

Ladies Auxillary Charter Members



Four charter members of the Eagle Lake Fire Dept. Ladies Auxillary attended the 20th Anniversary banquet in the Fireman's Hall last Saturday evening. They are shown

above, left to right, Mrs. Lou Birdwell, currently inactive; and active charter members, Jonie Mae Muzny, Emma Pustejovsky and Edna Hollis.

Fire Dept. Ladies Auxillary Celebrates 20th Anniversary

Installs New Officers; Becky Marsalis Pres.

The Ladies Auxillary of the Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Department observed the 20th year of its organization at a covered fish barbecue-chicken dinner in the Fireman's Hall last Saturday night. Special guests for the occasion were husbands of the members and four charter members.

current members for their cooperation during the year. She also stressed the need for more members. She introduced the 1980-81 officers, who received appropriate badge pins, including Mrs. Bobby Joe (Becky) Marsalis, president; Mrs. Ronnie (Barbara) Miller, vice president and treasurer; and Mrs. Darlene (Doris) Briscoe, historian and reporter; Mrs. Gene (Dorothy) Jones, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Gary (Betty) Glaiser, chaplain. In accepting the presidency, Mrs. Marsalis also extended congratulations to the charter members on the occasion of the 20th anniversary. She said, "I hope our members will start the new year with renewed enthusiasm."

VFW To Dedicate Flag Poles At Hospital May 3

Rice Area Memorial Post, 8783 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars invites citizens of the area to make plans to attend a dedication service to be held in front of the Eagle Lake Community Hospital at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 3rd. The short service will be held to dedicate new United States and Texas Flags and poles which were given to the hospital and erected by the local VFW Post.

Columbus Livestock Co. Commission Co. Had a Good Run of Cattle for Sale Last Thursday

Columbus Livestock Co. Commission Co. had a good run of cattle for sale last Thursday. Packer cows and bulls sold steady and stocker calves went under big demand. Better quality and light calves sold exceptionally well. The firm handled 603 head of cattle with good choice packer cows selling \$8 to \$8.50, beefsteer packer cows brought \$5 to \$6, commercial packer bulls \$2 to \$6.50, Heavy Hereford and Angus and Crossbred steer calves went from \$7 to \$9 and heifers from \$4 to \$7.50. Good stocker cows and heifers brought \$400 to \$500 per head. No. 1 hogs sold 27.50 and lambs 60-70.

beautiful floral centerpiece of red and white carnations and greenery topped with a red styrofoam "20th" and Mrs. Pustejovsky was winner of the arrangement. Citizens of the community join in extending congratulations to the Ladies Auxillary on passing their 20th anniversary. The Auxillary members perform a valuable service in support of the volunteer firemen and annually donate funds for the purchase of equipment to better equip the fire department and help the local firemen in handling all emergency situations.

Garwood Literary Winners



Winners from Garwood Elementary School in the District 200A Literary Meet at Blinn Junior College in Brenham were: front row, left to right, Jennifer Mader, Danette Fagoli, back row, left to right, Kelli Lamer, Rachelle Hunt and Melissa Espstrom. Kelli, Melissa, Jennifer and Danette placed third in Picture Memory; Rachelle placed second in Spelling in grades 7 and 8. Garwood School photo.

In Garwood Play



The eighth grade class at Garwood elementary school put on the play, "April's Rebellion" written by Sheila L. Marshall for grades kindergarten through seven on April 18th. The cast included: Mother Nature, Letha Smith, Amy, Monica Piepryza; Ted, Mel Pratt; April, Donna Dancy; May, Frances Garcia; June, Annette Lowe; September, Sheila Dabney; November, Emma Maguire; January, Thomas Waligura; February, Mark Eggeneyer; July, Matthew Rohwer; March, Kenny Johnson; August, Michael Hemphill; October, Glen Heffer; December, Junior Richard; and sponsor is Mrs. Lynn Heard. "It was reported that the class did a 'super job' in their play production which was enjoyed by all. Garwood School photo.

Garden Club Makes Tour Of San Antonio Sights

The members of the Eagle Lake Garden Club and some guests spent a very pleasant day in San Antonio on April 9th. Highlights of the day included Los Patios, the Susken Garden, and the Zoo in Breckenridge Park. Los Patios is a beautiful oasis off the N.E. Loop 410 on Salado Creek within the city. Its setting reminds one of Hodges Gardens in Louisiana. Shops and restaurants are naturally located among beautiful trees, ponds and streams. The ladies enjoyed a delicious lunch in the Garbo where reservations had been made. The tropical setting of this restaurant, as well as the whole area, adds to the joy of dining. After lunch, the group departed for further sightseeing. This included the Susken

Career Apparel To Be Topic At Brown Bag Meet Wed.

By Donella R. Patel County Extension Agent Career Apparel for Women will be the topic of the April 30 public Brown Bag Luncheon at the County Agricultural Building at 316 Spring Street in Columbus. For the career woman's convenience, the programs will be held from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and 12:00-1:00 p.m. Each person should bring her lunch and drinks will be provided. Are you dressing for success or failure? Some experts claim that "women dress for failure." One thing is certain our clothing does communicate to those around us. Our clothing may say, "I feel good about myself. I am confident I can handle this job." Or it may say, "I am not prepared to handle this job. I am unsure of myself."

When used correctly, clothing can improve our appearance and advance us professionally. All women interested in learning how to dress for interviews and various jobs are encouraged to meet with other career women and learn. This free program will be presented by Mrs. Donella R. Patel, Colorado County Extension Agent.

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Colorado County, Texas

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While campaigning, I might have missed talking to you personally about being your County Attorney.

My goal is to perform the duties of County Attorney to the best of my ability and to be worthy of your trust and confidence in me.

I assure you that I will support our law men who risk their lives to enforce our laws. I know from experience, having served in the Military Police Corps, U.S. Army, how very important this is.

Equally important is my service to you. As part of that service I will continue to have my office open on Saturdays until noon, in addition to my regular office hours during the week.

Thank you for your vote on May 3, Democratic primary.

Sincerely, EDWARD WOOLERY-PRICE

Dist. Agent, Paid by Edward Woolery from 4127 Walnut, Columbus, Texas 76904

Corpsmen At Primary School



Mrs. Juanita Helms and Mrs. Jane Clifton are shown above demonstrating First Aid techniques for some of the Eagle Lake Primary School pupils. Mrs. Helms and Mrs. Clifton, members of the Eagle Lake Ambulance Corps, brought the ambulance to the Primary School to familiarize the pupils with the functions and capabilities of the vehicle and the volunteer corpsmen. The occasion was part of the Corps' observance of Good Health Week (April 20-26). The children pictured above are left to right, Shannon Herman, Naomi Rodriguez, Natalie Cordova, Greg Blair and Walt Herman. -ELPS Photo.

Ambulance Visits E.L. Schools During Good Health Week

Ambulance Corps To Hold Open House In Council Room Sat.

On Monday, April 21, the Eagle Lake ambulance was taken to Eagle Lake Primary School to introduce the students to the ambulance and its functions. The Eagle Lake Corpsmen are taking advantage of Good Health Week (April 20-26) to show these children just what to expect if it ever became necessary for one of them to be picked up. The use of oxygen and the suction unit was demonstrated and the use of air splints and cervical collars explained. It is hoped that this will relieve some of the fear in an "accident situation" by re-

moving one of the strange, or unknown, quantities involved, said Corpsmen. On Tuesday, April 22, the same program took place at the Eagle Lake Middle School for the fourth and fifth graders. Further activities planned by the Ambulance Corps for Public Health Week include an open house to be held in the City Council Room this Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Corps invites citizens in the downtown area during these hours to drop by to have their blood pressure taken and to view displays. Members will be glad to answer any questions you may have.

On Saturday at 2:00 p.m. on the parking lot behind the Post Office, an "extrication demonstration" will be held, weather and emergency calls permitting.

Three new babies born: Alana Beth Rinn, Christopher Kummerfeld and Shelly Marie Jones. A picnic lunch and an old-fashioned visit was enjoyed by all. Another reunion is planned for next year about this same time of the year. Reported.

Heavy Damage When Car Hits Tree Avoiding Deer

A 1980 Mercury automobile with less than a 1,000 miles on the speedometer, received very heavy damage when the vehicle hit a pine tree after the driver of the car swerved to avoid collision with a deer on State Highway 71 1.5 miles west of the Highway 90A intersection at 12:15 a.m. last Friday.

Highway Patrolman Andy Thevard of Eagle Lake investigated the accident. He reported that the new car was being driven east on Highway 71 when a deer ran out in front of the vehicle. The driver, Santa Rodriguez Garza of New Ulm, managed to miss the deer but the car slammed into a pine tree beside the road, doing an estimated \$5,000 worth of damage.

Garza's wife, Fernanda, was taken to the hospital in El Campo for treatment of bruises and cuts by the Garwood Fire Dept.'s emergency unit.

Hosp. Employees On Parade In Good Health Wk.



Good Health Week being observed this week, April 20-26. An open house and tours of the hospital will conclude the week's activities from 2 to 4 p.m. this Friday.

Open House At Hospital Fri. During Good Health Week

Good Health Week is being observed in the Eagle Lake community with a number of special events planned by the Eagle Lake Community Hospital. On Monday, "Exercise Day" employees of the hospital, auxiliary personnel and others paraded through the downtown area displaying a variety of signs and passing out packages of band-aids. Signs and balloons were used to draw attention to the Good Health Week being observed April 20-26th.

Tuesday, there were displays of some nourishing types of foods in the downtown area; on Wednesday, "Preventative Medicine Day," a slide presentation was shown during the day at the hospital showing Healthy Human Organs vs. Diseased

Facilities' Day and tours will be conducted during an open house at the Eagle Lake Community Hospital from 2 to 4 p.m. The public is invited to participate in the remaining activities of this week set aside to "take responsibility for their own health and to adopt appropriate lifestyles which contribute to good health," as was noted in proclamations issued by City Mayor Elmer Struss and County Judge Lester J. Cranek.

Aerobic Dancing

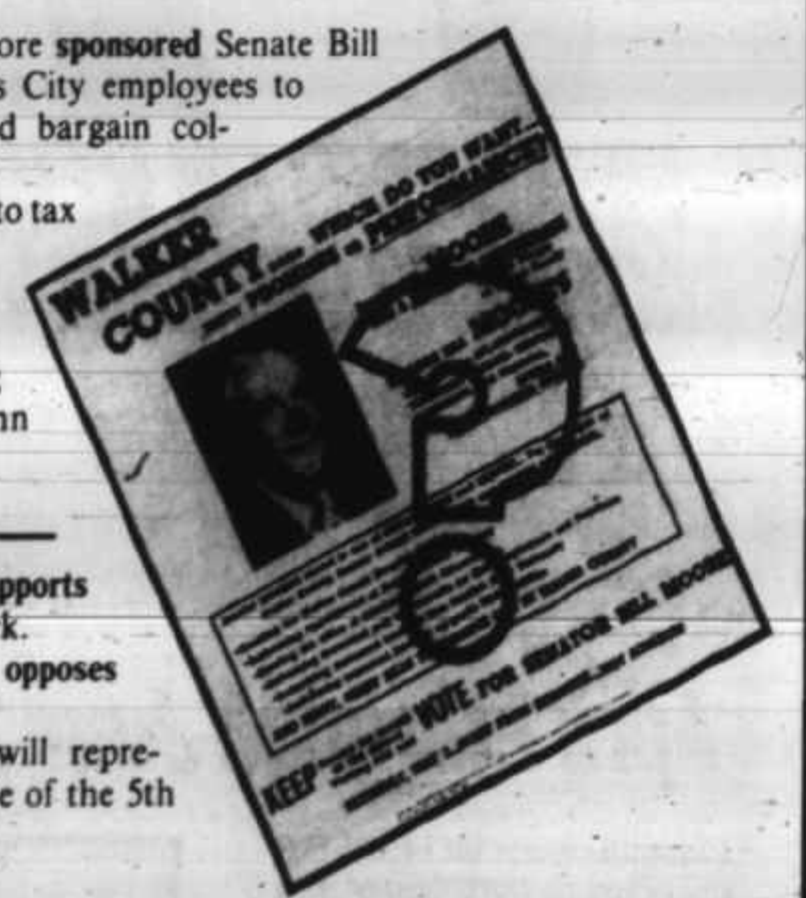
If you are interested in improving your health, get into Aerobic Dancing!! For More Information: Call Vickie Lynn Ashley At 234-3969

Kent Caperton is Winning the Race for the Texas Senate:

The present senator is losing, and he's getting desperate.

THE TRUTH:

- Senator Bill Moore sponsored Senate Bill 35, which allows City employees to form unions and bargain collectively.
Bill Moore votes to tax groceries.
Bill Moore sponsored the bill that lets big utilities condemn land anywhere in Texas.
Kent Caperton supports the Right to Work.
Kent Caperton opposes any new taxes.
Kent Caperton will represent all the people of the 5th District.



Vote Saturday, May 3, Democratic Primary.



Gaye Lynn Thomas Honoree At Luncheon

Gaye Lynn Thomas, Rice High School senior, was honored by Mrs. William Farris with a graduation luncheon at The Farris 1912, Saturday, April 19th at 12:30 p.m. Fifteen of Gaye Lynn's school friends were present for the occasion. The honoree's mother, Mrs. Gaye Thomas, was a special guest. The young ladies enjoyed visiting in The Drummer's Room before enjoying a luncheon plate of French Chicken, Spring Fruit Salad, Deviled Eggs, Garlic Biscuits, Assorted Tarts and Iced Tea.

RICE DISTRICT SCHOOL MENUS

- Thurs., Apr. 24: Pan Sausage, Vegetarian Beans, Collard Greens, Jelly, Angel Biscuits.
Fri., Apr. 25: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Buttered Broccoli, Peanut Butter Crunch, Yeast Rolls.
Mon., Apr. 28: Burritos with Chili, Pinto Beans, Cole Slaw, Cinnamon Rolls.
Tues., Apr. 29: Pig-in-Blanket, Sauerkraut, Black-Eyed Peas, Almond Flavor Cake.
Wed., Apr. 30: Hamburgers, French Fries, Catsup, Hamburger Salad, Cherry Jello, Oatmeal Cookies.
Thurs., May 1: Fried Chicken, Rice with Gravy, Buttered Spinach, Sliced Peaches, Butter Bread.
Fri., May 2: Pimiento Cheese Sandwich, Potato Chips, Buttered Corn, Mixed Fruit, Cookies.

Gravel Truck Turns Over On 102 Thurs.

A large gravel truck and trailer rolled over when the vehicle jackknifed on FM 102 just south of Matthews at 11:40 a.m. Thurs., April 17th. Driver of the truck was Bennie Ray Schmidt of Eagle Lake. He told the investigating officer, Highway Patrolman Joel Garcia, that he

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HOSPITAL News Notes

Patients (Thru Apr. 20): From Eagle Lake: • George Spates, Mrs. Jimmie McCormick, Mrs. Gretchen Wilkerson, Baby Girl Wilkerson, Ms. Peggy Pohl, John Fella, Mrs. Phyllis Paenick, Ohio Rhodes, Mrs. Vera Fry, Mrs. Maxie Lubina; from Hallettsville: Mrs. Neider Martin; from Alton: Billie Kretschmar; from Wallis, Mrs. Dorothy Sowa; from Round Top, Willie Wessels; from Lissie, Mrs. Doris Beisel; from Glen Flora, Mrs. Loreta Morgan; from San Benito, Mrs. Gladis Morales; from East Bernard, Mrs. Damiana Tober.
Diamante: From Eagle Lake: Mrs. Annelis Albrecht, Mrs. Tucker Tyus, Mrs. Margaret Curry, Mrs. Anna Roeh, Ms. Mary Morales, Mrs. Vellie Kretschmar, Johnny Joe Hernandez, Gardner Duncan, Shannon Glover, Julie Hernandez, Ms. Gloria Norman, Mrs. Coala Mann, Vicente Cordo, Mrs. Tyra Feik; from Columbus, Mrs. Barbara Anderson, Mrs. Melba Banegas, Mrs. Telma Banegas, Mrs. Grace Goebel, Roosevelt Johnson, Mrs. Willie Mae Eby; from Rock Island, Mrs. Katherine Einkauf, Ms. Carol Albertson; from Sealy, Laura Saba; from Gladis, Miss Odessa Taylor; from Schulenburg, Jennifer Demel; from La Grange, Ollie Walker; from Garwood, Lemmie McGrew, Jr.; from Shiner, Gary Lee Grossbacher, Jr.; from Alton, Mrs. Helen Hurd, Baby Boy Hurd; from Sheridan, Mrs. Rosella Dickey; from East Bernard, Fred Fujiki; Gladis, Walter Kasper; Houston, Tiffany Jones; Florida, Mrs. Milagros Carballosa; San Antonio, Mrs. Lucy Morgan.

Second Brast Family Reunion Held Sunday

The second annual Adolph and Theodore Brast family reunion was held April 20 at the Fireman's Hall kitchen in Sealy. There were 65 family members plus very many visitors. The oldest member was Mrs. Christine (Brast) Mau from Cat Spring; the youngest was Alana Beth Rinn from Austin. The Gene Brast family came the farthest, from Neagoches. In attendance from Eagle Lake were Henry and Annie May Schmidt and Henry Jr. and Barbara Schmidt; Jared Henry; from Sealy, Ella Brast; Minnie Elbber, Hattie Pechka, Leroy Brast, Bertrand and Jo Ann Brast and Leah and Joy Koescheck; Eliza Brast, Deana Brast, David Brast, Edward Brast, Victor Brast, Walden Brast and Tammy

Robert Saunders Knows the People of the 30th Legislative District

(Bastrop, Colorado, Fayette, Gonzales and Lee Counties)

Robert Saunders grew up and attended schools in Bastrop County and has spent most of his adult life in Fayette County. His wife, Claudean, also grew up in the district on a ranch in Colorado County. Robert knows what it takes to make a living and how to balance a tight budget. He worked in high school and college (at a grocery, service station, and small manufacturing plant). Since graduating from college (with both bachelor's and master's degrees), he has worked as educational counselor and supervisor (for special education students). He also sells real estate, and works on his father-in-law's ranch. Robert Saunders is a conservative Democrat who supports:
• Free enterprise system
• Vigorous enforcement of law & order
• New research in gasohol
• No new state taxes
• Cutting back on government red tape
• Quality education for our youth
In the community, Robert actively supports youth-related activities. He coaches Little League and CYO teams and is a director of La Grange's Cub Scout Pack. He's on the Parish Board of his church and President of the local Jaycees.

Paid For By: Citizens to Elect Robert Saunders, C. L. Saunders, Treasurer, 650 S. College, La Grange, Texas 78945.



Claudean and Robert Saunders, with sons Matt R. (left) and John R. (right) and Robert's wife, The family dog is named Rust.