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Area Aerial Applicators Attend Clinic

[By Leroy J. Hajdik, County Extension Agent]
Ten Commercial Agricultural Aerial Applicator firms that work the Colorado County area participated recently in a day long clinic at the Eagle Lake Airport for the purpose of improving the efficiency of their airplanes in the application of sprayable materials on crops such as rice and soybeans. Eighteen planes were flown in the clinic.
The applicators sprayed a special dye-treated water solution over a computerized track in the field. The taped data was then analyzed by another computer at the hangar. During this analysis the spray patterns were viewed on a cathode screen. Adjustments on the planes were made, reflights flown, and the data reanalyzed.
The program was sponsored by the Colorado County Rice and Soybean Committee in cooperation with the County Extension Agent.
Airman Estella Lenard Re-enlists In Air Force
Senior Airman Estella J. Lenard, daughter of Isaac T. and Jewel Hewitt of Eagle Lake, has re-enlisted in the U.S. Air Force after being selected for career status.
Assigned at Tyndall Air Force Base, Fla., Lenard was approved for reenlistment by a board which considered character and performance.
She is an aerospace control and warning systems operator.
Lenard is a 1978 graduate of Rice High School, Altair.
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Hearing On Game, Fish Laws Friday

Public hearings are being held this week and next in counties in this area to review proposed changes in hunting and fishing regulations for 1982-83.
The hearing will be held in this county this Friday, Mar. 19th beginning at 8 p.m. in the Courtroom of the County Courthouse in Columbus.
Meetings were held in Wharton County Monday, Fayette County Tuesday,



"The Eagle Lake Community Hospital Auxiliary is pleased to have Mrs. Marie Kopecky as a new inactive member. The inactive list has grown to nineteen with thirty-two active members."
• Saturday, March 20th is the first official day of the Spring season for the year of 1982. We are all ready for springtime. Almost everywhere in the city, residents are preparing gardens and flower beds for a spring planting. The azalea bushes are coming into full bloom and some outstanding floral displays may be seen in many areas of the city, adding beauty to the residential areas.
• We're sorry to say that the downtown area does not have that beautiful look. Last Sunday morning anyone passing through the downtown area had to have a bad impression of the city with lots and lots of paper and trash blowing about the gutters in front of many of

2 Bicycles Are Reported Stolen Here Last Week

Eagle Lake police investigated the theft of two bicycles taken from lawns of homes in the city during the past week.
Sergeant Gil Steen received a report of another stolen bicycle, reported by Wanda Birdwell of 120 Phillips Street. This was a 20" Murray bicycle and was taken from the yard of the home between Friday evening and Saturday morning.
The department also received word from an Eagle Lake youth who reported walking with a girl friend near the parking lot of the Baptist Church, when three Black males began harassing the two and a brief fight resulted.
Investigation of the reports continues.
Eagle Lake, and a number of other relatives.
She, with her husband, was active in the AARP, retired nurses group, Methodist Church and a postal group (Mr. Haygood is a retired postal employee).
Sympathy is extended to the family in the loss of this loved one.
On July 3, 1931, she was united in marriage with Clarence B. Haygood in Houston. Survivors include her widower; three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Aschenbeck of Wharton, Mrs. Stella Hudson of Houston and Mrs. Ethel Myers of Huntsville; three brothers, Lomis Campbell and William Campbell of Houston and Mr. Thornton

Eagle Lake Officers Support Jim Broussard For Sheriff of Colorado County

We, the undersigned officers in Eagle Lake, support and endorse Jim Broussard for another term in office as Sheriff of Colorado County. After careful consideration of the qualifications of both candidates for Sheriff, we believe that Jim Broussard's record of service as a law enforcement officer in Colorado County makes him the best qualified person to serve as Sheriff of this county for the next four years.
Sheriff Broussard is an honest, experienced working sheriff. He has had 33 years of law enforcement experience, eleven of which were in this county, and has a proven record of good police work. He has demonstrated a sincere desire to cooperate with all law enforcement agencies and all individuals and groups in the private sector to provide this county with the best possible type of law enforcement.

We ask that you return Sheriff Broussard to office in the Democratic Primary Election May 1, 1982.

Earl Winebrenner, Chief
G. W. Steen, Sergeant
Lupe Villarreal, Patrolman
Ike Ederidge, Relief Patrolman
Bill Chavis, Patrolman
Julia Gindrat, Sec. Police Dept.
Peggy Byrn, Dispatcher
Loretta Noski, Dispatcher
(Vol. ad. paid by Officers for Broussard. Earl Winebrenner, Chmn., 416 State, Eagle Lake, Tex. 77434)

Firemen Respond To Three Alarms

Eagle Lake Volunteer Firemen were called to three alarms during the past week, but took part in putting out only one grass fire.
The firemen were called to the Harold Thomas home on Laughlin Road at 4:15 p.m. last Thursday to extinguish a small grass fire.
Saturday morning at 8:15 the firemen were called to a truck and barn fire at Garwood but were notified en route to the fire that the situation was under control.
Tuesday night at 9:30 p.m.

"Reflections Of His Love" Film At Sheridan Ch. Sun.

"Reflections Of His Love," a new film highlighting the life and ministry of Joni Eareckson, will be shown this Sunday, March 21st at 7:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Sheridan. The color feature, produced by World Wide Pictures, the film ministry of the Billy Graham Association, will be shown only once.
The pastor of the church, the Rev. Steve Williams, invites all to the screening. "There is no charge." We feel everyone who attends will be touched by the remarkable life and witness of Joni Eareckson, he stated.
Dr. and Mrs. Elbert Whorton wrote the Headlight to say they are extremely proud of their daughter, Lise Loessin Whorton, a sophomore at Dartmouth College in Hanover, New Hampshire.
Lise has been selected to study Spanish with the Language Study Abroad program for the Spring term at Puebla, Mexico, and also for the Spring of 1983 to study in Italy in her major field, architecture and design.
She will be at home in Galveston with her parents, see Evangelina Loessin, for a few days before travelling on to Mexico on March 27th. Grandparents are Anna Loessin and the late Herbert Loessin of this city.
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Also the Dale Casady saw the report on television while visiting in the Del Rio area.
Miss Frazar called her parents and they in turn notified Dr. Jose Ugarte who informed Mrs. Craig of the shooting. She and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rohwer of Garwood, rushed to San Antonio.
The Rohwers returned home Friday night and Mrs. Craig accompanied her husband home Saturday morning; and he was back at work Monday.
A patrolman went back to the scene and recovered Kenneth's glasses. Without identification and witnesses, apprehension of the assailant was impossible.
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Medical Tech. Ken Craig Survives Shot In Head In S.A. Mugging Fri.

Survives Shot In Back Of Head On S.A. River Walk
Eagle Lake Kenneth Craig, Medical Technologist at the Laughlin Clinic Associates and substitute technologist at Eagle Lake Community Hospital, miraculously was back at work Monday at Laughlin Clinic after suffering a shot in the head during a "mugging" in San Antonio Friday evening.



Craig was in the Alamo City for the American Medical Technologists' Spring Convention for the Central District. After dinner in a restaurant on the famed San Antonio River he was walking along the river walk to his nearby hotel when the mugging took place. According to Craig, a man was seated on a bench holding a paper bag and as Craig approached he asked for his money relating that he had a shotgun in the bag. Surmising that the bag was far too small for a shotgun and that the statement was a joke, Craig continued and had taken a few steps when he felt the blow of a bullet from a pistol on the back of his head, knocking him to the ground and knocking off his glasses. Loss of the glasses made it impossible for him to get a clear look at the assailant. When the man approached Craig, who was bleeding profusely, Craig managed to persuade the man to take only his watch and money (about \$150) from his billfold, leaving other contents of the billfold.
The man then fled from the scene and Kenneth said he walked about a block or so toward a street where a passerby saw his bloody condition and called the police. Craig said that at least three officers interviewed him before an ambulance arrived and also about that time television news personnel arrived on the scene.
He was taken to the Baptist Memorial Hospital for treatment of a three inch gash from the back to the top of his head.
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City Sales Tax Check For \$15,712, 42.16% Increase

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has sent checks totaling \$48.9 million to 962 cities as their share of the one-percent city sales tax for March. The payment is the largest representing a single month's tax collections ever distributed - 29 percent over the same period in 1981.
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Pet Vaccination In Sheridan This Friday

A pet vaccination will be held in the Sheridan Community Center from 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. this Friday, March 26, sponsored by the Sheridan Lions Club. There will be a charge of \$4.50 per animal and the shots will be administered by Dr. L. T. Baron.
Owners should have dogs on leashes and cats in cages.

City, School Absentee Voting Ends Tuesday

Absentee voting in city, school and water district elections to be held on Saturday, April 3rd, will end next Tuesday, March 30th and indications are that balloting will be light with few contests in the area.
Absentee voting in the city election may be done in the city offices in the Municipal Building; in the Rice District, at the Administration offices at Rice High School near Altair; and in the Garwood Water District, at the water district office in Garwood.
Only contest in the Rice District is in the Sheridan Position 3 balloting where Reggie Briscoe and Michael Sonntag seek a position being vacated by long-time board member Lavo Wengenhoft.
A complete rundown of candidates for offices in all area elections, to be held April 3rd, will be published in next week's issue of the Headlight.

Victim Of Stabbing Found On I-10 Friday

The victim of an apparent stabbing was found on the emergency lane of I-10 just west of Columbus by Deputy Sheriff Buford Ash-

Distribution Of Amdro Fire Ant Bait To Begin April 8th

First Shipment For 6,168 Lbs.; 6,553 Lbs. Coming After May 15
Plans have been started for the distribution of Amdro fire ant bait in this county as part of an attempt to control incidence of the fire ants in eighty-eight infested counties in this state.
Colorado County Judge Lester J. Cranek reported to the Commissioners' Court in special session Monday that this county has been allocated 6,168 pounds of the Amdro fire ant bait (15,000 pounds to date of \$56,888.83, up 42.16% over payments in a comparable period of 1981).
Columbus' check for chase of 960,000 pounds and this area being divided proportionately to applicants from over the state.
The county's first shipment of 6,168 pounds will include 3,000 pounds in 25-pound bag packages and 3,168 pounds in one-pound bags.
The county also qualified for 184 quarts of MC-96 liquid bait which will then be distributed equally to the four commissioners' precincts.
The commissioners will have the Amdro available for sale from 8 to 11 a.m. on the morning of Thursday, April 8th at the respective commissioners' headquarters.
Deliveries must be paid for at the time of pick up at the rate of \$1.00 per pound. In order to obtain a general distribution of the fire ant bait over the county, a limit of 25 pounds per household was set by the commissioners' court. The court also urges citizens of the county to buy the Amdro in the control but elected not to make any deliveries of this material in the county.
A second shipment of the Amdro will be made available on May 15th with funds which are accumulated from the \$1.00 per pound which the counties pay for the initial shipment.
The TDA will dispense the Amdro at its warehouse in Austin Wed. April 7th and the county plans to send a truck to receive its share of the fire ant bait. The shipment will then be distributed equally to the four commissioners' precincts.
The commissioners chose not to distribute the MC-96 at \$2.50 per quart on grounds that they felt that the material is more costly and more susceptible to being picked up by pets.
In the motion to participate in the purchase of the Amdro, the court voted 3-0 with Precinct 4 Commissioner Bill Stiles abstaining.
Area projects include US-

City Council OK's Some Changes In New Budget

A six-member jury deliberated about an hour before finding "the petition not to be true" against a 16-year-old Eagle Lake Black juvenile male who had been charged with the burglary of Carter's Place in Eagle Lake last January. Some beer and change were reported missing at that time.
In the unprecedented jury trial of a juvenile, held in county court with County Judge Lester J. Cranek presiding, on Thursday last week, the jurors charged the youth of the charges.
The boy had signed a statement, given to Eagle Lake police officers admitting the entry. But it was pointed out during the trial by the defense attorney that Texas Statutes hold the admission invalid unless corroborated with evidence such as recovery of items reportedly taken, in this case some beer and change.
The youth still faces another jury trial however, this one set for April 18th at which time he will face the charge of burglary of the Eagle Lake Middle School.
Serving on the jury in the trial held last Thursday were:
Herman Kunz, Mrs. Dyan Booker, Connie M. Fair, Earlene Britton and Frank Jenkins of Columbus and Dianne Miksch of Borden.
Mr. Radack is a native of Glidden and graduated from Columbus High School and received a Mechanical Engineering degree from the University of New Mexico. After working for a number of years as a design engineer for a tool company in Houston, he and Mrs. Radack have made their retirement home in the Glidden area.
Clock Built In 1890
Mr. Radack reported to the commissioners' court Monday that the courthouse clock was built by Seth Thomas in 1890. The clock was in the dome

which was blown from the courthouse top during the storm in 1909 and it was replaced and has been in the dome since. Radack said that some parts of the clock need to be replaced but are not available from the manufacturer and will have to be made. "Otherwise the clock is in fair shape," he said.
Radack added that during the years, repairs have been made and at time improvements have been made, some to be retained, some to be corrected.
Some of the items to be replaced are the four-foot long cypress wood hands on each face of the clock and Mr. Radack is seeking some well-cured cypress for this purpose. Anyone with cypress boards for use for making the new clock hands should contact Mr. Radack in Glidden or Judge Cranek in the courthouse.
It is anticipated that once the repairs are made and improvements corrected the courthouse clock will once again become a popular and useful landmark as it indicates the time and sounds, with bells, on an hourly basis.
"We are fortunate indeed to have Mr. Radack undertake this project which coincides with the recent restoration of the historical Colorado County Courthouse," added the Judge.

The council, however, approved the increase on the 3-2 vote with councilmen Roy D. Van Nort, Alvin Koffel and Ralph Truly voting for the \$500 increase while councilmen Gene Baker and Mike Duerst voted against the motion.
Two other changes followed that increase including an additional \$500 to the Library Fund upon the proposed contribution to the operation of the Winterman Library to \$20,000.
The council, however, approved the increase on the 4-1 vote to be added to the City Ball Park fund bringing that total to \$2,258. Councilman Koffel cast the lone dissenting vote for the additional \$210, indicating that he was in favor of a bigger increase to the ball park.
Police Increase Sliced
The council also made a change in the Police Department budget, upon the recommendation of Councilman Baker, lowering the total from the proposed \$151,836 to \$147,000 which is still \$23,000 more than last year. In his motion Baker added that there would be no amendments to the budgeted figure unless there was an emergency.
This still gives the department a sizeable increase in its budget for 1982-83 as

several changes in the proposed 1982-83 budget for the City of Eagle Lake were approved on a split voting, during the regular session of the city council on Tuesday night of this week.
The proposed \$558,489 budget, was discussed in detail in the March 18th issue of the Headlight. The proposed budget, prepared by City Manager Robert Klockman, is slightly less than the 1981-82 budget of \$595,963.
The council made its first change in the preliminary budget after hearing from some concerned citizens. Joe Frazar, president of the Eagle Lake Recreation Center, along with other board members Brock Ashby, Butch and Lena Parma and Louis Schorlemmer, urged the council to raise its allocation for the Center from the proposed \$7,500 to \$8,000. This, Frazar insisted was a necessity to keep the tennis courts, picnic area, restroom facilities, playground equipment, barbecue pits and golf course in the best condition possible.
Mayor Elmer Struss said he hesitated to increase the money proposed for the center noting that, in his opinion, the City Ball Park should get an increase first because he felt it was being used by more people than the E.L.R.C.
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Use Of Sidewalks In The Downtown Area Discussed

The Eagle Lake city council focused most of its attention on just three items at its regular meeting on Tuesday night of this week and those topics kept them in session for almost three hours, almost twice as long as usual.
A proposed ordinance controlling use of the sidewalks in the downtown area by businesses was presented to the council for consideration by Mayor Elmer Struss. The ordinance if adopted (on a one-reading emergency basis as requested by the mayor) would keep local businesses along the downtown sidewalks from displaying merchandise outside of the stores but would allow charitable organizations the privilege of using the sidewalks for benefit sales.
The intention of the ordinance is to prevent "a bad appearance of the downtown area with overcrowded sidewalks," said the mayor.
Inez Matura, manager of a business that would be affected, indicated that she favored the right to use the sidewalks for commercial use.
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Work On 90A, 71, 3013 Are Included In Hwy. Projects

Work in the Colorado County area is included in a special highway rehabilitation program approved recently by the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission.
District Engineer Carl V. Ramert said the work in this area is part of a statewide effort to maintain and protect the large public investment in the highway system of Texas and to enhance the safety requirements of these highways.
Area projects include US-90A in Eagle Lake from Spur FM-102 (McCarty Avenue) southeast to FM-3013, a distance of 1.1 miles and at an estimated cost of \$108,000; SH-71 from IH-10 at Columbus to US-90A at Altair, a distance of 9.7 miles and at an estimated cost of \$548,000.
And FM-3013 from US-90A at Eagle Lake to I-69 south at an estimated cost of \$40,000.
All of this work is for additional surfacing.
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Guadalupe Church Ladies To Sell Mex. Foods Sunday
Ladies of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Parish will be selling Mexican Dishes this Sunday, March 28th and citizens in the area are invited to come by for plates to go or dine in the hall next to the Guadalupe Church.
Proceeds from the sale will go to the Guadalupe Altar Society for support of church-related activities.