

Alpha Delta Phi-meetings

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Jacklyn gave a very interesting slide presentation on Africa.

Mary Ann reminded everyone to meet at her home 11 a.m. Saturday to go to Sealy for a luncheon. It was decided to enter a float with both sororities' sweethearts in the Lions Club parade. Delicious refreshments were served by Melody.

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This computer was used Friday during the annual Rice production seminar at the community center. At right, those attending the seminar picked up printed material available at the door.



Above, Ricky Miller speaks before presenting a gift to Krenek, and at right is the china cabinet Mrs. Krenek received.

By Mrs. J.F. Strusk
Garwood and Nada
Community News
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The Garwood Lions Club is making plans to help the Rice FFA chapter with their annual sale, Saturday, February 4 at Rice High School. The club will also be holding a mop and broom sale some time in February.

Jim Neely of Gulf Oil Corp. was the speaker at the regular meeting Wednesday evening.

New members coming into the Lions Club this week were Mrs. Kenneth Danklefs and Kur Engstrom. Lions president Parke Christensen and Lawrence Stallman attended the Lions District 2-53 Mid-Winter conference in Seguin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stallman entertained the Tuesday 42 club at their home this week. Refreshments were served after playing 100 games of 42 Dips and chips were enjoyed during the evening. Boyd Rees won high score. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Turner will host the club next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hopkins and son Cole visited Jimmie's parents Mr. and Mrs. James Hopkins last Sunday.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Lee Raver who formerly lived in Garwood.

The son-in-law of Henry Brasher of Weimar passed away. His name was David Gun. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Mrs. Roy Shoop accompanied the Neil Shoop family to Dallas after a visit in the home and in Port Lavaca, with the Buck Jackson family during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Shoop enjoyed a weekend at the Shoop lake home and an early Christmas. She spent the Christmas holidays with the Jackson family in Port Lavaca and New Year's Day with the Charles Taylor family in El Campo.

Is this someone you know?

She is 84 and has lived in her home for 50 years. She raised two handsome sons and cared for a loving husband. Her husband died five years ago, and her two sons left to start families of their own. One son visits at Christmas and writes occasionally; the other hasn't been in visit in three years.

The neighborhood has changed over the years and Mary seldom goes out because she is afraid! She stays in and watches TV alone.

Mary was once an award-winning chili cook. Now she lives on peanut butter and

an occasional can of soup. We have met many Marys over the years and understand their loneliness and despair. We've created a special living environment for important people like Mary, who need:

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Obituaries

John Dewey Ashley, Sr.

Family and friends learned with sadness of the passing of John Dewey Ashley, Sr. of Sheridan who died at 8:40 p.m. January 23 in Eagle Lake Community Hospital of a heart attack.

Funeral services were conducted from the First Baptist Church in Sheridan at 2 p.m. January 25 with Rev. Bernie Helge officiating. He was laid to rest in the Cheatham Cemetery in Sheridan.

Serving as pallbearers were Buford Ashley, Jr., James E. Smith, Johnny Jahn, David Bujnoch, Jimmy Werner and Jimmy Cameron.

Mr. Ashley was born on October 10, 1898 in Seadrift, Texas to Steven Berry Ashley and Sara Adams Ashley. John was a former resident of Garwood before moving to Sheridan in 1937 and later retiring from farming and ranching. Ivy McFarland became his bride on November 15, 1919 in Elouston. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Sheridan.

Surviving are: his loving wife, Ivy Ashley, of Sheridan; sons, Buford Ashley, Sr. and J. D. Ashley, Jr., both of Sheridan; sisters, Ruby Horn, Mabel Kirby and Josie Ashley, all of Baytown, and Hattie Garrison of Pella, Texas; brother, Buster Ashley of Corrigan, Texas; eight grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Leo G. Kansteiner

Leo George Kansteiner of Weimar, long-time former resident of Eagle Lake, closed his eyes to a peaceful rest the morning of January 24 at Youens Memorial Hospital in Weimar. Last rites were held at 2:30 p.m. January 25 from the chapel of Hubbard Funeral Home in Weimar. Pastor Robert Jorges of Faith Lutheran Church in Weimar officiated at the services. Burial was at Lakeside Cemetery in Eagle Lake.

On November 9, 1906 in Menz, Texas, Leo was born to Louis and Elizabeth

Manuel Ebarra

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Funeral services were held at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, January 24 when funeral services were conducted at the Hubbard Funeral Home in Weimar with the Rev. Barry Bauershiag of the First United Methodist Church of Weimar and Rev. Father Charles Carolan of St. Michael's Catholic Church officiating at the 2:30 afternoon services.

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Garwood: Lawrence Boenisch; from Alleyton: Reynolds Beane; from Sheridan: Debbie Treude, Naomi Miller; from Humble: James McChellan; from Houston: John Harvey; from Dime Box: Frank Malenak; from Weimar: Charles Fitzgerald; from Egypt: Richard Brown; from Lissie: Lucille Rubio and Baby Boy; from Cat Springs: Ellis Neundorff; from Sealy: Maria Velasquez, April James; from Freer: Shane Crumpton.

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Agricultural Observations

From Texas A&M Research Site Eagle Lake

Date	Air Temp	2'	4-inch Soil Temp	Evap	Rain
Jan 17	42	36	46	42	.066
18	40	32	44	42	ice
19	36	20	40	37	ice
20	34	30	38	36	ce
21	46	23	44	35	te
22	54	22	45	35	.86
23	56	38	52	41	.04

1/ In cooperation with National Weather Service & Texas Water Development Board
2/ Sheltered Air Temperatures

4-lane construction reviewed

Construction of the final four-lane, divided portion of State Highway 71 in Colorado County was reviewed during a pre-construction meeting held at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 18, 1984 at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation office in Columbus.

Dean Word Company and Acme Bridge Company, Inc. of New Braunfels, Texas, joint contractors, was low bidder on this contract at \$2,869,154.01. This project extends from near the Colorado-Fayette county line, south to the State Highway 71 Columbus Bypass, a distance of 7.71 miles. Four hundred twenty-five working days have been allotted for completion of the work.

M. B. Bayless, supervising resident engineer in charge of construction, said, "State Highway 71 is an important connecting route between Austin and Houston. Also serving gravel trucks hauling from numerous pits in the area. The completed four-lane facility will eliminate the existing no-passing zones through this stretch of highway. Though the area under construction will be lengthy at times, there will be adequate signing and, where necessary, flagmen to direct motorists."

Work on this contract is expected to begin in February, 1984.

Krenk

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origination, and the "problems" associated with keeping the gift of the truck a secret.

That, and "thwarting his many efforts to buy one himself," presented the biggest challenges, Hunt said. Each morning, he said Krenek headed out in a different direction to buy a new truck. "Oddly enough, every one he found had just been sold."

"With the help of many of you who kept us aware of Troy's activities, he was convinced that he needed to order a pickup. Thanks to the cooperation of Tommy Brasher, at approximately 4:40 p.m. yesterday, the truck of Troy's choice, paid for by you and the many others unable to attend tonight, arrived in Weimar." Brasher Motor Company furnished Krenek with a rental unit without charge since December.

"We want to thank all of you for making this an appreciation dinner a success. We have honored a man who has touched many lives in our communities. He has given unselfishly of himself to help our youth. He has sown the seeds of respect, responsibility, patriotism, enthusiasm, loyalty and hard work in the lives of all. He has gained the appreciation and admiration of all who know him.

"Tonight is living evidence of his success. The tribute you have paid tonight, as friends and former students, should be the aspiration of every teacher and right thinking individual. Troy is indeed a rich man; a rare giant who finds happiness in serving others. He has a special skill in matching - youth with animal, financing and feed; then presenting the challenge to work for the championship.

"Troy Krenek is like a gold bar, solid through and through. It has been a genuine privilege to honor Troy tonight. We wish him the very best in his retirement.

"Troy Krenek could have been successful in any profession he chose, but thank God he chose to be a teacher.

Below, Tom Galbreath talks to Troy, and below that is the new truck Krenek received.



Sheridan News

Approximately 25 friends of Aaron Machac helped him celebrate his ninth birthday Friday, January 20. Even though the weather was cold and damp the youngsters enjoyed a campfire in the woods. Hot dogs, chips, punch and "birthday cake" was served by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Machac.

Those seeing in the safe this year will be Tim Klepple, DeWayne Dopislauf, Marcie Kutzer, Jon Wunderlich, Vance Pines, Mike Sonntag and James Havens.

Lloyd Criswell spent several days at home last week after being released from the hospital, but returned to the hospital during the weekend.

ETIS president, Vilma Vavrus reports that the monthly meeting was held January 17. Hostesses were Connie Laake, Bernice Carey, Sharon Graham and Wanda Querner.

Darnell Varley's name was drawn for the attendance prize and it was a cash gift of \$12. The fourth grade under the direction of their teacher Miss Chiles, presented the program. The organization needs the support of all parents this year. Mrs. Vavrus urges everyone to make an effort to attend the next meeting.

Get well wishes are extended to Mr. Goats in the Eagle Lake hospital.

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