

## Eagle Lake Butcher Co.

—RETAILERS OF—  
Beef, Pork, Veal, Hams, Bacon and  
Corn Beef

Hot Barbecue and Sausage. Fish and Oysters in Season.

Have Steormar make chops of that ear corn.

We sell Laces and Embroideries. RACKET STORE.

Mr. Robt. Able of Garwood is visiting in the city Monday.

Sheriff W. E. Hodge of Columbus is in the city on business Wednesday.

Mrs. N. K. York left Wednesday for a several week's visit to relatives in Weimar.

Mr. Chas. F. Rayner of New York is visiting the family of his brother, Mr. H. W. Rayner at Lakeside.

Mr. Ben Callison has returned home from Schötenburg where he has been relief operator for the past several weeks.

Mr. Herbert D. Hurd, manager of the Fidelity Immigration Company, was a business visitor to Columbus Thursday.

We are selling out 2000 yards English Trench Laces, 1 to 2 inches wide, at 24c. per yard, great value.

RACKET STORE.

We learn that the mercantile firm of J. W. Gates of Weimar is packing its goods with the intention of removing to Valera, Coleman county, to engage in business.

Mr. R. T. Westmoreland and family have moved to Eagle Lake from Egypt and are occupying the Rader place on State Street. We are glad indeed to have this good family back with us again.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sager returned Thursday evening from Columbus where they had been as witnesses in the case of Mrs. Bell vs. the Santa Fe railway company, which has been on trial in the district court at Columbus all week.

The Bell case has been on trial in the district court at Columbus all week and has attracted a large number of witnesses from here. This is the case of Mrs. Bell who is suing the Santa Fe Railway company in the sum of \$25,000, for the death of her husband who was run down and killed here by a Santa Fe train last fall. Mr. Bell was a printer and was employed at the Advertiser office at the time of his death. The case is expected to go to the jury today.

Mr. Henry Carey of Weimar has purchased the Parkhurst barber shop from Mr. Parkhurst and assumed charge of the business Thursday. Mr. Parkhurst will leave for Temple, and his wife and children will return to Michigan where they will spend the winter. Mr. Parkhurst is not yet fully decided as to his future plans, and he says it is likely that he and his family will return to Eagle Lake in the spring and that he will engage in growing rice next season. Mr. Parkhurst is a good citizen and we regret very much to see him leave. Mr. and Mrs. Parkhurst and their interesting children, Joe and little Marian, will be greatly missed by all who know them.

Get a set of brains, 10c. at the Eagle Lake Butcher Co.

School books are cash at CALVERT'S DRUG STORE.

Have the HEADLIGHT sent regularly to your friends or relatives who are away at school.

Having had this week received a carload of Buggies, Hicks, Supers, Run-a-bugs, etc. Get his prices before you buy.

Bro. Morgan will preach at the Methodist Church, Sunday, both morning and night. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

There will be services at the Episcopal church on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by the Rector, Mr. Wm. Hart. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. H. H. H.*

A protracted meeting will be begun at the Baptist church in this city on the second Sunday. The services will be conducted by Bro. Clapp of Wharton, who is a line preacher and we trust that much good will be the result of his meeting in Eagle Lake.

Mr. Joe Clapp and Miss Florie Adams were married at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hilderbrand, near Ramsey's Point, Judge Everett of Alleton officiating. The bride and groom both have a great many warm friends in Eagle Lake who join the HEADLIGHT in extending congratulations.

The Christian Aid Society met Wednesday with Mrs. Hurd, sixteen being present. As an announcement has been made by both Baptist and Episcopal societies of their intention to have bazaars in November and December, the Christian society has abandoned that idea and will, instead, serve dinner and oysters on election day, November 3rd. Oranges, apples and grapes tastefully arranged, were served at close of the meeting. Mrs. Besie Dunbar will be the hostess next Wednesday.

The attention of our readers is called to the official statement of the First National Bank of Eagle Lake which appears in this issue of the HEADLIGHT today, which shows that institution to be in excellent shape. The bank is composed of home capital, and is managed by polite and courteous people—people who have the best interests of the town and community at heart, people who will show you every courtesy and favor consistent with sound banking. The First National is one of the strongest and most conservative banks in this section, and Cashier Fox Stephens is one of the most popular business men in the city. Mr. J. W. Hertford, national bank examiner, who was here a few days since examining the affairs of the institution, spoke in the highest terms of the bank's most excellent condition.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cheatham of Rock Island were visitors in the city Wednesday.

We sell Slates, Pencils, Tablets, Ink—anything the children need at school—cheaper than others. RACKET STORE.

Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel of Houston are the proud parents of a new daughter. Mrs. McDaniel was Miss Annie Winfree of this city.

Mr. Robert Walker returned Wednesday night from Nashville, Tennessee, where he went to accompany Miss Myra Walker, who is attending Ward's Seminary at that place.

Mr. E. L. Mooney is contemplating the purchase of a handsome two-story residence. He expects to move his present residence to a nearby lot, retaining same for a rent house, and will build the new home on the lot where his present house is located.

VINEYARD, WALKER & CO. CREDITORS TO MEET HERE OCT. 12

Seven Propositions to Come Up at the Eagle Lake Meeting.

A meeting of the creditors of Vineyard, Walker & Co. will be held in this city before Judge Henry L. Borden, referee in bankruptcy, on October 12, at 2 p. m., to consider the following matters:

1. To settle the controversy between the trustees and the receiver of Woods National Bank of San Antonio in accordance with a recent court order.

2. To settle the bonds of the Kings Lake Rice Irrigation company, held by the First National bank of Houston and the American Exchange National bank of Dallas.

3. To settle the controversy between the trustees and the First National bank of Eagle Lake, in accordance with application of trustees on file.

4. To settle the debt of R. B. White, a debtor to Vineyard, Walker & Co. in accordance with petition of trustees.

5. To sell the interest of A. M. Wain in 903.50 acres of land in Wharton county, as shown in his schedule at the price and terms set out in application of trustees, purchaser to assume lien thereon.

6. To consider the offer of settlement of Gray, a debtor to the estate made to the trustees.

7. To consider any and all other matters and transact such other business that may properly come before the meeting.

16th National Irrigation Congress

Albuquerque, N. M.

September 29 to October 10

Extremely low fares

via

Santa Fe

Tickets will be on sale daily September 25 to October 3, Inc. limited to return October 31, 1908. Stopovers allowed in New Mexico on return trip.

Our very interesting illustrated folder on this subject is yours for the asking.

Harvey Meats EnRoute

W. S. KEENAN, G. P. A., GALVESTON

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We carry a full and complete assortment of everything in the lumber or building line and can fill your orders on short notice. It will be to your interest to see us before you place your order for anything in the building line.

## Brown, Carothers & Brown,

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.

Will Practice in All Courts, Both State and Federal.

## Real Estate For Sale.

Office over J. Nathan & Son's Store, Eagle Lake, Texas.

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## P. P. PUTNEY,

Lawyer.

AND NOTARY PUBLIC.

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J. R. THATCHER, Proprietor.

Dray and Transfer Line in Connection

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IF YOU WANT THE BEST, TRY US. WE CUT IT ANY WAY YOU WANT IT AND GUARANTEE SATISFACTION. If we please you tell others, IF NOT TELL US.

WALKER BROTHERS

## NEW MEAT MARKET.

## First National Bank

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

at Eagle Lake, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, Sept. 23, 1908.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$54,400.00

Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 11,029.91

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 10,000.00

Premiums on U. S. Bonds 400.00

Banking house, furniture and fixtures 14,915.67

Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 5,023.34

Due from State Banks and Bankers 4,663.52

Due from approved reserve agents 17,215.36

Checks and other cash items 14.50

Notes of other National Banks 2,870.00

Fractional paper currency, notes and coins 175.13

LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE

IN BANK VIZ: 8,265.60

Legal tender notes 9,385.60

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) 599.00

TOTAL \$131,032.12

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in 40,000.00

Surplus fund 200.00

Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 897.08

National Bank notes outstanding 10,000.00

Due to State Banks and Bankers 1,381.39

Due to approved reserve agents 37.00

Individual deposits subject to check 57,964.54

Demanded certificate of deposit 4,940.79

Certified checks 248.32

Notes and bills rediscounted 15,000.00

TOTAL \$131,032.12

STATE OF TEXAS, ss: COUNTY OF COLORADO, ss:

I, Fox Stephens, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FOX STEPHENS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Sept., 1908.

W. F. H. WICKHAM, Notary Public.

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It Is Worth Your Time To Stop At

## BURGER BROS.

and look at the half-car load of STONEWARE which has just arrived. ALL KINDS and ALL SIZES at the lowest prices.

Milk pans, 1-2 gals; jars and covers, 1-10 gals; water jars and covers, 4 gals; nickel faucets; churns and covers, 1-4 gals; dashers, shoulder jars; syrup jugs, 1-2 and 2 gals; flower pots and saucers, 3-10 gals., and many other things.

DUCKS ARE HERE.

Let us sell you your shot gun shells.

The ladies of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church held a reception in honor of Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Dean on Tuesday afternoon, September 29th, at the home of Mrs. Dean. The house was very handsomely decorated with ferns and cut flowers.

There were fifteen members present, and three visitors. Mrs. Guynn, Mrs. Rader and Mrs. McDonald. The members were Mesdames Jenkins, Loft, Toliver, Waddell, Stoermer, Faber, Beak, es, Fordyce, Douglass, Yates, Peterson, Cross, Westmoreland, Quinn and Dean. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Peterson, after which business was transacted. Dainty refreshments were served, after which Mrs. Peterson recited two very beautiful selections, entitled, "The Price of a Drink" (by request) and "The Guardian Angel," which were very much appreciated by all present. It was an ideal day and everybody was happy. The only feature to mar the occasion was the thought that two such earnest workers were to be lost from the circle, and the earnest wish of the members is God's blessing will go and abide with them, while those who remain may be faithful and loyal to their duty and so carry on the blessed work of the Master. Contributed.

NOTTAWA NOTES

Miss Mary Schraft has returned to Newark, New Jersey, after spending several months with her brother and family near here. Her nephew, Harold Schraft, accompanied her home and will attend school there.

Mr. Williams and family of East Bernard were calling on friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyden and Miss Lizzie Arnett are attending the San Antonio Fair this week.

Mesdames Reed and Comp were shopping in Eagle Lake Tuesday.

Messrs. E. A. and C. A. Eirus were business visitors in Eagle Lake Monday. (Judging from all appearances C. A.'s "business" here was of a very pleasant nature.—Ed.)

Mr. Hanley of Eagle Lake was here Wednesday.

Mrs. German has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. Brown and sister, Mrs. Kelley of Blackwell, Oklahoma, for the past two weeks. They returned home Friday.

Dr. Way of Kansas, spent several days here last week with his brother.

Mrs. Robt Schraft went to Eagle Lake Tuesday.

Miss Clara Causey went to San Antonio Tuesday to visit relatives.

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To the Headlight.

I want to call attention through the HEADLIGHT to a matter in which every householder and business man is vitally interested. We have a Fire Company composed of the best and most public spirited young men in town. These men have not only contributed their time, but have taxed themselves in money in order to protect themselves to protect their property, but we should not conclude that there is enough in this work to keep their enthusiasm up to the point of efficiency unless they are encouraged by those whom they are trying to protect. Many of these men are no other interest in this than the public good. Fighting fire is both difficult and dangerous. It is asking too much of them to throw their own resources and expect them to do it faithfully done. We should assist them in protecting their property from fire as it is to protect their property from other destructive agencies. Fire insurance is right, but it never covers a loss, so let us take advantage of the Fire Company also, as they are really reducing our insurance losses. What is desired of us is this—that each business property owner and each householder in the place make a contribution for this best cause. At the same time it would not come amiss not be unappreciated if those who own private property would, at least once a year express their thanks in this, the most effectual way. Please read this over again. F. O. NORTON.

LISSIE NEWS NOTES.

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Mr. Clyde Arnold, who has appointment near Louise, Sun day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ashley went to San Antonio Saturday night. Mrs. Ashley entered some of her handpainted china for exhibition during the fair.

Rev. Causey filled his monthly

Owing to the crowded condition of the HEADLIGHT'S columns this week a lengthy article concerning the firemen's meeting and re-organization of the fire company is necessarily omitted after being put in type. Same will be printed next week.

## School Books

We have arranged to carry the complete list of adopted school books for public schools.

Exchange of books used in the schools last session for books of same grade and kind will be allowed on payment of exchange price, which is about one-half the regular price. Books for exchange must be in perfect condition as this is very important. Parents will please examine all books sent in for exchange to see that there are no torn or defaced pages and covers are in condition.

We will not allow any books to leave the store until paid for. Cash must come with order.

## Calvert's Drug Store

## KEEP YOUR MONEY AT HOME

## First National Bank

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The only bank in Eagle Lake owned and managed by home people.

Every dollar earned by it helps to build up your own town.

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