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24 YEARS AGO
Let's Look Back

(January 18, 1951)

Mayor Harold Thomas called a meeting of his deputy directors and commissioners of Civil Defense. The night for the purpose of placing men in key positions of a civil defense organization such as will be set up all over Colorado County.

In an effort to protect the citizens and merchants of Eagle Lake and to look after the safety of the country, Police Chief Joe Passante said that reports be made to him of any strange characters hanging around "Robes" or "Bums," and also the door-to-door salesmen.

The first annual Eagle Lake boys and girls basketball tournament came to an end Saturday night with the East Bernard Brahmas defeating the Sheridan Broncos 40 to 35 in the final game to two half games of exciting basketball.

The second annual FFA team eductoys and -produced the Thorold's sexist to try the Championship trophy for the girls' division. During 1950, soil and water conservation practices were carried out on 650 County farms by farmers cooperating in the Agricultural Conservation Program.

Ernest Larmer,

the old days, served with McNally's Company of Texas Rangers. E. R. (Roach) Roberts, formerly connected with the Eagle Lake FFA chapter are making plans to be held at the Houston Stock Show according to Lewis J. Rosner. Mrs. Pansy Rosner, Mrs. John K. Kudner, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fitzgerald, Vocational Agriculture

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