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234-2825 Eagle Lake
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Sure Thing! A large brick home with 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, (2500 sq. ft. living area plus 2 car garage), carpet and hardwood floors. We show by appointment.
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? / NO JOKE / ?
This brick home with 2400 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 2 bath, paneled and carpeted, and 8 lots, too. Call for appointment to see this one.
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234-2836 Eagle Lake

FOR SALE: Two story Texas Colonial Home in Ridgeles Addition. Over $500 air conditioned square feet, 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath, large den and game room, office, two car garage with large storage room. Less than one year old. Call 234-3578 for appointment to see. (8 26 tf)

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234-2836 Eagle Lake

FOR SALE

WHARTON CO. 979 acres on canal located 12 east of Eagle Lake.
JEFFERSON CO. 814 acres on canal located 10 east Winnie, TX.
HANLY REALTY
234-2825 Eagle Lake
234-3776 after Hours

FOR SALE: All brick 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with large den and all electric kitchen (self - cleaning oven). Large yard. Call for an appointment: Beard Real Estate Company, 342-3745, Rosenberg. (8-19-tf)

FOR SALE: Turite Mobile Home, 12'x60', 2 bedroom, air conditioned, fully furnished. Phone 234-3026. (9-2-tf)

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FOR SALE: 1976 Yamaha Chappy, automatic transmission, very quiet; only 600 miles. Like new, $275. Sells for $579 new. 103 W. State or call 234-3796. (9 2 2t)

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

* * LABOR DAY SPECIAL. * *
An older – but 'move-in-condition' 2 bedroom, 1 bath home. Priced in upper teens. Shown by appointment.
SPALINGER REALTY
234-2836 Eagle Lake

HEALTH FORCES SALE of New 1970 Case Tractor. Below dealer's cost. Call 1-713 781-2037 after 6 p.m. (8 19 4tp)

FOR SALE: Large story and a half house, big rooms, 3 or 4 bedrooms, screened porch, big yard with plenty of trees, $17,900. Call 234-3972, if no answer call 234-2956 or 657-2324. (8-26-tf)

HELLO – GOOD BUY on our newest listing. A 2 bedroom, 1 bath, den, brick home. Your choice of either 1/2 acre or 1 acre lot. For appointment to see, call
SPALINGER REALTY
234-2836 Eagle Lake

POODLE PUPPIES for sale: Miniatures - two silver females and one apricot male, $65 each; Registered Toys - two silver females and one silver male, $85 and up. Call 234-3769 after 5 p.m. (9-7-tf)

FOR SALE: Maytag Electric Clothes Dryer, good running condition, $50.00; also two Couches, $50.00. Call 234-3525 or 234-3526, after 5 p.m. 234-2371, May be seen in Lizzie. (9-9-ltp)

FOR SALE: 1975 Chevrolet pickup, 350, mags and wide tires; white Gem Top Camper for long wheel base truck; and also 400 series Peavey Bass Amplifier and Fender Mustang Bass Guitar. Call 234-2906 after 5 p.m. (9-9-2t)

FOR SALE: One horse trailer, custom built. Call 234-3184. (9-9-2t)

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FOR SALE: Antiques, several pieces, Iron Bed, Oak Table and Chairs, Dressers, Several New Lamps, Beds, complete or by the piece. Others. 305 Crain, Eagle Lake. 713 234-3970. (8 26 3t)

MISC. SALES

YOUTH DANCE: Club Montezuma will sponsor a Youth Dance Friday, Sept. 10 from 8 p.m. to 12 midnight for members and their guests at the Community Center. Music by Sundance. Admission $2.00. (9-2-2t)

GARAGE SALE: Alpha Delta Phi Sorority will sponsor a garage sale Fri., and Sat., Sept. 10-11 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 714 S. McCarty Ave. Many items including sheets, towels, clothing, flower arrangements and misc. items will be offered for sale. (9 9 ltp)

PANCAKE SUPPER: The Garwood Lions Club will sponsor a Pancake Supper at the Garwood school cafeteria next Wed., Sept. 15th from 6 to 8 p.m. Tickets are $1.50 for adults and 75c for children under 12. Freewill donations for community projects will also be accepted. (9 9 ltp)

BAKE SALE: This Saturday, Sept. 11th from 9 a.m. until about 11:30 a.m. in front of the First National Bank. Sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Department. (9-9-1t)

YARD SALE: Thurs. and Fri., Sept. 9 and 10 at Eagle Trailer Park on Hwy. 90A West. Trailer No. 3. Clothes of all sizes, dishes, jewelry, perfume and many other items. (9-9-1t)

GARAGE SALE: Some furniture; clothes, sizes 6 to 13 junior, some ladies size 12, 811 Clipson Road, Eagle Lake. (9-9-1t)

FOR SALE: White German Shepherds; six females, $30 each. Six weeks old. Call 234-2522. (* 9 1t)

FOR SALE: 500 gallon Butane Tank with regulator. Practically new. Only $300.00. Call 234-3350. (9-9-2t)

BAR-B-QUE CHICKEN plates will be sold this Saturday, Sept. 11 beginning at 11 a.m. for $2 each by the New Town Community Improvement Organization. The dinners will be sold at the home of Clarence Davis, Sr., 209 Beard St., Eagle Lake. Phone 234-3705. (9-9-1t)

Headlight Classifieds really pay off. Call 234-2783.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Registered Gray Brahman Bulls for sale. Jack Brasher, Weimar, Tex. (713) 725-8516 or 725-8131. (9-8-tf)

FOR SALE: 5 room house, bath, as is, to be moved off lot. $1,000 Cash. If interested call 234-2824. (9-9-2t)

HUNTERS' SPECIAL: 1971 model small House Trailer, air conditioned, ice box, butane, water storage tank, portable toilet, bunk bed. Sleeps five. $860.00 Cash. Call 234-2824. (9-9-2t)

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Help Wanted

HELP WANTED: Experienced row crop farmer to handle 6 row equipment and general farm and ranch work. Call: 1-713-234-2044 or 1-713-234-2196. (4-15 tf)

LVN'S NEEDED: Salary open. Contact Yvonne Wagner, Director of Nurses at Sweetbriar Nursing Home, Columbus, Texas, 732-5716. (7-5-tf)

WANTED: Office secretary for rapidly growing agency. Must be experienced in insurance rating and general and office procedures. Good company benefits; salary commensurate with ability. Call Bowden Atherton for interview, 234-3584, Eagle Lake, or 342-8592 Houston. (8-26-tf)

SALES Man or Woman: Part-time earn to $700 per month; full-time to $1500 per month. Tremendous opportunity with a growing company. Full benefits. Tidelands Automobile Club (713) 666-2474. (9-9-3tp)

Wanted

WANTED: Good home for 9 month Male Black German Shepherd Pup. Moving and can't take. Call 234-3432. (9-5-ltp)

KC's Plan Annual BBQ Sun., Sept. 19

Eagle Lake Knights of Columbus, Council No. 4843, will hold its annual Boneless Beef Barbecue dinner on Sunday, Sept. 19th and one and all are invited to make plans to attend.

The barbecue dinners will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the air conditioned Didner Hall or there will be plates to go in a fast curb service line. Tickets for the adults will be $2.25 and children under 12 years will be served for $1.50. Only adult plates will be served in the curb service line.

Barbecue will also be sold at the pits for $3.00 per pound.

A game party will follow the dinner.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Three trailer spaces for rent. $35 per month including water. Near airport. Call 234-2953 for more information. (7-22-tf)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 5.433 miles of Gr., Strs., Bs. and Surf. from end of FM 949 at Bernardo to end of FM 1088 at Austin Co. Line on Highway No. FM 949, covered by A 1106-1-7 and BS 1195(D)A in Colorado County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., September 22, 1976, and then publicly opened and read.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252) and the Regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (15 C.F.R., Part 8), issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the ground of race, color, or national origin, and further that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of C. A. Weise, Resident Engineer, Columbus, Texas, and State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin.

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(9-2-2t)

OFFICIAL NOTICE

The Board of Equalization of the City of Eagle Lake will be meeting on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 14 and 15th from 9:00 AM until Noon in the Council Room of City Hall for the examination of, correction, equalization, appraisal, and approvement of 1976 city tax assessments.

Any person wanting to discuss taxes is urged to attend.

T. J. Smith
City Manager
(9-9-1t)

Cards of Thanks

NOTE OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all who were so kind to me during my stay in the Eagle Lake Community Hospital.

Especially do I thank Dr. R. R. Thomas, the nurses, hospital staff, Pink Ladies, Candy Stripers for their kind services; and my relatives and friends for their visits, prayers, cards and other kindnesses.

May God bless you all.
Mrs. Cleo Reese

NOTE OF THANKS

I would like to express my sincere thanks to all my friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness while I was a patient in Texas Children's Hospital.

My special thanks for all your prayers and spiritual bouquets.

I did appreciate the many cards and gifts I received - also the beautiful flowers, the phone calls, your visits to the hospital and the food sent for all the family to enjoy.

May God bless all of you.
Nicky Dierschke

Lost & Found

LOST: German Shepherd dog, black and gray with some brown markings, has flea collar, answers to name of Atticus, lost in vicinity of Eagle Trailer Park on Highway 90A west. Call 234-2888 or 234-2343. (9,9 1t)

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COUNTY AGENT'S NOTEBOOK

By P. JOHNNIE COOPER
Colorado County Agricultural Agent

Fatal Parasites Can Reduce Profits

Livestock producers lose millions of dollars each year to parasites. And total losses are even higher when parasite-weakened animals fall victim to various diseases.

The first step to controlling and eliminating parasites is to understand how they infest livestock.

Parasites are organisms that feed off other living organisms. Fleas, lice, ticks and mites are the most common external parasites. Inside the host, roundworms, hookworms and tapeworms cause considerable damage.

Horses, cattle, pigs, sheep, goats, dogs, cats and rabbits may serve as hosts to parasites. And since these animals often live in close confinement and under unsanitary conditions, parasites are often difficult to control.

Some by Anemia

Young stock are more susceptible to parasites. Immature animals may die of anemia caused by bloodsucking worms in the intestinal tract or from severe infestations of lice on the outside.

Other young animals die from damage to vital organs caused by immature forms of roundworms moving through the organs during their life cycle.

As these animals reach maturity, they develop some immunity to the effects of internal parasites and certain external ones. Their natural defenses usually keep parasites under control, except in adverse conditions and times of stress.

Management Cure

The best way to control parasites is to break their life cycle. This can be accomplished by preventing infection of the animal by the free-living forms of the parasite through proper nutrition, pasture rotation, cleanliness and good sanitation. And in areas of intense livestock production, slatted floors for penned animals help prevent reinfection from contaminated wastes.

Some Need Worming

Most livestock also need regular worming treatments to destroy internal parasites until the animal is old enough to establish immunity. Even then, periodic worming is beneficial when combined with proper management and nutrition.

External parasites are best controlled with recommended sprays and powders.

If you have a serious parasite problem in your livestock consult a veterinarian for a complete control program.

Saving Tractor Fuel Important

Farming is expensive enough without adding unnecessary costs to the occupation. And wasting tractor fuel is an unnecessary cost.

There are ways to cut down on tractor fuel consumption.

A good rule to follow is to have the tractor engine tuned and serviced regularly. Make any repairs as soon as possible after a breakdown occurs. Keep plow bottoms and cultivators in good operating condition, edged and properly aligned.

Keeping tractor tires at the proper inflation level also improves fuel efficiency.

When selecting a cultivator, look for one that is suited to the conditions in your fields and requires the least power. A rotary hoe uses less power than most.

Cultivate fields only when soil moisture is favorable and when you can see positive benefits of the operation. Don't cultivate any deeper than is necessary.

Minimizing the idling time of the tractor engine is another fuel saving practice.

Use the transmission and engine speeds that match each particular plowing situation, and when possible, shift into a higher gear, as this cuts down on fuel use.

When plowing, try to adjust the plow for the minimum amount of draft. In other words, adjust it so it stays level from side to side and front to back and is in line with the tractor direction.

To save fuel when cultivating or plowing, plan your plowing pattern to cut down on turning.

To reduce wheel slippage, add weight for heavy drawbar jobs and remove weight for lighter jobs. Optimum efficiency is obtained when the tractor's weight and tire size are correctly matched to the tractor's power and the field operating conditions.

Hunting Day Proclaimed

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fishermen have led the nation in the battle for a better environment and the wise use of our natural resources.

Therefore, I, Elmer Struss, Mayor of the City of Eagle Lake, do hereby proclaim Saturday, September 25, 1976, as Hunting and Fishing Day and that this day be an annual observance the fourth Saturday of each September.

I urge all of our citizens to join with sportsmen-conservationists in a rededication to the wise use of our natural resources and their proper management for the benefit of future generations.

Further, I urge all citizens to take part in Hunting and Fishing Day activities on September 25 to learn more about conservation and outdoor skills.

Elmer Struss
Mayor of City of Eagle Lake
Date 8 24 76

PUBLIC NOTICE

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
GENERAL ELECTION NOV. 2, 1976

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 49)

Repealing Sections 49-d and 49-d-1 of Article III of the Texas Constitution, S.J.R. 49 amends Section 49-c of Article III of the Texas Constitution to provide for and authorize an additional $400 million in Texas water development bonds that may be issued on approval of two-thirds of the members of each house of the Legislature for such water development purposes as the Legislature may prescribe.

The amendment contains a specific prohibition against the use of state funds for the development of water resources from the Mississippi River and also requires that before any single water development project may be undertaken requiring the expenditure of more than $35 million in bond proceeds, it must be approved by resolution of the Legislature.

The amendment removes the constitutional requirement that certain revenues must be used to retire water development and water quality enhancement bonds and removes the constitutional interest rate limit on such bonds.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing an increase of $400 million in the amount of Texas Water Development Bonds that may be issued on approval of two-thirds of the legislature; amending and consolidating provisions of Sections 49-c, 49-d and 49-d-1 of Article III of the Texas Constitution; and repealing Sections 49-d and 49-d-1 of Article III of the Texas Constitution."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 99)

H.J.R. 99 proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution to increase from $100 million to $200 million the aggregate principle amount of Texas water development bonds which may be issued and outstanding by the Texas Water Development Board to provide grants and loans for water quality enhancement purposes as established by the Legislature.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"A constitutional amendment to increase from $100 million to $200 million the amount of Texas Water Development Bonds that may be issued for water quality enhancement purposes."

Alpha Delta Phi Sorority Has Beginning Day

Alpha Delta Phi sorority met Monday, August 30th at Michele Isenhower's for their Beginning Day.

President Diana Brunner introduced two new members who have transferred to the chapter from a Sealy chapter. All members welcomed Marilyn Sparks and Luanne Zarek.

The new yearbooks were passed out and standing committee chairmen gave their reports for the new year. Martha Laughlin reported on ways and means projects for the year. The first project will be a garage sale to be held September 10th and 11th.

Service chairman Michele Isenhower reported that Alpha Delta Phi will sponsor a story hour every Wednesday morning at 10:00 a.m. at the Eula and David Winterman Library for pre-school children ages three to five years old. She also reported that a bake sale will be held in October to begin a children's library at our community hospital.

Membership chairman Charlotte Reed discussed plans for fall rushing.

The first regular meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 9th at Michele Isenhower's with Marsha Waddell presenting the program.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and members enjoyed visiting.

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PHONE COMPANY ASKS FOR INCREASE IN RATES IN OCT.

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rail), proposed $5.05; was $4.25; Eight Party Business (rural), proposed $11.90; was $9.60;

Residence Extension, proposed $1.50 each; was $1.25 each;

Business Extension, proposed $2.25 each; was $1.75 each;

Extension rates would be the same regardless of type of service.

These proposed rates are for all cities in Rate Group 1.

9.5% Return

Rogers said the new rate structure would provide the company a return on the fair value of its investment in Texas of 9.5 percent.

"This return is the minimum necessary to allow the company to maintain a sound financial position that, in turn, will allow us to continue to expand and improve service as we go forward," Rogers said.

In breaking down the company's request, Rogers said the increase in local monthly telephone rates would amount to $110.6 million annually before taxes, which is less than half of the total proposal. The new monthly rates for one-party residential telephones range from $7.25 in cities with up to 3,200 telephone numbers to $11.50 for first-tier service in metropolitan cities with more than 850,001 telephone numbers. The range for one-party business telephones is from $16.95 to $35.80 for metropolitan first-tier service. A standard $1.50 monthly charge for each residential extension and $2.25 for business extensions is proposed for all rate groups.

The increase in coin telephone rates from 10 cents to 20 cents would produce $8.2 million annually. Rogers said this increase is necessary to reduce the amount of support other services are making to this service, which is not paying its way.

Assistance Charge

Rogers said the directory assistance proposal places a 20-cent charge on each directly dialed call to directory assistance after the first three each month, including those for numbers in the home numbering area outside the local calling scope. The charge would result in an annual expense savings of $26.5 million, while it would generate $2.4 million in additional revenue.

The new one-time service connection, move and change charges would produce $26.5 million annually and would be standard throughout the state in all rate groups. Rogers said the maximum charge for installing one residential telephone would be $37, while the maximum charge for a single business telephone installation would be $57.

Changes in long distance rates for calls within the state would produce $43.7 million annually, with the biggest increases placed on calls handled by operators.

Rogers said there would be rate reductions on some customer-dialed calls. These are calls of 51 miles or less and calls of more than 138 miles. The reductions are for the first minute.

Under the provisions of the law which established the Public Utility Commission, the new schedule of rates could go into effect October 7 unless suspended by the regulatory commission. Such suspension is expected. The commission, in that case, will schedule a hearing to consider the company's request.

Free Car Wash

Delano Franka this is your ticket for a free car wash at Johnny's Walk Kar Wash located next to Johnny's 66 Station in Eagle Lake. Clip this out and present at Johnny's for a free car wash effective through Sept. 14, 1976

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Patrolman Jerry Hester Gets New Job

Highway Patrolman Jerry Hester of Columbus has been promoted to sergeant and to a new job as license and weight sergeant over the Central Texas area with headquarters in Austin.

Hester, whose appointment took effect Sept. 1, was sworn in Aug. 30th by DPS Director Col. Wilson Speir in Austin.

Hester had been stationed in Columbus the past nine years. His successor has not been named.

On the Record

Deed, Stanley Bernard Novak III and others to Howard E. Otto and wife, Lot 7, Blk. 33, Glidden, Texas, 5-25-76

Deed, Dennis Allen Holcomb and wife to V. L. Marek Jr. and William W. Janecek, Lot 15, Oak Hill Estates Subdivision, 7-27-76

Deed, Herbert E. Engstrom and wife to Bradley E. Engstrom, undivided interest in land in I&GN RR Co. Survey and others, 8-11-76

Deed, Catherine Todd and Nancy Bruce to Catherine Todd, undivided interest in land in I&GN RR Co. Survey, 6-7-76

Deed, Catherine Todd and Nancy Bruce to Nancy Bruce, undivided interest in land in I&GN RR Co. Survey, 6-7-76

Deed, W. W. Williams Jr. and wife to James E. Ohnheiser and wife, 12.00 acres, J. G. O'Farrell League, 7-31-76

Gift Deed, Lois Didner and husband to Alan W. Neuendorff and wife, 0.45 acre, Casper Heiman Survey, 8-7-76

Deed, Maynard A. Miller and others to Mary Margaret Miller Smith, 0.331 acre, E. Tumlinson Survey, 10-31-75

Deed, Leiver Ray Miller and others to Maynard A. Miller and wife, 0.331 acre, E. Tumlinson Survey, 10-31-75

Partition Deed, Patricia Langdon Magby and husband to Helen Langdon Wisofsky and husband, SE 1/2 of Tract No. 8, Schumaker Partition, 6-24-76

Partition Deed, Helen Langdon Wisofsky and husband to Patricia Langdon Magby and husband, NW 1/2 of tract No. 8, Schumaker Partition, 6-24-76

Deed, L. J. Alford and wife to Bob Warren Eaton, 2 acres, I&GN RR Co. Survey, 8-12-76

Gift Deed, Anna Bell Turner to Arthur Reece Price, 3.667 acres, J. Cummins Survey, 5-3-76

Deed, Wesley Norman McShan and wife to Joe B. Trojan Jr. and wife, Lot 20, Lawrence Hodde Subdivision, 8-9-76

Deed, Manly Leyendecker and others to Henry Schneider Jr. and wife, 4.167 acres, R. J. Focken Survey, 8-13-76

Deed, Victor T. Baca and wife to Roy Cloat, parcel of land in J. Hadden Lease - 7-1-76

Deed, Bob K. Carroll and wife to Juanita Rau Ginn, Lot 39, Second Addition Krupka Subdivision, 8-13-76

Deed, V. L. Marek Jr. and others to Billie W. Jolladau and wife, Lots 25 and 26, Oak Hills Estates Subdivision, 10-6-75

OIL & GAS LEASES

Lease, Allen Brod and others to Guinn Rasbury, Trustee, 399.3 acres, John Dunlavy Survey, 4-27-76

Lease, Mrs. Lena Hennecke to Guinn Rasbury, Trustee, 246.29 acres, S. P. Birt Survey, 4-19-76

Lease, Marilyn J. Harbich and others to Guinn Rasbury, Trustee, 138.1 acres, L. Mackerly Survey, 4-19-76

Lease, Wilber C. Smith and wife to Guinn Rasbury, Trustee, 123.1 acres, James Wilkerson Survey, 4-19-76

Lease, David Wintermann and others to Texana Petroleum Corporation, 687.0 acres, Frances Blundell Survey, 3-4-76

Lease, Erwin H. Meyer and others to Bradco Oil & Gas Co., 187.6 acres, F. A. Zimmerscheidt League, 11-10-75

Lease, A. J. Hruzek Jr. and others to Douglas Z. Gayle, 140 acres, SA&MG RR Co. Survey, 8-11-76

Lease, S. K. Seymour Jr. and others to Getty Oil Co., 10 acres, J. B. Fenn Survey, 7-21-76

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BIDS TAKEN FOR FM 949 CONSTRUCTION

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation is accepting bids for the construction of 5.433 miles of paving on Farm to Market Road 949 from Bernardo to the end of FM 1088 at the Austin County line.

The bids will be publicly opened at 9 a.m. on September 22, 1976 in Austin.

C. A. Weise, resident engineer, for the Texas Highway Department in Columbus, has plans and specifications and can provide more information on the project.

The work is located in Commissioner Crockett Leyendecker's Precinct 3 of Colorado County.

Soil Conservation News

District cooperator Leslie Miller of the Mentz area is constructing a pond for livestock water.

Louis Richter has completed construction of a pond for livestock water on his farm in the Hillcrest area.

Barnhardt and Associates, Inc., district cooperators of the Columbus area, are constructing a pond for livestock water and recreation use.

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There is just over a billion acres of farmland in the United States. That is an average of five acres per person. Each of us depends on five acres of land for our food and some of our clothing and lumber.

$7.28 Top Rice Bid Last Wed.

Sixteen lots of rice went up for bids at the sale at the Eagle Lake division of the American Rice Growers Co-operative Association on Wednesday of last week and the top bid of the day was $7.28 per Cwt. up only slightly from the $7.25 cwt. which had been the top bid for the sales for the two previous weeks.

The top bid of the day was made by Riviana and was for a lot of LaBelle rice grown by Powers Bros. The lot milled 64-71 No. 1 and had loan value of $7.28.

Second high bid of the day was $7.25 cwt. offered by Riviana for LaBelle rice grown by Bob Cook. The lot milled 63-71 No. 1 and had loan value of $7.20 cwt.

The sixteen lots last Wednesday had a total of 59,539 cwt. and just about finished the sale of the first crop rice through the Eagle Lake office. Twelve of the sixteen lots offered were sold, in line with figures previously released showing that about two-thirds of the 1976 first crop rice has been sold.

Modern Farming Highlighted In Ag Yearbook

(By P. Johnnie Cooper, County Extension Agent)

A panorama of modern farming is presented in the 1976 Yearbook of Agriculture published by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Titled "The Face of Rural America", the yearbook is a photo book of American agriculture in the Bicentennial year. It features 288 pages and 335 photographs centering on farming, farm families and country living as it is today.

The main purpose of the yearbook is to help people understand better right now what modern farming is really like. Modern agriculture is changing rapidly and farms are getting larger.

The yearbook is available for $7.30 from government bookstores or from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. Members of Congress also have a limited number of copies for free distribution.

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