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SIX THOUSAND SANDBAGS MAKE GARWOOD PUMPING PLANT SAFE AGAINST OVERFLOW

Fourth Home on Garwood's "Water-Front" Being Moved Today As Present River Rise Cuts Deeper Into West Bluff.

With the Colorado River two feet higher than the big rise of last week, and expected to go six inches higher at Garwood, the west bluff at that place has continued to slough off into the stream in great hunks. It will be a different looking river at that point when the water recedes.

The west bluff probably washed out more, with a more frequent rolling into the river of pieces of the bank, during yesterday than in any one day during the present rise or the high water of a week ago.

Three houses on the bluff front, that of Mrs. W. M. Dixon, T. C. Read and J. J. Beck, have been moved further back from the river, and yesterday Dr. W. E. Little had a force of men preparing to move his house. The Little home is a brick veneer, and yesterday the bricks were being torn away, the frame part of the home may be moved to a new location where it will be a new looking place.

The bluff has caved off almost up to the former site of Mrs. Dixon's home, which was moved last week, and has crept up to within a few feet of the present site of the home. The bluff has caved off almost up to the former site of Mrs. Dixon's home, which was moved last week, and has crept up to within a few feet of the present site of the home.

William K. Lehrer had a force of men from ninety to a hundred men busy in anticipation of the present high water fortifying the Garwood Irrigation Company's pumping plant on the river bank. Six thousand sandbags had been thrown to the river at the sides of the pumping plant, and late yesterday Mr. Lehrer was taking a free breathing spell as he felt that the pump had been made safe against the overflow.

Two men were killed in the building of the plant. Because a truck could not reach one of the river sides, a wheelbarrow force was used, necessitating a considerable longer time to complete the undertaking.

Mrs. Sam Carter and baby of Houston are spending the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Roberts.

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BAPTIST EVANGELIST



DR. GEO. W. McCALL

Dr. Geo. W. McCall of Dallas, who is preaching twice each day at the Baptist Church, will continue the meetings through both services Sunday.

Rev. Bruner Lee, pastor, says they are hoping to have all of their Sunday School teachers and pupils tonight, Friday.

The evangelist will preach on "The Second Coming of Christ, Signs of the Times, etc." Saturday night, and a large audience is anticipated.

The pastor and evangelist appreciate the splendid co-operation given the revival by members of other churches of Eagle Lake. Some members of other churches, they said, haven't missed a single service.

Dr. McCall is an exceptionally strong preacher and a living word of God. He has made many friends since he has been in Eagle Lake, for he is a most pleasant and agreeable gentleman.

All are invited to come to the few remaining services of the meeting.

WELL AT GARWOOD HAS GOOD CHANCE FOR OIL IN SAND AT 6210 FEET

Losing Part of Tool In Hole Forces Drillers To Plug Back 170 Feet And Go Into Saturated Sand Through Angle Hole.

The Coyle-Sterling interests are hopeful for a well in the Garwood area in their M. E. South No. 1, after having encountered considerable difficulty during the past week. After losing part of a test tool in the sand at 6120 feet, the hole was plugged back with tement, Wednesday 170 feet, and the well will sidetrack at that depth for a new hole to the sand.

Whipstocking from the 170-foot cement plug-back was begun this Friday morning, and with favorable drilling, it is expected that the drill will reach the sand in the side hole within from twelve to sixteen drilling hours.

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TWO YEAR OLD COLORED

A two-year old negro baby boy, son of Zell Parker who lives two miles west of Eagle Lake, was rushed to the Jefferson Davis hospital in Houston Saturday night after having been wounded in the thigh through the accidental discharge of a rifle.

The baby was asleep on the floor while a 13-year old boy, a cousin of the wounded child, was cleaning a 22 caliber rifle. A rod in the gun struck the floor, causing the gun to fire, the bullet striking the sleeping boy.

NOTE DROPPED FROM PLANE IS DELIVERED

When Lieutenant J. W. Hinton of Barksdale Field, Louisiana, flew over Eagle Lake Tuesday, he "shimmied" his wings, which is in answer to a wave from his brother, Coach W. B. Hinton of the Eagle Lake High School.

Li Hinton circled the town a second time, and when flying over the Hinton home dropped a note, which was attached to a handkerchief. No one saw the note drop, however, but a four-months old German Police pup of Bruce McCarty Jr. picked it up, the note having been blown in the McCarty home direction by a north wind.

With an air of pride of having recovered the note, the pup carried it in his mouth until it was detected by some of the family, who delivered it over to the nearby Hinton home.

Rather an uncertain method of delivery, but the airplane note reached the one to whom it was addressed.

SCHOOL BAND TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Members and Director Hope For Big Patronage at Jubilee Concert In Effort For Funds For New Band Uniforms.

Director A. L. Lundgren's Eagle Lake High School Band will give its Jubilee Concert program in the high school auditorium on Tuesday evening, October 13th, marking the first anniversary of its organization. At this concert, the band hopes to raise funds for uniforms, and members of the organization are going to ask you to purchase some tickets.

The price of the tickets will be \$1.00. But when you take into consideration the object of the concert, the price isn't high. Surely, every person in Eagle Lake should be willing to buy a ticket.

In presenting this Jubilee Concert, the band is not assuming that the program is going to be worth your dollar. About a half dozen business men of Eagle Lake are

instrumental for the band, the two large bus horns already purchased, and the band most have new uniforms. And in this concert they are giving Eagle Lake people an opportunity

news they can contribute liberally. The white uniforms which the band has been wearing, attractive

LOCAL COUPLE CELEBRATE SIXTY-FOURTH ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. Ralph Hart of Palestine arrived here last Saturday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nathan, and other relatives. She came at this time to be here last Sunday, which marked the sixty-fourth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan.

Few they are who live to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary, and sincerely do we congratulate these good friends on the occasion of their sixty-fourth wedding day. There was never a finer couple than Mr. and Mrs. Nathan, who have lived among us so long, and who enjoy the love, respect and high esteem of all of our people. Congratulations to you, old friends, and may health and prosperity be yours in the passing of many more happy anniversaries.

FORMER MATTHEWS NEGRO WOMAN IS KILLED IN CAR CRASH

Remains of Marie Carter, Killed In Wreck at Galveston Saturday Night, Brought Here For Burial at Matthews.

Marie Carter, 22, colored, born and reared at Matthews, was killed in an automobile accident on Avenue P, on the beach in Galveston Saturday night, when the car in which she and another colored woman were riding, collided head-on with another machine.

Two men, occupants of the other car, were arrested, according to the daily newspapers.

In the collision, Marie's head was thrust through the windshield, inflicting severe cuts in the head and throat, resulting in her death from loss of blood. The other woman occupant of the car is still unconscious in a Galveston hospital.

Marie spent her whole life in the Matthews neighborhood, where she was born, until seven years ago, having made her home in Galveston since that time.

BARBECUE ON AFTON

Furnishing oodles of deliciously barbecued meats, J. R. Colly, assisted by the school band, will

high school football team, the drum and bugle corps, the pep squad and the high school band with an enjoyable treat on the athletic field at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening.

The meats were temptingly cooked, and furnished in abundance. To make the barbecue meal complete, the Schulmacher Company furnished plenty of pickles, and Schott's Bakery of Houston the number of the ladies of Eagle Lake furnished salads.

Other than those complimented named above, the guest list included the school faculty and members of the school board and their wives and a few others. Members of the school band, the pep squad, the football team and the drum and bugle corps have asked the Headlight to thank Mr. Colly and others who made the occasion possible for a most delightful barbecue meal.

HORSE RACING AT HELMER SEAHOLM CAMP ON JITNEY RIDGE AT 3 O'CLOCK SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Two horse races will be held at Helmer Seaholm's race camp on Jitney Ridge Sunday, October 4th, at 3 p. m.

One race will be between "Pope," Vance and Gardner Duncan's top ranch horse and "Shanghai," top ranch horse of the Duncan Bros. ranch at Egypt.

This is to be a half-mile race, as both horses are sired by thoroughbred army horses.

The other race will be between Helmer Seaholm's top quarter horse and Shout Dringdale's top quarter horse. Distance is to be decided later.

No admission will be charged for the races.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WILL CONDUCT TEN-DAY REVIVAL MEETING HERE

Rev. Hubert S. Hopper of Houston Will Assist Local Pastor In Services, Which Will Begin On Sunday, October 18th.

The local Presbyterian church will begin a revival meeting with the evening service of Sunday, October 18. The meeting will last for ten days, closing with the evening service of Wednesday, October 23.

The preacher for the meeting will be the Rev. Hubert S. Hopper, pastor of the Central Park Presbyterian Church of Houston. Mr. Hopper is a graduate of Texas Technological College at Lubbock and of the Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary at Austin. In his pastorate Mr. Hopper is esteemed very highly both as a pastor and as a man.

The local church is anticipating a most helpful period of evangelistic effort, and it extends a cordial invitation to all denominations and people to unite in these services.

EAGLE LAKE FEELS ITS FIRST TOUCH OF WINTER

Following a stormy, rainy day, a cold norther swooped down from the Rocky mountain area early Sunday night, and immediately brought out last winter's coats and wraps.

Monday morning school children hustled up to school in coats and winter jackets were everywhere in evidence on the streets.

Snow blanketed a large portion of Wyoming Saturday, ranging in depth from one inch at Rock Springs to seven inches at Casper. Snow covered most of the north-eastern part of Colorado, and it was the north wind from that section that brought the drop in temperature at Eagle Lake.

One heater was hauled out from their summer resting places, and in many homes the rooms were gas-heated on Monday morning—the first time for the new winter season.

BUSINESS SESSION OF CLASS NEXT SATURDAY

The younger adult department of the Methodist Church school will hold a business session at the home of Mrs. R. T. Westmoreland, Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Officers for the year will be elected, and committee work will be discussed. Every member of the department is urged to be present.

GARWOOD PLANNING FOR LARGE CROWDS AT FAIR THIS MONTH

Permanent Organization Formed, Officials Named, and Committees Are Appointed To Handle All Details of Coming Event.

At a recent meeting of the citizens of the Garwood district an organization was perfected for conducting the affairs of the Sixth Annual Short Course and Community Fair. Paul J. Lewis, principal of the Garwood high school, was elected president; Bill Arnold, vice president, and Supt. E. G. Marshall, secretary.

A board of directors was appointed to pass on all major questions of policy. The board is composed of the following: Wm. K. Lehrer, Mrs. E. E. Engstrom, Frank Arnold, Sr., August Stallmann and Eljo Schilling.

Committees have been organized to handle every detail of the short course and fair. These committees are now functioning smoothly and effectively to handle the large crowds which are expected to be present.

Have been secured for the coming short course and fair. The local instructors are J. H. Wooten, county superintendent of education; C. B. Andrews, secretary and treasurer of the Texas State Agricultural Association; and

home economics instructor of the Garwood school. The subjects of an early date.

MRS. WOODS UNDERGOES AN OPERATION IN TEMPLE

Mrs. C. J. Woods underwent a serious operation at the Scott & White hospital in Temple Saturday, having been on the operating table for three hours. Friends will be glad to learn that she is doing as well as could be hoped for since the operation, and hope for her continued improvement. Mr. Woods was with her at the hospital during the operation, and remained with her for several days, until her condition showed a marked improvement.

TELEPHONE LINES TO GARWOOD IN USE AGAIN

Using a motor propelled boat, telephone lines were strung across the Colorado river at Garwood Monday, being attached to the remaining east span of bridge and connecting with the Garwood exchange.

Following the washing out of the Garwood bridge, Garwood was without long distance telephone service until Tuesday of this week, when the river was again spanned by the wires, and connecting Garwood with Eldridge and Eagle Lake.

LOCAL NEGRO BOY DIED IN HOUSTON

Funeral services were held here Monday afternoon for Wilburn Dickey, 14, colored, son of Yell Dickey of Eagle Lake. The boy had been with relatives in Houston and was attending school there. He had been in delicate health for a long time, and is said to have stuck a nail in his foot several days prior to his death, though it is said other complications caused his death.

TIRE SALESMAN WINS TRIP TO CENTENNIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Burns Waggener and two boys, Bobby and Burns, left Thursday for Dallas for a visit to the Centennial Exposition.

Mr. Waggener, who is salesman for the United States Tire Company, being at the top of the list of salesmen in volume of business, is complimented by his company with a visit to the Centennial and four days at the Baker Hotel in the Centennial city.

LARGE CROWD IS EXPECTED SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE

Because the last dance in Austin Hall, Eagle Lake, was so well attended, and because so many people have urged the local dance committee to have another just like it, the management of Austin Hall is anticipating a large crowd at the dance here on Saturday night, Oct. 3rd.

Music will be furnished by the "Blue Jackets," which are said to be exceptionally fine, giving a new old-time dance program. The admission price will be 35 cents, including tax, and ladies will be admitted free.

The dance program begins at 8:30 and will continue until 12:30. The committee extends you a cordial invitation and advises that you do not miss it.

RIVER FALLING AT COLUMBUS THIS MORNING

Dropped One Foot Last Night; Highway 71 Open From Austin To Palacios; Road Here To Columbus Likely Open Tonight.

The Colorado River fell one foot at Columbus during last night, the gauge standing at 34.31 at 8 o'clock this morning. The highest peak of the present overflow was 35.45 at noon Thursday. The river has been falling slowly at Columbus since noon yesterday.

Highway traffic on No. 3 west of Columbus, was out off between Columbus and Giddens Thursday, but cars were going through again late yesterday, and traffic west is going through today without interruption. East of Columbus water is still about four feet over the highway, but it is thought that this highway will be open late this afternoon or during tonight.

Highway 71 is open all the way from Austin to Palacios, through Columbus, and traffic is going out this morning, reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

HINTON'S EAGLES MEET LA GRANGE LEOPARDS AT LA GRANGE TODAY

Owing To High Water of Colorado River, Team Making Trip Via Altair For Direct Route Over Highway 71 To LaGrange.

Today, Friday, the Eagles play LaGrange in LaGrange at the Fayette County Fair, which opened yesterday.

This is our last non-conference game and will prove whether the Eagles are ready to go up against a strong district competition or if they will need more seasoning. LaGrange is doped to have a very strong team and should push Smithville for honors in that district. It is hoped that a large group of local people will accompany the Eagles to LaGrange and help them bring back a victory. Last year, the Leopards won over the Eagles by a score of 13 to 12, and another hard game is expected this year.

The Eagle starting lineup for this afternoon's game, the only day game on the Eagle's 1936 schedule, will be the same as that which has started the two previous games this season:

Waddell, left end; Estlinbaum, left tackle; Balas, left guard; Swenson, center; Taylor, right guard; Bates, right tackle; Rauch, right end; Powers, quarter; Westmoreland, right half; Braden, full-back; Obenhaus, left half.

Coach Hinton is taking his entire squad to LaGrange today, and asks that if there are any who have room for a player or so in their cars, please get in touch with him immediately.

RODEO AT DUNCAN RANCH FENS SUNDAY MORNING

Another Sunday morning rodeo will be held at the Duncan Ranch rodeo pens at 10 a. m. Sunday, Oct. 4th.

This is to be a riding contest only, no cattle and horses. No admission will be charged but collectors will be taken for the negro riders, most of them being "flood sufferers."

The public generally is invited to come out and see the show, and incidentally you are urged to bring a little change along with you to put in the hat for the performers.

EPWORTH LEAGUE WILL MEET SUNDAY EVENING

Epworth League will meet Sunday at 6:30 p. m. in the Educational Building of the Methodist church. The topic for the evening will be "The Christian View of Sports," with Miss Jane Reed as leader. James Ray Thomas, Leonard Grace Kilgore, John Westmoreland and Leonard Seaholm will take part in the discussions.

Members are asked to be on time and enjoy the opening worship and songs.

Today's Market Report

Cotton, Middling	12.32
Cotton, Strict	12.72
Fryers, 2 lbs. & up	14c-15c
Fryers, under 2 lbs.	12c-14c
Hens, 4 lbs. up	12c-15c
Hens, under 4 lbs.	12c-14c
Old Hens	8c-10c