

McCOY'S

BUILDING SUPPLY CENTERS

Premium Studs

•2" x 4" stud grade •Yellow pine

Pre-cut 92 5/8"	96" long
Call for price	Call for price

Pine Boards

•Priced per linear foot

#1 Yellow Pine	1x4 #2 Yellow Pine
1x2 12'	10'
1x4 18'	
1x6 24 1/2'	
1x8 34'	
1x10 42'	

Panel Products

4 ft. x 8 ft. Plywood

•Southern plywood •Exterior glue

	1/4"	3/8"	1/2"	5/8"	3/4"
BC standard 1 side	8.69	8.99	10.99	12.79	14.49
CD unadorned	5.99	6.39	8.99	10.99	

4ft. x 8ft. Waterwood

•Exterior glue •No voids •Cuts like plywood

1/4" thick	3/4" thick
4.99	5.89

4ft. x 8ft. Treated Lattice Panel

•40 CCA treated for ground contact •5/16" strip thickness •Galvanized staples •Compare before you buy.

1/4" thick	3/4" thick
4.99	5.89

RED BRAND® Nails

Made in USA •Price per pound

Bright Nails	Vinyl Coated Sinker Nails	Galvanized Hot Dipped Nails •Most	Galvanized Roofing Nails
35¢	39¢	55¢	55¢

Concrete Products

80 pound sacks

Concrete Mix	Grout or Mortar Mix
2.19	2.59

Reinforcing Mesh

•20 test long •Meets ASTM A-185 •5'x150' •750 sq. ft.

3/8"	1/2"	5/8"
1.59	2.45	3.69

Gypsum Products

4'x8' Gypsum Wallboard	1/2" thick	5/8" thick
Call for price	4.79	5.79

All Purpose Powder

•25 lb. bag

3.33

Spang Coating Texturing

•40 lb. bag

6.69

Gypsum Tape

•250 ft. roll

1.29

All Purpose Premix

5 gallon pail	4 gallon carton	1 gallon pail
7.77	4.99	3.49

Coating Texturing

•2 gallon pail

7.99

Framing Lumber

•Grade marked #2 or better •Southern yellow pine

	8 ft.	10 ft.	12 ft.	14 ft.	16 ft.	18 ft.	20 ft.
2x4	1.79	2.29	2.59	2.99	4.99	5.99	
2x6	2.29	2.89	3.59	3.99	4.79	5.99	
2x8	3.29	4.09	5.09	5.79	6.79		
2x10	5.39	6.69	8.39	9.39	11.19		
2x12	6.29	7.89	9.79	10.99	12.99		

Treated Lumber

LIFETIME WARRANTY •40CCA •Compare quality and selection

	8 ft.	10 ft.	12 ft.	14 ft.	16 ft.
2x4 #2	1.85	2.29	2.99	4.69	
2x6 #2	2.79	3.19	4.79	6.59	
2x6 #1		3.99	5.19	5.59	7.19
2x8 #1			6.99	9.49	
2x12 #1			12.69	16.79	
1x6 #2	1.99	2.39	2.79	3.29	3.99

3/4" Cabinet Plywood

•4'x8' one piece face

Birch	Ash
28 ⁹⁵	35 ⁹⁵

Exterior Siding

•Premium grade

1/2" Asphalt Sheathing	1/2" Asphalt Siding
5.99	3.99

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•Coated 6 sides •R1.32 •4'x8'

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5.99	3.99

3/16" Pegboard

•Fog hooks available •4'x8'

3/16" Pegboard	3/16" Pegboard
8.99	12.99

Fencing Materials

T-Posts

•40 CCA treated for long life •2 rivets, 5 clips •Meets ASTM A-702-81

6 foot	6 1/2 foot
1.95	2.19

Barbed Wire

•1320 linear ft. •2 point •Galvanized •Made in USA

28.95	31.95
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Field Fence

•Made in USA •Some items not stocked in all stores

Height	Gauge	Spacing	Length	Price
32"	14 1/2	6"	330'	46 ⁹⁵
39"	12 1/2	6"	330'	69 ⁹⁵
47"	12 1/2	6"	330'	79 ⁹⁵
48"	14 1/2	6"	165'	42 ⁹⁵
48"	12 1/2	2"x4"	100'	69 ⁹⁵
48"	12 1/2	2"x4"	100'	89 ⁹⁵

50 ft. Welded Wire Fencing

•Made in USA •1/4" rods

13 ⁹⁹	15 ⁹⁹
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Privacy Fencing

1x6x6 ft. Cedar	2x4x8 Treated Pine
1.35	1.85

Concrete Blocks

•We have the right sized block for your project! •Not stocked in Laredo

7 ft.	8 ft.	10 ft.	12 ft.
2 ⁹⁹	3 ²⁹	6 ⁵⁹	7 ⁶⁹

8 ft. JUMBO Landscape Timber

•40 CCA pressure treated •3 1/2"x5 1/2" •Width varies

4 foot	10 foot	12 foot	14 foot	15 foot
15.95	32.95	35.95	39.95	47.95

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Name of first black Eagle Scout here used in error Grand jury to withdraw Hurd indictment

The Colorado County Grand Jury used the wrong name in issuing an indictment last month. When the name of Gerald Hurd showed up in the Headlight last week as one of the Eagle Lake men indicted for drug violations earlier this year, Hurd was upset on two accounts, the man told the Headlight last Thursday.

First he was upset that the name appeared in the newspaper at all, since he was not involved in any of the arrests made in February by the Eagle Lake police department, and second he said he was upset that an error in the legal system, that also was pointed out in February, has not yet been corrected.

The truth is, Gerald Hurd was not involved in any of the drug investigations conducted here, nor any other criminal activity, and his name should not have been used at it was by the grand jury.

Police explain
During the drug investigations that lasted several months, the man's name surfaced. But, the morning of the Valentine's Day round up, Hurd said he heard police were looking for him and he went to the police station to see why. Officers involved in the investigation, when they met with Hurd, immediately cleared him, and said he was not the man they were looking for.

The officers then issued a warrant for a Gerald Robinson, who they said was using the name of Gerald Hurd. However, through a mix-up that has not been explained, the case that was presented to the grand jury on June 5, resulted in an indictment of Gerald Hurd.

Last week a spokesman in the district attorney's office in Seguin said that when the grand jury meets next week that indictment listing only the name Gerald Hurd will be withdrawn, since it was not correct.

Hurd is well-known in Eagle Lake. He is the city's first Black Eagle Scout, and was a member of the RHS football team.

(Editor's Note: One of the first rules learned about reporting police news is to secure as much identification as possible about accused persons. That generally includes the full name, complete address, and age. However, that information is not available when grand jury reports are issued. In the past, the Headlight has asked the District Clerk's office, the District Judge, and the District Attorney to see that the proper information is available to the public, to help avoid situations as described above. We have been unsuccessful. Perhaps it is time the question be asked again, and if necessary, contact the legislature if further laws are needed.

Critical issues task forces to report Thursday

The four task forces researching critical issues facing Colorado County in the future are expected to present their final Hajdik county agent agriculture, reports this Thursday, June 26, at a 7 p.m. meeting in the Columbus Elementary School cafeteria, 1324 Bowie St., according to Leroy Hajdik, county agent agriculture.

The four issues being studied are agriculture, home economics, 4-H and youth, and community development.

Hajdik, in a letter urging all task force members to attend, said, "We need your continued input as the entire task force membership will select a total of ten issues from the reports presented by the task force chairmen. You need to be present to support your area of study and assist in selection of the most critical ten issues that are evident in Colorado County."

Entry rules changed for Treasure Hunt

The entry rules have been changed for the Lions Club's 50th Anniversary Treasure Hunt to give more people the opportunity to participate.

Last week more than 20 people called with the right answer to the clues in the Headlight. Pat Seasholtz, who received an early copy of the Headlight at the hospital on Wednesday, was the first caller. She correctly identified the location of the "Treasure" as the site of the Prairie Edge Museum.

This week, instead of calling the newspaper with an answer, participants are asked to mail or deliver a post-card or similar size note to the headlight, by noon Monday, (P.O. Box 67 • 220 E. Main St.) That afternoon a winner will be drawn, and the winner will be announced in that week's Headlight.

Dough-To-Go

Gourmet Cookies from an Eagle Lake Company

In an industry dominated by multi-national giants, a group from Eagle Lake has struck out on its own in search of a niche it hopes can bring success to their venture, as well as bring a new business for the economy of this area.

The company is called G & Lee, Inc., but you are more likely to hear about it under the name Dough-To-Go. The industry they are breaking into is food, and the niche they are seeking is in the gourmet cookie business.

That order was from H.E. Bunt Grocery Co., for their HEB chain of Texas stores. That just may be the start they were looking for.

Last summer Bob began looking into the possibility of bringing the company here after his brother Tom Griffith completed the original work. Tom nearly had the company operating in Knappa, Texas, but because of his health had to give it up.

Bob Griffith began talking to people in this area, and when he found there was enough interest, he called a meeting to discuss it seriously. They agreed that if enough capital could be raised in 60 days, they would incorporate. The goal was to reach a 30 with approximately 20 investors

signed on. So, G & Lee was incorporated on October 22, 1985, doing business as Dough-To-Go.

The idea for the product name isn't original, but the story behind it is interesting enough. "All it took was a few words of wisdom from a child," reports the San Francisco Business Journal. In their story, they describe how two former employees of Hewlett-Packard started the original company. One, Betty Solberg, was keeping a busy schedule while finishing work on a degree in finance. She had made cookies for her step daughter and son, and had frozen the dough that wasn't baked. When she found her son eating it from the container, without cooking, he said it was so good she ought to sell it under the name Dough-To-Go.

Solberg teamed up with her sister, and they are serving stores and other outlets in northern California.

Tom Griffith was in California for the Olympics and asked about a franchise. He later obtained the exclusive rights for Texas. Because most of the stockholders of the company now are in the Eagle Lake area, it was decided the plant should be set up here. They took over part of the old warehouse on West Main that houses the Clipson-Johnson operation. Their area includes a small office, food storage, a walk-in refrigerator, and a frozen food transport truck that serves as the deep-freeze area. The most important area, for mixing, is pure

white and spicily clean. With that completed, Griffith and Schwenn have been the active partners, mixing the dough as well as seeking buyers.

The word "gourmet" is attached to the product because of the content. All ingredients are natural, such as the brown sugar used. However, not just any brown sugar will do. They use only C&H Brand, because the cane for the sugar is mostly from Hawaii, and has a natural high content of molasses.

The chocolate and chocolate chips are the best that can be bought, and the same holds true for the other ingredients.

At first, Griffith and Schwenn will be offering five flavors: Chewy Chip, Chocolate-Chocolate Chip, Peanut Butter, Orange

Charles D. Stephens honored for hospital work

Charles D. Stephens, who was one of the six residents appointed to the first board of directors of the Eagle Lake Community Hospital when it was formed in 1967, was honored at a testimonial dinner party at The Farris 1912 on Tuesday night of last week, June 17, marking his retirement from the board.

Mr. Stephens has served as the treasurer of the board of directors of Eagle Lake Community Hospital since his appointment to the board on March 30, 1967. The Eagle Lake Community Hospital board was formed following the gift of the Laughlin Hospital facilities to the community by the owners, Dr. J.R. Laughlin, Dr. J.C. Laughlin and Dr. R.R. Thomas. Others appointed to the first board of Community Hospital were: James H. Clipson, Mrs. Earl (Annette) Rodgers Jr. (now deceased), Lorell Dye (who later moved from Eagle Lake), William H. Harrison and Bob Ashby. Mr. Clipson retired from the board in 1980 after a tenure of distinguished service; and Mr. Harrison and Mr. Ashby remain as active members.

Harrison served as master of ceremonies for the short program following a delicious fried corned beef dinner and trimmings. He commended Mr. Stephens for nearly twenty years of dedicated service "in working for the continued growth and success of our community's health care facility."

"Tonight we want to express our appreciation to you, Charlie, for your untiring efforts, your wise counsel, and your devotion to the Eagle Lake Community Hospital," stated the master of ceremonies. "As treasurer of our board of directors, you held a 'tight purse-string' and guarded our resources carefully. As a board member, you always voted your convictions as to what was best for the hospital."

Harrison concluded by asking Mr. Stephens to continue to offer his thoughts and suggestions. "They will always be welcomed by our board."

Willard W. Stuart, president of the board of directors of Eagle Lake Community Hospital, also recognized Mr. Stephens' contributions for the past twenty years. He said, "You and the former original board members helped us to pave the road toward providing the citizens of Eagle Lake and Garwood and surrounding communities with a first class, progressive health care facility. It will be up to us remaining on the board to see that this progress continues."

He concluded by noting that the work of the hospital will go on but Mr. Stephens' absence in its direction will be sorely missed.

The board president and Mr. Harrison presented in behalf of the Eagle Lake Community Hospital, the directors, the medical staff, administration and employees and citizens of the communities which it serves, a plaque of appreciation to Mr. Stephens.

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Charles D. Stephens, right, was honored on his retirement as a member of the board of directors of Eagle Lake Community Hospital, and as treasurer of the board, at a dinner party at The Farris 1912 Tuesday night, June 17. Mr. Stephens and his wife, Marie, hold the plaque of appreciation presented to the couple in behalf of the board, the medical staff, administration and employees and citizens of the communities served by Community Hospital. At left is William H. Harrison, Sr., chairman of the executive committee, and seated is Willard W. Stuart, board president.

FFA orientation dinner Tonight

The Rice High School FFA Booster Club is sponsoring a chicken and dumpling supper at 7:30 p.m. tonight, Thursday, June 26, at the school's FFA showroom, and everyone interested in the future of the agriculture program at the school is urged to attend.

The meeting will be especially important as an orientation session for new FFA members and their parents, but others interested in the program should attend as well.

Booster club membership is \$5.

Marker for Matthews cemetery to be dedicated Saturday

Noted area historian William H. Harrison Sr. will be the keynote speaker Saturday at a marker dedication ceremony at the Montgomery Thatcher Cemetery on Saturday at Matthews.

The marker will be dedicated to the "Citizens of the Republic of Texas, 1836-1846," according to Dorothy Cox, secretary of the Montgomery Thatcher Cemetery Association. Harrison also is a curator of the Prairie Edge Museum where a historical display has been established of some of the early pioneers of the area.

They feature George and Myra Thatcher, and John and Margaret Abell Thatcher. These two men, father and son, were the first and second pioneers of Eagle Lake.

The dedication will be held at 2 p.m. this Saturday, June 28, at Matthews, which is at the junction of FM 102 and FM 950.

HEB, they also are making appointments for sales calls in Houston and elsewhere around the state.

When the ball gets rolling, sales calls may not be so high on the priority list. Schwenn said that a salesman for a food broker that was in Eagle Lake calling on his restaurant took six one-pound sample packages back to Houston one day, to show to his success, 90 percent of the business will come from sales of 18-pound buckets for institutional food servers, such as those companies that have large cafeteria operations for their employees, or that prepare ready-to-eat means for others, such as the airlines.

While Griffith and Schwenn are busy this week making up the order for

one-pound packages is available at Wilcox Minimax, Dan's Minimex, and Dan's Supermarket in Sealy.