# The Headlight.

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And will be made known upon application.

☞ Local advertising five cents per line each insertion.


IT IS claimed for a cotton chopping machine, on exhibition near Ennis, Texas, that it will save 75 per cent of the hoe work.

WHAT a grand old world this would be if everybody would look upon the bright side of life and believe truly that the ordering of things in the universe is such as to bring the highest good to all; in other words, why can't we all be optimistic?

TO PICK up a paper and see no bank ads., manufacturing, real estate, or professional cards, always will lead a stranger to form an idea that the town is of very little importance that cannot show some of the above firms are doing business in the town.

THE HEADLIGHT has received a very lengthy article headed "A Statement of Facts" (concerning the Daughters of the Republic "squabble") with "please publish" written on margin. The article would consume a solid page, if not more, in this paper, so we believed local news would be of more interest to the majority of our readers, hence we did not give the article space.

DON'T grumble about people in Eagle Lake going to other points to trade if you are not doing your part to bring them to your town. The man who does not advertise these days has no kick coming if all the trade goes somewhere else, for he never invites anyone to his place of business. Get an ad in your home paper and keep it there until you go out of business, otherwise there are many people who will never know you are in business at all.

A NEWSPAPER man is an enemy to bulletin board advertising on general principles, but there are occasions when a bulletin board may bring better results than a paper. The editor of an exchange remarks that he observed one in front of a store in his city not long ago, which read, "B 4 U Buy Pants Come in and See Ours." He went in and there was not a confounded man in the store (they were all females) so he bought a fan and walked out.

THE Halletsville Herald objects to the methods pursued by J. W. Canada in his attempt to organize a Southern Texas Press Association; particularly does the Herald object to paying $1 for the privilege of voting for officers who have already been elected. Other publishers will agree with the the Halletsville Herald in protesting against the tactics of Canada. The Brownsville Herald, knowing what it does of the organizer, would not hesitate to refuse most emphatically to have anything to do with any scheme he has to lay before the publishers of Southern Texas.—Brownsville Herald.

MANY modern writers have insisted that despite its drawbacks farm life was the most independent of all. The farmer is the only man so situated that he can "talk out in meeting" all the time; if he doesn't like things he can say so; he can criticise the politicians; find fault with economic conditions, scold about the laws and even express his mind freely about the mighty people who are governing us from the capital at Washington. If a farmer is disposed to be selfish and unsociable he may draw himself into his shell like a terrapin, put up trespass notices all about his land and cut himself off from all mankind. The reason he can do this is because he is able to produce all the necessities of life without going beyond his farm borders. As long as he has land and water and is able to work he can bid defiance to everything on the outside. The merchant must be careful as to what he says and does for fear he will lose trade, the politician must spend half his time flattering and jollying and lying in order to keep up his popularity. Doctors, lawyers, teachers, in fact all classes of men outside of the agricultural industry are directly dependent upon others for their profit and prosperity. This, of course, is also true in a measure of farmers; but in a far less degree. The farmer does not have to truckle; if he is insulted he can repay his insulter in kind without fear of unpleasant consequences in the way of losing trade. Even if he makes no surplus money he is able to say at the end of the year, that he has lived well, has fed and clothed his family comfortably and owes no man for supplies bought on the outside. The chief charm of it all, however, was summed up by Burns when he spoke of "the glorious privilege of being independent."

THE world is full of kindness that was never spoken, and that is not much better than no kindness at all. The fuel in the stove makes the room warm, but there are great piles of fallen trees lying on rocks and tops of hills where nobody can get them; these about [illegible] farm. Just so in a family; love is what makes the parents and children, the brothers and sisters happy. But if they care never to say a word about it; if they keep it a profound secret as if it were a crime, they will not be much happier than if there not any love among them.

One bright day in leafy June, when bees and birds were all in tune, two lovers walked beneath the moon. The light was fair and so was the maid, they laughed and talked beneath the shade, unafraid. Her name was Sal and his was Jim, and he was fat and she was slim; he took to her and she took to him. Says Jim to Sal, by the snakes that squirm among the bush and brakes, I love you better than buckwheat cakes. Says she to Jim; since you have begun it and been and done it, I love you next to a new bonnet. Says Jim to Sal, my heart you have busted, but I have always gals mistrusted. Says Sal to Jim, I will be true if you love me as I love you, no knife can cut our love in two. Says Jim to Sal, through thick and thin, for your true lover count me in. I'll court no other gal again, Jim leaned to Sal. Sal leaned to Jim; his nose just touched above her chin; four lips met—when, ahem—ahem—and—then. Oh, gals! beware of men in June and beneath the silvery moon, when frogs and June bugs are in tune, lest you may get your name in the paper soon.—M. A. Ellison.

### *A Good Sentiment.*

A well known wit was leaving a hotel at a fashionable watering place, when the proprietor asked him, as a favor, to write a sentiment with his autograph in the visitors' book.

He thought a moment, and then wrote:

"I came to this hotel for a change and rest. The waiters got the change and the landlord got the rest."


### Stimulation Without Irritation

That is the watchword. That is what Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does. Cleanses and stimulates the bowels without irritation in any form. Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.


### *Baseball in Brazil.*

Lloyd Griscom, the new ambassador to Italy, described at a dinner in Washington a diplomatic game of baseball in Brazil.

"An Englishman," said he in the course of this description, "caught for his side, though the poor fellow was strange to the catcher's box.

"The Englishman grew confused in the second inning, missed a ball, and it struck him on the nose, keeling him over.

"'What was it?' he said feebly, as he came to.

"'A foul—only a foul,' said the umpire.

"'Man alive,' said the Englishman, 'I thought it was a mule.'"


Convalescents need a large amount of nourishment in easily digested form.

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It makes bone, blood and muscle without putting any tax on the digestion.

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND $1.00.

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"WHITE WOLF" and "OUR SEAL" FLOUR.

White Wolf Ask your grocer for..... Our Seal.

THEY HAVE IT.

Use White Wolf Stock Food for your horse or cow—five kinds of feed in one.

Brown, Carothers & Brown,

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.

Will Practice in All Courts, Both State and Federal.

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Office over J. Nathan & Son's Store, Eagle Lake, Texas.

MAIN OFFICE, COLUMBUS, TEXAS.

A. Townley,

Machinery Repairing

Cypress Cisterns and all kinds of wood work.

*All kinds of pipe, fittings, transmission goods, and engine supplies.*

BLACKSMITH COAL FOR SALE.

O. W. Westmoreland

MILLINERY, DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS.

Your trade will be appreciated.

*Call and see our HATS before buying.*

*Will do my best to please you.*

White Wolf Stock Food

Mixed Feeds. The advantage of feeding Mixed Feeds is readily appreciated by the intelligent feeder. A feed to be of value must contain the proper elements that make fat, bone and muscle.

When properly mixed you have a balanced ration that not only produces fat, bone and muscle, but it gives new life and vigor, very perceptible in the new, glossy coat of your stock, the look of the eye and the quickness of their tread.

Our White Wolf Stock Food contains all the elements of a pure, concentrated food, being composed principally of Corn, Alfalfa, Wheat, Barley, and is properly proportioned. We guarantee it to give one third more feed value than Corn or Oats. TRY IT.

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SHIP YOUR COTTON TO

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NOW OPEN!

SMITH & WALKER'S

NEW MEAT MARKET.

Located on the north side of Main Street, joining Baringer's, and the shop where we will be pleased to have you pay us a call. If you want the best beef, the choicest barbecued meats and hot sausage, then come to Smith & Walker's market. "Nothing but the best" will be our motto in selling meats. We will appreciate your patronage.

THE

Eagle Lake State Bank

Solicits and will appreciate your business.

Open an account with us, no matter how small the deposit may be.

CAPITAL - - - $40,000.00

THE CITY BAKERY

*E. L. MOONEY, PROPRIETOR.*

Has just secured the services of a first-class baker.

TRY OUR CREAM BREAD.

Hot Rolls, Buns, Cookies, Cakes, Pies, Cream Puffs—they melt in your mouth.

*We carry a full and complete line of Groceries. Phone us your orders—No. 31—and our delivery wagon will be at your door with just what you order in a few minutes.*

A fine assortment of fancy candies and the finest line of choice box candies in Eagle Lake.

DR. HOWARD FITZGERALD

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office at Calvert's Drug Store.


Mrs. Julia Van Houten returned on Thursday evening from a several days' visit to San Antonio. Mrs. Van Houten will move to San Antonio on or about the 1st of August.—Eagle Pass News.

The HEADLIGHT has had a big rain on ladies' visiting cards the past week owing to the neat and stylish manner in which they are printed at this office. The duplicate shipment of cards which we had to order has been received and we can now fill all card orders with dispatch.

Gavlon Hose, complete, or by the foot or yard, for sale by the Water, Light & Gin Co.

Tax Assessor H. J. Lans was here from Columbus for a few hours last Saturday. He reports that the commissioners' court, at its sitting last week as a board of equalization, uncarthed over $200,000 in cash and land notes for taxation in Colorado county. He says that the raise on assessments of corporations doing business in this county will amount to fully as much as the raise on land values.—Weimar Mercury.

Perhaps you need a bracer—something that will give you energy, life and ambition. A suggestion try I. W. HARPER whiskey. Sold by W. E. Welford.

### *New Serum For Rabies.*

New York, July 14.—The Tribune says: A new antitoxin which, according to the officials of the Pasteur institute of this city, will be known as the "rabic antitoxin," has just been perfected. It is said it will cure hydrophobia in its first and second stages.

The new serum was discovered by the surgeons of the Pasteur institute in Paris after many years of experimenting. The serum has not yet been used in this country.


### Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit, but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Eagle Lake Drug Co.


### *Ingalls on Death.*

The following gem is from the pen of the late John J. Ingalls, Senator from Kansas:

"In the democracy of the dead all men are at last equal. There is neither rank nor station nor prerogative in the republic of the grave. At this fatal threshold the philosopher ceases to be wise and the song of the poet is silent. Dives relinquishes his millions and Lazarus his rags. The poor man is as rich as the richest, and the rich man as poor as the pauper. The creditor loses his usury and the debtor is acquitted of his obligation. There the proud man surrenders his dignities, the politician his honors, the worldling his pleasures; the invalid needs no physician, and the laborer rests from his unrequited toil. Hereat last is nature's final decree in equity. The wrongs of time are redressed, injustice is expiated, the irony of fate is refuted, the unequal distribution of wealth, honor, capacity, pleasure and opportunity, which makes life so cruel and inexplicable a tragedy, ceases in the realm of death.

"The strongest there knows no supremacy, and the weakest needs no defense. The mighty captain succumbs to the invincible adversary who disarms alike the victor and the vanquished."


### Cures Woman's Weaknesses.

We refer to that boon to weak, nervous, suffering women known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Dr. John Fyfe one of the Editorial Staff of THE ECLECTIC MEDICAL REVIEW says of Unicorn root (*Helonias Dioica*) which is one of the chief ingredients of the "Favorite Prescription":

"A remedy which invariably acts as a uterine invigorator * * * makes for normal activity of the entire reproductive system." He continues "In Helonias we have a medicament which more fully answers the above purposes than any other drug with which I am acquainted. In the treatment of diseases peculiar to women it is seldom that a case is seen which does not present some indication for this remedial agent." Dr. Fyfe further says: "The following are among the leading indications for Helonias (Unicorn root). Pain [illegible] the back with leucorrhœa; atonic (weak) conditions of the reproductive organs of women, mental depression and irritability, associated with chronic diseases of the reproductive organs of women; constant sensation of heat in the region of the kidneys; menorrhagia (flooding) due to a weakened condition of the reproductive system; abnormally suppressed or absent monthly periods; aching from or accompanying any abnormal condition of the digestive organs; and Anæmic (thin blood) habit; dragging sensations in the extreme lower part of the abdomen."

If more or less of the above symptoms are present no living woman can do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, one of the leading ingredients of which is Unicorn root, or Helonias, and the medical properties of which it most faithfully represents.

Of Golden-Seal root, another prominent ingredient, of "Favorite Prescription," Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago, says:

"It is an important remedy in disorders of the womb. In all catarrhal conditions * * * and general enfeeblement, it is useful."

Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati, says of Golden Seal root:

"In relation to its general effects on the system, *there is no medicine in use about which there is such general unanimity of opinion.* It is universally regarded as the tonic useful in all debilitated states."

Prof. R. Bartholow, M. D., of Jefferson Medical College, says of Golden Seal:

"Valuable in uterine hemorrhage, menorrhagia (flooding) and congestive dysmenorrhœa (painful menstrual)."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription faithfully represents all the above named ingredients and cures the diseases for which they are recommended.


### *Why He Didn't Pay.*

The following story was brought to town by a traveling man. A preacher, at the conclusion of one of his sermons, said:

"Let all in the house who are paying their debts stand up."

Instantly every man, woman and child, with one exception, rose to their feet. The preacher seated them and said:

"Now every man not paying his debts stand up."

The exception noted, a care worn, hungry-looking individual, clothed in a last summer's suit, slowly assumed a perpendicular position.

"How is it, my friend," asked the minister, "that you are the only man not to meet his obligations?"

"I run a newspaper," he meekly answered, "and the brethren who just stood up are my subscribers and ——"

"Let us pray!" [illegible] the minister.

### *Don't Be Too Inquisitive.*

Keep your nose out of other folks' affairs. I have seen some people know all the particulars in every tale of horror, and every time an intimation of disgrace comes up on anybody they are the first to begin to figure for the confidence of some one who is in a position to know any facts, and then become counselor at law, and begin proceedings by having forty-nine confidants to whom, with a sad heart and weeping eyes, he feels it his pitiful duty to tell it all, but it must go no further, and that it nearly breaks his heart to tell it. I do despise a contemptible sneak, who cares nothing for anybody's character, is really a friend to no one, and without something disgraceful upon which he can feast and feed the "yaller dog" that is in him, he is absolutely miserable. And still your hear people every day almost talking about long-tongued women. I have seen some men whose superior qualifications in this line would make the A I talking woman weep with envy.—Rusk Press.

THE HEADLIGHT will print you ONE HUNDRED A1 envelopes, your name, business and return neatly printed on same for only FIFTY CENTS. This low offer will enable our former friends and all others who do not do a large correspondence to use nice printed stationery for almost nothing.

### *NEW WEEVIL REMEDY.*

*Sack Saturated With Turpentine, Attached to Plow is Death to Evil.*

Mr. B. H. Daily is in receipt of the following letter from one of his St. Louis wholesale houses which is self explanatory:

I enclose you a clipping from the Globe-Democrat, from Alexandria, La. I wish you would try some customers as we try it and advise me of the results. Mr. Lisso is a very reliable man. The clipping reads:

ALEXANDRIA, LA., JULY 11th.—News of an with experiment turpentine, which has apparently driven the boll weevil from the cotton fields about Coushatta, La., was received here today by Paul Lisso. An oat sack is dipped in a solution of three parts of water to one of turpentine. This sack is attached to a plow by suspending it on a pole tied to the plow handles near the beams. The sack is then dragged through the cotton field. The scent of turpentine thus spread in Coushatta has remained on the ground for over a week without renewal and not a weevil or other bug has been found. About one gallon of turpentine was used to every four acres.


Are you going to

PAINT?

*We have paint that is quality "Horse Shoe" brand—Mixed paint. It is nothing short of the best Lead, Zinc, Oil and Coloring Pigments combined in correct proportions.*

Price

$1.75 and $1.80

Per Gallon.

CALVERT'S DRUG STORE,

Eagle Lake, Texas.

GOINGS

Summer Tourist Rates

*are now in effect. Tickets on sale daily until Sept. 30, 1907. Final limit Oct. 31, 1907.*

COMMENCING June 15, 1907,

we will operate a

Thru Sleeper

to

DENVER

which affords those going West this Summer the most convenient and comfortable service operated from Texas.

For detail information see agent or address the undersigned. Our booklets on California are free. Ask for them.

W. S. KEENAN,
G. P. A.
Galveston.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Catarrh

It's prove unquestionably, and beyond a doubt, that Catarrh of the nose and throat can be cured. I am furnishing patients through druggists, small free Trial Boxes of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure. Get this trial, and satisfy yourself that Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure will bring actual substantial help. Nothing certainly, is so discouraging as the failure of any article of real, genuine merit. But that article must possess true merit, else the test will condemn, rather than advance it. Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure is a snow white, healing antiseptic balm, put up in beautiful nickel capped glass jars at 50c. Such soothing agents as Oil Eucalyptus, Thymol, Menthol, etc., are incorporated into a velvety, cream like Petrolatum, suggested by Dr. Shoop from Europe. If Catarrh of the nose and throat has extended to the stomach, then by all means also use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Stomach distress, a lack of general strength, bloating, palpitation, biliousness, bad taste, etc. surely call for Dr. Shoop's Restorative.

For uncomplicated catarrh only of the nose and throat nothing else, however, need be used but Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure.

Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure

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FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

The original LAXATIVE cough remedy.

For coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. No opiates. Non-alcoholic. Good for everybody. Sold everywhere.

The genuine FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR is in Yellow package. Refuse substitutes.

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