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Special Closings For N.Y.'s Day

Some Eagle Lake business firms have called the Headlight office to report special closings, including:

Gifts of Distinction
Gifts of Distinction will be closed all day Fri., Jan. 1 and Sat., Jan. 2nd.

Rice District Schools
Schools in the Rice Consolidated School District will reopen next Monday, Jan. 4th after being closed for the holidays since Dec. 18th.

No Garbage Pickup Fri.
The city's sanitation department will not pick up garbage this Fri., Jan. 1st. Friday's route will be run on next Monday, says city manager Bob Klockman.

Courthouse Closed Fri.
Colorado County courthouse in Columbus will be closed only on New Year's Day Friday, Jan. 1st.

Rice Growers Assn.
American Rice Growers Association remains closed through Sunday, Jan. 3rd.

Sears Catalog Sales
Sears Catalog Sales in Eagle Lake remains closed through Sun., Jan. 3rd.

Eagle Lake Iron Works
Eagle Lake Iron Works remains closed through Sun., Jan. 3rd.

Library Closing
The Wintermann Library in Eagle Lake will be closed Fri., Jan. 1st, New Year's Day through Sunday, Jan. 3rd.

Royal Cleaners
Royal Cleaners will close at 2:00 p.m. on Thurs., Dec. 31st through Sun., Jan. 3rd and will reopen at regular time on Mon., Jan. 4th.

The Snack Center
The Snack Center on East Main will be closed this Friday, Jan. 1, New Year's Day.

Listowski

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all of these community activities and organizations will be missed dearly.

Last Rites Held Tuesday
Final rites for Mr. Listowski were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 29th from the chapel of the Mill-Bauer Funeral Home with the Rev. Father Tom Hanus, pastor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help and Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Churches, officiating.

Mrs. Laurina Matthews rendered favorite hymns on the organ.

Interment followed in Lakeside Cemetery with the services under the auspices of the Eagle Lake VFW Post.

Prayers were offered by Father Hanus and the Rev. Charles Runk, minister of United Methodist Church.

Participating in the military graveside rites were: Brig. Gen. Joe N. Frazier (Ret.), L. J. Spaniel and Jim Armstrong, VFW members who folded the United States Flag which had draped the casket during the services.

Past VFW Commander and Past State Deputy Chief of Staff J. T. (Tommy) Pilkington presented the flag to Mrs. Listowski.

Taps were sounded on the trumpet by Philip Leopold, of Eagle Lake, member of the Texas A&M University marching band.

During the services, Pilkington commented that Listowski was an "outstanding and patriotic American." He added that he always

injuries in the collision of the vehicles and she was taken to Eagle Lake Community Hospital for treatment of back injuries.

Etheridge issued citations for failure to control speed to avoid accident and for no operator's license against the 16 year old youth.

After the ensuing investigation, Besser was charged with assault and with illegal possession of a pistol, and he was arraigned before Justice of the Peace M. M. Jones Monday morning and bond was set at \$1,000 on each of the charges.

Besser was taken to the county jail, in lieu of the charges, pending action by the courts in this county.

Would-Be Good Samaritans Rob Motorists On IH-10

Colorado County sheriff's department investigated the recent robbery of a motorist on IH-10 by "would-be good samaritans" who offered assistance to the ailing motorist.

At 11:15 p.m. December 15th, Lloyd C. Ross of Seabrook reported to the sheriff's office that he had been robbed. Investigation revealed that he was traveling west on IH-10 when two tires on his car blew out west of Columbus. While he was jacking the vehicle up to take the wheels off, a van stopped and two white subjects volunteered to assist him.

When the two wheels had been removed from the vehicle, they offered Ross a ride to Columbus to get the tires fixed.

Ross got in the van with the subjects and when they reached FM 2434, the subject

driving stopped the van and stated that there was something wrong. He asked Ross if he would assist them in pushing the van to get it started. The two subjects and Ross got out of the van, and at that time one of the subjects told Ross to lay down on the ground and he would not be hurt. Ross did so and the subjects took his wallet containing about \$20.00, a money clip containing \$200.00, his wrist watch and a pair of glasses. The van then drove off leaving Ross at the location.

Ross told officers that he observed three white males and two white females inside the van. He also stated he thought the van had out-of-state license plates; however, he was not sure. A check of the area by Weimar police and the Sheriff's office failed to locate the van.

stood ready to exemplify love for his country, state and community "in his usual quiet but effective manner."

Serving as pallbearers were Bill Appelt, Tommy Pilkington, Earl Rodgers, Col. Lewis B. Epps (Ret.), Roy Dean Van Nort and Allen Dale Cassidy. The family named as honorary pallbearers all members of the Rice Area Memorial VFW Post and of the Eagle Lake Rotary Club.

Surviving to mourn the loss of this loved one are: his widow, Mrs. Erlene Listowski of Eagle Lake; a daughter, Kathy Jankowiak of Angleton; a son, John J. Listowski Jr. of Galveston; a sister, Mrs. Rosemary Pieklik of Eagle Lake; two grandchildren; numerous cousins; and other relatives and friends.

During the short time that Jack Listowski lived in the Eagle Lake community, he made his mark as one who could be depended on for friendly help at any time. He exemplified the true spirit of Rotary International, "Service Above Self." He shall be missed dearly by all who came to know and love him during that time.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the family in the loss of this loved one.

Derailment Causes Some Evacuation

Derailment of some railroad cars in a Santa Fe freight train Tuesday morning caused evacuation of 500 to 700 residents of the Glen Flora community; however no injuries resulted.

The derailed railroad cars were loaded with liquid petroleum and one of the cars was leaking causing a hazardous condition until the cars could be righted and the liquid petroleum transferred.

A small grass fire in the area was extinguished quickly, but residents in the area of the wreck in the Glen Flora community were evacuated as a precautionary measure.

Cause of the derailment was not known late Tuesday.



Leftover egg yolks can keep for two to three days, covered with water in a tight-lidded jar and refrigerated.

ABOUT TOWN

*** The Middle of the Fiddle** musical group from San Marcos will entertain at the Club Montezuma dance in the Community Center on New Year's Eve. A member of the group is a former Eagle Laker, Clarence Klekar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klekar of this city.

*** Home From Hospital**
Walter F. Meitzen, Jr. returned home Monday afternoon following hip surgery Friday, Dec. 18th in Hermann Hospital in Houston. Friends and relatives are glad to have him back in town.

*** Heidi Mills** has succeeded Wanda Center as the manager of Kevin Court Apartments. Mrs. Mills' husband is Game Warden Buddy Mills.

*** Deane Fletcher** of Winslow, Arkansas, sent us a copy of the Washington County Observer, published in West Fork, Arkansas which carried a report on the Ozark Native Craft Shop near Winslow. The paper reported that it is a "must" for every visitor in the craft shop to "see the collection of edu-

cational puzzles and games offered by Deane Fletcher, who is an educator as well as a craftsman. These are fit-together wood puzzles in charming design for little children, beautifully finished and packaged, on up to the map puzzles for older children. All are challenging to the child's mind as well as being just fun.

Deane was formerly superintendent of Eagle Lake schools for a number of years.

KC's To Sell BBQ Chicken This Sunday

The Eagle Lake Council of the Knights of Columbus will sell barbecued chicken this Sunday (and every first Sunday of the month). You must reserve your orders in advance by calling Andrew Harbich at 234-5524 during the day or Chuck Stephens at 234-5340 at night. Orders must be placed by 12 noon the Saturday before each first Sunday of the month.

The chickens will be sold for \$3.00 for a whole chicken and \$1.75 for a half chicken and must be picked up at the K.C. Hall on Pendleton Street.

Club Montezuma To Hold Gala New Year's Eve Dance

Members of Club Montezuma and guests are invited to make plans to attend the club's gala New Year's Eve Dance to be held in the Eagle Lake Community Center from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. this Thurs., Dec. 31st.

The musical group, "The Middle of the Fiddle" from San Marcos will provide music for dancing and listening pleasure.

Set-ups will be provided in the admission price.

Visit In Austin
Mr. and Mrs. Stacy A. Mueller and Stacie Marie of Eagle Lake visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Larry A. B. Mueller and Jim in Austin on Christmas Day.

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Courthouse Restoration

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withhold \$25,000 which remains unpaid on the original contract, until successful completion of the fire alarm system in the courthouse.

Last Alarm Dec. 21st
County Judge Craneck reported that the last false alarm of the system occurred on Dec. 21st and this alarm came from the office across from the district clerk's office and false alarms were sounded about every ten minutes until the censor in that area was removed.

As part of the recommendations for successful completion of the fire alarm system, the fumigation of the courthouse for silverfish (believed to be cause of some of the false alarms) was completed during the Christmas holiday weekend. Also Judge Craneck reported that plans are to replace the censors with a later model which is not susceptible to alarms from the use of AC and DC wiring in the same conduit. Engineers said that this could cause false alarms using the present censors, but the Edwards Company, manufacturer of the censors, has come up with a later model which is expected to remedy this situation.

If, and when, the system is successfully completed, the

county will authorize payment of work done toward successfully completing the system from the \$25,000 being withheld from the contractor's fee, and the balance, if any, will be given to the contractor.

Final acceptance is not expected by the court for at least thirty days from the date of changing the censors, in order to assure successful operation of the system, before final acceptance of the restoration project.

Additional Sick Leave

The commissioners Monday authorized on recommendation of Judge Craneck, payment of two days of sick leave to a maid-custodian, at the courthouse, Jean Stinson, after it was pointed out that her period of illness exceeded by two days, the twelve days of sick leave which had accumulated to her credit.

The court heard Walter H. Meyer of the Fayetteville area, report that a corrugated metal culvert under a road in Precinct 3 is not large enough to carry water which runs off of over 900 acres of improved pastureland and is causing flooding on his properties near Fayetteville. Precinct 3 Commissioner Jerome Wickie informed Mr. Meyer that plans are to replace the pipe with a larger one as soon as dry weather returns in late spring or early summer. He noted that another drainage pipe in the area had already been

changed and Mr. Meyer agreed that "this has helped some."

New Bonds OK'd

The court in final action approved bonds provided by Baumgart Insurance Agency of Columbus for County Tax Assessor and Collector Henry J. Hajovsky in amounts now mandatory under new state statutes. Bond on the tax officer for collection of state funds increased this year from \$50,000 to \$68,500; and on collection of county funds from \$50,000 to \$100,000. The new bonds, must be on file January 1, 1982 under the new state law. Amount of the premiums was not reported at Monday's session.

Wallis Man

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hooked together by the impact and Besser reportedly dragged the Mercury to the parking lot of Scott's Snack Shack on East Main.

Chief of Police Earl Winebrenner and other officers were called to the scene. Besser was questioned by Chief Winebrenner and he admitted getting out of his car and striking the youth. He agreed to a search of his vehicle, according to the report of the investigating officers, and a .22 caliber pistol was found in the truck. Cheryl Butler, an occupant of the pickup, received