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The State of Texas. The Eagle Lake Independent School District.

To Mary Ellen Hall, Anthony Hall, Gladys Hall, Henry Hall whose addresses of Record are unknown and all unknown owners and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the boundaries of the Eagle Lake Independent School District, in the County of Colorado, and State of Texas, to-wit:

All that certain parcel of Real Estate in the town of Eagle Lake, Colorado County, known as Lot No. 2 of the J. C. Sempres Sub-division block, which block is now numbered. Said property was purchased from Vineyard-Walker and Co., of Eagle Lake, Texas. And being the same land conveyed by B. L. Vineyard and Mrs. W. F. Wicker to Mary E. Hall and four children Anthony, Alma, Gladys and Henry Hall as recorded in Vol. 77 page 247 dated Nov. 6, 1920. As recorded in the Colorado County Deed Records of Colorado County, Texas. Which said deed is hereby referred to for further information and better description, which said property is delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes for the years 1929, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934 and 1935 aggregating the sum of $8.86 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of Eagle Lake Independent School District, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Colorado County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Columbus on the 5th Monday after the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1937, the same being the 8th day of February A. D. 1937, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of November 1936, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 2199, wherein the Eagle Lake Independent School District is plaintiff, and Mary Whiting, feme sole, all unknown heirs of Mary Whiting, all unknown owners and the City of Eagle Lake, Texas, a municipal corporation will W. E. Welford as its Mayor and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Columbus, Texas, in the County of Colorado, this 16th day of November, A. D. 1936.

W. C. PAPENBERG,
Clerk, District Court, Colorado County, Texas.

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The State of Texas. The Eagle Lake Independent School District.

To all unknown heirs of Peter Gates and all unknown owners and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the boundaries of the Eagle Lake Independent School District, in the County of Colorado, and State of Texas, to-wit:

All that certain tract of land lying and being situated in Colorado County, in the town of Eagle Lake, Texas being a part of the G. W. White Survey. Beginning at an iron pin at the N. W. corner of a three acre tract out of the G. W. White Survey; Thence with the west line of the said 3 acre tract north 34 E. 200.8 feet to an iron pin for corner; Thence South 56 E. along the north line of the said 3 acre tract 214.8 feet to an iron pin for corner, the same being also the N. E. corner of Delphia Haley 1 acre tract out of said 3 acre tract; Thence 34 W. 212.8 feet to an iron pin in the south line of the said tract of 3 acres, the same being also the N. W. corner of the Delphia Haley 1 acre tract; Thence N. 214.8 feet west with the south line of the said 3 acre tract 214.8 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1 acre of land. And being the same land conveyed by deed by Miss A. Dorigan to Peter Gates as recorded in Vol. 41 page 430-1 dated Feb. 5, 1909 and recorded in the Colorado County Deed Records of Colorado County, Texas. Which said deed is hereby referred to for further information and better description, which said property is delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes for the years 1923, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 aggregating the sum of $21.02 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of Eagle Lake Independent School District, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Colorado County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Columbus on the 5th Monday after the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1937, the same being the 8th day of February A. D. 1937, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of November 1936, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 2198, wherein the Eagle Lake Independent School District is plaintiff, and Ella Mancy, feme sole, all unknown heirs of Ella Mancy, all unknown owners and the City of Eagle Lake, Texas, a municipal corporation and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Columbus, Texas, in the County of Colorado, this 16th day of November, A. D. 1936.

W. C. PAPENBERG,
Clerk, District Court, Colorado County, Texas.

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The State of Texas. The Eagle Lake Independent School District.

To Mary Whiting, feme sole, all unknown heirs of Mary Whiting and all unknown owners and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the boundaries of the Eagle Lake Independent School District, in the County of Colorado, and State of Texas, to-wit:

All that certain parcel or land situated in the State of Texas, County of Colorado, in the P. Reels Survey, and being a part of the Westmoreland Addition to the town of Eagle Lake, and being lot 8 in block 14, said lot fronting 50 feet on Ave. C running back 190 feet to an alley, fully described in plot which is recorded in Book 14 page 251, and being the same land conveyed by deed by J. A. Harbert to Mary Whiting as recorded in Vol. 64 page 401-402 dated May 22, 1918 and which deed is duly recorded in the Colorado County Deed Records of Colorado County, Texas, and is hereby referred to for further information and better description, which said property is delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes for the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934 and 1935 aggregating the sum of $27.59 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of Eagle Lake Independent School District, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Colorado County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Columbus on the 5th Monday after the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1937, the same being the 8th day of February A. D. 1937, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of November 1936, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 2201, wherein the Eagle Lake Independent School District is plaintiff, and Mary Ellen Hall, Anthony Hall, Alma Hall, Gladys Hall, Henry Hall and all unknown owners and the City of Eagle Lake, Texas, a municipal corporation and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Columbus, Texas, in the County of Colorado, this 16th day of November, A. D. 1936.

W. C. PAPENBERG,
Clerk, District Court, Colorado County, Texas.

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The State of Texas. The Eagle Lake Independent School District.

To Ella Mancy, feme sole, all unknown heirs of Ella Mancy and all unknown owners and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the boundaries of the Eagle Lake Independent School District, in the County of Colorado, and State of Texas, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the town of Eagle Lake out of the G. W. White Survey containing 1 acre of land being one-third of 3 acres between Delphia Haley and Third Street. Beginning at the N. E. corner of 4 acres heretofore sold to B. L. Vineyard's line; Thence N. 56 deg. W with B. L. Vineyard; Thence N. 56 deg. with Webbs line to a stake for corner 198 yards; Thence N. 34 deg. 82 yrs. to stake; Thence S. 56 deg. E. 212 yrs. to corner; Thence S. 34½ deg. W. 48 yrs. to corner; Thence 44½ deg. 37 and three-fourths yrs. to the beginning, containing 3 acres. One acre belonging to Ella Mancy between Delphia Haley's and Third Street. Being the same land conveyed by deed by A. Dorigan to Ella Mancy as recorded in Vol. 15, page 578 dated June 14, 1897. Which deed is duly recorded in the Colorado County Deed Records in Colorado County, Texas, and which said deed is hereby referred to for further information and better description which said property is delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes for the years 1922, 30, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 aggregating the sum of $55.02 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of Eagle Lake Independent School District, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Colorado County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Columbus on the 5th Monday after the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1937, the same being the 8th day of February A. D. 1937, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of November 1936, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 2197, wherein the Eagle Lake Independent School District is plaintiff, and Ella Mancy, feme sole, all unknown heirs of Ella Mancy, all unknown owners and the City of Eagle Lake, Texas, a municipal corporation and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Columbus, Texas, in the County of Colorado, this 16th day of November, A. D. 1936.

W. C. PAPENBERG,
Clerk, District Court, Colorado County, Texas.

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The State of Texas. The Eagle Lake Independent School District.

To Martha Wyatt, a feme sole, all unknown heirs of Martha Wyatt and all unknown owners and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes for the years 1923, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 aggregating the sum of $21.02 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of Eagle Lake Independent School District, in the County of Colorado, and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lots 3 Block 2 of the Westmoreland Addition, a part of the P. Reels Survey and being situated in the town of Eagle Lake, County of Colorado, State of Texas, which said property is delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes for the years 1921, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 aggregating the sum of $50.09 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of Eagle Lake Independent School District, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Colorado County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Columbus on the 5th Monday after the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1937, the same being the 8th day of February A. D. 1937, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of November 1936, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 2200, wherein the Eagle Lake Independent School District is plaintiff, and Martha Wyatt, a feme sole, all unknown heirs of Martha Wyatt and all unknown owners and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Columbus, Texas, in the County of Colorado, this 16th day of November, A. D. 1936.

W. C. PAPENBERG,
Clerk, District Court, Colorado County, Texas.

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The State of Texas. The Eagle Lake Independent School District.

To Daphency Horton, a feme sole, Harvey Horton and Augusta Horton whose address are unknown and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the boundaries of the Eagle Lake Independent School District, in the County of Colorado, and State of Texas, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the State of Texas in the County of Colorado in the town of Eagle Lake and more fully described as being Lots No. 6 & 7 in Block No. 49 of the P. P. Putney College Sub-division of the Basset Berry Est. said plat being duly filed for record in the deed records for Colorado County. And being the same land conveyed by deed by P. P. Pulney to Jack Williams and wife Harriet Williams as recorded in Vol. 53 page 230 dated Nov. 1, 1912. Said deed is duly recorded in the Colorado County Deed Records of Colorado County, Texas, and is hereby referred to for further information and better description, which said property is delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes for the years 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934 and 1935 aggregating the sum of $21.06 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of Eagle Lake Independent School District, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Colorado County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Columbus on the 5th Monday after the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1937, the same being the 8th day of February A. D. 1937, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of November 1936, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 2196, wherein the Eagle Lake Independent School District is plaintiff, and Daphney Horton, Harvey Horton and Augusta Horton and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Columbus, Texas, in the County of Colorado, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1936.

W. C. PAPENBERG,
Clerk, District Court, Colorado County, Texas.

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The State of Texas. The Eagle Lake Independent School District.

To the unknown heirs of Frances Perrino and all unknown owners and all persons and record lien holders owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes, and the same lying and being situated within the boundaries of the Eagle Lake Independent School District, in the County of Colorado, and State of Texas, to-wit:

A certain tract or lot of land situated in the City of Eagle Lake, Texas, and more fully described as follows: Beginning on the South side of the S. A. & A. P. R. R. a stake for corner; Thence with said road North 42 deg. west 40 feet; Thence at right angles South 48 deg. 100 feet; Thence parallel with said road South 48 deg. East 40 feet; Thence North 48 deg. East 100 feet to the place of beginning. And being the same land conveyed by deed by Walter P. Brown to Frances Perrino as recorded in Vol. 65 page 97 dated Sept. 14, 1918 which said deed is duly recorded in the Colorado County Deed Records in Colorado County, Texas, and is hereby referred to for further information and better description which said property is delinquent to the Eagle Lake Independent School District for taxes for the years 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934 and 1935 aggregating the sum of $62.48 including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of Eagle Lake Independent School District, to secure the payment thereof;

AND YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Colorado County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Columbus on the 5th Monday after the 1st Monday in January, A. D. 1937, the same being the 8th day of February A. D. 1937, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the 13th day of November 1936, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 2200, wherein the Eagle Lake Independent School District is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Frances Perrino and all unknown owners and the City of Eagle Lake, Texas, a municipal corporation and all persons and record lien holders owning or having or claiming, or both, any interest in said land or lots, defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Columbus, Texas, in the County of Colorado, this 18th day of November, A. D. 1936.

W. C. PAPENBERG,
Clerk, District Court, Colorado County, Texas.

THE JOKESMITH

Some few made, mostly stolen, some merely borrowed. If you run across a good one, mail it to us.

Barber—How shall I cut your hair?

Customer — Without saying a word, please.

Sunday School Teacher—What lesson is learned from the bee?

Smart Boy—Not to get stung.

House Mother—Young man, we turn the lights off at 10:30!

Freshman—Oh, boy! that'll be keen.

Visitor—And was your grandpa covered with insurance when he died?

Little Girl—No'm; just a nightshirt.

Teacher—Now, Janey, can you give me Japoleon's nationality?

Janey—Course, I can.

Teacher—Yes, that's correct—Corsican.

Freshman (preparing an essay)—What do they call those tablets the Gauls used to write on?

Roommate—Gaul stones.

"Are you a graduate student?"

"No, only a senior. Why?"

"I don't know how you could get that dirt so dirty in only four years."

Percy—Do you exercise after your bath, or before it?

Jimmie—After. I usually step on the soap when I get out of the tub and dance all over the place.

Mrs. Fussy—Is your milk pasteurized?

Milkman—Oh, sure, ma'am. Our cows are turned out to pasture every day.

Xmas Shopper—It's so hard to find just what you want.

Weary Clerk—Yes, especially when you don't know what it is.

Betty—Why don't you use that comb I gave you?

Marie—I love it so much I can't part with it.

College Guy—I was out with a nurse last night.

Coed—Cheer up, maybe your mother will let you go out without her sometime.

"Just think, a single Mormon would have as many as ten wives."

"My goodness! How many would a married one have?"

"Don't you find being relief investigator a heart-rending task?"

"Yes, it is hard to find so many with only money enough to buy five gallons of gas at a time."

Jack—So your engagement to the banker's daughter is off. I thought you said she doted on you.

Harold—She did; but her father proved to be an antidote.

Joe—What is meant by the poetry of motion?

Friend—I think it must be the poetry that keeps going from one editor to another and never is published.

Visitor—I found something very absorbing on your desk.

Poet (highly delighted)—Indeed! One of my poems. I presume.

Visitor—No, a piece of blotting paper.

Young Man—What does your father think of me? He says he can read character.

Young Lady—He read you and classed you as light fiction.

The Villain—Where are you going my pretty maid?

The Damsel—I'm going to milk a cow sir.

The Villain—What? Not in that pretty hat?

The Damsel—Oh, no, in this pail.

The examination was progressing painfully. "Willie," said the teacher, "that's the third time I've seen you look at Albert's paper."

"Yeasum," answered Willy, "but you know what a rotten writer Albert is."

Said the father at his daughter's wedding:

"It's hard to lose a beautiful daughter."

His friend, with much feeling, replied:

"It's harder to lose the plain ones."

Mrs. Gabley—Does your husband always remember your wedding anniversary?

Mrs. Jabber—No, never. But I remind him of it in December and again in July. In that way I get two presents a year.

Mrs. Gabley—That's a good idea. I think I'll try it on Milburn and see how it works.

"Now," said the teacher, "what boy can name five things that contain the letter 'a'?"

"I can!" shouted a freckle-faced youngster. "Butter an' cheese an' ice cream an' two cows."

"This is the gate of Heaven," read the sign over the churchyard gate in front of a church which was being restored, while below was a notice in large letters: "Go round the other way."

Stingo—Did you know Johnny got married?

Miss Coo—Yes, I read about the thrilling wedding this morning.

Stingo—What silly things some people will do to get their names in the papers.

"Daughter," said the father, "is that young man getting serious?"

"Guess he must be, dad," she replied. "He's asked me how much I make and what kind of meals we have, and how you and mother are to live with."

The constable hurried across to the motorist and pulled out his notebook.

"Did you knock that man over?" he demanded, pointing to the prostrate figure.

"No, indeed. I pulled up to allow him to cross the street and he fainted."

The weary and haggard clerk had been kept busy so long by an important customer that eventually he demanded:

"Madam, are you shopping here?"

"Certainly!" retorted the lady.

"Oh," went on the clerk, "I thought you might be taking an inventory."

Judge—What makes you think this man was drunk?

Officer—He was having an argument with a man in an auto, your honor.

Judge—That doesn't prove he was drunk.

Officer—No, your honor; but there wasn't any man in the auto.

Two farmers met in town a few days after a cyclone hit the countryside.

"Yes, it did a lot of queer tricks out our way," declared one reflectively. "By the way, Hank, was that new barn of yours injured any?"

The other shifted his hat. "I can't rightly say," he answered. "I ain't found it yet."

"Mrandy," the mother addressed the daughter, who had just returned from graduating at Fisk University, "you want some 'lasses on yo' hoe-cakes?"

"Mothuh, you should say 'molasses,' not 'lasses.'"

"Gal, don't talk foolishmont to me. How kin you have mo' lasses when you ain't had no 'lasses yit?"

"Did yer ever see a worse crop failure than this one?" asked the old timer, referring to the recent drouth.

"Yep. I've seed a few of 'em in my day," replied the other old timer. "Now, in 1884 the corn crop was purt' nigh nothin.' We cooked seven fer dinner one day, an' paw ate fourteen acres of corn at one meal!"

Math Prof—If there are forty-eight states in the Union, and super-heated steam equals the distance from Bombay to Paris, what is my age?

Frosh—Forty-four, sir.

Prof—Correct. And how did you prove that?

Frosh—Well, I have a brother who is twenty-two and he is only half nuts.

"Going to the lodge, Henry?" asked the young wife, in surprise. "I didn't know you were a member of any lodge."

"Why—yes—Jessie. I belong to the Elks."

"And would you rather spend the evening with a lot of Elks than with your own little deer?"

And Henry meekly hung up his hat again.

Sam and Rastus were discussing politics. Rastus was a rabid partisan of the incumbent.

"Well," said Sam, "Ah like him all right. Ah guess, but his platfo'm ain't no good."

"Platfom!" snorted Rastus. "Platfo'm! Say, don't you know dat a political platfo'm is jess like a platfo'm on one o'dese yere streets dahs—hit ain't meant to stan' on; hit's jes meant to get in on!"

Sunny sat on the lower step, his face resting in his two chubby hands.

"What's the matter, Sonny?" asked a gentleman.

"Nothin,' just thinkin'" replied Sonny.

"What about?"

"Thinkin' how dumb trees are to take off their clothes in winter an' put 'em on in summer."

Sam Blackwood who runs the Bethel Inn at Bethel, Maine, tells about one of the local citizens who still chugs about in a 1913 flivver. Many attempts have been made to persuade him to trade in his antique and get a new car.

"You can go much faster in a new car," they tell him.

"I can go as fast as I want to go now," he answers.

"How fast do you go?"

"Usually," he answers, "I go along about nine to ten miles an hour but if I'm in a hell of a hurry I push her up to fifteen."

In a certain barbershop last week, a customer was being shaved, shampooed, massaged, manicured, shined. In the midst of it, a man rushed into the shop, grabbed the customer by a fat shoulder, yelled in a lathered ear: "Hey Scarlotti! Your house is on fire."

Half shaved, half shampooed, half massaged, half manicured, half shined, the customer leaped from his chair, dashed out the door, down the street at a full gallop, then suddenly stopped dead and, with a curse, muttered, "What in thunder am I running for? I'm not Scarlotti!"

Before leaving for a fortnight at the seaside she gave instructions to her husband as to the care of her pet Pekingese.

"Mary," she said, indicating the maid, "will look after her darling while I am away. I want you to be sure and take her out for an hour or so every evening."

He gave his promise.

When she returned home her first thought was for her pet.

Cuddling it to her, she asked Mary if her husband had kept his promise.

"To be sure he did," replied the maid, "and I enjoyed it, too. We used to go to a different place every night."

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stephens of Eagle Lake, were visitors in Bay City Friday evening.—Bay City Tribune.

Mrs. O. J. Wintermann and Mrs. S. C. Smothers of Eagle Lake visited here Friday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. W. H. Strahan—Bay City Tribune.

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Our Commercialized Christmas

The birth of Christ is the reason for Christmas Day's being set aside by red letters on the calendar. Not many who set aside and celebrate this grand day keep to the real Christmas spirit. Love, peace and good will toward men are the elements that make up the rightful spirit. One should have love and good will toward his fellowman and peace within his soul and mind. Christmas should be a remembrance of the One who came to save the world and not merely a day on which we eat our fill of sweets and explode fireworks.

The Christmas spirit is very seldom observed. People have allowed their greed to become dominant. In other words, Christmas has been commercialized by those who have drifted away from the true spirit of Christmas.

On the day of the birth of Christ there was a new joy brought into the world. The three wisemen brought gifts to the baby Jesus to show their love and devotion for Him. Now gifts are simply presented to one another because it is a custom and only proper. Christmas now is a "hurry and scurry," as we say. Christmas shopping leaves no time for religious thoughts in the minds of the majority of the people. Minds are occupied with thoughts such as these: "I have sixteen more gifts to purchase." "What shall I get for Mary?" "I have three dollars left for Mother's gift." Perhaps it goes so far as, "I hope I get as much as I give for a change." Where thoughts such as these are present, the Christmas spirit is absent.

Large business places get out advertisements to lure the Christmas shopper six weeks before the celebrated day. When the time comes every large shop and store is overcrowded with Christmas shoppers, everyone in a mad rush. In such cases the true Christmas spirit is lacking.

This attitude has even gone so far as the substitution of "Xmas" for the word Christmas, eliminating the only sign of religion left in what should be a glorious occasion. All true Christmas spirit is lost through the commercialized Christmas which now prevails.—Rosemary Stallman.

H. E. Girls Finishing Booklets.

The Home Enonomics classes are finishing their booklets of various seams, hems, plackets, facings and stitchings.

They are making candy and selling it at the basket ball games to help pay for party expenses.

Review and Preview of Sports

The Gars went to Blessing Wednesday to lose with the score of 17 to 14. Everyone was highly pleased with the game as it stood; the score was 13 to 13 at the end of the game and three extra minutes were played. Blessing sunk a pair of long range shots to finish the game. The second team also looked very good in action at Blessing Wednesday night. Keep up the old spirits, boys.

The Louise Hornets came into Gar territory to sting them with the score of 33 to 22 last Friday night. It was an exceptionally fast game, and the only thing bad was that the fish were on the short end of the score. The second team looked very promising that night, another three minutes having to be played to unlock the score. The final score was 15 to 11.

We want to express our appreciation for the crowd that turned out Friday night for the game with Louise.

The games scheduled for this week are with Louise and Blessing. These are return games. Blessing will play at Garwood gym Wednesday night and the Gars go to Louise Friday night to settle the score.

Games may be matched with Eagle Lake, Wharton, Weimar and El Campo before Christmas. No dates have been set yet.

From the Grades

First grade—With candles in the windows to make light, a chimney for Santa to come down, stockings ready to hang, and a Christmas tree ordered, we are all happy—heigh-ho.

Santa Claus comes to see boys and girls who know their lessons. We are going to be sure he comes to see us.

Fifth grade—The new auditory system is being put in every room in the Garwood school. The fifth grade pupils are looking forward to the music programs that they will hear. In music they have been singing Christmas carols.—Gladys Irene Rahn.

Two girls, Jacqueline Joyce Kallina and Frances Wesselski, drew a colored map of the New England states on the blackboard. Next Monday we are going to put things on it that we have learned about these states.—Jacqueline Joyce Kallina.

Seventh grade — The seventh grade is trying to collect the most books for the library so that they can go on a picnic. We are very glad that six weeks tests are over.

Who Are They?

Dark-brunette with dark brown eyes. Very good in her studies and popular with boys and girls. Likes to play volley ball and ride horses. She has a very becoming riding habit.

He is a boy with dark hair, light eyes and dark skin. He plays a very good game of basket ball and has a good sense of humor. He does not care anything about the girls.

Personals

Charlyne Frnka attended the show in El Campo Sunday night.—Teddie Dankelef and Freddie Kallina attended the show at El Campo Saturday night.—Alfonso Mieulka returned to school Monday morning after a few days illness.—Lillian Lundquist is back in school after a seige of the measles.—Evelyn Krenek attended the show in Eagle Lake Friday night.

Campus Chatter

Wonder why the Garwood boys lost the other night! Must have been because of the pep squad.—Bay. Lillian, how does it feel to be in school after all those long holidays you have been having?—Victor is good, one duck in two days, pretty good.—Emma seems to be tickled about something. I wonder what it is.—What a relief! six weeks exams are over. Composing a one-act play is a difficult task. Just ask the seniors, they know.—Vivian makes good pictures. — Evelyn's mind was changed quickly last Thursday.—Lately Emma found that she has some nice kinsfolk.—O. P. has enough credits for reading library books already. — Boots can really blush.—Clara has a laughing spell Monday morning.—Lillian is back in school; Ruth has the measles.—Hunting is a good way to get out of taking your six weeks axams. Eh, Robert?—Writing an English theme on top of some Geometry propositions isn't very easy, ask Herbert.—Chevrolets are quite an attraction to Sylvia, wonder why.—Cleo where were you last Tuesday night?—I believe the boys are going to win a game some day if they play hard enough and are lucky.—I hear that one boy nearly got perforated with a sky rocket Saturday night.—That 9:30 rule is going to be disasterous for some of the basket ball boys.—Ervin where did you get that loud shirt you have been wearing?—Everybody dreads to begin a regular school life after those pleasant six weeks.—Alfonse, that must have been an enormous Thanksgiving dinner.—We knew you had the measles.—These measles are getting to be a permanent character in Garwood.

Some New Library Books

The Bright Shawl, Joseph Hergesheimer; Wellington, Philip Guedalla; Freckles, Porter; The Postmaster, Lincoln; Madame Claire, Susan Ertz; Vanishing Wilderness, La Monte & Welch; Heart of Old Hickory, Dromgoole; Anne at Large, Mageret Fagerweather; Carmen, Silent Partner, Kahmann; Little Book of American Poets, Rittenhouse; Show Boat, Edna Perber; The Story, of Mankind, Van Loon; The Three Musketeers, Dumas; Careers, Rogers; Mother, Kathleen Norris; The Red Prior's Legacy, Alfred H. Bill; At the South Gate, Richmond; The Log of the Betsy Ann, Way Jr.; The Marks of an Educated Man, Wiggam; Young Mexico, Anne Peck; Bob Gordon, Cub Reporter, Dean; His Excellency & Peter, Harper; The Book of Zoography, Ditmars; Movie Makers, Flosherty; The Naked Mountain, Knowlton.—To be continued next week.

GARWOOD METHODIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

(A. F. Foerster, Pastor)

The market places are full of substitutes for this, that and the other, but there never yet has been invented a substitute for the Church of God.

Sunday School 10 a. m. Morning Services 11 a. m., the subject, "Trust." Evening service 7:15, the subject, "Spiritual Poverty." Young People's Meeting at 6:45 every Sunday night.

A cordial invitation to everybody.

If absence makes the heart grow fonder, then a lot of folks sure do love the church.

EDUCATIONAL PROBLEMS DISCUSSED AT GARWOOD

Mr. Ellwell, director of equalization in the State Department of Education, will lead a discussion of educational problems in the auditorium of the Garwood High School some time during the latter part of January. A definite date will be announced soon.

Mr. Ellwell is a competent educator, and has had many and various experiences in the educational field. The public is cordially invited.

The play, "Black Cats," which was to have been presented in the Garwood school auditorium tonight, has been postponed until Friday night of next week.

The judging teams of the Garwood Agricultural Department will attend the poultry show at Runge Friday for the purpose of participating in various contests.

The Garwood boys have won two silver cups since school opened in the fall, and are hoping to win the third at Runge today.

Mentz News

(By Mrs. O. J. Class)

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Blanchard had as their guests for Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Helfrich and Rev. Father Rocco.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz and Arnold Kansteiner and daughters, Mrs. O. J. Class and Mrs. W. J. Braden were guests of Mrs. Dennis Frank Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Helfrich and Edward spent Tuesday visiting relatives in Hockley.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Meartz and Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Gloger spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Frank Miller, who is ill in the Sealy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kansteiner and daughters of near Cat Spring spent Friday here at the Fritz Kansteiner home.

Mrs. W. J. Braden and daughters visited Mrs. Cyril Gloger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young of Columbus were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hennecek Sunday.

Mr. Harry Stephens of Greenville, Tennessee, is spending the week here at the home of his brother, C. B. Stephens. This is Mr. Stephens' first visit to this section of Texas.

Quality Cigars, High Grade Candies, in beautiful Xmas Boxes, at Luna's Drug Store.

200 Pairs of Women's Shoes and Slippers, value $2.50 to $4.95, to close out at 49c a pair.—At Landa's.

Christmas Gifts, gifts that your relatives and friends will cherish, now displayed at Luna's Drug Store.

Specials for Friday-Saturday, Dec. 11-12
This Way to Economy
FOUNTAIN PEN & PENCIL SET for only 35¢
AND THREE PACKAGE FRONTS FROM IGA GELATINE DESSERT
GUARANTEED PEN AND PENCIL SET IN GIFT BOX
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