

The Headlight.

ESTABLISHED IN MARCH, 1903
AND PUBLISHED CONTINUOUSLY UNDER ONE
MANAGEMENT.

BRUCE W. McCARTY
Editor and Proprietor.

Official Organ City of Eagle Lake.

Eagle Lake Advertiser (established
in 1903) absorbed March 9th, 1908.

OFFICE: Up stairs, McCarty Building.

TELEPHONE NO. 88.

Published at Eagle Lake, Colorado
County, Tex. every Saturday morning
except on public holidays.
Lake, Tex. as second class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
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SIX MONTHS 1.00
THREE MONTHS50

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ADVERTISING RATES REASONABLE.
And will be made known upon application.

Local advertising five cents per
line each insertion.

SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1913.

With this issue the HEADLIGHT closes the eighth year of its existence and next week the paper will enter upon its ninth year. In March, 1903, this paper was established by its present owner, and has been published continuously under the same management. It being the custom to omit an issue at Christmas time each year, the closing of the volume falls a few weeks later than it otherwise would. Our journalistic career has not been wholly without its thorns. There have been many ups and downs since we entered the newspaper business in this city eight years ago, and there have been times when the newspaper business seemed anything but promising, as many have been the months that the paper was kept up to its usual standard, but with financial loss to the management. But through rough waters and smooth sailing, and today, we are pleased to state, the paper is enjoying a fairly lucrative business. We expect to improve the plant and the paper as fast as business will permit. One thing that has always been the policy of the management is to pay its employees good salaries, and in this connection we will say we employ none but good printers, thereby insuring our patrons the best in job printing and newspaper service. We could save money for the office by employing cheaper printers but our patrons could not get the up-to-date service that we are giving them now. Our present foreman and job man has been with the HEADLIGHT seven years. Before another year rolls around we expect to install a folding machine and a type setting machine. It is the intention of the HEADLIGHT to keep abreast with the times, and continue to give Eagle Lake an up-to-date local paper. The class of job printing this office is turning out is equal to that of any city office, and cannot be compared with the class of work usually executed in a printing office of this size town. We sincerely thank every patron for the business extended us in the past, and hope to be favored with a continuation of this valued patronage. It shall ever be our effort to keep the HEADLIGHT up to a high standard as a local newspaper, for we believe a good, live local newspaper, filled with home advertising and home news, is a fine advertisement for the town in which it is published and a poorly gotten-up and poorly managed paper is a poor advertisement.

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