

Ed LaMar selected and installed the new stereo receiver and speakers for the Bell Memorial Public Library in Mentone. (News Photo)

Bell Library receives new equipment

Bell Memorial Public Library's Friends organization has recently purchased a stereo receiver and speakers for the library. The set is intended to provide background music throughout the building to mask the noise of daily activi-

ties and to provide weather alerts for the staff.

Ed LaMar, TVHS Media Director, who is a member of the public library's Friends group, selected and installed the equipment.

Bell Library offers camera loans

There are plenty of good reasons for going to Bell Library-great novels, genealogical materials, valuable reference books and Polaroid instant sun cameras that can be borrowed free of charge.

What are cameras doing in the public library?

"As of today, they're part of our circulating collection," said Librarian, Madeleine Fisher. "Like our books, magazines and records, they're here for the public to use and enjoy."

Mrs. Fisher says that persons fourteen years of age or older with a valid library number may borrow a camera for up to two weeks (the library's loan duration). Patrons must supply their own film.

This service is being provided through a cooperative program between the library and the Polaroid Company.