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EDITORIAL SPEAKING

Absentee Voting In Primary Election Ends Tues.

Next Tuesday, April 27th is the final date for voting absentee in the important Primary Elections to be held over the State of Texas on Saturday, May 1st.

If you plan to be out of town on that date it would behoove you to get an application today for the County Clerk's office for an absentee ballot.

Some important contests are due to be decided and all Texas citizens should exercise their right to vote.

Will you be among those to be counted May 1st? We hope so.

April 30th Last Day To Assess

City, school and county tax assessors remind citizens of the county that April 30th is the final date for property owners to assess their properties for 1976 taxes.

You may assess property for county and state taxes with the office of Henry J. Hajovsky in the county court house in Columbus.

for the normal \$3000 homestead exemption; and also all citizens 65 and over who wish to claim an exemption of \$3000, must sign up for the exemption by April 30th.

Free Pizza

BILL WINDAU is your ticket for a free pizza at the Eagle Lake Dairy Deli, where you get the finest foods in town including delicious pizza. Clip this out and present at the Dairy Deli for your free pizza no later than April 27, 1976.

Get your western togs at **M & M**

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Otto H. Loessin

Candidate For **COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1** Colorado County Subject Democratic Primary May 1

QUALIFIED -- 11 years with Precinct 1
EXPERIENCED IN: Road building, Bridge construction, Drainage
DEPENDABLE -- FRIENDLY -- HONEST

I believe funds allocated for Precinct 1 should be used in Precinct 1 -- and I fully intend to use them for improvements that will benefit everyone.

I promise to work with the people -- **FOR THE PEOPLE!**

(Pol. Adv. paid by Otto H. Loessin, Box 54, Columbus, Texas 77834)

Let's Look Back
48 YEARS AGO

(January 21, 1928)
Old Eagle Lake is beginning the year of 1928 with a building boom, and the year gives promise of being the biggest building and improvement year in the history of the city. L. D. Allen is completing three cottages at End O Main building site, and contemplates three or four more. The handsome C. P. Hoy home on State street is nearing completion and the E. L. Beckman home on Prairie is well under construction. Cement contractor P. J. Forbes is laying 250 feet of cement curb on Colorado and adjoining counties. . . .

Gov. and Mrs. Briscoe To Attend Re-Opening Stafford Opera House

The Stafford Opera House in Columbus, designated the Bicentennial Meeting House for Texas, will open its doors during the Bicentennial year for the first time in over 50 years on May 6th with the presentation of the musical drama "1776" and Governor and Mrs. Dolph Briscoe have advised the sponsoring Magnolia Homes Tour group that they will be on hand for the gala opening night activities.

17,143 Vehicles Registered in This County

County Tax Officer Henry J. Hajovsky reports that a total of 17,143 vehicles were registered during the motor vehicle registration period of February 1st through March 31st.

CPL Electric Decision Movie Is Available

A new movie exploring energy alternatives is now available from Central Power and Light Company. The 20-minute color movie explains the alternatives facing the South Texas electric utility company and shows why coal and nuclear power must be brought into use.

RECORDINGS FILED

REAL ESTATE
Partition Deed, Elizabeth Poeschlitz et al to Edwin R. Hunt League, 2-18-76
Partition Deed, Edwin R. Hunt League et al to Elizabeth Poeschlitz 481.07 acres Wm. R. Hunt League, 2-18-76
Deed, Edwin R. Poeschlitz et al to Marie Poeschlitz 80.00 acres Wm. R. Hunt League, 2-18-76
Deed, Edwin R. Poeschlitz et al to Laurie Mae Helmschick 62.06 acres Wm. R. Hunt League, 2-18-76
Deed, Edwin R. Poeschlitz et al to Gilbert H. Poeschlitz 72.98 acres Wm. R. Hunt League, 2-18-76
Deed, Gilbert H. Poeschlitz et al to Edwin R. Poeschlitz 79.00 acres Wm. R. Hunt League, 2-18-76
Deed, Edwin R. Poeschlitz et al to Lavonne C. Poeschlitz 80.00 acres Wm. R. Hunt League, 2-18-76
Deed, Edwin R. Poeschlitz et al to Lollie Bertha Winters 50.00 acres Wm. R. Hunt League, 2-18-76
Deed, Walter Hanford Glaze, Ind. Executor of Estate of Leslie Glaze et Viola Glaze to Danny Zavesky et ux Lot 174 Lake Sheridan Estates, 3-11-76
Deed, Danny Zavesky et ux to Kenneth Andeier et ux Lot 174 Lake Sheridan Estates, 3-11-76
Deed, Burgess Haines to David Fuller Lot 10 Blk. 55 Sheridan, Texas, 3-17-76
Deed, Jack N. Macey to Robert Hammy 39.36 acres A. Holm Survey, 3-19-76
Gift Deed, Albert A. Naska et ux to Donald Lee Naska 19.934 acres and undivided interest in 17,493 acres Peter Piper League et al, 3-21-76
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Deed, Marguerite A. Davis to Davis Properties No. 174-50 acres John Dunlavy Survey, 3-10-76
Deed, Pamela Jean Bevier to Ann Popp, to Joseph R. Hoffmann et ux various tracts of land in Conrad Guergens League, 3-10-76
Deed, George Gerbermann, Ind. Executor of Estate of Ann Popp, to Joseph R. Hoffmann et ux various tracts of land in Conrad Guergens League, 3-10-76

Frnka Family Reunion May 16

Plans have been announced for the 38th Frnka Family Reunion on Sunday, May 16th at the Parlor in New Ulm. Registration will begin at 10:30 a.m., followed by a business meeting at 11:30, a lunch at 12:30 and entertainment with music during the afternoon. Allen and Mary Labay, presidents of the association, urge all members of the family to make plans to attend.

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Tickets For The Governor



Mrs. J. C. McAllister of Columbus, president of the Magnolia Homes Tour, Inc., is shown presenting tickets to the production of "1776", a musical drama to be performed in the restored and historical Stafford Opera House, Columbus, during month of May. The tickets are for Governor and Mrs. Dolph Briscoe who have accepted an invitation to attend the opening performance of "1776" and accepting the tickets in behalf of Governor and Mrs. Briscoe is Ralph Meadows.

Youth Choir Sings "I Like The Sound of America" at Rotary

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Car Shoppers

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- *Sport Mirrors
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While keeping our standard of service to you high, CPL has achieved significant savings in many areas. In little more than a year, for example, we've reduced the number of company vehicles by 77 and our supply inventory by some \$1,489,000. We've reduced expenses for overtime, and travel, and made other economies in buying supplies, and 151 fewer employees than a year ago by not replacing those who resign or retire.

With the slower rate of growth in electric use, we're saving millions of dollars in costs by eliminating some "toys" electric lines and generating plants which had been planned.

We're also finding other ways to save money. When possible, we concentrate electric generation at our most efficient units, thus reducing the need for fuel. At other times we purchase energy from neighboring utilities, when their price is lower than CPL's fuel cost would be to generate that same electricity.

At CPL, we're concerned about the rising cost of electricity. We're doing everything we can to cut costs while still providing reliable service.

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David Wintermann, left, welcomes Senator Lloyd Bentsen to a meeting of friends in the Colorado County Federal Savings and Loan Association building in Columbus Monday afternoon. Also greeting the Senator on his arrival, were James D. Seymour, Jr., of Columbus and Wm. H. Harrison of Eagle Lake, left to right.

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HOSPITAL NEWS NOTES

Patients this week (Apr. 19):
Walter Melton, Sr., city
Mrs. Kate McLean, city
Willie Fraser, city
Lee Woods, city
Mrs. Shirley Bush, city
Ed Hanly, city
Rev. Rance Johnson, city
Mrs. Delina Jordova, city
Dixie Wood, city
Adolf Hollis, city
Mrs. Elizabeth Cowe, city
O. D. Mason, city
Master Darrell Estlinbaum, city
Mrs. Elphis Koopman, La Grange
C. L. Matthews, Alton
James Sims, Hallettsville
Lynn Binkley, Sr., Altair
Dimitrios
Mrs. Georgia Dawson, city
Johnny Parker, city
Mrs. Rosa Wortham, city
Mrs. Anita Almanza, city
Mrs. Cressie Williams, city
Mrs. Carmo Serrano, city
Miss Susan Perry, city
Miss Laura Mae Henry, city
Miss Trisha Johnson, city
Miss Gladys Morales, city
Mrs. Sophia Pavla Garwood
Wibby Dancy, Garwood
Erwin Sladek, La Grange
Bernard Chaveac, La Grange
Vertie Mitchell, Burton
Mrs. Gladys Henderson, Houston
Leon Jozwik, Hempstead
Mrs. Irene Hagendorf, Sheridan
Mrs. Mary Dunn, Sheridan
Edward Swoboda, Shiner

Rice Bag Luncheon Honors Miss Wied

Miss Melba Wied, bride-elect of Rick Higgins, was honored with a Rice Bag Luncheon on Saturday, April 10 at 12:30, given by Mrs. Gladys Henderson, city. The bride's chosen colors for her wedding. The guest tables held pink glorioxa plants. A delicious menu of Crab Jubilee, fresh asparagus with hollandaise sauce, fresh fruit salad, hot rolls, and chocolate cream pie was served to the guests.

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Epps' and Wrangler thinks Americans should get what they pay for.



Keep your fashion budget cool the Wrangler way - where style and quality join up in a great value for you! Our swinging 25" length denim Gamble skirt has hexagonal hip pockets with smaller front flapped pocket pockets in denim, turquoise, white. Sizes 3/4-18. Our denim sleeve 50% polyester, 50% cotton 1x1 rib T-top shows off a "lover's silhouette" screen print and lace trim. Blue, melon. Sizes S-M-L.

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Model 118	\$1150.00	\$150.00
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