

GET IN ON '75 CHEVY SAVINGS

WE'RE WRAPPING 'EM UP AND PRICING 'EM DOWN! TO MAKE ROOM FOR THE '76's

STOCK #3307
OUR PRICE \$5010.00

STOCK #1395
OUR PRICE \$4747.00

IMPALAS-BUDGET-WISE BUYS!

THE LOWEST IMPALA PRICES OF THE YEAR!

LAKE MOTORS INC.
CHEVROLET - OLDSMOBILE - CADILLAC
234-2513 "Service Dept. Open On-Sat." Eagle Lake

SCOUTING

(Continued from page one)

and 13 surrounding counties, the largest council in the U.S. The David Crockett District, covering the entire area, is the largest. The Eagle Lake Council, which includes the following counties, will be offering all of the boys and their parents an opportunity to meet the present leaders and other volunteers working in Scouting, and join at the meeting on Wednesday.

Membership, which includes the Boys Life magazine is \$5.00 per year; adult membership, which includes the Adult Scouting magazine, is \$3.50 per year.

Eagle Lake Cub and Boy Scouts are personally inviting all boys of Scouting age to become members of the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts of America to enjoy the thrills and educational and spiritual advantages gained by membership, said Vernon Anderson, Scoutmaster, Troop 354 of Eagle Lake.

Tracy Gertson

(Continued from page one)

Mr. and Mrs. Gertson joined Tracy in extending sincere and hearty congratulations to every citizen of the community who has participated in the family's prayers, without which the family feels her recovery could not have been accomplished so far so rapidly.

"It's almost a miracle and we know that many prayers have happened every citizen of the community," the family said this week.

"We shall be forever grateful for all of your kindnesses, for the encouraging words, the cards, letters, visits and other interest shown to all of the family. Especially we are thankful for such fine doctors, nurses and hospital staff and for the wonderful Emergency Ambulance Corps, to local law enforcement officers, and to any other who assisted at the scene of the accident and who assisted in transferring Tracy to Houston."

"Last but not least we thank the physicians who were charged with the surgery and passing of a Parker Bros. Gravel Co. payroll check.

A charge of theft against Bob Anderson was ordered dismissed by Judge Schraab on motion of the state.

A indictment against James Washington for the theft of a Class A misdemeanor offense and Judge Schraab set Washington's punishment at \$250 and costs.

The judge also ordered the probationary term of Lester Martinez, Jr., revoked and ordered that he be placed in the state penitentiary for three years.

Others indicted by the September grand jury, not included in action this week, are still to be arrested or are in custody elsewhere.

4 Charged With Shooting Road Reflectors

Four Houstonians were arrested by officers from the county sheriff's office at 1:30 a.m. Sunday on Farm to Market Road 2434 between Columbus and Weimar and were charged with malicious mischief for driving on the road and shooting at reflectors with a rifle.

Deputies Paul Hromadka and Emil Martinez made the arrest and filed the charges against Russell Harry, Peggie Castillo and Tom Rus and each posted a \$25 bond in the court of Justice of Peace Richard C. Schmidt in Columbus. The bonds were forfeited by the four when they failed to appear for trial on the charges later Sunday morning.

State Highway Department officials have indicated they will bill the four for the cost of reflectors damaged during the incident.

Officers found that he had a 30-30 caliber rifle and the .22 rifle on the front seat of his car. It is believed the .22 rifle was the one fired at the officers, but the bullet has yet to be located.

Criminal Cases

(Continued from page one)

Loeusta's Feb. 5, Two others indicted in incidents at the Loeusta Implement Co. entered not guilty pleas, including Arnold Trammell indicted for burglary Mar. 16; and Jeff Ray indicted for theft Mar. 16. The other not guilty plea was

Sen. Tower To Speak At MAYC Banquet Oct. 11

Sen. Tower will be the guest speaker for the Eagle Lake MAYC's (Mexican American Youth Council) annual scholarship banquet to be held in the Community Center at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 11.

Tickets to the annual fundraising event will go on sale this week with all MAYC directors and members invited to use to provide scholarships for worthy Mexican American graduating seniors.

MAYC invites one and all to make plans to attend and to hear this outstanding speaker, to enjoy other entertainment, and the delicious Mexican menu and at the same time support the organization's scholarship program.

The Perfect Gift - subscription to the Eagle Lake Headlight.

Baptist Church

(Continued from page one)

church used a building which was also used as an opera house, school house, dance hall, and general meeting house. A few years later the Baptists, Methodists, and Episcopalians built a union house of worship.

In 1888 the Baptists completed a building of their own on Church Street at a cost of about \$1,300. Rev. Jeff D. Ray was the pastor. This building was blown down by the storm in 1900 and a smaller brick building at the corner of Church and 2nd streets was erected at a cost of about \$5,100, furnished. It had massive columns of wood and brick at the front entrance, amber glass windows, and elegant pews.

A new building was begun in 1926 under the leadership of Rev. Neil Ellis. This two-story brick building with basement was later stuccoed and served the church for 29 years. Property value was placed at \$35,000 and the auditorium and educational building. It became evident that a larger facility was needed and a building fund was organized in 1950 under the leadership of Pastor A. M. Brown.

The new facility at Prairie

ATTENTION

Anyone involved in Agriculture - Make plans now to attend the Agricultural Day in East Bernard on WED., SEPT. 24TH at 2:00 P.M. at the American Legion Hall

HIGHLIGHT OF THE PROGRAM WILL BE AN ADDRESS BY DR. L. S. POPE, ASSISTANT DEAN OF AGRICULTURE, TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY.

Free refreshments and door prizes

Remember, if you eat you're involved in agriculture.

Sponsored by the East Bernard Chamber of Commerce

Special Used Cars in Town

1973 Pinto Station Wagon Low Mileage, One Owner, Auto, Trans., Air Cond., Radio, White Tires, LIKE NEW \$2395

1972 Courier Pickup A Real Serviceable \$2295

1970 Chev. 1/2 Ton Pickup RUNS GOOD! AS IS SPECIAL \$695

1972 Mustang Fastback Register in PPK Competition By Oct. 3rd \$2695

New '76 Models Will Cost More!! Beat the Price Increase--

WE HAVE 31 New '75 Vehicles In Stock

A Big Selection—Buy These And Drive New Top Quality Cars and Trucks At Great Savings!

Sales Dept. Open 'til Noon Sat.

Steve Taylor Ford, Inc.

408 E. Main Eagle Lake Phone 234-2556; Houston 342-6718

1976 Models Now On Sale For Immediate Delivery

Sen. Tower To Speak At MAYC Banquet Oct. 11

Sen. Tower will be the guest speaker for the Eagle Lake MAYC's (Mexican American Youth Council) annual scholarship banquet to be held in the Community Center at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 11.

Tickets to the annual fundraising event will go on sale this week with all MAYC directors and members invited to use to provide scholarships for worthy Mexican American graduating seniors.

MAYC invites one and all to make plans to attend and to hear this outstanding speaker, to enjoy other entertainment, and the delicious Mexican menu and at the same time support the organization's scholarship program.

The Perfect Gift - subscription to the Eagle Lake Headlight.

Baptist Church

(Continued from page one)

church used a building which was also used as an opera house, school house, dance hall, and general meeting house. A few years later the Baptists, Methodists, and Episcopalians built a union house of worship.

In 1888 the Baptists completed a building of their own on Church Street at a cost of about \$1,300. Rev. Jeff D. Ray was the pastor. This building was blown down by the storm in 1900 and a smaller brick building at the corner of Church and 2nd streets was erected at a cost of about \$5,100, furnished. It had massive columns of wood and brick at the front entrance, amber glass windows, and elegant pews.

A new building was begun in 1926 under the leadership of Rev. Neil Ellis. This two-story brick building with basement was later stuccoed and served the church for 29 years. Property value was placed at \$35,000 and the auditorium and educational building. It became evident that a larger facility was needed and a building fund was organized in 1950 under the leadership of Pastor A. M. Brown.

The new facility at Prairie

ATTENTION

Anyone involved in Agriculture - Make plans now to attend the Agricultural Day in East Bernard on WED., SEPT. 24TH at 2:00 P.M. at the American Legion Hall

HIGHLIGHT OF THE PROGRAM WILL BE AN ADDRESS BY DR. L. S. POPE, ASSISTANT DEAN OF AGRICULTURE, TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY.

Free refreshments and door prizes

Remember, if you eat you're involved in agriculture.

Sponsored by the East Bernard Chamber of Commerce

Special Used Cars in Town

1973 Pinto Station Wagon Low Mileage, One Owner, Auto, Trans., Air Cond., Radio, White Tires, LIKE NEW \$2395

1972 Courier Pickup A Real Serviceable \$2295

1970 Chev. 1/2 Ton Pickup RUNS GOOD! AS IS SPECIAL \$695

1972 Mustang Fastback Register in PPK Competition By Oct. 3rd \$2695

New '76 Models Will Cost More!! Beat the Price Increase--

WE HAVE 31 New '75 Vehicles In Stock

A Big Selection—Buy These And Drive New Top Quality Cars and Trucks At Great Savings!

Sales Dept. Open 'til Noon Sat.

Steve Taylor Ford, Inc.

408 E. Main Eagle Lake Phone 234-2556; Houston 342-6718

1976 Models Now On Sale For Immediate Delivery

Eagle Lake Headlight

VOLUME 75, P. O. BOX 67, EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS 77434 THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1975 AC 113 234-2783 NUMBER 28

FM 3013 Dedication And BBOA At 5 P.M. Thurs.

Plans have been completed for the dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony to officially open Farm to Market Road 3013 between Seely and Eagle Lake at 5 p.m. today, Thursday, Sept. 25th. A crowd of over 400 persons from the two communities and large numbers of guests are expected to attend the event.

Mark Anderson of Eagle Lake and John Bird of Seely, chairman of the committees on the Farm to Market Road, are starting another drive to upgrade the Walking Blood Bank door list on Thursday, Sept. 25 and Friday, Sept. 26, 1975. Wendell Ward, ASEP, and Dennis Cooper, AMT, Laboratory Technologist will be the first National Bank in Eagle Lake from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on those 2 dates to type and RH citizens' blood who are to be considered for the following week starting September 29th, may be given to the Eagle Lake Community Hospital Laboratory to have their blood typed and RH between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.

"Those physically able, between the ages of 18 and 60, who are willing to remain on our donor list, are asked to please bring their own blood to the community center. We will need each donor's current address and business telephone and home phone numbers," said Mr. Reed.

The Eagle Lake Community Hospital Auxiliary shall have two volunteers present at the First National Bank to do the paper work necessary for the project.

The administrator expressed his appreciation and thanks to the citizens for their past support and interest in the Walking Blood Bank program. "We need a current donor list with as many donors as possible. No one ever knows when they will need blood."

"It's wonderful to know that there are blood donors ready to give in time of need," he added.

Anthony Farris To Speak

Plans have been completed for the dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony to officially open Farm to Market Road 3013 between Seely and Eagle Lake at 5 p.m. today, Thursday, Sept. 25th. A crowd of over 400 persons from the two communities and large numbers of guests are expected to attend the event.

WALKING BLOOD BANK DRIVE SLATED HERE THURS., FRI.

Prospective Donors To Be Typed At First Nat'l Bank

ASC Lists Rules For '76 Rice Allot.

The American Soybean Council (ASC) has announced the rules for the 1976 rice allotment program. The program is designed to provide a specific farm allotment to a specific producer for any program purpose, such as the Rice Stabilization and Conservation Act in this area.

For a number of years a producer who had a producer allotment could assign the allotment to a specific farm and be considered a rice producer on that farm if he received a stated share of the crop produced. Beginning with 1976 the requirements will be different. With the 1976 rice crop, it is considered as a producer on the farm to which the producer allotment is assigned; a producer must furnish a statement of the following information: 1. Name of the producer; 2. Name of the farm; 3. Water; 4. Equipment.

There was, in 1975, much confusion as to what constituted a farm. Farming land, labor, water or equipment, to assist producers in making their plans for the 1976 rice crop, the following guidelines are offered by the ASC officer:

A. A producer who furnishes a statement of the following information: 1. Name of the producer; 2. Name of the farm; 3. Water; 4. Equipment.

There was, in 1975, much confusion as to what constituted a farm. Farming land, labor, water or equipment, to assist producers in making their plans for the 1976 rice crop, the following guidelines are offered by the ASC officer:

A. A producer who furnishes a statement of the following information: 1. Name of the producer; 2. Name of the farm; 3. Water; 4. Equipment.

Lira Found Guilty, To Get 25 Yrs. In Pen

To Be Formally Sentenced Sept. 29

A jury deliberated nearly three hours last Wednesday, Sept. 17 before returning a verdict of guilty against Daniel Lira on a charge of murder of Alfred Jones; and he was sentenced to 25 years in prison.

Lira was found guilty of the murder by a jury of 12 Jurors in an incident between Pat's Cafe and Midland Bar at 8:00 p.m. on the night of May 3rd. The jury heard testimony from a witness who testified that Lira was in the bar at about 11:37 p.m. Wednesday and returned his verdict of guilty to the jury at 1:30 p.m. Saturday.

The administrator expressed his appreciation and thanks to the citizens for their past support and interest in the Walking Blood Bank program. "We need a current donor list with as many donors as possible. No one ever knows when they will need blood."

"It's wonderful to know that there are blood donors ready to give in time of need," he added.

More Assault Charges Filed On Mary Burris

Involved In Another Shooting

A hearing has been set for next Monday morning on the possibility of revoking five years of probation against Mary Burris, after the woman was involved in another shooting at the Zanabier night club near downtown Eagle Lake at 8:40 p.m. Saturday.

Chief of Police Roy Chism said that the hearing had been set for this Monday at 10:00 a.m. with a postponed trial next Monday.

Mary Burris was arrested by highway patrolmen near Houston, earlier officers had received a call that the woman had allegedly fired a shot from a .22 pistol at Charles Fay Christ and the bullet had missed him, but had gone through the lat he was wearing. She had been indicted several weeks ago on a previous charge of shooting at Chavis in an incident near the Rice Industries, east of the city.

Chief Chism said that his investigation showed that after she had fired the shot at Chavis Saturday night, she went to the home of a sister and talked her into taking her to Houston. Officers here learned of this and raided ahead and they were stopped by Highway Patrol units near East Bernard. No charges are expected to be filed against the sister.

Mrs. Burris has been charged with an additional charge of carrying a prohibited weapon on licensed premises and with assault to serious bodily injury.

A bond of \$50,000 was set on the revocation of probation charge and \$5,000 on each of the new charges.

Local Man Dies in Cycle Accident Sun.

Joe Dancy, '73 RHS Graduate, Victim

A twenty year old Eagle Lake man, Joe Dancy, was killed instantly when he and the motorcycle which was riding struck a steel highway department sign pole on Highway 90A near the entrance to the Eagle Lake Recreation Center, at 8:40 p.m. Sunday.

Eagle Lake Chief of Police Roy Chism, the investigating officer, said that Dancy was heading west on Highway 90A, apparently at a high rate of speed, when his cycle went off the right side of the road and the right side of the motorcycle and his body struck the sign post. The impact literally tore the right arm off the body and Dancy received a broken neck and died instantly. The motorcycle flipped end over end for a distance of some 250 feet and went into a ditch on the right side of the road and was completely demolished. Dancy's body landed some forty-five feet from the point of impact and one shoe and his helmet were found in a ditch on the opposite side of the four-lane section of highway.

Dancy was a 1973 graduate of Rice High School and had been employed recently with Lone Star Industries.

Justice of the Peace M. M. Jones held an inquest at the scene and ruled the man died of accidental causes.

Chief Chism was assisted at the scene by City Patrolman Buford Ashley and Highway Patrolman Rodney Green and traffic on the busy highway continued without interruption, although a large number of curious onlookers gathered at the scene on both sides of the road as it was closed for an hour or more on Sept. 14, 1975.

Funeral services for Dancy were held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 10 at the funeral home of J. W. Higgins, 234-2780.

"Please help us, we would like to find out how many people there are in the Eagle Lake area," said Chism.

Library Open 6-9 Tuesday Nights

The Wintermanns Library will be open each Tuesday evening from 6 to 9 p.m., announced the Library Board.

The Rev. George Welch, pastor of Christ Episcopal Church, will open the Library for these special times for the convenience of local citizens. For more information see Library report, page 3.

Record County Tax Rolls Completed

Tax Officer To Begin Tax Collection Tour Oct. 1

Colorado County Tax Assessor and Collector Henry J. Havsky and his deputies are preparing tax statements and expect to have them in the mail during the next week in advance of the opening of the current tax - paying period which opens October 1st.

The tax officer and his deputies will begin a tour of the county October 1st to collect 1975 taxes. The group will be in Weimar Oct. 1, 2, and 3; in Groesbeck Oct. 4; at the Groesbeck Community Center on Oct. 5; at the Sheridan School the morning of Oct. 6; at the Rock Island Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 7; at Richter's in Lone Oak on Oct. 8; at Helmsboro on Oct. 9; at Helmsboro on Oct. 10; at the Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 10; at the Municipal Building in

Hearing On \$1,750,166 County Budget Thurs. A.M.

Public Invited To Hearing In Columbus

A public hearing will be held at 10 a.m. today, Thursday, Sept. 25th in the county courtroom in Columbus on the proposed 1976 budget, which lists anticipated expenditures at \$1,750,166. This compares with a budget of \$1.6 million plus for 1975. The 1975 budget was finally approved after three special meetings called by the Commissioners' Court after a struggle on proposed increases for the elected officials. A grievance committee requested and the court acted to delete any proposed raises to employees or officials who made \$8000 or more annually.

The requests for pay increases ranging from 5 to 15 per cent are in the 1976 budget which was prepared by the County Judge Lester Crank from the requests from the various county officers. The pay hikes proposed in the 1976 budget include 15 per cent increases for the four commissioners, ten per cent increases for the county judge, the county attorney and the district clerk; 10 per cent increases for the sheriff, tax collector and the county clerk as well as the four commissioners. A complete list of the proposed increases was published in the September 15th issue of the Headlight and received by the public.

The judge also receives \$3000 for serving as county justice judge and \$600 for county expenses and \$1,000 maximum for out of county expenses paid only for bills submitted to the state and \$5,000 from the state and not from the county budget for serving as ex-officio county school superintendent.

The commissioners also get a \$1400 in county expense for transportation and are paid for out of county expenses on the basis of bills submitted.

The pay of the county treasurer for the year of \$84,000, from \$8000 to \$84,000. Mrs. Martha Bohnen was the only one of the countywide officials to get a pay raise last year, since she was under the \$8000 maximum.

The budget also calls for ten per cent raises for extension service personnel who were also included by last year's action. Justices of the peace and constables will get five per cent increases along with other county employees if the budget is approved as submitted.

It is reported that the commissioners had a meeting of the mind and are expected to be in accord on the proposed increases. Last year there was some difference among the officials as to the amounts of raises to be given. If any of the countywide officials had a meeting of the mind, last year there was some difference among the officials as to the amounts of raises to be given. If any of the countywide officials had a meeting of the mind, last year there was some difference among the officials as to the amounts of raises to be given. If any of the countywide officials had a meeting of the mind, last year there was some difference among the officials as to the amounts of raises to be given.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Duncan To Observe 50th Anniversary Sunday

Public Invited To Hearing In Columbus

A public hearing will be held at 10 a.m. today, Thursday, Sept. 25th in the county courtroom in Columbus on the proposed 1976 budget, which lists anticipated expenditures at \$1,750,166. This compares with a budget of \$1.6 million plus for 1975. The 1975 budget was finally approved after three special meetings called by the Commissioners' Court after a struggle on proposed increases for the elected officials. A grievance committee requested and the court acted to delete any proposed raises to employees or officials who made \$8000 or more annually.

The requests for pay increases ranging from 5 to 15 per cent are in the 1976 budget which was prepared by the County Judge Lester Crank from the requests from the various county officers. The pay hikes proposed in the 1976 budget include 15 per cent increases for the four commissioners, ten per cent increases for the county judge, the county attorney and the district clerk; 10 per cent increases for the sheriff, tax collector and the county clerk as well as the four commissioners. A complete list of the proposed increases was published in the September 15th issue of the Headlight and received by the public.

The judge also receives \$3000 for serving as county justice judge and \$600 for county expenses and \$1,000 maximum for out of county expenses paid only for bills submitted to the state and \$5,000 from the state and not from the county budget for serving as ex-officio county school superintendent.

The commissioners also get a \$1400 in county expense for transportation and are paid for out of county expenses on the basis of bills submitted.

The pay of the county treasurer for the year of \$84,000, from \$8000 to \$84,000. Mrs. Martha Bohnen was the only one of the countywide officials to get a pay raise last year, since she was under the \$8000 maximum.

The budget also calls for ten per cent raises for extension service personnel who were also included by last year's action. Justices of the peace and constables will get five per cent increases along with other county employees if the budget is approved as submitted.

It is reported that the commissioners had a meeting of the mind and are expected to be in accord on the proposed increases. Last year there was some difference among the officials as to the amounts of raises to be given. If any of the countywide officials had a meeting of the mind, last year there was some difference among the officials as to the amounts of raises to be given. If any of the countywide officials had a meeting of the mind, last year there was some difference among the officials as to the amounts of raises to be given.

Local Man Dies in Cycle Accident Sun.

Joe Dancy, '73 RHS Graduate, Victim

A twenty year old Eagle Lake man, Joe Dancy, was killed instantly when he and the motorcycle which was riding struck a steel highway department sign pole on Highway 90A near the entrance to the Eagle Lake Recreation Center, at 8:40 p.m. Sunday.

Eagle Lake Chief of Police Roy Chism, the investigating officer, said that Dancy was heading west on Highway 90A, apparently at a high rate of speed, when his cycle went off the right side of the road and the right side of the motorcycle and his body struck the sign post. The impact literally tore the right arm off the body and Dancy received a broken neck and died instantly. The motorcycle flipped end over end for a distance of some 250 feet and went into a ditch on the right side of the road and was completely demolished. Dancy's body landed some forty-five feet from the point of impact and one shoe and his helmet were found in a ditch on the opposite side of the four-lane section of highway.

Dancy was a 1973 graduate of Rice High School and had been employed recently with Lone Star Industries.

Justice of the Peace M. M. Jones held an inquest at the scene and ruled the man died of accidental causes.

Chief Chism was assisted at the scene by City Patrolman Buford Ashley and Highway Patrolman Rodney Green and traffic on the busy highway continued without interruption, although a large number of curious onlookers gathered at the scene on both sides of the road as it was closed for an hour or more on Sept. 14, 1975.

Funeral services for Dancy were held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 10 at the funeral home of J. W. Higgins, 234-2780.

"Please help us, we would like to find out how many people there are in the Eagle Lake area," said Chism.

Library Open 6-9 Tuesday Nights

The Wintermanns Library will be open each Tuesday evening from 6 to 9 p.m., announced the Library Board.

The Rev. George Welch, pastor of Christ Episcopal Church, will open the Library for these special times for the convenience of local citizens. For more information see Library report, page 3.

Record County Tax Rolls Completed

Tax Officer To Begin Tax Collection Tour Oct. 1

Colorado County Tax Assessor and Collector Henry J. Havsky and his deputies are preparing tax statements and expect to have them in the mail during the next week in advance of the opening of the current tax - paying period which opens October 1st.

The tax officer and his deputies will begin a tour of the county October 1st to collect 1975 taxes. The group will be in Weimar Oct. 1, 2, and 3; in Groesbeck Oct. 4; at the Groesbeck Community Center on Oct. 5; at the Sheridan School the morning of Oct. 6; at the Rock Island Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 7; at Richter's in Lone Oak on Oct. 8; at Helmsboro on Oct. 9; at Helmsboro on Oct. 10; at the Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 10; at the Municipal Building in

Graveside Rites For Ralph Martin Here Wed.

Ralph E. Martin of La Grange passed away suddenly Monday, September 8 shortly after one o'clock in the downtown area of La Grange. Since he began feeling badly earlier he was purchasing medication, while Mrs. Martin stopped elsewhere, and died in the store.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, September 17 at 2 o'clock from the La Grange Methodist Church followed by graveside services at the Lakeside Cemetery in Eagle Lake.

Mr. Martin was born in Des Moines, Iowa. After marriage and the birth of three children they came to Garwood where they resided for some time before moving to La Grange.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Samuel B. Martin of Atwater, Calif.; three daughters, Mrs. Ellen Battelle of Bryan, Mrs. Rita Traylor of New Oxford, Pa., and Mrs. Albert Seargeant of Brackville; one brother, Clarence Martin of Garwood; one daughter, Mrs. Byron Zavesky and Mrs. David Pavlick, both teachers in the Eagle Lake Middle School; and several grand children and other relatives and many friends.

Mr. Martin was a member of the La Grange Methodist Church where he taught Sunday School class and was a member of the choir.

Sympathy is extended to the family in the loss of this loved one.

C. Of C.

(Continued from page one)

pleting plans for the Farm to Market Road 3013, from Eagle Lake to Seely, dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremonies and barbecue on Thursday, Sept. 25th, beginning at 5 p.m. at the Sun Bernard river bridge about halfway between the two communities.

Members of the Colorado and Austin Commissioners' Courts, the County Judges and a number of district highway commissioners from the Youakum and DeWitt counties will be invited to the occasion.

A principal speaker for the event has not been confirmed but efforts are being made to complete this detail before the end of the week.

Mark Anderson, chairman of the Eagle Lake committee planning the event, said that the ticket sale to the barbecue supper to follow the dedication is progressing very nicely and a large gathering is anticipated both from Eagle Lake and Seely.

He noted that deadline for purchase of the \$3 tickets in Monday, Sept. 22nd. There will be no ticket sale at the event on Sept. 25th, so he urges local businessmen planning to attend to get their tickets in advance from committee members or at the C. of C. office, the city offices, First National Bank, or the Headlight office not later than Monday.

4 Charged With Shooting Road Reflectors

Four Houstonians were arrested by officers from the county sheriff's office at 1:30 a.m. Sunday on Farm to Market Road 2434 between Columbus and Weimar and were charged with malicious mischief for driving on the road and shooting at reflectors with a rifle.

Deputies Paul Hromadka and Emil Martinez made the arrest and filed the charges against Russell Harry, Peggie Castillo and Tom Rus and each posted a \$25 bond in the court of Justice of Peace Richard C. Schmidt in Columbus. The bonds were forfeited by the four when they failed to appear for trial on the charges later Sunday morning.

State Highway Department officials have indicated they will bill the four for the cost of reflectors damaged during the incident.

EAT MORE RICE!!

SAVE NOW ON YOUR BUILDING NEEDS

(Special offer in effect only thru Sept. 1975)

York Hy-Mark Metal Buildings for Only % OVER OUR COSTS

Completely Erected at Your Site

Barns, Utility Bldgs., Other Misc. Bldgs.

For Every Need - Call Us Today

Gulf Coast Agricultural Constructors

Phone 234-2567 (AGRIC) Eagle Lake

SAVE NOW ON YOUR BUILDING NEEDS

(Special offer in effect only thru Sept. 1975)

York Hy-Mark Metal Buildings for Only % OVER OUR COSTS

Completely Erected at Your Site

Barns, Utility Bldgs., Other Misc. Bldgs.

For Every Need - Call Us Today

Gulf Coast Agricultural Constructors

Phone 234-2567 (AGRIC) Eagle Lake

Cole Theatre

ROSENBERG 342-2866

FRI. thru THURS., SEPT. 19 thru 25

WALT DISNEY PRODUCTIONS

One of our Dinosaurs is Missing

TECHNICOLOR

Weekdays: 5:40, 8:40
Sat. & Sun.: 2:45, 5:40, 8:40

PLUS G/W/Weekdays: 7:45, 10:45
Sat. & Sun.: 1:30, 4:30, 7:45

CINDERELLA

WE HAVE 31 New '75 Vehicles In Stock

A Big Selection—Buy These And Drive New Top Quality Cars and Trucks At Great Savings!

Sales Dept. Open 'til Noon Sat.

Steve Taylor Ford, Inc.

408 E. Main Eagle Lake Phone 234-2556; Houston 342-6718

1976 Models Now On Sale For Immediate Delivery

Broco, Ranchero, Ford SuperCab, Ford Pickup, Pinto Runabout, Maverick 4-Dr., Mustang II Ghia, Granada Ghia 4-Dr.

ASC Lists Rules For '76 Rice Allot.

The American Soybean Council (ASC) has announced the rules for the 1976 rice allotment program. The program is designed to provide a specific farm allotment to a specific producer for any program purpose, such as the Rice Stabilization and Conservation Act in this area.

For a number of years a producer who had a producer allotment could assign the allotment to a specific farm and be considered a rice producer on that farm if he received a stated share of the crop produced. Beginning with 1976 the requirements will be different. With the 1976 rice crop, it is considered as a producer on the farm to which the producer allotment is assigned; a producer must furnish a statement of the following information: 1. Name of the producer; 2. Name of the farm; 3. Water; 4. Equipment.

There was, in 1975, much confusion as to what constituted a farm. Farming land, labor, water or equipment, to assist producers in making their plans for the 1976 rice crop, the following guidelines are offered by the ASC officer:

A. A producer who furnishes a statement of the following information: 1. Name of the producer; 2. Name of the farm; 3. Water; 4. Equipment.

Record County Tax Rolls Completed

Tax Officer To Begin Tax Collection Tour Oct. 1

Colorado County Tax Assessor and Collector Henry J. Havsky and his deputies are preparing tax statements and expect to have them in the mail during the next week in advance of the opening of the current tax - paying period which opens October 1st.

The tax officer and his deputies will begin a tour of the county October 1st to collect 1975 taxes. The group will be in Weimar Oct. 1, 2, and 3; in Groesbeck Oct. 4; at the Groesbeck Community Center on Oct. 5; at the Sheridan School the morning of Oct. 6; at the Rock Island Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 7; at Richter's in Lone Oak on Oct. 8; at Helmsboro on Oct. 9; at Helmsboro on Oct. 10; at the Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 10; at the Municipal Building in

Library Open 6-9 Tuesday Nights

The Wintermanns Library will be open each Tuesday evening from 6 to 9 p.m., announced the Library Board.

The Rev. George Welch, pastor of Christ Episcopal Church, will open the Library for these special times for the convenience of local citizens. For more information see Library report, page 3.

Record County Tax Rolls Completed

Tax Officer To Begin Tax Collection Tour Oct. 1

Colorado County Tax Assessor and Collector Henry J. Havsky and his deputies are preparing tax statements and expect to have them in the mail during the next week in advance of the opening of the current tax - paying period which opens October 1st.

The tax officer and his deputies will begin a tour of the county October 1st to collect 1975 taxes. The group will be in Weimar Oct. 1, 2, and 3; in Groesbeck Oct. 4; at the Groesbeck Community Center on Oct. 5; at the Sheridan School the morning of Oct. 6; at the Rock Island Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 7; at Richter's in Lone Oak on Oct. 8; at Helmsboro on Oct. 9; at Helmsboro on Oct. 10; at the Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 10; at the Municipal Building in

Local Man Dies in Cycle Accident Sun.

Joe Dancy, '73 RHS Graduate, Victim

A twenty year old Eagle Lake man, Joe Dancy, was killed instantly when he and the motorcycle which was riding struck a steel highway department sign pole on Highway 90A near the entrance to the Eagle Lake Recreation Center, at 8:40 p.m. Sunday.

Eagle Lake Chief of Police Roy Chism, the investigating officer, said that Dancy was heading west on Highway 90A, apparently at a high rate of speed, when his cycle went off the right side of the road and the right side of the motorcycle and his body struck the sign post. The impact literally tore the right arm off the body and Dancy received a broken neck and died instantly. The motorcycle flipped end over end for a distance of some 250 feet and went into a ditch on the right side of the road and was completely demolished. Dancy's body landed some forty-five feet from the point of impact and one shoe and his helmet were found in a ditch on the opposite side of the four-lane section of highway.

Dancy was a 1973 graduate of Rice High School and had been employed recently with Lone Star Industries.

Justice of the Peace M. M. Jones held an inquest at the scene and ruled the man died of accidental causes.

Chief Chism was assisted at the scene by City Patrolman Buford Ashley and Highway Patrolman Rodney Green and traffic on the busy highway continued without interruption, although a large number of curious onlookers gathered at the scene on both sides of the road as it was closed for an hour or more on Sept. 14, 1975.

Funeral services for Dancy were held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 10 at the funeral home of J. W. Higgins, 234-2780.

"Please help us, we would like to find out how many people there are in the Eagle Lake area," said Chism.

Library Open 6-9 Tuesday Nights

The Wintermanns Library will be open each Tuesday evening from 6 to 9 p.m., announced the Library Board.

The Rev. George Welch, pastor of Christ Episcopal Church, will open the Library for these special times for the convenience of local citizens. For more information see Library report, page 3.

Record County Tax Rolls Completed

Tax Officer To Begin Tax Collection Tour Oct. 1

Colorado County Tax Assessor and Collector Henry J. Havsky and his deputies are preparing tax statements and expect to have them in the mail during the next week in advance of the opening of the current tax - paying period which opens October 1st.

The tax officer and his deputies will begin a tour of the county October 1st to collect 1975 taxes. The group will be in Weimar Oct. 1, 2, and 3; in Groesbeck Oct. 4; at the Groesbeck Community Center on Oct. 5; at the Sheridan School the morning of Oct. 6; at the Rock Island Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 7; at Richter's in Lone Oak on Oct. 8; at Helmsboro on Oct. 9; at Helmsboro on Oct. 10; at the Community Center the afternoon of Oct. 10; at the Municipal Building in

Local Man Dies in Cycle Accident Sun.

Joe Dancy, '73 RHS Graduate, Victim

A twenty year old Eagle Lake man, Joe Dancy, was killed instantly when he and the motorcycle which was riding struck a steel highway department sign pole on Highway 90A near the entrance to the Eagle Lake Recreation Center, at 8:40 p.m. Sunday.

Eagle Lake Chief of Police Roy Chism, the investigating officer, said that Dancy was heading west on Highway 90A, apparently at a high rate of speed, when his cycle went off the right side of the road and the right side of the motorcycle and his body struck the sign post. The impact literally tore the right arm off the body and Dancy received a broken neck and died instantly. The motorcycle flipped end