

THE CITY

LOCAL PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Mr. John Harrington visited Houston and Galveston this week.

Mr. W. F. Causey was a business visitor to Rock Island Thursday.

Mr. Henry Bartschell of Alameda City.

Attorney W. S. Strickland was in Columbus on legal business Thursday.

Constable J. M. Callison was a business visitor to Houston Thursday.

Miss Alma Korthauer returned Thursday night from a visit to Lane City.

Mr. F. P. Herbert was in town from his plantation a short while Wednesday.

Mrs. D. L. Armstrong left Thursday for a visit to her old home in Weimar.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rayner left last night for a few days' visit to Houston.

Mr. Will Hermann of Brenham came in yesterday morning for a short business visit.

Miss Hattie Roberts of Galveston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. Herman Deaton.

Mrs. Lucy Norris returned Thursday afternoon from a visit to relatives in Columbus.

Mr. J. R. Lane of Lane City came up on the Cane Belt Thursday night for a brief visit.

Mr. Leland Montgomery paid Eagle Lake his usual semi-weekly visit Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. L. Mooney and Miss Hazel Roberts spent Wednesday and Thursday in Columbus.

Mrs. J. R. Lane of Lane City came up Wednesday night for a visit to Mrs. W. A. Thatcher.

Miss Athena Jones left Monday night for a visit to her sister, Mrs. S. P. Damon, in Smithville.

Mr. Harry Johnson sold a bunch of twenty-three fine cattle to Mr. Morgan Flowers Wednesday.

Bro. Ferrell of Waco will preach at the Baptist church tomorrow. All are invited to attend the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex B. White of Bay City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Pritchard of this city.

Mrs. J. C. Habermacher of St. Louis arrived yesterday morning for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thatcher.

Mrs. R. S. Simmons returned yesterday afternoon from an extended visit to San Antonio and Columbus.

Mr. Seth Cooper has secured a job as brakeman on the Santa Fe railroad, his run being on the Cane Belt local.

Mr. John McClanahan went down to Houston Wednesday afternoon to attend a meeting of the "Hoo Hoo's."

Mr. Wilford Gordon of Wharton, traveling for the Tatters Gas company of this city, spent Wednesday in town.

Mr. W. H. Irwin of Houston spent Sunday in the city with Mr. E. J. Scott and enjoyed a day's fishing on the lake.

Mr. W. E. Erp of Bonus was in town Sunday and took the noon train for Columbus to see his best girl.

Mrs. N. J. Sunwall of El Campo arrived Friday night of last week for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. V. Boyd.

The HEADLIGHT is glad to add the name this week of Mr. C. P. Hoy to its rapidly growing subscription list.

Mr. J. O. B. Young of Edna came up Sunday and spent a couple of days in the city on business of course.

Miss Gladys Vinson of Rosenberg spent Monday in the city in the interest of her race in the Houston Post contest.

Mr. J. T. McCarty from Hitchcock spent several days here the first of the week recuperating from a spell of the grip.

For Sale: Fine registered Poland-China Pig, male, about five months old.

Dr. G. A. Foote.

Mrs. Nannie Andrews of Columbus spent several days here the first of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thatcher.

Mrs. H. Fitzgerald and children left Saturday for their home in San Antonio after a week's pleasant visit to Mrs. Chumney.

Capt. J. A. Robertson of St. Monton stopped over here Tuesday while en route home from a business visit to Columbus.

Capt. John Duncan of Altair was in the city Saturday and Sunday. He left on the noon train Sunday for Columbus.

Mr. Parker White returned Monday afternoon from a visit to Mr. Harry Cotton at the Sandmeyer ranch near Columbus.

Mr. Thos. F. Boulden came up from Glen Flora on the "Whangdoodle" Tuesday and left for a visit to his home in Columbus.

Mr. A. J. Winfree who has been busy with carpenter work at Bonus for some time, spent Sunday in the city with his family.

Editor Raymond Winfree of the Schulenburg Sticker spent Sunday in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Winfree.

Mr. E. R. Johnson, the popular cashier of the Texas Savings bank at Houston, was a business visitor to the city last Friday and Saturday.

Masters Lawrence Watson, Billy McCarty and Chester Stewart were in Columbus the first of the week in attendance at county court.

Mrs. Annie Phillips and Miss Willie McFarland left on the "Whangdoodle" Saturday for a few days' visit to relatives in Glen Flora.

Mr. B. C. Smith, manager of the large Bonus plantation, was in the city Saturday afternoon en route for a visit to his home in Richmond.

Superintendent Oliver Snyder of the Santa Fe was here from Galveston Thursday on business connected with the building of the new depot.

Get a Health and Accident policy; it pays the doctor; pays the grocer; pays for loss of time; the laboring man's friend. See W. A. Thatcher.

Mr. John Miekow of Alleyton spent Tuesday afternoon in the city on business, and while here ordered the HEADLIGHT sent to his address for a year.

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We are always glad to learn of any item of local interest for the paper and will be glad to have our readers send us any items that they may know.

Miss Mary Whitfield, one of Sealy's pretty and popular young ladies, is spending the week in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jesse Bentley.

Mr. C. F. Lehmann of Hallettsville, representing the American Type Founders Co., of Dallas, was a pleasant caller at the HEADLIGHT office Thursday.

Mrs. Annie Phillips is in Glen Flora visiting relatives and will remain at that place until her son, Cadet Lytle Phillips, returns home from the A. & M. College.

Miss Lillian Nathan, one of Eagle Lake's most popular young ladies, left Sunday for a few weeks' visit to her sister, Mrs. Max Landa, in Hallettsville.

Miss Kate Ernst came down from Columbus, where she is attending school, Friday afternoon and spent Saturday and Sunday in the city with her parents.

Mr. Louis Allard, a former Wharton boy, now the "man from Kahn," spent Wednesday in the city, having his line of samples on display at J. G. Traylor's store.

Mr. D. H. Conner came in from Dallas and spent Sunday in the city with relatives and friends, leaving again the next afternoon to resume his duties at that place.

Messrs. W. A. Thatcher and Frank McCalline spent several days this week down on the lower Bernard hunting and fishing and enjoying the pleasures of camp life.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Westmoreland returned Friday night from last week from their honeymoon trip and are now at home to their friends at their home on State street.

Dr. A. Lampe, veterinary surgeon of LaGrange, Texas, will be in Eagle Lake April 16 and 17, at the Thatcher livery stable. Bring your sick stock and have them treated.

The HEADLIGHT is requested to announce that the Soubou Society will serve ice cream at the residence of Dr. J. K. Davidson tonight. All are invited to be present.

Flowers are reported to be quite numerous on the prairies and the local miradors are bringing in "the limit" of them almost every day. The birds are said to be in fine order.

Messrs. H. H. Jewett and B. Singleton of Shelbina, Mo., spent Sunday in the city looking at some of the lands offered for sale by Real Estate Agent J. R. Westmoreland.

Mrs. J. S. Foster of Bay City, formerly Miss Mabel Lipscomb of San Antonio, passed through on the noon train Monday en route to San Antonio for a visit of several weeks.

Bulls For Sale. Twenty good grade, polled, Galloway Bulls for sale; from one to five years old.

G. C. DUNCAN, Egypt, Texas.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

A Department that Economical Buyers Can ill Afford to Overlook.

Stoermer's corn meal is pure. Ties, all the smallest kinds, at Traylor's.

Ask for Stoermer's corn meal. White duck pants can be found at Traylor's.

Stoermer's—that's the best corn meal. Boots and shoes of every style can be found at Traylor's.

Plenty of soft-shirts, both pongee and silk, at Traylor's.

New Post Cards at Calvert's Drug Store.

Hats of all kinds and the latest styles, at Traylor's.

Pure corn chops for less at Landa's than elsewhere.

Hats of all kinds and the latest styles, at Traylor's.

New Post Cards at Calvert's Drug Store.

You will find many late style straw and felt hats at Traylor's.

Get the very best corn meal obtainable—that's Stoermer's meal.

Suits pressed while you wait. Pants made in one day at Traylor's tailor shop.

Corn by the sack just as cheap as you can buy a carload, at Landa's.

Try some fresh Cottoline. It's sure to please. For sale by E. L. Mooney.

JUST RECEIVED—A Fresh shipment of COTTOLINE—all sizes. BURGER BROS.

Order your spring suit from Traylor. Fit, quality and style guaranteed.

Go to G. Hermann's and see the new refrigerators just received this week.

Try a package of "CORN" flaked and toasted—the new breakfast food at BURGER BROS.

I have just received a car of Tidal Wave Flour. If you will try a sack, you will buy again. At Landa's.

Remember we have FRESH CAKES of all kinds. We get them twice a week. BURGER BROS.

Order your spring suit from Traylor. Fit, quality and style guaranteed.

We have just received a new line of refrigerators, all kinds and all prices. G. HERMANN.

Patronize a home industry and always ask for Stoermer's corn meal.

Remember when you want a buggy we can save you money. BURGER BROS.

Panama hats, all the latest styles, at Traylor's. They are lighter, cooler and dressier than any other hat for this season.

If you need any wheat bran, you ought to try Landa's. You can buy it for less.

DENTIST—Dr. P. T. Gordon, Dentist, up stairs Norris building. All kinds of dental work and all work guaranteed.

Try a bottle of Durkee's Salad Dressing and Meat Sauce—it will please you. BURGER BROS.

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REMEMBER—we have the Pure Food Beans in cans. They are as nice as fresh beans out of the garden. BURGER BROS.

Always keep a bottle of F. W. Harper whiskey in sight. Good to look at and good to taste; and what's more a benefit to your health. Sold by W. E. Welford.

Hay, Bran and Chops at E. L. Mooney's.

Buy your Groceries at Mooney's and you are sure to be pleased.

Order your spring suit from Traylor. Fit, quality and style guaranteed.

If you want Ducler's fine Candies, the only place to get that kind is at Mooney's.

Suits pressed while you wait. Pants made in one day at Traylor's tailor shop.

Just Received—A nice line of GLASSWARE of all kinds. BURGER BROS.

Panama hats, all the latest styles, at Traylor's. They are lighter, cooler and dressier than any other hat for this season.

A carload of good charcoal just received at Landa's and sells at 60c per sack.

Just Received—A fresh shipment of CAKES of all kinds. BURGER BROS.

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Last week Landa unloaded four carloads of feed stuffs; and it will sure pay you to give him a call.

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After concluding a business letter to the HEADLIGHT, Miss Kate Griffin who is sojourning in El Paso, gives the following interesting description of her visit to the border city: "Have been here one week but, unfortunately, have not decided to stay. I arrived here in the midst of a sand storm which lasted two days. I am afraid the altitude here is too high for me. The dust is something fierce and they don't remember when it did rain out here last. This is one of the most beautiful towns I ever saw, and the mountains around the city remind me of pictures I have seen of Jerusalem. I think it is grand here. Almost every nation is well represented in El Paso—especially China and Mexico. I think we have visited all points of any note. We all enjoyed our trip over to Juarez, and in spite of the nearness to the United States, just as soon as you cross the border it is very different. You are in a foreign country. The middle-class Mexican, with his highly colored serape with a hole cut through the center to go over his head, is quite a picturesque person. The sombrero, which he always wears, is a feature of his dress, and is much more expensive than we see at home. Truly, Mexican blessings the man who invented smoking! And in Mexico it is permitted and indulged in in all restaurants and theaters and I am told everywhere except at church and on Pullman cars. I heard someone say that it is very amusing to go through the Mexican towns when you can understand the meanings of the signs painted over doors of the stores and shops. A drug store in English, for instance, would be "The Gateway of Heaven." A saloon, "The Fountain of Love and Hope," and another saloon, "The Triumph of the Devil," etc. We saw the postoffice, bull city market, all the stores and then took in the "bull fights" over in Juarez. Some said it was a good fight—I thought it was awful. They killed four bulls, hurt one man and almost killed a horse, and I expect it will die. The fighters had plenty of nerve."

From the San Antonio Express we learn that at the Middlebrook-Carnahan wedding Miss Jacqueline Bruce of Eagle Lake, maid of honor, wore a gown of Paris auclousine elaborately trimmed with Valenciennes lace and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Except the bridal robe, this is said to have been the prettiest costume at the wedding.

On account of ill health, Mr. S. N. Neblett has given up the agency of the Houston Chronicle at this place and same is now being handled by John Harrington.

The Law Compels a man to Wear Clothes. . . .

Then Why Not Wear the Best?

HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX Suits are without an equal. They are honestly Tailored and perfectly fitting, and every garment guaranteed to be all wool. Grays and blues are the prevailing colors for this season. We have the grays in all shades and patterns. Suits from \$10. to \$20.

Special Prices in Ladies' Lawn Waists for Monday.

LOT 1. 50 White Lawn Waists, three-quarter length sleeves, open front or back, embroidery and lace trimmed. Large assortment of styles to select from. Special price for Monday \$1.00

LOT 2. 75 White Lawn Waists, all styles, extra quality lawn, cheap at \$1.75, our special price for Monday \$1.45

Leaders in Ladies' and Gent's Furnishings.

J. NATHAN & SON, Eagle Lake.

Excursion to San Antonio.

The San Antonio and Aransas Pass will sell you round trip tickets to San Antonio at \$2.50, account of San Antonio spring carnival Battle of Flowers. Sell for trains arriving in San Antonio evening of the 19th and for Day-Crockett and for trains connecting with Day-Crockett arriving in San Antonio morning of April 20, limit until April 22 for return. Season tickets sell on April 15, limit to April 22 at \$5.10.

Dr. J. K. Davidson went to Houston Sunday afternoon, returning next day accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. John Nash, who will remain here with her parents until she fully recovers from her spell of sickness.

Mr. Mike Manahan, who is on the road for the Tatter's Acetylene Gas Co., came in Saturday night for a few days' visit. Mike has been doing a good business for his firm and has sold quite a large number of light machines.

BELLVILLE Summer Normal.

Opens June 15th Closes July 30th 1907.

Strong Faculty. Elegant School Building. Pleasant Location. Expenses Reasonable. For Further Information Write J. E. BRIGGS, Eagle Lake, Texas.

A move is on foot to build an independent telephone line from here to Chesterville. A petition for stock subscriptions was circulated here this week by Mr. E. J. Scott and in an hour's time \$200 was subscribed. It is estimated that \$800 will be required in building the line, and Mr. Scott stated to the HEADLIGHT that he felt sure that amount could be raised. As soon as the required amount is subscribed the subscribers will meet and form a stock company. It is the intention of the promoters to make this an independent line, but, if possible, to get connection here with the Southwestern lines. It is also their intention to bring in as many rural telephones on this line as possible.

Some bold burglars broke into the saloon of Herman Braden at Alleyton Wednesday night, blew open his iron safe with some powerful explosive and politely accompanied with over \$50 in cash. This is the second time this saloon has been robbed within the past twelve months. The explosion was of sufficient violence to shatter the safe door and the noise was heard by persons living two blocks distant. The details of the former robbery coincide in many respects with that of Wednesday night, and it is presumed that the guilty party or parties were the same in each instance.

Mr. J. A. Burns of Nada was in the city Thursday on business and called at the HEADLIGHT office and gave the paper a financial shove. Mr. Burns stated that the cold nights were doing considerable damage to cotton and that he had to plant his entire crop over on this account.

Mr. Brahan Frazer requests the HEADLIGHT to say that there will be a dance in Frazer's opera house next Monday night. The money left over from the last big Christmas ball will be used to defray the expenses and no charge whatever will be made. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid Society will give an entertainment on April 23d from 8 to 11 p. m., at Mrs. F. O. Norris' residence for the benefit of the Baptist Sanitarium at Dallas. Donations of towels, bed and table linen are requested. Bring your donations with you. Music and refreshments will be free and everybody is invited.

Messrs. George Keith, P. H. Burger, Charles Lengerke, Warren Walker, Cleveland Gynna and Everett, McRee spent Sunday in Weimar. The three first named gentlemen went to the "Prairie City" on business connected with the fire company. The latter three were smiling on Weimar's pretty girls.

Mr. A. C. McClanahan returned Wednesday morning from the Lumbermen's convention at Houston. He said it was the largest gathering of lumbermen that he has ever seen. Mr. McClanahan left again Wednesday afternoon for a business trip to northern Louisiana, and is expected to return home today.

Every available seat was occupied at the park at the band's opening season's concert Thursday night. The concert was greatly enjoyed by the people of Eagle Lake during the summer and no doubt the park will be equally as crowded every Thursday night.

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Mr. Chas. Schmitt of San Antonio was in the city Monday to see his best girl.

The date of the local talent show, "Why Smith Left Home," has been changed from Friday, April 19th, to Monday night, April 22nd. Cast of characters will be found elsewhere in this paper.

The strong winds, from the south and then from the north, continue to blow every day, and are doing great damage to cotton and corn. In many instances, farmers will have to plant their cotton over.

Mr. J. Nathan received a pretty little "snuff-colored" horse and run-about buggy from Houston last Saturday. The horse was soon given the nick-name of "Yellow Kid." Mr. Nathan retained possession of the outfit only a day or two, having sold same to Mr. B. H. Daily.

Manager J. C. Sempres of the Waterworks company has been busy this week connecting up all the fire plugs with the main. Heretofore water supplied by the plugs was furnished through the old Walker pipes, and when this change is completed, the town will have a strong fire pressure.

MERIT WINS.

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. WESTMORELAND, LEE HUGHES, E. A. TOLIVER.

Negro's Bloody Deed.

Weimar, April 12.—A most terrible tragedy occurred here last Tuesday night in negro circles. Lee Henderson, a middle-aged negro who has been in the Colorado county jail for some time on charges of criminal assault and incest, was released on bond Friday. Tuesday night he went to the home of his wife, near Shimola, caught his daughter and tried to cut her throat. The young woman ran, escaping with only slight injury. His wife was present and also attempted to run, but was not so fortunate. The enraged man overtaking her in the yard, cutting her throat from ear to ear, killing her instantly. Having accomplished the deed he dragged the body of his wife into the house and placed it upon the bed. He then, it is supposed, crawled over the body, lay on the other side and cut his throat from ear to ear. Parties seeing blood and being alarmed by the girl went to the house and above results were soon seen. Thus ends another chapter in the negro settlement of this section.

Since shaking dice for drinks is prohibited in saloons a new game has been invented to take its place. It's appropriately termed "fly" game. There are two ways of playing it. The contesting parties draw small circles on the counter, and the one whose circle is first invaded by a fly loses. The other way is for each contestant to place a small piece of candy on the counter and the man whose candy is first tackled by a fly loses. It is an absolute impossibility to prohibit gambling to the letter. Human ingenuity can always be depended upon to circumvent difficulties. Hallettsville Herald.