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ZATPEK'S PHARMACY

John Anders - Owner

For all your medicinal needs... over the counter drugs or prescriptions... see your neighborhood registered pharmacist at ZATPEK'S PHARMACY located at 121 East Main in Weimar, phone 409-725-8134, and after hours 409-743-4656. Service is the most important factor in the success of a local drug store. In this case the principle of service has been

applied by providing both generic and name brand drugs at reasonable prices, as well as a wide selection of quality cosmetics and sundry items.

The second feature of service is displayed by their competent, trained personnel, who are ready to serve you at all times. They can be depended upon for

prompt, reliable prescription service at times when your needs are most urgent. Their aim is to serve you in the most efficient and accurate manner possible. For all your pharmaceutical needs, stop in at the place so many other people have come to know and trust... ZATPEK'S PHARMACY.

WAL-MART DISCOUNT CITIES

Margo Alvarado - Manager

Spending more and buying less? Maybe you should be shopping at WAL-MART DISCOUNT CITIES in Columbus, where your dollar goes a lot further! Conveniently located at 2103 Milam, phone (409) 732-8341, this full line store offers something that most other stores can't compete with... the area's very lowest prices on EVERYTHING!

Here you'll find clothing for the entire family, sporting goods, TV's and stereos, household needs, appliances, furniture, tools, auto accessories, a huge toy department, and nearly every little thing you could think of! Most "regular" retail department stores feature "full retail" prices. At WAL-MART DISCOUNT CITIES this is not

the case! Here you get the service you want, the quality you look for, and prices you can afford! The editors of this 1997 Business Review and Reference Guide offer this suggestion to the people of this section: for the best products, the largest selection and the ultimate in everyday bargains... make this your one-stop shopping headquarters!

CITYWIDE MORTGAGE CO.

Mark Skelton - Owner

In times past, when you needed mortgage assistance you simply went to your local banker to make arrangements. Today, with such a large variety of sources available, it can be difficult to make a decision regarding loan arrangements. CITYWIDE MORTGAGE CO. stands ready to provide you with mortgage assistance as well as professional counseling on any of their programs available. Located at 25 North Bell in

Bellville, phone 865-8788 or Toll Free 1-800-210-8788, they have earned an excellent reputation throughout the area. The professional staff at CITYWIDE MORTGAGE CO. are highly trained and can expertly answer any questions concerning refinancing, second mortgages, FmHA, VA, conventional or any of the many new programs now available. Keeping up-to-date on the current

field of finance, they pride themselves on offering affordability, easy access and fast efficient service. Sooner or later, we all need mortgage counseling for our home or business. If you have any questions concerning your present financing or need assistance regarding a proposed venture, give CITYWIDE MORTGAGE CO. a call today.

County resource officer visits Primary School

Colorado County School Resource Officer Michael Schleider visited the Eagle Lake Primary School recently and presented a program about bicycle safety to all the students.

Schleider is pictured with second graders Clayton Bowen, Bruno Potter, Eloiza Granillo, Amanda Leal, Dwight Dawson, Aristeo Saucedo, Andrew Longoria, Irving Pena and

Roque Torres as he demonstrates the safety features on his bike and the importance of wearing a helmet.

Schleider serves all three school districts in the County - a total of 13 campuses.

The resource officer was hired recently by the County with funding from the Criminal Justice Division of the Governor's Office under the Safe

and Drug Free Schools Communities Act.

His goals are to promote school attendance, discipline and learning, to counteract drug-related violence, prevention and safety programs, to monitor drug-free and weapons-free schools and communities and to promote individuals responsibly and to respect the rights of others.



Colorado County School Resource Officer Michael Schleider visited the Eagle Lake Primary School recently and is pictured with some second graders who heard his presentation. *ELPS Photo*

Harbers, Sellers to wed Feb. 21

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harbers of Dayton are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rebecca Lynn, to John Cordrey Sellers Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sinclair of Dayton and Mr. John Cordrey Sellers Sr. of Moss Hill.

The wedding is planned for 7:30 p.m. on February 21, 1997, at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Liberty.

Rebecca is the granddaughter of Mrs. Fritzie Harbers and the late Roland Harbers, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Owen and the late J.T. "Tommy" Pilkington of Eagle Lake.

NIGHTINGALES' CORNER

By Jan Hargraves RN/MSN Family Nurse Practitioner-C

Estrogen Replacement Therapy (ERT)

What is Estrogen Replacement Therapy?

Menopause is the time when menstruation stops. It is a gradual process in which menstrual periods become irregular and eventually end completely. After a woman has passed through menopause, her ovaries no longer produce eggs and her body produces less estrogen.

Many women will not experience disturbances because of their decreased amount of estrogen. Menopause is part of a natural aging process and not a disease. Some women will have a variety of difficulties that are related to their estrogen deficiency. These women will possibly benefit from replacement therapy.

What are the benefits of Estrogen Replacement Therapy?

Osteoporosis: Osteoporosis is the skeletal disorder that was discussed in the last two columns. This disorder reduces the quantity of bone, thus making an individual very prone to fractures.

Estrogen therapy is the best prevention and treatment of this disorder. Low-dose therapy can stop or slow down bone loss.

Coronary Heart Disease: The

risk of heart disease dramatically increases for women who have gone through menopause.

If you smoke, have high blood pressure, diabetes, high cholesterol levels, or a family history of heart disease, estrogen replacement therapy may reduce the risk of developing heart disease.

Discussion of this therapy will be continued in next week's column.

If you have any questions or suggestions, please call me at the Eagle Lake Medical Clinic, 234-2066.

Please come to the blood drive at the clinic on Feb. 13, 1:30-6:30 p.m.

Give a gift from your heart for Valentine's Day.

COMMUNITY LENTEN LUNCHEONS

Help Celebrate the Easter Holy Season

with

Eagle Lake Methodist Church

Attend Our Lenten Luncheons

Every Monday

11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Monday, February 17

through

Monday, March 24

Enjoy soup, sandwiches and desserts along

with singing and fellowship

Non-Denominational

Everyone Is Invited!

Love offering accepted.

Half of proceeds to go to the Eagle Lake Community Food Pantry.

Come And Bring A Friend!

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EVINRUDE OUTBOARDS - VONDERAU MARINE

Bob VonDerAu - Owner

If you're a serious sports fisherman or someone who expects the optimum in boating value, then you should consider what VONDERAU MARINE has to offer. They are located at 1912 Highway 71 North in El Campo, phone 409-543-2753, and hours are 8am-5pm Monday-Friday and 9am-4pm on Saturday. These boating experts carry a complete line of pleasure boats from runabouts to bass

boats in many sizes and power options. The staff of VONDERAU MARINE can assist you in selecting the perfect boat for your specific needs as well as suggest the proper trailer for hauling your craft. They feature a full line of boating accessories and marine equipment, and also feature a complete marine service on all gas and diesel engines. These local professionals are equipped

to service what they sell and fully support the warranties of the products they represent.

Craig, Wesley, and Phil at VONDERAU MARINE invite you to stop in soon and discuss your boating needs. Not only can they make your boating experience a pleasure, but they will make it a sound investment as well.

BUDGET TILE AND CARPET

Gerald Denais - Owner

If your present vinyl, tile or carpeting is worn out or if you're planning to build or remodel soon... you need to visit BUDGET TILE AND CARPET with two convenient locations at 138 East Plantation in Clute, phone 409-265-7591 and at 134 East Brazos in West Columbia, phone 281-345-5400. Here, you'll find floor coverings of all types for every room in your home or commercial building.

BUDGET TILE AND CARPET dis-

plays beautiful, natural hardwood flooring in plank, strip or parquet. Long wearing, easy-care, no-wax vinyl flooring is also on display in beautiful colors and patterns. The salespeople at BUDGET TILE AND CARPET can show you a variety of carpeting from luxurious, deep pile carpet for your home to wear resistant carpet for commercial applications.

BUDGET TILE AND CARPET fea-

tures quality floor coverings from well-known manufacturers. The salespeople here can inform you about the qualities, advantages and proper care required, and offer expert installation. For selection, service and quality products... stop in soon and browse through the extensive showroom of BUDGET TILE AND CARPET and don't forget to ask about their Special Close Out sale at both locations.

GUADALAJARA RESTAURANTS

Isidro Sanchez - Owner

The splendor of Old Mexico is yours when you experience a dining adventure at all three GUADALAJARA RESTAURANTS, located at 1308 Prairie Lea in Brenham, phone (409) 830-8007; 2101 Milan Street in Columbus, phone (409) 732-9744; and at 403 North Jefferson in La Grange, phone (409) 968-5935. The house specialties include sizzling fajitas,

enchiladas, burritos, tamales and more. They have captured the true flavor of Mexico by using the exact spices and fresh ingredients to prepare their meals. Contrary to the belief that Mexican food is very hot, they serve their dishes with the hot sauce on the side, so you can enjoy it the way you want. Through their efforts to serve the true

Mexican dishes with a real flavor of the country, as well as an interesting South-of-the-Border decor, they've become very popular eating establishments. We suggest you join the list of satisfied patrons who make GUADALAJARA RESTAURANTS their favorite places to dine.

CUPID'S CORNER BRIDAL SHOP

Largest Prom and Wedding Shop in South Texas

"Your One Stop Shop" "White Limousine Service Available"

An exclusive line of dresses and accessories for that very important day in every woman's life is available at the CUPID'S CORNER BRIDAL SHOP at 703 South Mechanic in El Campo, phone (409) 543-1966.

The most complete selection in this area of gowns for brides, bridesmaids, and mothers of the bride are available at this shop. You will also find a large selection of bridal veils to fit any budget.

Everything for the bride and her bridal party as well as that special prom dress and Sunday occasional dresses are available at this establishment, including expert fitting. CUPID'S CORNER BRIDAL SHOP is the largest prom and wedding shop in South Texas... handling many lines of gowns formerly found only in Dallas or Houston. There's no need any longer to make that long trip. Stop at CUPID'S CORNER BRIDAL SHOP for gowns by Alyce, Mike Benet,

Jessie McClintock, Alfred Angelo, Steppin Out, Nadine and Roberta and exquisite hand beaded gowns by Shomax and Landa.

Jeanette Dornak, the owner, has built a fine reputation in this area by serving the public courteously and providing quality goods at reasonable prices. Group orders are a specialty of this shop. When that special day comes in your life, you can relax if you have made arrangements with this leading shop!

A large selection of wedding dresses, with over 300 wedding gowns to choose from, plus table rentals, tuxedos, a champagne fountain, limousine service, plus much, much more. This is truly your One Stop Bridal Shop! So stop in today for Jeanette's assistance! The writers of this 1997 Business Review and Reference Guide know you will find high quality merchandise and friendly service at this shop!

COLLISION PRO

Open Monday-Saturday 8:00am-6:00pm

As dependable experts in the auto body repair business, COLLISION PRO, located at 6237 South Highway 288B in Angleton, phone 409-849-3332, offers the people of this area a complete, one-stop collision center. They feature expert service for all cars, both foreign and domestic, and are well known throughout the area for quality work.

COLLISION PRO are experts at color matching and will make your car look like new again. Large and small jobs alike receive careful attention. COLLISION PRO also specializes in all types

of frame work. They can repair your car body to factory specifications using the most modern techniques available today. Your insurance claims are always welcomed and estimates are carefully given.

To be assured of the finest in auto body repair, call Jamie or Jim at COLLISION PRO. You will be pleased with the quality of their work and their competitive prices. If you are particular about your car, then be particular about who repairs it! Select COLLISION PRO for your body work.

INDUSTRY READY MIX

Norman Jasek - Owner

Need concrete? Why go through the hassle of mixing it yourself when INDUSTRY READY MIX will deliver the finest concrete obtainable. Located at Highway 159 East in Industry, phone 409-357-2380, this quality-conscious firm is ready to dispatch a truck to your site on a moment's notice. Since the concrete is transit-mixed, there is no waiting involved. Just prepare your forms and phone 409-357-2380. They'll pour when you're ready!

Contractors throughout the area have found that the correctly-proportioned materials that INDUSTRY READY MIX uses guarantee a perfect job every time, and the finished product is always one of lasting beauty. From foundations to gutters to patio decks to walks, you can do no better than to call this outstanding company for all of your concrete needs! We, the authors of this 1997 Business Review and Reference Guide recommend their product and their service.

It's Hard To Believe...

This little "fashion model" will be a

TEENAGER

(13 Years Old)

Saturday, Feb. 15

Happy Birthday

Cathy

Even though, at times, we want to wring your neck, your sister and I do love you.

Doesn't seem like that long, does it Ernestine?

