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## Prairie Edge Museum Notes

Again, let me remind you to put a circle around either March 27 or 28, at which time you can expect to be thrilled by the comedy spoof *The Butler Did It*. This melodrama will be presented by the Prairie Edge Players under the direction of Dr. Raymond Thomas and Helen Craig. Tickets may be acquired by giving a donation of \$5 to Prairie Edge Museum at the following places: Eagle Lake Drugs, First National Bank, JoAnn's, Johnny's Sport Shop and Prairie Edge Museum.

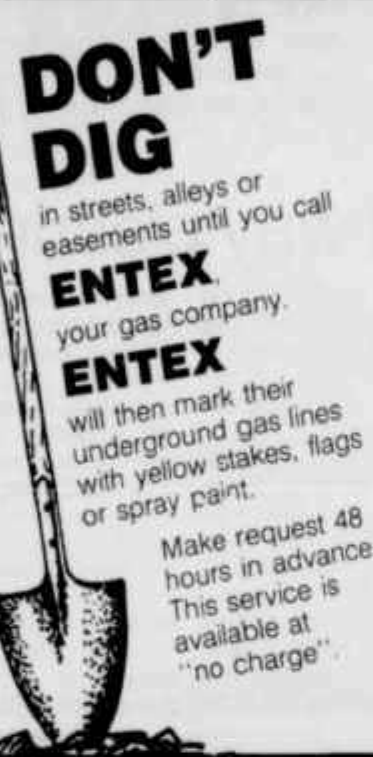
## Estate planning seminars set

The Spring 1987 Estate Planning Series is fast approaching. Upcoming meetings are: San Angelo, March 26-27; El Paso, April 1-2; San Antonio, April 15-16. These two-day seminars are structured to explain a wide variety of estate tax savings and estate administrative features to farmers, ranches and agribusinessmen. For more information, contact your extension agent or Dr. Hayenga at the Department of Ag Economics, Texas A&M College, College Station, TX 77843, (409) 845-2226.

building whose erection began in 1910 and was finished in 1911 was on one picture, but the Paris 1912, formerly the Dallas Hotel, was not shown. Jack and Marilyn Daniels donated the time and labor for framing these historical pictures. M.L. Randall, one of our most interested benefactors, continues to loan items that enhance our interesting displays. One of these is a decorative bellows which I assume was used around someone's fireplace years ago. Next week I want to list more of his recently loaned objects. There were over a thousand visitors to Prairie Edge in 1986. During February of this year there were 115 names entered in our guest book. Two visitors March 9 were George and Dorothy Frye of Lansing, Michigan. George is Helen Craig's brother. Dorothy is an archivist and works in the same environs in which carator Rollin Baker worked when he was at Michigan State University at East Lansing, Michigan. Clara May Nash and her daughter Claire McNair of Dallas have donated the following specimens to the display in our biological section:

## Variety of crafts at Peddler Show

The Country Peddler Show, coming to the Great SW Equestrian Center in Katy on March 27, 28 and 29, is a journey to another era in American folk art. A trip through the rows of booths at a typical show illustrates the richness and variety to be found at the original folk art show and sale. The first thing heard is the clang of metal against metal. A quick search leads to the anvil and forge of a real, live blacksmith. He pulls the red hot iron from the fire, and placing it on his anvil, brings his hammer down with the strength and accuracy that comes from years of experience. He expertly works the hot metal, turning an iron rod into a delicate filigree that will decorate someone's antique gate. Attention soon is drawn down the aisle to a softer form of craftsmanship. There coddly bears beckon from a tiny booth. Made from real fur in patterns handed down over three generations, the animals seem to beg to be taken home. Around the corner another couple is working with metal, but this metal is tin. The shiny sheets are punched with simple patterns, then combined with wood to create an endless assortment of pie safes, dividers, and cabinets. Wood and tin, formed with country sensibility to make modern furniture. Across the aisle, more useful items are being made of classic material. These are pots spun from clay, decorated with simple, elegant country designs. You won't find products like these in any store, anywhere.



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## Colorado County Courthouse Report

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Bobby Waymond Webb, 43, and Peggy Lynn Gorman, 30, 1 acre, John Hudson League; 2-18-87.  
Manuel Acuna Jr., 62, and Manuela Lopez, 46.

**DIVORCES GRANTED**  
Patricia Salinas Posada and Ignacio Posada.

**REAL ESTATE DEEDS**  
Gift Deed, Manly Lyndecker, et al, to Jane Lyndecker, et al, 1 acre, John Hudson League; 2-18-87.  
Deed, Estate of Arbra J. Willbros, deceased, to John Myron Paschal Sr., et al, subdivision lot 4 in block 95, city of Columbus; 2-20-87.  
Deed, Joe F. Survis, et al, to James P. Berger, et al, 200.799 acres, H.W. Bredlove Survey; 2-20-87.  
Deed, Lewis B. Epps, et al, to Troy D. Nooka, et al, 4.75 acres, Clement C. Dyer League; 2-20-87.  
Deed, Colorado County Federal Savings and Loan Association to Laura Ann Ras, 0.142 acre, town of Columbus; 2-19-87.  
Deed, Raymond Klaus, et al, to Carl New, et al, 18.200 acres, James Cummins Survey and 12.134 acres, James Cummins Survey; 2-18-87.  
Deed, Annie Cernock to Jennie W. Griffin, et al, tract of land, 1/2 feet north and south by 200 feet east and west; 2-18-87.  
Deed, E.J. Kocian, et al, to Glenn H. Jahn, et al, part of lot 22, block 4, town of Weimar; 2-19-87.  
Deed, Peggy Dennis Gorman to Ernest Scott Gorman, undivided 1/2 interest in



## Faculty luncheon

A group of parents, headed by Mrs. Vicki Powers, served a luncheon for the Eagle Lake Primary School faculty and staff on Friday, March 6. Several ladies served the meal, while others watched the classrooms.

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## Public School Week

Several hundred parents visited the Eagle Lake Primary School during open house last Thursday. Samples of the pupil's work as well as class projects were on display. Pictured above is a classroom full of dummies in Mrs. Shorter's room, but only on open house night!

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## About town...

**GIL GAS LEASES**  
Andrew Hill, et al, to Amoco Production Company, 101.20 acres, James Cummins Survey; 5-14-86.  
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Elizabeth Schobel to Petropac Inc., 261.01 acres, GB&N Co. Survey; 2-12-87.

Mrs. Miles Thurman and Mrs. Johnny Kaltura were in Austin Saturday to attend the wedding of Debora Jochetz and Gregory Richter. Debora is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jochetz of Dallas and a niece of Mrs. Thurman.

If you are 60 years or older and don't feel like cooking, feel free to come out to our nutrition site and enjoy a hot nutritious meal. Call us for our weekly menu. Dinner is served from 11:30 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Just call Ora Jones, activity director of Colorado County Golden Age Center, at 234-2914. The site is located at the Christ Episcopal Church, 306 E. Stockbridge. We ask for aggressive donations.

Tickets to the mystery comedy *The Butler Did It* may be acquired at the following places in Eagle Lake by giving a donation of \$5 to Prairie Edge Museum: Eagle Lake Drugs, First National Bank, JoAnn's and Johnny's Sport Shop. The donation is tax-deductible.

## Catholic Daughters entertain senior citizens

Catholic Daughters, Court Our Lady of the Rosary #1595, Nada, entertained the senior citizens of the community with a domino party on February 25 at the St. Mary's Parish Hall from 2-4:30 p.m.

There were 22 guests present. Lillie Hoelscher celebrated her birthday in the month of February. Winners for the domino prizes were: Paul Laake, \$4 traveling prize; Vera Shoop, high 84; Ludwig Schoellmann, low 84, and Angela Laake and Tillie Janish, straight domino winners. Refreshments of ham sandwiches, cheese sticks, cake, pickles, tea and coffee were served. Hostesses for the party were Annie Labay, Jamie Popp and Ernestine Schneider. The next Catholic Daughter domino party will be held March 25 from 2-4:30 p.m. in the St. Mary's Parish Hall. All senior citizens of the community are invited for the afternoon of entertainment.

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Army Spec. 4 Michael T. Hemphill, son of Presion Hemphill of Eagle Lake, has arrived for duty with the 31st Infantry, South Korea. Hemphill is a 1984 graduate of Althamra High School in Martins, California.

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The Buffalo Express restaurant, the subject of this week's Restaurant Review (see below) is easy to reach. It is located on the northwest intersection of Interstate 10 and FM 1458 at the San Felipe exit.

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## Buffalo Express: The advantage is the meat

For me there is something about eating buffalo meat that brings back memories of the stories of the Indians and of the pioneers living on the prairies hunting the huge herds of wild buffalo. It brings to mind mental pictures of the teepees and covered wagons, open vast lands, and prairie dog towns. It's that country feeling one gets when you go camping, that feeling of identifying with the outdoors and the past. I know that I am doing something that was done by my great grandfather. Oh, the experience of it! The American Bison, or buffalo as we commonly know it, is a small but growing part of today's meat industry. Richard Filip opened Buffalo Express on FM 1458 at I-10 in late December. The restaurant is just east of Sealy in San Felipe. Buffalo Express offers buffalo burgers as well as beef burgers, beef and chicken fajitas, french fries and soft drinks. Buffalo burgers taste the same as beef burgers. The buffalo patty is a little bit bigger than the beef patty, but with tomato, lettuce, pickles, mayo and mustard on it who can tell the difference? The difference is in the good stuff! Buffalo meat is some 35% lower than beef in cholesterol. It also is lower than fish and chicken in cholesterol. The buffalo is given no steroids or growth stimulants or antibiotics so consumers should have no apprehension about chemicals in the steak. The protein value of buffalo meat is higher than that of beef. The fat level is lower. The demand for buffalo meat far surpasses the supply. At present, some 10,000 buffaloes are put to market annually. That's equivalent to one day's culling of beef in the USA. Richard Filip plans to build a petting zoo on his six-acre site behind his Buffalo Express restaurant. He is negotiating for several more buffalo to put out to graze on his small ranch. —JERRY FENNELL

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