

The PEOPLE'S FORUM

Weeks Family Still Winning Contests

I've Been Wrong Before

By Gordon S. Clark

Some people will put up with almost anything but there are others who strike back if they can. It was this fact that caused me to be more cautious with a certain man who came into the office. I tried hard to be nice to almost everybody but some more so. Thus, when one left angry after talking to first another employee and then to the manager I said "Oh oh. I wish you hadn't riled that one."

"Why is he any different than some other clod?" the employee asked.

"Because in service he was a full bird colonel," I said, "and most get there by being hand shaking, back patting, string pullers. So if he goes to the top, don't be surprised."

Sure enough, about a week later the manager asked how I rated a good word from a complainant who wrote state headquarters and knocked every other person in that office.

I said that maybe he didn't want to look like someone who hated everybody or maybe he didn't want to pick on a disabled man. The manager didn't seem to buy that but I was glad I had never seen that get outside the office for if I had ever

been so much as seen lifting a cup of coffee with him the boss might have felt hard toward me.

The whole thing blew over eventually but I think somebody learned that you must be more careful about "shooting from the hip". There is a difference between being fearless and being foolish. There are times when as the saying goes, "Discretion can be the better part of valor."

Call it giving honor where honor is due. Oh fudge. I give out the very sort of advice I never listened to when I was younger? I was about the most insubordinate swab in a Sea Bee outfit which was never known for military courtesy. I never considered myself as climbing a career ladder any where or any time but for those who get careless about who they disdain you can be, they may find grease on the rungs of said ladder.

Lights From The Christian World

By Josephine Cleveland

Jesus said, "And you shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free (John 8:31)."

Recently I heard Chuck Colson speak. Colson, a former Washington D. C. lawyer, now heads a Christian ministry. He told why he believed in Jesus Christ. While he was a White House aide he was involved in Watergate. He spent 18 mon-

ths in prison as a result of his involvement. While in prison he read the Bible through and discovered the story of Jesus. He was an agnostic.

He read the prophesy of the coming of the Messiah. This prophesy correlated with the life of Jesus Christ. Being a skeptic he continued to pursue his question, "Is Jesus the Son of God? Did he in fact arise from the dead? Or is this only hearsay? If he is the Son of God, he reasoned, everything Jesus said must be truth.

During Watergate there were only a small handful of men involved, but many who knew Jesus witnessed to Jesus' life and resurrection. Yet the few involved in Watergate could not stick to their story. At first they did, but over the months, they changed their account. They were inconsistent in their public account of what really happened. Due to harassment by the press and others, they became fearful of the consequences, and changed their testimony.

As he read the Biblical account he noticed that there was a consistency in everyone's testimony of Jesus birth, life, death, and resurrection. Jesus was seen by many after His resurrection. None of these witnesses during their life span, although many were martyred for their testimony, were inconsistent.

They continued to witness to the fact that Jesus lived, died and arose. They said that they had actually seen Jesus after His resurrection.

It seemed to Chuck Colson that Jesus is in fact the Son of God and His Word is truth. Chuck Colson became a believer.

Sipe Springs Musical

Lone Cedar Golf Scramble

A musical will be held in the Sipe Springs Community Center September 5, at 7:00 p.m.

All friends and musicians are encouraged to attend.

Tuesday Night Ladies Bowling

There will be a golf scramble at Lone Cedar Country Club on Sunday, September 6. Tee off time is 1 p.m. and eighteen holes will be played.

The Tuesday Night Ladies League at the Eastland County Bowling Center begins September 8, 1987. Interested lady bowlers will need to be present by 6:30 p.m. to sign up and get a WBIC sanction card. Bowling will start at 7 p.m.

Bob Weeks and his sons Robert Jr. and Brandy - as well as Raymond Hart of Ranger - have continued to represent Eastland County extremely well at all the Fiddler's Contests in this area.

After a lot of winnings earlier in the summer, the Weeks and Hart, a guitar player, attended the big contest at the Peach and Melon Festival in DeLeon on Aug. 7. There Robert Jr., 10, won first in his division, which was from age 12 down.

Bob Weeks got fourth place in his division. "It looks like my boy beat me on this one," chuckles Bob, who

taught both of his sons how to play the violin.

But Bob Weeks' time was coming, as it always does. On Aug. 15 he went over to Alvarado with Hart, and won first place at the annual County Fair. Around 1500 spectators attended this contest.

The next contest was at Belton on Aug. 22. The Weeks traveled there for the Texas Association of Fiddle Players State Championship Competition.

Bob Weeks was awarded second in this big one, with Robert fourth and Brandy seventh.

Extension Homemakers Council To Meet Sept. 2

The Eastland County Extension Homemakers Council will meet Wednesday, September 2, at 2 p.m. in the Eastland National Bank, community room.

Fall activities will be planned and discussed. All club Presidents and Council Delegates are urged to attend. The 1988 County

T.E.H.A. chairman will be elected.

Following council, there will be a brief meeting of the delegates and alternates to the State T.E.H.A. meeting which will be held on September 22-24.

Mrs. Dorothy Underwood, Council Chairman, will be in charge of the meeting.

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Then came a contest in Santa Anna, with Bob Weeks awarded first and Robert and Brandy both placing. On Aug. 29 there was also a big regional Contest in Eunice, New Mexico, and Bob Weeks placed second there.

Besides all these contests, the Weeks family has played for a number of entertainments this summer. It all adds up to a busy time for the violin-playing family.

But Bob Weeks says he is not through with contests - on Oct. 3 he will assist James Wright with a Fiddler's Contest for the Eastland County Fair. It will be at 7 p.m. in the Majestic Theatre.

This event is certain to draw in a lot of those players Bob Weeks has met at other Contests around the state. And, win or lose - their main desire will be just to listen to some good music.

Marriage Laws

Beginning September 1, the legislature has forbidden marriage between cousins, and after January 1, there will be a waiting period before a couple can marry.

After Jan. 1, there will be a 72 hour waiting period after a marriage license is issued before the marriage can be performed, but the marriage must take place within thirty days of the issue date or another license must be obtained.

To obtain a marriage license, bring a certified birth certificate or a current drivers license and your Social Security card to the

county clerk's office along with twenty-five dollars in cash.

If you are between fourteen and eighteen, a parent who has legal custody of you or a legal guardian with a certified appointment decree in hand must sign for you.

Divorce decree papers from a previous marriage may be used in place of a parents signature, or you may be able to obtain a District Court order granting permission.

The fee is split between County and Children's Trust Fund.

New Aerobic Classes To Begin September 8

Marilyn Beggs will begin new aerobic classes on September 8th. They will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to

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Sept. 10	Blinn Jr. College.....	There
Sept. 19	Ranger.....	Breckenridge
Sept. 24	Howard Payne JV.....	There
Oct. 3	Trinity Valley.....	Home
Oct. 10	Open	
Oct. 17	Tyler Jr. College.....	There
Oct. 24	Navarro Jr. College.....	There
Oct. 31	Kilgore Jr. College.....	Home
Nov. 7*	Blinn Jr. College.....	Home
Nov. 14	Ranger Jr. College.....	Eastland

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Cisco High School Lobo Varsity Schedule

Sept. 4	Anson.....	There	8:00 P.M.
Sept. 11	Merkel.....	There	8:00 P.M.
Sept. 18	Early.....	Home	8:00 P.M.
Sept. 25	Roscoe.....	Home	8:00 P.M.
Oct. 2	Albany.....	There	8:00 P.M.
Oct. 9	Dublin.....	Home	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 16	Eastland.....	There	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 23*	Ranger.....	Home	7:30 P.M.
Oct. 30	DeLeon.....	There	7:30 P.M.
Nov. 6	Hico.....	Home	7:30 P.M.

*Homecoming

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Wranglers
VS
Panhandle
Junior College**

Junior Varsity And Junior High Schedule

Sept. 3	Anson.....	Home	-6:30 P.M.
Sept. 10	Merkel.....	Home	-6:30 P.M.
Sept. 17	Early.....	There	-5:00 P.M.
Sept. 24	TBA		-TBA
Oct. 1	Albany.....	Home	-5:00 P.M.
Oct. 8	Dublin.....	There	-5:00 P.M.
Oct. 15	Eastland.....	Home	-5:00 P.M.
Oct. 22	Ranger.....	There	-5:00 P.M.
Oct. 29	DeLeon.....	Home	-5:00 P.M.
Nov. 5	Hico.....	Home	-5:00 P.M.

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County History Deadline

DEADLINE: OCT. 15, 1987
GENERAL

1. When completed, submit your family stories to one of the Chambers of Commerce (Cisco, Eastland, Gorman, Ranger, and Rising Star). Begin Now. Communities such as Olden, Scranton, Desdemona, etc. submit your family stories to the Chamber of Commerce located nearest you.

2. Do not ASSUME someone else is writing your family's story. Check with your other relatives to make sure someone is writing your parents, grandparents, etc., story.

3. You are not obligated to buy a book if you submit a story. It will be in the book whether you purchase one or not.

THE STORY

4. Limit your story to about 500 words per generation (two typewritten pages, double-spaced). Your immediate family is a story;

your parents, a story; and your grandparents is a separate story, etc.

5. The person writing the story should place their name and address at the top of the page. The Family name should be at the beginning of the story.

6. Type your history on standard typing paper (8 1/2 x 11 inches). Leave at least 1 inch margins. If you cannot type your story, we want it anyway. Take it to the Chamber of Commerce and the local committees will see that it gets typed.

7. Please submit TWO copies. One copy will be sent to the publisher and other copy will be retained by the local committees.

PHOTOS

8. A family photo will enhance your history so please submit one if available. Photos of early, as well as present family members add much to your family history.

9. Old heirloom photographs are wanted. HOWEVER, take your old photographs to a local photographer and get a copy made. Submit the COPY to us because your old photograph might get lost.

10. On a separate sheet of paper, please identify the persons in the photograph from left to right. If known, please give the date the photo was taken.

INDEX

11. On a separate sheet of paper, please record the FULL names of all persons mentioned in the story. This will help the local committees when the index of the book is compiled.

SUMMARY

12. The local Eastland County committees want this history to be the best book ever published on a Texas County. If you do not submit your history the book will be incomplete, so please begin now.

13. We want a history on every family, both past and present, that ever resided in Eastland County. Length of residence in the county makes no difference. You may have been in the county for only two or three years but your children attend school here. This will always be their home, so you owe it to them and your later generations to submit your story.

14. Meetings will be held throughout the county next

month. The meeting dates will be publicized in the newspaper and on radio. Feel free to attend these meetings and become involved. If you have information on the history of any of the communities in the county, please contact one of the Chambers of Commerce so that this information can be included in the book. You do not have to attend a meeting, however, in order to submit your family history.

15. If you have questions, please call Ron Bailey after 6:00 p.m. at 817-629-2365.

16. Remember - your family histories are wanted, but they will not be included in this book unless YOU turn them in. So please start now! Thank you.

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Fishing Outdoors

Terry L. Wilson

O.K. anglers the Eastland County Bass Club is offering that moment we all look for. The chance to pre fish Lake Leon prior to the shut of date leading to the sporting event of the year for our area. The 12th annual open Bass Tournament on Lake Leon, September 13, 1987.

The open jackpot can be fished by anyone who is not a guide on Lake Leon or who has not been disqualified in any other fishing or hunting related event. September 6th prior to 6 a.m. contestants may register at Chock-O-Block. Entry fee will be \$10.00 plus an optional \$5.00 big bass pot. This will be a five fish 14 inches or longer, you may weigh in less than but not more than five fish. The E.C.B.C. request you release all short fish quickly and safely.

For more information on the Open Jackpot or the Open Invitational you may contact Eddie Green, president of the E.C.B.C. at 629-2184.

And how's fishing at Lake Leon, great! One angler Saturday had five fish for a total weight of near 15 pounds. And he wasn't alone folks, another party of two were able to land a fish over 14 inches, up to 5 pounds. And with recent rains and cooler weather things can only get better.

Speaking of weather, the following are some tips we hope might help you when severe weather crops up, "Texas Style."

Getting caught "in a Texas blow" might have been an exhilarating experience in the movies of a generation ago, but it's not much fun in

real life.

Today's pleasure boats can handle surprising heavy weather safely, but it's the discomfort that you don't need. Avoid being out in a boat during a storm if at all possible.

The best way to do that is to stay tuned to a U.S. Weather Service or commercial radio station for forecasts. In the event the forecast is "iffy," stay home or boat close to shore so you can get to shelter quickly. This seems like obvious advice, but every summer the Coast Guard has to rescue boaters during storm (as do other individuals and authorities) that were expected and forecast.

In addition to getting forecasts, a product boat skipper keeps his "weather eye peeled." The disadvantage a boater has - there's no shelter in open water - is offset by his visibility advantage. Because there are no visual obstructions when he's in open water, he can see the cloud formations on the horizon which warn of bad weather.

Watch the western horizon, the direction from which most of our weather

comes. When a cloud begins to thicken and grow vertically, there's a chance of a shower. If it continues to grow darker and spread, you may be watching the development of a thunderstorm. (Sometimes the taller clouds have anvil-shaped tops; that's a sign of dangerous thunderstorms) head for shore without delay.

If you boat a lot, you'll probably get caught in rough water at sometime or other. When it happens to you slow down. Accept your fate and resign yourself to getting back slowly but safely. Get everyone aboard into a life jacket or vest. Although designed to keep a person afloat in the water, a vest will also protect the wearer from bruises during the bumpy ride.

If the water gets really rough, head into the swells at a slight angle. Throttle back to the point where you are only maintaining steering control. "Quarling" into the waves will help you ride out almost any squall.

Safe boating and good fishing till next time. And remember kids love fishing, too!

Terry L. Wilson

Thunderstorms Bring Rain

Thunderstorms swirled around Eastland County Sunday evening bringing rain accompanied by winds and an electrical display.

The official rainfall recorded for Eastland was 2.51 inches, while rainfall was reported around the county ranging from 4 inches in Olden to 1.6 inches in Ranger. In Cisco 2 3/4 inches

was reported and rain to the south of Cisco and Eastland was thought to be heavier.

Reports of lightning burning out appliances included the public address system at Camp Inspiration Church of God. The church's system was knocked out during services Sunday evening when lightning struck the sanctuary's steeple.

But the much needed rain should revive the grass and vegetation while the running creeks add water to local water supplies. And the rains seem to be changing the weather from summer to fall.

Electricity was off for an hour and phone service was out south of Cisco-Eastland area.

Thursday,
September 3, 1987

NEWSPAPER DEADLINES

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4-H NEWS

By Crystal Wilbanks, County Agent

Saturday, August 8, the 4-H had a dog dip.

The money went into the 4-H funds to help pay for 4-H outings.

There was a really good turn out. We dipped over 50 dogs and made a big amount of money from the donations.

On August 10-11, the 4-H had a 4-H Leadership training clinic at the State 4-H Center in Brownwood.

They had training sessions on president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, reporter and council delegates duties.

Among other sessions, they had teaching in areas of parliamentary procedure, and the duties of palmentarians.

There were 4-H'ers from Eastland, Comanche, and Hood counties.

On August 24th, the 4-H had a Rally Day for kids to sign up for 4-H.

There were demonstrations on different projects that they could get involved with through 4-H. Afterwards we had a hot dog supper.

Welcome to all of the new 4-H members.

Thanks to Gary Teagues for having the clinic on the horses for 4-H.

We hope you will come again to hold another clinic.

Kari L. Schuyler
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Large frame two story home on 3/4 acre of land with 4

bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, nice kitchen. 824 Blackwell Rd. \$25,000.00

Frame two bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, separate dining room, kitchen/utility room, fenced back yard, \$16,500.00

Home on 2 lots with 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, large kitchen, living dining room comb. This place has 4 lots behind with 8 trailer hook-ups. Priced to sell.

Frame two bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, separate dining room on 1 1/2 lots. Priced to sell 313 First St. \$6,500.

Three bedrooms, nice bath, large kitchen, utility room, living room with wood burning stove, good garden spot. \$18,000.

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Jewell Cemetery Assoc.

The Jewell Cemetery Association will meet Saturday, September 12, 10:00 a.m. in the Gorman Hotel Apartments. Everyone is urged to attend.

Public Service Announcement

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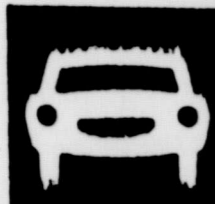


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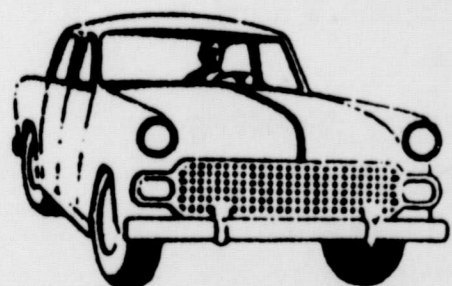



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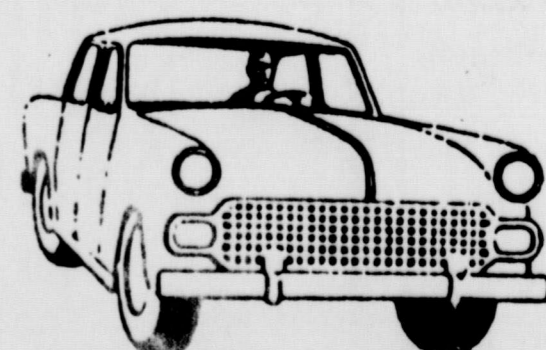



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People n Things

CISCO HAS A good chance of being selected as the site for the Central Texas Methodist Conference's Aldergate Enrichment Center. That's the opinion of local officials after the church's site committee visited here last Friday, inspected the community and heard proposals offered by Cisco. Seventeen cities were to be inspected before a decision is made as to the location.

Mr. Eris Ritchie, who attended the meeting, told us that "Cisco can be proud of the presentation made to the site committee by Chairman Dick Woolley, CofC Manager Don Shepard and their committee. The group met first at the Hilton Community Center and the committee was real impressed with the Center. Next, they went to Cisco Junior College for an inspection and video presentation. And, finally, they gathered at the First United Methodist Church for the concluding session.

The site committee will visit the 17 cities that are seeking the Center. The group will submit three cities to the Central Texas Conference. The three cities will be re-inspected before a final location is decided on, probably by October 1, Cisco folks were told.

The Cisco proposal included 160 acres of land to be donated by the B. B. Owens Trust. It is located east of town on Highway 80 - across from the old clay pot plant and adjoining Ralph Berry's place. The site committee was real impressed with the warmth of Cisco folks and of community spirit, reported Chairman Woolley.

SOME 35 POST office folks, including wives, attended a dinner at the Cisco Steak House Monday night to wish Mr. Bill Eudy many happy retirement years. Bill formally concluded his 36-year career of federal service, including 20 years in the U. S. Navy, and turned in his keys to the mail man's jeep Monday, Aug. 31.

The post office folks gave Bill a gift certificate and Postmaster Wiley Cox presented him with a service award. Mr. Wayne Taggart of the post office staff will take over Mr. Eudy's job of delivering mail around town in a jeep. Mr. Cox said they would be interviewing applicants for a post office vacancy beginning Thursday.

DR. AYRES Cermin and his missus were back on the job out at the Cermin Medical Offices Monday after spending the past week traveling out west. They went to the Grand Tetons, those beautiful mountains in the Rockies of Wyoming and other states.

Real purpose of the trip was to attend a medical conference, but the fact that the conference was held in the Teton country was probably an influencing factor in attracting doctors. While out west, the Cermins took in Yellowstone National Park and assorted other places of scenic beauty.

YOU MISSED A de luxe football program if you weren't at Chesley Field last Saturday morning. The Cisco Junior College football squad of some 126 players and McMurry College's squad of 100 or so held a scrimmage session.

There were teams from each school on each 35-yard line, each offense moving (or trying to) toward the goal line in their end of the field - offense of one school and defense of the other. And they literally kept two football games going for nearly two hours. There really was a field full of football players, and it was interesting to watch.

The CJC squad's first two units went over to Brownwood Saturday afternoon and scrimmaged Howard Payne College. If you had been keeping the score, Cisco would have won by a score of 17 to 10.

DOVE HUNTING got off to a good start hereabouts Monday. Hear several hunters say they got their limit of 12 birds early and went home. With cooler weather, the northern birds should begin drifting into our country before long.

I-20 that runs through our

country is again the dividing line between Dove Hunting Zones North and South. If you're hunting south of I-20 you can shoot doves Sept. 1 to Oct. 30. But if you go hunting north of I-20, your hunting season begins Sept. 1 and ends Nov. 9th.

MR. AND MRS. Bill Collins spent most of the past week in San Angelo and were back there Monday at the bedside of their son-in-law, Roy Dodds, who was injured seriously in a pickup accident a couple of weeks or so ago. His wife Maedean had minor injuries but is able to help care for her husband. Mrs. Fannie Jeffries of Waurika, Okla., is spending a few days in Cisco with her sister, Mrs. Bill Austin. The Rev. David Adkins, former pastor of First Methodist Church here, is now pastor of Ridgely Methodist Church in Fort Worth. He went from here to Waco and moved to Fort Worth last June.

LOCAL AMERICAN Legion Post leaders are taking their hats off to a Boy Scout troop that has done a good job of cutting the grass and weeding around the Legion Hall. The Post recently gave the Scouts permission to hold their meeting there and the Scouts volunteered to clean up the grounds.

Understand they're planning to see about cleanup at the small park back of the Legion Hall. It is an old park with quite a history.

SAW CREWS of men volunteers working at the Assembly of God Church on 7th Street and the New Life Tabernacle on West 17th Street last weekend. Phil Fry, who recently completed work for a degree from Southwestern University at San Marcos, has been employed for sometime by a sirloin steak franchised place there. And he was in Cisco last weekend en route to Wichita Falls where he has been transferred with a nice promotion. He is the son of the Jammie Frys.

SEE BY THE sports page that David Dacus, CJC's number one quarterback last year, is running first string as quarterback of the University of Houston Cougars of the Southwest Conference. And James Dixon, a star wingback with CJC the past two years, has made the team as a wingback. The Ritz Restaurant in Cisco has an attractive signboard on I-20 east of town. It calls attention to their business near the restored first Hilton Hotel. Makes a good impression.

COACHES OF District 13-AA in which our Loboes play have selected De Leon by a narrow margin to win this year's district race. De Leon edged out Eastland but

just barely, reports Sports Writer Bill Hart of the Abilene newspaper, who conducted the survey.

According to the coaches' poll as reported by Mr. Hart, Eastland will come in second and Dublin third. Ranger, Hico and Cisco also play in the district.

Teams of the district open the 1987 season this coming Friday night in non-conference games. Cisco will be at Anson where Mr. Buddy Sharp makes his debut as the Loboes' head man.

Ruth York Has Highest Total Of Points At Cisco Writers Club Award Presentation

Ruth York might be said to have swept the boards at the awards of the Cisco Writers Club presentation of prizes in the Community Room of Cisco's First National Bank Tuesday night.

Ruth had the highest total of points to take the David

Autry Memorial Sweepstakes, but she was only one point ahead of sister club member, Duluth Jackson. It is interesting to note that Ms. Jackson was only one point ahead of HER closest competitor, Shirley Strawn. All three writers are members of the club, but the judges did know which entries were club members or not.

Ruth York also received the Lou Prange Memorial Award for writing the first-place article in the Inspirational category.

Categories, winners, and the title of entries follow: Articles: General, Jo Baldwin, "Sewing From the Heart," First; Ruth York, "Mother's Seed Quilt," Second; Bettie Townsend, "Reminiscing," Third.

Historical Articles: Mary Ann Ziehr, "Lena Quade," First; Shirley Strawn, "Susanna Dickinson: Woman of Courage," Second.

Inspirational Article: Ruth York, "Manna From

Heaven," First; Shirley Strawn, "The Gift of Life," Second; Marie Boney, "A True Gift," Third; Shirley Strawn, "Christ Found Her on Death Row," H.M.

Books: Three published books were entered in this category. The judge suggested that, because of such differences in subject matters and physical appearance, that each book be given an award unless ranking was necessary to decide the Sweepstakes Award.

This was done, and Mary Ann Ziehr, Mary Carey and Carol Barnhill are recipients of this year's book award with "Up the German Road" by Ziehr; "The Galloping Ghost" by Barnhill, and "Jane's Texas," by Carey.

Columns: Shirley Strawn, "To Err Is Beautiful... Sometimes," First; Lela Latch Lloyd, "Thanks to a Feature Writer," Second; and Jackie Kincheloe, "The Institutional Impact," Third.

Juvenile: Ruth York, "Pudgy's Discovery," First.

Poetry: Light Verse: Duluth Jackson, "Little Rabbit in My Garden," First; Jennifer Lawson, "Forever, Always and How," Second; John Oates, "Clumsy Clown," Third.

Modern: Carla Weber, "My Fear," First; Gregg Greer, "The Shortest War," Second; Kara McFadden Pounds, "To Which I've Become Accustomed," Third; Frances Estes, "Miss Finley Dee," Honorable Mention; Gregg Greer, "Time in a Spraycan," H.M.; Duluth Jackson, "Winter Musings," H.M.

Short Shots: Janice Casey, "God, Bruce, and the Pillows," First; Ruth Schaefer Stewart, "Behind the Times?" Second; Lela Latch Lloyd, "To Go or Not To Go," Third; Ruth York, "Proposal," H.M.

Short Stories: Marie Boney, "That Saturday Child," First; Greg Greer, "Luck of the Susan B." Second; John Oates, "Two By Too Much," Third; Ruth York, "Love's Crucible," H.M.

Most of the judges sent individual comments on each entry in the various categories. Such comment is helpful to the writer in correcting bad writing habits or to give a new slant to familiar material. Aside from numbers, the judges are half of contests as they represent the editors at whom the writers are taking aim.

Congressman Stenholm Announces Guests

Congressman Charles Stenholm recently announced the names of his colleagues from Washington who will be his guests during the weekend of his ninth annual FUNDAY, September 12.

For the past several years, members of Congress from across the nation have attended FUNDAY and all feel it is mutually beneficial. Visiting this year will be Speaker of the House of Representatives Jim Wright, Bob Matsui of California, Steny Hoyer of Maryland, and Marcy Kaptur of Ohio.

"We make certain that they visit Dyess Air Force Base and see something of our problems in agriculture and oil production", Stenholm said.

"More important than all of this, we want them to meet our hometown friends. Cindy and I want everyone who possibly can make it to come to FUNDAY on Saturday, September 12th," Stenholm concluded.

The food line will begin to serve at 4:30 p.m. The Eriksdahl picnic grounds are east of Stamford near the Stenholm farm. Nearby is the Eriksdahl Lutheran church and the community where the Stenholm family has lived for three generations. A western band will provide music. There will be good food, visiting, some politicking, and plenty of cold watermelon.

Tickets for the annual FUNDAY may be purchased from the Stenholm for Congress office in Stamford, Box 1032, 79553 or by telephone, 915/773-5521.

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