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THE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Total of 312 in Attendance to date.
Work is Progressing Nicely.

An enrollment of 312 children have attended the Eagle Lake schools to date and after a short vacation the school is running smoothly. The new teachers are maintaining their reputations and all indications point to the most successful year in the history of the Eagle Lake schools.

A card index system has been established whereby complete and accurate records of each child will be on file throughout the year of its school life. Thorough preparation and clear conceptions are being made the basis of advancement and parents are urged to cooperate in every way possible, that nothing may be left unmastered to harass and defeat the child in later life.

The work has been assigned as follows:

Miss Mary Arbuckle, first grade.
Miss Kate Pegram, second grade.
Miss Cleo Cross, third grade.
Miss Mary Williamson, fourth grade.
Miss Ethel Beckham, fifth grade.
Mrs. J. H. Morgan, sixth grade.
Miss Kitty Mae Stamps, English.
Miss Jane Cross, Latin and mathematics.
Miss Betty Mae Rogers, domestic science and history.
J. T. Cruse, agriculture, science and manual training.
J. H. Morgan, mathematics and science.

An opportunity will be given the ladies of the community to partake of the benefits afforded by our domestic science department. A lecture and demonstration will be given once a week without a cost, if the ladies so desire. This can be arranged for any afternoon, preferably Thursday. Let Prof. Morgan know your wishes in the matter. You are invited to be present next Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m.

Hon. J. R. Wooten of Columbus passed through this city en route to Bay City, where he sold several cars of long staple cotton seed. Long staple cotton was introduced in Colorado county by Mr. Wooten. This year a great deal of this cotton was planted in and around Eagle Lake. It has sold from 18 to 22 cents per pound, and next year the acreage will be largely increased.

Last week the Garwood Express completed its first year upon the journalistic sea. Editor Mrazek is giving the people of Garwood and community a paper that would be a credit to a town many times the size of that thriving little city and we predict many more anniversaries for that most excellent paper.

Miss Ruth Clemons of Runge was the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. L. Loughridge, Jr., the first of the week. She left Tuesday for Huntsville where she will attend the Normal school at that place.

Prof. J. T. Cruse of the Eagle Lake schools, last week brought a load of cotton to town from his farm about a mile and a half west of the city. The load weighed 1750 pounds from which was ginned a bale weighing 500 pounds, leaving 750 pounds of seed which the professor is selling.

When it is taken into consideration that it takes from 1500 to 1700 pounds of ordinary cotton to gin a 500 pound bale, it is readily seen that the scientific farming methods employed by Mr. Cruse are a very good thing for the man who wants to farm and make a success of it.

Nearly all the citizens of Eagle Lake and in this country are now busily engaged in planting their fall gardens, and it won't be long until our tables will be furnished with all kinds of fresh vegetables from our home gardens. This is all very natural to our old time citizens here, but to the people from the cold North and East it seems strange to think of planting a garden in the fall, after having had one all summer, and to the people of the cold, cheerless North we extend a hearty invitation to come down and join us and help us enjoy the vegetable dinners which we will have out of our gardens from now on during their cold and muddy winter. The people of this country don't appreciate what this means, but if they were to spend a winter in the cold and snow of the North they would know then the blessing of living in a climate where every month is a growing month. Come to Texas, and then come to Eagle Lake.

Mr. O. K. Davis left Monday for a ten day's visit to San Angelo and other points in the western part of the state. Mr. Davis has just recovered from a severe spell of illness and is taking a short vacation from his duties in order to recuperate. He has secured the services of Mr. M. M. Coben of Mobile, Ala., to take charge of his undertaking business during his absence. Mr. Coben comes highly recommended for this work.

Dr. and Mrs. Abney of Smithville are spending the week in the city, the guest of their son, Mr. G. R. Abney. Dr. Abney is a good roads enthusiast of the first water, and while here rendered valuable assistance to the local promoters of the good roads project in the way of giving his time and explaining the successful campaign for good roads which has just closed in Bastrop county.

Miss Frances Hanly left Wednesday for Elgin where she will spend several days with her friend, Miss Blanche Luedcke, before proceeding to Austin where she will enter Texas University.

A letter received from the Headlight chief who, with Mrs. McCarty and cousin, Miss Leona Willson of Houston, have been spending the past three weeks on Devil's river in West Texas, states that the party left Del Rio on Tuesday and after spending a few days in Eagle Pass and over in Mexico, will return home, arriving in Eagle Lake Saturday or Sunday.

A burglar, or burglars, Saturday night forced an entrance into the grocery store of Burtt Schell & Kotzebue by breaking open the rear door. Mr. Burtt Schell states that they received the sum of \$1.85 for their pains. He also stated that they had made heavy collections Saturday night.

There was considerable money in the safe. The parties ransacked the desk and also tried to work the combination of the safe but were not successful.

Three auto loads of Eagle Lake citizens motored to Cheesterville Saturday night to attend a good roads meeting at that place, but on account of the rice farmers in that section all being busy with their crops the meeting was not very largely attended. But what the meeting lacked in numbers was more than equalled in enthusiasm, practically all of the people in that section recognizing the benefits of good roads in order to more cheaply market their crops, and also to bring them in closer touch with our excellent system of schools. Several other meetings have also been held throughout the precinct this week in order to more fully explain to the voters the benefits of good roads, the rate of taxation on the issuance of \$1000,000 in bonds, the way the money will be spent, and in every way to more thoroughly acquaint the voters with the details of the question.

Mr. W. A. Green returned Monday from an extended visit to his old home at Fall River, Tenn. Mr. Green reports a most pleasant vacation spent with his former home friends. He also visited Ft. Worth, Dallas and other points in the state before returning.

Master William Barrow, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Barrow, had the misfortune to break his left arm just above the wrist, at the school house Monday. While playing with his school mates, one of them kicked his feet, throwing him to the concrete pavement, and he fell upon his arm, breaking same.

Messrs. C. H. Brosig, A. F. Harbert, Ed. Brishois, and Wm. Kotzebue motored to Houston Sunday in Mr. Brosig's Overland car. Mr. Brosig, who is agent for the Overland, drove home a new machine for local parties. He has four machines sold but on account of the great demand for this car is unable to make early deliveries.

Mr. M. M. Coben of Mobile, Ala., arrived in the city the first of the week and will have charge of Mr. O. K. Davis' undertaking business while the latter is taking a much needed rest after a severe spell of illness.

Mr. Frank Tyro of Waco visited friends in the city the first of the week.

Dr. Roberts of Garwood was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

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For County Superintendent: C. K. Cole

For County Clerk: John Hastedt

For County Treasurer: E. C. Burttschell

For Sheriff: E. B. Mayes

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