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EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS

Friday—Last Day
"Gay Deception"
with
Francis Lederer, Frances Dee
Also "Keystone Hotel"

Saturday
BUCK JONES
in
"BORDER BRIGANDS"
Also Comedy and Chapter 2 "Mountain Mystery" with Ken Maynard
Preview 11:00 o'clock "O'Shaunessy's Boy"

Sunday-Monday
CONTINUOUS SHOW EVERY SUNDAY
WALLACE BEERY
in
"O'SHAUNESSY'S BOY"
with
Jackie Cooper and "Spanky" MacFarland of "Our Gang" fame
Also Comedy "Magic Word"

Tuesday-Wednesday
"THIS WOMAN IS MINE"
—with—
Gregory Ratoff, Richard Bennett, Katharine Sergava
A Stirring Jealousy Drama
Also Comedies

Thursday-Friday
GINGER ROGERS
FRED ASTAIRE
in
"TOP HAT"
with
Edward Everitt Horton, Eric Blore
Also Comedy

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ON STAGE
THE EAGLE LAKE LITTLE THEATRE ONE ACT PLAY

MILLIONS OF FORGOTTEN MONEY

It just doesn't seem possible that a person could forget that he had mighty in a bank or owned certain bonds, but the fact remains that several hundred millions of dollars lie unclaimed in vaults of the Treasury and the banks of the nation. Most of the money being held by Uncle Sam is in form of bonds, especially Liberty bonds, which were purchased laid away and forgotten. That held by the banks is mostly in the form of accounts long unclaimed estates. Banks in towns and cities located near the World war training camps hold thousands of small accounts deposited by soldiers who went over seas and were killed or who have forgotten about their accounts since they returned. Some are accounts opened by fathers for their first-born and likewise forgotten. Some larger accounts were saved by persons who died without wills, etc. If an owner or heir does not show up within 20 years the unclaimed money becomes the property of the state although the owner of any part of these sums may recover them upon satisfactory proof of his claim.

GARWOOD FAIR CIRCULARS WILL SHORTLY BE ISSUED

Large eight-page heralds announcing the Garwood Short Course and Community Fair will be circulated within the next day or two. The advertising on colored paper, a herald the same size of a full issue of the Headlight, will give full information of the Garwood Fair and premium lists for all exhibits.

Mr. T. T. Weisz of Houston was a business visitor in the city Thursday.

Mrs. J. C. Townley and son, Geo., spent the week-end in Eagle Lake, visiting friends, having motored up from Bay City.

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GEN. JACOB F. WOLTERS DIED IN AUSTIN TUESDAY

Many old acquaintances throughout this section regretted deeply to learn of the death of Gen. Jacob F. Wolters, of Houston, who died at Austin Tuesday afternoon following a heart attack.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Thursday in Christ Episcopal Church at Houston, with burial in Forest Park Cemetery in that city.

In the old days Gen. Wolters, "Jake," as he was familiarly known to his old friends and associates, was a frequent visitor here, and annually, with a party of LaGrange friends each spring camped on the lake for several the fishing season. During those days he made many friends in this section, who esteemed him throughout his eventful life.

Mr. Wolters was probably one of the best known characters in Texas and for many years has been general attorney for The Texas Company. His wife is a former Colorado County girl, and was Miss Sallie Drein of Columbus.

Many old friends throughout this and adjoining counties mourn his death and extend sympathy to the members of his family.

CHILD LABOR BUGABOO

We hear much ado about children having to work and some very pathetic stories are pictured of little ones crushed with overburdening work. There was a time perhaps, when some conditions prevailed that were very wrong regarding the working of children in factories, but the public seven years ago demanded state laws to prevent such. We believe every state now has child labor laws that fully protect children. Yet every session of our legislature is asked to pass a resolution that Texas favors an amendment to the United States Constitution that would turn over to the national government all regulations of work of children up to 18 years old. This amendment would forbid children under that age engaging in any gainful occupation. The reformers and uplifters are diligently at work to have this amendment adopted. Texas has a very fine child labor law and is enforcing it.

Here is the situation regarding child labor laws in Texas as shown by the United States 1930 census: Number of children under 14 years of age, 717,231.

Number gainfully employed, 52,222

Per cent employed, 7.

Of these employed the majority of them are newsboys, telegraph messengers and like positions. We can't imagine why we should turn over the working control of our children to some bureau in Washington.—Rusk County News.

COWBOY BAND DANCE IS FAIRLY WELL ATTENDED

Though there was the ever-present throng of onlookers, the floor was not overly crowded with dancers at Austin Hall Wednesday night, when the Birdbrand Cowboy Band of Dallas furnished the music.

The music was good, the band keeping perfect time, but many of the dancers were disappointed in the slowness of the selections, occasioned through an excessive "broadcasting" through the loud speaker installed in the hall.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Killough and family are this week moving into their new home, which they recently purchased from Mrs. Mary McDow, who has rented one of the Lands cottages, where she is at home.

Mrs. Walter Lynch of Hallettsville is spending the week here visiting her mother, Mrs. H. C. Harris and other relatives and friends.

HEADLIGHT IS ADDING MANY NEW SUBSCRIBERS

We are pleased to add the name of Mr. Ed. Henneke of the Bernardo section to the Headlight's rapidly growing subscription list through that section of the county. Quite a number of new subscribers through that community, served by the Cat Spring route, have had their names added to the Headlight's list during the past several weeks.

MR. AND MRS. THOMAS AT HOME IN COLUMBUS

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Thomas of near Ramsey completed their household moving yesterday and are now making their home in Columbus. They are domiciled in that city at the home of Mrs. Sallie Cone. Mr. John Muesse and family are now occupying the Thomas place, where he will engage in farming during the coming year.

Mrs. J. J. Everett of Alleyton and Mrs. R. H. Turner of Columbus spent Sunday with their father, Judge W. F. Neal, and were accompanied here by Thurman Clements and Walter Armstrong, Jr., who had been visiting in Colorado county. Judge Neal returned home with his daughters for a week's stay.—Wharton Spectator.

WHEN BACON WAS $8 POUND

Present-day consumers who complain of the price of foods can be thankful that they do not have to pay the prices charged during the American Revolution, when money was "not worth a continental." Bacon sold for as high as $8 a pound in Continental currency, according to Butchar's Advocate and beef brought $1,500 a barrel.

Horses sold for $2,400 to $5,000 a head in the virtually worthless currency of the Continental Congress; cattle prices were $603 to $3,000 a head and in one transaction $2,551 was paid for seventy bushels of oats.—Ex.

J. N. Frazar has been on the sick list this week, suffering from malarial fever.

C. N. Ray of San Antonio is here today for a business visit. Twenty years ago Mr. Ray made his home in Rock Island, where he was engaged in business.

E. C. Schilling of Garwood was a visitor in the city yesterday. As the deer hunting season draws nearer, Mr. Schilling is talking in terms of deer. He usually gets his buck every season.

NEAR SERIOUS AUTO ACCIDENT IN COLUMBUS

A car occupied by Mrs. Lavo Hester of Columbus and her daughter, collided head-on with another car, in Columbus early Monday night. While none was seriously injured, all occupants of both cars were more or less cut and bruised, and both cars were considerably damaged.

CITIZEN OF FORTY YEARS AGO IS VISITOR

Mrs. Jimmie Damon of Richmond and Mrs. Hallie Damon of Waco, were visitors in the city Monday afternoon. Both are former citizens of this city. Mrs. Hallie Damon, who probably will be better remembered by the older citizens as Mrs. V. V. Dathon, has not lived in Eagle Lake for many years. Many old friends were glad indeed to see her again. She is a guest of Mrs. Jimmie Damon at Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fojtik of East Bernard, Mrs. J. B. Johnson and Mrs. Raymond Jechetz of this city were invited to Inez Wednesday to attend the funeral of their niece, Mrs. Joe Koutney.

A SERIOUS PROBLEM

The difficulty of shutting off relief is becoming painfully apparent. In Kansas City, Kans., a city of nearly 90,000, orders came to cut the work relief force by 600. More than 5,000 were on the work relief rolls. Before the cut could be made over two-thirds of those that went on a strike and 2,500 men, women and children besieged the courthouse and refused to leave until their fourteen demands were met. Among those demands were that no one was to be disharged; an increase of 25 per cent in wages; free milk for all children and old people; that all county officials donate one month's salary to the relief workers; that no real estate owner shall evict families for non-payment of rent; the right to organize labor unions that shall have representatives to deal with officials; that gas and electricity be furnished free; that we will remain in the courthouse and lawn till our demands are granted and that we be furnished food while the strike lasts and that beds' be furnished.

Without discussing the right or wrong of the demands, we believe the situation presents a serious problem for the relief authorities when they begin to curtail the relief that is now being extended to 22,000,000 of our people. It is said that Nero fiddled while Rome burned, and the Congress of the United States has not passed one bill at this session that even pretended that it would increase employment. In the other hand it has devoted seven months of ham-stringing business. And with all the experiments relief rolls have increased. It's discouraging. The Kansas town is an indication of what lies out before us.—Marshall News.

Maud Muller, on a summer's day,
Raked the meadow, sweet with hay.
The Judge rode by — but had to
leave her;
It was his day to have hay fever.

Before and After Maitmony

When a man's single his money
he'll jingle;
He carelessly squanders his rocks.
He may look funky, but he spends
lots of money
On fancy white shirts and light
socks.

When a man's married he's worried
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His wife calls him "Honey," then
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And buys him a mud-colored
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INDUSTRY TEST WELL ABANDONED AT 3600 FEET

Within eleven days after it was spudded in the first test well on the C. F. Knolle farm at Industry, was abandoned Tuesday evening at a contract depth of 3600 feet with no favorable comment.

The well was drilled by J. S. Wheless and associates of Houston, and was known as the C. F. Knolle No. 1. Rowen Drilling Company of Houston held the contract.

It was drilled in a block in which four major oil companies hold lease interests. The companies holding interests are Humble Oil & Refining Co., Sun Oil Co., Gulf Production Co. and Magnolia Petroleum Co. Kirby Petroleum Co. also owns a lease thread near the test.

Dismantling of rig and steel derrick began immediately.—New Ulm Enterprise.

LITTLE THEATRE PLAY AT AVALON ON OCTOBER 18

The one-act play, "A Collar Button and You," will be presented at the Avalon Theatre by the Eagle Lake Little Theatre on the evening of October 18th instead of the 11th, as originally announced.

This play will be an added attraction to the regular theatre program, the feature picture being "Top Hat," starring Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, and there will be no advance in prices.

"A Collar Button and You" is being directed by Mrs. Frank Cheatham. An excellent cast is in rehearsal and theatre patrons on this evening are sure to find the play entertaining and amusing.

The characters are as follows: Bridegroom, Harry McIntosh, Jr. Best Man, Gardner Duncan; Bride, Miss Lucy Kate Rogers; Bridegroom's Mother, Mrs. C. C. Pennington; Bride's Father, H. D. Larson and Bride's Aunt, Mrs. W. C. Reed.

COMMUNITY BANQUET

leader, announced then called on by the toastmaster for the evening, C. C. Marmion, president of the Rotary Club, acted as toastmaster, and the Birdbrand Cowboy Band of Dallas, furnished a musical program.

Fourteen girls of the pep squad, all in shirts and slacks of white, Billy Wade, Eula Rieger, Maureen Townley, Lydia Reuther, Martha Grace Killough, Jane Crim, Jane Reed, Ruth Thomas, Maud Ham, Ruth Smith, Corinne Wade, Margaret Arnold, Madeleine McCarty and Mary Ethel Height gave a song and dance number, with the latter two in dance.

Miss Kathryn McRee's reading, "The Party at Crogan's" got a big hand from the banqueters, and Miss Ruby Hinton sang sweetly two charming numbers, "Paris in the Spring" and "Love Me Forever."

The only speaker of the evening was Rev. Ernest F. Deutsch of Bay City, president of the Kiwanis Club of that city, who is conducting a revival meeting at the Presbyterian Church here. Mr. Deutsch gave a fine talk on "Opportunity for Service," and brought before the people many of the worthwhile things that are accomplished in a community through an organization such as the Rotary Club.

Members of the pep squad in white shirts and white slacks served as waitresses, giving further an air of attractiveness and beauty to the occasion.

METHODIST W. M. S.

The Methodist W. M. S. met Tuesday at the Educational building in an educational program in charge of Mrs. C. W. Nispel.

Next Tuesday the W. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Nispel and will take the form of a silver tea.

GARWOOD FAIR

dinner consisting of fried fish, bread, salad, cakes and coffee will be served for 25 cents a plate.

The afternoon session will open with an address by Dr. E. R. Alexander, Professor of Agricultural Education, A. & M. College. At the conclusion of his address, the El Campo Municipal Band will render another program of music. The band concert will be followed by an address from Dr. E. R. Eudaly, Extension Division, A. & M. College. "Understanding the Child" will be the subject of a lecture delivered to the women by Miss Lenora Walters, District Supervisor, Home Economics. Miss Walters will also deliver another lecture on "Beautifying the Home."

The evening session will open with a musical program rendered by the El Campo Municipal Band. At eight o'clock in the evening, Dr. Edward Mickle, Professor of Slavonic Languages, University of Texas, will deliver an address in the Bohemian Language on "Education in the Modern World."

Mrs. Estep Cubage and daughter, Mrs. Victor Cook, of Corpus Christi, arrived here Wednesday for a visit to Mrs. Cubage's father, N. F. Frazar, and to the family of her brother, J. N. Frazar.

HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Ted Balusek, Earl Rogers, Jr., Bruce McCarty, Jr., Loma Lee Powell, Corinne Wade, Farley Woco, Eula Rieger, Fred Hoenighaus, Jane Reed, Daphene McElhinney, Madeleine McCarty, Franklin Reese, Elmer Struss, Norrie Reed, Gardner Seaholm, Frank Davidson, James Cash, William Glaiser, Jane Crim and Grace Reed.

The first practice will be held in the school auditorium Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

ALTAIR WOMAN BITTEN BY POISONOUS SPIDER

Picking up pecans in the woods near Altair Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. George Perry, living on the Tait place, was bitten by something thought to have been a spider. She was given first aid, but a short while later went into convulsions, and was taken to Columbus where she is under the care of a physician.

Mrs. Perry is the mother of Lloyd Perry, twelve year old boy, who suffered a broken leg when a horse fell on him, was bitten by a rattle snake and also suffered a broken arm during the past summer, an account of which was printed in the Headlight early in September.

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BERNARD SECTION ASSURED OF NEW GRAVEL LOOP ROAD

Commissioners Court Will Finance Construction of the Four Bridges, On Which Commissioner Kansteiner Expects To Begin Work About December First.

At the regular session of the Commissioners' Court in Columbus Monday, that body agreed to build four bridges on the proposed new loop road north of Eagle Lake, and the road is now assured. Commissioner P. H. Kansteiner of precinct No. 3 who, working in co-operation with the other commissioners, expects to begin actual construction by the first of December.

Civil Engineer Brandon Fitzpatrick estimated that the bridges can be built for $660.00, and the court has arranged to take care of this amount. However, there is to be much dirt and fill-in work necessary to the bridge construction, and the money available is to be spent directly on bridge construction and not dirt work. This question was taken care of in a jiffy, as citizens living in the section to be benefitted by the new loop road, volunteered to assist in that part of the work.

For a long time this road has been needed, since it is impossible to be traveled after rains on account of the absence of bridges. Two of the bridges are to be built over Willow Creek, and two will span the Cedhatte, one on the Ramsey road and one on the road leading to Eagle Lake.

The construction of the four bridges, and the building of a permanent road through the territory north of Eagle Lake is the opinion of this paper, will be one of the greatest improvements given precinct No. 3 in the past thirty years. It is a road that has long been needed.

Applications for funds for grading and graveling of this road have been made and have received approval by the Houston WPA office, and with sufficient funds through this application for properly draining, grading and graveling the road, citizens living in that section of the county will have an all-season road, something they have never had before.

COUPLE CELEBRATES GRD. WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

One of Eagle Lake's old and most loved couples, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nathan, during last week, on October 8th, celebrated their sixty-third wedding anniversary. They were married in Poland, on the border of Germany, and for more than thirty years have been citizens of Eagle Lake. Both Mr. and Mrs. Nathan are loved and esteemed by our people. He is in his 83rd year, Mrs. Mrs. Nathan is 80, and both are in excellent health. The Headlight joins their friends in congratulations on the occasion of their sixty-third wedding anniversary, an event seldom reached in life, and wishes these two good friends many more years of health and happiness.

FORMER CITIZEN HERE PASSES AWAY IN BEAUMONT

Many old friends and acquaintances here will deeply regret to learn of the death of John S. McElhinney, who passed away in a hospital at Beaumont on Thursday of last week.

Mr. McElhinney was in Arkansas when he became ill, his brother, B. H. McElhinney of this city, and Mrs. McElhinney, and his sister, Mrs. M. L. Anderson, being called to his bedside. He was removed from Arkansas to the hospital at his home in Beaumont.

Mr. McElhinney was considered one of the best rice men in the district, and for thirty-five years had been a resident of Beaumont, though at intervals had been stationed at other points throughout the rice territories in connection with that business, and several years ago was connected with the association office here.

He was of a friendly, jovial disposition and made many friends wherever he was stationed. The Headlight extends sincerest sympathy to the surviving relatives in their sorrow.

RICE SALE AT DEVERS TUESDAY TOPS MARKET

Manager E. E. Turner of the local American Rice Growers' Association, states that a sale of Blue Rose rice at Devers, between Beaumont and Houston, Tuesday, up to time time topped the rice market in the three rice growing states—$7.005 per barrel.

Mr. Turner, here, this week sold a lot of Fortuna at $6.75 which is the highest price Fortuna sale up to that hour.

ONE-ACT PLAY WILL BE STAGED TONIGHT AT AVALON THEATRE

Little Theatre Players Will Present "A Collar Button and You" Between Avalon Shows With No Advance In Admission.

The Little Theatre will give its first offering for the season, "A Collar Button and You," a one-act play between the first and second shows at the Avalon Theatre tonight, with no advance in admission. A splendid picture, "Top Hat," is the Avalon's bill.

As this is the first play presented by the Little Theatre in some time, a large audience is expected.

"A Collar Button and You" has a splendid cast: Harry McIntosh is the bridegroom; Lucy Kate Rogers, the bride; Gardner Duncan, the best man; Ben Howard, a groomsman; Mrs. C. C. Pennington, the bridegroom's mother; H. D. Larson, the bride's father, and Mrs. W. C. Reed, the bride's aunt.

The cast are all former Little Theatre players, and they are expected to put on a splendid show.

"A Collar Button and You" was formerly a play know as "A Wedding," but was played at the University of Texas as "A Collar Button and You," and has since remained under that name.

With an exceptionally good picture in "Top Hat," the Avalon's screen program for the night, a good one-act play and a splendid cast, the Little Theatre hopes to be greeted by a large audience tonight.

NEW MODEL FORD CAR EXPECTED HERE TODAY

Manager B. H. McElhinney of the Universal Motor Company is expecting one of the new model 1936 Fords here late today. The new car, a complete description of which will be found at another place in today's paper, will be on exhibition in the show room of the Universal Motor Company. They invite you to come and see it, and for the convenience of the public the Universal will remain open all day Sunday.

EL CAMPO SCHOOL HAS ATTRACTIVE PEP SQUAD

The El Campo school's pep squad, which made its first appearance football team to Eagle Lake last Friday, put on a nice drill during the half, following the local pep squad, which is improving each week.

The El Campo girls have attractive uniforms, of white shirts, red socks and blood red capes, giving the pretty girls a most attractive appearance.

They have plenty of pep in their drills and that charming little leader, Miss Liberty Brown — how she did perform on the field! She got plenty of pep—in fact that girl's got everything, charm of face and figure, that fit her ideally as a pep squad leader.

FIRST STREET FINISHED AND OPENED TODAY

Paving Work Completed On Stevenson Avenue Late Yesterday, And Eagle Lake's First Paved Residence Street Is Completed.

Traffic is today opened over Eagle Lake's first paved street in the residential district, Stevenson Avenue.

Paving work began on this street, at the A. E. Cearnal corner, Thursday morning, and by night all contractors, Brown & Root, had completed this street. Paving work today will be in progress either on Cemetery or Mills Avenue, Engineer R. D. Hodge stated.

There were many onlookers during the day yesterday to see the paving work started and the finishing of our first residential paved street.

The newly paved street presents a pleasing appearance, and from all indications, the contractors are giving Eagle Lake a thorough and painstaking job. Long delays, occasioned by the rainy seasons, have worked to ultimate advantage, in that all streets are assured of an exceptionally good and well-set foundation.

Within two hours after the start of work yesterday morning, the entire street was spread with the first paving coat of one-fourth gallon of emulsified asphalt to the square yard and 55 pounds of the base crushed rock, from one inch to one and a half inch size. The asphalt is placed on the street with an improved pressure distributor. The base rock was uniformly spread by blading and rolled to the required grade. The next coat consisted of four-tenths of a gallon of emulsified asphalt to the square yard, placed with the pressure distributor, and followed by a coating of crushed rock graded from 3-8 to 10-mesh at the rate of 'seventeen pounds to the square yard. This was bladed, broom-dragged and rolled to a uniform surface. Another coating of emulsified asphalt was applied at the rate of 35-100 gallon to the square yard, with the pressure distributor. Then came a layer of crushed rock, graded 3-8 to 20-mesh, thirteen pounds to the square yard. After this coating was dragged and rolled asphalt was applied with the pressure distributor in an amount of 30 gallon to the square yard, then came the finer or top covering in an amount of five pounds to the square yard, spread and broom-dragged. The entire street is then covered with a coating of sand. The sand is merely used to take up the surplus asphalt.

The crushed rock used in street paving here comes from New Braunfels, from carloads having been received up to yesterday.

Engineer Otis Key estimates that twenty-seven carloads of this rock will be necessary to complete the originally planned curb and gutter street. Other streets now ready for the paving and that with good weather, all of these streets should be paved and open to traffic in another ten days.

BODY OF GIRL IS FOUND FLOATING IN SHALLOW WATER OF CUMMINS CREEK

That No Water Was Found In The Lungs Of Girl, Who Is Niece Of Eagle Lake Citizen, Officers Are Searching Area For Any Clues.

The death of Miss Geraldine Kollman, nineteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alberts Kollman, living three miles north of Columbus, whose body, found floating in shallow water of Cummins Creek, was found shortly after 6 o'clock yesterday evening, is clouded in mystery.

An examination of the body by doctors showed no water in the lungs, leading officers to believe that the girl was not drowned, though there was no evidence of an attack or wounds on the body to indicate murder, the Headlight was informed by telephone.

The girl wore trousers, and one leg of the trousers is missing and one shoe was gone. As the Headlight goes to press, officers and citizens of Columbus are searching the section in an effort to find the missing trouser leg and shoe, and are looking for foot tracks at any place in the area that might give evidence of a struggle.

When going into the woods horseback, the young lady had often been cautioned by members of her family to always tie her horse securely, and that her horse was found untied gives officers further belief that drowning was not the cause of death.

Yesterday morning the girl accompanied by a brother had left their home on horseback to hunt pecans. They became separated in the woods and when she failed to return home a search was begun. The body floating in shallow water of the creek was discovered by a younger brother late in the evening.

Officers are making every effort to determine the cause of the young lady's death and are this morning securing the woods where the two were picking up pecans for any evidence that may lead to a clue.

The young lady, who is a niece of F. T. Kollman of Eagle Lake, was an intelligent and very bright girl. She graduated from the Columbus High School in 1934, of valedictorian of the class. She was the only daughter, and is survived by her parents and two brothers.

GOOD ORCHESTRA FOR OLD-TIME DANCE HERE

T. F. Kollman tells the Headlight that he has engaged the Sidatura Orchestra of Cuero for a dance time dance at Austin's Hall here on Saturday, October 26th. Mr. Kollman says he heard this orchestra last week, and it's peppy and plenty good.

EAGLE LAKE TEAM GOES TO WHARTON FOR GAME TONIGHT

Locals Lost First Conference Game To El Campo, But Boys Say They're Going To Beat Wharton Tonight Or "Bust."

Coach W. B. Hinton's Eagle Lake Eagles play Wharton at Wharton tonight under the floodlights, game time being set for 8 o'clock.

The Eagles are looking forward to making the best showing of the season against the Tigers, who have lost all of their games as have the Eagles. Wharton has been defeated by Rosenberg, 31 to 6, while last week the Eagles suffered a 12 to 6 setback by the El Campo Ricebirds. The loser of this game is likely to remain in the cellar position, according to close observers.

Tom Driscoll's Bay City Black Cats, with their impressive 25 to 6 win over the powerful Rosenberg Brahmas look like the district champions for the third consecutive year. Rosenberg is reputed to have the second strongest team in the district. Bay City with their one win heads the district standing with El Campo, who has also won one game. Rosenberg has won one and lost one, while Eagle Lake has lost one and Wharton one, placing them in a tie for the bottom. Richmond has yet to play a district game.

BERNARDO TEST WELL IS ABANDONED AT 5008 FEET

After reaching a depth of 5008 feet, the Tri-State Oil Company abandoned their test on the Herman Witte place, near Bernardo, Monday and Tuesday were dismantling the machinery and derrick.

The drill went 300 feet into the Cockfield with nothing of interest showing. A Slumberjet test was made of the well, which also showed nothing of importance, so the well has been abandoned.

Drilling operations could be continued to a depth of 7000 to 8000 feet, a few hundred feet deeper drilling would prove fruitless, is the opinion of those connected with the well, so the Trans-State has quit the venture and pulled up stakes.

Miss Lucy Trest of Sandersville, Mississippi, is here for an extended visit to the family of her aunt, Mrs. M. C. Truitt.

MISS DOROTHY LEHRER IS AT WARD-BELMONT

Mrs. W. K. Lehrer of Garwood returned home last week from Nashville, Tennessee, where she had accompanied her daughter, Miss Dorothy Jane, who has entered Ward-Belmont School. Owing to illness, Miss Dorothy having but recently recovered from an appendicitis operation, she was unable to begin her school duties at the opening of the term. The Headlight will visit her at the Tennessee school each week.

GARWOOD FAIR NEXT WEEK TO DRAW CROWDS

Garwood Plans For Feeding Great Crowd Of People, When Final Fair Arrangements Are Made At Meeting Held Wednesday.

At a meeting of the citizens of the Garwood and Nada school districts held Wednesday, final preparations were completed for the fifth annual Short Course and Community Fair, which will be held on Thursday and Friday, of next week, at the Garwood school building.

Merchants and dealers from several adjacent towns are arranging to exhibit their wares at the fair.

Music and entertainment have been provided for the public for both days. Last week the Headlight gave a full list of the speakers and a full program for both days. The speakers will be as follows:

L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Instruction; J. H. Wooten, county superintendent of Colorado county; E. H. Patton, Deputy State Superintendent of Education; C. H. Matthews of Eagle Lake, secretary of the State Agricultural Council; Miss Blanche Taylor, instructor of home economics, Garwood Public Schools; Miss Lenora Walters, district supervisor of home economics; Dr. T. A. White, Arts and Industries College; Dr. Edward Micek University of Texas; Dr. E. R. Alexander and E. R. Eudaly of the A. & M. College.

The public generally is invited to attend the fair. Garwood people have arranged to feed the great crowds that are expected to attend. On the first day, a barbecue dinner, with all the good things that go with it, will be served at a very small cost. On Friday, practically the same menu will be served with the exception of the barbecued meats, which will be served instead of barbecue.

Supt. E. G. Marshall has worked untiringly for the success of this fair and short course, and he is to be congratulated on the large eight-page circular which he issued announcing the big event. If there isn't a big attendance at the Garwood fair, surely it won't be the fault of Mr. Marshall or the flashy and attractive advertising that he got out.

From every indication, if the weather is good, there will be an immense attendance at the fair and short course.

E. H. Rabel, assessor and collector, has an advertisement in today's Headlight, announcing dates he will be in Eagle Lake, Bernardo, Mentz, Rock Island, Sheridan, Nada and Garwood. Look up the dates in this advertisement.

Mrs. E. B. Mooney and children spent Saturday in Wharton, visiting Mrs. Tom Gorman.

Author, Explorer, World-Traveler And War Correspondent Spends An Hour Here

Long - distance bicyclists and around-the-world walkers, they frequently pass this way. In conversation with a bicycle rider here Friday, in a moment we saw the many ways of gentlemanly manners and highly educated.

He said he was Louis E. Freeman and had ridden his bike from Los Angeles here, and that he was en route to New York City. He stated that he averaged about 80 miles a day, and some days covered as much as a hundred miles.

Seated with him on a bench under a tree in the city park, the Headlight man began to ask questions. He wasn't inclined to "put out" at first. Something was said about his age. "Well, how old do you think I am?" he asked. "Fifty-seven," we told him. "You must be pretty good," he answered, "you hit it right off the reel."

"I've been through lots of towns on this bicycle since I left Los Angeles," he said, "and I covered nearly 3000 miles on a bike last year, but you are among the very few newspaper men of the smaller towns that have ever tried to get a story from me."

"Really, I'm not looking for publicity," the big man in shorts, with sun-tanned limbs, said, "but since you seem to be right on the job here in your town, I'm going to tell you."

And then he began to tell us something of his life. Very modest, always he says nothing boastingly. He said that he had traveled around over this old world some; he had been special war correspondent with some of the foreign armies; he had done some exploring — "and," he remarked, "I guess I would be classed sort of along in your work for I've written some books that have been published."

"What books?" we asked. He named several. Then, he said, "Since you are determined to get a story out of me, and it's so unusual in the small towns, I'm really going to tell you, provided you'll mail me one of your papers care of the Explorer's Club, New York City."

"Okeh, Mr. Freeman," we said.

"As I told you," he continued, "I'm not out for publicity, though if I were, I believe I could get it all along the route. Get your 'Who's Who,' he said, 'and look me up.' It will tell you all you want to know."

The latest edition of this authority says of him: "Louis Ransome Freeman, author, traveler, explorer, born in Genoa Junction, Wisconsin, in 1878, unmarried. His travels and explorations include: From 1899 to 1912, in North and South America, Asia, Africa and the Islands of the Pacific; was correspondent for the Russian-Japanese war in 1905; member of the commission of Associated Chambers of Commerce of Pacific Coast to China in 1910; correspondent with the British, French and Italian armies in 1915-1917; lieutenant with the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve in 1917-18; correspondent attached to the Czech Fleet during the war; member of staff of Allied Naval Armistice Commission sent to Germany in 1918; special correspondent with the United States fleet on its cruise to Australia in 1925; special naval correspondent with the Uni-

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THRILLS AND SPILLS FEATURE IN DONKEY BASEBALL GAMES

Crowds Get Plenty For Price Of Admission At Donkey Baseball Games On Football Field Here Monday And Tuesday Nights.

The donkey baseball games on Monday and Tuesday nights, furnished two big fun nights for the people of this community. The games were played for the benefit of the High School pep squad, which realized about $75.00 from the two nights, and from the sale of Coca-Cola, the profits on which were donated to the fund by the local Coca-Cola Bottling Company.

The girls of the pep squad and all connected with the school are thankful to everyone who took part in the events and for the loyal assistance given them in putting over the burlesque games.

A team composed of members of the Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Company defeated a team from the Eagle Lake Rotary Club on Monday night, in a score of 3 to 0. The Rotarians, however, declare this game to have been a frame-up. They say the firemen came out on the field in the late afternoon, before time for the night game, selected all the best jaysacks for themselves, and left only the outlaws for the Rotarians. The donkeys really did some bucking and kicking after the players had hit a ball and attempted to ride the long-eared animals to first base. Some of the players really hit the ground. Probably the most graceful spill of the evening was performed by Adolph Vacek, playing on the Rotarian team.

J. H. McCreary, who is a Rotarian, was umpire, though at no time in the game ever had any opportunity to even up the score, or get over a single run for his club.

The Rotary club, captained by Simon Sinclair, was composed of G. C. Marmion, N. C. Ney, Gardner Seaholm and Ben Howard, who was announced through the loud speaker as "The pride of the Frank Stephens Company," David Wintermann, Adolph Vacek, Edgar Bagby, Simon Sinclair and Bob Pharell.

Among the firemen a-top the long-ears were Bennie Blair, captain, B. F. Rieger, Sunshine Dippel, Hillie Kretzschmar, Buddy Randow, who distinguished himself as a first baseman, Leo Kretzschmar, who was never able to hit a ball and had to be substituted by J. A. Rugles, S. D. Porter, Albert Loughridge and Clyde Morgan.

The big fun was Tuesday, when the married women contested for donkey baseball honors with the girls of the city.

The matrons put on a big show when they came on the field, led by a tin pan band with Mrs. Marvin Stephens, last page

LITTLE GIRL INJURED IN FALL ON CEMENT

Patsy Chambers, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chambers, inflicted a severe wound in her forehead late Wednesday, when she fell in the yard at the W. P. Wade home and struck her head on cement walk. Dr. A. A. Physician was summoned and several stitches were required in sewing up the wound in her forehead.

MRS. HEIMAN IMPROVING AFTER SERIOUS OPERATION

Her friends will rejoice to learn of the steady improvement of Mrs. M. L. Heiman of Garwood, who underwent a very serious operation at the Campbell Sanitarium in Wharton two weeks ago. For a time following the operation, alarm was felt over her condition. She has since been improving nicely, however, and it is expected that she will shortly be able to return home.

NEGROES ARE CHARGED WITH THEFT OF CALVES

Deputy Sheriff W. M. Conner during the week-end arrested J. D. Clayton and L. C. Jenkins, negroes, who are charged with theft of stock. Clayton is an Eagle Lake negro and has been working on the Campbell and Salladay rice farm. Jenkins has been living on the John