, another 35 on yard. Only about 15 more in sight. End definitely in sight.

County officials take office oaths

Oath of office ceremonies were held in the district courtroom at 7:30 a. m. Wednesday for five county officials, all of whom were elected to new terms in the November general election.

The ceremony was held at the early hour at the request of some of the county officials so that they could be free the rest of the day for the New Year's Day telecast of the bowl parades and football games.

Elective officials administered the oath of office were County Attorney Preston Poole, County Sheriff L. E. (Fay) Claborn, County Tax Assessor - Collector T. H. Tipton, Pct. 1 County Commissioner A. P. H. Jones and Pct. 3 County Commissioner Ben Sanchez.

Also sworn in were deputies in some of the county offices.

The oaths of office were administered by County Judge J. E. Parker and County Clerk Carl Cederholm.

Following the swearing-in, a meeting was held for the approval of the officials' bonds.

Pleasant Valley Gin: 4,100 bales ginned. Estimated 300 more bales still to come.

Hackberry Gin: (Half of which is counted as Garza County cotton) 5,600 bales ginned to date,

yard clear, only 100 to 150 more bales estimated still in fields.

Grassland Co-op: (One third of total included as Garza County cotton) 5,392 bales ginned, yard clear, maybe 150 more in fields.

Bank president says

Farm outlook for area encouraging

The economic outlook for the Post area agriculturally speaking is "encouraging", J. B. Potts, First National Bank president, declared Tuesday as 1968 drew to a close with the bank reporting a new record high in deposits.

"We are really encouraged by the highest crop production in many years," the bank official told The Dispatch. "Area farmers are now in a better financial position."

The only "sore spot" in the picture, as Potts viewed it, were the lower cotton prices being received on the current cotton crop and the "tight money" situation.

"We had both the best quality and best quantity cotton production in this area in many years," Potts pointed out, "but due to the lack of demand from textile mills, the majority of the 1969 cotton has been placed in government loan."

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Potts explained this results in increasing the prime rate of interest paid by borrowers.

The Dispatch started new year 1969 off in record breaking style — with the first three - page ad in its history.

United Super Markets on pages 9, 10 and 11 take the big spread to announce United's switch to S&H Green Stamps together with discount drugs, discount meats and grocery bargains.

The only ad we've sold that was bigger was when Mrs. Marjorie Merriweather Post paid for eight pages in the 1957 Golden Jubilee edition which included the rewriting of the book, "Post City, Texas" into a group of articles for her special section.

Over on page 3 you'll note the First National Bank has set another interest paying record in 1968 with \$233,392.92 paid during the year to holders of certificates of deposit and savings accounts. In the eleven years since the bank started paying interest, a total of \$1,233,540.31 has been paid out with a new record being set every year.

The important economic fact about this annual record breaking is that money saved at home is put to work at home. That helps borrowers as well as savers.

The sport page in today's edition appears on page 12 because of the need to run the United ad on consecutive pages. It's the first time in 11 years the Tower Theatre ad hasn't appeared on page 9, so we believe we should note that movie goes will find it on page 12.

The Dispatch staff joins this column in wishing all of our readers a happy and prosperous new year. We don't know whether ours will be either, but we do know that in this newspaper business one way or another 1969 is going to be interesting.

Potts also termed 1969 crop prospects encouraging on the basis of current moisture in the ground.

He said the government's program for cotton for 1969 is an "improvement."

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Last rites held for victims of crossing crash

A car - train accident 4.7 miles southeast of Slaton Dec. 22 claimed its second life last Thursday morning when Frank Flores, 39 of Southland, died in a Lubbock hospital from injuries received in the accident.

Joe Manuel Garza, 17, of Southland, was killed in the crash, which also injured Jesus Flores Jaramillo, 22, of Amarillo.

The three men were passengers in a car which stalled at a railroad crossing early Sunday morning, Dec. 22.

Rosary was read Friday night for Flores and the funeral mass was at 4 p. m. Saturday at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Slaton with the Rev. James Erickson officiating. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery.

Flores had been a resident of Southland since 1938. Survivors include his wife, Elisa; a son, Johnnie Joe and two daughters, Diane and Emma, all of the home; his mother, Mrs. Guadalupe Flores of Southland; five brothers and four sisters.

Requiem mass for Garza was celebrated Dec. 24 in Our Lady of Guadalupe Church with Father Erickson officiating. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery.

Garza was born in Slaton and worked at a gin near Southland. Survivors include his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Garza of Southland; five brothers and four sisters.

CofC head, five directors named

Jim Jackson, who is serving out the unexpired term of A. C. Cash as president of the Post Chamber of Commerce, has been elected to the office for the year of 1969.

Jackson's election and that of five Chamber directors was by mail balloting by members of the organization. The five directors elected were Kenneth Callaway, Oscar Moore, E. R. Moreland, Fred Myers and T. B. Odam.

The president and new directors will be installed at the annual Chamber banquet Feb. 6 in the elementary school gymnasium. Leo Herring, vice president of the Grand Prairie State Bank, will be the speaker at the banquet.

1968 moisture total is 25.22; best since '63

Post's moisture total for 1968 measured 25.22 inches for the "wettest" year since 1963 when

Don Collier breaks leg while skiing

Post High School student Don Collier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collier, broke his left leg in two places while skiing near Cloudcroft, N. M., about 2 p. m. last Friday.

Don was taken to an Alamogordo hospital where the broken leg was set Saturday morning. His parents, who left for New Mexico to receive work of the accident, brought him home Sunday afternoon. He expects to be back to school soon.

Don had broken the same leg a few years ago while playing football in junior high school.

Steve Newby, one of five other Post youths on the holiday outing, also was injured while skiing, but less seriously. He suffered torn ligaments. The other boys on the trip were Timmons Bull, Wellington Swanger, Johnny Hodges and Ken Barron.

25.40 inches were measured.

The moisture total, recorded from the rain gauge on the courthouse lawn, was reported Tuesday morning by County Agent Syd Conner.

The 1968 total was 5.90 inches above the normal of 19.32 inches which is based on rainfall averages over a 50 - year period, the agent said.

The year's biggest rain month was August when 4.83 inches were recorded, 2.58 inches above the August normal of 2.25 inches. The lightest month, as far as moisture is concerned, was April, when only .19 of an inch was measured, which is nearly two inches under the April norm of 2.03.

This year's moisture total of 25.22 was 7.44 inches more than the 1967 total of 17.78 inches.

The 1968 rainfall by months was as follows: January, 3.00 inches; February, 1.74; March, 3.01; April, 0.19; May, 1.87; June, 2.05; July, 2.90; August, 4.83; September, 0.90; October, 1.04; November, 3.19; December, 0.90.

Three big snows helped the moisture total along in January and February, and two snows in November added to the late autumn moisture total.

Dispatch Editorials

THURSDAY, JANUARY 2, 1969

A new year stretches before us

The new year 1969 stretches before you, three hundred and sixty-five days, unused, without blemish, unspoiled, each day a new leaf in your Book of Life. On it you will place your imprint.

If you write with firm steady strokes the pages will be a joy to look upon. If your pen falters, if uncertainty and doubt should mar the pages, it will be a day, a year, to remember with sorrow.

In each hour of your three hundred and sixty-five days you have sixty minutes. It remains for you to fill them with sixty minutes of hope, endeavor, love, honesty, patience, and trust in God and your fellow man.

The new year is here, but once past, can never come again. How will you use its precious minutes?

In the field of new year's resolutions, one of the best that any man makes is to lend positive public support throughout the year to sound constructive objectives that will make our community a better place in which to live.

Each of us has the opportunity to help accelerate our community into a petty maneuvering. Let us hope that during 1969 petty maneuvering gives way to sound, positive action at all levels. Happy New Year!

Greetings from the tax collector

One of the first things that greeted every working person in Post, and elsewhere, with the dawn of the new year was an increase in social security taxes.

Effective Jan. 1, social security payment deductions from wage and salary checks rose to 4.8 per cent of earnings up to \$7,800. This means that any employee with earnings up to \$7,800 will pay \$174.40 in social security taxes. Employers will pay an equal amount. Thus, the total tax take in the name of "social security" will reach nearly 10 per cent of taxable payrolls.

Under the increase, nearly 10 per cent of every dollar up to maximum taxable earnings will go to the federal government to pay for social security and medicare—as much as \$748.80 per

employee. And more increases in this tax are coming in the years ahead. By 1987, it will amount to 5.9 per cent for each employe and employer.

There are two main reasons why social security costs are increasing so rapidly. One, a great number of people are now getting benefits which come to more than the taxes they and their employers have paid into social security. Two, Congress has changed the law many times to (a) add more groups to the program, (b) make it easier to get benefits, (c) increase the benefits and (d) add medicare. Each change costs both employes and employers more money.

So, whether you noticed or not, among those who were the first to greet you in the new year was the tax collector.

What our contemporaries are saying . . .

That feller on Division Street says making a fool of yourself isn't such a bad mistake if you've got sense enough to know who did it.—Speedy Nisman in The Station Sitariste.

Deadlines must be kept. Sometimes merchants can't understand why their advertisements must be in by a certain time which is 24 hours ahead of press time. People with news items can't understand why there has to be an interval between the time the story is taken and the time it appears in print. The villain is the clock. It refuses to yield. Deadlines must be met or the paper will not get out on time. Editors and reporters and advertising salesmen must shut off the flow of copy at a given time if the paper is to be produced.—Harold Hudson in The Perry-ton Herald.

Another pleasure associated with pioneer

travel was that the wheels of wagons and buggies did not rattle after a soaking rain. The wooden fellows would swell against the iron rims and keep them tight until the weather turned hot and dry again.—Douglas Meador in Matador Tribune.

Today's political candidate makes a valid point when he says, "Our streets are unsafe, our parks are unsafe, our nation's capital is unsafe, but fellow Americans do not despair; our under-arms are safe for 36 hours."—Ray Greene in The Gilmer Mirror.

A Polk County uncle, a buggy-whip salesman emeritus, has a strong philosophy opposing all forms of work and physical exertion. One of his nuggets of wisdom is that if you stay under a tree long enough, sooner or later you will be in the shade.—James L. Russell in The Belton Journal.



HAPPY NEW YEAR from me and the wife, Blackie and Snoopy. Since Blackie is the only one of the four with a recent likeness available, we're giving him top billing.



It is that season for making and breaking New Year's resolutions. This year I'm approaching the problem differently. I'm going to suggest a few resolutions for others, knowing full well that they will not make firm resolutions of this kind themselves.

Be it resolved by: Mrs. Lester Maddox — not to run for Governor of Georgia.

George Romney — to avoid using the word brain-washed.

Eugene McCarthy — to attend a few sessions of the Senate.

Mayor Daley — not to host any political conventions.

Frank Sinatra — to stay single.

Dr. Spock — to try picketing in Hanoi.

Gen. DeGaulle — to buy a Volkswagen.

Yul Brynner — to let his hair grow.

Senator Dirksen — to comb his hair.

Adam Clayton Powell — to stay in Bimini.

Tiny Tim — to take voice lessons.

Every College President — to expel every troublemaker.

Heidi — to stop abusing those big football players.

Bob Hope — to be able to spend a Christmas at home.

Rev. Billy Graham — the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Aristotle Onassis — to pay no attention to all those jokes.

IN COMMENTING on the New Year, the man up the street says the best thing about the future is that it only comes one day at a time.

The out-of-town scribe no doubt could have gone on and on citing some of the more unlikely names for pro gridlers, but, as I recall it now, the second half started about that time and he had to go back to work.

Odd — but — true names, however, are found everywhere — not just on the football field. Probably no one knows better than Miss Margaret Whitesides, an editorial assistant on the Chicago Daily News city desk, just how many odd names there are.

Miss Whitesides is an onomatologist, a collector of names. A recent feature story about her collection — including such gems as Southern Drinker and Lightfoot Trout — inspired dozens of readers to submit their own favorite monikers, including Dewey Flesch, F. Clever Bald, Oma Lord, Ethel Fay Oink and Craspius Founders.

"It must be wondered if Southern Drinker is a comfort to his wife," said Austin Boyle. Boyle said his favorite name is Fermin Snerl of New Orleans. "I've always wondered whether Fermin was as mean as he sounds," Boyle wrote.

Another reader, Irene Koenig Keepin, wrote: "Some 20 years ago I met a Mrs. Peter Rabbit when I was attending a convention in Columbus, Ohio, and I really and truly do know a man named Treasure Pickles."

Nancy Cleary of the Encyclopedia Britannica sent in a superb collection, including Betty Fetty and Les Crumble.

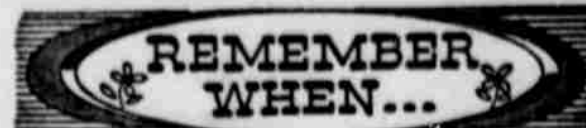
Miss Cleary's collection also contains some eyebrow-raisingers: Gerald Zipper, Fanny Zappi, Apollonia Hopfinger, Cama Goose, Josephine Gotobed and Elsa Two-babies.

Capt. Waldo C. Kirk, an Ohioan writing from the steamer George M. Steinbrenner somewhere on the Great Lakes, recalled his boyhood: "Growing up on my father's farm, not far from the village of Westminster, Vt., there were three neighbors whose names I will never forget. They were Perley Gates, Royal Butler and Loyal Valiant."

Mrs. Amber Behinger sent this gem from her father's family tree: "There were several girls in the family and a son was much desired. But when the newest child arrived it was another girl, so she was named 'Wait-A-While'."

Miss Whitesides' colleagues on the Daily News staff added the names of Ronald Supena, a Chicago lawyer; Charity Ward, a nurse; and Miss Tina Tinkle.

ALL HAVE TO send Miss Whitesides some of the names in



Ten years ago . . .

David Newby designs equipment for and has installed first triple pumper in Garza County on R. S. Anderson No. 6 Stanolind Stoker in Rocker A field; funeral rites held for Sam Houston Webb, pioneer county resident of Pleasant Valley community; Harold Lucas to head 1959 March of Dimes; Wacker's begins remodeling and expansion for self - service store; Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Kirkpatrick announce birth of son, Mark Willard, born Dec. 26 in Methodist Hospital at Lubbock; school trustees in special session to discuss plans for new Post High School building.

viding they are sold at \$3 or less a pair; due to illnesses on staff, Post Dispatch edition reduced to four pages; Murrie Crowley arrives in Post Christmas Eve after 15 months duty in South Pacific with naval construction battalion; Alvin Davis tells Post Rotarians of his all - expense - paid trip to Chicago 4-H convention, a prize he won in state-wide competition; Dispatch features front page war editorial entitled: "Only the Worthy Remain Free!"; Power's Food store features Folger's coffee for 34 cents a pound as weekend special; First National Bank in year-end statement lists total deposits of \$2,417,478.41.

Fifteen years ago . . .

County political pot begins to simmer with L. E. (Fay) Claborn Jr., announcing for sheriff, E. W. (Wren) Cross for Pct. 3 commissioner, and Vera Gollehon and Ray N. Smith for re - election as county treasurer and county clerk, respectively; Life Scout awards in Southland's Troop 71 go to Fred Myers, Ronnie Dunn, E. L. Dunn, Jimmy Halliburton, Joe Neal Hargrove and George Ellis; Justice of Peace J. D. King and Jesse J. Stagner fatally injured when a car struck by Santa Fe freight train at Main Street crossing; city commission and city park board approve plans for Post's new \$30,000 swimming pool; Post's 1953 rainfall total reported at 11.27 inches; Pioneer Natural Gas Co. announces formation from combination of four gas utility firms; Miss Betty Samson of Forfar, Scotland, here visiting uncle, George Samson.

Happy Birthday

Jan. 2 Mrs. Charles Smiley Mrs. F. M. Jinkins Thelma Hodges Sulinda Little Altman Judy Huff Rynn Norman

Jan. 3 Danny Jay Markham, Anton Mrs. Tom Williams Herschel Bevers

Jan. 4 Vickie Elaine Kuykendall Allen Jay Davis Guy Shults Mrs. Tommy Hill Lisa Cowdrey

Jan. 5 James Randall Hudman Lois Diann Guthrie Howard Campbell

Jan. 6 Truett Babb James Barron Danny Huffman Mrs. Ben Mathis Winnie Rogers, Mineola Mike Short

Jan. 7 L. B. Burk Dusty Thomas, Roundup, Mont.

Jan. 8 Curtis Edward Hudman Chester Morris Mrs. Dick Roach Mrs. Roy Baker E. A. Howard Mrs. Emma Dunlap Kathie Bilberry, Dallas

Twenty years ago . . .

(Dispatch file of 20 years ago is incomplete for 1949 so 25 years ago section will be featured during 1969.) Real January special—Office of Price Administration announces from Jan. 17-29, shoe dealers may sell 15 per cent of their stock of women's shoes, pro-

my own collection the gem of which I consider Maggie Hollars, who was one of our Meadow, Tex., subscribers when I worked on the Brownfield News.

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HemisFair '68 site offered for college

SAN ANTONIO — HemisFair '68, scene of steadily dwindling crowds and closed exhibit buildings since the world's fair ended more than two months ago, has been offered by the San Antonio city council as the site for a proposed four - year state - supported college.

VISITS FROM HEREFORD

Miss Sammie Kay Caffey, a teacher in the Hereford schools, is spending the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caffey Jr.

Fair site, called HemisFair Plaza, Bexar County legislators plan to propose the college for the San Antonio area to the 1969 legislature.

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Harold Lucas

Vietnam View

as reported by
Marine Corps Combat Correspondents
and edited by
GySgt. Bob Montgomery

For Cpl. Robert T. McCarter, the word responsibility means more than family, friends, civilian job and that sort of thing. It means the lives of the men of the 1st Platoon, "B" Co., 1st Bn., Fifth Marine Regiment.

McCarter, 20, Greer, S. C. began his tour of duty in Vietnam last March as a fire-team leader. In less than a month he advanced to squad leader, and only three months after his tour began he found himself in the position of platoon sergeant.

Then, on Sept. 15 when his platoon commander became hospitalized, McCarter took over that job. Going from fire-team leader to platoon commander in less than six months might cause problems for some people, but not for McCarter.

"I really like the responsibility. It was a little strange at first, I'll have to admit," he commented. "But I've been fortunate to have a lot of good men to work with." He went on to say, "Once or twice at the beginning I found myself hesitating to give orders, or all a man to do something which only a little while ago I was being told to do. But now I've gotten over that feeling and everything goes smoothly."

His men respect their temporary leader as they would an officer. The platoon radio operator, Lance Cpl. Trent M. Cornell, 20, Buey, Ala., commented, "It may sound funny, but I think the men respond just as well to him as they would an officer."

McCarter who is quick to say his men form the best platoon in either the company or the battalion, is a young man doing a very big job.

Four Vietnamese babies have been delivered by a Navy doctor during the eight weeks he has been in Vietnam.

Navy Lieut. James D. Kiley, 27, Atlanta, Ga., is the battalion surgeon for the 3d Bn., Eleventh Marine Regiment located 10 miles south of Da Nang.

Since his arrival in Vietnam, the young medical officer has delivered four babies, an average of one baby for each two week period he has been in the country.

"I thought I would be treating Marines, Vietnamese civilians and children," commented Kiley. "I never expected anything like this." During medical school and his internship he helped deliver approximately 30 babies.

After the first one Aug. 8, they just kept coming. The babies were estimated to weigh between four and five and one-half pounds.

"The first one caught us by surprise and unprepared," stated the doctor.

"Now we have the necessary clamps, forceps and other instruments needed to deliver babies." Dr. Kiley graduated from Emory University in Atlanta and spent the past year as an intern at the Grady Memorial Hospital, in Atlanta.

Kiley is the son of a Navy corpsman who served with the 1st Marine Division during Guadalcanal, and he credits this as his reason for selecting the Navy for his military service.

Besides delivering babies, aid station personnel make clothing from blankets and towels for the babies.

The babies are doing fine. All the mothers, except one, returned to their homes. The other was taken to Da Nang to live with relatives.

"One thing does seem kind of strange, though," states the doctor. "After the babies are delivered, the mothers light up a Vietnamese cigar, shake our hands, take their babies and leave."

A war cannot be won on battlefields alone. Besides a strong military system a country needs dedicated, well-educated leaders. Aiding in the education of Vietnam's future leaders is the aim of the General Walt Vietnamese Scholarship program.

An all time record of 44 of these scholarships were awarded to deserving and needy school children attending three schools in Dai Loc District by Lt. Col. F. X. Quinn.

Linford Warren is aboard transport

Damage Controlman Fireman Apprentice Linford R. Warren USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren of 312 West 4th, Post, Tex., is serving onboard the amphibious transport USS Francis Marion, a unit of Task Force 140 for the manned flight of Apollo 8.

During the flight of Apollo 8, Francis Marion maintained its position in the mid-South Atlantic ready to recover astronauts throughout the mission, covering the Atlantic landing area in the event the spacecraft was unable to land in the Primary Landing Area in the Pacific.

Francis Marion, a unit of the Amphibious Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet, is homeported at Norfolk, Va., and returned to normal fleet operations upon completion of the Apollo 8 mission.

RETURN TO DENVER
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bullock returned to their home in Denver, Colo., after spending the Christmas holiday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Newby.

San Diego, Calif. commanding officer of the 3rd Bn., Seventh Marine Regiment.

The General Walt Scholarships were presented to students having scholastic ability and financial needs. The children must be in the top third of their class academically and also be from a family which cannot afford to send the children to school without financial assistance.

Each student was awarded 500 piasters per month for a three-month period. A child can receive the scholarship more than once by maintaining his or her position in the top one-third of the class. If for some reason the child drops from school the scholarship is taken back and another student may become eligible for it.

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We want to express our sincere thanks to all of our friends for your help and loving kindnesses shown us during the long illness and death of our beloved mother; for the food and beautiful flowers, your visits, and cards. God bless each of you in His prayer.
 The family of Callie Cash

We desire to express to our kind neighbors and thoughtful friends our heartfelt thanks for their many expressions of sympathy. The beautiful floral offerings were especially appreciated.
 The family of Guy Davis

Words cannot adequately express our sincere appreciation for the kindnesses and thoughtful acts by friends during our recent bereavement. You were all so sweet to remember us in so many ways. A heartfelt thanks to all of you.
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'Coffee House' at Slaton is opened

SLATON — The first session of Slaton's "Coffee House" was held recently.

The "Coffee House" is for high school teen-agers and is being sponsored by the First Christian Church with youths of the church manning the responsibilities.

The Rev. Johnnie Moore, pastor of the church, said it will have a normal coffee house setting, a mixture between a "hootenanny" and a collegiate coffee house. He stressed that all high school teen-agers are invited.

Rural road mishaps in November injure four

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated six accidents on rural highways in Garza County during the month of November according to Sgt. H. E. Pirtle, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

The six accidents resulted in four persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$4,975.

The rural traffic accident summary for Garza County during the first 11 months of 1968 shows a total of 45 accidents resulting in two killed, 24 injured and an estimated property damage of \$43,499.

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School district—

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The boundaries of the one-county school districts would not follow county lines in every case. The proposed district for Garza County, for instance would extend, at one point, slightly westward into Lynn County; at one point slightly eastward into Kent County, with Crosby County taking in some of the school district area in the northeastern corner of Garza County.

HOME FROM LOUISIANA

Mrs. C. R. Wilson arrived home from Metairie, La., where she had been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bouchier, and her new granddaughter, Monica.



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It's My Turn

— By MRS. C.

This column ought to be a bright ray of light to start the New Year merrily (because that's when you're reading it) but it's being written at the tag end of a long 1968, and I don't exactly feel it and gay.

I suppose it ought to be filled with New Year's resolutions but only one I've ever kept is to read "Little Orphan Annie" about five years ago, so the point of making them, I've added "Little Abner" to the list of "Annie" but that's no shaking event.

As I harken back to the merry days of Christmas and forget the New Year until it really arrives.

I've been asked by several people who attended the Nativity play who was portraying what? So — Cisco the donkey was playing the role of the donkey, the story of Giles Dalby, Giles, his heart, faithfully trailers in year after year for his one year of stardom. The sheep and goats came from the Sanchez farm and were transported via Jackson Bros. Food trucks truck and trailer.

Mr. C and I furnished Miss C her guest, Len McCahill, as her driver, respectively, using a pickup truck made a "st" for our New York guests several families around town wished their male sons to help and unload them.

Sam Petty was our beautiful and Mary and Joseph were played by Kay Herron and Rudy Hudman. Shepherds were played by Ken Herron, Joe Neff Walker and Grady Shy. The wisemen, chosen more height than wisdom, (I believe that every year) were Timmy Bull, Steve Newby and Dan Pierce. Giles McCrary likes to play as a beggar boy so he reared that this year without the assistance of Miss Sam. (He made a trip in with her last year on a trip, but we decided she was too old this year to look like a beggar dog.) Liz Dalby was our only "townspeople" this year she held up well being accompanied by Don Collier, Mike Petty, and Don Dodson and Ricky Lee.

on gained a little more notoriety this week by becoming Post's "skier" to sustain a broken Better keep to townspeople, Don.

Things always get a little tense at the C house while the "scene" is being set up and I don't know what I would have done without Miss C, Meredith and Marcia Newby and Dee Ann Walker. They are "old hands" at getting ready and they neatly folded and labeled all the costumes for the "characters" Ricky Lee's mother is bringing him up right an he ably assisted Pam, Kay and Liz in ironing many of the costumes.

Our chief electrician, David Newby, got caught in the oil fields doing a bit of pumping for a sick pumper, and found out that he was practicing all set up and ready by the time David sailed in from Snyder. We do have David to thank though for the lovely music each year and I heard lots of compliments from the good crowds who came to watch about the music and the new addition of narrator, George L. Miller.

However, my biggest thanks goes to Lt. and Mrs. K who arrived too late to enjoy the "scene" this year but stayed over long enough to return the carport to normal the day after Christmas. Just imagine how long it takes to fork several bales of hay into a yard cart and run it to the alley and take down all the wiring and you know how appreciative Mr. C and I were to get that done — and we didn't even ask!

As usual the "scene" made our Christmas a perfect one so many thanks to you teen-agers who participated and to all of you who dropped by to view it. It was a perfect night and even a new moon lingered around our star in the "east," which year after year is in the "west."

A very Happy New Year to you all. I hope the old one ended as beautifully for you as it did for us. All was certainly right with our world!

SATURDAY GUESTS

Mrs. Homer Huey and Mrs. Ann Griffith of Fort Worth stopped in Post Saturday and were luncheon guests of their sister, Mrs. W. E. Dent, a nd Mr. Dent. The ladies had been in Santa Fe N. M., for a Christmas visit with relatives.

GUESTS FROM DENISON

The Bill Dixon family of Denison spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Warren, and other relatives and friends.



BARBARA BARTLETT

June wedding is set by couple

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bartlett are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Beth, to Felton Gatlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Colley Gatlin.

A June 6 wedding is planned and will be held at the First Baptist Church.

Miss Bartlett will graduate in May from Post High School. Mr. Gatlin, a 1967 PHS graduate, is a sophomore at Texas Tech, majoring in engineering.

Visitor from Arkansas admitted to hospital

Ina Beth Green, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Green and granddaughter of Mrs. Inez Capps, was admitted to Methodist Hospital early Sunday morning after arriving in Lubbock by plane from her home in El Dorado, Ark.

Beth has been ill for several weeks at her home and has also been a patient in the El Dorado hospital. She will undergo tests and treatment at Methodist Hospital to determine the full extent of her illness.

Christmas Day guests of Mrs. Glenn Davis were the Jerry Ligon and Alvin Davis families, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Davis, Elvius Davis, Stephanie and Patricia. Mrs. Elvius Davis was ill with the flu and unable to attend. Patricia took the flu a few days after Christmas.

The Cletus Pollard family of Idabel, Okla., Mrs. Willie Scott and grandchildren and Mrs. Sue Newton and Mrs. Florence Henderson were holiday visitors of Mrs. Johnnie Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones and Dorenda were Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Cowdrey.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McMahon and Mrs. Bob Foote were Bob Foote of Fort Knox, Ky., the Frank Chandler family from Wichita, Kans., and Mrs. Don Brown and children of Lubbock.

Miss Charlotte Taylor and Miss Mickie Taylor spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor. Miss Helen Vern Taylor spent the holidays in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

We wish for all those who are ill a quick recovery.

SUNDAY VISITORS of the Elmo Bushes were Mrs. Harold Reno and family of Houston and another son and his wife of Lubbock, the Marion Matthews family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fluit and grandchildren, Belinda and Russell, Mrs. Pete Hays and children and Mrs. Morris McClellan.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Cowdrey were the Donald Windham and Clark Cowdrey families, and Sue, Amy

Holiday visitors are many at Graham

By MRS. GLENN DAVIS

We wish for all of you a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers of California visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Johnnie Rogers.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Maxey were the Franklin Maxeys of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Hawley of San Jose, Calif., and Miss Dejuana Hays. The Frost Maxeys of Wichita Falls were Friday guests.

The E. E. Peel family and the Jimmy Byrd family had their Christmas dinner and gift exchange on Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambers Parrish and Ronnie spent the holidays in Fort Worth with the Dee Parrish family. All their children were present except the Byron Parrishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Newberry and Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Lofton were Christmas Day guests of the Mack Ledbetters.

Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Quannah Maxeys were the Noel White, Ronnie Graves, Lewis Mason, Franklin Maxey and Bryan Maxey families, Mrs. Gladys Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. Frost Maxeys. The Junior Gray family dropped by after supper.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stone and Mary Ann, the Pete Pierce and the Jim Elbin families spent the Christmas weekend in Capitan, N. M., with the Gerald Dean Jr.s.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Probst were the Lee McGaughs of Abernathy, the Tommy Markhams of Anton and the Charles Probsts of Kansas City, Kans.

Christmas Day guests in the Ray McClellan home were the Mason McClellan family, the Joe Aimo family and Mrs. Katie Thane and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Mason and family of Andrews visited relatives here over the holidays.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hedrick were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Windham, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hedrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowman and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mock, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Kemp and family of Lubbock.

Mrs. James Aten visited Friday morning in the J. A. Probst home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hedrick were Christmas Eve guests of the Wiley Hills.

Christmas Day guests of Mrs. Glenn Davis were the Jerry Ligon and Alvin Davis families, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Davis, Elvius Davis, Stephanie and Patricia. Mrs. Elvius Davis was ill with the flu and unable to attend. Patricia took the flu a few days after Christmas.

The Cletus Pollard family of Idabel, Okla., Mrs. Willie Scott and grandchildren and Mrs. Sue Newton and Mrs. Florence Henderson were holiday visitors of Mrs. Johnnie Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones and Dorenda were Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Cowdrey.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McMahon and Mrs. Bob Foote were Bob Foote of Fort Knox, Ky., the Frank Chandler family from Wichita, Kans., and Mrs. Don Brown and children of Lubbock.

and Lisa Cowdrey. The Jimmy Thomas family of Hereford, the Wagoner Johnson family and Mr. and Mrs. Red Floyd were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Thuet Sr.

Sunday guests of the Elmer Cowdrey family and Mrs. Glenn Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carpenter of San Antonio spent the weekend with the Wagoner Johnsons. They visited Julius Johnson in West Texas Hospital.

The Carter White and Noel White families spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. White. The Carter Whites spent Christmas night in Odessa with the B. J. Woods.

The Lonnie Gene Peel family visited in Olton with relatives at Christmastime.

Mrs. E. E. Peel, Mrs. Chester Morris, Mrs. Paul Hedrick, Mrs. Steve Price and Mrs. Kay Bowman and baby visited last Thursday with the Jimmy Byrds near Claremont.

THE H. C. Gribble, and Charles Probst families enjoyed a barbecue supper in the James Aten's home Friday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stone on the birth of a daughter Monday morning.

Visitors of the Ray McClellans at different times last week were the Morris McClellans, Quannah Maxeys and Billie Lesters.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Probst visited the Bobby Cowdreys one morning last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lusk spent Christmas day in Paducah with his sister. Other guests were Mrs. Booth's daughters, the Grover Wilsters of Paducah and the Pat Phelps of Wichita Falls.

THE GRAHAM HD Club met before Christmas for its annual party in the community center. Gifts were exchanged and secret pals revealed. Refreshments were served to a guest, Mrs. Bob Foote and 14 members. Gifts were prepared to be presented to the local nursing homes. The next club meeting will be Jan. 3.

Those admitted to Garza Memorial Hospital since Dec. 17 were: Steve Navarro, medical

Esther Garcia, obstetrical
Kathy Taylor, medical
Jewell Long, medical
Myrtle Ashley, medical
Pete Pennell, medical
Mrs. John Perez obstetrical
Patty Bausman, medical
Olga Cerda, medical
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Margie Navarro, medical
Mary Adkinson, medical

Dismissed
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Holiday Happenings

CHRISTMAS WEEK VISITORS

George Landroop of Blum visited last week in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Oman Ticer, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren. Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Landroop of Pecos were also guests in the three homes during the week.

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson were their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Capps and daughter of Springtown, and their son, Thomas Johnson, and three sons of Carlsbad, N. M. The Capps also visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. Inez Capps.

CHRISTMAS DINNER GUESTS

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dent on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCampbell and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Reep and Amy of Lubbock.

WEEKEND GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown Jr. of Carlsbad, N. M., were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kiker. They also visited his grandmothers, Mrs. Lizzie Gilmore and Mrs. Susie Brown.

KANSAS CITY VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sanders spent on Christmas Eve until Sunday in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, the Rev. and Mrs. F. L. Downey, and daughters, Cindy, Cherri and Cami, in Kansas City Mo. The Sanders returned to Post Monday night.

KANSAS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Probst and daughter, Pam, returned to their home at Shawnee Mission, Kans., Saturday after a week's visit in Post with their parents, Mrs. Jim Hays and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Probst.

RETURN TO LONGVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Polson and son, Mark, have returned to their home in Longview. Mrs. Polson and son had been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clary, for a month. Mr. Polson had spent the weekends here and all of Christmas week.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Holiday guests of Mrs. E. E. Cass were her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Cass of Midland, for Christmas Eve dinner, and her daughter an family, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Harrison, Jane and Craig, of Jayton, who had Christmas dinner with her.

CRITICALLY ILL

Mrs. Bettie Carmichael, Post resident for 59 years, is critically ill in the hospital at Lockhart where she has been staying with a daughter, Mrs. Carmichael, mother of Mrs. E. E. Cass, will be 94 years old in a few days.

Miss Newby and guest are holiday visitors

Miss Marcia Newby and her house guest, Stephen Bruton, are spending the New Year's holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Sumter Bruton in Fort Worth.

Mr. Bruton arrived in Post the day after Christmas and spent the weekend in the David Newby home. Miss Newby will return to Post before resuming her studies at Bradford Junior College, Bradford, Mass., Jan. 14.

CHRISTMAS TRIP

Mrs. W. C. Kiker returned home Friday from a Christmas visit in Wichita Falls with her mother, Mrs. Mae Payne, and her sisters, Mrs. Bruce Barber and Mrs. Joe Pistocco, a visit in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Elvon Moses and in Hutchinson with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Watts and Wayne Kiker. Mrs. Kiker's son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Watts, have left for Omaha, Neb., where he is stationed with the Air Force.

Family gathering sees 37 present

All but two sons and families were present at the annual Christmas Eve gathering of the family of Mrs. Jim Hays in the Hays' home.

The thirty-seven persons present included four guests, Misses Beverly and Shirley Allen, Adrien Cook and Sandra Dixon of Denison.

Guests of Mrs. Hays for Christmas Day dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hays and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hays and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilmore and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Hays and family of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Hays, Buddy Hays and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnson of Lubbock, Mrs. Charles Probst and Pam of Shawnee Mission, Kans., and Donnie Hays.

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Year-end review —

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plant; "Three Coins in a Fountain" theme of Junior - Senior banquet; Post Antelope band leaves for Tri - State Music Festival, Enid, Okla.; Mark Clayton, 11, represents Garza County in regional Spelling Bee.

MAY

First primary election held with 1,774 Garza County voters going to polls; Richard Brush resigns as city police patrolman; group complains to city council that police tactics building up hate here against law and order; Friends of a Public Library hold Book Fair; Miller Pete Morales and shot putter Norman Tanner win second places in state track and field meet.

Play begins in Babe Ruth baseball league; city council votes to pay for "patchwork" job on Amey Hotel building; four major projects get under way in building program at Postex plant; Gov. John Connally marker dedicated at City County Park; Jaycees capture three awards at state convention; funeral held for Mrs. Etta Mae Robison of Justiceburg.

Community Action program inaugurated; new historical marker dedicated at old Post Sanitarium building; Douglas F. McWhirt and Tommy Forrest both of Justiceburg, killed in highway accident near Aspermont; Jimmie Johnston and Emily Potts named as valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively, at Post High School.

Band Boosters organization formed; city lets contract for 50-block seal - coating job; funeral held for Mrs. Robert Baker, 36; Dave Cheshire elected VFW post commander; funeral held for William P. (Bill) Lester; Pete Morales signs track scholarship with Baylor University.

JUNE

High winds demolish hangar.



If you are the first to submit a question which Dr. Quizmee, our information specialist, answers in this column, we will present to you, free, the complete, illustrated, 25-volume set of Funk & Wagnalls Standard Reference Encyclopedia.

Mail your questions to Dr. Quizmee in care of this newspaper, Susan Heard, whose question is:

"Is it true that Leonardo da Vinci invented the helicopter many centuries ago?"

Invented? No. Envisaged the possibility of? Yes. Da Vinci, the brilliant Italian artist and inventor, produced drawings of a craft driven by a pair of coaxial wings. Although his sketches embodied sound aerodynamic principles, he had no means of powering the machine. The first truly successful helicopter was designed by the German engineer, Heinrich Focke, and flown in 1936.

Ricky Vidovich, for asking:

"Where did we get the names of the days of the week?"

From the old English language: Sunday—Sunnandæg (day of the sun); Monday—Monandæg (day of the moon); Tuesday—Tiwesdaeg (from Tiw, the god of war); Wednesday—Wodnesdæg (from Odin, the god of storms); Thursday—Þorsdæg (day of Thor, the god of thunder); Friday—Frígdæg (day of Freya, the goddess of marriage); Saturday—Saterdag (day of Saturn, the god of time).

damage airplanes at airport, with Cross H Ranch also receiving wind damage; 789 vote in second primary election, with Garza County helping Preston Smith's West Texas "landslide" for governor; Post Junior Rodeo opens following street parade; floods wash out White River water pipeline across Brazos River, and trucks begin hauling in water.

Bob Adkinson resigns as Garza County deputy sheriff; funeral held for Mrs. Fannie Robinson, 83; Ray Teel sentenced to 30 years on plea of guilty to knife murder of his ex - wife; water situation back to near - normal following pipeline wash - out; funerals held for L. A. Presson, 84 and Mrs. Alice Viola McPherson, 83; Post Dispatch issues 1968 Tourist Edition.

Four Post men stake 16,500 acres in Arizona for uranium mining; Will Bigott resigns as Post basketball coach, with board hiring Kenny Poole to replace him; Babe Ruth and Little League All-Star squads named; Mayor John L. Hopkins reports "bomb threat" telephone call.

JULY

July off to wet start with over half an inch of rain; funerals held for C. L. Cooper, 68 and Ben B. Ault, 60; community auditorium board asks city council for \$17,000 for five - year auditorium operation; group of Post High School boys putting vacant house into shape for opening as "The Estate" coffee house; Dave Sparks hired by police department as night patrolman; Ellis Harrison, 56, charged in fatal shooting of Mrs. Mildred Lea Pine at his home.

Jimmy Hundley captures night burglars in Hundley's Men's Store and holds them at bay with shotgun until officers arrive; Kerr-McGee Corp. files six uranium mining leases in northwestern Garza County; city's new fire truck delivered; West Texas Babe Ruth baseball tournament gets under way; Santa Fe passenger train service ends; Manager Pat Walker's Post team wins Connie Mack League championship.

Close City school marker dedicated; funeral held for Mrs. C. I. Dickinson; sixth annual Sidewalk Sale draws hundreds of shoppers; Janice Gordon and Patti Peel win Jaycees' "Miss Post" contest for White River Lake competition; funeral held for Clint Leroy Johnson, 19, drowning victim; unannounced one - day water cutoff discomferts Post residents; summer camping season under way at C. W. Post Boy Scout Camp.

AUGUST

Crowd of 3,000 attends dedication of White River Lake; Post Stampede Rodeo gets off to fast start; Ira "Dad" Greenfield elected American Legion post commander; funeral held for Mrs. J. W. Brown, 84; county's cotton and feed crops get big moisture boost; funeral held for Mrs. Beverley Ruth Hanks; Supt. Bill Shiver announces facility tentatively hired for new school year.

Post's Connie Mack League team wins fourth in regional play-offs at Vernon; city budget tentatively okayed, with councilmen favoring proposed tax cut; bid accepted for nine - hole golf course and other recreational facilities at White River Lake; 24 gridlers report first day of football practice; schools open for 1968 - 69 term with first - day enrollment of 1,200 and 15 new teachers; funeral held for Aubrey McNeelev, 58; certificates awarded 24 children in Post Public Library's summer reading program.

SEPTEMBER

Melvin Basinger, Close City farmer killed in pickup collision; funeral held for T. L. Jones; Jim

Jackson elected president Chamber of Commerce; Jaycees conduct rest stop for Labor Day weekend travelers; city council votes to purchase old bowling alley building for community auditorium; funerals held for Mrs. N. C. Outlaw and Mrs. Bama L. Howell; pioneer water well and infant's grave markers dedicated at Boy Scout camp.

City council cuts tax rate from \$1.50 to \$1.35; drilling commences on George R. Brown's "uptown" oil well; funeral held for Robert Henry Collier, 88, retired druggist; livestock directors accept show building plans, start fund drive; Antelopes lose football opener to Hale Center, 20-7; Graham Church of Christ celebrates 60th anniversary.

Two Brownfield Negroes charged in beating death of Mrs. Carrie Naomi Wall, 85-year-old Grassland woman; Pat Blacklock brings in first three bales of 1968 cotton to Planters Gin; gains made in uranium leasing; funerals held for Hubert Melvin Richey and Mrs. Mary Ann Gribble.

OCTOBER

T. L. Ivey, apartment manager, held in connection with fatal shooting of J. A. (Bill) Smith, 46 - year-old driller; President Francois Tombalbaye, president of Chad, and party visit U Lazy S Ranch; United Fund goal set at \$10,000; Alton F. Greer, 47, of Grassland, killed in car wreck; Day Care Center opens; funeral held for Jimmy Dooley, 14 victim of accident involving insecticides.

Post Trap Club organized with Silas Short as president; funeral held for Miss Mattie E. Sullivan, 73. Post loses chance at community auditorium when proposed building sells to private purchaser; two - day All - Girl Rodeo held; hospital district plan agreed on by Garza Memorial Hospital trustees and county commissioners' court; Max Chaffin employed as city patrolman; Highway Patrolman Henry Harden moves to Gilmer; funerals held for James A. Bright and Mrs. Ethel King.

Homecoming held with Donna Stewart crowned as football queen, Benita Noble as band sweetheart and Jerry Crenshaw as pep squad beau; Janice Gordon and Sheryl Cooper selected by Post Jaycees as city's representatives in South Plains Beauty Pageant.

NOVEMBER

Board of White River Water District negotiates 20 - year contract to supply two oil firms with water for water - flooding; Humphrey carries Garza County by 47 votes for president in general election; Jody Irons and Laura Bevers named as 1968 Gold Star Boy and Girl by 4-H group; cotton crop rush picks up steam; petition circulated seeking bond vote on new school show building.

Theta Eta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma host to all - day regional meeting; funeral held for John Q. Jenkins, 74; Post Antelopes defeat Morton, 26-8, in final football game of season, finishing with 2-8 record; funeral held for Garland W. Eckols; biggest cotton crop in years forecast; funerals held for Mrs. Leona F. Clary, 90, and Mrs. Gladys Morgan, 68; basketball season opens.

Europe's third largest church, Milan Cathedral, has its roof covered with 135 marble spires, each of which bears a statue.

"A New Beginning"

By Joe Vernon

One of the great joys of the beginning of a new year is the fact that we have the privilege of starting over again. It gives us another chance in every area of our lives.

God created our world in such a manner that man could always have a chance to start anew. The Apostle Paul wrote in the book of Philippians words that gave direction and meaning to a new beginning. "Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended; but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before. I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 3:13-14).

In these words Paul was telling us that he had not reached the ultimate, or the goal, for there was still much to be done. Surely every person would say that concerning his life for the past year. We have not reached the ultimate as individuals, as churches, nor as a community in the things that we set out to do some twelve months ago. Now we have the chance to start over again with a new year, a new calendar; a chance for actually a new beginning.

The Apostle mentions several things that are necessary in this new beginning. We can see that the first is a whole hearted concentration. "This one thing I do" is evidence that he knows if victory is to be achieved then he is

going to have to place all of his energy, work, and effort into the thing. He realized that he could not afford to scatter his life out in all directions and still accomplish anything.

The second thing that is necessary in the new beginning is the ability to cultivate a wise forgetfulness of the past. "Forgetting those things which are behind" is absolutely necessary to a new beginning. Our past blunders, losses, injuries, sorrows, and our sins are to be wisely forgotten. Yes, even the wrongs that we consider others have done to us or to our cause must be put behind, and wisely forgotten. If these things are not wisely forgotten then they will drag us back to their level and we cannot start over again.

The third part of the new beginning is a right anticipation. "Reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark..." With great eagerness and earnestness the Apostle was able to see the goal that was before him, and set his sights there. Everything was behind him and he could do nothing about it, but the prize he sought was still in front of him, and he could strive toward that with all of his energy.

God has given us a new year and a chance for a new beginning, and we must ask ourselves just what we will do with the opportunity and privilege to start all over again.

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Southland's post office is burglarized Dec. 22

By MRS. EDMUND WILKE

Christmas Day is past but we could all carry the true meaning of Christmas in our hearts and minds every day of our lives. In this day of hustle and bustle, by the time that Christmas Day finally arrives we are tired of it all and are glad when it is past. And think that we feel this way, because we put too much importance on the "outside" look of Christmas and forget the wonderful and warm and real meanings of this most important day! Why don't you, for one year, forget all the lights, trees, tinsel, etc., and really celebrate the birthday of the Christ child in the way that it should be celebrated? Yes, that is a good question, but who has the answer?

I was really shocked and upset when I went to work at the post office Monday morning, Dec. 23, and found out that it had been robbed sometime on Sunday. The employee was found Christmas Day a few miles out of Southland. It has been a bad experience for me.

E. L. Dunn of Blytheville, Ark., and Jackie Dunn of Austin spent Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dunn and Dayneen.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stolle spent part of the holidays visiting relatives in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long, Larry and Cathy, spent the holidays visiting friends and relatives in Oklahoma.

Miss Carol Stolle of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stolle, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monk and

children of Beatty, Nev., spent the holidays here and in Post visiting friends and relatives. The Monks lived here for many years and she taught in our school. Sure was good to see all of them. They said to tell everyone that they didn't see — hello!

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Blodgett were guests in our home recently as were our son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wilke.

We would like to extend our deepest sympathy to the families of Joe Garza and Frank Flores who were killed in a car - train wreck. Joe was killed instantly and was buried Dec. 24. Frank lived a few days but died Dec. 26. Joe was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Garza. May God comfort the families in their grief.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wayne Crawford. Her mother, a Mrs. Kroll, passed away recently in Slaton.

CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Albright on their recent marriage.

Congratulations to Emma Espinosa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Espinosa and a Southland High School graduate, on her recent marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Basinger and daughters of Mercedes spent the Christmas holidays here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Basinger and other relatives and friends.

Joan Gindorf and Sherri and Darrell Wilke attended the Southern District Luther League convention at the KoKo Inn Friday through Sunday in Lubbock.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Junior Becker on the birth of a son Dec. 27 at 8:20 a. m. in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock, weighing 7 lbs., 13 oz. The Beckers have two other sons, David and Dennis.

Congratulations to Mrs. Sadye V. Weaver and Hubert Creswell on their recent marriage. Sadye used to live in this community but for the past few years has been a "dorm mother" at South Plains College.

Saturday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Klaus were Mr. and Mrs. Werner Klaus and their granddaughters, Tonda and Cindy, and the John Girkeys of Adrian. Mrs. Girkey is the granddaughter of the Otto Klaus.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Foerster and children of Colorado visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Becker, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Voight and children of Crosbyton visited here Sunday after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilke and Delores of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mueller of Artesia, N. M., visited Mrs. A. Wilke during the holidays.

Mrs. Ike Hooper went to Kilgore during the holidays to visit her daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Callaway and the Rod Callaways spent several days in Ruidoso, N. M. before Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mueller, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Wilke and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Max Arrants and Edmund and Yours Truly visited in the home of the Marcus Wilkes on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Abshire and family went to Weatherford to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Oda Abshire, and also with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Abshire. Their sons, Jackie and Curtis, who are students at West Texas State University, came home for the holidays. Jackie returned to Canyon Dec. 23 and Curtis will go back this weekend.

Mrs. Paul Winterrowd and children spent part of the holiday in Fort Worth with her mother and sister. Later they visited the J. F. Winterrowds in Amarillo.

Visiting overnight Christmas eve in the James Mason home were Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Rowden and children of Brownfield. Christmas dinner guests were the Rowdens, Mrs. John Baker, Mrs. Thelma Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lively, all of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Outlaw and family of Slaton, Karen Melcher and Joe Basinger. Afternoon guests were the Clarence Basingers and Jo Ann Roberts and Allen Miles of Slaton.

Coach and Mrs. Bob Dyess and children spent Christmas day and night in Spur with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Dyess. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyess of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Skip Wyatt and children of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sharp and daughter of Spur. The next day the Dyesses went to Abilene to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Bowden. Friday they all drove to Coleman and spent the day with an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle. The only missing part of the family was Mrs. Dyess's brother and family who live in Bermuda.

THE ALL-DISTRICT players in football for our district were published recently. They are: Offen-

Louis Flores and Stanley Abshire: defensive. Louis Flores and Larry Lockridge. Louis made All-Star and will play in the All-Star Coaching game in August at the annual coaching school. He was the first choice and his is quite an honor. Honorable mention was given to Joe E. Basinger, George Cardenas, Douglas Smallwood and Darrell Wilke.

Guess what? School started here Monday morning. How about that? Speaking of district ballgames — well, our district games will be starting again Jan. 6 when the junior high teams will be traveling to Ropesville to play a game at 5:30 and then on Jan. 7, the high school teams will be playing the Union teams here in our gym at 7 p. m. Y'all come!

Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Garza have bought the house owned by the school where the Elmer Belks lived. We'll come to our town.

I received a Christmas card from Mrs. Z. K. McKee who now lives in Hollister, Calif. She says to tell everyone hello. Also received one from Mrs. Dollie Donahoo

who now lives in Lincoln, Neb. She is feeling much better after having undergone surgery several months ago and she said to tell everyone hello.

Mrs. Bertha O'Keefe has been here visiting her mother, Mrs. Lieske, during the holidays.

The Loyd Hagens were a dual sponsors at the Luther League convention. We visited with them for awhile Saturday night and they were having a "ball."

We extend our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hagens whose grandfather passed away recently in Oklahoma.

Carlos (Son) Kellus of Houston visited here during the holidays with his parents, the W. J. Kellums, and other relatives and friends.

Edmund and Yours Truly and the Leroy Zieschangs visited the D. B. Kisers Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carlson and son from South Texas visited during the holidays with relatives and friends. She is the former Edna Voight.

Christmas Day guests in the

Carl Wartes home were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wartes and family of Macon, Miss., M. Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Stahl and children Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wartes and dau-

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Robert Nelson and family and Ronald Saunders

See you next week, God willing.

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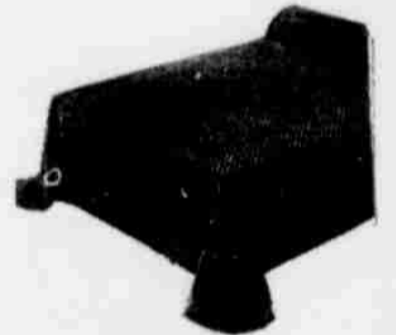
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Post cagers break even in two battles at Ropesville

Post High School's basketball teams divided a pair of games at Ropesville Monday night, the Does winning, 41-33, and the Antelopes losing, 65-49.

The Does were behind by four points, 13-9, at the end of the first quarter in their game, but had shot out ahead 25-16 at the end of the first half and were out in front

31-22 going into the final period of play.

Karen Lee paced the Post attack with 17 points. Karon Windham scored 11, Benita Noble, nine, and Sharon Windham and Sherry Bird, two each. Jan Wilks also played at a forward position.

The Post guards were Kay Altman, Glen Ann Barley Nancy Hart, Kay Herron, Pam Petty, Martha Jo Walls and Janet Ray. Marcia Ream was Ropesville's top point - getter with 17.

The Antelopes trailed all the way in the boy's game. They were behind 17-12 at the end of the first quarter, 34-22 at halftime and 48-31 at the end of the third quarter.

Ray Altman, with 14 points, paced the Post scoring, but high point honors went to Ropesville's Braden, who collected 26 points.

The scoring summary: POST — Altman 6 2 14; Walker 4 2 10; Dodson 1 1 3; Pierce 0 0 0; Noble 0 1 1; Johnson 5 3 13; Mitchell 4 0 8. Totals: 20 9 49.

ROPEVILLE — Bradshaw 7 4 18; Braden 12 2 26; Lowery 5 2 12; Parchman 0 1 1; Searcy 1 0 2; Cunn 0 1 1; Schwartz 1 1 3; Bevers 1 0 2. Totals: 27 11 65.

Lorenzo and Aspermont next on cage schedule

Post High School's varsity basketball teams, the Antelopes and the Does, will play at Lorenzo Saturday night, with their next home games to be with Cooper on Friday night, Jan. 10.

Coach Kenny Poole's Antelopes will be going against two of the top Class A teams in the area in Lorenzo and Aspermont. The locals will be trying to improve on a dismal record of 2-11.

Knee injuries will keep two members of the Antelope squad out of the Lorenzo and Aspermont games, Coach Poole said Tuesday. Steve Newby missed Monday night's Ropesville game after injuring his knee while skiing, and David Pierce reinjured his knee in the Ropesville game.

Other basketball action this week finds Tahoka teams here for three games tonight (Thursday). Games are scheduled between the Post and Tahoka "B" boys' and girls' teams and the freshman boys' teams.

Post's junior high school teams will resume action here Monday night against O'Donnell, with four games scheduled.

Producer gauged in H&L field

M. M. Wilson, trustee, has completed the No. 1 Post - Montgomery Estate as a producer in the H&L (Glorieta) field of Garza County.

The well pumped 42 barrels of 37 - gravity oil plus 102 barrels of water in 24 hours from perforations at 3,334 - 3,447 feet. That zone was stimulated with 1,900 gallons of gelled salt water plus 20,000 pounds of sand.

The drillsite is 660 feet from north and east lines of Section 8, Block 4, K. Aycock Survey.

Teams report on needs of cotton

WASHINGTON — Better promotion and merchandising, more competitive prices and a better range of supply and types are needed if U. S. cotton is to regain its position in world trade, two trade teams sent abroad recently by the Agriculture Department have reported.

But for the immediate future, the teams found no basis abroad for raising the previous estimate of 3.3 million bales for export in 1968 - 69, the department said.

Sanchez infant's rites conducted

Funeral services for Christine Sanchez, six - month - old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sanchez Jr., were held at 2 p. m. Christmas Day in the Holy Cross Catholic Church with the Rev. Thomas Andrew, pastor officiating.

The child died Monday in the Crosbyton Hospital following a brief illness.

Surviving are the parents; two sisters, Martha Anne and Eloise, and the grandparents, Ben Sanchez Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Romo, all of Post.

COTTON BOWL GAME
Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Camp, their daughter, Carol, and son, Lt. Roger Camp, attended the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas between Texas University and Tennessee on New Year's Day. Lt. Camp has returned to Fort Benjamin Harrison in Indianapolis, Ind. and Miss Camp will return to her studies at Texas University at the end of the holiday.

Funeral held for pioneer rancher

Funeral services for Frank Miller, 67, pioneer Borden County rancher, were held at 3 p. m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church at Snyder.

Mr. Miller died at 12:10 a. m. Thursday in a Snyder hospital following a brief illness.

He was born on the Miller Ranch in the Miller community 10 miles northeast of Gail. His parents, the M. F. Millers, had moved there from Stonewall County a year earlier.

In 1924 he married Edna Clark, granddaughter of Borden-Garza County Sheriff W. H. Clark.

Besides the Rafter Cross Ranch in Borden County, Mr. Miller had ranching interests in New Mexico. He and Mrs. Miller were active in all affairs in Borden and surrounding counties. Mrs. Miller is chairman of the Borden County Historical Survey Committee.

Mr. Miller is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. E. L. Farmer of O'Donnell and Mrs. Doyle Newton of the Miller community; a son Frank Jr. of Uvalde; three brothers, Clyde of Fluvanna, Charlie of Snyder and Bill Miller of Rapid City, S. D.; and 13 grandchildren.

Wildcat is staked northeast of Post

The Adobe Oil Co., has staked its No. 2 Post Montgomery as a 3,700-foot Clear Fork wildcat, seven miles northeast of Post.

The drillsite is 467 feet from north and 1,667 feet from east lines of Section 9, Block 4, K. Aycock Survey.

County Records

Oil and Gas Leases
Marjorie M. Post and others to O. H. Berry, north half Section 9, K. Aycock Survey.

Mineral Deed
John W. Ernst to Ted O. Grohl, one - half interest in northeast quarter Section 44, Block 8, H&G.N.

Royalty Deed
J. H. Crouch Jr. to Russell J. Ramsland and others, 3-32nd interest in Section 447, J. H. Gibson.

Quit-Claim Deeds
Shirley Hundley to James R. Hundley Jr., Lot 10, Block 90; mineral interest in Lots 12, 13, 14, 8, Block 98; Lot 10, Block 90, City 15 and 16, Block 57; Lots 6, 7 and 8 of Post; mineral interest in 40 acres Section 1, R&T, Lynn County; one - fourth mineral interest 15 acres in Montague County.

Deeds
Mike Mitchell and wife to Jasper J. Cox and wife, Lot 4, Block 1, Sunset Addition.
John C. Brockman and wife to Hugh Barnett and wife, north 25 feet Lot 14 and south 45 feet Lot 15, Block 2, Westgate Terrace.
Salome Saldivar and wife to Ascension Veloz and wife, Lot 3, Block 129, Post.

Trusts
Harry M. Park and others to Billy Huddleston, approximately 13,559.2 acres in Garza and Kent counties.

Thelma Thomas and others to Odie Kemp, tract out of northwest quarter Section 1236, AB&M.

Thelma Thomas and others to W. B. Roberts, tract out of northwest quarter Section 1236, AB&M.

Ralph W. Jones and wife to Roy Earl Haney and wife, Lot 3, Block 2, Westgate Terrace.

Shirley Hundley to James R. Hundley Jr., Lots 14, 15 and 16, Block 57, Post.

Alberto R. Pantoja and wife to Daniel Pantoja and wife, Lots 6 and 7 and north 10 feet of Lots 11, 12, 14, 15 and 16 and Block 13, Post.

Jac - Min Investment Corp. to Irby Metcalf and others, Lots 1 through 16, Block 152, Post; Lot 2 and east half Lot 2, Block 2, Sunset Addition.

Nedonia Hutton Robertson et vir to Donald E. Handleman and others, trustees, one - sixth interest in various tracts and sections, totaling 24 342.37 acres more or less.

United Fidelity Life Insurance Co. to Melvin Williams and wife, 124 acres of Section 1231, J. V. Massey.

Marriage Licenses
Genevieve Mindlets Jr. and Carmen Bonda; Dec. 11.
Lemar Ray Martin and Audrey Estelle Snow; Dec. 16.
John Raymond Ross and Shirley Smith Hundley; Dec. 17.
Louis Harmon Droeemer and Dee Wallace Blackerby; Dec. 30.

Santa Fe announces bio financing plans

DALLAS — Santa Fe Railway plans \$100 million in capital expenditures in 1969, compared with \$125 million in 1968.

The improvements include more pietyback facilities and a 31-mile spur to new sulphur developments in Culberson County in far West Texas.

There are 437,000 pilots licensed to fly private planes in the United States.

Justiceburg youngster shoots deer on hunt

By MRS. SAM BEVERS JR.

Hope that everyone had a happy Christmas. Ours was a lonely one. Hope that this New Year is full of good health and happiness for everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernie Reed and children were deer hunting at Sonora on Wednesday until Saturday. Bruce killed his first doe.

Congratulations, Bruce. Cecil Smith returned to Methodist Hospital Friday night. He is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Key and children of Farmington N. M., were guests of his parents Thursday and Friday.

Guests Christmas Day of the Weldon Reeds were Mrs. Gladys Pennell, Cheryl and Joe, and Mrs. Jewel Reed.

The Sam Heintz family spent Christmas Day in the Sam Bevers Jr. home.

E. M. Woodard visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Flake in Hale Center recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franklin spent Christmas in the home of their son and family, the Harold Franklins, in Jal. N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Nance and family of Haslett and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stewart of Bryan were Christmas week guests of their parents, the Elton Nances.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernie Reed and children spent Christmas Day in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruby Cornett in Lamesa.

Mrs. Bessie Hale and Karen of Greenville visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pettigrew from Christmas Day until Monday.

The E. C. Pettigrew Jr. of Borger were weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis of Canyon visited on Monday.

Bro. Britton of the Trinity Baptist Church of Post preached Sunday in the absence of Bro. Merritt who was attending a funeral of a relative. We extend our sympathy to him. Fifteen attended the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dorman

of Silver City, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. David Richardson of Denver City were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bevers Jr., last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Morgan of Slaton are spending the week at their ranch here. Guests Christmas Eve were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Morgan and family of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Heintz and daughters were Sunday evening guests of the Raymon Keys.

WE EXTEND OUR SYMPATHY to Bandy Cash and family on the death of his mother, Dec. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ethridge and daughter of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Robison and son were guests of their parents, the Don Robisons, Christmas.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Monty Stanforth in their home in Plainview were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Nance, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Nance and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stewart. Thursday guests of the Elton Nances were the Berton Moores of Dermott, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Moore of Snyder, Mrs. Evelyn Neff and their son and daughter and families.

Dennis McNabb of Ropesville is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. John Easter and Mrs. Jenny Melton of Lubbock visited the Billy Blacklocks Sunday and Mrs. Melton remained until Thursday.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. Lee Morgan, Willie Mize, Cecil Smith, Mrs. Sid Cross, Joan Reed and the Elton Nances.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bevers Jr., and children were Saturday guests

of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Jones in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cash and children of Fort Worth visited during Christmas week with his parents, the Bandy Cashes. Clyde is home from South Plains College and Miss Nancy Hart was a guest on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Key, Joe Pennell and the Sam Bevers' family were Friday night guests of the Weldon Reeds.

The Fernie Reed family and Mrs. Jewel Reed attended the Christmas party for the residents of the nursing home where Luther Reed is staying. They report that he is doing fine.

We extend our sympathy to the Riley Miller family on the death of his uncle, Frank Miller, of Fluvanna last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blacklock attended Mrs. Cash's funeral in Levelland last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Justice spent Christmas Day in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Buster McNabb, in Ropesville.

Billy Wayne Blacklock of Dallas and Donnie Blacklock of South Plains College, spent the holidays with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Page, Joe and Ronnie of Spearman were visitors Christmas week of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Key Belinda Robinson of Muleshoe was a Friday overnight guest.

Lois Nance of Denver, Colo., spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Nance. They spent Christmas Day in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Ainsworth spent Christmas in Eldorado with the Joe Green family.

ATTENDANCE REPORTED
Lela Kelly of the Pleasant Home Baptist Church reports that 51 attended Sunday School on the third Sunday of December, 47 on the fourth, and 59 on the fifth.

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Mrs. Cash's rites held at Levelland

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. last Thursday in the First Baptist Church at Levelland for Mrs. Arthur S. (Callie) Cash, 81, mother of Bandy Cash of Justiceburg and Mrs. Carl Rains of Post.

Mrs. Cash died Dec. 23 at the Levelland Nursing Home where she had been a resident since November of 1966.

A native of Callahan County, she moved to Garza County from Stonewall County in 1924 and moved to Levelland in 1947.

Survivors other than Mr. Cash and Mrs. Rains include three other sons, C. L. of Levelland and W. H. and M. T. Cash, both of Bowina; another daughter, Mrs. Ruth Reed of Panswell; six sisters, Mrs. Hattie Lawson of Moberly, Mo., Mrs. Rosie Hester of Natural Dam Ark., Mrs. Loretta Norman of Guthrie, Mrs. Effie, Morris of Panswell, Mrs. Ethel Butler of Slaton and Mrs. Lura Kewson of Abilene; a N. M. 12 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Dr. William H. Cook, pastor of the Levelland church, officiated at the funeral services, assisted by the Rev. Fred Blake, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church. Burial was in Englewood Cemetery at Slaton.

Pallbearers were grandsons, who included Norman Cash, first baseman on the Detroit Tiger baseball team.

HERE FOR CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan J. Williams III of Fort Worth spent Christmas Eve and part of Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan J. Williams, Lee Williams, a law student at Southern Methodist University is spending the school holiday in Post.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Miss Annette McBride, a senior at Hardin - Simmons University, is spending the school holiday with her mother, Mrs. Lucile McBride, and her aunt, Mrs. Mary Wristen.

Postal rates no up for newspapers, magazines, other second class mail

Postal rates for newspapers and magazines and other material mailed at the second - class rate were increased Jan. 1. Postmaster A. J. McAllister reminded second - class mailers today.

The increase results from the postage rate law enacted in December 1967, which raised most second - class rates in three annual steps. Postmaster McAllister pointed out. The Jan. 1, 1969 hike is the second phase of the increase. The first phase took effect Jan. 7, 1968, and the third step will go into effect Jan. 1, 1970.

The second - class rate increase affects general interest, non - profit and classroom publications.

Rates also went up Jan. 1 for controlled circulation publications. These are primarily trade, technical and industrial journals which generally do not charge a subscription fee and are not eligible for second - class rates. The 1969 postal rate law called for a two - step raise for controlled circulation publications. It is possible the same dates as the second - class increase.

Except for home - carrier mailings, postal rates for newspapers and magazines mailed second - class are based on the weight of

the publication, the amount of advertising it contains, and the distance it is mailed.

Effective Jan. 1, rates for editorial or non - advertising matter in commercial publications was increased from 3 to 3.2 cents per pound. Rates for advertising content depend on the distance the publication is mailed. These zone rates now range from 4.6 to 15 cents per pound of advertising content. The new advertising zone rate range will be 4.9 to 16 cents.

There are special lower second - class rates for classroom publications and publications of nonprofit organizations. These rates also were increased Jan. 1.

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