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## May Is Busy Time For Senior Citizens

Colorado County's Golden Age Center is planning numerous events for the month of May, senior citizens' month.

Shelia Williams, coordinator, stated, "It's May already. It's time for planning summer activities and projects. We want to welcome all of the new seniors who have joined us so far and we hope to get even more people involved during the summer months. We always encourage people who are interested in finding out what the program is all about to call or drop by. We may be able to help you in some way or you may be able to help us by bringing fresh new ideas."

The senior citizens will participate in the Magnolia Homes Tour activities in Columbus this weekend (Saturday and Sunday).

Pam Evans will conduct sewing classes that will begin May 27 so put your thumb on your thumb. Another new class that the Center will be having is macramé, and this class will be taught by Sallie Fredricks and classes will begin on May 25.

May is the month for picnics so come with us to Stephen F. Austin State Park in Sealy. Pack a lunch and any other goodies you want. It's Saturday, May 29 at 10:00 a.m., added Williams.

## Let's Look Back: 48 YEARS AGO

[May 12, 1934]

J. R. Colly suffered a broken rib while driving in his pasture, looking at cattle, and not looking where he was going. He hit a well casing which knocked him against the steering wheel. Miss Kate Griffin is recovering nicely from hurting her eye while playing with a small dog. The dog accidentally struck her with his claw and scratched the ball of her eye.

Mr. J. Oscar Braden of Mentz celebrated his 17th birthday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Braden. Sunday night with many of his friends attending. Billy

Garwood was appointed by the president of the Texas Fine Arts Association as district chairman of this district. Miss Hortense Larsen, niece of Mrs. L. O. Clark of Eagle Lake, is queen of the Milby High School May fete.

## Free Tony's Dinner

John Lee Korenek, Jr. is a ticket for a free Tony's Deluxe Dinner at Tony's on Highway 90A just west of the city. You'll find delicious foods in a pleasant atmosphere. Clip this out and present at Tony's not later than May 18, 1982.

## Restored Colorado County Courthouse



Colorado County Courthouse, built in 1890 will be open to the public during the 21st Annual Magnolia Homes Tour in Columbus, Saturday and Sunday, May 15 and 16. An extensive restoration program, completed early this year, will provide visitors with a view of the beauty and elegance of late 19th century architecture. Homes Tour Photo.

## Magnolia Homes Tour In Columbus Sat., Sun.

Magnolia Homes Tour will celebrate the heritage of Columbus with its twenty-first annual Homes Tour on Saturday and Sunday, May 15 and 16. During the two day event, early Texas and a highly unusual stained glass dome in the ceiling.

Guided tours of the courthouse will be available only at 2 and 4 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

Continuous entertainment around for all ages. Buggy and surrey rides, puppet shows, magic shows and music will entertain those at the beer garden and sidewalk cafe. Saturday and Sunday evenings the Stafford Opera House Players will present "The Grand Little Ole Opry (Texas Style)" from the stage of the Stafford Opera House.

Family Night on the square opens the tour on Friday evening with carnival rides, sidewalk cafe, beer garden, games and a gigantic auction. Antiques, homemade and handcrafted items are among the items on the block, with all proceeds going toward the Opera House restoration.

Ticket prices for all homes and building on the tour are \$6.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children. Tickets for individual homes are \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children. Admission to the Antique Show and Sale is \$1.50 and tickets for The Grand Little Ole Opry (Texas Style) are \$5.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children.

## Dr. Jose Ugarte Completes AAFP Requirements

Dr. Jose M. Ugarte has completed continuing education requirements to retain active membership in the American Academy of Family Physicians, the national association of family doctors. The Academy formerly was called the American Academy of General Practice.

The requirements call for members to complete a minimum of 150 hours of accredited continuing medical study every three years. Members become eligible for re-election at the end of the third year following their election to membership. The Academy, the country's second largest national medical association, was the first national medical group to require members to keep up with medical progress through continuing education.

The Academy, founded in 1947 and headquartered in Kansas City, Mo., was instrumental in the establishment of a new primary specialty in family practice in 1969. The new specialty is expected to increase the numbers of family physicians available to serve the public in the future.

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## Commr. Court OK's \$100 Fee For "Social Study"

### Fund To Be Placed In Trust Administered By Children's Board

Colorado County Commissioners' Court, in regular session Monday, approved a \$100 cost of court fee to be charged by the county and district courts in this county in cases dealing with juvenile children where a "social study" is required.

County Judge Lester J. Crank pointed out that the "social study" is required in some cases involving divorce or child custody proceedings and requires a thorough study of the status of those involved in the cases.

The Rev. J. Melburn Sibley of Eagle Lake, chairman of the Colorado County Children's Services Board, and Mrs. Helen J. Sibley, representing the Texas Department of Human Resources, met with the court to discuss the charge. It was noted that the Human Resources personnel conduct the social studies, and the \$100 fee will be added to the costs of court in the cases. The \$100 fee will be placed into a trust fund which the Children's Welfare Board will draw from to assist the juvenile children in this county, noted Judge Crank.

The motion to assess the \$100 charge for the social study was made by Precinct 4 Commissioner Bill Stiles and passed unanimously.

During the program the court accepted a photograph presented by the Dilie Rose Harris chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas of the original county courthouse building in this county.

### OK Tax Refunds

Billy Younes, chief appraiser for the Colorado County Central Appraisal District, and County Tax Officer Henry J. Hapovsky met with the court to discuss refunds on taxes which might be collected erroneously or in cases of duplication, etc. The court approved such refunds, but will allow refunds of \$500 or less to be made by the appraisal district with the approval of the county auditor and refunds of over \$500 must first be approved by the commissioners' court.

The court voted to advertise for road paving bids in the four commissioners' precincts with the bids to be opened at the June 14th meeting. The commissioners

### LCRA Donates \$850 To MH/MR Program

annually combine road paving projects to get better prices on paving new roads and for seal coating.

The court authorized Sheriff Jim Broussard to purchase a Department of Public Safety used surplus vehicle to replace a sheriff's department vehicle which was damaged in a wreck on Meets Road April 29th. The 1979 Chevrolet was titled when Night Deputy Bill Raabe slowed to allow a vehicle to cross a one-way bridge and he was blinded by the lights and his vehicle went over an embankment into a deep ditch.

The court authorized sale of the wrecked vehicle, plus two other wrecked vehicles which the department offered during a recent auction sale but were not sold, on sealed bids to be opened at the June meeting.

The court approved a request from the City of Weimar to lay a sewer line in the county road right of way once the city provides drawings and specifications that are acceptable to County Judge Crank.

The court heard a report on the courthouse roof repair program. The east wing roof has been completed and no leaks were noted after last week's heavy rain. Also tar work has been placed over the west wing portion and it too has not shown leaks and work has started on stripping the roof on the north section.

## Boy Scout Troop 334 Attends Spring Camporee

Boy Scout Troop 334 of Eagle Lake recently participated in the Spring Camporee held on the Packer Estate Ranch in Wharton County April 30, May 1 and 2 with three local patrols entered in the various events.

As there were 28 patrols entered, the theme for the camporee was based on the scout motto of "Be a Scout, Be a Boy Scout, Be a Man." The English and the descendants of Dutch settlers in South Africa in which Baden Powell was in charge of defense of a key town, Mafeking. His troop was badly outnumbered, completely surrounded and under constant attack day after day.

Of the local participants, the Viking Patrol won first place and was named the overall patrol in the Brahman District. The Rebel Patrol was fourth overall in the first place division followed by the Panther Patrol which received fourth place in the second place division.

### Basic Lead Limits

The court took action to rescind a commissioners' order passed on April 11th, 1966 to remove lead limits placed on certain county roads in Precinct 1.

Released budgeted funds in the amount of \$1,069.46 for the pay of the District Court Coordinator in response to a request made by District Judge B. B. Schraab. This will bring the county's share of the payments through Dec. 31, 1982.

The court approved two telephone applications; and heard various reports.

Judge Crank reported that the \$20 wolf or coyote bounty was paid during the month of April on 43 scalps turned in by special trappers and the \$5.00 bounty on two scalps turned in by other citizens.

It was also noted that the three ambulance corps in the county made a total of 65 runs in April, 22 by Weimar, 30 by Eagle Lake and 13 by Columbus.

Another report revealed that the Sheriff's patrol units issued 202 citations during the month, 197 by Deputy Richard LaCourse and 5 by Deputy Curly Wied.

The court took action on advice that a defensive driving course be held for all county employed personnel who have not already taken the course.

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A donation of \$850.00 was received recently from the Lower Colorado River Authority by Jeannie Meisner, L.V.N. of the Colorado County Mental Health Center on behalf of the Colorado County Mental Health-Mental Retardation Program.

## GARWOOD AND NADA COMMUNITY NEWS

MRS. J. F. STRUSKA - 758-3352

## Bride-Elect Sharon Bartos Is Honored

Miss Sharon Bartos, bride-elect of Ricky Kristyuk, was honored with a miscellaneous shower May 2nd at the home of Mrs. Richard Vacek in Rosenberg.

Upon arrival, the bride-to-be was presented a corsage of yellow forget-me-nots and a wooden spoon. The mothers, Mrs. Simon Bartos and Mrs. Bernard Kristyuk, received similar corsages.

The registration table was covered with an eyelid cloth and held a basket of white daisies. The refreshment table was similarly decorated. Refreshments, including a double heart-shaped cake with the couple's names inscribed on it, pineapple punch, coffee, chicken salad sandwiches and chips were served after the guests enjoyed a time of games and watching the honoree open her gifts.

Hostesses for this delightful occasion were Mrs. Richard Vacek, Mrs. Wilfred Meisner, Mrs. Herman Pasier, Mrs. Lawrence Barak, Mrs. Elgin Fiekie and Mrs. Kenneth Becency. Their gift to the honoree was a matching set of wooden butterfly-shaped letter and key racks and a napkin holder.

Approximately 30 guests attended the shower.

Those attending the Older Texans Fair at Freisburg last

## Egypt and Glen Flora News

Schaer of Hungerford spent Mother's Day at the Paul Krenke residence.

**New Arrival**  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodriguez, III of Egypt announce the birth of their first child, a nine pound baby boy. They named him Roland Anthony. Grandparents are Frank, Jr. and Simona Rodriguez of Egypt and Appie Jasso of Wharton.

The Paul Krenke family attended a barn dance for the 4th Annual Senior Class of 1982. Their twin sons, Doug and Phillip, are seniors this year.

D&P Feed Lot had another dance on Sat., May 8th. De informed me that another one is scheduled for May 15. Everyone that attended said they had a nice time. Local talent furnished the music.

Nick and Mary Helen Corter from Houston visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kallas Sat.

The Krenke children honored their mother with a barbecue dinner. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Spaack and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Krenke, Jr., Rev. Henry C. Rachunek, Margaret Zahn and Kim Andel. A softball game was held in the afternoon with friends from Boling, Wharton and East Bernard participating.

That's all for this week and if you have any news call me at 677-3596.

On Sunday, Mrs. Louis

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## COLORADO COUNTY Sheriff's Report

A Weekly Report of Activities by Sheriff Jim Broussard

## Drivers Reminded To Pull Over For Emergency Vehicles

We ask all vehicle operators to please be cautious when you observe an emergency vehicle with flashing lights. The law requires all traffic to safely pull off the roadway when meeting an emergency vehicle on an emergency run. We ask your assistance to enable these vehicles to reach the emergency safely.

May 3: Assisted with traffic at the scene of an accident on 71 South. Removed livestock from the roadway on Highway 90A east of Columbus. Removed livestock from the roadway near Eagle Lake. Worked school traffic in the morning and the afternoon. Arrested one for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. Checked on gun shots heard in the Altair area. Issued 14 traffic citations and served eight civil citations.

May 4: Had County Court. Posted a citation in the courthouse. Investigated an assault in Weimar. Worked school traffic in the morning and afternoon. Removed livestock from the roadway near Matthews. Issued 10 traffic citations and served six civil citations.

May 5: Checked on a suspicious subject on Highway 90A. Assisted with a funeral procession in Columbus. Checked on subjects shooting from the roadway in the Freisburg area. Assisted with traffic at the scene of an accident in Columbus. Work-

ed school traffic in the morning and the afternoon. Investigated a suspicious subject in the Eagle Lake area. Issued eight traffic citations and served four civil citations.

May 6: Assisted in checking county court for "tornado damage. Investigated a disturbance at the rest area on Highway 90A east of Eagle Lake. Issued eight traffic citations and served four civil citations.

May 7: Assisted a stranded motorist on Interstate. Transported a mental patient to the San Antonio State Hospital. Assisted Columbus police with a suicide investigation. Worked school traffic in the morning and the afternoon. Investigated a burglary in Rock Island and Sheridan. Issued six traffic citations and served 10 civil citations.

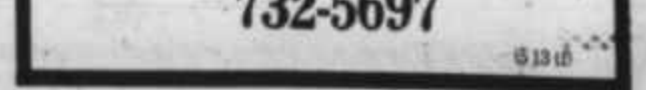
May 8: Arrested one for DWI on complaint. Investigated an attempted murder incident. Checked on a vehicle in the ditch north of Columbus. Arrested one for theft. Checked on a suspicious subject in the Alletton area.

May 9: Investigated an aggravated assault case. Arrested one for aggravated assault. Checked on a suspicious subject in the Long Oak area. Assisted with traffic at the scene of an accident near Weimar.

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