



Fish fry anyone?

Griff Clipson, 11 year old son of Richard and Robbin Clipson of Eagle Lake, was very proud of his 35-pound catch. The fish was said to be 44 inches in length. Every time Griff got a chance to tell of his catch, the fish grew and gained a pound or two. He caught the red fish while at Port O'Connor.

Photo Courtesy of Richard Clipson



ANNOUNCING NEW ARRIVALS

Molly Marie Smidovec

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Smidovec of Garwood proudly announce the birth of their daughter on September 19, 1997, at 3:26 p.m. at Rice Medical Center in Eagle Lake.

Molly Marie weighed seven pounds, nine ounces and measured 21-1/4 at birth.

She was welcomed home by

Michelle Lynn, age four.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Espinoza of Garwood and Mr. and Mrs. Florencio Ramos of Columbus. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Olmeda.

Paternal grandparents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smidovec Sr. of Garwood.

Kaleb Lane Vana

David and Marcie Vana of Weimar are the proud parents of a baby boy, born September 24, 1997, at 5:19

p.m. at De Tar Hospital in Victoria.

Kaleb Lane weighed seven pounds six ounces and measured 19 inches at birth.

He was eagerly greeted by his sisters, six year old Kaley and four year old Kelsey.

Grandparents are Jim and Velma Kutzer of Sheridan and Frankie and Pauline Vana of Weimar.

Great grandparents are Rex and Ida Mae Kutzer of Yoakum and Mary Vana of Schulenburg.

Did You Know...

As a result of machinery, fertilizers and other advances in agricultural technology, one U.S. farmer today produces enough for 78 persons.

Sheriff

leader responded to a call concerning terroristic threat at Rice High School. One juvenile was arrested.

Friday, Sept. 19, at 9:45 a.m., Deputy Schleider responded to a report of classed being disrupted at Rice High School. One juvenile was arrested for resisting arrest and disruption of classes.

At 9:30 p.m., Deputy Gene Rebel re-

sponded to an assault on Hwy. 90, east of Weimar. The suspect was gone on officer's arrival. There is one suspect in the case.

Saturday, Sept. 20, at 4 p.m. Deputy Furrh responded to a report of a stolen vehicle in Garwood. There are two suspects.

Monday, Sept. 22, Deputies Craig Peikert and Rebel responded to an assault on

Hill Street in Garwood. One suspect was arrested for Class C assault.

Tuesday, Sept. 23, at 9:10 p.m., Deputies Peikert and Reserve Ramirez responded to a call on a theft in Glidden. The complainant reported her wallet containing \$65 was stolen. There are two suspects.

Thursday, Sept. 25, at 8:52 p.m. Deputies Neisner and Jason Pavlicek responded to a call about a family violence assault on FM 155. One juvenile was arrested and detained at Rockdale Detention Center in Milam County.

At 9:58 p.m., Deputy Pavlicek responded to a call concerning a family violence assault on Boulden Street in Garwood. There is one suspect in the case.

Friday, Sept. 26, at 8:15 a.m., Sgt. Lacourse responded to a call concerning a burglary at the KC Hall in Columbus. The complainant reported that two plate glass windows were broken. Nothing was reported to be missing at the time of report.

At 10:12 p.m., Deputy Neisner responded to a call concerning a family violence assault in Sheridan. There is a suspect in this case.

Saturday, Sept. 27, at 10:30 a.m., Deputy Furrh responded to a call about a felony theft on Zimmerscheidt Road. The complainant reported a 16 foot lowboy trailer, a gas and axle assembly were stolen.

At 2 p.m., Deputy Furrh responded to a call concerning the burglary of a habitation on Hwy. 71, south of Columbus. The complainant reported three rifles, one shotgun and a pair of binoculars were taken.

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Council

be placed in Gordon's driveway with pros and cons of this recommendation being discussed with Gordon.

Council approved an expenditure of \$450 from the drug seizure fund for the purchase of three Remington 12-gauge shotguns for the Eagle Lake Police Department.

This will give officers a standard weapon no matter in which vehicle they may be riding.

Drug seizure funds may only be used for law enforcement purposes.

In other business, Council:

•Approved a request by the Salvation Army to park the collection truck in front of the municipal building on Oct. 18;

•Adopted a resolution authorizing a municipal maintenance agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation;

•Conducted a lengthy discussion

of a letter from David Pavlicek concerning utility deposits and cut-off practices of the City;

•Approved the sale of the City's excess vehicles, equipment and unclaimed items at the Eagle Lake Police Department;

•Learned from Mayor David Mann that the job fair for those wishing to make application to work at the boot camp detention facility will be held in Dec.;

•Delayed approval of a request by Jamay for seismic testing within the City limits and to lay cable along roadways until a written agreement is received by the City stating that individuals conducting this project will be attired with proper identification; and

•Learned electrical work at the Eagle Lake Airport has been suspended until the origin of a underground "stench" can be determined.

*She may not play with dolls anymore,
but she still has that smile!*



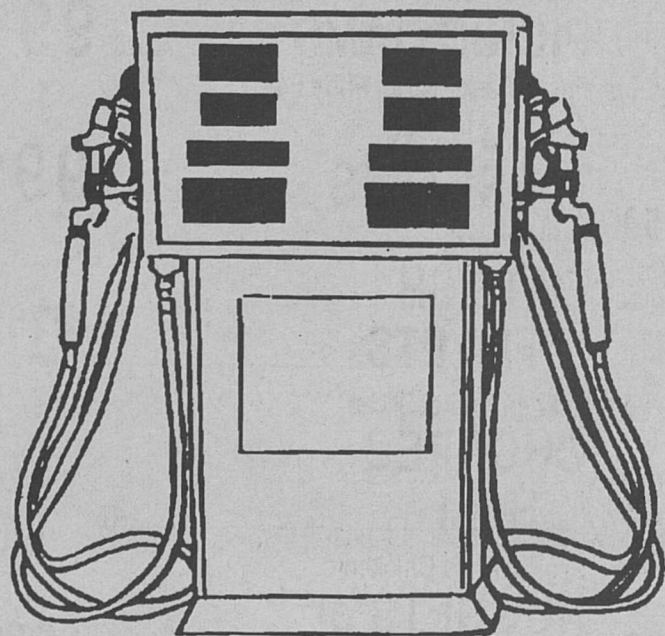
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