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Courthouse

Continued from front page eligible for a grant of up to \$6 million from the state, with the county paying about \$900,000.

But with the estimate of \$8.5 million, he said, the county would have to come up with a total of about \$3.4 million.

Also, the county has been discussing a new courthouse annex in the range of \$3 million.

Jamison said he foresees the county issuing certificates of obligation for about \$6 million, which would mean an increase in the tax rate of three cents per \$100 valuation.

He noted that the Texas Historical Commission is not expected to vote on whether to approve the grant until early next year.

He said that the county is already proceeding with plans to repair the roof of the courthouse and Jamison said that work is needed whether or not the county receives the grant.

The renovation work would include removing first floor offices of the county clerk and tax assessor-collector, which were added to the building in 1952.

Among the estimated costs were:

- Site work \$189,000.
- Thermal work, \$402,000.
- Material and moisture protection, including roof, \$968,000.
- Doors and Window, \$407,000.
- Finishing work, \$616,000.
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Methodist Church Celebrating 135 Years

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at a Session of Temperance meeting in Columbus at the Methodist Church. He died and Emma was a widow at the age of 18.

Prior to 1864, Emma opened a wooden one room private school house. It was located in the area of the Wintermann Library and Morales Construction.

In 1872 a Methodist Circuit Rider named Orceneth Fisher rode into Eagle Lake and started the first Methodist congregation in the area. Emma Rhine's schoolroom and also the first Methodist Sunday School class. Later in the same year, Ms. Rhine started the First Ladies Aid Society.

In 1877 Rev. John Armstrong came into town and started the First Baptist Church, the Episcopal and the Christian Church soon followed.

These four little congregations grew but could not afford to build their own church.

So, the four congregations built a wooden church building on Post Office St., next to the former home of Helmer Seaholm. It was called The Union Church.

1880...The Union church, this building was used by the Methodist, the Baptist, the Episcopal and the Christian Church congregations. They took turns using this building each week, and the women took turns cleaning and maintaining the building, until they could build their own churches.

1899...The Methodist congregation built their first building, out of brick, called the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. It was located on Lake Street down from the Episcopal Church. The name change was due to the feelings between the North and the South on the issue of slavery. The Gen-

eral Conference met in 1844 in New York and voted on a separate Southern Conference. The nation was moving toward the Civil War. Texas and Southern Methodists joined in the growing sentiment across the South for secession from the Union.

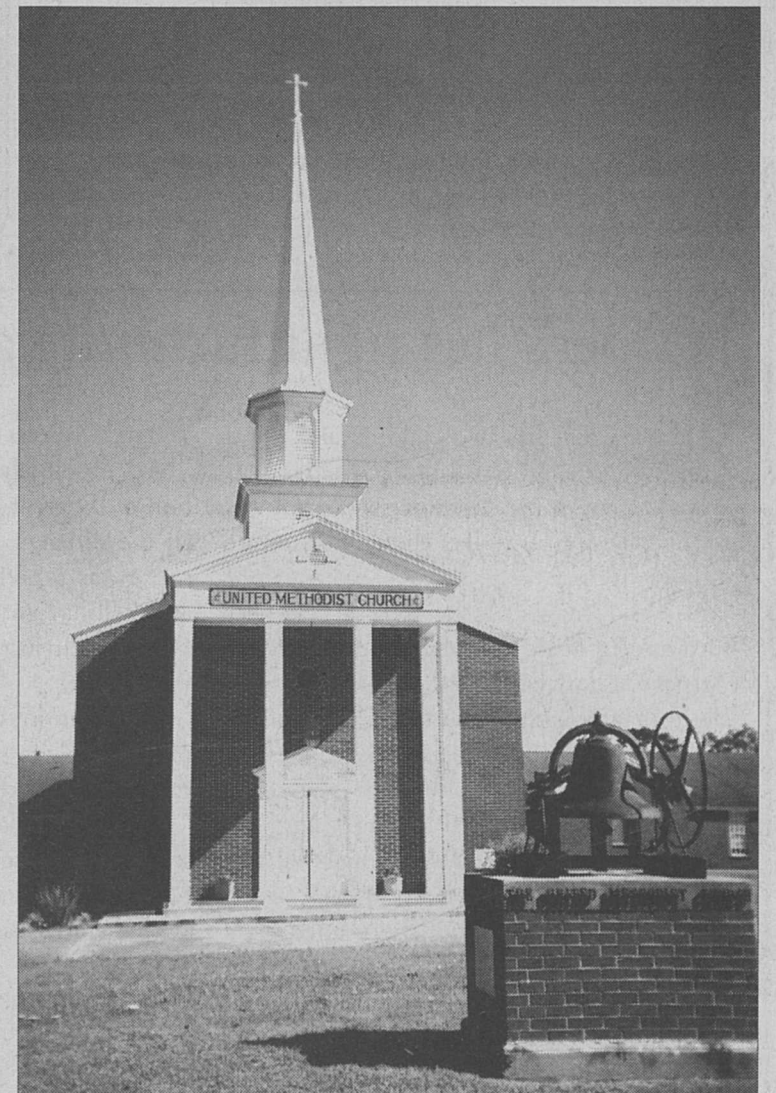
1939...Colly Memorial Methodist Church...Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Colly's daughter, Bobby Colly died of accidental, electrical drowning. Mr. and Mrs. Colly donated the land and money to build a new church. A 10-foot stained glass window depicting Jesus as the good shepherd was given in memory of W.A. Braun whose life was given in a vain attempt to save Bobby Colly. A fellowship building with a bell tower was built in 1943. This church was on Prairie Street West of the present church building.

1968...a national church merger between The Evangelical United Brethren Church and the Methodist Church. We are now the United Methodist Church.

1973-1976...the congregation voted to build a new church instead of remodeling and updating the complete facility. They purchased the block where the former Eagle Lake High School once stood and built the present church building.

On December 9, 1976 the congregation walked out of the doors of Colly Church, down one block and entered singing a hymn through the doors of the new sanctuary. It was named the United Methodist Church of Eagle Lake.

The stained glass window was moved to the new chapel and the bell was moved and mounted in



the front lawn.

This was the 5th building to house the Methodist church since 1872.

These congregations have furnished parsonages for their pastors since 1899 and have been active in women's organizations since 1872.

One Sunday September 30 we

will be celebrating our 135 years of Christian service to this community.

A special service is being planned beginning at 10:45 a.m. Bishop Joel Martinez will be our special guest.

Invitations have been sent out and the meal will be served by invitation only with a RSVP to the church office.