


Double U Hands
in Texas Ranch Roundup
Cowboys from the Double U
Ranch, Rooster Swart, Sam
Whitley, Joe Pennell, Joc Marts and Whitley, Joe Pennell, Joe Marts and
Dusty D and ranch wife Della Swartz were all contestants in the recent Texas
Ranch Roundup, which is held in Ranch Roundup,
Wichita Falls. Della Swartz was entered in the
crafts division of the talent contest and the Double U men were entered in one or all of the following
events: saddle branc riding, team
roping, team branding, wild cow milking, team penning and the wild horse race.
The Double U team was in good form as they placed second in the
team penning; fifth in the team roping; and seventh in the wild cow milking
The annual event takes Old
West fans back to the late 1800's West fans back to the late 1800's


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If it's news to you...it's news to us!

## Commissioners, City Council in Joint Meeting on County Fire Calls, Landfill <br> by Lonnie Welborn

A joint meeting between the
city council and county commis sioners was on the agenda for the
Monday, August 28 regular meet Monday, August 28 regular meet-
ing of commissioners' court when city council representatives Dan Lamb, Jack Alexander and Bob to discuss the fire department and area landfill.
The council asked the commis-
sioners cooperatis on the amount paid for county fire calls from $\$ 225$ per for county fire call, or
$\$ 13,000$. Commissioner Hercer proposed that the county continue
paying $\$ 225$ per call and also paying $\$ 225$ per call and also pay
an additional $\$ 100$ per call in a
yearly payment yearly payment to be used for fire fighting equipment. The commis-
sioners unanimously accepted this proposal.
The city also requested a one time county assistance of $\$ 8,400$
for projected landfill expense for projected landfill expense, in-
cluding engineer's fees, surveying and soil investigation. The amount

## Side-Splitting Comedy Opens

 Tomorrow at Garza Theatre Leading the listo f ruvelersis Sweetwater's Greg Worthan, who als has
mate

 Ford Well, when Mauthew and 1 share a ride, we praciece our lines," Laura explaince, "and really, the tip down here and
moning co-hos f for Lubbocks' KZII-FM radio.
 Harry Kurnitz of the French play, "L' 'Idiote" by Marcel Achard, which opened
on Broadway in October 1961, starring Julie Harris, William Shatner and
W Walter Matthau.
Four years later it was made into a side-splitting film of the same name,
starring Peter Sellers in his first appearance as "Inspector Cluzot". starring Pater Sellers in his first appearance as "Inspector Cluzot".
The Garza Theatre production will be offered Thursday, Friday and SaturThe evening at $7: 45$ p.... and on Sunday at 2 p.m.
Ttckets are $\$ 6$ for adults and $\$ 3$ for children 12 ye Tyckets are $\$ 6$ for adults and $\$ 3$ for children 12 years or younger and may be
reserved at the Box Office by calling $495-4005$ Monday through Saturday from
10 a.m. to 4 p.m.




Special People Get United Way Help
You may not realize it, but many of the organizations who depend on your
donation to the United Way campaign could not provide adequate services donation to the United Way campaign could not provide adequate services
without help...federal, state and local governments just don't have enough money to meet all the demands.
That's why it is so important for every citizen to give something...because including those who are served by the Mental Health organization. Perhaps you don't know anyone served in this way, but chances are your
neighbor, or someone in your church or a member of lyour extended family neighbor, or someone in your church or a member of lyour extended family like a lot, that $\$ 400$ goes a long way toward providing critical equipment to help the people who need help the most.
Do your part...even it is only a few dollars, so many people in Garza County Do your part...even it is only a few dollars, so many people in Garza County
need you. If every Garza County resident gave as little as $\$ 3$ this year's goal of (Continued on Page 2)
Dispatch to Publish Sunday Edition Sept. 3
A special Sunday edition of The
Post Dispatch will be published September 3 celebrating Labor Day.
Advertising and news deadline for the special edition will be Thursday
August 31 at 5 p.m.
The Dill be closed Monday, September 4 to observe Labor Day, and will open Tuesday
morning, September 5 to accept morning, september unt accept,
news and advertising until 5 p.m.
for the Thursday, September 7 for the Thursday, September 7
edition.
Advertisers will find this Sunday edition an excellent opportunity to begin promotion of fall sales.
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advertisers a custal circulation of
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2,600 Labor Day Holiday Schedule Thursday, August 31,5 p.m.
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7 Edition
Monday, September 11

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## J.E. Birdwell

 New Appointee to Commission Texas Water Commission. He will replace Paul Hopkins of La
Marque, whose term expires August 31. $\begin{aligned} & \text { Birdwell, a former resident of }\end{aligned}$ Post, was borm in Ralls and is a
graduate of Texas Tech. He has graduate of Texas Tech. He has
served as a member and Chairman of the Board of Regents for Texas
Tech and as a member of the board Tech and as a member of the board
of the Brazos River Authority. He is a long-time member of the Texas
and Southwestern Cattle Raisers
Two-for-One Night on
Bingo's 2nd Birthday
occanion the Chamber of Commercce will celebrate with a special bingo
night, Tuesday, September 5 at $7: 30$ p.m. in the Post Community Center night, Tuescay, September 5 at $7: 30$ p.m. in the Post Community Center,
113 W . Main. Doors will open at $6: 30 \mathrm{p}$.m. On anniversary night, players will be able to get two packets for the
price of one. A $\$ 20$ value for only \$10. For more information, contact the
Chamber of Commerce at 495-3461. -micemoze



## Garza 4-H'ers Honored

Thirty-one Garza County 4 -H'ers and parents attended the annual
Mesquite Country 4-H Horse Association awards banquet in Snyder Mesquite Country ${ }^{4-\mathrm{H} \text { Horse Association awards banquet in Snyder }}$ Tuesday, August 22 honoring 4-H members who participated in the association's five show held this summer. Seventeen 4-H'ers from Garza County took part in the shows which
were held in Snyder, June 10; Jayton, June 17; Sweetwater, June 24; Post, were held in Snyder, June 15; Jayton, June 17, Swetwar, Jill
July 8 ; and Roby, June 15. Receiving overall annual awards at the banquet were: Willie Mesa, high point registered mare exhibior, Kim Reier, seng (tie), ghird place in
istered mare exhibitor, second place in pole bending
judged horsemanship, third in flag racing and third in total judged events; judged horsemanship, third in flag racing and anird in total juaged evons, Other particiipants in the summer shows were Emily Smith, Wendy
Menter Redman, Bronc Davis, Bobbie Joe Davis, Lori Hudman, Christy Reiter and LaBeth Jones
Parens atending the banquet were Steve and Jamic Cooper, Darrell
and Ruby Jones, Alex and Beatrice Mesa, Chris and Glenna Reiter, Darla

## News Briefs

## Rotary Club Golf Tourney

The Post Rotary Club will sponsor a golf tournament at the Caprock
Golf Course, Saturday and Sunday, September 23 and 24 . The fec to enter the towo-man scramble is $\$ 45$ per person.
Intiersted players can sign up at the golf course or register by calling 1988-89 Yearbooks Arrive
 12:30-4:15 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Fall Art Classes at Algerita
Fall art classes, sponsored by the Post Art Guild, will begin Monday,
September 4 and Tuesday, Sepiember 5 at the Algerita Art Center wiiht Marie Neff a sinstructor or or the mornh of September. Classes will meet
weckly on Monday and Tuesday at $3: 30$ p.m. why To regiser, or for more information, call 495-4000. If you are al-
ready registered for classes, come on your regular day at your regular
time

First Baptist School Bake Sale
The First Baptist Church Christian School will hold a Labor Day Weckend fund-rasisng bake sale at united Supermarked, sautroay,
September 2 from. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Any donated baked goods for the sale

Martinez Benefit at Holy Cross
A benefit to help with hospital expenses for Ceciil Marinez will be
held at Holy Cross Catholic Church all day Saturday Seprember il ner plates with rice, beans, salad thao and came quisada or gordita rice, beans and salad will be available for $\$ 3.50$. Cakes and cokes will
also be available. also be available.

Revival Continues
The revival now in progress at he Church of God of Prophecy, 602
14th, will continue through Friday, September 1 with Mike Tom linson as evangelist. Services will be at $7: 30$ p.m. and everyone is
iovited to attend.

Founder's Day Booths
Sponsors for food and drink concession booths are needed for the
1989 C.W. Post Founder's Day Celebration in October. With an expected atendance of over 6,000 , including students from West Texas group or organization are interested in a space during the activities, call the Main Street office at $495-4157$ or Barbara Hardin at $495-398$ Commodity Distribution

Page 2 The Post Dispatch Wednesday, August 30, 1989
Some Texas Counties Accepting Credit Cards No decision has been made to accept credit card payments for taxes in
Garza County, according to Tax Assessor-Collector Chita Hataway, but paying motor vehicle sales tax in some counties is now as easy as using A state law passed this year allows county tax assessor-collectors to accept credit card payments beginning Monday, August 28 for the state's motor vehicle sales tax, but the option to accept credit cards and whic sor-collectors. The law also permits credit card payment of motor vehicle title trans-
fers and registration fees; property taxes; alcohol license and permit fees and occupation taxes.
The new law allows tax assessor-collectors to charge up to five per-
cent on top of the motor vehicle sales tax for banking costs associated with accepting credit card payments.
Taxpayers will not be able to use
Comptroller's office or field offices
The motor vehicle sales tax rat
collectors forward 95 percent of the motor vehicle county to tax assessorkeep five percent as a collection fee
In 1988, the motor vehicle sales tax generated $\$ 896$ million in revenue
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POST MOVE MAGIC Post Movie Magio

were (frent rew for for biueoner present or he tibon cutting at the newy renamed Blubbonnet Savings Bank and Terry Moore; (second row, left to right) Gail Lehman, Trina Wood, Joy Fuitt and Bryan Williams; and (third row, left to

Animal Health Office for Area Moves to New Location in Childress Sept 1

On Friday, September 1, 1989 ,
the Area 2 office of the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC), which includes Garza County, will
be moved 30 miles north from Paducah to Childress and will be located at 204 Avenue B NW, Old Bank Building, Childress, Texas 79201. The telephone number fo
the office is $817-937-6125$. In addition to checking health certificates, tagging livestock, issuing permits and keeping record Area 2 inspectors also fulfill dutie Entered at U.S. Post Office,
Post, Texas for transmission through the mails as Second Class matter, according to an
Act of Congress, March 3, 1879.

> Garza, Lynn, Borden, Lub bock, Crosby, Kent and Scurry County:- $\$ 15$ per year
All others $-\$ 26$ per year


Wildlife Packets Available from Local SWCD
OVverread cover, an imporant
habiat component
for habitat component for many looked in much of the cropland currenuly being planted to grass in
Texas. Upland game birds such as quail and pheasant need this type of cover of evading predators and loafing during the day.
When developing When developing habitat on
these grass areas, the use of wildlife packets from the Texas Forest Service is very important for learning four different packets available, four different packets available,
each specifically designed for certain wildlife species. The four
groups of species are (1) quail and groups of species are (1) quail and
dove; (2) turkey and pheasant and (4) squirrel. Each packet contains 100 plants of four different species, instructions for maximum effectiveness designs for gested locations for plantings. Local Soil and Water Conserable to obtain these packets are landowners can contact the local packets. for information on wildlife packets.
Remember that the Soil Conser vation Service personnel at 201 W
Main in Post can assist landowners Main in Post can assist landowners
and operators through the Garza County SWCD in planning all as pects of wildlife habifiat develop-
ment. For their assistance ment. For their assistance, call the
local office at $495-2056$.

Special People...United Way





Weston, Cowdrey Will Marry November 18 In Lubbock Ceremony
Mrs. Beverly Weston announces the engagement of her daughter,
Donna Marie, to Curtis Delmer Cowdrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Cowdrey.
The couple will be married November 18, 1989 at South Plains The bride elect is a student at Lubbock Christian University. The prospective groom is graduate of Post High School and is a student at LCU. He is employed by

## In the Neighborhood



Claborn Family Gathers
The Claborn family once invaded Post for the yearly reunion and this time they gathered at the Those attending were: Elton, Prissy, Glen and Chris Mayfair of Ft. Hood, Missouri; Agnes Hamilton and Ebbie
Hamilton of Palo Verde Califonia Hamiten of Paio Verde, California;
Micki Anderson of Roswell, New Mexico, J.R. Williams of Nichiel, Arkansas; David, Dariene, Missy and Mitch
Edmondson,
Lewisville: Tommy, Penny, Amber and Jessica Williams also of Lewisville; Paula Nina of Roundrock; Tommy and Hamilton of Odessa; Jay Claborn. Eunice Faye Clabom, Oscar and isa Elmendorf, all of Lubbock; Mary Lee and Lance Claborm, Ruby labom, Renee Claborn, Melinda, Nurses' Graduation Diane Browning Conrad was
mong the 58 students pinned at the graduation ceremonies of Grayson County College Chool of Nursing in Denison, Ms. Conrad, who attended school in Post, is the daughter of former Post residents, Mr. and Mrs. Sordon Anderson, now of Denison. daughter and will be employed by Texorna Medical Center of Sherman. She was an honor graduate and ent council. Mrs. Frances Conrad of Post attended the graduation exercises.
Those S\&L people are at it
again with their auctions and their pre-auction press conferences, etc. This time the invitations are to
attend auctions in Midland and in attend auctions in Midland and in the first auction in Houston - that's the one that impressed me with its Bentley and its carved elephant.
This time, in Midland, things
are a little more practical. For inare a little more practical. For instance, you can bid on drilling rigs
or airplanes or a 1988 Lotus Esprit (isn't that what Agent 007 drives
when he isn't driving an AstonDallas for the auction there, things get a little more high class. In the Dallas auction, you won't want to
miss a custom made Bohlin saddle from Hollywood, California, or 17th, 18th and 19th Century antury caste door New Chamber Secretar Ann Stelzer has joined the staff of the Post Chamber of Commerce that organization. Thanks from the "Thank You" of Post Band "Thank You" to the parents who made the second annual ice cream
and swim party a success by and swim party a success by bring-
ing ice cream and/or sponsoring the event. Thanks go out to Mr. and
Mrs. Bagby, Mrs. Bell, Mrs Gomez, Mrs Harp, Mrs. Hatfield,
Mrs. McReynolds, Mrs. Morris,


Mrs. Wood and Mr. and Mrs.
Norman. An Apple a Day
The Dispatch got an apple
through the U.S. mail the other day

- an actual, shiny, red apple. And as surprising as receiving an apple
through the mail was the fact that the apple came from an orchard
near Idalou. near Idalou.
Hi Plains Orchards is Hi Plains Orchards is located
tree miles east of Idalou on Highthree miles east of Idalou on High
way 82 and is filled with 5,000
trees and 15 different trees and 15 different varieties of
apples.
apples.
The popular Red and Golden Delicious apples make up over 50 percent of the orchard. Picking pe-
riod for riod for Red Delicious begins ap-
proximately August prime picking for the Golden Deli prime picking for the Golden Deli-
cious begins about September 5 The orchard is active for picking from mid-July to early Ockober,
with the various varieties maturing with the various varieties maturing
at different times. If you go to Hi Plains to pick -
you don't even have to take sacks


## e picking.

Lending Policies Reflect
Changes for Agriculture
 into their banker's office and bor-
rowing thousands of dollars on their
signatures alone are becomin signatures alone are becoming a
thing of the past. thing of the past.
Fewer bankers are basing their loan decisions solely on their koan decisions solely on their
knowledge of the borrower's past
repayment record, repayment record, financial posi-
tion and the adequacy of collateril tion and the adequacy of collateral
said Dr. Danny A. Klinefelter and
Dr. Gerald C. Co. said Dr. Danny A. Klinefelter and ment economists with the Texa Agricultural Extension Service.
In the past, the formal loan poli In the past, the formal loan poloften much tougher than those ac tually followed in practice. Recen experience and stricter regulatio
are accelerating the movement toare accelerating the movement to-
ward commercial business standards, the two economists said. For example, as the trend in
agriculture moves toward many agricuiture moves toward many
part-ime farming operations and a
few large-scale part-ime farming operauions and
few large-scale commercial farms,
agricultural lending policies reflect agricultural lending policies reflect "Farms relyin
$m$ income for repaymily on off farm income for repayment ability
will have loan request treated like consumer loans with a standard set
of rules based on percent of income of rules based on percent of income
devoted to debt servicing, overall devoted to debt servicing, overall
debt-to-asset rations and specific collateral margins," Klinefelter said.

| Commercial farms will be |
| :--- | be subject to more information and documentation requirements with increased emphasis on repaymen ability, longer-run economic out-

look and specific enterprise analy sis.
Lending is becoming mor Lending is becoming more
complex as the commercial opera-
tions become vertically integrated, complex as the commercial opera-
tions become vertically integrated toms become
"A premium will be placed on
risk management by both lender risk management by both lender
and borrower with more control and borrower with more contror
and performance monitoring re-

## * Lunch Specials *

## Monday

Chicken fried steak or meatlof, mashed potatoes, red
Tuesday
Smothered steak or fish sticks, macaroni and cheese Wednesday
hicken and dumplings or chicken fried steak, fres earos, Au gratin potatoes, red beans, green beans.

Hamburger steak or chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, red beans, fried okra, corn.
Friday
Chopped BBQ beef or fish sticks, potato salad, cole slaw, red beans, green beans.
Saturday
Fried chicken or meat loaf, macaroni and tomato, mashed potatoes, red beans, mixed greens.
Sunday Roast beef or chicken and dressing, mashed potatoes,
 uired after the loans are made," he
dded.
The two economists point to
nother, more subte shift in lendThe two economists point to
another, more subte shift in lend-
ing practices that has occurred in response to legislation providing
for more borrowers' rights.

66th Anniversary for Virgil and Esker Stone

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 nion hosived by theiry athildren andgrandchildren the weekend of July
$21-23$ at the $21-23$ at the Days Inn in San An-
gelo gelo. total of 31 family members,
including the honored couple, including the honored couple, were All the family members met at All the family members met at
the Days Inn on Friday, and at noon on Saturday a big meal was served at the Bappist Camp cabin on Lake
Nasworthy. A beautiful blue
 whie anniversary cake was pre-
sented to Virgil and Esker, along
with cards and gifts. with cards and gifts.
Virgil and Esser were married
July 22, 1923. They had four chilJuly 22, 1923. They had four chil-
dren: Marjorie M. Stone Smith,
Post School Menu
Tuesday, September 5
Breakfast
Asst. cereal, fresh fruit, milk.
Lunch. Frito pie, letuce salad, french
fries, brownies, com bread milk.
 Breakfast - Malt-o-meal, saussage, toast,
orange jucice, milk,
Lunch - Burito w/succe, cabbage slaw,
 fricd okra, fruit cockzail, milk.
Trursday, September 7
Breakfast - Ass. cercal, fresh fruit, and mill
 Southland School Menu Tuesday, September 5
$\begin{gathered}\text { Breakfast - Donut, } 1 / 2 \text { banana, juice, } \\ \text { milk } \\ \text { Lunch - Chili-checese dogs, carot salad }\end{gathered}$



who died July 21, 1988; Bill Stone
of Adkins: Anita Stone Bilberry of of Adkings; Anita Stone Bilberry of
San Angelo; and AJ. Stone of Oto.
They San Angeo, and AJ. sioncoutho.
They alo have six randaughers
threc grandson and 14 great-grandchildren.

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Tiffany Clinesmith is Honoree at Baby Shower
Tiffany Clinesmith was honored recently
Fellowship Hall of Calvary Baptist Church. The refreshment table, where cookies, punch and nuts were served to the guests, was covered with a lace cloth and was accented with a baby
planter filled with ivy. planter filled with ivy.
Thirty guests called

Thirty guests called or sent gifts during the shower. were Marie Odom, Doylene Shumard, Betty Curry, Debbie Line, Mary were Marie Odom, Doyene Dollier, Lana Benton, Carolyn Williams, Linda Davis,
Nolyce Overton and Marcella Hair.

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## Things they never toldyou abouta heat pump.

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## Yesteryears

by Lonnie Welborn the depot "just for mail that can't be by Lonnie Welborn
As gleaned from the files of The posted at the post office before $6: 30$
Post Dispatch. Copies available on p.m." Post Dispatch. Copies available on
microfilm at the Post Public Li10 Years Ago
August 30,1979 Twenty-five new teachers for
Post schools were introduced in Post schools were introduced in
The Post Dispatch. Kay Lamb is tournament direc-
or for a Scrambler Tennis Touma tor for a Scrambler Tennis Tourna-
ment here Saturday. Presidents for the four Post
High School classes are: Brent Mason, senior class; Holly Giddens Clinic on West Eighth Sureet, junior class; Mario Luna, sopho-
more class; and Will Kirkpatrick more class; an
freshman class.
freshman class.
Sam Ellis of Southland received
a report from Baird that his 1978 pickup had been found,
knew it had been stolen.
knew it had been stolen.
Sheriff Jim Pippin almost gave
a Santa Fe freight train engineer a ticket and a trip to jail here Tuesday
afternoon for obstructing afternoon for obstructing traffic
while the engineer waited well over an hour for a repairman to work on his engine. He finally succeeded in
splitting the train with a second ensplitting the train with a second en-
gine to open the crossing a save himself a trip to jail.
Post has a new resident and a
new business person - Neena Patel new business person - Neena Patel -
who is from India and is the new who is from India and is the new
owner and manager of the Sioux 20 Years Ago
August 28,1969 August 28, 1969
First day enrollmment in the Po schoors Tuesday took a sharp and
unexpected drop of 135 students to only 1,126 , the lowest first day
turnout in a decade. Pam Petty and Martha Miller
were selected from among 13 conwere selected from among th con-
testants to represent Post in the sec-
ond annual White River Lake Day ond annual White River Lake Day
beauty contest. named vice president of the Amar-
illo National Bank. illo National Bank.
Mrs. Noel White entertained
with a party for her son Steven Jay
on his 10th birthday.
The Petersburg Buffaloes, who
are picked by some to make it to are picked by some to make it to
the quarterfinals, and the Post An-
telopes will scrimmage here Friday telopes will scrimmage here Friday
night.

Former pupils and leachers of was started in 1904, will gather at
he Graham Community Center Saturday and Sunday for a homecoming celebration.

30 Years Ago
August 27, 1959
August 27, 1959
Texas Rangers and local law en-
forcement officers were continuing forcement officers were continuing
an investigation of a break-in over the weekend at Forrest Lumber Company in which about $\$ 50$ was
stolen and considerable damage sone to doors and the firm's
dond records. Weakley and Ira L.
Ollie
Duckworth turned the tradition first Duckworth curnh wher groundbreak-
spades of earth spa ceremonies were held for the
ing $\$ 140,000$ home of the First new $\$ 140,000$ home of the First Mr. and Mrs. John Jamieson of
nuym and porn National Bank.
A mail box has been installed at
Kayenta, Arizona Clinesmith of

## State Surveys Need for Health, Human Services

 The Texas Department of Human Services is conducting a survey tohelp identify the health and human service needs of Texas residents.
The survey, known as the 1989 Special Texas Census, is being con The survey, known as the 1989 Special Texas Census, is beeing con-
ducted by mail and involves more than 38.000 households, including more than 11,000 Spanish surmame households. In addition to basic deon each respondent's income, health insurance coverage, employment status, child-care needs and disabilities. The results will be used to sup-
port the department's budget and planning process and ensure more effiport the department's bu
cient use of tax dollars.
cient use of tax doilars.
Households to be surveyed received letters from Governor Bill
俍 prompt return of questionnaires. Fillouncing efforts by the department's Budget and Data Analysis Division will also encourage households to complete and return their questionnaires to ensure a representative sam
ple . The signed to provide valid data statewide, regionally
and in selected metropolita and in selected metropolitan areas.
Data collection will provided for respondents to get turther ing October. A toll-free number is providec for restionnaires.
their questar
The survey is simila ered then was widely used for department budget and planning purposes, including preparing a legislative appropriation request and supporting the
need for health and human services. The data was also used by many
other sate other state agencies and legislative task forces.

Photography Club Enjoys Light and Color Program
 $\begin{aligned} & \text { Balloon Bokays for Birthdays } \\ & \text { Ori... } \\ & \text { Coyole } \\ & \text { Country }\end{aligned}$
Specill, New Baby, Holidays
T-Shirts
decorating need.
 away Friday, Sept. 1
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## Producers Will Study Impacts of Bill <br> A statewide beef cattle policy Stenholm of Stamford, chairman of of the National Cattemen's Asso- symposium whose theme is the Agriculture Subcommittee for ciation headquartered in Denver, "potential Impacts of the 1990 Livestock, Dairy and Poultry, will

 "Potential Impacts of the 1990 Livestock, Dairy and Poultry, will. Dr. O.D. Buter, associateFarm Bill" has been set for October present a polititian's view on the 9 at the College Station Hilton. Dr. Ernest E. Davis, economist taking. versity System, will moderate the in livestock marketing with the Mrs. JoAnn Smith, Assistant $\begin{aligned} & \text { Mecond part of the program which } \\ & \text { Texas Agricultural Extension Ser- Secretary of Agriculture, Marketing gets underway at } 11: 15 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m} \text {. and }\end{aligned}$ vice, said the symposium will fea- and Inspection Service with the continues through the afternoon.
ture a wide array of speakers who U.S. Deparment of Agriculture,
The program is being coordiwill present policy viewpoints and will discuss an administrator's nated by program is being couth Central Texas
express opinions on how the 1990, viewpoint express opinions on how the 1990, viewpoint on proposed policies.
Farm Bill will impact catlemen and
Subjects to be addressed by key Beef Improvement AssociaFarm Bill will impact catlemen and
consumers. $\begin{array}{r}\text { Subjects to be addressed by key } \\ \text { speakers will include mandatory }\end{array}$ Agricultural $\begin{aligned} & \text { tionation with the Texas } \\ & \text { Extension }\end{aligned}$ sper
"The program is designed for
speakers price reporting, animal wel- A\&M's Department of Agricultural beef cattle producers, consumers, fare and patents, food safety and Economics and Texas A\&M Uni-
agricultural lenders and other asso- feed grain and dairy policy. $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { agricultural lenders and other asso- } \\ \text { ciated agribusiness groups," Davis }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { feed grain and dairy policy. } \\ \text { Wrapping up the policy presen- }\end{array} \begin{array}{l}\text { versity. } \\ \text { For }\end{array}\end{array}$
 were (back row, left to right) Alodie Nimie of Athens and Kathi Dickerson of Plano; and (front row, left to right) Mathew
Hughes of Desoto, Galen Mayes of Amarillo and Andrew Conway of Brownsvilte.


## STOCK up for LABOR DAY




Report Failed Acreages to ASCS Office Victor Ashley, executive direc-
tor of the Garza County ASCS of fice, advises farmers that program ral causes must be reported to the ral causes must ber reported tia the
ASCS office prior to mechanical destruction of the area.
If the acreage has already been
cerifified as planted, then only an ceruitied as polated acreage credit (ASCC-574) must be filed. If you have an oustanding mea-
surement service request and you seed to fail some acres, be prepared
net to cancel the measurement service and certify the a arreage as planted
before you file the ASCS-574 before you file the ASCS-574.
Wi ih the prospect of a 1989 disaster program, farmers should be aster program, Tamers should be
careful that all paperwork has been taken care of with ASCS and insur-
ance agens before plowing under ance agents before plowi
any failed program crops.
Acreages carried to harvest must be farmed in a workmanlike
manner so that no reduction in pro manner so that no redul
gram benefits will apply. Ashley also reminds area farmers that, as soon as hes sky clears, the plane which takes aerial com-
pliance slides will begin flying the pliance slides will begin flying the
first couple of mile strips on the west side of Garra County.
If you applied for aerial measurement service, now is he time ti
clean up turnrows and plow strips cetween similar crops, such as cotton and peas.
If your fields are "picture per--
fect," the ASCS office has an easier time determining your actual crop acres. Acreages adjustments made anfer
count.

## Farming is

Dangerous Work TAES Reports 17-23 and Farm and Ranch Saferty Week in Texas, the Texas Agricul-
tral Extension Service has released tural Extension Service has released
a report stating that
"Farming is a report, stating that, "Farming is
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recenly. Agriculture's accidental deauh
rate is five times the national averrate is five times the national aver-
age for all injuries, said Thomas D . age for all injuries, said Thomas D .
Valco, agriciultural engineer for safety and mechanization with the Texas Aggricultural Extension Ser-
Valco said the Texas safety picture parallels sthe national scene. typically are the worst for farm and
ranch falalities. "he said ranch fatalities," he said,
A toolal of 82 fatalities
on Texas farms and ranches in 1988, Valco said, Records of fatalaities were obtained from death
cerificates and newspaper clip${ }^{\text {pings. }}$ Most fatalities took place as a result of farm/ranch activities. but
several deaths were a result of several deaths were a result of
recreational activities such as hunting, swimming and horseback riding."
Valco said the highest number of fatalities took place in July, with:
13 deaths: while September followed with 12 and October with 11 . 29 The age group between 20 and 29 recorded

with 15 deaths. About 47 percent of these were from gunshot wounds. Next highest age category was | between 50 and |
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| deaths recorded. Thears, with 12 | deaths recorded. This group was

followed by those 70 years or older, with 11 deaths "ighidren under age 10 died as a result of farming accidents. Many resulted from younga bump causing the child to fall under the equipment. Tractors have, only one seat, and extra, riders
should not be permited," Valco ${ }^{\text {saidie }}$ Haid tractors and associated machinery were the cause of 28 o
all the recorded fatalitites. Forty eight percent of the machinery accidents were the result of people being run over by the racciors and equipment. Another 40 percent of ${ }^{\text {overturns. }}$ "Simple rollover structures could have prevented most of these deauss,
Fatalities
involvo were the next mos. trraquent killer
with 14 deaths. Most hapened while hunting being thappenea ther hunter or mishandling their
firearms. Many of these victims lived in urban areas. Ranch owners need to
insure that visitors follow safe hunting rules and require them to take fircarm safety training," Valco
Fires and high frequency accidenst categories with seven fatalitites, three of which Other farm vehicles induding pick-up trucks and all-ternincuaing cles, and highway accidents reThree deaths occurred from alls, five involved animals, four re-
sulted from drownings, five from being struck by objects, four from electric current, three from lightning and two from exposure and insect bite Safety Weeck, as well as Farm and Ranch Safery Week in Texas, will be observed September 17 hrought


## Scrimmages Give Coaches, Team Good Look for Future

"We basically were trying to get some new things done, like our short passes, which we feel we accomplished," Post Antelope football coach Dewayne Osborne commented concerning last Friday's scrimmage at Floydada,
Attelope quarterbacks completed 11 of 17 passes for 17 yards and the offense collected 250 total yards offense, Osborne also praised the efforts of "our inexperienced linemen," who performed well on both sides. Bobby Blair intercepted a pass and returned it for a touchdown for the lone Antelope touchdown. The only time Floydada scored was on a counter play that we just overran," the coach commented. dropped passes stopped the advances. and try out our plays," Osborne added.
"We're pleased, and I know that each week the offense and defense are getting better. They are playing and The team leaves Post Thursday afternoon at 3:15 for Haskell, where the Junior Varsity will square off against Henrietta at 6 p.m. The varsity scrimmage is expected to begin at $7: 30$ p.m.
The J.V. scrimmage will consist of 20 offensive and defensive plays. The J.V. scrimmage will consist of 20 offensive and defensive plays.
The varsity will match 20 plays, then 15 and 15 for the second team and conclude with a first team 15 and 15 series.
The Antelopes open the 1989 football season Friday, September 8 at Abernathy with an 8 p.m. kickoff time.

THROWING ON TARGET - Antelope quarterback Matt Holly drops back to complete a pass during Friday afternoon's scrimmage at
 OFF TO THE RACES - Antelope varsity quarterback Rance Sapping-


UNIOR VARSITY IN ACTION - Willie Barbosa (43) gets set to slam JUNIOR VARSITY IN ACTION - Willie Barbosa (43) gets set to slam
Floydada's quarterback to the ground during Junior Varsity scrim-
mage action there last Friday.


HIRAM GUTIERREZ takes the football from Junior Varsity quarterHack Michael Radle during action at Floydada last Friday afternoon.

VARSITY DEFENSE - Bill Rankin (84) moves in to put the finishing touches on a defensive move against Floydada during the varsity scrimmage there last Friday. Helping out is Trey Jones (64) and an unidentified


THAT'S THE WAY YOU DO IT - Lance Bagby (50) lowers the boom on a Floydada runner during action at the scrimmage there last Friday

the protests of affected producers,
to correct what appears to be a
olaring inequity glaring inequity. And it's already
known that at least some of the early information released on the law wasn't quite correct. In error were statements that
producers with multi-peril crop inproducers with multi-peril crop in-
surance could substitute their insurance yield for their program yield in proving eligibility for payments
and the amount of those payments. and the amount of those payments.
That option is in the law, but it's a discretionary authority given to the Secretary of Agriculture, not a mandate. And since substitution
would increase the government's would increase the government's
cost it's most likely that all loss eligibility and payments will be based on established farm yields. Another misconception has sur-
faced involving the $\$ 897$ million aced involving the $\$ 897$ million
widely quoted in news releases. widely quoted in news releases.
Early on it was presumed by many that the figure was a dollar cap on
total disaster expenditures. But total disaster expenditures. But
PCG is now told that it is only a cost estimate agreed to by the Agriculture Committees and the
Congressional Budget Office: Congressional Budget Office; that for earned payments to be pro-rated as occurred under the 1986 disaster The provision of the law under planted and will harvest alternative crops after the total loss of cotton or other primary crop.
A release from the House Agri"directs the Secretary to reduce disaster payments by an amount that
reflects the value of any crop reflects the value of any crop
planted to replace the crop for planted to replace the crop for
which disaster payments are received."
And therein lies the inequity,
ays Donald Johnson, Executive says Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton
Growers, Inc., Lubbock. With no allowance made for the cost of producing and harvesting the altemative crop, he explains, farmers who followed cotion with soybeans,
grain sorghum, sunflowers or other shor-season crop will be severely penalized.
"They'll be out the early ex-
pense of trying to produce a pense of trying to produce a cotton
crop and all the production and harvest expense of an alternative crop, show only a meager profit or actually lose money when the alterna-
tive crop is sold, and for their trouuve crop is sold, and for their trou-
ble they'll be denied most or all their disaster payments."
That provision should never have been a part of the law,
Johnson contends, "but since it's there the next best thing to do, and what the Secretary is being urged to do if the language of the law will permit, is for the Secretary to rule
that only the value of alternative crops in excess of production and crops in excess of production and
from disaster payments." deducted


RIBBON CUTTING - Assisting Greg Pollard (second from right) with ribbon cutting ceremonies at the new Post Fastion
Cleaness are (Ief to right) Joe Harris, Bob Turner, Bryan Williams, Joy Fluith, Hildegarde Marrin, Susan Pennell, Pollard and
Charles Hardin.

## Stenholm's FunDay is September 9

Top leaders of the House Democratic leadership will be in
West Texas Saturday, September 9 Co join Congressman Charles their annual FunDay in Stamford. House Speaker Tom Foley, Majority Leader Richard Gephardt,
Congresswoman Barbara Kennelly and Congressmen Mike Parker and Bill Sarpalius will all be in Stamford to enjoy the Stenholms' picnic
and meet the constituents of the and meet he
17th District.
Foley, of Spokane, Washington, Was the Agriculture Committee Chairman from 1975 to 1981 and
actively worked on the 1985 farm actively worked on the 1985 farm
bill.
Gephardt, of St. Louis, MisGephardt, of St. Louis, Mis-
souri, is a former Presidential candidate and former Democratic CauKennelly, necticut, serves on the House Way and Means Committee and the Democratic
Committec.
Parker is a freshman lawmaker from Brookhaven, Mississippi. He serves on the Veteran's Affairs
Committee and the Public Works and Transportation Committee. Sarpalius, who is a freshman
lawmaker from Amarillo, traded in lawmaker from Amarillo, traded in his seat in the Texas Senate to rum
for Congress and for Congress and currently serves
on the House Agriculture Commit tee and Small Business Committee


STENHOLM FUNDAY PREPARATION. Workers in the office of Congressman Charles stehtim, along with numerous volunters are hard at work preparing to
mail letters to more than 7,000 longtime supporters of the annual fundraiser. Fund maiil letters to more than 7,000 longtime supporters or the annual frudraiser. Fun-
day this year will be Saturday, September 9 at Stamford's Ericksdahl Picnic

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