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Mrs. Chas. White left Tuesday afternoon for her home in Brady after a pleasant visit to relatives and friends here.

Mrs. A. S. Lowrey of Columbus spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. Grady Harris, and other relatives.

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Nottawa News Notes

(Too late for last issue)

Boyden's old cow is the only dry thing around Nottawa.

Mesdames Darby, Boyden and Caylor were calling on Mrs. Reed Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Boyden returned home Wednesday from St. Joseph's Hospital in Houston, where she has been with Roland having his tonsils and adenoids removed.

Little Miss Dortha Darby and Veda Eignus have been on the sick list.

Mrs. O. W. Way is improving nicely but has not returned home yet. Mrs. Elliot Way is caring for her children.

School opens Monday with Miss Calie Gove of Matagorda as teacher.

Jack Reed and wife called on Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Sunday afternoon. Mrs. DeWitt need not buy any indigo for a year. Just use Bill.

Leroy Caylor and Raymond Reed have been picking cotton for Lewin Smith.

Mrs. Tom Smith has had company from Oakland.

Bro. King preached a good sermon here last Sunday. Rev. Stewart will preach here next Sunday evening at 7:30.

Word received from Chet Brown says they have purchased land in Colorado, near Denver.

Lissie Happenings

[Too late for last issue.]

Misses Jessie Henderson and Rose Lanham were guests in Wharton Saturday where they had been attending the Wharton County Teachers' Institute. Miss Henderson is principal and Miss Isenhoner assistant of the Lissie school.

The Woman's Missionary Society met with Mrs. J. M. Evoritt Friday afternoon. On account of the rainy weather only eight members were present. The lesson study, "Medical Missions in China," was deferred until the next meeting, which will be held with Mrs. C. W. D. Ferrel. After the devotional exercises, dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. A. Fussel left Saturday for Franklinton, Louisiana, to be with her mother, who is quite sick. Her brother, Mr. Jake Wood, left the first of the week for the same place.

Mr. Simon Arnold returned to his home in Jamesport, Missouri, Wednesday after a several weeks' visit to kindred here.

Of the rice thrashed up to date, Mr. L. H. Howard holds the banner, he having 32 acres of rice that averaged a little over 21½ bushels per acre. This rice cupped 44 pounds and was sold for $3.35 per bushel.

By special invitation the Embroidery Club was to have met with Mrs. Jack Reed at Nottawa Wednesday afternoon. A steady rain prevented the meeting, but Mrs. Reed has the thanks of the Club just the same.

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Rock Island Notes.

J. H. Dufner was here Saturday on official business.

Miss Atha Bran, who purchased a Millinery stock in El Campo, has a good business and is doing well. Miss Atha is one of our home girls and we are delighted with her success.

J. C. Young filled the pulpit in the Methodist church Sunday.

G. W. Biles of Columbus spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Lundy, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor, John and E. J. Baxter were Houston visitors last week.

Mrs. Clint Eversol has returned from Houston and reports the arrival of a daughter in the Bert Comley home. Mrs. Comley was formerly Miss Mina Eversol.

Mrs. Malone entertained a business meeting of the Dorcas Society Friday.

Frank Amen and wife went to Houston Saturday. Mr. Amen will travel for a dry goods firm.

Miss Ida Mae Adams came in from Hallettsville Sunday to visit relatives.

Mrs. H. S. Small went to Houston Saturday to visit her son.

Lloyd Travis is here from Texas City looking after business interests.

P. A. Lundy sold six cars of cattle to J. A. MacMillan of Waelder.

Telling a Turkey's Age.

"Casey," said Pat, "how do yez tell th' age of a tu-u-rkey?"

"Oi can always tell by the teeth," said Casey.

"By the teeth!" exclaimed Pat. "But a tu-u-rkey has no teeth."

"Sure, an' that's how Oi have."

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The Wife's Dilemma.

"The weather is very trying to everybody," said the doctor.

"Yes replied Mr. Meekton. "I don't see how my wife is going to bear up under it. When the sun doesn't shine she's miserable, and when it does she says it's fading the carpet."

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"Father, what is a lawyer?" asked the little son.

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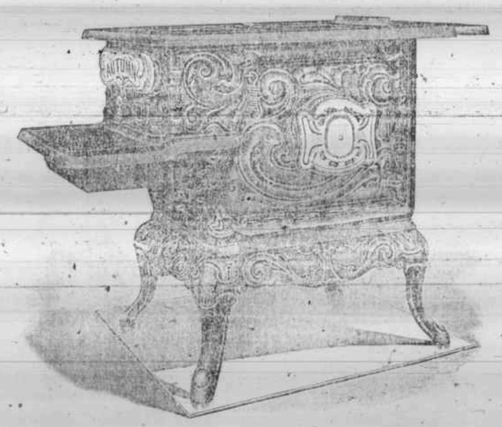
A Kentucky colonel of the old school had made a proud boast that he hadn't drunk a glass of water in twenty years. One day as he was riding to Nashville on the old L. & N. the train was wrecked while crossing a bridge and plunged into the river. They pulled the colonel out with a boat-hook, and when they got him out on shore one of his friends rushed up, crying: "Are you hurt, Colonel?"

"No!" he snorted. "Never swallowed a damn drop!"

Miss Regina Chew returned last Friday from a visit to Columbus.



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THE SPIRIT THAT BUILDS REAL TOWNS.

Statistics compiled by the government show that there is just as great a proportion of successful small towns as there is of successful cities. Going back of the figures that represent wealth and looking for the reason that makes one town successful and another a failure it is found that the town that marches forward to prosperity is peopled with men impelled by a higher motive than "What can I get out of it?" The man whose only aspiration is to hoard dollars does not do much toward proving his faith in his home town. The men who make towns wholesome and communities better in which to live are the men who invest their savings although they may be small, in the small industries of the town in which they live instead of sending it out into other towns or other states because of the lure of prospective big dividends. And here we want to call the attention to a seeming negligence along this line of Eagle Lake people. Twice within the past few weeks the Eagle Lake Creamery Company—a home institution that should have the co-operation of all Eagle Lake people, not to mention the stockholders in the company has called a meeting of the company's stockholders to talk over the affairs and make plans for the future. But [illegible] for the reason that there was not a quorum of the stockholders present at either meeting. This don't care, unconcerned way of living is the very thing that kills towns. This country is dotted with small towns where the small concerns have grown into larger ones, although the capital invested was small. Another of Eagle Lake's enterprises now starting on a practically small scale deserves the boosting of our home people. It is the Southern Tile & Drainage Company. If we will only stand by our home concerns and boost them whenever we get an opportunity instead of knocking or speaking sarcastically of them, we will see Eagle Lake grow and build into a Greater Eagle Lake. These concerns are both small now, but some day you are going to look back to them and wish you had become stockholder when you had the opportunity. The boosting spirit of home concerns, of home people—that's the spirit we need here in Eagle Lake. The spirit that makes towns is that something which actuates men to have faith in their home community, to be not afraid to back that faith with their own money, to start little institutions that develop into greater ones under their own careful management as the years go on. If a small town is to be successful the majority of its citizens must be alive and alert and acquainted with the advantages that the town possesses as well as knowing the things that must be improved. Outside capital is not looking for location where home pride is dead, where home people will not invest their savings in home institutions and where home people will not attend the business meetings of the home institutions—the very institutions that are being depended on to make the town a better one. The spirit that makes towns is not born in a single night, but it is the product of evolution and this evolution is the child of thinking men's brains and the result that comes from it all is directing our efforts and our influence toward seeing that our community grows instead of decays—and it is a man's job. Every man, woman and child in Eagle Lake should be committed to this job and the sooner they are consecrated to the work the sooner the results in our town will be apparent.

CHARLEY HOLLIEN GRANTED BAIL

Corpus Christi, Texas, October 14.—Charley Hollien, charged with killing Henry Bacon, his father-in-law, the killing occurring near this city October 4, was today granted bail in the sum of $2000, to await the action of the grand jury. He furnished bond in that amount and was released from the county jail.

None of the testimony adduced at the morning examination was especially important with the exception of that given by Edna, the 14-year-old daughter of the slain man. The testified that her father was on the front porch, seated in a chair, which was tilted against the wall, with his hat drawn over his face, while she was playing an organ for his benefit in the room adjoining, at the time of the shooting. The State claimed that the girl's testimony controverted the statement of defense that Hollien killed Bacon in self-defense.

W. F. Lehman, a prominent ranchman of this county, on whose farm the killing occurred, testified that Bacon had an ungovernable temper.

QUIETLY MARRIED SUNDAY MORNING

Mr. Jesse Kennedy and Miss Winnie Sledge, both of near Matthews, were married in this city at half past ten o'clock last Sunday morning. The ceremony took place at Judge J. R. Davidson's office, Judge Davidson officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sledge, well known people of the Matthews section. Before moving to Matthews about a year and a half ago, they resided at Chesterville, where they also have many friends. Miss Winnie is very popular and is held in high esteem by all who know her. The groom is a promibent young farmer of the Matthews section, and has many friends wherever he is known. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy will continue to make their home near Matthews. The Headlight joins the many friends of this estimable young couple in extending congratulations and very best wishes.

Our sympathy is extended Mrs. W. A. Moore in the death of her brother, Mr. John Ratcliff, which sad event occured at his home in Glen Flora on the fifth of this month. His death was due to heart failure. He had been ill for several weeks, but was able to be up and around. Mr. Ratcliff spent much of his time in Eagle Lake many years ago and had many friends here who sincerely regretted to learn of his death.

HAVE YOU EVER VISITED THE EAGLE LAKE SCHOOLS

You look out carefully for the exterior of your boy as he sets out for school each morning. He must have shiny shoes, well brushed hair, a necktie. But do you know anything about what they are putting into his head? The old fashioned school used to have a throng on "exhibition day"—now called "commencement." The children sang sweet little songs about daisies, and spoke pretty poems about the birds. The question whether they could keep a cash account or write a hand that a human being could read was much in the background.

If a parent happened into the school room on any day except the closing one, a hush of awe spread over the little faces at the unexpected visit. The teacher rattled her papers nervously and the pupils missed.

Visitors are more common in the schools now-a-days. But probably not one parent in ten enters a school room in the Eagle Lake Schools once in a term. Yet the question of what they are doing with your children is vastly more important than what the style of children's coats are. Our people don't take the interest in the school they should. They should visit the school and see what their children are doing. There are people in this town daily who have never put their foot in the school building and yet "knock" the school, "knock" the teachers, and "knock" everything else connected with the school.

Every parent who has a child in the Eagle Lake school should resolve to visit the school at least once during the year. If some of the "knockers" would visit the school occasionally and see what the teachers are trying to do for their flop-eared, numb-skulled brats they would cease their chronic croaking.

If you will visit the school it will show your children that you are taking an interest in their studies. The teachers will welcome you for it, and it will be evident to them that you are interested in their work, and it will encourage them to put forth their best endeavors to merit your appreciation.

In the short time the Eagle Lake Schools have been in session this fall it is evident to those interested in their success that the board has secured an exceptionally able corps of teachers, who are deeply interested in their work, and if the patrons of the school exhibit the interest they ought to, it is very certain the schools will be raised to even a much higher standard than to which they have been raised during the past few years under the able direction of Superintendent J. H. Morgan.

Mr. J. S. Wetherall was in the city from Altair last Friday and called at our office to advance his subscription figures on our books. He stated that at that time the Colorado river was on another big rise, and was then (Friday) up to within five feet of as high as it was the week before.

Mr. Geo. McLain of Austin was among the business visitors in the city last week.

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