

Colorado County Sheriff's report

The Colorado County Sheriff's Dept. reported the following activity for the past week.

On Monday, Jan. 9, at 12:36 a.m., Deputy Ron Knighten responded to a meeting with an Eagle Lake Police officer. He later met with a complainant at the Eagle Lake police department at 6:24 a.m.

Sgt. Richard Frederick responded to a call concerning a disturbance at Texas Marble at 8:27 a.m.

Deputy Troy Neisner met with a subject reference to a civil matter in Alleyton at 11:04 a.m. At 11:30 a.m., he responded to a call concerning unauthorized use of a motor vehicle on County Road 220.

At 5:16 p.m., Gary Stavinoha responded to a call concerning the recovery of a stolen vehicle in Eagle Lake.

Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 12:48 a.m., Deputy Ben Vlach responded to a call concerning a reckless driver at Cattlemans.

At 9:15 a.m., Deputy Neisner met with a complainant at the Sheriff's Department concerning an aggravated assault.

On Wednesday, Jan. 11, at 4:13 a.m., Deputy Vlach responded to a call concerning a suspicious subject in a vehicle in Garwood.

At 6:38 a.m., Deputy Richard Lacourse assisted with traffic at Vox Populi. He also responded to a call concerning vandalism in Garwood at 7:02 a.m.

Deputy Peikert responded to a call concerning cattle out on County Road 101 at 12:05 p.m. At 4:20 p.m., Dep-

uty Peikert responded to a call concerning a theft on County Road 210.

Deputy Michael Krensek responded to a call concerning a possible theft on Hwy. 71 at 8 p.m.

At 8:18 p.m., Deputy Vlach gave courtesy transport to the Columbus Airport. He then responded to a call concerning a suspicious vehicle on Menz Road at 9:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 12, at 10:41 a.m., Deputy Peikert responded to a call concerning criminal mischief on FM 2434. He then transported a juvenile to the courthouse on Eagle Lake at 12:27 p.m.

On Friday, Jan. 13, at 12:47 a.m., Deputy Jim Parcell responded to a call concerning a subject with lacerations at the Colorado-Fayette Medical Center.

Deputy Peikert responded to a call concerning a fenced damaged on Reese Lane at 8:55 a.m.

At 9:03 a.m., Sgt. Richard Frederick was enroute to Hempstead to pick up a juvenile.

Deputy Peikert transported a prisoner to Austin County at 1:16 p.m. He then assisted a stranded motorist on I-10 at 3:42 p.m.

Sgt. Stavinoha responded to a call concerning a suspicious subject in Glidden at 5:53 p.m.

At 9:03 p.m., Deputy Neisner and Sgt. Stavinoha responded to a call concerning a burglary in Glidden.

Deputies Parcell and Knighten responded to a call concerning a car fire on I-10 at 9:56 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 14, at 1 a.m., Deputy Parcell responded to a call concerning a suspicious vehicle on Hwy. 71. He later assisted a stranded motorist on I-10 at 3:03 a.m.

At 8:38 a.m., Deputy Lacourse responded to a call concerning a truck stuck on the railroad tracks. He later responded to a call concerning family violence at 10:24 a.m.

Deputy Vlach responded to a call concerning cattle out toward Wallace at 11:36 a.m.

At 1:36 p.m., Deputies Vlach and Lacourse responded to an accident on FM 102 at 12:22 p.m.

Deputy Lacourse responded to a call concerning a possible drunk driver on I-10 at 4:42 p.m. He later responded to a call concerning cattle out on Hwy. 71 north at 4:48 p.m.

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Pecan Food Show Winners

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Best of Show in the adult division was presented to Betty Kovar from Ellinger with her Cream Cheese Roll. Second Best of Show was won by Isabel Bishop of Weimar with her Pecan Cluster Pie. Patricia Otto of Schulenburg won third Best of Show with her Fudge Bon bons entry.

In the youth division Shaun Neumann from Round Top took first Best of Show with his entry of Pecan Turtles. Denise Otto from Schulenburg captured the second Best of Show with her Chewy Butter-Scotch Brownies. Third Best of Show was won by David Otto also of Schulenburg with his Almost Candy Bars.

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Torres named 'Employee of the Month'

Theresa Torres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Torres of Eagle Lake, was recently named by Williamette Industries Inc., as the December Employee of the Month.

She has been with Williamette Industries since Aug. 16, 1993, and holds the position of main line unitizer operator.

Torres resides in Eagle Lake with her son Brian. Her spare time is spent with her son.

In the late spring, she plans to wed Bobby Zapalac who is also employed with Williamette Industries in Sealy.

1994 Pecan Show winners reported

The 1994 Colorado-Fayette-Lavaca County Pecan Show was held in Schulenburg last month with 17 pecan samples entered and judged by Bill Rice.

Due to the short pecan crop statewide this year's show also included entries from Lavaca County.

The categories judged were commercial and native.

Commercial pecans include those varieties which will be the major market pecans of the future.

Native pecans consist of all of the unnamed natives which are usually marketed into the shelling markets.

Pecan Winners

Winners in these categories were: Grand Champion, Charles Herzik from Weimar with a Kiowa; Reserve Champion Commercial, Bruce Sterling of Komensky with a Pawnee. In the native categories, Crockett Leyendecker of Columbus received Grand Champion.

All of the top placing entries in each variety will be entered in the Regional Pecan Show to be held in Victoria on Dec. 8.

Another division of competition that is considered in judging is the percent of edible kernel remaining after shelling. This percentage is affected by how well the kernel is filled out during the growing season due to moisture, and also how much insect and disease damage occurred.

This year, the percent kernel ranged from 32 to 56%.

This year's winners were: Champion Highest % Kernel Commercial Pecan, Charles Herzik from Weimar with a Kiowa; Reserve Champion Highest % Kernel Native Pecan, Paul Hajovsky of Holman with a Kiowa; Champion Highest % Kernel Native Pecan, Raymond Steffek from Hallettsville and Reserve Champion Highest % Kernel Native Pecan, Glenn Steffek from Hallettsville.

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del and Martha Berger from Schulenburg; Sylvia Addicks from Weimar.

Grand Champion Youth in the Candy Division was Shaun Neumann from Round Top and Reserve Champion was Debbie Leopold from Nada.

Denise Otto from Schulenburg won the Grand Champion honors in the Youth Cookie Division and David Otto from Schulenburg won Reserve. Blue ribbon winners were Ricky Martinez from Columbus; Jared Korenk from Garwood; Shaun Neumann from Round Top; and Vickie Sanders from Carmine. Red ribbon winners were Chrissy Leopold from Nada; Bradley Wunderlich from Burton; Amanda Machiolek from Schulenburg; Matt Herbrich and Roxanne Herbrich of Weimar.

Grand Champion was won by Chris Schuirring of Garwood in the Youth Pie Division. Reserve honors went to Bradley Wunderlich from Burton. Blue ribbon winner was Kinsey Hoffman from Nada. Red ribbon winners were Angela Kovar from Fayetteville and Samantha Marth from Carmine.

In the Youth Division Quick Breads Grand was won by Debbie Leopold from Nada and Reserve by Bradley Wunderlich of Burton. Blue ribbon winners were Brandy Tuck from Columbus; Denise Otto and Megan Schwenke from Schulenburg and Casey Kasper of Weimar.

Grand Champion in the Youth Miscellaneous Division went to Casey Kasper of Weimar. Reserve Champ went to Chrissy Leopold of Nada. Blue ribbon winners were Shaun Neumann of Round Top; and Paul Otto of Schulenburg.

Ashley Schwenke from Schulenburg won Grand Champion honors in the Youth Cake Division and Dustin Machiolek of Schulenburg won Reserve honors.

(Note: These results, received in early Dec., were held in order to run with the promised pictures which have not been made available.)

Red ribbon winners were Aline Mendel from Schulenburg; Sylvia Addicks, Mae Kainer, Alice Rahiwes and Rita Addicks of Weimar.

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Market Report for Jan. 12, 1995 Cattle on hand: 2176; sheep and goats, 10; horses, 4; Packer Cows: higher dressing utility and culler cows, 40-45¢ per lb.; lower dressing utility and culler cows, 37-40¢; light weight canner cows, 32-37¢.

Packer Bulls: heavy weight bulls, 50-56¢ per lb.; utility and culler bulls, 45-50¢; light weight canner bulls, 40-45¢.

Stocker/Feeder Calves/Yearlings Steers #1: 100-200 lbs., 90¢-1.40; 200-300 lbs., \$1.10-1.19; 300-400 lbs., 95¢-1.08; 400-500 lbs., 93-98¢; 500-600 lbs., 85-89¢; 600-700 lbs., 73-77¢.

Steers #2: 100-200 lbs., 69-90¢; 200-300 lbs., 80-96¢; 300-400 lbs., 79-93¢; 400-500 lbs., 65-93¢; 500-600 lbs., 70-75¢; 600-700 lbs., 65-73¢.

Heifers #1: 100-200 lbs., 95¢-1.28; 200-300 lbs., \$1.12-1.22; 300-400 lbs., 85-91¢; 400-500 lbs., 79-84¢; 500-600 lbs., 72-75¢; 600-700 lbs., 68-74¢.

Heifers #2: 100-200 lbs., 75-95¢; 200-300 lbs., 65-90¢; 300-400 lbs., 65-86¢; 400-500 lbs., 63-79¢; 500-600 lbs., 68-72¢; 600-700 lbs., 65-68¢.

Stocker Cows: good stocker cows & heifers, 50-60¢/lb.; medium stocker cows & heifers, 45-50¢/lb.; good cow & calf pairs, \$800-\$900 pr.; medium cow & calf pairs, \$700-\$800 pr.; common cow & calf pairs, \$600-\$700 pr. Have a nice day, say...

George, Art, Roy, Ken, Max and Charley

Residents

Continued from Page 3 using "voo-doo".

Dancy also told authorities the people were putting something in his food that was making him sick every time he ate and spraying something on the door of his car and house. He allegedly told authorities that someone was out to kill him and he was just protecting himself.

Knight was interviewed at the Eagle Lake hospital by Deputy J.R. Knighten, Sheriff Bill Essertling and Game Warden Bruce Fike also assisted in the investigation which is still open.

Knight is the husband of Eagle Lake Middle School teacher Gwen Knight.

Results and pictures from... 1995 Rice FFA Show & Sale



Grand Champion Heifer

Bringing in top honors in the heifer division was Chad Fucik. His grand champion heifer was purchased by the First National Bank of Eagle Lake and Farm & Ranch Aerial Service. Pictured from left are Ronnie Sedgwick, representing the bank, and Gene, Heather and Debbie Shanks of Farm & Ranch Aerial.



Grand Champion Hog

Todd Mathews' grand champion hog was purchased by Reuben A. Ludwig, at left, of Beasley.



Grand Champion Lamb

Misty Smdovec's lamb was chosen the best this year and purchased by Eddie and Virginia Balusek of Garwood.



Reserve Champion Steer

Stephanie Thompson's reserve champion steer was sold to Lehrer Interests, represented by Billy Ray Krensek. Stephanie also was chosen top showman in her division.



Reserve Champion Lamb

Chosen reserve champion was the lamb exhibited by Donnie Obenhaus. His entry was purchased by Mable J. Beard of Garwood.

Place	Exhibitor	Weight	Per Lb.	Buyer(s)
Grand Champion	Shari Grahamann	1006	\$2.50	Dupre Lease
Reserve Champion	Stephanie Thompson*	991	2.20	Lehrer Interests
1st Place, Heavy Wt.	Justin Rodgers	1147	1.35	United Buyers
2nd Place, Heavy Wt.	Clint Krensek	1166	1.95	W.N. Lehrer
2nd Place, Middle Wt.	Brent Schneider	1004	1.80	Garrett Farms, Texas Seed
3rd Place, Light Wt.	Brian Rees	996	1.25	United Buyers
3rd Place, Middle Wt.	Kyle Korynek	1004	1.75	Farmers Coop, Rice Belt Warehouse
3rd Place, Light Wt.	Cody Cerny	783	2.05	Hungerford Grain Company
4th Place, Middle Wt.	Doug Wied	1020	1.90	Lehrer Interests
Ineligible	Heath Mahalic	1210	1.20	United Buyers
Ineligible	Neal Mahalic	1104	1.34	Leopold Bros. Feed & Seed, American Rice Growers

Place	Exhibitor	Weight	Per Lb.	Buyer(s)
Grand Champion	Todd Mathews	253	\$4.00	R. A. Ludwig
Reserve Champion	Clinton McMillan	205	3.65	ANF Air Service (Mike & Denise Thompson)
3rd Place	Del Finka	260	2.55	First National Bank of Eagle Lake, Farm & Ranch Aerial Service
4th Place	James Eaton	213	2.65	Eagle Lake Rice Dyer
5th Place	Audrey Carter*	238	2.65	Lehrer Interests
6th Place	Nicole Owens	237	3.25	Brookshire Brothers, Columbus
7th Place	Norris Carv	145	3.64	People's State Bank, Hallettsville
Ineligible	Franklin Coxwell	215	2.34	Bill Boyd and James Roy
Ineligible	Clyde Morales	217	2.34	Lake Motors, Inc., Eagle Lake

Place	Exhibitor	Weight	Per Head	Buyer(s)
Grand Champion	Chad Fucik	780	\$1,350.00	First National Bank of Eagle Lake, Farm & Ranch Aerial Service (Debbie & Gene Shanks, Jr.)
Reserve Champion	Michelle Spanhel	1012	1,349.00	L.V. Duncan Ranch
Ineligible	Shawn Meyer	628	900.00	Larry's Super Serv (Larry & Diane Smdovec)

Place	Exhibitor	Weight	Per Lb.	Buyer(s)
Grand Champion	Misty Smdovec	103	\$6.00	Eddie & Virginia Balusek
Reserve Champion	Donny Obenhaus	124	5.99	Mable J. Beard
3rd Place	Amy Obenhaus	106	5.98	Bonus Lease Service
4th Place	Jenny Hajovsky	104	4.80	Columbus State Bank and United Buyers
5th Place	Michelle Schmidt	84	5.98	Central Power & Light
6th Place	Frances Mkrwa*	95	5.25	Eagle Concrete Products, Inc.
7th Place	Amy Castleman	112	4.75	David R. Wintermann

*First Place Showmanship



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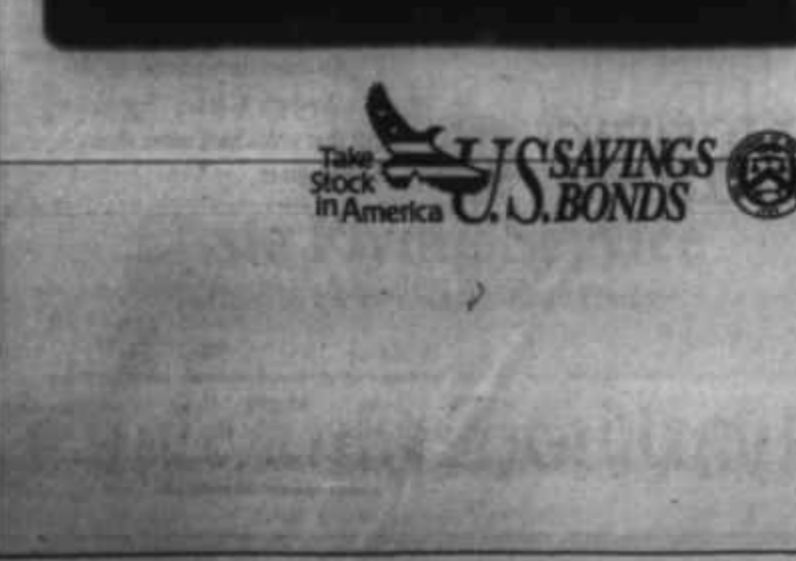
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