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1992 Chevrolet Corsica Sedan Loaded!	\$15,008	\$12,295.00
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1991 Chevy 1/2-Ton Pickup Regular cab; white; clean!	\$10,995.00	\$10,995.00
1991 Cadillac Sedan De Ville Super clean!	\$14,495.00	\$14,495.00
1991 Chevy 1/2-Ton Pickup 350 V-8; 42,600 miles!	\$9,500.00	\$12,580.00
1989 Buick Century 2.5, 500 miles; 1988s car!	SOLD	\$6,495.00
1989 Ford XLT Lariat Pickup Loaded!		\$8,695.00
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From Harold Williams

On September 30, 1993, I am retiring from Lake Motors with 14 years and 9 months on the job.

I want to personally thank all my customers who did business with me all those years.

Although I will not be in the office at Lake Motors, as I have in the past, I will continue to be available here in Eagle Lake to assist my customers with their automotive needs.

Please feel free to contact me anytime at Lake Motors, 234-2556, or if you live out of town, 1-800-525-3001.

Just leave a message for me and I will get back to you.

Thanks again for your many years of loyalty.

Harold Williams

County Hay Show samples collection begins

Samples for the 1993 Colorado County Hay Show will be collected this week. There is no fee for lab analysis to determine the protein or feeding value of the hay.

Producers may drop off samples Monday-Thursday, Sept. 20-23, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Farmers Cooperative in Garwood, M-G Farm Service in Weimar, Sheridan Lumber Co., Heinsohn's, Bernardo Farm & Ranch, Eagle Lake Implement, and County Extension Service, Columbus.

On site collection will be Friday, Sept. 24, Garwood, 8-8:30 a.m.; 9-9:30 a.m., Eagle Lake; 10-10:30 a.m., Sheridan; 11-12, Weimar bus barn; 2-3 p.m., Frelsburg and 4-6 Bernardo.

Sample requirements are a 1/2 feed sack of unweathered hay. An entry form must be completed and placed inside each sack. The entrant's name and type of hay should be on the outside of the sack. Entry forms will be available at the collection sites.

For additional information, contact the county extension office at 316 Spring in Columbus.

Sheriff

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Another suspect was arrested for parole violation at the Eagle Lake Police Dept. and taken to county jail.

Deputy Richard LaCourse arrested a subject at 11:40 p.m. for public intoxication, disorderly conduct, no insurance and expired license plate at Dewees and Hwy. 90.

At 3:30 a.m., Deputy LaCourse arrested a suspect for public intoxication at IH 10 and FM 949 west.

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Computer seminar tells how to buy

A seminar on how to buy a computer for home or office will be held Oct. 5 at Wharton County Junior College. The seminar will meet from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. and costs \$20.

Learn what features to look for, and what equipment you need to consider when buying.

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Council

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ceives to the \$1,912.50 ad being placed in the DU magazine.

Council also approved a request by the Chamber to hold the 1993 Christmas Parade on Saturday, Dec. 4, at 6 p.m.

A request by Scoutmaster Verlin Argo to allow the scouts of Troop No. 334 to host a bicycle race for the Brahman District using McCarty, Waverly, Lake and Connor Streets on Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon was approved.

In other business, Council:

•Approved the second reading of the ordinance prohibiting commercial vehicles on City streets;

•Adopted a resolution authorizing the resubmission of a Texas Community Development Program of Housing and Community Affairs for the Community Development Project Fund to be used for sewer main line upgrade. This same project application was turned down last year;

•Heard a report from Councilwoman Renee Cooper-Scott regarding requests by citizens for a Southwestern Bell collection station for telephone bills. Any place of business interested in serving as a collection agent is asked to call 1-800-972-2355.

Octoberfest is planned at Washington-on-the-Brazos for the weekend of Oct. 2-3 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. A free street dance will be held Saturday night from 8-12 p.m. For information call 409-878-2879.

Friendship Baptist has Annual Day

The Sunday School Annual Day will be Sunday, Oct. 3, at Friendship Baptist Church, 405 S. Lake St. in Eagle Lake. Rev. E. Shorter Jr. invites everyone to come celebrate with them at 3 p.m. Rev. O. Scott of Greater Rising Star Baptist Church will be the guest speaker.

Oct. 5 is CARE meeting

Council for the Advancement of Rural Education (CARE) program for their Oct. 5 meeting is a pediatric emergency update featuring pediatric medical experts. The meeting begins at 6:30 p.m. at Wharton Civic Center. Call the Wharton EMS for reservations and information at 409-532-2491.

Stew supper, auction, bake sale Oct. 23

The Eagle Lake Study Club will hold its annual bake sale and auction Saturday, Oct. 23, a week earlier than last year. The bake sale begins at 4 p.m. with the auction at 7 p.m. The Firemen's stew supper will be from 5 to 7 p.m., prior to the auction. Tickets for the supper are \$3.50 each available from any member of the Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Dept.

Garwood class of '53 sets reunion

Garwood High School class of 1953 is hosting a 40 year reunion at the George Koenig residence in Garwood Oct. 23. All members of the classes of '51 through '55, or any other Garwood graduates, are also invited. For information contact Catherine Berger at 758-3208, Lela Jane Koenig at 758-3730 or John Struska at 713-777-6532. Reservations must be made by Oct. 15 for the catered dinner.

Seniors dance is Oct. 1

The senior citizens will have a dance Friday, Oct. 1, at the Eagle Lake KC Hall from 7:30 to 11 p.m. Music will be provided by the Country Playboys. Admission is \$4 a person and everyone is welcome. There are to be door prizes and refreshments available.

Congressional help at courthouse

Congressman Greg Laughlin will have an assistant at the Colorado County Courthouse from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 6, to help residents with problems or questions. No appointment is necessary.

VFW plans chili supper

The VFW Post #8783 and Ladies Auxiliary will hold a chili supper Friday, Oct. 8, from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Eagle Lake KC Hall. Patrons may eat there or purchase plates to go. Desserts will also be available.

Lissie church to have sale

Lissie United Methodist Church will have their annual churchwide garage sale Saturday, Oct. 9, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. They invite everyone to come.

Scarecrow Festival set at Chappell Hill

Chappell Hill will have a Scarecrow Festival Oct. 9 and 10 with the entire town decorated with scarecrows. Hayrides, dancing, bands and pumpkin decorating contest are among the day's activities from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Guadalupe Parish Picnic coming up

The annual parish picnic for Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church is planned for Sunday, Oct. 10. A barbecued chicken dinner will be served from 11-1:30, the auction is from 1-4 p.m. and a new event, "Yutbo" with Juvenos vs. Ganado, offer fun and entertainment for the entire community.

Food Drive to stock local pantry

The Eagle Lake Ministerial Alliance will have a Food Drive Sept. 30. Donations of nonperishable food and toiletries will be collected at the parking lot of First Baptist church on Prairie St. Volunteers will be on hand to assist people making donations. Collection will be 8 a.m. through 6 p.m.

CCA board meets tonight

The Combined Community Action Inc. monthly board of directors meeting will be Sept. 30 at 7 p.m. at the CCA Center, 275 Ellinger Rd. in La Grange. The public is invited to attend.

Lions Club carnival is Saturday

The Eagle Lake Noon Lions Club will have their annual carnival Saturday, Oct. 2, at the Eagle Lake Community Center and pavilion. The fun, games and rides begin at 4 p.m. Everyone is invited to come to the carnival. Tickets are available from all Lions members.



Help for Halloween party

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #8783 donates \$50 to help with the Halloween Party for the Colorado County Opportunity Center. Commander Len Matula hands a check to Linda Matula. Matula said donations of cookies, soft drinks and money for other items are needed for the annual event which has grown to over 300 partygoers.

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Homecoming plans underway

By Amanda L. Priemeyer, student reporter

Homecoming 1993 at Rice High School will be celebrated Friday, Oct. 15. It will honor the original Rice Consolidated School Board formed 25 years ago. Festivities will begin early with a number of activities anticipated, Thursday, Oct. 14, a red wagon parade will lead to the third annual bonfire and pep rally to start things off.

Friday there will be a catered barbecue at 5:30 p.m. followed by the crowning of the Rice Homecoming Queen at 7:05. Kickoff for the football game against Sealy will be 7:30 p.m.

A victory dance in the commons will follow the game for all students and their guests. A reception will be held in the PAC for all Rice alumni.

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Mt. Olive has youth musical

The youth of Greater Mount Olive Baptist Church will host a youth musical on Saturday, Oct. 2, at 7 p.m. Everyone in the area is invited to come hear these young people sing and praise the Lord.

Thrift Shop open Saturday

The Thrift Shop of the Prairie Edge Museum will be open Saturday, Oct. 2, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Among the good buys will be lots of clothing for young