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HANLY REALTORS
234-2825 Eagle Lake

FOR SALE: Brooms, mops and many household and yard items for sale Thursday, Feb. 26 by Lions' Club benefitting the Lighthouse for the Blind and the local clubs. (2-19-2t)

FOR SALE: 1964-410 Gas and 1965-410 Gas Massey Ferguson Combines. Call 234-2828 after 6 p.m. (1-8-tf)

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COLORADO COUNTY: 197 acres suitable for rice or soybeans. Terms.

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FOR SALE: 1-1968 MF 410 Diesel Combine; 1-Ranch Radio Unit, 4 channels (G-E); 1-Lincoln Welder (D-C), 240 amp. Phone 234-2273. (2-26-tf)

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FOR SALE: 400 International Tractor, 4 row cultivators, planters, busters, Super H International tractor, 2 row shredders, 2 sets 4-row rollers, 6-row sprayer. Call Glen Flora 677-3361. (2-26-2t)

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MISC. SALES

GARAGE SALE: Thursday and Friday, Feb. 26 and 27 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at 1403 North Ave. in the Rice Mill area. Clothes, furniture, dishes, etc. (2-26-1tp)

Do you want to keep your home temperature at 68 degrees, but find it uncomfortable? Consider using a humidifier, or putting a pan of water on or behind the radiator. Humidified air is more comfortable at lower temperatures than dry air, and healthier, too.

FOR SALE: Black AKC Lab Puppies. Call 234-3273. (2-26-1t)

NOTICE OF REWARD
A reward of $50.00 is offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person, or persons, who took a cigarette smoking urn from the vestibule at the Eagle Lake Community Hospital on February 3, 1976.
CONTACT:
Donald R. Reed, Administrator
Phone 234-3514
(2 12 2t)

Political Announcements

The Eagle Lake Headlight is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic Primary Election on May 1, 1976:

For County Sheriff:
GEO. (DOC) MUELLER (For Re-election)
BILL ESTERLING
THOMAS WINE

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
HENRY J. HAJOVSKY (For Re-election)

For Constable, J. P. Precinct No. 8:
J. T. (JIMMIE) FRNKA (For Re-election)
LEROY BRIGGS

For Constable, JP Precinct No. 2:
LAWRENCE BERGER (For Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
WILTON E. STALLMAN
OTTO H. LOESSIN
A. J. HRUZEK, JR.

For County Attorney:
EDWARD WOOLERY-PRICE (Write-In Candidate)
DONALD N. BENDY

For U. S. Congressman, Tenth District of Texas:
J. J. (JAKE) PICKLE (For Re-election)

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(2 19 2t)

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LVN NEEDED: Salary Open. Contact Yvonne Wagner or Virgia Schwenke. Sweetbriar Nursing Home, Columbus, Tex. Phone 732-5716 or 732-5717. (2-5-tf)

SALES REPRESENTATIVE wanted for Hurricane Steel Industries, Fittings Division, Sealy, Texas. Apply Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Mr. Virgil Womack, AC 713 885-3569. (4-24-tf)

YOUNG MAN WANTED: For fulltime work in men's department sales at Epps' Dept. Store in Eagle Lake. Apply with Clarence Epps. (2 12 tf)

MEN WANTED: No experience necessary. Hurricane Steel Industries, Fittings Division, Sealy, Texas. Apply Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., AC 713 885-3569. (4-24-tf)

NEEDED: Janitor needed at Eagle Lake Middle School. Contact James Crabb at 234-3501 for details. (2-19-tf)

SARAH COVENTRY Jewelry has openings in this area. No investments! No Delivery! Full or part time. Call Columbus 713 732-2902. (2-26-2t)

WANT TO DISPLAY YOUR WORK IN A NEW SHOP? Opening soon in Eagle Lake! Call 713-234-5377 for information after 5 p.m. (2 26 1t)

WANT TO DO: Full or part-time baby sitting or house work. Contact Delores Fay Wilks Holmes at 234-3122. (2 26 1tp)

Headlight Classifieds really pay off. Call 234-2783.

NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed proposals, plainly marked, "addressed to the Commissioners' Court of Colorado County, Texas will be received at the office of the County Judge at Columbus, Texas until 10:00 a.m. on Monday, March 8, 1976, and then publicly opened and read before the Commissioners' Court in the regular meeting place of said Court in the Courthouse at Columbus, Texas, for the following:
ITEM I. Road paving for Commissioners' precincts.
Specifications obtainable from office of County Judge.
A certified or cashier's check or a bid bond for 5 per cent of the amount of bid, payable to Colorado County, Texas must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that bidder, if successful, will comply with statutory requirements and with the requirements of the Commissioners' Court. The Commissioners' Court reserves the right to waive all technicalities and the right to reject any or all bids.
By Order of the Commissioners' Court dated February 9, 1976.
Lester J. Cranek
County Judge
(2-19-2t)

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF RICHARD D. WITTE, DECEASED
Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration for the Estate of RICHARD D. WITTE were issued on January 26, 1976, in Cause No. 6037, pending in the County Court of Colorado County, Texas, to:
GENEVA A. WITTE
The residence of such GENEVA A. WITTE is Colorado County, Texas. The post office address is:
P. O. Box 12
Eagle Lake, Texas 77434
All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.
DATED this 20 day of February, 1976.
Geneva A. Witte

NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION
EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS
Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 3rd day of April, 1976, in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: a Mayor and two Aldermen. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city:
In Election Precinct No. 1, at Council Room of the Municipal Building.
The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on said election day be open from 8:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.
The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Office, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 o'clock a.m. and 5:00 o'clock p.m.
Dated this the 10th day of February, 1976.
Elmer Struss
Mayor
(2-26-1t)

AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA CIUDAD
EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS
Se da aviso por la presente que se llevara a cabo una Eleccion de Funcionarios de la Ciudad el dia tres re April de 1976, en la ciudad arriba mencionada para el proposito de elegir a los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad: Un Alcalde y Dos Concejales. Dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votacion en dicha cuidad:
El Distrito Electoral Num.1 en el Council Room de Edificio de la Ciudad.
Los lugares de votacion arriba designados para dicha eleccion se mantendran abiertos en el mencionado dia de elecciones de las 8:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.
La votacion ausente para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo de la Ciudad, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votacion ausente se mantendra abierto por lo menos ocho horas en cada dia de votacion ausente no siendo sabado, domingo o dia festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarto dia anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion. Dicha lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8:00 a.m. a las 5:00 p.m.
Fechado esta dia diece de Febrero, de 1976.
Elmer Struss
Alcalde
(2-26-1t)

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THE STORE AHEAD — EAGLE LAKE

Region VII HS Rodeo Set at WCJC

Region VII competition for the State Championship High School Rodeo will be held at Wharton County Junior College in Wharton April 30 and May 1-2 at the Rocking W Arena. The WCJC Aggie-Rodeo Club will sponsor this rodeo for high school boys and girls and the club is looking forward to a very successful rodeo according to Regional Secretary H. O. Galloway, division chairman of the WCJC Agriculture Department.
March 28 is the deadline for entries. For boys and girls to be eligible to compete it is necessary for each one to apply soon for membership. Applications must be approved at least thirty days prior to the rodeo. The application blanks may be secured from H. O. Galloway, Wharton County Junior College, 911 Boling Highway, Wharton, 77488 or from Paul Cook, P. O. Box 302, Hallettsville, 77964. Applications must be sent to Paul Cook for processing and returned to contestants.

GI Ins. Dividends

Checks totaling $233 million in GI insurance dividends will be mailed to approximately three million veterans by the latter part of February, A. A. Hunter, Director Houston Veterans Administration Regional Office, announces.
Hunter said the Veterans Administration accelerated dividend project is part of a record $376.8 million dividend payout to veterans who have kept in force their policies from World War I, World War II and the Korean Conflict.

MARKET REPORT

COLUMBUS LIVESTOCK CO.
The market was very active to stronger on all classes of cattle at the Columbus Livestock Commission Co. at the sale held Feb. 19th reported owners George Hagan and Dempsey Calhoun.
The firm handled 603 head of cattle with good to choice butcher calves selling from 32 to 35; heiferett packer cows went 28 to 30; commercial packer bulls 32 to 35; heavy Hereford and Angus steer calves sold 35 to 43 and heifers 25 to 32; while crossbred steer calves sold 33 to 43 and heifers 25 to 32. Good stocker cows and heifers went $140 to $180 per head.
Butcher hogs sold 48 and 49c per pound and lambs 20 to 30c.

ICA President Warns of Brucel. Change

The head of the Independent Cattlemen's Association said Friday that Texas ranchers should be aware that the U.S. Department of Agriculture plans to seek further changes in brucellosis program requirements.
ICA President T. A. Cunningham of Goliad said USDA "plans to pop Texas with 16 pages of changes despite promises that we had swallowed the whole pill" when the Animal Health Commission accepted the present requirements under court order and threat of quarantine.
The 16 pages of planned changes were disclosed by Dr. Paul Becton, USDA's national brucellosis coordinator, Thursday at a meeting of the Texas Animal Health Commission.
Cunningham said promises that no changes were planned were made by Becton at a Dec. 30 court hearing in Austin and in several other meetings with cattlemen.

Cards of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the Garwood Fire Department; ambulance crew; ones who sent sympathy cards and for the Masses, memorials and food; and the ones that helped in any way when our husband, father and grandfather passed away.
May God bless you.
The Family of Henry Krenek

THANK YOU
I wish to express my sincere thanks to all of my friends that were so nice and kind to me during my illness. Thanks for the fruit, cards, flowers, and money that each of you gave.
Thanks again,
A. J. Williams

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School Week

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nasium. Classrooms will be open for visitation from 7:30 until 8:30. The teachers will be in their respective rooms to visit with parents at this time, said Principal James Crabb.

Sheridan Open House, Chicken Supper Mar. 4

Public Schools Week will be observed at the Sheridan Elementary School with an open house and fried chicken supper on Thurs., Mar. 4th.
The public is invited to an open house at the school beginning at 6:30 p.m. said the Principal W. C. Gohlke. The teachers will be on hand to meet the parents.
The Sheridan Parents and Teachers will sponsor a fried chicken supper in the cafeteria beginning at 7:30 p.m. Fried chicken, cole slaw, homemade pies and coffee or tea will be served.

Rice High School Open House Friday, Mar. 5

During Public Schools Week, March 1-5, the students' parents are given a chance to visit their child's school and parents are invited to visit Rice High School, said principal Fred Grahmann.
On Friday night, March 5, the Rice High School will hold its annual open house. The open house will start at 7:00 p.m. and close at 8:00 p.m. and will be followed by a short concert in the gym by the Raider Band. At the open house there will be various exhibits in the classrooms and an exhibit in the commons by the art students.

St. Mary's To Observe Catholic School Week

Catholic School Week will be observed at St. Mary's School in Nada Mar. 6th and 7th. There will be a children's Bicentennial display and also the school children will present a Bicentennial Pageant in the Parish Hall on Sunday evening, Mar. 7th.
The public is invited to attend, said Sister Alfreada who is in charge of the school.

Book Fair at Primary School March 8-10

The Eagle Lake Primary School will sponsor a student book fair, March 8-10. Students will be able to browse and select books. The book fair will be open only during school hours in the Primary School Gym.
All students, parents, and visitors are invited to attend the fair. The fair will encourage student interest in reading and in building home libraries.
The book fair display will include attractive new books from many publishers in all popular price ranges. The Educational Reading Service, a professional book fair company, furnishes a wide range of books for the display and all reading interests will be represented including classics, fiction, biographies, adventure stories, science, nature, crafts, mystery, and reference books.

Garwood Water District To Elect 2 Directors

The Colorado County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2 at Garwood will hold an election for the purpose of naming two new directors to the board on April 3rd.
Terms of directors Charles Bubela Jr. and Frank Kasmiersky Jr. expire on that date.

AARP To Have Covered Dish Meet Mar. 3

The American Association of Retired Persons will have their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 3rd. A covered dish lunch will be enjoyed at 12 o'clock noon at the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church. Volunteers to help with tables, food, etc. are asked to come a little earlier.
Russell Thomas will be one of the main speakers. Also, at 2:30 p.m. Mr. Lowe from Wharton will be a speaker and show a film.
Members are reminded of the birthday party at the Heritage House on Friday, Feb. 27th at 2:00 p.m.
A board meeting will be held on Monday, March 1st at 9:30 a.m.

$2500 Damages Asked In Weimar Wreck

A total of $2500 for injuries and for damages as a result of a wreck in Weimar on Oct. 22, 1975 is asked in a district court case filed last Friday by Billy Joe Valenta, Jr. against Joe Freis and Lillian Freis.
Valenta alleges that he was driving a 1962 Buick east on Main Street in Weimar at 5 p.m. when his vehicle was allegedly hit by one in which the Freis' were riding.
He alleges that his car was totally demolished and that he received injuries and asks judgment for a total of $2500.

Lissie Church Women Sponsor Bible Study

The United Methodist Women of the Lissie Church are sponsoring a weekly Bible study.
All interested persons are welcome to join the group for Bible study each Wednesday morning at 9:30 a.m. in the Assembly Room of the Lissie Church.

Tax Officer Begins Tour To Sell Plates

Colorado County tax officer Henry J. Hajovsky and his deputies will begin a tour of the county today, Thurs., Feb. 26th to issue 1976 automobile and truck registrations and to assess taxes for the 1976 year.
Mr. Hajovsky reminds that all who register a vehicle for 1976 must present the registration renewal application that they received from the Texas Highway Department. If for some reason you did not receive the renewal application, then you must present the certificate of title and the 1975 registration receipt.
Instead of license plates a validation sticker will be issued for the year 1976 and the sticker will be placed on the upper right corner of the plates issued for 1975.
The tax group will begin the tour today, Thurs., Feb. 26 at the H&S Grocery; they will be at C. A. Walker residence in Oakland from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Fri., at Heinsohn Store in Frelsburg from 8:45 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. Monday.
The group will be at the city hall in Weimar for three days March 3, 4, and 5.
They will make their visit to the council room in the Municipal Building in Eagle Lake from 8:45 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. Mon., Tues., Wed., Mar. 8, 9, and 10; then will be at Hopkins' Office in Garwood from 8:45 to 3:45 Thurs., March 11th; at the Sheridan School from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Fri., Mar. 12th; at the Community Center in Rock Island from 1 to 3:15 p.m. the same date, Mar. 12th; and at the Nada Grocery and Market from 8:45 to 3:45 on Mon., Mar. 15th.

Country Camp Dining Hall will be open to the public weekends
FRIDAY, FEB. 27, 6-12 P.M.: T-Bone Steak, $4.00; Seafood Dungaree, $3.75; Mexican Plate, $1.75; Ocean Catfish, $2.25; Enchilada Plate $1.75.
SATURDAY, FEB. 28, 6-12 P.M.: T-Bone Steak, $4.00; Roast Turkey and Dressing, $2.75; Baked Ham, $3.00; Broiled Shrimp Scampi, $3.50; Chinese Food Plate, $2.50.
Salad Bar
SUNDAY, FEB. 29, Noon to 8 P.M.: T-Bone Steak, $4.00; Pot Roast with Vegetables, $3.00; Stuffed Crab, $2.75; Chicken and Dumplings, $2.50
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RICE DISTRICT SCHOOL MENUS

Thurs., Feb. 26: Pigs-in-Blanket, Black Eyed Peas, Sauerkraut, Banana Pudding;
Fri., Feb. 27: Tamales with Chili Sauce, Pinto Beans, Tossed Salad, Pineapple Tidbits, Lunchroom Bread.
Mon., Mar. 1: Meat/Spaghetti/Sauce, Purple Hull Peas, Creamy Cole Slaw, Pear Halves, Garlic Bread;
Tues., Mar. 2: Smothered Steak, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Frozen Green Peas, Strawberry Jello, Hot Rolls;
Wed., Mar. 3: Fish Burger, Pinto Beans, Combination Salad, Peach Cobbler;
Thurs., Mar. 4: Fried Chicken, Rice and Gravy, Collard Greens, Cranberry Sauce, Hot Rolls;
Fri., Mar. 5: Corn Dogs/Mustard, Tater Tots, Frozen Green Beans, Cinnamon Rolls.

County Gets $227 From Mixed Drinks Tax

Comptroller Bob Bullock has mailed checks totaling $2.7 million to 186 counties and 300 cities as their share of the mixed drink tax for the October-December quarter of 1975.
Bullock said counties got $1.4 million and cities $1.3 million of the total.
The mixed drink tax, collected by the Alcoholic Beverage Commission, is 10 percent of all gross receipts for the sale of mixed drinks.
The cities get 15 percent of the tax collected within city boundaries, while counties reap 15 percent of all the tax collected from unincorporated areas.
Colorado County received $227 from the collection of the tax.

Ed Wine Home From M. Marine Trip To Russia

Ed Wine of Garwood, who serves as a navigator on the Merchant Ship Monticello for Victory Carriers, has returned to the states after a long trip to Russia aboard the Monticello.
Wine said that the ship took a load of U. S. corn to Odessa but due to the great influx of ships in the harbor had to lay at anchor outside the harbor for some time.
During the trip the ship and crew encoutered some of the fierce weather that hits the North Atlantic with subzero temperatures and waves up to forty-five feet high.
Mr. Wine, a former Colorado County deputy sheriff in the Garwood area, is a qualified investigations officer and while in Russia he had an opportunity to visit with the law enforcement agencies in that country.
"Of course, they only let you see what they want you to see but it was quite an experience," he said and added that people in the United States have a right to be truly grateful of the freedoms enjoyed in this country.
He will be at home for some time before deciding on his future plans.

4 From Area In Houston Calf Scrambles

Dennis Bluntson, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arvis Bluntson of Garwood, will take part in the calf scramble at the 7:45 p.m., February 27 performance of the World's Championship Rodeo at the 1976 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
Woody Jones, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jones of Garwood; Dale Popp, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Popp of Garwood; and Paul Vasut, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Vasut of Eagle Lake, will take part in the calf scramble at the 2 p.m., March 7 performance.

FB Traffic Safety Program At Rice Wed.

If a small child suddenly dashed out into the street in front of your car, could you stop in time? Many people say, "I can stop on a dime."
Students of Rice High School had an opportunity at 1:05 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 25th to see for themselves the distance required to stop a car in an emergency, while participating in a Farm Bureau sponsored traffic safety program, according to Ronel W. Roberts, vocational agriculture instructor at Rice.
The program, in two parts, was given under the direction of Ben Bullard, Waco, Assistant Safety Director, Texas Farm Bureau.
During the first part of the program, Bullard discussed Texas traffic safety, in addition to outlining procedures to be followed during the second part demonstration.
The group was directed to the street to witness driving tests at 20, 30 and 40 M.P.H.
Bullard rode in his special equipped car with each of the drivers. The safety belts are used during each test. During each test, the equipment signals to driver to make a panic stop and marks that exact spot on the street. Two more spots are marked: (1) where the brakes are first applied and (2) where the car comes to an exact and complete stop. Students and teachers got a "panorama view" from their safety vantage point. Student assistant, using a steel tape, measured the reaction and braking distances in exact feet and inches. Following each stop test and measurement, Bullard announced the results over his auto public address system for each member of the audience to mark their personal card.
This public service traffic program, presented before high schools across the state since 1957, was brought to Rice High School under the sponsorship of the Colorado County Farm Bureau.

Damages Asked In Death Of Five Cows

The death of five grazing cows as the alleged result of ingestion of chemicals from a drilling site is the subject of a damage suit filed in 25th District Court this week.
The suit was filed by Anthony M. Truchard, M.D. and W. W. Herren against Julian Evans, John Fowlkes and the Fowlkes Equipment Co. The plaintiffs allege that they entered into an oil and gas lease with Evans in 1971 and a well was drilled on the site in the spring of 1974.
The petition alleges that after pit leveling operations had been commenced by the Fowlkes firm five cattle died of ingestion of spillage from the drilling site. The plaintiffs also allege that the driller used more land than was needed to develop the drilling site and that reasonable care was not taken to contain the affluents.
Herren holds a grazing lease on the land and was the owner of the cattle and he asks for a judgment for $2250 for loss of the livestock. Also the plaintiffs ask for $1000 in damages for temporary loss of use of land subsequent to the drilling operation.

VISIT IN SAN ANTONIO
Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Frazar, Jr. and daughter Kathy, and Deanne Van Nort visited in San Antonio Sunday afternoon through Tuesday with Mrs. Frazar's mother, Mrs. Nina Piper, and other relatives.

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Fine Limousin Cattle Seen Here

Fifty-four head of some of the finest Limousin cattle in this country were at the J. H. Clipson Ranch two miles west of Eagle Lake Tuesday for sifting, pregnancy testing and final show and sale preparation. The cattle are consigned to the Houston Livestock Show and Sale and since a maximum of fifty could be entered, a few of the animals had to be sifted to meet the 50-head limit.
Included in the cattle at the Clipson Ranch were fine purebred and percentage Limousin cattle from this state and many other states.
The show and sale is being managed by American Cattle Services, Inc. and is billed as the Texas Limousin Association's Spirit of '76 show and sale in conjunction with the annual meeting of the Texas Limousin Association and the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. The cattle will be judged this Saturday, Feb. 28 at 2:00 p.m. and the sale of the animals is set for 7 p.m. Saturday. The Astro World Hotel in Houston is the sale headquarters and the auctioneers for the sale will be C. K. "Sonny" Booth and Bruce Brooks.
Included in the sale will be six purebred bulls, two fullblood females, 11 American Purebred females, 32 bred and open 75% heifers and 8 87% and 75% bulls. All of the cattle were here for the pre-sifting and testing at the Clipson Ranch and many citizens from throughout the Gulf Coast area were on hand to inspect this fine breed of cattle.
The animals will be shown at 2 p.m. Saturday in a pre-sale show in the main arena of the Astro Hall. Dr. Jim Wiltbank, Beeville Experiment Station specialist, will speak at the Limousin Rally and annual business meeting in the Livestock Show's Conference Room. His subject will be "Induced Estrous on Beef Cattle."
The Spirit of '76 Pre-sale party will follow at 6 p.m. in the Herdsman Room; and the sale will begin at 7 p.m. in the Super Sales Salon of the Astro Hall.
Consignors in the show include ranchers from Texas, Oklahoma, California, South Dakota, Alabama and Colorado.

Son Born For Kenneth Mermis'

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mermis of Houston are the proud parents of a son born on February 8. He has been named Joshau Walsh.
He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walsh of Baton Rouge, La. and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mermis, Jr. of Great Bend, Kansas. Mrs. William Waddell of Eagle Lake is his great grandmother.

Maximum Workman's Comp. Asked

A suit was filed in District Court in Columbus Monday, Feb. 23rd by Walter Fenix against Texas Employers Insurance Association asking for workman's compensation of not to exceed $63 per week for a period not to exceed 401 weeks.
Fenix alleges in the suit that he received injuries in an accident while in the employment of Thorstenberg Materials Co. in this county and that he is entitled to the workman's compensation in a lump sum payment.

HOME FROM GEORGIA
Mrs. Cleo Reese returned Sunday from a three-months visit in Roswell, Georgia with the family of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Crittenden.

Landfill

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county funds.
In the past the cities and county had shared in paying the inspector's salary on a one-fourth each basis, but the cities notified the county and Mr. Taylor, through his representative Tom Halbert, that they could not continue paying for the inspector's salary and the per load fee also.
Mr. Halbert reportedly gave tentative approval to the company's participation in payment of the inspector's salary but the county has not received official word yet from Taylor Trucking.
Fees which will be charged at the lanfill effective Monday are: for automobile loads, $1.00; for pickup truck loads $2.50; for a 2-wheel trailer load, $2.50; for a one ton truck load, $5.00; for a 4-wheel trailer load, $5.00; for a two ton truck load, $7.50; for a city garbage truck load, $15.00 for city trucks and others, payment according to size. Taylor also plans to charge an additional 25c for each auto tire, 50c for each truck tire, $1.00 for each tractor tire, and $2.00 for each large appliance included in the refuse dumped into the landfill.

Life Sentence

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a sentence, it was brought out that Donovan had previously been confined to the Texas Department of Corrections in Lubbock on a burglary of a private residence charge tried in November of 1956. He also was sentenced to serve time in a prison in New Mexico in September of 1962 for abduction while armed with a deadly weapon and assault with a deadly weapon.
Official sentencing date is set for March 1st.
Members of the jury were: Frank J. Lesiker and Randall Schulte, foreman, of Columbus; Felix Soto of Altair; Frank J. Krahl, Miss Barbara Haase of Weimar; Lorance Johnson and Mrs. Lois Taylor of Sheridan; Mrs. Eula Besch of Glidden; Mrs. Rosie Marie Wilde of New Ulm; Billy Bob Strunk of Oakland; and Aaron Fitzgerald of Garwood; and Mrs. Dorothy Newsom of Eagle Lake.

Miss Carolyn F. Dancy To Wed Archie B. James March 6th

Carolyn F. Dancy, daughter of Mrs. Mildred Lee Powell, and a 1972 graduate of Rice Consolidated High School, would like to extend an invitation to all of you to share with her on March 6, 1976, at 8:00 o'clock p.m. at White Cloud Baptist Church, her wedding to Archie B. James, originally from Shreveport, La.
Mr. James has been living in Houston for the past eighteen years. The new couple will make their home in Richmond, Texas.
The reception will be at Deckard's Club immediately following the wedding ceremony.

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A. J. Hruzek Jr.
County Comissioner, Precinct 1

To the voters of Precinct 1:
As a candidate for County Commissioner, I propose:

★ To keep county revenue generated in Precinct 1 working in Precinct 1.

★ To continue the sound and responsible management of county finances and spending.

★ To support the county's providing for necessary and modern equipment for the sheriff's department, and for pay levels to attract and hold qualified deputies.

★ To support the county's providing sufficient operating funds for the sheriff's department to provide effective 24-hour service.

★ To provide adequate drainage facilities for each community in Precinct 1, including relief of the present drainage problems of the Garwood and Nada areas.

★ Better maintenance of county roads and streets, and to seek a well-qualified precinct road foreman.

★ The paving of some county roads and streets.

★ A completely new approach to providing full-time receptiveness to the needs and problems of the people of Precinct 1, including there being someone to answer the telephone and receive personal visits from citizens at the county barn at all times during working hours. And I will personally be available to the citizens at all times.

★ For the county to remain an active member of national, state, regional and local area county associations.

I believe my educational background and operating and business experience qualify me to best serve all the people of Precinct 1, in financial management of county funds as well as in general operations. Your vote and support will be sincerely appreciated. I offer a real change in some aspects of the operation of Precinct 1.

A. J. Hruzek Jr.

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