

No. 330.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

Rock Island State Bank

at Rock Island, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1915, published in the Eagle Lake Headlight, a newspaper printed and published at Eagle Lake, State of Texas, on the 13th day of March, 1915.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, per-	
sonal or collateral	\$50,748.74
Loans, real estate	559.00
Overdrafts	2.13
Real estate (banking house)	2,100.00
Other real estate	1,010.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,750.00
Due from approved	
reserves agents	\$9,747.37
Due from other banks	
and bankers, sub-	
ject to check	\$9,747.37
Cash items	239.40
Currency	1,154.00
Specie	3,311.73
Other resources as follows:	
Int. in depositors guaranty	4,805.13
fund	637.10
Assessment to Depositors	
Guaranty Fund	81.00
Total	\$71,732.08

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Undivided profits, net	5,675.92
Individual deposits, subject	
to check	31,349.02
Time certificates of deposit	13,423.10
Demand certificates of de-	
posit	1,249.15
Cashier's Checks	34.89
Bills Payable	5,000.00
Total	\$71,732.08

STATE OF TEXAS.

County of Colorado. I, W. R. E. Kappel, as president, and P. A. Norman, cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. E. RAYCLIFF, President,
P. A. NORMAN, Cashier.
Signed and subscribed to before me this 10th day of March, A. D. 1915.

Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.
JOHN RANTER, Notary Public.
CORRECT—ATTEST:
F. A. NORMAN,
M. E. GUYAN,
R. E. RAYCLIFF, Directors.

Mr. W. J. Bennett of Bonous, of whom Bonous Billy Baar has given the name of "Big Boy," was in the city on business yesterday and had his name added to the Headlight's list at the Bargain offer.

Messrs. Ed. R. Frank and G. M. Jackson, prominent citizens of Garwood, were visitors in the city Wednesday.

Any man who can hold a fussy baby for an hour without saying naughty words is in the same class with Job.

NEDRA NOTES.

Master Arthur Morse visited several days last week at Calhoun.

Mr. R. C. Burttschell made a business trip to Glen Flora Friday.

Mr. G. W. Thomas made a business trip to Eagle Lake last Friday.

Miss Ivah Smith shopped in Wharton Saturday.

Some excitement in Nedra Saturday. All the city gathered around the store to witness the riding of one of Mr. Simmons' unconquered ponies by Mr. John Perry. The pony ran, pitched and lurches, but Mr. John held his seat and the beast soon cooled down.

Friday afternoon Miss Cross and her pupils from Bonous were seen in our neighborhood searching for Mother Nature's flower garden. The Johnny jump-up, daisy and sweet wild grass flowers are abundant in the woods now and the spring-like days bring a call almost as alluring as the "irresistible rag."

Mr. John Perry and Miss Mamie Jones spent Sunday in Calhoun, the guests of Mr. Perry's mother.

Mrs. R. C. Burttschell and two little children, Clay and Clara, spent the week-end in Glen Flora, the guests of Mrs. Cavendish.

Mr. R. S. Simmons visited his plantation and store here last Saturday. He says these rains look good to him, so long as he isn't too choicy of his meanings. Mrs. J. D. Morse and children, Miss Dora, Master's Duly and Clara, spent the week-end at Matthews.

Mr. John Perry was in Eagle Lake Friday.

The Sunday School service was held last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Osengs.

Hello, Weimar! Yes, this is Nedra. Mr. Louis Obenhaus has the chickenpox, Mr. Dick has been exposed and Mr. Green says that if this cold, rainy weather continues he will hunt a hole, crawl into it and stay there. Mr. O. Green made a business

To our Friends and Customers:

In obedience to absolute instructions received from the Commissioner of Banking and from the Comptroller of the Currency, undersigned banks, at recent meetings of their board of directors, adopted resolutions that hereafter no officer or employee shall pay or charge to the account of any depositor any check of such depositor or when there are not sufficient funds to the credit of the drawer of the check to properly protect same in full. In other words, the allowing of overdrafts has been ordered stopped by those having the proper authority and we must hereafter confine ourselves to granting proper loans in the way of notes and acceptances or surrender our charters.

This does not mean that the service we have rendered heretofore will in any sense be curtailed, but it does mean that the sentiment against overdrafts has grown to such proportions and the censures we have received from the departments of banking have become so repeated and so severe that we find ourselves forced to come so repeated and so severe that we find ourselves forced to join with the other banks of the National and State systems in stamping out an evil which has neither a legal nor a moral right of existence.

As we have a great many customers in common and since we desire all to know that both banks have separately and independently adopted the same course in this manner, we are sending out this joint letter with the request that all accounts of the character complained of be placed upon the proper basis at once and that our friends refrain in the future from overdrawing their accounts at any time or in any amount to the end that the reasonable rule as above outlined may be enforced without trouble, inconvenience or embarrassment to any one.

Very truly yours,

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

W. E. Lenhart, Cashier.

THE EAGLE LAKE STATE BANK,

J. E. Roberts, Cashier.

BONUS BUDGET

Mr. John Obenhaus was a business visitor in Wharton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Gang and children of Calhoun were visiting friends in this vicinity the first of the week.

Mr. Joe Helmer transacted business in Wharton last Wednesday.

Miss Lou Es Cross and pupils and Miss Berthanna Helmer spent last Friday evening picking some of Spring's wild flowers.

Mrs. Lohie Obenhaus is entertaining her brother, Mr. Miles, who arrived here Sunday morning.

Miss Lula Dea Smith was a visitor to Houston last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Westmoreland.

Read the Headlight. \$1.50.

Prora Helmer spent Sunday with Paula Krueger, near Egypt.

Mr. H. Crane was a business visitor in Wharton Friday.

Messrs. Joe and John Helmer made business trips to Eagle Lake Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Krueger of near Egypt were visiting friends here Sunday.

Little Miss Beatrice Bennett has a very severe case of chickenpox.

Misses Sammie and Ruth Wilson left last Friday for a visit to Houston. Miss Sammie returned home Sunday, while Miss Ruth remained in that city, undergoing an operation at the Baptist Sanitarium Wednesday.

Mr. Malone of Houston, was here on business Tuesday.

Rev. C. H. White left for Somerville Monday.

Frank Kellison and family spent Sunday with L. W. Kellison and wife.

Mrs. F. J. Andrews spent the day Friday with Mrs. John Adams, near Lissie.

Rev. R. E. Price of Altair will hold his regular morning and evening services in the Methodist church Sunday.

Her Choice.

"Can he sing well?"

"Well, I'll tell you. He offered to sing the baby to sleep the other night, and his wife said, 'No, let her keep on crying.'"

Cleveland Leader.

Nottawa News Notes

This play given by Nottawa home talent at Lissie Wednesday night was well attended. The Nottawa people wish to thank their Lissie friends for the beautifully arranged stage and courteous treatment. We hope that we may be given an opportunity to return the compliment soon.

Mrs. Albert Norton and daughters, Jean and Evelyn, returned to their home in Detroit, Mich., after an extended visit with C. W. Dickerson and family.

Master Raymond Reed was painted by a local artist, and the face and head of a soapstone, caused by pouring coal oil on a slow fire.

Our old time friend, Mr. A. J. Winfree, now of Texas City, sends \$1.00 this week for three years subscription at the bargain offer. Mr. Winfree says the Headlight's weekly visits are looked forward to each week with much pleasure by the members of his family.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The First National Bank

At Eagle Lake, Texas, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, March 4th, 1915.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$230,992.01
Overdrafts	None
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	20,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	1,600.00
Other bonds pledged to secure deposits	1,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc., on hand (other than stock), including premiums on same	176.31
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	\$5,400
Less amount unpaid	3,000
Banking house, \$11,000.00; furniture and fixtures	16,000.00
Other real estate owned	3,054.71
Due from Federal Reserve bank	2,735.21
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	2,672.42
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	1,408.74
Due from banks and bankers (other than above)	2,092.31
Outside checks and other cash items, \$100.00 fractional currency 365.97	465.97
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	717.08
Notes of other National Banks	1,850.00
Federal Reserve notes	500.00
Specie	\$7,605.00
Legal-tender notes	410.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)	1,000.00
TOTAL	\$300,991.76

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$75,000.00
Surplus fund	15,000.00
Undivided profits	\$16,189.62
Less expenses, interest and taxes paid	2,817.63
Circulating notes	13,371.59
Due to approved reserve agents other than reserve cities	20,000.00
Due to banks and bankers (other than above)	1.72
Demand deposits	2,964.31
Individual deposits subject to check	\$ 81,988.63
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	10,164.70
Certified checks	5.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	741.73
Postal savings deposits	1,835.08
Time deposits:	
Certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days	47,845.39
Redeemable with Federal Reserve bank	32,612.10
TOTAL	\$300,991.76

STATE OF TEXAS, I, W. E. Lenhart, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. E. LENHART, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of March, 1915.

W. P. B. WICKER, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

H. V. STEPHENS, FRANK STEPHENS, Directors.

RECAPITULATION.

Resources.	
LOANS & DISCOUNTS	\$230,992.01
OVERDRAFT	None
BANKING HOUSE AND FIX.	16,000.00
STOCKS & BONDS	22,000.00
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK	1,600.00
STOCK	1,800.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	1,000.00
Real Estate & Chattels	3,251.02
CASH & SHORT EXCHANGE	19,968.73
	\$300,991.76

Liabilities.	
CAPITAL STOCK	\$75,000.00
SURPLUS	28,371.59
CIRCULATION	20,000.00
DEPOSITS	32,912.16
	\$300,991.76

PERFECT CONFIDENCE

Eagle Lake People Have Good Reason For Complete Reliance.

You know how—To find relief from backache, To correct distressing urinary ills.

To assist weak kidneys? Many people in this vicinity know the way.

Have proved Doan's Kidney Pills: Have proved their worth in many tests.

Here's Schulenburg testimony. Mrs. Caroline Schmaadt, Schulenburg, Texas, says: "To those who suffer with that tired ache across the back and sides, I advise the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. This medicine has helped me on many occasions and I use it occasionally as a tonic. I keep a box in the house all the time and whenever I have an attack of backache, Doan's Kidney Pills relieve me."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Schmaadt had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

A drummer tells of seeing a sign in a railway car out west which read: "Do not put your feet on the cushions." To which a sarcastic wag had added in pencil—"or you will dirty your boots."—Boston Transcript.

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CITY COUNCIL BUYS 500 FEET OF NEW HOSE FOR FIREMEN

The city has just received five hundred feet of new fire hose, also two nozzles, which have been turned over to the fire department, the hose having been rolled up and is now ready for use at the next fire. Some of the first hose purchased by the city, more than eight years ago, has begun to fail, and on several occasions has burst, giving the fire boys a lot of trouble. In using the old hose it places the firemen in position to lose control of a fire should the hose play out during service, as was the case to a certain extent, when the Racket Store was on fire some time since, the firemen having to cut off the water until they could put in another joint of hose. At that time the fire came very nearly getting away from them. The city now has a thousand feet of good hose and about seven hundred feet of the old original purchase, which will be kept and used in emergency cases.

A WONDERFUL HEALING INFLUENCE IN KIDNEY TROUBLES.

A year and a half ago I was taken with a severe attack of kidney trouble that pained me to such an extent that morphine had to be given me. Was attended by a doctor who pronounced it as Stone in the Bladder and prescribed Lithia Water. I took Lithia Water and Tablets for some time. I stopped taking medicine for some time, later having some Swamp-Root in the house I decided to try it and felt much relieved. While taking the second bottle commenced to pass Gravel in urine until I had passed in all at least a half dozen or more and have not suffered the slightest since—and in all have taken one bottle and a half and feel very grateful to Swamp-Root.

Yours very truly,
H. W. Spinks,
Camp Hill, Ala.

Personally appeared before me this 15th day of August, 1900, H. W. Spinks who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

A. B. Lee,
Ex. of Justice of Peace.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Eagle Lake Headlight. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

Mrs. Wm. Belt of Wallis and Mrs. M. E. Henry of Houston, mother and sister of Mrs. Theo. Bennett, arrived in the city last Saturday for a few days' visit to Mr. Bennett's family.

There are times when one cup of coffee and a porterhouse steak will do more to transform a husband from a fiend into a seraph than baptism in the River Jordan.—Ex.

A Sluggish Liver Needs Attention

Let your liver get torpid and you are in for a spell of misery. Everybody gets an attack now and then. Thousand of people keep their livers active and healthy by using Dr. King's New Life Pills. Fine for the Stomach, too. Stop the Distress, Constipation, Bile and Indigestion. Clear the blood. Only 25c. at your Druggist.

Young Attorney (briskly)—Well, sir, why did you send for me?

Prisoner—Well, now that I've got a look at you, darned if I know.

A child is perfectly willing to do something to help its mother, but it doesn't want to start in until tomorrow.

Headlight Bargain Day—April 8th.

GOVERNMENT TO ASSIST THE FARMERS IN LABOR PROBLEM

Farmers desiring to hire farm labor may now wait themselves of the government's new plan, a form of public employment bureau. Persons desiring to obtain employment have the same privilege. The department of agriculture and the postoffice department are co-operating in this work. Those wanting workers as well as those wanting work, may now apply to their postmaster or to the county agricultural agent, giving information required by blanks provided for that purpose. County Agent Kolberg has received instructions to make this matter known to the people of this county so that those desiring may secure work or workers through this plan.

BRING IN YOUR SUBSCRIPTIONS NOW FOR POST'S BARGAIN DAY

Now is the time to spend that \$1.99. Bring it into this office at once. The Houston Post Bargain Day period will be over by the time we go to press next week. Then the \$3.00 price will be on again. The difference between \$1.99 and \$3.00 is some saving. Obey that impulse. Bring it in now.

For the Stomach and Liver.

I. N. Stuart, West Webster, N. Y., writes: "I have used Chamberlain's Tablets for disorders of the stomach and liver off and on for the past five years, and it affords me pleasure to state that I have found them to be just as represented. They are mild in their action and the results have been satisfactory. I value them highly." For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

Our thanks are due Mr. J. A. Dromgoole for another subscription to the Headlight which he is having sent to his mother, Mrs. S. E. Dromgoole, in Cuero.

Dr. J. K. Davidson was a visitor to Houston last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Schleicher have rented the upstairs of the Mrs. J. U. Frazier residence where they are now making their home.