

ANYONE INTERESTED IN ECONOMY?

Look at the Results of Recent E.P.A. Certification Tests

Vega panel gets top fuel economy in EPA derby

WASHINGTON—The Chevrolet Vega Panel Express, equipped with a two-barrel carburetor, posted the best gas mileage for 1975 light trucks in the city-driving derby conducted by the Environmental Protection Agency.

EPA certification data credited it with 22 miles per gallon. The same truck tied with the one-barrel Vega Panel Express and the Datsun pickup in EPA's highway-driving test, with fuel economy of 31 MPG.

The top ten trucks in city driving were:	The top ten trucks in highway driving were:
1. Chevrolet Vega Panel Express (22)	1. Chevrolet Vega Panel Express (31)
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3. Datsun pickup (20)	3. Datsun pickup (31)
4. Chevrolet LUV pickup (19)	4. Chevrolet LUV pickup (27)
5. Toyota Hilux (18)	5. Toyota Hilux (26)
6. VW bus (Wagon, Kombi, Panel) (18)	6. Dodge pickup (26)
7. Toyota Hilux camper (17)	7. Dodge van (26)
8. Jeep (17)	8. VW bus (Wagon, Kombi, Panel) (25)
9. AM General postoffice vehicle (17)	9. Toyota Hilux camper (25)
10. Dodge pickup (16)	10. Toyota Hilux camper (25)

We Have The Chevrolet Vega And Chevrolet LUV Pick-up

Waiting For Your Selection

- 4 - 1974 Chevrolet LUV Pick-ups At Deflation Prices
- 3 - 1974 Vegas At Deflation Prices

LAKE MOTORS INC.

234-2513 Eagle Lake
CHEVROLET OLDSMOBILE CADILLAC

Radars Units

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cies can check for speeding only if in a stationary position. The new units will enable the officers to check the speed of vehicles while moving and this is expected to be a big aid in controlling the speed of vehicles on the highways and roads in this county. Some discussion followed on how the units are to be paid for. Precinct 3 Commissioner Crockett Leyendecker argued that the units should be paid for out of the general fund and not from revenue sharing. Precinct 1 Commissioner Hill Stiles said he would like to see the units paid for through revenue sharing funds but added that he would not object to how the units are paid for as long as they are purchased.

2 Charged With Possession Of Marijuana

Charges of possession of marijuana were filed in county court last Friday against two men, John Holland and Luffy Bros. Hall.

Highway Patrolman Ray Stalling of Columbus was the arresting officer.

Fire Tuesday At Gilbert Home

Eagle Lake volunteer firemen responded to an alarm at the Bud Gilbert residence at 107 West State Street at 10:45 a.m. Tuesday. A faulty light fixture was reported as the cause of some smoke in the home. Damage was reported to be minor.

ASSAULT CHARGE

A charge of assault was filed in county court this week against Otto Bros. It is alleged that he shot and killed a cow on a farm in the Zimmerman school community.

Furniture Shoppe in Eagle Lake now open until 9 P.M. on Thursdays for your shopping convenience.

Twin City Drive In
ROSENBERG - 342-2251

TENDER LOVING CARE

PLUS 2nd RATED FEATURE AT 8:30
candy stripe nurses

Donna Danklefs, Dana Wiese In Miss Gulf Coast Pageant

Donna Lynn Danklefs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Danklefs of Garwood, and Dana Wiese, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford T. Wiese of Eagle Lake, will be among the contestants in this year's Miss Gulf Coast Pageant held in Beville on Friday and Saturday, December 6th and 7th.

Donna is a senior at Rice Consolidated and stands 5 feet 6 1/2 inches. She will represent Garwood. Dana is very active in high school where she is Drum Major of the band, participates in basketball, and is a member of the National Honor Society and Student Council. She is the Lions Club Sweetheart. She is a substitute teacher at the Methodist Church and is most active in the church. After graduation she plans on going to either Texas A&M University or Sam Houston State University, where her major would be accounting. She loves twirling, playing the piano and cooking.

Miss Wiese, a 5 foot 7 inch blonde-haired beauty is very active at Rice Consolidated. She has been a twirler for three years and is currently Farm Bureau queen. A member of the Methodist Church, she would like to attend Southern University at Georgetown. Miss Wiese would like to study art or perhaps some type of ministry for Christ. Among her hobbies she includes swimming, tennis and painting.

The Miss Gulf Coast Pageant will be held at the Beville Bee County College Auditorium beginning at 7:30 p.m. each evening. The Miss Gulf Coast Pageant is a step toward the American Junior Miss Award and is for high school senior girls only. More than 35 young ladies are scheduled to arrive for registration at 12:30 p.m. Friday, December 6th. The Friday program will present the talent competition.

Girls will also be judged on scholastic achievement and interviews as well as sports-wear and evening gown. Carol Chumchal of Wharton is the current Miss Gulf Coast. All five finalists in the event will go to the State Junior Miss contest held annually in New Braunfels.

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Fire Dept. Has Successful Stew Supper

Over 700 Attend

Eagle Lake Volunteer Firemen staged a very successful stew supper and open house at the new fire station Monday evening.

The firemen, assisted by the Ladies Auxiliary, served the delicious beef stew to nearly seven hundred persons during the evening. The visitors viewed the new fire truck and the new emergency vehicle and also many of the items of equipment used by the firemen in fire fighting and emergency situations.

The firemen extend thanks to all who contributed to the evening, assisted with preparation of food, and for the patronage and other contributions said Fire Chief L. J. Spauld.

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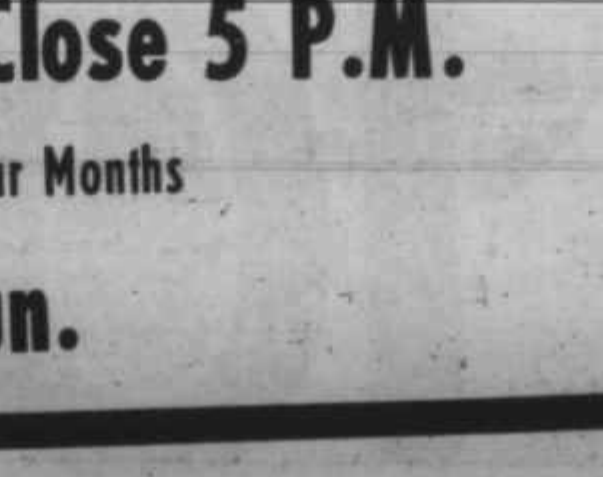
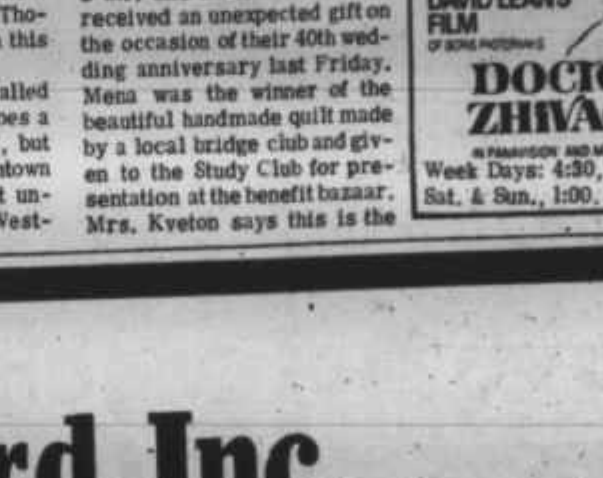
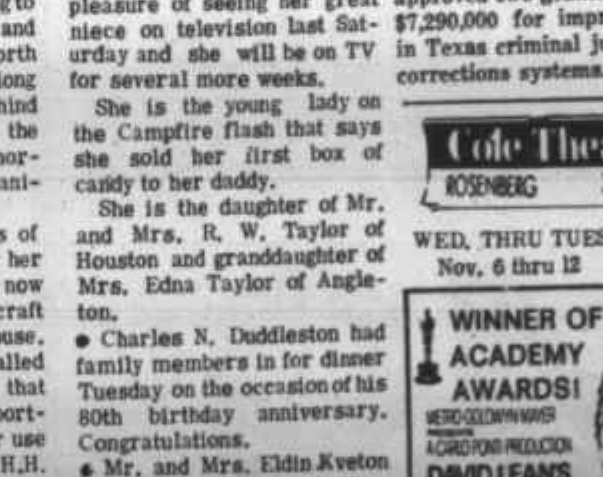
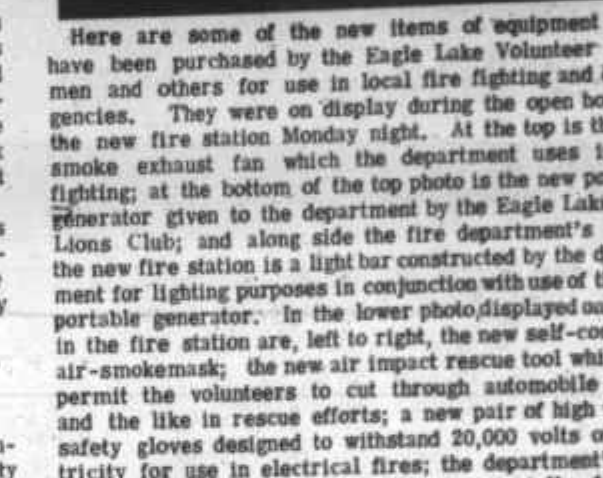
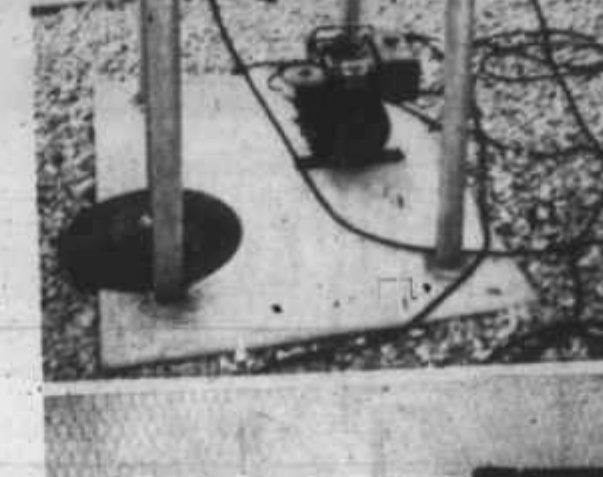
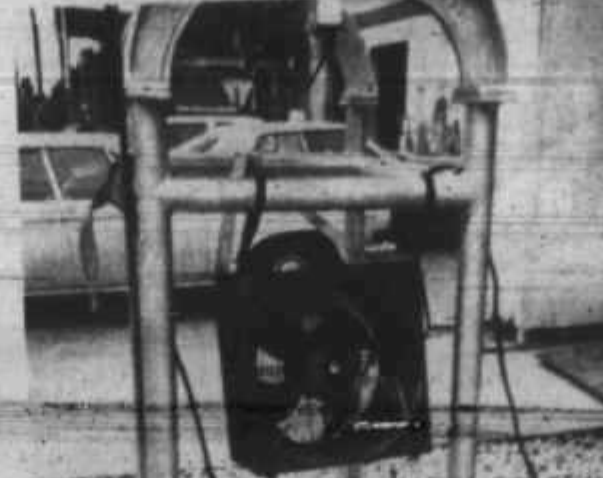
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Fire Dept. Displays Equipment



Congratulations Rice High School Raider Band

Raiders Band Is Number One!

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4 Charged In Another Big Narcotic Raid In County

County, State, Fed. Officers In Raid At IH10 Park

County, state and federal officers conducted another massive raid on suspected narcotics operations being conducted in this county last Friday night and seized an estimated 36,000 methamphetamine pills, commonly referred to as "mini-Sanitas" and a small amount of marijuana.

Four persons, all from San Marcos, were charged following the raid conducted at the roadside park on Interstate 10 west of Columbus. Billy Joe Schindler, Constable of Precinct 7 at Alton, and a total of thirteen state and federal officers participated in the raid.

Constable Schindler reported that he received word several weeks ago to be on the lookout for possible sale of narcotics at the roadside park. A Federal Drug Enforcement Agency task force of officers under the supervision of Sgt. Bobby Houtard of the Houston police department narcotics division, Vern Oakman, supervisor of the area Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA), and Sgt. Jim Murphy of the Department of Public Safety narcotics division, were on the scene for the raid.

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RAIDER BAND WINS A FIRST IN OIL MARCHING CONTEST

Outstanding Achievement For Rice HS Band

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Ronell Roberts New RHS Voc. Ag. Teacher

Ronell Roberts, a 1968 graduate of Eagle Lake High School, has been named the new Vocational Agriculture teacher in the Rice High School to succeed the late Lewis J. Roper.

Mr. Roberts is a 1972 graduate of Texas A&M University and taught for the past year and a half in the vocational agriculture program at Salado High School. He had an outstanding record during his studies at Texas A&M while in Eagle Lake High School was very active in the vocational agriculture program and Future Farmers of America, serving the Eagle Lake chapter in numerous offices.

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Deer Season Opens Saturday

Quail Coming Into Season, Also

The 1974 deer and quail hunting seasons will open this Saturday, Nov. 16th with the deer season starting at 10:00 a.m. and the quail season starting at 10:00 a.m. The deer season will run through January 1st and the quail season will run through February 1st.

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Consol. Fund Drive Off To Slow Start

More Workers Are Needed To Reach \$8,000 Goal

The 1974 Eagle Lake Consolidated Fund drive got off to a slow start this week as the week progressed, reported the drive chairman, W. W. Shurt.

The \$8,000 goal will include a \$3,000 allocation for local youth to be distributed as follows: \$2,000 to Girl Scouts, \$1,000 to Boy Scouts, \$400 for school workbooks, and \$400 for school workbooks. The remainder of the fund is to be distributed to the Texas Rehabilitation Foundation at Gonzalez, Red Cross, \$200 to M. D. Anderson Cancer Research, and \$100 to Local Relief.

Mr. Shurt said that there is an urgent need for workers, young and old. Anyone interested in soliciting funds in the neighborhood or in the downtown area is urged to contact Mr. Shurt or his office for more information. He urged those persons not contacted by Sat., Nov. 16th to send their checks to the First National Bank or to deliver them in person or by mail to his office.

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Florenz Weishuhn, Jr. Declared Winner In Prec. 5 J.P. Race

Election Results Canvassed Mon.

Colorado County Commissioners' Court in session on Monday declared Florenz Weishuhn, Jr. the winner in Precinct 5. A controversy arose in the final election to name a Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 5. A controversy arose in the final election to name a Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 5.

C. of C. To Meet Monday

The Eagle Lake Chapter of Commerce will meet at 8:00 p.m. Monday, Nov. 18th in the room of the Municipal Building and all interested persons are invited and urged to attend.

Plans will be completed for the end of year activities including holiday lighting, Santa's annual visit and the forthcoming annual banquet for the chapter in January.

Steve Taylor Ford, Inc.

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