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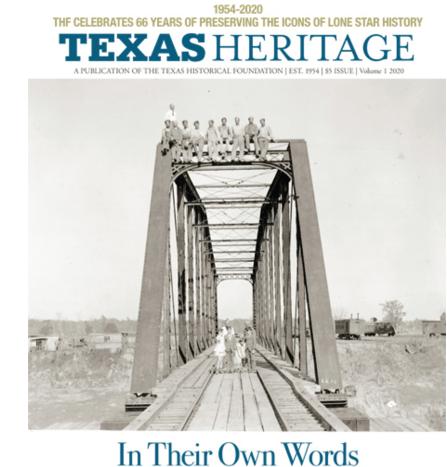
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### The Voices of East Texas | Concentration Camp Liberators Speak

### **Hot Off the Press!** Conducting oral histories—recording the words of those who lived

**Texas HERITAGE Celebrates Oral History-**

through certain experiences or events—can add context and nuance to the hard facts of history. The latest issue of the award-winning THF Texas HERITAGE magazine, which spotlights oral histories, has now arrived in

mailboxes. The publication showcases the oral history collection of The History Center in Diboll, which has recorded and transcribed interviews with the people of East Texas since the 1950s. Another highlighted project, this one by the Baylor Institute for Oral History, shines a light on the recollections of World War II service members from Texas who liberated concentration camps. <u>Learn more by joining THF today</u>. Every membership comes with a subscription to **Texas HERITAGE magazine**.



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#### Rushing, Michael Sparks, Mary Lynn Rushing, and Julie Sparks (holding the check on the left) presented a grant gift to

representatives of the Austin County Museum Association in Bellville. THF funds will cover the expense of architectural drawings

needed to estimate installation costs for a heating/air conditioning system in the historic jail.



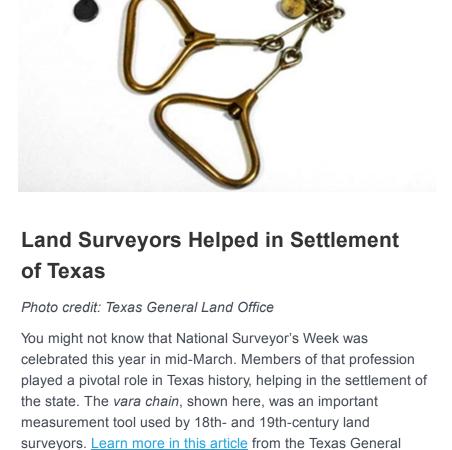
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# **Grants Deadlines Announced**

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Since 1990, more than 300 historic preservation projects have received funding from the Texas Historical Foundation. Proposals are reviewed quarterly; upcoming deadlines for THF grant consideration are: JUNE 1 ANNOUNCED MID-JULY

**SEPTEMBER 1** 

**DECEMBER 1** ANNOUNCED MID-JANUARY

ANNOUNCED MID-APRIL

# ANNOUNCED MID-OCTOBER

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