

Society News

Bitner reunion held

Approximately 64 guests attended the third John Bitner reunion last Saturday at the Albert Bitner camp house near Rock Island.

Games of volleyball, horses and children's games were enjoyed throughout the day. Activities got underway at 2 p.m. Looking at old pictures and the taking of pictures of each generation also was enjoyed.

A short meeting and a prayer for the deceased was followed by a delicious covered dish supper.

Albert and Bea Bitner and Jeffrey hosted the 1983 reunion. The group decided to hold the reunion again next year and will set the date.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lawrence honored on 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Lawrence of Columbus were honored with a reception commemorating their fifth wedding anniversary on Sunday afternoon, April 17, in the home of her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Reinhart, Jr., in Old D'Hanis, Texas.

More than 150 friends, relatives and special guests registered between the afternoon hours of three to five, and enjoyed reminiscing over many enjoyable memories and experiences. Special guests were Msgr. Thomas Collins of San Antonio and Rev. Tony

Constatino of D'Hanis, who celebrated a wedding mass in honor of the couple on the evening before the reception. Beautiful gold mums and table in the serving rooms, and an ornate cake topped with the letters "50th" was centered on the serving table.

Other refreshments included punch, coffee, tea, assorted nuts and mints. Registered guests came from Columbus, Fredericksburg, Hallettsville, Corpus Christi, San Antonio and D'Hanis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence were united in marriage on April 15, 1933 by Rev. Foy

He retired in 1965 and has been very active in all aspects of community life and, together, they have contributed much to the civic interests of Columbus.

Mrs. Lawrence is the former Lucille Ney of Eagle Lake.



Suzanna Huffman, Paul Labay plan June wedding

Georgia Huffman of El Campo announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Suzanna Lynne, to Paul Anthony Labay, son of Connie Labay of Nada and the late Fred Labay, Jr.

The couple will be married at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on June 23 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Nada.

Farm Bureau queen, talent contests Friday

The Colorado County Farm Bureau is hosting its annual queen, talent find and Little Miss Parade contest here starting at 8 p.m. Friday at the middle school.

Queen contestants are: from Garwood, Carmen Schneider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schneider, and Christine Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carpenter; from Columbus, Vicki Dungen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dungen; and Sondra Dittmar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dittmar.

Master of ceremonies will be Ditz Rabel, corresponding bank officer for the South Central and Texas Region for Cullen Bank of Houston. Little Miss interview will be Mrs. Betty Cady of Columbus, and local master of ceremonies will be Leon Hatterman, Colorado County Farm Bureau president from Weimar.

Talent contestants are Christine Carpenter from Garwood, and from Eagle Lake, Janet Anderson.



KRISTINE CARPENTER Kristine is the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carpenter of Garwood. She will be a junior at Rice High School in the fall where she participates in many activities, including being a twirler and officer in the Raider band; playing tennis, and participating in the Future Teachers Club, the Business Club, and the Drama Club. She also finds time to play the organ and piano for her church.

SHSU to hold baseball camps for kids For the third consecutive summer, Sam Houston State University will hold one week baseball instruction camps for youngsters 9-14 years of age. The camps, directed by Sam

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Davison, Kuba given social

On Friday morning, May 20, the faculty of Rice High School gathered in the Commons for a retirement social for Jerry Kuba and Joyce Davison who are retiring at the end of this school year.

Mr. Kuba worked on the construction of Rice High School with Drywall Construction Company and was hired as custodian for the building in September, 1970. Mr. Kuba worked for 13 years at the high school carrying out numerous duties and managing to keep the facilities in excellent condition. He was a friend to the students and teachers. Anyone could call on him to perform a task and he would respond in a friendly manner. Throughout his tenure, he

always maintained a friendly disposition and certainly will be missed by all who knew him. We sincerely wish him well in his well-earned and well-deserved retirement. Mr. Kuba plans to retire to his small farm in the Altair area.

Mrs. Joyce Davison, a member of the professional staff, began her teaching career in the little community of Taverner and also taught in El Campo and South Houston Junior High. In 1962 she was employed by the Garwood Independent School District and taught there until consolidation in 1970. In September 1970, she moved to Rice High School and has headed up the Homemaking

Department from that time until her retirement this May. Mrs. Davison possesses the best characteristics that could be asked for in a teacher. She is a dedicated person and had a genuine concern for every youngster that she taught. She will be sincerely missed by the administration, teachers and students. Her experience are a valuable asset to beginning and experienced teachers. Her presence on the high school staff will be missed, but we wish her well in her well-earned and well-deserved retirement. Mrs. Davison plans to continue to be active and to travel.

During the retirement social, both retirees were presented plaques from Rice High School. They were also presented a swing by the school faculty. The presentation of the swings was made by Troy Krenk, who has taught with Mrs. Davison since 1962. Mrs. Davison also received a plaque from the Colorado County Teachers Association for her 34 years of dedicated service to the teaching profession.

The gathering concluded with all wishing both retirees a happy and healthy retirement.

Jerry Kuba, custodian at Rice High School, is shown in the photo above receiving his retirement plaque from Fred Grahmann, left, principal of Rice High School and pictured below with Mr. Grahmann is Mrs. Joyce Davison, retiring teacher.



Mrs. C. L. Buenger honored at surprise birthday party

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Walker gave her sister, Mrs. C. L. Buenger of Garwood, a surprise birthday party Sunday, May 29 at her home in Garwood.

She hosted a barbecue for approximately 37 guests.

Present to enjoy the happy occasion were: C. L. Buenger and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Chandler of Crosby; Mrs. Marie Gilmore and family of

Houston; Mrs. Liz Hall and family of Houston; Preston Walker and son of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. James Pattison and son of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alton Smith and family of Dallas; Mrs. Janet French of Garwood; Mr. and Mrs. James Buenger and son of Garwood; Wanda Bryan and family of Channel View and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Frudge and family of Channel View.

Local boys State delegates arrive in Austin

The 43rd annual American Legion Boys State sponsored by the State of Texas American Legion, and held on the campus of The University of Texas at Austin got underway as 961 high school boys from all parts of Texas began registration. State Commander Waggoner Carr of Austin announced.

Among those registering from Eagle Lake were Jose M. Ugarte and Coby Shorter, III, who were sponsored by local American Legion Posts.

Following registration, each citizen was assigned to one of two political parties, the Nationalist or Federalist. Each citizen then functions as a member of his party, he attends its precinct, county and state conventions and votes in its primary.

Boys State is one of the most successful youth programs in operation today. Each year, Posts select thousands of students throughout the nation to attend these civic workshops where each boy participates in the practical functioning of local, county and state government.

Boys State helps to develop civic leadership and pride in American citizenship. This program arouses a keen interest in the detailed study of our government. These civic workshops stress the importance of maintaining our form of government and bring about a better understanding of our national traditions and beliefs to the more than 28,000 young men throughout the nation who are participating this year.

In Boys State, The American Legion provides the type of program where

the young citizens has an opportunity to learn for himself that his government is just what he makes it. The boy "learns to do by doing."

Speaker Highlights include an address by General Robinson Riser on June 6 at 7 p.m. and an address by Legation Commander Waggoner Carr, former Speaker of the House and Attorney General of Texas, on June 7 at 7 p.m. both in Hogg Auditorium. Congressional Medal of Honor recipient

Stanciks' at 2nd Czech symposium

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin J. Stancik and Darlene of Eagle Lake were in Temple on Sunday for the second Czech Symposium held at the Seaton Star Hall.

More than 300 people attended the two-day symposium which focused on pioneer Czech families of Texas. Topics covered were geography, customs, genealogical research and travel.

The Dallas Czech Orchestra provided entertainment during the noon hour and the Czech Choral Club from Seaton SPJST Lodge 47 highlighted the conclusion of the day's festivities. With its beautifully presented selections in Czech.

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LISSIE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Lindia, Texas Rev. Wm. Couvillion, Pastor Sunday: Church School 9:45 AM Morning Worship 11 AM Youth Fellowship 5 PM Children's Fellowship 6 PM Evening Worship 6 PM	LEHRER MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Garwood, Texas Laura Matthews, Pastor 9:45 AM Sunday Church School 11:00 AM Morning Worship 6:30 PM Evening Worship	OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. Ray Widacki, Pastor Guadalupe Terrace Addition Sunday Mass at 10:30 AM Mass on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:00 PM	GREATER MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. R. Kiser, Pastor 705 Lake Phone 234-3545 Eagle Lake, Texas Sunday School 9:30 AM Morning Worship 11 AM Baptist Training Union 6:30 PM Evening Worship 7:00 PM Thursday: Prayer Meeting & Teachers' Meeting 7 PM	Spalinger Hardware Charles and Kate Spalinger 123 East Main Eagle Lake
GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH Lindia, Texas Rev. Paul Krupnick, Pastor Sundays: 9:15 AM Church School 10:30 AM Divine Worship The members and pastor of Grace Lutheran welcome you to come worship with them.	THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Charles E. Runk, Pastor Sundays: Church School 9:45 AM Morning Worship 10:30 AM Worship Service 10:35 AM Wednesdays: Youth Club 3:30 PM	BONUS BAPTIST CHURCH Highway 102, Bonus Texas 713-234-2205 Pastor: Rev. Ronald L. Ebert Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.	THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS Landmark Bldg. Main St. Seely, Texas H.D. Geigley, Branch Pres. Sunday Services: Priesthood Meeting 8:30 AM Sunday School 10:00 AM Sacrament Meeting (Worship Service) 11:00 AM	Wintermann & Company Eagle Lake
ST. MARY'S CHURCH Nada, Texas 77460 Rev. Magr. Victor G. Schmidt, Pastor Masses on Saturdays at 5:00 & 7:00 PM Masses on Sundays at 7:00 & 9:30 AM Consecration on Saturdays from 4:00 to 5:00 PM and on weekdays before the Masses. Visitors are always welcome!	EAGLE LAKE GOSPEL MISSION Rev. Emil Burger Sunday School 10 AM Morning Worship 11 AM	SHERIDAN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Steve Williams, Pastor Nursery Provided Sunday School 10 AM Worship Service 11 AM Training Union 6:30 PM Evening Worship 7:30 PM Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 PM	WALLIS BAPTIST CHURCH Phone 478-6532 Sunday School 9:30 AM Worship 10:30 AM Evening Home Meetings 7 PM (For information on local meetings call 234-3164 or 234-3165)	The Eagle Lake Headlight Your Weekly Home Town Newspaper
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