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Dist. Gov. Akridge Makes Visit To EL Lions Club

Governor J. L. Akridge of the Georgetown Evening Lions Club, District Governor of Lions International District 2-33, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the local club on Thursday, Nov. 15th in the Community Center. President Bill Appelt presided at the meeting.



Dist. Gov. J. L. Akridge

Club and has served in many club offices and also District 2-33 as Zone Chairman, Deputy Dist. Gov., District Convention Chairman, Director of Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children and Lieutenant Governor.

The District Governor presented President Appelt with the Bob Grindstaff Humanitarian Award for his work in support of the Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville. The district governor noted that the camp is to be expanded to handle more handicapped children. The camp also has facilities for the blind and is making good use of these in helping adults, as well as children.

Before Governor Akridge left, he met with the board of directors of the Eagle Lake club. He was presented with checks from the local club for 100% participation in the L.I.F. Program Care Program and the Eye Bank, and the Crippled Children's Camp.

He reported on the Mid-Winter Conference which will be held the last week-end in January at Ramada Inn in College Station, Texas.

Lester Crane, Jr., manager of the Seed Division of Henderson Farms, Inc. of El Campo, reminds rice producers in the area that now is the time to place orders for top quality seed.

Crane, a graduate of Texas A.M. University in 1969 with a degree in agronomy, entered into the family rice production business for seven years in Colorado County before joining Henderson Farms as manager of the chemical and fertilizer division. In January of 1979 he became seed division manager where his background in rice production is being put to good use.

He invites farmers in the area to contact him in El Campo for Le Bonnet, La Belle and Newrex seed.

When Denmark granted home rule to Greenland earlier this year, Greenlandic place names became official. The correct name for Greenland is now Kalaallit Nunaat and its capital is Nuuk, not Godthab.

Plants For County Fair Floraculture Show



Mrs. Tom Northrup and Mrs. Leola Helms, chairman of the Floraculture Division of the Garden Show to be held in conjunction with the Colorado County Fair on Sat., Dec. 15th, show some of the many varieties of plants that can be entered at the County Fair.

County Fair Flower Show Rules Listed

Here are the rules of the Colorado County Fair Flower Show:
• All entries will be received Friday, Dec. 14, between 8 and 10 a.m. Judging will begin when all entries are in place. Exhibits may not be removed until 5 p.m. Dec. 15.
• Only amateur growers who grow plants for pleasure and not profit are eligible.
• All horticulture specimens must be displayed in clear glass 6-oz. Coke bottles. Horticulture classes may be subdivided as in a flower or only foliage. No artificial entries will be accepted. Exhibitors are limited to six entries each, only one entry in each class. Plants must have been in possession of the grower and exhibitor at least three months prior to the fair.
• Adult exhibitors may enter 10 potted plants and youth five potted plants, with only one entry in each classification. Pots are limited to 12-inch diameter.
• Any person, adult or youth, of Colorado County may enter.
• An entry fee of \$1.00 per adult and \$1.00 per youth, over all, will be charged.
• Entries will be awarded ribbons. Rosettes will be given for most blue ribbons in the potted plant and specimen shows, adult and youth. All entries must have the common name of the plant or specimen in plain view.
• On Saturday, Dec. 15, from 9 to 10 p.m., each committee will be responsible to clean up the area.

EL Lions Hear Supt. King At Meet Thurs.
Eagle Lake Lions Club members and guests were privileged to hear a report on activities of the Rice School District when the new superintendent, Harold D. King, spoke to the club at the meeting last Thursday, Nov. 29th in the Community Center.

Sup. King spoke on the related advantages and disadvantages of schools in the Rice CISD. The speaker noted that the opportunities for education are available to all students and discussed some of the plans for programs for future educational needs and improvements in the district. He stressed that schools are being called upon to do more each year for students but stated, "we need more parent involvement to meet the needs of the students in their education."

President Bill Appelt called a meeting of the board of directors on Tuesday night of this week. Plans were also discussed for the Ladies Night Christmas party which will be held at 7 p.m. on Thurs., Dec. 13th in the Community Center. A musical group, the English Brothers, will provide entertainment.

Register For Gifts At Jo Ann's
Jo Ann Mahalic, owner of Jo Ann's Dept. Store in Eagle Lake, invites citizens of the area to come by for a visit during the pre-Christmas season and to register, without obligation, for valuable prizes to be awarded at 11 a.m. on Mon., Dec. 24th.

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Soil Conservation District News
Pool assistance was given to Rev. Victor Schmidtsky of Nads. The Conservation Plan on Theodore Schultz has been updated to reflect changes in his operation. Mr. Schultz was recently elected director for Zone I of the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District.

Assistance was given to Arthur Koehn of Weimar regarding grass management. Oliver Weishuhn, a district cooper of the Bernardo area, is in the process of constructing a pond. District operator Grace Zatopek of the Zimmer-schiedt community has completed shaping eroded areas which will be established to bermada grass to control erosion.

Dr. C. W. Davis, a district cooper of the Zimmer-schiedt area, is planning to construct a pond and to shape eroded areas to control erosion.

A perfect gift - a subscription to the Eagle Lake Headlight - 234-2783

DEXTER ANDERSON FARMS
LIST OF FARM EQUIPMENT
AUCTION SALE - WED., DEC. 12, 1979
1:00 P.M.
LOCATION: Old Hwy. 39 South of Lodi on F.M. 547 Go Southeast 5/8 mile to gravel road to left, then follow signs to sale headquarters

MARKET REPORT
Columbus Livestock Co. Columbus Livestock Commission Co. handled 1502 head of cattle at the sale last Thursday with the market very active and fully steady to stronger on all cattle. There were a lot of buyers on hand. Good to choice butcher calves sold 70 to 75, heifer calves sold 60 to 65, commercial packer bulls 60 to 65, heavy Hereford and Angus steer calves brought 80 to 81 and heifers 70 to 80 and crossbred steer calves also 80 to 81 and heifers 70 to 80. Good stocker cows and heifers sold \$400 to \$500 per head. No. 1 hogs went 97 and 96 and lambs 90 to 95.

Christmas Gift Guide

SHOP AT Phase II Gifts
Mrs. Dorothy Baker, owner
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Bring your list and let us help you shop leisurely at home... no crowds... no traffic to hassle. We have something for everyone... and we GIFT WRAP your purchases, too.
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• Richard Scarry Books
• Small Wooden Toys
• Framed Pictures (Deer, Duck, etc.)
• Christmas Trays
• Gourmet Trays
• Mirror Dresser Trays
• Music Boxes
• Hair Dryers
• Curling Irons
• Lighted Make-Up Mirrors
• Travel Bags
• Make-Up Bags
• Lingerie, Hosiery, Underwear
• Jewelry of all kinds including 14 kt. Gold Chains
• Puppets
• Stuffed Animals
• Picture Frames

• Large Selection of Men's Gifts
• Troubadour Lights
• Flashlights
• Paper Weights
• Men's and Boy's Jewelry
• Teacher Gifts
• Stocking Stuffers
• Gag Gifts
• Lip Desk
• City and Dip Trays
• Candle Arrangements

One Table of \$3.00 and Under Gift Suggestions!!
Come In and Browse Around
Register for Surprise Packages to be given away Dec. 22nd (No purchase required to register)

Phase II GIFTS
103 W. Main - Eagle Lake - 234-3000

SHERIFF'S REPORT

Theft Of Weapons Increases At This Time Of Year
By GEO. "DOC" MUELLER
Sheriff, Colorado County

I would like to take this opportunity to remind our citizens to safeguard their valuables, especially their weapons, at this time of the year. If you leave weapons in your vehicle, make sure that they are secured to prevent a theft. If your weapons are at home, keep them in a secured place. Also safeguard your Christmas gifts to prevent them from being stolen. When shopping, keep the gifts already purchased secured in the trunk of your vehicle or out of sight. Also be watchful of your Christmas decorations and lighting to prevent fires. I would like to take this opportunity to join my staff and their families in wishing you and yours a very merry and safe holiday season.

Nov. 1: Posted citation in Courthouse. Investigated a disturbance near Garwood. Investigated vandalism of mail boxes near Lone Oak. Served civil papers in Columbus.

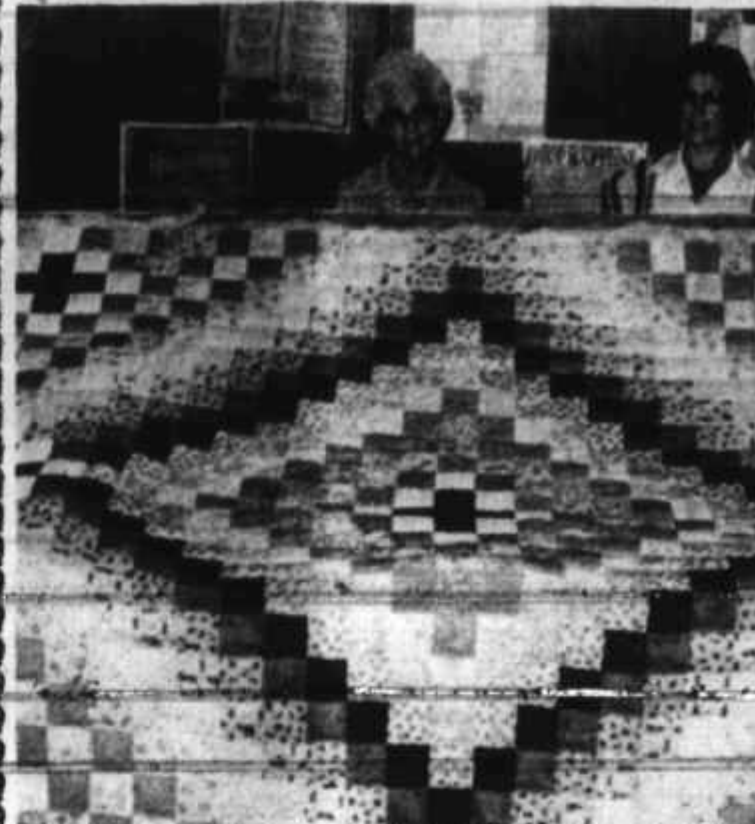
Nov. 2: Removed livestock from roadway on IH-10. Checked on a suspicious subject near Alkerton. Arrested one for public intoxication. One unit to San Antonio with mental patient. Issued three citations to truck drivers for speeding.

Nov. 3: Had JP Court in the A.M. Assisted with traffic at scene of accident on Interstate. Checked on a suspicious subject in the Brushy area. Served civil papers in Columbus, Eagle Lake and Garwood.

Nov. 4: Checked on abandoned vehicle on Interstate. Investigated a disturbance near Garwood. Investigated a disturbance near Bernardo. Posted citation in Courthouse. Arrested one for DWI. Served civil papers in Columbus. Issued citation to truck driver for speed, one for expired vehicle inspection.

Nov. 5: Checked on abandoned vehicle near Ramsey. Served civil papers in Eagle Lake, Columbus, Altair, Garwood and Weimar. Nov. 6: Had JP Court in the A.M. Checked on a disturbance near Bernardo. Posted citation in Courthouse. Arrested one for DWI. Served civil papers in Columbus. Issued citation to truck driver for speed, one for expired vehicle inspection.

Quilt Auction At County Fair



A Quilt Auction will be a big attraction at the Colorado County Fair, held for Sat., Dec. 15th at the Columbus Veterans Center, Armory and Youth Show Grounds. One of the quilts to be auctioned will be this one made by Mrs. Thelma "Dad" Baker, and Mrs. Katie Northrup, right, who say they are proud to have it in the auction. Ext. Photo.

Driver Charged After Accident On E. Main Sun.
A 1979 Mercury was heavily damaged but the driver, Albert Banks of Garwood, escaped serious injury when the vehicle went out of control on East Main Street at midnight Saturday night and went off the roadway onto railroad property between Scott's Snack Shack and the Mobil Service Station.

City Patrolman Lupe Villarreal, Jr. investigated the accident. His investigation turned up a 25 caliber automatic pistol in the car and Banks was charged with public intoxication in City Court and with unlawful possession of a weapon in County Court. He posted bond on the weapons charge and has been released under the bond pending trial of the charge in county court.

Fugitive From Okla., Mo., Arrested Here
A man wanted on felony charges in Oklahoma and Missouri was arrested here at around 6:30 p.m. Sunday.

City Patrolman Lupe Villarreal, Jr., and Texas Ranger Ray Nott were investigating the sale of a pickup truck by John Harrison Remy, believing that the pickup may have been stolen.

Investigation further revealed that Remy was wanted on a charge of fraudulent felony checks in Poteau, Oklahoma and also on felony check charges in Carthage, Missouri.

Remy was transferred to the County Jail to await extradition to the two states to face charges there.

Nov. 16: Checked on a suspicious subject near Bernardo. Checked on gravel truck in ditch near Altair. Picked up mental patient in Eagle Lake. Transported mental subject to San Antonio. Arrested one for theft of services. Investigated damage to a fence near Freinsburg. Served civil papers in Columbus.

Nov. 17: Routine duties this date.

Nov. 18: Investigated a burglary in the Garwood area. Investigated a burglary in the Bernardo area. Investigated the theft of a pickup truck near Garwood.

Nov. 19: Had District Court this date. Investigated the theft of livestock in the Bernardo area. Investigated a burglary in the Altair area. Served civil papers in Columbus and Eagle Lake areas.

Nov. 20: Had JP Court in the A.M. Investigated the theft of livestock near Altair.

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Share Christmas Happenings With H. House Residents!!

Needed! Christmas excitement. We, the residents of the Heritage House need you to share your Christmas. If your church, club, school class, family group, Sunday School class, ladies auxiliary, choir, band or any other organization is planning something special for Christmas, please come share them with us. We would like to see your plans, programs, songs, poems, readings, and hear Bible stories.

We would like for caroling groups to come sing for us. We would love some parties. You can come any day of the week, mornings, afternoons or early evenings. We guarantee you an appreciative audience.

Pick a date, a time and call Sally at 234-2432. She will be delighted to put you on our calendar.

Daughter For Sidney Strusses
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Struss of Altair announce the arrival of a daughter in Memorial Southwest Hospital in South-west Houston on November 17 at 6:25 a.m. She was named Stephanie Elise and at birth she weighed seven pounds and eight ounces and measured 19 1/2 inches long.

Joining the new addition are: one sister, Vanessa Jean; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Berford O'Dell of Spicewood, Texas (near Austin) and Mayor and Mrs. Elmer Struss of Eagle Lake; a great grandmother, Mrs. A. J. Struss of Eagle Lake.

FARM AUCTION

★ Rice Field Equipment ★ Farm & Shop Equipment ★

AL PAVLICEK

COLUMBUS, TEXAS - 713 732-2637
SATURDAY, DEC. 15

11:00 A.M.
(Columbus is located 73 miles West of Houston on Interstate 10. Directions: On Hwy. 71 3/4 miles South of I-10 turn East on County Rd. No. 101 and follow Rd. 2 1/2 miles, then turn Rt. 1/2 mile to the farm on the right. Watch for signs!!)

LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE!!
★ RICE FIELD EQUIPMENT ★

No. 1010 Case "Rice Field Special" combine w/14' header; Massey-Harris "Super-92" combine w/14' header (good condition); No. 410 Massey-Ferguson combine w/14' header; No. 958 John Deere combine w/14' header; No. 930 "Comfort-King" diesel tractor; No. 600 Case diesel tractor; No. 5010 John Deere diesel tractor; No. 660 International diesel tractor; No. 6000 Ford "Commander" diesel tractor w/3-pt., ind. pto., & wide front; ADAMS No. 550 MOTOR GRADER w/CM diesel engine, lift front & hydraulic controls; 4 rice buggies; JD rice levee pump; 10' belly mount front blade for JD, Case or IH tractor; 8' lift pto irrigation pump; 3 rice field lift pumps; 14 lengths 6" x 20' irrigation pipe; 3" plastic & corrugated levee pipes.

★ FARM EQUIPMENT ★
1974 Ford No. 8000 diesel tractor; 9N Ford gas tractor; No. 501 Ford gas tractor; No. B424 IH gas tractor w/14' header; No. 504 IH Gas Tractor; No. 350 IH Diesel tractor w/14' header; 16' IH off set disc on dual road wheels; 12' JD off set disc on road wheels; 14' Case tandem disc on road wheels; 12' Moline hvy. duty off set disc w/4 road wheels; 16' JD one-way tiller plow; Case 4-moldboard plow; 18' Case 32 chisel cultivator; 18' JD No. 1100 3-pt. chisel field cultivator; 18' JD chisel plow on wheels; 8' JD 3-pt. chisel plow; Anderson 24 30 36 42 48 54 60 66 72 78 84 90 96 102 108 114 120 126 132 138 144 150 156 162 168 174 180 186 192 198 204 210 216 222 228 234 240 246 252 258 264 270 276 282 288 294 300 306 312 318 324 330 336 342 348 354 360 366 372 378 384 390 396 402 408 414 420 426 432 438 444 450 456 462 468 474 480 486 492 498 504 510 516 522 528 534 540 546 552 558 564 570 576 582 588 594 600 606 612 618 624 630 636 642 648 654 660 666 672 678 684 690 696 702 708 714 720 726 732 738 744 750 756 762 768 774 780 786 792 798 804 810 816 822 828 834 840 846 852 858 864 870 876 882 888 894 900 906 912 918 924 930 936 942 948 954 960 966 972 978 984 990 996 1000 1006 1012 1018 1024 1030 1036 1042 1048 1054 1060 1066 1072 1078 1084 1090 1096 1102 1108 1114 1120 1126 1132 1138 1144 1150 1156 1162 1168 1174 1180 1186 1192 1198 1204 1210 1216 1222 1228 1234 1240 1246 1252 1258 1264 1270 1276 1282 1288 1294 1300 1306 1312 1318 1324 1330 1336 1342 1348 1354 1360 1366 1372 1378 1384 1390 1396 1402 1408 1414 1420 1426 1432 1438 1444 1450 1456 1462 1468 1474 1480 1486 1492 1498 1504 1510 1516 1522 1528 1534 1540 1546 1552 1558 1564 1570 1576 1582 1588 1594 1600 1606 1612 1618 1624 1630 1636 1642 1648 1654 1660 1666 1672 1678 1684 1690 1696 1702 1708 1714 1720 1726 1732 1738 1744 1750 1756 1762 1768 1774 1780 1786 1792 1798 1804 1810 1816 1822 1828 1834 1840 1846 1852 1858 1864 1870 1876 1882 1888 1894 1900 1906 1912 1918 1924 1930 1936 1942 1948 1954 1960 1966 1972 1978 1984 1990 1996 2000 2006 2012 2018 2024 2030 2036 2042 2048 2054 2060 2066 2072 2078 2084 2090 2096 2102 2108 2114 2120 2126 2132 2138 2144 2150 2156 2162 2168 2174 2180 2186 2192 2198 2204 2210 2216 2222 2228 2234 2240 2246 2252 2258 2264 2270 2276 2282 2288 2294 2300 2306 2312 2318 2324 2330 2336 2342 2348 2354 2360 2366 2372 2378 2384 2390 2396 2402 2408 2414 2420 2426 2432 2438 2444 2450 2456 2462 2468 2474 2480 2486 2492 2498 2504 2510 2516 2522 2528 2534 2540 2546 2552 2558 2564 2570 2576 2582 2588 2594 2600 2606 2612 2618 2624 2630 2636 2642 2648 2654 2660 2666 2672 2678 2684 2690 2696 2702 2708 2714 2720 2726 2732 2738 2744 2750 2756 2762 2768 2774 2780 2786 2792 2798 2804 2810 2816 2822 2828 2834 2840 2846 2852 2858 2864 2870 2876 2882 2888 2894 2900 2906 2912 2918 2924 2930 2936 2942 2948 2954 2960 2966 2972 2978 2984 2990 2996 3000 3006 3012 3018 3024 3030 3036 3042 3048 3054 3060 3066 3072 3078 3084 3090 3096 3102 3108 3114 3120 3126 3132 3138 3144 3150 3156 3162 3168 3174 3180 3186 3192 3198 3204 3210 3216 3222 3228 3234 3240 3246 3252 3258 3264 3270 3276 3282 3288 3294 3300 3306 3312 3318 3324 3330 3336 3342 3348 3354 3360 3366 3372 3378 3384 3390 3396 3402 3408 3414 3420 3426 3432 3438 3444 3450 3456 3462 3468 3474 3480 3486 3492 3498 3504 3510 3516 3522 3528 3534 3540 3546 3552 3558 3564 3570 3576 3582 3588 3594 3600 3606 3612 3618 3624 3630 3636 3642 3648 3654 3660 3666 3672 3678 3684 3690 3696 3702 3708 3714 3720 3726 3732 3738 3744 3750 3756 3762 3768 3774 3780 3786 3792 3798 3804 3810 3816 3822 3828 3834 3840 3846 3852 3858 3864 3870 3876 3882 3888 3894 3900 3906 3912 3918 3924 3930 3936 3942 3948 3954 3960 3966 3972 3978 3984 3990 3996 4000 4006 4012 4018 4024 4030 4036 4042 4048 4054 4060 4066 4072 4078 4084 4090 4096 4102 4108 4114 4120 4126 4132 4138 4144 4150 4156 4162 4168 4174 4180 4186 4192 4198 4204 4210 4216 4222 4228 4234 4240 4246 4252 4258 4264 4270 4276 4282 4288 4294 4300 4306 4312 4318 4324 4330 4336 4342 4348 4354 4360 4366 4372 4378 4384 4390 4396 4402 4408 4414 4420 4426 4432 4438 4444 4450 4456 4462 4468 4474 4480 4486 4492 4498 4504 4510 4516 4522 4528 4534 4540 4546 4552 4558 4564 4570 4576 4582 4588 4594 4600 4606 4612 4618 4624 4630 4636 4642 4648 4654 4660 4666 4672 4678 4684 4690 4696 4702 4708 4714 4720 4726 4732 4738 4744 4750 4756 4762 4768 4774 4780 4786 4792 4798 4804 4810 4816 4822 4828 4834 4840 4846 4852 4858 4864 4870 4876 4882 4888 4894 4900 4906 4912 4918 4924 4930 4936 4942 4948 4954 4960 4966 4972 4978 4984 4990 4996 5000 5006 5012 5018 5024 5030 5036 5042 5048 5054 5060 5066 5072 5078 5084 5090 5096 5102 5108 5114 5120 5126 5132 5138 5144 5150 5156 5162 5168 5174 5180 5186 5192 5198 5204 5210 5216 5222 5228 5234 5240 5246 5252 5258 5264 5270 5276 5282 5288 5294 5300 5306 5312 5318 5324 5330 5336 53