

Xi Psi Psi Has Program On Australia

Tuesday evening, Sept. 25, members of Xi Psi Psi met in the home of Brenda Gorman. President Jo Ann Mahalite opened the meeting and asked for the various committee reports. Under service, Jo Ann Gorton told members about the "Wheels For Life" Bike-A-Thon to be held on Sunday, Sept. 30. She asked members with children to help in this worthy project by riding in the bike-athon.

After the program, everyone enjoyed refreshments served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held in the home of Jean Williams on Oct. 9.

Visit H-H Lake
Mrs. Ada Ward accompanied by Betty Kana and Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Kana spent Sunday visiting with friends of Mrs. Ward on H-H Lake at Gonzales, Texas.

VFW Attempting To Obtain Names Of Deceased Veterans of All Wars

Rice Area Memorial Post 8783 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Eagle Lake, is attempting to obtain names of deceased veterans of any and all wars in which the U. S. has participated so that they may be appropriately recognized in a ceremony planned next Veterans Day Nov. 11th.

It is noted that names of all deceased veterans, even those who have not served in overseas duty, are desired. Please complete the following information and send it to the VFW Post:

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Place of Burial _____

(Please submit information by Oct. 31, 1979)
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Eagle Lake, Texas 77434

Not a UFO, A Balloon Fest



It's a bird, it's a plane, it's... It's a balloon filled with helium. Yes, on Friday, September 28, the fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth grade students of Sheridan Elementary School released fifty helium balloons. Each balloon had a note attached to it.

The purpose of the project was to see how far air currents will carry the balloons. The students had to compose a short letter

explaining the project. They also had to address a postcard which is to be returned by the person who finds the note and balloon.

So if you see a strange object floating through the air, or find the remains of one of our packages, please mail it to the Sheridan School. "We are anxious for a response," the students stated.

Coffee In Anderson Home

Compliments Harriet Engstrom

Miss Harriet Engstrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Engstrom of Garwood and bride-elect of Paul Shooter, was the honoree at a Coffee in the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Anderson in Eagle Lake Thursday, September 27 from 9 to 11 a.m.

Guests registered as they arrived and were greeted by the bride-elect, and her mother and the hostesses Mrs. Dexter Anderson and Mrs. Joe Anderson.

Due to illness of a relative, Mrs. Clifford Wiese, a hostess, was unable to be present. The beautiful bride's table was covered with a white lace cloth; at each corner were nosegays tied with peach ribbon streamers. A lovely arrangement of white and peach roses centered the table with the silver coffee service at one end.

Miniature quiche, Bismark, Swedish oatmeal and fresh strawberries, apricot pound cake, banana muffins, glazed apricot cookies, hazel nut coffee ring and salted pecans, iced moca punch and coffee were enjoyed.

Mrs. Leonard Engstrom and Mrs. Joe Fling poured

the punch and Mrs. W. R. Franks and Mrs. Carl Milents served the coffee.

Other pretty floral arrangements were appropriately placed throughout the spacious entertainment area. The hostesses presented Miss Engstrom with a silver server.

The wedding of Harriet and Paul is scheduled for Saturday, October 13.

HOSPITAL News Notes

Patients (Oct. 1)
Eagle Lake: Mrs. Doris Hill, Mrs. Mary Villa, Shino Cordova, Mrs. Alice Jones, Mrs. Doris Beisel, Mrs. Evelyn Miller, Joe Ramirez, Mike Canaris, Mrs. Lucy Cutler, Trinity Parker, Miss Carolyn Morgan.
Houston: William J. Pustajovsky; Giddings, Mrs. Patricia Hirsch; Shiner, Lawrence Kramethauer; La Grange, Eric Henderson; Columbus: Mrs. Hattie Cleveland, John Wessel; Wharton: Mrs. Jennie McJannet; Abilene: Mrs. Pauline Gundersen.

Discharge
Eagle Lake: Aubrey Williams, Cruz Gonzales, Mrs. Subronia Hemphill, David Zahradnick, Mrs. Patsy McKwa and Baby Girl, Mrs. Lillie Pate and Baby Girl, Mrs. Eva Chappell, Mrs. Leona Powell, Mrs. Brenda Peradze, Keith Matula, Mrs. E. Gracia Garza and Baby Girl, James Mathis, Mrs. Melba Higgins, Reginaldo Lorenzo.
Houston: Mrs. Dolores Brunner; Colquhoun: Miss Gloria J. Williams, Mrs. Elsie Schobel, Lee Dungan, Benjamin Ostiveros; Wharton: Edward Moses; Garwood: Mrs. Angela Laske, Mrs. Jannette Edwards, Mrs. Ruth

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Mrs. Schatz's Funeral Held Sept. 25

Mrs. Elsie Schatz, 73, of Brenham and formerly a resident here for a number of years died Sunday, September 23, 1979 at 7 p.m. at Sweetbriar Nursing Home in Brenham.

Services were held Tuesday, Sept. 25 at 2 p.m. from Trinity Lutheran Church of Frelsburg by Pastor R. J. Weber officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Memorial Oaks Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Schatz was born October 10, 1906 in Colorado County, the daughter of William and Helen Hartfield. She attended Lone Oak School.

She was married to Louis Schatz on December 11, 1926 in Frelsburg by the Rev. Fischer. Mr. Schatz is a part-time employee here of J. R. Thomas.

She was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church. Survivors are her husband Louis Schatz of Brenham; four brothers, Richard Hartfield of Brenham, Hugo Hartfield of Columbus, Louis Hartfield of Houston, and Arthur Hartfield of New Ulm; and three sisters, Mrs. Matilda Bringer of Columbus, Mrs. Lester Foster of Columbus and Mrs. Anita Oester of La Grange.

She was preceded in death by one brother. In lieu of the usual remembrances the family asked that memorials be given to the Trinity Lutheran Church.

Friends served as pallbearers.

Matthew, Russell Dettling, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Dettling, 801 Ave. F., El Campo, Texas, died Monday, Sept. 10 at Texas Children's Hospital in Houston.

The baby boy was born Tuesday, Sept. 4. Graveside services were held at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 11 at St. Philip's cemetery with Father Tom Kosler officiating. Triksa Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his parents; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waligura of Garwood; and grandmother, Mrs. Mike Dettling of El Campo; great grandmothers, Mrs. Anna Staff Erdelt of Nade, and Mrs. Mary Dettling of Wharton; and a number of aunts and uncles.

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Last Rites Held For Annie J. Jones

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Sept. 25 in Houston for Mrs. Annie Jean Jones of Houston and the daughter of Mrs. Ora Lee Jones of this city and the late Rev. J. J. Jones. She passed away Sept. 20th.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Ora Lee Jones of this city; children Kirk, Angela, Elvis, Royce, Boyd, Lanier and Alicia; grandchildren Alex, Greg and Ray; eight sisters, four brothers and an aunt and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends. She was an employee at Maxwell House Coffee Company for many years.

Burial was in the Houston Memorial Garden with Johnson Funeral Home of Houston in charge of arrangements.

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State Soil & Water Dist. Meet Oct. 2-4

Herbert Engstrom, Mrs. Rubina Heinsohn, and Glenn Stromquist, directors from the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District are in El Paso October 2-4 to attend the Thirty-ninth Annual State Meeting of Texas Soil and Water Conservation District Directors. Also attending from the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District is Connie Fair, Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service in Columbus.

The theme of this year's meeting is "Challenge of the 80's." Approximately 900 are expected to attend. The purpose of the meeting is to review developments affecting Texas conservation programs and to plan future conservation district programs and activities. Speakers scheduled for

Wednesday and Thursday include: Neil Sampson, executive vice president, National Association of Conservation Districts, Washington, D.C.; State Senator Grady Jones of Abilene and John Henry Faulk, humorist, historian and philosopher.

Other dignitaries to address the group include Congressman Richard C. White of El Paso and Charles Stenholm of Stamford; Kyneth Kaykendall, president, Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts and David Prior, Southern regional representative, National Association of Conservation Districts, Athens, Georgia, will also address the group.

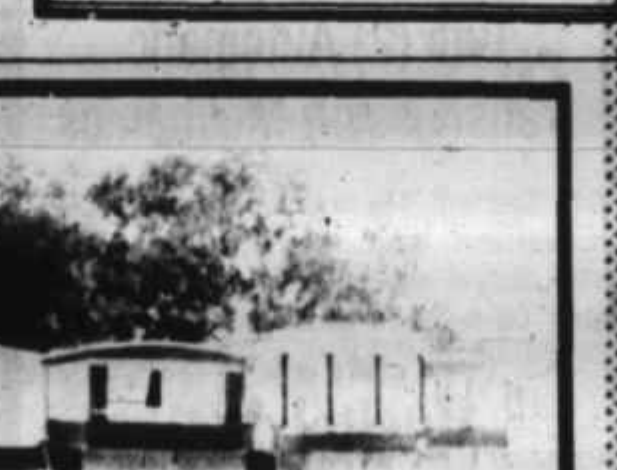
State Representative Pde Laney of Hale Center is also expected to participate in a portion of the meeting. Congressman Richard C. White will welcome Texas Soil and Water Conservation District Directors to El Paso at the Wednesday morning General Session. Wynn Hamilton, president, Far West Texas Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts will also welcome the group.

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Patient Care Coordinator Is Busy At E.L. Comm. Hospital

Shown above is Marilyn Sparks, R.N., at work in her office in the official capacity as Patient Care Coordinator at Eagle Lake Community Hospital.

Marilyn is the wife of Jerry Sparks of this city who is employed with Southern Pacific Railroad locally. She has for the past nine months served the hospital in her role as Patient Care Coordinator and is responsible for coordinating patient care from admission to discharge and can even assist in coordinating the care of patients under the direction of the Medical Staff, after they are at home.

Her duties include effecting smooth transfer of patients to nearby medical center hospitals and area nursing homes. "Home Health Care can be effectively coordinated for both patient and physician from the files she is developing on area health care services that are available to Colorado County citizens."

Mrs. Sparks is becoming knowledgeable in the handling of Medicare and Medicaid cases. She works with the hospital's Medical Staff for

Patient Care Coordinator



MARILYN SPARKS, R.N.

proper utilization of beds and services and is also responsible for infection control surveillance throughout the hospital with close guidance from the organized Medical Staff," note the hospital's administrator John Chisholm.

Coordinates All Depta.
"While Marilyn works within the organizational structure of the Nursing Service Department, she has the unique job description of being able to cut across departmental lines and can directly coordinate services with all hospital departments. This includes the admitting office, dietary and other ancillary services," he added.

The patient care coordinator always has immediate contact with members of the Medical Staff and the hospital administrator to expedite proper patient care as necessary. She was formerly O. R. supervisor at the hospital and her previous training and experience in that area uniquely qualifies her for her new role.

Mr. and Mrs. Sparks have two children. She received her education at Paris Junior College and East Texas State University and holds an associate degree in nursing. She is a member of Texas Society of Patient Representatives, Texas Society of Infection Control Practitioners, Texas Society of Utilization Review Coordinators, and Texas Hospital Association.

"Marilyn brings a new dimension of patient care services to the Eagle Lake Community Hospital and her current projects include an outreach education program, hosted by the hospital, and is conducting pre-natal classes for all expectant mothers under the care of the local area physicians affiliated with the Eagle Lake Community Hospital," said the hospital's administrator.

R. R. Thomas, M.D. of Eagle Lake and Harold L. Griffin, M.D. of Columbus serve as Chief of the Medical Staff and Vice-Chief of the Medical Staff of Eagle Lake Community Hospital, respectively.

Free Car Wash
Mrs. Joe C. Fling this is your ticket for a free car wash at Johnny's Kwik Kar Wash located next to Johnny's 66 Station in Eagle Lake. Clip this out and present at Johnny's for a free car wash effective through Oct. 9, 1979.

Vietnam Era veterans have been the greatest participants in GI Bill training with 60 percent of those eligible having taken some form of training, compared with 50.5 percent and 43.4 percent, respectively, for World War II and Korean Conflict veterans.

'In Remembrance' Film At First Baptist Ch. Sun.

Long ago, in a small dusty upstairs room, a group of friends met to share a last meal together. Most of them thought it was the end—One of them knew it was the beginning.

Today, almost two thousand years later, that simple distant event is celebrated by people around the world. Evangelical Films newest release, "In Remembrance," captures an unforgettable story of the men who chose to follow a young teacher from Nazareth and of the night that would change their world—forever!

This is a film about real people, fiercely Jewish, who left as we feel—the doubts, loves, fears, and loneliness that are the common bonds of all humanity. "In Remembrance" is a stunning recreation of the men and events which surrounded the last supper—a film for all time and all people. This is a motion picture experience you will never forget!

"In Remembrance" will be shown at the First Baptist Church of Eagle Lake this Sunday, October 7 at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited.

On the Record

Old Gas Leases
Lease, W. Roy Wright Jr. et ux to Page Petroleum Co. 771 Acres S. A. and M. G. RR Co. Survey 7-17-79

Lease, St. Benedict Hospital and Nursing Home to Page Petroleum Co. 160.92 Acres 1 and G N RR Co. Survey 4-10-79

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Lease, Sybil A. Skinner et al to Wm. N. Cones 260.0 Acres 1 and G N RR Co. Survey 6-19-79

Lease, Francis John Camis to Wm. N. Cones 62.00 Acres 1 and G N RR Co. Survey 6-19-79

Lease, Mrs. Lorette Hinkle to Wm. N. Cones 90.00 Acres 1 and G N RR Co. Survey 6-28-79

Lease, Herbert E. Engstrom et al to Everest Exploration Co. 320 Acres S. A. and M. G. RR Co. Survey 7-2-79

Last Rites For Joe Hall, Wharton, Sat.

Friends in the community will regret to learn of the death of Joe H. Hall of Wharton, past district governor of Rotary International District 569, and a prominent Wharton businessman and former county extension agent for many years. He died Thurs., Sept. 27th at the age of 67.

Funeral services were held Sat., Sept. 29th in the chapel of the Crump-Baines Funeral Home in Wharton with Eugene Martin and Leon Locke officiating. Interment followed in the Evergreen Memorial Park in Wharton.

He is survived by his wife, Sue Spear Hall of Wharton, four sons, Joe H. Hall Jr. of Baytown, David S. Hall of

Wharton, L. Glenn Hall of Conroe, and W. T. Hall of Wharton; a brother, Luther E. Hall of Conroe and two sisters, Bertie Alford of Rosenberg and Mildred Iglehart of Houston; four grandchildren; two nephews and four nieces.

In lieu of usual remembrances the family suggested memorials to the Joe H. Hall Memorial Fund of the Wharton County Youth Fair and Exposition, c/o Wharton Bank and Trust in Wharton; or Rotary International Foundation Fund, c/o Wharton Rotary Club, Box 303, Wharton, Tex. 77488.

A true believer in education, Hall received his bachelor's degree from Sam Houston and master's from Texas A&M. He was a past representative of the Texas A&M Extension Service having served as county agent for Waller, Harris and Wharton counties for over 10 years. He established the Wharton County Texas Farm Bureau Agency and served as the agency's manager for 25 years. He was very interested in work of Rotary International, the Wharton Chamber of Commerce, Wharton County United Fund and Red Cross and served for 25 years as chairman of the Democratic Party of Wharton County.

Photo Special At E.L. Sewing Center Monday, Oct. 8

Shugart's Studio of Level-land will have a photographer at the Eagle Lake Sewing Center next Monday, Oct. 8 to take portraits for a special offer.

The studio will offer nine king size wallet photos for only 99c. Dorothy Kohlefel, owner of Eagle Lake Sewing Center, invites local citizens to bring their children in for this special portrait offer.

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