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A Revival of Ye Olden Days; Eagle Lake Comes Into Its Own Again as Fine Fishing Resort.

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ing fish in the world. A few of the old fashioned big goggled eyed perch are being caught, but they are not as numerous as they formerly were. It is believed, however, that in another year, the lake will be filled again with the big fellows. Some few trout are striking again. The lake is now full of water, from a depth of four to seven feet deep, and fish are being caught in any part of the waters. They are biting as rapidly and as game as before the lake was ever pumped so low. An effort will be made to have screens put around the pumps during the rice season. The local fishermen are highly elated over the good news, and in another year Eagle Lake will again be known all over this part of the state as the finest fishing place in Texas. It is believed that the recent overflow of the Colorado river, which backed into the lake, took out with it a large percent of the alligators and gars, which destroyed a great amount of fish. Frog hunting is good again on the lake, and large numbers of the "leggy animals" are being captured every night, and frog legs are now becoming a daily dish on many of the tables in Eagle Lake.

Don't forget that the Eagle Lake Steam Laundry is still doing washing. We guarantee to give you as good, if not better work than you can get elsewhere, and our motto is: "Prompt Service." If we do any work for that you don't like, tell us and we will gladly come after and re-launder any garment that is not perfectly satisfactory.

EAGLE LAKE STEAM LAUNDRY.

Judge Mansfield Explains a Tax Method for Rebuilding Bridges

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this means we not only save the cost of lithographing, and making sale of bonds, but we also avoid the trouble and expenses of many yards of red tape with the authorities at Austin in securing approval and registration. If need be, the Commissioners' Court can erect the bridges without any increase of taxation above the rate levied for road and bridge purposes for the past thirteen years, but in order to do so it would become necessary to curtail the general road work in other sections of the county correspondingly, and might necessitate the selling of the mules and stopping road work altogether for a few years. Rather than do this without an instruction from the tax-payers, we have decided to put the matter squarely up to them for an expression of their will.

The constitution provides that taxation for road and bridge purposes shall not exceed 15 cts. on the \$100, unless by vote of the tax-payers it may be increased to 20 cts. In the year 1900 the voters of this county at an election held for the purpose, decided to increase the tax to 25 cts. on the \$100, and the question now submitted is, whether or not the other five cents shall be added.

Our taxable values last year were \$18,579,787. A tax of five cents will produce annually, the net sum of \$9390. One half of this will pay the cost of the three bridges (including the interest) in less than fourteen years, while the other half would be divided equally among the four Commissioners' Precincts for general road work, and increase the

amount of such work to that extent. This would give to each precinct \$750, more than it is receiving now, while a failure to vote the tax would give to each precinct \$750, less than it is receiving now—a difference of \$1500, per annum to each Commissioners' Precinct; provided of course, that we take it for granted the bridges are to be repaired any

way. If the bridges are not repaired, and it should become necessary to establish ferries, then the cost of maintaining the ferries will exceed the cost of the interest and sinking fund necessary for rebuilding the bridges. Such, briefly, is the status of the case as clearly as I can express it. The members of the Commissioners' Court have no

interest in the matter except in common with other citizens of the county. It is simply up to the people to do as they wish. If the tax is increased, they assume the responsibility. If it is not increased, the consequences are also theirs.

Very Respectfully,
J. J. MANSFIELD
County Judge.

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MAYOR MOONEY'S FIRST OFFICIAL ACT IS ORDER FOR BIG CLEAN-UP MOVEMENT

Tuesday, April 28th., Time Set For General Clean-up Day in Eagle Lake; all Citizens, all Ladies of Eagle Lake, the Boy Scouts, The High School Faculty and Everybody Asked to Help in this Campaign For a Cleaner City

Acting upon the suggestion of Mayor E. L. Mooney, the city council at its regular meeting Tuesday morning, has declared Tuesday, April 28th as a general clean-up day in Eagle Lake. The mayor and five aldermen will personally look after this matter, and they ask the hearty co-operation of the ladies of the town, the boy scouts and all members of the Eagle Lake High School. The city will furnish wagons on this day to haul off all trash to the city dumping grounds. Every person in the residence portion of the city will be urged to join this important move for a cleaner Eagle Lake. Every person will be expected to have his premises cleaned up on or before this date and to have all trash put in piles out in the street in front of his home and the city's wagons will call on the date above mentioned and haul all trash away. Mayor Mooney was very enthusiastic over the clean-up day and all members of the city council were in hearty accord with the move. It is hoped that every person in Eagle Lake will take an interest in this matter and do his or her

part toward making Eagle Lake a cleaner town. These clean-up campaigns have been made very effective in other towns and the mayor and members of the board of aldermen are going into the matter with the vim and determination that will insure Eagle Lake's clean-up day on April 28th a big day in Eagle Lake. It is the intention of the council to make this day a sort of semi-holiday for our city, to interest every person in town, white and black, and to bring about a general cleaning up of the town throughout the entire residence section. The council has also issued instructions that the fire marshal notify all business men in Eagle Lake to clean up and put in sanitary condition the premises in the rear of every business house in the city. The mayor and councilmen expect to visit every business house and every residence in Eagle Lake on this day to see that the people are complying with their request. This is a matter that every public spirited person in Eagle Lake should join heartily into and assist in making the town cleaner, more sanitary and a better place in which to live. Do your part toward making April 28th a clean up day long to be remembered in Eagle Lake.

HON. GEORGE HERDER NOT CANDIDATE AGAIN

Two Bellville Citizens are Candidates for Florist From Austin and Colorado Counties.

Hon. Geo. Herder, who so ably represented Colorado county in the last legislature will not be a candidate to succeed himself. The redistricting of the last legislature created the office of a florist representative from Colorado and Austin counties. In this paper today there are two announcements for this office, that of W. H. Bunge and Herman J. Miller, both of Bellville. Both men are being highly endorsed by their friends for the office, and it looks as it is going to be a race between the two gentlemen from Austin county without "interference" from Colorado. Both gentlemen have announced their candidacy subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

EAGLE LAKE TENNIS CLUB IS ORGANIZED

A tennis club with twenty-five members has been organized. The court has been laid off near the former R. B. Dobbins home, and is being fitted up in excellent condition. There are some enthusiastic tennis players in Eagle Lake and some excellent players. Those interested in the club are anxious to have a larger membership and all who enjoy the game and those who wish to learn are invited to join the club. The members are: W. L. Peterson, R. A. Dobbins, M. E. Guyan, L. D. Allen, J. W. McCarty, L. T. Phillips, J. E. Roberts, J. N. Frazer, A. J. Wied, R. E. Walker, A. M. McCarty, L. Nathan, J. F. Beard, Dr. W. R. Stickleland, L. Goldsmith, P. C. Lowe, W. D. Walker, Vic Engelhardt, B. H. McElhinney, W. E. McRae, Robert Pogram, W. E. Lenhart, J. H. Morgan, C. K. Fuqua and J. S. Damon.

ATTENDED SERVICES IN COLUMBUS ON SUNDAY

Mrs. J. W. McCarty, Misses Eloise Frazer and Mary Maud McCarty, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McCarty, Mason McCarty and Miss Bettie Birch, M. D. Flowers, Miss Cleo Flowers, Mrs. J. B. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Deats and Mrs. E. S. Simmons attended services at the Christian church meeting last Sunday in Columbus, which is being conducted by the evangelists, Jacks and son. Seven went up on train and six in the McCarty automobile.

Messrs. P. C. Lowe and George Hayman were visitors to Columbus between trains Sunday.

Mrs. Blanche Baker and Miss Rosie Dieter spent Monday visiting in Houston.

EVERYBODY IS GOING ON THE EAGLE LAKE TRADE TRIPS

More than Twenty-Five Auto Loads of Citizens Will Go In Eagle Lake's Business Excursion. Columbus, Altair Garwood, Nada, Eldridge, Matthews, Calhoun, Lissie, Nottawa, East Bernard, Wallis, Alleyton, Mentz and Bernardo Will Receive Visits.

Interest is high here in the business men's coming trade excursion. Every person in town is taking an interest in the matter, all working to make the trade trip a big success and an event long to be remembered in this section of the country. Our business men realize that they have undertaken a big thing, but they are equal to the occasion, and they are going to make the trade excursion a big thing. Mr. H. Nussbaum deserves a great deal of credit for the time and attention he is giving to the matter. He is a rustler and a hard worker for Eagle Lake and his every effort right now is to make the trade excursion a whooping big success. And all the other business men of the town are working with him to that end. The excursion is going to be a big thing, there is no doubt about it. All the automobiles will be decorated in handsome felt pennants of red and white, with large letters, "Eagle Lake." Eagle Lake will be put prominently on the map during these three days' excursion. Every firm in town will be represented. Complete lists of those who are going and who will represent each firm on the trip are being made up and will be mailed to the people of the different towns and also printed in this paper in the very near future. Many handsome and useful as well as ornamental articles will be given away by the business men while on the trip. The Eagle Lake band will accompany the excursionists and there will be a band concert during the stops at each town. The first day's trip will be on Wednesday, May 13th., and the schedule for that day's trip will be as follows: The thirty cars will leave the square in Eagle Lake promptly at 7:30 o'clock, and will arrive in Columbus at 9 o'clock. The party will remain in Columbus, fifteen minutes, leaving there at 9:15, arriving at Altair at 10:15. Will remain in Altair forty-five minutes, will be put prominently on the

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