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Performers Sought For Theater Production

WANTED: 11 lively men to entertain with 2 giggly ladies in the Woodville Little Theatre production of "ARSENIC AND OLD LACE." No previous acting experience required, only a sincere desire to perform before an audience in a first rate comedy.

If you have always wanted to be on stage or in the spotlight, you will have your opportunity on December 17 and 18, at 7:30, at the Woodville Fire Station. Try-outs for "ARSENIC AND OLD LACE" will be held on both nights, and will include parts for 11 men and 3 women. Set Design and Costume Crews will also be needed, and anyone interested is asked to appear at the Fire Station on Wednesday or Thursday night.

If you have any questions or need further information concerning the requirements for the positions to be filled, please contact Mabel Utley at 283-2827, or Dee Gibson at 283-7220.

Sheltered Workshop Open House Set

The Tyler County Sheltered Workshop will hold an open house Tuesday, Dec. 23 from 2 to 4 p.m.

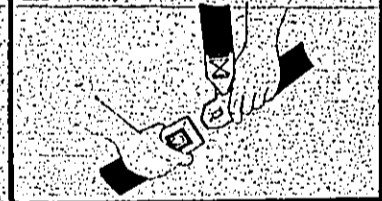
"We would like to extend an invitation to the public, to come by and tour the Workshop and enjoy refreshments," a spokesperson said.

Hosting will be the Tyler County Mental and Physical Handicap Association and volunteers.



CUB HOLIDAY PROJECT—Cub Scouts from Den 2 Pack 81 of Spurger are shown with apples and oranges to be given to area nursing homes as part of a school-approved community project to earn merit badges in scouting. The Clubs obtained their fruit from Margaret McNeal, Fairway Foods Produce Manager, pictured above with (from left to right): Melvin Mott, 9; Craig Head, 8 and Will Dowden, 9. Wal-mart Stores here also contributed 100 Christmas cards for the boys to address to residents of the nursing homes. Den Mother for the boys is Helen Mott.

THIS CHRISTMAS, GET A HOLD ON LIFE... WEAR YOUR SEATBELT!



"DEAR SANTA"—Little Trudi Hatton of Warren is shown sending her letter to Santa this past week at The Tyler County Booster official post office box to the North Pole. Trudi is three and one half years old and is shown with her mother.

Court Session Spirited As Budget Talks Continue

Tyler County Commissioners met Friday hoping to approve their 1981 budget, but ran into problems when they had to explain the loss of anticipated dollar needs in Commissioner-elect Jerry Mahan's Precinct 3. Mahan was visiting in place of Commissioner Leon Fowler, who was in Austin Friday winding up a Sheriff's Short Course before he takes office replacing Lewis Craven on January 1.

Mahan was upset because, he said, "I lose 90 miles the first day I take office." Funding is apparently apportioned according to the road mileage as recorded, charted and driven by the commissioners.

Mahan implied to the court that some unfavorable adjusting of the road fund dollars in miles had been changed. "Something's wrong or someone's lying," he said.

Other commissioners also complained of inequities in the program; County Judge Allen Sturrock pointing out that the last time the roads were driven was a "point of bad timing."

C.A. Williams, who resides in Commissioner-elect Mahan's Precinct 3, said, "How can we operate if we're \$20,000 short going into next year?"

Mahan, who was sitting in for Commissioner Fowler, according to a courthouse authority had been invited several months ago to begin participation in the Commissioners meetings. "Maybe the incoming commissioner would've had a better understanding of the difficulties connected with the percentages of disbursement connected with the road mileage figures if he had chosen to attend earlier meetings."

County Judge Sturrock called for action on approval of the budget to be tabled until the following Friday, December 19 at 10 a.m.

As part of the budget consideration portion of the meeting the court was asked to consider keeping a \$5,000 allocation for the Tyler County Mental and Physical Handicap Association Sheltered Workshop. John Morrison said he noticed that it had been removed from the 1981 budget sched-

uled for approval but asked that it be held in and reconsidered for "the benefit of those that are mentally and physically handicapped in Tyler County." Morrison said the Workshop was still "learning how to be successful and needed the county's funding backup."

In other business the commissioners tabled action to "Consolidate funds" until the next regular meeting held this year.

The court also tabled bids on the purchase of a tractor until commissioners could travel to Beaumont to Oil City Tractors and to Jo-Be Equipment in Woodville, to examine products submitted for bid purchase. A decision on that purchase will be made at the upcoming Friday meeting.

In other court action the commissioners authorized the County Judge to sign a HUD grant preapplication and granted a lease for \$500 a year to Chem-air company to utilize the Tyler County airport for highline spraying activity.

Whitmeyer Is Society Head

Jack Whitmeyer, of Colmesneil, was elected Monday as President of the newly-formed Tyler County Heritage Society, which is currently seeking tax-exempt incorporation status as an education tool which its first president hopes "can serve Tyler County by receiving gifts of historical value, in trust, for the educational preservation of artifacts here."

Whitmeyer also said he hopes the organization will be able to initiate the construction of a major new genealogical library and facility to house a major gem and mineral exhibit along with an archaeological exhibit.

"Some people think the Heritage Society is being set up strictly for Heritage Gardens," Whitmeyer said, "and this simply is not true."

Whitmeyer said also the organization currently has 30 members and intends to hold a January membership meeting.

Others elected as officers and on the executive committee of the organization are: Vice President, Clyde Gray; Treasurer, Gilbert Wright; Secretary, Delores Gibson; and Executive Committee members Phebe Armstrong, Stephanie Yearwood and Barbara Phillips.



Wilson On Committee

WASHINGTON — Congressman Charles Wilson has been elected to the Democratic Steering and Policy Committee for the 97th Congress, which convenes in January.

Wilson, who will be entering his fifth term in the House, was chosen by the Texas delegation to replace Rep. E. (Kika) de la Garza whose term on the committee expires at the end of the 96th Congress.

The most important function of the Steering and Policy Committee is the nomination of Democratic members for committee assignments and selection of committee chairmen.

are subject to approval by the Democratic Caucus and the full House, but seldom are Steering and Policy's recommendations overruled.

"Which members are sitting on which committees—you'd be surprised at how much difference it makes in the way the House conducts its business," Wilson said.

"Particularly since almost all of the real work we do is done in committee."

Membership on the Steering and Policy Committee consists of the four top Democrats in the House leadership, 12 regional representatives elected in separate regional caucuses and



TEXAS IS ALWAYS guaranteed at least one seat on the committee because it comprises Region VI in its entirety. Wilson said, as a member of the Steering and Policy Committee, he hopes to make sure that Texas is adequately represented on the committees important to the state.

Although making committee assignments is the major task of the Steering and Policy Committee, Wilson noted that it also has the authority to make recommendations on party policy, legislative priorities and the scheduling of matters for House or Caucus action.

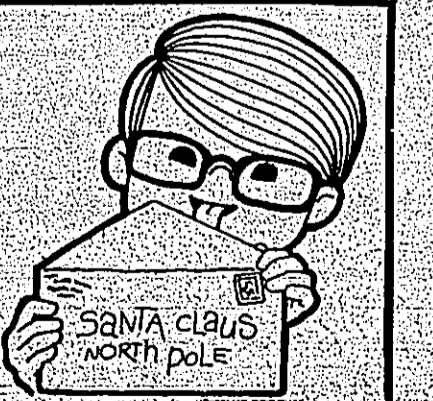
ABWA Holds Holiday Party

The American Business Women's Association held their Christmas party last Tuesday night in the home of Maggie Pryor. Twenty-two members enjoyed the exchange of gifts and the delicious food for which the members are famous.

Lynn Hays, president, reported that the "Miss Tyler County" plans are

well under way and named the chairman for each part of the pageant. Cecile Krause, program book chairman, reported that good progress is being made on the program book ads.

The next meeting will be Jan. 11 at the Community Room of Citizens State Bank.



Bring Your Letters To Santa To The Tyler County Booster

Christmas Spree Still On

There is still time for you to sign up for the \$150, \$100 and \$50 gift certificates being offered by the Tyler County Chamber of Commerce and the following merchants: Birdwell Department Store, Bob's Prescription Shop, Dayspring Christian Center, Grammer Drive-In Grocery, Greenwood Exxon, J. B. White Company, Jacque's, Jarrott's Pharmacy, Katrina's Styling Salon, Knapp Ford, Lollipop Boutique, M & M Western Wear, Mann Furniture, Matthews Store, Smyly's Jewelry, Sullivan's Hardware, Wal-Mart, Warfield's, Western Auto and Yum Yum Factory. You can register at any of the above-named merchants. All entries will be pooled together and a drawing will be held on December 20, 11 a.m., in the parking lot in front of Jasper Federal Savings & Loan, 1008 W. Bluff.

Senior Citizens May Get Firewood

L.M. Orth, president of Kirby Forest Industries, Houston, Texas is pleased to announce the start-up of a program which will permit Kirby Forest Industries employees, their families, and senior citizens in the community to cut and remove hardwood firewood for personal use from Kirby's lands in East Texas and Western Louisiana.

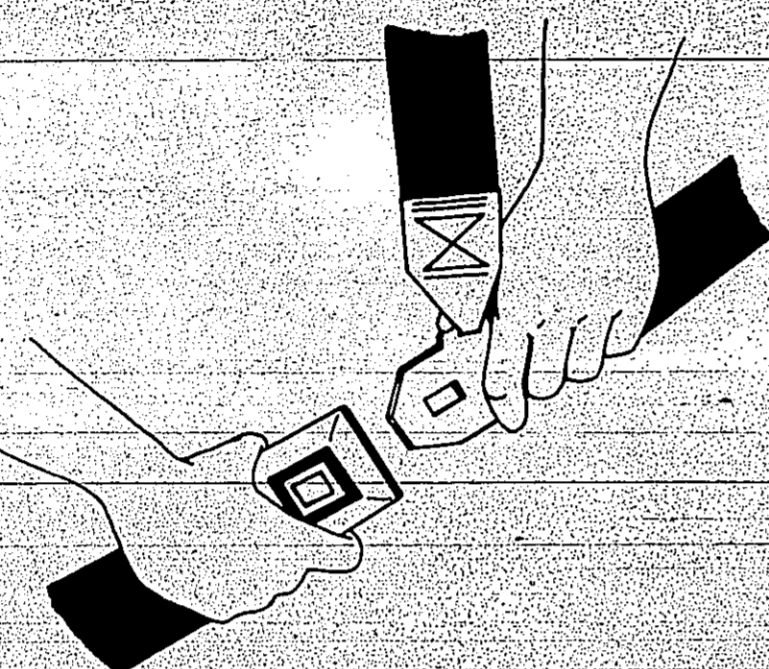
As stated by Orth, "This program is designed to aid our employees and senior citizens in coping with the ever-rising burden of energy costs. The program also demonstrates Kirby's continuing willingness to contribute its part in helping our nation overcome its energy problems."

Permits and further information may be obtained from the Resources Office in Silasbee, Texas, 713/385-5201; or the Resources Office in Bon Wier, Texas, 713/397-2600. Permits may also be acquired from Kirby's Foresters as well. These individuals may be reached through the Silasbee and Bon Wier Resources Offices.

State Capital Highlights

AUSTIN-The 67th Texas Legislature will convene on Jan. 13, 1981, and on opening day there will be 43 new faces in the House and Senate...

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When a traffic accident occurs, there are two collisions. The initial crash and the second collision happens when the driver and passengers strike something inside their car or truck...

(A message from this newspaper and your Highway Patrol)

Christmas Consumer Alert

AUSTIN-The Christmas gift-buying season inevitably is followed by the post-Christmas gift-returning season, and most consumers expect to be able to return or exchange gifts with little or no trouble beyond, perhaps, the inconvenience...

Subscribe Today!

T-Wheeler

by Alan Miller

When it comes to throwing money around, the Federal Government will have to take a back seat to the baseball team owners.

open mind

'Thanks For Coming'

We address this letter to our dear friends of Tyler County, their visitors and guests, who shared last Saturday with us at the Annual Christmas Tour of Homes...

If You Think

Open Mind

Dear Friend of mine, if you think you have a lease on this life you don't. If you think you live forever you won't. Life after death is sure, my brother, you are going to live one place or another...

Kids Bring Your Letters To Santa To The Tyler County Booster!

Don't suppress your ideas and feelings.

Express them in the BOOSTER. All letters to the editor must be signed. Typed or printed letters preferred. Address them to 'Open Mind'

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Announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of Carol Anne McCants, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. L.E. Greenwood of Woodville, and Mr. & Mrs. K.W. McCants of Kirbyville, to Richard Aaron Pate, son of Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Lee Pate of Woodville. Wedding vows will be spoken on December 19, 1980 at 7:30 p.m. with Rev. Jimmy Dean officiating. Reception following. Friends and relatives invited.

ACS Reports Successful Drive

The Tyler County ACS Unit of the American Cancer Society met in the Pine Room of the Woodville Inn Tuesday, December 9, 1980 at 12 noon with president Jim Jinnette presiding.

GOVERNOR'S REPORT

A bill to provide for tightly-restricted electronic surveillance-wiretapping in felony narcotics cases will be a fundamental part of the complete law enforcement package that I will submit to the Legislature next January.

Doucette First Baptist Plans Christmas Activities

The First Baptist Church of Doucette has the next week and several Christmas activities for residents to attend. The annual Christmas evening fellowship, including the traditional Christmas meal with local instrumental music as entertainment, will be held this Wednesday, December 17 at 6 p.m. Come, bring a hearty appetite and enjoy an evening of good Christian fellowship with us.

Lee, McAlpin Eligible For Degrees

Some 620 winter graduates at Lamar University will receive diplomas, degrees and certificates at the 29th annual Fall Commencement exercise, at 9 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 20 in McDonald Gym.

Story Hour Set

The staff of Allan Shivers Library will host a special Christmas story hour and film showing from 10:30-11:15 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 23 in the library-museum meeting room.

Oak Grove Program Set

The Oak Grove Baptist Church will have a supper and singing, Sat., Dec. 20 at 7:30 p.m. There will be a Christmas program of the church. Everyone is welcome. George Frank, pastor.

Melody Masters To Play

The Melody Masters will be playing at the Woodville Convalescent Center on Wednesday, Dec. 18, starting at 7 p.m. On Thursday they will appear at the Beaumont Convalescent Center. These dates replace dates previously announced.

Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse B. Powell of Vidor, Texas, formerly of Baytown, are celebrating their 44th anniversary at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard O. Markle of Humble. Other children include Mr. and Mrs. A. Paul Boudreaux, Jr. of Vidor and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry C. Powell of Houston. The couple were married Dec. 12, 1936. They have three grandchildren: Susie Powell of Austin, and Cassie and Paul Boudreaux III of Vidor. Mr. Powell is retired from Exxon Baytown Refinery. He is a native of Chester, and she is Lorine Jordan of Spurger.

Ivanhoe Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis open house in their Rigby invite the Ivanhoe for Christmas from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday, December 21, 1980.

Glenn-Sloan To Be Wed

Mr. William Glenn January 5, 1961 in the Smith of Ootewah, Ten-Chapel of the First Baptist Church of Woodville, Texas. Dr. Rayling officiating. Marriage of his mood A. Parker with daughter Doris Smith to perform the ceremony. A reception will follow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sloan of Woodville. The bride and groom's parents are invited through at 2 p.m. on Saturday, the next.

Advertisement for Citizens State Bank, featuring a Santa Claus illustration and text: 'One trip is all it takes. At Citizens State Bank, customer service is our cup of tea. Give Us A Chance To Say Yes! P.O. BOX 109, WOODVILLE, TEXAS 75797. Phone 283-2641. Each depositor insured to \$100,000. FDIC FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION'

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NOTICE

NOTICE: The public is hereby notified of the availability for inspection of the Revenue Sharing Bureau of Census Reports...

LEGAL BID: Bids are now being accepted until 10:00 a.m. on a calligraphic station...

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At Forest Service

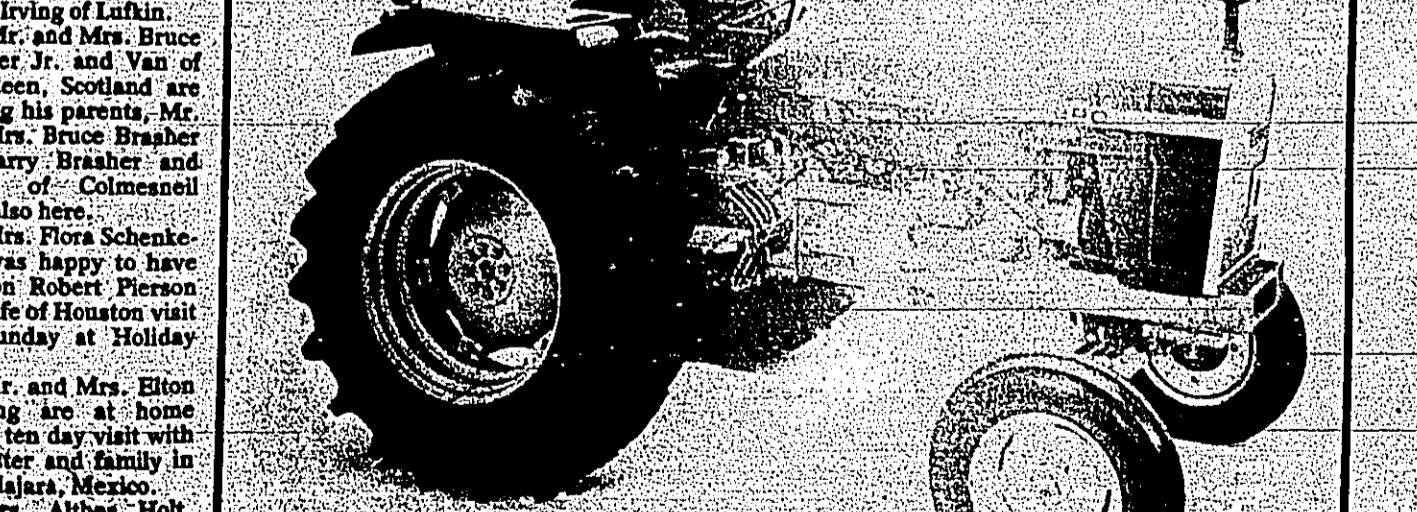
Hamilton's Pool near Austin and the Big Bend area. First published in 1945 to encourage greater appreciation of the historical value of trees.

Hillister News

Friends of Clinton Collier are glad that he is home from St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Beaumont and seems to be on the road to recovery.

EBRO/MCKEE The Dependable Ones

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Newcomer News

By SUSAN RAMOS

God has blessed us immensely and I hope everyone counted their blessings on Thanksgiving Day. We should do this everyday and not just once a year, should we?

Newcomers we hope you spent your first Thanksgiving in Tyler County enjoying your new residences!

Frank and Adele Isaacs moved from Corpus Christi. Mr. Isaacs is manager of the respiratory department at the Tyler County Hospital, and Mrs. Isaacs is his assistant. They have five children, three married daughters and two sons in college. They belong to the Lutheran denomination.

Lanny and Penny Williams are from Texasland. They are the new managers of the Dairy Queen on West Bluff. They have two children: Suzann, 1 1/2, and Craig, 3 years. They are Baptists.

New managers of the Dairy Queen on South Magnolia are **Danny and Debbie Kelly** who are from Nacogdoches. Their daughter, Missy is a sixth grader.

Living in Spurger now after their move from Nederland are **Thurman and Verne Lewis**. Mr. Lewis is employed with Texaco in Port Arthur. They are attending the First Baptist Church of Spurger. Their two married sons live out of the area.

Mr. David Turner has moved to Woodville after retiring from Hughes Tool Company.

New members of Our Lady of the Pines Catholic Church are **James and Adine Harris**, who moved from League City to Ivanhoe. He is retired from NASA. They have three sons living elsewhere.

After being gone for fifty years, **Mrs. Ora Smith** is returning to Tyler County. She was reared in Colmesneer. She and her husband Stanley left the Sam Rayburn area and are now living in Woodville. Mr. Smith is retired from Exxon in Baytown. They have 2 married children. Mr. Smith is Catholic and Mrs. Smith is Baptist.

Moving to Warren from Baton Rouge are **Marvin (Buddy) and Becky Cross** and their three children: 14 year old Daphne, who is in the Warren Band; 9 year old Deanna, who is in the fourth grade and takes dancing; and two year old Patricia, who stays home and helps Mama. Mr. Cross is a helicopter pilot for Chem-Air, Incorporated, who are moving their office to this area. Mrs. Cross has experience in managing day care centers. The family attends Our Lady of the Pines Catholic Church.

Billy and Susan Howard moved from Plano to Woodville. He is superintendent for Kidwell Construction. They've lived here almost two months and attend Trinity Assembly of God.

The new minister at First United Methodist Church is the **Rev. Jack Worham**, who came to Woodville from Rose Garden Methodist Church in Houston. He and his wife Susie have two sons: Jeremy is 6 and in kindergarten, and Jaime is 4. Mrs. Worham is a homemaker and has experience teaching preschoolers.

A new business in Tyler County is **Jim Groves Tree Specialist**. Jim and his wife Jaime moved to Woodville from Beaumont. The family is Jehovah Witnesses. Their children include 8-year-old Corey, who is a second grader, and 17-month-old Courtney.

The minister of Trinity Assembly of God Church is the **Rev. John Christley**. He and his wife Peggy moved from Midway where they pastored Midway Community Church. Their children are: Chris, 11, a fifth grader; and Kimberly, 9, a fourth grader.

Houston lost another family: **Joe and Jenny Flores** and their three daughters: Jessica, 5; JoAnn, 4; and Joie, 3. Mr. Flores is a motor winder for Dumont Electric and Mrs. Flores is a lab technician at the Tyler County Hospital. They attend Hillier Baptist Church.

If you are a newcomer to Tyler County and you've never been welcomed by the Tyler County Welcome Service, will you please contact us at 263-5164 on 263-5164. We appreciate all of you who do call us and give us names of these people moving into our area. We want to greet ALL newcomers. Please help us!

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Social Security Representative Schedule Given

The Social Security Office in Lufkin has released the visit schedule for Tyler County for the first three months of 1981.

A field representative will be at the Commissioners Courtroom in the courthouse at Woodville on Thursday, January 15, February 19, and March 19 to assist residents with their social security business.

According to Marvin Wittenburg, Field Representative for Tyler County, visits will be less frequent in 1981.

"People are discovering how much time and money they can save by using the telephone to conduct their social security business," Wittenburg stated. "During 1980 we expanded our telephone capabilities

and are now able to handle most matters by phone more timely and efficiently for the citizens and the Government," Wittenburg added.

All telephone calls can be made without cost to the caller. Residents of Tyler County have three telephone numbers available for use, depending on the nature of their business. Those who wish to file a claim for social security or SSI should call 634-6633 (station-to-station collect). Persons already receiving benefits should call the toll-free number 800-392-1603.

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16 POINTER-Don Barclay of Woodville dropped this 16 point buck on December in the vicinity of This Old House, located midway between Chester and Woodville.

A Stand Is A Stand

Everyone knows that the word "stand" can be used in many different ways and can refer to a wide variety of things.

Stand can be used as a verb; as in stand at attention, stand in line or stand by the radio. It can also be used as a noun; as in deer stand, reviewing stand, witness stand and magazine stand. And who hasn't heard someone refer to a

stand of grass or a stand of grain?

To a forester, however, stand generally refers to a recognizable forest unit.

According to Ed Barron, head of the Texas Forest Service forest management department in College Station, a stand of trees, or forest stand, is the smallest convenient natural division of a forest.

"A stand is a group or area of trees sufficiently uniform in species, age, density and size composition as to be distinguishable from adjacent units of forest," said Barron. "Small woodlands probably consist of only one recognizable stand; large woodlands may include several."

Barron added that forest stands are either

even-aged or uneven-aged.

"An even-aged stand," said Barron, "is one in which the tops or crowns, of the principle crop trees form a single canopy, although the trees may vary in diameter by several inches and in age by as much as 10 years. Most pine stands—natural and planted—are essentially even-aged; due to the growth characteristics of pines."

"An uneven-aged stand is a stand in which the crown canopy is not continuous but is broken up into small groups of trees of different crown levels and ages. Stands of hardwoods, or broad-leaved trees, are generally uneven-aged."

Stand can mean or refer to many things; but to a forester, it generally means trees.

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Tree Planting Season Approaching

What's the best tree to plant in my yard?

As the tree-planting season approaches this winter, many homeowners are asking foresters and nurserymen that question.

But, before it can be answered, homeowners and others interested in planting trees need to know other questions, according to Ann Holland, urban forester with the Texas Forest Service in Tyler.

"To get a good match between a site and a tree, people need to know something about the area to be planted and the tree they are considering," she said.

Ms. Holland recommends that people look at the site and determine how much space there is—both overall size at maturity above and below the ground. This determines how much space the tree's branches and roots will have to expand and grow.

Are there overhead utility, water or sewer lines, or buried cables? Many tree-planting problems can be avoided if these are considered. The more distance between newly planted trees and these lines, the better it is for the tree, the homeowner and the utility.

Information about an area's soil is helpful in deciding which tree to plant. Soils vary in

pH levels, ability to hold water and nutrient levels. Trees also have varying requirements for and nurserymen that question.

The amount of sun and shade is the main reason a tree does not grow well in a particular area. Too much, or too little sun can cause scorched leaves, wilting, or stunted growth.

Ms. Holland suggests that people ask themselves what they want from a tree. "Do you want shade, land to know something about the area to be planted and the tree they are considering," she said.

Investigating the tree's growth habits and species will give much information about what to expect initially and in future years.

What conditions of space, sunlight or shade, water, soil, temperature are best for the tree? If the site cannot meet these needs, consider another type of tree.

Whether a tree species is native to an area can greatly affect its vitality and growth rates, according to Ms. Holland.

"Native species or

those that do well in a region or area have much better track records than those native to other soils or climates. Usually, trees planted off their native sites will be more susceptible to insects and diseases than native species."

The final question is availability. Can the tree be purchased or found locally? Sometimes native species are not available commercially because there's no demand.

Answers to these questions can prevent

immediate and future problems between the tree and the site. Homeowners can reduce the need for replanting because a tree was not tolerant of an area, and reduce the need for pruning or removal later when a tree grows too close to a utility line or structure.

The wrong tree or a mismatch between a site and a tree can cause unnecessary problems, but the right tree in the right location can add beauty and value to any home, she said.

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Tips To Safe Trash Burning

If you were to ask people what the number one cause of wildfires was in Texas, the majority would say careless smokers or campfires. That would also be the wrong answer, since the number one cause of wildfires in Texas is careless trash burning.

That is why it is important to know some precautions to take when doing any outside trash burning. First in importance is the type of trashburner to use. Of course no trashburner is one hundred percent safe, but a good trashburner can be made from concrete blocks, an oil drum or just a hole in the ground.

The one important aspect of the home trashburner is to have a protective screen in place to prevent sparks from escaping. Replace the screen periodically since most screens rust or burn out after steady use.

Second in importance is the location of your trashburner. All flammable fuels such as grass, pine straw, litter, and shrubs should be removed to bare soil five feet or more around the burner. Your trashburner should also be at least 50 feet from all

buildings, and for added insurance plow or disk a firelane between the burner and any buildings.

Last but certainly not least is to remember when to burn. Most trash fires are caused by burning on days when it is not safe to burn. For example, beautiful, windy days are not good times to burn trash. The best time is when there is still dew on the ground and no wind, usually early in the morning, after a rain, or late in the evening.

Always keep a rake, hoe or shovel and a water hose near your trashburner. Always stay with your trash fire when it is burning, and make sure it is safe when you leave.

If you do have a trash fire that gets out of control be sure to call your local fire department. Texas Forest Service office, or County sheriff immediately, and do all you can to stop the fire from spreading until help arrives.

If you are not sure when to burn, contact your nearest Texas Forest Service office for specific information about the fire weather conditions.