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City, county discuss airport improvements at joint meeting

by Mike Stearns

Making improvements at the airport headed the agenda during last Thursday evening's joint meeting between the Garza County Commissioners' Court and the Post City Council at the courthouse.

Restrictions for access to the airport runways by commercial vehicles, disposition of the airport manager's home and naming new board members were included in the two hour session.

City manager Bob Turner reported on the status of the Texas Department of Transportation grant which will provide funds for the facility. Turner said that the grant application is in compliance and "we should see something on the funding by July or August of next year," he added.

According to Turner, the airport must meet compliance requirements with repairs which were cited in a state inspection last July. "We will be able to start on the needed repairs during the next fiscal year," Turner explained.

The bulk of the inspection report centered around repairs needed for runways 6 and 24. Loose pavement and pavement failures must be repaired to prevent possible damage to aircraft. Erosion, which has created a two inch decline in the pavement lips, was also cited. Grass and weed obstruction were also a concern mentioned in the inspection.

Maintenance required at the airport would come under consideration of the airport board. Board members are appointed by the commissioners' court and the city council with each government unit naming two citizens and the board then appointing a fifth member.

Commissioners appointed Jeff Lott and Bob Macy and the council named Stanley Butler and Marita Jackson to serve on the board. The airport board members were to meet Tuesday, September 22 to name a fifth member.

The joint session also addressed the growing problem of chemically loaded vehicles which are destroying asphalt on the runway. A recommendation was made to insure that chemical spraying operations use only the east access road

to prevent damage to the runway.

Macy reported that the airport manager's home, which had been destroyed by a windstorm, needed attention. The council and commissioners' court asked the board to consider repairing the existing mobile home or purchase another one for the airport manager.

In other action, Turner informed commissioners and council that it is possible to place a water line behind the hangers to provide water to each individual hanger. The owner of each hanger would be responsible for the connection to the city system and would be individually metered.

The airport board will also consider the construction of a beacon light tower during the September meeting.

The joint session was also the forum for a resolution approved by both the commissioners' court and the city council to amend the cable franchise agreement.

The resolution calls for cable television operators in the city limits to allow public, educational and government access to the cable system. This would provide capabilities for broadcasting open government meetings, school activities and other public programming.

Attending the meeting were Judge Giles Dalby, commissioners Albert Stone and Herbert Walls; city council members Maxine Conoly, Jim Schooler, Larry Mills, Dan Lamb and Jimmy Holleman; Mayor Jim Jackson and city manager Turner.

Council approved budget

Following the joint session, the city council reviewed a revised budget, approving the use of \$80,592 from reserves to eliminate the earlier approved sanitation increase, park improvements, construction of a new animal holding facility and improvements at the fire station.

The new tax rate as approved will be \$.3423, compared to the current \$.3335. A \$50,000 valued residence will see an increase from \$166.75 to \$171.15.

Pioneer Lady and Pioneer Gent candidates represent organizations for Founders' Day honor

The Post Founders' Day Committee is once again hosting the Pioneer Lady and Pioneer Gent contest, with voting by Post Cereal box tops at United Supermarket, First National Bank and Danish Imports.

Candidates for Pioneer Lady are Fleta Walls, sponsored by the Post EMTs; Rosemary Stelzer, sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Post VFW and Penny Rains, sponsored by the Post Art Guild.

Pioneer Gent candidates are Pete Walls, sponsored by the Post EMTs; Andy Stelzer, sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Post VFW and Victor Hudman, sponsored by the Post Art Guild.

Fleta and Pete Walls moved to Garza County in 1943. Their two children, Herbert Walls and Geneva Belongia, grew up and attended school here. Pete worked for road construction for several years, for Garza County for 13 years and for the City of Post for 11 years. Fleta has been employed by Burlington Industries, Twin Cedar Nursing Home and Garza Memorial Hospital. They are both retired and "enjoying baby-sitting" their great grandson.

Andy and Rosemary Stelzer came to Garza County in 1946. Their three children, Mary Ann, David and Linda, grew up and attended school here. Andy was employed in the oilfield and has been very active in the VFW through the years.

He has held every office in the organization at one time. He is presently on the National Legislation Committee for the VFW and is chairman of the Time and Place State Committee. Rosemary is a homemaker and has been very active in the Ladies' Auxiliary of the VFW. They are both retired.

Penny Rains moved to Garza County in 1921. She and her husband, the late Carl Rains, ranched north of Post until his death. Penny still lives on the ranch. Her three children, Jimmie, Jack and Jerry grew up and attended school here. Penny is a homemaker.

Victor Hudman came to Garza County in 1922. His three sons, Victor, Curtis and Joe grew up and attended school here. Victor has been in the furniture store and funeral home business for many years.



PIONEER LADY AND PIONEER GENT candidates nominated this year for the annual Founders' Day recognition are (left to right) Pete Walls, Fleta Walls, Andy Stelzer, Rosemary Stelzer, Victor Hudman and Penny Rains. Voting for

the Pioneer Lady and Pioneer Gent is by depositing box tops from Post Cereals products at United Supermarket, First National Bank and Danish Imports. Deadline for balloting is Thursday, October 15. (Photo by Mike Stearns)



ZOE KIRKPATRICK (center) has donated copies of her new book, "Wildflowers of the Western Plains," to all three Post school libraries. Joining in the presentation were (left to right) PHS student body president Brad McDonald, high school librarian Doris Giddens, Zoe, middle school librarian Nancy Vaughn, middle school student council representative Nikki Pollard, elementary school representative Erica Castro and elementary school librarian Connie Flores. Zoe's book signing at Danish Imports recently was the second largest signing of a book published by the University of Texas Press. The book has also been on the "best seller" list in Lubbock.

Post gets slight increase in sales tax rebate check

The most recent sales tax rebate check to the City of Post shows an increase over the same period last year of 6.24 percent.

The total for the period of 14,609.38 compares to \$13,751.87 in 1991.

The total for the year is \$137,533.72 for a .64 percent increase over the same period last year of \$136,659.44.

The monthly check represents taxes collected on July sales and reported to the state comptroller by businesses filing monthly tax returns.

Martinez wins first place

Sofia Martinez won first place in last week's Dispatch Football Contest, correctly picking all but three winners. She edged Cy Willson, who also missed three games, on the tie-breaker Willson won second place.

Don Payne, who missed three games, failed to guess a tie-breaker score and took third place.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Immunization clinic Friday

The Texas Department of Health will conduct an immunization clinic Friday, Sept. 25 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the human services building on the Snyder Hwy. Parents will need to bring children's social security numbers. For more information call 495-3996.

Diet, exercise connection Friday

"Diet - Exercise Connection" is the theme of a program scheduled for Friday, Sept. 25 at the Senior Citizens Center during the noon hour. The program will be conducted by County Extension Agent Home Economics Ann Nobles.

Extension Homemakers Club meets

The first meeting this year of the Extension Homemakers Club will be held next Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the SPS Reddy Room. Those interested in joining the organization are encouraged to attend.

Garza County health fair October 7

Watch The Post Dispatch for details about the Garza County Health Fair, which is scheduled for October 7. Mark your calendar now and plan to visit the Community Center for information and screening.

PHS Class of '67 plans meeting

Members of the Post High School Class of 1967 will meet September 29 at 7:30 at Sue and Clyde Cash's home, 1005 Sunset Dr, to discuss plans for the 25th class reunion. All members living in the Garza County area are invited to attend.

Girard homecoming September 26

The Girard homecoming for 1992 will be Saturday, Sept. 26 at the Girard gym. Registration will begin at 10 a.m. with a catered noon meal following. A steer roping will be held in the afternoon and a dance Saturday night with music by the Crystal Creek Band.

Class of '38 plans reunion

The Post High School Class of 1938 will hold its reunion October 2 and 3 beginning at 3 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church on Friday, Oct. 2. For more information contact Annie Laura Francis at 495-2113.

Lake Alan Henry water quality hearing

A draft plan on water quality protection at Lake Alan Henry will be explained in a public hearing in Post, Wednesday, September 30 at 6 p.m. in the Post Community Center. Conducted by the Brazos River Authority and the City of Lubbock, the hearing will solicit comments from the public on the draft report and a copy of the report will be available for review at the Community Center prior to the meeting. The plan was prepared by Freese and Nichols, Inc., consulting engineers.

Founders' Day bike riders sought

Bike riders are encouraged to sign up soon for the October 17 Post Founders' Day Bike Ride. The event will begin at 9 a.m. on East Main Street near the Algerita Park. Entry fee is \$12. All entries received before October 3 will receive a commemorative t-shirt. The bike ride features all new routes: 20 miles of rolling hills, 40 miles with easy to moderate hills and 80 miles with moderate to hard hills. Entrants may mail checks to Post Ride, 5728 76th St., Lubbock, TX 79424 or call Preston Poole at 495-2000.

Senior citizens offered free admissions

The Post ISD is extending complimentary general admission passes to all senior citizens of the school district. Those interested in taking advantage of the complimentary admissions to school functions should visit the superintendent's office. Seniors will be requested to present identification so that the pass may be issued in the name of the recipient.

Commodities distribution

The commodities distribution will be held on Tuesday, September 15 at the Service Center on the Snyder Highway. The center will be open for the distribution from 9:30 - 12 and from 1-3:30 p.m. The distribution is held on the third Tuesday of each month.

EMT courses offered at WTC

The continuing education division at Western Texas College will offer EMT intermediate skills instruction for emergency medical technicians as well as an EMT refresher course. Both courses are approved by the Texas Department of Health and will provide the necessary skills to meet state requirements for intermediate certification and refresher certification. For more information call 915-573-8511, ext. 390.

Getting ready for Founders' Day...



SPRUCING UP MAIN STREET last week with planting of flowers for merchants were (left to right) Victor Ashley, Barbara Hardin and Linda Waldrup. The flower planting is part of the preparations for Founders' Day 1992.

Obituaries

Nicholas Vukad

Funeral services for Nicholas Vukad were held Thursday, September 17, 1992 at the First Baptist Church in Post.

Mr Vukad died September 15 at Garza Memorial Hospital.

Services were conducted by Rev. Joe Vernon of Rotan, assisted by Rev. Joel Horne of Post.

Interment was at Terrace Cemetery under the direction of Hudman Funeral Home.

Vukad was born October 7, 1916 in Chisholm, Minn. to Eva Vukadinovich and Mike Vukad.

He married Lois Howell July 28, 1957 in Post. He was a member of the Serbian Orthodox Church.

He was a U.S. Navy Seabees veteran of World War II and moved to Post in 1955, working for Postex Cotton Mill.

Vukad was past District Commander of the Military Order of the Cootie, deputy inspector of District 7 in Texas and past district commander of District 7.

He was Texas Department surgeon for the Veterans of Foreign Wars, a member of the American Legion and a life member of V.F.W. Post 6797, where he was quartermaster for several years.

Survivors include his wife; daughter Dorinne Fier of Minneapolis; brothers Mike Vukad of Antioch, Calif.; Peter Vukad and Robert Vukad both of Chisholm, Minn.; sister Celia LaMontagne of Chisholm, Minn. and two grandsons, Kenneth Peterson and Barry Peterson of Minneapolis, Minn.

Pallbearers were Andy Stelzer, Chuck Ratliff, Max Chaffin, Archie Gill, Billy Williams and Bill Case.

Letter to the Editor

Letters to the editor policy: Letters to the editor are encouraged and invited. Letters may be edited for brevity. Letters which are deemed slanderous or libelous will be rejected. Letters must be signed, but the name may be withheld from publication if requested.

Dear Editor,
I would like to say how very thankful we are for Garza Memorial Hospital, it's wonderful staff of nurse's that are so caring and friendly, the X-Ray department, and last but not least, Dr. Chen.

When you get there you feel you're getting the best care possible - also I don't want to forget the EMT's and their great care.

Everyone in Post be supportive of our Hospital.
I hope you never have to go to the hospital, but if you do just remember you can't go to a better place than Garza Memorial Hospital.
Mary Miller

The family suggests memorials to V.F.W. National Children's Home.

Deane Norman

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, September 23, 1992 at 2 p.m. for Deane Norman, who died at Garza Memorial Hospital September 21, 1992.

Services are to be conducted by Rev. Jim Graham at the Post Church of the Nazarene with burial at Terrace Cemetery under the direction of Justice-Mason Funeral Home.

Mrs Norman was born in Coleman, Texas on November 6, 1915 to C.C. and Emma Bullock Jones.

She came to the Grassland Community in 1917, where she attended school.

She married Ray Norman December 3, 1932 in New Mexico. He preceded her in death November 8, 1979.

After her husband's death, Mrs Norman began work with the Meals on Wheels program and retired in 1989.

She was a member of the Church of the Nazarene.
She was preceded in death by two grandsons: Darrel Norman Jr April 24, 1986 and Daren Norman April 19, 1988.

She is survived by sons Darrel R. Norman of Slaton, Noel D. Norman of Lubbock; daughter Bettie Sue Wheeler of Southland;

Brothers Carl Jones and M.R. Jones of San Antonio; 15 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Grandsons were to serve as pallbearers.

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In San Antonio, the 500 members of the Downtown Rotary Club decided to do something to encourage students to stay in high school and go on to college.

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Morning Worship 11 a.m.

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On graduation, the top 34 will receive \$1,750 scholarships and an additional \$500 in financial assistance if they enroll in The University of Texas at San Antonio.

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Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC), hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas for optional Custom Calling Services and Touch-tone service, effective March 15, 1993, unless otherwise determined by the PUC.

These proposed rates will not increase or decrease the Company's overall revenues; the net effect will be neutral to the Company's annual revenues.

The Company proposes to decrease the rates for Touch-tone service for residential customers from \$1.00 to 68 cents, and also to reduce the Touch-tone rates for business customers from \$1.75 to \$1.70. In addition, the Touch-tone rates for business PBX trunks will be reduced from \$3.15 to \$2.18.

This proposal to decrease the rates for Touch-tone service does not change the commitment that the Company made in the Docket No. 8585 Stipulation to reduce the rates for Touch-tone service in 1993.

The Custom Calling Services affected by the Company's application are optional telephone service arrangements that provide the following features: Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, Three Way Calling, Speed Calling-8 and Speed Calling-30. Following are the feature combinations and their current and proposed rates.

	Residence		Business	
	Current Rate	Proposed Rate	Current Rate	Proposed Rate
One Feature per line				
Call Waiting	\$2.10	\$2.85	\$2.65	\$3.25
Call Forwarding	2.10	2.10	2.65	3.50
3-Way Calling	2.10	2.10	2.65	2.50
Speed Call-8	2.10	2.10	2.65	2.50
Two Features per line				
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding	3.75	4.25	4.75	6.00
Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling	3.70	4.25	4.75	4.75
Call Waiting, Speed Calling-8	3.70	4.25	4.75	4.75
Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling	3.70	3.50	4.80	5.00
Call Forwarding, Speed Calling-8	3.70	3.50	4.75	5.00
3-Way Calling, Speed Calling-8	3.70	3.50	4.75	4.00
Three Features per line				
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding and 3-Way Calling	5.30	5.65	6.90	7.50
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding and Speed Calling-8	5.30	5.65	6.90	7.50
Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling and Speed Calling-8	5.30	5.65	6.90	6.25
Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling and Speed Calling-8	5.30	4.90	6.90	6.50
Four Features per line				
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling, Speed Calling-8	6.90	7.05	9.00	9.00
Speed Calling - 30 code capacity	3.20	3.20	4.25	3.20

Most of the Company's residence and business customers who subscribe to Custom Calling Features and Touch-tone service will be affected by the proposed rate restructuring.

It is expected that the restructuring of Custom Calling Features will result in a rate increase for approximately 2.9 million residence customers and 280,000 business customers. The reduction in rates for certain Custom Calling Services and Touch-tone Service will affect approximately 4.3 million residence customers and 1.7 million business customers.

This rate restructuring is expected to have a "revenue-neutral" effect on the Company's annual revenues. The proposed rate restructuring of Custom Calling Services will increase the Company's annual revenues by \$19.8 million; while the reduction in Touch-tone rates will decrease the Company's annual revenues by \$19.8 million.

This proceeding has been designated Docket No. 11382. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in this proceeding should notify the PUC as soon as possible. The deadline to intervene is October 30, 1992. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.



Southwestern Bell Telephone

Correction on Salary Increases Approved August 31, 1992 for Garza County elected officials

ELECTED OFFICIAL	As of 10-1-92		As of 1-1-93
	BASE SALARY	W/LONGEVITY	NEW OFFICIAL
County Judge	18,554.50	19,694.50	
Commissioner Pct #1	15,024.61	15,204.61	15,204.61
County & District Clerk	18,886.40	19,366.40	
Constable Pct 2 & 4	903.04	1,203.04	903.04
County Tax A/C	19,158.55	19,758.55	
Justice of the Peace #4	15,952.10	16,492.10	
Justice of the Peace #1	15,952.10	16,672.10	
Constable Pct 1 & 3	7,938.00	8,478.00	
County Attorney	18,886.39	20,506.39	18,886.39
County Sheriff	22,943.08	23,303.08	
Commissioner Pct #2	15,024.61	15,084.61	
Commissioner Pct #3	15,024.61	15,204.61	
Commissioner Pct #4	15,024.61	16,584.61	
County Treasurer	18,886.39	18,946.39	

Motion was made by Commissioner Sam E. Ellis
Motion was seconded by Commissioner Herbert Walls.

The vote by Commissioners John Valdez, Commissioner Albert Stone, Judge Giles Dalby, Walls and Ellis was unanimous.

Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The GARZA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 7.95 percent on SEPTEMBER 17, 1992

The GARZA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held on SEPTEMBER 28, 1992 AT 12:00 NOON at GARZA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, 608 WEST 6TH, POST, TEXAS



Rachel Wilson and Lex Dunn

Rachel Wilson and Lex Dunn announce engagement

Doctor William C. Wilson of Oklahoma City, Okla. and Margaret C. Casteel of San Antonio are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Rachel Rebecca of Lubbock, to Mr. Lex Dean Dunn also of Lubbock.

Lex is the son of Mrs. Ruthell Stanley of Post and Mr. Darrell Dunn of Lubbock.

The bride-elect is a 1990 graduate of Post High School and is employed at United Supermarket in Lubbock.

The future groom is a 1988 graduate of Post High School and is employed by Southwest Airlines in Lubbock.

The couple plan to be married November 27, 1992.

Wedding shower honors Hilary and Jimmy Williams

The Fellowship Hall of the Post Church of Christ was the scene of the recent wedding shower honoring Jimmy and Hilary Williams.

The guests were greeted by the honored couple, the bride's mother, Teresia Williams, and the groom's mother, Linda Barnes of Lubbock.

Registering the approximately 50 guests who attended between two and three o'clock, was Sue Johnson.

Special guests included grandmothers of the bride, Faye Maddox and Zora Robinson of Lubbock.

Cookies and punch were served by Leslie Tatum. The serving table was covered with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of white gladiola in a black vase and flanked by white tapers in crystal candlesticks. Other crystal appointments were used.

Leslie Tatum served.

The 22 hostesses presented the couple with dishes and stainless.

Hostesses for the occasion were: Jane Odum, Barbara Tatum, Linda Lewis, Orabeth White, Rita Nelson, Sandy Wilson, Bessie Strawn, Donna Craig.

Cindy Mitchell, Irene Mitchell, Sheila Gregory, Billie Lou Thomas, Reba Propst, Sherry Jones, Marianne Hart, Hildegard Marlin, Freda Kelley, Julia Hudman, Melissa Striblin, Betty Striblin, Sue Johnson and Leslie Tatum.

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malnutrition does occur in an older person, or in any adult, for that matter, it may occur gradually, so that by the time it's recognized it is often a full-blown medical problem rather than merely a lifestyle issue that can be corrected with some simple steps.

The best way to prevent any nutritional problems is to assure that adults eat the recommended servings from each of the five food groups each day. If you are an older adult, do this for yourself.

If you are a friend or relative of an older adult, help she or he plan to eat according to the recommended dietary guidelines.

Friends can help each other out by taking turns preparing recommended foods and sharing them.

If you would like a copy of the recommended dietary guidelines, please call my office at 495-2050 and I'll send you one.

by Ann Nobles
Extension Agent
Home Economics

In less than 20 years from now the first of the baby boomers who were born after WWII will officially reach the "senior citizens" mark, adding their numbers to the already large number of people who have reached that milestone in life.

By the year 2000 the number of adults older than 65 will be in excess of 66 million -- more than one out of five people in the United States.

Older adults are in fact the fastest growing segment of the population. Even today, people 65 and older number 30 million, accounting for more than one in nine of us.

Chances are, if you're not an older American, you know someone who is. So it may interest you to know that the chances are good that the nutritional well-being of many who have reached their "golden years" has been compromised.

The elderly are the single largest group of people who are at risk of malnutrition.

One reason is that the body's ability to correct itself for nutritional imbalances declines with age.

Consider that when a young adult takes in too little of a particular vitamin or mineral over time, his or her body may take care of that by causing absorption of that nutrient in the gastrointestinal tract or it may be able to adapt by using the nutrient more efficiently.

An older person's body may not have as good a balancing mechanism so that a decrease in nutrient intake may not be made up for by an increase in absorption rate or efficiency of use.

Another concern for older Americans is that an estimated 45 percent take multiple prescription drugs, which can also adversely affect the body's absorption and use of various nutrients.

When the doctor prescribes a medication it is wise to ask if that medication will cause an increase or decrease in the absorption or efficiency rate of any nutrients and if he recommends any dietary adjustments to compensate for it.

Medications can also suppress appetite. The decline in the number of taste buds on the tongue that occurs with age can diminish appetite as well by taking away from food's appeal.

It's the same with the sense of smell. That too, diminishes over the years, increasing still more the possibility of decreased satisfaction with food and a decrease in appetite and eating.

Making things worse is that if

Shannon Reid, Bobby Blair set October 10 wedding date

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reid of Lamesa announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shannon Diane, to Bobby Glenn Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Blair of Post.

Reid is a 1990 graduate of Lamesa High School and is currently attending Howard College School of Nursing in Big Spring.

Blair is a 1990 graduate of Post High School and attended Tarleton State University in Stephenville. He is currently ranching in the Post community.

The couple plans a home wedding on October 10.



Shannon Reid and Bobby Blair

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Birth Announcements

Jessica Nicole Barron
Casey and Britney Barron announce the arrival of their baby sister, Jessica Nicole, born September 4, 1992 at 9:50 p.m. Jessica weighed seven pounds and was 20" long at birth.

Jeff and Pat Barron of Bossier City, LA are the proud parents. Paternal grandparents are Glynn and Joy Barron of Bossier City, LA. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Earnest also of Bossier City, LA. Jessica's great-grandmother is Willie Mason of Post.

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Antelopes get rough welcome at Stanton

Team prepares for District 2AA opener with Ralls Friday

By Mike Stearns

The Post Bold Gold invaded Stanton this past week with high expectations. Had those expectations turned into yards on the field, Post probably would have been alright.

But instead, the Post offense sputtered against the Stanton defense and Post left with their third loss in a row 28-0.

How rough a night was it for the 'Lopes? Post only generated 65 yards in total offense, only 40 on the ground. Stanton started their four scoring drives from the Post 7 after a fumble recovery, the Antelope 21 yard line after an interception, their own 38, and Post's 40. Stanton also started a drive at the Post 48.

The Bold Gold defense continues to be the bright spot in the Post game plan. The stop troops only allowed Stanton 215 yards in total offense and held the air attack to only 1 of 7 for 5 yards. But the defense was on the field continually, making it hard to keep the Buffaloes out of the end zone.

Post took the opening kickoff and went no where on three plays. It was to be an omen of things to come for the rest of the night. Tim Bell took the hand off on the first carry and was stacked up at the line of scrimmage. On second and ten, Post tried a sweep to the right side that was stopped for no gain. Jim Riley Simpson faded back on third and ten and tried to spot Bell coming out of the backfield. The pass fell harmlessly to the ground and Post had to punt.

But the defense rose to the occasion and stopped the Buffalo attack without a first down to get the ball back for the offense.

Disaster struck on Post's second play of the series. After being sacked on the first play, Jim Riley Simpson rolled left looking down field for an open receiver. He was hit from the blind side just as he was lifting his arm to throw the football. The fumble gave Stanton the ball on the 7 yard line of Post.

It took four running plays by Stanton's Ricky Lucas to find the end zone. Kenny Stewart kicked the extra point to make the score 7-0 in favor of the Buffaloes with 6:32 left

in the first quarter.

The Post offense never did get going after the fumble. The 'Lopes gave it back to Stanton after three offensive plays netted a minus three yards. Stanton then embarked on a 14 play drive that ended at the Post 18 yard line on a failed pass by J.J. Ortiz. Adrian Castillo caused Ortiz to hurry his throw.

But the 'Lopes received no rest on defense as the offense turned the ball over on the second play. Jim Riley Simpson threw an interception at the Post 21 yard line setting up another score for the Buffaloes.

Lucas capped off a 4 play drive with his dive into the end zone from two yards out. The extra point was a gain true and Stanton held a 14-0 lead going into halftime.

The Post offense had only managed to gain 35 yards in the first half and turned the ball over twice to Stanton. Post did not get their first first down until late in the second quarter and they only had two first downs for the entire half.

The second half started much as the first half. Post had the ball after the kick off and was unable to move against the stingy Stanton defense. After Post punted, Stanton then moved the ball 62 yards for their third touchdown. Ricky Lucas got the call again for Stanton going 9 yards around left end for the score. Stanton led 21-0 going into the fourth quarter.

Stanton scored their final touchdown on a 40 yard drive after Post turned the ball over on downs late in the contest. Sherman Brayand started the drive by running 32 yards straight up the middle against the weary Post defense. Only Brad Lawson's tackle at the eight yard line saved a sure touchdown for the Buffaloes. Brayand scored three plays later to make the final 28-0 Stanton.

The Post defense played a rock solid game but they were on the field too long. Stanton had good field position most of the night due to offensive mistakes.

There are some positives that come out this situation for the 'Lopes. They return home to face their opening district contest against Ralls this week at Antelope Stadium. Ralls comes into the contest 3-0 and looks to be the toughest team in the district at this point in the season. Post fans can be encouraged by the fact that the

defense only gave up 215 yards to Stanton and has played well when they have time between their opponents possessions.

Traditionally one of the tougher districts, 4-AA looks to be weaker this year than most. Seagraves has lost two games already in the young season and Tahoka and Sundown, although improved, may not quite be up to district standards. Crosbyton has won three games against average opposition. Jdalou and Ralls look to be the strongest clubs in the early going.

If Post is able to put the early season losses behind them, as they did somewhat last year, then they could be competitive in district. But they will have to pull themselves up by their offensive boot straps and give the defense an opportunity to shut down the opposition.

"At this point", Coach Dewayne Osborne reminds us, "everyone is equal (0-0) in district play. We just need some mental toughness at this stage of the season. I'm sure we'll get it."

Post opens district play against the Ralls Jackrabbits at antelope stadium Friday night. Kick off is scheduled for 7:30.



TIM BELL (20) meets a Stanton defender at the line of scrimmage during last Friday's contest there. Joining in the play were (left to right) Josh Bush (63), Anthony Cruse (52) and Clint Melton (70). (Photo by Jerry Taylor)



TIM BELL scoots around his right end during the Post Antelope contest at Stanton last Friday night.

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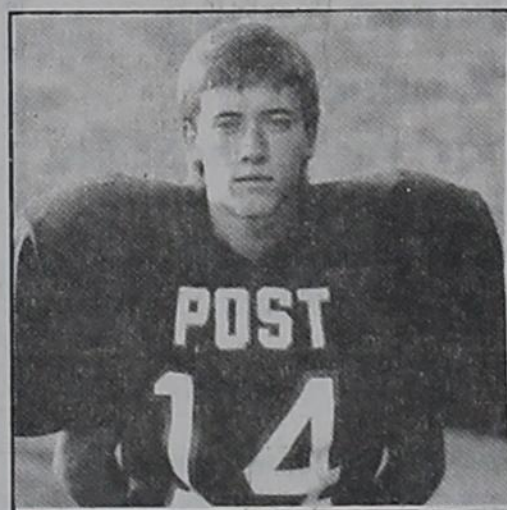
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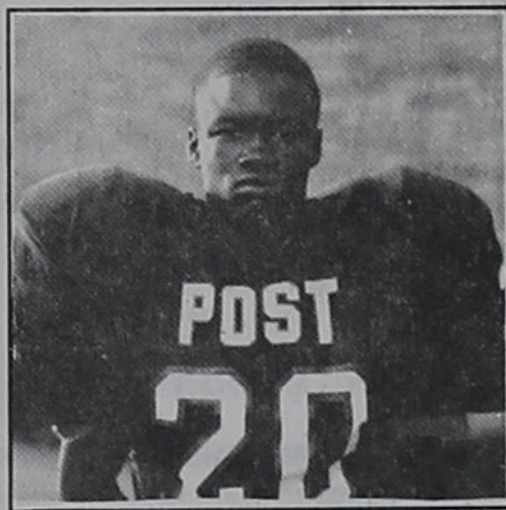
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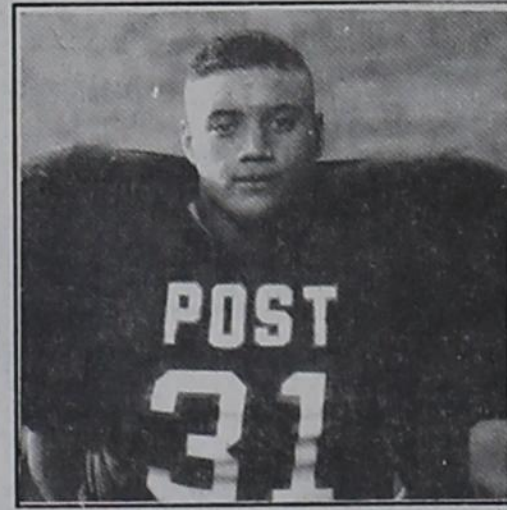
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JV downs Stanton in comeback

By Mike Stearns
The Post JV performed a miracle at Antelope Stadium Thursday night. The time of the miracle was 2:21 left in the game against the Stanton Buffaloes. The Buffs were ahead 8-6 and had the 'Lopes buried deep in their own territory at the Post 27.

Consider, if you will, the person of Alvin Reed. Reed is the tailback for the Antelope offense who had a good night to that point. Reed had run for 52 yards before the miracle.

Post was fortunate to be in the contest only trailing 8-6. Stanton scored early in the game to lead 8-0. Post brought it to within 2 on a 56 yard pass play from Heath Eagle to Jeff Redman. Stanton stopped the extra point run to preserve their 8-6 lead.

The Post defense then secured the win by stopping Stanton for the final 2:21.

"Just a super job by the defense", commented Coach Fred Postel. "The fumble recoveries by Bobby Bailey, Roman Perez, and Jason Wyatt keyed our defensive effort."

Post plays next at Ralls on Thursday, September 24.

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Junior Varsity Game Statistics

Rushing	181
Passing	56
Total Yards	237

Individual Passing

Heath Eagle	Att.	Comp.	Yard
	1	6	56

Individual Receiving

Jeff Redman	Caught	Yards
	1	56

Individual Rushing

Alvin Reed	Att.	Yards
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Southwestern Bell is also proposing that all customers be able to "block," or stop their name/number from being transmitted and displayed on a Caller ID device, free of charge. You would have this option of "blocking" your name/number on each call free of charge. There would be no need to subscribe to this service. All customers would have this capability when Caller ID is introduced in their area.

If you want to block your name or number, you need only press *67 on your touch-tone pad (or dial 1167 from a rotary phone) before dialing the telephone number. The person you're calling would see displayed a message such as "private" or "anonymous" on their Caller ID display unit.

Southwestern Bell also proposes that qualified domestic violence and law enforcement groups have the option of free per-line blocking, or free per-call blocking.

Anonymous Call Rejection (ACR or "block the blocker") allows subscribers to automatically reject all calls that have been marked anonymous, or "blocked" by the person calling. It is not necessary to subscribe to Caller ID Name/Number to subscribe to ACR. With ACR, your telephone will not ring if the person calling you has "blocked" his/her name or number. The person calling whose identification is blocked will receive a message to hang up and call back with caller identification unblocked. Following are the proposed monthly rates for Caller ID and ACR.

Proposed Rates (monthly)*

Calling Number only	Residence \$6.50	Business \$8.50
Calling Name only	\$6.50	\$8.50
Calling Name & Number	\$8.00	\$12.00
Anonymous Call Rejection	\$3/\$1**	\$3/\$1**

* These rates are in addition to the initial installation charges and monthly basic service rate. For residence customers, installation charges are \$2.70 per feature, with a maximum charge of \$5.40. For business customers, the charges are \$5.40 per feature, with a maximum charge of \$10.75.

** Anonymous Call Rejection is \$3 per month if purchased without Caller ID and is \$1 per month when purchased with Caller ID Name or Number.

This proceeding has been designated Docket No. 11362, and a hearing on the merits has been scheduled for November 16, 1992. The PUC has jurisdiction to consider this matter pursuant to Sections 16, 18, 37 and 38 of the Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA). This application was filed pursuant to the provisions of the PUC's Substantive Rule 23.24. Among the issues that will be addressed in this proceeding is the legality of the Caller ID device and service under Texas wiretap laws.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the PUC as soon as possible. The deadline to intervene is October 26, 1992. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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Middle School boys tame Buffaloes 38-14

by Mike Stearns
Stanton proved to be no match for the Bold Gold in Thursday's 38-14 victory in Stanton. The eighth grade contest was dominated by the Post offense as Stanton didn't score until late in the fourth quarter.

Post scored twice in the first period. Armondo Ayala got the 'Lopes on the board first with a 55 yard touchdown run. Isreal Perez ran in the two point conversion and Post led 8-0. Ayala then turned around on the next series and ran 41 yards for the score and Post led 16-0 after Patrick Soto ran in the two point conversion.

Post scored in the second quarter when defensive tackle Manuel Criado blocked a punt and Ismael Diaz ran the ball 16 yards for the score. Roy Perez hit Jimmy Crawford for a two point pass and Post led 24-0.

Roy Perez hit Crawford again in the third quarter on 53 yard touchdown pass to widen Post's margin to 30-0.

Todd Terry scored Post's last touchdown on a spectacular catch in the end zone. Roy Perez threw a perfect strike from 12 yards out for the score. Robbie Willborn ran in the two point conversion and Post led 38-0.

Stanton scored twice in the final period but could never really make the game close. Post moved to 1-1 with the win.

The Bold Gold rolled up 298 yards in offense while holding Stanton to just 101 yards.

"We're very impressed with the defensive effort", commented Coach Darrell Radle. "The defensive front completely dominated the line of scrimmage."

Radle's warriors are next in action against Ralls at Antelope Stadium this Thursday night.

The seventh grade team had trouble against the Buffaloes, though. Stanton took a 20-0 win over the young squad. "Sam Woods and Orlando Castillo played well for us on offense," commented Coach Chili Black. "We just did not play up to our potential although we had an outstanding individual effort on offense from quarterback Jamie Hernandez and wingback Anthony Flores.

The seventh grade boys take on Ralls prior to the eighth grade game Thursday.

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It looked like the defenses for both teams would take over the rest of the way. Stanton was driving midway through the second half when B.J. Hart made a super tackle on fourth down to stop the Buffalo drive.

Stanton continued to play tough defense late in the game as they had Post pinned back at their own 27.

Then came the miracle. Alvin Reed took the pitch from Heath Eagle and started to head to the left. Daniel Garcia then laid a big block on a Stanton player and Reed burst around the end to dance 73 yards into the end zone. Willy Mesa converted the two point conversion on another sweep to the left. Post lead 14-8 with only 2:21 left in the

Varsity Game Statistics

	Post	Stanton
Rushing	40	210
Passing	25	5
First Downs	5	16
Interceptions	1	0
Total Yards	65	215

Individual Passing

Jim Riley Simpson	Att.	Comp.	Yard
	7	2	25

Individual Receiving

Anthony Martin	Caught	Yards
Russ Bird	1	16
	1	10

Individual Rushing

	Att.	Yards
Tim Bell	5	1
Russ Bird	14	30
Ryan Sappington	5	20
Jim Riley Simpson	10	-11

4-H Amigos Club meets

by Rocky Gomez
On September 15, 1992 at 3:30 p.m., the 4-H Amigos Club held their meeting in the SPS Reddy Room.

The meeting was called to order by President, Amber Garcia.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Andrea Rodriguez and the 4-H Pledge by Melissa Gutierrez.

All officers were installed and received officer pins. Each member was also presented with a membership pin.

New enrollment forms were filled and sign-up for refreshments were discussed.

A special program was presented on "Difference Between Male and Female" by school nurse, Janie Ammons. A special thank-you goes to her for that presentation.

Refreshments were provided by the Bell family and served by members.

Members present were: Erica and Rocky Gomez, Flora Gomez, Raymond and Tyrone Jefferson, Eugene Bell, Roland Casteneda, Frank and Hector Reyna, Adrian Gonzales;

Melissa Gutierrez, Amber Garcia, Andrea Rodriguez, Olga Torres, Kimberly Ammons, Rachel De La Rosa, Donna and Stephen Montoya, Chris Saldivar and Mrs. Lynn Bell.

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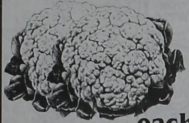
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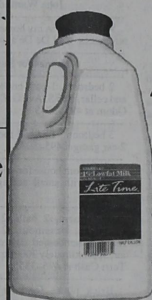
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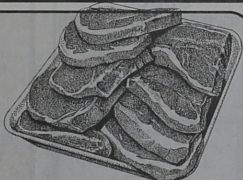
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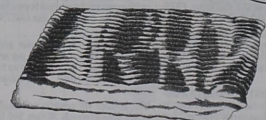
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A special thanks to the following who in their way made it a lot easier: Jimmy, Brent & Trey Jones; Frank and Alyene Runkles; Helen Ruth Thomas; Patsy Craig; Lonnie Gene Peel and Lonnie Peel. Mother would enjoy all of her friends stopping by and visiting her at Golden Plains.

Lorrye Lou and Linda Lane

I want to thank Sue and Quannah Maxey for taking me out to lunch on my 80th birthday September 11. Thanks to all my relatives and friends for the cards, calls and gifts. Also thanks to my three girls for the parties in my honor. I am looking forward to my next 80th.

Myrtle Peel

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Yesteryears

Gleaned from the files of The Post Dispatch. Microfilm copies are available at the Post Public Library.
by Barbe Bevers
10 Years Ago

Post was virtually caught "unaware" last Tuesday night, as an apparent twister came over the downtown area, close enough to cause approximately \$75,000 damage, but not completely touching down. Gonzalo Raymundo Rivera and Mrs. Buclah Hubbard were presented with 25 year service pins with Postex. Johnnie Haire of Southland is congratulated by Mickey Mantle, public relations director for Reserve Life Insurance Company for his outstanding performance with the company. Dr. Steve Chun moves to Post to begin practice. Donna and Ashley Stotts of Plainview visited in the home of their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Bauman over the weekend.

20 Years Ago
Tower Theatre has fittingly booked "The Last Picture Show" to close the doors of the theater. Virgil Stone grows a tomato weighing one pound, two ounces. Local people celebrating birthdays this week go to Tommy Cole, Paul Simpson, Everette Windham, Allane Ammons, D.H. Bartlett, Paul Jones, Jan Bartlett, David Woods and Glen Barley. Mr. and Mrs. John Rodriguez announce the birth of a daughter, Christina, born September 14. Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Odom returned last week from a 5 day trip to Topolobampo, Mexico where they enjoyed deep sea fishing. Steve White, member of the Graham 4-H House Club, won three trophies at the Progress 4-H Horse Club Open Playday at Muleshoe.

30 Years Ago
Miss Barbara Montgomery and Charlie Stice wed in Tahoka. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. O.E. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Stice. New teachers in the Post ISD schools this year are Coach Dwain Robertson, Carolyn Black, James McEachern and Betty Allsup. Weekend guests of Mrs. W. C. Caffery, Sr., were sister Mrs. Ruby Ivey, her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Ivey, all of Amarillo. Lamar Ray Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie L. Martin has enlisted in the United States Army where he will be assigned to Fort Leonard Wood, MO, for training.

40 Years Ago
Lois Ritchie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Ritchie is the winner of the District 2 4-H girls scholarship to Texas Tech. Mrs. Maud Thomas donates room at the hospital in memory of Walter Thomas, Sr. and Walter Thomas, Jr. G.W. Gary gins first sale of cotton. A formal opening was held at the new Piggly Wiggly store. Mrs. Ben Howell and daughters, Frankie Sue, Vonda, Iris of Hobbs, N.M., visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Polk, last weekend.

50 Years Ago This Week
Miss Helen Dietrich, bride-elect of Joe Frank Hopper, will be honored at a shower tomorrow night. Cpl. James Hurt is expected home on furlough from Langley Field, VA. F.B. Cearley at Close City, is advertising pigs for sale this week for \$5 and \$6. Guests in the D.C. Williams home are Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Ponton and family of Ft. Worth.

Local ASCS staff meets with Presidential Counsellor

Clayton Yeutter, Counsellor to the President for Domestic Policy, met last week with local employees of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service and agriculture leaders from across Texas. Yeutter coordinates all domestic policy activities for the President through the operations of a new Policy Coordinating Group (PCG). The PCG is the domestic equivalent of the National Security Council.

Prior to coming to the PCG, Yeutter served as Secretary of Agriculture.

While at Agriculture he was actively involved in Farm Legislation and in negotiations to open export markets for American Farm products throughout the world.

Secretary Yeutter met with the group at the Texas State Conference of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service recently held in Lubbock.

The training conference was designed to train local employees in program administration and to improve the effectiveness of the Farmer-Elected County Committee System.

Jerry D. Harris, chairman of the Texas State ASC Committee, stated that Clayton Yeutter has consistently worked to expand the role of U.S. Agriculture in the world.

Domestic policy involves agriculture in every way. Secretary Yeutter's visit with ASCS committees and employees demonstrates the place farm programs have in our domestic policy.

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation service is the United States Department of Agriculture Agency that administers farm programs passed by Congress.

This includes programs that affect many local farmers and ranchers. Chairman Harris noted that this meeting brought together local agriculture leaders and administration policymakers for training and evaluation of the effectiveness of current programs.

The conference helped find ways to improve the service provided through policy decisions and improve the knowledge of ASCS employees.

Attending the conference from Garza County were employees Victor Ashley, Jamie Cooper, Jami Williams, Eydie Capps and committeeman, Ferrel Wheeler.



GARZA COUNTY ASCS staff members met with former secretary of agriculture Clayton Yeutter (center, front) during the Texas State ASCS conference in Lubbock recently. Joining in the event were (back row, left to right) Victor Ashley, Eydie Capps, Ferrel Wheeler, (front) Jamie Cooper, Mr Yeutter and Jami Williams.



PARENTS' NIGHT at Post High School was held last night. Preparing last week for the event were (left to right) Julie Hudman, Rebecca Haney, LaGayluah Feagin, Cathy Hill, Donna Stelzer, Jaynie Dickson, Karen Palmer, Linda Richardson and Irene Fry. (Photo by Mike Stearns)

Living on the Edge of the Caprock...

by John Senter
Extension Agent - Ag
Just Thinkin'

The 1992 edition of the Garza County Ag Day is complete and enough time has passed to reflect upon the event.

If you were able to attend on September 2, not only did you receive 5 Continuing Education Units towards your applicators license, you also had the pleasure of being one of the 131 folks who took time of their day to attend.

It appears that anytime you plan for 80, cook for 100 and have 131, something is sure working right!

It is very necessary to say thanks one more time to the members of the Garza County Ag Improvement committee who served on the planning committee and made Ag Day '92 so successful.

The members of the planning committee were: John Boren, Jr. Stelzer, Wayne McDonald, Ronald Thuet, Bruce Ledbetter and Dickey Wallace.

The entire Ag Committee did a great job of running this year's event and a lot of work behind the scenes made the day successful.

Jobs that "just happen", like cooking, clean up, mopping and sweeping all "just happened" because the Ag Committee members did a super job.

The programs were very informative, the meal preparations were great and the purpose of education and focusing on agriculture was achieved in a most enjoyable manner, not only for Garza County folk but people from over six other counties as well.

Thanks to each person who helped make the Ag Day special.

One topic on the program was presented by John Deere Safety Team. By the way, thanks to Rex Thomas and Hurst Equipment for his help.

The Deere Safety Team gave a stirring presentation on Farm Safety.

This program had a certain amount of "shock treatment" in it but nonetheless, it was something we all forget from time to time. It is important to note that President Bush has named September 20-26 as National Farm Safety Week.

During this time, it benefits each of us involved in agriculture on a daily basis to be ever mindful that we work in a dangerous occupation. Results released from the National Safety Council show farming to be among the five most dangerous occupations. Many farm related accidents are caused by carelessness.

Tractor related accidents are the forerunner among farm accidents and deaths. It is far too simple to take things for granted that we have done "a thousand times". Always

be alert to the possibilities of tractor accidents and don't get caught in a "for granted" accident.

Farm chemicals have also shown to be a leading cause of accidents. These can range from burns to inhalation poisonings.

With all chemicals, make certain that you always read and follow all label directions carefully. Be certain that anyone using the chemical is familiar with the product, the application and any special precautions related to the product.

Farm Safety Week is not just another title given to an insignificant seven days. It has meaning and a message and as ag producers, you must make certain that you exercise caution in your daily work routines. Be careful each day and during this week, take pride and use caution in a great industry - agriculture.

Democracy is the recurrent suspicion that more than half the people are right more than half the time.

—E.B. White

Trail Blazers Lunch Menu

Thursday, September 24
Baked fish, macaroni and cheese, spinach, coleslaw, cornbread, margarine, chocolate pudding, milk/beverage

Friday, September 25
Fried chicken, mashed potato, peas & carrots, green salad, bran muffin, margarine, pear halves, milk/beverage

Monday, September 28
Chicken and noodle casserole, stewed tomatoes, green salad, wheat roll, margarine, pineapple cubes, milk/beverage

Tuesday, September 29
Baked ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, raisin bread, margarine, peanut butter cookies, milk/beverage

Wednesday, September 30
Brisket, potato salad, turnip greens, cornbread, margarine, mandarin oranges, milk/beverage

Post School Menu

Monday, September 28
Breakfast- Dry cereal, toast, peanut butter, fruit, milk

Lunch- Chili dogs, french fries, mixed greens, cookies, home made buns, milk

Tuesday, September 29
Breakfast- Muffins, fruit, milk
Lunch- Chicken fried steak and cream gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, fruit cocktail, home made rolls, milk

Wednesday, September 30
Breakfast- Ham, gravy, biscuits, fruit, milk

Lunch- Dressed burrito w/chili, lettuce salad, fried okra, jello w/topping, milk

Thursday, October 1
Breakfast- Oatmeal, bacon, toast, fruit, milk

Lunch- Pizza, mixed vegetables, cabbage slaw, fresh fruit, milk

Friday, October 2
Breakfast- Hot cakes, syrup & butter, sausage, milk

Lunch- Tuna salad, lettuce & tomato, california mix, sliced peaches, cake, home made bread, milk

ACROSS	52 Manipulate	cod family	128 Gaze	40 January, to	York
1 Word with pink or rose	54 Film critic	91 Pool member?	129 Smile	80 Bono or Liston	81 Form of lyric poem
5 Anything worthless	55 Noisy, confused	92 Close by	94 Hopkins or Perkins	130 Uses a fax machine, maybe	84 Actress
10 Wet or moisten	56 Bovine mouthful	96 Manually	97 Society-page word	131 Part of A.D. DOWN	85 Ottomans, in a way
15 Gem stone	58 Actress Ada	98 Stadium cheer	100 Call the — (give orders)	5 Derner —	88 Become a member
19 Inland sea	59 Tree snake	101 Rower	102 Funny Dials vol. triumphs	6 Stone tool	90 Son of Odin
20 Proportion	60 Gazes intently	103 Style of type	105 Make a boo-boo	7 Garret	91 Turkey's neighbor
21 Greek epic poem	61 Word before metal or music	106 Paragon of slowness	108 Wild	8 Word before alarm or ant	93 Female parent
22 Quote	62 Milder or scope lead-in	109 Ibsen heroine	111 Ibsen heroine	9 Track events	95 Dramatist's milieu
23 — avis	64 Clue for Sherlock, perhaps	112 Greenland exploration base	113 Greenland exploration base	10 Himalayan monster?	96 Cote sound function
24 Lead-in to a song	65 Enemy	114 Reversal: comb. form	115 1979 movie starring Sigourney Weaver	11 Reversal: comb. form	99 Submit, as classwork
25 Liver or kidney	66 Butler's assistant	116 Marion or Diana	117 Moon-jumper of rhyme	12 Coronet	101 Available or ready
26 Pretty soon	67 Breach	118 Pinnacle of glacier ice	119 Classic car	13 Pass along	103 Highway monitor?
27 Rise gradually	68 Main body artery	120 Word before board or box	121 Kind of battery	14 Actor Byrnes	104 Discardant sound
28 Weight-watcher's concern	69 Fr. holy woman	122 Feed the kitty	123 Bean or city	15 City in Florida	106 Drawing room
29 Henry or Ernie	70 Harrison or Stout	124 Opera bonus	125 Friendly goblin	16 — colada (drink)	107 Camel's cousin
31 Texas shrine	71 Marked courage	83 Criminal	126 Type of hydrous sodium carbonate	17 Minute particle	108 Yield to temptation
32 Pinnacle of glacier ice	72 Gain as profit	85 Command to Rover	86 Drooping	18 TV host Jay	109 Lake port
34 Classic car	73 Drama division	87 Dull finish	89 Classic	19 French cap	112 Abie's girl
36 Main body artery	74 Roman historian	90 Fish of the	91 Fish of the	20 Essence of roses	114 Went swiftly
38 Fr. holy woman	75 Roman historian	90 Fish of the	91 Fish of the	33 Electrical unit	116 Privy to a mirage
41 Harrison or Stout	76 Roman historian	90 Fish of the	91 Fish of the	35 Author	117 Collar or jacket
42 Marked courage	77 Roman historian	90 Fish of the	91 Fish of the	37 Alkali	118 Pianist Peto
44 Gain as profit	78 Roman historian	90 Fish of the	91 Fish of the	38 Word before life	120 Those in office
45 Drama division	79 Roman historian	90 Fish of the	91 Fish of the	39 Forbidden	122 Ethiopian prince

Answers to last week's crossword puzzle

DANTE	SMUT	MARC	ATOLE
ELIOT	EACH	ARAL	PERIL
ELLER	TRACER	OUTONAL	ITW
ETTA	WALAGA	MESA	UORO
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DINERO	OROLE	RED	SHIRER
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GOBI			
JOANRA	VERS	SPRING	TAD
ALDO	DEVIL	MOUSE	ARIA
BLW	ATTA	ASST	OTTIZ
BLW	FEEN	LEVARE	REPOSE
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Garza County approved for disaster assistance

Fourteen additional Texas counties, including Garza, have been approved for federal disaster unemployment assistance to help residents who lost their jobs when heavy rain and hail destroyed much of the area's cotton crop, U.S. Senator Phil Gramm announced today.

Gramm said the new counties designated today are Borden, Cottle, Dawson, Dickens, Gaines, Deaf Smith, Garza, Howard, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Motley, Terry and Yoakum.

The senator said Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Floyd, Parmer, Hale, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock and Swisher counties were approved for assistance last week.

"This disaster unemployment assistance provides weekly benefit payments to those out of work due to the disaster, including self-employed persons, farm workers, farm and ranch owners and others not covered under regular employment insurance programs," Gramm said.

Gramm said the funds come from the Federal Emergency Management Agency, which will fund 100 percent of the costs incurred for the unemployment disaster assistance, and will be administered by the state of Texas.

The senator said FEMA is dispensing more than \$8 million in unemployment disaster payments to over 5,000 Texans in the 26 counties. Disaster victims in the designated counties may contact FEMA to apply for assistance by calling their local Texas Employment Commission Office.

1992 Ralls Fall Fantasy

The Tenth Annual Ralls Fall Fantasy, an arts and crafts festival and sale, will be held Saturday, November 7 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Co-chairmen, Kathy Couch and Kim Day announced that the event will be held in the Ralls Elementary School Cafeterium.

The event is sponsored by the Women's Division of the Ralls Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

Applications for participation which is open to area artists with original work, are now being accepted.

A selection committee will screen slides and photographs submitted of artist's work.

A limited number of spaces are available. For applications or more information, area artists are urged to contact the Ralls Chamber of Commerce and Ag, Box 807, Ralls, TX 79357 or Kathy Couch, Box 826, Ralls, TX or phone 806-253-2342.

The deadline for purchasing a booth is October 3.

Headin' and healin': pitchin' in to stop the war at home

The Pitchfork Ranch in Guthrie is sponsoring Women's Protective Services in an all-day fundraising event on Saturday, October 2, 1992.

The gate fee is \$5 per person with children under 12 admitted free. There will be a Century Roping and two Open Ropings using Coors Numbers. Books open at 8 a.m., Roping begins at 9 a.m.

The auction will include western art, hand-made bits and spurs, leather goods, tack, western wear, and livestock supplies.

Bar-b-que will be served from the Pitchfork Chuckwagons.

Dance to live music provided by Phoenix from 8:30 p.m. to midnight.

Awards will be given to the winners of the stichhorse races, horseshoe throwing, goat dressing contests, and calf scrambles for the kids.

The winner of the "Sugar-booger Back-up" for spouses will receive a free weekend for two.

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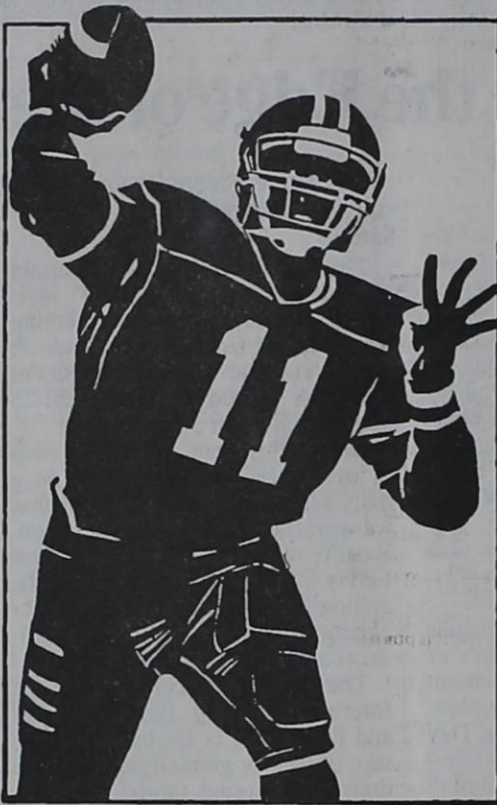
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- Jan's

RULES & INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The contest will continue through November 18, 1992. Each week is a separate contest with \$175 in prizes offered each and every week.
2. There are 17 games to pick each week. One game will be found in each participating sponsor's ad appearing on this page. Circle the names of the teams you believe will win. On the game designated as the "tie-breaker", guess the actual score of the game.
3. Anyone at least 12 years old or older may enter the contest. Only one entry per person. More than one entry will disqualify all entries for that person. Only the official entry form printed by The Post Dispatch on this page will be eligible for consideration. No facsimile, photo copy or other reproduction of the entry form will be accepted.
4. Entry forms must be submitted to designated sponsors no later than 5 p.m. each Friday prior to the games listed for that week.
5. Entry forms must be correctly completed and signed by the person submitting the form with the correct address. Incorrect entries will be disqualified. In all instances, the decision of the judges will be final.
6. Entry forms must be signed by the person submitting the form, entries known to be signed by a person other than the one who completed the form will disqualify that entry.
7. In the case of a tie, contestants guessing nearest to the actual "tie-breaker" game score will be declared the winner. The tie-breaker will be determined by the point spread method, picking the winner correctly. In case of identical scores, prize money will be divided equally.
8. Employees of The Post Dispatch and their families are ineligible to participate in the contest. Owners and employees of participating sponsors may enter the contest.

Tie Breaker Game

Fill in your guess of the score for each team...

Ralls at Post

In case of a tie, the contestant picking the winner and the score nearest the actual score will win.

\$100⁰⁰

Bonus Each Week

offered by
The Post Dispatch

If you guess EVERY game correctly!*

This \$100 bonus will be awarded in the form of "Post City Bucks," good at your choice of any of the 16 participating sponsors of this contest.

*To win the \$100 bonus you must correctly pick all 16 winning teams plus the winner of the tie-breaker.

Last week's winners:

1st Place (Tie) Sofia Martinez Pick up your "Post City Bucks" at McWhorter's	1st Place (Tie) Cy Willson Pick up your "Post City Bucks" at The Post Dispatch	3rd Place Don Payne Pick up your "Post City Bucks" at The Post Dispatch
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* Prizes will be awarded with a gift certificate redeemable at any of the participating sponsors for merchandise or services valued at the amount shown on the certificate.

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