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Paid for Eggs,
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For Anything You Want in
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LOCAL EPISCOPALIANS SCHOOL CHINESE GIRL

Eagle Lake Church Paying Ex-
penses of Little Tsur Mai-pau
in Shanghai, China.

The following letter, dated at
Shanghai, China, February 7th,
to Mrs. J. S. Bruce of this city,
is self explanatory:

"Miss Dodson has asked me to
answer your very kind letter of
Dec. 3rd., and to thank you, most
heartily for the 'Bishop Gregg
Scholarship.' We are so glad to
have it for the sake of the chil-
dren here, and it means a great
deal to us when the children at
home take such a real share in
helping the children out here.
We appreciate your share in it too.

"I am sure that the girls in
Texas would be delighted with
the child that Miss Dodson has
selected for the scholarship.
Tsur Mai-pau (pronounced May-
baw) is her name, and she is a
tiny little thing, with a demure
little mouth that I struggle so to
make her really open when she
speaks English. Her father is the
College comprador, and she is
one of the youngest of the us-
ual large Chinese family. Three
of them are in St. Mary's, and
the mother, poor woman, is dying
of consumption.

"Mai-pau is in her second year
of English, Class VIII a, and is
industrious and a very satisfac-
tory little student. I always feel
that a child can think when she
distinguishes the past tense from
the present, because in China
there are no tenses, and Mai-pau
can. I am sending you a cata-
logue so that you may see what
the girls, and especially Mai-pau,
study here. The English in VIII

a, is naturally very elementary,
but I love to hear them say 'very
slowly, 'I can close the door,' 'I
opened the window,' etc., and to
see their little faces pecker up
with the hard work of it.

"I wish especially that your
children could all have been here
for the Christmas play on Christ-
mas Eve. It was the first time
that only the younger girls had
acted an English play, and you
may be sure that Mai-pau was in
it. For two weeks before, we
trained them in the evenings, and
they were so funny and stiff, and
so serious, when they learned a
simple dance step. At the per-
formance, the older girl in the
play, the 'mother' wore a trained
dress of mink, and in the dance,
what did she do but hold it up to
her knees on the side next to the
audience, and there were her
black trousered legs skipping
around inside!

"Mai-pau was a little German
boy in the play, and when her
thick wadded winter garments
were taken off, and about two
pairs of trousers (the number of
clothes a Chinese child can wear
in winter is astonishing!) and she
was dressed in a little boy's
brilliant green suit, we couldn't de-
cide whether she looked more like
a tadpole or a green lizard. But
she was as cunning as could be,
and the others never failed to go
into gales of laughter when she
walked up to Santa Claus and
said, 'My, isn't he big?'—Marg-
aret Hart Bailey."

Mr. W. H. Lasater and family
will move next week from the for-
mer A. C. McClanahan place to
the Fred Wagner residence on
Prairie Avenue.

WANTED—A good second hand
cultivator.
P. J. ANDERSON
Chesterville, Texas.

Mr. Chas. Terrell of Washing-
ton, D. C., who is connected with
the street railway company of
that city, is here on a visit to the
family of his uncles, Messrs. Ike
and J. M. Terrell. He is a brother
of Miss Florence Terrell.

Dr. Bat Smith of Bay City was
a visitor in the city last Saturday
the guest of his old friend, Mr.
J. W. Thatcher.

Messrs. E. Middleton and
George Hayman, of the Schnit-
macher Grocer Company, were
business visitors to Houston last
Sunday.

A Pleasant Physic.
When you want a pleasant phys-
ic, give Chamberlain's Tablets a trial.
They are mild and gentle in their
actions and always produce a pleasant
cathartic effect. For sale by all dealers.
—Adv.

The Headlight returns thanks
to Mr. L. F. Schultz for a quan-
tity of fine vegetables left at his
home last Saturday. When it comes
to growing fine vegetables, none
of them can excel Mr. Schultz.

Mr. C. S. Durham and family
have moved from the John Mc-
Clanahan place to the former
Demmon Reed home, in the east-
ern part of the city.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE LINE OF 5, 10 & 25c.

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Let us show you the best for your Nickles and Dimes.

We are now making a specialty of Good 5, 10
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We Carry a Complete Line of Hardware from the Cheap-
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automatic heat regulator, thermometer, hygro-
meter, in fact up to date equipment. Constructed
of California red wood on scientific principles by
a man of many years' experience and study of
this line of goods.

Prices. \$10.00 to \$35.00

Also Brooders, Hovers and extra Thermometers, Germazone
Lice Killer and Poultry Powders. Call for catalogue.

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EAGLE LAKE, TEXAS

TOWNLEY CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

J. C. Townley Announces Can-
didacy For County Commission-
er's Office of this Precinct.

In our announcement column
in today's issue will be found the
name of Mr. J. C. Townley, who
announces his candidacy for the
office of County Commissioner
from this precinct, No. 4. Mr.
Townley says he has never held
any office before, and he has
never been in politics, but he
feels, if the people of this pre-
cinct see fit to honor him with
the office, he will use his every
effort to improve the precinct,
and especially the roads and
highways, in every way possi-
ble. The road improvement
work, Mr. Townley says, will be
his hobby, if he is elected. He
is familiar with all the roads in
the precinct, and well under-
stands road building and road
improvement work. He prom-
ises, if he is elected to the office,
that he will give all sections of
the precinct equal attention and
will use every means possible to
build up and improve the roads
of the precinct and put them in
good condition. Mr. Townley's
announcement is subject to the
action of the white man's pri-
mary, and he solicits your vote and
your influence.

Mr. Ray Utery, who is working
for the W. C. Munn Company at
Houston, spent Sunday in the
city.

KOENNECKE IS BUILDING A COLD STORAGE PLANT

Eagle Lake Will Have Fine Cold
Storage Plant With Capacity
of Thirty Carloads.

Mr. A. H. Koennecke, manager
of the Eagle Lake Manufacturing
Company, is putting in a fine
cold storage plant with a capacity
sufficient to accommodate about
thirty cars of potatoes. The cold
storage plant will take care of
the potatoes and other produce
of the country, and will enable
the merchants to buy eggs and
such like in large quantities, at
fording them storage room so
they will not become overstocked
regardless of the quantity they
buy. And too, it will afford the
farmers a ready market at all
times for their eggs, and will en-
courage them to go into the chick-
en and egg business on a larger
and more extensive scale. Mr.
Koennecke is constructing this
cold storage plant in cellar form,
arranging same so that an addi-
tional story for the same use can
be added at any time he sees the
proposition is a paying venture
and is becoming overcrowded.
A cold storage plant in any town
is a great thing for the town, and
we congratulate Mr. Koennecke
on his enterprise.

Mr. Billy Fitch of San Antonio
was a Sunday visitor in the city,
having come to see his best girl.

REV. G. W. STORY DIED SUDDENLY HERE SUNDAY

Presbyterian Minister Falls Dead
of Heart Failure at Drum-
mers' Home Last Sunday

Rev. G. W. Story, one of the
best known Presbyterian minis-
ters in this section of the state,
died suddenly Sunday afternoon
about half past three o'clock.
Mr. Story came to Eagle Lake
Saturday afternoon from El
Campo to deliver a series of
lectures at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. J. A. Stephens. He was
preaching in the Dixie Thea-
tre, building Sunday morning,
and after the services went out
to dinner with friends. At about
twenty minutes after two he
returned to the Drummers' Home
hotel where he was stopping, sat
in the lobby for a few minutes
and conversed with those in the
lobby, remarking that he was go-
ing up to his room and take a
nap, such being his usual cus-
tom. About half past three
o'clock, just about an hour later,
a traveling man who was also a
guest at the hotel, walking in the
hall by Mr. Story's room, dis-
covered him lying in the floor, with
his head and shoulders partly
out in the hall, and one arm
against the door-facing, as if he
had attempted to arise after fall-
ing. It is believed that Mr. Story
suffered a spell of heart fail-
ure and was attempting to call
for assistance when he fell in the
doorway. He was dead when
found. The bed showed that he
had taken a nap, and it is thought
he had slept nearly an hour after
going up to his room. The body
was taken to the Herndon under-
taking parlors and prepared for
burial. A number of El Campo
people came to Eagle Lake Sun-
day night in automobiles and ac-
companied the remains to El
Campo the following morning.
Services were held at the under-
taking parlors Monday morning
at 7:15 o'clock, and were conducted
by Rev. J. A. Stephens, the lo-
cal Baptist pastor, who was for-
merly stationed at El Campo, Mr.
Story's home town. Mr. Story
was in his seventy-fourth year,
and was an exceptionally well
preserved man for his age.
He was active and in appearance
looked to be a man many years
younger than he was. When he
came to Eagle Lake Saturday af-
ternoon, Mr. Story stated to
friends that he had eaten a ham
sandwich in El Campo a day or
so previous which had given him
a touch of ptomaine poisoning,
and that the doctor had to work
with him for quite a while before
he brought him around all right
again. Though he stated Sun-
day that he was feeling fine and
that he had fully recovered from
his illness of the past week, the
remains were shipped to El Cam-
po on the Santa Fe Monday
morning for interment, being ac-
companied by quite a number of
people from Eagle Lake, who at-
tended the funeral. Mr. Story
was a very popular man and en-
joyed a wide acquaintance. He has
been preaching here for the Pres-
byterian congregation for sev-
eral years, and was loved by all
the members of his congrega-
tion, those of all other churches.

REVIVAL MEETING WILL BEGIN SUNDAY WEEK

Protracted Meeting at Christian
Church Will Begin Sunday
Morning, April the Fifth.

The members of the Eagle
Lake Christian Church are mak-
ing great preparations for the
protracted meeting to begin at
that church in this city on the
first Sunday in April. The meet-
ing will continue for three
or four weeks.
The services will be
conducted by Evangelist
Nathaniel Jacks of Dal-
las, and the
some service by his
son, Mr. Ezra Jacks.
These evangelists have
been very successful in a num-
ber of meetings at different
points in the state. Most of their
evangelistic work has been in
other states, they having
been in this state but a
comparatively short while.
The song service during the
revival will be
made a fea-
ture, and to this
end the evan-
gelists, the lo-
cal pastor, Mr. R. H. Jones, and
the members of the congrega-
tion ask the co-operation and as-
sistance of all the singers in
Eagle Lake. The revival will begin
on Sunday morning April 5th,
at the morning preaching hour.
Evangelist Jacks is said to be a
very strong preacher, and his
son a splendid song and chorus
leader. A cordial invitation is
extended to all the people of
Eagle Lake and surrounding coun-
try to attend the services as of-
ten as possible during the meet-
ing.

EAGLE LAKE TO HAVE AN AUTOMOBILE EXCURSION

Eagle Lake Business Men Arrang-
ing to Make Automobile Trip
to all Neighboring Towns

At the business men's mass
meeting in the city council rooms
last Friday night, it was decided
that Eagle Lake will have a busi-
ness men's automobile excursion.
The exact time for the excursion
was not decided upon at this
meeting, but it will very likely
be some time during the latter
part of April or the first part of
May. An effort is being made
to get as many of the Eagle Lake
business men as possible to en-
ter into the movement, and they
are doing so with enthusiasm.
From present indications there
will be at least twenty-five or
thirty automobiles to make the
trip. As planned at this time,
the excursion will be a two days'
trip. On the first day the auto-
mobile party will visit Columbus,
Altair, Rock Island, Garwood,
and Nada, and the second day
will include Lissie, Nottawa,
East Bonham and Wallis. The
excursion promises to be a big
success. The business men will
carry and distribute advertising
matter of various kinds and
Eagle Lake will derive a great deal
of fine advertising from the trip.



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A LITTLE WORD.

That little word THRIFTY means thriving by industry
and frugality, prosperous, acquisition of worldly goods, in-
creasing in wealth, as a thrifty farmer or mechanic. Any per-
son can practice thrift, and the one who does and deposits the
result of thrift with us can meet the future with confidence.
Better be thrifty than sorry.

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or it will soon lose its beauty
if it does not vanish alto-
gether. Our preparations
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growth and insure lustre
and glossiness. They are
hair producers and no wo-
manly woman should be
without them.

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