

Prairie Edge Museum receives grant

The Prairie Edge Museum recently received a grant in the amount of \$2,000 from the York Casket Company. Museum Curator Rollin Baker

was in charge of writing the grant. The York Group Inc., in partnership with all independent York distributors, has given life to "The York

Children's Foundation," an important non-profit foundation dedicated to the future of our nation's children.

Each time a family selects a York casket, a donation is made in memory of their loved one.

Their intent and goal of the "Commitment of Life" program is to raise millions of dollars, over the years, to support worthy local organizations that dedicate their efforts toward helping children.

Local recipient organizations are nominated by funeral directors across America and selected by a board of trustees comprised of funeral directors and distributors representing every region of the county.

The grant will be used for a program emphasizing local heritage and cultures, local plants and wildlife and pioneer methodology.

Enrollment will include students who have completed the first through fifth grade. Two teachers will oversee the program: Jeanne Jackson and Betty Janish.



Len Carson relaxes in one of the many shady spots in his front yard to relax among the numerous plantings of shade-loving impatiens and begonias. Garden club member and recent transplant Patty Weatherly said she had no trouble selecting Carson's home as June Yard of the Month. *Headlight Photo by Jeannine Fearing*

Carson home is 'Yard of Month'

Len Carson's home, located at 322 E. Waverly, was selected the Eagle Lake Civic Garden Club's "Yard of the Month" for June 1997.

Mr. Carson dedicates many hours keeping his yard well manicured all year round.

He keeps several types of flowers in beds and pots throughout the yard including impatiens, petunias, alysums, begonias, maiden hair fern,

Boston ivy, hibiscus, heather, cyprus, gold spots, caladiums, day lilies, variegated hibiscus and portulaca.

Also, there are several trees lending nice shaded areas where one can sit and enjoy the beauty of the blooms.

This is a beautiful yard to see.

Congratulations to Len Carson on a job well done!

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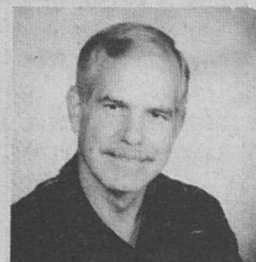
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About Town...

*Krista Nicole Miller, daughter of Barbara and Ronnie Miller of El Campo, graduated Magna Cum Laude from SW Texas State University May 10 with a Bachelor of Science degree in interdisciplinary studies.

*Delano Joseph Fmka, son of Linda and Del Fmka of Eagle Lake, has been named to the President's Honor

Roll for the spring quarter at the Texas State Technical College's Texas Marine Education Center in Palacios. Del is a student in the diesel mechanics program. The President's Roll recognizes the scholastic achievement of those students who maintained a perfect 4.0 grade point average.

*The following students at Sam (See Town, Page 8)

Lessons

might have the pre-eminence (first place in our lives).

We must recognize as true believers, that God's plan is superior to (above) any other plan. Faith, the word, and the third person in the Godhead, are the three power forces in acceptance God's plan. Thank God for letting Apostle John see the vision, to glimpse the beauty of his holiness, on the isle called pat most, to let us know about the "here-after."

Third week: "Serving God and Nation". Acts 5:29

The Jews always tried to trap Jesus. Mark 12:13-17, saying it is lawful to give tribute to Caesar, or not. Jesus the lamb of God, said, "Bring me a penny that I may see it." They did and our Lord asked, "Whose is this image?" They replied, Caesar. He said, "Render to Caesar, the things that are Caesar's and to God, the things that are God's."

We are in this world and must be subject to rules and laws. But we belong to God as unfair as the rules and laws may be at times we as Christians, are subject to obey. All law comes from God, for He is the lawgiver.

Rom. 13:1-7, true believers are to live in this world, honestly, legally and respectfully. We are to press as much as possible to live peaceably with everyone. Gal. 5:16 says, "this I say then, walk in the Spirit and ye (you) shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh."

Fourth week: "Making Your Decisions Christians". Duet. 11:26-28

Decisions come from the word "decide" make up your mind (or) reach a point. As Joshua did in Jos. 24:15, "if you think it's wrong to serve God, then choose you this day whom you will serve. But as for me and my

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house (mind) we will serve the Lord".

Now Joshua, was not speaking of his household, he was speaking personal from the deep conscience of his knowledge or feeling. The book of Deuteronomy (pronounced "Do-ter-ern-o-me", meaning second law. Mount Sinai condemns us but Mount Calvary offers us pardon.

In Duet. 11:26, God said this, "Behold I will set before you this day (present) a blessing and a curse", a curse means to bring affliction upon your own self.

Only God can give relief. I made my decision a long time ago to follow Christ and one day I'll walk with him all dressed in white.

Pastor J.H. James; General Teacher, Sis. Inola Johnson; teaches, Sis. A. Hearn, B. Johnson and B. McTeair

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Mose Thomas Camp Saturday, April 16, in the honor of the occasion of the 92nd birthday of Mr. Thomas...

Misses Genevieve Salazar, Virginia Gutierrez, Margaret Sosa and Nica Flores more than 80 youngsters Sunday with an Easter egg hunt...

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Reuther had as Easter guests their children, Mr. & Mrs. H.S. Hensley and daughter of Old Ocean, Mr. & Mrs. B. E. Heide and daughter of Galveston, and Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Reuther of Eagle Lake. Other guests were Mr. & Mrs. George Sheel and Mr. & Mrs. George Sheel Jr. of Wharton...

Miss Irene Kucherka of Houston and Stanley Kucherka of A&M spent the Easter weekend with their parents, Mr. & Mrs. S.L. Kucherka...

T.P. Dowdy again led shooters at Colorado County Skeet Club by posting 24, 22 or 46 of 50 targets broken...

Mesdames R.H. Reese Jr., V.T. Matthews, H.E. Tate and M.W. Pape were hostesses Friday afternoon for a birthday party for the 4th grade...

Misses Betty Joyce Linke and Mary E. Davidson were home from Baylor Univ. for Easter break...

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Mrs. Donna Woods was reported resting well following an operation Monday morning at St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester, Minn. Mrs. W.R. Terrell said the family received a wire from Woods' nurse that afternoon...

Mr. & Mrs. W.A. Schneider had as guests this week, Mrs. A.J. Ward of Houston and Mrs. Winn Bell formerly of London, England, now with the British Consul of Houston...

Mr. & Mrs. William J. Martin of Houston were Easter guests of Mr. & Mrs. Robert Martin...

Friedrich Hoeninghaus of Ozona spent Easter with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. F.A. Hoeninghaus...

Reagan Laughlin is home from New Mexico Military Institute for the Easter holidays. Dr. & Mrs. J.R. Laughlin met him in Eddy...

Students coming from A&M to spend Easter with their families were Eckhardt Abercrombie, John Walker, Edmund Munford, Jim Reed and Raymond Jochetz...

John W. Brasher, attending Sam Houston Teachers College spent Easter break with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Ben Brasher.

Commissioners

"This would be an ideal place for a backup radio system for all our emergency services," said Fleming. "The first floor could be used for additional space (for County offices) and then you could develop a long-range plan for the second and third floors."

In other business, the Court: Conducted an executive session over the compensatory time for two deputies and a jailer, but took no action until the parties involved could review their records; (See Commissioners, Page 10)

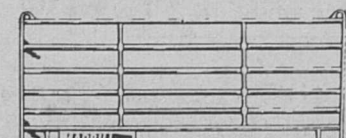
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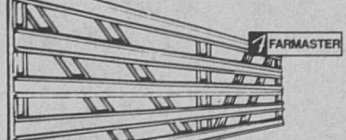
12' Utility Corral Panel
Powder coated in a leather brown finish. Chain connectors. (908170) **\$52**

12' Brown Entrance Panel With Gate (909018) **\$95**



10' Utility Tube Gate
50" high. Includes chain latch, adjustable hinges and lag bolts. (899973) **\$48**

12' (900098) \$52 14' (147991) \$59 16' (908008) \$68



52"x10' Steel Panel Gate
Hardened 24-gauge galvanized spring steel. With chain latch, hinges and lag bolts. (159387) **\$39**

52"x12' (159395) \$43 52"x16' (159415) \$57 52"x14' (159407) \$48

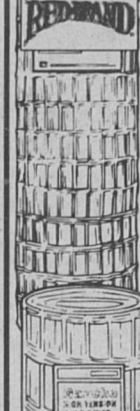
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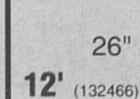
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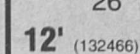
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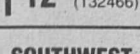
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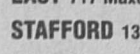
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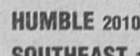
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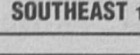
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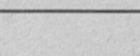
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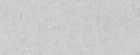
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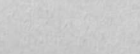
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Foot Facts

By Dr. Eric R. Tepper, Podiatrist

DON'T PLAY FAVORITES

When one foot is hurting, it's natural to "favor" it, to give it a rest while you rely more heavily on the other foot for getting around. Severe pain can cause an obvious limp. More frequently, though, the discomfort is mild enough that a person alters his or her normal gait without even being aware that any "favoring" is taking place. Either way, the result can be increased problems for both feet and limbs. An altered gait puts abnormal stress on back and knees. The problem can be further complicated by arthritis, common among older people. When walking is even mildly uncomfortable, people tend to simply avoid walking and other exercise. This allows body muscles to weaken at precisely the time they are most needed to support arthritic joints.

If adverse conditions restrict mobility or activity, the entire body can be affected. Don't fall victim to this situation. Seek professional podiatric treatment before little problems grow into big ones. And remember, your feet don't have to hurt. All you have to do is call us at 234-5571. I offer a full range of podiatric services with a commitment to cost effective quality care at Rice Medical Center every Tuesday.

P.S. The first place that the symptoms of arthritis often appear is in the feet.