

FFA Members Buy Breeding Stock



Woody Jones, Jr., left, Rice FFA member, and Willie Fitzgerald, vocational agriculture instructor, examine the Duroc boar which Woody purchased in Kansas in an effort to improve the swine breeding program at Rice High School. At the right is Keith Austin, also a Rice FFA member, who purchased a Duroc gilt for the breeding program.

Rice Students Buy Breeding Swine

Woody Jones, Jr. and Keith Austin, along with advisor Willie Fitzgerald, made a trip to Casey, Kansas, for the purpose of purchasing breeding stock to further improve the local swine breeding program. The group left from Rice High School Thursday morning, March 11 and drove to Muskogee, Oklahoma, where they spent the night. Friday morning they left Oklahoma and arrived at Casey, Kansas about lunch-time at Messner Farms in Casey.

Friday afternoon and Saturday morning was spent observing and selecting stock for the students. One hundred and fifty head of swine were entered in the sale last week with bids \$1.00 to \$3.00 higher. Lots of buyers, all wanting cattle, were on hand for the sale. The firm handled 45 head of cattle with good to choice butcher calves selling 32 to 35; hereford packer cows 32 to 33; commercial packer bulls 32 to 35; heavy hereford and Angus steer calves brought 35 to 43 and hereford 27 to 32. Good

stocker cows and heifers sold \$180 to \$200 per head. Butcher hogs brought 45 to 48.5 and lambs 20 to 30. WILKINSON LIVESTOCK CO., The market was steady on all classes of cattle except 300 to 400 lb. feeder heifers appeared to be about 1-2¢ higher reported owners of the Wharton Livestock Co. following a sale March 27th. There was a good attendance of buyers on hand and all wanted to buy cattle.

The firm handled 300 head of cattle. Choice stocker and feeder steers in the 450 to 550 pound group sold 38 to 42; 500 to 600 lb. standard steers, west 30 to 35; 350 to 450 lb. choice heifers brought 32 to 33; utility slaughter cows sold 30 to 35; utility slaughter bulls brought 35 to 37; and choice stocker cows sold \$280 to \$300 per head.

One shipment of salt grass calves averaged 350 lbs. and the mixed steers and heifers sold for 34.18¢ pound. CONROE GUESTS Mrs. David Oulline and daughter, Fay Beth, of Conroe were week-end guests here with Mrs. Margaret Kanstein. Friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. Elizabeth P. Votile of Bay City is recuperating nicely from recent surgery in a Houston hospital.

MARKET REPORT

COLUMBUS LIVESTOCK CO. The market was active to fully steady at the Columbus Livestock Commission Co. on Thursday of last week with bids \$1.00 to \$3.00 higher. Lots of buyers, all wanting cattle, were on hand for the sale. The firm handled 45 head of cattle with good to choice butcher calves selling 32 to 35; hereford packer cows 32 to 33; commercial packer bulls 32 to 35; heavy hereford and Angus steer calves brought 35 to 43 and hereford 27 to 32. Good

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HOSPITAL NEWS NOTES

Patients this week (Mar. 22): Mrs. Allen Lundquist, city; Mrs. Baulab Stevenson, city; Walter Meitman, Sr., city; Mrs. Thelma Williams, city; Mrs. Mamie Miles, city; Mrs. Mattie Adkins, city; Robert Stewart, city; Mrs. Elizabeth Ford, city; Mrs. Violet Moore, city; Mrs. Leola Middleton, city; Mrs. Kate McRee, city; Linda Spates, city; Mrs. Rose Cabrens, city; McDonald Criswell, Sheridan; Jeffrey Muska, Hallettsville; Walter Herman, Lippie; Mrs. Ross Cavall, Fort Worth; Jason Piaper, Brenham; Clyde Mueser, Garwood; Leo Labay, Garwood; Mrs. Juanita Dalmeyer, Columbus; Dismasale; Mike Flores, city; Johnny Dawson, city; Miss Melinda Salinas, city; Claude Brewer, city; Mrs. Mary Anderson, city; Bruno Moreids, city; Dennis Wilkerson, city; Mrs. Gila Cruz, city; Mrs. Juanita Stevenson, city; Mrs. April Myers and baby boy, city; Mrs. Cynthia Eden and baby girl, city; Rusty Thomas, city; Jessa Juarez, city; Miss Melissa Perry, city; Mrs. Dora Larsen, city; Emma Jarvis, city; Mrs. Mary Simpson, city; Annon Clark, city; Mrs. Elizabeth Walker, city; Mrs. Agnes Duke and baby girl, city; Mrs. Vernell Ludecke, Bealy; Mrs. Katie Gertson, Lissie; Mrs. Pauline Love and baby girl, Altair; Scott Daushaus, Brenham; Miss Pam Ulrich, Brenham; Mrs. Marjorie Prismseyer, Garwood; Miss Melinda Patina, Garwood; Lee F. Muzny, Columbus; Miss Geraldine Jenkins, Columbus; Christina Kretschmar, Altair; Miss Michelle Kramer, Wallis

Registration Mon. For WCJC Continuing Education Courses

Nine Community and Continuing Education class offerings have been announced at Wharton County Junior College, with registration Monday, March 22, at 7:00 p.m. in Room 101 of the Administration Building. Classes begin the week of April 5 on the class day scheduled unless noted otherwise, according to Jo Dennis, coordinator. Classes scheduled for Monday nights include Auto Tune-Up and Maintenance for men and women (\$13.50 tuition for six weeks, 18 hours); Beginning Golf which will be started on April 26, after the time change, (\$9 tuition, six weeks, 12 hours); and Beginning Sewing (\$13.50 tuition and supplies, six weeks, 18 hours). The above three classes start at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday's proposed agenda features Beginning Tennis starting April 27 (\$9 tuition for six weeks, 12 hours, class starts at 6:30 p.m.). Class offerings Thursday night include Cake Decorating (\$9 tuition and supplies, six weeks, 12 hours, class begins at 7 p.m.); Intermediate and Advanced Tennis which will begin on April 29 (\$9 tuition for six weeks, 12 hours; class begins at 6:30 p.m.); and Lady

Kitchen Shower Honors Miss Wied

Miss Melba Wied, bride-elect of Richard Lee Higgins, was complimented with a Kitchen Shower in the home of Mrs. Frank Kamiersky in Garwood on Saturday, March 20 at 2:30 p.m. Toastesses were Mrs. Frank Kamiersky and Mrs. Jerry Obrasek of Garwood. Assting in hostess duties were Misses Laurie and Sue Kamiersky. The honoree was presented with a white cap and apron corsage with "dough" hot dog bun accenting it. Similar corsages were presented to the other special guests, namely Mrs. Frank Higgins, the bridegroom's mother, and Mrs. E. L. Wied, step-mother of the bride. The girls were registered by Mrs. Brad Dagstrom, sister of the bride. The refreshment table was covered in a linen cloth embroidered in various flowers with an arrangement of pink flowers. The guests were served doughnuts, sausage rolls, prune loaves, poppyseed kolaches and coffee. The hostesses presented Miss Wied with a croquet plant in a straw container accented with various artificial vegetables.

for high school students may enroll in classes. Wharton County residents who are 60 years or older are not exempt from tuition payment due to the lack of federal funds. Class minimum enrollment is 12 students. Social security numbers are required at registration.

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Graves Attends Nat'l Science Meet

Frank Graves, Chairman, Math and Natural Science Division at Wharton County Junior College in Wharton, attended one of two National Science Foundation meetings March 10-12 in Los Angeles, California. The meeting was attended by 210 educators and administrators from the western portion of the United States.

Purpose of the conclave was to coordinate the Comprehensive Assistance to Undergraduate Science Education program.

Graves served on one of 42 panels which evaluated proposals made to the federal agency for grants for the next

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