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EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

CYSTIC FIBROSIS: THE "GREAT MASQUERADER"

Mrs. Glenn Harbers will be chairman of a Cystic Fibrosis fund drive to be conducted here during the first week of September. She emphasizes the importance of public awareness of this often-fatal, little understood disease. The following article in the Houston Post by Brenda Stone, Post Reporter, gives information of importance to all parents, said Mrs. Harbers.

24 YEARS AGO Let's Look Back (May 24, 1951) There were many, many entries in the Garden Club flower show last Friday and many received several high awards. Those winning flowers or more blue ribbons included: Mrs. V. T. Matthews, Mrs. I. V. Duncan, Mrs. G. A. Seaborn, Mrs. C. E. Dwyer, Mrs. Justin Smith, Mrs. E. H. Boothe and Mrs. C. R. Stephens. . .

When CF affects the digestive tract the symptoms usually include failure of the child to gain weight despite a big appetite, and the occurrence of recurrent and usually small bowel movements. Allison's case indicates why the disease often is called the "great masquerader." Her mother added, in many children the disease is mistaken for other conditions, such as allergic rhinitis, or severe allergies.

When Allison Kay Brannon was barely past infancy, her skin "itched salty" to her mother's tissues. A little later, her mother began to notice that Allison seemed to perspire more than most children, even when at rest.

Vera Brown Speaks At ELMS Teacher's Workshop Mrs. Vera Brown was a vital element of the teacher's workshop last week at the Eagle Lake Middle School. Mrs. Brown gave a very interesting and informative and challenging program for reading improvement to the reading teachers.

REFLECTIONS ON International Sunday School Lesson (Matthew 5:13-16; Acts 8:4-6; Romans 1:14-17) George is in love. If you are around him thirty seconds you will know that for certain. That is how long it takes for him to begin talking about his girl. He dominates his thoughts and provides a constant source of conversation for anyone George can get to listen. People in love have a hard time concealing it. People who make unusual discoveries come into the same category. Whether they find a cure for cancer, or an exciting new restaurant, they want to share their discovery.

Let's Look Back 43 YEARS AGO (July 25, 1932) With ideal harvest weather prevailing, potato farmers here were shipping out an average of three tons of potatoes daily. The yield is exceptionally good, the quality the best ever seen anywhere and the price is high.

LETTERS TO EDITOR Duncan Backs Brucellosis Study, Opposes Present Law The law passed by the Texas Legislature May 16, 1975 says, "The Commission is authorized to begin all reasonable necessary operations to establish and maintain the counties of this state as 'certified brucellosis free.'"

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GARWOOD AND NADA COMMUNITY NEWS MRS. J. T. STRUKA - 718-2923 Mrs. Annie Red's dinner guests last Sunday were Mrs. Mary Braden and Leona Whitely of El Campo.

BEAT INFLATION MAKE YOUR DOLLARS DO DOUBLE DUTY (Continued) Mrs. J. F. Struka has returned home from having surgery and a few weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Struka and children of Houston.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK (Continued) Mr. and Mrs. Les Lester have returned home after having a week-end visit in Canada.

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Fort Bend, Austin County Entries Win Dist. FB Contests Miss Stephanie Myska, entry from Fort Bend County, was named the winner of the District II Farm Bureau Queen's Contest held last Friday night in Sealy and an Austin County entry, Miss Tracy Dittart, won the District Talent competition.

ROCK ISLAND NEWS (Mrs. M. L. Niewander) Mrs. Walker Wied returned home Friday from spending a few days in Richmond and Houston with her daughter and family, the Richard Jones'. They brought her home from Richmond and visited for a few hours.

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New Associate Dean of GSBS Foundation, a Galveston Mayor's appointee to the Plut Commission, and a member of the Junior League of Galveston and the Housing Task Force (Council of Galveston).

Dr. Whorton New Associate Dean Biomed. School Elbert B. Whorton, Jr., Ph.D., has been appointed to the newly created position of associate dean for curriculum in the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences at Galveston. The announcement was made this week by Dr. J. Palmer Saunders, Dean of the Graduate School.

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Dr. Whorton New Associate Dean Biomed. School (Continued) Dr. Whorton's appointment as associate dean is a position of great responsibility. He will be responsible for the curriculum in the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences at Galveston. The announcement was made this week by Dr. J. Palmer Saunders, Dean of the Graduate School.

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