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Court News

In the matter of the petition
of C. M. Riba et al. for the appoint-
ment of a jury of view to lay out
and mark a second class public

road, beginning at the North end
of Main street in the town of
Rock Island thence North and to
intersect the public road running
East and West on the division
line between the Sandmeyer and
Brach ranches; the following jury
of view was appointed, viz—Jake
Small, D. B. Hayner, W. K. Wall,
L. Masters and Jim Maza.

In the matter of the petition
of W. D. Williams, et al. for the ap-
pointment of a jury of view to
lay out and mark a first class
public road beginning at the N.
W. corner of Sec. 11, W. C. R. R.
Co. survey; thence according to
field notes and to intersect the
public road from Garwood to Pin
Oak creek, the following jury of
view was appointed, viz—F. C.
Koons, Tom Hall, Alfred Winzen-
ried, Ed. R. Franks and G. M.
Jackson.

In the matter of the petition
of L. A. MacLachlan, et al. for the
appointment of a jury of view to
lay out and mark a second class
public road, beginning at the
Valigura public road at S. W.
corner of Sec. 5, S. A. & M. G.
R. R. Co. survey and to intersect
the Rock Island and Nada public
road, the following jury of view
was appointed, viz—B. S. Field,
Ed. R. Franks, F. W. Goodell, W.
H. Shaw and J. J. Pinchback.

Report of jury of view in the
matter of the petition of L. C.
Estlinbaum et al. to change the
Willow School third class public
road to that of a second class
public road was adopted.

In the matter of the petition
of W. T. Scott, et al. for the ap-
pointment of a jury of view to lay
out and mark a public road from
the old town of Sheridan to a
point about four miles North of
the town of Sheridan, the follow-
ing jury of view was appointed,
viz—J. W. Scott, W. L. Mayes,

V. W. Plummer, A. M. Wooliver
and M. J. Sevier.

In the matter of the petition
of Geo. J. Miller, et al. to change a
part of road No. 111 from a third
class to that of a third class pub-
lic road, the following jury of
view was appointed to lay out
said change, viz—G. J. Miller, J.
H. Berthold, W. A. Rogers, R.
Hammel and Geo. Hoyo.

In the matter of the petition
of J. W. Mriwa, et al. for the ap-
pointment of a jury of view to lay
out a change in the Columbus,
Fayetteville via L. Brunes' second
class public road, the following
jury of view was appointed, viz—
Dick Meyer, Fred Richter, Wm.
Pasch, Frank Elisk and Otto
Werland.

In the matter of the petition
of J. W. Mriwa, et al. for the ap-
pointment of a jury of view to lay
out a change in the Dungen Mill
second class public road, the fol-
lowing jury of view was appoint-
ed, viz—Chas. Pasch, Henry
Buxkemper and Ben Chovancec.

The report of the jury of view
in the matter of the petition of
Sanford Turner, et al. for the es-
tablishment of a public road, was
adopted.

In the matter of the petition
of a large number of citizens from
the town of Garwood, praying for
the appointment of a Fire Mar-
shal for that city, W. H. Shaw
was appointed to said position.

The quarterly report of County
Clerk John Hastedt of the condi-
tion of the finance ledger was ex-
amined and approved.

The quarterly report of County
Treasurer E. C. Burttschell made
by him as such officer of the
county funds received and dis-
bursed by him during the quar-
ter ending November 18th, 1911,
was examined, found correct and
approved.

The quarterly report of Dr. C.
A. Williamson, County Health
Officer, was examined and ap-
proved.

In the matter of the petition
of J. J. Walligura, et al. for the ap-
pointment of a jury of view to dis-
continue a part of the Jones store
and Colorado river third class
public road, the following jury of
view was appointed, viz—L. C.
Beckmeyer, Jno. B. Braden, Phil-
lip Krause, Geo. Stallmann and
Gregor Reitz.

Upon application of O. A. Zum-
walt, E. A. Hutchins and C. E.
Sronce for a franchise to erect a
dam across the Colorado river at
point to be selected by them to-
gether with the right to install
headgate leading into a canal to
be constructed from such head-
gate along and over certain lots
and blocks in the City of Colum-
bus, and to maintain a power
house or generating plant at a
point on said canal and to erect
poles, string wires and construct
other essential equipment over
the streets and alleys of the said
City of Columbus and over the
public highways of Colorado
county; for the purpose of gener-
ating light, power and supplying

Christmas Goods

ARRIVING

We are now receiving daily large
shipments of CHRISTMAS GOODS.
Call and see our line before you buy
anything for the holidays. We are
expecting a shipment of fine candy
now in a few days.

The Racket Store

Drescher Bros. Props.

water, etc; which franchise was
granted by the court.

Tax Collector W. H. Fehren-
kamp presented his quarterly re-
port made by him as such officer
of county taxes collected by him
during the quarter ending Novem-
ber, 1st, 1911, which report being
checked by the court, and found
to be correct, the same was
approved and ordered re-
corded.

It was ordered that the sum of
\$150.00 be transferred from Road
Fund No. 5 to Road Fund No. 2.

It was ordered that the sum of
\$1000.00 be transferred from the
R. & B. Fund to the Commis-
sioners Road Funds No. 1, 2, 3, and
4, the same to be appropriated to
said Commissioners Funds in the
sum of \$250.00 each.

The boundaries of Common
School District No. 40, was ex-
tended as prayed for by a large
number of the qualified taxpay-
ing voters residing within the ex-
tended limits of said District.

The Commissioners' Court at
its called session on November,
27th, 1911 took under considera-
tion, the question of renewing
the insurance upon the court
house, for a period of five years;
whereupon the following agents
made application, to-wit: The
Eagle Lake Insurance Agency,
Putney and Wilson, Simpson and
Shaw, Hoekepayer and Hastedt,
J. O. Boettcher and H. Brasher,
and after due consideration it
was decided to renew the insur-
ance on the building for \$30,000.
00, and to take additional insur-
ance on the record books, furni-
ture and fixtures to the amount
of \$7500.00, and that the same be
divided equally between the six
agencies making application, all
the policies to be taken out for a
period of five years.

It was ordered that County
Judge J. J. Mansfield be granted
a leave of absence from the coun-
ty of ten days, to attend the
Masonic Grand Lodge.

We wish to call your attention to the
fact that most infectious diseases such
as whooping cough, diphtheria and
scarlet fever are contracted when the
child has a cold. Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy will quickly cure a cold and
greatly lessen the danger of contract-
ing these diseases. This remedy is
famous for its cures of colds. It con-
tains no opium or other narcotic and
may be given to a child with implicit
confidence. Sold by all dealers.



The Quality of Distinction
is sometimes natural to the in-
dividual; more often it is con-
ferred by the perfection of style and
cut of his garments. This is es-
pecially true of clothing made by
Geo. Redford. Clothing that is
made to measure is the only
kind that can claim to be distinc-
tive, because no two suits are
exactly alike, but each is made to
show the wearer at his best.

Geo. Redford, Merchant Tailor.

CITY MARKET To Tempt The Appetite



and nourish the system our
meats can not be excelled. Our
meats are procured from pack-
ers who have a reputation for
furnishing prime meats. The
tenderness, freshness and deli-
cious flavor of each piece pur-
chased here is bound to prove
highly satisfactory.

W. B. Welhausen



Happy The Housewife
who has her kitchen range al-
ways in good working order; al-
ways producing the right heat
for baking, broiling or roasting;
always feeding the boiler with
plenty of hot water. The sure
way to keep your range in per-
fect condition is to call in our
services. We understand all
kinds of ranges and range repair-
ing. Good, prompt work and
modest charges.

EAGLE LAKE TIN COMPANY.



A Safe Landing
is always assured when you have
stored away a fire policy in any
one of the several companies we
represent. There is no reason
in a hundred who don't believe
in insurance—the only question
is: **Is your property insured
now?** If not, why not see us?
We are able to take good care of
your property interests.

Eagle Lake Insurance Agency.

O. R. Davis, Funeral Direc- tor and Embalmer.

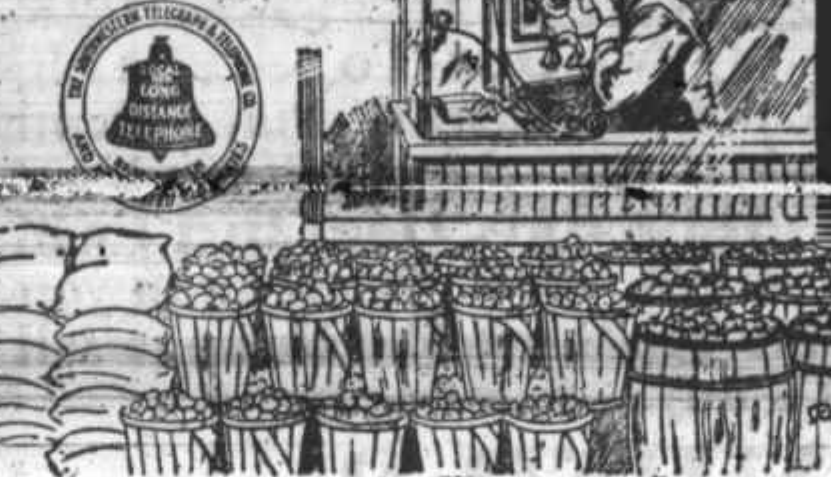
EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS
Day Phone 88 Night and Sunday Phone 143

"What's the Price of Potatoes?"

Or corn, or cotton, or wheat? Rural South-
western Telephone Service keeps the up-to-
date farmer in touch with every market, and
enables him to sell at best prices—it brings
the comfort of close association with neigh-
bors, and the profit and safety of immediate
communication with town or city. You
may build your own line and operate your
equipment.

Write for booklet today

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Ten Pages Today

FIRE ON TUESDAY NIGHT

The fire alarm was given about
10 o'clock Tuesday night. The
night was fearfully cold, but the
fire company responded prompt-
ly, going to the home of Mr. L.
L. Morrison in Highland Park
addition. The fire had started
from the heat on the concrete
hearth, starting fire under the
floor. After the cement had been
picked out by the firemen, the
fire was soon extinguished with
but very little damage done to
the property.

COMPLIMENTS MR. LAAS

Comptroller Lane pays Asses-
sor Henry J. Laas a decided
compliment. He acknowledged
receipt of the tax rolls for 1911.
He adds in his own handwriting
at the bottom of the typewritten
letter, the following:

"Your rolls are neat, accurate,
in good form and have been ap-
proved. They also show a nice
gain over last year."—Colorado
Citizen.

Eddie Mrazek of the Garwood
Express was in the city this
morning and favored our office
with a pleasant call.

Mrs. W. T. Cole, who has been
the guest of her sister, Mrs. J.
H. Owen, left Tuesday for
Spokane, Wash.

LAUNDRY MAY COME HERE

Mr. L. L. Morrison has receiv-
ed a letter from a party in Kan-
sas wanting to locate in Eagle
Lake and put up a laundry here.
If the Kansas man can secure a
suitable house for the laundry it
is quite likely that he will come.
We see no reason why a good
laundry would not pay well here.
They pay in other towns of this
size, and for railroad facilities for
shipping baskets to other towns,
Eagle Lake is the best location
for a laundry in this section of
the state.

Chesterville News

Last Friday night a number of
young folks met at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Salladay and
organized a "42" Club.

Mr. O. L. Miller arrived last
Friday morning with a party of
home seekers, some investing in
land here. The party, accom-
panied by Mr. Miller, returned
to their homes in Missouri Tues-
day afternoon.

Miss Lella Wilson spent Satur-
day and Sunday at her home in
Eagle Lake.

Mr. C. S. Maltby was an Eagle
Lake visitor Monday.

Messrs. Townley and Davidson
are spending a few days on the
coast hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Chester
of Eagle Lake were here with
relatives one day last week.

On account of the high winds
and cold weather the Holiness
meeting is being held in the
Baugh Hall.

Press agent's notice: The at-
traction booked at Frazar's op-
era house for Saturday, Decem-
ber 2nd is "A Millionaire Trans-
port" a comedy drama with a real plot
and a real story of heart inter-
est. It will be presented by a
competent company and with ap-
proval and good scenery and all the
other adjuncts necessary to give
a first class performance. The
attraction is guaranteed and so
all who attend can do so with the
knowledge that they will receive
full value for their money. Prices,
25, 50 and 75c. Seats on sale
at Harris' cream parlor.

Miss Ruth Westmoreland was
a pleasant caller at the HEAD-
LIGHT office on Thanksgiving
Day.

FOUND ALMOST FROZEN

As Mr. J. T. Carney was com-
ing from his home to town about
seven o'clock Wednesday morn-
ing he found a man lying near
the ice plant, between the plant
and the railroad, almost frozen
to death and just barely alive.
He was brought to town and ta-
ken in charge by the city author-
ities. A few hours later, after
having been placed in a warm
room and rubbed with stimu-
lants, he began to revive and
showed signs of life. It was
noon before he was able to talk.
He stated that his name was
Frank Hill and that his home
was in Cincinnati. He said he
was en route from Houston to
San Antonio and was riding on a
flat car on a freight train. Said
he reached here about midnight
Tuesday and that he was nearly
frozen that he got off of the flat

car and went to the ice plant to
light plant to warm, and says the
last thing he remembers was
that he was in the light plant
warming. From that time he
says his mind was a blank until
he awakened in the city council
room. The man appeared to be
about 45 or 50 years old. He
was able to walk around town
yesterday evening and last night
took French leave, presumably
for a warmer climate. The man
had cash in his pockets to the
amount of \$2.16. He also had in
his pockets a number of small
files, saws, knives, etc., which
were thought might be a bur-
glar's kit, but Hill explained they
were for making fancy wood
work which he sold in the lar-
ger cities. It is thought the man
got so cold, the thermometer at
24, while coming in on the open
flat car, that when he reached a
fire it made him drowsy and dis-
tressed, and that in this condition
he wandered from the ice plant and
probably fainted and fell where
he was picked up the following
morning.

An Ordinance.

ORDINANCE GRANTING
THE RIGHT OF WAY TO THE
CANE BELT RAILROAD COM-
PANY TO LAY CERTAIN
TRACKS IN THE CITY OF EAGLE
LAKE, TEXAS.

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAIN-
ED by the City Council of the
city of Eagle Lake: That the
CANE BELT RAILROAD COM-
PANY be, and it is hereby grant-
ed the right of way and privilege
of constructing, maintaining and
operating a track upon, over and
across that portion of Sempres
Street in the Sempres Addition
to the City of Eagle Lake, de-
scribed as follows:

Beginning at a point fifty feet
perpendicular to the center line of
the Cane Belt Railroad from the
center line of the Cane Belt
Railroad from Station 894 + 07.3,
which point is also 4.5 feet South
45° 19' West from the Southeast
corner of Lot 12, Block 6, in the
Sempres Addition to the City of
Eagle Lake, same being in the
easterly line of said lot and block
and across Sempres Street,
thence South 45° 19' West along
said line produced, which is also
the westerly right of way line of
said Cane Belt Railroad a dis-
tance of 40 feet to the northerly
right of way line of the S. A. &
A. P. Ry.; thence North 86° 43'
West along the said northerly
right of way line to its intersec-
tion with the South line of Sem-
pres Street, which is also the
North line of Lot 5 in Block 7 of
said Addition; thence North 43°
45' West along said street line,
a distance of 40.9 feet to the place
of beginning.

SECTION 2. That should
said CANE BELT RAILROAD

DON'T!

Send away from Eagle Lake for
your job printing. The Headlight
Electric Power Plant can do it
just as neat and just as cheap as
the city printing houses.....

DON'T!

COMPANY avail itself of this
grant, it shall construct and keep
in good repair all necessary ditch-
es, drains, culverts bridges etc.

SECTION 3. That the said
city of Eagle Lake shall not be
held responsible for any injury
done to, or for the taking of any
property not belonging to the
said city of Eagle Lake for the
use and benefit of said CANE
BELT RAILROAD COMPANY.

SECTION 4. That this ordi-
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full force from and after its pas-
sage and publication.

W. S. STRICKLAND, Mayor,

E. A. TOLIVER, Secretary,

A Successful Man's Creed.
"Smile and the world smiles
with you; knock and you knock
alone; for a cheerful grin will let
you in where the kicker is never
known. Growl and the way looks
dreary; laugh and the way looks
bright; for a wholesome smile
brings sunshine, while a frown
shuts out the light; sing and the
world's harmonious; grumble,
and things go wrong, and all the
time you are out of rhyme with
the busy, hustling throng. Kick,
and there's trouble brewing;
whistle and life is gay, and the
world's in tune like a day in June,
and the clouds all melt away."

Hon. J. R. Wooten of Columbus
was here this morning. Mr.
Wooten is enthusiastic over the
long staple cotton, and he says
it is the best cotton ever planted
in Texas. While it brings double
the price of ordinary cotton, it
costs no more for picking, no
more for ginning and no more
for shipping. He showed us
some small bales of long staple
cotton sold during November
which brought him all the way
from 19c to 21c per pound.

Mr. Raymunn Fitzgerald who
is attending the Palacios College
is in the city, having spent
Thanksgiving Day with the fam-
ily of his uncle, Dr. Howard Fitz-
gerald.

Three automobiles carrying the
Columbus football team were
here this morning en route to
Wharton, where the two teams
play a game this afternoon.

The HEADLIGHT received a pret-
ty Thanksgiving card yesterday
from Miss M. A. ... who is
attending the Chappel Hill
Female College.

Mr. Chas. Von Lengerke re-
turned Tuesday from his week's
hunt down in Matagorda county.
He says there were six in the
party and that they killed seven
deer.

Here is a Remedy That Will Cure Skin And Scalp Affections

And We Can Prove It.
The Calvert's Drug Store says
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FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE

One of the most remarkable proofs
of the unusual laxative merit con-
tained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin
is that it is effective not only in peo-
ple in the prime of life, but at the
extremes of ages. As many letters
are received from mothers regarding
the cures of children, as from men and
women of sixty, seventy and eighty
years of age. It must be truly a won-
derful laxative.

Syrup Pepsin. You can prolong your
life by healthy bowel action. Clogged
bowels invite disease. Women about
to pass the menstrual period cannot
do better than use Syrup Pepsin sev-
eral times a week until the system has
settled to its future condition.

Among the strongest supporters of
Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are Mr.
W. C. Zora of New Decatur, Ala., and
Mr. George S. Spaulding of the Na-
tional Soldiers' Home, Kansas, both
elderly men. The regular size bottles
can be bought of any druggist at fifty
cents and one dollar, but a free sam-
ple bottle can be had by sending your
address to the doctor.

Address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell,
402 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.