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FLAG COMMEMORATION—Members of the Veterans Of Foreign Wars Robert M. Pate Post No. 2083 look on as Commander Mylas Humphus reads the ceremonial service Monday as the post presented the U.S. Colors and National Standard to the Holiday Pines Manor Nursing Home. Shown at right are resident Veterans: James Simons, Muff Charles, Roy Pate and J.O. Reid. VFW Members present were: Humphus, Raymond Sanders, Harold Ryman, Jack Long and Bill Cook.

Woodville Adopts Lean Budget

By Annabeth Willis

The Woodville Independent School District Board of Trustees adopted the budget for 1989-90 in the amount of \$6,221,671 Tuesday, April 18, 1989. According to Tommy Weaver, the budget is very lean and can only be met if the state comes through with additional funds in the amount of \$175,000. If the hoped for state funds do not materialize, the Board will have to go back in June and do more trimming on the already streamlined budget. Weaver said that a state mandated teacher pay increase amounting to \$130,000 and the need for one additional third grade teacher made balancing the budget difficult.

The Board listened to a presentation by Carol Broctrup, School Nurse, Preston Broom, Assistant High School Principal, and Troy Holliman, Elementary School Counselor, on the district's drug education programs. According to Broctrup, a Drug and Alcohol Prevention Program is being developed, which

will increase awareness both in the schools and in the community. The program will be integrated into all subjects and will be used in all grades. There will be a Drug Free Pep Rally to kick off the program in September. Programs will be presented in the auditorium which the public will be encouraged to attend.

According to Broctrup, they will stand by the statement, "Any use by an adolescent is abuse." The program got off to a good start when twelve area residents attended a four-day seminar conducted by the Southwest Regional Center for Drug Free Schools and Communities. The seminar was held at Lake confere during Spring Break. Attending the seminar were Troy Holliman, Carol Broctrup, Preston Broom, Melissa Labe, Brenda Andrews, Donald Jackson from the Woodville ISD and Susan Ramos, Sharon Dickerson, Donald Coleman, Cloyd Hadnot, Jim Gainey, and Betty McBride from the Woodville community.



AWARD WINNING—Woodville High School Marketing Teacher Eleanor Holderman was the featured speaker for the Deep East Texas Development Association at their regional meeting held at the Woodville Inn Friday. Holderman had earlier been presented a prestigious award for development of a "home grown" leadership program within Woodville High School with the help of fellow teachers. The DETDA is working with Holderman now to develop the leadership plan on a regional basis.

Water Board Loan Of \$1,070,000 To Upgrade System

AUSTIN (April 23, 1989) — Bond proceeds from today's closing of a \$1,070,000 Texas Water Development Board loan with the City of Woodville will be used to upgrade an existing water system in order to provide water

service to 1,000 man. The proposed project includes drilling a new well, constructing a 500,000 gallon ground storage tank and erecting a 250,000 gallon elevated storage tank.

King Files For City Post

The following is a statement of candidacy for Billy Jean King for the Woodville City Council. To the Voters of the City of Woodville, I, Billie

King, offer myself as a candidate for the City Council Election, being held May 6, 1989.

Billy Rose Seeks Re-election

I am an active member of the Texas Association of Public Accountants. I am also a member of the American Business Women's Association and the Woodville United Methodist Church.

If elected, I will be available to discuss any matters pertaining to City Government.

Thank you for your support. Billie Jean King

The following is a candidate announcement by Billy Rose for Woodville City Council. If it is an honor serving the citizens of Woodville, I am running for City Council. I have been a resident of Woodville for 15 years and have been involved in the community for many years. I am a member of the Woodville United Methodist Church and the American Business Women's Association. I am a public accountant and have been in business for 10 years. I am a hard worker and I am committed to the community. I am running for City Council to represent the citizens of Woodville.

Warren Board Hires Mike Harvell Athletic Director

By ANNABETH WILLIS

The Warren Independent School District Board of Trustees voted Tuesday, April 25, to employ Mike

Howell as the Athletic Director for the District. The 5-2 vote made null and void a decision made two

Hicks In Spurger Race

"I, Mooney Hicks, would like to announce my candidacy for re-election to the Spurger School District Board of Trustees, Position #5.

"I am a native of Tyler County and have lived in the Spurger School District all my life. I am retired from Sheetmetal Workers Local #196, Orange, Texas, and at present time also serve as Spurger School's representative on the Board of Directors for the Tyler County Tax Appraisal District.

"I have served on the Spurger School Board for over twenty years. I believe that the student body

interest should always be first and foremost in any decision made by the School Board. In spite of the changes mandated by the state, most of which were not funded, I feel that our district is one we can be proud of. I believe we provide a high quality education for the children of this school district because of the dedicated staff of teachers and administrators in the Spurger School system.

Davis Seeks Warren Seat

The following is a statement of candidacy for Harold Davis who is seeking election to the Warren School Board.

"To The Voters of Warren Independent School District: May 6, 1989 is a very important date to remember. It is one that we should all allow ourselves enough time to get our thoughts for a school board member for three (3) different positions. I would like to be your choice for Position #2.

"As a total return to the new voters to our district I have been a resident of Warren for 15 years. I have been involved in the community for many years. I am a member of the Warren United Methodist Church and the American Business Women's Association. I am a public accountant and have been in business for 10 years. I am a hard worker and I am committed to the community. I am running for Warren School Board to represent the citizens of Warren.

Wilkinson In Colmesnell Race

The following is a statement of candidacy by Buddy Wilkinson, candidate for Colmesnell School Board.

"I, Buddy Wilkinson, would like to announce my candidacy for a position on the Board of Trustees of Colmesnell ISD.

"I am thirty-nine years old and have lived in Colmesnell for twenty-four years. I served 4 years in the United States Army and am a Vietnam Veteran.

I would appreciate your vote on May 6.

High School Principal and Pitts is the Warren Elementary School Principal. Both recently received new two-year contracts. Howell comes to Warren from Splendora, Texas, where he served as Head Coach and Athletic Director. He is married with two children, received his Bachelor's Degree from Texas Christian University

and his Masters Degree and Principal's Certificate from Sam Houston State College. He was a Captain in the U.S. Army and coached at Houston ISD, Corpus Christi ISD, and was Head Coach and Athletic Director at Bloomington ISD and Hallettsville ISD and Head Coach and Athletic Coordinator at Victoria Board, the board also employed Howell's wife, Patsy, as a teacher. No specific assignment was given to Mrs. Howell. Member Walter McAlpin and Ronnie Stephens voted against hiring Howell.

In another reversal, the Board voted unanimously to return Band Director Don Stockton to a 12-month status. The Board had previously cut Stockton's contract to 10 1/2 months. Stockton had filed a grievance with the District because of the cut.

Ed Killam addressed the Board regarding delinquent taxes in the District which he said amounted to over \$600,000 including taxes and interest. Killam requested that the Board file suit on at least the ten most delinquent taxpayers. He said that they owe more than \$117,000 and that there are five companies in the top ten. The Board voted to authorize the Superintendent, Tax Collector and Attorney to file any lawsuits they deemed feasible.

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Woodville Lions Club To Sell Light Bulbs

Friday, May 5th, Ken Weaver will be heading up a crew to knock on doors in Woodville, Tom Kent will have his bunch visiting their neighbors in Lufkin. Bones Childress will be setting up crews at Bob's

Davis Seeks

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lure I visited Austin many times, Nacogdoches, Center and Huntsville once or twice. These people were willing to help and most congenial.

"The 1988-89 school is approaching the end, therefore most of the budget is probably spent. A small part may be salvaged, but preparation of the new budget shall be prepared in June. The results of this one may make a difference. What about the other problems? Some can be

handed immediately but others shall be carefully scrutinized and reversed until they are minimized. "We have said all of this to make one summation. We want the best education obtainable for our children at the most feasible cost. I will strive to do this and together we will make it happen. "I humbly and prayerfully solicit your support. Your trust in me will build a stronger educational system in our District," Harold T. Davis

Land Office Commissioner Garry Mauro Here May 9th

Texas State Land Office Commissioner is expected to visit with the Tyler County Board of Realtors at their May 9 meeting in Woodville. According to Anne Tolbert, Realtor Board President, "Mauro is looking forward to joining the Board of realtors for their May 9 meeting," she said. During his six years as Texas Land Commissioner, Mauro has brought aggressive management and innovative programs to the Land Office, saving tax dollars and earning additional revenues for the state. As Land Commissioner, he is responsible for the management of some 22.1 million acres of state land dedicated to the permanent school fund, which provides funding for the Texas Primary and secondary education. Since 1983 the Land office has deposited \$1.85 billion into the state coffers from the management of state lands. Commissioner Mauro also serves as Chairman of the Veterans Land Board where he directs the Land, Housing and Home Improvements Programs. Hailed by experts as the best economic development initiatives in Texas today, these programs have loaned \$785 million to eligible Veterans since 1983.

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Deer Trail Reading For Tourney

"This is a very important meeting. Many things to finalize before the Membership Meeting. Tournament scheduled for May 6th and 7th. "First off there is a work session scheduled for 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 3rd to neaten up the course prior to the tournament. If you can't make it by 3:30, come when you can—we will be waiting for you."

Vocational Nurse Capping

Tyler County Hospital will honor the 1989 class of the School of Vocational Nursing with a Capping Ceremony on Friday, May 5, 1989 at 11 a.m. The setting for this traditional ceremony will be St. Paul's Episcopal Church, located on 190 west of Woodville.

Kindergarten On Half Day Basis

Dorman Jackson, superintendent of schools, announces the reorganization of the Woodville I.S.D. Kindergarten Program. Kindergarten classes for the 1989-90 school year, will be operated on a half-day basis. The minimum time for the operation of the kindergarten classes on a half-day basis will be three hours. Children will be scheduled for attending either morning classes or afternoon classes. Transportation will be provided by the school district. Eligibility for attending kindergarten requires students to be five years old on or before September 1, 1989. In the process of evaluating the program, teachers, administrators, and the superintendent focused attention on concerns addressing both child growth and overall program impact. The half-day schedule will enhance the instructional program by more efficiently structuring the scope and sequence of the school day. Rest periods will be deleted from the instructional day and recess time will replace the P.E. period which previously interfered with prime time learning. Quality time provided for instructions will be gained and the curriculum will continue to meet the educational/developmental, physical, emotional, and social needs of the students involved in early childhood education. Concentrated instructions presented in an appropriately designated time schedule will result in academic success and joy in learning.



Engaged

Ms. Betty Hecker of Beaumont announces the engagement of her daughter, Elizabeth Kay, to Mr. Joe Wesley Conner, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank Conner, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Brooks of Rockland. Elizabeth attended Lamar University and is employed at St. Elizabeth Hospital and Genetic Pharmacy, both of Beaumont. Wesley is in the U.S. Air Force, stationed at Shaw Air Force Base in Sumter, South Carolina. An evening wedding is planned for Friday, June 9, 1989 at Wesley Methodist Church in Beaumont.

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MAY 6 FOR BILLIE JEAN KING

WOODVILLE CITY COUNCIL

Pd. Pol. Ad By Billie Jean King 784 Kelly Blvd. Woodville

Seamans Family Reunion

The Seamans Family will hold their annual reunion Sunday, May 7th, at Enos Baptist Church. Worship service at 11:00 a.m. with luncheon and bowling. Everyone is invited. **Dutch Treat Breakfast** The Woodville Food Service (WFS) of Tyler County will serve a Dutch treat breakfast at the Woodville High School on Saturday, May 6. This event is open to all and is a great way to start your weekend. Seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

OPINION

Grave Digger

At a cemetery in Brenham, a casket is lowered into a new grave. Then Bennie Gajelske climbs on his backhoe and covers it up.

"Someone asked me the other day how I could do this," says Bennie. "I told them it doesn't make any difference. It's just my work, you know."

Bennie started digging graves 42 years ago.

"That was with pick and shovel. Now they have machines, but back then it was all done by hand. I had to have extra help," he said.

With his backhoe, he can dig a grave in an hour. When he used a pick and shovel, it took him four to six hours.

"It depends on your dirt. If you know you have a tough place or rock, you better go the day before, or else you won't get through," said Gajelske.

He digs a hole three feet wide, eight feet long and about five feet deep.

"Some of 'em don't go that deep. If they can get by with less, they'll do with less," he added.

Sometimes he runs into problems.

"One time I buried somebody at Prairie Lea," he said. "It was on a Sunday morning. The ground was so rocky I could only get down 18 inches. I went to the city and they came out to help me with a jack hammer. They told me they would have that rock out in a couple of hours. They started at nine and worked until nine that night before they got it ready."

Bennie does not keep a running count of the number of graves he has dug, but every year he'll average digging one every weekday.

He takes pride in his work.

Even when he was working with hand tools, he made the walls smooth and straight.

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Going Uptown Too Quick

Susie was devastated. Crying in rage over a busted romance.

We asked what happened.

She said it was that cur she invited over for a can of delight supper last Saturday night.

Slaved over the cutting board dicing vegetables. Meticulously measured the condiments.

Sesame seed, bean sprouts, bacon rind, pecans and almonds for crunchiness.

A salad supreme, garnished with Susie's famous curry dressing, and that story of a pit bull turned his nose up at it.

We remembered Susie was pretty heavy with this canine.

Wondered what he had objected to.

She said he said he could not stand anything on his dinner plate that was yellow in color, except eggs, and that sure went for any

T-Wheeler By Alan Miller

curry comb, as in currying horses.

We said that was kind of boorish of the guy, no way to curry favor, as we understood the conversation.

Susie said that wasn't half of it.

For such a cholesterol freak, he could have picked out the rabbit food, and not made such a spectacle of himself babbling about how yucky the curry looked.

We said Susie could have saved the day right there, and given him a culinary history lesson about the evolution of curry into the epicure's table d'hôte.

Susie said she didn't know what all that meant, except any fool dog who

had anything other than a dog biscuit in his food dish should know that curry is a Far Eastern delicacy.

recipes on a four-letter friend who would rather chase cars and herd cattle.

That he spent most of his life tied to a cinder block in the front yard, and was not a house dog by nature.

Susie said she had heard that you can't change a dog's spots, and now she knew who thought up that lame bromide.

We said we guessed the romance was over.

She said well, not necessarily. He is kind of a nice yellow dog, even if he is a little short on the social niceties.

That you can't blame someone just because they like to order in pizza instead of fenugreek, cayenne pepper and tumeric-under glass.

Susie said he came close to really embarrassing himself after he got home.

That he called the local home delivery pizza boy, ordered a double pepperoni, and then realized he was broke, and hid in the closet until the guy delivering the pizza gave up ringing the doorbell.

Did the guy leave the pizza?

Susie said she didn't know. Friend stayed in closet all night.

Susie said the thing that aggravated her so much about the whole episode was that his idea of a great meal is to cook up a bunch of turnips, make a little cornbread, and wash the whole mess down with a cold glass of buttermilk.

We said that's where you went wrong, Susie.

You tried to go uptown with him too quick.

He'd never found curry flavored salad when he shopped for barbecue.

And he probably didn't like that new-fangled hot sauce made in New York either.



FIRST DIVISION - Warren High School Band students proudly display the trophy they received at U.I.L. Concert and Sightreading Contest. The band received a First Division Rating in both the Concert and Sightreading Divisions of the Contest.

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The following is a statement from Dennis Smith, a candidate for Position 3, Spurger School Board.

My name is Dennis M. Smith and I am announcing my candidacy for board member Position 3 of the Spurger Independent School District.

My wife Glenda and I have two sons, Robert who is a 1984 graduate of Westbrook High School and Christopher who is a freshman at Spurger High School. We have lived in the Spurger School District for 5 years.

I have been employed by E.I. Dupont at Beaumont Works for the past 12 years. I am a graduate of Kirbyville High School and attended Kilgore College where I majored in computer programming and accounting. I served in the U.S. Navy from 1970 to 1974 in the Aviation Administration division. I feel I have the background and experience to serve the district as a board member from my years in both retail and food service management. I have gained experience in corporate management as a member of the E.I. Dupont cost reduction task team that resulted in a cost savings, to the company, in excess of a million dollars per year.

If elected I will work to ensure each student has every opportunity to excel to higher level of achievement, while keeping a close watch on the school districts financial stability by keeping cost, as well as, taxes to a minimum.

If elected I will welcome input from parents, teachers and students on any and all matters of concern that may affect our school district.

Your vote and support will be appreciated.

Dennis Smith

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Sunny Dell News "The Moon Governs A Lot Of Things"

I still hear some old sayings or traditions. I'm sure you do too. I heard the other day about the setting or facing of a grist mill or sugar mill. The fellow that told me said if you face them east and west you would have better tasting cornmeal and syrup-why?

Letter To The Editor

"Save Big Sandy"

Editor, THE TYLER COUNTY BOOSTER:

Congressman Charles Wilson, 2nd District of East Texas, has introduced HR 919 to add 14,000 acres to the Big Thicket National Preserve. The area proposed includes a Big Sandy Creek Corridor Unit of 6,120 acres, a Village Creek Corridor Unit of 6,088 acres, and a Canyonlands Unit of 1,792 acres. Conservationists fought valiantly to include these acres in the 1974 Preserve bill, but politics and short-sightedness got in the way.

It took a lot of political courage and strong conviction for Congressman Wilson to try to correct this error. Inevitably, landowners would again attack his motives and raise the old specters about loss of homes, loss of taxes, loss of productive timberlands, loss of jobs, and loss of opportunity for development.

The misinformation and scare-mongering is once again full-blown. To correct the record, here are the facts:

LOSS OF HOMES: In deference to home owners, Wilson's bill excludes the property occupied by year-round residents. There will be no loss of homes.

LOSS OF TAXES: Actually, legislation exists (PL 94-565) to pay local taxing jurisdictions the TOTAL tax liability for a period of five years and thereafter 75-cents per acre in perpetuity. The tax dollars involved are grossly overvalued by local officials as saying that "timber companies donated a lot of land for the Big Thicket National Park." Temple Eastert did donate about

By A.T. Sturrock

juice to make one gallon of syrup on the average. And one hundred pounds of corn will make a good eighty-five pounds of meal. The moon governs lots of things and if the above is true, I would plant by field and garden rows running east and west if possible. However, sometimes you can't as the rains would wash all the top soil off. Here is one that I have not heard before. If a "Bee-Keeper" has fifty hives and he dies and if nobody turns his bee hives half-way around all the bees die. All the girls look prettier at closing time. All the way from Lake Charles and beyond to the state line. Wells to go.

Extension Service 75th Birthday: May 8

By Janie Marquiss, County Extension Agent

Monday, May 8 will mark the 75th anniversary of the establishment of the Cooperative Extension Service. On that date in 1914 the U. S. Congress passed the Smith-Lever Act, which provided for establishment of a Cooperative Extension Service in agriculture, home economics and related subjects as part of the Land-Grant University System in each state and territory of the nation.

The Texas Legislature on January 29, 1915, accepted provisions of the Smith-Lever Act, and the

To help keep the 4-H and youth program in Texas at the forefront are more than 42,617 volunteer leaders who are working with 381,481 boys and girls enrolled in some phase of the youth program," said H.T. "Tom" Davidson, assistant director for 4-H and youth with the Extension Service.

The Tyler County Extension Service invites you to their office May 8 to view material and talk with agents - Janie Marquiss - Home Economics and Bob Armistead - Agriculture.

CONCLUSION: This time around, we must save Big Sandy/Village Creeks and the Canyonlands. Your Congressman and our Senators - particularly Senator Phil Gramm, need to know that you support this 14,000 acre addition to the Big Thicket National Preserve. PLEASE write to them NOW, and ask your friends to write, too. Sincerely, Maxine Johnston Chair, BIG THICKET TASK FORCE, Texas Committee on Natural Resources, P.O. Box 154, Balcon, TX 77819

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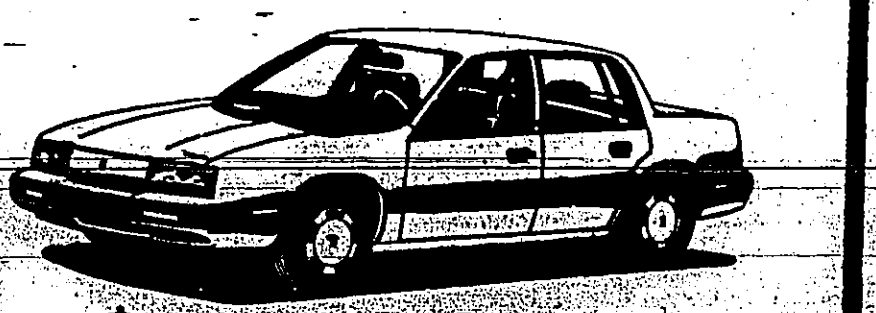
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Eagles Win Regional

Coach Melvin Houston, Woodville High School, led the Eagles to a 22-2, 400-yard victory over the Woodville boys' team. The Eagles' defense was very good this week. Woodville boys' Paul Releford, Pete Releford, Scott Mackey, Sedrick Mitchell, and Alex Holloman, won the regional track meet at Brenham Saturday for the first time ever. For Woodville High School, it wasn't easy but they pulled it off with a very gutsy performance by Paul Releford in the 800 meter dash and also the fine anchor play in the mile relay.

Woodville placed in the following events: 800 meter dash-first place, Paul Releford, time: 2:22.400; 1,500 meter relay-second, Scott Mackey, Alex Holloman, Sedrick Mitchell, and Paul Releford, time: 5:19.5. 100

Woodville Girls Track

The Lady Eagles placed two competitors in the finals at the Regional Track Meet in Brenham, Saturday, with both girls recording personal best times.

Lisa Phillips qualified for the finals in the 400 meter dash with a time of 1:56.8. Freshman Whitney Lambeth made the finals and finished 5th in the 800 meter run with a time of 2:29. In the 1,600 meter run, Whitney placed 4th in region with a time of 5:55.

Congratulations once again to the Regional qualifiers and to all track girls for a good season!

McKinney Wins Shot Put In Regional

Big Sidney McKinney of Colmesneil got off his best throw of the year in the shot put at Brenham Saturday and won first place. He had a toss of 51 ft. 4 inches.

Eagle Band Wins Sweepstakes

The Woodville Eagle Band earned their third consecutive UIL Sweepstakes Award on April 22. The band earned first division ratings from all judges this year inclusive of Marching, Concert, and Sightreading. The Band's concert program this year included "Jack Tar" by John Phillip Sousa, The Finale from "Symphony No. 3" by Gustav Mahler, and "First Swedish Rhapsody" by Eric Leiden.

Band Director Tom Harvey was very pleased and excited. He also shared that the band would be competing in a nationally known concert contest at Six Flags. The band will be participating in the prestigious invitational portion of the contest. The date for this performance is May 5.

French National Honor Society Initiation

The French National Honor Society of Woodville High School held its annual initiation on Thursday evening, April 20 at 7:30 in the Community Room of the Citizens State Bank. The following students were inducted into the Honor Society: Michelle Benoit, Kristen Cordes, Tamarind Odom, Miss Thompson, Tina Sylvestine, and Jason Strickland.

Dr. Bradley Clark, foreign language professor at Lamar University, was the guest speaker. Mrs. Billie Hicks, French teacher at Woodville high school, is the sponsor of the group.

Woodville High Honor Roll

All "A" Honor Roll: 9th 11th grade-Raymond grade-Lea Ivy, and Abram, Cy Alexander, Christine Smith; 10th Adrian Barlow, Charlotte grade-Cord Ensign-Dawn Blackmon, Kristen Jutice, Renee Piske, Cordes, Amy Craine, Cathy Sheffield, Dawn Tracy Dies, Don Hutto, Trest, Becky Walker and Stephanie Isacks, Charla Weeks; 12th Amanda Kesson, Rangrade-Cyndi Birdwell, dill McClelland, Stacy Anjanette-Hensaring, Owens, Melissa Rachal, Reed Innote, Wayne Strick, Kimball, and Meredith dill and Karen Tucker; Williams.

A&B Honor Roll: 9th grade-Tara Baugh, April Brown, Tracie Brown, Bryant Celestine, Peter Campbell, Paul Coplan, Tammy Fort, Simon Kehrl, Chris Knapp, Scott Mackey, Jill McClure, Valanda Minter, Sandy Woltz; Connie Scott, Steven Sullivan, Jeni Tule, Amy Weaver, and John Wooten; 10th grade-Cathy Brinkley, Rita Edwards-Dion Olli, Darrell Grisham, Bobby Knapp, David Morris, Molly Odom, Charly Odom, Rayna Parker, Debra Raul, Ryan Scott, and David Scott.

The Tyler County Booster SPORTS

Eagles Win Three Of Four Games

The Woodville Eagles baseball team lost to Newton on Friday, April 14 and then won their next three games. They defeated Kountze, Hardin Jefferson, and Buna before the rain stopped them Friday against Orangefield.

Woodville 7, Newton 8. Newton scored first with a run in the top of the first, they scored two more in the top of the third for a 3-0 lead. Woodville tied it up 3 all with a run in the third and two more in the 4th. Newton scored 4 in the 5th and one in the 7th. Woodville scored 3 in the 5th and tied it up 7 all with one run in the 6th. Newton won the game with a run in the top of the 7th and then shut out the eagles in the bottom of the 7th.

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Fishing Report

Fishing is really slow at this time and I have not had a single good report. I did hear of a fellow catching an 8 pounder on Rayburn but it was about two weeks ago. Boots Dean and Larry Skinner caught 8 fish Monday and only had three keepers. They caught them on crank baits. It is so bad that guys like Mike Minter and Travis Brown didn't even fish. Stuart Zoch went Friday but guess he didn't do very well because he was seen buying a large package of fish sticks in the grocery store Saturday.

Thomas fish Dan B. Saturday and didn't do anything except argue. Paul went back Sunday afternoon and caught several but only had a few keepers. Daryl Ward and Grady Holderman went Sat. and caught very few, don't think they caught any keepers. Grady got four red ears. His two got from the sun and he caught two red ear perch. They refuse to take either of the Ward boys because they tend to embarrass them on size of fish caught.

Several area fishermen will be fishing the Red Man tournament on Cedar Creek lake on May 12. They are the same ones that usually donate to that tournament and several others.

Pirates Prowl

By Sherie Woodall

The Pirates have been keeping themselves busy lately and are some of the things they have been doing.

The tennis players who won district have been working hard for regionals. The tennis team are working towards a win at regionals. Good luck!

The drama department has been preparing their final play. It is a farce comedy about two hillbilly families who get into a feud over a strange gift from a strange lady. The cast is as follows: Paw Fernheiser-Richard, Maw Fernheiser-Robbie Wilson, Lizzie Fernheiser-Lawson, Betty Sue Fernheiser-Shannon Minter, Honeyuckle Fernheiser-Sherie Woodall, Manolia Fernheiser-Vanessa Duncho, Hyacinth Fernheiser-Melody Lankford, Wilder Kendall-Lonnie Melacoe, Hiram Kendall-Thomas Norworthy, William Bishop III-Alex Crank, Miss. Sodgrass-Cindy Collins, and extras James Gilchrist and Rodney Jordan. The play will be performed on the stage in the high school gym.

Woodville 3, Buna 1. The Woodville Eagles played a very good game at Buna on Tuesday April 25 and came away with a 3-1 victory.

Woodville scored 1 in the second, one in the 4th and one in the 6th. Buna scored one in the third.

Scott Mackey, Ronnie Brown and Reggie Williams each went 2 for 4 at the plate to lead them to victory.

Reggie Williams was the winning pitcher. He held Buna to one run on three hits and gave up one intentional walk.

The Eagles play three games this week. They go to Kirbyville on Tuesday 2nd, play Orangefield at home Wed. and will play 5th at home on Friday, 5th.

Chester 13, Big Sandy 2

The Chester Yellowjackets jumped all over the Big Sandy Wildcats at Big Sandy last Friday and whipped them 13 to 2 in a five inning game.

Chester scored one run in the top of the first, made three more in the third inning. They continued to hit the ball well and scored 4 in the 4th and made five more runs in the 5th inning. Big Sandy scored their two runs in the bottom of the 5th.

Chester has a 2-1 district record. They play at Goodrich Tuesday the 2nd and the J.V. team goes to Evalde Friday.

Warren TEAMS Scores Improve

The Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) scores are in and students at the Warren Independent School District made progress "beyond our wildest expectations", to quote Dixie Weeks; Curriculum Director, and TEAMS District Coordinator.

"Students, teachers, principals and parents are to be congratulated on the successful scores of many students on TEAMS," Weeks said. Great strides were made in academic pursuits when you look at Spring, 1988 scores compared to Spring, 1989 scores.

The following percent mastery scores show a breakdown by campus: Fred Elementary Grade 3: Mathematics, 97%; Reading, 91%; Writing, 86%; Grade 5: Mathematics, 100%; Reading, 100%; Writing, 95%; Warren Elementary Grade 3: Mathematics, 95%; Reading, 95%; Writing, 83%; Grade 5: Mathematics, 93%; Reading, 95%; Writing, 82%.

As in the successful efforts the entire district has been involved in this target area of TEAMS high level performance. A full report will be given to the Board of Trustees at the May meeting.

"Once more, good job students!", Weeks said.

Warren Jr. High Band Honors High School Band

The Warren Junior High School Band will honor the High School Band with a Banquet Saturday evening May 6 at 7:30 at the Pearl Banquet facility. The band will be entertained by the Warren Jr. High School Band.

Woodville Holds Honors Banquet

Over 200 students, parents and teachers attended Woodville High School's fourth annual honors banquet held Thursday evening, April 27 in the high school cafeteria. Seventy-seven students were recognized for their academic and service contributions to Woodville High School. In addition to presenting academic departmental awards, other students recognized were "A" Honor roll, class presidents, members of the Golden Gavel Leadership Council, National awards and regional UIL participants.

Dr. Ken Adair, Dean of the School of Forestry, Stephen F. Austin State University, was the guest speaker of the banquet.

Students receiving recognition were: Cy Alexander, GGC-Level II-student leadership trainer, Stephen Barlow, GGC-Level II-student leadership trainer, Cyndi Roll, School Crest Committee, John Branch-Citizenship award; Amy Brown-UIL Regional participant; prose interpretation; April Brown-UIL Regional participant; poetry interpretation; J.J. Brown-Auto Mechanics first place, state competition; Irma Chapas-Spanish, 11th-outstanding foreign language award; Paula Coplen-French III-outstanding foreign language award; Kristen Cordes-English II-Departmental award, GGC-Level II-student leadership trainer, One Act Play-district award-honorable mention, One Act Play-zone award-all star cast, and UIL regional participant-persuasive speaking.

Amy Craine-One Act Play-zone award-honorable mention, UIL regional participant-poetry interpretation; Julie Deans-School Crest Committee, GGC-Level II-student leadership trainer, One Act Play-zone award-best actress; Chris Dungan-Auto Mechanics first place state competition; Terri Dungan-Citizenship award; Peter Easterly-9th grade-Business Ed. departmental award; Rita Edwards-School Crest Committee, GGC-Level II-student leadership trainer, Cord Ensign-10th grade-Business Ed. departmental award; Tammy Fort-FIA-10th grade-Business Ed. departmental award; Heidi Franklin-French I-Departmental award.

Anganette Hensaring-School Crest Committee; Terry Hensaring-Auto Mechanics first place state competition; Collette Holderman-School Crest Committee, GGC-Level II-student leadership trainer, National Honor Society president 88/89; Alex Holloman-One Act Play-district award-All Star cast, One Act Play-zone award-best actor; Don Hutto-Auto Mechanics first place state competition; Lea Ivy-"A" Honor Roll, 9th Grade-English departmental award, Spanish I-departmental award-UIL Regional participant-Ready Writing; Julie Jarrott-School Crest Committee; Reed Jinnette-"A" Honor Roll, American Chemical Society award, School Crest Committee, senior class student president 88/89.

Carl Ware-11th Grade Social Studies departmental award; Brad Weatherford-Leadership award, 10th grade Social Studies departmental award, Sophomore class student president 88/89; ULL Regional participant-Prose Interpretation; Charla Weeks-"A" Honor Roll, 10th grade-English departmental award; Katrina Weeks-Auto Mechanics first place state competition.

Woodville 14, Kountze 2. Woodville played Kountze at home on Tuesday, April 18 and defeated them 14-2 in five innings. Woodville scored first with two runs in the bottom of the first inning. They battered around in the second inning and came up with 12 runs to make the score 14-0 for Woodville.

Kountze finally scored two runs in the top of the 5th for a 14-2 score and an end of the game.

Bulldog Growls

By: Shelley Faircloth/Blinda McKinney

All of the students at CHS are getting ready for next year, whether it is making plans for college or trying to cheerleader or trying to get ready to everyone in everything that you do.

Last Friday and Saturday the high school girls 400m and 800m relay placed 6th in both events at the 29A Regional Meet, held in Brenham. The boys also placed 6th in the 400m relay. Congratulations to Sidney McKinney for winning 1st place in the boys shot put. "Good luck!" in the state meet May 12-13.

The boys were held last week for the 1989-90 wrestling line and drum major. The new twirlers are Terri Broussard, Missy Robbins, Cindy Reynolds, and Heidi Twilley is Carrie Boudier. The Drum Major is Kristin Strom. Congratulations girls.

Sherry Gibson and Donna Tucker are elementary teachers here at CHS. Both teachers would like to share their backgrounds and experiences they had with their students.

Sherry Gibson went to school at Lamar University for two years and then transferred to East Texas Baptist College. While majoring in math Miss Gibson was also working in a day care center. It wasn't until then she decided she liked kids. This year her second grade class marched behind the CHS band while they were practicing for the Dogwood Parade. When asked about Miss Gibson, J.C. Reagan stated, "She teaches good!"

Donna Tucker has been teaching for five years. She went to college at Stephen F. Austin State University, in Nacogdoches. When asked why she decided to start teaching she stated, "It is rewarding to see the children learn."

Tyler County Girls In Regional

Several girls from Tyler County schools ran in the regional meet last weekend. Class 3A and 1A ran a 100 meter dash and 2A ran a 200 meter dash.

Spurger-Mandy Brunk, sophomore, won first place in the 100 meter dash. She placed 3rd in the 200 meter run.

Whitney Lambeth of Woodville took 4th place in the 100 meter dash and 5th in the 200 meter run. Whitney was also in the 400 meter dash. She placed 6th in the 200 meter dash and 5th in the 400 meter dash.

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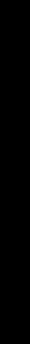
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In Mt 7:24-27, Christ teaches the parable of the house built upon the rock and the house built upon the sand. The Lord APPLIES the parable in the teaching of it by contrasting the house built upon the sand as hearing and NOT doing His will. The former stands upon an immovable foundation, while the latter has no foundation.

Denominational religion claims to stand upon the foundation of the Bible, yet in reality, NOT built upon the rock but upon the sand.

Denominationalism has no defense no line of

demarcation between itself and anything which would seek to change it because it has no solid foundation upon which to take a stand. Consider that Roman Catholicism cannot stand upon the infallibility of the pope because there is no foundation for such in Scripture. (Mt 23:18) hence, the papacy has no defense against changes which have seeped through Roman Catholic thinking. Protestant denominationalism cannot stand upon its creeds alone because they are subject to change at the will of the majority, however that may be defined; but individual creeds; but, as well, it cannot stand upon the Bible alone for fear of negating its creeds. (Gal 1:6-8; II Jn. 9).

Standing upon the foundation of the Bible alone the New Testament church CAN withstand innovative dilution. (I pn 4:16; 6:10-17; Rom 6:17 II Tim. 3:12, 22 Philip 3:17-19; I Cor. 4:17, 18:1)

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ASSETS		Dollar Amounts in Thousands		28 CODE		CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions							
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin							
b. Interest-bearing balances							
2. Securities							
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs							
a. Federal funds sold							
b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell							
4. Loans and lease financing receivables							
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income							
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses							
c. LESS: Allocated transfer tax reserve							
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4a minus 4b and 4c)							
5. Assets held in trading accounts							
6. Mortgage and real estate (including capitalized leases)							
7. Other real estate owned							
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies							
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding							
10. Intangible assets							
11. Other assets							
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)							
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (i)							
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (i) (sum of items 12a and 12b)							
LIABILITIES							
13. Deposits:							
a. In domestic offices:							
(1) Noninterest-bearing							
(2) Interest-bearing							
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs:							
(1) Noninterest-bearing							
(2) Interest-bearing							
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs:							
a. Federal funds purchased							
b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase							
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury							
16. Other borrowed money							
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases							
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding							
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits							
20. Other liabilities							
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)							
22. Limited-life preferred stock							
EQUITY CAPITAL							
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)							
24. Common stock (No. of shares & Authorized)							
25. Surplus							
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves							
27. Cumulative preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)							
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 25 through 27)							
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (i)							
c. Total equity capital and loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (i) (sum of items 28a and 28b)							
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (i) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28c)							
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