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Our Grand Spring Op BEGINS MONDA

Our store is chock full of new spring goods for our big look and see the new styles—Nussbaum always leads in styles and prices. Just as the bud grows more store grown, getting together the most beautiful things of the fashion markets and now at Easter time we inviting our friends and patrons to view this splendid collection and take advantage of these remarkable



SUITS! SUITS! SUITS!

Everybody needs a new spring suit for Easter. Nussbaum can fit anybody—fat men, slim men, young men and boys. Read a few of our prices.

Boy's washable suits all sizes and colors, prices \$1.00 to \$1.50 \$5 boy's knee pants suits, sizes 7 to 17 years for \$4.25

\$7.50 and \$6 boy's knee pants blue serge and gray suits, sizes 7 to 17 years \$5.00

Easter Sunday in all its fashion parade of glory will soon be here. Are you ready to uphold your part in the pretty scene? It is your duty not to spoil the picture. Be sure you are correct in your costume. Wear a Hart, Schaffner & Marx suit—then you will know that you are one of the "better dressed" men. Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes have the air of refinement and distinctiveness which can only be found in the productions of the high priced tailors. They are right in every particular. Nussbaum has a swell line of grays, blues and fancy colors of young and old men's suits here to select from. Prices \$20 and up.

\$12.50 men's spring suits \$9.98 \$17.50 men's spring suits \$15 \$15 men's spring suits \$12.48 \$20 men's spring suits \$17.50

All of our blue serges are included in the above prices. Now is the time to buy a swell suit in all the latest shades and cuts. Nussbaum's is the place! Nussbaum wants you to take a look at his beautiful line of men's boy's and youth's suits.



SLIPPERS AND SHOES FOR EASTER

Slippers and shoes for Easter! Nussbaum has an elegant stock of men's, ladies' and children's shoes and slippers to select from. In fact if Nussbaum has not what you want in the slipper line it isn't made. Read a few of our Easter prices.



\$2 grade ladies' patent kid, strap slippers, now for \$1.69

\$2.50 grade Ladies' patent kid vici slippers now at \$2.18

\$3.00 patent kid, vici or velvet slippers or pumps now \$2.48



UTZ & DUNN'S SLIPPERS

We have them in all leathers, patent kid, vici, gun metal, tan, buckskin and canvas, in buttons, pumps and straps. Prices:

\$2.50 \$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00

Nussbaum sells Edwin Clapp, Walk-Over, Crawford and Sefz shoes for men. Prices

\$2.50 \$3.00 \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00 \$5.50 \$6.00

SPECIALS FOR EASTER

We will give you 10 per cent off on all the above prices. Very special for Easter:

\$2.50 pair of tan or patent kid slippers for Easter at \$1.95

H. NUSSBAUM'S

A MOVE HAS COMMENCED TO PRESERVE WATERS AT GIVEN DEPTH IN EAGLE LAKE.

Agreement by Owners of Land at Lake and the Attorneys, Carothers, Brown & Wirtz, Are Signed Up; May Be Injunction Against Lakeside Irrigation Company.

EAGLE LAKE MAY AGAIN BECOME A PLEASURE RESORT.

If Attorneys Win, the Lake May Again Become the Sportsman's Paradise as in Days Gone By, and May Become the Chiefest Drawing Card and Attraction to the City of Eagle Lake—May Be Pleasure Resort.

The editor of this paper has been informed by Mr. H. W. Carothers, of the law firm of Carothers, Brown & Wirtz, that they have recently closed a contract with the owners of certain lands under the waters of Eagle Lake. The contract is the cooperation of the citizens of Eagle Lake. They may restore the lake to its old time condition, and thereby make of it one of the greatest pleasure resorts in Texas. The plan in contemplation is to file injunction proceedings against the Lakeside Irrigation Company and any other companies or individuals claiming the right to pump water out of the lake or to pond lower the level of the water without compensation to the owners.

It is not the purpose of the attorneys to work a hardship on the farmers who get their supply of water from the Lakeside Irrigation Company, especially during the present season, and for this reason the attorneys will seek a satisfactory agreement with the Lakeside Irrigation Company to protect the farmers during this season and at the same time to preserve the water in Eagle Lake to the end that it shall not be unduly lowered for irrigation purposes. Under the agreement between the attorneys and the owners, injunction proceedings may be filed at any time, but we are reliably informed this will not be done if a satisfactory agreement can be reached.

This is the first opportunity that the citizens of Eagle Lake have had to assist in the conservation of the waters in Eagle Lake, and they should show their appreciation of the efforts being made by rendering their hearty support, both morally and financially. It has been the general opinion of most attorneys consulted on this matter, that it was impossible to stop the pumping of the water from the lake, and if this firm, after about a year of research on the matter and in consultation with the owners, have really worked out a plan by which the waters of the lake can be saved to this town and community, the citizenship of this town should contribute liberally of their finances to assist in this litigation or to arrive at a definite and lasting agreement between the parties involved, even if the city gains nothing more than the perpetuation of water in this lake, for even this alone will make Eagle Lake famous, as of yore. By proper efforts and co-operation on the part of the citizenship of Eagle Lake, even more may be done than the preservation of its waters, for, under the agreement mentioned above, the city or citizenship may have the option of owning a large portion of this lake and of making of it a pleasure resort—a good hunting and fishing pre-

serve—which could be made a fine paying proposition from a paying standpoint, aside from the money which would be spent here by tourists and pleasure seekers. This is a matter that should thrill the hearts of the citizens of Eagle Lake. It is a matter that is going to show who the real town builders in Eagle Lake are. It is a matter that is going to separate the real town builders from the knockers. It is a matter that is going to show those citizens who have a love in their heart from those who are "town building" for personal financial gain. It is a matter that is going to show the genuine workers for the betterment of the city from the mere "hot air" boosters.

We believe it would pay the Business League to confer with Carothers, Brown & Wirtz, and ascertain from them the facts with reference to just how this proposition will interest the city and how the city may take advantage of it. We are satisfied that one or more of the attorneys would be willing to appear before a meeting of the Business League and explain the proposition, and we believe the sooner it is done the better. It is now up to the Business League and the citizens of Eagle Lake, and unless we grasp this golden opportunity we might as well go back into our holes, but unlike the ground hog, stay there forever and never again refer to town building, for, if we allow this opportunity to slip by us, our future efforts for a greater Eagle Lake will never carry with them that confidence of our home people without which we can accomplish but little.

This move to keep the lake full of water and make it a greater drawing card for our city than any other thing else possessed by any other city in Southwest Texas, is in no wise a move to injure or molest the rice business, for some of the rice men are the strongest supporters, realizing that if the lake can be kept at a certain level at all times, the rice business has already been benefited and the situation improved. That the lake can be kept at a uniform depth and at the same time afford all the water necessary for rice irrigation by pumping from the river in advance of starting up the lake pump will, so we learn, be outlined in the injunction proceedings. Every person in Eagle Lake who feels an interest in his home town, should take an interest in this matter. Think many years ago what an attraction the lake was, and the town then but a mere village. Compare the size of the town with now and you will have a fair idea what it will mean to Eagle Lake. The rice business, according to the news, will not suffer. It will go on just

the same—only the lake, the chiefest asset among our city's many, is to be full of water.

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Special Films at Dixie Tonight.

In addition to the regular program at the Dixie Theatre tonight, there will be a special film of 3500 feet—"Raising of the Maine." This film will be a very instructive and interesting one, and its owner will explain it as it is pictured on the canvas. The program tonight will last nearly three hours. Prices tonight 10 and 20 cents.

The Christian Aid Meeting.

The meeting of the Christian Aid Society on Thursday with Mrs. J. W. McCarty was in honor of Mrs. Knight, who is Mrs. McCarty's guest. Twenty-seven ladies attended, and besides contributing \$4.50 to the Aid treasury enjoyed a delightful afternoon. Mrs. Garmon opened with prayer, Miss Ollie Strahan read 19th Psalm, and Mrs. Knight dismissed with prayer. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Bruce McCarty in serving the luncheon. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Strahan.

The March Tea for the Christian Aid Society was given last week by Mrs. Larey. The attendance was a record-breaker. The weather was bad, the roads muddy, but Mr. Welford came to the ladies' rescue and with his beautiful new auto carried several loads to and from the Tea. He was the savior of the occasion. The financial result was \$6.10. The April Tea will be given by Mrs. R. S. Simmons. Contributed.

Misses Ella Burtchell, Regina Chew and Blanche Everett came down from Columbus and spent the day with Mr. Chew's family Saturday.

NINE UNDER ARREST IN GLIDDEN MURDER CASE

Nine Negroes Believed to Have Knowledge of the Crime are in Custody—Beaumont Police Officials Visit Scene of Crime.

Columbus, Texas, March 28.—Justice of the Peace A. A. Gregory has not made much headway on the request of the deaths of the six negroes killed by an ax at Glidden yesterday morning. He will wait until after the burial of the victims before taking further testimony. Five wagons today carried six coffins out from Columbus to fill that number of graves near Rocky Chapel.

Following the request, some of the negroes now in jail, together with the police, are under arrest believed to have knowledge of the crime. Further details have come to the knowledge of the officers which cause them to believe they have the guilty parties in custody.

Mayor E. A. Fletcher, Chief of Police N. N. Smith, City Detective Reed Tevis and Sheriff Jake Giles, all of Beaumont, have spent the day in Columbus and at the scene of the tragedy at Glidden. The object of their visit is to endeavor to learn if the perpetrator of this outrage has any connection with the crime of a similar character lately committed in Beaumont in which four were killed, and the series of murders in East Texas and Louisiana in which a total of thirty-four negroes lost their lives by being brained in their beds with an ax. They are of the opinion there is no connection between this crime and the series east of here.

OTHER RECENT, SIMILAR CRIMES.

The first murder of this kind was committed in Rayne, La., about four months ago, when a negro woman and her four children were killed in the night in their beds with an ax in almost the same manner as the crime at Glidden. No motive was found in that instance, and while a few negroes were arrested, nothing was ever learned which threw the least light on the matter. The second murder was com-

mited at Lafayette, La., a few days afterwards. Four negroes were killed there with an ax in the night time and in the same manner as at Rayne. The same lack of motive and the same failure to connect anybody with the crime resulted.

Crowley came next when a father, mother and one child were killed. Again there were just the same circumstances. The victims were beaten to death with an ax in the night time, and the crime was not discovered until next morning.

He then retraced his steps to Crowley, where on January 18, he killed a negro woman and her two daughters and a son, aged 9, 5 and 7 years respectively. Not a detail of this crime varied from the others in the main particulars.

Lake Charles on January 21 was the scene of the next crime, when an old negro, his wife and three children were murdered in their beds with an ax in the night time, and the crime was discovered the following morning. Many arrests were made in the Lake Charles case. In fact, following each crime there were numerous arrests made on mere suspicion, but no one has ever been brought directly to account for the crimes.

The axman showed up a Beaumont on February 19, when he killed the Dove family, consisting of the mother, two daughters and a young son. In the Beaumont murder, as in all the others, the victims were brained with an ax some time during the night, and the crime was not discovered until the next morning. A number of arrests were made in the Beaumont case, but no evidence was found which justified detaining any one.

Revival at the Christian Church.

Mr. Knight has been preaching fine sermons in the Christian church during the week. The membership has been greatly revived which was one chief object of the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Knight are refined, cultured, sweet spirited Christians. They hope to have all Eagle Lake Christians of whatever name as well as all non-church members attend the further services of the meeting and especially the services of next Sunday.

Contractor G. W. Keith this week broke ground for the new Lee Hughes brick building on the west side of the square which, when completed, will be occupied by the Utery jewelry store and a Houston firm which will put in a ladies' ten to fifty cent store. The building will consist of two departments, and the Utery jewelry store will occupy the side next to the Pierce Hardware Company.

Mr. O. A. Zumwalt, a popular citizen and prominent druggist of Columbus, was here in his car yesterday. The editor returns thanks to him for a copy of the Headlight while here.

Better Train Service for Potato Business.

Messrs. Fritz Engelhard and I. W. Terrell were in Galveston this week to confer with the officials of the Santa Fe railroad in behalf of the potato growers of this section, asking for better train service during the shipping season. They were reasonably assured by the Santa Fe that the side tracks in the potato fields will be put in shape and that another special potato train will be put on when the shipping season opens which, with the regular Whangdoodle, will afford first-class service.

Meningitis Near Weimar.

Weimar, Texas, March 28.—Another case of meningitis has developed about four miles north of Weimar. The patient is Miss Agnes Janicka, a Bohemian girl. Serum was promptly administered and the physician reports the case progressing very favorably. Mrs. J. F. Shimek, who was also stricken with the disease some days ago, is up and about again.

Mrs. R. Moore of Lane City is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Emanuel Ross, this week.