



FIRST YARD OF THE WEEK — Mayor and Mrs. Giles McCrary's spacious yard at 1013 Crest Drive received the first "yard of the week" award for 1979 this week from Post Chamber of Commerce judges. The award will be made weekly through August. Chamber President Larry Willard is shown presenting the award certificate to Mrs. Louise McCrary.

By tax relief amendment—

Post school taxes reduced \$50,500

If State Representative W.S. (Bill) Healy is correct with his figures, the Post Independent School District will lose \$18,700 this year from state changes in school

financing but only \$500 for the first two years combined.

On the other hand, the Southland school district will gain \$23,400 this year

and \$24,200 next year for a total gain of \$47,600.

The big difference appears to be that the Southland district is using a much more up-to-date tax evaluation base than the Post district and one more evenly balanced.

According to the figures forwarded Tuesday by Rep. Healy to The Dispatch, the Post district will lose \$50,500 in school district taxes because of the new homestead and ag exemptions called for in the Tax Relief Amendment.

By the formulas applied, Post will receive an additional \$31,800 in state aid this coming year, excluding salaries, and \$68,700 the second year.

Thus the Post school district will lose a net of \$18,700 income the first year and gain \$18,200 the second for a \$500 loss for the two years.

Southland on the other hand will lose \$46,200 in ag and homestead exemptions each year, but gain \$69,600 the first year in additional state aid and \$70,400 the second year in additional state aid.

This will provide a financial gain for the two years of \$47,600.

Supt. Bill Shiver hopes to have the 1979-80 school budget ready for board consideration by June 30. The board will meet next Tuesday night for their June meeting and probably will discuss the budget and state school financing changes to some extent at that time.

Traps catch one weevil

County Agent Syd Conner has set ten sets of pheromone boll weevil traps on farms in all parts of the county to provide a very accurate tool in determining the location and quantities of overwintered boll weevil population.

The traps are located on the farms of Walter McQuien, David Tyler, Wood Ranch, Lloyd Reed, Fernie Reed, John Boren, Billy Blacklock, Robert Sanchez, Jimmy Moore and Buz Parkhill.

Conner made his first weekly check Tuesday and found only one boll weevil. It was on the Blacklock farm. The rest of the traps were empty.

The traps will be checked and rebated with pheromone bait weekly and reported in The Dispatch.

A roster will be published in next week's Dispatch.

Planting rains rate in 'million dollar' class

"Million dollar" planting rains deluged Garza County cotton fields this past week, assuring farmers of plenty of badly needed moisture to plant.

The official rainfall measurement for Post was 4.6 inches from Thursday through Monday night.

This included 2.39 inches in three hard showers Monday afternoon and night, which followed 1.09 inches falling Thursday and 1.14 more on Friday with only .05 Saturday and none Sunday.

Some parts of the county received five to six inches.

Post got the worst of the Monday downpours with other portions of the county reporting amounts ranging from an inch to 1.5 inches.

Some cotton fields in the immediate vicinity of Post were washed out by the two hard Monday evening rains, including County Agent Syd Conner's 14 acres.

The county agent said Tuesday he hadn't heard any reports of the need to replant in any other area of the county, however.

Conner said about 65 percent of Garza's 55,000

cotton acres had been planted — and the cotton up — before the rains started falling last Thursday.

Much of it, he said, had been "dry planted" in the

hopes of getting immediate moisture.

As soon as farmers can get into their fields, the other 35 percent of the crop will be planted.

Human nature being what it is, the farmers by this week were wanting up the shine, not moisture.

Broadway and many other streets in the western part of

the city were running "bankfull" during the Monday night showers.

The moisture came just in time as cotton needs to be in by June 10 to 15.

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Number 1

On rundown business buildings—

City ready to act

Harvey Morton, attorney for the city, was instructed Monday night by the city council to advise out-of-town owners of two "rundown" Main street business buildings they face condemnation proceedings if the building are not restored.

The action came at the request of a delegation from the Post Chamber of Commerce.

Chamber president Larry Willard told the council that Commonwealth Theaters of Kansas City and Maggie Childers of Abilene already had been requested in letters from the Chamber to restore their property, but the Chamber has received no replies.

The Commonwealth property is the old theater, partially burned in a fire several years ago, in the 200 block of East Main. Childers owns the dilapidated old business building between Handy Hardware and Wacker's which has been used for years only for storage.

Willard said inspection of both properties show they are fire and health hazards.

Morton advised the council that the proper procedure would be to file a condemnation suit in district court complete with reports from the fire marshal and city health officer. If untested, the suit would cost only about \$200 he said in answer to a councilman's question.

The council then indicated it wanted Morton to start proceedings with letters to the two property owners.

Willard told the council the Chamber had two other out-of-town owned downtown properties on its condemnation list but they have been sold as a result of Chamber letters to the owners and both buildings will be fixed up by their new owners.

One is the former pool hall and the other the barber shop in the 200 block east Main.

Danny Shaw, president-elect of the Chamber, told the council he had inspected both properties the chamber wanted condemned and that

they both were in very bad shape and quite hazardous.

Willard also proposed to the council that it look into the acquisition of the Tower Theater because of this

community's need for an auditorium. He said vandals are actively tearing up the inside of the building and that if this isn't stopped the theater will soon become a

hazard itself.

The theater originally seated 900, but half the seats 8 every other row — were taken out a couple of years (See City ready, Page 16)

75-bed facility costs \$540,000

Ground broken for new nursing home

Ground was broken here Tuesday for the construction of the H. H. Huntley Nursing Home, which will be a modern 75-bed facility at the corner of Seventh St. and South Avenue O.

It will face Seventh Street and cost \$540,000.

The Grayston Construction Co., Inc., of Austin which specializes in nursing home construction, is the general contractor. Bill Fowler of Austin is the construction superintendent.

He told The Dispatch Wednesday the construction will take approximately eight months to complete. He hopes to have it completed in January, 1980.

The layout of the nursing home is described by Fowler as "half of a cartwheel with five spokes."

Plans call for a large

living and activity area immediately behind the main entrance with a good sized dining room and kitchen behind the activity area at the end of the center spoke.

The other four spokes will comprise patient rooms with

two beds to a room. Offices are grouped on either side of the main entrance.

The entire nursing home will be air-conditioned with central heating and a complete fire safety system, including alarms and sprinklers.

The entire one-story structure will be brick veneer. The brick color is yet to be selected.

Fowler said his firm is employing as much local labor as possible, including carpenters.

Norman Wayne Douglas of Arlington is the architect. Huntley, who has operated a nursing home down state for a number of years, moved back to Post months ago with his son. Both will be involved in the nursing home's operation when completed.

Construction financing held up construction for many months, but it finally has been arranged.

The Post bank is providing permanent financing for the home.

Huntley purchased the site from Garza Memorial Hospital recently for \$10,000.

See Nursing home, Page 16

Patty rites held here

Funeral services for Clemmie Estelle Patty, 88, former Post resident, were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the chapel of the Justice-Mason Funeral Home with Rev. Don Travis of the First United Methodist Church officiating.

Mrs. Patty was born in Delta, Texas in March 7, 1891 and died June 4, in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock. She married Homa Lee Patty, Nov. 20, 1911 and he preceded her in death in April of 1960. She was a member of the Eastern Star and a life-long Methodist.

She moved to Post from Sulphur Springs in 1920 where she and her husband resided until moving to Fort Worth in 1957. She had lived in Lubbock for the past 18 years.

She is survived by one daughter, three sons, 13 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were her grandsons. Burial was in Terrace Cemetery under the direction of Justice-Mason Funeral Home.

Birthday cake for Christians

The Rev. Tom Pass cut and served slices from a birthday cake to all those attending the Sunday morning worship service of the First Presbyterian Church just prior to the start of the service.

He rolled a serving cart down the main aisle of the sanctuary to serve the cake.

Whose birthday? It was Pentecost Sunday, the birthday anniversary of the beginning of the Christian church.

Wage boost at Postex July 15

Hourly employees of Postex Plant will get a salary boost effective July 15.

Burlington Industries in Greensboro, N.C., announced last week that its various divisions will make an "upward adjustment" in wages for its 47,000 hourly employees.

The company said that in keeping with its past practices the amount of the increase would vary among divisions and operations.

Employees will be individually advised of their increased rates prior to the effective date, the Burlington announcement said.

The last general increase for Burlington Industries employees was in July of last year.

Postex officials here said they did not expect to receive information here on the details of plant salary boost here until about mid-June.

160 enrolled in summer program

The summer recreation began Monday morning with 160 kids enrolled for the six week program.

Meeting each morning

from 9 til 12 noon Monday through Thursday, the program includes arts and crafts, games, cheerleading, tennis and swimming, golf, softball, track, weights, gymnastics and football.

Any child attending may sign up for any number of activities he or she desires.

Joe Giddens, program director, said he had several inquiries concerning the program and any child who did not register Saturday is still eligible to attend the program at any time.

The girls softball team will begin its start today (Wednesday) at 5 p.m. at the ball park behind the high school gym and will play every day Monday through Thursday at 5 p.m. with an hour time limit or five innings.

The Red Raiders coached by Nancy Thuett and Andrea Willard will go against the Jolly Green Giants, coached by Barbara Green and Donna Baumann in today's action with Thursday's game between the Champs coached by Edith Capps and Rebecca Haney and the Killer Bees, coached by Shirley Storie and Marianne Hart.

A roster will be published in next week's Dispatch.

Deadline extended

The Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce has extended the sign-up deadline for its proposed defensive driving course to June 22.

The course will be given with eight hours of training June 28-29 by a qualified highway patrol instructor and no completion test is required.

Tuition for the course is \$12 but with a 10 percent reduction in car insurance for three years for those who take the course, each participant should save \$25 besides the cost of the course in reduced insurance rates.

Those wishing to enroll should contact either Geraldine Butler, 2210 or Voda Beth Gradine, 3475. A minimum of 20 students are needed to assure the course being given.

Enrollment to date has been reported as slow.

Cleanup day is Saturday

This is Post's 1979 Cleanup Week with the big "action" coming Saturday when volunteers will spend a day trying to clean up the community's business district.

Joy Greer, cleanup chairman for the sponsoring Post Chamber of Commerce and its Women's Division, asks

meet at 8 a. m. Saturday in the bank parking lot.

Refreshments plus lunch in city-county park will be served all volunteer workers.

City and county trucks and equipment as requested have been promised the chamber by the two local governments.

haul away debris piled in alleys by those "cleaning up" their own properties during the week.

Mrs. Greer reports few commitments to the volunteer cleanup brigade as yet despite an all-out publicity effort, but she is hopeful that the weather will be good and a large group will turn out

2nd arrest in beating

A second man has been arrested and charged with aggravated robbery in the beating and robbing of Leon Alvarez, an illegal alien May 17.

He is Julian Saldivar of Post, who remains in the county jail in lieu of making a \$10,000 bond, according to Sheriff Jim Pippin.

Alvarez was hospitalized and underwent brain surgery as a result of the beating he suffered. He



PLAQUE PRESENTATION — Chamber President Larry Willard, left, is shown presenting a small plaque to Jim Cornish for getting the most new Chamber members in a recent membership contest between two teams of Chamber officers and directors. The plaque was presented during a dinner party for directors, their husbands and wives, Saturday night. See story on page 16.

McCrary in Rotary talk

Giles McCrary told Post Rotarians at their Tuesday luncheon that "all of us need to be more aware of what we see and hear."

He touched on art but devoted most of his from the heart talk to reading from the Al-Anon book, "One Day at a Time." He said it changed his life through daily readings.

Rotarians also were treated to a country music concert from Max Chaffin on the fiddle and Danny Shaw and the Rev. Don Travis on guitar and mandolin.

Holly Giddens was introduced as the club's pianist for the new club year starting July 1.

PHS report cards ready for pickup

High School Principal Joe Giddens has announced that report cards have arrived and may be picked up at the high school office Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Due to renovation of the Post Middle School, report cards will be mailed out to

Dispatch Editorials

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How about a theater?

It's high time all of us gave some thought to the desirability of the community acquiring the Tower Theater for community use.

With Post so badly in need of an auditorium for all kinds of functions, including graduation on windy or wet May nights, it seems almost negligent that we sit on our hands while young vandals continue to help the theatre along with its deterioration.

Chamber president Larry Willard hit the nail smack on the proverbial head when he brought up the subject at the city council session Monday night.

The Chamber delegation had come to talk about condemnation of dangerous, unused downtown buildings, but Willard could not resist speaking out for an auditorium.

He told the council the theater is fast doing down hill due to vandals tearing things up inside.

The movie theater once seated 900 but half the seats — every other row — were removed before Commonwealth Theaters closed it down a few years back.

The Dispatch would hope that the Chamber makes the acquisition of the theater a major project.

A citizens study needs to be made of the project, including possible uses, conditions, cost to acquire and restore.

It isn't something which can be done overnight. No snap decision should be made. But that theater could be transformed into a community asset instead of a growing downtown menace.

Very little left now

We have no idea what you thought of the recent legislative session, but to us despite the efforts of Republican Governor Bill Clements to return a billion of those tax dollars to the taxpayers, the legislature went on a spending spree.

There's very little left now to give back to anybody.

What's more the legislature turned a very deaf ear to Clements' avowed desires for citizen referendum and initiative. The legislature wasn't about to give away any of its power.

The governor is determined to force the issue with a special session. Just how interested Texans in general are in referendum and initiative is problematical, but if we're to guess on that we would say not nearly so much as Clements.

All told, the 66th session of the legislature considered 3,791 bills and constitutional amendments. Of this total a record number — 900 — were approved, including 454 house bills, 434 senate bills and 12 constitutional amendments.

With the passage of the so-called "Peveto" bill, a sweeping revision of Texas property tax laws is on the way, including a requirement for a central appraisal agency in each county to prepare a unitary tax roll for mandatory use by cities, school districts and other local units, although not the counties which are required by the state constitution to handle their own.

Some of the legislation which was killed in the final days — which maybe you haven't yet heard about — includes that proposal to allocate revenues from the one cent municipal sales tax back to the cities according to population rather than on the basis of actual collections. This would have brought Post a new bundle of tax dollars which today goes to Lubbock because it is collected in Lubbock from out-of-town customers.

Also killed were proposals to abolish the cities' original jurisdiction over both electric utility rates and services and gas utility rates and services.

It all wasn't good, and it all wasn't bad. But as usual, billions of dollars of spending was concentrated in the final hours of the session so legislative leaders could exact their control.

As for the governor, he didn't really get bobby-trapped by the Democratic legislative leaders, though he didn't get much of his program through either.

He remains a force to be reckoned with and his signatures on hundreds of bills still piled on his desk are going to be required before they become law.

We would say Bill Clements remains a very positive force in Austin for conservatism. And none of the Democrats who might choose to run against him helped their score much during the recent session to that big block of conservative Texas voters.



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Remember When

10 YEARS AGO

Pam Petty and Kippy Payne selected senior and junior Lions Club sweethearts; Dr. Wilson begins hometown practice; Jackie Gordon, tenor, receives Division I rating at state choir contest; Easter Ed, paint horse owned by Fred Myers, wins first in pole bending and places in five other events in West Texas Paint Horse Show; Second Book Fair in Post nets \$375; Kristi Ann Haire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Haire, celebrates first birthday; Mary Ann Stone attends college in Hawaii; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stalcup announce the birth of a daughter, Rachel Ann, born in Garza Memorial Hospital; Gene Hendrix, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hendrix of Post, graduates from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth; Glenn Palk receives "Best Actor of Year" award in Lubbock Little Theater.

15 YEARS AGO

Faye Claborn Jr., wins sheriff election in Post; Fred Myers promoted to vice president at First National Bank; Richard DeLeon, Post seaman, participates in sea-assault training in the Philippines; Shirley Lee Bostick, John Bland nuptials read in First Baptist Church; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gandy announce the birth of a son, Stephen Ewell, born in Medical Center; Barbara Shumard, bride elect of Melvin Britton honored with miscellaneous wedding shower; Scotty Pierce to play for Phillips 66 this year, an AAU team sponsored by Phillips Petroleum; \$22,000 damage results in wind toppling of 84-foot rig; 1.2 inches of rain breaks summer heat wave in Garza County; Melton J. Welch Jr., graduates with doctor's degree from University of Texas Medical School.

25 YEARS AGO

Neal Clary appointed fire marshal in Post; Chief Runkles and scouts of Troop 16 perform Indian dances at council ring at Camp Post; \$470,000 job on highway 84 being planned; Tuberculosis survey underway in Garza County; Shirley Mullis and Jimmy Moore exchange wedding vows in Church of Christ in Aspermont; Formal opening and dedication of Post new swimming pool.

Pride back for fair

LUBBOCK — Country Charlie Pride and the popular trio, Dave and Sugar, are no strangers to Panhandle South Plains Fair fans.

They've been here before, but on the same bill.

This year, it will be a different story, according to Steve L. Lewis, general manager of the exposition.

"We're putting together 11 big shows for eight big days," for the 62nd annual fair, slated here Sept. 22-29, Lewis said.

Pride will return for a record ninth time for two shows (5 p.m. and 8 p.m.) on Sept. 23, while Dave and Sugar will headline their own show at 8 p.m. on Sept. 26.

It will mark one of their first headline acts after leaving the Pride show, where they got their start and became rising stars in their own right.

Ironically, appearing with Dave and Sugar will be another potential star, John Conlee, who was named newcomer of the year at the 1979 Country Music Awards in Nashville.

Garza trio to 4-H leadership lab

LEVELLAND — Nearly 200 young leaders from 4-H clubs in 20 South Plains counties will participate in a district teen leadership laboratory here June 19-21.

The three-day summer workshop will be held on the campus of South Plains College, said Billy C. Gunther and Mrs. Catherine Crawford, district agents with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service.

Participants from Garza County will be Lance Dunn, Cindy Basquez, and Jackie Melvin.

Each year the lab provides an opportunity for outstanding 4-H Club members to receive training in leadership and program development. Participants are expected to assist local adult leaders in planning and conducting activities in local clubs. A team of older teen-age 4-Hers will assist in conducting the training sessions.

Theme for this year's lab is "We'll Recreate and Play" (WRAP). Emphasis will be on teen leader training for recreational activities. These will include songs, new games, folk dances, disco dances, quiet games, vesper programs and other forms of physical and spiritual recreation.

Officers and delegates for the 1979-80 District 4-H Council will be installed at the lab.

In addition to developing their skills for working with younger club members, lab participants will have time for relaxation and fun and opportunities to broaden their friendships.

Four-H is a year-round program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service which is open to all youths.

\$21,723 in bonds sold in March

March sales of Series E&H United States Savings Bonds in Garza County were reported today by County Bond Chairman Lewis Heron to be \$21,723. Sales for the three month period totaled \$28,942 for 22 percent of the 1979 sales goal of \$130,000.

Texas sales during the month amounted to \$522,972,794 while sales for the first three months of 1979 totaled \$68,903,444 with 23 percent of the yearly sales goal of 297.2 million achieved.

OPEN HEARING HELD

Personnel of the Texas Department of Health's Bureau of Long Term Care held an open hearing at the Twin Cedar Nursing Home here at 10 a.m. Tuesday. The hearing was one of the nine scheduled in the first two week of June.



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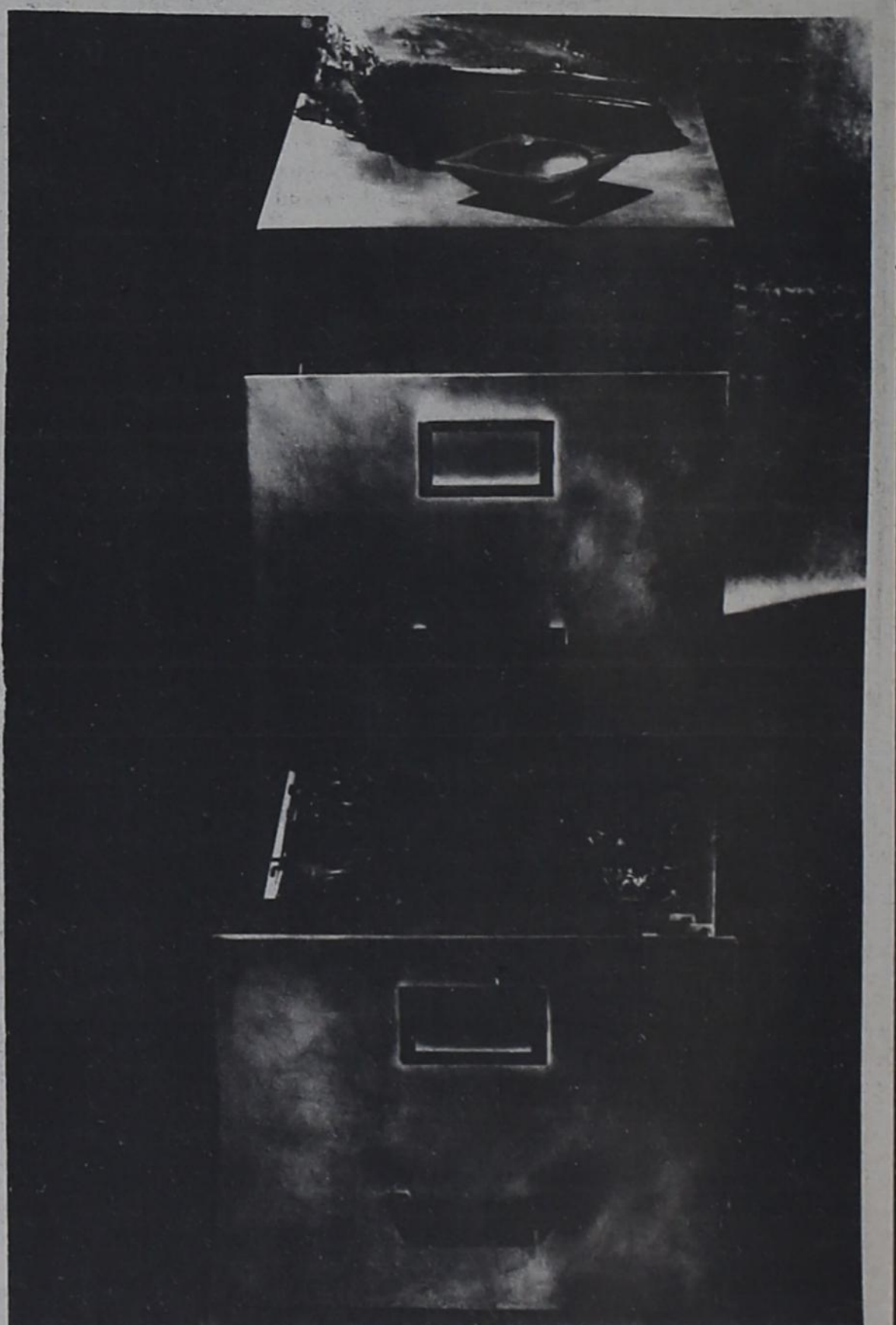
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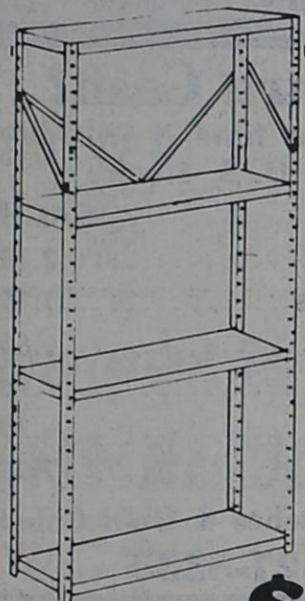


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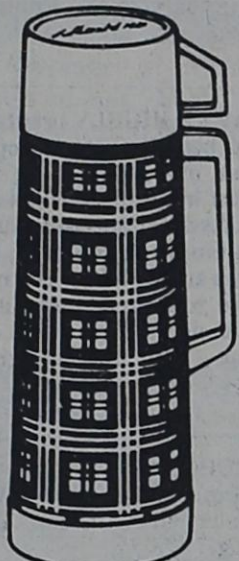
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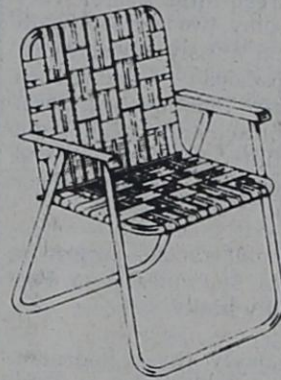
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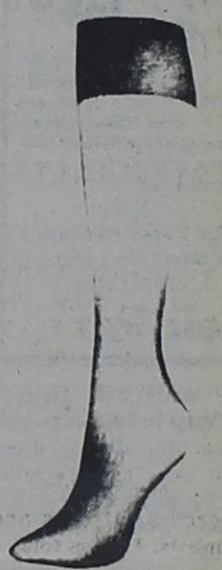
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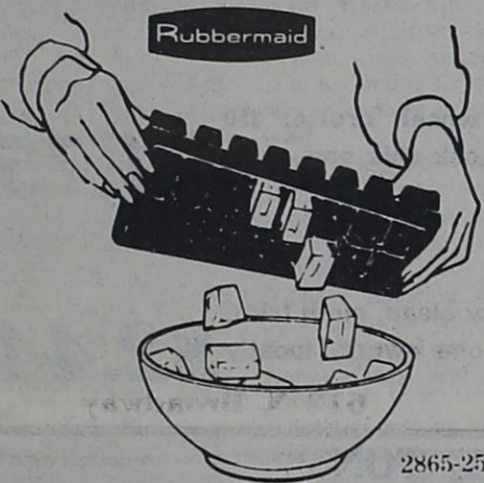
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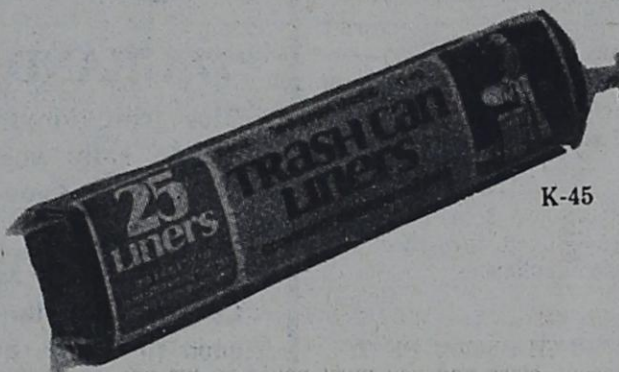
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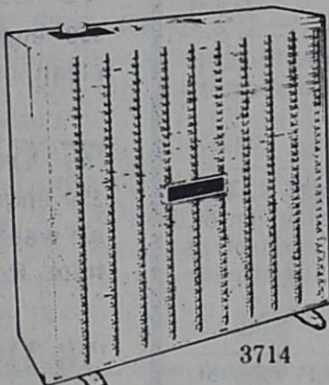


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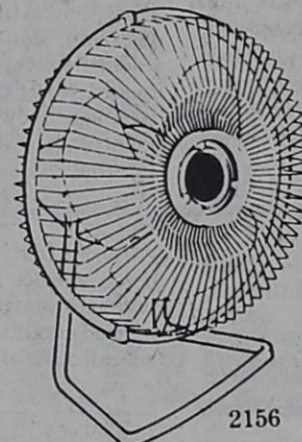


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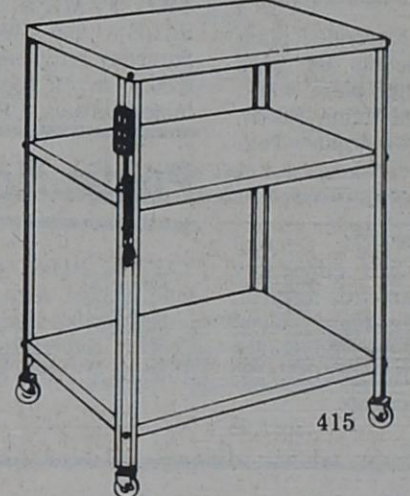


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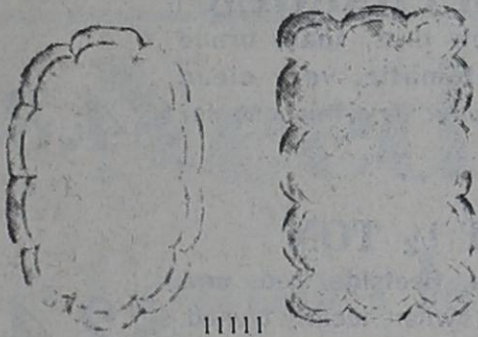


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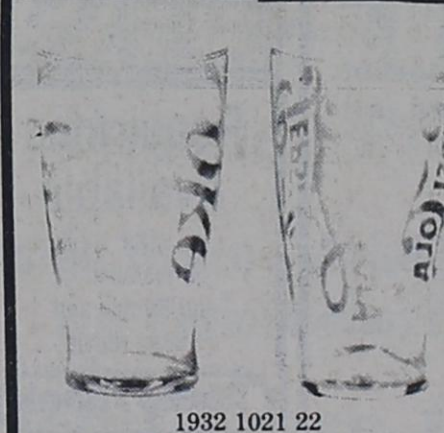
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GARAGE SALE: Thursday 9 to 2. Go northwest on US 84 to Farm Road 2282, West 3 1/2 miles. Brick house on left. 1tp 6-7

PATIO SALE: Friday after 5 p. m. Saturday morning, 711 West 5th. Good used custom made shutters and miscellaneous. 1tp 6-7

CARPORT SALE: Three miles west of Graham. The Normans. Saturday. No early calls. 1tc 6-7

CARPORT SALE: Including wooden doors, bed and clothing. Saturday morning, 8 a. m. on 801 West 5th. 1tp 6-7

GARAGE SALE: Saturday 109 S. Ave. P, 9 til ? 1tc 6-7

GARAGE SALE — Friday only. 412 West 13th. 1tp 6-7

GARAGE SALE: Saturday 9 to 6. No early calls please. 905 West 4th. 1tp 6-7

INSIDE HOUSE Rummage Sale: Friday and Saturday 9 to 6. Nice braided rug, antique iron bed with mattress and box springs, good TV antenna with tall pipe, lots of clothes, shoes and miscellaneous. 215 West 12th. 1tp 6-7

TWO FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Books, jewelry, clothes, whatnots, 8-track tapes, magazines, pool table, mini-bike, 10-speed, playhouse 6x8x4. June 8-9 8:30 a. m. to 8 p. m. Grassland Community Center. 1tc 6-7

TWO FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 916 West 11th Saturday only beginning at 8:30 a. m. til noon. Lots of miscellaneous. CHEAP. 1tc 6-7

Public Notice

TAKING BIDS: The Southland School is now taking bids on a 1964 Dodge pickup. Contact Superintendent Dr. Thomas V. Alvis at 996-5339. 1tc 6-7

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JOHNNY'S USED CARS
 1977 Mercury Cougar, clean.
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FOR SALE: Chicken house, 30 x 60. Sold on location and clean-up. Corrugated iron, 3/4 plywood inside. Excellent condition. Call Ed Witt 495-3344 or 495-3721. 10tc 6-7

FOR SALE: Washer and Dryer. 309 North Ave. S or call 495-3606. 1tp 6-7

FOR SALE: '68 Ford Galaxie 500. Engine and interior in very good condition. 495-2403. 2tp 6-7

FOR SALE: 1969 SS-396 Chevrolet 3-speed, AC, radio, 55,000 original miles. One owner. 495-2654. 1tc 6-7

FOR SALE: 19 inch Zenith Color TV plus stand, 1971 model. Call 495-2482. 1tc 5-31

FOR SALE: Air conditioners, good used furniture, refrigerators, cookstoves, new wood vanities, dog houses, bicycles and antiques. Ted's Trading Post. 1205 South 9th, Slaton. Phone 828-6820. 1tp 6-7

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BABY SITTING in my home, any age. Come by 406 West 13th or call 2337 after 10 a. m. Ask for Debbie. 1tp 6-7


WOULD LIKE small house to rent. Pat and Teri Riedel. Call 3493. 1tp 6-7

WANTED: Yard work and odd jobs. I aim to please. Call 495-2593. Carl Harrell. 2tp 6-7

WANTED: Baby sitting weekends. Call Jennifer Wilson 495-2085. 1tc 6-7

Real Estate

FOR SALE: 503 West 8th. \$12,500. Call 806-828-4159 or 806-996-5572. 4tc 5-31

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HOUSE FOR SALE: 110 East 4th. \$7500. Call 495-2474 after 3 p.m. 2tp 5-31

FOR SALE: 36.88 acres of farm land with a three bedroom brick home. Plenty of cabinets and built-ins, carpeted and paneled throughout. All electric, city water. One mile North of city limits, fire place and two baths. Call 806-495-3366. Post, Tex. By appointment only. 1tc 2-15

FOR SALE: Three bedroom, den, storm house under den, two baths, patio, fenced yard, 12 x 18 storage building. Shown by appointment only. Call 495-3293 or 495-2786. 1tc 5-3

FOR SALE: 1974 Mobile home 14 x 72. Two bedroom, two bath, carpet throughout in good condition. If interested call 2371 after 5 p. m. 1tc 5-10

FOR SALE: Home with four bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, large den with fireplace and wet bar, living room, dining room, kitchen, breakfast area, utility room, two car garage with storage, plenty of storage space, newly landscaped. Shown by appointment only. Call 495-2085 or 495-2872. 1tc 8-24

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MISSING: 1,000 lb. Hereford bull three miles east, one mile south of Canyon Valley. Branded 7 Bar on right hip and branded Rocker W on left shoulder. Call nights 495-3264. 3tp 5-24

LOST: Red Duroc sow in Grassland Community. If seen call H. C. Gribble 327-5331 collect. 1tc 6-7

Miscellaneous

FOR YOUR LAWN MOWER repair and bicycle repair call 2739 or come by 311 N. Ave. H. Also want 15 or 16 " Chevrolet wheels and will mow yards. See Jack C. Brown. 1tp 6-7

REDUCE Safe & Fast with GoBese Tablets and E-Vap "water pills" at Bob Collier Drug. 8tp 5-3

Miscellaneous

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LET US copy and or restore your family photographs. We are also available for weddings — Our new location 1813 North 1st in Tahoka. Hours 1 to 5 p. m. Call 998-4142. C. Edmund Finney. 1tc 7-13

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 You'll be glad you did. ONLY

'76 FORD LTD
 Luxury sedan, tan finish, very clean, cloth trim, good tires, air, automatic, one owner, locally owned. ONLY **\$2,445**

'78 CHEVROLET 1/2 TON
 350 engine, air, AM radio, cloth trim, very clean, one owner. Very low price **\$4,095**

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 350 engine, 4-wheel drive, air, power steering, all weather tires, AM radio, dark green, vinyl trim. Ready to work, ONLY **\$3,750**

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED — Mrs. Leonard Brieger of Wilson announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Lana Nell, above, to Ricky Kyle Cross, also above, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Cross of Post. They will marry Aug. 18 in the St. John Lutheran Church in Wilson. Miss Brieger is a graduate of Wilson High School and South Plains College. Cross is a graduate of Post High School and South Plains College and is employed by Mid-American Testing Service in Lubbock.

Shower is given for Nita Jo Gunn

Approximately 60 guests called Saturday morning at a bridal shower honoring Miss Nita Jo Gunn, bride-elect of Bobby Heckaman. The event in the home of Mrs. Bobby Cowdrey, was from 10 o'clock until 11:30 a. m. The receiving line was composed of the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Clarence Gunn, her grandmother, Mrs. Barrie Jones and Mrs. Cowdrey. Guests were registered by Miss Patricia Craig at a small round table covered with a white cloth and featuring a framed quilled wedding invitation. The bride's chosen colors

of apricot and ivory were used throughout the entertaining rooms. The serving table was covered with an ivory cloth and centered with an arrangement of fresh apricot and ivory flowers in a large straw hat. A miniature bride and groom and bridesmaids stood under the brim of the hat. It was flanked on either side by a Fenton glass wedding bell and butterfly. Crystal and silver appointments were used. A fresh fruit bowl, sausage balls and a variety of homemade breads and muffins were served with juice and coffee.

Close City club meets

The Close City Extension Homemakers Club met for a regular meeting June 5 in the Close City Community Center. Roll call was answered with "The Color I Buy Most." Hooter Terry presented the program, "Creating a Look You Like with Colors." Hostess, Hooter Terry served refreshments to members, Oreta Bevers, Cleo Sappington and Faye Payton.

Those assisting with the serving duties were Misses Kerri Pool, Beth Elliott, Nancy Clary and Melissa Tatum. A set of cooking ware and mixer were presented to the honoree by the following hostesses: Mmes. Jane Terry, Joy Pool, Helen Mason, Bonnie Tyler, Sharron Morris, Joyce Tatum, Vee Gordon, Laveta Josey, Joyce Howard, Marion Wheatley, Jean Tipton, Edna Owen, Orabeth White, Jan Elliott, Norma Baumann, Helen Autry, Lanelle Clary, Johnnie Norman, Frances Craig, Virginia Babb and Cowdrey.



ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT — Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Slough announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Robin Renee Stewart to T. Preston Leake. Miss Stewart is also the daughter of James W. Stewart of Scottsbluff, Nebraska. The couple plan a July 20 wedding in the First Baptist Church of Post. Miss Stewart is a Post High School senior and Leake is a Post High School graduate and is employed by Halliburton Co., in Pampa.

McInroe-Kennedy vows read here

Wedding vows were exchanged between Connie Renee McInroe and Russell Jay Kennedy Saturday, May 26 in the First United Methodist Church. Rev. Jimmy Kennedy, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hawley, Tex., performed the 7:30 p.m. double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with arrangements of baby blue flowers with baby's breath and candleabras. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell K. McInroe of Denver City and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kennedy of Post. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a princess style gown by Priscilla of Boston with a chapel length veil. The bridal bouquet was of white carnations with pink rose buds and baby blue ribbon. Matron of honor was Teresa Finck of Tulia and bridesmaids were Karla Josey, sister of the groom, Carolyn Beddingfield, Pan-

handle and Cindy Garth of Canyon. They wore identical dresses of baby blue with a floral print overlay. Candles were lighted by Terry Kennedy, brother of the groom and Kevin McInroe, Denver City, brother of the bride. Serving as best man was Jerry Johnson of Austin and groomsmen were Bill Merrill, Claude; James Hand, Friona, Lee Hill, Hale Center, all members of Phi Delta Theta of which the groom is a member. Acting as ushers were Jim Jacobi, Electra, Jeff Jacobi, Electra and Craig McInroe, brother of the bride of Denver City. Wedding music was provided by Barbara Babb, organist, Cindy Stephens, pianist, Shallowater and Debbie Martin, Canyon, soloist.

A reception followed the ceremony in the church reception room. Members of the house party included Christy Morris, Phyllis Kennedy, sister of the bridegroom, Roxanne McInroe, cousin of the bride of Levelland, Pam Miller and Debbie Roden, both of Canyon. Following a wedding trip, the couple are residing in Canyon where both are seniors at West Texas State University. The bride graduated from Friendship High School and Kennedy is a Post High School graduate and is a member of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity at the university.

Graham club has meeting The Graham Homemakers Extension Club met June 4 at the home of Mrs. Lucille Bush. Nona Lusk presided over the meeting with Lucille Bush acting as secretary. Roll call was answered with "The Color I Buy the Most." Plans were made for a recruiting party in the Graham Community Center June 22. The program was presented by Sue Maxey and Orabeth White on, "Create the Look You Like by the Texture in Colors." Refreshments were served to six members and two guests, Mrs. Recie Bush and Beatrice Morris.

Willards host dinner

Everybody turned out to be a winner Saturday night at the "winners dinner" for Post Chamber of Commerce directors as a result of the recent Chamber membership contest. Chamber president and Mrs. Larry Willard hosted a dinner party for Chamber directors and wives or husbands that night in the University City Club in Lubbock. Originally, the losing directors were to "buy dinner" for the winners. Willard presented Jim Cornish with a plaque for bringing in the most new members. Attending the dinner, besides the host and hostess, were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hudman, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boles, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Waldrup, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams, Mr. and Mrs. James Pollard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris and Cornish.

Shower for Nelda Leake

Miss Nelda Kim Leake, bride-elect of Jeff Cartwright, was honored with a lingerie shower Sunday, June 3, from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. W.G. Pool Jr.

Refreshments of finger sandwiches, wedding ring cookies, assorted fruit and punch were served by Kerri Pool from a lace over yellow covered table featuring a centerpiece of a ring of yellow, white and blue silk flowers entwined within an arrangement of small candles. The centerpiece was a gift to Miss Leake from Mrs. Pool. Crystal appointments were used on the serving table.

Special guests for the wedding included the honoree's mother, Mrs. Anne Leake, her grandmother, Mrs. Preston Mathis and her aunt, Mrs. L.J. Richardson of Brownfield. Hostesses with Mrs. Pool were Mrs. George Miller and Mrs. K.W. Kirkpatrick.

OPEN MEETING The Order of the Eastern Star Chapter 206 will have an open installation of officers June 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall. The public is invited to attend.



WEDDING ANNIVERSARY RECEPTION — Minnie and Bryan Williams were honored with a reception on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary, Friday, June 1. The reception was hosted by Ginger Carlisle and was held in the Williams and Son Insurance Office. — (Staff Photo)


*We have experienced love . . .
in our parents, our families and friends
and now a new love in each other.
With sincere joy and a firm desire
to give this love its fullest expression
we will be joined in marriage
on Friday, June fifteenth
Nineteen hundred and seventy-nine
at half past seven in the evening
Sunset Church of Christ
Thirty-fifth Street and Memphis
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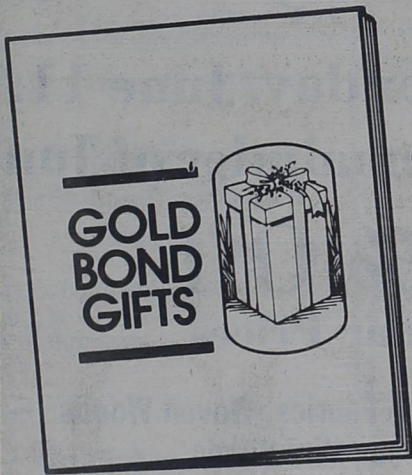


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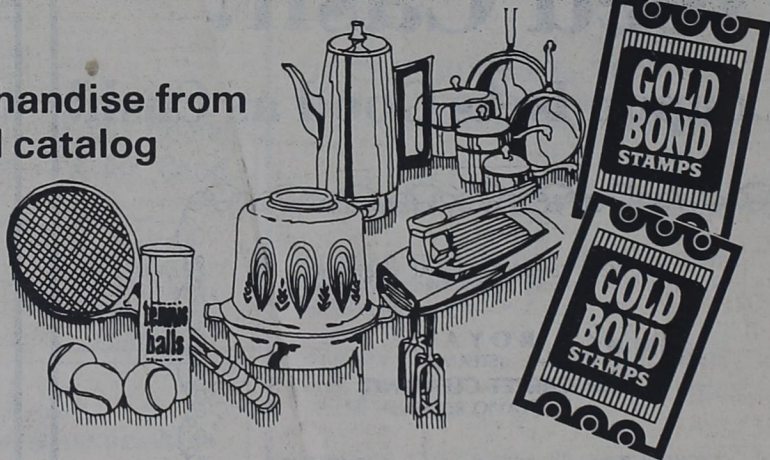
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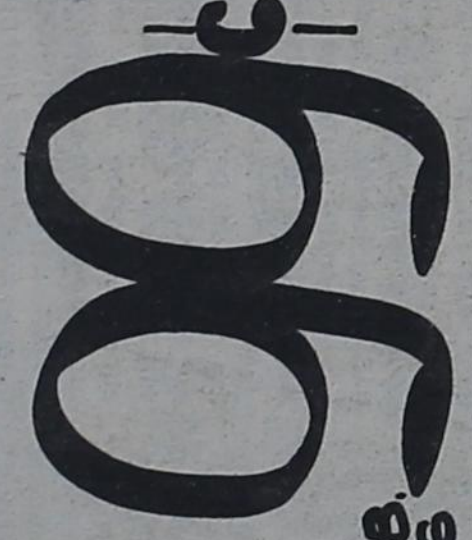


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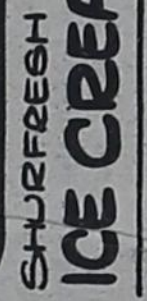


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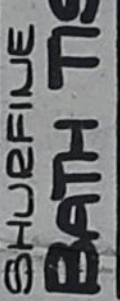


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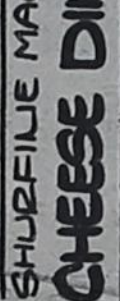
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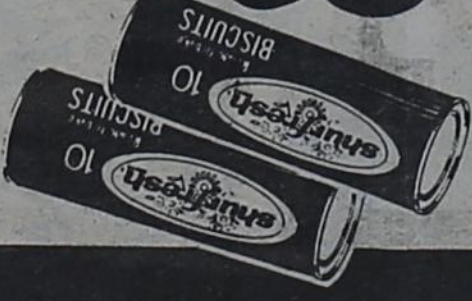
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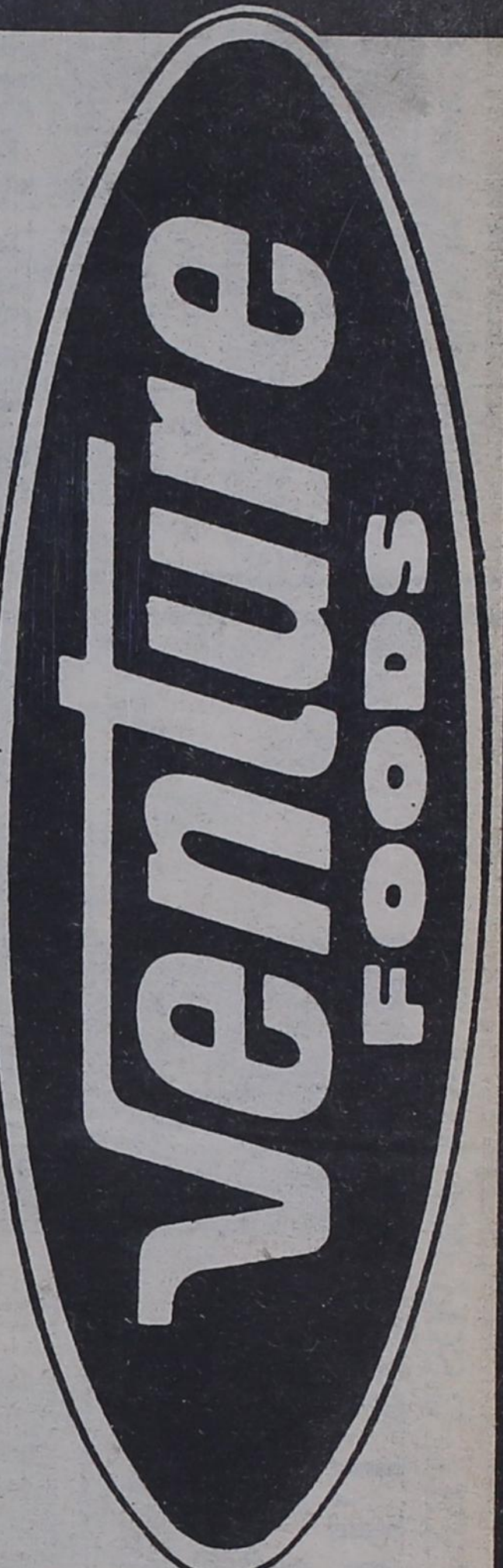
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County appoints temporary JP

Mrs. Natalee Shepherd was appointed special justice of the peace of precinct 4 last week by the Garza County Commissioners Court to serve while JP Pat Kitchens is in the hospital undergoing surgery.

Mrs. Shepherd can serve up to 90 days with the temporary appointment but Kitchens is expected to be back on the job before that.

In other actions at the court's May 29 session, the court:

Renewed the service contract with IBM on court-house typewriters.

Appointed Mayor Giles McCrary to represent Garza County on the health board.

Discussed plans to renovate the county tax office with work tentatively set to begin next January.

Promised use of whatever county equipment the Chamber needed for Cleanup Saturday, June 9. Mrs. Joy Greer appeared before the court to request the assistance.



By PAULA CAWTHON
County Extension Agent

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rinsing rather than using hot water temperatures. In fact, between 1970 and 1976, studies show that the number of loads washing in warm water increased by 15 percent while the number washing hot water decreased by the same amount with about 50 percent of households using warm temperature. However, the general rule still holds true — use hot water (130 degrees F., 70 degrees C) for the most difficult cleaning jobs or for sanitation.

Debra Pearson into air force

Debra Kay Pearson, former student at Post High School, graduated from High School in Bartley, Nebraska, last week.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Pearson of Post and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Alley of Bartley.

She has enlisted in the United States Air Force and will begin her training immediately.

DINNER GUESTS

Homer Gordon was host to a dinner honoring Bobby Gordon and family of Oklahoma who were in Post holding a revival at the Justiceburg Baptist Church. Randy Gordon directed the music with his father. Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gordon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon and family.

VISITS MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Stephens and four children of Plains visited with his mother, Mrs. Wesley Stephens Sunday.

Congressman
Charles W. Stenholm
Congressional Comment

Washington, D.C. — Every political movement since the beginning of time has had the seeds of its own destruction located within — often from the onset. During the sixties and early seventies we became acquainted with such movements as the New Frontier, Great Society, and the social-welfare state. In this period our Country seemed to have unlimited resources. We could conduct a war on poverty at home and a fighting war in Vietnam half way around the world. The government began a policy of intense regulation of the economy and spent billions trying to cure such problems as structural unemployment and poverty. The phenomenon of government expansion was world wide as we began to see the nationalization of many important industries in Western Europe and around the globe.

The idealism of the sixties finally collapsed when it was discovered that government programs did not cure poverty or promote efficiency in the marketplace. Massive amounts of foreign aid did very little to enhance world prosperity and military intervention overseas often did not stabilize pro-Western regimes or make friends for the United States.

Now we are in the process of examining our past errors. The issues people seem most concerned about are too much government spending and regulation, inflation, and our eroding national defense.

These concerns are not confined to America but are worldwide. A Conservative government recently won in Great Britain with a pledge to reduce inflation and government spending but at the same time to maintain a strong national defense. A similar situation happened in Canada with the election of the Progressive-Conservative party. The Prime Minister-elect, Joe Clark, ran

on a platform of reducing inflation from 9.8% to 5%, using incentives to increase the economic growth rate, and to use financial incentives, not government regulations, to encourage production and conservation of energy. Certainly these are policies I support in this Country. In 1976 a Socialist government was defeated in Sweden after 44 years in power. Even in communist Yugoslavia they are experimenting with a decentralized economy based upon competition between separate business entities. A common denominator around the globe appears to be the desire for internal and international stability and an end to much of the social experimentation undertaken during the 1960's.

Certainly I am pleased that the world is beginning to move ever so slowly toward a more laissez-faire economic system based upon limited government intervention. There are many problems that the government cannot solve and must be lived with. Hopefully we are finally entering a time of reevaluating our own limitations and a realization that most problems are the responsibility of each individual to solve and not for a paternalistic bureaucracy located in a national capital.

ATTENDS SEMINAR

City Judge Louise Greene, accompanied by her husband, Billy, attended a seminar in El Paso June 1-2. The seminar was sponsored by the Texas Municipal Courts Association.

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Cases of eye and ear infections went hand in hand with summertime and school vacations back in the old days when the relatively few municipal swimming pools operated at peak levels.

While these bacteria-caused infections still exist in improperly operated pools, the swimming pool crush now is spread out among municipal pools, lake resorts, weekend homes, apartment pools, private pools and motel and hotel pools. The number of all pools in Texas is anyone's guess. Some estimates exceed 100,000.

With the advent of new pool cleaning chemicals, filters and disinfection equipment, sanitation of these thousands upon thousands of pools is an easier task.

The Texas Department of Health, now and in the past, has had a part in training operators of public pools — as well as private owners — in proper pool care.

The Department's General Sanitation Division is developing a program which can be used effectively in its 12 Public Health Regions. It will supplement and streamline programs currently being carried out both regionally and through City and County Health Departments.

The Houston City Health Department recently conducted such a school and has another scheduled June 2 for motel and hotel swimming pool operators in and around Houston.

The San Patricio and Nueces County Health Departments are cooperating to stage an operator's training school May 31 in Portland. Public Health Region 1 in Canyon has an ongoing program; Public Health Region 5 in Arlington conducts training in conjunction with water operators short schools; and other Regions are conducting or planning courses.

In addition, most big cities have pool inspection programs.

The courses, according to Jimmie D. Dickens, Director of the TDH General Sanitation Division

in Austin, cover several areas: legal aspects of swimming pool operations; algae control; water chemistry, filters and recirculating equipment; pool safety and premise sanitation.

"Overall purpose," said Dickens, "is the operation of public swimming pools in accordance with existing state statutes. Statutes require a minimum chlorine residual, that the water be of safe bacteriological quality, and that the pool not have an acidic water."

Chlorination and the acidic quality (pH) of the water are often confusing to people, said Dickens. "If you're swimming in a pool and your eyes burn, you normally think of chlorine. But this often isn't the case. It's usually caused by a low pH factor, or acid condition."

During pool inspections, water is tested for chlorine, and water samples may be collected for bacteriological analysis. The water clarity is also checked and the pool is observed for algae growth.

Roy G. Burton of the General Sanitation Division is developing the comprehensive training program for use by regional and local health department personnel. People who take the training course, normally of one-day duration, will receive a certificate.

Burton said proper sanitizing of pools will cut down on many health problems. Eye, ear, nose, throat and skin infections and even respiratory and intestinal diseases can be transmitted in improperly cared for pools, he said.

DINNER GUESTS

Homer Gordon was host to a dinner honoring Bobby Gordon and family of Oklahoma who were in Post holding a revival at the Justiceburg Baptist Church. Randy Gordon directed the music for his father. Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gordon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon and family.

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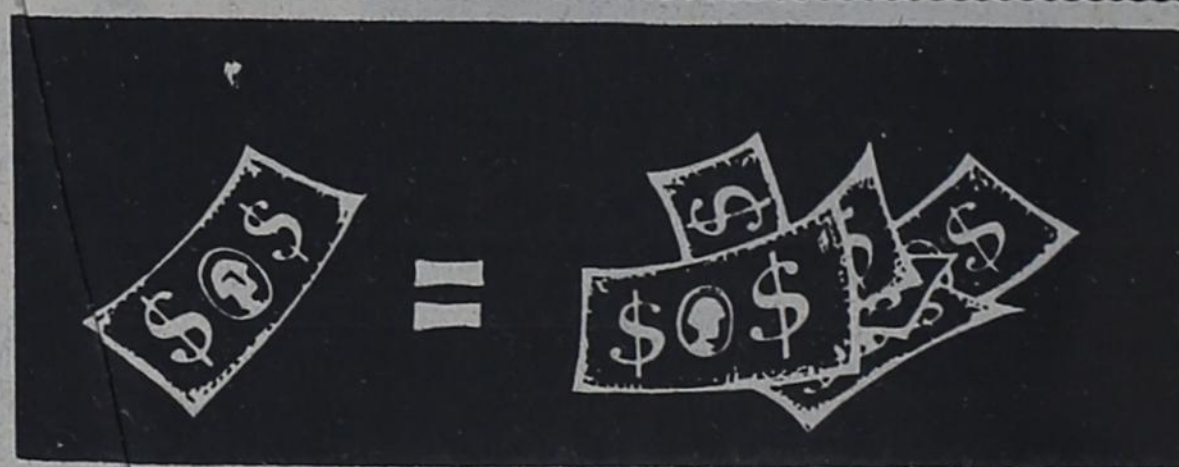
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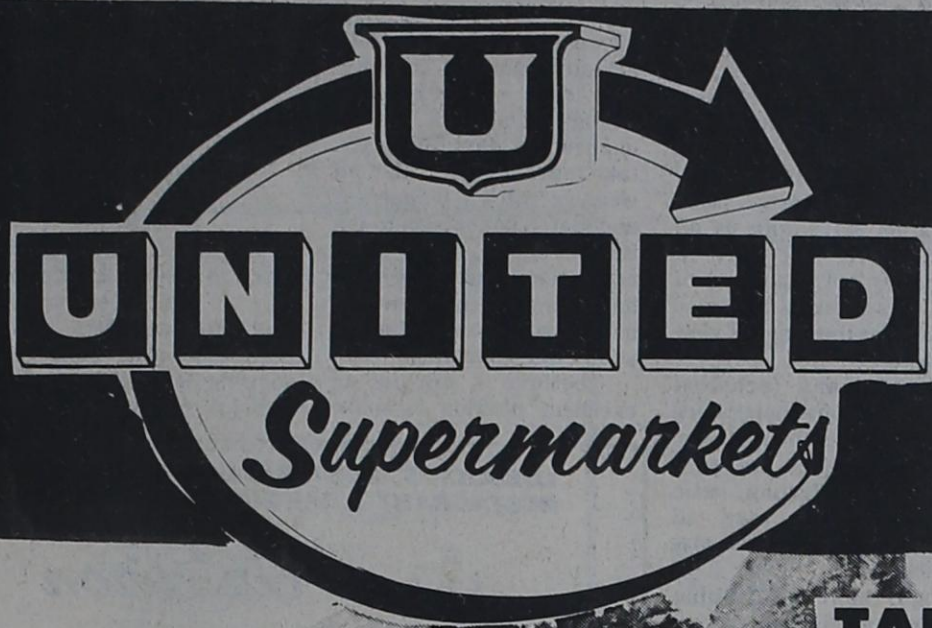
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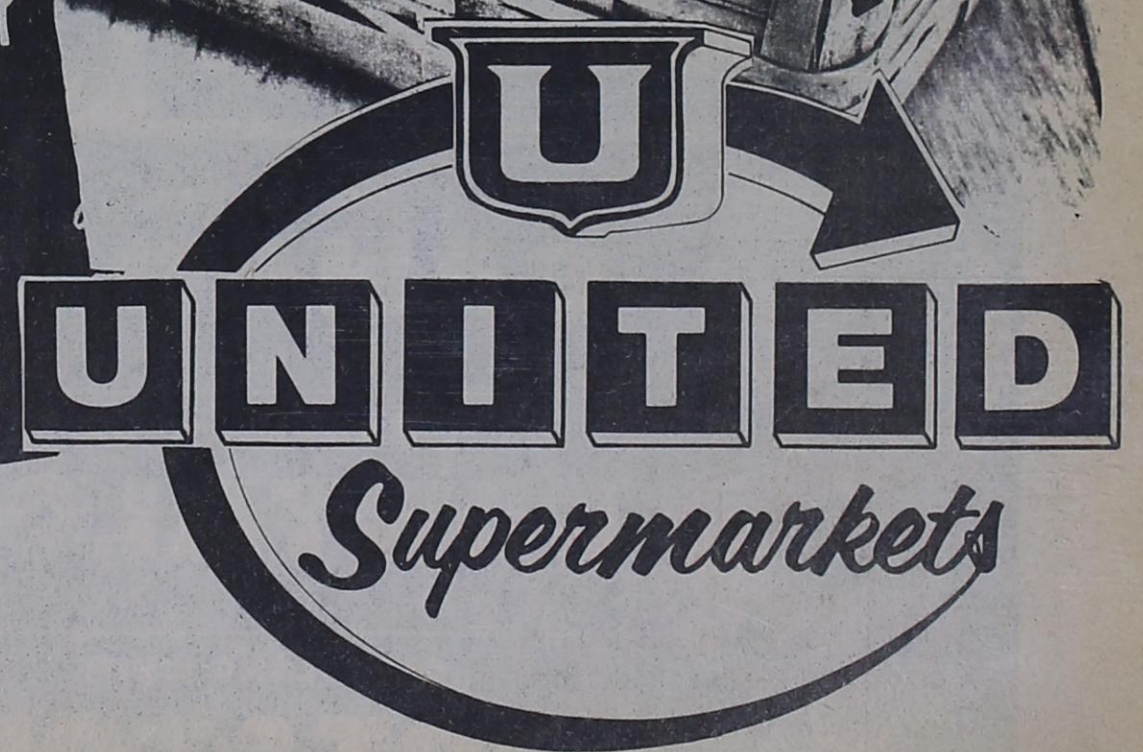
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LETTERS to the Editor

OPPOSES TRACK

DEAR EDITOR:
I am writing concerning the consideration by local citizens as to whether the Post Independent School District should purchase an all weather track. I receive the Post Dispatch and I get the impression that making this purchase decision has raised some questions over basic education. In the May 24th edition there were some statements and statistics under "Postings" which seemed to argue for such a purchase. I would like for anyone who reads this to hear what I have to say. First the statement, "We would say this is a good record and shows a lot of

kids are making it into higher educational status whether or not they can read or write," seems a bit awkward if not plain ridiculous. If this is some sort of figure of speech it still represents an idea. It is relatively easy for anyone with a desire to get into some form of further educational institution be it a college, nursing school, technical school, business or trade school. Some have higher entrance standards than others, but getting into any one of these does not mean that you have an excellent education. You must have a high school diploma, but it is only as good as you and your school

make it.
I personally have some weakness in grammar and spelling.
I must try hard to write good letters and technical papers which should not be so hard to write. I am an engineer and I have worked hard to be one. The Post school system has prepared me well, provided I had personal desire. But Post Schools are not as good as they should be. I wish Post could have the best system in the state. I have other educational weaknesses that can be traced to earlier years, but I do not have enough time to elaborate.
Students need good basic education. Providing funds for a new track and neglecting academics does not support good education. Athletics are important to a school in that it teaches you how to keep in shape, how to compete and work as a team



"It's just not the same as it was back in '49."

and many other benefits. I like sports, but I don't eat and breath sports. An all weather track is a school luxury and says to me that the school eats and breaths sports. It says that we have an excellent academic pro-

gram which needs no improvement. We put too much emphasis on our athletic budgets. Beating another school in games is a direct way we measure success and in the long run can only be written down in record books whereas basic education stays with us all of our lives not only in memories, but in our way of life. It's success is harder to see but it is there and is very important.

I read many technical papers and some papers are written worse than others. English mistakes are common and neglecting basic education can lead to mistakes in epidemic proportions.

I will have no trouble finding a good well paying job and this is so with other PHS graduates but this does not mean I don't have basic educational weaknesses.

It doesn't even rain enough in Post to warrant

such a track. For practical purposes you can't run on an all weather track when it is actually raining. The present track would dry soon enough. Only on a few unfortunate days could you take advantage of the all weather track's uniqueness and that is not enough to put its purchase over basic education. Bad judgement and following the Jones' is not advancement of further and better education.

I believe I am in an excellent position to make

this statement as only myself and other former students of recent years would be.

Respectfully,
Joe D. Craig
1974 PHS Graduate
1978 Texas Tech Graduate

VISITS SON

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams were in Levelland Wednesday of last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Williams and sons and viewing their new home they had just moved into.

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Boaters having no gas shortage

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"We have checked virtually all areas of Texas, and found none to be experiencing a shortage of gas supplies," said Tom Nelms, president of the boating association. "We've had some service stations close down on weekends, but we don't anticipate that we're going to have a gasoline shortage similar to the one that's occurring in other parts of the country," Nelms continued.

The predicted gasoline shortage seems to have little effect upon boat purchases as the normal increase of boat registrations continues with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. An increase of 9.3 percent is being tabulated by the registration division each year for the last ten years. As of March, 1979, there were 531,781 boats registered in Texas by the



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The closures of many service stations on weekends will require careful planning by boat owners so they can find gasoline. Nearly 75 percent of boating takes place on weekends and the P&WD suggests Texas boaters travel or cross the major highways where service stations are normally open seven days a week. It is expected that more local boating trips to area lakes will be made this summer and fewer long hauls to far-away reservoirs will be planned.

Public Notice

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
TO: JESSE EUGENE HARDY
GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Petitioner's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 23rd day of July, A.D., 1979, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable District Court of Garza County, at the Court House in Post, Texas.

Said Petitioner petition was filed on the 22nd day of February, 1979. The file number of said suit being

No. 3422.
The names of the parties in said suit are:
Sharon Sue Hardy as Petitioner, and Jesse Eugene Hardy as Respondent.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: **SUIT FOR DIVORCE.**

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Issued this 5th day of June, A.D., 1979.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Post, Texas, this 5th day of June A.D., 1979.

Carl Cederholm
Clerk
Court: Garza County, Texas
By Joy Orr, Deputy
4tc 6-7

Quanah man to fill pulpit

Bill Carpenter of Quanah will preach Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian Church.

Carpenter, who owns farm implement companies in Vernon and Quanah, served as the 1978 Moderator of Palo Duro Union Presbytery.

Tom Pass, local pastor and 1979 Moderator of Palo Duro Union Presbytery will be in Bartlesville, Ok., Sunday morning for the ordination of the new Presbyterian minister in Perryton.

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Dodgers romp away in Little Loop

Unbeaten club four in front

Manager John Valdez's First National Bank Dodgers continued to romp undefeated through Post Little League opposition for their third week in a row. They scored three easy victories this past week, opening up a four-game lead, and none of the scores were even close as they plated 35 runs to only 8 for their combined opposition.

To show you how far the other five teams are behind, last week's last place Post Fire Department Cardinals climbed clear up into second place with two victories over the George R. Brown Red Sox.

The losses dropped the Red Sox from fifth into the cellar.

The league got its first postponements over the weekend with rain washing out the Friday and Monday night doubleheaders. One of the Friday night postponements was made up Saturday night, however, as the single game was converted into a doubleheader. The Dodgers got seven hits including a homerun by Greg Massey, to defeat the Tigers 10 to 2 last Thursday night as Pitcher Javier Valdez limited the Tigers to two hits and shut them out until the fifth.

Shortstop Sammy Basquez got two singles and a double in four trips to the plate for the winners. Valdez had a 9-0 lead going into the fifth before giving up a hit and a run in each of the last two innings.

A seven-run second was all the Dodgers needed to subdue the Palmer Oil Field Construction A's Saturday night for an 8-3 triumph.

After going down in order in the first, the Dodgers sent 12 batters to the plate in the second to tally seven times on five straight hits, and a pair of walks.

Pitcher Tommy Basquez shut out the A's except in the fourth when a pair of walks and a single by Mike Ollison produced all three of the A's runs. Basquez limited the A's to three hits while the Dodgers got eight hits.

Paul Perez, Sammy Basquez and Tommy Basquez each got a pair of hits for the winners in three trips.

The Dodgers' 17 to 3 win over the Yankees Tuesday night was the most one-sided of all. The Dodgers got 10 hits in that one to score in four of the five innings with clusters of six in the first and eight in the third.

Paul Perez had the big stick in that one with three hits in four trips.

Javier Valdez was the winning pitcher in this one as he struck out 12 of the 21 batters he faced and gave up only two hits, both coming in the fourth when the Yankees plated their three runs on a hit batsman, a single by Danny Storie, a walk, and a double by Simon Salinas, the starting pitcher for the Yankees.

The Cardinals came up with plenty of runs in their two victories over the Red Sox. They got 13 in their 13 to 4 win Saturday night and 16 Tuesday night in their 16 to 15 triumph.

In the first one, Keith Craig shut out the Red Sox until the final inning when the Sox got all four of their runs. Craig scattered four hits for the game while hits mates were piling up a 12-0 advantage on seven timely hits.

Kenneth Gill and Benny Hair led the winners' attack with a pair of hits each.

In the 16 to 15 win Tuesday night, the Cardinals came from behind in the bottom of the sixth to score three runs with Robert Gill stroking the inning's only hit to drive in the winning run with one away. Two Red Sox errors enabled the winners to get the winning rally going.

It was a rather loosely played affair with the Sox getting 15 runs on only four hits, and the Cards 16 on eight hits.

Keith Craig with two singles and a double as the Cardinal leadoff was the only player on either team

to get more than one hit. The other game of the week — the A's 4 to 2 win over the Yankees — saw each team manage five hits last Thursday night.

The A's got two in the first and added single runs in the third and fifth as Tracy Price collected two doubles and scored twice.

Simon Salinas smacked a triple to drive in the Yankees second run.

LL STANDINGS			
	W	L	Pct.
Dodgers	7	0	1.000
Cardinals	3	4	.556
Tigers	3	3	.500
A's	3	3	.500
Yankees	2	4	.333
Red Sox	1	5	.167

RESULTS
May 31: A's 4, Yankees 2; Dodgers 10, Tigers 2.
June 1: Yankees vs. Red Sox, postponed rain.
June 2: Dodgers 8, A's 3; Cardinals 12, Red Sox 4.
June 4: Red Sox vs. Dodgers, and Cardinals vs. Tigers, postponed by rain.
June 5: Cardinals 16, Red Sox 15, Dodgers 17, Yankees 3.

SCHEDULE
June 7: Dodgers vs. Tigers, A's vs. Red Sox.
June 8: A's vs. Tigers, Yankees vs. Cardinals.
June 9: A's vs. Yankees.
June 11: Yankees vs. Dodgers, Cardinals vs. A's.
June 12: A's vs. Tigers, Cardinals vs. Red Sox.

CB club busy on jamboree
The local CB club met Sunday, June 3 at the bank community room for their monthly meeting. Assignments were given to members for the upcoming big CB Jamboree to be held here August 18-19. The club has been working on the affair for the past four months. Barbara Torres received her membership card and was taken in as a new member. Refreshments were served to the following: Robert and Marie Bartlett and children, Jake and Mary Baldree and children, Larry and Roseann Ford and children, John B. Guthrie, Barbara Torres and daughter, A.D. and Carolyn Halford, James F. and Dora Halford and Leslie and Edna Seals.

ANNOUNCEMENT: For those of you that had your picture made at the Junior-Senior Banquet, you may pick up your pictures at the high school office Thursday (today) morning and Friday morning. Ruth Ann Young or Mrs. Sawyers will be there to help you.

And for all you anxious people, the report cards are also here (if you want to pick them up). I owe Jarita Norman an apology. She told me in April not to forget her birthday in May. Well here it is in June and sure enough, I forgot. So belated Happy Birthday Jarita.

Talked to Brad Mason yesterday and the most exciting thing for him this summer was acquiring a new pickup. Pretty, white ??????

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Braves pop into lead as Babe Ruth opens

The three-team Post Babe Ruth League opened its 1979 schedule Tuesday night with the Braves romping to a 13 to 2 triumph over the Indians. His offensive contributions included a first inning

TEEN SCENE By Norm

A week has come and gone since the end of school and most of you have acquired a few calluses around the ole palms. But never fear, they'll harden with the remainder of the summer.

The swimming pool finally got to open Sunday and had a large crowd on hand. Most were just looking, but then again, a lot were swimming. Those that were, turned a nice shade of blue when getting out. I think the water temperature tested around 50 degrees.

What with all the rain we've had this past week. I assume most of the farmers are happy. But the kids living in those rural areas have been heard to say "they hope it never dries up." Why? So they don't have to get back on the tractors!

Barry Morris said it rained so much at his house, they had a lake close behind the house, so he had been taking the boat out every day. If you believe that, you're a bigger fool than I am (cause at first I believed him.)

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2 games in minor loop

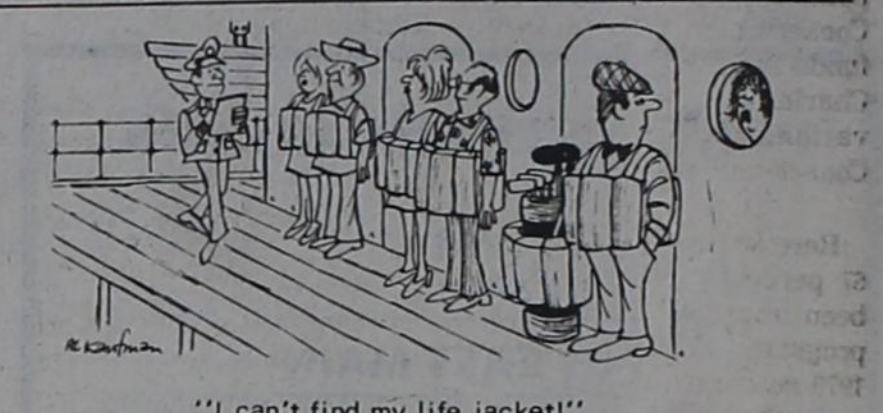
With two games rained out last Friday and Monday the Minor League has only two games played for the week with the Rangers defeating the Dodgers 18 to 4 in last Thursday's action and the Mets smothering the Colts 14 to 6 in Tuesday night's game.

In the Rangers action, Kent Ammons hit a home-run for the winning team in the third inning with Johnny Torres as the winning pitcher.

Two homeruns were hit in Tuesday night's game with Trey Jones slamming one for the Mets and Lex Dunn one for the Colts.

Jones and Keith Peel shared the mound duties for the Mets with Junior Armandariz and Dale Gonzales on the losing side for the Colts.

The league's next game will be Thursday (tonight) at 7 p. m.



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Soil funding is possible

Updated reports indicate a possibility of Great Plains Conservation Program funds for 1980, according to Charles Morris, soil conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service.

Here in Garza County over 67 percent of the land has been improved through this program. During 1978 and 1979 no contracts have been written here in Garza County due to lack of funds. However, the situation may be improving.

The local Soil Conservation Service has been given permission to begin writing new GPCP contracts. Funding for new contracts is still in question but if Garza County farmers or ranchers who wish to participate have their contracts already prepared and waiting for funds their chance of receiving needed cash-share is greatly enhanced.

For further information contact the Soil Conservation Service here in Post.

VISIT IN LUBBOCK
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams visited with David McBride last Saturday night. David lives in Lubbock.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Besides approving a multitude of other bills on the very last day of the 66th session, the Texas Legislature also finally agreed on a state budget, a school finance plan and tax relief legislation.

Hurriedly pumping out minor bills and putting the finishing touches on major legislation on the 140th and final day of the session is the traditional way of doing things for the Texas Legislature.

The 66th session was no different.

On the way to the last 24 hours of lawmaking, legislators had been sidetracked by such nagging matters as a presidential primary, alterations to the consumer protection act and a change in the usury ceiling.

But with the presidential primary effectively killed by the flight of the "Killer Bees" in the Senate, and with changes in the consumer protection act already passed, and with the usury ceiling upped to a maximum of 12 percent, law-

makers spent the final day of the session working on the budget, agreeing on the final details of how public schools would be financed and approving legislation to implement the tax relief amendment passed by voters last November.

The state budget for 1980-81 passed by both Houses after some expected haggling over different provisions of the plan would cost \$20.7 billion. That's a 19 percent increase over the last two-year spending plan the Legislature drew up in 1977 during the 65th session.

When you consider that inflation, it appears lawmakers succeeded in keeping spending levels as low as was humanly possible.

But, the \$20.7 billion budget passed on to Gov. Bill Clements for his signature is \$1 billion higher than what he suggested to the Legislature in his budget message earlier in the session. Clements wanted to return an additional \$1 billion to taxpayers.

Indications are that Clements will approve the spending plan, although some Capitol observers warn that the governor might end up approving one year of the biennial spending draft and then call lawmakers back for a special session to write another one-year budget for the last year of the biennium.

But the special session the governor has said he will call will probably deal with another of his legislative goals—initiative and referendum. The House came close to passing "indirect" initiative and referendum rights for voters, and Clements, addressing the House on the final night of the session, warned lawmakers that he would be seeing them again sometime in the next two years in a special session on the subject.

Included in the state budget were 5.1 percent pay raises for state employees and a boost of 8.3 percent for Department of Public Safety troopers.

Teachers also got a 5.1 percent pay raise on top of

automatic step increases, bringing their pay hikes to 7-10 percent.

Last session, Sen. Oscar Mauzy of Dallas, chairman of the Senate Education Committee, found the school finance plan so objectionable he talked until the clock had run out, leaving lawmakers without a plan.

This time, Mauzy said he felt the Legislature had done a better job of "getting equalization aid to the poorer districts."

In the past, Mauzy claimed that the rich school districts were simply getting richer while the poorer ones were getting poorer.

"This is not a perfect bill," Mauzy told his fellow senators, "but it's a good bill that I wholeheartedly recommend to you in good faith."

The school finance package contains \$334 million new money for teacher pay, \$152 million for equalization to school districts and almost \$100 million in additional funds for the operation and maintenance of public schools.

Inseparable from the question of school finance is the matter of tax relief legislation. House Bill 1060, the measure to implement the constitutional amendment approved by voters, is expected to cost local school districts across the state almost \$384 million.

Homestead exemptions will be granted under the tax relief legislation for the elderly and the disabled. Family cars and household goods are also exempted. And farm and ranch land will be taxed on its productivity rather than its market value.

What legislators had to agree on was a plan to reimburse local school districts for the tax dollars they would be losing. House Bill 1060 contained \$200 million for reimbursement and the school finance plan ended up containing \$184 million for the same purpose.

But how that \$384 million set aside for reimbursement would be parceled out was another question. Lobbyist for the large metropolitan school districts—in most cases the richer districts—pushed for a minimum 45-cents per dollar reimbursement plan and got it. But, to use another example, Austin would be reimbursed 67-cents for every dollar lost because of mandated tax breaks.

Austin Sen. Lloyd Doggett said that the increased payments to the large school districts would mean a decrease in longevity pay for state employees.

And Sen. Bill Moore of Bryan labelled HB 1060 as "a fraud and a sham" because of the compromises made after heavy pressure was applied by lobbyists from Dallas and Houston.

But a representative of the Dallas school district was quick to point out that even with the reimbursement plan plus other state aid, DISD would fall \$4.5 million shy of its revenue needs.

And Dallas may not be the only school district that will be facing that same problem after tax relief legislation is put into effect.

That means of course that

Pork, poultry best market buys

COLLEGE STATION — Pork, poultry and fresh produce make budget buys at Texas grocery markets this week, according to Gwendolyn Clyatt, a consumer marketing information specialist.

Several other items "on special" appear in some markets, she adds.

Mrs. Clyatt is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

PORK — Pork features are frequent. Look for low prices on chops — center,

end and mixed chops, along with Boston butt roasts, loin roasts, fresh picnics and liver. Cured cuts at economical prices include boneless and semi-boneless hams, bacon and smoked picnics.

POULTRY — Specials appear on whole birds and mixed parts — and chicken livers. Also, eggs are a very economical protein food. One dozen large-size eggs for less than \$1 means a pound and a half of perfect protein food for under \$1.

FRESH FRUIT — Best buys are bananas, pineapple and strawberries. Naval oranges are fading out with quality lower than in past weeks. Limes are more plentiful just in time for summertime iced tea and fish delicacies.

First-of-the season peaches are available with relatively high prices.

Cantaloupe and honeydew melons have more attractive prices, but watermelon prices are not down to summertime levels yet.

FRESH VEGETABLES — Most economical buys include dry onions, snap beans, cabbage, corn, carrots, broccoli, cooking greens and soft-shell squash. Potato prices are a bit higher, but they're still a "best" value.

Dry Beans are also thrifty buys.

DAIRY — A few stores are advertising specials on whole milk, yogurt, cheese slices and cottage cheese.

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some programs will have to be cut back or new taxes will have to be levied. That led one Dallas school representative to say that he thought any new taxes that might have to be collected should be called the "Briscoe Tax," after former Gov. Dolph Briscoe who called a special session last summer to draw up tax relief legislation.

Critics charge that HB 1060 is not a tax relief measure but merely a shifting of the tax burden from local school districts to the state.

And those same critics point out that the average homeowner will probably only save \$40-\$50 in taxes in each of the next two years.

Andrea Johnson on WTSU roll

Andrea Johnson, junior generic special education major from Post, has been named to the President's Honor Roll at West Texas State University for the spring semester.

Students named to the President's Honor Roll have earned a semester grade point average of 3.85 or higher for a completed

ATTEND GRADUATION

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams were in Brownfield Thursday of last week for the commencement ceremonies of Leah McBride, granddaughter of Mrs. McBride, who was one of 145 graduates of Brownfield High School.

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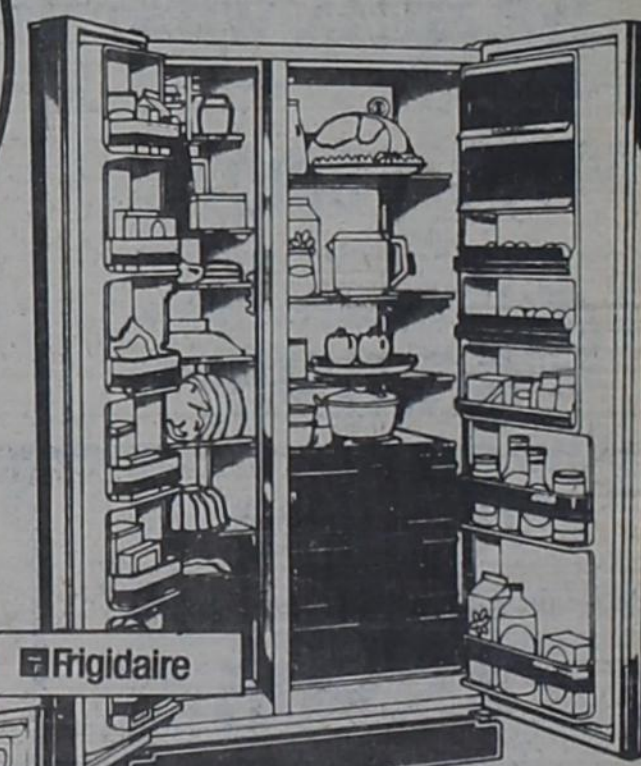
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Presbyterians get together

The two largest Presbyterian denominations in the country met together recently for the first time since they were divided by the issue of slavery in 1861. The United Presbyterian Church and the Presbyterian Church in the United States began their meetings in Kansas City, Mo., May 22, adjourning May 29.

Some 17,000 Presbyterians in the Lubbock, Abilene, Amarillo, Wichita Falls area took action eight years ago to become a "Union Presbyterian", and thus members of both denominations.

Commissioners from the PCUS (Southern) voted to continue a boycott of the Nestle Corporation because of the practice of marketing infant formula in Third World areas, leading to infant malnutrition in death because of improper use.

The United Presbyterian Church voted to join the boycott, criticizing the company's advertising claim that the "best thing you can do for your child is feed it formula." Lack of refrigeration and bad water, plus the need to use too little formula because of its expense, all contribute to the problem.

Tom Pass of Post led the delegation to the PCUS

Grain bill lost on final day

HEREFORD — "Senator Bob Price, State Senator from District 31, went against the advice of the farmers and aligned himself with the insurance-oriented Farm Bureau and the powerful Texas Grain and Feed Dealers Association to help kill the American Agriculture and Farmers Union backed Interstate Grain Compact bill, in the Texas Senate last week," reported American Agriculture spokesman, Ted Godfrey of Spearman. Senators Ray Farabas and E.L. Short, from the two districts joining Price's district, led the fight in support of the bill.

"The bill," said Godfrey, "would have allowed Texas to join with thirteen other grain producing states to look into marketing problems which have the effect of artificially depressing grain prices to the producers. For instance, box-

cars seem to disappear at critical times resulting in grain supplies backing up at county elevators and causing prices to drop. We also would like to know why wheat farmers are forced to sell American Wheat at \$3.00 per bushel," Godfrey continued.

"We feel that representatives in the grain producing states should be much more interested in seeking answers to these problems than our urban controlled Federal government," Godfrey said.

Lobbying efforts by those in opposition to the bill delayed its movement through the legislature until it was necessary to suspend the rules of the Senate to take up consideration and debate. The Senate voted not to suspend the rules, having the effect of killing the bill until the next session.

However, the American Agriculture Movement was successful in leading the battle for Gasohol legislation which will legalize the manufacture of grain alcohol for use as a fuel, as well as helping pass the Farm Security Credit Act, which will help young people to enter the farming business.

"The delaying tactics by the Senators during the last few hours of the session were very disappointing," Godfrey said. "For instance, they spent much time discussing the removal of spittoons from rail cars, and establishing the lowly armadillo as the official state animal, then gave the excuse 'lack of time' for not considering the grain producers marketing problems."

General Assembly, which was attended by ecumenical delegates from ten denominations, such as the Southern Baptist Convention.

The first opera house was opened in Venice in 1637.



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COTTON TODAY

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IMPROVED OUTLOOK SEEN: Cotton's economic outlook has improved considerably in recent months, according to reports at the National Cotton Council's spring board meeting. Prospects now point to an 18-year high in exports and a strong finish in domestic consumption. Total export commitments could well exceed seven million bales before the season's end. If actual shipments continue at the same pace they averaged over the past ten weeks, the season's exports would top USDA 6.3-million bale estimate by about 100,000 bales — highest level since 1960-61.

NCC economists believe domestic consumption may reach 6.4 million bales this season despite disappointing rates in February and April caused by mill shutdowns due to snow and holidays.

Factors behind the assessment are: 1. a healthy, sold-ahead situation on cotton fabrics, 2. an improvement in the cotton textile trade balance, 3. a better competitive price situation, 4. the possibility of man-made fiber feedstock shortages and curtailed fiber shipments, and 5. encouraging mill reports concerning current and prospective levels of cotton consumption.

GIN STANDARD STAYED: A federal court in New Orleans has granted a stay of the cotton dust standard for the ginning industry. The action delays implementation of the medical surveillance and respirator requirements and halts enforcement action pending the court decision on merits of the case. National Cotton Council President Hoke Leggett said the action was "timely" since the ginning season is only weeks away in some areas of the Belt. "The medical surveillance and respirator requirements were due Sept. 4. Now gins will not face the impossible task of having to comply with these burdensome requirements this season," he added. He also said the stay serves the interest of gin owners and workers alike, pointing out that workers have not been shown to have

any more respiratory problems than the general population. Leggett noted that the court action followed challenges to the standard filed by ginning organizations across the Belt and commended leadership of these groups for their efforts.

EXPORTS CONTINUE: Exports of 122,000 running bales during the week which ended May 20 brought the season's total to 4,783,900, compared with 4,097,500 a year ago. The week's new sales of 40,800 running bales pushed the total commitments for the current marketing year to 6,753,600, compared with 6,385,800 a year ago. New sales of 81,900 running bales for 1979-80 delivery brought the total to 1,471,300 thus far. The major buyers were Japan, Taiwan, Korea, and Hong Kong.

COTTON YESTERDAY — The boll weevil entered the United States from Mexico in 1892 and soon ate its way eastward across the Cotton Belt.

3 on WTC honor rolls

SNYDER — Three students from Post, Carita Dianna Wood, Ricky Nelson and Brenda Kay Worsham, have been named to honors list for the 1979 spring semester at Western Texas College.

Ms. Wood was among 25 students who qualified for the President's List. This list is composed of students who have a grade point average of 4.0 (A) while carrying at least 15 hours of college credit work exclusive of physical education. Nelson was on the Dean's List, made up of students enrolled for at least 12 hours of college credit work with a grade point average of 3.5 or more. Ms. Worsham was named to the Merit List, composed of students enrolled for at least eight but fewer than 12 hours of college credit work with a grade point average of at least 3.5.

Some have believed eating powdered jade would make them impervious to heat and cold.

Housing shortage growing problem

COLLEGE STATION — Many Texas communities are faced with a shortage of adequate housing and this dilemma will continue to grow unless positive action is taken.

Dr. Fred Cross with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Stephenville suggests that community leaders and officials plan for realistic and orderly housing growth. And the Extension Service has prepared materials that can be used to systematically study, evaluate and act upon the community's current and projected housing situation.

"Housing needs will continue to grow as Texas' population increases," notes Cross, a community resource development specialist. He points to a recent study by the Texas Real Estate Center which reported that the state's population grew by 853,000 people from April 1, 1970 to July 1, 1974. This rate of growth — 7.6 percent — is almost twice that of the national rate and virtually assures an increase in Texas population of more than two million people during the 1970-80 period.

Where will all these people find quality housing at a reasonable cost?

"The materials we have prepared, including a housing manual, should help community leaders cope with this situation," says Cross.

"A fundamental assumption in preparation and use of the manual is that local collective action is necessary to insure a realistic assessment of what housing the community has, what it wants to have, and what it can have in the future," he

points out. "Without a concerted effort by a broadly representative body of local community leaders, any housing action plan or development goal is subject to disappointment or failure." Cross contends.

Further information on this new housing educational program is available from any county Extension office.

ATTENDS MEMORIAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Windham and granddaughter, Reitha Roxanna Smitley returned last Thursday following a trip to Emory where they attended a memorial service at Turner Cemetery Sunday, May 28. Mr. Windham has several relatives buried there. While in Emory they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cobb, former Post residents and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Garner. En route home, they visited in Marlow, Oklahoma with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Curtis and children.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Those admitted to Garza Memorial Hospital this past week includes:

Lupe Perez, medical
Arthur Lara, medical
Janette Ticer, medical
Stella Walden, medical
Annie Faye Walker, OB
James Porter, medical
Anna Gray, medical
Cory Long, pediatric
Mary D. Tillman, medical
Troy Gilmore, medical
Grace Vargas, OB
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DAUGHTER VISITS

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No. 7, nice, was \$4895

\$4,595

'74 PONTIAC

No. 152, good car, was \$1495

\$1,195

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No. 165, WAS \$3,195

\$2,795

'78 BRONCO 4 x 4

No. 257, Nice unit, Was \$8595

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Plan beef barbecue for Father's Day on June 17

Father's Day has certainly grown into one of our country's most cherished traditions since the idea was first conceived by a Spokane, Wash., woman almost 70 years ago.

While attempts had often been made to secure recognition for fathers, it wasn't until Calvin Coolidge recommended a national observance day in 1924 that

Father's Day emerged. Its position among national holidays was confirmed by the signing of a Father's Day bill by Richard Nixon in 1972.

The tradition of serving beef for Father's Day has had a similar rise to

national recognition. It began in 1953 when Mrs. Thomas C. Currier of Grand Junction, Colo., urged the Plateau Valley CowBelles to begin promoting beef as an ideal Father's Day dish.

In 1955, the CowBelles (the women's auxiliary of the National Cattlemen's Association) extended their Beef for Father's Day program nationally and in 1962 joined efforts with the National Live Stock and Meat Board's Beef Industry Council.

Together, the two groups work with retailers and the various national and local cattlemen's organizations to establish good-tasting, nutritious beef as the food to serve dad on his special day. In fact, beef has been endorsed as the official Father's Day entree by the Father's Day Council.

This year, the CowBelles' effort is spearheaded by Mrs. Ruth Ball of Amarillo, Tex., and she says beef for Father's Day makes sense for so many good reasons.

"Beef is the right meat for so many sound reasons, and good taste is but one," she said. "Besides, being a versatile food, beef is also one of the most complete nutrition packages in nature. It includes high quality protein, essential minerals and vitamins like iron and vitamin B-12. It tastes good and it's good for you. That's important to people today."

The Ball family plans to carry out a Father's Day tradition with a backyard barbecue featuring Texas-size steaks in dad's honor.

"This makes Father's Day a special day for everyone," Mrs. Ball added.

Cotton Talks Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

LUBBOCK — Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., was chosen as the cotton producer representative on a six-man team that left San Francisco June 2 for a three-week cotton trade mission to the Philippines, Indonesia, Thailand, and Bangladesh and India.

The five countries in 1977-78 provided markets for an estimated one million bales of U.S. cotton, three-fourths of which was in grades and staples common to High Plains production.

The mission is financed jointly by Cotton Council International (CCI) and the Foreign Agricultural Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Consultations are scheduled in the various countries with cotton agents, importers, merchants, representatives of cotton spinning mills, government officials and others.

Sending trade teams to significant cotton importing countries is one of CCI's many market development activities that help maintain and expand U.S. raw cotton exports.

Officially Johnson is representative of the Cotton Producer Steering Committee of the National Cotton Council, CCI's parent organization.

Representing the American Cotton Shippers Association are Eduardo Esteve of Esteve Cotton Company, Dallas, and Samuel Reeves of Dunavant Enterprises, Fresno, California. Albert (Bert) Kyle of Lubbock's Plains Cotton Cooperative Association represents cooperatives on the team.

From USDA is Ed Deariso of the Cotton and Tobacco Division, Washington. CCI Special Projects Manager Carl Campbell is representing that organization.

The trade team's overall objectives, as described by Dave Hull, executive Director of CCI, include:

Update cotton customers and potential customers on current availability of U.S. cotton and the outlook for exportable supplies in 1979-80.

Discuss U.S. cotton's marketing opportunities and problems; Emphasize U.S. cotton's advantages, including credit programs and the wide range of qualities and staple lengths available, as well as the dependability of U.S. exports; and

Reconfirm the industry's recognition and appreciation of each country as a major customer of U.S. cotton and the industry's determination to continue to serve that market as a dependable supplier of quality fiber.

The group's return to the U.S. is scheduled June 21.

Irrigation rates hiked

The Pioneer Natural Gas Co. is raising their irrigation gas service rates on an average of 10.6 percent effective July 1 but this will have practically no effect in Garza County.

Post in the only town on the Pioneer system without a single irrigation gas connection and the Slaton office doesn't have but may be two or three in the Southland area.

Pioneer was granted a 20 percent increase in its general service rate in February.

Irrigation wells in Garza County have mostly been converted to electricity over the years.

The last time Pioneer increased its irrigation rate was in 1971 and in a letter to irrigation users K.B. Watson, president of the firm, said last week that since that date the consumer price index has increased 70 percent due to inflation.

VISITS DAUGHTER
Mrs. Anna Sinclair visited seven days in Colorado Springs, Colo., with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Bates and sons recently. She reported to have enjoyed her first plane ride and the country

Twin Cedars Nursing Home News

By DARLA DAVIS

Sunday services this week were brought to us by the First United Methodist Church with Rev. Don Travis officiating. Cookies and punch were served by the church members and enjoyed by the residents. Next week's service will be brought to us by the First Baptist Church with Rev. Glenn Reece officiating.

Jo Ella Sparlin, Dink Boren and Macey Johnston from the VFW Ladies Auxiliary came Tuesday and gave all the residents a party serving pumpkin bread and punch. This was appreciated tremendously.

Visitors this week were Marilyn, Lisa, Amy and Cari Verhalen, Hilary Williams, Fern Strange, Patricia Hale, Myrl and Walter Mathis, Leon Clary, Mary Fumagalli, Zora Robinson, Inez Grantham, Verna Roberts, Roberta Herron, C.A. and Lucille Walker, Ione Hughes, Paul Sherill, Lois Rosenbaum, Imogene Rosenbaum, Mary Caywood, Mrs. Ethel Redman and Delores Redman.

We have a new lady with

TWO WEEK VISIT

Mrs. Joe Callis returned home Sunday following a two week trip. She spent 10 days in Temple visiting her great-granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Hill and four days in Stamford with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Eckols and her sister, Mrs. J.M. Owens. She returned home with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Catheart following their visit with the Eckols and Mrs. Owen.

us this week. She is Henrietta Nichols. We are glad to have her with us.

Mrs. Jessie Roberts is back with us from her stay in the hospital. We are glad to have her back, we all missed her so much while she was away.

Until next week....

Happy 36th Mom!
Love,
Tonie Marie

Family tree workshop set

Pioneers, Patriots, or Horse Thieves? From which are you descended?

Come to the "Family Tree Climbing" workshop and learn how to search for your ancestors. Charles M. Hall is the workshop instructor.

After a twelve-year tenure teaching French, German and Russian at Columbia Basin College in Pasco, Washington, Mr. Hall became a professional genealogist in 1972. His language abilities enable him to work in the Scandinavian and Germanic areas as well as research in the United States.

The workshop is being held June 9 at the Kent County Community Center (located in the square) in Jayton, Texas. The workshop will begin at 10 a.m. and end at 5 p.m. Registration will be at \$3.00 and lunch will be available for \$2.00. The workshop is being sponsored by the Kent County Genealogical and Historical Society.

Rural energy office asked

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Congressman Charles W. Stenholm has joined fellow members of the Congressional Rural Caucus in requesting the President to establish an Office of Rural Affairs within the Department of Energy.

It is their belief that this office is needed to identify problems and needs, formulate and implement appropriate solutions, and to maintain a constant follow-up for agriculture, energy production, and related resource matters in small cities, towns, and rural areas.

The proposed Office of Rural Affairs should be the top level of the Department of Energy to assure that rural areas receive adequate supplies of energy at critical times. If energy needs are not satisfied at the right time then food and energy production are affected, farm losses occur and people in the cities and rural areas suffer from losses of production and, eventually, possible shortages of food and more severe energy shortages.

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Dozen on A roll for 3rd quarter

Twelve students were listed on Post High School's all A honor roll for the third and final quarter of the school year, according to an announcement from the high school office Wednesday.

Forty-two others were named on the A-B roll for the quarter.

On the A roll were Karen Clary, Kevin Craig, Beth Elliott, Belinda Fluitt, Donna George, Holly Giddens, Nita Jo Gunn, Brent Mason, Kerri Pool, Tammy Reece, Melissa Tatum, and Debbie Tyler.

The A-B roll includes Deann Ammons, Randy

Ammons, Amy Ault, Lea Ann Babb, Cindy Basquez, Donna Baumann, Ronnie Bilbo, Jennifer Bishop, Kathryn Bullard, Rex Cash, Lisa Cowdrey, and Patricia Craig.

Karen Davis, Leanna Davis, Theresa Davis, Lenie Drake, Lana Dunn, Mike Dye, Tammie Eckols, Luann Kennedy, Drew Kirkpatrick, Joe Lofton, Trushell Marts, Kelly Mason, Donna Massey, Patti McClellan, Johnny Morrow;

Donna Nelson, Meg Nelson, David Poole, Dale Redman, Darrell Reece, Pam Riley, Larisa Shiver, Lynn Simpson, Susan Strawn, Teri Taylor, Cindy Terry, Amy Thuett, Jolene Torres, Leslie Willard and Melodie Willson.

Seventeen were listed on the A honor roll for the second six weeks of the quarter and 43 on the A-B honor roll.

The A roll includes Karen Clary, Kevin Craig, Mike Dye, Beth Elliott, Belinda Fluitt, Donna George, Holly Giddens, Nita Jo Gunn, Trushell Marts, Brent Mason, Patti McClellan, Kerri Pool, Pam Riley, Melissa Tatum, Teri Taylor, Amy Thuett and Debbie Tyler.

The six weeks A-B roll includes Deann Ammons, Randy Ammons, Amy Ault, Amy Babb, Dana Babb, Lea Ann Babb, Donna Baumann, Kelly Baumann, Ronnie Bilbo, Dana Bird, Jennifer Bishop, Kathryn Bullard, Rex Cash, Bryan Compton, Lisa Cowdrey and Patricia Craig.

Also Karen Davis, Leanna Davis, Theresa Davis, Lenie Drake, Lana Dunn, Tammie Eckols, Luann Kennedy, Drew Kirkpatrick, Joe Lofton, Jeff Lott, Kelly Mason, Johnny Morrow; Also Meg Nelson, David Poole, Ramon Raymundo, Dale Redman, Darrell Reece, Tammy Reece, Susan Sawyers, Larisa Shiver, Lynn Simpson, Susan Strawn, Bryan Taylor, Cindy Terry, Jolene Torres, Leslie Willard and Melodie Willson.

954 books read in May

The Post Public Library enjoyed considerably more patron use during May than in any other month of 1979, according to the monthly report of Librarian Pee Wee Pierce.

The report showed 954 books checked out for the year to bring the five month 1979 total to 3,608 volumes. This included 637 adult and 317 juvenile books.

Twenty-two new books were added to library shelves for the month to bring 1979 acquisitions to 13,219 books.

Fifty-nine attended film strip showings in the library in May and 39 youngsters attended four story hours held.

Fines, book sales, and donations for the month totaled \$15.50 to bring the miscellaneous income total for the year to \$130.56.

July 28 is wedding date

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Terry announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their son, Mark, to Joy Basinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Basinger.

The couple have set July 28 as their wedding date.



FOREIGN PHRASES MADE EASY! A major breakthrough in computer technology, Lexicon Corporation's LK-3000, is a hand-held language conversion computer. The unit and its attendant modules can translate English into German, French, Italian, Spanish and Portuguese and vice versa.

Hand-held computer aids communication

Have you ever been in a foreign country, wandering aimlessly trying to find a good place to eat, dictionary in hand?

Have you wondered why, in this day and age, someone can't invent a way to make language conversion easier? Well, the time has come.

Lexicon Corporation, a Miami-based electronics firm, has introduced the first hand-held computer designed to translate foreign languages.

The LK-3000 operates with pre-programmed modules that will translate English into Spanish, French, Italian, German and Portuguese and vice versa.

The LK-3000 will not make you instantly fluent in another language, but it will enable you to communicate in that language. It can make communication a lot easier, whether you're in a taxi in Rome or in an Italian restaurant in Buffalo.

No more fumbling with a dictionary. Let your fingers do the talking.

For example, if you are looking for directions to the airport, you can type the word, phrase or sentence on the keyboard and it will appear on the screen in Italian or vice versa.

If you cannot pronounce the words, you can simply show the screen to the taxi driver and he will know where you want to go.

The LK-3000 is programmed with a vocabulary of words and phrases designed for everyday use by a traveler.

Since the nuances of a language are practically infinite and the capacity of a micro-

processor large but limited, you will need to keep your grammar as simple as possible.

The main thing to remember is not to be discouraged if you have trouble with a translation. Simplify your thoughts, rephrase and enter them again. You will be surprised how many different ways there are to express the same thought.

For your convenience, the LK-3000 comes complete with a carrying case with room for the unit and two modules, and an adaptor/charger capable of operating the unit on 100 volts 60HZ or 220 volts 50HZ, and rechargeable Ni-Cad batteries.

It is available at major department stores across the country.

The vocabulary on all modules is now supplied by the Translation and English Language Center at Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh, Pa.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

At Community Center

Rotary Club meets every Tuesday at noon.

June 8 - Fellowship of Christian Men Dinner.

June 15 - Dinner.

June 16-17 - Family Reunion.

June 23 - 1969 Class Reunion.

June 24 - Family Reunion.

June 28 - 4-H Dress Review.

June 30 - Birthday Party. Exercise class each Monday morning from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m.

Historic, scenic New Mexico is enchanted and enthralling

New Mexico is a magical, enchanted place... a land of dramatic contrasts, starkly splendid rock formations, looming mountains of spectacular beauty.

It is also a historic center, located in the culture-rich Southwest. It boasts, among its plethora of natural and man-made treasures, the oldest public building in America (the Palace of the Governors in Santa Fe); many reminders of the Spanish explorers who forged their way through unknown lands rife with dangers they could not name, along paths previously untrodden by the European; and, of course, numerous pueblos, inhabited today by New Mexico's Indians, where life is lived with careful attention to the age-old traditions which enrich it immeasurably.

Santa Fe is located at the heart of Indian country, surrounded by majestic mountains. The narrow streets of the town are lined with adobe houses whose mute, sun-drenched exteriors conceal shady patios whose architectural style reflects the Spanish heritage of the area.

The center of town is the Plaza which is dominated by the Palace of the Governors, once the end of both the Santa Fe Trail from Missouri and the Camino Real from Mexico.

Taos, an art colony since

1898, lies to the north of Santa Fe. It is a bustling town whose quaint streets are lined with fascinating art galleries.

Two miles outside the town is Taos Pueblo, which is divided by the Taos River into the North and South Pueblos.

Handicrafts produced by the Taos Indians, many of which are collectors' items,

include fired pottery, wood carvings, silverwork, painting and beautiful rabbit fur rugs.

For further information on New Mexico, contact the State of New Mexico Commerce and Industry Dept., Tourism and Travel Division, Dept. M, Bataan Memorial Building, Santa Fe NM 87503.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vargas of Spur announce the birth of a son, Andrew Vargas Jr. born in Garza Memorial Hospital June 4 at 10:16 p.m. He weighed 5 lbs., 14 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Gill are proud to announce the birth of a son, Jason Kane Gill, weighing 8 lbs, 12 1/2 ozs. He was born May 29 at 7:05 a.m. in Garza Memorial Hospital.

Brandon and Russell Allen Bird announce the arrival of their sister, Talina Kay, born Thursday, May 31 at 11:36 a. m. in Lubbock's West Texas Hospital weighing 8 lbs., 7 ozs. Parents of the children are Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bird and grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bird.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pennell announce the birth of a son, Seth Michlin, born May 17 in Lubbock's West Texas Hospital weighing 7 lbs., 7 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tongate of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Tipton of Post.



By Mrs. Dan Gerber

Your baby's first doctor is one of the most important people you both will get to know. When choosing baby's doctor, think about these things:

- Can friends with small children recommend a doctor?

- When you visit the doctor, does he or she take time to talk with you? Are questions all answered to your satisfaction?

- Does the doctor take care to reassure and comfort baby? Is baby treated gently?

- A doctor who makes friends with baby and who talks sincerely with you is a doctor who cares about you both. He will make sure baby is happy and healthy, and will recommend a feeding program for baby's first year.

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Condemnation--

(Continued From Page One) before the theater was shut down.

Willard said it was a shame that the community was letting the theater go to ruin when it badly needs an auditorium for many reasons.

The Garza County Commissioners Court met with the council in the Post library to open three bids on the new city-county ambulance.

The bids ranged from \$16,908 to \$17,795 with \$1,000 allowed off this for a trade-in of an old ambulance.

Since Hospital Administrator Ed Zintgraff was not available to evaluate the bids, the council and court decided to meet again for a decision. Zintgraff was in Dallas attending the convention of the Texas Hospital Association.

The council and court also discussed their joint funding of the city-county park with the county complaining it thought it was bearing more than its share.

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A big expense item on the swimming pool is coming up next year, it was pointed out.

An analysis of park costs and who paid them was promised to be mailed all members of both council and court for consideration of the problem at a future date.

A request for \$1,500 from the city was made by Anita

Tidwell and Thelma Adams, teachers at the Post Satellite School for the mental and physically handicapped.

Like amounts are being sought from the county and the school district to help meet a \$4,620 budget.

The council took the request under advisement for consideration in their budget preparations.

By unanimous vote, the council passed the sign replacement ordinance on second and final reading.

In another action, the council reappointed Charles Adams and Mrs. Ruth Young to the board of trustees of the Post Public Library for two-year terms and named Mrs. Sue Cornell to a two-year term as the new sixth member of the board.

The council also authorized the city attorney to prepare an easement so a gas line can be extended to the Lewis Holly home on the south edge of the city.

The city has set up a budget schedule which calls for a June 28 public hearing on revenue sharing fund use and a July 23 work session to tentatively approve the new city budget, with a public hearing set for Aug. 6.

Postings-

(Continued From Page One) in ages Post got more rain than Southland and Slaton. The cotton crop the farmers will plant in the county this year - now the rains have come - may be the biggest in total acreage in the county's history. It's just about only cotton seed going into Garza ground this year.

Claborns in reunion here

Seven of Mrs. Ola Claborn's sons and daughters visited with her during the weekend being the first time the whole family had been together since 1947.

Attending the family get-together was Irene Claborn of Post, Carl Claborn of Indio, California, T.W. Claborn of El Monte, California, Jocie and Adam Ferri, Azle, Tex., Evelyn and H.C. Claborn of Odessa, John and Mary Claborn of Monahans and Nina England and Tommy of Dallas.

Other visitors from Post included Ruby Claborn, Georgeann, Lisa, Belinda and Lance Claborn.

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