

Eagle Lake Study Club to meet April 8 at Presbyterian Church

The Eagle Lake Study Club will meet at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 8 at the First Presbyterian Church. The program will include a skit entitled "The Founding of the Eagle Lake Study Club" written by the late Mrs. Vance Duncan. The Rev. Charles Miller, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, will entertain the group with a musical interlude.

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Vance Duncan. The Rev. Charles Miller, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, will entertain the group with a musical interlude. Look for the Dewey Decimal library classification display of books included in The Arts 700-799 and Literature 800-899.



40th wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Frey, of Mentz, invite you to an open house in celebration of their 40th wedding anniversary on Saturday, April 11 from two to five o'clock in the afternoon at Mentz Parish Hall. Invitations are being extended through the press only. No gifts please.

Gwendolyn B. Williams weds Anthony L. Collins

Gwendolyn B. Williams and Anthony L. Collins were united in marriage on Saturday, March 14 at five o'clock in the afternoon at the University of Houston Chapel. University Park. Reverend Albert Dunn of Wayman Chapel AME Church performed the ceremony. A reception followed at the Catholic Newman Center-University Park.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Lillian Williams of Eagle Lake and Dennis Williams of El Campo. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Collins of Galveston. The bride selected an elegant gown of white organza and imported lace that featured a high neckline and a dropped lace bodice. The sleeves had a large pool-over, accented by a lace panel that draped over with sheer netting and lace to the wrists. The skirt was very full, giving off a Cinderella effect that had a double panel of ruffles set at the hemline. The organza was re-embroidered with Venice lace motifs around the full cathedral length train. Her headpiece was a v-shaped hat that was trimmed in Venice lace that had pearl drops around the brimline. Her veil was fingertip length and featured a soft poof on the back. She carried an enormous bouquet of three dozen white, rose and candy silk roses.

Bridesmaids included: Mrs. Cheryl Boins, Mrs. Gloria Diggs, Mrs. Delores Roque and Mrs. Cynthia Williams, all of Houston; Ms. Charlene Hall of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Mrs. Valerie Clegggett of New Orleans, Louisiana; Ms. Valerie Collins of Texas City, and Mrs. Kathy Pettit of Wharton. Her eight bridesmaids were gowned alike in floor length candy-colored dresses fashioned after the bride's dress. Her maid of honor, Ms. Jacqueline Hills, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana and matron of honor, Mrs. L. Jewel Revis of Houston, were gowned in floor length, off-the-shoulder rose colored gowns. The junior maid of honor, junior bridesmaids and flower girls wore matching knee length rose colored gowns.



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Weimar Garden Club presents annual flower show April 8

The Weimar Garden Club will present its annual flower show on Wednesday, April 8 at the Weimar City Hall from 2:30 to 6 p.m. This year's theme is "Between My Country and the Others... Flowers". Division I, artistic, will have six classes all featuring fresh plant material: individual arrangements - period interpretive designs; Dutch Flemish Era, French Rococo Influence and English Georgian Era. Functional table arrangements - South American Asada, Hungarian Uzsona and Yankee Church Supper.

Division II - horticulture; Division III - junior arrangements - pre-school and kindergarten; junior, grades 1 through 5; intermediate, grades 6 through 8; and high school, grades 9 through 12; Division IV - education exhibit - "The Big Thicket of Texas".

The public is invited to view the show. Admission is free and refreshments will be served.

Sunshine Class holds meeting

Seven members answered roll call with a favorite Bible verse when the Sunshine Class met March 26 at the home of Sophie Zoeller.

Ophelia gave the devotional with Ruth Wines reading an inspirational poem. A card was signed and sent to Elsie Beane who is recuperating from surgery and was unable to attend the meeting. Hazen Havens also was absent. "Eternal Life is Now" was the subject of the Bible study and discussion.

After refreshments of pimiento cheese sandwiches, pigs in the blanket, peach cobbler ala mode, chips, olives and coffee, the group enjoyed an hour of fellowship. Ophelia Raabe will be hostess in April.

Not very much of the old S.P. Railroad around Glidden is left. Just yard tracks filled with hopper cars loaded with plastic. But there is one thing we can all agree on, there are many fond memories of the many events and happenings around the old Glidden yard and depot.

For that reason, a Glidden S.P. Railroad reunion is being planned for Saturday, May 2 for S.P. employees, retirees, their families and friends. A catered barbecue meal will be served starting about 12:30 p.m. at the Mentz Catholic Church picnic grounds.

There will be a cover charge of \$8 per person to cover all the expenses. There will be no charge for children under six years of age. If you plan to attend, please make your check payable to S.P. Glidden Railroad Reunion and mail it to Howard Besch, P.O. Box 4275, Glidden, Texas 78943 (732-6170) or Charlie Hercheck, RR Box 3253, Columbus, Texas 78934 (732-3606).

Serving as best man was Van Collins of New Orleans, Louisiana and junior best man was Darrell Anthony Williams of Houston. Groomsmen included: Samuel Davenport, Daniel Turknett, Terry Price, James Revis and Russell Williams, all of Houston; Calvin Collins, Sheddric Collins and Herman Collins, all of Galveston, and Virgil Maddox of Lawton, Oklahoma.

The bride's mother wore a floor length light blue gown as did the groom's mother and grandmother. The bride's portrait was taken by Jewel Williams-Revis.

Following a late summer honeymoon, the couple will reside in Sugar Land.



Mrs. Anthony L. Collins

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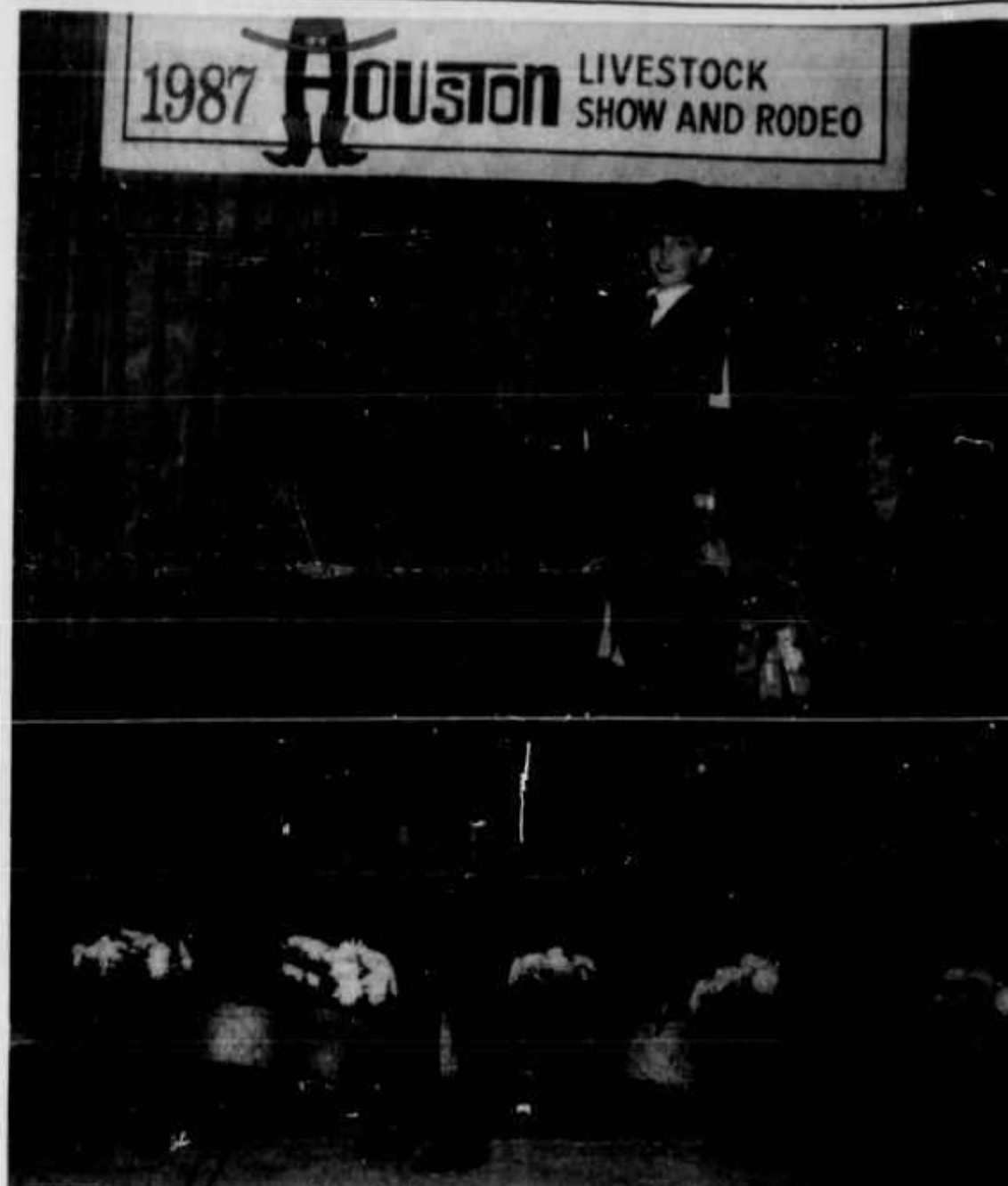
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Wins championship

Lauren Waddell, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Waddell of El Campo, won first place in the English Pleasure Junior Owner Class at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. This first place win qualified her for the Amateur Owner Championship, a competition against all ages, and she also won that event. The classes required riding on flat saddles in full English attire, demonstrating three different gait: walk, trot and canter. Her horse, Don Jheem, is an 11-year-old pure bred Arabian. Waddell has entered Class A competitions for the past 1 1/2 years and this was her first championship. She will be showing in English Pleasure, Equitation and Ladies' Side Saddle with hopes of qualifying for regional competition in June.

Conservation assistance was given to Ralph Stienke, of the Garwood area, on land leveling for crawfish production.

Mrs. Richard Button, of the Frelsburg area, was given technical assistance on a culvert design for a farm road crossing.

District cooperators Charles Ubrich, of the Weimar area, is planning to construct a pond.

Engineering assistance was provided to Catherine Gunn, of the Weimar area, on road construction, culvert installation and shaping eroded areas.

Conservation assistance was provided to Melvin Albright in developing a conservation plan on the Pavik place which Melvin operates. Melvin plans to plant some coastal hay production.

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