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Galveston.

Mrs. W. A. Dallas entertained the Ladies' Euchre Club in a delightful manner at her home Thursday afternoon. The guests of the club were Mrs. G. A. Foote and Miss Christine Davis. Refreshments of strawberry ice cream and angel food cake, with elegant fruit punch, were served during the games. Each guest was presented with a pink carnation. Miss Jaquelin Bruce will entertain the club next week.

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### ROCK ISLAND RIPPLES.

Mrs. Frank Beekun is very sick with rheumatism. John White came in Sunday from Lissie to spend the day with his family.

Col. S. A. Crockett, formerly of Rock Island, but now of Fort Worth, returned home the first of the week after a pleasant visit to friends here.

W. E. Leslie of Glen Flora was a pleasant caller Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Foote of Eagle Lake spent Sunday and Monday in town. The doctor was on professional business, while Mrs. Foote visited friends.

Wm. Kener and Garrett Adams went to Edridge the first of the week to do some contract work for G. M. Jackson.

The hotel is being remodeled and improved. A 20x20 two-story front is being added to it, and when the improvements are completed the hotel will be quite an addition to the town.

The farmers of Rock Island will meet Saturday (today) to organize a Farmer's Union.

Mrs. Birdie Powers of Waxahachie, after spending a short time here visiting friends, returned home Friday.

O. B. Berry has sold his residence to Clint Eversole, consideration \$1000.

Orvil Powers, living near the Park school house, south of town, has moved his family to the city. Ned Burford, one of Columbus prominent young men, was here Tuesday.

Miss Alice Wright, who has been sick with the grip, is able to be up and about again.

Mr. Andrews paid Columbus a visit Tuesday.

The Eagle Lake country is in better shape right now than it has ever been before. The farmers, or most of them, are well up with their farm work and crop prospects are most flattering.

That the people have confidence in the future prosperity of the town is shown by the amount of money they are investing in improvements. The Frank Stephens company has just completed a large brick warehouse extending from the rear of their store to the Aransas Pass track; the brick work for the handsome new building for the Eagle Lake State bank will be begun Monday; Contractor Lee has already commenced work on the \$6000 two-story brick storehouse for G. Hermann; the Santa Fe railroad road company is erecting a \$5000 depot, giving our town three depots; Mrs. Calvin Brown is having her old house torn down to give room to a modern cement-block hotel building to cost in the neighborhood of \$7000 and the Messrs. Truitt are erecting a handsome eight-room residence on State street. Eagle Lake real estate is surely a paying investment.

Mrs. Della Phillips returned to her home in Houston Sunday evening after a delightful visit of several weeks with Mrs. Rhodie Cooper. She was accompanied home by Mrs. J. G. Cooper, who will be her guest for a couple of weeks.

Mr. J. E. Truitt is building a nice two-story house on his lot on State street between the residences of Dr. Foote and Mr. B. H. Daily. This will be an exceptionally good house—the only kind that Mr. Truitt puts up—and will be offered for sale or rent.

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### CHESTERTVILLE CULLINGS.

Miss Ola Jackson spent Saturday and Sunday in Rock Island. Rev. Morgan of Eagle Lake held his regular monthly service at the school house.

Miss Josephine Linderholm left for Chicago this week on a business and pleasure trip.

Miss Hannah Linderholm entertained the Aid Society at luncheon Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Baugh of Houston are the guests of the latter's father, Mr. J. Linebarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Salladay have as their guests Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Atcheson and children, formerly of Kaulauna, Wisconsin, and Miss Josephine Atherton of Streator, Illinois.

Mrs. Atcheson and Miss Atherton are sisters of Mrs. Salladay.

There seems to be but very little baseball enthusiasm in Eagle Lake so far, and from the present indications it looks as if there would be no baseball here this season. Most any kind of a team would be better than no team at all and a few match games during the dull, hot, summer months would be very much enjoyed by the local fans.

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Mr. Jim McNeil, in charge of the county teams, arrived in the city with same Wednesday. The teams and county convicts will work in this vicinity for several weeks until all of the public roads are put in good shape.

## SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING

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Rice Farm Work, Drainage and Land Surveys.  
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### "WHY SMITH LEFT HOME."

This roaring three-act farce comedy will be presented under the direction of Mr. J. P. Curran at the opera house next Monday night, April 22, for the benefit of the Christian church. The very best local talent has been secured for this performance. They are being rehearsed nightly and this entertainment promises to be the best amateur performance ever produced here. The play is constructed for laughing purposes only. There is not a dull line or situation in the whole three acts. It is a play that lives long in our memory, and its many happy hints, grotesque situations and funny lines will be recalled with pleasure and enjoyment long after the play has been seen, for as a fun maker it has no superior. Come out and learn "Why Smith Left Home," Monday, April 22.

CAST OF CHARACTERS:  
Mrs. John Smith, who loves her husband no matter where he lives. Miss Clara Flowers.  
Mrs. Clara Flowers, who is a lady and knows it. Miss Clara Brown.  
Lavinia Daly, who is a lady and knows it. Miss Elizabeth York.  
Miss Juliette Smith, John's sister, a lady in waiting. Miss Fannie Williamson.  
Rose Walton, Robert's bride of a day. Miss Loma Skelton.  
Elsie O'Shaughnessy, a maid. Miss Christine Davis.  
Gen'l Billethead, his wife's second husband. Mr. Walter Brown.  
Count von Gugenheimer, who gets them twisted. Mr. J. P. Curran.  
Major Dunscombe, with memories of last night. Mr. Max Conner.  
Robert Walton, Marion's brother. Mr. R. E. Walker.  
John Smith, who loves his wife and lives in New York. Mr. J. P. Curran.  
TIME—The present. SCENE—Home of John Smith. PLACE—New York City.  
Act I—Morning. Act II—Afternoon. Act III—Night.

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Conductor Arthur Upshaw, who is now running on the main line of the Santa Fe, spent several days here last week with his family, leaving Saturday afternoon for Galveston.

Mr. Charles LeGendre of Bonus was in the city last Sunday to see his best girl. This same article has appeared in the HEADLIGHT in a previous issue of the paper if we mistake not.

The Eagle Cornet Band, the band of which the people of Eagle Lake are justly proud, will go to San Antonio next Saturday, where they will furnish music on that day for the "Battle of Flowers."

Mr. Adam Braden of the Mente settlement was transacting business in the city Tuesday. He stated that cotton out his way was looking mighty sick on account of the cold weather and high winds.

Mrs. Ben M. Baker of Columbus, wife of the able editor of the Colorado Citizen, spent Wednesday night in the city with Mrs. Mattie Jenkins, leaving on the Cane Belt next morning for a visit to Wharton.

Dr. W. J. Roberts of Garwood was in the city Monday, having come over to meet his wife and children on their return from a visit to Galveston. They left on the afternoon "Whymgledoodle" for their home at Garwood.

A special train carrying Vice-President Hobbs and General Passenger Agent George F. Lupton and party came in over the Aransas Pass Wednesday afternoon. The officials spent a short while here inspecting the Sap's property.

Miss Oni Brigham of Chesterville spent Saturday and Sunday in the city, with Miss Elizabeth York. She returned to Chesterville Sunday afternoon accompanied by Miss York, who spent a couple of days with her at that place.

Mr. J. J. Racer tells us that through a small advertisement placed in last issue of the HEADLIGHT he found his sorrel pony which has been missing some weeks. The pony was located in Wharton. It pays to use the HEADLIGHT's advertising columns.

Mr. Arthur Moebes left Sunday for his home in Frelsburg. Arthur will return to Eagle Lake in the fall and resume his same position at the rice mill. He possesses a very wide circle of friends here, all of whom will miss him greatly during the summer.

The free express delivery for Eagle Lake was begun last Monday morning. Mr. W. V. Boyd, who has been appointed express deliverer, will deliver the express early every morning and after each train during the day. The delivery is quite a convenience to our people.

**List of Immortals.**  
The HEADLIGHT acknowledges with thanks subscription payments since last report as follows: Miss Maud Beakes, Cyrus T. Rayner, E. R. Johnson, O. Green, Will Walker, Dr. A. S. Holley R. E. Walker, Wm. C. Zelle, T. E. Moebes, B. B. Gilmer, Arthur Moebes, H. J. Laas, Judge J. J. Mansfield, Joe Stafford, J. H. Dorman, Hilliard Perry, Congressman Geo. F. Burgess, A. L. Baring, J. A. Burns.

**\$10.00 Reward.**  
For the return of one light sorrel pony in good condition, 12 years old, branded as follows: W B on left shoulder and circle on left hip. One mule branded V on left shoulder, color brownish black, in good condition. Return to J. J. Racer or Eagle Lake Rice Irrigation company.

The HEADLIGHT man enjoyed a very pleasant drive with Mr. J. R. Westmoreland out to the river bottom farm of J. R. and J. W. Westmoreland last Sunday.

This farm was purchased last January by the Messrs. Westmoreland from Mr. J. A. Harbert. Considerable improvements are being made on same and in a short time this is going to be one of the best farms in the county. We noticed a great deal of cotton and corn along the road, most of which is in fine order, but the very finest crops we saw were on the Frank Stephens place under the supervision of Mr. Felix Hoover. Mr. Hoover made a splendid crop last year and with the fine prospects he has this year, he is going to be a close contestant for the honors of the "blue ribbon cotton farmer of Colorado county."

In talking with Mr. J. R. Westmoreland this week, the HEADLIGHT man was told that at the close of the nine months' session of the public school our school fund would have on hand something like \$2000. The city is also in good shape financially, having on hand so we are told, something like the same amount. Surely the time was never so ripe as at present to agitate the building of a new school house for Eagle Lake. Our town should have a better school building than it has. We will be pleased to hear from the citizens of our town on this subject through the columns of this paper.

Mrs. Clay McGonigal arrived on the afternoon train Thursday from Douglas, Arizona, and left shortly after by private conveyance for Seely, her brother, Mr. Dallas Johnson, having died at that place same morning. Mrs. McGonigal received the message while in Arizona of her brother's illness, but did not learn of his death until reaching Eagle Lake.

Mrs. McGonigal was formerly Miss Annie Laurie Johnson of Seely and has often visited in Eagle Lake.

The fourteen-year-old son of Mr. Bachus, living near Chesterville, was brought here Sunday evening to be treated by Dr. Robinson for a snake bite. The boy was bitten on the leg by a moccasin while in swimming in a creek near Chesterville. His companion immediately sucked the poison from the wound and the boy was at once loaded up on whisky. Dr. Robinson said he was suffering more from the effects of the whisky than the bite of the snake.

Mr. E. A. Toliver underwent a very painful operation last week. The place on his jaw where he had erysipelas some seventeen years ago began giving him trouble again and he found it necessary to have an operation performed on same. The jawbone was thoroughly scraped and Mr. Toliver, we are glad to note, is getting along all right again. The operation was performed by Drs. Robinson & Foote.

Mrs. Wm. Higgins died at Garwood at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon of lung trouble. Deceased had been in bad health for some time and had moved to that section from the North, hoping that the change of climate would restore her to health. Undertaker Fritz Enshoff was called to that place Monday night to prepare the body for shipment, same being shipped to Springfield, Ohio, for interment.

Mr. J. P. Curran arrived in the city Tuesday night and has been busy all this week rehearsing for the play which he expects to put on here next week for the benefit of the Christian church. The title of the play is "Why Smith Left Home." Mr. Curran says the show is laughable from the first act to the fall of the curtain, and that it will be the best that he has gotten up in our city.

Contractor B. Lee of Brenham, who has secured the contract for the erection of G. Hermann's building, is in the city and has begun work on the same. The building is to be a two-story brick structure with a solid glass front and the contract price is something over \$2000. Mr. Lee stated that about three months' time will be required in the completion of the building.

A petition is this week being circulated by Dr. P. O. Norris and City Marshal Abe Beakes asking that the city council put in a thorough sewer system in order that the business portion of the town may be kept in a perfect sanitary condition. The petition is being numerously signed, but just what will be the outcome of it is yet to be determined.

**Notice.**  
I will commence collecting dog taxes Monday and all dog taxes must be paid promptly. All dogs on which taxes are not paid will be taken up. ABE BEAKES, City Marshal.