

New AARP Officers



Albert Pustejovsky, left, installed new officers recently for the Eagle Lake chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons. Above from left are R. J. Armstrong, president; Rose Lange, 2nd vice president; Glady's Gold, secretary; Ed Schindler, treasurer; and board of directors Edna Hollas, Julie Anderson and Edna Raasch. Not pictured is Helen Ball, vice president.

University women hear money program

The Eagle Lake Branch of the A.A.U.W. (American Association of University Women) met at the home of Martha Sibley the evening of January 3 with a good attendance which included three visitors. The meeting was called to order by President Paulette Klock... The first written record of any bank transaction was about 4,000 years ago. Coins date back 5,000 years. The single most valuable contribution to banking was the invention of paper money in China. The thirteen colonies patterned their banking after the English system. In 1792 the dollar became the established unit of money in our country. Bartering became a principal way of trading things. United States currency is printed on very fine paper and inspected six times. Mr. Harrison gave a number of facts concerning the Great Seal of the United States, both sides of which are on the one dollar bill. On the right side there is the American Eagle and the Motto "E Pluribus Unum" - "Out of Many One." At the base of the pyramid appearing on the other side is the date 1776. The pyramid, denoting strength, is not finished and thus shows that we should continue to strive for better conditions. The eye at the top of the pyramid represents God. The Federal Reserve System, which has an orderly economic growth, is the banker's bank. The two operating United States mints are in Denver and San Francisco. Harrison showed the group metal tokens issued by the Frank Stephens Co. About 2,000 years before Christ there were leases

in or around 1932. He also showed token checks issued by this store. Also of great interest were several national bank notes bearing the names of the well-known L.E. Lenhart, W.S. Strickland and J.W.E. Stephens. These prestigious notes could be traced because the respective banks represented by these three gentlemen had deposited the required amount of gold with the United States Treasury. During the social hour the hostess provided tasty refreshments. The guests served themselves from an attractively appointed table on which were assorted vegetables and a dip, crackers, cheese balls, cakes and cookies, and miniature chicken drumsticks. Debbie Powers assisted Martha, by serving tea and coffee. The next meeting will be at the home of Nancy Adkins the evening of February 3. The guest speaker will be Dr. F.T. Barfield, an eye specialist from Columbus, who will talk on the subject of laser eye surgery.

Homemakers' Reflections Food Information Day March 11

Back by popular demand! The Colorado County Family Living Committee will host the 1983 Colorado County Food Information Day on Friday, March 11 at the Columbus Veterans Community Center from 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. They are planning to coordinate the event much like the one they hosted four years ago. Programs are being planned on space age cooking, home computer programs in the area of home economics and family life, food and health related exhibits and food demonstrations. Business and organizations wishing to participate need to contact the County Extension Office, 732-2530, to reserve booth space. There will not be a booth charge but each booth participant will be asked to give door prizes. This educational program will be open to the public free of charge. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of social-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin. Medication guidelines Achieving the best use of medicines depends on a three-way effort between your doctor, your pharmacist, and yourself. How you participate in this team-work approach is vitally important. Follow these basic medication guidelines for safe and effective medication use. 1. Take exactly the amount prescribed and on schedule. 2. Never take drugs prescribed for a friend or relative. They do not have the same effects on everyone. 3. Tell the doctor about any past problems with drugs, including over-the-counter items. 4. Keep a daily record, especially if taking more than one drug at a time. 5. If "child-proof" containers are hard to handle, ask the pharmacist for easy-to-open containers. Keep these away from children. 6. Be sure you understand the label directions and that the name of the medication is printed clearly. Ask the pharmacist to use large type on the label if necessary. 7. Throw away old medicines. They may have lost their potency.

Sheriff's Report Reporting on 1982

During the year 1982, the Sheriff's Department transported 14 prisoners to the Department of Corrections for a total of 3,097 miles traveled. Also, 38 patients were transported to various state hospitals for a total of 9,516 miles traveled. Two hundred and nine houses and places of business were checked during the year for a total of 5,537 checks made. These checks are made at no extra expense to the taxpayer. While officers are patrolling the county, if your place is on the check list, the officers stop and physically check your place. If officers are busy on other duties, the checks take second precedence. We feel that this service had a direct effect on the decline of burglaries in Colorado County during 1982. January 11: Assisted a stranded motorist on IH-10 and also on 90 near Giddens. Assisted at the scene of a vehicle fire on 90E. Assisted the ambulance personnel on an emergency call to Eagle Lake. Assisted the Eagle Lake police on a burglary investigation. Worked school traffic in the morning and afternoon. Checked on a disturbance in Alleton. Issued six traffic citations and served four civil citations. January 12: Assisted at the scene of an accident on IH-10. Removed livestock from the roadway on 71 North. Investigated the finding of a body near the rest area west of Columbus. Worked school traffic in the morning and afternoon. Investigated an accident on IH-10 East of Columbus. Issued five traffic citations and served six civil citations. January 13: Removed livestock from the roadway on County Road 105A. Searched for subjects breaking into railroad box cars. Responded to a burglar alarm activating near Altair. Checked on subjects dumping trash on the roadway. Recovered tool boxes and tools that were stolen in Houston. Worked school traffic in the morning and afternoon. Had district court. Issued one traffic citation and served seven civil citations. January 14: One unit to Houston on a murder investigation. Worked school traffic in the morning and afternoon. Removed livestock from the roadway on IH-19 near Alleton. Continued the investigation into a murder case. Issued two traffic citations and served four civil citations. Transported a prisoner to Huntsville. January 15: Checked on a reported gun shot victim in the Eagle Lake hospital. Removed livestock from the roadway on 121. Checked on a suspicious vehicle on 949. Removed livestock from the roadway on 109 and County Road 103. Checked on a suspicious vehicle near Hattermann Lane. Removed livestock from the roadway on 90E. Arrested two non-public intoxication. January 16: Investigated a theft of services near Sheridan. Assisted at the scene of an accident near the 71 Bypass. Assisted a stranded motorist on IH-10 East. Assisted in arresting two for game violations near Altair. Removed livestock from the roadway on 1093. Checked on a disturbance near Eagle Lake. Removed livestock from the roadway on Schoel Road. Issued three traffic citations. Jim Broussard, Sheriff and Deputies Phones: 732-2388 and 732-2535 Home Phone: 732-3950

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Meet the mighty boys varsity team By Roxanne Ripper This week the Raider Review would like to introduce the members of the mighty varsity basketball team. They are back row, from left to right, Shawn Spaniel, junior; Rob Johnson, senior; Rodney Parker, sophomore; Delbert Jarvis, junior; Stanley Powell, junior; kneeling, from l. to r., Ed Thomas, senior; Mell Pratt, junior; Cedric Pope, junior; and Rodney Sanford, senior. The Raider's next game will be Friday, January 21 against Hempstead at Rice gymnasium; so come on out and support the Mighty Rice Raiders. RHS Photo

Corpsmen visit RHS By Becky Bengel On Monday, January 10, a group of Texas A&M Corpsmen visited the Rice High School students who are planning to attend A&M. The group, consisting of Philip Leopold, Thomas Kallina, Jim Epps, and John Wegenhoff, informed the interested students about what is in store for them. After the corpsmen explained many of the A&M traditions and answered questions, a film of the Texas A&M Band was enjoyed by all.

Who's Zat? School Menu By Cathy Lanyon Just who is that behind those Potter Grants? This little chick is just too, too cool. We asked the student body if they could identify this mysterious and "glamorous" cutie. Alex Ramirez, Jeff Argo, and Estrella Moreno guessed that it was Stacey Holden. They were wrong. Many others were also perplexed and had identified her as one of various people. For instance, Roland Soto was positive that it had to be Dwayne Pazel. Stephanie Rhodes was rather cautious when she stated that it could be Michele Gonz. Paul Kuecherka had a feeling that it was Connie Prazak. And finally, a debate came about. Was it Kevin Briscoe, or was it Richard Klecker? We will let them settle the dispute among themselves. Those who guessed correctly were Traves Soape, Becky Bengel, Elizabeth Garza, Connie Prazak, Robert Dierschke, Ronny Mendoza, Gilbert Alvarado, Coach Falyvn, Glen Hefner, and Coach Wrenkle. They all knew that it had to be the Student Council member that represented the junior class. They knew it had to be Lynn Mota.

Thursday, January 20: Beef Vegetable Soup, Cheese Wedges, Cole Slaw, Apple Cobbler, Crackers. Friday, January 21: Meat and Cheese Pizza, Whole Kernel Corn, Stuffed Celery, Pineapple Upside Down Cake. Monday, January 24: Meat & Spaghetti, Pickle Sticks, English Peas, Fruit Cobbler, Garlic Bread. Tuesday, January 25: Pigs-in-Blanket, Macaroni & Cheese, Cole Slaw, Sliced Peaches. Wednesday, January 26: Hamburgers, French Fries/Catsup, Hamburger Salad, Carrot Cake. Thursday, January 27: Fried Chicken, Rice, Gravy, Buttered Spinach, Apple Wedges, Hot Rolls. Friday, January 28: Frito Pie, Baked Beans, Celery Sticks, Pineapple Tid Bits, Lanchroom Bread.

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Raider Review

Gilbert Corella RHS band guest By Roxanne Ripper On Tuesday, January 11, Gilbert Corella talked to the Mighty Rice Raider Band. Gilbert is a member of the Texas Longhorn Band. Gilbert began by expressing the pride he has for being a member of such a successful band as the Texas Longhorn Band. He highly endorsed that pride for yourself and for the organization is necessary for a successful band. He also said that if we would work together as a unit we would be able to be a success no matter what obstacles we had to overcome in the future. In closing Gilbert showed two films of the Longhorn Band and offered information to those interested in trying out to be a member of the band.

Freshman registration set William Carpenter and Guy Beane, counselors of Rice High School, announced they will meet with the eighth graders in their classes on the following dates: Tuesday, January 25 at Eagle Lake Middle School. Wednesday, January 26 at Garwood and Nada. Thursday, January 27 at Sheridan. Also any students in the Rice District area who are attending another school at this time, but plan to attend school in the Rice District this August are to contact William Carpenter or Guy Beane at Rice High School by March 1. The purpose of this meeting is to get to know one another, select the subjects to be taken during the freshman year in school and to provide information to students.

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On with the Party!! with Jef & Valerie Appearing at Silver Wings Ballroom El Campo Saturday, Jan. 22 YOU DESERVE A GOOD TIME!!

Sheridan News By Velma Kutzer Jack Briscoe of Weimar was in Sheridan Wednesday visiting with friends and relatives. Rev. Steve Williams and his wife, Monte, spent most of last week in Fort Worth attending the Texas Evangelism Conference. While there they heard lectures from the president of both Southern Baptist Convention and the president of the Texas Baptist Convention. An enjoyable highlight was speaker Bob Bruising of the Dallas Cowboys. On their way home the Williams visited friends in Waco. Vic Gheen and Dorothy West are both patients in the Eagle Lake Community Hospital this week. Get well wishes are extended to both. Gerald Esch, grandson of Mrs. Erma Esch, spent the weekend here with his grandmother. Emmette Briscoe recently suffered a very serious heart attack in Houston. The family reports the lower part of his heart literally exploded and the fact that he survived is a miracle. Hopefully he will recover enough to undergo tests and possibly surgery. He is confined to the V. A. Hospital in Houston. Mrs. Marjorie Persons, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoggatt and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Schilhab, all of Houston, visited with their mother, Mrs. Abbie Schilhab, last week. Assembly of God special services set Three nights of special music and old-fashioned preaching will be held at the Assembly of God Church in Eagle Lake beginning Friday. The services will continue nightly through Sunday. Services will start at 7:30 p.m. each night with the Rev. E. E. Postel of Steeds, Missouri, providing the preaching. The church is located on the corner of Church and McCarty streets.

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