

Make That Run Down Farm Profitable.

Plant Oranges yielding \$800 per acre at 1 year, \$800 per acre at 5 years. We furnish trees and plant them cheaper than you can buy them elsewhere. We guarantee our trees. KOLBERG & ANDERSON.

At the stockholders' meeting of the First National Bank held Tuesday the same bank officers were re-elected and the same board of directors chosen, with the exception of Mr. Geo. McLean, whose place in the directorate is now filled by Mr. W. E. Lenhart.

The Great Annual White Sale is now going on. I invite you to come and see these beautiful goods now, as they will be on display only one week.

CHRISTINE DAVIS, Agent, Levy Bros. Mr. L. Penfold of Red Wing, Minn., spent Sunday and Monday at Eagle Lake.

Kolberg & Anderson at Satsuna Ridge. Mr. Penfold will spend a few weeks at Texas City and later expects to locate at Eagle Lake.

Mr. G. B. Wilson of the Texas Coast Land Co., brought a party of home-seekers out to their tract last Saturday and Sunday. A number of orchard lots were contracted for and ordered developed to orchards, the work being done by Kolberg & Anderson.

They say all whiskey is good whiskey only some is better than others. "Some means HARPER," the others are "also-rans." Call for HARPER at W. E. WELFORD'S.

Miss Fannie Bell Davis, a pretty and charming young lady of Dallas, is the guest of Mrs. S. H. Brown.



CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Williams

The musical and literary entertainment which was to have been given at Lissie on two previous occasions, but was postponed both times, will be given at that place Friday night. All are invited to attend.

When given as soon as the croupy cough appears Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of croup and prevent all danger and cause of anxiety. Thousands of mothers use it successfully. Sold by all druggists.

W. A. Dallas & Co.

CITY MARKET



We Are Headquarters

For choice Meats, no matter what cut or portion of Beef, Veal or Pork you may want, you will find it here, and at right prices. We solicit a portion of your valuable patronage.

W. R. ABELL

Don't Be a Back Number.

Beautify your home grounds with fruit, shade or ornamental trees. Get trees that will live. We will furnish and plant them for you. Phone us, city call 190. KOLBERG & ANDERSON.

The new bungalow on the experiment farm of the Texas Coast Land Company is rapidly nearing completion under the direction of Contractor R. M. Eggers. It already presents an attractive appearance.

Mr. George P. Williams left for LaGrange today where he has booked "The Man on the Box" for tomorrow night. He will remain there all next week, having been lucky in securing the Marie Nielsen Book Company, which placed here last week for a week's engagement.

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Mr. Allen England, bookkeeper for Burns & Torrell, returned the first of the week from a holiday visit to his former home in Marshall, Missouri.

Mrs. J. M. Lee, after a lingering illness died at her home at Lissie on last Monday morning. The funeral was held at that place the following afternoon, and was largely attended.

FOR SALE—Rubber tire top buggy, used 4 months, original cost \$110; also new set of harness, cost \$40. New set of rubber tires free. For particulars see FRANK DOUGLASS at Sap Depot.

"The Freshman" was presented to a large audience at the opera house last night by the senior class of the Eagle Lake high school for the benefit of the school library. The Eagle Lake orchestra furnished sweet music for the occasion.

Statement of Condition at the Close of Business, December 31st, 1910.

Resources:	Liabilities:
Loans & Discounts \$ 97,716.99	Capital \$ 40,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures 2,551.98	Undivided Profits, Net 8,164.70
Int. in Guaranty Fund 1,200.00	DEPOSITS 91,915.49
Cash and Exchange 33,540.94	
\$135,109.19	\$135,109.19

TEN MONTHS OLD.

The officers and directors of this bank extend Greetings, and a Happy and Prosperous New Year to all.

THE CADMEDS & MEDQUANTS STATE BANK EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS

STRANGE FORMS OF GREETING

Ceremonies and Customs of Other Lands That Appear Strange to Our Western Ideas.

In foreign countries the ceremonies and customs observable at meeting and parting are frequently of a very solemn and formal character, and are enforced with the strictest rigor by the superior in rank on those beneath him.

The Moors, at their meetings, kiss the right shoulder of one another and when they take their leave they kiss each other's nose. In Morocco foreigners are saluted by the Moors on horseback in a manner which may well startle those unaccustomed to it. The Moor rides full speed toward the stranger, as if to run him down. He then suddenly stops and discharges his pistol over his head. In Africa, among several negro nations, the people take each other's hands and pull the fingers until they crack.

If the men on the gold coast of Upper Guinea salute a female they take her hand, raise it to their noses and smell it twice. In other countries of Africa people take off their clothes, fall on their knees, bend their heads to the ground and cover the head and shoulders with sand.

In most of the South Sea islands, though the custom may vary in some respects, this very important preliminary to a friendly intercourse is usually adjusted by an easy contact of the parties' noses, or by an exchange of gifts. The Laplanders also rub noses.

HAD TRAVELED FAR.

Mr. Hector Mackinnon, of Skye, Scotland, six months ago picked up on the shore a bottle containing the name and address of the sender, a Toronto man, who takes an interest in the pace and direction of Atlantic currents. Mr. Mackinnon forwarded the card to its proper address and received the following acknowledgment of his hitherto unknown correspondent: "Dear Sir—The card you found arrived here today. It was just 280 days at sea. It would be interesting to trace on a chart how it got across 2,800 miles at 10 miles a day. I put it into the great St. Lawrence on Friday night, October 29, 1908, 20 miles below Quebec. Many thanks."

MERE MAN'S OPINION.

Knicker—Do you think the tax on women's gloves should be increased?
Bocker—No; they should tax the mitten.

NOTICE TO THE TAX PAYERS OF COLORADO COUNTY.

Tax payers are hereby notified that I will meet them at the following places on the days and dates named below to list their property for taxes for the year 1911.

- Weimar, Wednes., Thurs., Fri., and Satur., January 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th.
- Nada, Monday, January 9th.
- Garwood, Tuesday, January 10th.
- Altair, Wednesday, January 11th.
- Rock Island, Thursday, January 12th.
- Provident City, Friday, January 13th.
- Sheridan, Saturday, January 14th.
- Chesterville, Tuesday, January 17th.
- Eagle Lake, Wednesday and Thursday, January 18th and 19th.
- Bernardo, Friday, January 20th.
- Mentz, Saturday, January 21st.
- Shilmeek, Monday, January 23rd.
- Oakland, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 24th and 25th.
- Glidden, Thursday January 26th.
- Frelsburg, Friday and Saturday, January 27th and 28th.
- Pisek, Dick Hilgen-residence, Monday, January 30th.
- Alleyton, Tuesday, January 31st.
- Shaw's Bend, John Cordes store, Tuesday, February, 2nd.
- Santa Anna School House, Friday, February 3rd.
- Brushy School House, Saturday, February 4th.

There will be a clerk in the office at all times.

HENRY J. LAAS,

Tax Assessor, Colorado County.

Opera House ONE NIGHT ONLY

THURSDAY, JAN. 19

HARRY GREEN AND COMPANY IN

ELI AND JANE

"A Funny Show."

We Have A Warehouse Full of Farm Implements

First of all the John Deere line, the standard all over the world. Besides we have all of the best lines made by other manufacturers. Don't be misled by Fairy Tales, but look right at the goods. We carry the Junery Garden Seeders and Potato Hillers, look at them and see if they don't suit you.

We Are Headquarters For Cotton, Corn, Potato and Rice Machinery.

Windmills, Pumping Engines, Barbed Wire, Field Fence. Plow Shares, yes, we can fit you up in most anything in that line. A complete line of Wagons and Buggies. A general line of Hardware, Groceries, Corn, Corn Chops, Bran, Oats and all kinds of good Hay. Free Delivery. Phone 11.

The Frank Stephens Company
Our Bread is The Best.

Messrs. L. D. Shaw, Kenneth Hadden, M. P. Simpson, and Wm. Miller of Columbus were here Wednesday on business, having driven down in an automobile.

Messrs. R. E. Walker, John Beard and Meyer Nathan were in Houston Sunday night to see "The Midnight Sons" at the Prince.

"Geemes" Ozer, a negro well known about town, was arrested here Tuesday by City Marshal Vineyard on a warrant from New Ulm charging him with burglary.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Carey and Mr. Chas. Von Lengerke were visitors to Houston Thursday to see Ben Hur.

Messrs. W. S. Griffiths, Ed. R. Frnka and W. H. Abell of Garwood were here on business Monday.

Mr. Chas. Harter and wife of Plantersville are spending a week in the city visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. Frank Auerbach, Jr., a prominent citizen and cattleman of Columbus, was a visitor in the city on business Tuesday.

FOR RENT—150 acres new land to be rented for rice, fair improvements, good wells, etc. G. E. THOMAS, Lissie, Texas.

Mr. W. Parlington has resigned his position with the Lakeside Rice Mill and left Monday night for Houston where he has accepted a position with the Texas Company.

Mrs. J. A. Dromgoole has returned from a few weeks' visit to Cuero. She was accompanied home by Miss Angelina Dromgoole, one of Cuero's pretty and popular young ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Duncan of Egypt have moved into their pretty new home recently erected on the Duncan plantation near Matthews.

Mr. J. G. Thomas, station agent for the Sap at Chesterville, is spending the week in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Thomas.

Mrs. J. J. Mansfield and daughter, Miss Margaret, of Columbus, were the guests of Dr. Bruce's family the first of the week.

Mr. Boon Schleicher, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to the Marshall Training School at San Antonio this week.

Mrs. S. S. Lotz is having her home improved by the addition of an upper and lower front gallery.

Mrs. W. E. Davis left Wednesday for San Antonio to be with Miss Mildred Thatcher, who is ill in that city.

Dr. J. S. Bruce is having his home improved by the addition of a new coat of white paint.

We are glad to add the name of Mr. J. W. Courtney to our subscription list this week.

High Grade Tailoring. We want to show you something we are mighty proud of. You will hardly believe us until you see it, but really it is a positive relief to look over our new Fall and Winter Cloths. You had better drop in today or tomorrow for a chat and see the line, for then you will know why we are so enthusiastic. You will be glad that you took the time, for it is educational and very interesting. GEORGE REDFORD, Merchant Tailor.

Capt. J. A. Roberson of Galveston has sold the old Chumney place on the Colorado river, of 800 acres, to the Duncan Brothers, for about \$22.50 per acre.

Mr. Archie Douglass has accepted a position with the First National Bank, having begun work there as bookkeeper on the first of the month.

The large doll given away at the show at the opera house, last Saturday night was won by Mr. Richard Eggers, the lucky number being 150.

Mr. J. F. Canaday of Marshall, Missouri, is spending the week in the city transacting business matters and greeting old friends.

Watch repairing of all kinds and engraving at Ulery & Son, Jewelers.

Mrs. M. D. Flowers and Miss Cleo Flowers were visitors to Houston Thursday.

Stoerner buys second hand chops and bran sucks.

When buying a cough medicine for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough-Remedy is most effectual for colds, croup and whooping cough and that it contains no harmful drug. For sale by all Druggists.

Mr. Fox Stephens is having a neat gallery added to his home and otherwise improving the place.

Prof. C. K. Quin, county school superintendent, of Columbus, was here on business Wednesday. Medicines that aid nature are always most effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on the plan. It allays the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Thousands have testified to its superior excellence. Sold by all Druggists.

A SYBARITE.

In the gray light of early morning the traveler in Scotland faced the night clerk resolutely. "You gave me the worst bed in the inn!" he began, indignation in his voice and eyes. "If you don't change me before to-night I shall look up other lodgings."

"There is no difference in the beds, sir," the clerk replied, respectfully. "The traveler smiled ironically. "If that is so," he said, "perhaps you wouldn't mind giving me the room on the left of mine."

"It is occupied, sir."

"I know it is. By a man who snored all night and was still at it 10 minutes ago. His bed must be better than mine, or he couldn't sleep at a maximum capacity of sound eight hours on a stretch."

"The beds are all alike, sir. That man has been here before, and he always sleeps on the floor, sir."—Youth's Companion.

SHOULD BE EXCEPTIONS.



"Do you think all luxuries should be taxed?"

"I do, most emphatically. Don't you?"

"No, sir, I do not. It would work a great hardship on a great many poor men if all luxuries were to be taxed."

"I can't see how you make it out."

"Well, take my own case, for instance. Our first baby, yes, and I may say our second, were necessities, but the other five are luxuries. You can see for yourself how the rule would work out."

FOR SALE! HORSES, MARES & MULES

Having bought out the entire stock of a breeding establishment, we will have for sale at Hallettsville, Texas, Wednesday, July 11th, 1911.

200 Head of Young, Well Broke Horses, Mares and Mules
From 15 to 16 1/2 Hands High; and 3 to 5 Years Old.

This stock was bought at a bargain and will be sold cheap. Come and see for yourself.

RHEINSTROM & GREENBAUM, HALLETTSVILLE, TEXAS.