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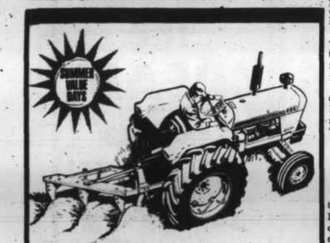
Mr. and Mrs. Aulton Kingsley and Cindy were visitors last week with relatives and friends in East Texas. They visited with [illegible] Terrance Price, sister of Mr. Kingsley and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Kingsley in Brandon; and with her grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Perkins in [illegible].



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Present Film

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Ambulance Corps. The course which is composed of four rolls of color film, was accepted by Joe Duncan, president of the local volunteer organization.

He stated, "This course will aid in preparing our participants and any others who may wish to become involved."

The Lions Club, under the direction of their president, Richard Bryant, made the presentation at one of the regular Tuesday night meetings.

Rice Sales

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George Causey and Nelson Isenhower. Second highest bid of the day was $10.82 per cwt. offered by P. & S. for rice grown by Clem Boettcher 2. Only 8 of the total 27 lots offered were sold on the bids offered.

P. & S. Mill led the bidding with top bids on 21 of the 27 lots.

$10.81 TOPS AT GARWOOD

Garwood Rice Sales Co. offered 11 lots of rice for bids Tuesday with the top bid of the day being $10.81 per Cwt. or $17.51 per barrel offered by P. & S. Mill for rice grown by Ervin Stienke and Lazy K Ranch.

James Hopkins, manager, said that about 30-40 percent of the rice offered is being sold on bids made by the mills.

Catholic Churches Plan Religious Instructions

Our Lady of Perpetual Help and Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Churches are making plans for the annual Religious Instruction Classes which are slated to being in September.

The Rev. Father Edward Geiser has called meetings of the parishioners to make plans for the classes. Parents of Perpetual Help children are asked to attend a special meeting Wed., Aug. 27th after the Evening Mass at Didner Hall and parents of school age children in Guadalupe Church will meet after Mass on Sunday, August 31st.

Registration will be held at Perpetual Help after Mass on Sunday, Sept. 14th and at the Guadalupe Church on Sunday, Sept. 14th before the Mass. Classes will begin at Perpetual Help at 8 a.m. Sept. 28th and at Guadalupe at 9 a.m. on the same date, Sept. 28th.

Brucellosis Info Given At Meeting

Dr. Wilbur and Mr. Jungmeier of the Texas Animal Health Commission were on hand Thursday night, August 14, at the El Campo Livestock Commission barn to explain the changes in the rules and regulation of the brucellosis program. Due to the short notice the seats at the sales ring were just about half full.

Gardner C. Duncan, Eagle Lake rancher, attended the meeting and reported that one of the principal changes proposed is to have all breeding cattle tested at the time they go through a market in order to assure rapid trace back. At the present time the blood is not drawn until they are slaughtered. The auction markets may oppose this change, he noted.

Cattle that are in the same herd with a reactor are considered exposed and must be kept under quarantine as before. But under the new rules if these cattle are shipped for slaughter or to a quarantined feed lot they will have to be branded with a S on the jaw. The reactors are branded B as before and a $40 indemnity paid on them. As of now there is no indemnity forth coming on the S cattle if they are shipped for slaughter.

"Official Brucellosis Vaccination" is being amended to allow vaccination of heifer calves between two and six months of age for dairy breeds and two and ten months of age for beef breed. The vaccinations must be done by a veterinarian, and it is recommended that calves be vaccinated by the time they are six months old so that they will not react to a test when they are mature.

There are 47 counties in Texas that are considered free of the disease. On the maps given out at the meeting it was shown that on December 31, 1974 there were no "certified brucellosis free" counties in Oklahoma, Louisiana, and Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, and Mississippi had a few "free" counties. A good many counties in both Arkansas and New Mexico were "certified brucellosis free." Florida was the only state on the Atlantic coast that had the disease, and there were none on the Pacific coast with it.

The Animal Health Comission will have a hearing September 4th at 9 AM in the Agriculture Building in Austin on the rule changes.

Damage Heavy In Three Area Accidents

Three accidents in this area resulted in minor injuries but considerable damage during the past week.

On Thursday morning at 1:30 a.m. the Garwood-Nada area deputy sheriff James Brooks, Jr. investigated an accident on Highway 71 three miles north of Garwood. Floyd E. Niblett, 69, of Nada was traveling on Highway 71 and apparently went to sleep and his car went off the road and hit a fence owned by W. T. Ward of Garwood, ripping out a section of the fence.

Mr. Niblett received a bad cut on the lip and was brought to the Eagle Lake Community hospital for treatment. His 1967 Chevrolet had minor damage.

At 1:30 a.m. Sunday, Highway Patrolman Gary Eden investigated a one-car accident on Highway 90A four miles east of Eagle Lake. He reported that Jacob Contreras of Eagle Lake was driving a 1969 Ford west toward Eagle Lake near the Chesterville Road when he reached into the back seat to get a lighter and his car went off the right side of the road and hit a highway marker. Contreras and three occupants in the car escaped injury. Light damage was reported to the car.

The third accident occurred a quarter hour later at 1:45 a.m. and was on FM 102 north of Eagle Lake, 1.8 miles from the intersection with IH 10. Eden reported that John Edwin Stastny of Livingston was driving a 1973 Oldsmobile south toward Eagle Lake. Leonard Girndt, Jr. of Columbus, Houston Chronicle distributor, was heading north toward Columbus in a 1965 Chevrolet. The officer said that Girndt believes that he had a blowout and his car swerved and he missed one oncoming car but sideswiped the Stastny car. The Girndt car went off the left side of the road, through a fence and into a soft sand pit.

The officer said Girndt received an injured elbow and Stastny was brought to the Columbus Hospital by Columbus Ambulance Corps, but was not believed to be injured seriously. Extensive damage resulted to the two vehicles.

BUZZIN' ABOUT TOWN

[illegible] the Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Dept. Tuesday morning at 11 a.m. but the call to a grass fire in the Newtown area was cancelled before the trucks could get rolling.

• In our report last week on a reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Taylor we neglected to report that Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gay were co-hosts for the hospitality. Sorry about that !!

• Chief of Police Roy Chisum says that there's a good possibility that a serious wreck might occur if drivers continue to disregard the one-way traffic provisions in front of both Eagle Lake schools. Local officers will be watching these areas closely this week, so take warning and obey the traffic laws when in the school areas, both for your safe and for the safety of our school children.

• Now's a good time to stock up on new farm equipment if the advertisements in this issue, placed by Eagle Tractor, Inc. of Eagle Lake, and Eagle Lake Implement Co. and Garwood Implement & Supply Co. are an indication of this.

• Do it yourselfers will find some bargains in unfinished furniture, also listed in an advertisement by the Furniture Shoppe, in this issue, and this could be a challenge to some of our talented persons in this community.

• Many citizens of the community are now enjoying television under the Cable TV system and have noted great improvement in reception and a wider variety of programming with the addition of the 3 Austin and 1 Victoria stations. Eagle Lake Cable TV will have its grand opening on Thurs., Aug. 28th and you could be the winner of a new TV set. Better go by and register.

• Anita Loessin is a proud one these days with the announcement in this issue that her son-in-law, Dr. E. B. Whorton, Jr., is the new Assistant Dean for Admissions at the School of Biomedical Sciences in Galveston. See page 3.

• The Headlight has printed a supply of miniature "Goose Hunting Capital of the World" labels that we'll be glad to give to you if you will write or come by the office. They will be ideal to place on an important letter or package. We find the bright red color helps us to keep track of the telephone directories which, with their white covers sometimes get lost among the pile of materials on our desk.

• Dr. and Mrs. Ray Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thomas were among those in New Orleans for the Houston Oiler and New Orleans Saints football game week-end before last in the fabulous Superdome.

• GOOD NEWS — Texas has the second lowest per capita tax burden in the nation according to the 1975 edition of the Industrial Guide to South Texas, just published by the [illegible] Chamber of Commerce.

The guide uses this and other facts and figures on living and doing business in South Texas to encourage industrial location in the 50-county region. Working with the Texas Industrial Commission, the chamber is sending the guide to companies nationwide who have shown interest in a Texas location.

PARTITION SUIT

A suit filed in district court this week is styled Richard Smith, Jr., et al vs. K. T. Smith et al and seeks partition of 15.91 acres of land. A total of 13 people are involved in the suit.

Xi Pi Psi Chapter Plans B'day Calendar

Members of Xi Pi Psi sorority, chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, are taking orders for "Birthday Calendars" for residents of the Eagle Lake area.

The calendars will be for the 1976 year and will have names of participating family members printed on the date and month of their birth.

There is also available, for various service organizations, a space in which their meeting dates may be printed for the '76 year.

For additional information, contact any of the sorority members or Dorothy Baker at 234-3000 or Jo Ann Mahalitc at 234-3362.

County Treas. M. Bodungen Hurt In Wreck

County Treasurer Martha Bodimgen of Columbus is confined to the Columbus Hospital this week recuperating from injuries received in an auto wreck during the week-end.

Her car went out of control and went into a ditch and rolled over near the Youth Rodeo arena.

Friends hope for her quick recovery to good health.

K.C. Dance Sat.

The Eagle Lake Council of the Knights of Columbus will stage their monthly dance Saturday night, August 23rd at Didner Hall with music for dancing and listening pleasure from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Admission will be $3.00 per couple.

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Sealy, EL Committees Make Road Opening Plans

This committee, comprised of members of the Eagle Lake and Sealy Chambers of Commerce, met at the San Bernard River bridge on the new FM 3013 road last Thursday to map plans for the official opening and dedication of the new Farm to Market Road, tentatively set for Thursday, Sept. 25th. After the ribbon-cutting by highway department, state, county and precinct officials, plans are to stage a barbecue beneath the concrete bridge. Making plans for the event were, left to right, Wilma Petrusek of Sealy, Billy Schavrda, president of the Sealy C. of C.; Alvin Kohleffel of Eagle Lake; Mark Anderson, chairman of the Eagle Lake committee; John Bird; chairman of the Sealy committee; Joe S. Reed, Jr., of Eagle Lake; and Eagle Lake City Manager T. J. Smith. Fred R. Finka, editor of the Headlight, also met with the group.

Sept. 25 Set For Ribbon-Cutting

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Miss MAYC Pageant Saturday

The public is invited to attend the MAYC Mexican American Youth Council's second annual Miss MAYC Pageant to be held at the Eagle Lake Community Center this Saturday evening at 8:00 p.m.

There will be nine contestants competing for the honor including: Misses Emma Medina, Diane Morales, Soyla Lopez, Frances Castillo, Sandra Vela, Sandra Salazar, Debbie Sosa, Janie Gonzales and Sylvia Barela.

Dr. Sandra Thomas and Dennis DeLaughter will be masters of ceremony and will also provide entertainment between the sportswear and evening gown competition.

Julian Castillo, president of MAYC, will give the welcome. After presentation of the candidates, the 1974 Miss MAYC Sophia Morales will be introduced. The candidates will join in singing the song, "Pass It On." Mrs. Joyce Belyeu will provide piano music.

Judges will be the Hon. County Judge Lester J. Cranek, Mrs. Patty Hlavinka of East Bernard, Mrs. Caroline Lehrer of Garwood, and attorney Paul Cedillo, Jr., of Rosenberg. Coordinators of the event will be Mrs. Angie Giddens of Columbus and Mrs. Lyndia Engstrom of Garwood. Flowers will be provided by Lake Crest Flower Shop and Othel Pirtle will be the official photographer.

The pageant committee includes: Mrs. Mary Salinas, chairwoman and members Miss Erlinda Salinas, Mrs. Mary Saucedo, Mrs. Mary Helen Castillo and Morris Morales.

Tickets to the event are on sale in advance with MAYC board members at $2.00 for adults and $1.00 for children or may be obtained at the door Saturday night.

IN NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas and family have moved into their pretty new home in the Laughlin Addition.

City Accepts Low Bids For Packer, Hose

Employee Pay Increases Voted

Eagle lake City Council in session Tuesday night:

- Approved a low bid offered for the purchase of a packer for a new garbage truck on recommendation of the equipment committee. The council accepted the $6000 bid of Econopak of Pleasant Mfg. Co. of Pleasanton, Texas, less a 3% discount for payment on delivery which was promised in ten days upon receipt of the chassis which the city has on order from Steve Taylor Ford.
- Accepted the bid of Arlington Equipment Co. offering 200 feet of new fire hose for $820.00 less 2% for payment on delivery, also on recommendation of the council's equipment committee.
- Council accepted the recommendation of a salary committee and approved pay increases for city employees. Total monthly payroll will go up due to cost of living increases authorized from $9,334 per month to $10,024 or an overall increase of 7.4%.

More details on these actions and other considerations by the council in next week's paper.

Monday, Labor Day, Is A Holiday Here

Next Monday, Sept. 1st will be an official holiday in Eagle Lake and most business firms will be closed all day in observance of the Labor Day holiday.

All schools in the Rice District will be closed all day Monday for the Labor Day holiday.

The First National Bank will be among those closing. The offices in the county courthouse in Columbus will also be closed in observance of the holiday.

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Primary Room Mothers To Meet Tues.

All interested mothers of Eagle Lake Primary School children are requested to come to the Primary Campus at 2:45 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 2nd to plan for this year's parties. All parties will begin one hour before the scheduled dismissal time of the day of the party.

Dates set for the three occasions are as follows: Halloween, Oct. 31; Christmas, Dec. 19; and Valentine, Feb. 13. Please try to arrive in your child's homeroom at 2:45 p.m., said Principal Major Benge.

Pflughaupt Gets Peace Officers Scholarship

Gary Pflughaupt of Columbus was awarded the $250.00 scholarship given annually by the Colorado County Peace Officers' Association.

Gary was a 1975 graduate of Columbus High School and was president of his class. He also had a grade average of A and B. He is a member of the Volunteer Ambulance Corps in Columbus and was parade chairman of the Columbus FFA parade.

The Colorado County Peace Officers' Association is very pleased to award a man of this type a scholarship to attend Wharton County Junior College to major in Law Enforcement, reported Eagle Lake Police Chief Roy Chisum, secretary of the county association.

No Garbage Pickup Mon.

The Sanitation Department will not pick up garbage next Monday, September 1st. They will observe Labor Day as a community holiday. Monday's route will be picked up Tuesday. The normal Tuesday route will be combined with Wednesday's route and picked up Wednesday.

The service will return to normal routine on Thursday and Friday. Your cooperation will be appreciated, said City Manager T. J. Smith.

Grand Jurors Called At 10 a.m. Tues.

Nineteen persons have been summoned to appear for selection of a grand jury for the September term of District Court in this county at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 2nd. One prospective juror was excused due to illness.

Included among those called are: Herman Major Benge, Mrs. Helyn Hobbs Farris, Mrs. Mary Saucedo, Willie L. Jackson, Sr. of Eagle Lake; Brad Engstrom of Garwood; Martin Williams, Mrs. Lottie C. Davis, Roy Menke, Mrs. P. K. Shatto, and T. J. Yousens of Columbus;

Also, Jack Axel of Altair; Mrs. Martha C. Polach of Sheridan; Leonard Stech, Leonard F. Barton, Melroy E. Christian, Mrs. Zita, Grohmann of Weimar; George Sebesta and Melvin Neuendorff of Cat Spring; and Victor Hyek of Nada.

District Judge B. B. Schraub will preside at the opening of the September term. District Attorney Houston Munson and County Attorney Jim Whitcomb will present cases for consideration of the grand jurors.

Raider Boosters To Meet Tuesday Nite

The Rice Raider Boosters Club will hold its first meeting of the 1975-76 year at 8:00 p.m. next Tuesday, Sept. 2nd, at the Rice High School, and all parents and other interested Raider fans are urged to attend.

The coaching staff will be on hand to answer questions that you may have and to give a rundown on the Raider prospects for the opening game with Hempstead at Raider Stadium on Fri., Sept. 5th.

Also, officers for the new year will be elected, said John Thomas, president in 1974-75.

Cable TV Grand Opening Today, Thurs.

The Eagle Lake Cable TV office here is holding a grand opening from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. this Thursday, August 28, and citizens in the area are invited to come by to register for free giveaways and to enjoy free refreshments and to receive information about the new service now available in Eagle Lake.

Visitors at the local office at 102 Boothe Drive, next to Eagle Lake Dairy Queen, between noon and August 28th may register, without obligation, for three free prizes to be awarded Thursday, including a black and white television set, a year's free Cable TV service, and six month's free service.

Candy Stripers Bake Sale Sat.

The Eagle Lake Junior Volunteers (the Candy Stripers) will hold a bake sale this Saturday, Aug. 30th at 9 a.m. in front of Rice Drug Store. Delicious baked items of all kinds will be sold.

Headlight Office Closed All Day Mon.

Due to the Labor Day holiday, the office of the Eagle Lake Headlight will be closed all day Monday, Sept. 1st.

Deadlines regularly observed will continue and it is anticipated that the paper will be out about the same time on Wednesday afternoon.

Because of the limited time for preparation of copy and ads, the staff will appreciate getting all copy and advertisement possible not later than 10 a.m. Saturday. Only current news and correspondent reports will be handled Tuesday.

College Subs. To Headlight Now Available

It's back to school and college time and the Headlight is accepting student subscriptions for a nine-month period for $4.50.

Call 234-2783 today to place your order for the Headlight and keep your student abreast of the hometown news with a weekly letter from home.

The special nine-month student subscriptions will be available only through Sept. 12.

Four Hospitalized In This Wreck

Shown above is the wreckage of the 1966 Chevrolet in which four youth were seriously injured when the car went out of control on rain-slick Lakeside Drive (FM 102) in Eagle Lake and slammed into a concrete culvert last Sunday afternoon.

4 Youth Hurt In Wreck Sun.

Accident Occurs On Lakeside Drive

Four teenagers, three from Eagle Lake and one from La Porte, were seriously injured in a one-car accident on a rain-slick highway on Farm to Market Road 102 (Lakeside Drive) at 3:45 p.m. Sunday. The accident occurred at the 300 block of Lakeside Drive, just south of the intersection with Highway 90A and just south of a Santa Fe railroad crossing to the Eagle Lake Rice Dryer.

Eagle Lake Chief of Police Roy Chisum was the investigating officer and was near the scene when it occurred at 3:45 p.m. The 1966 Chevrolet, owned by the James Perry who driven and was involved in the accident, was being driven by James E. Brune, Jr., 18, better known to friends as Bello.

The officer said that the accident occurred during rain and when the vehicle came over the railroad crossing the driver lost control and the car swerved to the left and with two wheels on the highway and two on the grass beside the road, the vehicle slammed into a concrete culvert, hitting the culvert on the left front of the car. The vehicle bounced off the culvert and was across the highway when it stopped.

Chief Chisum said that Brune was standing beside the car when he arrived despite a severe cut across his leg and hip and two other passengers, David Baird, 19 of La Porte, was lying on the ground with severe cuts and leg injuries and Miss Terri Perry, 18, of this city, was sitting in the car of someone who happened by the scene. The fourth occupant, Miss Tracy Marie Gertson, 14, of Eagle Lake, was pinned in the right front seat of the car. Her head apparently struck the windshield, severely injuring her face, and she was pinned in the car in a doubled up position with one knee slashed to the bone.

Chief Chisum, assisted by Emergency Ambulance Corps attendants Russell Thomas Jim Clipson, Jr., and Joe H. McCreary, managed to free the girl and she and Baird were brought to the Eagle Lake Community Hospital by the ambulance. Chief Chisum brought Brune to the hospital in his car. Miss Perry was already at the hospital, having been brought there by a passer-by.

Miss Gertson and Miss Ferry were later rushed to the Methodist Hospital in Houston where surgery was performed on Miss Gertson and Miss Perry was placed in traction for a back injury. It is anticipated that Miss Gertson will be in the hospital for quite some time with further surgery necessary while it is anticipated that Miss Perry will be able to return home in a week or so.

Brune and Baird are in the Eagle Lake Hospital where treatment for their injuries continues.

The vehicle was completely demolished with the dash shoved almost to the front seat by the impact.

Miss Gertson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gertson; Miss Perry is the daughter of Kenneth Perry and Mrs. Jimmy Simpson; the Baird youth was here visiting with relatives the Bill Wilkerssons.

Friends join in prayers for the complete recovery of all four victims from this horrifying experience.

Over 2 Inches Rain During Past Week

The Eagle Lake area received over two inches of rain from showers which fell Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, bringing needed relief to parched lawns and pastures.

The lake plant of the Lakeside Irrigation Co. measured 1.9 inches up to 4 p.m. Tuesday. More than that fell in many areas to the north and east of the city.

The rain has caused no damage to crops which in any case, [illegible] crop; but did bring about a delay in the harvest of the cotton crop in the Matthews, Garwood and Nada areas.

Cystic Fibrosis Drive Begins Here Aug. 31

A campaign to collect funds for the battle against Cystic Fibrosis will be staged here August 31st through Sept. 6th with a fund-raising drive to be headed by Mrs. Glenn (Kay Pilkington) Harbers.

Mrs. Harbers is seeking volunteers to assist in the collection of contributions and would like to hear from anyone interested in assisting. Call 234-5421.

In the event you are not contacted or would like to give prior to the drive, leave your contribution at the First National Bank in the account of the Cystic Fibrosis Gulf Coast Chapter.

More information on this disease which strikes so many children may be found on page eleven of this issue. Citizens are urged to give as generously as possible, urges Mrs. Harbers.

St. Mary's Home-Coming Sunday

St. Mary's Catholic Church in Nada, Texas will hold its annual Parish Festival and Homecoming this Sunday, Aug. 31st and citizens throughout the area are invited to make plans to attend.

The day's activities will begin with Masses at St. Mary's Church at 7:30 p.m. Sat., Aug. 30th and at 9:30 a.m. Sun., Aug. 31st.

A barbecued beef and sausage dinner with all the trimmings will be served at the K.J.T. Hall from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. for $2.25 per plate for adults and $1.75 per plate for children 8 years and under. All plates to go sell be $2.25. Supper will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. and there will be refreshments all afternoon and barbecue sandwiches after 1:00 p.m.

Entertainment will continue in the afternoon and night and a country fair and auction sale will be an event of 2:00 p.m.

In addition to music during the day by the Silver Wings there will be a free dance from 8 to 12.

There will be plenty of free parking in the area.

Rice Cheerleader For 1975-76

School spirit at Rice High School is running high this year and these five young ladies get a lot of the credit for their efforts as cheerleaders for 1975-76. They will be leading the Raider cheering sections at the approaching football games beginning with the home opener between the Raiders and Hempstead at Raider stadium at 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5th. The cheerleaders are, left to right, Julia Thomas, Susan Kell, Debra Parker, Brenda Kallina and D'Ann Davison.

2 Charged In Entry Of East Main St. Home

Shoeprints left on a door that was kicked in and four buttons from a shirt ripped off in a scuffle, led to the arrest of two Richmond men following their entry into a rent house owned by the Alvin Kokleffels across Highway 90A from the Rice Package Store during Saturday night.

Miss Lucille Perry who resides in the house notified city patrolman Buford Ashley that she found the door to the house had been broken into when she arrived at the house Saturday night. The investigating officer found the house had been ransacked and there was some evidence that there had been a fight or struggle.

Chief of Police Roy Chisum in later investigation found four shirt buttons of the floor near a telephone which had been knocked to the floor.

In checking, the officer found

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