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"NOTHING EXTRAVAGANT, NOR SET DOWN AUGHT IN MALICE."

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NOTICE

I have a car of Flour and a couple of cars of Nutriline on track and am compelled to sell some of it Below the Market, in order to make room.

For a short time only I will sell One Barrel of Flour, with a \$5.00 grocery order, for
...\$6.80 per BARREL..

W. G. DARBY
NOTTAWA, TEXAS

Mr. O. E. Sinclair of Lissie was among the visitors in the city last Saturday and while here availed himself of the Headlight's Bargain Day Offer and advanced his subscription for another year.

Some say "Bonus" means good and this is true even as to the seed corn.

Mr. J. D. Arnett of Bonus was a business visitor in the city Tuesday and while here took advantage of the Headlight's bargain offer and had his name added to our regular list of readers at Bonus.

Miss Lelene Willson of Houston spent the week-end here with her cousin, Mrs. Bruce McCarty, returning to Houston Sunday afternoon.

Free Information

We are going to start an Information Bureau and it will be Free to you all.

If you have anything to sell or if you want to buy anything no matter what it is, if you will let us know we will try and help you and it will not cost you anything. We may have some one on our list that may want to buy a horse, a cow or something else you want to sell.

If you think this is a good thing come in and see us.

PIERCE HARDWARE CO.
"The Exclusive Hardware Store."

Best Treatment for Constipation. SUNSET RAILROAD WILL GIVE LIVESTOCK PRIZES

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YOU CAN REMIT NOW FOR HEADLIGHT BARGAIN DAY

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and your subscription will be ex- tended on April 3rd with as many years as you send dollars. Don't overlook the six year rate at five dollars!

In mailing the check kindly state that the amount is intended for credit at the bar- gain rate offer. Quite a number of people have already sent in their subscriptions with a re- quest that we deposit the same until the date of the offer, there- fore we are making the proposi- tion to all, and allowing any who desire to send in their sub-

scriptions at the bargain day offer. If you are not already a subscriber, send in your amount now and on April 3rd the paper will begin

coming to your address at the bargain rate of one year for one dollar.

The contest will be limited to farmers along the lines of, or tributary to the Sunset-Central lines in Texas and Louisiana. For further particulars, address H. M. Mayo, Manager Industrial and Immigration Bureau, Sunset-Central Lines, Houston, Texas.

Misses Neta Ray and Manie Moody two of Rosenberg's pretty and popular young ladies, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mooney. Miss Moody is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Mooney.

Misses Gladys Davidson of Wharton, Esther Westmoreland and Beth Wright of this city, visited friends in East Bernard last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Lee Hughes of Richmond was a business visitor in the city the first of the week.

Mrs. John Laufenberg left Friday afternoon for her home in Port Arthur after a ten days' visit to Eagle Lake friends.

Bonus Bowles' Seed Corn equals Seed Corn Bonus Est.

HEADLIGHT BARGAIN OFFER NOW ON!

KINCHELO GIVEN FIFTY YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

Man Who Killed Wife at Garwood Declared "Guilty" by Jury and Given Sentence of Fifty Years.

The case of the State of Texas vs. Will Kincheloe, charged with murdering his wife at Garwood last October, was brought to a close in the district court at Columbus Saturday afternoon, the jury returning a verdict of guilty and assessing his punishment at fifty years in the penitentiary. Kincheloe was represented by Attorneys Emanuel Roos, A. J. Wirtz and P. P. Patney, all of Eagle Lake, they having been appointed by the court to defend the prisoner at the trial. A special venire of one hundred men was summoned for this case the jurymen selected from this number being as follows: Steve Kosler, Carl Seaholm, P. J. Shaver, Will Helmer, Conrad Miller, Jake Hennecks, Lee Ramsey, J. E. Davidson, George Brower, I. A. Harris, John Duncan and Rudolph Gloger.

The following verdict was returned by the jury in the Kincheloe case: "We, the jury, find the defendant, Will Kincheloe, guilty as charged in the indictment and assess his punishment at fifty years in the penitentiary.

John Duncan, Foreman.

In sentencing the defendant

the court sentenced him to an

indeterminate sentence of not

less than five nor more than fifty

years. He knows the business.

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Lake's most energetic and cap- able young citizens. He is accom- modating and at all times pleasant. He will give Eagle

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Those who didn't hear the wild

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BLAZE AT RICE MILL CALLS OUT FIREMEN

Threatening Blaze in Engine Room at Farmers' Rice Mill Brought Out Firemen Monday Morning.

A fire alarm was turned in at half past two o'clock Monday morning, a blaze at the Farmers' Rice Milling Company, which for some time threatened to become se- rious, being the cause. The oil tank had been leaking for several days and when Mr. Henry Busse, night watchman, the oil tank, was brought up for Monday's run, the oil in a pit under the boiler which had leaked from the oil tank, became ignited, the blaze spreading over the boiler room. Mr. Busse quickly turned on the fire alarm and then proceeded to fight the fire, using the rice mill hose. Although the night was cold, and it was an unearthly sight to roll out of a warm bed, the fire boys made a quick run to the mill, but Mr. Busse, and others living near the mill, had succeeded in getting the fire out before the arrival of the fire

Mr. Sam H. Little, bookkeeper for some time past at the Farmers' Supply Co., who recently re- ceived the appointment of post- master of Eagle Lake, was check- ed in as postmaster Monday night, his commission having arrived Sunday. The work of checking out Capt. Geo. S. Ziegler, the retiring postmaster, and checking in Mr. Little required the whole of Monday and it was not until late into the night that

Mr. Little was duly installed as postmaster. Capt. Ziegler, who is one of Eagle Lake's old and honored citizens, has been post- master here for eleven and a half years. He says he feels a little

lost out of the office, but he ex- pects to spend his time now tak- ing life easy. Mr. Little, our new postmaster, is not new at the work. He has served as as- sistant in the Eagle Lake postof- fice for nearly thirteen years.

Under former postmistress, Mrs. L. L. Norris, now of Whar- ton, he was assistant for nearly

five years, and under Capt. Ziegler's administration for about

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NEW POSTMASTER NOW IN CHARGE AT OFFICE

Sam H. Little Checked in as Postmaster Monday Night. Was Assistant For Nearly Thirteen Years.

Local Man Made Second Vice President of Cane Belt at Stockholders' Meeting Here Monday Afternoon.

Wilson Riggins Died Here Suddenly Monday Afternoon in a Peculiar Manner: Funeral Wednesday.

Wilson Riggins, a young negro about thirty years of age, died here Monday in a manner that is baffling to the physicians. A hurried call was sent to Dr. Geo. W. Cross at about half past three o'clock in the afternoon. Dr. Cross hurried to the home of Annie Watson, colored, who lives just across the railroad track, back of the business section of town. Here he found the negro man, foaming at the mouth and crying out: "Something for me, doctor." He died within a few moments after the doctor's arrival. From other colored people, the Headlight learns that Riggins was accused of having "miseries in his side and chest" as he put it, and had stated to others that when these spells came on him he ate vaseline which brought relief.

The directors elected are as follows: Edward P. Ripley, Chicago; F. G. Pettibone, Galveston, First Vice President; J. Whatley, Eagle Lake, Second Vice President and Secretary and Treasurer; L. G. Deumling, New York, Assistant Secretary; A. C. Torbert, Galveston, Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer; Gaydiner Lathrop, Chicago, General Solicitor; and D. L. Gallup, New York Comptroller.

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