## THE KERRUILLE ADUANCE





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## Commissioners Court

Special term of Commissioners Court held April $13,1914$.
Ordered that John Ordered that John Hunter (eol
pauper be allowed $\$ 1.25$ per day for the next two weeks in case how-
ever, he lives two weeks. Voucher to be turned over to Geo. E Meeks.
The petition of Fritz Bartel to construct a telephone line on C Returns of County School Tr canvassed and J. L. Fowler, J. Baxter and M. O. Britt declared e
ected as county trustees. The elerk is ordered to draw
voucher on the county fund, in favor of W. G. Petersa tax assessor, for 8200 , same being
an advancement on his salary as tax assessor on assessments of 1914. hardt and his son thesse be allowein 84 each for the next month, sai Petition for county line shat

## UNCLE SAM TAKES VERA CRUZ, MEX.

Four U. S. Marines Killed and Twenty Woundded when Orders to Sieze Custom House are Carried Out. Mexicans Lose 200. Tampico May be Taken Next.
Vera Cruz, Mex., April 21.-Vera American consulate is strongly paCruz tonight is in the hands of trolled and detachments hold other
orces from the United States war- sections of the city forces from the United States war- sections of the city.
ships, but the occupation of the port

The Mexican commander, General was not accomplished without loss Gustavo Mass, offered a stubborn | of American lives. | resistance to the American advance |
| :--- | :--- | Four Americans, bluejackets and and for many hours there was fightmarines, were killed by the fire of ing in the streets. Toward nightthe Mexican soldiers and twenty fell fall it was reported that the main wounded. The Mexican loss is not body of the Federal garrison was in ave retreat to the west ward. The water front, the customs- at 10 o'clock tonight, Rear Admiral The water front, the customs- at 10 oclock tonight, Rear Admiral

and cluding those under the terminal commander that he would use the works, from which extended the big guns of the American fleet if
hailroads to the capital, have been not stop firing. The
American forces had orders to fire cupied. All territory around the only to defend themselves. NTIRE CITY OF VERA CRUZ NOW OCCUPIED at of war state that the entire terms. Seven battleships are now U. S soldiers and marinestured at Vera Cruz ready for action. It king of Tampico will be the next Uncle Sam is ready if it comes. Ladies: We are prepared to show Geo. McElroy, candidate for sheras nice Dress Goods as you can find if iand tax collector was down from
in any large city.
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WHAT ANGERED MRS. WILBUR

He law on shooing plover in texas

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required in cooking and
toasting these thin bits of corn so that every one of the millions of crinkly Takes has the delicious
Toasties taste that invites one to call for more
Post Toasties come Paled packages - fre Ready to eat with cre r good milk, and a
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## One-Tenth of One Per Cent

At a special session of the Com-
missioners' Court last Monday the missioners' Court last Monday the
court cut County Treasurer A. B. Williamson's commissions to on mill or one-thousandth of a dollar for receiving and disbursing county funds, and further ordered that h be allowed no commissions for money borrowed for the Kerrville road precinct. It is understood that ther
has been a controversy between the has been a controversy between the
court and Mr. Williamson growing out of an agreement to waive commissions arising out of the 840,000 bond issue voted by the Kerrville precinct. The bonds have not been sold, but the court authorized the
Commissioner of the Kerville pre Commissioner of the Kerrville pre-
cinct to borrow several thousand dollars to be paid out by him in
road work and the loan to be repaid out of the proceeds of the bond when sold. The money was bor-
rowed and has been disbursed, and rowed and has been disbursed, an
the court's order forbids the pay ment of any commissions to the The law fixes the treasurer' receiving and 21.2 per cent for disbursing county funds unless otherwise fixed by the court. The law as well as the oath and bond of the treasurer make him the custodian of county funds, and he is made re-
sponsible for the funds and required sponsible for the funds and required
to keep correct aceounts of all reto keep correct accounts of all re
ceipts and disbursements, make detailed reports, etc. While the court is given the power to fix the commissions the law evidently contemplates reasonable commissions and
certainly never intended to certainly never intended to confer
authority to require the laborious authority to require the laborious
and responsible duties of the office and responsible duties of the office
to be performed for nothing. Mr. Williamson is concededly a faithful and efficient officer, and is not a creature of the epurt, but has been elected three times by the votes of the county. He is entitled to reas onable compensation, if any at all,
for performing the duties of his for performing the duties of his other authority can legally deprive a person of his commissions, salary
or wages that he has already earned In another column under the head of the Commissioners' Court pro ceedings we publish the order of the court which gives no reason for
putting the treasurer under the putting the treasurer und
court's ban.
Judge Garrett for Congress
Hon. Daniel E. Garrett of Houston has announced for re-electio
for Congressman-at-large, there be ing two to be elected. Judge Garrett was the Democratic nominee at the last election and was elected by
an overwhelming majority. He was an overwhelming majority. He was
for President Wilson's nomination
and has stood and has stood unqualifiedly by' the
President in Congress. He supportPresident in Congress. He support-
ed the tariff and income tax and ed the tariff and income tax and
currency law, and is a thorough progressive Democrat. He favors a rural credit or banking law so that farmers can obtain loans to improve their farms at lewer rates of inter est, and while not considering prohibition a party question, he has
always supported prohibition, and says with regard to the saloon: " regard the saloon as the one great school and the State, and my opinion is it has no proper place in our civ ilization." Having proved true th progressive Demoeracy the Demccrats of Texas will no doubt give Judge Garrett a second term. He i brilliant campaigner.
x-Senator Marshall Hicks of San Ex-Senator Marshall Hicks of San Antonio, Judge Gordon Boone © Wells of Brownsville, though not fayoring prohibition, sre among th strongest supporters of Thomas H Bail for Governor,

## Community Co:Operation

In nearly every community there sive merchant learned, quite by are men and women who go or cident, that her purchasing, list
send to the larger cities for many of cluding a certain standard make their purchases, believing that they kitchen cabinet and a well-know
can "do better" in the stores of the refrigerator. Both articles he kep can "do better" in the stores of the refrigerator. Eoth articles he kept
cities than at home.
in stock and, as he explained to Mr.
These people These people are usually not mali-
ious barriers to growth and pment of the communities in which freigh they live. Nevertheless they retard Her visit rather than assist the progress of chase of these two articles resild he entire locality.
In a certain small Southwestern Irs. A., had just completed a ver
In handsome home and had signified a intention of purchasing her furniture
in a distant city. A local furniture dealer was very rder, but to no avail-Mrs. A.
mply thought she wanted better goods than could be had in his store although she had not inspected his $\begin{aligned} & \text { although } \\ & \text { stock. } \\ & \text { A few }\end{aligned}$
A few days prior to the date of
he contemplated trip this progres-
Ex-State Senator J. J. Faulk o thens is a candidate for Judge ceed Judge W. L. Davidson. Judge Faulk has as strong endorsement from those who know him personally
as any candidate can produce. He as any candidate can produce. He
served his distriet ably as distriet served his distriet ably as distrie
attorney and senator, and has had attorney and senator, and has had Austin. Among many endorse ments, Hon. Cone Johnson has thi osay of him: "He is a dilligen tudent and eminently qualified for he position; his record as a public fificial and his active interest in ablic questions, have disclose
the firm adherence on his par
$\qquad$ overnment, and he is the type
hould elevate to their highest
positions."
Capt. Richard P Hob
Capt. Richard P. Hobson: "When you kill the monster liguor traffic
gou give the next generation chance to grow up sober. You may to drink. Only the liquor dealer ant the boys to be debaucher.
Good men whether they drink There is with us on this issue." quor traffic but the love of money and as St. Paul said, "the love money is the root of all evil.'
Forty-one million people in the
United States now live in prohibition United States now live in prohibitio
communities, and the noble colum is marching forward, never back

## Germans to Entertain.

German entertainment will be siven by the co-operation of fore most Germans of this town. Mis
Clara Herzog will render a selection lara Herzog will render a selection
olassie songs; Miss Hilda Real will give a piano solo, the Concordia Singing Club will sing several Ger man social songs and Be Schleife will deliver a speech in which h will compare European and Ameritainment will take place at Pampell Hall, Saturday, May 9 th, at $80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
m . Admission 50 cents. Proceeds will be given building fund of the New Lathera church.

## George McElroy for Sherif <br> In the proper column in this issue

 the Advance will be found the or the office of Sheriff and Tax Cllector of Kerr County. Mr. Mc Elroy is a Kerr County boy born and raised, being a son of Steve McElroyof Center Point, and is 29 years of se-plenty old is 29 years of age-plenty
good sheriff. Cec because he wants the office and and will aplan satisfactorially fill it ation of his candidacy.
in stock and, as he explained to Mr A, his prices were the same as else ere, a. in her buying practically the entic bill, amounting to over a thous dollars. She found the class goods desired and prices were rig
The fact that this mech The fact that this merchant han
dled two "Trademarked-Advertised" artieles enabled him to secure a
large sale that he would otherwis

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| way of prices and service. |
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| KERRVILLE |
| Is the county seat of Kerr |


| KERRVILLE <br> Is the county seat of Kerr County, has a population of about 250, is Antonio, and is the terminus of railroad. <br> It has two daily trains |
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and Hacks Just Arrived at the biggest buggy house IN KERRVILLE

I I have no time to talk; I am too busy selling buggies.
I. I have on display a car of the latest up-to-date Buggies, Hacks and Surreys. Come in and see them.
I. Now is the time to buy before they are picked over.

I I sell more buggies because I give better buggies for the money. I have on my floor the Henney, the Freeport, the Velie and Hercules Buggies.

## J. E. PALMER

## Lowry Building, Kerrville, Texas

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To be held at Center Point, Texa
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Killough.

First Baptist Church




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Mad at Paint


| of mer waited last year for that; but they didn't recon; they got mad; |  | OFFICIAL Direc |
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| irig is no time to get mad and not ;paint. <br> Besides, it costs more to get mad |  | uary and Fourth Monday in |
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| Besides, it costs more to get mad and wait than to paint. <br> Getting mad doesn't do any good |  | Mects for Probate Dusiness on FirstMonday, in February, Apill June.,Angust, Octobe and Decmber,Lee, Wallace, Juige. |
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| to your property; paint does it good by keeping-out water; no rot; no | Latberan Charch | COMMISBIONERS' CGOUT Mieets second Monday's in Feb. ruary, May, August and Norember, |
| paint, some water and rot; and a little rot is more than enough to |  | COUNTYOFFICERS |
| make a man liberal towards his painter and paint. |  |  |
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| Paint costs not a cent. All the paint in the world, so long as it keeps-out water, costs not a cent |  |  |
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| keeps-out water, costs not a cent. |  |  |
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| es, furnished or unfurnished. |  |  |
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Local Notes


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Mrra. Geo. Freeman and daughter Mise Totsy, of Walline Creek are
spending the week visiting Mre


County in the orsanization of the


1 have installed a new harness
machine and ather new tools and
am prepared to do all kinds


Mrs. O. T. Anderson and son Marshal of the San Antonio district Morriss Hannis, of Olney arrived in was in Kerville on busineess betweet
Kerrvilfe last Saturday for a visit train Kerrvine last Saturday for a visit
to Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and

Our bix drese goods department Mise Ethel Hardeastle visited in
is the talk among the ladies Conee
we'll be glad to show you at





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Soda Fountain


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DAUGHTER'S RESCUE

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