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"Living on a Eew Acres," the 1978 Yearbook of Agriculture sities (one author is with a published Jan. 9th, describes community collegel. The ar-both the pitfalls and satisfactions ticles cover many aspects of of living in the country, accord- part-time farming, including

Agriculture Bob Bergland. "Americans keep going back Part-time farming is very to the land," Secretary important in today's Bergiand said. "It is a agriculture. As a matter of fact. Rice FFA Sets sense te a lot of people than come per farm as there is net living in cities. The land offers income from farming.

Bergland said. It is mainly for ment Printing ce of income.

The yearbook's 48 chapters constituents. were written mainly by The department has no pecialists from the department copies for distribution or sale.

**County Agent's** 

NOTEBOOK

(By Leroy J. Hajdik, County Extension Agent -) Colorado County |

**Time to Control** 

Lice cost U.S. cattlemen

more than \$50 million

annually, so it's important to

control them. Lice begin to

reproduce rapidly with the

onset of cool weather, so

peak populations on cattle

occur in late winter and

early spring. Uncontrolled

lice can soon infest a whole

herd because with cold,

nother. Heavy hair coats on

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also afford protection for the

Both types of lice-blood-

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**Cattle Lice** 

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reedom, a chance to test your Copies of the 472-page yeara chance to test your against nature's book, which includes 32 pages of Show Feb. 17 color photos, may be purchased "Living on a Few Acres" is for \$7 from the Superinte ntended as a practical guide, of Documenta, U.S. Governthose who do not intend to gain Washington, D.C., 20402 Ask their principal income from the for stock number 001-000-03809and, he said, but rather have a 5. Members of Congress have job in town or some other sour- limited copies of the 1978 yearbook for free distribution to

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The 28th annual Texas Rice Council Membership Meeting has been set for Thursday, February 8 at 9:45 a.m. at the Shamrock Hilton Hotel in Houston. The

**Texas Rice Council** 

To Meet Feb. 8th

# Calf, Swine

**Rice High School Future** Farmers of America chapter has started plans for the 1979 Market Calf and Swine Show & Sale to be held at the Rice FFA Show Barn at Altair on Saturday, Feb. 17.

The day's activities will begin with a trail ride from sheridan to the Rice High School from 8:00 to 11:30 a.m. The 31 calves and 46 hogs entered in the show will be judged from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. and the sale will begin at 1:30 p.m.

the noon hour under the sponsorship of the three Lions Clubs who sponsor the show and sale annually, the Eagle Lake Lions Club, the Garwood and Sheridan Lions

A trail ride sweetheart contest will be a feature at 12:00 noon and a Calf





Annette Tise, Sheridan elementary school reading teacher, is shown with students Lina Munoz, left, and Darryl Tesch, right, reviewing a reading assignment.

#### Sheridan Teacher, Annette Tise, Gets Reading Specialist's Cert.

Annette Tise, a member of she has been active in the Sheridan School faculty, developing a viable reading has been awarded the Professional Reading Specialist Certification from the \_\_\_\_\_ Annette received a Mas-Texas Education Agency. ter's Degree from Univer-Miss Tise has eleven years of experience in the Rice School District. Initially she taught physical science at the Eagle Lake High School followed by Vocational Homemaking at Sheridan High School. Upon consolidation of the district high schools she moved into elementary education where student body and parents

program at the Sheridan Elementary School. sity of Houston with major emphasis in reading in 1978 and in her role as an elementary teacher has been successful in coordinating the school's Science Fair in conjunction with Public School Week. The Sheridan School is striving to meet - the needs of a diverse





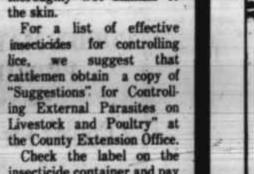
effective control and both time and labor. Position dust bags prior to lice buildup so that cattle can become accustomed to using the bags. A dust bag station should serve about 30 head. Depending on cattle size, place the bags so that they hang 18-24 inches above the round. Forced-use of dust ags, where they are placedcattle must pass under them to get feed or water, begin to control lice sooner than those used free-choice. By allowing a ment period, free-choice bags can be about as effective as forced-use types.

In a spraying or dipping program an animal must receive a thorough soaking each of two applications 14-18 days apart to effectively control lice. The second spray or dip will kill any lice hatching from eggs that prior to the first were laid When spraying, spraying. use a high pressure (250 pounds per square inch) and thoroughly wet animals to the skin

For a list of effective secticides for controlling we suggest that cattlemen obtain a copy of "Suggestions" for Controll-

nsecticide container and pay ing periods, especially if some of the cattle are being repared for slaughter.

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articular attention to warnings, restrictions and waitA barbecue will be held at

#### Completes Non-Com Course Spec. 4 Lonnie L. Howard son of Mrs. Mervie Howard of Alleyton, recently completed a primary noncomnissioned officer course in Baumholder, Germany.

The course offers increas ed career educational opportunities while preparing

neeting will be held in the

Emerald Room with coffee

available at 9:15 a.m. and a

Featured speaker will be

David Schoonover, director

of the Centrally Planned Economies Division or the

vice, USDA. He accom-

panied Secretary of Agricul-

ture Bob Bergland on his

agricultural tour to the

People's Republic of China.

Schoonover will discuss

highlights of the tour.

Specialist Howard

uncheon at noon.

#### held at 1:00 p.m.

Citizens throughout the area are invited to make plans to attend the various functions of the 1979 show

the student for leadership Howard entered the Army in June 1976. He is a 1976. graduate of Columbus High School. His father, Lonnie L. Howard, lives in Alleyton.

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#### **TSCRA** Criticizes **USDA On Brush Control Proposal**

Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association severely criticized a Department of Agriculture pro-posal eliminating brush control from federal costsharing on a national basis recently in two letters that emphasized the close relabetween brush control ind soil and water conserva-

Texas has approximately 100 million acres of privately-owned rangeland, of which 92 million acres are estimated to have woody species. Approximately 40 per cent of Texas rangelands have a brush canopy that inhibits herbaceous plant production, says USDA's Soil Conservation Service.

Under the proposed regu-lations, the 1979 Agriculturat Conservation Program (ACP) differs from the past in that brush control practices (spraying, rootplowing, chaining, etc.) are not specifically eligible for federal cost-sharing on a national basis. Provisions are made for the approval of additional practices on a county-by-county basis, but the process would be long and very difficult.

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## Held Jan. 9 for **Garland Wilburn**

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Jan. 9th from St. John's Episcopal Church in Columbus for Garland P. Wilburn, 84, who died in the Columbus Community Hospital Jan. 6th.

He was born April 14. 1894 in Harrison, Ark. the son of William W. and Martha Ann Snodgrass Wilburn and lived for a while in Ganado and was a resident of Glidden for 58 years. where he retired as a railroad clerk for Southern Pacific Railroad after 53 years of service.

Masonic graveside vices were, held in Odd Fellows Rest Cemetery, The Rev. Robert Littlehales offi-

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Henneke Funeral Home of Columbus was in charge of arrangements. His wife, Corrine Alice Ginn, preceded him in death Dec. 26, 1976. They were married Feb. 8, 1922.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Alice Martin of ndio, Calif. and Mrs. E. H. (Martha) Meyer of Wimber-. Texas; a son; Warren E. Wilburn of Columbus; one sister, Mrs. Lola Muery of Houston; nine grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren and other relatives.

He was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church and of Caledonia Lodge No. 68, A.F.& A.M. where he was a Past Master: Arabia Temple Shrine of Houston: he was a gram of work. past Patron of Eastern Star hapter 324 in Columbus: member of the Scottish Rite in Houston; member of Alzafar Temple O.N.M.S. of San Antonio; and a member of the Order of Railroad Felegraphers.

Search Is on

For Texas'

**Rural Hero** 

The search is underway

for Texas' rural hero of 1978.

The Rural Heroism

Award, sponsored by the

Texas Farm and Ranch

Safety Council, is presented

annually to some deserving

person who has performed

an act of exceptional

bravery during a time of

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Bullard, Council president

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## LETTER TO THE EDITOR Senior Citizens Transportation Service Is Explained

On November the first, a van transportation service was started for the needs of Senior Citizens in the Colorado County area. This program was designed to offer free transportation for those senior citizens who have no way to go to the doctor, grocery store, pay bills or whatever their needs might be. Before the van was in

service. there were number of people requesting transportation, and now that it is in effect, not even half of those people have used the free service available to

I have found that many o the people are under the picks them up and then just

impression that the van

\* C. of C. President Names **1979 Committees** 

Louis Schorlemmer, president of the Eagle Lake Chamber of Commerce, has appointed the following committees to serve for the 1979 year. Committee chairpersons are asked to call a meeting of their committee as soon as possible and to submit projects to be included in the 1979 pro-

Agricultural -Alvin Kohleffel, chairman Harold Thomas **Bruce Waddell** Paul Powers · Finance

Brock Ashby, chairman Gail Bradshaw Sue Briscoe **Travis Wegenhoft** 

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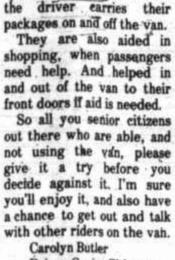
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#### Free Pizza

Jack Hlavinka, this is aticket for a free pizza at the Eagle Lake Dairy Delite, where you get the finest foods in town including delicious pizza. Clip this out and present at the Dairy Delite for your free pizza not later than Jan. 23, 1979.



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Driver, Senior Citizens Van, Colorado County

#### Fire Dept. **Receives Ck** From F.B.

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## **Garwood Fire**

#### Dept. Benefit Ball Feb. 10th

The Garwood Volunteer Fire Department will stage its annual Benefit Ball at the ada K.J.T. Hall Saturday. Feb, 10th and one and all are invited to make plans to

ers will provide music for dancing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Admission will be by You may make table

servations, at 25c per chair, by calling 758-3322. Proceeds from the event will be used for the purchase

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The Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Department received a

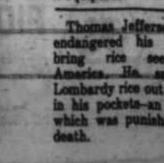


New Book Added To Texas Collection

Every month we try to. add one new book to our Texas Collection. This. month's book is "Samuel H. Walker's account of the Mier Expedition" edited by Mari-



attend the event. Sammy and the Midnight. equipment.





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James Adkins, president of the Colorado County Farm Bureau, left, is shown presenting a checkfor \$75 from the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies to L. J. (Sonny) Spanihel, local fire chief, as a contribution to the fire department for assistance at the Finest Axel fire in Garwood recently.

Farm Bureau Insurance Companies as an expression thanks for the department's work on the property of Finest Axel in Garwood. The money will be used for

their loss prevention program. The Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies pay volunteer fire departments this check for \$75.00 from Texas amount when the department works at a fire in rural areas,

News From Wintermann Library

lyn McAdams Sibley. In his short and busy life Samuel Walker did indeed seem drawn to the adventure and the science of warfare. Almost all information which is known about him shows him participating in, recovering from, or marking time between wars or battles.

As a youth Walker fought Indians in Florida. However, involving property insured by

The Insurance Company believes volunteer fire departments have contributed to reduce the amount of loss involved by fire and more important, to prevent fires. It is their hope this money will help the Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Department in their program.

in ackas wind Mexico that he gained his reputation as "a born warrior." A Texas Ranger both on the frontier and during the Mexican War, he made his particular contribu tion to the science of warfare, using the early Colt revolvers and suggesting practical improvements which were prompily adopted by Sam Colt in a redesigned gun called the "Walker Colt revolver Samuel Walker's fame as a popular hero during the Mexican War gave his praise of the Colt revolvers substantial impact, and his persuasive arguments se cured from the War Department an order for a thousand guns. Thus Walker obtained for the United States soldier what he called "the best arm in the world."

The present volume put lishes Walker's journal full for the first time.

Marilyn McAdams Sibley who introduces, edits, and annotates Walker's journal. professor of history at Houston Baptist University.

Put Up Flag During the past year Jeff Psencik has assumed the responsibility of putting up and taking down the flag at the library. This was one of the projects he completed to earn his Boy Scout God and Country badge. We know it is well deserved because he was so faithful in completing his duties. Thank you Jeff and congratulations on a job well done: -

In the coming year Temple Thomas will assume the responsibility for the flag while working towards the same badge.