

**Rick Higgins  
Marches With  
Ross Volunteers**

Miss Lynette Joyce Gold, Robert Frank Buzek wed. in Nada Church

**Lone Star  
Industries Has  
Record Earnings**

Lone Star Industries, Inc. has reported record sales and earnings in 1973. Sales and other revenues increased to \$65.4 million, compared to \$48.1 million in 1972. Net income rose 19% to \$8.3 million from \$24.3 million in 1972.

Earnings per common share increased 19% to \$2.57 from \$2.16 in 1972.

In addition to Lone Star's cement and construction materials operations, it is also the parent company of National Glass Co., which distributes building materials in Texas under its own name and such other well-established names as Shumacher, Burros-Longo, Norris, Castelberry and Shabman.

Lone Star's earnings reflect the company's progress toward a goal established five years ago, to broaden the company's base of operations, "said John Kringle, President and Chief Executive Officer. "In 1968, all of the company's revenues were from the sale of cement and construction materials. Now, five years later, these products contribute 50% of sales, while our building materials retailing and distribution customers account for 40%."

RVA traditionally form an honor guard for the inauguration of the Texas governor. A contingent of the unit took part in formal opening ceremonies at the state capitol. All members of the company participated in the 150th anniversary celebration of the Texas Rangers.

The company was in New Orleans three days. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Higgins, II State Sen., the TAMU junior is a 1971 gradu-

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EVERYONE WHO REGISTERS A VEHICLE FOR THE YEAR 1974 SHALL PRESENT THE LICENSE PLATE RENEWAL APPLICATION THAT THEY RECEIVED FROM THE TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT. IF FOR SOME REASON YOU DID NOT RECEIVE THE RENEWAL APPLICATION, THEN YOU MUST PRESENT THE CERTIFICATE OF TITLE AND THE 1973 REGISTRATION RECEIPT.

WEIMAR - Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, February 20, 21 and 22, 1974, City Hall, 9 A.M. to 3:45 P.M.

EAGLE LAKE - Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 25, 26 and 27, 1974, City Hall, 9 A.M. to 3:45 P.M.

BERNARDO - Thursday, February 28, 1974, H & S Grocery, 9 A.M. to 1:30 P.M.

OAKLAND - Friday, March 1, 1974, Community Center, 9 A.M. to 1:30 P.M.

NADA - Monday, March 4, 1974, Nada Grocery & Market, 9 A.M. to 3:45 P.M.

FRELSBURG - Tuesday, March 5, 1974, Heinsohn Store, 9 A.M. to 3:45 P.M.

SHERIDAN - Wednesday, March 6, 1974, School House, 9 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.

ROCK ISLAND - Wednesday, March 6, 1974, Community Center, 1 P.M. to 3:30 P.M.

GARWOOD - Thursday, March 7, 1974, Hopkins Office, 9 A.M. to 3:45 P.M.

Respectfully,  
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**Tommy Balusek  
Junior All  
Round Cowboy**

Thirteen year old Tommy Balusek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Balusek of Garwood, attended the opening YRA Youth rodeo for the year. In his heat at the round-up arena in Sherman, Feb. 14-15-16, he was declared Champion Junior Breakaway Roper, with times of 3.7 and 3.1. He was the only one to rope two head of stock in this event. In winning the first round, he was presented a Nelson silver buckle. In the final go-round he was presented a beautiful Nelson gold and silver buckle.

Also he was declared Champion Junior All-around Roper, with times of 12.9 and 7.5. Placing second in the go-round, he was presented a colorful horse blanket. His final go-round he was presented a beautiful Nelson gold and silver buckle.

Tommy rode a total of 200 points at this rodeo and was declared the Junior All-Round Cowboy and presented a \$50.00 Savings Bond.

The Bible has a way of picturing people like they really are. Their strong points are presented, but their weaknesses are also brought up. Judah was a man of strong emotions who sometimes let them male him. The book of Genesis also pictures him as a man who somewhere along the line learned to love other people. Early in his life he sold his brother, Joseph, into slavery because he and his brothers were jealous of Joseph. He then lied and told his father that a wild animal had killed Joseph, his favorite son. When he did, he broke his father's heart.

Some years later Judah stood before a man he believed to be an Egyptian prince. In fact, it was the brother he earlier sold into slavery. In one of the most dramatic scenes in the Bible he makes a plea on behalf of his youngest brother, Benjamin. Here he revealed a profound love for his brother and for his father, Joseph was so moved by this change in Judah's attitude of humility and spoke of the love that had replaced the earlier anger he had toward his brother. Both men had spent years in contact with God. This had helped them to mold the divine characteristics of love within them.

During Judah's emotional plea to Joseph he revealed his

strengths and weaknesses for all to see. He was a man of great strength and a man of great weakness.

It is this kind of love that is the greatest revelation of this kind of love was when Jesus Christ died on the cross. He revealed in His death God's great concern for mankind, that they have the opportunity to be free from the slavery of sin. When we begin to think about love, it is good to go beyond the frosty concept of today's thinking to this profound view the Bible gives.

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**RICE DISTRICT  
SCHOOL MENUS**

Mon., Feb. 25 Breaded  
Steak, Rice & Gray, Cole  
Slaw, Fruit Cobbler, Hot  
Rolls, Butter.

Tues., Feb. 26 Beef  
gravy/Rice, Black Eye  
Peas, Pickled Beets, Banana  
Pudding, Garlic Bread.

Wed., Feb. 27 Bar-B-Que  
on Bun, French Fries, Toss-  
ed Salad, Lazy Day Cakes,  
Thurs., Feb. 28 Pigs-in-  
Blanket, Baked Beans, Sauer-  
Kraut, Lima Jello.

Fri., March 1 Frito Pie  
Pinto Beans, Collard Greens,  
Mixed Juices, Corn Bread/  
Butter.

Mr. AND MRS. ROBERT FRANK BUZEK

Miss Lynette Joyce Gold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Gold of Garwood, and Robert Frank Buzek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Buzek, were married Saturday, Feb. 24, 1974, at St. Mary's Catholic Church at Nada with the Rev. James Janish officiating.

Two baskets of gladioli were interspersed with greenery and a single rose. The bride's bouquet was placed on the altar, and a red rose was placed in front of the statue of the blessed Mother. After the mass a second red rose was added by the bride.

The bride's dress was formed of fitted dresses with V-neck top collar in white with lace trimming. The white cuffs of the sleeves were also of lace. The front midriff and flared skirt with the ends were of red fabric. White and red roses and a red rose boutonniere consisted of seven red and white roses and baby's breath with red and white felt ribbons.

Organist for the ceremony was Mrs. Clarence Martin of Garwood and soloist was Miss Werner Jean Muer.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white with a long train and a V-neckline. Heavy beaded lace lined the V-neck and extended down the bodice and around the empire waistline. The long red sleeves were enhanced with a lace cuff. The bodice fell into a soft full form with an attached chapel train. Her headpiece was a Juliet cap with rosettes on each side. Lined lace long the v-neck and pink velvet fitted with a V-neck top collar in white with lace trimming. The white cuffs of the sleeves were also of lace. The front midriff and flared skirt with the ends were of red fabric. White and red roses and a red rose boutonniere consisted of seven red and white roses and baby's breath with red and white felt ribbons.

The mother of the bride wore a long fitted dress with a pink bodice and a grey and pink print skirt, with a matching blazer. Her corsage of white roses with red and white felt ribbons.

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**The Biblical  
View of Love**

(By Richard B. Douglass)  
The noted psychologist and author has concluded that our generation has talked more about love than any in human history, but has no real idea about its meaning. Recently on the west coast a teenage gang wearing motorcycle jackets with the words "LOVE" written on them in indecent colors beat a man to death with bicycle chains. They claimed they just wanted to see what a man looks like when he dies. Regardless, he is a tragic parable of love. He is a tragic parable of love.

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