1927

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Eagle Lake, Texas.

FIGHTING BUFFALO HUNTING IN THE PANHANDLE OF TEXAS

John Cloud Jacobs, bird naturalist of San Antonio, takes delight in telling of his numerous hunting trips as from 1870 to 1878 in the vast domain known as the Panhandle. Here he and his partner, John S. Poe, each averaged from four to a thousand buffalo hides a season, which sold usually for a dollar apiece. The hides, when dressed by the Tonkaway Indians on the halves, brought fairer prices. These hunters always furnished more hides to the squaws than they could ever make into buffalo robes. The squaws were limited; the hides unlimited. Mr. Jacob's story of how he hunted buffaloes will be published in the Headlight's magazine section of next week, January 8th. Be sure you jot up your subscription in order not to miss any issues of the paper.

DINNER PARTY AT HOTEL DALLAS HONORING VISITOR

A delightful affair of the holiday season was the dinner given by Mrs. Fox Stephens at the Hotel Dallas Tuesday evening, honoring Miss Lucille Stephens of San Antonio. An elegant menu, in four courses, was served, the table and dining room being prettily decorated in Christmas attire. Covers were laid for the honor guest, Miss Stephens, Miss Addie Johnson, Miss Margaret Little and Messrs. Francis Hamilton, Thomas Hamilton and William Bullen.

Mr. Wm. Massey Wilson, architectual engineer in the firm of Giesecke & Harris, Austin architects—the firm that made plans and specifications for Eagle Lake's school building—accompanied by his family, spent the holidays here at the home of his fathers, Rev. J. C. Wilson.

"Sat At Brunch."

MISS CYMBELINE RANDOW AND YOAKUM MAN MARRIED

On Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Randow, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Cymbeline Randow of this city and Mr. J. W. Deborah of Yoakum, Rev. E. W. Mitchell, local Presbyterian minister, officiating.

The bride and groom left in their car immediately after the ceremony for a short honeymoon visit to San Antonio. They will return to Eagle Lake today for another short visit before leaving for their home near Yoakum.

The bride is a teacher in the schools at Hope, and it is her intention to complete the school term before giving up school work.

Miss Cymbeline is an attractive and popular young lady and is held in the highest esteem by all who know her. The groom is a popular young ranchman of near Yoakum.

The Headlight joins the many friends of this popular young couple in extending congratulations and best wishes for a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

BOY'S OVERCOAT LEFT IN DEPOT ON CHRISTMAS DAY

A boy's overcoat was left in the Southern Pacific passenger station here on Christmas day. The coat has a pair of gloves in one of the pockets. The boy carrying the coat was in the station for some time before the arrival of the west bound Southern Pacific train, but, it is stated by others who were in the station at the time, that the boy did not leave Eagle Lake on the train, but about the time of the arrival of the train went to Darby's restaurant for something to eat and did not return for his coat. N. C. Ner, station agent, has the coat in his possession and will return it to the owner if he will call for it.

Mentz News Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller and children of Houston spent the Christmas holidays here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin Hill of El Campo spent the week-end here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Willie Embrock of Seguin spent several days here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Miller.

Mrs. Anton Helfrich and children of Houston spent Christmas here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Braden and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Anton Meartix and children of Alleyton spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Hillie Kotzebue of Bernardo.

W. E. Lenhart spent Tuesday in Galveston in attendance at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cane Belt Railroad Company. Mr. Lenhart is secretary of the Cane Belt Railroad Company, which is owned and controlled by the Santa Fe system.

A Prosperous and Happy New Year

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TELEPHONE 11

. . . Let one of your New Year's resolutions be that you will make The Frank Stephens Co's. store your store during 1927—and this will go a long way towards making the year a prosperous and contented year for you. We deeply appreciate the patronage that has been extended us during the year now closing, and we solicit a continuance of your valued patronage.

LADIES GOLF TOURNAMENT SOON AS WEATHER PERMITS

The scheduled tournament for the women members of the Lakeside golf club, which was rained out preceding the holidays, will be held just as soon as the weather is favorable. The ladies have already begun practice work since the golf course is drying off, and next week's Headlight will give date on which the tournament will be held. Every lady member of the club is urged to take part in the tournament. Various prizes will be offered and the day on the golf course will be given over entirely to the ladies. The men players, however, will be used as caddies and score keepers on this occasion.

NOTES AND NOTICES OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

Our Christmas tree and program was a great success, despite the uncomfortable weather. The children carried out their parts creditably to themselves and those who trained them. A large audience enjoyed the program, and a good offering was made to the Methodist Orphanage.

Last Sunday's services were well attended and many expressed appreciation of the sermons.

The pastor will preach a special sermon to the young people on next Sunday night—subject, "Making a Right Choice." A cordial invitation to the young people of Eagle Lake is hereby given. An appropriate message at 11 a. m. also.

Dr. C. K. Barton of Austin will preach Monday night, and at close of the service will hold our first quarterly conference. A full attendance is desired.

May the New Year bring prosperity, happiness and peace to all.—J. C. Wilson, Pastor.

HARRY SPEED, FORMER TRAVELING MAN, IS DEAD

J. Harry Speed, 54 years of age, a member of the firm of Guenard, Speed & Clemens, wholesale fruit and produce merchants of Houston, and a resident of Houston for the past 28 years, died at his home on Hawthorne Avenue, in that city on Monday of last week. Before engaging in business for himself, Harry Speed was out of Houston for many years, and is well and favorably known among the old merchants and citizens of those sections. He was a splendid man and had many friends throughout that section who learned of his death with sincere regret.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovellette left Sunday evening for their home at Galveston following a Christmas visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beckmann. Mrs. Lovellette was formerly Miss Daphne Beckmann of this city.

Misses Lucille Ney and Pat Moe Roberts, after spending Christmas holidays here with their home folks, left Tuesday night for Belton to resume their studies at Baylor College.

Miss Corinne Bentley left on the early train Tuesday morning for Belton to resume her school work at Baylor College after a pleasant Christmas visit here to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bentley.

Max Hamburger, a former Eagle Lake boy who is now practicing law in Houston, spent Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Hamburger.

Judge John C. Hoyo of Seguin was a business visitor in the city Monday morning.

MRS. S. McCORMICK OF WEIMAR PASSES AWAY

In the death of Mrs. Hattie S. McCormick, which occurred at the family home in this city Thursday afternoon of last week, there passed away one of the most beloved and useful women of our community. Mrs. McCormick was ill but a comparatively brief time, but it was realized from the first that her illness was of a serious nature. Everything possible was done for her by physician, family and friends, but it was of no avail for God had called her, and she went peacefully to sleep, to awaken with loved ones gone on before. The body was tenderly prepared for burial and interment took place Friday afternoon in the family plot at the Masonic Cemetery in the presence of a large gathering of mourning relatives and friends. Rev. J. C. Wilson of Eagle Lake, her former pastor, officiating in a touching burial service.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Emil Fahrenthold, Geo. Herder, Jr., Sam C. Holloway, Sam P. Doggett, Henry Brasher, J. T. and Chas. D. Ammann.

Mrs. Hattie McCormick was a daughter of the late J. H. and Emily Joe Simpson and was born in Alexandria, Va., on Jan. 2, 1850. She came to Texas in 1882 with her father's family and settled near Oakland, this county. She was married to Mr. Stephen McCormick on Oct. 27th, 1870, and moved to Weimar in 1880. Eight children were born to them, two of whom are dead—Helen, who died in infancy, and Robert, who died Oct. 8, 1919. The surviving children are Mrs. Jno. C. Hulsard of this city, Mrs. Peyton Irvin of Dallas, Mrs. Hallie Vinson of Austin, Mrs. S. E. Aldredge of Fort Worth, Messrs. Alex. McCormick of Madisonville and Stephen McCormick of this city. Eight grand-children and two sisters—Mrs. Helen Tomlinson of Hillsboro and Mrs. J. B. Johns of Manassas, Va., also survive.—Weimar Mercury.

Jerome Landa, who is at the State University, Austin, and Calmon Landa, who is holding a position in Fort Worth, were home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Landa, for Christmas. Jerome spent several days with friends in Houston during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fitzgerald and Miss Sybil Knight Sandmeyer motored down from Columbus to attend the dance given by the Lakeside Country Club on Thursday evening of last week.

Sam Cohn, an old Eagle Lake boy, who is now making his home at Huntsville, arrived on Friday night and spent Christmas here with the family of his sister, Mrs. M. Steinweis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bentley of Waller were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bentley here during the holidays.

Dodge Touring Car.

Car was driven by careful owner. It is in good condition all round. Price $195.00. Will take inord.

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HIGH SCHOOL AND ALL STARS IN FOOTBALL GAME

Eagle Lake is promised one football game for this season, when the "All-Stars" meet the Eagle Lake high school gridders on the field of the school grounds here tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, in a battle royal on New Year's day. The "All-Star" team will be composed of the college boys who are back home for the holidays and possibly a few of the town boys to make out the team. A real battle royal is promised.

The "All-Stars" request that all college boys in Eagle Lake for the holidays and all of the town boys who will play on this team, to be at the school grounds at 3 o'clock this (Friday) afternoon for signal and practice work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fitch and little son, Billy Welford Fitch, left Sunday afternoon for their home at San Antonio after spending Christmas here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welford. Miss Florence Mae Roberts and Mrs. Welford accompanied them to San Antonio, returning home Tuesday night.

Miss Edith Hanly left on Thursday afternoon of last week for a visit to Houston, and was accompanied home the following day by her sister, Mrs. R. T. Anselin, who spent Christmas here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hanly.

Miss Mary Louise McClanahan spent the Christmas holidays visiting friends in Freeport and at Angleton.

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Rock Island Items.

L. I. Stahl and Jack Sharp who have been working for the Texas Company at Boling for the past several weeks, returned last week for a visit with home folks.

Miss Mabel Weaver, who is a student at the Teacher's College at San Marcos, is spending the holidays here with her parents.

Miss Ruth Johnson of Nashville, Arkansas, came in Wednesday to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Braden and daughters, Josephine and Francis, of San Antonio are the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wegenhoft.

Mrs. Z. L. Grodhouse left Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughters, Mrs. Starkey and Miss Winnie Grodhouse, in Houston.

Edward Vorbees of Galveston arrived Wednesday night for a holiday visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Carter.

Mrs. J. M. Jacobsen and Mrs. Roy Johnson of New York city came in Wednesday night for a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Olsen and family.

L. E. Norman and Mrs. Taylor and daughter left Thursday morning for a short visit to their home at Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Brown and Miss Edith Wright of Hallettsville are guests at the J. F. Wright home.

Miss Alma Moore entertained the members of the Embroidery Club at their homes and egnerts, Thursday night. Games of cards kinds were enjoyed and each one received a gift from members of the club. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Mrs. J. G. Adams entertained members of her Sunday School class at her home, Saturday night. A pleasant evening was enjoyed and refreshments were served late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hudson and little son and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Houston are spending the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ann McClelland, daughter, Jeanet, and Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Franee and children Houston are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Baine and Miss Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hudson and children of Houston are with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bentley and little son of Houston are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baxter.

Mr. Lawrence Frazee, who is attending Rice Institute at Houston, is spending the Christmas holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Frazee.

Miss Dixie Florney is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Florney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bender and Misses Gertrude and Thelma Wall of Houston are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Wall and family.

Miss Rosaline Smith is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mate.

Miss Cora Stapp of Houston is here visiting her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Boggess and children of Houston are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Waddell.

The Christmas Tree and program held Friday night at the church, Santa Claus arrived on time and distributed the treat to a large number of children.

THE WORLD'S LARGEST RANCH.

In Texas "Down by the Rio Grande," is the largest ranch in the world. There are two thousand square miles in it—1,280,000 acres. And there is a 2½ million dollar ranch house as a home for its owners. An 8-mile concrete roadway leads from the front door to the front gate, with a town of five thousand persons to pass through on the route. The estate was founded by Richard King, and his heirs still own it. This story will hold the reader's interest to the last paragraph and will appear in the Headlight's magazine section of next week, January 8th.

Mrs. R. H. Putney is spending several days visiting friends in Houston.

OLD-TIME COLORED CITIZEN WRITES LETTER TO HEADLIGHT

The Headlight is in receipt of the following letter from S. E. Jordan, one of the prominent colored citizens of Eagle Lake:

Eagle Lake, Tex.

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find $2.00 for your kind invoice, for the dear Headlight. I am very, very sorry indeed I am too feeble to continue much longer, especially after March the dear Headlight an all as well. I will say here that the paper, may God enable you to continue the Headlight until it equal the largest and best newspaper of the state. Wishing you success after success, I am your ardent supporter.—S. E. Jordan.

We are thankful to our old colored friend we have known since we were a kid, for this letter, and we love him though he may be old and feeble, he does not bid the paper farewell, for he take pleasure in entering his name on our complimentary list as a token of the time, and shall we to send him the paper as long as he errors reading it.

Dressing In Comfort

Men have taken great steps toward dressing with comfort. Men, eliminent them upon their wisdom in discarding foolish and cumbersome clothing and adopting the comfortable and sensible, and at the same time decorative themselves and their brothers being slaves to fashion, high collars and waistcoats. Then they proceeded to do nothing about it. Yet something seems to be being done about it very gradually. A few years ago a man in knickers would have been laughed off the streets. Now they are a common sight. There may come a time when a pair of long trousers will suggest that a man is stepping out to a formal party. There may be some argument as to whether or not a man cuts a handsome figure in his plus-fours, but there is no questioning their comfort.—Luling Signal.

The Wagging Tongue.

Gossip wouldn't be so bad if it really went in one ear and out the other, says an exchange. The trouble is so much of it comes out of the mouth.

There's nothing much you can say about gossip. Everybody condemns it and most everybody does it. There is no way to stop it. Nothing is quite so damaging as an untruth about somebody else. Just as one rotten orange may spoil a whole box of sound fruit, so can one long-tongued busybody destroy the harmony of an entire community. Saying nice things about an absent friend or associate is a splendid thing to do.—Ex.

Happiness Recipe

"Keep our heart free from hate, your mind from worry. Live simply; expect little; give much; sing often; pray always. Fill your life with love; scatter sunshine. Forget self. Think of others. Do as you would be done by; these are the tried links in contentment's golden chain."—M. I. McLeod.

Mr. H. Nussbaum spent Tuesday visiting in Houston.

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Overdoing?

Hurry, Worry and Overwork Bring Heavy Strain.

MODERN life throws a heavy burden on our bodily machinery. The eliminative organs, especially the kidneys, are apt to become sluggish. Retention of excess uric acid and other poisonous waste often gives rise to a dull, languid feeling and, sometimes, toxic backaches and headaches. That the kidneys are not functioning perfectly is often shown by burning or scanty passage of secretions. More and more people are learning to assist their kidneys by the occasional use of *Doan's Pills*—a stimulant diuretic. *Ask your neighbor!*

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PRETTY BANK ROBBER.

(Honey Grove Signal)

Now, here's a pretty kettle of fish. It's all about a bobbed-hair bandit. She is pretty. She is a graduate of the University of Texas. She held a position as stenographer in the office of Attorney General Dan Moody.

People believed the maiden fair with golden hair and dreamy eyes was Miss Grace Bradley, but she isn't; she is Mrs. Otis Rogers. She was married a year ago to Otis Rogers, a classmate in the University. The two agreed to keep their marriage a secret for a time; he went to Amarillo to earn his fortune and she remained with her mother.

Last Saturday the young woman, who is 19, went to Buda, a small town in Hayes county, near Austin. She represented herself to be in the employ of a newspaper, and went into a bank for some information. While the bank employees' heads were turned she drew a pistol and ordered them to hold up their hands. She then took about $1000, backed the employees into the vault and left. She stopped at another town, mailed the pistol and a part of the money to herself in Austin. Later she was arrested, held in jail for a time, and was finally released on a bond of $5000.

This is the story. It's something new for Texas. The young woman has made no statement, and the people are guessing. Is her reason dethroned, was she prompted by others, or did she necessity drive her into taking that which was not her own? These are the questions people are asking. The young woman appears not to be worried, but smiles and jokes as if nothing serious had happened.

But why should we marvel because one woman has robbed a bank? Hundreds of men have robbed banks and women are doing whatever men do these days. Women commit murder, they smoke and they drink—why not rob banks? It's the day of woman's rights, and every sphere is woman's sphere now. Why not bank robbery?

It will doubtless be a great trial. There will be oratory that will touch the lacrymal glands and tears will flow freely. And—

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Advertising an Investment.

The idea prevails among some business people that advertising is merely an expense, something to be added wholly to the operating costs of a business.

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When a concern advertises regularly, it builds up good will. It creates a reputation for that concern for enterprise and progressiveness, and it draws people to the store to see the goods thus described, and a good part of these people will become permanent customers.

The good will of a business is as much a part of its assets as money locked up in the building or fixtures it owns or the stock that it carries. If you buy a good business, you usually have to pay a hefty sum for that "good will." You are building that permanent investment every day you advertise.—Michigan Press Bulletin.

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