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office, but was defeated in

hief says that he is eager to

get settled in the Eagle Lake

community, Mrs. Winebren-

ner (Donna) is a Licensed

Vocational Nurse. Their two

and one-half year old daugh-

er is named Rhonda Michelle,

join in welcoming the new

police chief and his family to

aving another wheel mount-

Citizens of the community

tion held in 1980,

wonderful you've made

He added, "It is for certain, with God's blessing, the people we serve will receive the high degree of quality and sincerity in service you have been accustomed to as in the past. The Mill and Bauer families through years and years of hard work have provided for the people in the

love and respect of all." Larry went on to note that, as the business changes hands, Mr. Bauer will continue helping Dulany through the transition period and the funeral home name will remain the same for some time to come. He adds that "naturally all pre-Mrs. Mill will be honored, of course, just as if nothing has

riminal investigation at Station in Weimar

erved for a short time with

of the Wharton County from Houston were charged the death of Sheriff Mike from a roadway. They paid Flournoy and the resignation for the damage to Watkins' of Mrs. Flournoy who was tire and Justice of the Peace appointed to the remainder of Richard Schmidt fined Selson Sheriff Flournoy's term; \$210.50 and Newland \$110.50 Winebrenner was named (Selson was the driver of the acting sheriff of Wharton vehicle). Neither subjects

the Democratic primary elec-Until the new chief can ocate housing for his family here, it is anticipated that he will commute to Eagle Lake Assault On Woman in his personal vehicle). The

Sheriff's Dept. assault was filed on Thomas comeone driving a blue sand he was arrested by Toyota pickup truck had fired sheriff's officers and was still a shot at his vehicle while in jail Tuesday in lieu of a hey were traveling on 14 10. \$2500 legd set by Justice of ... itting one of the tires on his the Peace Francis Truchard. tle. Watkins was at the

Get Well Winben Mesnwhile, officers located the blue Toyota on Interstate Frank Pidgeon who under to at the 71 overpass. The went eye surgery in Her vehicle was stopped and the mann Hospital in Housta two subjects were brought to Wednesday. Prayers

Council OK's \$850,000 Grant Application

noon Friday, Jan. 2nd to grant from the Department of Housing and Urban cosed in the Rice Mill area in the eastern part of the city. Sunday night's accident involved four vehicles. Safety reports, of Public

with the second vehicle in the

string of three. The two

the shoulder of the road and

the third southbound vehicle

future of Grace Lutheran.

the church in the past year

and to set goals for the

coming year. Also a new

constitution for the church

will be discussed and voted

Columbus Hospital January

1st following a lengthy

St, Anthony's Catholic

Saturday with the Rev.

ng and demolition of abandonabout 2.2 miles south of Sealy to allow the two cars behind Specialists of La Porte, the him to pass. An oncoming funds would include: \$415,000 for drainage and street work; \$350,000 for substandard housing pepairs; \$15,000 for demolition: \$30,000 to energy the one which had pulled onto \$40,000 to administration.

Spitzengel told the council. however, at the December meeting: that competition for available funds for fully-funded Community Development Block Grants is heavy with over 200 cities vieing for limited funds for the 1981

The city received a \$750, 000 Community Development Block Grant several years ago for similar work in the Flat section of the city and this work has now been virtually completed.

Sheriff Mueller Hires New Deputy Rehires Another

Colorado County Sheriff bring his department to full is a new face to this county. but the other formerly served

night patrolman on Dec. 18th. church council. Smith came to this county from Sugar Land. He is single and has been to the Peace Officers Certification School, said Sheriff Mueller.

Assuming duties as deputy sheriff on January 1st was James Brooks, Jr. who resigned from the Columbus sheriff's department. Upon with discharging a firearm police department on Dec.

Sheriff Mueller said that he was glad to have Brooks back as he is already familiar withthe functions of the sheriff's office and is already residing in Columbus with his family. The sheriff noted that "it is very hard to bring an officerin from another area and to find a place for his family to reside in Colorado County."

No Classes In Rice Schools Mon.,

schools in the Rice District next Monday, January 12th since faculty members will be Funeral Home was in charge holding an In-Service Day. Classes will begin in the school year at the regular time on Tues., Jan. 13th.

went to her car and when she drove off Thomas shot at her the Rice School District by

patron must show some form of identification that he

2 Die In Wreck **Near Sealy Sun.**

weeks occurred on Highway 36 between Sealy and Wallis country and western musical group Texas Pride. He was a nger in a Chevrolet van killed in a Christmas Eve

was the driver of the northbound vehicle, Andrew Jackson Raymond, 26, of southbound on Highway 36

Deadline For C.C. Banquet Tickets Jan. 16

piled into the wreckage of the The Eagle Lake Chamber in the Municipal Building and all officers and directors have Killed in the collision were tickets available for the 30th annual banquet which will be held on Tuesday, January 20th in the Eagle Lake Community Center. The deadline for obtaining the tickets is Friday, January

which includes a delicious meal and program including the official recognition of 1981 Grace Lutheran Church of Eagle Lake will be held officers and an address by Sunday, January 11th. The Johnny Baker, ex-Houston meeting will be preceded by a

potluck, covered dish supper, beginning at 5 p.m. in the the event are urged to Following the supper, the tickets will be available after members of Grace Lutheran, the January 16th deadline.

Lutheran Church are urged ested citizens were on hand to attend this very important on New Year's Day morning meeting, said Pastor Paul in Columbus for the official "swearing in" ceremony for new and re-elected officials who began terms of office on January 1st. County Judge Lester J. Cranek administered the oath of office to the officials present for the

at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 3rd for John J. Mattern, 74, seventeenth year as con-stable in the Eagle Lake J.P. of Columbus, retired merchant who passed away in the

> Mrs. Frnka accompanied Mr. Frnka to Columbus for Other officials receiving her mother, Mrs. Esther their oath of office during the Bedingfield, Miss Nelwin special ceremony at 11 a.m. Bedingfield and Mr. and Mrs.

Arnold Anders, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial Otto H. Loessin, Precinct 3 followed in Odd Fellows Rest Cemetery. Columbus Day County Tax Officer Henry J. Hajovsky, Sheriff George Mrs. Alvin W. (Anne) born March 7, 1908 in San Berger of Precinct 2, David intonio the son of Mr. and Zajicek of Precinct 5 and Ivan Mrs. Jacob Mattern. He was Menke of Precinct 6."

new terms beginning Jan. 1st received their oath of office in

News From

Keep up with all activities of

1981 by asking everyone to

apply for a new library card, the library and may not be

Mrs. Bertha Mae Wendel Eagle Lake, two brothers,

mas Mattern of Tehachapi, Calif. and Edward Mattern of New Braunfels: He was preceded in death

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Astrodome, the evening of Friday, January 9th. Jerry will be riding in his vehicle

destruct other vehicles in the highly competitive and scription to the Headlight on last week's paper. Monday as he was passing

Go-Texan Activities Are Slated Jan. 24th

Texan Committee is making plans for the annual Go-Texan Day activities in this county on Saturday, January

Western Store in Columbus Livestock Show and Rodeo on other performances of the show Feb. 22nd through Mar. 8th. On Colorado County Night at the rodeo, the Oak

ging in the Go-Texan Queen

competition at 8 p.m. in the **Yeterans Community Center**

competition may be obtained locally at First National Bank and must be submitted to Pam Potter in Columbus or Dale Heinsohn in Freisburg not later than Jan. 22nd. For more information you may contact Mrs. Potter at 732-2705 or Mrs. Heinsohn at Beginning at 9 p.m. the

event will be Johnny Baker who was formerly with the be # Go-Texan Dance in the for a number of years. He is Maxine Griffith, Sandra Rod-Veterans Community Center with music by Ty and taining and informative message, said Bob McInteer. outgoing president and chair-

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Deadline For Tickets

Fri.: Ex-Oiler Johnny

A large crowd is expected

for the Eagle Lake Chamber

banquet to be held at 7:00

p.m. next Tuesday, Jan. 20th

in the Eagle Lake Community

Center and another outstand-

for the event.

ing program is being planned

the tickets, at \$6.00 each, is

at noon this Friday, Jan.

16th. The tickets may be

obtained from any director or

at the chamber's office in the

of Commerce's 30th annual

Baker To Speak

C. of C. Annual

Banquet Tuesday

Charles Runk, minister of the

United Methodist Church,

will deliver the invocation

McInteer will make re-

the 1980 year and will

Incoming president T. J.

Smith will also discuss plans

for the 1981 year. Other

incoming officers will be

introduced including: Fred R.

Frnka, vice-president; Jo

Ann Mahalite, treasurer:

Dorothy Jones, secretary;

and new directors, Bol

Klockman and L. J. Spanihel.

Mahalite and Frnka are also

beginning new three-year

terms on the chamber's board

tors include Dr. Rose, M.

gers, T. J. Smith, Roy D. Van

Nort and Robert P. Wilcox.

marks summing up activities

and the benediction.

man of arrangements for the other committee members The banquet will be are: Judge Lester J. Cranek catered by Mrs. Frank in Garwood; Mrs. Potter Broesche and staff. and Henry Beken of Columbus, Robert Waddell of Eagle Lake, and Leslie Heinsohn of

Ethel Konvicka Hosts Hospital Party At Circle K Ranch Sat. Nite

night for a hospital holiday party hosted annually by Mrs. Ethel Konvicka. Attending the affair were about 100 staff members of the local hospital and the

A delicious barbecue din-Bowen and all the trimmings prepared by Mrs. Konvicka "sworn in" was J. T. (Jimmie) and Mrs. Lou Brown were Frnka of Eagle Lake who enjoyed during the evening D. Stephens and Terry began a new four-year term activities. Guests at the as Constable in Justice of the spacious country home also Miss Carolyn Paylu of Peace Precinct No. 8. Con- enjoyed playing pool, domistable Frnka is beginning his noes and card games.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaver spent the Christmas holidays in Shreveport, Louisiana with Bud Foster. Also visiting



we'll go with you.

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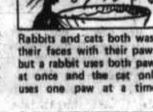
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Day guests, their children

John Dullahan of Orange and

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Spanihel

of Eagle Lake and Miss Grace

M. Spanihel of Houston. Also

Miss Cathleen Dullahan of

New York; Mr. and Mrs.



for an application for the

Officers' Salary explosion last June was Lake Middle School.

ance Committee, as required regular session since Decemby State Legislation, was ber 9th, moved quickly through its meeting despite Colorado County Commission - an unusually long list of items

The payment made on the medical expenses came out of the city's general fund and finalizes all outstanding medical bills. Brooks Army Medical Center in San At least one county official of the payment with the local clinics and the local

hospital. city's total payment of from the June explosion to \$28,643. The remaining funds for the over \$71,000 total bill were obtained through person-

In other action on Tuesday night the council: special police patrolman Bill work for the city- with a framed certificate. · Authorized Moroney, mann of Weimar and Jessie Beissner and Assoc., the city's financial agent, to take Banks of Garwood.

o Speak At

elected State Senator from the Fifth District, will be the This legislative session will

be a very important one for Texas teachers, and Lynda Appelt, Association President, urges all classroom teachers in the Rice District to be in attendance to hear Senator Caperton. A question and answer session will follow Senator Caperton's

A business meeting will be medical expenses of local held followed by a tour of the firemen injured in the new facilities at the Eagle

next meeting Jan. 27th.

· Appointed Dr. Curtis C. kitchen of ELMS, now being Laughlin as the city's health converted to library facilities . Tabled adoption of kitchen and dining area to the Homestead Exemption until new addition. the council's next session.

to continue ad valorem taxes Carpet Center on its bid price

Eagle Lake Recreation Cen- would last twice as long in ter, for the council to adopt a the areas where it is to be official in Austin before a the district's employees will

Protection Agency and other federal agencies and Colorado County has been contacted

Rice CISD To Seek Collection Of Delinquent Tax Accounts

EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS 77434, THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1981

Engle Lake Hendlight

right, authorized Supt. Haron a short-term basis.

The report indicated that

In other action Monday

payment of around \$460 in the sheriff's office, county dues for membership in the agents, state-county nurse. Boards. The dues are based and county judge and for on a percentage of the mileage while using their

cepted bids for 290 square vards of carpeting for the Eagle Lake Middle School and for a new automobile for Contract Is

former dining area and Instructor Resigns the Rice Consolidated School

District Monday night accep- ka as County Judge Pro- 11th. ted the resignation of Stacy Williams as Rice High School's girls' physical education instructor and coach,

former Rice High School cage . Superintendent Harold D standout, will be serving as King, making his contract substitute in that position. effective until July 1, 1984. Jane was also an outstand-Supt. King is completing ing cager at Blinn Junior his first full year (on July 1st)
College in Brenham and as superintendent of the Rice

attended Texas Tech Univer- School District.

Two Get T.D.C.Terms, Four Others Probation Sentencings Announced, Pleas

Heard In District Court Tuesday

tenced to terms in the Texas Department of Corrections of the Eagle Lake Primary and four others received School was Sam Betancourt terms of probation in proand he entered a plea of ceedings in District Court in Columbus on Tuesday of this-Judge Schraub Tuesday and week. District, Judge B. B.

sentencing will Schraub presided at Dorsey E. Williams, Jr. Wanda Jean Johnson, who entered a plea of guilty Dec. had entered a plea of guilty forgery of a check given to Brookshire Bros. in Columbus July 31st, was given a term however Judge Schraub noted that Johnson could be considered as a possible

tion. This in effect means that failed to appear as ordered any time in 60 to 120 days of the term, the judge can decide to recall Johnson for reconsideration of the sentence and possible probation. Walter Wright who was indicted on a charge of business in Weimar, entered a plea of guilty before Judge

Schraub and waived

case of Tomas Sanchez who entered a plea of guilty Dec. 2nd to a charge of burglary of Department of Corrections and ordered to make resti. the Roy Butler home in Eagle tion in an unannounced

All of the above were robbery and the charge was approved by the court at the reduced to robbery (to which Eagle Lake will have a ed a sentence of ten years of probation. He was charged with robbery of the Jim - Mike Pennington, also indicted with aggravated

> Friday, according to Chief of Police Earl Winebrenner. Reed, a native of Burkbur before Judge Schraub Tues- nett, Texas, formerly ser-

Paul Ruiz pled guilty Dec. ment. of the Eagle Lake Primary lottge Ann, a Registered School on Sept. 27th, and he Nurse, plan to move here as received a term of three soon as they sell their home years of probation, a \$300 and can locate accommoda

> Citizens join in welcoming the Reeds to the community

Local Citizens Protest Construction Of Levee On East Bank Of River

10 A.M., Jan. 27th On

\$7,751.36 with a 30 day company's Blue Roan Bend the levee to be held by the plant on the Colorado River. the board indicated they along the east Colorado River North Congress Avenue, auto from a business within

Star as part of their mining interested parties are urged

the district. Supt. King said hat Zaruba was given an poportunity to bid since the damage when the Colorado information should write to Mrs. Arthur Mahalite, Arthur Fri. frem 8:45 a.m. to 3:45. rm -provided the district River floods in the future, the Texas Water Commission

rith a driver education and they are asking Lone at P.O. Box 13087. Capitol Star to modify the levee to Station, Austin, Texas 78711. prevent such damage. As one or call the Commission at member of the group made (512) 475-3187. clear, the group is not The petition states, "We. Lone Star or to the and landowners to be affected

us," they say, "is the way flooding in our area." owners, farmers, and inter- they are doing it."

Commission at 10:00 AM on Mahalite, Jr., Elizabeth Simp taxes, Jan. 31st is the Tuesday, January 27, 1981, at son, Ruben Bankston, F. B. deadline to pay county and bank built recently by Lone Austin, Texas, and all Robert Reynolds, T.P. Heine, discounts are allowed.

production of gravel by the by Lone Star Levy Project on company from the Bine Roan the Colorado River in Bend area, "We're glad to Wharton and Colorado Coun-

gravel," said the group of our protest to said project. It petitioners who live and farm will, in our opinion, decrease Lone Star Co. Request near the Matthews Commu- the value of our property and nity. "The thing that worries increase the danger of

robbery in the same incident

at the Hamilton home,

entered a plea of guilty to the

Signers of the petition

council also neard a Chevrolet of Hallettsville ested parties recently signed report from city manager Bob Klockman that attempts are being made to control stray dogs roaming city streets.

Chevrolet of Hallettsville ested parties recently signed a petition to protest methods submitted to the Texas water Commission for use as coleman, Cara Lemons, Daday and Friday of this week evidence at a hearing about vid Mahalite. Carl N. Rey. to assess property for 1981

the Sheriff's office. Watkins sme to the sheriff's office nd identified the subjects as the ones who had shot at his

appointed chief deputy sheriff Joseph Newland, 20, both

indicated the reason for the He resigned that position shooting. They both paid to actively seek the sheriff's their fines and were released.

At 8:30 a.m., January 5th Gloria - Renay Caldwell - of Alleyton reported to the Sheriff's office that she had been assaulted on the night of January 1st by Roland Ray Thomas, 31, also from Alleyton. She reported that Thomas had tried to get her

Carl in 1980 and one sister,

Eagle Lake citizens will be terested to learn that Jerry Pustejovsky of Eagle Lake, sary. We're sorry that the owner of Jerry's Wrecker Service, will be among those entered in a Destruction Derby event in the Houston

Alexis as being from Hous ton, when actually she Number 7, and will try to

Lester and Margaret Bunge through this area. put the nicest notice offering

Colorado County's Go p.m. and the public, on stage,

Show and Rodeo Go-Texan van will be at Potter's all day Sat., Jan. 24th for sale f tickets to the Colorado County Day at the Houston March 3rd and also to all

Western Art Show will be done at 9 a.m. Jan. 24th in the Columbus High School cafeteria and at LV a.m. in the Preliminary private jud-

Ridge Boys will be entertain-

Mayor Elmer Struss will serve as master of ceremonies for the event. Ralph Truly will lead in the Pledge of

Grievance

formed at the session of the ers' Court Monday. The on its agenda. committee would be called into session if any countywide elected official in this county feels that his or her salary is

has indicated that he might bring a grievance before the The committee is composed officials and three persons from the grand jurors' lists who served in 1980, plus the

In addition to the countywide elected officials, three names were drawn for the committee from the grand jurors' lists Monday and neluded: James C. Crabb of Eagle Lake, Doris Brod of Rt. 2. Alleyton, and Eugene serve were: Donald Grob-

college are invited to apply

1981 Laughlin on plans for expangraduating high school boys sion of a subdivision along obtained, the city will be four received by the board. that a levee (estimated at the offices of the Texas Priesmeyer, Willie Bluntson, state taxes without penalty, and girls planning to pursue Laughlin Road. A committee with the use of dog trap however some members of nearly four miles in length) water Committee, with the use of dog trap an agricultural curriculum in was appointed to look into

program, in this county.

The board of education of selective list of delinquent accounts for further action by he Rice Consolidated School District, in session Monday

ald King to negotiate with a delinquent tax situation, noting that the district lists

to expect that 30 to 40% of the remaining total of \$96,357 of delinquent accounts which were already given a stamp are most likely to be collected of approval at the time that

District's board of education

The board had advertised water lines for additional Only two bids were received service to the area. A report for the carpeting to be is anticipated at the council's installed by the bidder in the

following the move of the · Approved on a split vote was given to Rosenberg

do most, if not all, of the

4 Bids For Auto

After some deliberation,

the board accepted on a 3-2

vote the bid of Zaruba

idders was Lake Motors Inc.

of Eagle Lake which offered a

1981 4-door Impals Chevrolet

for \$7931.94 while J. F. Miller

Ford, Inc. of Eagle Lake

offered a 1981 4-door Ford

preparatory work.

on automobiles. Councilmen of \$4312.00. Alvin Kohleffel, Roy D. Van The board accepted the first semester of the 1980-81 Nort and Mike Duarte firm's bid on Mohawk favored the motion while Protege nylon carpeting rathcouncilmen Gene Baker and er than accept a lesser bid of Ralph Truly cast dissenting \$2849 for indoor-outdoor carpeting when Supt. Harold King pointed out that the Frazar, president of the nylon carpeting probably

resolution adopting the Cen- placed. ter as an entity of the city. Only other bid for the The request stems from a carpeting was B/H Construcnotification from the Internal tors of East Bernard which Revenue Service that the Center can no longer main- for \$4367 and the indoor-outtain its "non-profit organiza- door carpeting for \$2589. tion" status as it is currently A slight additional cost will operating. City-manager Bob be incurred if the contractor Klockman and a Recreation is required to prepare the Center representatives are area for the carpeting, expected to meet with an IRS however Supt. Kng indicated

final decision is made by the preliminary steps toward sale of bonds to finance the city's the city's application for a dogs roaming city streets.

Though services of a full-time dog catcher has not been obtained, the city will be

would take at least six months to compile a complete list of delinquent accounts, many of which are less than a \$1.00 and which are not likely to be collected. Supt. King also reported

that the Countywide Tax

Appraisal District which is indicated that facilities will county government were not be available for extra approved in the opening delinquent tax collection session of Colorado County dent suggested that the Rice The court officially approved District might prepare a list many items of business which

and to turn these accounts the 1981 budget was adopted

year to year basis. Cost of The action included this type of service was sage of an order to set out indicated at around 15% of that the method of compenemployees will be on the to the board on his contacts salary basis as in the past with interested tax attornies (not on a fee basis). An order number and salaries of office deputies and employees; also night, the board approved for expense allowances for

> out of the county on county libraries and fire departments in the county, the National Guard unit. Histor-

> > Conservation District.

Colorado Soil and Water

personal automobiles in and

time the 1981 budget was Adamek pled guilty), receivthe appointment of Precinct 2 Commissioner Rafael Vesel- Hamilton home here on Oct.

effective at the end of the

day. His sentencing will be Williams has not been named; In other action the board made at a later date. however until a soccessor is approved a one-year extennamed, Miss Jane Dostal, sion of the contract of

probation, a \$300 fine and Russell J. Jauernig, indict September with candidate for shock proba-

tampering with a witness.

Four of five persons who entered pleas of guilty before Judge Schraub in December, Kenneth William Adamek, indicted with aggravated

new Patrolman in the Police Department this week, when deputy, completes certificaassume duties Thursday or

Wichita Falls police depart-

tions here.

Mahalite, I. V. Duncan Ranen Next Monday, Jan. 19th (G. C. Duncan), Matthewa Che Lax group will be at

M. L. Anderson, Kenneth 3:45 p.m.; at the Sheridan Mahalite, E.H. Henry, Jr., E. School from 9 a.m. to 12:30