

Losers Will Be Winners you can do it too!

**Florence Sutton
did it!**



"Since I started Pat Walker's, I have lost 126 lbs. and 145 inches.

A lot has happened since my first picture appeared in the paper. I have lost more weight and I have even lost a 1/2 size in my shoe size. Needless to say, I feel and look like a different person. On one occasion a person both my husband and I know wasn't going to speak because they thought my husband was with somebody else. This person is amazed at the change I have made.

I made a New Year's Resolution to do something about my weight problem. I think I have kept that resolution. I have tried a number of diets but the Pat Walker routine is one I could live with the rest of my life.

The biggest thrill I get is shopping for clothes and being able to pick and choose. When you wear a size 24 1/2 you don't have much choice, but size 8 you have a better selection.

I intend to continue the Program and get down smaller than a size 8.

I still receive encouragement from the personnel at Pat Walker's and from my family at home.

If you have a weight problem this is the place to come."

Florence Sutton



Will it work for you?

You bet!

Give a gift for Christmas that will last a lifetime. Give a GIFT CERTIFICATE from Pat Walkers

**20% SAVINGS ON YOUR PROGRAM
FROM NOV. 15 TO DEC. 15**

Pat Walker has had 27 years of experience in reducing people from all walks of life.

Call

379-3296
Plaza Del Rey
216 Hwy 123 Bypass
Seguin, TX 78155

(512) 672-7577 or 672-3637
Hi Way 90A Bypass
P.O. Box 415
Gonzales, TX 78629

(713) 732-8211
902 Houston St.
P.O. Box 185
Columbus, TX 78934

Pat Walker's

Figure Perfection Salons International
CALL FOR YOUR FREE FIGURE ANALYSIS NOW

Now

Gifts of Distinction
ELIZABETH D. WADDELL

Holiday Gift Center

★ Gifts For All Occasions ★
★ Crystal ★ Brass ★ China ★ Jewelry
★ Silver ★ Porcelain ★ And Many More

Large Selection of Christmas Ornaments
(Some Personalized)

Gifts For All The Family!

Visit Our Showroom

GIFTS OF DISTINCTION
West side of square - Eagle Lake
115 N. McCarty - Phone 234-2507

Nitar Society Christmas Party Held Last Thurs.

The Nitar Society of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Catholic Church held its monthly meeting and annual Christmas party at Dider Hall Thursday, December 6th at 7:00 p.m. with Father Tom Hanus, twenty-one members, and one guest, Mrs. Albina Strong, present.

Hostesses were Mrs.

George Andel and Mrs. Adolf Hollas.

The president, Mrs. R. L. Kohleff, presided over the meeting. The minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. Joe Mike Spaniel, and the treasurer, Miss Betty Jane Kana, gave the treasurer's report.

Plans were made for the party for the residents of the Heritage House Tuesday afternoon, December 11th.

Plans were also discussed for the children's Christmas party that will be held at Dider Hall Sunday, December 23rd at 6:30 p.m. Those attending are asked to bring sandwiches and cookies.

Mrs. Bill Emmel was the door prize winner. The meeting was closed with prayers led by Father Tom.

After the meeting, Christmas gifts were exchanged and Christmas carols were sung. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, January 3rd, 1980. Reporter.

**Eagle Lake's
Consolidated Fund Goal
IS NEAR!**
As of Dec. 7, \$10,150 or 81.5% of the goal of \$12,449 had been reached.
Give through your business or at First National Bank TODAY!!

Contributors Dec. 3-7

James and Wilma Cash
Joe Salmeron
MAM Western Store
J. R. Thomas
Dan's Music Shop
Ray James
Lake Motors, Inc.
Kenneth Nelson
Ralph Martinez
Virginia Varley
Margaret Lira
Penny Hanks
Blanche Reid
David Hengst
A. J. Struss Auto Supply
Mrs. Mahalia Woods
Mr. and Mrs. Joel Coleman
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chevie
Melvin Simmons
Veronica Bishop
Ida Mae Dawson
Willie Mae Hill
Joe H. Henderson
Bro. Gordon
Geneva Brown
Bro. R. J. Cunningham
James Mosley
H. D. Brown
Mrs. Irene McAtee
R. L. Flier
Evelyn Ashton
George Tillman
Ellen Dizon
Ardeella Clayton
Rennie White
Annie M. Toland
Willie Moore
Mrs. B. H. Pope
Mrs. Annie Porcum
Mrs. M. Little McBride
Mrs. H. Edna Davis
Mrs. Bertrine Stavel
Pam Peterson Hanes
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Proulx
Tyler

Pete Jaramillo
James and Blanche Williams
Johnnie Matto
Earl and Linda "Bortor"
Bessie Mae Tyler
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Center
Leanne Smith
Gladys Samara
Mrs. Roland Harbers
Ramona Torres
Genevieve Salinas
Molly Valdes
Patty Gutierrez
Linda Salazar
Mrs. Loreta McCloud
Mrs. Susan Cardenas
Mrs. Vilma Guerra
Nadia Perez
Rochelle Story
Hortensia Barrios
Emily Contreras
Montemayor Greco
Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Spaniel
T. Lang
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson
Frances Drangcole
Linda Bales
Glenda Blair
Diane Brunner
Dianne Convey
Sue Cassey
Marsha Cunningham
Gail Guthman
Lynn Heard
Mollie Higgins
Janice Glenshaw
Marilyn Sparks
Marsha Waddell
Linda Wiese
Jean Wiese
Mary Ann Wood
Irene Bibbs
Annie Margaret White
Mrs. Loretta Austin
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wesson
Carrie Walker
Willie Moore
Wiley Williams
Lorry Austin
Edna Austin
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Blair
William Plumbing
Mr. and Mrs. Irving Williams
Tide Products, Inc.

W. F. (Bill) Sayles has been elected Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Central Power and Light Company. Sayles, now a vice president with West Texas Utilities Company in Abilene, will succeed Durwood Chalker, who was recently named Chairman of Central and South West Corporation, the parent company of both CPL and WTU.

The change will be effective on March 1, 1980.

Sayles joined WTU as an area development representative in 1965 and was named manager of area development in 1964. He was elected to WTU's board of directors in 1974 and was also elected vice president in charge of operations. In 1977 he was named vice president in charge of customer services.

100% Business

Eagle Lake Dairy Dishes

Alpha Delta Phi Society

Alpha Delta Phi Society

Alpha Delta Phi Society

Alpha Delta Phi Society

Alpha Delta Phi Society

Alpha Delta Phi Society

Alpha Delta Phi Society

Alpha Delta Phi Society

Alpha Delta Phi Society

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Leave Comm. Center Grounds Clean After Use

J. T. (Tommy) Pilkington, president of the Eagle Lake Community Center, urges those groups and organizations using the Community Center during the busy holiday season to note that they are responsible for cleaning the hall and the grounds of the Community Center immediately after using the hall so that the next scheduled activity might have clean facilities to use.

The clean-up should include the hall, kitchen and restrooms, as well as the outside grounds and the covered pavilion area.

He noted that some groups have been leaving the hall and the grounds in an unclean condition and the next user of the hall is unable to set-up for the activity without undue work of cleaning the hall and the grounds. "Your cooperation in leaving the hall and the grounds clean immediately following your activity will make scheduling much easier and it will be a much more pleasant holiday season for everyone," noted Pilkington.

County Buys Pct. 2 Loader On Low Bid Of \$20,404

County To Buy
24 Pagers For
Ambulance Corps

Lake unit are 20 pagers, 10 in Columbus and 11 in Weimar.

Upgrade Training

The county is unanimously to pay the \$25 per member registration fee of those who attended the Trauma Seminar at the Texas Health Science Center in Houston on Dec. 8th.

Request for leave of absence for a county employee was granted. An employee in the county judge's office asked for a 90 day maternity leave in order that she might qualify, under the county's guidelines, for re-employment if the position is still open at the end of the 60-day period.

Children To Present Nativity At Meth. Church Sun.

Christmas activities are scheduled at the United Methodist Church in Eagle Lake, invite citizens of the community to come by their store to register, without obligation, for pre-Christmas prizes to be awarded each Monday from now until Christmas. Registration will be limited however to adults.

Also on Sunday, at 4 p.m. Margaret Wilcox will have a piano recital for her students in the sanctuary of the church.

Next Wed., Dec. 19th, the Community Choir will present the Christmas Cantata at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday evening, Dec. 23rd at 7 p.m. the Methodist Church will have its annual "Gifts for Christ" Service. Holy Communion and the annual Candlelight Service.

Open House At
Colo. Co. Savings,
Loan Friday

Colorado County Federal Savings and Loan Association will hold a Christmas Open House at its offices in Columbus this Friday, Dec. 14th from 10 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

and one and all are invited to attend.

Refreshments will be served.

This is our way of wishing all of our good friends a very Merry Christmas," said Sam K. Seymour, Jr., president of the association.

Another Hay Fire Friday
Eagle Lake firemen were

called to another hay fire around 1:30 p.m. Friday when a trash fire at the Henry Schmidt residence on Calhoun Road south of the city moved into a hay meadow and ignited a number of round bales of hay stored in the area. It was reported that the fire had been burning for almost an hour by the time firemen were called and the hay bales were burned beyond control when firemen arrived.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

See our big selection of GUN CABINETS

A Sportsman's Showcase

Hunter • Outdoorsman • Marksman - all are expressed in the genuine wood craftsmanship of these fine collectors gun cabinets. Lighted display behind glass doors, generous storage below. All doors lock, brass plated hardware, furniture finish in Oak, Pine and Maple.

5 Gun, 6 Gun, 8 Gun and 10 Gun Cabinets

From \$99.95 UP

Bring Your List and Let Us Help You With Gift Suggestions!!

FREE DELIVERY!

FURNITURE SHOPPE

307 Main EAGLE LAKE Phone 234-2534

Round Bales Of
Hay Burn On
Clippson Farm Thurs.

Ten large round bales of hay owned by J. H. Clippson on property near the railroad crossing on Calhoun Road, south of Eagle Lake, were damaged by fire last Thursday morning. Eagle Lake volunteer firemen were called to the scene at 9:29 a.m.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Mr. Clippson said that the fire started when a truck was backed into the area where the hay was stored and ignited some loose hay. Firemen were able to limit damage to only ten bales of around forty stored in the area.

Register At Miller's Grocery For Weekly Prize

The Oscar Miller family, owners of Miller's Grocery in Eagle Lake, invite citizens of the community to come by their store to register, without obligation, for pre-Christmas prizes to be awarded each Monday from now until Christmas. Registration will be limited however to adults.

RED'S PARLOUR COCKTAIL LOUNGE

Dancing - Music
Pizza - Sandwiches
Tamales
Open Seven Days A Week 5:00 P.M.
Columbus, Texas

Levee Surveying

Lakeside Inc. with Roger Birdwell

EXPERIENCE MEANS: ★★★★★

★ Knowing rice fields and being able to identify highs and lows

★ Getting the most out of your equipment

★ Identifying and correcting possible errors BEFORE they cost you money

★ Fast, accurate and efficient surveying

★ A BETTER Job at LESS Cost!!

Lakeside Inc. and Roger Birdwell
mean EXPERIENCE

Office Hours: 713/234-3533

Nights: 713/234-5465

Poorboy's BARBECUE

Serving Texas BBQ Beef
At Its Best - Every Day
10 A.M. to 12 Midnight

Boneless BBQ
Beef

Hot Links
Pies or Sandwiches
Cold Drinks - All Kinds

Pool Tables For Your Fun
U.S. 90 1/2 MI. East of Columbus

Pool Tables For Your Fun

U.S. 90 1/2 MI. East of Columbus

U.S. 90 1/2 MI. East of Columbus

U.S. 90 1/2 MI. East of Columbus

U.S. 90 1/2 MI. East of Columbus

W. M. Thomas Jr. Insurance Agency

411 Mills St. - Eagle Lake, Texas

HEALTH FIRE
LIFE CASUALTY
AUTO BONDS

Phone 713-234-2619

Phone 713-234-2619

Phone 713-234-2619

Phone 713-234-2619