

Garwood/Nada News

By Georgia Michalka

Chili Time

Garwood's first graders tempted the entire school with a wonderful smell coming from their room last week. The class has been studying Texas recently and followed a recipe to make a big pot of "Texas" chili. Along with the chili they served Texas-shaped chips. Mrs. Boenisch's class decided they better invite Mr. Mader to enjoy some of Texas' state dish, too.

The class also got to go see some Texas longhorns owned by Terry Lanier. They discovered first hand the reason they are called "long" horns.

Everyone enjoyed feeding the longhorns hay and seeing the mommas cows with their calves. It was fun learning about their great state.

Vote

Tuesday, March 10, is a big day across our state. Primary elections will decide in many cases candidates for the Nov. elections. The citizens in Garwood and Nada have a chance to cast their votes and help carry on the democratic process. We would never presume to tell you how to cast your vote, but we will definitely encourage you to exercise your prerogative and vote.

Two local men are seeking election on that day. Lawrence Berger is running for constable, a position he has held for many years. Richard Seifert is seeking the position of county commissioner for the first time. We wish both of these good men the best of luck in their quest for public office and feel confident that, if elected, they will serve their constituents with honesty and diligence.

Friends

One of the greatest things about living in a small community like ours is that almost everyone knows everybody else. Friendships and close acquaintances become a big part of our lives. We get to share each others' joys and sometimes sadnesses.

In the thirteen years we have lived here, no one has earned more of our respect and admiration than Herbert Engstrom. That's why, when we learned of his recent trip to the hospital, our hearts became so heavy.

But then we recall the quiet dignity

and character we have always admired in him and become quite sure that his courage will not fail, even now. Herbert, we look forward to seeing you soon about your daily business and for a long time to come. Know that our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Birthdays

March 10: Ed Lee Schneider, Michael Korenek; March 12: Vic Hyek, Howard Smith; March 13: Leslie Woolard, Madeline Poppy; March 14: Agatha Gold, Norbert Meisner.

Anniversaries

March 8: Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Korenek.

Area crafters invited to Pearland

The Pearland Lioness Club is hosting a craft fair Saturday, April 4. Arts and crafts booths will be available both inside and outside the fair. All artists and others who would like to display or sell their wares are invited to sign up for a booth at the fair. Inside booths are \$18 and outside ones are \$10. The Lionesses will be selling hot dogs, nachos and home baked goodies. All proceeds from the craft fair will benefit local charities.

For more information or a booth reservation contact Susan Elam at 713-997-1745 or Susan Schoeffler at 713-465-0435.



Mrs. Boenisch's class learns about Texas with a steaming pot of chili shared with their principal, Mr. Mader.

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- Bachelor of Arts Degree (Sociology)
- Minor (Management)
- Proven Track Record of Working with Community Youth

If elected Colorado County Sheriff, I will work diligently with the Commissioners' Court to provide better protection for the citizens of Colorado County. I will attempt to increase patrolling in the unincorporated areas 24 hours a day, work hard to keep a drug free community, establish programs for our youth to keep them out of the Criminal Justice System and, establish a community awareness program where every citizen in the county can assist with making Colorado County a safe place to live.

Most of all, "I pledge to be a People's Sheriff, meaning I will serve everybody in the county." Your Vote in the March 10, 1992 Democratic Primary will be appreciated.

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Highlights

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plan.

Morales said nine were Republicans and three were Democrats. But Rep. Alan Schooncraft, R-San Antonio, one of those targeted by Morales, also from San Antonio, said he had telephone records showing calls to Nowlin made from 11 Democrat legislative offices.

Gov. Bob Bullock fueled a bit controversy last week by taking a position with an Austin law firm which has represented several clients before state agencies.

Bullock, who makes \$7,200 annually as presiding officer of the Senate, will be "of counsel" to Scott, Douglass & Laton for an undisclosed salary. The firm is not registered as a lobbyist, but state agencies have come under fire from Morales and the media for hiring lobbyists as lawyers when the legislature is not in session.

State law prohibits agencies from hiring lobbyists.

While Bullock is not expected to appear before state agencies, public concern comes from the fact that he presides over the senate which co-writes state agency budgets, and could exert undue influence from that unique position.

Other Highlights

Gov. Ann Richards has a 70% approval rating as she heads into her second year in office, according to a

Houston Chronicle poll. The approval rating is the highest ever posted for a Texas governor in at least 14 years, said University of Houston political scientist Richard Murray, who conducted the poll.

When Texas Congressman Joe Barton slipped \$50,000 into an appropriation bill to provide for drug testing members of Congress, Oregon Rep. Peter DeFazio countered with an amendment to use the money for congressional IQ tests.

U.S. District Judge James Nowlin of Austin has set a March 13 hearing to decide whether to dismiss a challenge to the Texas Supreme Court's ruling that the new school property tax is unconstitutional but must be paid.

Texas added more new manufacturing facilities over the past three years than other states, according to the Texas Department of Commerce.

Harris County Democratic Party

chairman Ken Bentsen, son of U.S. Senator Lloyd Bentsen, is a defendant in a \$70 million lawsuit brought by investors against bond sellers for alleged violations of federal and state securities laws.

Comptroller John Sharp hired a not-for-profit consulting firm, Battelle Memorial Institute of Ohio, at \$90,000 to review contract proposals for starting the Texas Lottery.

Gov. Ann Richards angered some Texas employers by naming a nonemployer to one of their seats on the Texas Workers Compensation Commission. Richards tapped Richard Perkins, a Dallas Transit Authority employee after consulting labor officials, critics charge.

Agriculture officials are bracing for an early spring that will spur northward migration of African killer bees, which recently crossed the Rio Grande River into Texas.

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was Geoffrey Saunders, Senior Geologist for the Clean Colorado Project, LCRA. Mr. Saunders presented some vital geologic evidence and posed some important questions pertaining to the site.

With the aid of a cross-section chart of the underlying strata, he pointed out the possibility of contamination of not only the Colorado River, but also its tributaries and underground aquifers that supply water for domestic and agricultural purposes. An aerial photograph detailed how two creeks cross the proposed site and an ancient river terrace and could present serious run-off problems.

He also pointed out that the direction of the water table's flow in that particular area was still questionable. Two reports on the flow, both by Tricil, seemed contradictory - one describing a westerly flow, the other a generally easterly flow.

Patty Akers, a senior attorney for LCRA, told of her agency's legal actions. She said they are currently challenging Tricil's interim status and plan to continue in the future.

During the course of the meeting, questions were answered and many concerns noted. ACE President Billy Hefner commented, "Colorado County deserves better than to be known as a hazardous waste site."

Several others commented on the site's proximity to Rice High School and related how a school in the Houston area had to be closed because of toxic contamination.

All of the LCRA representatives commended ACE and its determination. They encouraged strong public participation, especially at the Water Commission hearings which will determine our area's fate in this matter.

ELECT LAWRENCE BERGER

Constable Precinct 1



VOTE

March 10, 1992

Democratic Primary

Fair • Impartial • Qualified • Experienced • Honest

Lawrence Berger has served the Citizens of Colorado County as a Constable for over nineteen years and a special deputy for four years prior to being elected Constable. During that time, he has proven himself to be a dedicated and resourceful peace officer. He has not only served the people in the Garwood-Nada-Rock Island area, but on many occasions made his services available county-wide.

With the re-alignment of precinct boundaries, many citizens living in the South end of Colorado County are concerned they may lose the availability of a local Constable. The possibility of the nearest law officer being nearly twenty miles distance would greatly lessen the sense of security expected by these people.

Help keep the distribution of law enforcement spread evenly across our County. Please consider these things when you VOTE on March 10th, and return to office a man who has served you well for over 24 years... LAWRENCE BERGER.

A Vote for Lawrence Berger will be a vote for even distribution of Law Enforcement in Precinct #1 and Colorado County.

Foot Facts

By Dr. Eric R. Tepper, Podiatrist

THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT

Not all legs are created equally — longwise, that is. If your pants legs never line up, if one hip seems to ride a bit higher than the other, if one of your shoulders droops or if you suffer from chronic back pain, chances are that one of your legs is slightly longer than the other. As the body tries to compensate for this condition, it contorts itself in ways that can result in pain and even permanent damage. Treatment for limb length discrepancy is usually simple and easy. Lifts or a combination of lifts and orthotic devices worn inside the shoe can solve the problem with little effect on outer appearance.

Many folks may also find that one foot is slightly larger than the other, making shoe purchases difficult. Please call my office for further information or for an appointment, at the Eagle Lake Community Hospital at 409-234-5571. I am there the first and third Tuesdays of the month. I offer your entire family high quality, professional and sensitive service.

P.S. Don't put off getting help for the above-mentioned problem. Untreated, it can result in painful spine, foot, back and neck problems.



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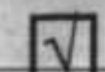
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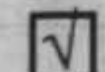
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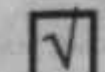
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Denise Dusek, Billy Cook exchange vows



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Mr. and Mrs. William Richard Cook

Window painting contest part of Wildflower Celebration

A wildflower window painting contest will be sponsored by Alpha Delta Phi and Xi Psi sororities for the Wildflower Celebration.

The contest is open to all ages and there is no fee to enter. A wildflower theme is required and artists must provide their own washable paints. All painting must be finished by April 1 with judging to be April 4 at 9:30 a.m.

The competing artists are also responsible for removing the paint by May 2. Cash prizes will be awarded to first, second and third place winners.

If you would like to enter the contest, contact Mary Kay Cook at 234-2713 or Cherry Corman at 234-2372 by March 20. Each contestant will be assigned a storefront window and given a set of rules when they enter.

Rehearsal dinner fetes Dusek, Cook

A dinner was held in honor of Denise Dusek and William Richard (Billy) Cook following the Jan. 24th rehearsal for their wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook Jr., parents of the groom, hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Holy Family Catholic Church CCD Building.

Colorful balloons and streamers decorated the tables while bright colored pinatas hung from the ceiling. Guests enjoyed a meal of fajitas with all the trimmings, pinto beans, Spanish rice and banana pudding.

Among the dinner guests were the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dusek of Wharton, bride attendants, groom's attendants, soloists, and witnesses.

Guests from out of state were: Mr. and Mrs. Davis Cook, the groom's aunt and uncle, from Oxford, Miss.; Dawson Dean, groom's uncle, from Griggsville, Ill.; and Mrs. Todd Mangum, cousin of the groom, from Jackson, Miss.

Denise Marie Dusek became the bride of William Richard Cook January 25, in an afternoon ceremony in Wharton. The couple exchanged vows and rings at 2 p.m. in the Holy Family Catholic Church with Rev. Joe Vrana officiating.

Denise is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dusek of Wharton. Billy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook Jr. of Eagle Lake.

For the ceremony, candlelight moire and tulle bows with assorted greenery decorated the pews down the aisle. The unity candle was decorated with leather leaf and plumosa fern accented with Star Gazer lilies, baby's breath and assorted greenery.

At the back of the altar were two arched candelabra adorned with candlelight tulle and moire bows, flowers and greenery. Barrel candelabra decorated with bows with streamers cascading down and assorted greenery stood at each side of the altar.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father. For the ceremony she chose a formal gown of pale candlelight satin and Almonon lace. The fitted Basque bodice was overlaid with re-embroidered lace, pearls and iridescent and featured an open portrait neckline. The full, puffed sleeves, adorned with the lace, tapered to the wrists. The graceful satin skirt fell to a deep border of beaded lace and a full cathedral train of lace cutwork accented with satin bows.

A coronet of pearls and crystals on held tiers of hand rolled illusion. Denise carried a traditional bridal cascade of white and bridal pink roses, freesia, Alstromeria, heather, baby's breath and assorted greenery with English ivy. A special rosary and handkerchief, given to the bride by her aunt, were affixed to the bouquet.

Dorothy Dewitt of Boston, Mass., a friend of the bride, served as maid of honor. Mary Kay Cook, sister-in-law of the groom, was the matron of honor. Bridesmaids were, friends of the bride, Renee Balas of Austin, Rebecca Samuelson of Houston, Cyndi Carter of Austin, Belynda Frankum of Wharton, Andrea Johnson of Victoria and Leigh Ann Meisner of Galveston.

Cousins of the bride, Joan Ullmann of San Marcos and Aimee Zissa of Alice were also bridesmaids.

The bride's attendants were dressed in long sleeved, princess style dresses with bodices of gold lame with mauve and burgundy floral print. Cape collars of navy taffeta draped over the shoulders to a small bow in front. The waist length skirts were navy taffeta accented with a large navy taffeta bows at the back waist.

Each of the bridesmaids carried garden style arm bouquets of Star Gazer lilies, heather, Alstromeria, baby's breath and assorted greenery. French moire ribbon wrapped the stems complimented with bows and streamers.

Jenna Cook, niece of the groom, was the flower girl. Her dress was candlelight taffeta with a lace overlaid bodice and a pearl and iridescent beaded neckline. The leg-o-mutton sleeves were accented with bows at the elbows. The skirt fell into a small train with a bow highlighting the back waist. Jenna carried a basket of fresh flowers, baby's breath and greenery.

The groom was attended by Andy Gertson as best man; brothers, Robby and Ronny Cook of Eagle Lake; Wes Cook of El Campo, cousin of the groom; David Dusek of Austin, brother of the bride; Glen Janow and Glen Leopold of Eagle Lake, Ronnie Little of Schulenburg, Keith Pennell and J.L. Schmidt of Chesterville, all friends of the groom.

Taylor Cook, the groom's nephew, served as ring bearer. Serving as ushers were Jeff Argo and Brian Balas of Eagle Lake, Michael Ethridge of Chesterville, Graig Guthman of Lissie, Dwayne Sablatara of Wharton and Jon Wunderlich of Sealy.

Brenda Domak of El Campo, soloist, and John Duka of Brenham, soloist and organist for the wedding, sang several selections. Among the musical selections were *We've Only Just Begun*, *Endless Love*, *Sunrise, Sunset*, *Two Candles*, *Bridal Prayer* and *Gifts for Our Lord*.

The Lector for the ceremony was Joe Wendel of Eagle Lake. He also

served as a witness with Mrs. Katie Kristynik, the bride's aunt, Joey and Patrick Polak of East Bernard, cousins of the bride, were the altar servers. Bringing the offertory gifts to the altar were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kristynik, aunt and uncle of the bride.

The reception dinner and dance was held at Hungerford Hall following the marriage ceremony. In the houseparty were Sharon Abbott, Joyce Barker, Kimberly Bekon, Carolyn Bueck, Anna Chumchal, Carrie Crenshaw, Nedra Crenshaw, Doris Drapela, Mary Duyka, Kimberly Garrett and Linda Gold. Also serving in the houseparty were Mary Hohensoe, Blanch Joines, Kathryn Kainer, Kathy Koehl, Connie Kristynik, Vivian Lawrence, Genevieve Maerz, Tanya McQueen, Pat

Nelson, Darlene Polak, Peggy Sherrill, Kathy Smolik, Vivian Stammen, Helen Skille, Barbara Svatsek, Evelyn Ullmann and Marilyn Wright. Grandparents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Dusek of Schulenburg. Grandmother of the groom is Mrs. Albert Dacknicky of Eagle Lake.

The bride, a 1987 graduate of Wharton High School, has an associate degree from Wharton County Junior College and her bachelor's degree in business administration from Texas A&M. The groom is a 1985 graduate of Rice High School, attended WCJC and Southwest Texas State University. He is a rice farmer in Eagle Lake.

Following a cruise to the Caribbean Islands, the couple is residing in Eagle Lake.

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Your Vote and Support Is Appreciated

Voting is one of the most important things you can do in your life, so on March 10, make sure you set time out of your schedule that day to go and vote. And while you're there...



VOTE

D.S. "Opie" Roberts

Sheriff

Colorado County

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