

### This Week's Action!

Thursday, Jan 18 ELMS boys basketball at La Grange, 5 p.m.  
 Friday, Jan 19 ELMS girls basketball at La Grange, here, 5 p.m.  
 Saturday, Jan 20 Lady Raiders basketball at Columbus\*, 5 p.m.  
 Sunday, Jan 21 Lady Raiders basketball at Seely\*, 5 p.m.  
 \*District competition

## Edna slips past Rice varsity

The Edna Cowboys slipped past the Raiders Varsity boys by the score of 45-41 on Friday, Jan. 12.

Coach Sonny Barnes stated, "This game was not one of our best shooting games. The team was 14 of 57, 24% shooting. They only had five assists by all team members, which means not enough people are trying to help each other score. No excuses, this game was important. We are 2-2 in district and have a "tuff row to hoe" on the road for two games with Hallettsville and Columbus."

One of the positive situations was that the team had 13 steals. The Raiders missed three or four inside shots in the last three minutes that would have turned the game in their favor.

Scoring were Brandon Mathis with 16 points; Byron Clark, seven; Josh Godley and Lance Spears five each; and James Eaton, four.

Leading rebounders were Eaton, Spears and Clint Gertson with five each; Mathis, four; and Black, three. The overall record for the Raiders is 2-2 in district, 12-10 season.

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# SPORTS

## JV boys de-spot La Grange

The JV. Raider boys were victorious over the La Grange Leopards on Tuesday, Jan. 9, as the Leopards came up on the short end of the score, losing 43-37.

This was the first district victory for the JV in the 1995-96 season.

Scoring for the Raiders were Lance Grigar with 14 points and Brian Ford and Demon Diggs each scored seven.

Leading rebounders were Jeremy Gohlke and Shaun Johnson.

On Friday, Jan. 12, the Raider JV boys lost to the Edna Cowboys by the score of 41-35.

The coach stated, "We played very well until the fourth quarter at which point, we just couldn't score any further. It was as if there was a lid on the game."

## 8th grade drops two to start the new year

The Rice Raider 8th grade boys basketball team began the new year by traveling to Bellville.

The Raiders were a bit rusty coming back from a two-week holiday as nothing they shot seemed to want to go in.

They clawed and fought the entire game before falling 56-17.

Leading the way for the Raiders on offense were Lonnie Sims with nine points; Bill Shree, three; and D.J. Sosa two.

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## 7th grade A, B Raiders drop two games each

The 7th grade A team lost to the Bellville Brahmas on Thursday, Jan. 4, by the score of 29-22.

Scoring for the Raiders were Danny Beirago with 10 points; Gus Seaholm, eight (including two 3-pointers); Adam Baird, three (a 3-pointer); and Anthony Salinas, one point.

On Tuesday, Jan. 9, the 7th grade A team lost to the Royal Falcons by the score of 53-28.

The team showed great poise when they trailed 13 to 1 at the end of the first period.

By fighting back, they took a 14-13 lead at halftime. Excellent defense keyed this performance.

Scoring were Salinas with 15; Buttrago, four; Mark Contreras, three; Seaholm, Baird and Kurt Coldeway.

## County Attorney releases Dec. figures

County Attorney John Julian Moore reported a busy month of Dec. in Colorado County Criminal Court. Court was held on three dates, with arraignments on Dec. 5 and 12; and a jury being called on Dec. 19.

A total of 77 defendants were summoned to court to answer the charges against them during the month.

Sixty-nine individuals appeared for court, and of these, 21 cases were disposed of by pleas of guilty or with trials. Capias for the arrest of 13 individuals, who failed to honor their summons, were requested.

In all, 15 persons were placed on probation and total fines of \$14,050 were assessed by the court as a result of plea bargains arranged between the County Attorney's office and defendants.

In addition, 30 days in jail were ordered as a condition of probation for each of two defendants who pled to charges that they had been guilty of driving while intoxicated twice.

Assistant County Attorney Joe C. Fling, who does most of the filings of criminal cases with the County Clerk, reported a total of 66 new misdemeanors, nor cases were filed during Dec. These filings represent a new monthly high for the office. In the last two months,

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## Melatonin Back in the News

Articles describing the potential benefits of melatonin continue to appear in magazines and newspapers. Newer articles refer to possible uses for melatonin which include protection against cancer, boosting the body's immune system, preventing cataracts, and extending the length of life. Some are calling it the "melatonin miracle," suggesting that melatonin may be able to reset the body's aging clock.

Melatonin is a hormone produced in the brain. It is secreted during hours of darkness and seems to affect daily biological rhythms. Studies indicate that a synthetic version of the compound may help persons with jet lag. One report indicates that the hormone is most effective if taken for a week, starting three days before flight. Claims for other uses of melatonin are based primarily on animal studies and should not be applied to humans at this time.

Since melatonin is not regulated as a drug (can be purchased in health food stores), there is concern about heavy use until we know more about it. For example, we need to know the proper dose in different age groups, as well as expected side effects from long-term use. Hopefully, new studies in humans will provide answers to these and other questions.

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## Legal/Public Notices

**BID NOTICE**  
 The Rice Consolidated I.S.D. is selling by sealed bids several lots of used school bus tires. The bids for the used bus tires must be received by Fred F. Grahmann, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, Rice CISD, Drawer 338, Altair, Texas 77412, by 10:00 A.M., Thursday, February 8, 1996. The tires may be inspected at the Rice CISD Bus Garage on the Rice High School Campus at Altair, Texas, on any weekday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The bids will not be broken and you may bid on any or all lots. The successful bidder of each lot must be prepared to pick up the tires immediately upon being notified. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject or accept any bid they deem most advantageous to the Rice CISD. The bids will be considered at the regular meeting of the Board of Education to be held on Monday, February 12, 1996.

## Miscellaneous

**Chimneys Cleaned**  
 Call Robert's Chimney Sweep Service 409-648-2351 after 6 p.m.

**Alcoholics Anonymous**  
 meeting Monday 8 p.m. Eagle Lake Community Hospital.

**Parts clerk; male or female. Good benefits. Apply at Eagle Tractor, 908 E Main, Eagle Lake, 234-2516.**

**Advertising deadline: 5 p.m. Monday.**

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## Equal Opportunity Employer

Colorado County will be accepting applications for a full time Deputy Clerk in the County Clerk's Office. Applications will be available at the office of Darlene Hayek, County Clerk, Colorado County Courthouse, Columbus, Texas, and will be accepted through February 1, 1996.

## Equal Opportunity Employer

HELP WANTED: Colorado County Health Nurse is accepting applications for a part-time Medical Clerk/Aide. Applications to be obtained at the County Judge's Office, 400 Spring Street, Columbus. Deadline: January 26, 1996.

**Opening for Technical Assistant. Minimum requirement of a High School Degree (or G.E.D.) plus related training and/or experience. Apply at Texas A&M Research, FM 102 North, Eagle Lake, Texas 77434; 409-234-3578.**

## Farm Equipment

**SALE**  
 Saturday, Jan. 20 9 a.m.; Port City Stockyards, Seely, Texas  
 Selling approximately 50 Tractors and 500 Implements  
 Including: tractors, trailers, automobiles, boats, travel trailers, discs, row crop implements, hay equipment, balers, rakes, etc. Livestock equipment, shop equipment, and miscellaneous items too numerous to mention.

## Garage Sales

311 Scott: garage sale Thursday & Friday, Jan. 18 & 19; 8 to 4. Weather permitting.

**Huge sale: off Cat Spring Road, red building; Jan. 18 & 19. Dressers, trunk, rocker, lots more of everything.**

## Articles for Sale

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 Nice weekend home on Lake Sheridan. 15 Acres; Ramsey.  
 2-Story Home: 3BR, 2BA on 115x150 lot with shop and 1 bedroom apartment; on Cat Spring Road. Owner desires quick sale!

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