

# 175 Attend Rice Field Day Here

### View Western Div. Facilities, Rice, Soybean Research

One hundred and seventy five farmers and others interested in agriculture attended the Field Tour and Open House at the Texas A&M University Beaumont Agricultural Research and Extension Center Western Division facilities three miles west of Eagle Lake last Wednesday afternoon and viewed some of the research and experimental work being carried on at the local facility.

During the tour the visitors viewed work being done on rice, soybeans and on forage and heard of some of the results that have been determined to date.

Concluding the event, the visitors enjoyed a delicious barbecued beef and sausage supper, catered by Mike's of Columbus, and sponsored by the local fertilizer distributors, implement dealers and rice dryers.

After the supper in the implement station, the speakers on the tour were on hand to answer questions from the farmers on the various phases of the research work and recommendations in rice, soybeans and forage.

**MARKET UNDER PRESSURE**

Dr. Art Gerlow, area economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at College Station, discussed the future for sale of the 1975 rice crop re-emphasizing the market made the week before at the Rice Belt Field Day and Tour in Bay City, Texas. He said a bumper crop is in the making in the United States and that along with a good rice crop in Asia is expected to put pressure on rice prices in the coming months.

"Rice from the 1975 Texas crop should run at that \$2 to \$3 per hundredweight level," noted Gerlow.

The larger crop will add to rice carryover stocks in the U.S. that are presently at the highest level in three years, said the economist.

Gerlow pointed out that world rice production is expected to

metric tons for 1975-76, which is an increase of 300,000 metric tons over the past year. This increase should not add significantly to world carryover stocks due to normal population growth.

**RESEARCH WORK EXPLAINED**

Dr. J. W. Stansel is scientist-in-charge of the Western Division experimental programs being carried on here and in five other research sites in the area at Bay City, El Campo, Ganado and Katy where a wide range of soil conditions exist.

Soybean fertility tests, soybean foliar fungicide tests were viewed by the visitors from large trailers with tables of hay used for seating. Dr. Rupert Palmer, extension agronomist from College Station specializing in rice and soybean herbicides, explained some of the work being done with herbicides in soybeans.

Dr. Walter Wallis, extension pathologist from College Station, also specializing in rice and soybean diseases, described the work being done in the use of herbicides to control rice diseases.

The visitors then viewed a field demonstration of Bolero on a field of Lebonnet and another using a combination of Bolero and Propanil.

Martin Nieves, a professor in charge of the Angleton Rice Research Station and one of the experts on forage production in the Gulf Coast area, described the work being done with grasses and legumes.

**FARMERS CAUTIONED**

Dr. Jim Stansel told the group of work being done to further develop information on the Labelle, Lebonnet and Brazos varieties. Dr. Stansel warned the farmers not to drain water too early on the new Brazos variety since it apparently takes five days longer to fully mature. He said that early draining may result in some chalking in the rice grains. He added also that the farmers should get below 10 per cent moisture "or you may be harvesting some grits." He said that farmers have prospects of being heavily reimbursed for the new extension program in rice, he said.

Dr. Arlen Klosterboer, the new extension agronomist in rice, held a local demonstration on the application of various amounts of nitrogen at different stages of rice growth.

He said that best results have been received with the application of 150 pounds of nitrogen, thirty per cent at the third leaf stage on dry soil, forty per cent before flooding and thirty per cent at the panicle differentiation stage of rice growth.

Dr. Glenn Watney, also a specialist in rice and soybean diseases, told the visitors of the foliar fungicide tests and seed experiments.

Dr. Ford Eastin, a member of the research staff at the Beaumont station, told about the tests being made on possible rice herbicide injury to grain sorghums and soybeans. Dr. Fred Turner, soil chemist on the research staff at Beaumont, discussed monitoring of rice chemical pollutants; Charlie Helbert, research associate from the Beaumont staff, discussed work being done with herbicides; and Dr. John Sij, in charge of the soybean research for the Gulf Coast area, stationed at the Beaumont station, described variety trials involving culture and physiological studies with soybeans.

County Agricultural Extension Agent Johnnie Cooper assisted in the day's activities. The Western Division fac-

## Grider Visits With Merchants In Saudi Arabia

Dr. J. W. Grider, Rice Council Director of International Relations, is shown visiting with merchant Salem Babader of Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. Grider was prominently displayed and was selling in competition with rice from Thailand, Pakistan and Egypt.

Saudi Arabia is an important market for U.S. rice. During one recent year, it was the leading purchaser of U.S. rice but current statistics show Iran and Iraq with greater imports from the U.S. Saudi Arabia has dropped from being the top purchaser to a second place position to buy eight loaves of bread for about \$95. A year ago that same amount would buy only four loaves of bread.

Grider recently traveled to Saudi Arabia and other markets for U.S. rice in the Middle East. He also traveled to Lagos, Nigeria and represented U.S. rice at a U.S. Department of Agriculture sponsored trade exhibition there.

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**RECORDINGS FILED IN COLORADO COUNTY**

Deed, Dempsey Calhoun and Hagan-Cagan to Calhoun and Hagan-Cagan Co., 42.30 acres R. Alley Survey, 6-16-75. Deed, Elmer A. Ulrich et ux to Roy Gene Melnar et ux 1.250 acres Jesse E. Nash Survey, 6-18-75. Deed, George Voget et ux to Billy Tuck et ux Lots 19 and 20 Blk. II town of Westminster, Texas, 6-20-75. GRT Deed, George Thomas to Annie Mae Davis et al parcel of land Alleyton, Texas, 6-6-75.

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## Area Missionary At First Baptist Church Sunday

The Reverend Orville Roberts, Area Missionary for Coastal Plains Baptist Area, will be guest speaker at the First Baptist Church of Eagle Lake on Sunday, July 13th. He will speak at the 10:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. services. Summer Youth Director Craig Butler will preside at the service.

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**FOR SALE**

**Nada Co-op Gin and Properties**

Nada Farmers Co-op Gin, 3 bedroom house, double garage, and 8 acres of land with 590 feet highway frontage is offered for sale by sealed bids. Bidders are invited to inspect the property by appointment only. Call Ernie Genz at 758-3397. Instructions for bidding can be obtained from Ernie Genz.

The board of directors reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids must be in writing with 5% down and submitted to Ernie Genz Box 68, Nada, Texas 77460 on or before 9 p.m. July 28, 1975.

Bids will be opened at the July board meeting at the gin office July 28, 1975 at 9 p.m.

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## Winners Named In Net Tournery

The weather was hot and the competition equally so in the Eagle Lake Tennis Club's tournament held here Friday, Saturday and Sunday as part of the Fourth of July week-end activities.

Tom Reed of Eagle Lake won the men's singles competition from 36 Ferris of Palacios by default and Billy Topp of Palacios and Gary Haverick of El Campo were due to play in El Campo this week to determine the consolation winner in that division which included men's A and B singles. The men's A doubles, Billie Cunningham and Lyle Anderson defeated Tom Reed and Griff Thomas for first place while Marshall Willis of Eagle Lake and Jerry Higgins won consolation by default.

In men's B doubles, Gary Haverick and Bo Farris were due to meet Al Krensch and Bill Rio of El Campo for first place. Joe Frazer III and Allen Marquart were the consolation winners.

There was no competition in women's singles. In women's doubles, Linda Anderson and Beverly Marquart won first place by topping Mary Struodel of El Campo and Karen Bueras. Elie and Julia Thomas won consolation.

In the mixed doubles competition Glen Prais and Mary Struodel of El Campo defeated Jeff Franks and Pearl Metzner for first place. Edger and Elie Thomas won consolation honors.

Mrs. Everett Anderson was director of the meet and she was assisted by Mrs. Allen Marquart and other members of the Tennis Club. Thanks were extended to the sponsors and cooperation during the event.

## Junior Netters To Play In Columbus Meet

Due to an insufficient number of entries the Eagle Lake Tennis Club will not hold a Junior Tennis Tournament as planned this week-end, but instead those who entered will compete in a Junior Tournament being held this week in Columbus, Tex. Everett Anderson, director of the tournament for the local club, said Mrs. Anderson said that there will be competition on Thursday and Friday, July 10th and 11th on the Eagle Lake Recreation Courts located in the area are asked to reserve the courts for this tournament play during those two dates.

The Aces and Nada Aces softball team and the Nada Knights of Columbus played a benefit softball game at the Nada field last Monday night. Proceeds from the event which brought both good softball and meriment will go to maintenance of the field and for lights.

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## Aces, Nada Kcs Play Softball Tilt

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## REC. CENTER MEMBER GOLF TOURNAY SAT. AND SUN.

The Eagle Lake Recreation Center will stage a men's membership handicap cup and trophy ending with a barbecue Saturday and Sunday, and members of the club (only) are urged to make plans to enter the event.

Registration fee will be \$15 and this includes one barbecue ticket. The competition will be over 18 holes of play at 9 a.m. or 1 p.m. on Saturday, July 12th and 18 holes of play beginning at 10 a.m. only on Sun., July 13th. A barbecue dinner will be served at 5:00 p.m. and tickets to the dinner will be \$3 each for non-participants. Six prizes will be awarded including a set of irons for first place, a set of woods for second, a golf bag for third, a pull cart for fourth, a putter for fifth, and golf balls for sixth.

Deadline for registration in the tournament is at 7:00 p.m. Friday, July 11th. You may register at the Eagle Lake Insurance Agency or mail the registration to the Eagle Lake Insurance Agency.

A luncheon and social will be held at 8:00 p.m. Fri., July 11th.

## P&W Commission Meeting Reset July 24-25

A meeting of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission originally set for July 7-8 has been postponed and tentatively rescheduled for July 24-25.

While-winged and mourning dove seasons and bag limits will be major topics of discussion.

Federal frameworks for the seasons will not be available to Parks and Wildlife Department staff members until late July in order to allow the time to comment on migratory game bird regulations as proposed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Texas gao raises, mainly on the Edwards Plateau, account for all U.S. and 40 percent of the world's

## THANK YOU!!

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the citizens of this and surrounding communities for their generous support and patronage and wonderful cooperation during our ownership and operation of Dick's Minute Stop and Washateria.

We have sold our business to Dan and Sue Canaris and hope that you will continue to show them the same kindnesses in their operation of the business as Dan's Minute Stop.

Dick and Rosemary Wood

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## LL, CULL All-Stars Meet In Flatonia Tues.

Winner Plays  
Columbus July 17, Finals July 18

Area III Little League play-offs will get underway in Flatonia at 8 p.m. Monday night and will continue for five nights with the winner on Friday night, July 18th advancing to the District 13 playoff to be held in Brenham beginning July 21st.

The Flatonia All-Stars will meet the Weimar-Schulenburg All-Stars in the first game at 8 p.m. Mon., July 14th, Colorado Valley All-Stars from Garwood, Sheridan, East Bernard and Wallis will meet the Eagle Lake All-Stars at 8 p.m. Tues., July 15th.

The Grange and Columbus drew byes in the first round. The winner of Flatonia-W-S will play La Grange at 8 p.m. Wed., July 16th; and the winner of Columbus and Eagle Lake will play Columbus at 8 p.m. Thurs., July 17th to determine two finalists to play at 8 p.m. Fri., July 18th.

The Eagle Lake Little League All-Stars will be managed by Edwin Gay and coached by Draper Stephens. Named to the team were: Justin Morse, John Stephens, Paul Ruiz, Wayne Chismen and Victor Davis of the Pirates; Billy Ray Tillman, Robert Aleman, Gary McTeer, Jeff Pennell and Ed Gray of the Dodgers; Keith Matcheck, Ted Teague, James Rhodes and David Sosa of the Yanks. Jonny Joe Hernandez and Caligi Teague of the Cubs will be alternates.

The CVLL All-Stars will be managed by James Mica, of East Bernard and coached by Harry Schreiber of Garwood. Named to the All-Star team were: East Bernard, Christopher Allan Duck, Dennis Jones, David Lee Dysek and Kenneth E. Schatz; from Sheridan, Kenneth Wayne Mosley, David Phillips Grammer, Barry Laysa, Hise and Keith Allen Rabel; from Wallis, Kevin Mitchell Wallace, and Cliff Edwin Mayer; from Garwood, John Paul Schneider, Robert Anthony Turner, Kenneth H. Hayek, and Christopher Allen Gock, Alternates will be: David Lee Dysek, East Bernard, Oscar Vasquez, and Justin Morse.

The second game on June 30th between the Cubs and Dodgers was rained out after a half inning of play.

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Baseball fans in the area are invited to attend any of the games to support their favorite teams in the Little League playoffs.

## Yanks Top Pirates Twice For LL Lead

The Yanks took two games by identical scores of 5 to 3 from the Pirates to take a firm hold on first place in the Eagle Lake Little League playoffs.

The Dodgers, who still remain in contention a game behind the Yanks, won a game by forfeit from the Cubs and another encounter with the Cubs was rained out.

The Yanks now have a record of seven wins, two losses and a tie; the Dodgers have seven wins, three losses and a tie; the Pirates slipped to six wins and five losses; the Cubs are 0-5 for the season.

In the first match up with the Pirates June 30th, the Yanks bunched eight runs in the middle three innings to win 5-3. The Pirates rallied for two in the fifth and two in the sixth but fell short. Billy Ruiz had 2 hits and Victor Davis 1 for the Pirates and Eric Chismen, Ted Teague, Keith Matcheck, Jonny Joe Hernandez and Fred Frasier had one hit each for the Yanks. Matcheck was the winning pitcher and Wayne Chismen got the loss.

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## Wintermann Library NOTES

**Story Hour Topic Thurs. To Be "Birds"**

The youngsters of the community are in for another treat Thursday, July 10 at 3:00 p.m. at the Eula and David Wintermann Library during Story Hour. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gertson and Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Gertson will tell about birds of this area and will show mounted examples from Austin pitched for the Raiders and all did a good job. Foster had seen service the night before.

In the season's finale at the City Ball Park last Thursday night, the Raiders got another late rally going and scored three times in the bottom of the seventh. But the rally was only run short as Round Top won 7 to 6.

Kenneth Coats had two hits and three RBIs and Grammer, Lee, Clarence Davis and Darrel Appelt had one hit each. Appelt and Grammer hurled good jall batters in the field throughout the game.

Kenneth Coats was the leading hitter for the season with a .352 average and John Grammer was second with a .343 average. Grammer had a total of 17 stolen bases, Lee had 10 and Coats 8.

Coaches Dutch Watson and Griff Thomas reported that the team had a season batting average of .364 and batted out a total of 83 hits. They are looking forward to a good year next summer with lots of experience and a winning attitude among the returnees.

## Teens Rally For 11-11 Tie With Columbus

The Eagle Lake Teenage Raiders ended their Tri-County schedule last week with a 11-11 tie with the Columbus Cardinals in Columbus and a 7 to 6 loss to Round Top-Carmine here Thursday night.

In the Columbus game the Raiders were down 10 to 3 going into the fifth when they pushed across eight runs to tie the game. The Cardinals were set down in order in the last of the fifth and the game was called at time because of the time curfew and will go into the record books as a tie.

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Foster, Grammer and Keith

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## Sheridan's Little Leaguers



The Sheridan Little League, shown at top in the above photo, finished the season with a record of six wins and six losses. Members of the A team were: front row, left to right, Eugene Kamin, Barry Hise, Terry Sauter and Felix Soto; back row, 1 to 7, Billy Townsend, Coach James Moore, Gary Fuller, Kenneth Mosely, Warren Botard, Gerald Grammer. Not pictured were Keith Rabel and Oscar Vasquez.

In the bottom photo are the farm team members, front row, left to right, Jon Wunderlich, Percos Coble, Mark Munoz, John Ashley, Mark Ross, Rescoe Botard and Mickey Reinbarth; back row, 1 to 7, Coach Ruben Wunderlich, James Garner, Henry Garcia, Bryan Tesch, Michael Bell, Manuel Munoz, manager. Not pictured were Wayne Rabel, Michael Bayette and Mike Sonntag.

The collection of Pets Gerison. Bring your young ones for a delightfully informative thirty minute program. General Joe N. Franz, Jr. (Red.) gave a most interesting program on the life of the American cowboy. The program was enjoyed by thirty-six children.

On July 17, Mrs. Kenneth Craig and a group of young people will present a thirty-minute drama on the life of Big Foot Wallace, in keeping with our hero theme for the summer reading program.

If you have not been bringing your young children to the library for story hour, please, please, please, you have been denying them real pleasure. Our special programs and/or stories which have been highly entertaining and which have stimulated much interest in reading. It is not too late to start your children on regular trips to the library. All

## Wintermann Library NOTES

**Story Hour Topic Thurs. To Be "Birds"**

The youngsters of the community are in for another treat Thursday, July 10 at 3:00 p.m. at the Eula and David Wintermann Library during Story Hour. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gertson and Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Gertson