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Gwen Black Crowned Homecoming Queen

Rice High School held its tenth annual Homecoming activities last Friday night and although the event was saddened by the loss to the Magnolia Bulldogs, the event was highlighted by the crowning of the 1979 Homecoming Queen, Miss Gwen Black.

Miss Black was one of five finalists from the Rice Senior Class who were nominated for the honor. The student body voted for the queen and the winner was not identified until the half-time ceremonies Friday night.

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Witch Visits Primary School



Several first grade pupils at Eagle Lake Primary School express a bit of apprehension as the witch, Mrs. Brenda Corman, visits their Halloween Party. The Halloween Party is the first of three annual parties each year.

WCJC Gets \$2500 Halliburton Grant

Drug Workshop At WCJC This Friday

Recent alarming news reports on drug abuse in Texas should be effective "last minute" reminders for the public to attend an all-day workshop Friday, November 2 at Wharton County Junior College in Wharton.

United Press International declared "drug abuse by urban teen-agers gets most of the wordage," by the news media, but rural sheriff's say drug abuse is just as prevalent in small towns and on country farms and ranches as it is in Texas' big cities.

A recent survey by two Texas A&M University sociologists showed alcohol was the most popular drug among junior high school and high school students, with marijuana running a close second.

One statewide authority, Dr. Terrence Stallworth, will deliver the keynote address during WCJC's workshop scheduled from 9 a.m. until 3:45 p.m. in the theatre of the Dusen-Hansen Fine Arts Building. Registration fee is just \$5 and free to WCJC students.

NEWS FROM HERITAGE HOUSE

By Resident Mary Flores

Movie and Refreshments

Monday we saw another Walt Disney movie "Run Appaloosa Run." This Indian girl, Mary Blackfeather, wanted to raise this colt up, so she could race him in the Omaha Stampede Race. Marie Frnk served some hot popcorn and punch to all the residents who attended.

Get Well

All the residents of Heritage House want to wish Les Mae Wied a speedy recovery from her illness. Our prayers are with her and her family. We hope to see her pretty soon again. We love you! Pretty Flowers

We thanked the Episcopal Church for the beautiful vase of flowers brought out here Sunday afternoon. The Residents enjoyed them very much.

One-Two-Three With Fay

Tuesday afternoon volunteer Fay Anderson was here for our weekly exercise. We counted the beach ball to all the residents and Resident Billy Mathis and Fay got a game of volleyball going. Fay

HOSPITAL News Notes

Patients (Oct. 29)

Eagle Lake: Mrs. Gladys Cannon, Paul Brenk, Mrs. Mary Villa, Mrs. Lera Mae Wied, William Hodde, Mrs. Louise Spallinger, William Powell, Mrs. Carolyn Randle, Mrs. Emma Green, Mrs. Mary Morris, Marcus Gonzalez, Harvey Lamason, Blake Canaris.

Dismissals

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Wilfred Wick Family



Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Wick and family are shown above during the Silver Wedding Anniversary celebration held in the Community Center last Saturday night. Left to right are: Wesley Wick, Mr. and Mrs. Wick, Carol Wick and Russell Wick.

Wilfred Wicks Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniv.

Wilfred and Grace Wick and their children, Wesley, Wesley and Russell, were hosts for a delightful 25th wedding anniversary reception and dance in the Eagle Lake Community Center last Saturday night on the occasion of the Wicks' 25th wedding anniversary.

"Gracie" and Wilfred Wick exchanged marital vows in St. Michael's Catholic Church in Weimar with Monsignor Drued officiating on November 7th, 1954. They resided in the Weimar community before coming to Eagle Lake in 1961 and have been prominent residents here since that time.

Mr. Wick is associated with the Thomas Chase and Mr. Wick is the manager of the local office of Weimar Sheet Metal Works.

Many relatives and friends from a number of cities in the area and from Eagle Lake accepted the invitation of the Wicks to a special homecoming party from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. when a delicious buffet of food was enjoyed along with cold drinks.

The buffet table was highlighted by a pretty floral arrangement in keeping with the silver anniversary theme.

Approximately eighty persons. Mrs. Wick and her family were bridesmaids for the honored couple's wedding.

On Saturday the Wicks were among friends and relatives present for the funeral services of Mrs. Ada Finney.

The enjoyed renewing friendships in Weimar on Sunday and hope to visit with their many friends here during their stay.

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78 Attend Brenham Deanery Catholic Women's Meet Here

The National Council of Catholic Women of the Brenham Deanery met Tuesday, Oct. 24th at 10 o'clock in the morning at the Community Center in Eagle Lake.

There were 78 ladies and 6 priests at the Brenham Deanery present.

The welcome to Eagle Lake was given by Father Tom Hanus.

Doughnuts and coffee were served at 9:30 before the meeting.

The president, Mrs. Ora Dell Strider, called on three priests to have a memorial service for Mrs. Angela Klotzki, who died Oct. 2, 1979, in Chapel Hill.

The priests, reading the Memorial Service from the Bible were: Father Sylvester Puck of Bellville, Father Alex Loeck of Seely, and Father Ray Widaiki of Brenham.

The new secretary appointed to fill out the term is Miss Freddie Louise Bunge.

After the business session, Mrs. June Mahalite for the program, Mrs. Carolyn Rosper and Darin Brisco, gave a very interesting program on first aid and what to do in emergencies.

A noon meal was served by the ladies.

Weekend guests: Miss Penny Szymanski and Miss Maria Mill, both students at the University of Houston, and Miss Paula Szymanski of Houston were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Szymanski.

Miss Mill, from Germany, is working toward her Master's Degree in English. She will return to her homeland in May.

The United Daughters Confederacy (UDC) will hold a meeting on Thurs. Nov. 8 at 10 a.m. in the home of Mrs. David Kromick in Columbus.

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Tenneco Employees At Chesterville Receive Awards

Four employees of Tenneco's Chesterville plant were among those honored with "Quarter Century" service plaques or service pins at a dinner meeting at the Petroleum Club in Houston last Thursday evening.

Wives of the quarter century award recipients were also invited to the dinner. Among the Tenneco employees receiving the 25-year plaques from Cliff Rackley, president of Tenneco, were Sammy Tise, L. V. Davison and Cecil Hartfield.

On previous occasions, three other employees at Chesterville received 25-year plaques, including T. P. Yancey and Charlie Braden; and Rubie L. Drymala who is now retired.

Duane French of the Chesterville plant received a 10-year service pin.

Others from the gas processing department and formerly of Eagle Lake to receive an award were Lewis Kneeky of La Porte and Jerry Henske of the McAllen Refinery.

CLUB MONTEZUMA DANCE

Sat., Nov. 3rd

9 to 1 MUSIC BY Paul Cross & Cross Country Members & Guests Invited

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WCJC Boosters Organization Meets Mon.

The public is invited to become an official Wharton County Junior College Booster on Monday, November 5 when an enjoyable social gathering and membership drive meeting is held by the WCJC Booster Club at 6:30 p.m. in the Knights of Columbus Hall located at 2800 North Fulton Street in Wharton.

Annual dues are \$5 per person which can be recovered quickly by partaking of the free meal for members that will include Decker hot chili and succulent served by WCJC Food Services.

Director Al Pettigrew with the assistance of Dr. Jack Lassiter, dean of college and student services, and Jim Campbell, director of student activities at WCJC.

WCJC President Magdalena Rodriguez has named Mrs. "Bubba" Macha membership chairman saying, "Please call Linda by Friday, November 2 if you can attend." The phone number is 532-4360, extension 30 (Public Information Office).

"Colorado Coal-Aid" will be provided through the completion of 500 tons of coal to the R-C Hall so "Monday Night TV Football" fans can watch on monitors courtesy of the Television and Media Center at WCJC.

Andy Mullins and Mike Allison will pay the hall rental fee.

The WCJC Booster Club plays an important role each year in assisting any student organization that seeks financial support.