

OBITUARIES

Alan V. 'Hunt' Turner

April 7, 1925 - November 27, 1991

Alan V. "Hunt" Turner, age 66, of Denver, Colorado, passed away Wednesday, November 27, 1991, at the St. Joseph Hospital in Denver. He was born in Eagle Lake on April 7, 1925, to Jerry and Algia Parker Turner.

He attended E.H. Henry High School and was baptized by the late Rev. H.B. Bonham at the Friendship Baptist Church in Denver, his church home was Union Baptist Church with

Rev. A.L. Bowman, pastor. He was employed with Cuddeback Packing for 30 years in Wichita, Kansas, and after retirement in 1977, moved to Denver.

Survivors include five sisters, Mrs. Eleanor Taylor of Houston; Mrs. Velma Reed, Denver; Ms. Effie Jewel Turner, Houston; Ms. Bertha Turner and Mrs. Doris Pruitt, both of Denver; four brothers, Sedrick and Eugene Turner, both of Houston; Rudolph and Hayes Turner, both of Denver; one uncle, Jessie Jackson of Eagle Lake; numerous nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, December 7, 1991, at White Cloud Baptist Church in Eagle Lake with Rev. Obie Rhodes, pastor, officiating. Arrangements were entrusted to Johnson Funeral Home of Houston. Interment followed at Rising Star Cemetery, Eagle Lake.

Palbearers were A.J. Johnson, Stanley J. Smith, Jewel Hemphill, Robert Parker Sr., Roland Hemphill and Ben Duncan. Honorary pallbearers were Sedrick, Eugene, Rudolph and Hayes Turner, Creston Cleveland, Lester V. Parker, Margyn Parker and R.B. Pettus.

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Mary J. Untermeyer

February 7, 1905 - December 6, 1991

Mary J. Untermeyer died Friday, December 6, 1991, in Columbus where she had been a resident of the Sweetwater Nursing Home.

She was born February 7, 1905, in Brushy to John and Veronica Zauspek Jasek. She had been a lifetime member of the St. Mary's Catholic Church in Ellinger. She was married to the late Arthur J. Untermeyer and had lived in Colorado County all her life.

Survivors include her son, Raymond Untermeyer of Brushy; two daughters, Gladys Schmidt of Columbus, and Joyce McIlwain of Baytown. She is also survived by two brothers, Leo Jasek and John Jasek of Fayetteville, and two sisters, Francis Elisk of Columbus, and Annie Dungen of

Mary E. Zahradnick

January 20, 1914 - December 7, 1991

Mrs. Mary E. Zahradnick, age 77, of Eagle Lake, passed away Saturday, December 7, 1991, at 2:05 p.m. in the Eagle Lake Community Hospital following a brief illness.

A native and lifelong resident of Colorado County, she was born in Columbus on January 20, 1914, to

George and Bertha Findeisen Schmidt. She attended local schools and married Joe David Zahradnick in Columbus on Nov. 8, 1932. She had been a devoted lifetime member of Grace Lutheran Church of Eagle Lake and was a resident of the Heritage House Nursing Home for the past several years.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband of 55 years, a daughter, Dorothy Newsum; grandchildren, Dave Hunick and Diana Newsum; a sister, Thilda Birdwell; brothers, Arthur, Henry and August Schmidt.

Survivors include her devoted children, Daphne Vasut of Garwood, Evelyn Hunick of Jacinto City, Robert Zahradnick of Richmond, Virginia; sisters, Erna Clost of Eagle Lake and Alena Richter of Weimar; brother, Johnny Schmidt Sr. of Cat Spring; 13 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren as well as numerous nieces, nephews and a host of other relatives and loved ones.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, December 10, from Grace Lutheran Church with Rev. John Anderson officiating. Graveside service and interment followed in the Lakeside Cemetery in Eagle Lake.

Palbearers scheduled were Marvin Hunick, Rusty Cook, Robert Tobin, Larry Weisel, Paul Vasut, Johnny Schmidt Jr., Henry Schmidt Sr. and Raymond Zahradnick.

Her loving personality and devotion for her family will be long remembered. Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Funeral services were held at the First United Methodist Church in Columbus, Monday, Dec. 9, 1991, at 2 p.m. with Rev. Rob McGill officiating.

Arrangements were under the direction of Henneke Funeral Home of Columbus.

Burial was in Old Fellows Rest Cemetery in Columbus.

Palbearers were Bob Lockhart, Billy Wright, Doug Potter, Bus Baebl, Layton Goleman and Mike Holt.

Friends may give memorials to the Shriners Hospital for Children's Hospital or the First United Methodist Church of Columbus, or the charity of your choice.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

**Her youth is gone,
Old age has come.
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to know....
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Pictured with several of the fifth grade students are Leah and Preston Patridge, wife and son of Captain Brad Patridge, who was the pilot of the Continental Express plane which crashed near Eagle Lake in September. Headlight Photo by Linda Waddell

**Military news...
Seaman Recruit
Robert J. Bartos**

...son of Allen P. and Agnes Bartos of East Bernard, recently completed training at Recruit Training Command, Orlando, Florida.

During the training cycle, recruits are taught general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on the job training in one of the Navy's 85 occupational fields.

The 1991 graduate of East Bernard High School joined the Navy in September, 1991.



Diplomat Gift Shop

"When you shop with us, you are buying from local talent," says co-owner Inez Matura about the new Diplomat Gift Shop. All items in stock are produced by local artists and craftspeople. Inez also does food gift baskets.

Inez, right, and Wanda Rosario, left, invite everyone to visit the new shop located with the Diplomat Beauty Salon at Town & Country Center. (See advertisement, Page 3.)

Headlight Photo by Jeannine Fearing

Leah, Preston Patridge visit at ELMS

The fifth grade students in Alanah Moxisek's and Misty Lotinger's homerooms continued their roles as concerned individuals which started with the crash of the Continental Express plane near Eagle Lake in September. At that time, the students wrote sympathy letters to the families of the victims of the tragedy.

Last week, Leah and Preston Patridge of Kingwood, the wife and seven and a half month old son of Captain Brad Patridge, the plane's pilot, visited with these students at Eagle Lake Middle School and then had lunch with the fourth and fifth grade.

More than a few hugs and tears were shared as Mrs. Patridge thanked the students for the support she and her family had received from the letters. Then, she and Preston opened the newly prepared letters, cards and gifts which awaited their arrival.

At the end of her visit, Mrs. Patridge promised the classes she would return to visit again, soon.

SPORTS

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Raider JV romps over Industrial, takes consolation at Gonzales tournament

The Rice Raider Junior Varsity team took on Industrial in Vanderbilt last week for a romp. They won the game 61-19. The game was highlighted by an excellent defensive effort by the Raider JV, holding the Industrial team to only 19 points and scoreless for the third quarter.

The offensive effort was led by Jerome Haynes and Chris Clemons who were the high point scorers for the game. Also adding points for Rice were Arlen Lemons, Joachim Lorenz, Jason Vasek, Antrone Clark, Sam Mader, Rick Thomas, Travis Polach and Brad Gohlke.

Gonzales Tournament
The boys came home with the consolation prize from their trip to the Gonzales JV Tournament last week. They lost their first game then took the last two. Will Adams was named to the all tournament team and received a trophy for his efforts.

In the Raiders' first game they played Hays for a loss of 59-78. Hays' 29 points of 46 attempts proved to be enough to overcome the Raiders lead in points from the floor. Scoring for the Rice JV were Jerome Haynes with 17 points, Arlen Lemons who had 12, Rick Thomas with 8, Chris Clemons with 7 and Brad Gohlke with 6. Also making points for the Raiders were Travis Polach, Will Adams and Antrone Clark.

The Raider JV came back on Saturday to win their second game of the tournament. They beat Calhoun JV, making 23 points in the third quarter and 24 points in the last quarter for a score of 76-61. Clark made 20 points and Clemons had 19, to help take the victory. Also bringing in the win were Haynes with 14, Gohlke with 9, Atkins with 8, Lemons with 4 and Thomas, 2.

The Rice Raider JV team won the consolation bracket of the tournament with the victory over Reagan High School. Thomas had his best game of the tournament with 12 points and 8 rebounds. Clark made 15 points and 6 rebounds, Haynes had 8 points and 5 rebounds, Gohlke made 9 and 3, Lemons made 7 and 2. Polach, Atkins,

6. From the tip off, the Lady Raiders led this in put them in the consolation finals.

The final game in the consolation play-off pitted the ladies against Texas City. This contest was a little closer but the ladies continued to blast Texas City in the same fashion that they did Royal. Defense was the key to this win of 38-40.

McMillian led the way in this game with 20 points to her credit. Anderson had 16 points and McTea had 8 points. The weekend was a success, even though they did not win the overall championship.

With over half of the team in their freshman year, the future looks very bright for the young ladies on the junior varsity team.

Raider Varsity brings home victory, loses out at La Grange

The Rice Raiders went on the road last week to play Industrial at Vanderbilt. The results of the evening were well worth the trip for the Raider varsity as they brought home a 63-60 hard won victory.

Coach Reynolds remarked, "We played another good ball club, after a long trip to Vanderbilt. I felt the young men responded with a good overall game." This win put them at 3-1 for the season.

Scoring looked good with totals of 27 rebounds, 15 steals and 33 other deflections by the Raiders.

Adrian Farrow scored 22 points and 6 rebounds; Eddie Fields had 15 points, 11 rebounds, 5 assists and 6 steals; Raymond Ford scored 10 points; Ernest Sims made 6, Brandon Cunningham had 4; Kerry Sims had 4 and Darian Barrow scored 2 points.

SCORING BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
Rice	15	13	18	17	63
Ind.	14	16	13	17	60

Sheridan boys lose a heartbreaker in Hallettsville

The Sheridan Junior High boys had a fall Dec. 2 in their game against Sacred Heart of Hallettsville. The end of the game showed a score of 52 for Sacred Heart and 28 for Sheridan.

Making points for the boys were Rangel with 12, Ortiz with 10, Helhold with 4 and Brocker with 2.

Lady Raiders blast Boling

The Lady Raiders varsity girls blasted the Boling girls out of the Rice gym Dec. 3 in an exciting match.

From the opening up-off to the final buzzer, the race was on. The Ladies converted numerous baskets off of the fast break.

Melissa Gutmahn led all scoring with 24 points to her credit. She also pulled down 10 rebounds. Also scoring for the Rice varsity girls were Bonnie Benge with 16 points, Kori Klein with 12 points and Christy Smith with 7 rebounds.

Coach Radin commented, "This was a good win for us. We were able to work on some things that needed to be polished up. Each game we continue to improve. This should lead to a good season for the Lady Raiders."

The Sheridan girls won their first game against Sacred Heart in a heart-stopping thriller by a score of 24-23.

Andrea Machac scored the winning basket in the last fifteen seconds of the game.

Scoring was fairly evenly spread. Jennifer Briscoe got 8; Jodi Heard and Andrea Machac had 4 each; Lindsay Bujnoch, Leigh Jackson, Nikki Fuller and LeaAnn Spangenberg each scored 2 points.

SCORING BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
Sheridan	6	2	8	6	22
Sacred H	6	6	5	6	23

Clemons and Wiese helped the score to win.

The JV boys will co-host the Rice JV/varsity Boys Tournament at home with the freshmen this weekend. Come out and support your team.

Raider 8th graders fall as 7th wins again

The Bellville Brahmas came to town Nov. 25 and handed the Raider eighth grade boys their second upset of the year. The end of the game showed a score of 37-25 against Eagle Lake Middle School.

"Our boys played well for three quarters and just kind of ran out of gas," said Coach Jackson. "Our teams showed a lot of improvement from the first game and hopefully, the boys will keep working hard and things will fall into place."

Working for the ELMS eighth grade boys were B. Mathis scoring 14 points and 12 rebounds; B. Black with 6 points and 4 rebounds; J. Bishop with 4 points, 5 rebounds; G. Hagen-

dorf who made 1 point and 7 rebounds; M. Wiese had 4 rebounds and C. Cordova has 3 rebounds.

SCORING BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
ELMS	3	11	6	5	25
Bellville	12	1	8	16	37

The seventh grade Raider boys took their second win Monday when they scored 31 to Bellville's 17. The scoring was tight until the fourth quarter. Then the Raiders outscored the Brahmas 19 to 1. "We played well, but there are some areas that we need to work on," said Coach Sanders.

Offensive player of the week was Willie Cleveland, with defensive

honors going to Maicon Pratt. Matt Christensen was named Mr. Hustle.

Scoring for the seventh grade boys were: Maicon Pratt with 10 points, 9 rebounds; Willie Cleveland, 8 and 6; Norman Shropshire, 6 and 4; Jermaine Collins, 3 and 3; Chris Hughes with 4 points; James Garcia, Matt Christensen and George Weller with 2 rebounds each; and Lance Grigar, Warren Smith, Jason Webb and Justin Rodgers with 1 rebound each.

SCORING BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
ELMS	4	8	8	13	37
Sealy	12	8	8	4	32

The Sealy Tigers invaded Eagle Lake and left with a win and a loss for their efforts.

The Raider eighth grade boys played a very hard fought contest and deserved the win they took from Sealy. The final outcome was 37 for the Raiders, 32 for Sealy. Coach Jackson said, "Congratulations to the kids for a great performance and win."

Scoring for the Raider eighth grade boys were J. Bishop with 15 points, 12 rebounds; B. Mathis with 12 points, 9 rebounds; B. Black with 6 points, 4 rebounds; C. Cordova, 2 points and 1 rebound; G. Hagendorf with 2 points and M. Wiese, 1 rebound. There were 37 rebounds and 19 steals for the Raiders.

SCORING BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4	Total
Rice	8	8	8	13	37
Sealy	12	8	8	4	32

Sealy came to Eagle Lake and beat the seventh grade boys in a tough game. The Sealy Tigers finally won in overtime, 22-20.

Standouts on defense were Jermaine Collins, Maicon Pratt, Willie Cleveland and Lance Grigar. The boys played hard, scoring 44 rebounds and 4 steals with the 22 points on the board. Norman Shropshire made 6 points, 21 rebounds; Pratt had 4 points, 15 rebounds; Collins had 4 points, 7 rebounds; Grigar made 2

points, 3 rebounds; Willie Cleveland made 2 points, 8 rebounds and Warren Smith scored 2 points.

The next contest was set for Columbus on Dec. 9. They will also play in the Columbus tournament next weekend. The seventh grade plays at 6:30 Friday, Dec. 13, and the eighth grade plays after them at 7:30. If the seventh grade wins they will play at 4 p.m., Saturday, if they lose they'll play at 11 a.m. The eighth will play Saturday at 5:15 p.m. if they win and 12:15 if they lose.

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