

La Bona Esp.
Eagle Pass.
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EAGLE PASS

Is the County seat of Maverick County. It is about 150 miles S. W. from San Antonio, on the Rio Grande. It has 3,000 or 3,500 inhabitants. It is 720 feet above sea level, and is surrounded by as rich agricultural and grazing lands as there are in Texas. There is an irrigation canal now under contract and in process of construction that will irrigate 100,000 acres of land in Maverick County. Good farming lands are plentiful and cheap, and 20,000 acres will be put under cultivation in 1889. Our climate is as near perfect as it is possible for it to be, and no poet has ever sung of "Oriental skies" that are bluer than ours, nor does Luna's pale cheek shed a softer silver light over a more beautiful landscape, kissed by the gentle breezes rising from the Gulf, that are divested of all malaria, presenting to us nature's purest, invigorating and health-giving principle, and toning down the excessive heat of summer, and ameliorating the chilly blasts of winter, thus giving us a climate nearest an ideal perfection of any upon the American Continent.

EAGLE PASS is the most direct route for through freight and travel from all points East and North, to the city of Mexico, and the principal mining districts and camps of the Mexican Republic. It is the most suitable place for Smelting and Reduction Works along the Mexican border; we have a five foot vein of coal underlying EAGLE PASS, and it is now being worked within six miles of town. An International bridge and street railway will soon be built between Piedras Negras and Eagle Pass. It is now under contract. Four other railroads will soon enter Eagle Pass, and it is destined to be the largest city upon the Mexican border, surrounded by the richest valley lands in the world, and in close proximity to the most abundant and richest ores in the mineral kingdom, with an inexhaustible supply of the best fuel, there is no power to prevent its taking the foremost place among our border cities.

EAGLE PASS possesses attractions little thought of by outsiders. As a locality for a town of unlimited dimensions, nature has exhausted her liberality here. She can already show fine residences, stores and elegant buildings for public service, which would ornament the proudest Texas metropolis, and no community of equal numbers on the frontier, interior or coast is in advance of her, socially, morally or intellectually.

The school facilities of EAGLE PASS are unsurpassed. Taxes are low, and County Scrip is at par. Maverick County, ranks second in the State as a Stock raising county.

EAGLE PASS has an ice factory, water works and two good hotels, a number of fraternal societies, among the most prominent of which are the Free and Accepted Masons, Knights of Pythias, Knights of Honor, I. O. O. F., Sacredad Mutualista Mexicana, also the Mesquite Club, Music and Literary Society, Eagle Pass Brass Band, also many other attractions and advantages that we cannot enumerate in this limited space. Come and see them.

Eagle Pass Irrigation & Water Works Co.

Maverick Co. Land & Development Co.

If you desire health,
If you desire wealth,
come to EAGLE PASS.
We have no blizzards,
no snow storms, no thunder
storms, no cyclones, no malaria.

If you desire a mild climate,
If you desire a pleasant home,
If you want to raise fruit or vegetables,
or wish to sell goods where there is
good society, good schools and churches,
come to EAGLE PASS.



P.O. BOX, N.º

GEO. D. BARNARD & CO. ST. LOUIS.

Eagle Pass, Texas, Jan 2nd 1895

V. La Boma Esq! Please let bearer have following articles:

- 1000 # meal
- 1 Bbl But Flour:
- 1 doz packages batmeal:
- 1 doz " Rolled Wheat:
- 2 Sacks Beans: 176#
- 1 Sack Cheapest Coffee: 132# ✓
- 1/2 doz heads Cabbages: 19# ✓
- 10# Onions: 118#
- 50# potatoes 110#
- 25# Sweet Potatoes: 50#

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If you can find any more vegetables for us please get them & oblige

C. H. Thomson
Ben Lollis!

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