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BELLVILLE BLACK GIANTS DEFEAT LOCAL TEAM 5-TO-4

The Bellville Black Giants defeated the Eagle Lake Eagles' 5-to-4, here last Sunday afternoon on Joe H. S. Johnson diamond July 14, the local negro club will go to Bellville for a return game.

Two weeks ago the local team tied Sugarland 9-to-9. This is the second tie game with Sugarland and a play-off is to be held in the near future at Eagle Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Clay of Houston came out Tuesday to see the high water and to visit Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Middlebrook.

COLORADO RIVER FLOOD
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Much of the Santa Fe track between here and Garwood is under water, and it will likely be several days after the water drains off before there is any train service into Garwood. The Santa Fe lost about 1500 feet of track through the river bottoms in the flood of three weeks ago, and the road bed had not become firmly set from the last damage. The railroad is expecting to find considerably more track out than that lost in the last flood.

During the peak of the high water of the present flood, a government engineer placed his estimate at ten miles an hour on speed of the water at the Altair bridge. The speed of the water at the same point during the overflow of three weeks ago was six miles an hour, he said.

The crest of the Colorado river at Columbus Tuesday at noon reached a height of 38.5 feet on the new guage on the new east bridge. The new guage measures a mean low stage. The old gauge measured from the bottom of the bed of the river. The new guage measures 2½ feet less than the old guage. The old guage would have shown a height of 41 feet or 3.4 feet less than the flood of 1913.

A levee was thrown up to a height of seven feet in places, reinforced with sand bags, in the northwest side of Columbus Sunday and Monday which was overflowed Tuesday and 40 blocks were submerged in the west section of town. A hastily constructed levee two feet high thrown up by City Manager R. L. Hastedt stopped a flow in the northeast part of town that would have inundated fifteen blocks.

Water entered some twenty houses in the west part of town at Columbus, but the damage was minimum, as highway trucks had moved furniture from most of the houses to higher ground.

The flooring of the bridge over Dry Branch, north of Columbus on the county Freisburg road washed off the piers but lodged in some willow trees nearby and can be replaced in a day. The Parker Branch river just at Columbus was damaged to an amount estimated at $1,000. Sand was washed into the lake at the Horton & Horton pits and the Gessner & Tanner Columbus plants but their damages are small.

The bridge over Ratcliffee creek was completely submerged but appears intact as do the bridges over Cummings Creek and the two highway river bridges at Columbus. Highway traffic has been closed east, south and west out of Columbus since Monday night. Travel was stopped on 71 north to LaGrange Tuesday night but was open Wednesday. The asphalt is washed from Highway 3 west of Columbus and appears to have a number of deep holes.

Highway Foreman Jack Brooks is covering that road with gravel as the water recedes. As the highways east of Columbus to Eagle Lake has withstood numerous overflows without damage, injury to that road is not expected. Water is expected to be off this section of the highway by today, noon, probably.

The manholes of the sewer system in Columbus were sealed with asphalt Monday to prevent damage to the system. All of the manholes were opened again Wednesday and left propped open to prevent accumulation of sulphuretted hydrogen which would disintregrite the cement pipe line. The waterworks system, power lines, telegraph and telephone lines in that town were never endangered. Columbus' natural gas sub-station was protected by a levee and none of those utilities suffered.

Governor James V. Allred called the Mayor of Columbus Monday to ask conditions and to offer assistance. As he is the first Governor to show concern to this section during flood times, his interest is appreciated by citizens of Colorado county.

R. L. Hastedt, county chairman of the disaster committee of the American Red Cross society, is in Eagle Lake to provide for refugees from the lower bottoms. John F. Walker of Weimar has asked for relief for some citizens near Osage and it is believed some help will be required at Altair. Chairman Hastedt has $750.00 for needed relief in Colorado county.

Late Thursday the gauge showed 35 at Columbus and the river was falling at the rate of 2 inches per hour.

The river fell 14 inches at the north bridge in Columbus Tuesday night and 10 inches at the east bridge, following the crest of that day of 38.5.

While the gauge at the Columbus bridge registered 38.5, the peak of the high water at noon Tuesday, it is believed the gauge possibly would have registered a foot or more had all of the river's water passed the point of the gauge's location.

When the river broke through west of Columbus, forming a regular river of its own a quarter of a mile in width, all the water rushing swiftly through this cut off is not included in the overflow crest measurement.

This cut off in the river at Columbus was evidently the cause of a very rapid rise at the Altair bridge during Tuesday afternoon, and brought the peak of the flood on Eldridge several hours earlier than it was expected there, since all the water coming through the cut-off quickly found its way back into the river channel and thus avoided the 17-mile horseshoe bend between the two bridges in Columbus.

All bridges in the county are still standing and whether any has been materially damaged by the high waters can not be fully determined until the water falls lower. Some have expressed fear that the bridge at Garwood might have been damaged. The report that the bridge at Garwood might have been damaged yesterday afternoon was telephone communication to Garwood has prevented learning how that bridge has fared. The town of Garwood, however, sits high and dry on the west side of the river and is never damaged by any of the river overflows.

While the overflow is bad enough in all directions touched by the river, newspaper reporters or possibly the "rewrite" men on some of the daily papers, really "strutted their stuff." One daily newspaper stated: "The railroad bridge at Altair went down before the onrush of the mighty Colorado." Another daily paper said: "With receding waters, Columbus merchants are today clearing their floors of mud left by the overflow waters." We talked to Lee Hastedt, who is here from Columbus today. He says the water never came into any of the Columbus business houses at all and that railroad bridge at Altair still stands, on which trains are crossing every day.

1913 OVERFLOW
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stand the swift current. In this were five men, among them W. C. Elkins. They rowed through the swift waters and made it to the marooned boarding cars, but found all men safe and on dry land. Some negroes who had taken refuge in trees remained in the trees from Friday afternoon to late Saturday. Among them were Arch Amos, Dennis Spencer, Henry Selders, Toy Selders, Charlie Foster and Joe and Will Spencer. In attempting to rescue them in a row boat, J. R. Thatcher and Tim Tilson had to take refuge in trees, their boat having capsized. Dennis Spencer, naked, in a tree from 4 o'clock Friday afternoon until Saturday morning, tells a harrowing account of his experience. He says he was so cold he thought he would freeze to death. He said when, through exhaustion, he would begin to nod, he'd just shake himself and mumble, "Look here' nigger, what is you?" He says he swam a distance of three miles to reach shore, swimming as far as he could at intervals and resting in a tree. Another negro telling of his experience while in the water, says he sighted a good tree for landing and swam to it. No sooner had he caught hold of it he saw a big moccasin and a copperhead perched right where he had to climb. He gave that tree to the snakes and hit water, for another one.

The river overflowed into the lake and the lake gave the appearance of a body of water similar to the Gulf of Mexico. Back waters from the lake came to within a few feet of the calahouse. In the McCarty pasture, south of the Depot, water was 8 to 10 feet deep. In the lower part of the flat, the negro section of town, water reached a depth of 10 feet in places, and extended toward town to within 50 yards of the Arandas Pass tracks. Nearly all of the colored people moved out their household effects before the water reached a sufficient depth to get inside their houses.

D. C. Austin, who lives near the river pumping plant made a boat trip from his front porch, straight across, and landed near the Lakeside Rice Mill. Engineer Gardner came from his farm straight through the McCarty farm in a boat, landing out on the prairie near the Matthews negro church.

There have been no trains to Eagle Lake from the west since Thursday a week ago. The Sap ran a passenger train a day out of Houston here, doubling back. After Tuesday, the Brazos flood cut off all traffic from the east.

W. J. Wright and Hugh Wilson were here from Alleyton Tuesday. They said water at Alleyton was from hill to hill, and that water came in every house in the town with the exception of that of J. J. Everett. All residents moved out to high land with the exception of B. Leyshon, where the family moved to the second story.

Jack Battle, well known Bonus negro, went into the water to rescue a horse and lost his life. Others got the horse after Jack had drowned, but in leading the horse out by boats, the animal drowned.

Reports here state that water reached 4 feet deep in the Nordhington store at Egypt, coming up to the top of the counters.

H. B. Vineyard and Kirk Loughridge had a narrow escape from drowning when their boat capsized with them near Eldridge Saturday. They had been to the Vineyard farm to get out the hogs and other stock, and were returning when the boat upset when it struck a tree out in the swift water.

When a rescuing boat was making a trip through the old Slutter place, the boat struck a Negro up in a tree. Though the water was only about two feet deep, it took much persuasion on the part of the boat party to get the negro to climb down and wade out to dry land.

JACOBSEN'S EAGLES TO PLAY GARWOOD SUNDAY

The Eagle Lake Baseball club, under the management of Jimmy Jacobsen, will play the recently organized Garwood club, which is managed by Bill Arnold, at Garwood Sunday.

Fry will probably start on the mound for Eagle Lake and Trammel for Garwood. The game is called at 3 o'clock.

BARBECUE SUPPER AT LISSIE NEXT WEDNESDAY

The Ladies' Aid Society of Lissie will give a barbecue supper at the Lissie Community Hall next Wednesday evening, June 26th., at 8:00 o'clock.

The lunch will consist of barbecue, salad, pickles, buns, pie and iced tea or coffee.

An entertainment program will also be presented, the chief event of which will be a play, "Free Wheeling." The charge for the meal and entertainment will be 25c for adults, and 15c for children.

It is expected that the affair will be largely attended by Eagle Lake people, who have long since learned that the Lissie ladies know how to serve a real honest-to-goodness meal.

Mrs. B. L. Vineyard is spending the week in Houston, guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Foster.

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OLD-TIME DANCE At the Nada KJT Hall, Wednesday, June 26. Music by the Syncopaters. Admission 40c.

RICE MEETING — The annual meeting of the American Rice Growers Association will be held at the city hall in Eagle Lake on Monday, June 24, at 8 p. m. Every rice farmer and members of his family are urged to attend.

E. E. TURNER, Local Manager

FOR SALE—A four-room house, 2 miles east of Eagle Lake on parties lars see Will Walker, Eagle Lake, Texas. P. O. Address, Alleyton Route. 14-June-4tp

FOR SALE—Both my home and cottage on Lake Avenue offered at bargain prices for quick sale.—Mrs. J. D. Odom. 14-June-tf

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We will not be responsible for any indebtedness incurred by anyone on our account unless our order form properly executed is presented. No deductions can be made from any money due employees and we cannot honor any order made against any amount due anyone on our payroll. The above to apply to PWA Docket No. 5332, Street Paving, Eagle Lake, Texas.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE—All rice farmers of the Eagle Lake District are urged to come in and sign for your quota cards at once. It is very necessary that we finish this work immediately.

MRS. A. F. HARBERT.

RADIO TUBES for all makes of Radios. See J. F. Ulery, R. C. A. Authorized Dealer. (28-july-tf)

FOR RENT—Southeast bedroom, private entrance, private bath.—Mrs. O. Green. (14-June-tf)

Mrs. John Kearney and little daughter, Kay, returned Wednesday evening from a few days' visit to Houston.

THREE MEN DROWN
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the afternoon, telling them to be back in the boat for him at 7 o'clock the following morning. At that time, he said, he knew of no reason but that the four should have made the boat trip.

The boat party had crossed the railroad where they encountered about 2 feet of water with swift current, near where the accident took place.

Robert Burttschell was farm manager of the Faber Mercantile Company plantation. He is survived by a wife and two children, a boy and a girl. He was 28 years old.

Manly Burttschell, farmer, is survived by his wife and three children. Felix Jaso, Mexican, was stock man on the plantation, and had held the position for fifteen years. He has a wife and six or seven children. Manly was 37 years of age.

"If I had to pick three men of courage, men to stay with you and stand by you to the last ditch, I know of none that I would give preference over the three who have met their untimely deaths in this sad accident," Mr. Stiles said.

What makes the tragedy all the more sad, according to Mr. Stiles, he knows of no cause why the men, in the small row boat, already overloaded by the four in the boat, should have ventured into the water, and especially after dark. All three of the men were among the finest men in the community, Mr. Stiles said, loyal and deserving.

It is said that Ludwig was not a good swimmer, but that the other three were all exceptionally fine swimmers, and none was afraid of water in the least, the Burttschell brothers having been raised right on the river.

The Burttschell brothers are survived by their mother, Mrs. Robert Burttschell, of Dime Box, near Giddings; a brother, Andrew, who lives in El Paso; and five sisters, Mrs. Mary Weeth, Globe, Arizona; Mrs. Ora Charles, Sugar Land; Mrs. Malton Zuehlke, Eldridge; Mrs. E. W. Hayes, Sigiville, Texas, and Mrs. Alice Pfindl, Mercid California.

Mr. and Mrs. Zuehlke at the time were in San Marcos, where they are attending summer school at the State Teachers' College.

A United States Coast Guard plane from the 8th Division National Guard; at Houston, reached Eldridge Thursday afternoon and has been flying over the flooded section in an effort to locate the bodies of the drowned men.

LOCAL CITIZENS VISIT GREAT CARLSBAD CAVERNS

En route home from the State Firemen's convention at El Paso, W. G. Darby, Buddy Randow, W. P. Wade and Bennie Blair made a side trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico, and made a trip through the caverns near that city.

They say the cave is a veritible fairyland, and that a trip through it is worth any person's time and money.

ROTARY CLUB MEMBERS AT LISSIE WEDNESDAY

At the Rotary Club luncheon Wednesday, it was voted that instead of the usual weekly noon day luncheon here next Wednesday, the club will visit Lissie on Wednesday evening and take, as their weekly get-together luncheon, a meal with the ladies of the Lissie Aid Society, who are serving a barbecue luncheon at 8 o'clock that evening. The Rotarians voted to take their ladies with them on this occasion, and as many other members of Rotary families as the members care to take. It is expected that the Rotary attendance alone from Eagle Lake will be about sixty people.

Mrs. Oscar Schade of Columbus is spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Epps.

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Beef Chuck Roast lb.	10c	Veal Rump ROAST lb.	15c
VEAL CHOPS lb.	15c	Veal Loin STEAK . lb.	18c
Pan SAUSAGE, lb	12½c	Veal Round STEAK, Lb.	20c
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RIVER CHANNEL IS WIDENED BY RECENT FLOOD

Channel Looks To Be Forty Feet Wider At Garwood Bridge And Shows Considerable Widening At Altair Bridge.

Last week's overflow in the Colorado River has left the river channel at least forty feet wider at the Garwood bridge. Caving in of banks has added to the channel's width at that point.

The banks cut off near the Garwood bridge are washed off smooth and even, and give appearance that the river's channel might have purposely been widened. So much of the east bank near the Garwood bridge is washed off, that the east pier of the bridge is close to the water. Safety work for the protection of this pier will of necessity have to be made before another overflow, the Headlight is told.

From the Eldridge levee through the low stretch on the Eagle Lake-Garwood road, to the recently constructed concrete bridge, sand and mud is left over the road waist deep, in fact that section which we forty years ago saw as the low stretch is about the highest spot on the road. Silt and sand, now hardened on top, is as high as the fence posts at the side of the road. Only the tops of fence posts can be seen above the new soil deposited by the river.

All of the topping on the road from the concrete bridge to the river bridge is gone, the road being washed down to the rock foundation.

Commissioner H. L. Reading has been on the job all week hoping to open the road to traffic as soon as possible. With a force of workmen he is digging down into the deposit, and has cut silt to the road bed, leaving walls waist high on both sides of the road. There are no ditches left along this stretch, they having been filled with several feet of silt. Judging by the road this road is one of Mr. Reading's problems.

The river has created new scenes in the wooded section on both sides of the road near the Garwood bridge, the sediment from the river overflow settling over a vast area through the woods. In spots there are great mounds of it, six to eight feet, and even higher.

TWO MILLIONTH FORD V-8 CAR HERE THURSDAY

The Two-Millionth Ford V-8 was in Eagle Lake Wednesday night and, in the caravan of six of the different Ford V-8 models, headed by a State Highway motorcycle patrolman, made a trip around the business section of town Thursday morning.

Mayor W. E. Welford, Judge W. S. Stickland, Hayes Stephens, who is probably the first driver of a Ford car in this section, Bruce McCarty, B. H. McElhinney, local Ford manager, and probably others, rode in the Ford V-8 fleet in its parade through the business section.

The Two-Millionth Ford V-8 was built just six days less than one year since the millionth V-8 Ford was manufactured June 19th., 1934. The car is en route to the Fair at San Diego, California, where it will remain in the huge Ford building until the close of the fair on November 11th.

Following the close of the Fair in San Diego, the Two-Millionth car will be driven back to the Dearborne plant, and will be driven no more. It will remain in the display rooms as one of the special or souvenir cars of the Ford Company.

Considerable ceremony was held at the Ford headquarters on the start of the caravan to California, Henry Ford, himself, driving the car out of the city limits on its first lap of the long journey.

LEGION CONVENTION AT MOULTON THIS SUNDAY

The third division, ninth district American Legion convention will be held at Moulton Sunday and all local Legionaires are urged to attend by Post Commander R. P. Wilcox. Frank Delgrano, national commander of the American Legion will be the featured speaker on the program.

NADA INDEPENDENTS BEAT SHELBY TIGERS

Manager Jimmy Franka's Independents added another victory to their list by defeating the strong Shelby Tigers 10 to 7, Sunday.

Jim Latay, for the Independents, connected for two timely hits, while Bennie Krenek added a triple with the bases loaded to bring in the final winning run.

Louis Latay pitched a neat game for the winners, and after the fourth frame held the Tigers in check.

Next Sunday the Independents will play the Orchard team.

CLEANUP SALE OF RICE AT GARWOOD MONDAY SHOWS STRONG MARKET

C. R. Schiurring, Garwood Association Mangai, Sells Last Of Rice In Hands Of Farmers To Standard Mill Of Houston, Bringing Top Prices For Season.

At a clean-up rice sale in Garwood Monday, C. R. Schiurring, local manager for the American Rice Growers' Association sold the balance of rice left in the growers hands to the Standard Rice Company of Houston, represented by L. D. Roberts of Eagle Lake, at top prices.

In this sale, Early Prolific brought $3.35; Blue Rose, $2.75; Jap, $2.75; Nira, $4.50; Fortuna, $4.50 and Rexora, $4.65.

FLOOD MAKES CLEAN SWEEP OF ELDRIDGE FARM CROPS

With one of the prettiest crops of cotton and corn in prospect on the Eldridge plantation before the Colorado River overflow last week, since the overflow it is destruction and ruin.

With the exception of about 70 acres of corn which the water did not get over and about 40 acres of cotton, on which there is a partial stand, all other crops on the farm are utterly ruined.

Replanting of feed crops will be the order of the day on the farm just as soon as the fields are in shape to be worked. Everything below the Santa Fe tracks was flooded by the flood waters, Manager F. W. Stiles said.

STEPHENS COMPANY IN NEW DRY GOODS QUARTERS

This has been moving week at the Frank Stephens Company store, moving the dry goods department into the new quarters just completed for that purpose. Arranged especially for their dry goods store, the dry goods department personnel of the Frank Stephens Company is naturally proud of the new quarters. The new store is ideal one, with many improvement and more accommodations for their customers. Two immense blow fans in the rear really air condition the whole building. A ladies lounge in the dress department sets a new precedent for local dry goods stores. Comfortable rockers under cooling fans are installed for the convenience and comfort of their customers.

GARWOOD BASEBALL CLUB TO GET NEW UNIFORMS

The newly organized Garwood baseball club has been completely outfitted in new uniforms through the courtesy of Eagle Lake and Garwood merchants and business men.

Donating suits were W. K. Lehrer, who gave three, Frank Kallina, Arnold's Gin, Arnold's Garage, Dittlinger's Mill, Elco feeds, Coffee Ice Company, Dr. Pepper Bottling Company, Adolph Vacek, A. L. Baring, Frank Stephens Company and Morse's Confectionery. Cash donations were contributed by Calvert Drug Company, B. H. Dully, Eagle Lake Grain Company and Joe D. Luna.

The Garwood boys take this means to thank these people for their generosity.

The Garwood club, of which Bill Arnold is manager, will play Rock Island Sunday at Rock Island.

WINTERMANNS HOME FROM VISIT TO MEXICO CITY

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Wintermann returned home Sunday night from a visit to Mexico City, Mexico, where they attended the world convention of Rotary. Mr. Wintermann says Mexico City is a great city with one of the most wonderful climates he has ever enjoyed. It never gets hot there, nor does it ever get cold. Mr. Wintermann says, a very nearly even temperature the year around. Mr. Wintermann says he wore a wool suit, will coat and vest, all the time he was there, and it was comfortable. They slept under two blankets each night.

There were 7,000 Rotarians at the meeting. Mr. Wintermann said he estimated that a city Rotarian would average one other person with him, making a total of approximately 14,000 visitors in the city at the time he was there.

C. R. Schurring, Garwood Chevrolet dealer was a visitor in the city Tuesday. He stated that he had just delivered a new Chevrolet sport sedan to L. Fredericksen, Garwood rice farmer.

MRS. PAUL DITTMAR BURIED AT CAT SPRING

The funeral of Mrs. Paul Dittmar, 42, was held Friday, interment being made in the Cat Spring cemetery. Deceased is survived by her husband, Paul Dittmar, one daughter, Mrs. Alvin Glueck of Eagle Lake; three sons, William Dittmar, Sharp, Texas; Ernest Dittmar, Cat Spring; and Edmund Dittmar, Bergardo, who have the sincere sympathy of all who know them.

FARMERS DIFFER ON OUTCOME OF CROP FLOODED BY RIVER

Some Flooded Fields Still Green And Owners Hopeful, But Other Farmers Say Overflowed Cotton Won't Make Anything.

While much of the cotton and corn overflowed by the recent flood in the Colorado river is killed outright, a great deal of the overflowed cotton, it is believed, will not be killed.

Some of the cotton which was under water is still green. What its final outcome will be remains to be seen. Some farmers say that overflowed cotton will not make a crop. Others say they believe it will, so there you are!

We have been told that some cotton not more than four inches high at the time of the overflow, that stood a foot or more under water, is still green and is looking good.

Mentor Northington, who was in the city Wednesday from Egypt, stated that what the old river did down in his section was a-plenty. However, Mr. Northington says he has seen some cotton that had at least five feet of water over it which is green, and apparently seems to still doing all right. Some farmers contend, however, that the cotton so situated will die early in the season from the effects, saying they are able to get into the fields and plow it within a reasonable time they can see no reason why the flooded cotton shouldn't make a crop.

With the flood coming so late, the outcome of the overflowed cotton is going to prove an "experiment," farmers say, because heretofore the floods have come in May, giving them ample time to replant the crops.

Just what cotton still green in the fields after the water went off of it is going to make, as we stated above, is yet to be determined, and time alone will tell, for scarcely various farmers have various opinions concerning its future. Farmers in numerous cases, where their cotton is still green, are hoping for the best and are getting in the fields and plowing it as soon as the fields are dry enough to permit that work.

Corn, where the water was not sufficiently deep to reach the ear on the stalk, will not be materially injured, most of the farmers agree.

EASY TO GET "NEWS" DURING OVERFLOW TIME

About one of the hardest things in newspaper work is avoiding "news" in unusual times—like that of the overflow of last week, when telephone service is hampered and you are cut off from reaching points, from where information is wanted, by high waters.

Frequently during each day some wild rumor finds its way from one to another on the street. Had we printed all the rumors, there'd been plenty of "news" in the paper.

Nobody ever knows how the wild rumors start—they just fly, and each time it is told it repeats it makes it a little bigger. There were some real front page stremmer-line stories afloat last week — none of which proved to be true.

DAILY TRUCK TO BRING DENTLER & SONS PRODUCTS

George H. Dentler & Sons of Houston manufacturers of Salad Dressings, Mayonnaise, Sandwich Spreads, Pickles, Potato Chips, Cookies, Horse Radish and other high grade food products, will start immediately a daily Truck direct from their factory to Eagle Lake. This assures our people absolutely fresh products every day.

Dentler and Sons have been in business in Houston more than 20 years and during that time have built up a reputation for strictly quality merchandise. Mr. Ellis L. Dentler Sales Manager was a visitor here during Wednesday and made arrangements will all Eagle Lake grocers to carry a supply of Dentler Made Products.

Starting next Monday morning Eagle Lake housewives will be able to buy strictly Kitchen Fresh Dentler Maid Products at all Grocery stores.

BASEBALL BENEFIT DANCE AT NADA HALL

The Garwood baseball club will give a benefit dance at the Nada KJT Hall on Tuesday night, July 2nd.

The dance is being extensively advertised and young ladies of Garwood, anxious to help their baseball team, are selling tickets at various towns throughout the county.

Music will be furnished by Bob Griffith and his orchestra. The dance is advertised as an old-time dance, but modern numbers will also be given during the program.

It is expected that the dance will be very largely attended, and many from Eagle Lake are expected to attend.

COYLE-CONCORD WELL HAS STARTED DRILLING

New Well In Garwood Area, With Rice Fields Bordering In All Directions, Expects To Set Casing At 700 Feet Tomorrow.

The Coyle-Concord Oil Company well spudded in west of Garwood Wednesday night, but owing to imperfections in electrical connection, drilling was suspended until Thursday night. Drilling has been going steadily ahead since the Thursday night start.

One hundred and forty-eight sacks of cement were delivered at the well yesterday by R. A. Walker of Horton & Horton, for setting of 10-inch surface casing which is expected to be completed at 700 feet depth late Saturday.

The new well is in the northwest quarter of the north line of the I&GN Ry. survey, Section 45, on the J. L. Freedine tract. The new location is about two miles a little north of west of the discovery well, or the original Coyle-Concord gasser, nearly due west.

C. H. Magee and W. J. Garland are drilling on the Coyle-Concord well. Mr. Magee is the discoverer of the gas well in the Garwood area, and was also on the job at the same well when Coyle-Concord went back into the hole for deeper drilling. Garland has been connected with the drilling of all of the Humble Oil and Refining Company and the Coyle tests in the area. Both are familiar with formations in the section.

Capt. A. J. Coyle, with Mrs. Coyle and three children, will make his home at the Coyle camp, near the first well in the field, during the drilling period of this well. He stated that the well, after reaching a sufficient depth, will drill slowly and do lots of coring.

The Coyle-Concord all-steel derrick and drilling outfit is on an especially solid foundation. With a drag line an earthern foundation was thrown up and set, on top of which the derrick has been built. The rig is capable of drilling to most any known depth. Water is being obtained from a nearby canal of the Garwood Irrigation Company. Rice is this year planted over practically the whole of the Coyle block, this well being surrounded by pretty green rice fields on which there is a fine stand of rice, all sod land. The fields being flooded should furnish the drilling crews with several degrees cooler weather than if the well was not in the midst of the rice fields.

The wild cat well south of Freistung, on the Frank Weishuhn farm in the northern part of Colorado county, south of Freisburg, spudded in Saturday a week ago, and during the middle of this week was reported down below 2000 feet. The well is known as Walter Keeble's No. 1. Frank Weishuhn, the location being in the Zimmerschmiedt survey, abstract 529.

The Headlight is informed that the contract on this well calls for a depth of 3800 feet and core tests of all sands. Companies holding acreage in the block are Crown Central, Sun, Gulf, Fraimer's Royalty Company, Magnolia Petroleum Company and the Geo. W. Hindman Company.

The Headlight extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Keyser of the Bernardo section on the arrival of a pretty daughter, Anne Bessie, who came to their home on Wednesday.

MANY ENJOY PROGRAM AND SUPPER AT LISSIE

A large attendance, including many from Eagle Lake, enjoyed the supper and entertainment given at Lissie on Wednesday evening. The Eagle Lake Rotary Club took advantage of the occasion, and instead of their regular Wednesday noonday luncheon, had luncheon with the Lissie ladies in the evening.

The affair was given by the Woman's Missionary Society of Lissie, they serving a wonderful menu, and following the supper an enjoyable program was given, as follows:

Old time tunes, played on the "fiddle," by Dick Cole; accordian music, G. E. Thomas, Sr., reading, "I'm All Mixed Up," Barbara Lee Briggs; songs, "Down By the Old Mill Stream," Nettie Marie Smith and Gordon Causey. Next on the entertainment program came a playlet, "Free Wheeling," in which the following took part:

Mangolene Bartman, Sandy Jack Houck, Benpecker, Alice Adkins; Slave, John Cobson; slave driver, Inez Thomas; Elaine, an actress, Mattie Lou Starr; Harry, her husband, Harold Thomas; Trevette, another actress, Ruth Clipson; George, her husband, Virgil Hough; policeman, Jim Bill Adkins.

PAVING CONTRACTORS TO INCREASE WORKING FORCE TO HUNDRED MEN

With Utilities Improvement Work Getting Out Of The Way, Brown & Root Will Speed Program In Curb, Gutter And Gravel Work On Streets Here.

Since the utilities companies are getting ahead in their work of lowering water and gas mains, the paving contractors, Brown & Root, Inc., are going to open up in a big way here during the coming week, T. A. Van Amburg, the mighty pleasant gentleman in charge of the work here, stated.

The Fourth of July, coming next week, is a holiday and will interfere in some respects to the paving plans for the week. But Mr. Van Amburg said, he, Brown & Root expect to have 100 people on the job in Eagle Lake before the close of the coming week.

With the utility improvements getting out of their way now, Brown & Root expect to push the work in the residence street paving.

During the coming week the paving contractors will open up full blast in curb and gutter and gravel work, and work of graveling Mills, Stephens, Cemetery and Clark Streets will soon get under way; with curb and gutter work started during the week on both Walnut Street and Cemetery Avenue. Excavating work on Prairie Street is also to start during the next week, and when the Excavating work is completed on the Prairie Street, the drag line will move to State Street, where similar work will be begun.

After graveling and packing the streets, allowing the gravel to set, actual paving work will be next on the program.

MISS BETTY JOCHETZ AND GEORGE ROESNER MARRIED

Tuesday morning at 8:30 a. m at the Catholic church in this city, a sweet, simple wedding ceremony was solemnized when Miss Betty Jochetz of Eagle Lake and George E. Roesner of Katy, Texas, were united in marriage by Rev. Father Macchiaverna, pastor of the local Catholic church. The beautiful ring ceremony was used.

Attending the bride and bridegroom were Miss Mary Jochetz, sister of the bride, as maid of honor and Earl Roesner of Katy, brother of the groom, who served in the capacity of best man.

The bride was gowned in a sport suit of powder blue crepe with accessories in harmony and carried an arm bouquet of white gladiolas and fern. The maid of honor wore a sport suit of pink crepe and carried coral gladiolas. The bridgroom wore a suit of oxford gray.

Immediately following the ceremony, a mass was said by Rev. Father Macchiaverna. Ernest Franka and L. J. Spanihel served as altar boys.

The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jochetz of this city, and has spent almost her entire life in Eagle Lake. She is a graduate of the local high school and is a sweet, pleasing young lady, loved by all.

The bridegroom is the promising son of Mrs. Katharine Roesner of Katy. He is a graduate of the Katy high school and of the A. & M. College. He is now vocational agriculture teacher at Riesel, Texas.

Following the ceremony, the young couple, the pastor and relatives enjoyed a sumptuous dinner at the home of the bride's parents at noon. The centerpiece was a lovely bride's cake in white and pink and was cut and served by the bride at the close of the meal.

Mr. and Mrs. Roesner left in their car in the early afternoon for a honeymoon trip to Waco and other points. They will be at home at Riesel after July first.

The many friends of this sweet young couple wish them all of the choicest blessings on their journey through life together.

The out of town guests at the wedding were Mrs. Katharine Roesner, of Katy; Earl Roesner, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Roesner and Miss Frances and Louis Young of Katy, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fojtik, and daughters, Misses Rosie and Lydie; and Mr. and Mrs. John Pulcik and children of Wallis.

Mrs. Minnie Peebles of Houston spent a few days here this week, a guest of Mrs. G. B. Skelton and Mrs. Lloyd Tate.

Ranger Zeno Smith of Houston, formerly of Eagle Lake, was a visitor here Monday en route to Del Rio.

OLD-TIME CITIZENS SPEND TUESDAY HERE

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Nichols of near Halletteville spent Tuesday afternoon here. They were accompanied by her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Strahan, of Fort Arthur, and by sister-in-law Birdie Montgomery of Houston, who are guests at the Nichols home this week