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UP-N-DOWN

290 *By Marty*

Saw a funny thing on my way up 290 to work the other morning. I glanced at the roadside park there by Peters' place and saw some folks still enjoying their night's rest. There were three of them bundled up in their blankets, on top of a VW van. I guess they don't toss and turn quite as much as some of us do. They'd better not!

And, I have enjoyed watching another interesting thing along our highway lately. As you know, we have always had a number of enterprising folks around here who decide to "open" roadside fruit stands in season, some without benefit of tenancy, and it's always interesting to see their methods for advertising and merchandising. One such group, working the large shade tree just west of Glasco's in Waller, shows how much faith it has in the honesty of the local folks. Packing up the unsold watermelons every night can be quite a chore, so they simply leave their stack there overnight. I wonder if they leave a coffee can to put the money in if someone has the late-night urge to enjoy their melons? Maybe they consider their losses as part of the cost of doing business. Is there any chance that they haven't had any losses? Let's hope so!

Wasn't it a nice surprise the other day when I was coming out of Houston, expecting the usual slowdowns for the lights at 1960 and Huffmeister. Sailed right up and over our long-time hangups and saved some time in the bargain. (See Up-N-Down, Pg. 2)

Art Style Has Grand Opening



Bernell Kelly's art adorns a portion of the gallery's walls. The local artist is a master of realism, whose works are usually displayed in Houston galleries.

By Sallie Planty
The grand opening of an art gallery in the city of Hempstead is being hailed as proof that this county seat is outgrowing its "small sleepy town image. Art Style Gallery & Gifts, which has been open for business on 12th Street, next door to the Hempstead Theatre for a couple of months now, celebrated its official opening on Friday, Aug. 31, and the impact on first-time visitors was as dramatic as those who have been there frequently suspected it would be.

For the area's many established and aspiring artists, it is already a Mecca, where they can discuss techniques, work, exhibit, purchase supplies and completed works and learn.

For those of us who stand in awe of artistic talent, it is another kind of Mecca - a place where we can view things of great beauty, watch a class in progress, marvel at the unsuspected abilities

of our friends and acquaintances and, more importantly, purchase original, signed works to display in our own homes - forever.

Dorothy Romeo is the woman who has made the gallery possible, although she refuses to accept all the praise for the accomplishment. She cites the continuing support and encouragement of her husband, Tony, who she says, "works so that I can have my 'hobby'."

Others Dorothy insists are responsible for the reality of the art gallery in Hempstead, include Vic Simmons, owner of the What Not shop and an accomplished artist in his own right, who "has been a rock from the very beginning." Local artists who are rapidly advancing to the top, such as Bernell Kelly, Betty Shultz, Doris Donnelly, Irene Cooper and Lee Fowler, have supplied both "emotional and physical support" for the project. So

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have Houston artist Frances Dobson and Giddings wildlife artist Cecile Wilcox, who not only display their works, but who will be offering workshops in the coming weeks.

The workshops, or seminars, offered at the gallery, are another important aspect of its existence. There is literally nowhere else the beginner living in this area has the opportunity to learn from accomplished artists, within a 50-mile radius. An example is the recent two-day seminar in sculpting presented by Vic Simmons. "Vic's class was incredibly successful," says Dorothy. "So successful, in fact, that it attracted all our novice and expert artists and a lot of people who were just plain

County Historical Society Prepares For Art Festival

Members of the Waller County Historical Society have begun preparations for "Festival Day" to be held at the County Museum in Brookshire on Saturday, Oct. 5.

Early preparations are necessary for the event since it will include a display and sale of arts and crafts. Booth spaces for display and sale will be available to individuals and/or businesses at

Prairie View A & M Beautification Plan



Workmen put down squares of sod, like they're working some sort of giant jigsaw puzzle. The Prairie View A & M campus just keeps getting more beautiful.

excited by the idea of learning how to sculpt. Because of this, Vic has agreed to teach another one soon." Upcoming workshops are: On Thursday, Sept. 6, from 2 to 5 p.m. and again from 6 to 9 p.m., Frances Dobson will be leading a seminar, which "should attract a huge crowd because she insists on charging only \$10 a session."

Coming up on Monday, Sept. 17, and Saturday,

Sept. 22, is a workshop with Cecile Wilcox, who will introduce area artists to the mysteries of painting wild turkeys and deer. Wilcox's two paintings, one of wild turkeys and one of yuccas, sold within hours of their first hanging at the gallery.

A one-woman show and sale is scheduled on Nov. 2 and 3 for Doris Donnelly, who paints under the name "The Enchanted Cottage." Donnelly specializes in tole painting - oil on wood - and she'll be teaching a class in this art form this fall.

(See Gallery, Pg. 2)

\$35 per booth, with all money from sales to be retained by the displayer.

All persons who have art work or craft items they would like to sell are invited to participate. Those desiring additional information an/or reservations may address the Waller County Historical Museum, Box 235, Brookshire, Texas or telephone (713) 934-2826.

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UP - N - DOWN 290

(From Page One)

Several years later than promised, but welcome nonetheless. Soon we'll have the same luxury on our inbound passage. Now, if they could just finish up in the Jones Road area, wouldn't that be super? Remember back when we used to say that about Mangum Road? And all of the lights along the "old" Hempstead Highway? Each stretch they finish is supposed to make our trip a bit quicker, but I think that all of the additional traffic sometimes takes up the slack.

Since we ran the picture of Teddy, the sheep, on our front page, half of the youngsters in the county have offered to bring their animals

by the shop for picture-taking sessions. I've had to decline, as Jimmy the printer reminds me that I'd probably spend part of the time with my camera, and the rest of my time with a shovel and broom. No thanks, kids. I love animals, but...

Even though the days have been insufferably hot lately, I've noticed just a hint of fall in the air early in the morning. Not much, and not for long, but it's there. I'm beginning to get the football itch, one that can only be satisfied by joining my friends and neighbors in the stands and watching the Bulldogs or the Bobcats have at it. Never did take to watching the USFL games off-season. I guess I'm get-

ting set in my ways, but I need for it to be fall in order to have pigskin fever.

Cheri and I got in our bike ride early Sunday morning, before the rain hit, and we heard the shotguns popping all over the county. Dove season snuck up on me this year, so I made a resolution to pick up my license this

week for sure. Never can tell when someone might invite me to help them defend their land against those birds, and I seldom refuse to aid a friend in need of that kind of help.

Well, if we don't meet in the fields or the football stands, maybe I'll see you up-n-down the road.

Marty

Art Gallery & Gift Shop



Dorothy Romeo poses with a western painting by local artist Betty Dickey Shultz.

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Bernell Kelly, who those in the know predict will achieve national prominence and "in print" status within the year, is an incredibly busy Pine Island artist, whose work sells rapidly in the Houston market. Despite her workload, she has several works (many of them already sold) on display in the gallery and has agreed to a one-woman show and sale, tentatively set for late November.

(A side-line on artist Kelly: Bernell doubles as an artist and as a minister's wife - with all that entails. She's married to Rev. Britton Kelly, well-known not only as pastor of the Pine Island Baptist Church, but for his dedicated work in the formation of that community as an incorporated city. In his "other identity," he is

Hempstead's friendly, local postman - but that's another story).

Betty Dickey Shultz is another local artist whose work has found favor in Houston. She taught a children's class this summer and plans to teach more this year. Betty is a former school teacher who, instead of choosing a reclusive life devoted to painting, has found that she needs the stimulation of being around other people or "my motivation just dries-up."

Lee Fowler is a local artist whose Modigliani-like paintings - one on a large fan - are on display and drawing a lot of interest. She teaches beginner classes each Monday and Wednesday afternoon and Tuesday evenings. Although her abstract works are attention getters, Lee also has a firm

handle on realism and is an effective teacher.

An artists' melee has been going on at the gallery for a few weeks now, according to Dorothy. A teacher-less ensemble has been meeting on Monday evenings to work on projects for exhibition and sale at the Waller County Fair. Anyone can drop by that night for company and encouragement in a private project.

It's difficult to visit the gallery without awakening an urge to either learn or buy. For those who want to indulge an artistic fantasy, the gallery provides not only the teachers, but the essential supplies. Canvases of every size are stacked, vacant and beckoning against a wall. Tubes of oil in every imaginable color lie waiting to spring into life in yearning rows. Brushes, large and small, call to you from yet another display. Palette knives and painting books cry, "put me to use," from their cubicles.

The blank, perfectly-formed woodworkings of our own Buddy Warner absolutely scream for completion through tole painting. And, upstairs, in the loft, sit the Cabbage Patch replicas, clowns, quilts and other

(See Gallery Pg. 7)

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2. Tennessee ("Tennessee Waltz").
3. Pennsylvania ("Pennsylvania Polka").
4. Carolina - North or South ("Carolina In The Morning").
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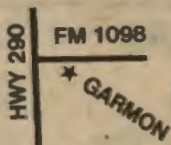


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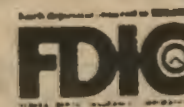
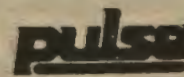
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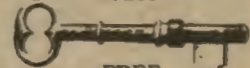
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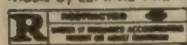
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Margie Sanders stands behind a wise purchase - or what's left of it - Levis 501 Blues'.

By Sallie Planty
When Margie Sanders and husband Charlie made the decision to buy Charlie-Jene's, it fulfilled part of a dream, even though it came a little earlier than expected. Together, they had hoped to own a number of small specialty shops, all next to one another - a Sanders' mini-mall, so to speak. A clothing store was on the agenda, as well as a Christian book store, along with Charlie's Gulf Coast Nursery Waller location. "The clothing store was going to open after our youngest son started school

full-time," Margie muses. "But, he starts kindergarten this Tuesday and here I am, in my own clothing store. Things don't always go exactly according to plan." Three sons weren't in her plans a couple of years ago, either, but when she met Charlie Sanders, she found he came complete with a family. Since their marriage in June of 1983, Margie and the kids have made the necessary adjustments and she finds herself a mother without "the hassles of the long nine months, the birth, and the diaper-changing."

The adjustment to running a clothing store wasn't that difficult, according to Margie, who bought the store and the name from Linda Wood. The clothes Linda ordered before selling the store keep arriving and Margie says she's constantly pleased and amazed at what she finds when she opens the boxes.

"Of course, there are some things I picked out myself - like the Levis 501 Blues," she says. "I would have been foolish to pass them up, with all the great commercials on television doing the selling. I was right, too. Everybody's wearing them."

Margie feels that her store caters more or less to the 15 to 40-year-old woman, with more emphasis on sportswear than dresses, featuring a mid-priced range of popular lines. She still has plans to broaden this range, giving her customers a good selection at affordable prices.

Although she's discontinuing her shoe line (all shoes left in stock are going for 50% off!), Margie is seriously considering getting in a line of mens' wear - jeans and shirts for a start - and would like to carry some petite dresses and other clothes in smaller sizes, as well as maternity clothes.

A lover of jeans, basically, she also confesses to a mania for hats to dress up in.

"It's great to see hats making a comeback," she says. "And since hats are back in style for men, I may just check around and see what the kids are wearing at the first home football game - I mean the ones in the stands, not on the field."

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"Charlie Jene's Is A Dream"

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"One thing I've started that might be of interest to the men is a Personal Shopping Service. It's designed primarily for men shopping for something for their wives, but anybody can use it," says Margie. "It allows a person to order anything - it doesn't have to come from Charlie Jene's - it could be flowers, candy, a book, balloons, flowers, whatever. Then, I do the shopping - and I'll try to get what they want right here in our own area, but I'll go into Houston if I have to to. The next step is gift-wrapping and delivery, if they want me to bring the present to them. I just started the service and I haven't given it too much publicity, but I think it's something people will like."

Margie's little dreams all come to reality a little early, so she and her husband's hope of someday starting a Christian bookstore may not be too far in the future. The Sanders believe in wearing their faith on their sleeves and feel there is a definite need for a bookstore of this type, "even if it starts with a shelf in Charlie Jene's." In the meantime, they show



Margie helps two customers make a tough decision - what do they like best?

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"You have to have faith to go into business," Margie laughs, pointing out that so far God has answered their trust. She notes that husband Charlie says that such trust is good, but God wants a little help.

She says this with her customary giggle and the warm

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Sale Dates: Sept. 4 - 8

Store Wide Specials

Coca Cola Deposit Quarts
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Dinner 12 Oz. 99^c

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Tuna 1/2 79^c

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Towels big roll 53^c

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Ice Cream.... 1/2 Gal.... 2⁷⁹

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Peaches..... 29 Oz..... 89^c

Green Giant
Corn..... 12 Oz..... 39^c

Trail Blazer
Dog Food 25 Lb. 2⁹⁸

Martha White Gladiola
Flour 5 Lb. 89^c

Kraft
Parkay Lb. Qtrs. 59^c

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Cabbage Lb. 15^c

Fresh
Celery Stalk 39^c

Yellow
Onions Lb. 19^c

Russett
Potatoes 8 Lb. 1⁴⁹

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Tomatoes Lb. 55^c

Large
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Lettuce Head 49^c

Frozen Foods

Ora Ida Crinkle Cut
Potatoes 5 Lb. 2⁸⁹

Banquet
Pot Pies 8 Oz. 3/1⁰⁰

Banquet Apple
Pies 20 Oz. 99^c

Pet Ritz 9"
Pie Shells 2 79^c

Meat Department

Rath Summer
Sausage Lb. 1⁵⁹

Rath Chicken
Franks 12 Oz. 65^c

Eckrich Beef
Bologna Lb. 1⁶⁹

Eckrich New England
Ham Lb. 2⁸⁹

Hormel Market Sliced
Bacon Lb. 1⁶⁹

Eckrich Smokey
Links Pkg. 1³⁹

Buddig Sliced
Meats Pkg. 2/97^c

Chuck Steak ... Lb. 1⁶⁹

Chuck Roast ... Lb. 1⁴⁹

Crown Roast ... Lb. 1⁵⁹

Center Cut
Pork Chops Lb. 2³⁹

End Cut
Pork Chop Lb. 1⁵⁹

Rath Picnic
Ham Lb. 95^c

Rath Canned
Ham 3 Lb. 6⁷⁹

U.S.D.A. Boneless
Brisket Lb. 1⁰⁹

Rath Small Bone
Pork Ribs Lb. 1⁵⁹

The Hotline Brainteaser Of The Week...



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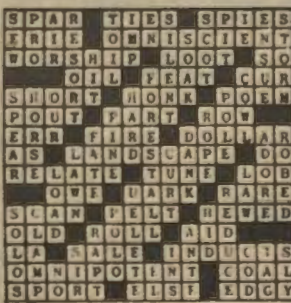
1. Soft metal
4. Tremble
9. Closes
14. Smallest bill
15. Great Lake
16. Coat part
17. Twist together
19. Decorate, as a Christmas tree
21. Negative reply
22. Writing fluid
23. Pile
24. Jump on one foot
25. Water birds
29. Freshwater fish
29. Unfurnished
30. Chop roughly
31. Spinning toys
32. Raced
33. Lifetime
34. Musical instrument
35. Light (a fire)
38. Perform
39. Fixing
41. Man's nickname
42. Whole
44. Win by a —, win narrowly
45. Child's game
46. Monkey
47. Office need
48. Foundation
49. Not false
51. Register; catalog
52. Dog's buried treasures
53. Wheel track
54. Automobiles
55. Dairy animal
56. Actor Pacino
57. Book part
58. Silly
62. Measuring device
64. Map
66. Dove's sound
67. Inclined (to)
68. Carries
69. Conclusion

5. Chunk
6. Exist
7. Boxing term: slang
8. Goes in
9. Slide
10. Sandwich meat
11. Skyward
12. Male voice
13. Incline
18. Blink
20. Knock
23. Joy
24. Clock feature
25. Lamp cover
26. Cart
27. Playing card
28. Mrs. Dithers
29. Slam
31. Adhesive strip
32. Skating place
34. In this place
35. — off, start
36. Rent
37. Borders
39. Ready for harvest
40. Relax
43. Tense
45. Brownish color
47. Guide; lead
48. Dish
49. Vagrant
50. King or queen
51. Fall behind
52. Galoshes
54. Be concerned
55. Apple center
57. Ballpoint
58. Overly plump
59. Frozen water
60. Family member
61. Coal scuttle
63. Toward
65. Santa's syllable

DOWN

1. Foot part
2. Tavern
3. Snare
4. Leg parts

LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE



FOR SALE - 1980 Plymouth Horizon. 32 mpg, air cond., standard trans. - \$1500. Call 885-6237 in Sealy after 5 p.m. or all day weekends. (4-8)

WANTED TO BUY - Used wicker furniture. Please call 826-6406. (5-1f)

FOR SALE-Registered AKC Dobies, 6 wks. old. Call 826-526 or 826-2641 3526 or 826-2641 (5-1f)

FOR LEASE - Commercial building. 3400 sq. ft. masonry brick, next to Waller Medical Clinic. For information, call 372-5400 or (713) 859-2226.

FOR SALE - Infinity ski boat. '77 90 hp Chrysler, pwr tilt & trim. O'Brien skis and rope. Sportsman tilt trailer. 826-3652. (4-8)

FOR SALE - Magic Chef digital 600-4 burner top grill gas stove. Needs cleaning - works good - \$50. (409) 372-9272 or (409) 372-9561. (5-13)

FOR SALE - Paint filly. Sire qualified for AQHA world. Dam: paint champion. Loudly colored overall. Gentle, show quality. 372-9490. (6-9)

FOR SALE - Searay SRU-197 Bow Rider. With 280 h.p. Chev. inboard - outboard, stainless steel prop. Excellent ski and bay boat - 50 m.p.h. plus. 4 wheel tandem trailer. \$8500. 826-2471 (nights 826-2584)

FOR SALE - 35 x 8 ft. GM bus, '67 diesel, 2-speed auto, excellent condition and operation - \$4500. (409) 826-2546 or (409) 826-3427.



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- Winch. Ranger... 12 ga... 189.95
- Winch. 1300XTR... 20 ga... 290.74
- Mossberg 500... 410 ga... 176.50
- Mossberg Cruiser... 12 ga... 172.00

- HAND GUNS

- S&W 19 Blue... .357 mag... 245.00
- S&W 681 S.S. 357 mag... 252.60
- S&W 629 S.S. 44 mag... 425.00
- S&W 459 Blue... .9 mm... 385.90
- Charter Arms Off Duty Bl.38 Spl... 168.90
- Seccamp... 25 ACP... 174.85
- AMT Back Up S.S. 380 ACP... 189.50

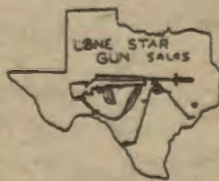
- USED GUNS -

- Remington 1100... 16 ga... 175.50
- Ruger Super Blk. Hwk. Custom... 44 mag... 275.00
- Colt Python V.R. Nk. 8 in. 357 mag... 415.00
- S&W 686 Nk. 4 in. 357 mag... 250

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YARD SALE - Saturday, Sept. 8. Round dinette table, baby bed, headboard, frame, linens & miscellaneous. Y'all Come!! 31714 Waller-Tomball Rd., Waller. (6-7)

FOR SALE - 1974 Chevy truck. Needs work - \$700 negotiable. 372-9816 after 5. (6-9)

FOR SALE - 1969 Dodge Dart. Runs good, will make good work car - \$300. 372-9816 after 5. (6-9)

GREEN ACRES - The little hotel at half-price. Clean, cool, private baths, phones. Cook, wash, etc. A Home Away From Home. 826-2565. (6-10)

FOR SALE - Camper top for small SWB pickup - Courier, Luv, etc. - \$150. Call (409) 826-2803. (6-9)

FOR SALE - Approx. 200 sq. ft. oak parquet flooring - \$100 Two end tables - \$10 each. Bandy flute - \$150. Convalescent potty chair - \$25. Call 372-2349 after 4:30 (6-9)

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Sister is a professional and gifted lady, specializing in stubborn and difficult cases. During many years of prayer, I have brought together many marriages and reunited many who were separated. If you are unhappy, discouraged, or in distress, I can help you.

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Art Gallery Opens In Hempstead

(From Page 2)

handicraft, eyeing you in mute reproach for spending so much time admiring their "cousins" on the main floor. Don't be alarmed if your mind registers these sensations as you browse - it's quite normal.

"People who came to our opening kept registering their amazement," Dorothy Romeo says. "The over-riding comment was, 'We never

thought we'd ever have anything like this in Hempstead.' And I thought, 'why not?' When Tony and I moved here from Houston, it was an area already bursting at the seams with creative people, yet they had to go into Houston for supplies, for galleries, for the company of other artists, for workshops. Why not Hempstead?"

And so, Hempstead has a

gallery, an art supply shop and an art school in one fell swoop. And we haven't even mentioned how it all began.

"Well," says Dorothy during a quiet moment, "I had taken art lessons for three years and enjoyed it so much that when we moved here and I couldn't get any art supplies anywhere nearby, I decided to start this shop. And then..."

FOR SALE - Industrial Pfaff sewing machine - \$450. Excellent condition. Ray Lea at 826-8603 before 8 a.m. or after 7 p.m. (5-1f)

FOR SALE - Antique Volkswagen, price negotiable. Call 826-8306 after 3 or 372-3641 and ask for Rose. (5-7)

FOR SALE - Pick up side rails, wood grain in lathe, excellent condition. Can be used on long or short bed truck - \$40. Call 826-3750. (5-1f)

FOR SALE - 1983 Olds Delta 88 Royal excellent condition. Loaded. 21,000 miles. Call 372-9843. (5-1f)

FOR SALE - IBM legal size carriage typewriter. Needs ribbon and minor repairs - \$50. Call 826-8306 after 3 or 372-3641 and ask for Rose. (5-7)

FOR SALE - Allis Chalmers maintainer - Model D. Call (409) 372-3006.

FOR SALE - Registered Limousin bulls. Call 826-8307.

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Community Calendar

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Alpha Phi Alpha Waller Masonic Lodge Waller Vol. Fire Dept. Waller Lion's Club Waller Lioness Club Order of Eastern Star-Waller City Council - Waller City Council - Hempstead Delta Sigma Theta (During School Year) Waller I.S.D. School Board Prairie View Retired Teachers Assn. Prairie View Kiwanis Club Prairie View Athletic Club City of Prairie View Council North Waller County Republican Women's Club	1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m. 2nd Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Thursday, 7:00 p.m. 1st & 3rd Monday 2nd Monday 7:30 p.m. 1st Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. 2nd Monday, 8:00 p.m. 4th Monday, 6:00 p.m. 1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m. 2nd Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. 3rd Wednesday, 1:30 p.m. Each Thursday noon. Every Sunday, 7 p.m. 4th Monday, City Hall, 7:30 p.m. 1st Tuesdays.
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FOR SALE- Gemtop Camper for long wheel base truck. Good Condition. \$150. Call 826-6297 (5-tf)

FOR SALE - Small love seat, headboard, one full box springs and mattress. Call 372-3651 between 8 a.m. & 5 p.m. or 372-3910 after 5. (4-tf)

FOR SALE- Doberman AKC, 3 red females, black male with rainbow back ground. \$250. & \$300. Cash or credit card. Call 826-8227 - 10 a.m - 5 p.m.

FOR SALE - Sharp plain copy machine, cost \$2000, will sell for \$750. Call 885-6237 in Sealy after 5 p.m. or all day weekends. (4-8)

FOR SALE - '76 Pontiac Grand Prix. Good tires, air - runs excellent. Great work car - roomy. \$1500. Call Richard at (409) 826-3968.

FOR SALE- Multivox electric piano - \$375. 100w Univox amp and 2 speaker boxes 2/4 - 12" in each, \$375. Will consider trade. 372-3389.

FOR SALE- 1975 Ford 3/4 ton. Pick-up - White, good condition. \$1500. Call 826-3334 or 825-3431 after 4 p.m. (5-7)

FOR SALE - Cabbage Patch look-alike dolls - \$20 in diapers, \$25 dressed up. 372-2805. (6-9)

WANTED TO LEASE- Land for cows or haymeadow or both. Will develop? Call collect: (409) 826-6579.

WOULD YOU LIKE To get Free Jewelry? Call me and I'll tell you how. Marlene Martin, Sarah Coventry Rep., (409) 372-3590.

FOR SALE - 19" cut electric lawn mower - used very little - \$100; Nice green swivel rocking chair - \$40; walnut finish deacon's bench - \$70; 10-gallon stainless steel water can - \$25. Call 826-2516. (4-tf)

FOR SALE - Broodmare in foal to Supreme Champion: Goodseeker Bars (a son of Three Bars). Has points in 7 events. 15.3 hands and heavy bodied. Gentle and sound to ride. 372-9490. (6-9)

FOR SALE- '57 Pontiac Nomad station wagon. 2-door. No reasonable offer refused. 372-9302.

LOSE WEIGHT SENSIBLY! Join TOPS. Meets weekly on 3rd floor of Courthouse, Thursdays at 7 p.m. For information, call Doris McMillan at 826-3624. (6-9)

FOR SALE - Smith Corona electric typewriter in good condition - \$50. Also custom painted canoe - \$100. Two-month old Philco 9" B&W AC/DC television - plugs into socket or car lighter. Under full warranty, in perfect condition - ideal for camping & hunting - \$75. Call 826-2135 between 10 & 4. (6-9)

REWARD - For any information leading to the recovery of a 1977 orange & tan Ford truck stolen from RR Right-Of-Way at Hockley, Aug. 23, between 12:45 & 2:30 p.m. Call (409) 372-5140. (6-8)

12 x 60 OAKMONT - Mobile home. 2-br, 1 1/2 bath, very clean. 826-2403 days, 372-9784 nights.

BUTCHER CALVES - or feeders for sale. 6 to 7 months old, wt. 450 to 500 lbs. 826-2948. (6-)

FOR SALE - Honda 50 road bike, like new, very few miles. Engine in excellent condition - \$350 cash. 826-3334. (6-9)

AKC YORKSHIRE - Terrier for sale. Female, 1 yr. old, will make good breeder. Blue/gold - \$100. 826-3291. (6-9)

FOR SALE- Girl's bicycle \$15. 857-3391.

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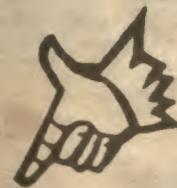
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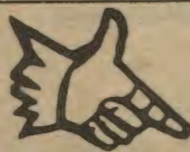


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