

OBITUARY

Elenora Minar

May 6, 1906 — March 30, 1994

Elenora Minar, 86, of Frelsburg, died March 30, 1994, at Columbus Community Hospital.

She was born May 6, 1906, in Frelsburg, the daughter of Joe and Mary Noska.

She was united in marriage to Elio Minar and was a housewife and affiliated with Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic

Church in Frelsburg.

She was preceded in death by her husband on May 8, 1974; her parents; two brothers, Alois and Albert A. Noska; and two sisters, Mary Vaclavik and Josephine Noska.

Survivors include two sisters, Adela Kulhanek of Fayetteville and Evelyn Marburger of Weimar; a

brother, Willie Noska of Eagle Lake; a sister-in-law, Celestine Noska of Frelsburg; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held April 2 at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Frelsburg with the Rev. Dan Morales officiating.

Henneke Funeral Home Inc., Columbus, directed arrangements.

Burial followed at St's Peter and Paul Catholic Cemetery in Frelsburg, a rosary was held at 7 p.m. Friday, April 1.

Serving as pallbearers were Donald Lee and Ernie Noska, Milton Jr. and Jessie Marburger and Roy and Brian Kulhanek.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.



Friends of the Father perform

After weeks of practice and hard work, the First Baptist Church group, Friends of the Father, presented a musical Sunday, March 27, to a near-capacity crowd.

Pictured during their dress rehearsal, in front from left, are Brandon Shanks in the part of Hilkiah, Andrew Powers as Josiah, Jennifer Alley as a servant, Monica Alley as King Amon, Kayla Shunka as a servant, and Nora Lewis as the small servant.

Pictured in the background are Mary Blount, Jackie Sandoval, Cathy Fearing and Griff Clipson. Headlight Photo by Claudia Mann

Garwood Fire Department reports memorials

The Garwood Volunteer Fire Department received the following memorial donations:

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Robert J. Henneke.

In honor of Alex Wied; from Mr. and Mrs. Mason Galow, Mrs. William J. Henneke and Mary Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Rees.

In honor of Ray Obenhaus; from Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baumgarten.

County historians learn about Dunlavy family

Colorado County Historical Commission, heard a presentation from one of its members at its March 11 meeting. Susan Rogers gave a program on her family, the Dunlavys, and their involvement in a robbery and concealing of stolen goods around 1865.

She told her audience that her research showed the county commissioners court purchased gunpowder and a cannon. And that home guards were formed near Alleyton and Frelsburg.

In May 1865, 22 county residents were indicted because they robbed and stole from Mary Redgate and daughter Jane Yordt. Taken were hardware, carpenter tools, saws, shovels, yards of material and other items.

She said those indicted were W. Thompson, Jacob Sparks, F. Kuhn, Navel, Wm. Dunlavy Sr., John Dunlavy, Wm. Dunlavy, Henry Foster, Fritz Kainsteiner, August Sandel, August Koenig, Henry Burtchel, Marshal Hoover, P. Barker, Henry Heine, C. Tannhauser, Herman Vohl, August Sommerletter, Thomas Roberts, Joseph Burtchel, Emmons

and Ernest Koenig.

The robbery was in Alleyton which had voted to secede from the Union while the communities of Frelsburg and Dunlavy (Mentz-Bernardo area) voted against withdrawing from the union.

The men indicted said the reason for the robbery and stealing was to defend the Confederacy. Furthermore, Major General J.G. Walker was in the area at the time of the incident.

R.V. Cook, captain of the home-guard was appointed to prosecute the defendants in the fall of 1867. Charges were then dropped against Alexander Dunlavy and Anton Burtchel for receiving stolen goods and the court entered a "nolle prosequi" which meant the state would not further prosecute the remaining defendants indicted.

After the program, Chairman Doris Albright reminded members of the annual Historic Preservation Conference April 28-30 in San Angelo.



Today's Woman seminar a success

Over 250 women from 32 cities participated in the Today's Woman at Her Best seminar held in Wharton, March 26, sponsored by South Texas Medical Clinics, P.A. and Gulf Coast Medical Center.

Pictured are the speakers and workers who made the day a success. From the left, seated, are GCMC public relations director Delores Cox, Channel 13 TV journalist Shara Fryer and STMC public relations director Lilianna Jobse.

Standing are Sue Garrett, Terry Wicke, Bobbie Snelling, Lisa Bowlin, Anne Graves, Connie Kalkomey, Teresa Priem, Alice Koenig, Robin Matzke and Sharon Rappold. Photo Courtesy of STMC

ANNOUNCING A NEW ARRIVAL

Shawn Michael McDonald

John and Cheryl McDonald Jr. of Eagle Lake announce the birth of their second child, a son, on March 17, 1994, at Hermann Hospital in Houston.

Shawn Michael weighed eight pounds, eight ounces, and measured 20 3/4 inches at birth. He has an older sister, Jennifer, age two.

His maternal grandparents are Bobby Joe and Mary Semora of Eagle Lake.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald Sr. of Sheridan, Texas. Great grandparents are Elsie Kelley of Bernardo, Tommy Holland, Gladys Semora and the late Bill Semora, Eagle Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Falken of Tivoli and Maxine Wells of Mineral Wells.



Lieutenant and Mrs. Martin Gerard Korenek

Tribute to county musician on stage April 16 at Opera House

A toe-tapping country music salute is planned at the Stafford Opera House in Columbus on Saturday, April 16. The Opera House will pay tribute to Colorado County's own Shelly Lee Alley, the late musician and songwriter.

Alley's songs have been recorded by Jimmie Rodgers, the late Lefty Frizzell, Hank Snow and Merle Haggard. He wrote "The Travelin' Blues" and "Gambler's Barroom Blues" recorded by Rodgers in the 1930s. Alley wrote and recorded over 70 songs during his career, many became hits in the '30s and '40s.

The April 16 program "Jimmie Rodgers to Bob Wills" features Alley's stepson, Clyde Brewer, and his ever-popular Texas Swing Band; the Original River Road Boys performing Shelly Lee Alley's songs; as well as Shelly Lee Alley Jr. singing some of his father's songs.

Also appearing is Van Williams of Rayville, La., America's foremost singer of authentic Jimmie Rodgers songs and Jimmie Dale Court of Spicewood, grandson of Rodgers.

Larry Scott, all night DJ on KWKH in Shreveport, La., will be master of ceremonies for the show. Invited as special guests are several music pioneers who played with Alley and his bands.

Among the well-known performers who played with Alley or began their careers with his band were such names as Cliff Bruner, Leon McAu-

liffe, Ted Daffan, Floyd Tillman and Moon Mullican.

Born and reared in Ramsey, 10 miles east of Columbus, Alley was a pioneer of radio and had the first music show heard on WFAA in Dallas in 1923.

He organized the Jewel Cowboys who played on KPRC in Houston. He also played with the Bewley Mills-Chuck Wagon Gang before forming

his own orchestra and dance band, The Alley Cats, in 1937.

Tickets for the 7:30 p.m. Saturday performance are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students and are on sale at The Style Shop in Columbus or Magnolia Homes Tour office at the Stafford Opera House, 409-732-5135.

Seating is limited and fans are encouraged to purchase tickets early for this show.



Hutchison, Hoopingartner engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hutchison of Eagle Lake announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Lana Jo, to Robert Lowell Hoopingartner. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoopingartner of Mission.

The bride elect attends Blinn College where she is majoring in nursing. The groom is employed with Cypress Semi-Conductors in Round Rock. The couple are planning a May 15 wedding.

Boardman, Korenek wed in N. Carolina

Cathy Jo Boardman and Martin Gerard Korenek were united in marriage on Saturday, March 26, at 4 p.m. in the First Presbyterian Church in Jacksonville, N.C. Rev. Richard Parker officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Boardman of Mansfield, Ohio. She graduated from Crestview High School and Grove City College. She earned a master's degree from Carolina University and is a elementary teacher.

Korenek is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Korenek of Garwood. He gradu-

ated from Rice High School and Texas A&M University. He is currently a Lieutenant in the U.S. Marine Corp.

For the wedding ceremony the altar of the church was decorated with candelabra and baskets of fern on each side.

Serving as organist was Shelia Miller and Margaret Boardman, mother of the bride was soloist.

Amy Dudley attended the bride as her matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Kim Yost Branlett, Christina Little and Erin Korenek, sister of the groom. Her attendants wore navy blue

and white Alfred Angelo tea length gowns.

The groom wore his Marine dress uniform. Glen Jasek served as best man. David Esklund, Eric Boardman, brother of the bride, and Keith Korenek, groom's brother, were the groomsmen.

A reception was held at Paradise Point Officers' Club in Camp Lejeune, N.C., for the 150 wedding guests.

Among the guests attending from Garwood were Mr. and Mrs. John Korenek Sr., Charlotte, Erin and John

Lee Korenek Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Blake Hewett and Blake from Katy; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stribling and Garrett from Conroe; Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hubenak from Friendswood; Mrs. Darren Stuck of El Campo; Alice Bludau of Hallettsville; and Lt. Keith Korenek from Pensacola, Fla.

The groom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Jacksonville Country Club on Friday evening.

After touring the mountains of North Carolina, the couple will reside in Sneads Ferry, N.C.

Eagle Lake Pilot Club celebrates 10th year

The Eagle Lake Pilot Club celebrated its 10th anniversary with a luncheon at Sportsman's Catering Center on Wednesday, March 23.

The tables were decorated with yellow cloths, green ivy and candles. On special tables, scrapbooks of Pilot activities from 1984 to the present were displayed.

Just Say No t-shirts, winning student essays and pictures were also laid out for viewing along with a Lifeline

special guests for the meal included Mayor Don Bendy; Sandy Bendy, secretary of Revitalize Eagle Lake Inc.; James Buckner, Eagle Lake Community Hospital administrator; and Chamber Secretary Linda Lipperdi.

Among the former charter members were Mary Ann Kaluza, Mary Lou Szymanski, Carolyn Austin, Maxine Griffith, Gwen Paschall and Linda Phillips.

Former members who attended were Pat Matula, Ernie Sommerlatte, Eva Locklier, Mercy Fling and Brenda Besch. Esther New and Melissa were also guests for the event.

Mayor Bendy read a proclamation in honor of the club's anniversary which he presented to President Lucille Perry.

Barbara Pidgeon presented a check on behalf of Pilot Club for \$200 to Sandy Bendy for the community swimming pool.

Mercy Fling presented the club with a gift basket and Maxine Griffith gave a devotional book which she had used as club chaplain.

Lois Goodwin, P.A. with the Thomas Clinic, was also initiated into the club at the meeting.

The Pilot Club and officers thanked all those who helped to celebrate their 10th anniversary.

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