Post celebrates 55th annual Post Stampede Rodeo



Post Stampede Rodeo Association directors have been working all week in preparation for the 55th Annual event. Directors are (back row, left to right) Fred Humble, Stanley McNeely, Kirk Stephens, (middle row) Roger Blair, Danny Robertson, Eddie Clark, Mike Johnson, (front row) Bruce Sanderson, Mike Babb, Ken Young and Casey Zachary. (Photo by Tim Burnett)

Weekend kicks off with Rodeo Parade today

by Julie Hudman

It's traditional that some rain clouds shower Post during the Stampede Rodeo, so maybe by the time this is in print Garza County will have had some nice rains and then have fair weather for the three performances.

The downtown parade is Thursday afternoon beginning at 5:30. Some of the groups on hand to help kick off the August 10, 11, and 12 shows are the Lubbock Saddle Club, Post Middle School cheerleaders, Post High School cheerleaders, and floats by L.D.'s Daughters, Tac 'N Feed, and the Trinity Baptist Church. Parade Marshall is Bob West, a former Post Stampede director who served in 1962 for several years. Bob has always been a supporter of cowboy and cowgirl events, and he was a faithful contributor to the rodeo while he resided in Post. Bob West has a reputation among leather makers as one of the best in the

panhandle. He owned and operated a western store and saddle shop on Highway 84 in Post for years. He now resides in Dickens, Texas and runs Bob West Saddlery there. This year the Post Stampede Rodeo directors have added improvements to the shows. They have constructed a brand-new dance slab located in the northwest corner of the rodeo grounds. It's twice the size of the previous slab and promises to be very popular when Jody Nix and his band crank up their nightly music.

Should rain come during the dance, it will be moved under cover to the old dance slab. Admission to the dance will be \$5 per person. Everyone must pay admission to the rodeo at the gate on the highway now. There will be two traffic lanes entering with plenty of gate people to keep the vehicles moving. No out traffic will pass through the entry gate in order to keep congestion down. Anyone wishing to leave and come back must pick up a ticket stub as they leave through the north gate on Highway 84. Rodeo admission is

\$4 for adults and \$1 for children 12 years and under.

Also, the directors have included Mutton Busting as an 8 and under event this year. Entry fee will be \$4 and contestants must contact Ken Young prior to the rodeo in order to enter. A parent or legal guardian must enter the child and must be present to put the child on the lamb before he/she will be allowed to

Rodeo books are open until noon on Wednesday. Rene Upton from Silver City, New Mexico is the rodeo secretary. Terry walls Rodeo Company will furnish the stock, with Dwayne Poteet from Louisiana working the bulls. Rodeo announcer is Jody Carper from Big Spring.

questions about several line items that were dramatically higher than last year.

"What we are saying," trustee Rex Cash said, "is we would like to see a budget

Last year Post ISD lost \$100 million in mineral based tax evaluations, and that

dramatic decrease is expected to continue. Although mineral production has not

declined as much as the loss of revenue indicates, the method of determining depletion has created a crisis atmosphere for most West Texas school districts

"A freight train is coming down the tracks," trustee Jeff Lott declared, "and

After a lengthy discussion about repairing or replacing air conditioning units

at the middle school, trustees approved a \$14,500 replacement and improvement

for the building. Jim Voss explained the deteriorating condition of the one unit

supplying air to the Learning Center and two classrooms, and Cash brought the

issue to the table by emphasizing the need to maintain current buildings, "we certainly are going to need that building for a long time," he said.

In other action, trustees approved the sale of property related to delinquent tax cases following an executive session with Shelley Veselka, attorney for tax

Board members also approved new graduation credit requirements at the high

school, following a recommendation by principal Joe Giddens. Incoming

freshmen this year will be required to earn 24 credits, instead of 21. Giddens

explained that the new block scheduling allows for students to earn as many as

Attendance problems at the high school were also discussed, and Dr Bain

informed trustees that beginning this school year Bobby Dean will be used as

Following an executive session, trustees voted to accept the resignation of

elementary teachers Mikki Miller and Kenda Baskin and hired Mendy Dalby

Attending the meeting were trustees Gary Workman, Rex Cash, Mark

Kirkpatrick, Jeff Lott, Alexa Collier, Mark Short and Barbara Hardin.

that reflects the economic problems facing us at this time.'

accustomed to mineral production taxes.

we are concerned about the impending wreck."

a truant officer to check on chronic absentee students.

and Carol Williams as replacements.



Mike Macy (right) and son Aaron display one of the championship saddles to be awarded during this year's Post Stampede Rodeo Association's 55th annual event. (Photo by Tim Burnett)

Post Notes

Ladies' Golf Assoc. meets Monday

The Ladies' Golf Association meeting will be held Monday, August 14 at 6 p.m. at the Caprock Golf Course. The meeting is open to any ladies interested in participating in the golf association.

Alzheimer clinic tonight at Church of Christ

A clinic to assist families affected by Alzheimer's will be held tonight at the Post Church of Christ fellowship hall. Staff from the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center will present the program. The event is free and open to the public.

Trinity Baptist holds VBS

Vacation Bible School will be held at Trinity Baptist Church, 915 N. Ave. O from Monday, August 14 through Wednesday, August 16 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Families are invited to attend the commencement services Wednesday, August 16 at 7:30 p.m.

Girl Scouts plan swimming party

The Post Girl Scouts will be treated to a swimming party August 15 at the Post public swimming pool from 6 to 8 p.m. Pizza will be provided. Any girl from kindergarten to senior in high school interested in being a Girl Scout is invited. There will be a pre-registration at the party. Adults interested in helping as leaders are encouraged to attend.

County schools start 14th, 21st

Southland ISD opens its school year August 14, while Post ISD students report for the first day on August 21.

Teachers at both school systems report one week earlier for in-service training and preparations.

New students to Post ISD are encouraged to register early at individual campuses from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Playdays fall series starts August 17

Playdays will begin Thursday, August 17 at the Post Rodeo Arena at 6 p.m. Age groups are five and under, six to nine, 10 to 14 and 15 and older. Events include poles, barrels, flags, goats, breakaway roping and steer stopping. For more information call Lea Hair at 495-2174.

Middle School orientation August 18

The Post Middle School orientation and open house will be held Friday, August 18 at 7 p.m. in the Elementary School auditorium. Students will be able to pick up class schedules and visit with classrooms and teachers. Schedules will not be released until Friday, August 18 at 7 p.m.

'What is proper role of government?'

The August 21 Liberty Forum focus for discussion will be the question, "What is the proper role of government?" Beginning a series of discussions on government, the role of local government will be the focus for August. Future meetings will center around state and federal government roles.

The Liberty Forum is held the third Monday monthly at the Chaparral Restaurant. The event is hosted by the Garza County Libertarian Party. For additional information call Wes Burnett at 495-3884.

EMT opens up class for volunteers

An organizational meeting for a Post EMT training class will be held Friday, August 18 at 7 p.m. at the EMT room located above the library and city hall. Anyone interested in becoming a volunteer EMT must attend this meeting.

Those who wish to be considered for the training, who will be unable to attend the organizational meeting, must call Debbie Jenkins at 495-2828 or John Redman at 495-2370 before the August 18 meeting.

Family Self-Sufficiency August 28 South Plains Community Action Association, Inc. will host an

information session on Family Self-Sufficiency Through Community Resources on Prevention of Blindness at Norwest Bank, Monday, August 28 beginning at 10 a.m. Those needing transportation should call the service center at 495-2329.

Commodities distribution August 24-25

This month's commodities distribution will be in Southland August 24 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the school parking lot. Post distribution will be August 25 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the service center on the Snyder Highway.

Reserve section gets improvements

Post Antelope fans will appreciate improvements at the stadium, especially the changes made for reserved seating. The reserved section has been separated from walk-through traffic on both sides and in front. Entrance for the reserved section is now from the rear, with the walkway in front completely closed to cross traffic.

Tickets for reserved seating is the same as general admission, \$3 per per person per game. Tickets will be on sale at the high school office beginning August 16 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Repairs have also been made on sidewalk and stadium seats.

4-H needs food committee volunteers The Extension Office is seeking volunteers to assist with the 1995 Food Show planning committee. Parents or individuals interested in helping with this committee, please contact Kelly Ahrens (CEA-FCS) this week. The committee is responsible for setting project and show guidelines, registration procedures and the date, time and place for the Garza County Food Show.

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Post ISD trustees struggle to hold tax rate with declining revenues

In less than three years Post ISD has gone from riches to rags in terms of total revenue available for the tax base, and trustees spent several hours at the regular meeting Tuesday night trying to trim down the 1995-96 proposed budget.

Working with a projected tax rate of \$1.44 per \$100 evaluation, trustees directed superintendent Dr. Bobby Bain to prepare a balanced budget, requiring a cut of approximately \$70,000 from the total \$5,888,000. Although the proposed budget is less than the 1993-94 total of \$5,968,000, trustees insisted that expenses be held within expected revenue

A budget hearing has been scheduled for August 29 at 7:30 p.m. in the board room, at which time trustees will determine the final tax rate. The mood at Tuesday's meeting left no doubt that board members favor holding the line on the tax rate, which this year is \$1.41. The projected budget presented at the meeting was based on a rate of \$1.44, but may not be the final rate accepted by

Board members went through the budget with a fine tooth comb, asking

Commissioners focus attention on tight '96 budget

Declining mineral

evaluations sting

Another budget work session Monday afternoon kept the Garza County Commissioners' Court zeroed in on declining revenues and tightly controlled

The formal public hearing on the budget will be held Monday, August 14 at the regular meeting. One of the issues facing the court is complying with the federal mandates related to the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Working with a loss of \$28,165,000 from mineral evaluations, commissioners are studying a proposed budget of approximately \$1.6 million with estimated revenues of \$1.63 million on a tax rate of \$.40 per \$100 evaluation. The current tax rate is \$.36.

Commissioners are looking for ways to tighten the expenses to allow for a continuing reserve fund of \$260,000, which represents two months operating

Attending the meeting were commissioners Royce Josey, Mason McClellan, Lee Norman, John Valdez, Judge Dalby, clerk Sonny Gossett and treasurer Ruth Ann Young.



Park. The shade tree was very popular during these past hot days. (Photo by Tim Burnett)

use two colors of brow pencil. For the most wear warmer shades. long lines. Add a brow creme to spruce up lips. These shades make eyelids and lips brows and hold them in place. Control cremes not only shape brows, they add definition, fullness and depth.

look older and crepey.

Be sure to add two coats of mascara to thicken lashes and define eyes.

To give an instant "eye lift", use an Use soft, muted eyeshadow colors like applying make-up.

Here are a few more tips for mature taupe, gray and mauve if you wear cooler, akeup wearers. blue-toned colors.

To enhance fading or thinning brows, Opt for peach, brown or khaki if you natural look, apply with short strokes, not Avoid bright, frosted colors for eyes and

Watch what you're doing! Invest in a lighted, magnifying mirror to use while

Fun Time Club

The Fun Time single ladies salad supper was held July 31 at 6:30 p.m. at the Trail Blazers center.

Francis, Nona Lusk, Winona Ward, Ruby Shedd, Hooter Terry, Ruby Carpenter, Mary Gunn, Pansy Smith, Inez Ritchie, Marietta Johnnie Francis and Inez Ritchie were Pruitt, Helen Jones and Doris Riddle.

Ostesses.

Ladies attending for a night of fellowship

The next meeting will be August 28, 1995. Hostesses will be Mary Gunn and

and good food were Jean Tipton, Johnnie Pansy Smith.



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Sara Alexander, Joshua Parrott wed August 5th

Sara Ann Alexander and Joshua Bramwell Parrott were united in marriage Saturday, August 5, 1995 at 7 p.m. at the First Christian Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Jack Alexander. The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs pleating. Clark Parrott of Seminole.

The bride's father officiated at the

double ring ceremony.

The sanctuary was decorated with an arrangement of candles and candelabras covered with ivy and accented with satin and tulle bows. Baskets of larkspur were also used. Aisle markers were accented with daisy nosegays, candles, and satin bows.

The bride, escorted by Mitchel Rasberry, her brother-in-law, wore a white satin gown by the designers of Bonnie Bridals, Inc.

The gown featured an open neckline and full length modified Juliette

The bodice of the gown was encrusted with pearls and sequins. The inverted basque waistline was accented with fortuni pleating embellished with clear rhinestone inserts. The dropped waistline was accented with pearls. The top portion of the sleeve was created from the fortuni pleating. Beadwork in the pearls and sequins was accented with Schiffli lace

appliques.
The front of the full length skirt was adorned with motives of the Schiffli lace and delicately beaded with pearls.

Tiny satin buttons fastened with lace back and a large satin bow accented the cathedral train.

The same motifs of Schiffli lace adorned the train and the tip of the train featured an inset of the fortuni

The bride wore a hat of satin and lace adorned with sequins and pearls. D'Lynn Young A pillow pouf accented the back.

The bride carried a bouquet of purple irises, star gazer lilies, pink roses and

The bride completed her attire with pearl and rhinestone necklace and earrings. She wore a blue garter accented with lace made by Sue Maxey.

Matron of honor was Tyra Rasberry sister of the bride. Marilyn Bell and Sarah Parrott, of Seminole, sister of easy to lead, but difficult to the groom, were bridesmaids. They drive; easy to govern but imposwore midnight blue iridescent satin sible to enslave. sheath dresses with off-the-shoulder sleeves. They wore pearl and rhinestone drop earrings and carried bouquets of the same flowers as the bride's bouquet.

Ben Armstrong of Lubbock was best man and Derek Ray of Seminole and Tim Crawford of Lubbock were groomsmen.

Ross Rasberry, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Ken Sessions of Euless and Mitchel Rasberry served as ushers.

Candlelighters were Barry Sheets and Blaze Bingham, cousins of the groom from Seminole.

The men in the wedding party wore black tuxedos, black cumberbunds and bow ties, and boutiners of pink roses. Jennifer Sheets, cousin of the groom from Seminole, registered guests. Honorary attendants were Tyra and

B.J. Funk of Lubbock. Georgie Willson played a variety of love songs on the organ as guests entered. He played "Trumpet Voluntary" as the attendants entered and the traditional wedding march as

the bride entered. Margie Maestas of Amarillo, accompanied by Mr Willson, sang "In This Very Room" as candles were lit. She sand "There is Love" as parents of the couple lit candles beside the unity candle, and she sang "Shower Me With Love" after the wedding vows as the

couple lit the unity candle. A reception and dance followed the ceremony at the Community Center.
The bride's table, covered with a white cloth accented with white tulle, held a silver punch bowl and candelabra with navy candles and an ivory Italian Cream cake. The three-tiered cake was adorned with a pattern identical to the lace and pearl motifs on the bride's gown. Handmade flowers of pastry cascaded from each layer of the cake. The flowers were identical to those in the bride's bouquet. A large pastry bow topped the cake, a creation by Jack Cruse. White latticework decorated with ivy served as a backdrop for the table.

The groom's table featured a large chocolate layered cake with chocolate decorations and the couple's names. A silver coffee urn and accessories and a bouquet of purple, pink and yellow flowers accented the table.

Buffet tables were covered with white cloths and were centered with a tall vase of flowers and fruit.

A variety of meats, fruits, vegetables, meat spread and crackers were served with punch and iced tea. Guest tables were covered with white

cloths and navy and pink bows. The bride and groom danced the first dance to "When I Fall in Love."

Members of the house party were Tamra Gerner and Raeline Bagby. The bride's going away attire was a black pant suit with pearl accessories. A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents in the garden room of the Chaparral Restaurant Friday

The groom, a graduate of Seminole High School and Texas Tech, is employed by Bank One.

The bride, a graduate of Post High School, has attended Texas Tech and will complete her education at UTPB. The couple will live in Dallas and later Midland.



Perez Brown wed July 22 in Post

Rachel Perez and John Brown exchanged wedding vows July 22 at 5 p.m. in the afternoon at Templo Bautista with the Rev. Carlos Martinez officiating the double ring

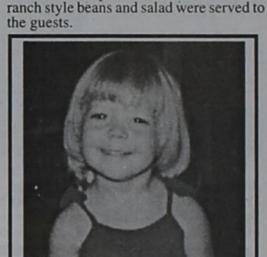
Soto and Raqul Martinez. Rachel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe S. Perez of Post and John is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Lubbock, in the fellowship hall of the church. Brisket,

Bridal shower honors

A bridal brunch and lingerie shower was held in the home of Mrs. Boy Hart Saturday July 22 in honor of D'Lynn Young. Hostesses for the event were Marianne Hart, Fern Jones, Nancy Kemp, Pam Workman and Elizabeth Hart.

Education makes a people -Henry Peter, Lord

Brougham



The bride, wearing a long white wedding

Vicki Perez, the brides sister was maid

Bridesmaids were Grace Soto, Christa

After the wedding a reception was held

gown was given in marriage by her father.

of honor and Jason Lohse was best man.

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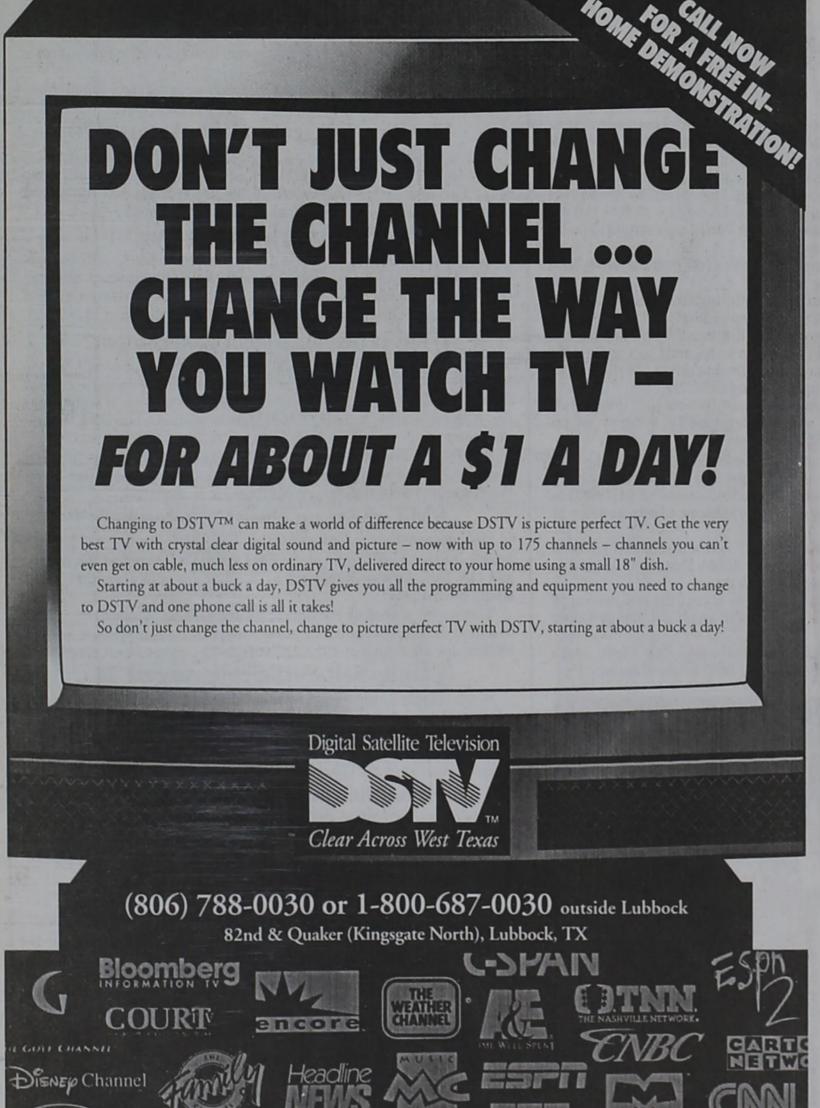
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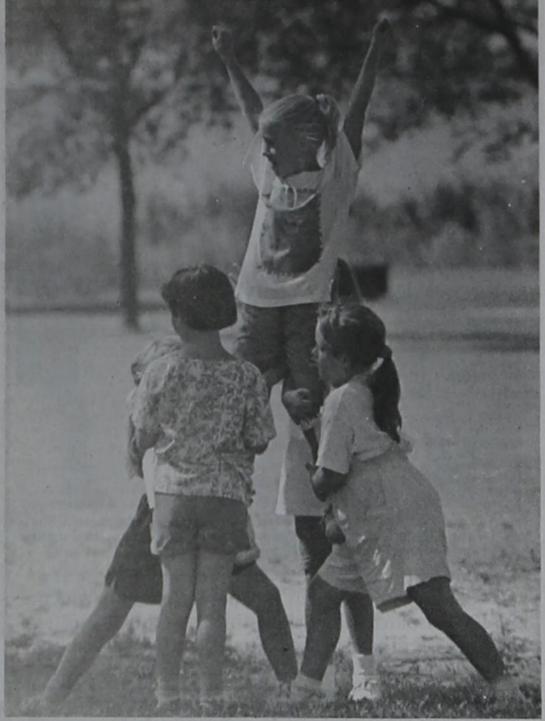
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Enjoying the fun of learning cheers during the PHS cheerleader camp this week are (left to right) Dionn Heckaman, Christen Collier, Erin Jones and not visible (left) Ashton Smith and (right) Courtney Short. (Photo by Tim

ige by her father sister was maid

e was best man.

e church, Brisket,

You!

495-2438

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Harry Browne to participate in first nationally televised Presidental Debate

Harry Browne will be included in the first Buchanan. On the Democratic side,

a Libertarian presidential candidate."

Harry's participation in the debate results from his campaign qualifying for participation in the nationwide CityVote by a challenge. preferential primary scheduled for November 7th.

"The initial qualifying deadline is July 1, and the official list of qualifying candidates won't be released until July 10." said Ayres, "but based on our information, Harry has met all the criteria and will qualify.'

CityVote, which bills itself as "A National Urban Presidential Primary", is a multi-city, non-binding presidential preference poll which will be conducted in

the other candidates — the Republicans and possibly even President Clinton. We've waited a long time to be able to confront

donations (for FEC matching purposes) of \$250 or less.

The Browne campaign qualified in 19 waited a long time to be able to confront them directly — and to make them justify states under the contribution criteria:

Republican candidates have qualified for Wisconsin. City Vote and the debates thus far, including Phil Gramm, Bob Dole, Arlen Specter,

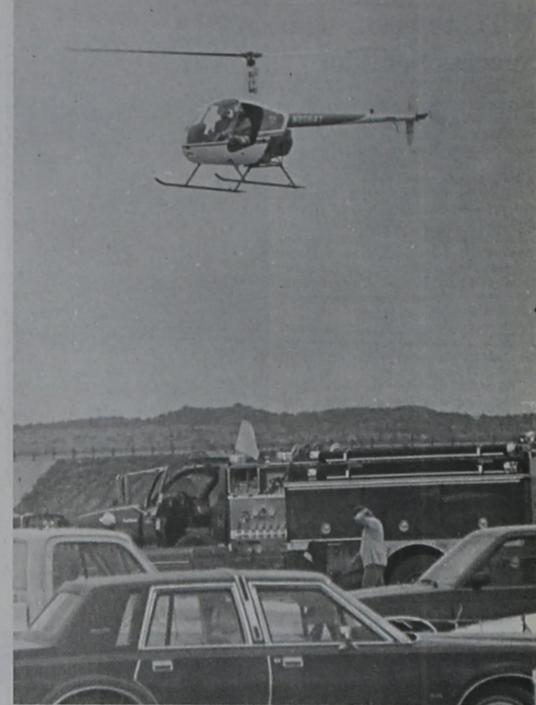
"Libertarian presidential candidate Lamar Alexander, Richard Lugar and Pat nationally televised presidential debate of the '96 election season this October 8th," incumbent Bill Clinton automatically qualifies, and he may be joined by longtime according to national campaign director
Sharon Ayres. "This is an exciting first for a Libertarian presidential candidate."
Harry's participation in the debate results from his campaign qualifying for CityVote by the first deadline on July I was

"Naturally, Harry met the basic requirements, such as 'being a publicly announced candidate for President in the 1996 election who has filed a declaration of candidacy with the Federal Election Commission (FEC)'," she explained. "That's something a candidate is required to do as soon as a threshold of \$5,000 in contributions and/or expenditures is

The three criteria under which the Browne campaign qualified were: 1) in the conjunction with local elections taking case of an independent candidate (defined place on November 7 in at least 16 cities across the country. Preceding the balloting will be a series of three televised debates, the first of which is scheduled to be held in making it more likely than not that he/she Minneapolis-Saint Paul on Sunday, October 8. Coverage will be by Twin Cities Public Television KTCA/KTCI (a PBS will qualify for the general election ballot in at least 35 of the 50 states; 2) having received at least \$100,000 in campaign affiliate) and by CSPAN. The second debate will be in Spokane on October 22. A likely site for the third debate on November 5 is more than \$10,000 being attributed to any "I'm delighted that we've already one state; and 3) receiving, in at least 15 qualified to participate in CityVote," said states, \$2,000 or more in total campaign Harry. "I look forward to the debates with contributions which are legally qualified

their spending programs, the taxes they've Alabama, Arizona, California, Colorado, all voted for, and the intrusions on our Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Maryland, liberties."

Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Jersey, Based on information obtained by the Browne campaign, it's likely that at least 6 Texas, Virginia, Washington and



Lubbock's Channel 13 news director Kenny Knowland arrived by helicopter Friday afternoon at the Old Mill Trade Days, where he interviewed OMTD personnel for a feature that was aired Friday evening. (Photo by Tim Burnett)

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WTC to host **Success Seminar**

Western Texas College will be hosting the second of two Success Seminars on Tuesday, August 15. All full-time entering freshman should plan to attend the seminar, which serves as an orientation for new students. The seminar begins at 9:30 a.m. and will continue until early afternoon.

During the Success Seminar, academic advisors will be available to help with the selection of classes, valuable information concerning campus life will be shared, and students will pre-register for the 1995 fall semester. There will be a session for parents given by Dr. Harry Krenek, WTC president, and campus tours will be available for all attendees throughtout the day.

Students may also take placement tests if their ACT or SAT scores are not on file. All students who need to take placement tests should arrive at 8 a.m.

The cost of the seminar is \$20, which includes lunch for the student and two guests. There is an additional \$10 fee if the student must take a placement test.

Students who attend the seminar must be prepared to pay for registration and housing fees at that time. Financial aid and scholarship funds will be disbursed to those students who have qualified and completed all of the paperwork.
Students who wish to attend the seminar

should call (915) 573-8511 extension 394 to pre-register. Students who do not attend either seminar will register for fall classes on Tuesday, August 22.



Dee Caylor grows some big stuff in his garden, and this year is no exception. He stopped at our office earlier this week with a 22 pound cantelope. "Jimmy Holleman gave me the seeds, God took care of the growing and I just did what I could for it," Caylor said.

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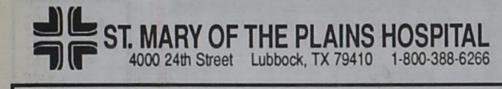
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Up and Down Main Street

by Wanda Mitchell, Post Chamber of Commerce

Rodeo week! Cowboys, cowgirls, Theatre. Only one of the six was a parades, dances. All in all a weekend of fun for the entire family. The pa-

rade on Thursday is shaping up to be a really good one and I know the rodeo will be great with lots of excitement.

The dance will probably be better than ever because of the fine

new dance floor not to mention the wonderful music of Jody Nix and the back on the air. I had a lot of calls while Texas Cowboys with twin fiddles played by Jody and Ricky Bowen. I can hear "Faded Love" as I sit here.

Rotary today and it was so interesting that no one wanted it to end. Penny told about some early, early history were stories that I had not heard. Most of them were about comical things that took place when Carl was Sheriff and before.

I wish Penny would record some of these tales to preserve because I doubt to. if anyone, even if they know about them, could tell them like she does. It IN POST!!!!!!!!!!!! was really a good program and I, for one, thoroughly enjoyed it.

Some of the new seat donors for the Tower Theatre are: Sue Shytles, Bryan and Minnie Williams, Joyce Tatum, Jimmie Redman, Victor Ashley and Marie Neff. Once again, we thank you all so much for your interest and your "money". With help like this, I know we are going to keep operating and bring some more great entertainment to Post. However, we still have seats to sell so dig down deep and let us be your favorite "write-

off' for this year.
Old Mill Trade Days had a successful weekend with more than 5,000 visitors. They are sort of like the energizer bunny "they just keep on

There were several couples here from San Angelo and they were amazed at what we had to offer. They made an entire weekend out of Trade Days, Hotel Garza and the Tower

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native of Post, Dr. Mike Cornell, and I think he was the most surprised about how much was going on in his hometown. We hope they visit again soon and bring more folks with them. We had a really big weekend with all our children and grandchildren cel-ebrating our 40th Anniversary.

We also had company from Galveston, Port Arthur, Andrews, Midland, Rotan, Lubbock, and Flomont. Monday morning I didn't know whether to burn the house or sell it.

We were sure glad to see Channel 31 they were off asking why, so we know people were missing it. Paul and Jim do Penny Rains did the program for activities in Post and our appreciation goes out to both of them

School is just around the corner and Mothers everywhere are probably rushof Garza County and Post and these ing around buying school clothes and supplies. I don't miss those days. Things have changed a lot, too. Now you wear labels on the "outside" of your clothes. Have a good weekend, attend the 55th Annual Post Stampede, and remember

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Josey Doggett knows how to giggle when asked to smile for the camera. She is the darling of grandmother Ruth Doggett of Amarillo. Josey is the daughter of Bill and Sharon Doggett, also of Amarillo.

Bring your favorite grandparent photo to The Post Dispatch to be included in this weekly feature. Photos will be published "first come, first served."

Neighbor to Neighbor

by Kelly Ahrens, CEA-FCS

The 1995-96 school year will soon become a reality for many of the residents of Garza County. The yellow buses will be delivering kids to and from a variety of stops. Sporting events



will soon become a major portion of the activities that kids will address with enthusiasm. Along with the excitement and determination to succeed, reducing the risk of injuries during school sports events is a concern for many. This school year, close to one-third of young children will suffer from sports-related injury requiring the attention of a doctor and/or a parent. According to the American College of Sports Medicine, up to half of the injuries sustained in organized sports are likely preventable.

Before your child even sets foot in a competitive sports arena, make sure he is in the proper physical condition.

A pre-exam is required by many organizations before an athlete is allowed to participate. A doctor can detect if your child has any physical defects that may prevent participation in a given sport. You can also take this opportunity to discuss with your child the hazards of anabolic steroids and other drugs, the dangers of rapid weight loss programs, and the

importance of proper nutrition. Training for young athletes should begin one to two months before a season begins. Each week there should be a gradual increase of 10 percent in the amount of time, distance and repetitions required in the training. In most contact sports, equipment is worn for the safety and protection of the athlete. Stress that equipment altered in any way will defeat its purpose. Also, ensure coaches insist equipment is worn in its proper way.

During the season, your child may spend more time with a coach than with you. Be aware of a coach's qualifications, training methods and ability to handle medical emergencies. Also examine your own expectations and how you present them to your child. If a child feels pressure from coaches and parents, needless injuries may occur. Keeping these and other aspects of sports in mind will reduce the stress on parents as well on the

athletes. Have a good year kids! DID YOU KNOW: You can make your own inexpensive softball that won't hurt kids or furniture: stuff an old sock with pantyhose and sew the seams together!

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Tax 'n Facts by Terri S. Cash, CPA

Special Tax Break on Pre-1977 Property

Most often we recommend against jointly held property for tax reasons. However, a recent ruling of the US Court of Appeals points to a special tax break on jointly held property acquired be-

Normally, when property is sold, the gain -- or loss -- is figured by subtracting the basis, the original cost, from the sale price. Inherited property has a stepped-up basis; that is, the basis is the value of the property on the date of the owner's death. If the heir sells it promptly, there is often little or no gain to be taxed.

If the property was jointly held, then the half owned by the decendent has a basis of current value, but the original basis continues for the half owned by the surviving spouse. If he/she sells, her/his gain is taxable.

But now the court has ruled that pre-1977 Tax Code provisions prevail for pre-1977 property, providing full stepped-up basis when a surviving spouse inherits and sells that jointly held property. (Note: Nine states offer such a break on all jointly held prop-

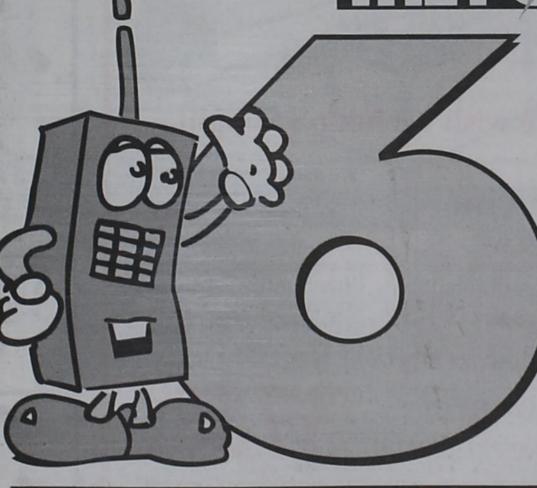
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Dickens Electric holds second annual electric camp

Approximately 50 4-H'ers from the DEC service area enjoyed three nights The 4 Lincoln National Forest was the setting for the DEC's second annual Youth participated in many learning activities

The 4-H'ers were treated to several and four days in the cool New Mexico workshops by County Agents and adult mountains near Cloudcroft. The leaders as well as DEC employees. Gayle Neaves presented a session on first-aid to the 4-H'ers while CEA-Ag Electric Camp. Camp Scott Able agents Michael Clawson, Motley hosted the 4-H'ers where they County and Gary Antilley of King County demonstrated how to wire a and had several recreational activities desk lamp. They were assisted by Kent

County adult leader Charles Arnold. and winning prizes. The 4-H'ers were then allowed to construct their own lamp out of a coke

hosted an "Electrical Bingo" H'ers participated in two activities workshop. They made learning which required teamwork. Without it

can for their own personal use.

FCS agents Darlene Brady, Dickens
County and Shirley Long, Kent County

agent taught teamwork and the importance of working together to accomplish a common goal. The 4
Yet to Come."

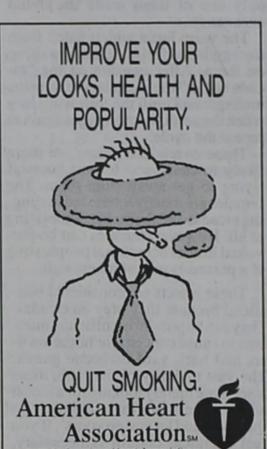
electrical facts fun while playing Bingo they might skin their noses. Everyone passed with flying colors.

Other workshops included Storm Disaster Planning by Stonewall Counties CEA-Ag agent Steve Bradshaw. Mr Bradshaw showed the 4-H'ers the importance of having a storm plan in their household in case of a major tornado or disaster, and how being prepared could save lives. DEC lineman Larry Taylor was to demonstrate pole climbing safety. But unfortunately after an injury on the Basketball court he was unable to perform his duties. Therefore, DEC's John Bleiker was called upon to climb the pole. (We thought we would really get to use Ms Neaves First-Aid when we saw John climbing). He survived and was very cautious especially coming down the pole.

The campers all enjoyed their turns at KP duty after each meal. Counties took turns at KP duty, Flag Raising, and being responsible for ice breaker

games. Various tournaments were held such as volleyball, basketball, and several horseshoe games were held.

This years camp was the best one In an outdoor atmosphere, Robert yet. We are learning ways to make the Herrington, Dickens Co. CEA-Ag camp more educational and fun for all agent taught teamwork and the the campers. DEC is looking ahead for





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Carla Odom completes training

Carla (Stelzer) Odom of Post, Texas, graduated from the vocational training program at Lions World Services for the Blind in Little Rock, Ark. for Contact Collection Representative for the Internal Revenue Service. She will work at the IRS office in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Carla was sponsored for the four-month course by Counselor Norma Parras, of the Texas Comission of the Blind in Lubbock,

The program, the only one of its kind in the United States, trains persons who are blind or visually impaired to work as tax examiners in the collections division of the Internal Revenue Service.

Carla's work will involve corresponding with taxpayers or their representatives to collect delinquent taxes, requests for taxpayers to file delinquent returns, and discussion of possible payment plans. She will use a computer to input and retrieve

While in training, Carla learned technical nformation about tax law, regulations and IRS procedures, and the use of special adaptive equipment for persons who are blind or visually impaired that will be used

to operate the computer program.

Lions World Services for the Blind, founded in 1947, is an international, nonprofit rehabilitation center that has served more than 6,700 persons who are blind or visually impaired for all 50 states and 54

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Free and Reduced Priced Meals for Post ISD Students

Post Independent School District today announces its policy for providing free and reduced price

The household size and income criteria identified below will be used to determine eligibility for free

and reduced price benefits. Children from households whose income is at or below the levels shown

welfare agency or court may also be eligible for benefits regardless of the income of the household

are eligible for free or reduced price meals. Foster children that are the legal responsibility of a

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meals for children served under the National School Lunch Program. Each school and/or the

central adminstration office has a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by any interested

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

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

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

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

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Living on the Edge of the Caprock

by John Senter, CEA-AG

Cicada Killers: Friend or foe?

In order to anquestion, it Cicada Killer.

swer the above might be just a little bit useful to know just what in the name of the goodness is a Whether or not you're aware of

it, you have probably seen one of these insects at one time or another. They are a very large wasp, usually about 1 to 1 1/2 inches long, most commonly are dark brown to black in color and the pair of wings is usually reddish - orange. You may have also heard these insects called by a differ-

ent name like maybe-Digger Wasps.
This is about the time of year when
Cicada Killers begin to appear on the
Plains, and just in case you haven't heard, the Cicadas are back too! The wasps dig a tunnel into the soil at an angle, for a distance of one to three feet. The main tunnel ends in a number of branches and cells. The burrow may be dug in either day or night and often time the digging process can result in a large mound of dirt. The entrances to the burrow are left open during the "stocking" of the nest and may never be closed except when the

wasps' entire job is done.

The wasp has a sting that is paralyzing to a Cicada (locust) and often times these wasps can be seen carrying a paralyzed locust into the ground. Depending upon the size of the locust, from one to four are stored in each underground cell of the wasps' burrow. The female lays an egg on the last cicada placed in the cell. As many

as four females may provision a single nest at the same time, even though only one of them made the initial

The wasp larva which hatch from the egg has a full-time meal waiting on them. After consuming the "cicada buffet" the wasp larvae remains underground until the following July when the adult wasp emerges again to repeat the cycle.

These over-sized wasps are more likely to cause you to hurt yourself trying to get away from them. The females are mostly interested in stinging cicadas and the males cannot sting at all. However, females can be provoked into an occasional people sting if a person is persistent enough.

These insects are considered beneficial because they prey on cicadas. They can be present in sufficient numbers to cause concern for home-owners and back yard barbecue guests. The vast majority of the time, these insects are merely looking for a locust and will be more than happy to go their way and let you go yours'. If you feel chemical control is necessary, you may use an aerosol spray containing pyrethrum or dust the entrance to the nest with sevin.

In answer to the original question, you know, the "Friend or Foe" thing - I guess it depends upon whether or not you look much like a cicada. Most of us do not and therefore, we can only believe that however scary these things look they mean us no harm.

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WATER USE UPDATE (Courtesy of Garza County Extension Office & Texas Agricultural Experiment Station)

For the Week of:	August 1- 6, 1995		
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Births

Tyler Michael Shepherd

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Shepherd of Frisco, Texas are pleased to announce the birth of a son, Tyler Michael Shepherd, born July

Maternal grandparents are Brenda and Bob Barnes of Plano, Tx.

Paternal grandparents are Natalee and Doug Sherpherd of Post.

Jacie Denea Kimmons

Chelci Lynn Hair Judy McInroe is proud to announce the arrival of her new granddaughters, Jacie Denea Kimmons and Chelci Lynn Hair

Chelci was born July 31, 1995 at 10:15 a.m. at University Medical Center. She weighed 5 lbs. 10 oz. and was 18 inches

Zach Barton McMeans Mallory Alyson McMeans

Mollie White McMeans

Mr. and Mrs. Bart McMeans are proud to announce the birth of their children. They were born August 4, 1995 at Methodist Hospital.

Zach Barton was born at 9:19 a.m., weighing 3 lbs. 7 oz. and was 15 inches

Mallory Alyson was born at 9:20 a.m., weighing 3 lbs. 9 oz. and was 17 inches

Mollie White was born at 9:22 a.m., weighing 2 lbs. 12 oz. and was 16 1/4

Maternal grandparents are Dr. Al and Beverly Fasol of Ft. Worth, Tx. Paternal grandparents are Shirley and Mickey McMeans of Post.

Bird joins **AMAA**

The American Maine-Anjou Association is pleased to announce that as of June 1995 Russ Bird of Post, Texas joined the AMAA as a new Junior member.

The AMAA is an association of progressive cattleman dedicated to the promotion and future growth of the Maine-Anjou breed. Among the many advantages of membership, Russ will be automatically placed on the mailing list for the breed journal, The American Maine-Anjou Voice.

If you would like to receive more information on Maine-Anjou cattle, contact the American Maine-Anjou Association at 760 Livestock Exchange Building, Kansas City,

Cotton News

from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. Predicting the outcome of a cotton crop on the Texas High Plains has always been difficult. In recent years, the task has

become almost impossible.

During each of the last two crop years High Plains cotton growers have started their crops behind the eight-ball and ended up producing crops well above the area's ten-year average production number. The 1993 and 1994 crop's each topped the 3 million bale mark. The 1994 crop was an acceptably pleasant surprise coming in at especially pleasant surprise coming in at just over 3 million bales despite the fact that early on a lack of moisture almost kept many acres from being planted. Early discussions of the High Plains 1994 crop found most production estimates ranging from 2.25 – 2.75 million bales.

The 1995 crop has gotten off to just as born just 2 days apart.

Jacie was born July 29, 1995 at 11:33

p.m. at University Medical Center. She weighed 7 lbs. 12 oz. and was 19 inches long.

Parents are Bo and Reshea Kimmons of

Parents are Bo and Reshea Kimmons of development of many late April and May development of many late April and May planted irrigated fields. Replanting activity continued through the July 4 weekend in a few isolated areas.

The overall result is that the 1995 High Parents are Benny and Teresa Hair of ost.

Plains cotton crop was put three to four weeks behind schedule as evidenced by the fact that the majority of fields did not begin to fully enter the bloom period until

Warm temperatures helped the crop put on a good fruit load and make up some of the ground it lost early in the season. Some boll shed is being suffered at this time due to severe high temperature stress, a rapid change in temperatures and persistent cloudy weather during the last two weeks. Temperatures across the area plunged

from 100-plus degrees the last week of July to highs in the 60's and 70's during the first week of August. The front, which brought some much needed precipitation to the area, primarily responsible for the cooler temperatures has given way to a low pressure system that so far has prevented the area from experiencing any rebound in

SPC announces fall registration dates

dean of admissions and records. SPC's Levelland campus will have Financial Aid Day August 23 from 9-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-6:30 p.m. for preregistered students receiving financial

The Levelland campus will have regular fall registration from 9-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-4 p.m. August 24 beginning in the Women's Gym adjoining the Student Center. A registration permit is required.

SPC Levelland's evening registration will be 4-6:30 p.m. August 24 in the same location. A registration permit is not required. SPC Levelland's late registration is August 28-30.

The SPC Lubbock campus, located at 1302 Main will be specified by the second sec

at 1302 Main, will have returning student registration August 23 for students enrolled in the spring 1995 or

SPAG to select

A meeting to select one minority representative from the Counties of Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, King, Lynn and Motley to serve on the Board of Directors of South Plains Association of Governments has been set for 7 p.m. on Thursday, August 10, 1995, at the Chaparral Steak House in Post. Interested minority residents in the counties

South Plains College has announced registration dates for the fall 1995 Registration is from 9 a.m. - noon for last names L-Z, 3-6 p.m. for A-K and

6-7 p.m. for A-Z. New student registration, for new students only, at SPC Lubbock is August 28-31.

Registration for the 11-week fall session at Reese Air Force Base begins August 21 for military personnel and government employees from 3-4:30 p.m. in Building 920, Room 130. Open registration is scheduled 4:30-7 p.m. August 21 and 5:30-7:30 p.m. August 22. Late registration is 5-7 p.m. August 22. 20

Classes at all three locations begin

August 28. To obtain a 1995 fall schedule of classes or find out more information, contact the SPC Admissions and Records Office in Levelland at 806-894-9611, SPC Lubbock at (806) 765-2760 or the South Plains College - RAFB at 885-3048.

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listed above are encouraged to participate in the selection process.



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NOTICE OF SALE BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4665, and styled Post Independent School District vs. Antelmo Saucedo and Caroline Saucedo, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 2, Block 128, Original Townsite, Post, Volume 170, Page 506, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas,

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

DEPUTY

NOTICE OF SALE

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4580, and styled County of Garza vs. William A. Scott and Grace Evelyn Scott, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 27, Alexander Addition, Post, Volume 95, Page 706, Warranty Deed Records, Garza County, Texas,

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

SHERIFF, Garza County,

NOTICE OF SALE

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4898, and styled County of Garza vs. Louis Valdez and Mary Valdez, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied. right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the

Lots 3 & 4, Block 54, Original Townsite, Post, Vol. 128, Page 166, Deed Records, Garza County,

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

SHERIFF, Garza County,

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NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF GARZA

Texas

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4699, and styled Post Independent School District vs. Mary Gomez formerly known as Mary Craido, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

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or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

SHERIFF, Garza County, Texas

DEPUTY

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF GARZA

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4893, and styled Post Independent School District vs. Abel Reyna and Maria Reyna, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

North one half of Lots 15 and 16, Hart Addition, Post, Volume 167, Page 245, Deed Records of Garza County, Texas,

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

SHERIFF, Garza County,

DEPUTY

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS **COUNTY OF GARZA**

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4890, and styled Post Independent School District vs. Lennie Jefferson AKA Linnie Jefferson, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 6, Block 129, Original Townsite Post, Volume 150, Page 701, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas,

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

SHERIFF, Garza County,

DEPUTY

COUNTY OF GARZA

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4533, and styled Post Independent School District vs. James Newbold, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 11; Block 137, Original Townsite, Post, Vol. 90, Page 7, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas,

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

SHERIFF, Garza County,

COUNTY OF GARZA

DEPUTY

NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4888, and styled Post Independent School District vs. Mike Martinez and Joe D. Feagin, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

South one half of Lot 1 and the West 36 feet of the South one half of Lot 2, Block 17, Original Townsite, Post, Volume 138, Page 278, Deed Records of Garza County, Texas,

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

SHERIFF, Garza County,

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE **COUNTY OF GARZA**

DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4708, and styled Post Independent School District vs. Elias Sepeda Martinez, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

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or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.



Evonne Sapp (right) receives a special award from Maj. W.L. Bond at the Texas Department of Criminal Justice's Jim Rudd unit in Brownfield. (Photo courtesy The Brownfield News)

1995

employee of the month for August

Evonne Sapp receives

Evonne Sapp of Post was selected as employee of the month for August at the Jim Rudd Unit in Brownfield. Sapp was nominated for her affirmative action and duties while

"Officer Sapp proves to be a noteworthy employee due to many of her job performances. She has demonstrated extreme diligence and execution in achieving her assignments," states first shift supervisors.

working for TDJC at the Jim Rudd

Officer Sapp continues to learn and her performance grows better every day. In addition to her work performance Officer Sapp works'well with her fellow employees and works hard to be helpful and honest.

The word squirrel comes from two Greek words meaning shadow tail. The large, bushy tails of tree squirrels curl over their backs and seem to keep them in the shade.

SHERIFF, Garza County, **DEPUTY** Property Tax Rates in Southland ISD 1995 This notice concerns 1995 ____ property tax rates for <u>SOUTHLAND</u> school district. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable) property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value. Last year's tax rate: 439,956.71 Last year's operating taxes Last year's debt taxes 439,956.71 Last year's total taxes 32,832,590. Last year's tax base 1.34 /\$100 Last year's total tax rate This year's effective tax rate: Last year's adjusted taxes 439,956.71 (after subtracting taxes on lost property) + This year's adjusted tax base 30,424,900. (after subtracting value of new property) 1.4446042 /\$100 This year's effective tax rate x 1.03 = maximum rate unless the school district 1.48942 /\$100 publishes notices and holds hearing This year's tax rate to trigger a rollback election: 439,956.71 Last year's adjusted operating taxes + This year's adjusted tax base 30,424,900. = This year's local maintenance /\$100 1.446042 and operating rate + \$0.08 cents = this year's maximum /\$100 1.526042 operating rate /\$100 + This year's debt rate - 0-/\$100 - This year's rate to trigger a rollback election 1.526042 This year's highest rate following a successful rollback election: 439,956.71 Last year's adjusted operating taxes + This year's adjusted tax base 30.424.900 = This year's local maintenance and operating rate 1.446042 /\$100 x Student enrollment adjustment 1 00000 This year's adjusted maintenance and 1.446042 operating rate + \$0.08 cents = this year's maximum /\$100 1.526042 operating rate /\$100 + This year's debt rate + Rate to recoup loss certified by /\$100 commissioner of education /\$100 + Additional rate for pollution control This year's highest school rate after /\$100 1.526042 a successful election Schedule A Unencumbered Fund Ballances The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation. Balance Type of Property Trx Fund General Fund \$380,000

Schedule B

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from properly tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable)

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Property Tax Rates in POST ISD

This notice concerns 1995 ____ property tax rates for ____POST presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the school district used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the school district can set before it must hold a rollback election. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes and state funds by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

ast year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 4,308,407.28
Last year's debt taxes	\$
Last year's total taxes	\$ 4,308,407.28
Last year's tax base	\$305,560,800.
Last year's total tax rate	\$ 1.41 /\$100
his year's effective tax rate:	
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	Last year's adjusted operating taxes	\$	4,308,407.28	16 to 18 10
-	This year's adjusted tax base	\$	278,924,510.	
	This year's local maintenance	*		44.00
	and operating rate	\$	1.544650	/\$100
	\$0.08 cents = this year's maximum			214.100
	operating rate	\$	1.624650	/\$100
	This year's debt rate	\$	-0-	/\$100
	This year's rate to trigger a rollback election	\$	1.624650	/\$100

This year's highest rate following	ga		
Successful rollback election: Last year's adjusted operating taxes	\$	4,308,407.28	
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$	278,924,510	
= This year's local maintenance and operating rate	\$_	1.544650	/\$100
x Student enrollment adjustment	1	1.013514	
 This year's adjusted maintenance and operating rate 	\$	1.565524	/\$100
+ \$0.08 cents = this year's maximum operating rate	\$_	1.645524	/\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$	-0-	/\$100
+ Rate to recoup loss certified by commissioner of education	\$_	-0-	/\$100
+ Additional rate for pollution control	\$	-0-	/\$100
= This year's highest school rate after a successful election	\$_	1.645524	/\$100

Schedule A

Unencumbered Fund Balances

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

> Type of Property Tax Fund General Fund

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\$3,150,000

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The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

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- A	mount (if any) paid from	funds listed in Schedu	le A	\$0	
- E	xcess collections last year			\$0	
- To	otal to be paid from taxe	s In 1995		\$0	
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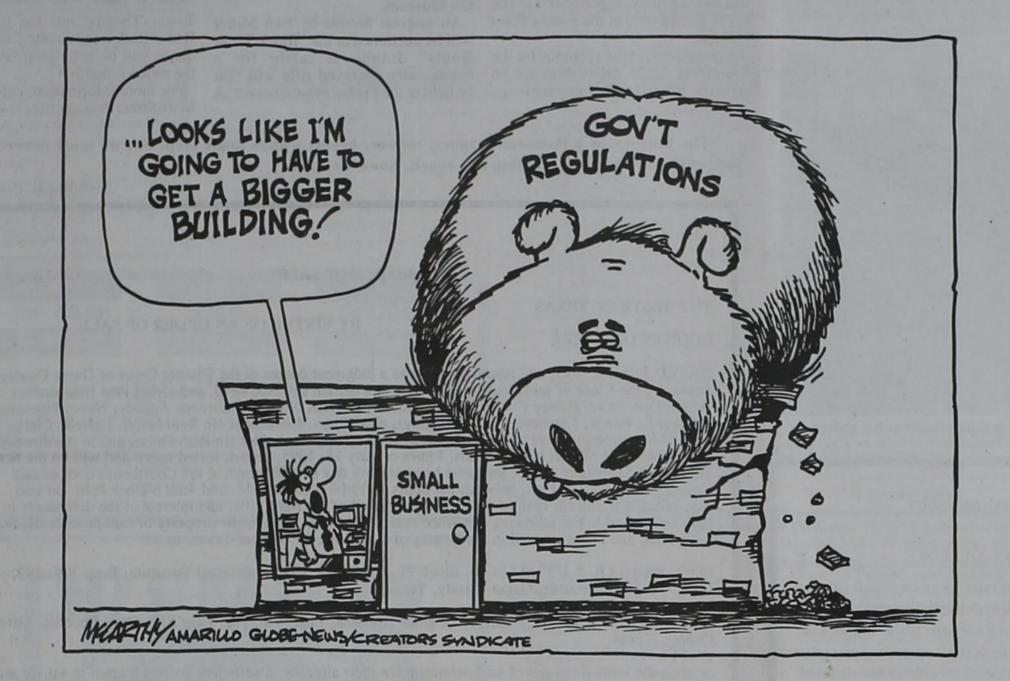
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Opinions



Fear of immigration raises questions about America

by Stephen Chapman

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Popular fear of immigration is as old as America, but it is not growing feeble with age. In fact, anti-immigrant feeling is clearly gaining strength. In the near future, Americans will have to decide whether the noble tradition of welcoming newcomers will be preserved or repudiated.

Plenty of people think it is time to pull up the drawbridge, and the next Republican presidential nominee may be one of them. Both California Gov. Pete Wilson, who advocates getting tough with

illegal immigrants, and conservative commentator Patrick Buchanan, who doesn't like foreign arrivals even if they're legal, hope to make it a winning theme in their

House), says the influx of outsiders is changing the nation's ethnic makeup at a rate that But overall, newcomers are about as likely to become a public burden as natives. As for invites catastrophe. As a result, he predicts, 21st-century Americans will face bitter racial conflict, repression and even national disintegration.

A congressional commission headed by former Rep. Barbara Jordan, created to make it politically easier for Congress to deal with the issue, has chosen to side with the exclusionists. According to The New York Times, its forthcoming report calls for reducing the annual volume of newcomers by one-third. That sets the stage for a battle in Congress, where Republicans are split on the issue.

Given the prevalence of simple xenophobia and bigotry, those who favor curbing immigration may not need facts to win the political fight. But they insist that some important developments argue for the changes they want. They make the following

The flood of immigrants is too large to absorb. Actually, the number of newcomers relative to the total population is quite low by historical standards — about 3.2 immigrants for every 1,000 Americans. That's about one-third the level in the early part of this century and well below the average over the last century and a half. By American

standards, we are experiencing a lull, not a storm. The skill and education of immigrants is declining. Not so. University of Maryland scholar Julian Simon, author of "The Economic Consequences of Immigration," notes

that the proportion of immigrants with less than eight years of education has fallen, while the percentage with 16 years or more has risen. High-tech industries abound with Ph.Ds

Immigrants are taking jobs from natives, particularly unskilled blacks. Economist Robert Topel of the University of Chicago says the evidence is clear that blacks are not worse off due to immigration. One study found that states with more immigrants generally have lower unemployment rates than states with fewer. If all the Koreans and Arabs left tomorrow, black Americans would lose grocery stores, but they wouldn't gain

Recent immigrants are prone to go on welfare and commit crimes. There is some abuse of the welfare system — particularly by refugees, who are immediately eligible for public assistance, and by elderly immigrants. Congress is already moving to restrict A new book by conservative journalist Peter Brimelow, "Alien Nation" (Random eligibility for the elderly, and there is no reason it couldn't restrict it for all immigrants. crime, it is mostly home-grown. Many cities with large immigrant populations (San Jose and Anaheim, Calif.) have low crime rates, while many violent places (Atlanta, St. Louis) have few foreign-born residents.

The foreigners coming today are racially different from natives, generating ethnic strife. This ignores 200 years of U.S. experience at digesting supposedly indigestible groups. Brimelow wonders if we can cope with so many Asians and Hispanics, just as Americans of Northern European ancestry worried about the dusky Mediterraneans who came a century ago. But Asians have assimilated so well that they are jokingly known as "honorary white people." Hispanics, far from adopting an "us against them" posture, are more likely to identify with whites than with other Latinos. This is the stuff

The doomsayers hold the perennial American belief that yesterday's immigrants were a boon but today's are a burden. They fail to grasp that immigration is to this nation what an underground spring is to a freshwater lake: a perpetual source of nourishment and renewal. It is part of the reason America is one of the freest, most inventive and most dynamic societies in the world. It has served us well throughout our history and will

continue to do so, if we let it. COPYRIGHT 1995 CREATORS SYNDICATE, INC. June 7, 1995

The best of whatever, categories you won't believe

by Robert Fulghum

SEATTLE — "The Best Place to Have Sex in Public."
This was a category, in a survey published recently in my home town. Seattle used to be known for its avant-garde action when it came to coffee, airplanes, computer software and tour-bus business to get ahead of the wave. I can see it now:

grunge music. I wonder if this survey category represents the next wave of social trendiness. Maybe I should buy stock in the "Welcome to Pink Line Tours ... and on your left, ladies and gentlemen, just there in the supermarket parking lot, you can see five couples ... "
To explain: For 10 years, the Seattle Weekly has surveyed its readers on the subject of "The Best of Seattle." Best loaf of bread, best dry cleaner, best bookstore, etc. The latest

edition expands coverage to the latest "best" from the World of Love and Romance: outdoor fornication. The winners: the University of Washington Arboretum and the Washington State Ferry System. Now, I can understand about making out in a place where there are lots of bushes and

trees. That's old stuff. Adam and Eve did that. But on a ferryboat? Wow! This information is, however, welcome news. It solves a problem for me. My motherin-law is coming to visit this month, and she wants to see sights in Seattle she has not already seen. A ride on the ferryboat ought to do it. "You check the lifeboats, Mother,

and I'll search the upper deck. The Best. That's what we want, regardless of the category. In almost every city I visit, some newspaper publishes the "Best" list. There are even magazines and books devoted to the subject. Much of what's listed is very expensive. But if you shift the scale and ask most of us for our list of "bests" on a personal, private scale, the costs are not high. What makes daily and weekly life go well comes cheap — if not free.

I'll give you 10 examples from my own "Best of Summer 1995" list.

1. Best Place to get Chicken Fried Steak in the Universe: The Shanty Cafe in Seattle on Elliot Way. It's on the dinner menu. \$8.95 plus a fine tip for the waitress. 2. Best Place to Hide a Private Supply of Something I Don't Want to Share at Home,

Such As Cheetos or Oreo Cookies: under the sink in the bathroom in a brown paper bag marked "extra personal toiletries." Nobody ever sorts through what's under the bathroom sink. And nobody asks what I'm doing in the bathroom with the door locked. And, of course, there is a sink in there. When I'm through eating the Cheetos

and Oreo cookies, I can wash the orange and brown dust off my fingers so nobody knows what I've been doing. 3. Best Hour of the Week: 8:00 a.m. on Saturday, when I'm still in bed — as opposed

to the same hour on Monday, when, if I'm still in bed, I'm in trouble. 4. Second Best Hour of the Week: 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, when I'm in the shower with

a cup of coffee and the stereo blasting the Best Spiritual Music: The Rolling Stones playing "You Can't Always Get What You Want" and Bob Marley playing "Don't Worry 5. Best Local Entertainment: 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, sitting on the back porch and

watching my neighbors do home improvements. Best Foods: waffles on Sunday morning and popcorn late any night.

Best Sound: the click of a door closing and the greeting "I'm home, dear" from my wife when she has been out of town and I knew she was driving home from the airport late at night on the freeway in the rain. 8. Best Smell: a beach towel that's been hung out to dry in the summer sun.

9. Best View: when I'm lying on my back on a summer night, looking straight up at the

10. Best Piece of Dumb Luck: figuring out how to write 700 words for a newspaper column with nothing better to start with than the sentence, "The Best Place to Have Sex

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Playing the 'lame game' with ADA

James Bovard has an article about the lunacy of the Americans with Disabilities Act in the July 1995 American Spectator that will make your day. In August 1993, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission announced that obesity was a protected disability. Therefore, a 300-pound woman who was turned away as a nurse's aide could sue the hospital. A 360-pound woman brought a \$1.5 million suit against a Memphis theater for her emotional distress when she found out she couldn't fit into any of the theater's seats. Not to be outdone, a 410-pound man, denied a promotion from

cleaner to train operator, sued the New York Transit Authority for discrimination. windows illegally discriminated against deaf people. Burger King settled the lawsuit by acts of Congress. agreeing to install visual electronic-ordering devices at 10 restaurants. In March 1993, a federal judge ruled that the District of Columbia's practice of excluding blind people

from jury duty was a violation of the ADA. The Americans with Disabilities Act also has been a godsend to dumb college students. Thousands have successfully dodged required courses by getting a shrink to certify them as "math-disabled." A Tufts University student claimed that under the ADA the in America cannot enforce unjust laws by the sword, because... the people are armed, university was obliged to accommodate her aversion to test taking. The president of Boston University said ADA lawsuits and threats have resulted in demands to "accommodate foreign language majors who have foreign-language phobia (and) to comfort physics students who suffer from dyscalculia, the learning disability that

prevents one from learning math.' University professors also benefit from the ADA. A Suffolk University professor sued the law school, claiming she was denied tenure because she had a disease that results in lethargy and lower productivity. Professor Donald Winston, an English instructor at Central Maine Technical College, was fired for kissing students and having sex with them. Winston sued the college, claiming discrimination against the handicapped. Two doctors at his trial testified the professor suffered from "sexual addiction."

Some attempts at blatant extortion and special privilege have been thrown out of court. Others have cost companies millions of dollars. Even when a case is thrown out, companies spend thousands of dollars defending themselves against frivolous suits. And who pays? You and I, through higher product prices or less convenience. But lawyers love it. In fact, in some quarters, the ADA is taken to stand for "Attorney's Dream Answered.'

We can't blame the ADA on mush-headed liberals. It was passed at President Bush's free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of

trying to perfect, is producing an economic nightmare for local jurisdictions as well. According to the National Association of Counties, county governments will be forced to spend almost \$3 billion by 1998 to comply with ADA mandates. Cities are ordered to put wheelchair curb cuts at intersections where even an Olympic-class sprinter might

What's Williams' solution to ADA mandates? I'm not smart. I depend on our Constitution for guidance. Amendment Ten says, "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.'

Then I checked Article I, Section 8, and found no authorization for the ADA. That being the case, the solution is a broad-based refusal to comply with ADA mandates. A Santa Monica, Calif., deaf woman sued Burger King, claiming its drive-through After all, neither the states, nor the people, have a moral duty to obey unconstitutional COPYRIĞHT 1995 CREATORS SYNDICATE, INC.

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Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the urging in 1990 along with those other Bush economy-crippling favorites such as the Clean Water Act and the 1990 Civil Rights Act. What Bush did, and what Clinton is grievances. The Post Dispatch, Thursday, August 10, 1995 Page 9

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The Commerce Clause: Route to **Omnipotent Government**

by Sheldon Richman

In 1990, the U.S. Congress passed a law forbidding possession of a firearm within 1,000 feet of any school. The Gun-Free School Zones Act was touted as a blow on behalf of education and against violence among children. Two years later, Alfonso Lopez Jr., a 12th-grader at Edison High School in San Antonio, Texas, carried a concealed .38

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First he was charged under Texas law, which forbids possession of guns on school grounds. But the next day, federal agents charged Lopez under the Gun-Free School Zones Act, and the state charges were dismissed.

Thus began one of the most important cases—and one of the most important decisions—for the U.S. Supreme Court in the last 60 years. It would turn out to be significant because the case bore directly on a clause in the U.S. Constitution that almost from the beginning, and particularly since the New Deal, has been used to justify a radical expansion of the power of the central government in the United States: the clause that delegates to Congress the power to "regulate. . . commerce among the several states." The sensible person will ask, "What does the commerce clause have to do with students bringing guns to school?" The Court's majority said "nothing." It has been a long time since the Supreme Court last refused to let the central government use the commerce clause to expand its power. That is why Lopez is such an important case.

Let's back up a bit. Before adoption of the Constitution, states, under the Articles of Confederation, had erected protectionist barriers that interfered with the free flow of trade in the new country. One of the main reasons for the Constitutional Convention was to remedy that problem. The framers' solution was the commerce clause, which was intended to make a free-trade zone out of the United States. (The clause also delegated to Congress the power to "regulate" trade with foreign nations and the Indian tribes. We will hold until later the question of whether this was a good way to solve the problem.) At first, the clause was closely interpreted as referring to interference by the states

big case involving the commerce clause, Gibbons v. Ogden, struck down a New York law creating a steamship monopoly for traffic between New York and New Jersey.

Marshall laid down the principle that for the national government to have jurisdiction, the issue must involve interstate commerce; i.e., it must involve the trafficking of goods (not manufacture) between two or more states. He also recognized that the enumeration of the interstate commerce power implied powers unenumerated (concerning intrastate

with the flow of commerce. In 1824, in Chief Justice John Marshall's Court, in the first

commerce) and thus undelegated. Gibbons may have gotten things off to a good start, but it did not last. Marshall sprinkled just enough bad seeds that, taken out of context, would allow later justices.

legal scholars, and political opportunists to cultivate the commerce clause into a general power to do anything that could conceivably affect interstate commerce.

For example, in 1870, the Court upheld federal inspection of steam passenger vessels that remained within a single state but carrying goods shipped from or destined for other states. The problems here were two: the inspection law was not intended to prevent state interference with free trade, and the subject of regulation was private enterprise.

Thus, we can glimpse the beginning of the modern view that the commerce clause granted to Congress a plenary power to regulate anything that had the potential to affect

It was a short step to creation of the Interstate Commerce Commission in 1887, which cartelized the railroads and regulated their rates. One last barrier had to be hurdled. Taking the lead from Marshall, succeeding courts

insisted on confining the commerce power to commerce, the movement of goods; production was regarded as prior to commerce and thus outside federal jurisdiction. In 1895, the Court would not let the central government use the Sherman antitrust law to stop the merger of sugar refiners.

In 1903, the Court upheld a federal prohibition on the interstate trafficking in lottery tickets. In 1918, it struck down a prohibition on the interstate shipment of goods produced in plants using child labor.

But as Richard Epstein has written, the barrier between production and commerce was "not as well-defined" as the Court held. After all, a market economy is an integrated web of activities in which everything affects everything else, however remotely. Manufacturing arrangements can influence commercial activities. It was only a matter of time before the barrier would disappear and the national government would begin to regulate

Looking back, the progression from the early cases to the New Deal, when all inhibitions on federal regulation of the economy were dispelled, appears inexorable. Too much had been conceded along the way. The mooring of the commerce clause the principle that state governments could not erect trade barriers—was too long lost, the distinction between government and private acts too long forgotten. (The Sherman Act outlawed private combinations in restraint of trade.)

In 1937, the Court upheld the National Labor Relations Act, which compelled employers to engage in collective bargaining, holding that the commerce clause subsumed those things "affecting commerce." In the particular case, the Court said that phrase meant "tending to lead to a labor dispute burdening or obstructing commerce." After President Roosevelt threatened to pack the Court to dilute the influence of the uncooperative "nine old men," a majority of the justices took to the most expansive definition of the commerce clause like a drunk to drink.

The Court blessed the secretary of agriculture's power to set minimum prices for milk sold intrastate. "The marketing of intrastate milk," wrote the Court in the 1942 Wrightwood Dairy case, "which competes with that shipped interstate would tend seriously to break down price regulation of the latter." Yes, so? What was the Court's point? Only that nothing—especially not liberty—should be permitted to get in the way of the national government's power to regulate the economy.

As hard as it may be to notice Wrightwood Dairy still preserved something of a distinction: the intrastate sale of milk obviously entailed an act of commerce. Did that mean the commerce clause barred the national government from regulating

noncommercial activities? Not for long. Enter Roscoe Filburn, an Ohio dairy and poultry farmer, who raised a small quantity of winter wheat—some to sell, some to feed his livestock, and some to consume. In 1940, under authority of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, the central government told

Mr. Filburn that for the next year he would be limited to planting 11 acres of wheat and harvesting 20 bushels per acre. He harvested 12 acres over his allotment for consumption on his own property. When the government fined him, Mr. Filburn refused to pay. Wickard v. Filburn got to the Supreme Court, and in 1942, the justices unanimously ruled against the farmer. The government claimed that if Mr. Filburn grew wheat for his

own use, he would not be buying it—and that affected interstate commerce. It also argued that if the price of wheat rose, which is what the government wanted, Mr. Filburn might be tempted to sell his surplus wheat in the interstate market, thwarting the government's objective. The Supreme Court bought it. The Court's opinion must be quoted to be believed:

[The wheat] supplies a need of the man who grew it which would otherwise be reflected by purchases in the open market. Home-grown wheat in this sense competes As Epstein commented, "Could anyone say with a straight face that the consumption

of home-grown wheat is 'commerce among the several states?'" For good measure, the Court justified the obvious sacrifice of Mr. Filburn's freedom and interests to the unnamed farmers being protected: It is of the essence of regulation that it lays a restraining hand on the self-interest of the regulated and that advantages from the regulation commonly fall to others. After Wickard, everything is mere detail. The entire edifice of civil rights legislation

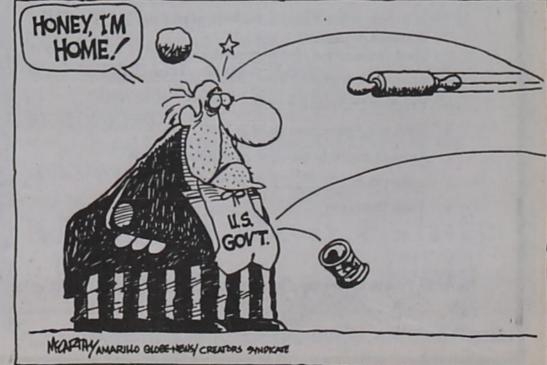
stands on the commerce power. Under this maximum commerce power, the government has been free to regulate nearly everything, including a restaurant owner's bigotry. The Court has held that if Congress sees a connection to interstate commerce, it is not its role What is refreshing about the recent Lopez case is that five justices were able to say that

something could exceed the scope of the commerce clause. Despite the government's strained argument that guns in schools degrade education and hence economic performance and interstate commerce, the majority said a federal prohibition on such possession is beyond Congress's enumerated powers.

In a concurring opinion, Justice Clarence Thomas struck at the very foundation of the modern interpretation of the commerce clause and hinted that future cases could bring

That's fine as far as it goes. But as Jefferson warned, the natural tendency is for government to grow. Like a poisonous vine, it sprouts through any gap. What is really needed is a repeal of the commerce clause and an amendment to the Bill of Rights that says: "Congress and the states shall make no law interfering with production and commerce, foreign or domestic."

Mr. Richman is senior editor at the Cato Institute in Washington, D.C., and the author of Separating School & State: How to Liberate America's Families, published by The Future of Freedom Foundation.





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Schedule B

1995 Debt Service

Description of Debt

(Expand as needed)

- Total Debt Levy

Date prepared 8-7-95

Excess collections last year

Total to be paid from taxes in 1995

Total required for 1995 debt service

Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A

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collect only __ o __ % of its taxes in 1995

Name of person preparing this notice Rick & Hanna

'Black Tie & Boots' dinner and dance highlights 1995 Founders' Day

The Ninth Annual Founders' Day a "Jamaica" at Holy Cross Catholic and dance Friday, September 22. The OS Museum. event will be held at the Postex Plant building.

celebration in Post will feature the Church and exhibits at both the Garza popular "Black Tie & Boots" dinner County Historical Museum and the

An original bronze by Ben Miller will be auctioned at the "Black Tie & Among the activities planned for the Boots" dinner. A raffle for a September 22-24 celebration are an handsomely engraved rifle will also art show, bike ride, downtown events, be held at the Friday evening event. A

set of spurs created by Robert Campbell will also be raffled.

"Keen Ridge Riders," sponsored by Norwest Bank, will perform at the Tower Theatre and the traditional Ranch Rodeo and country and western dance will be held Saturday night at the rodeo grounds.

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DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4870, and styled Post Independent School District vs. Jimmy C. Norman Individually & DBA Norman Insurance Agency, Nancy Norman, Thomas L. Power, Lienholder (In Rem Only), Neal Clary, Lienholder (In Rem Only), LaNelle Clary, Lienholder (In Rem Only) and First National Bank, Post, Lienholder (In Rem Only), and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 9, West 19 ft. 5 1/2" of Lot 10, Block 77, (39.5 ft. X 160 ft.) Original Townsite, Post, Vol. 192, Page 799, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas;

Lot 14 & East/2 of Lot 15, Block 1, Original Townsite, Post, Vol. 192, Page 819, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas,

or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED July 28, 1995, at Post, Texas.

By Kenneth m. Kare SHERIFF, Garza County,

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COUNTY OF GARZA

CAUSE NO. 2815

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DATED July 28, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Garza County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suits and styled The State of Texas, et al vs. CAUSE NO. 2345: G. I. HUFFMAN; CAUSE NO. 2463: CORA LUNA; CAUSE NO. 2668: JOSE CARRILLO ROBLES; CAUSE NO. 2835: MIKE SMITH; CAUSE NO. 2850: JOE GAILBON; and styled Post Independent School District, et al vs. CAUSE NO. 2800: JERRY BLALOCK; CAUSE NO. 2801: HELEN DORIS MILOW AND CLARICE MILOW; CAUSE NO. 2815, JUAN VALDEZ; CAUSE NO. 2816, JOHN M. HATTER AND JOHN M. ALEXANDER; CAUSE NO. 4443: KENNETH PRICE; CAUSE NO. 4512: CAROLYN CRUSE; and styled County of Garza et al vs. CAUSE NO. 4405: ALBERT PRINGLER, IR, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said CAUSE NO. 4405: ALBERT PRINGLER, JR. and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Court, I have on July 28, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1995, the same being the 5th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Post, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Garza and the State of Texas, to-wit:

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CAUSE NO. 2463 Lots 13 and 14, Block 24, Post, Volume 13, Page 1, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

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Block 2, Lot 39, Clarence Hart Addition, Post, Volume 13, Page 1, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

Block 1, Lot 24, Bingham Addition, Post, Volume 13, Page 1, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

Block 1, Lot 14, Clarence Hart Addition, Post, Volume 13, Page 1, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

Lot 36, Alexander Addition, Post, Volume 13, Page 1, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

CAUSE NO. 2835

Lot 34, Lorenzo Alexander Addition, Post, Volume 13, Page 1, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

Block 1, Lot 14 (pt) Bingham Addition, Post, Volume 13, Page 1, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

West 67.5 Feet of Lot 5, North 14 Feet of Lot 6 and South 67.5 Feet, Block 144, Post, Vol. 137, Page 323, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

South 26 Feet of West 67.5 Feet of Lot 6, & North 26 Feet of West 67.5 Feet of Lot 7, Block 144, Original Townsite, Post, Vol. 137, Page 323, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

Lot 7, Block O, Alexander Addition, Post, Vol. 116, Page 531 and Vol. 143, Page 391, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

CAUSE NO. 4512 Lot 15, Block 156, Original Townsite, Post, Vol. 172, Page 876, Deed Records, Garza County, Texas

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We would also like to thank the ER staff at Garza Memorial and the EMS personnel for the care and concern they

In our time of sorrow we especially want to thank those that sent flowers, food and cards. God has truly blessed us with wonderful friends and neighbors.

Robert C. Welch Janet Ratliff Granddaughters Great grandchildren

Personals

Post Group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Thursday night at the First Presbyterian Church, 901 West 10th at 8 p.m. Closed meetings are held except on the last Thursday of the month, which is an open meeting. We have supper at 7 p.m. and the speaking starts at 8 p.m. Anyone who wishes to talk or ask about an alcohol problem, call 495-4152, 495-4185

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40 Years Ago August 11, 1955

The four candidates for the 1955 Junior

The Post Independent School District's

Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCrary left by

Brenda Warren, four year old daughter

plane last weekend to attend a McCrary

of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Warren, was

honored with a birthday party Saturday in

the home of her grandmother, Mrs. W. H.

August 9, 1945

Marine First Lieutenant Henry W.

A new public address system has been

installed at the Post High School. The 1945

seniors donated funds toward the system

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Newberry of the

Graham community observed their 65th

wedding anniversary on August 7th. They

were married in Alpine, Overton County,

of Rosarita" with Roy Rogers and Trigger

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Community Calendar

Saturday, August 12

Monday, August 14

Edward G. Robinson and Joan Bennett.

Friday, August 11 7:45 p.m. Post Stampede Rodeo

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At the Garza theatre this week see "Bells

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as their gift to the school.

Tennessee in 1880.

family reunion in California.

Rodeo Queen are Judy Gossett, Kay

Kedrick, Kelly Jo Myers and Allane Norris.

new Tax Assessor-Collector is Ira

Greenfield, a resident of Post since 1928.

Yesteryears

Garza County History

by Pat Burnett

10 Years Ago August 14, 1985

The Post Band Boosters float won 1st place in the Post Stampede Rodeo parade. Some recent births are Caleb Milo Hernandez born July 19, 1985 to Milo and Sherry Hernandez, Chesnei Danielle Smith born August 3, 1985 to Robert and Tina Smith and Tyler Ray Bennett born July 27, 1985 to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bennett. The engagement of Mary Ann Norman

and Kevin Wright has been announced. They will be married on August 17, 1985. Shaw. Texas Highway Department employees receiving safety awards recently were: Arnold Fry, Vernon Nesmith, Felipe Guiterrez, Jerry Moore, Wade Peppers, Ray Bagby, Lester Josey, Bob Sneed and Jim Osby.

20 Years Ago August 14, 1975

Avery Moore celebrated his 70th birthday and was Parade Marshall for the annual Post Stampede Rodeo this past week. Avery has been out of the saddle for almost 20 years because of arthritis but now is able to ride again after his hip replacement surgery

The 10th annual King family reunion was held in the home of Doctors Mike and Sue Fisher and Micheal in Stanton July 27. Dwayne Dempsey and a friend of Seagraves visited Sunday afternoon with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis

30 Years Ago August 12, 1965 Mrs. Leo Acker and Mrs. Harold Lucas participated Tuesday in the Invitational Ladies Golf Tournament at Tahoka's TBar

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Noon - Rotary, Rotary Room, Community Center

Wednesday, August 16 12 noon - Women's Division C of C

Thursday, August 17 7 a.m. - Lions Club, Chaparral Steak LVNAT to meet August 14 th

Licensed Vocational Nurses Association of Lubbock, Texas, Division 18 will meet August 14, 1995, from 7-9 p.m. The meeting will be held at St Mary's Hospital, Arnett

Featured speaker for August will be Kevin Funk, M.D. Family Practice at the St Mary of the Plains Clinics in Lubbock, Texas. He will speak on

The yearly convention will be held in October in Corpus Christi. The President urges all Division 18 nurses to attend. At least 10 C.E. hours can be earned by attending.

nurses to attend meetings, seminars, and conventions to earn their more widely available. Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. continuing education hours.

For further information contact Melvena Coverdell, president, at 828-

Trail Blazers

Friday, August 11 Pork chop, augratin potatoes, carrots and zucchini, tossed salad w/Thousand Island dressing, wheat roll, angel food

Monday, August 14 Spaghetti and meatsauce, Italian blend,

Tuesday, August 15
Pork roast, mashed or O'Brien potatoes, wax or green beans, tossed salad w/French dressing, wheat roll, carrot cake, choice of

beverage Wednesday, August 16 Hamburger steak, brown gravy, broccoli rice casserole, tomato slices, wheat roll,

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cake, choice of beverage.

Waldorf salad, garlic bread, gelatin, choice

districts should be repaid beginning with 1993 property appraisals. leaders, Morales said he had concluded it wouldn't be in the state's best interest to appeal the

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Capital

HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling

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AUSTIN - Texas received fed-

eral approval last week for a six-

year plan to withhold payments to

welfare recipients who don't have

their children immunized properly.

effect Oct. 1, was announced by

President Clinton at the National

Governors' Conference in Vermont.

waivers to Texas and three other

states should serve as proof of

child per month from families on

Aid to Families With Dependent

Children who don't immunize their

Parents or guardians will be

required to show their children's

immunization records when they

appear for interviews every six

months to certify they still are

eligible for welfare benefits. But

the state will not assess the penalty

if the parent cannot find a clinic or

doctor's office offering affordable

While urging federal approval of

the waiver, the state assured federal

officials that it was educating

parents about immunizing their

children, offering immunizations

at Texas Department of Human

Services offices and spending \$10

million to make immunizations

No School Aid Appeal

says the state will not appeal a court

decision ordering reimbursement of

about \$80 million lost by school

districts because of a miscalculation

last month ruled that school

districts should not be penalized

for offering optional property tax

exemptions and ordered that the

After conferring with other state

The state comptroller's office,

against which the suit was filed,

Inmate Lawsuits Costly

ous lawsuits filed by Texas prison

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Texas is one of 27 states that

Last Puzzle

Solution

Meanwhile, Morales said frivol-

said it will not appeal.

District Judge Scott McCown

Attorney General Dan Morales

welfare reform.

preschool children.

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of state aid.

decision.

Approval of the plan, which takes

State

"The right to due process does not give prison inmates the right to clog up Texas courts merely for their own entertainment," the attorney general said.

Morales said costs to Texas taxpayers of defending groundless lawsuits filed by prisoners could reach into the "tens of millions of dollars" as the state's prison capacity doubles to almost 150,000.

Odom Eyes Gramm's Seat Houston lawyer John Odom announced his candidacy for the U.S. Senate last week, saying incumbent Phil Gramm "cares more about multimillionaires than he does the middle class."

Odom said Gramm, who is also seeking the Republican presidential nomination, "has been AWOL and doesn't stand up for Texas."

ested in presidential politics than he is in representing Texas.

He said the granting of welfare Odom, a longtime Texas Demo- affected cotton losses. cratic Party activist, said Gramm his administration's flexibility on president, and, at the same time, seek a third term in the U.S. Sen- department of entomology. Texas plans to withhold \$25 per ate next year."

Larry Neal, a spokesman for Sen. Gramm, said he wasn't worried about a Democratic challenge. "It's clear the Democratic Party plans to throw up a candidate, and if it is Odom, great," Neal told The Dallas Morning News.

"If he wants to spend a year and a few million dollars of trial lawyer money while spouting Bill Clinton's slogans, I say, 'Go for it, John," Neal said.

Odom, a native Texan, is a member of the Texas Youth Commission and served as legislative counsel to former Gov. Mark White.

Cities Get Anti-drug Grants Gov. George W. Bush has picked six cities to receive state grants and participate in the "Turn Around Texas" crime and drug-fighting program.

Alice, Greenville, LaMarque,

has urged Congress to impose Corsicana, Athens and Waxahachie will be eligible for state grants administered by the governor's Criminal Justice Division to encourage and train local citizens to fight

"These six communities have agreed to mobilize a grass-roots stand against crime and drugs," Bush said. "These six cities will work with the CJD and the Texas National Guard to send a clear message to criminals that they're not welcome in our communities.'

Cotton Task Force Named Texas Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry has named a task force to examine factors related to Rio

Grande Valley cotton crop losses. Farmers have called this the worst cotton crop in decades because of the combination of pest infestation, high temperatures and dry conditions.

Perry said the task force will He said Gramm is more inter- assess how drought, pests, boll weevil eradication efforts and other crop production practices may have

Heading the 11-member task will use the "LBJ law to run for force will be Ray Frisbie, chairman of the Texas A&M University's



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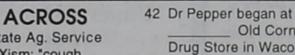
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Letters to the Editor

Lions, Rotarians, express thanks for fund raising

The Post Lions Club and the Rotary Club wishes to thank all who helped us in our fund raiser for Naomi Gonzales to help with her medical bills. We collected \$375 by having the garage sale, car wash and the gallon jars located at some businesses for donations.

A special thanks to United for allowing us to use their parking lot for the car wash. United also furnished soap and sponges, plus giving the workers pop and chips. Also, Pizza Hut furnished pizza for the workers. The Lions Club furnished the drinks at the Pizza Hut. We appreciate the support of these businesses.

Thank you, Paul Jones

Post citizens give time and money for community We are blessed to live in a community like Post. People chip in to help one another when needed. We have a lot of people giving their time and money to

make this a better community.

The contribution made by one business (Post Channel 31) came to light when it was off the air for just over a week. I was pleased to get so many calls concerning when 31 would be back on the air. People keep in touch by watching the city, school and county business meetings. This is the only way some have of keeping up with what is happening in Post. Not being able to see the church services and enjoy the gospel singing caused many to call, wondering when programming would resume. It was a pleasant surprise to hear of so many people listening to Channel 31.

Post Channel 31 is a non-profit group run by their Board of Directors, consisting of eight community members. The filming and programming is all

volunteer work. No salaries are paid.

Due to some recent changes, the Board could use the help of those that enjoy the programs. They owe about \$7,000. As the Mayor of Post, I want to encourage you to support Channel 31. Your donations will be tax deductible. Send donation to Post Channel 31, 202 W. 10th.

We want and need this business to stay on the air. Jim Jackson, Mayor

Two arrested for possession of controlled substance, two for possession of marijuana

by Becky Warren

subjects were arrested at 208 East 7th being held. Street. A 19 year old female, Venetia Marie McDougle, and a 18 year old male, Francisco Garza Lamas, were after paying his fine. arrested for possession of a controlled posting a \$1,500 bond each.

County Sheriff Kenny Ratke, Chief arrested for DOC (disorderly conduct), Deputy Maurice "Mo" Herridge and resisting arrest and a warrant. He is deputies Memo Ortiz, Bo Kimmons still being held. and Clint Schoonover.

was released after paying fine and arrested for DOC (disorderly conduct), court cost of \$230.

arrested for PI (public intoxication). The sheriff's office received and He was released after paying his fine. handled 68 calls during the past week.

On August 3, a 42 year old male was On Friday, August 4, 1995 four arrested on a bench warrant. He is still

> On August 5, a 17 year old male was arrested on a warrant. He was released

Also a 46 year old male was arrested substance. The female was released on DWI (driving while intoxicated). on a \$7,500 bond. The male is still He was released after posting a \$7,500 being held in Garza County jail. Also bond. Also a 33 year old female was arrested for possession of marijuana arrested for PI (pubic intoxication) was a 17 year old female and a 45 year and DOC (disorderly conduct). She old female. Both were released after was released after paying \$460 in fines and court cost.

The arrests were handled by Garza On August 6, a 21 year old male was

Also a 30 year old male was arrested On July 31, a 38 year old male was for a warrant and is still being held at arrested for a Class "C" assault. He this time. A 17 year old male was ourt cost of \$230. PI (public intoxication) and resisting On August 1, a 40 year old male was arrest. He also is still being held.

DPS states that 'kids do the darnedest things!'

We've all heard the saying, "Kids say the darnedest things!" Well kids "Elementary school age do the darnedest things, especially around school zones. With school starting up again, there's sure to be they move between vehicles to cross trouble afoot. Now is the time for the street when they're being picked drivers to start thinking about the dangers this presents.

up. School zones are not the time to light a cigarette or call the office on dangers this presents.

Whether you drive in school zones your car phone," Baiza said. once a year or work there every day, you can never foreget certain lessons. avoid a collision. Search from curb to One is that you have to use better curb for kids who could enter your judgement than the seven year olds who surround you, according to Trooper E. Baiza, Public Information foot are even more at risk. Officer for the Texas Department of Public Safety.

kids aren't small adults, and they don't That means it's your job to be even think like adults. They lack experience more aware of what's going on around with traffic, and they don't always act you. Since it's hard to predict kids logically. When you sound your horn, actions near schools, try to avoid these for instance, a child may think its okay areas. Reroute your trip, if possible, to to cross the street in front of your avoid peak drop-off and pick-up times vehicle," Baiza added.

Children also have limited However, if you can't avoid a drive perceptual skills. Sometimes they can't through a school zone, the best strategy even tell if your vehicle is in motion or is to just slow down and stay alert. It's

"Elementary school aged children often aren't tall enough to be seen on the other side of a parked car, or as

The key is to see children in time to path. Everyone who enters the roadway is vulnerable to injury, but children on

Many times the kids probably have their minds on school or friends, not "It's important to remember that on the vehicles moving around them.

and getting stuck behind a school bus. stopped. They can't accurately judge up to us to take precautionary steps to the speed and distance of vehicles or keep kids alive and safe.

Surf's up for Texas Ag Commissioner Rick Perry

Rick Perry recently became the first of this state will be technology driven."

our message to the public," Perry said. www.shoponline.com/rick/. "I'm a fifth generation farmer and

Texas Agriculture Commissioner rancher who understands that the future

statewide elected official to unveil his "The public wants to know more page on the Internet, the newest about its public officials than just what technology for communicating with it gets through a 30 second tv spot, and that is the purpose of my page on the "Just as the industry of agriculture is Internet," Perry concluded.

changing to meet the demands of the Perry's page was created and will be 21st century, likewise new maintained by Shop On Line, a Texastechnologies have replaced the time- owned business. Perry's address on honored techniques of communicating the Internet is: http://



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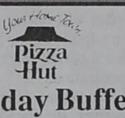
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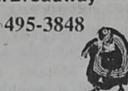


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by Rev. Jim Graham, Church of the Nazarene Hebrews Chapter 11 is the faith chapter of the bible. Within it's sentences you will find many proofs and illustrations dealing with faith. It refers to Abel offering a better sacrifice than his brother Cain; about Enoch who was taken by God into heaven without passing through death because he pleased God; about Noah who was instructed to build an ark to save his family from the impending flood which was to come; about Abraham who was called by God to go into a place that he would receive as an inheritance, and he went out not knowing where he was going; about Sarah who gave birth to a child after she she had passed the age of bearing children; and the list goes on and on. But! Wait a minute. How does faith work anyway? Have you ever asked yourself that

question? How does faith work? There are three ingredients that causes faith to work. Really more than three, but for our purpose we will only consider three.

The first ingredient deals with God's promises. Faith that works is positively, abosolutely, unconditionally, certain of the promises of God. Heb. 11:1 says, "Faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." In other words faith believes that God will do what he says he will do in his word, The Holy Bible. These promises are almost without number. If we could only believe and have faith that God

would indeed honor those promises, it would change our lives as Christians. God's promises gave Daniel victory even when being thrown into a den of lions. It gave Job victory even when all was taken from him. The Bible says about Job that his later years was more blessed than his earlier years. Faith gave David strength and power and victory when facing a giant who had all of the soldiers of Israel in their tents trembling. David, a shepherd boy, defeated that giant with a sling and only one stone of the five that he had.

The faith that works is absolutely, unconditionally, positively, certain of the promises

The next ingredient of working faith deals with God's power. Real faith that works is condfident of the power of God. After all, God brought everything that we see, hear, smell, feel, all of creation into existence by merely speaking the word and it happened. "Let there be light; and there was light...Let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters, and let it divide the waters from the waters...Let the waters under the heaven be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear...Let the earth bring forth grass...Let there be lights in the firmament of the heavens to divide the day from the night...Let the earth bring forth the living creatures according to his kind...Let us make man in our image, according to our likeness and let them have domination...ETC."
Genesis 1:1-31.

This all powerful God who has created all things, has promised to give his people power over all of the power of the enemy, which is the Devil. The child of God can actually tell the Devil where to go. He is heading there anyway. You do not have to be a defeated Christian. Have faith in the power of God to give you the victory. It does work. Joshua had faith in the power of God at the battle of Jericho. Without firing one shot,

as we would say it today, the wall of Jericho came tumbling down.

Moses had faith in the power of God at the Red Sea. With the Egyptians coming up behind, and the Red Sea in front, there seems to be no where for Moses and the Hebrew people to go. But Moses faith in God's power gave them the victory. The Red Sea divided and they walked to the other side on dry land.

So! Child of God! Be confident and have a relentless faith in the power of God. The third ingredient of working faith deals with man's response to God's promises and power. As his people, we must act upon those promises and power to make them work in our lives. Hebrews 11:8–35 gives one illustration after another about those who acted upon these promises and power. Read part of the list: Abel, Enoch, Noah, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Sarah, Joseph, Moses, Joshua, Samson, David, Samuel, the list goes on and on... V. 33–35 says about these. "Who through faith subdued kingdoms, worked righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouth of lions, quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, became valiant in battle, turned to flight the armies of the aliens, women received their dead raised to life again...ETC.

Acting upon the promises and power of God gave these believers the victory. It will also give the child of God of today the same victory.

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