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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. Robert E. Walker visited Houston last Sunday.

Mr. Wm. C. Zelle returned Monday from a business visit to Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Waugh spent a few days in San Antonio this week.

Dr. F. O. Norris made a professional visit to San Antonio this week.

Mr. Harry Cottam left Sunday for a week's visit to his old home in New Orleans.

Mrs. F. O. Norris is visiting in San Antonio this week, the guest of Mrs. Clara Greenlay.

We are pleased to add the name of Mr. Jesse Bentley to our subscription list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mentor Northington of Egypt spent Monday in the city with relatives.

Mrs. R. J. Wright of Sugarland is spending the week in the city with relatives and friends.

Mr. W. Keyser of the Mentz settlement was in the city last Saturday transacting business.

Miss Willie Dobbins and Mrs. J. J. Whitley returned Monday from a few days' visit to Houston.

Mr. Thomas F. Bouldin, one of Columbus' popular citizens, was in the city Tuesday en route to Glen Flora.

Mr. George Reed of Weimar spent Sunday in the city with the family of his brother, Mr. Dempsey Reed.

Messrs. John Chumney and Donovan Johnson were visitors to Rock Island Sunday to see their best girls.

Mrs. Bettie Stephens of Houston stopped off here Monday afternoon en route from Columbus for a few days' visit to friends.

Mr. Chas. Hall of Houston, an old Eagle Lake boy, was in the city Monday on business for his firm, the Buffalo-Pitts company.

Miss Louise Armstrong, one of Wharton's popular young ladies, spent several days here this week, the guest of Miss Fannie Williamson.

Mr. George H. Nottingham of Egypt, one of Wharton county's largest planters and most influential business men in the city on business Monday.

Mrs. N. P. Reid of Gonzales, formerly Miss Nellie Hood of Glen Flora, came in Sunday afternoon en route to Glen Flora for a visit to relatives.

Mr. Frank Davidson, who is assisting civil engineer Jno. A. Norris at El Campo, came up the first of the week and spent a few days here with relatives.

Miss Omi Brigham and Miss Ola Jackson of Chesterfield were guests of Miss Lizzie York Sunday while en route to Chesterfield from a brief visit to Columbus.

Mr. W. P. B. Wicker, one of Eagle Lake's popular citizens, returned Tuesday from Houston where he has been serving on the Federal jury for several weeks.

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Mr. Stewart Lewis, one of the most popular traveling men on the road, spent a short while here the first of the week with his parents, Capt. and Mrs. Jno. F. Lewis.

Mr. George Westcott has rented Mrs. Stone's residence and has moved his family here from near Chesterfield. "For rent" locals placed in the HEADLIGHT will always bring results.

Mr. F. D. Stockbridge, manager of the Eagle Lake Bottling company, made business visits to Sealy, Wallis, Weimar and other points this week in the interest of his company.

The pianist of the Brinton moving picture show was laid off with a sick spell while in Eagle Lake last week. The accompaniments to the illustrated songs were excellently rendered by Miss Ida Mae Ernst of our city.

We are requested to announce that Elder G. N. Weaver of Zimpson will preach here in the Christian church on the 5th Sunday in this month. Everybody is cordially invited to attend the services.

Mr. Max Schindler, a prominent citizen of the Mentz community, was in the city last Sunday. Mr. Schindler stated that everything was moving along nicely on his way. He said that he had over fifty acres of cotton up and had a fine stand.

The headquaters is requested to state that there will be services in the new Baptist church on the 5th Sunday in this month, which is Easter Sunday. Bro. J. B. Armstrong of Kyle will preach in the morning and Bro. Conner of Waco will conduct the evening services. All are invited to attend both services.

Our good friend, Mr. L. F. Schultz, of Altair was in the city Saturday and gave the HEADLIGHT office a pleasant call and presented us with a large, fine head of cabbage. Mr. Schultz stated that he had one of the finest gardens this year that he has had for several years past. He is always among the first to bring in vegetables and always finds a ready sale here for his products.

After reprinting an article from the HEADLIGHT relative to the partnership formed between Mr. Rice and "our own" Mr. Travis Smith, the Richmond Coaster adds: "The above makes a noise like truth to us and we rejoice in the confidence placed in Smith and Rice. While we can vouch for both, yet more especially can we commend and recommend our own Clifton Rice. If merit is ever rewarded, then to a certainty will Rice receive his reward, if quality and ability win the battle of life then will Rice be a victor. We regret to lose from among us both Mr. and Mrs. Rice and it does seem to us that every man that leaves Richmond is first class. We must have the best citizenship in the State of Texas, since every citizen that quits our town is a model."

MERIT WINS.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

We, the undersigned have been and are now carrying accident and health policies in the Fidelity and Casualty company of New York, through their agents, Messrs. Vineyard, Walker & Co., at Eagle Lake, Texas. We take pleasure in attesting to their satisfactory and prompt settlement of our claims and can cheerfully recommend them to the insuring public. Signed J. R. WASHMORELAND, LEE HUGHES, E. A. TOLIVER.

What the Evidence Showed.

(Williamson County Sun.)

Senator Bailey and his friends say the legislature exonerated him from the Cocke charges and gave him a clean bill of health morally and politically. Is that true? Nominally, yes. Really, no. What was established by the evidence? The fact of his meeting H. C. Pierce at St. Louis by appointment made by ex-Governor Francis and Pierce himself by telegraph, and the fact of his borrowing \$3500 from Pierce at the first meeting. The fact of his coming back to Texas, although his duties called him to Washington, on or about the same time with Pierce and Johnson. The fact that he called on the attorney general and the secretary of state and discussed with them the troubles of the Waters Pierce Oil company, and then went to Waco and participated in conferences with the attorneys representing the State and the Waters Pierce Oil company, at one of which H. C. Pierce was present and to whom he suggested the very course which he afterwards pursued. What else was established? The genuineness of the vouchers and receipts Senator Bailey on the stump disputed and denounced as forgeries. By whom was it established? By the Groets, by Finlay, by Naudin, by Hutchinson—all but the Groets present employees of the Waters Pierce Oil company, and all but them Bailey's witnesses. Also that the Bailey loans were carried into the Waters Pierce company's books and charged off to profit and loss. What else? The genuineness of the letters from Johnson to Clark and from Clark to Johnson, the telegram from Pierce to Finlay and the notations thereon ordering the payment of \$1500 to Striking and the actual payment of \$1500 to Senator Bailey at Gainesville two days after the date of said telegram. What else? The fact that Congressman Henry knew that the Waters Pierce Oil company was a subsidiary of the Standard Oil company, and that he so informed Senator Bailey, who, however, preferred to believe Pierce to the contrary. These are some of the facts disclosed by the witnesses, most of them Bailey's friends.

What were Senator Bailey's admissions under oath? That he met Pierce by appointment and borrowed \$3500 from him the first day of their acquaintance, continuing thereafter to borrow various sums of money, little and big, from him, entering his employment as attorney and main-

ing, his relations to him to this very day. That he has at least twice visited the headquarters of the Standard Oil company in New York City, that he was paid \$2500 for giving them a written opinion and \$5000 for drawing the charter of a subsidiary company at Beaumont—he, however, denying that he knew it was a subsidiary—that he negotiated the sale of Kirby Lumber company stock to the Frisco Railroad company at two or three times its nominal value, and that he is now engaged in performing somewhat similar services for Pierce and his associates in connection with their Tennessee railroad properties. It was also established by the testimony of witnesses and by Mr. Bailey's own admissions that he at one time or another borrowed money from nearly every person for whom he ever performed a service. He declared he has paid every dollar so borrowed, and admits that his various employments have made him comfortably wealthy. Are not the facts and admissions sufficient to cast suspicion upon Senator Bailey and to discredit him in public estimation? Are they not sufficient to greatly impair his usefulness as a servant of the people? And is not what has already been disclosed sufficient to justify Mr. Cocke's saying, "the half has not been told?" Mr. Bailey has himself invited a continuance of

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the fight, and he will surely be gratified. The organization of men who will demand in the next campaign a higher order of civic virtue in public servants has already taken shape, and it will be pushed.

Farmers' Union.
Very naturally the interests that have been exploiting the farmers for generations are beginning to denounce the new union as a "farmers trust," but this will deceive only those who dearly love to be deceived. The farmers who are joining it, and they are joining in large numbers, are merely demanding some voice in the matter of fixing the price at which they shall sell the product of their labor, and to make the demand effective, they are organizing for mutual protection and benefit. And as the workmen in the various trades have been benefitted by their union organizations, just so will the farmers be benefitted in proportion as they shall make their organization strong without being tyrannical, and shall make only those demands that are founded on common justice. The Farmers' Union should grow in strength and influence until it practically includes all those who live by tilling the soil. Bryan's Commoner.

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Cause of Marital Unhappiness.

"When marriages are unhappy," said Mark Twain, at a dinner, "it is usually because the husband isn't tender and observant of trifles."

"The husband is too much like the young man who sat singing with great expression: 'I love thee! I love thee! With a love that cannot die!'"

"His wife just then came in and said: 'James, I want a scuttle of coal!'"

"Oh, go to the dickens," said he."

Not the One.

Sunday School Superintendent—Who led the children of Israel into Canaan? Will one of the smaller boys answer?

There was no reply.

The Superintendent (some-what sternly)—Can no one tell Little Boy on that seat next to the aisle, who led the children of Israel into Canaan?

Little Boy (badly frightened)—It wawn't me, I—I just moved here last week from Mizzeury—Farm and Ranch.

That retail lumberman dealt the Hon. John Kirby a solar plexus blow. The Hon. John Kirby, it will be recalled, in testifying before the investigating committee at Austin, said all the blame for the increase in the price of lumber should fall upon the retailers, for they were responsible.

Now comes a retail lumberman and quotes the prices that prevailed in 1890, before the birth of the alleged lumber trust, and compares them with the prices today, both prices being taken from lumber bills. The figures must be a "sockdolager" for the Hon. John, as well as to some others who have hooted at the very idea of there being a lumber trust in this famous trust-busting state of Texas. Denton Record and Chronicle. Mr. Kirby stated that the millmen and wholesale dealers were at the mercy of the retail dealers. Isn't Mr. Kirby in a position to know whereof he speaks? It isn't of on that the tail wags the dog, but Mr. Kirby insists that the tail wags the lumber dog. Dallas Times Herald.

The Advocate editor is afflicted with a very large black eye, and his friends have asked a great many questions about it. In order to save time we have decided to publish the facts about the eye, which briefly stated are as follows: We undertook to lick a large, well-made gentleman from Dreka, Texas. We did not lick him. That's all. Center Advocate.

Green—"What do you mean

by saying John Brown is a distant relative of mine?" I thought he was your brother."

Brown—"Well there are twelve children in our family. He's the oldest and I'm the youngest."

Chicago News.

Notice to our Customers.

We are please to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. Eagle Lake Drug Co.

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This is Worth Remembering.

Whenever you have a cough or cold, just remember that Foley's Honey and Tar will cure it. Do not risk your health by taking any but the genuine. It is in a yellow package. Eagle Lake Drug Co.

L. M. Williamson visited his brother in Eagle Lake Sunday and reports that part of Texas on the go-up road. Richmond Coaster.

Listen

and remember the next time you suffer from pain—caused by damp weather—when your head nearly bursts from neuralgia—try Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will cure you. A prominent business man of Hempstead, Texas, writes: "I have used your liniment. Previous to using it I was a great sufferer from rheumatism and neuralgia. I am pleased to say that now I am sure I owe this to your liniment." Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.

Prof. J. E. Briggs, of Eagle Lake, was here last Saturday on matters connected with the proposed summer normal to be held here. Belville Times.

Orino-Laxative Fruit Syrup is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, and does not grip or nauseate, and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. Eagle Lake Drug Co.

Mr. A. M. Waugh, a banisher of Eagle Lake, was here this week and secured fourteen Japs whom he will take to Port Lavaca, with him and give employment opening oysters. Eagle Pass News.

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Women are never as dangerous as men, because they always talk too much.

A Baby

should be sunshine in the home, and will be if you give it White's Cream Vermifuge, the greatest worm medicine ever offered to suffering humanity. This remedy is becoming the permanent fixture of well regulated households. A mother, with children, can't get along without a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge in the house. It is the purest and best medicine that money can buy. Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.

A lot of people give God money, notes in order to have cash on hand for Satan.

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