

Norrises, Glovers visit Vegas

Darrell and Arlene Norris, Earnest and Marie Glover, and Pearl and R. E. Norris spent several days recently traveling to Las Vegas. They also toured Hoover Dam, Hollywood and Beverly Hills, California.

While in California they visited the brother and father of the couples, Norrish. While in Vegas they visited "The Strip" but "Lady Luck" and Caesar's Palace proved to be the luckiest spots. An enjoyable time was reported by all.

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Society News

Engagement of Mary Balusek, Kirk Skow is announced

Mr. and Mrs. Alton W. Balusek of Boling, former residents of Sheridan, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Jean, to Kirk D. Skow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Skow of El Campo. Miss Balusek is the granddaughter of Mrs. Lena Balusek and the late Emil Balusek of Neda.

The bride-elect, a 1978 graduate of Boling High School, is employed by Commco Construction, Inc.

The wedding is celebrated for Saturday, October 9th at two o'clock in the afternoon at the Trinity Lutheran Church in El Campo.

All members should note the corrected time and meeting place.



Godino, Gonzales
to be married here Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Narciso Godino of Eagle Lake announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Yolanda, to David Gonzales, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lalo Gonzales of Eagle Lake.

The wedding will take place Saturday, September 4th at two o'clock in the afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Eagle Lake. A reception and dance will follow in East Bernard at the American Legion Hall. Music will be provided by Los Amigos de Cuero.

Bridal shower compliments Sherry Frevola

Miss Sherry Frevola, bride-elect of Michael Thomas, was honored at a Miscellaneous Shower Saturday, August 14th from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Lonnie Sommerlatte.

The honoree and the mother of the prospective groom, Mrs. Gayle Thomas, were presented with lovely corsages upon their arrival.

Guests were greeted by the honoree, her future mother-in-law and the hostesses and then viewed the gifts and enjoyed refreshments of pigs-in-the-blanket, assorted muffins, mints, nuts, coffee and punch during the come and go pre-nuptial courtesy.

The refreshment table, draped with a lace cloth over an orchid linen, held an orchid daisy mum centerpiece and the silver service, in keeping with the bride's chosen colors.

Hostesses for the delightful social were Mrs. Lonnie Sommerlatte, Mrs. K. R. Szymanski, Mrs. Bob Cook and Mrs. Gene Paschall.

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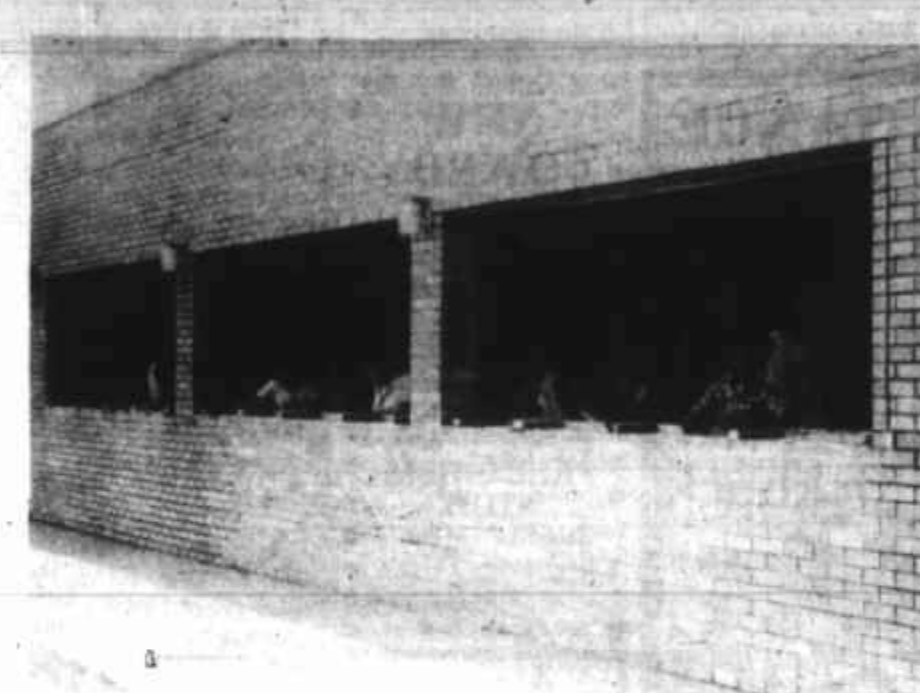
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Features

Principal cites crafts class, Safety Patrol



Students of Eddie Gibson's arts and crafts class, shown above, have been replacing and rebuilding the concession stand in the school stadium.

By Velma Kutzer
SHERIDAN NEWS
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Schools open
The Sheridan School, along with other schools in the Rice District, opened its doors Monday, August 23rd for the 1982-83 school term.

A total of 139 students are presently enrolled at Sheridan. A breakdown of class enrollment is as follows: kindergarten, 15 students; first grade, 19; second, 20; third, 14; fourth, 7 (and these are all girls); fifth, 17; sixth, 13; seventh, 17; and eighth, 17.

Mr. Gohlke reported classes are running on schedule and he expects a successful year.

GARWOOD AND NADA
COMMUNITY NEWS
MRS. J. F. STRUSKA - 758-3352

Mrs. Mollie Hunt spent a few days in San Antonio and Sabinal visiting relatives.

Everett Hunt is in the El Campo hospital. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hunt accompanied their daughter, Renee, to Abilene where she will be a student at Abilene Christian University.

Dana and Allen Struska are spending a few days with their grandmother, Mrs. Ella Struska.

Deepest sympathy to the family and relatives of Pete Fucik of Tilton, who passed away suddenly at his home in Tilton last Tuesday. He was the father and father-in-law of Larry Fucik and Cheryl Abell Fucik of Garwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rasmussen of Wharton visited Mrs. Joe Mendell and took their children back home with them after visiting their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bunge, Misses Loueva and Geneva Bunge visited Lucille Blumberg and her son Stein at Seguin last week.

Mrs. Alice Nolan of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma visited several days with Mrs. Laura Littleton in Garwood and also visited in Bay City and San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Orsak visited Mrs. Laura Littleton one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Parr of Garwood visited in the Eagle Lake Community Hospital. Best wishes for a quick recovery.

Charles Abel, principal of the Eagle Lake Middle School, is very impressed by the school and its students. "They dress very well, discipline is wonderful and we are progressing into a new school year as well as I had expected and better," he said last Friday.

"The arts and crafts class, which is something of a misnomer, since they really run it more like a shop class, started last year and we now have two periods. Students are taught different vocational skills by teacher Eddie Gibson."

"Last year they laid a sidewalk on the school grounds, and this year they are renovating the concession stand in the school stadium, replacing rotten boards, fittings. The class is composed of seventh and eighth graders, and they also carry on with other projects such as woodwork and furniture," said Abel.

"With the limited facilities that we have, the students really do a terrific job. I'm really proud of the program. We also plan more renovations on the school grounds."

Another of the school programs Abel is proud of is the Senior Safety Patrol. The program, sponsored by Ray Sykowski, is made up of seventh and eighth graders who volunteer to make street crossings on the E.L.M.S. campus a little safer.

The students are given safety tests and must meet other criteria, such as good grades, before they become Patrol members. They wear reflective vests and halt traffic at two key crossings in front of the school before school, at 7:45 a.m., and again after school at 3:15 p.m.

Motorists driving through the campus, and parents picking up their children are reminded to obey the speed limit and stop when a Safety Patrol member is guarding the crosswalk.

FASCINATING FACTS
by Robert & Maxine Griffith

The reason there were fewer wrecks in the old horse-and-buggy days was because the driver didn't depend wholly on his own intelligence.

Lawrence Welk's license plate: A1ANA 2. The first American aircraft carrier built from the keel up was the USS Ranger, designated CV-4, and commissioned Feb. 25, 1933.

Alice in Wonderland is the modernized title of the original novel, Alice's Adventures in Wonderland, written in 1865 by Lewis Carroll (who's real name was Charles Lutwidge Dodgson).

Paul Bunyon's blue ox was named Babe. Playboy publisher Hugh Hefner's super-jet DC-9: N950PBW was named Big Bunny.

Moroni is the capital of the Comoro Islands. The phrase "Rock'n'Roll" was coined by a Disc Jockey named Alan Freed.

Col. John Glenn became the first American to orbit the earth on February 20, 1962. Do you remember the name of his space capsule? It was named Friendship 7.

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