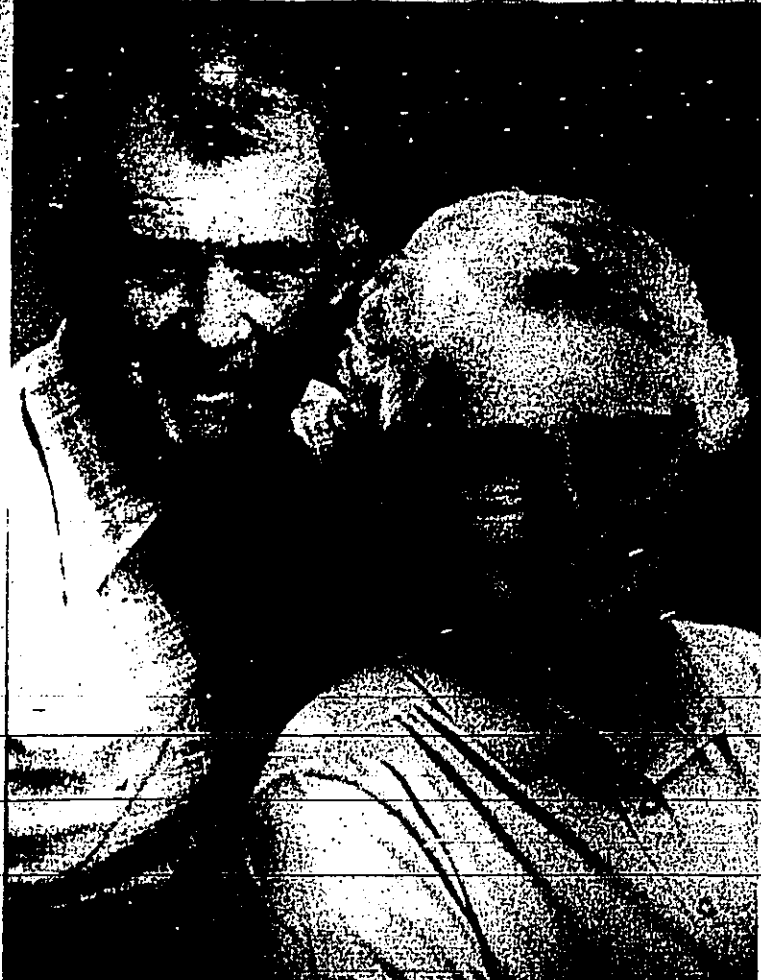


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50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie E. Shutter will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, October 16, at a reception at the Silsbee Community Center. Open House will be from 2 to 5 p.m. The couple were married October 1, 1938 at the



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'A LITTLE LIGHT PLEASE'
By Sue Hendrick
"UNFINISHED BUSINESS"

B-r-r-r! It was a little chilly this morning when I stepped out into the fresh air to go to work. Yesterday, the thermometer registered a 100 when it was in the direct rays of the hot, dry sun. This morning it registered 47 in the cool shade.

I began to think about all of the Summer projects that were still unfinished. Where did the time go? It seemed to be only a few days ago that I began to make the usual "wish list" of Summer improvements. There was a little painting to do. The yard needed fertilized. Flower beds needed a good mulching. And, there were plants to be moved, or propagated. Of course, many hours spent in outdoor recreation had also been planned.

And now, it was 47! Some of the projects from my "wish list" had been completed, but others were still waiting. Now, they would have to wait until the next Summer season begins. But then, this is the way that it always is for mankind. Plans are made. Some are finished, some are not.

There is a Bible story about a man that had worked hard to produce a lot of grain. He had built long rows of storehouses to hold the grain from his bountiful harvest. But, it seems that in all of his planning, he had forgotten one thing! He had forgotten all about his relationship with God. For this, he was called a fool. It seems that all of his grain would do him no good at all, because he was to die that very night. He had forgotten to take care of the most important business of all—his own soul! For him, that was still "unfinished business" and so it would remain forever.

In all of our planning and daily activities, it is not unusual for us to plan ahead. There is always the week-end to look forward to, or the family vacation, or even later in the year. But, the Lord may call us at any time to be with Him. This is a matter that we must plan for now. If we don't, it may always remain as "unfinished business."

(Any questions or comments concerning this column are welcome and should be addressed to the author in care of this newspaper.)

Hillister News

B.J. and Ruby Smith were in Aho Saturday to attend the 40th wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. E.G. Morgan. They were married in the Baptist Church here while he was serving as Pastor in 1948. She was Jodie Hatton. He is now Pastor of a Baptist Church in Aho.

We were pleased to have Mr. and Mrs. Pete Holland and daughter of Silsbee visit the Baptist Church Sunday. We appreciate Pete directing the music in the absence of a director.

I can't Jo and Glen Tucker came home Monday after enjoying a week in Branson, Mo. and other points in that area.

Rachel and Betty Phillips of Beaumont, a friend of Chantana Charnkol of Thailand were here for the week end with their grandmother Mrs. Ethel Read.

Sunny Dell News
Fall weather is here and cool weather comes with it. Never did like the cold much but after this summer I welcome it. Do you know why the leaves change color in the fall? I don't think frost has anything to do with it. Some trees shed their leaves early. In fact my pecan trees always shed their leaves early and before frost falls on them. The evergreen trees hang on until spring when the new ones come on. Also some evergreen broad-leaved leaves on trees in mild winters stay on from two to four years before they shed. The tree leaves contain nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium. And when the tree moves these contents back into the tree this will leave the leaves different colors. Some people like spring the best and some like the fall. They are both pretty and I like both of them. Any one of them is a good time to go "Snipe" hunting. Save your money if you can as hard times are coming. If I had a good set of natural teeth I would like to go on a high hill and get down on a log and chew a stick of sugar cane eight feet long. Wells to go.

It's A Girl!
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Branch are the proud parents of a beautiful baby girl, Charlotte Lacey, born September 11, 1988. Charlotte weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. and was 21 inches long. The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown of Colmesneil, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Branch of Woodville. Great grandparents are Mrs. Francis Raspberry of Colmesneil, Mrs. Iva Gmy of Colmesneil, Mrs. Annie Sovall of Carthage and Mrs. Ruby Branch of Bilo.

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Homemakers Meet

The Colmesneil Extension Homemakers Club will sponsor their 9th annual Christmas Craft Fair Friday and Saturday, November 4 & 5. Hours will be 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Friday and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. The fair will be held in the Community Center Building on Hwy. 69 & Hwy. 256 (just behind the City Hall).

Artisans from Southeast Texas will have for sale many useful and desirable items for your Christmas shopping list. Some items for sale will be: Antique Pictures, Frames, Handmade Dolls, Quilts, Counted Cross-Stitch, Table Linens, Potpourri, Christmas Decorations, Ceramic Pottery, Unpainted Wooden Crochet Collars, and much, much more.

The Colmesneil Extension members will have charge of the food which will be serving Chicken Gumbo Friday and Saturday and have assured us they will not run out this year. They will also serve sandwiches, cake, cookies, coffee, chocolate and tea.

We have always had a good fair and every year it gets better, come and join us for an enjoyable time. Door prizes will be given at intervals through the day and a larger one at close of the fair.

The prizes are donated by our artisans.



To Be Wed

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Ganey are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura, to Mr. Bryon Keith Young.

Evangelist Bullock To Conduct Study

Well known evangelist Dean Bullock, of Lufkin, will conduct a series of gospel studies at the Pine Street Church of Christ here, October 16-21.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat quietly in a chair. Perhaps you sent a floral piece. If so, we saw it there. Perhaps you spoke the kindest words as any friend could say. Perhaps you were not there at all, just prayed for us that day. Whatever you did, we thank you so much, wherever the part.

Special thanks to the Tyler County: Funeral Home and Directors - Rev. C. O. Hadnot, Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Family, Ben Tubb Hospital, Thank everyone so very much. What a wonderful day. God Bless you all. The family of Willial Kerry Wooten

Bullock has been engaged in evangelism for more than 40 years, having undertaken local works in Houston, Bay City, Beaumont, West Columbia, Sinton, Bargar, Lufkin, Nacogdoches, and Lindale. As well, Bullock has been regularly engaged for special study series such as the one to be conducted in Woodville. His plain-spoken approach to the study of the Bible is widely respected within communities where he has preached.

A graduate of the University of Houston, he has also undertaken studies at Stephen F. Austin State University, Abilene Christian University, Southeastern State University in Oklahoma, and the University of Houston Bates School of Law.

Bullock and his wife, Lucille, currently reside in Lufkin where he is preaching for the Fourth & Crossbeck St. Church of Christ when he is not involved in gospel meetings.

Public Notice
The Commissioners Court of Tyler County adopted policy and a fee schedule for COUNTY WASTED DISPOSAL sites on September 12, 1988, to become effective October 15, 1988, as follows:
• Precinct disposal sites will be open only Wednesday through Sunday from 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. with exception of sanitary landfill located South of US 190 East of Woodville.
• Household garbage \$1.00 per month, 6 and 12 months permits issued only.
• Pick-up truck load other than household garbage (i.e., stumps and limbs) \$5.00 per load.
• Commercial haulers \$6.00 per cubic yard.
Permits may be obtained at the County Treasurer's office, 100 Courthouse, Woodville, Texas 75797-2853062.

WOMEN'S READING CLUB

The Women's Reading Club of Woodville, Texas met October 4, 1988 in the home of Mrs. Judy Brown. Mrs. Earline Allison was co-hostess.

President Mrs. Carl Phillips, presided over the business meeting. Fifteen members attended and one guest, Mrs. Tina Lamb. Mrs. Leslie Dubey of the National Park Service presented a talk and slide show on wildflowers in the Big Thicket.

Volunteers will meet at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, October 15, for the highway clean-up.

Danny Self
Write In Candidate
Constable Pct. 1
I would like to ask the citizen's of Pct. 1 that supported me in the March Primary to support me in the Nov. 8 election. And also give the voters that couldn't vote in March a chance in Nov. 8. I'm a licensed Peace officer as well as licensed County jailer in the state of Texas. I'm asking each of you to write my name on your ballot where it says Constable Pct. 1. If elected your Constable I'll be there if needed 24 hours a day. Thank you, Danny Self

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Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barker of Warren will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with reception from 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday, October 15 at their home.

Hosts for the event will be their children, Mr. and Mrs. Murlin Barker of San Gabriel, California and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Findley of Damman, Saudi Arabia.

The couple was married on October 15, 1938 in El Dorado, Kansas. They have two children, three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

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Bulldog Growls

BY SHILLEY BARROW
BETA BETA BETA

The Colmesneil Bulldogs started their District game off with a terrible loss. The final score against Apple Springs was 24-0. They may have lost the battle but they put up a good fight. This Friday the Bulldogs will travel to meet their rival team, the Choate Yellowjackets. Gametime is at 7:30 p.m. Come and show some Bulldog spirit!

The Homecoming activities Friday went very well. There was a pregame show to recognize the coaches and players of 1959-60. They were presented with a red and white Bulldog cap. The band then played "Cut-Time-Strut", which was their fight song.

Jacket Jive

BY JANA MARTIN
The 1987-88 Annulars are in! The cost for each annual is \$15.00. Anyone interested in purchasing an annual should come to the school and contact Debbie Gilchrist.

There will be a car wash in the Chester School parking lot Saturday, October 15, 1988. This car wash will be sponsored by the annual staff. There will be a charge of \$5.00 for cars, \$7.00 for trucks, and \$10.00 for vans and subtrucks. The car wash will start at 8:00 a.m. and last till people stop coming.

The record for the most gold medals for Olympic swimming is held by American Mark Spitz. He won a record seven in 1972 as well as two in 1976 and one of these, eight were won in record time. He also holds a silver and a bronze from 1968.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Woodville High School Regional Band

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DEALING WITH THE DIABETIC DIET

Registration is now being accepted for the "Dealing with the Diabetic Diet" mailout series which begins October 17, 1988. The free series consists of four lessons designed to help those persons on a sugar restricted diet to do meal planning successfully. The series includes the importance of the diet in the treatment of diabetes; the use of the food exchange lists; the use of convenience foods; and reading and interpreting nutritional labels; how much to eat and the use of ingredients; and how to calculate food exchanges as well as choosing foods at a restaurant to meet your own meal pattern. To sign up for the series, contact the Diabetic Diet Center at 283-2482 or stop by the office at 100 Courthouse Square, Houston, Texas. Call for more information and phone number.

Woodville High School Regional Band

On Saturday, October 15, the Woodville Band traveled to the LCMC Gymnasium to participate in the District X, UIL Marching Contest. They returned home with a trophy and a first division rating from each of the three UIL judges.

Along with a marching band contest the UIL held a writing contest which was held at the same time at the LCMC Gymnasium. Four Woodville students earned first divisions in their writing contests. Those students were: Amber Brister, Sharon McAllister, Jill McClure, and Susan Parker.

The band's musical selections included "Governor Johnson's March," "My Baby, Time of My Life," and "In the Still of the Night." The musical arrangements were written by Oliver Barclay, a junior in the band.

Kelly Rickel Receives Texas Exes Scholarship

Kelly Rickel of Colmesneil received the Tyler County Texas Exes Scholarship check this fall from the Exes Students Association at the University of Texas in Austin.

University President William Cunningham and Association President Mike Cook of Austin presented checks totaling \$149,750 from 71 Texas Exes Clubs to 183 entering freshmen and transfer students at the scholarship dinner on September 6.

For information about Tyler County Texas Exes Club scholarships, call 1989-90, contact Joella Knapp at 283-7585 or 283-5310.

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- In 180 words or less, Tell why your candidate should be named "King" or "Queen" of the "Old Old" Days! They must be at least 55 years of age or older, among the people whom in one way or another has helped to build Tyler County. This contest will be crowned on 10/15/88, 7:00 p.m. at the OPERA HOUSE.
- OCT. 22nd - SAT. BLUEGRASS! (Everybody, Come On Out!)
- OCT. 29th - 1st Annual MASQUERADE BALL! BUFFET! ENTERTAINMENT! DANCE! 11:00 - 1:00 CASH PRIZES - COSTUMES
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Orangefield 12, Woodville 7

The Woodville Eagles lost their first district game at Orangefield Friday night by a score of 12-7. Orangefield shut down the Eagle offense in the first half and managed to score all of their points in the first half; they made two touchdowns but missed the extra point for each. Orangefield made lots of yards in the game on a well balanced attack but the Woodville defense rose up when they had to stand them out in the second half.

The Eagle offense got started early in the fourth quarter and drove about 50 yards for their only TD. Quarterback Chip Scroggins ran it over from three yard line. Chip also kicked the extra point to make the score 12-7 for Orangefield. Woodville managed to keep pressure on the Bobcats all of the second half and started another good drive late in the 4th quarter. They started on the Orangefield 48 and picked up two first downs and had a first and 10 on the 20 yard line. Then disaster hit their offense and Orangefield covered it with about three minutes left in the game. It looked like Woodville

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Apple Springs 24, Bulldogs 0

Colmesneil played Apple Springs in their homecoming game Saturday night and were defeated 24-0. Apple Springs scored once in the first and second quarter and twice in the third period but missed all of their extra points. Their first TD came after Colmesneil fumbled the ball on a first attempt and A.S. faked a punt and ran for a first down. They drove to the Colmesneil 10. Colmesneil pushed them back to the 15 and on the 4th and 15 they hit a pass for the score for a 6-0 lead. Their second TD came as a result of a fumble. Colmesneil fumbled a punt on their 30 and A.S. took over. They completed two passes down to the 10 and ran it over for a 12-0 lead in the third period, the first one came on a 10 yard drive after another Bulldog fumble. The final score came after an 85 yard drive in the quarter.

Eagle J.V. 20, Orangefield 8

Woodville JV Orangefield defeated Orangefield Thursday night 20-8. Woodville scored first on a TD by Tyrone White of 15 yds. The score was set up by a 40 yard pass from Gary Johnson to Roderick Hadnot. The 2nd TD came on a one yard run by Tyrone White & was set up by Jacob Mitchell's pass interference. The last TD was a

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Freshmen Win

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A Good Squirrel Hunt

A fellow told me an interesting squirrel story. On the way into Chester one squirrel hunting and one of them killed his 5 squirrel limit in an hour or so. He had only one squirrel. The successful hunter went back to hunting to help his partner now we are in touch if the game warden stops us. The reply was: what do you mean squirrel, I only shot 5. He then said you should never have hunted anymore after you killed your 5. There is a lesson to be learned here. Don't help a hunter that doesn't need help. This same thing could happen to fishermen so be sure you know your partner real well.

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The Warren Warriors went to Corrigan Friday night and the Bulldogs did the scolding. Corrigan won the game 61-0. This happened at home when they played Corrigan at home or away.

Woodville Volleyball

District competition began last Tuesday and both Woodville teams started off with a win over Newton. The JV Eagles took the match 15-6, 9-15 & 15-7. Rashay Poncho leading server for Woodville, earned 7 points and Tiffany Releford pro-Audrey Williams--and vided good on-court leadership.

Warren Exes In J.C. Band

CARTHAGE - Three Warren students are members of the Panola Junior College Concert Band this year. Cliff Haygood plays trombone; Kimberly May plays clarinet; and, Rodger Duke plays tuba.

According to Band Director Pete Kunkel, the band boasts 48 members this year. "We are very proud to have these Warren bandmen in the band this year," he said. "With their help you will see an improvement in the band's appearance."

TOP Good gains: Damon Odom #40 of Warren played well against Corrigan. Other Warriors are Mitchell Ard #60 and Shawn Culp #53.

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A Good Squirrel Hunt

A fellow told me an interesting squirrel story. On the way into Chester one squirrel hunting and one of them killed his 5 squirrel limit in an hour or so. He had only one squirrel. The successful hunter went back to hunting to help his partner now we are in touch if the game warden stops us. The reply was: what do you mean squirrel, I only shot 5. He then said you should never have hunted anymore after you killed your 5. There is a lesson to be learned here. Don't help a hunter that doesn't need help. This same thing could happen to fishermen so be sure you know your partner real well.

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OBITUARIES

WILLIAM KERRY WOOTEN
 William Kerry Wooten, born February 23, 1963, passed away Sunday, September 25, 1988. Interment was in Mt. Zion Cemetery under the direction of Coleman Tyler County Funeral Home. He was the son of the late, Jessie James Wooten and Diana (Rigby) Wooten of Colmannel, Texas. He later moved to Woodville, Texas and graduated from Kirby High School in May of 1983. He attended the American Truck Driving School in Texas, Texas and graduated in May of 1988. He was employed by Leeco Trucking Company.

He leaves to mourn his passing: two daughters, Chanda (Moms) and Torian; four brothers, James, Johnny, Osis and Edward; Wooten four sisters, Barbara Lacy, Brenda Williams, Jeanie Harrison and Vario Williams, all of Woodville, Texas and a host of other relatives and friends. Pallbearers were: Classmates and friends and honorary pallbearers were: neighbors and friends. Burial will be in Colmannel, Texas, under the direction of Coleman Tyler County Funeral Home. He was employed by Leeco Trucking Company.

MARY JUANITA READ
 Mary Juanita Read, 68, of Ivanhoe passed away October 5 at Harman Hospital in Houston. Funeral service was held at 2 p.m., October 7 in the Chapel of the Riley Funeral Home in Woodville with Rev. R.C. Tilley officiating. Burial was in Fellowship Cemetery in Warren. She was born November 7, 1918 in Kansas, and had lived in Colmannel, Texas and Woodville 21 years ago. She was a member of Assembly of God Church. Survivors include her husband, Harold Read of Ivanhoe; a daughter, Mona Lou Henderson of Baytown; a brother, Robert Wolner of Nederland; and son-in-law, Dudley Henderson; and two grandchildren, Keith Henderson and Treva Henderson, all of Baytown.

MITTIE BEST HATTON
 Funeral for Mittie Best Hatton, 88, of Woodville was held at 2 p.m., October 8 at First Baptist Church in Woodville with Dr. Raymond Parker officiating. Interment followed in Mt. Pisgah Cemetery under the direction of Riley Funeral Home in Woodville. She was born July 1, 1900 in Woodville and passed away October 5, 1988 at Woodville. She was preceded in death by her daughter, Edith Hatton Goolsbee. Survivors include three sons, Ralph Hatton of Beaumont, E.C. Hatton of Vacaville, Calif. and James R. Hatton of McAlester; two daughters, Maggie (Shali) or Citrus Heights, Calif., and Janie Kay of Danbury, Conn.; two brothers, Richard G. Best of Woodville and J. Ois Best of Katy; a sister, Ninnie Dupuis of Bridge City; thirteen grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. Serving as pallbearers were: J.R. Dupuis, Arthur Lee Best, Benford A. Best, French Earl Best, Robert Gene Best and Jack G. Best.

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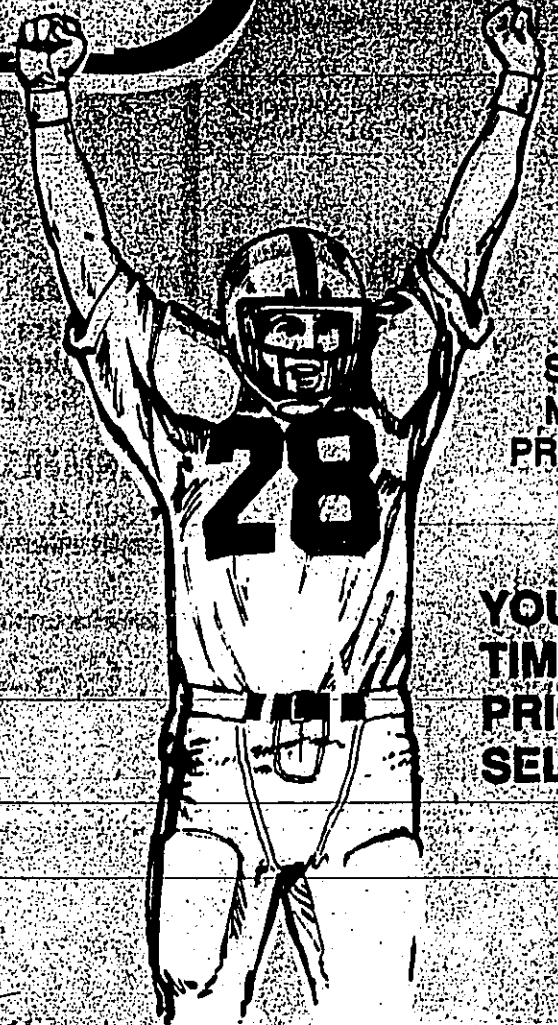
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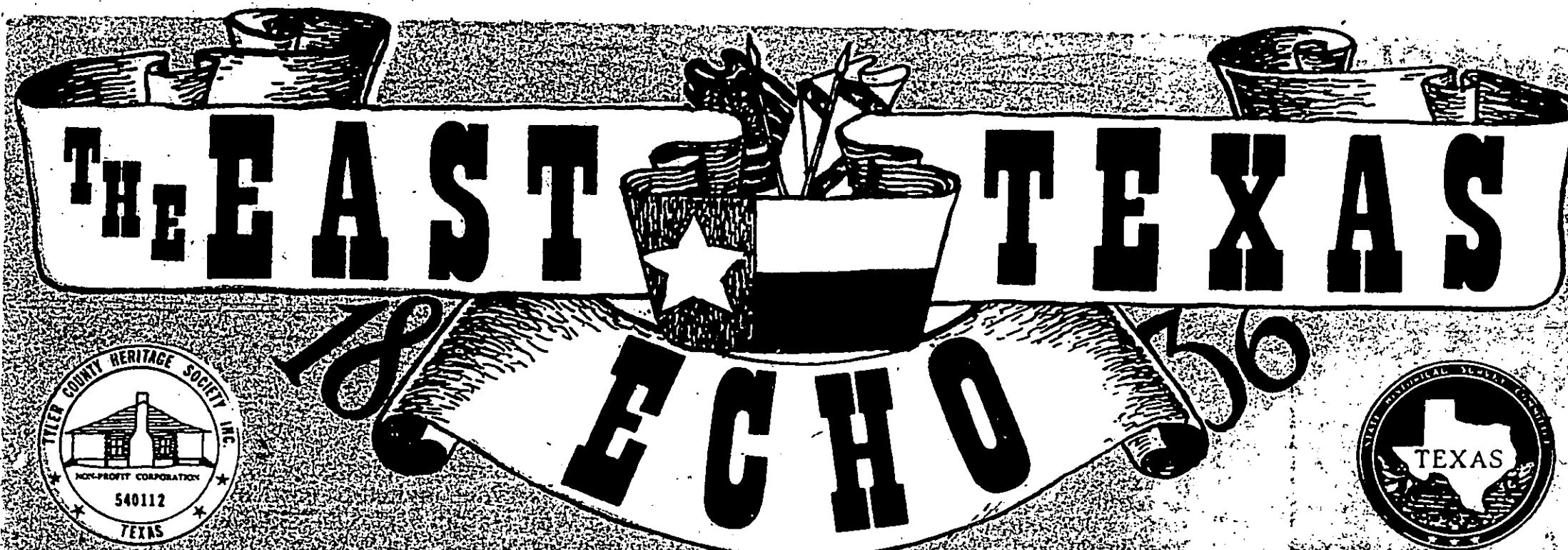
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Dinner Bell Factory Is Grandpop-Lad Affair

Heritage Village's famous "Texas Dinner Bells" are now ready to ship in their colorful new Texas style packaging, but the bells themselves haven't changed a bit. They're still one of the most important exports of Tyler County, thanks to Paul Walker and his grandson, Lee Phipps, who took over the Dinner Bell Factory at The Village this past summer.

A fourth generation Tyler Countian, who has spent his entire adult life here with the exception of four years military service, Paul retired from Civil Service more than a decade ago after 26 years as a rural mail carrier. This followed a varied work life that included strip mining at Rockland, logging camps, sawmills, rough necking for J. S. "Dry Hole" Bonham and cowboy-ing for W. H. Gilchrist, who owned one of the last large ranches in the county, stretching from Billums Creek to the Neches River on the North.

It was Gilchrist, he remembers, who got him started carrying the American flag in the Dogwood Parade, back when there was only the one parade. For many years, after the second parade was added, he carried the flag in both. Now, he is only involved with the Western Weekend Parade, which he helped start, and which brings trail riders from every direction into Woodville on the last Saturday of March each year. And you can count on Paul to be out front, just as he has been for the past 40 years.

During World War II, Paul Walker served with the 20th Air Force as a scanner aboard a B-29, based at Guam, which flew above other aircraft, using the first accurate radar for bombing runs.

When Paul retired from the Post Office, it wasn't to sit and do nothing. It was to devote more time to his two most ardent interests: boating and history, and the latter came naturally.

Paul's great grandfather, Dr. J. G. Pickering of Rockland, who made and marketed the famous Karankawa Liniment that was supposed to cure just about anything, was among a group formed in Jasper County during the Runaway Scrape in 1836. After going North to secure Nacogdoches for the Texans, the group headed South to give Sam Houston a hand at San Jacinto, only to miss out on the actual bat-



tle, because of the burning of the Lynchburg Ferry. They did manage to make it across the swollen rivers in time, however, to witness the capture of Santa Ana, who was prevented from escaping by that same burning.

An active member of the Tyler County Heritage Society since its inception, Paul was an early supporter of Clyde Gray and his efforts to preserve Tyler County history and he spent a lot

of his time digging up interesting bits of history for him.

Most of his stories were true, of course, but he couldn't help pulling Gray's leg a bit, when he found an old turning plow imbedded in a sweet gum stump. Naturally, the tree had just grown around the abandoned plow. After blocking it off with a saw, however, Paul hauled it in to Gray with a tale of how the harness broke, when

he was plowing new ground as a boy, and how the plow just "plowed-right into that old tree."

Since the Heritage Society purchased the Village a year ago, Paul has continued to be on call for any job that needed doing. And, when he found that the Texas Dinner Bell project needed help, he offered his services as a

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Good Ol Days, Craft Fair, Planned For Nov. 6

Tyler County will be full of the kind of good old fashion fun, fantasy, food and foolishness no one will want to miss on the weekend of November 4-6.

Colmesneil Craft Fair

It all begins at 9 a.m. on Friday the 4th, when the Colmesneil Extension Homemakers Club will kick off their 9th annual Christmas Craft Fair in the Community Center Building on Highways 69 & 256.

Members of the Colmesneil Eastern Star will also be serving up their fine Chicken Gumbo and other tasty treats during The Fair, which will continue through Saturday.

On The Square

Woodville activities get under way at 6 p.m. on that same Friday with an old fashion box supper auction and sing-a-long and the crowning of the Gold Ol' Days King and Queen at the Wood Fain Opera House, located just behind the Court House on Wheat Street.

Come Saturday, the Court House Square will be alive with open air entertainment, old time games and races and a raft of arts and crafts booths, while inside the Opera House, four Tyler County High School Drama Clubs will present one-act melodramas, beginning with Warren at 11 a.m., followed by Spurger at 1 p.m., Colmesneil at 2 p.m. and Woodville at 3:30 p.m.

Then at 7 p.m., two "uniquely Tyler County" events will take place On The Square: an "everyone-join-in" Josey Party, featuring the LaLinda Dance Troupe, and a Taffy Pull. Now, what could be more fun than that?

Living Village And More

Meanwhile, at Heritage Village Museum, Marjorie Schultz has lined up a full day of crafts demonstrations, music and food that should surely bring back the feeling of the Good Ol' Days.

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way of helping the Village and giving his 11 year old grandson a useful and profitable job during his summer vacation.

Both Paul and Lee have learned a lot, as they cut the 1/4" steel rods, clean and buff them, then shape them into triangle and clapper before painting the finished product that is sold in the Museum Store and by mail order all over the country. They've also learned much about the machinery they use, how to maintain it and fix it.

Last year, Paul combined his interest in history with his love of boating as a volunteer aboard the Elissa. After nine weeks of arduous training on every



While the Tyler County Junior Historians replay their colorful roles as residents and shopkeepers, visitors will be able to see how cedar shingles are split, as demonstrated by woodsman Neal Wright. Verly Wagner will be in from Winedale to show how you pluck a goose, Judith Haney will be on hand to demonstrate her primitive pottery making, and Stephen F. Austin Math professors Pat Barton and Bill Clark will demonstrate pioneer woodcrafting and fish net weaving.

The second session of the Blacksmith School, under the auspices of the new East Texas Blacksmiths Alliance, will be in session for all to see. John Hever will serve up the "world's finest handmade tamales", and Dr. Booster Stevens and Tooter Haynes will offer samples of their famous chuckwagon cooking.

And, if that's not enough, two new musical groups will give their debut performances at Heritage Village that day: The Village Barbershop Quartet, under the direction of Brother C. W. Haynes, Tyler County's premier barber, preacher, singer and band director, and the Heritage Village Band, directed by John Hudgens.

Then On Sunday

Bring a covered dish to share and your own chairs, and the Good Ol' Days folks will furnish the utensils.

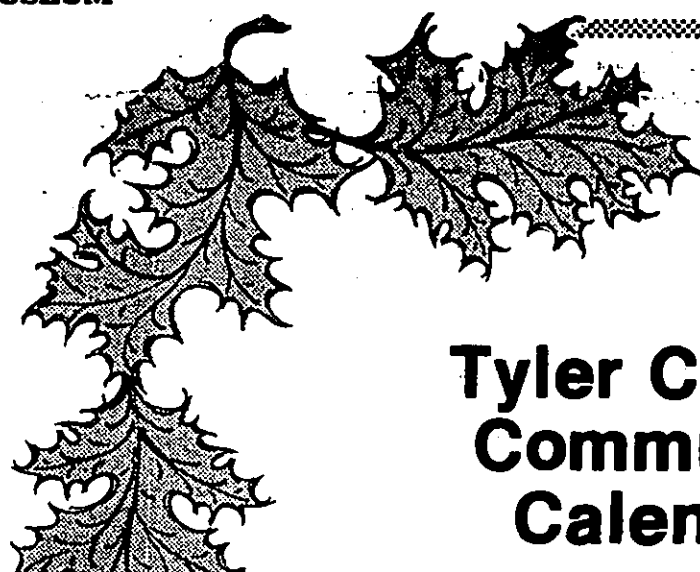
But come early, because the Old Time Gospel Music starts at 9:30 with The Brotherhood Band from Doucette, Connie Mullins of Beaumont and The Tolars of Galveston entertaining on the open air stage.

There'll be guest speakers, potluck dinner on the grounds, Puppeteers, and Arts & Crafts Booth throughout the day. What better way to get the Holiday Season off to a good start.

So, plan now to come to Tyler County the weekend of November 4, 5 and 6 and join in on the Good Ol' Days Fun of Fall Festival. We'll be looking for you.

thing and every job aboard the historic ship. Paul was one of those selected to sail the ship from Galveston to Beaumont for Beaumont's Sesquicentennial last Fall. It's an experience he'll never forget.

But then, Paul likes to experience new things. Right now, he's looking forward to his first trip aboard the Goodyear Blimp next Spring. It's just something he's always wanted to do, he said, like the time he took Lee on a helicopter ride, when he was only five years old. They flew out to an oil rig, had lunch and came back, and Lee, who thinks the world and all of his grandfather, asked "why don't you fly it back, Poppy?" Given a little more time, Paul probably would have.



Tyler County Community Calendar

October 14, 1988:

Warren Homecoming. Parade in downtown Warren at 7:30 a.m. with everyone invited to participate. Football game against West Hardin begins at 7:30 p.m. with additional ceremonies planned. In Warren, off FM1943 east of U.S. 69 one mile.

October 15, 1988:

Spaghetti Supper at Our Lady of the Pines Catholic Church on U.S. 287 in Woodville. 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., 5:30-8:30 p.m. Adults \$4; kids \$2.

Vintage Variety Show and Auction, 7 p.m., Wood Fain Opera House on the square in Woodville. Benefits the Good Ol Days Foundation and Heritage Village Museum.

October 20, 1988:

Free movie: Julia Childs, at Allan Shivers Library, 302 N. Charlton, Woodville.

October 29, 1988:

Chester PTO Halloween Carnival in Chester. Turn north on FM1755 from U.S.287. Begins at 5 p.m.

Blacksmith Workshop, Heritage Village Museum. First of two sessions, at the Village, U.S. 190 one mile west of Woodville.

October 30, 1988:

Last Sunday at the Village: A Family Halloween Party featuring traditional Halloween events and costumes. Come in costume, get in free. 1-5 p.m.

November 4, 1988:

Colmesneil Craft Fair and Chicken Gumbo Luncheon, at the Community Center in Colmesneil on FM 256 west of U.S.69. Begins at 9 a.m.

Good Old Days on the Square in Woodville: 6 p.m.: Old Fashioned Box Supper auction, sing-a-long, crowning of king and queen.

Woodville High School Homecoming Game against Kountze, 7:30 p.m. Crowning of queen before the game at 7 p.m.

November 5, 1988:

Good Ol Days on the Square: 11 a.m. first of four one-act melodramas at Wood Fain Opera House, presented by area high schools. Crafts Fair all day. 7 p.m.: Josey Party and Taffy Pull.

Living Village: Junior Historians will be in costume at Heritage Village, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Fall Festival crafts show, tamales, chuckwagon fare, Barbersho Quartet, Heritage Village Band debuts.

Spaghetti Dinner benefitting Fred Community Park at Fred Elementary School, FM 92 south. 1-6 p.m. \$3.

Colmesneil Craft Fair continues through 5 p.m.

November 6, 1988:

Old Time Gospel starts at 9:30 on the Square in Woodville. Arts and Crafts, covered dish luncheon.

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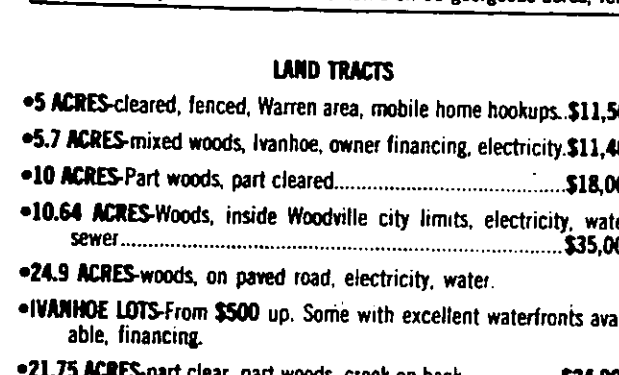
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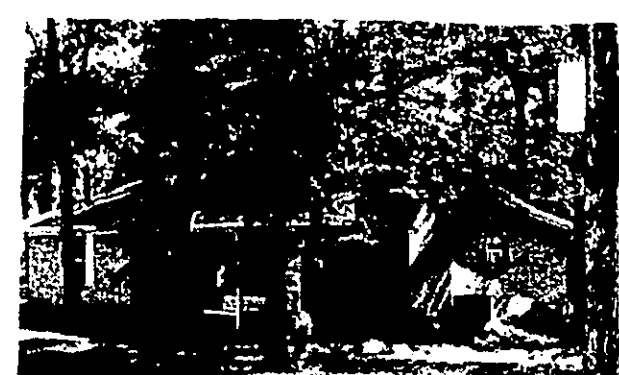
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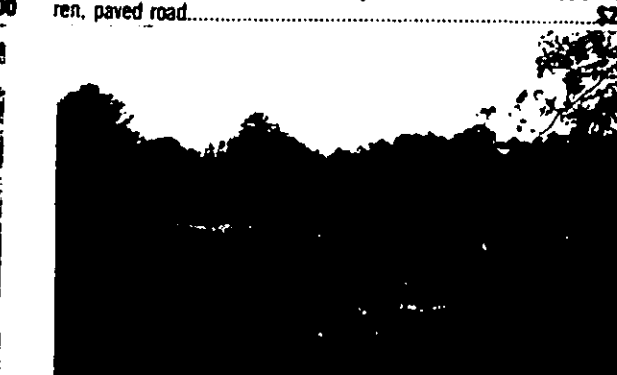
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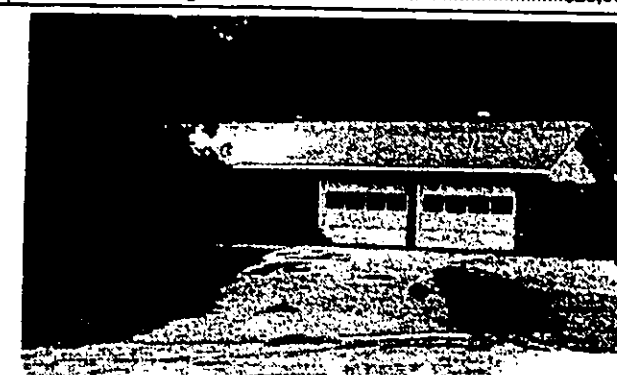
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Odomville: Pleasant Odom Founds Local Mormon Community

"Uncle Plez, don't shoot." The voice came plaintively through the Virginia underbrush, as the sentry, whose regiment was protecting General Lee's withdrawal from Richmond, stood watch with orders to shoot anyone trying to desert to Northern lines.

"I'm hungry," the voice continued. "I want to surrender and get something to eat."

Pleasant Odom of Chatahoochee County, Georgia, knew his duty. He also knew that the Confederate Army was in dire straits, tired, dirty and hungry. And, because he recognized the voice as one of his own, he let the man pass unharmful, an act of mercy that led to his own court marshal and sentencing of death before the firing squad.

Odom was told, however, that since it was his relative he let pass and the war was nearly over, he would be given an opportunity to save his own life.

And Odom succeeded in doing just that by placing his blankets in his frying pan and the pan over his heart. The bullet penetrated the blankets and made an indentation in the pan, which in turn made an indentation in the flesh, but the skin was not broken. Pleasant Odom was saved to call his story over and over again to his grandchildren, letting them place a finger in the crease over his heart, and to found the community of Odomville in Tyler County.

At the time, Pleasant Odom was already a man of 43 years, a farmer

with a family and a goodly amount of property. Though he could neither read nor write, he prospered, and in 1875 moved his family to Alabama, where he first learned about the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

It was in 1885, when he was approached by two missionaries while he was out plowing his field. After learning that the men traveled at their own expense and asked for no donations, Odom invited them to come to his home, where a friendship blossomed and led to a visit from one John S. Bramwell from Ogden, Utah. A copy of his journal is in the Odom Family history file.

When Odom was confronted with certain prejudices after affiliating with the Church, he and some other members of his family emigrated first to Colorado, where they found themselves up against some of the same prejudices as well as a lack of work or land to buy.

And so, Pleasant Odom and his family made one last move, in 1891, to Tyler County, where he homesteaded 200 acres near Town Bluff and founded a community that is still known today as Odomville, off FM 2992 between FM 1746 and FM 1013.

Soon all members of his immediate family joined him, and although all records of membership in the Mormon Church were lost and he was unable to write or communicate with anyone, Odom organized the Alma Sunday School in Odomville, teaching the doc-

trines he believed in from memory until the Church found his community in 1901 and built the first Mormon Church in Tyler County. The structure, now in ruins, has been replaced by two beautiful new churches, one in Woodville, where 61 per cent of the members are Odom descendants, and another in Fred.

And, as if history were repeating itself, two retired Mormon missionary couples are residing temporarily in Tyler County. They are Elder and Sister Vandevere in Woodville and Elder and Sister Barrus in Spurger, not just spreading the word but being good neighbors to all whom they meet.

Pleasant Odom is buried in Antioch Cemetery, where a grave marker provided by the United States War Department, in recognition of his services in the Confederate Army, was erected by his son, William Henry Odom, in 1942. Family members believe it to be the only marker of his kind in the county.

The history of the Odom family, including a 500 page computer printout of Odom descendants dating back to 1822, when Pleasant Odom was born in Jones County, Georgia, has been compiled by his great grandson, Cecil E. Tucker, of Ogden, Utah, who visited Tyler County recently to attend the Odom family reunion. Tucker, whose cousin Kenneth Odom lives on the old home place in Odomville, surrounded by relatives, has become the family historian, spending his retirement years researching the family history and putting it all in his com-

puter. While in Woodville, staying with his brother, Elbert, Tucker donated a copy of this research to Heritage Village, the first of its kind for the Museum's Genealogical Library. The only other libraries to receive this important record are those of Brigham Young University, the famed genealogical research center in Salt Lake City, and the Church of Latter Day Saints in Woodville. Heritage Village is in very good company, indeed.

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At The Village



By Dottie Johnson

The Tyler County Heritage Society and all of Tyler County lost a good friend and a wonderful lady with the passing of Vivian Cruse Jordan, 84, on Sept. 28.

Miss Vivian, as she was known by her host of friends, will long be remembered for compiling and editing the "History of the Spurger Area-1839 to 1976" as the Sequential Project of the Beach Creek Extension Homemakers Club, of which she was a long time member.

And Village Docents will always remember her visit to Heritage Village last March, when she shared her memories of the Woodville of her childhood, before she married Bruce Jordan and moved to Spurger. Mrs. Jordan also helped organize the Docent's Field Trip to the Spurger area.

A great granddaughter of Squire and Piety Cruse, who came to Tyler County in 1833, a former school teacher and Spurger Postmistress, Miss Vivian was always interested in preserving the history of all of Tyler County, and she enjoyed sharing her extensive knowledge on the subject.

At the time of her death, Miss Vivian was gathering club members to help her finish a quilt pieced by her late mother, Ada Bean Cruse. According to her niece, Mary Ella Sheffield, the group will finish the job she started in her memory.

Fair Art Winners On Display At Village

The Village's recently completed Exhibition Room has as its inaugural showing the winners of Tyler County Fair Art entries, and what a show it is.

Hats are off to the art students of Warren High School, whose professionalism is apparent not only in their work but also in the many ribbons their work was awarded at the fair with the grand champion ribbon going to Shannon Haynes.

Elementary and Middle School winning entries are also on display. If you didn't get to the fair or missed seeing the art entered by the youth of Tyler County, you owe it to yourself to go to Heritage Village and take a look. It's well worth the trip, as you can't help but be impressed with the talents of these young people.

Presbyterians Eat and Meet At Village

The folks at Heritage Village Museum and The Pickett House put in some over-the-one recent Saturday evening, rolling out the red carpet to welcome 80 members of the Presbyterian Medical Benevolence Foundation as they ended their annual conference in Woodville. Don and Donna Crain closed The

Pickett House early to set up for the large group, and Marjorie Schultz kept the Village doors open late, creating a mini-Living Village to greet the visitors as they wandered over after dinner and strolled through the Village, aglow in the soft light of oil lamps, to the strains of "The Boston Pops Goes West."

While Village Blacksmiths Charlie Schultz and Ed Cotten fired up the forges and gave the folks a wonderful show, as they always do, Ofeira Gazaway and her daughter, Christine, were in residence at the Tolar Cabin, and Marjorie's daughter, Debbie, manned the Collier Store.

According to Marjorie, the visitors, who came from all parts of the country, were charmed by their glimpse of Tyler County history and each and every one expressed their appreciation for the efforts extended in their behalf.

Quilt & Memberships At Fair

During the recent Tyler County Fair, folks were able to see, for the first time, the completed king-size quilt that Woodville members of the Golden Triangle Quilt Guild made and donated to the Heritage Society as a fund raiser for Village restoration.

The Society wishes to thank all those who stopped by their Fair Booth and made donations for this beautiful quilt. If you haven't yet made your donation, the quilt will be on display at the Village Museum Store until it is given away the first of December.

Thanks also to guild members Thelma McGee, Irma Hickman, Pat Pistole, Bea Daniels, Lucille Tucker and Bess Davidson, who demonstrated their needlework at the Society's booth and talked with visitors about the quilt they all worked on.

The Heritage Society also wants to welcome to the fold those who took advantage of this opportunity to add their names to the membership rolls of the Tyler County Heritage Society. Thanks. We needed that.

Beam Making At Village

What we need is a good old fashion barn raising with folks coming from near and far, muscles flexing and ready to heave a pile of heavy timbers into place. What we've got is a few good men, like retired engineers Gene Tobey and Herb Fouts, who worked out the logistics of moving a century-old cantilvered log barn from one Village to another. Men like C. C. "Sonny" Hicks, who donated his time and flat bed to haul the logs, and Bob Payne, who made two trips in his truck to bring the remaining timbers from Peach Tree to Heritage



THE TYLER COUNTY HERITAGE SOCIETY BOOTH at the County Fair attracted new members and old, while members of the Golden Triangle Quilt Guild showed off some of their fancy stitchery and told people about the quilt they donated to the Society for Heritage Village restoration. Guild members pictured are, left, Pat Pistole, and right, Irma Hickman. Pictured center is Society member Joella Eason, who helped take donations toward the colorful Forty-Niner quilt shown hanging at the back of the booth.

Village entrance sign, dressing it with hand hewn and split shingles.

Thank You

The Village's Charles Mashaw, who is always looking for the materials he needs to fix up and patch up the many structures at Heritage Village, was mighty pleased with the arrival of a goodly amount of used tin, donated by Butch Herring of the East Texas Land Company. As usual, all such donations are gratefully accepted by the Heritage Society, doing business as Heritage Village Museum. Thank you, Mr. Herring. Your donation is appreciated.

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1.—**PARKING LOT** for visitors to Heritage Village & Museum Store, Pickett House and Big Woods Nature Trails.

2.—**PICKETT HOUSE:** Country Cooking served Boarding House style in the quaint atmosphere of an old time school house. Open daily March thru August from 11 am to 8 pm.

3.—**MUSEUM STORE:** Entrance to The Village is through the Village Museum Store, where you'll find a unique collection of gift items in keeping with the historical, educational and ecological themes presented in The Village.

4.—**JEWELRY SHOP:** Custom jewelry designer John Killam will demonstrate his artistry in silver, karat gold, precious and semi-precious stone to Village visitors during regular hours. He will also be open to the general public by appointment through a separate entrance from the parking lot.

5.—**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE:** In the old days, the Justice of the Peace held a very important post. His duties included assaying minerals as well as performing marriage ceremonies and handing out punishment to criminals. The JP office is housed in a building, donated by the Bert Hensarling family of Woodville, which once stood behind the old Raney Hotel, serving at various times as a drummer's showroom and a hotel laundry.

6.—**BAND STAND:** This is a miniature copy of the old band stand that once graced the square of almost every small town. Here, townspeople gathered on a summer's evening to hear the local band perform or a politician test his oratorical skills. Next to the bandstand is Woodville's first piece of fire-fighting equipment, donated by the Woodville Volunteer Fire Department. It was chemical in action and pulled by the fire fighters themselves.

7.—**PAWN SHOP.** The old-time mechanical money banks in the window only hint at the artifacts within. On the right is a wagon pantry, the forerunner of the Chuck Wagon, which has spaces for flour, sugar, salt, coffee, just about everything a family needed moving West. The stage coach money box and old-time hard-hat diving equipment are among the hundreds of interesting objects in the shop.

8.—**TEXAS DINNER BELLS:** In the old days, a blacksmith might not have been able to cast a bell, but he could always forge a triangle. Consequently, the triangle rang out across pioneer lands both as an alarm and as a "Come and get it" at chow time. Once again, these reminders of a past era are being made and sold at Heritage Village. They are also being wholesaled to other tourist attractions throughout the state.

9.—**POST OFFICE:** Willie Reinhardt was the last postmaster of this authentic Post Office, which was moved from Pluck, Texas, once located off Hwy. 287 near Corrigan. Of special interest is the Spencerian script on the wall, a common style of writing in the old days, using a split-nib pen, that is impossible to duplicate with today's ball point pen.

10.—**BARBER SHOP:** If you had stopped in at this Barber Shop in 1888, you would have had your choice of two chairs, both of which could be laid back and revolved, but not raised and lowered. You could have enjoyed looking at the pin-up girls decorating the walls - these are originals from old Coca Cola calendars - and, if you really thought it was necessary, you could have gone a step farther than a shave and a haircut and taken a bath in the 1836 copper tub in the back room, which once belonged to a famous Jefferson, Texas, blacksmith, and was donated to the Village by Arledge Colman.

11.—**SHERIFF'S OFFICE AND JAIL:** Every town had one of these, of course, but this one was built especially for children and picture taking. You're even invited to write your name on the wall.

12.—**BLACKSMITH SHOP.** This shop, donated by the Milton Durhams of Woodville, was in use in Colmesneil, Texas, in the late 1800's. Today, it is one of the major attractions in The Village, as one of the three active Village Blacksmiths can most always be seen, working at the forge and anvil to create an array of decorative items, which can be purchased in the Museum Store. Heading the group is Charles Schultz, a third generation blacksmith with a masters degree in metallurgy. Joining him are Ed Cotten, whose entire life revolves around his work as a smithy and teacher, and Mark Hester, who shoes horses for a living and blacksmiths for the fun of it.

13.—**WAGON SHED, CANE GRINDER AND SYRUP MILL.** By the walkway behind the shed, the cane grinder and syrup mill bring back sweet memories of cane being fed into the mill, the juice being extracted, as a horse went around and around turning the grinders, then the slow process of cooking it just right to produce a delectable syrup. The Wagon Shed was a catch-all for everything from horse collars to hen's nests. The wagon, donated by the J. Wood Fains, was used for freight from Beaumont to Woodville. The buggy, donated by Allan Shivers, boasted a luggage rack and a lantern that could be carried or hung on the back.

14.—**TOLAR KITCHEN:** Built by Robert Tolar as his first home in Tyler County in 1866 and donated by his ancestors, the Tolar Kitchen is the only structure in The Village to be awarded

the medallion by the Texas Historical Commission. Except for the chimney, the kitchen was moved intact from Hillister, where the Tolar family used the kitchen into the 1950's, providing sumptuous meals, prepared over the open fire, for any traveler who stopped along the old road from Woodville to Beaumont. The bedroom, featuring an antique bed with rope springs, shuck

mattress and feather mattress, was used as a pantry after the main house was built. The quilt chest is handmade with no nails in it and, of course, every bedroom had a chamber-pot for those cold winter nights. The Smoke Room off the back porch was used to store meats and to preserve food by canning.

15.—**BIG HOUSE:** Here you'll find a variety of larger articles: washing machines such as the old hand operated 'rocker' which sloshed clothes back and forth, an antique loom with string heddles and four harnesses, set up by Catherine Morony of Woodville, a spinning wheel donated by Dr. Howell Grimes, and a complete 1886 newspaper print shop,

donated by the Garner and Watson families of Florence, Texas, where the Florence Vidette was once hand set and run on the old flat bed press.

16.—**RAILROAD STATION:** The materials for the depot came from the 1890 Hillister, Texas, Station. Most of the artifacts inside were donated by Millard F. Martin of Houston, others by C. H. Hartwell and J. A. Summers. The loop hanging on the wall held the Order Stick. When a train came through without stopping, the station manager would hold out the Order Stick so the conductor could pick up his orders without slowing down. These orders would provide information such as any work being done on the tracks before the next station, such information coming in over the 'wireless.' Any outgoing mail would also be attached to this order stick. Incoming mail was thrown onto the station platform from the moving train. The colors of the railroad lanterns on display in the Museum Shop speak for themselves, except that a red lantern also meant 'hands off,' and that car could not be touched until the lantern was removed.

17.—**Z.C. COLLIER STORE:** Much of the original materials and furnishings are included in this reconstruction of the Collier store, which was built in Town Bluff in 1863 by Zacharia Cowart Collier and catered to the needs of travelers up and down the Neches as well as to the growing number of families crossing the river into Tyler County by way of the Collier Ferry. This historic general store, which also served as post office, bank and pharmacy was rebuilt at Heritage Village by Virginia Collier Howell and her husband, Charles A. Howell, as a tribute to her grandfather, Mrs. B.C. Richardson, a member of the Barlow family who purchased the store from the Colliers, contributed many artifacts, as did David Collier of Woodville, and Joseph Barlow, who lives on the site originally occupied by the Collier home, donated timbers and bricks that were part of the original store.

18.—**COTTON GIN:** The principle of this miniature cotton gin, donated by the Jerry Tolar family of Doucette, is the same as a large one. Only the purpose is different, and at one time it was an important local industry. Cotton filled mattresses, which had become soiled and lumpy, were brought to the company, which owned this machine, to have them cleaned. The cotton would be removed, reginned to clean it and make it soft again, then covered again with new ticking. The Seed Separating Machine hanging on the wall was used to separate various sizes of grain or to cleanse corn, beans or what-have-you from dirt before sending it to market.

19.—**APOTHECARY.** Here, in an old time drugstore without the extras, only prescriptions and home remedy materials were sold. The paneling on the left was contributed by the Wood-

ville Methodist Church, and the glass for the prescription counter, from a drug store in Rockland, was donated by the late Dr. and Mrs. Kuebler of Port Arthur. The 'electric shock' machine, which was supposed to cure everything, actually was a quack remedy and did nothing at all.

20.—**DOCTOR'S OFFICE:** A tribute to the many doctors, who have contributed to the health and welfare of Tyler County residents over the past 130 years or more, this typical doctor's office is a composite collection of many, including Dr. John Shivers of Woodville and Dr. N. E. Laidacker of China. The Woodville, Medical Community, headed by Dr. Gayle Burton, is making plans to renovate this office.

21.—**CHAIR FACTORY.** Until 1964, this chair factory was in operation at Burkeville by Dallas Miller, who was not only ingenious in fabricating machinery but was considered the best chair maker in this part of the country. To be noted are the lathe on which Mr. Miller turned the chair legs, the hole puncher for his hides and the drying racks for his chair backs. The factory, which Mr. Miller built almost entirely of wood, was donated to Heritage Village by members of his family.

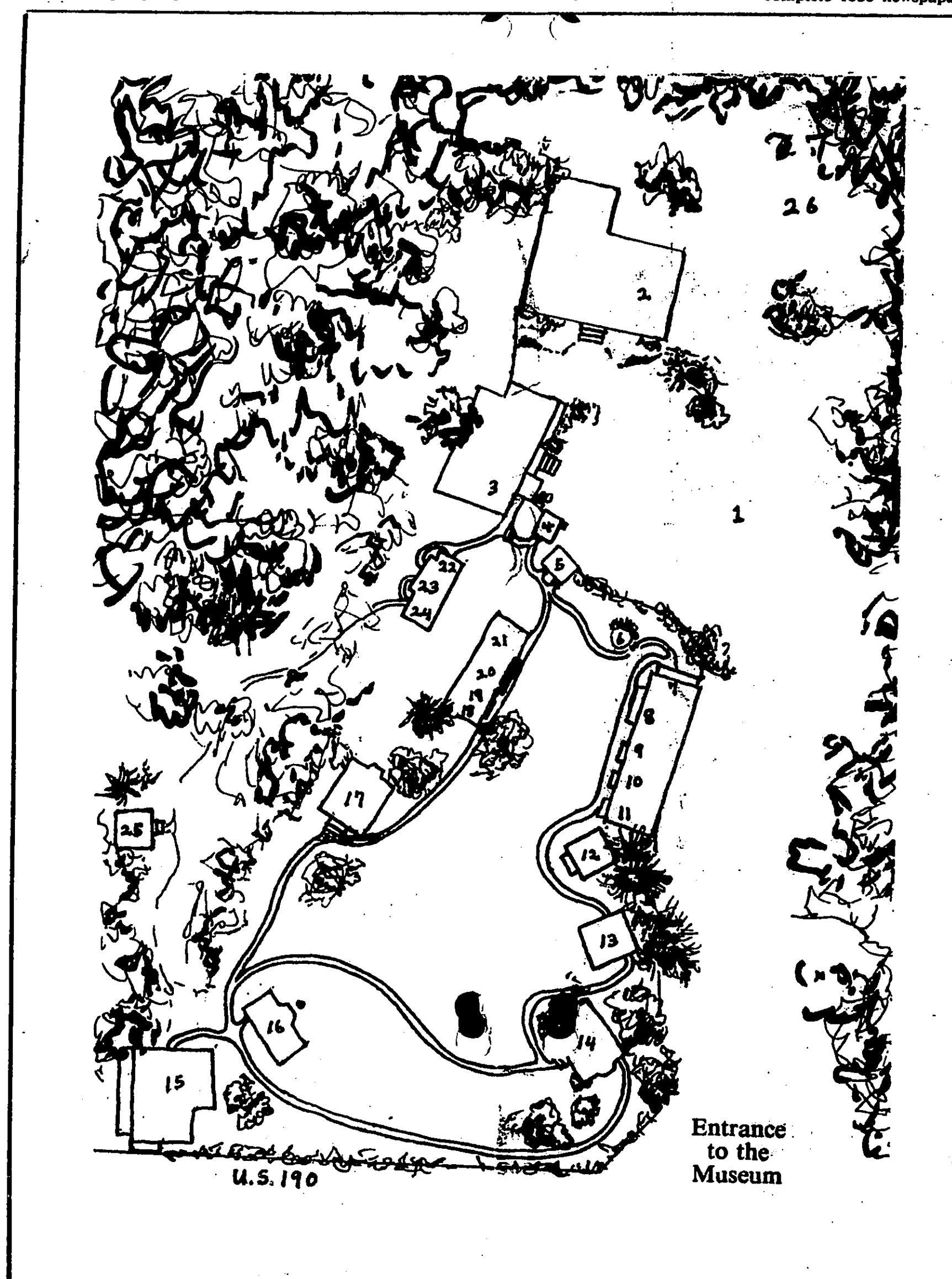
22.—**MUSIC SHOP.** Much of the musical history memorabilia to be found in this shop came from the Bubba Ross collection. Old sheet music was contributed by the Fred Bennett family. One of the very first phonographs can be seen in the window.

23.—**SEAMSTRESS SHOP.** Many a young woman, who learned to sew a fine seam at her mother's knee, found that a seamstress shop was a genteel business by which to make a living. In this collection you'll find many of the tools of the trade, including old pattern books, sewing machines and trimming materials.

24.—**LEATHER SHOP.** Whether you needed a fine leather saddle, a pair of leather boots or a pair of ladies leather shoes, you would have looked for a shop such as this. The machine used was made especially for leather, and the leather maker made use of his scraps for belts and whips and other small goods.

25.—**LITTLE RED SCHOOL HOUSE.** This is a typical one-room school, where all grades were taught by one teacher. The plantation bell outside was for calling students to class.

26.—**THE BIG WOODS:** This 11.5 acre of woods and hiking trails, recently donated by Jack and Manie Whitmeyer of Colmesneil, offers all the delights of the Big Thicket on a smaller scale to Heritage Village and Pickett House visitors.

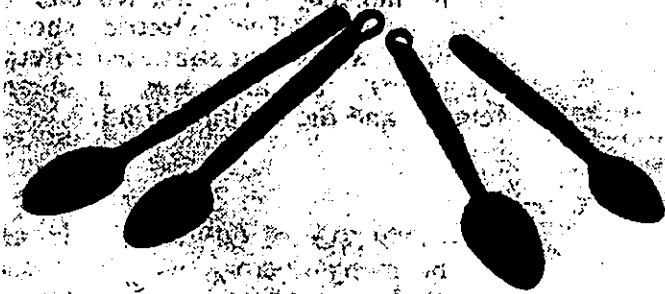


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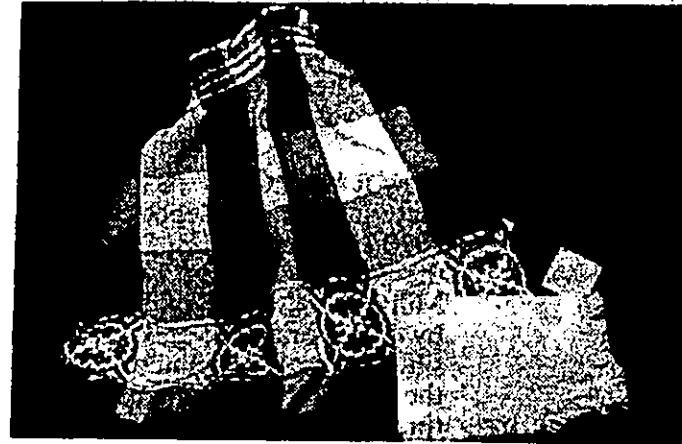
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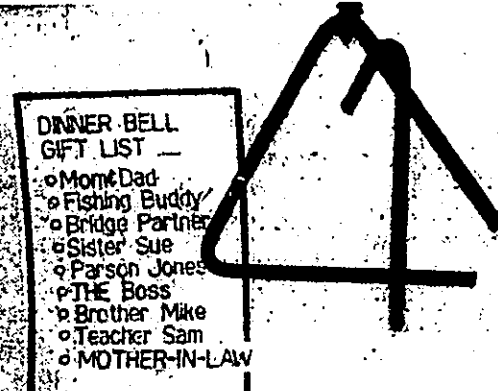
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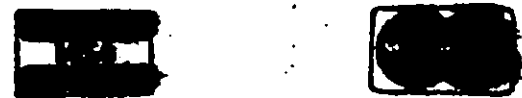
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Vintage Variety Show Set For October 15

They said they ought to do it again, so they're going to, they being Marianne and Ken Kittel, who will be staging the second annual Vintage Variety Show at the Wood Fain Opera House at 7 p.m. Saturday, October 15. So put on your bonnet and best apron, a pair of clean overalls or what-have-you (there are going to be prizes for best vintage costume) and come on out for the best darn showing of talent you'd ever expect to see.

After last year's show, which featured some of Tyler County's best over 55 talent, was so successful in helping raise money for the purchase of Heritage Village, everybody thought it should be an annual affair, so the Kittels rousted out some of the old faces, added a few new ones and now it's on with the show.

Sergio Ramos will return with his classical guitar, C. C. and Verdrue Haygood and The Melody Maids will be back with Bluegrass, Ralph Weise will be returning with his Down Home Guitar and Fran and Friends will be on hand again, doing goodness-knows-what.

Added to this year's bill will be Wilbur White with a comedic

monologue, the Char-Leston Group, Marge Elder, imitations by Ruby Risinger and more. Woody Woodrome will serve as Master of Ceremonies as well as do some comedic singing. And, KVLL will be covering the activities on remote.

Tickets are only \$6, available at the Opera House, The Image, Encore, J. B. Best and Heritage Village. So, you see, even if you don't win a prize for best costume (The County Commissioners will act as judges) you can still have a whale of a time in downtown Woodville, all on a Saturday night.

But, the talent show is only half the story. Woodville merchants have

donated a whole list of wonderful gifts that will be auctioned off by Don Stevenson and Bill Leach during intermission.

Proceeds from the show and the auction will be divided between the Good Ol' Days Foundation, dedicated to the furtherance of more good wholesome entertainment in Tyler County, and Heritage Village Museum, who started the whole thing in the first place.

So, come along and have fun. 7 p.m. Saturday, October 15, at the Wood Fain Opera House, just behind the County Court House on Wheat Street. See ya!

King, Queen To Be Named

Surely you know someone very special, someone still living and over 55, who you think should be honored for helping build Tyler County.

Well, now's your opportunity. On Friday, November 4, at the Wood Fain Opera House, a King and a

Queen will be crowned to reign over Good Ol' Days, a King and a Queen selected from your nominations.

And it's so simple. All you have to do is write, in 100 words or less, why you think your nominee should be chosen and drop it off at the Woodville Inn. Winners will be selected by the Tyler County Commissioners.

It's a great opportunity to let the world know what you know about someone special. So write your letter of nomination today.

Visit Heritage Village Museum

Rules For Teachers Circa 1872

Editor's Note: Ewell Wood dropped this off at the Heritage Society Booth at the County Fair, and everyone enjoyed reading it. So, though it has been printed before, we thought it was worth repeating.

- Teachers each day will fill lamps, clean chimneys.
- Each teacher will bring a bucket of water and a scuttle of coal for the day's session.
- Make your pens carefully. You may whittle nibs to the individual taste of the pupils.
- New teachers may take one evening each week for courting purposes or two evenings a week, if they go to church regularly.
- After ten hours in school, the teachers may spend the remaining time reading the Bible or other good books.
- Women teachers who marry or engage in unseemly conduct will be dismissed.
- Every teacher should lay aside from each pay a goodly sum of his earnings for his benefit during his declining years so that he will not become a burden on society.
- Any teacher who smokes, uses liquor in any form, frequents pool or public halls, or gets shaved in a barber shop will give good reason to suspect his worth, intention, integrity and honesty.
- The teacher who performs his labor faithfully and without fault for five years will be given an increase of twenty-five cents per week in his pay, providing the Board of Education approves.

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Halloween At The Village

If you're looking for spooks and goblins and a place to show off your Halloween costume creations, better bring the whole family to Heritage Village Museum on Sunday afternoon, October 30, and see how pioneer folks celebrated and decorated for Halloween.

The Tyler County Junior Historians will be on hand to join in on the fun for this Last Sunday At The Village party. There'll be games and refreshments and lots of surprises.

And, if you wear a costume, you can get in free.



So, come on out and spook your neighbors and have some good old fashion fun at the Family Halloween Party on Sunday, October 30, at The Village.

Colors In The Big Thicket

by Carl Nichols

We are often asked, "What is the prettiest time of year in the Woodville area?" Now that's a real hard question to answer because it's pretty to us at all times of the year.

Some prefer dogwood time with its mountains of white blooms throughout the area. Others prefer mid-spring when the bluebonnets and other wild flowers dot the roadside. Still others prefer summer when lush green foliage glistens during occasional cooling showers. But we

lean toward autumn with its "Jack Frost" colors and the sound of the wild geese high overhead southbound for the winter.

Even now there is a hint of color appearing in East Texas woodlands. It is the nyssa sylvatica (commonly called black gum) flashing its scarlet-red framed by other still green leaves. Other trees will shortly begin taking on their autumn colors, gradually increasing in number to reach a final crescendo of spectacular color during November, usually about Thanksgiving weekend.

Blacksmith Alliance Formed

Heritage Village Blacksmith Charles E. Schultz has announced the formation of the East Texas Blacksmith Alliance to promote interest in the art of blacksmithing.

Home base will be the Blacksmith Shop at Heritage Village Museum on U.S. Hwy. 190, one mile west of Woodville, in Tyler County.

All persons, interested in any form of blacksmithing, are urged to join the Village Blacksmiths in hammering out ideas and improving their skills at the anvil.

Annual dues, which include a

subscription to Heritage Village's monthly East Texas Echo, are: Full time student, \$10; Regular Member, \$15; Life Member \$150; and sponsor [Commercial] \$50.

A beginner's workshop will be held for all budding blacksmiths on Saturday, October 29, and Saturday, November 5, at the Village Blacksmith Shop.

For more information or membership application, write the East Texas Blacksmiths Alliance, Heritage Village Museum, P. O. Box 888, Woodville, Texas 75979, or call [409] 283-2272.

BLACKSMITH WORKSHOP

BEGINNERS

To be held from 1 to 5 p.m. on Saturday, October 29, and Saturday, November 5, at Heritage Village Museum. Cost of \$30, prepaid or \$35, at the gate covers both sessions.

The course will consist of lecture and demonstrations of the fundamentals of blacksmithing on October 29. This is a very important part of the course, because it explains and shows the uses of tools and demonstrates eight basics of blacksmithing.

The second segment consists of practical work on the forge. Each student will make a hot punch, hot chisel and a set of tongs of his own.

Forges, tools and iron will be supplied for the students' use.

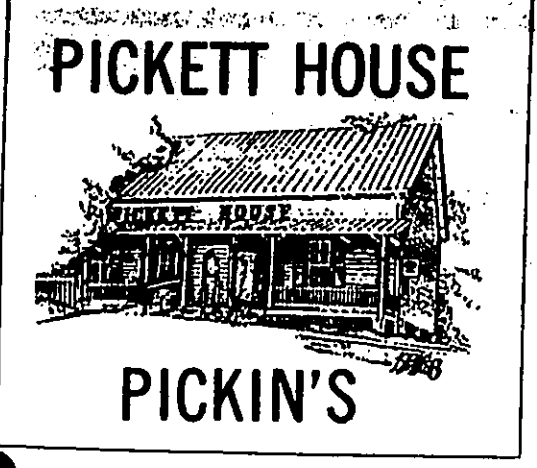
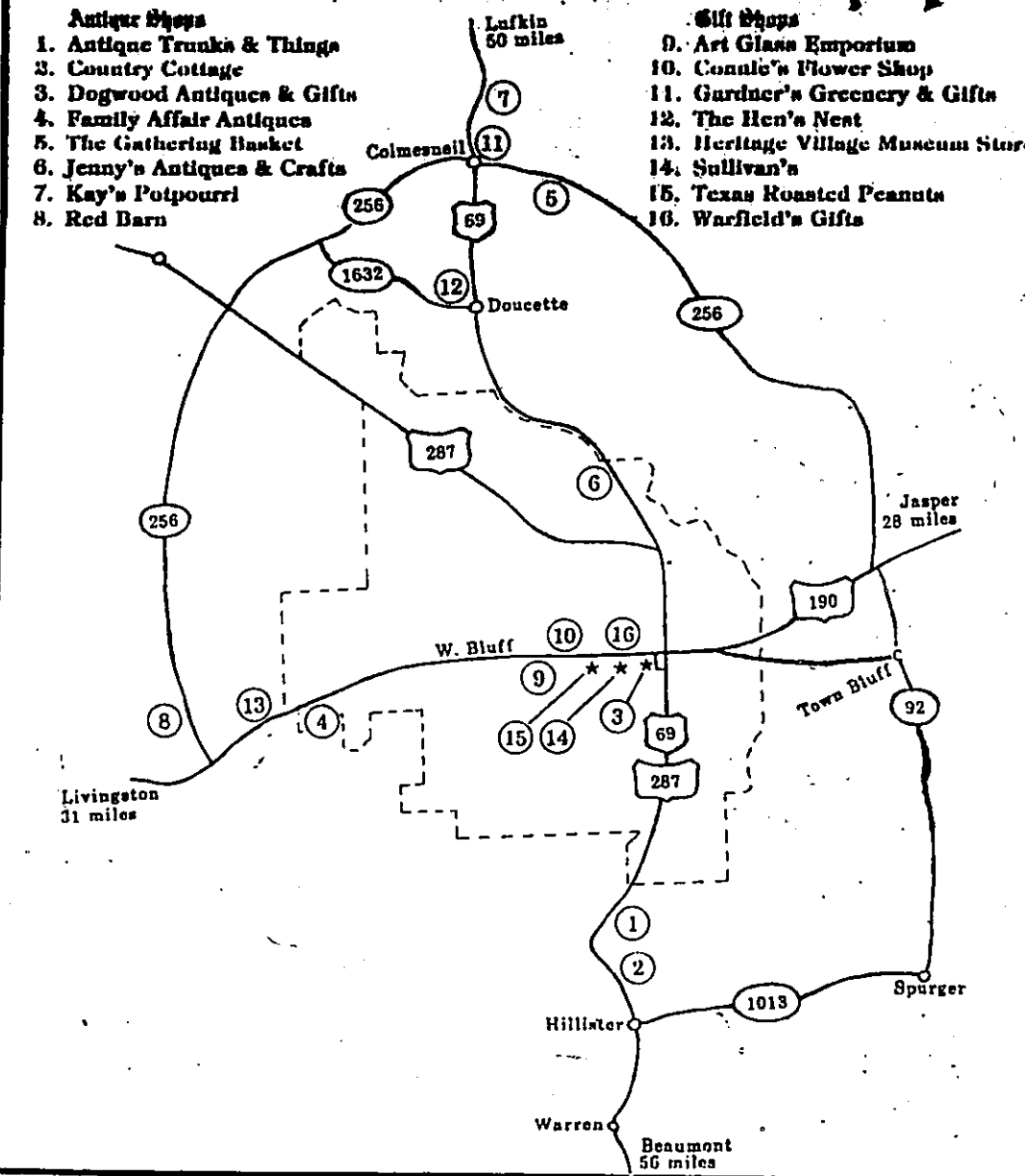
You must be at least 18 years old to attend.

Advanced classes will be offered, based upon demand.

Heritage Village Museum is located one mile West of Woodville on U.S. Hwy. 190, P.O. Box 888, Woodville, Texas 75979. Phone [409] 283-2272.

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PICKETT HOUSE
By Donna Crain

If you think people only travel to Woodville during the summer, think again. This past month we had visitors from South Africa, Germany, California, San Antonio, Dallas and two very special guests from Beaumont. They were Dr. Nathan Rogers and his wife, Barbara, who came driving into our parking lot one sunny afternoon in their spit-shined Rolls Royce, never looking back after smelling the chicken frying and the homemade biscuits baking.

Dr. Rogers and his three brothers came to Beaumont from Chicago and were the founders of Texas State Optical. When the Rogers left, he tipped his hat and said, "No doubt, this has gotta be the best country cooking in Southeast Texas."

Of course, I had shared with them how nice Heritage Village was now, since the Heritage Society had purchased it. Later that afternoon, Don and I were sitting on the front porch visiting with some customers, when I heard voices calling across the parking lot. It was the Rogers, arms filled with hand

made gifts and collectibles; thanking us for telling them about the Village and its Museum Store.

Barbara Rogers is just one of the many customers who have commented to Don and me about how nice the complex looks since the Heritage Society got things turned around. We are proud to look out and see all the improvements they have made. And, it's rewarding to be able to tell our customers about a relaxing thing to do, right here, after a Pickett House feast.

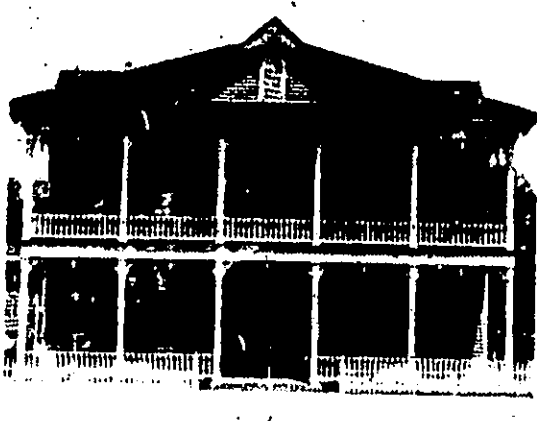
The folks at Heritage Village and I have been working hard to let Tour Groups know there is something to do after eating. Our thanks to you, Marjorie, and to all Village employees and volunteers.

To thank our own employees, we had an appreciation party at our home, where everyone had a good time in the sun, water skiing and enjoying a feast of barbecued brisket.

And now, if you thought stone ground cornmeal was only good for making cornbread, you're certainly not alone. But recently, a DeRidder, Louisiana, family shared a secret with Eva Duncan and me. They said that stone ground cornmeal makes the best fire ant killer ever, when you follow these simple steps.

Sprinkle stone ground corn meal over the mound. The ants take it to the next mound and eat it. When they can't digest it, they look for water to drink. Then they swell up and die.

It's certainly worth a try.
 Editor's Note: And if that doesn't work, try Blacksmith Charlie Schultz's remedy. Same idea, only use Cris. Either way, as Donna says "You Grit Them To Death." And, it won't cost much to try either.



Allan Shivers Library And Museum NEWS

The Allan Shivers Library invites local patrons and friends to come to the library at 4:00 p.m. on alternate Thursdays to see free movies that the library is now able to obtain from the Houston Public Library for showing here.

"Julia Child And Company: Breakfast/Holiday Lunch" will be the title of the next offering at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 20. The movie will last just under one hour.

This program has been made possible, since the library has received a new cassette player as part of its membership in the Texas State Library System, and the local library board purchased a television set for use with the player.

Previously, the library has shown two good short movies, one on Hawaii and more recently, a timely film entitled "The Life Of Christopher Columbus" from the TV series "Ten Who Dared." Both programs were well received, according to Quaidie Sullivan, director of the Allan Shivers Library and Museum.

Museum Tours
 Two staff members are on duty at the library at all times, one for desk and phone duty, the other to conduct tours, as needed, through the museum that details the life of the late Allan Shivers, governor of Texas from 1949 to 1956, who with his wife gave the library and museum to Tyler County.

Other community programs, provided regularly by the library, include the movies taken each Monday to Holiday Pines Manor Nursing Home, book and magazine delivery each Friday to both Holiday Pines and the Woodville Convalescent Home, and children's movies shown at the library each Wednesday for students of various school and day care facilities.

The library also provides meeting facilities for A.A.R.P., the Tyler County Retired Teachers Association and, on occasion, the two Woodville Federated Women's Clubs and the Woodville Garden Club.



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- FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1988**
 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. - Box Supper, Ladies Auction; Crown King & Queen; "Sing-A-Long"; "Name That Tune"
- SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1988**
 9 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. - Crafts & Working Crafts; "Around The Square"; Open Air Stage—Entertainment; Handiary; Plays & Puppets (inside & out); Old Time Games; Contests & Races.
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