

# THE KERRVILLE ADVANCE

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**Japonica Jottings.**

From Regular Correspondent.

Mr. Ed Joy and A. E. Davis made a business trip to Mr. Joy's ranch on the divide last week.

Miss Josie Lumpkin and brother, Everett, visited home folks on the Medina Saturday and Sunday.

Quite a number of people went from here to Ingram Saturday night attend the Baptist supper.

Our school is progressing nicely and every one seems pleased with the teacher. We have about 60 pupils in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bass have moved to Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Conn visited Mrs. Conn's sister, Mrs. Wedekin, at Harper last week.

Quite a few young people enjoyed themselves at a party at the beautiful home of Mrs. Strobel Saturday night.

Little Elvin and Ruby Snowden of Richland, Cal., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Cannon of this place.

Mr. Jim Mangum who has been living on A. E. Davis farm for the past year is moving to Ingram.

Mr. Chris Wachter of Bastrop has moved to this community for the benefit of their health.

I have a party who wants from 100 to 300 acres river front with about 40 or 50 acres in cultivation. If you have anything of this description not over five miles from Kerrville see me at once.

Gilbert C. Storms,  
Kerrville, Texas.

**Baptist Ladies' Aid.**

The Ladies Aid and Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church held their quarterly "Dollar Day" meeting with Mrs. L. W. McCoy, Tuesday Nov. 3.

There were 19 members and one visitor present. After the usual business was disposed of an interesting program was rendered.

The select reading by Mrs. Newman was much enjoyed by all.

There was \$27.00 received and many witty rhymes telling how the dollar was earned. The hostess served refreshments and a pleasant social hour spent. Next meeting will be in the church basement.

**Automobile Wreck**

A serious automobile wreck occurred about 12 o'clock last Thursday night when Curley Insall, Charley Baker and young Mr. Kuykendall were riding in Insall's car, and was completely turned over in the middle of the street directly in front of the Citizen's Lumber Co. office. Charley Baker was caught under the car and seriously injured but the other two escaped with scarcely a scratch. It is thought Charley will soon recover.

Dress goods of every description, new patterns in silks, woolen and cotton goods, at prices so low that this department of our store is the talk of the town. Better come and see at H. Noll Stock Co. The big dress goods Store.

**Public School Honor Roll.**

First Grade—Bennie Smith, Sallie Robbins, Gladys Peterson, Annie Saenger, Eunice Smith, Lois Fawcett Luckey Leavells, Robt. Raaz, Eldred Greer.

Second Grade—Margaret Everhart, Egerton Robb, Lucile McCoy, Annabell Council, Roy Leazer, Ida Dell Hamilton, Thelma Kelley, Dora Saenger, Alice Moore, Leon Wilson, Dovie Kirkland, Milton Hanson, Gladys Speights, Arthur Dietert, Floyd Vanhooser.

Third Grade—Velma Spence, Ona Elam, Eloise Terry, Arra B. Province, Willie R. Jay, Leslie Hanson, Conway Word, Reiffert Noll.

Fourth Grade—Ruby Christian, Robert Hagens, Charley Horne, Clara Kuykendall, Marshall Leazar, Frank Lowery, Ella Mae McRae, John Saucier, Eva Staudt, Horace Tarver, William H. Rawson, Virginia Crawford.

Fifth Grade Sec. 2.—Raymond Fisk, Annie Enderle, Minnie Dietert, Reuben Clapp.

Fifth Grade Sec. 2.—Marguerite Henke, Bonnie Lee Wells, Catherine Bagwell, Lois Spence, Pauline Kirkland, Lucy Word, Una-Fay Terry.

Fifth Grade Sec. 1.—Mary Holdsworth, Joe Peterson, Louis Wilson, Guy Rees, Bruce Magee, Charley Sherman, Pam Grinstead, Street Hamilton.

Sixth Grade—S. B. Ford, Jessie Riddle, Mildred Saucier, Emmie McRae, Gilmer Morris, Clarence Mittank, Dorris Peterson, Lydia Raaz, Johp Hamlyn, Clifton Lowry, Hulda Mosel, Ida May Utterback, Lillian Benson.

Seventh Grade—Alois Remschel, Helena-Brown, W. C. Fawcett, Mary Davidson, Norma Paneratz, Ernest Beckman, Charley Mae Northcraft, Cora Kirkland, Ruby Hicks, Myrtle Kotzebue, Mary Lewis, Marie Worden, Erwynne Spence, Hugo Real, Ferdinand Schulze, Gordon Robb.

Eighth Grade—Milton Gold, Laura Henke, Mamie Heiman, Reuben Province, Katherine King.

Ninth Grade—Bonnie Hicks, Lillian Sutton.

Tenth Grade—Eugene Everhart.

**ELECTION RETURNS**

**Judge Garrett, A. B. Williamson and Jack Moore are Winners in Contested Races**

The election passed off quietly in Kerrville, so much so that it was remarkable when it is considered four or five hundred men were on the streets during the day. Considerable anxiety was exhibited over the county attorney's race but most of the excitement was over the contest between Bony Williamson and Ally Beitel for county treasurer. This contest became so hot that betting in sums of hundreds of dollars was engaged in by friends of these aspirants. The vote on the contested offices was as follows:

**KERRVILLE**

Garrett 248	J. Moore 819
A. Moore 140	McElroy 67
Williamson 203	
Beitel 191	

**CENTER POINT**

Garrett 87	J. Moore 71
A. Moore 60	McElroy 71
Williamson 134	
Beitel 14	

**TURTLE CREEK**

Garrett 4	J. Moore 16
A. Moore 23	McElroy 12
Williamson 16	
Beitel 12	

**WITT BOX**

Garrett 14	J. Moore 32
A. Moore 26	McElroy 8
Williamson 5	
Beitel 35	

**INGRAM**

Garrett 22	J. Moore 54
A. Moore 75	McElroy 40
Williamson 90	
Beitel 9	

**SUNSET**

Garrett 25	J. Moore 37
A. Moore 18	McElroy 7
Williamson 20	
Beitel 23	

**LIVE OAK**

Garrett 31	J. Moore 35
A. Moore 9	McElroy 5
Williamson 7	
Beitel 31	

**CYPRESS BOX**

Garrett 29	J. Moore 47
A. Moore 23	McElroy 5
Williamson 9	
Beitel 43	

**WHARTON BOX**

Garrett 3	J. Moore 7
A. Moore 12	McElroy 4
Williamson 11	
Beitel 7	

**GRAPE CREEK**

Garrett 3	J. Moore 23
A. Moore 23	McElroy 3
Williamson 23	
Beitel 3	

**PEBBLE**

Garrett 2	J. Moore 19
A. Moore 17	McElroy 2
Williamson 19	
Beitel 2	

**TOTALS AND MAJORITIES**

W. G. Garrett	468	Majority 42
A. H. Moore	426	
J. T. Moore	660	Majority 437
Geo. McElroy	223	
A. B. Williamson	537	Majority 167
Ally Beitel	370	

Lee Wallace for judge, John R. Leavell for clerk, W. G. Peterson for assessor, A. L. Starkey for surveyor, E. H. Turner for justice of the peace, and Hy. Staudt for constable were all re-elected without opposition.

**COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

In Pre. No. 1 Fritz Karger was elected over Geo. Williams by a majority of 59.

Jas. Crotty was elected in Pre. 2, without opposition.

Pre. No. 3, H. Wiedenfeld re-elected without opposition.

Pre. No. 4, J. C. Sing elected over Joe Denton by a majority of 11.

In Center Point J. M. Hamby was elected Justice of the Peace over W. P. Cowden by 15 majority.

**IN BANDERA COUNTY**

Fletcher re-elected clerk by 346. Smith re-elected sheriff by 191. Chisum re-elected assessor by 135. Arton Pyka elected Com. Pre. 1. Bruce re-elected at Medina. Rob Buck elected at Pipe Creek. Polvado elected on the Sabinal. The other county officers were elected without opposition.

**Center Point Letter.**

(Regular Correspondence)

Rev. R. E. Duke and family left for Marble Falls Monday.

Asa Lane and family returned to their home in San Antonio after an extended visit to relatives.

C. E. Painter and family moved to Kerrville last week.

Last Friday night the B. Y. P. U. were entertained at Mrs. Gene Cox. There was a big crowd present and all enjoyed themselves.

Walter Coleman and wife from Kerrville visited in Center Point Saturday.

Rev. Obar and family of Poteet are visiting Mrs. Obar's parents Mr. and Mrs. Darby.

The Ladies of the Methodist church served dinner at the Avenue Hotel on election day. They report a fine patronage.

Election day passed off very quietly and with exception of the Treasurers race no interest was taken. Williamson received 134 Votes and Beitel 14. For Justice of the Peace Hamby got 54 and Cowden 39. Levi Surber was re-elected for Constable.

Lucas Cook returned from an extended visit to San Antonio.

Will Leigh and Virgil Storms were Kerrville visitors Saturday night.

A. C. Bryan returned from Mississippi Saturday.

We call for and deliver.  
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**Methodist Church Notes**

Rev. S. C. Dunn, the new Methodist pastor, and his family arrived last Friday from Pleasanton and Bro. Dunn preached his first sermon to his new congregation Sunday morning. A large congregation greeted him and his stirring sermon was received with many words of praise and approval. He is an able and eloquent speaker and full of religious zeal and enthusiasm, a mighty good combination in the makeup of a preacher. We join the people of Kerrville in extending to Bro. Dunn and family a glad welcome to our city and as citizens of Kerr county.

**Rauch-Srackbein**

Miss Minnie Rauch and Mr. Albert Srackbein were united in marriage last Sunday at the home of the bride Rev. B. Schleifer performing the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Rauch and is well known among the Germans of this town.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Srackbein of Fredericksburg and is a resident of Harper. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Srackbein will reside at Harper on the farm and the home which the bridegroom has prepared for his bride.

T. C. Johnston returned last week from a three months visit to his father and other relatives in Scotland.



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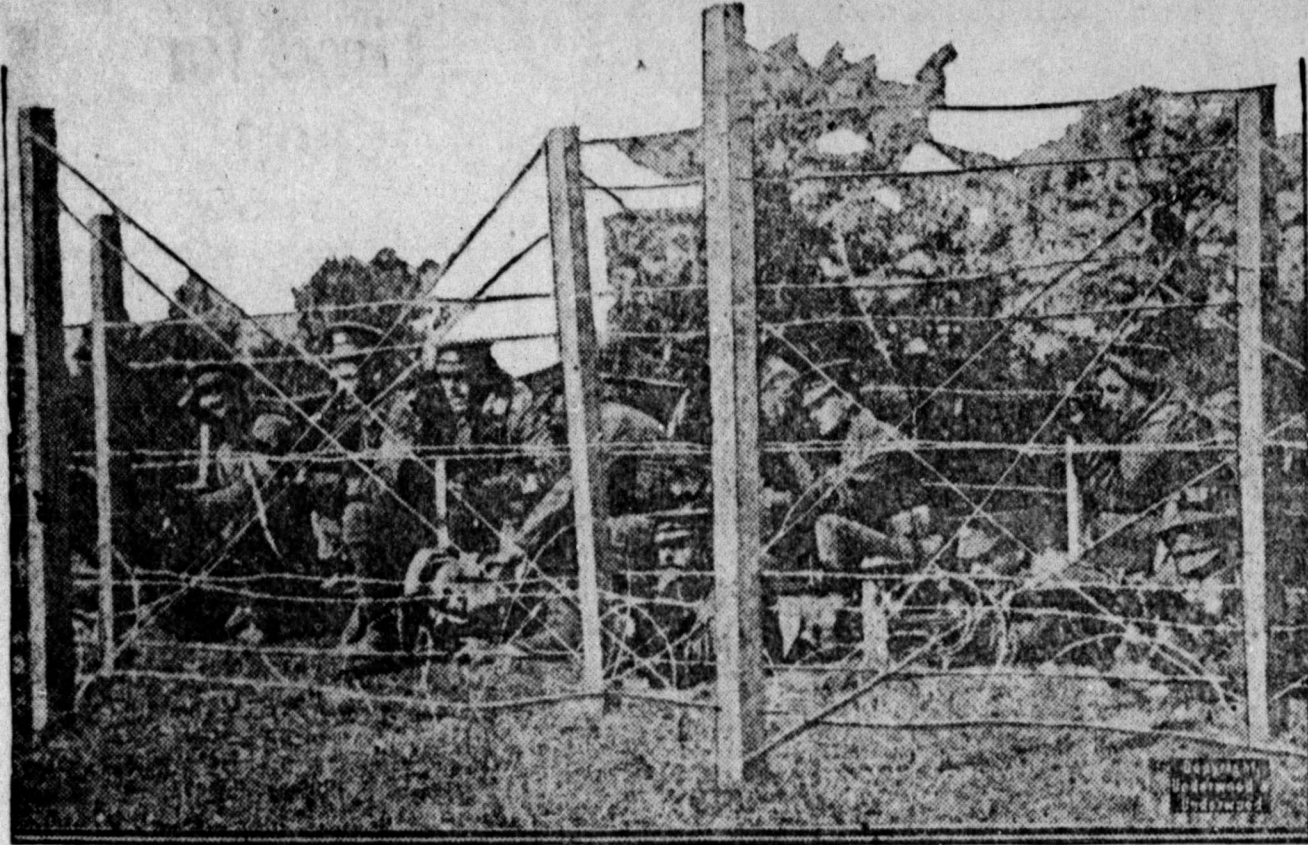
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TURKEY SIDES WITH GERMANY AGAINST THE ALLIED POWERS

Balkan States So Vitally Concerned That New Alignment Is Expected--Struggle Continues In France and Belgium--Russians Victorious

Summary of News to Date.

Turkey, allied with the Teutons, is now at war with Great Britain, France and Russia, and the world is watching intently the Balkans, where the smoke of their own warfare has scarcely been dissipated, in anticipation of states there aligning themselves with one or the other of the contending factions.

Turkey claims that Russia, by firing on her ships while they were maneuvering in the Black Sea, opened the hostilities between the two countries. Russia, however, denies this statement.

In the zone of warfare in Belgium and France fierce encounters continue at various points. While the French say there is nothing to report on the north end of the line in Belgium, except that all the fierce attacks of the Germans have been repulsed, the Germans report progress toward their objective--Calais. They also say they have taken a number of prisoners.

The Belgians say they have defeated the Germans on the railroad between Nieupoort and Dixmude. A battle is raging in the forest of Argonne and engagements continue near the eastern end of the line around the fortresses of Verdun and Toul.

The Russians claim victories on the East Prussian front and along the entire line beyond the Vistula. The Austrians, however, say they have gained a complete victory over the Russians in Galicia.

The storming of the German stronghold at Tieling Tau continues.

The Petrograd correspondent of the Reuter Telegram Company says that an ukase issued in the Russian capital orders the flotation of an internal loan of \$150,000,000 at 5 per cent.

Great Britain has ordered that all enemy rescivants on neutral ships shall be made prisoners of war.

Berlin says thus far 4,700,000,000 marks (\$1,175,000,000) of the war loan have been paid up. This is 78 per cent of the total amount of the loan and 700,000,000 more than was necessary for the first two terms of payment.

There is a ministerial crisis at Rome, where one of the ministers, Signor Rubini, has resigned, and Premier Salandra is faced with the possibility of having to form a new ministry. The crisis has been brought about by the question which has arisen over what part Italy is to take in the European war.

Having rested and with fresh reinforcements to their support, the German troops in Belgium and in the north of France are renewing their efforts to reach the much-desired ports on the English channel. Not only here, but in the Aronne region and the Woivre district the fighting has been of the fiercest character. It is said the thundering of the guns of the British warships off Ostend can be heard on the English coast.

The withdrawal in Poland is before reinforcements in the Russian lines advancing from Ivangorod, Warsaw and Novogorodievsk. On the Nieupoort-Dixmude front in Belgium, where for days the allies have vigorously disputed every inch of ground the Germans have endeavored to attain in order to reach the objective--Calais--the offensive of the Germans is said by the French to be moderating. The French claim to have made slight gains between La Basse and Lens. Elsewhere along the line in Belgium there were no operations worthy of mention.

In all these engagements the dead and wounded are multiplying, but there are thousands to take their places. The transportation of the wounded into the zone of safety, where they can receive proper attention, is proving a problem that has not yet been solved. Hospitals and surgeons are inadequate for the care of those who have fallen. While the larger ships of the German navy remain under the protection of their harbors, the submarines continue to show activity and another British cruiser, the Hermes, has been sunk in the Straits of Dover. Most of her officers and men were saved.

Because of the attack on her coast towns on the Black Sea by Turkish warships, Russia has instructed her ambassador at Constantinople to announce to the sublime porte the severance of diplomatic relations and his prospective departure from Constantinople. According to messages reaching Washington from the Turkish capital, war has been officially declared between Turkey and Russia, but this is hardly to be considered likely, as both Russia and Great Britain have demanded an explanation from the porte of Turkey's action and are awaiting a reply.

A report from Constantinople says the ambassadors of Russia, Great Britain and France have received their passports. The Russian and British ambassadors left Sunday night and the French ambassador Monday.

It is officially announced at Bordeaux that the French, British and Russian ambassadors to Turkey asked for their passports and left Constantinople. The American ambassador, Henry Morgenthau, has taken charge of the French interests in Turkey.

Ever since the war began the attitude of Turkey has been the subject of doubt. It has been reported a number of times that Turkey was on the verge of joining forces with Germany; it was even said that Germany had supplied the Ottoman government with large sums of money. Great Britain warned Turkey to keep off and recent advices from Constantinople indicated that Turkey intended to maintain her neutrality.

Now comes word that a Turkish cruiser has bombarded the Russian seaport of Theodosia in Crimea and that another Turkish cruiser has threatened the seaport of Novorossiysk on the Black Sea.

Under stress of pursuit by British warships the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau early in the war took refuge at Constantinople. They were purchased by Turkey, but the German officers and crews were retained. Later they sailed forth and a warning was issued by Russia that should the Russian warships meet these two cruisers they would open fire.

The former German warships have proved a cause of irritation throughout the last few weeks to the allies and Great Britain asked the Ottoman government to remove the Germans from the vessels, but Turkey replied that this was a domestic question.

Meanwhile Turkey has been under surveillance by the allies. Her action in the present attack on the Russian seaports has not been explained, but it is possible that her injection into the war may bring to arms some of the Balkan states which have up to the present remained quiescent.

German Submarine Sinks Ship. London.—The enterprise of German submarines which have been lurking along the French coast on the Straits of Dover seeking to get a shot at British ships engaged in bombarding the German positions in Belgium was rewarded Saturday when one of them attacked and sank the light cruiser Hermes as she was returning from Dunkirk. The greater part of the crew was rescued.

The Hermes was a comparatively old vessel, and from a naval viewpoint was of no great value, but the fact that she was attacked so near home indicates that the German submarines must have a base somewhere on that part of the Belgian coast from which they can menace ships of the allies passing between England and France. Only a few days ago one of them sank the French steamer Amiral Ganteaume, which was carrying refugees from Calais.

Rockefeller to Aid Hungry Europeans. New York.—The Rockefeller Foundation has determined to employ its immense resources for the relief of noncombatants in the countries afflicted by the war. It stands ready to give "millions of dollars, if necessary." This was announced Sunday by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., president of the foundation.

In pursuance of this philanthropy the foundation will send a commission to Europe in a few days to report first hand as to how, when and where aid can be rendered most effectively. At a cost of \$275,000 it already has chartered a ship and loaded it with 4,000 tons of provisions for the relief of the starving Belgians.

Turkish Cruiser Demands Town. Theodosia, Crimea (via Petrograd). From 9:30 o'clock to 10:20 Thursday morning a Turkish cruiser with three funnels bombarded the station and city, damaging the cathedral, the Greek church, a pier and some sheds. One soldier was wounded. A branch of the Russian Bank of Commerce caught fire. At the conclusion of the bombardment the cruiser left in a southwesterly direction.

Novorossiysk, Caucasus (via Petrograd).—The Turkish cruiser Hamidieh, which arrived here Thursday, demanded the surrender of the city and the government properties, threatening in case of refusal to bombard the town. The Turkish consul and officials were arrested. The cruiser withdrew.

Theodosia (formerly Kappa) is a Russian seaport on the southeast coast of Crimea, about 100 miles northeast of Sebastopol, by which it is connected by rail.

Novorossiysk is on the northeast coast of the Black Sea. It is almost directly opposite Theodosia at a distance of about 120 miles.

Belgians Perform Dangerous Feat. Officers who have returned from the front describe a dangerous task performed by the native troops during the night along the Belgian coast: They surprised and destroyed a German ammunition park, thus putting out of action several German batteries which had caused great annoyance to the allies who could not get within reach of them with their artillery.

In absolute darkness several natives crept up stealthily and killed the German sentries. They then set fire to a thicket where the ammunition wagons were sheltered, causing all the shells to explode.

London.—The news received from the western battle lines Friday indicates that the Germans' desperate attempt to gain Calais and command the English channel has failed for the present. The flooding of the valley of the Yser canal, together with the work of the British warships and of the Belgian army along the coast, are reported to have compelled the Germans to withdraw somewhat, while the British and French are said to have been able to advance against the line further into the interior. Many Germans were drowned.

VILLA MAY BE CHIEF OF ARMY IN MEXICO

AGUASCALIENTES CONFERENCE ACCEPTS CARRANZA'S RESIGNATION UNCONDITIONALLY.

BELGIAN HANDED PASSPORTS

Paul May, Belgian Minister to Mexico, Was Handed His Passports—Mexicans Prepare for More Fighting—Other Mexican News.

City of Mexico.—A dispatch received at Mexico City Monday from Aguascalientes says the delegates to the conference in voting on the resignations of Generals Villa and Carranza accept that of Carranza unconditionally and that of Villa, so as to mean his retirement from command of the northern division alone.

It was agreed to abolish all military divisions and to place all the troops of the nation under command of a secretary of war, to be named by the convention. The dispatch says Villa is to be given this position. The convention will now proceed to make a provisional president to succeed Carranza.

General Carranza, accompanied by the foreign minister, the war minister and his private secretary and also by the president of the National Railways and numerous generals, left Sunday on board a special train. The foreign minister says the trip was only for a day's outing. Newspaper men were not permitted to accompany the party.

The foreign minister said that the action of the Aguascalientes convention would in no way affect the status of General Carranza, who would continue to act as supreme commander until General Villa and Zapata left the country.

El Paso, Tex.—General Carranza, as head of the constitutionalist government, and General Villa, commander of the division of the north, were eliminated from power by a decree adopted Friday at the Carranza-Villa-Zapata peace conference at Aguascalientes.

Vera Cruz.—The discovery that active recruiting for the Mexican army is going on in different parts of Vera Cruz is interesting in army circles. Already a considerable number of men have been sent out to join the rurales organizations, reporting to Candido Aguilar.

Mexicans who have been inside Aguilar's lines are responsible for the statement that the soldiers are convinced they will receive orders soon to attack the Americans unless the latter are withdrawn.

The interoceanic train from the capital was fired on Friday night. No one was injured.

City of Mexico.—Paul May, Belgian minister to Mexico, was handed his passports Friday by Minister of Foreign Affairs Fabella. Mr. Fabella declared he was compelled to take this course because of certain aggressive and disrespectful notes directed to the Mexican government by the Belgian representative.

Aguascalientes, Mex.—A coalition of the delegates representing General Villa and General Zapata practically ruled Thursday's session of the Mexican national convention after the stormiest and most exciting meeting the assembly had witnessed. For a time it threatened to break into a riot.

The convention for several minutes was in confusion. The delegates reached for their revolvers, but finally yielded to the calming speeches of their colleagues.

The outburst occurred shortly after the arrival of twenty-six representatives of General Zapata. It developed that they came not as authorized delegates, but to learn the view of the convention before telegraphing for credentials. They were accorded seats on the platform amid cheers.

Paulino Martinez described the ideals of the plan of Ayala, the platform of the Zapata movement, informing the convention in forcible tones that if it was not accepted by the convention Zapata's army would continue to fight. He was given an ovation, which was the first indication that the convention believed in the plan of Ayala, which declares for an immediate division of the big landed estates in Mexico.

Antonio Soto y Gama, who spoke next for the Zapatistas, precipitated a climax which threatened to disrupt the convention. The first part of his speech, full of flowery phrases, was applauded, but one of his metaphors miscarried. He had compared the Mexican flag to a rag and was not permitted to finish his figure of speech. Indignant delegates rose to their feet with menacing gestures. The Mexican flag on the platform was borne away by angry delegates from the place where the orator stood, and the convention was soon in an uproar.

Some of the delegates, with hands on their pistols, yelled at each other in a fury. Antonio Villareal, chairman, pounded in vain for order. Out of the boxes and galleries crowds of spectators started in a panic for the doors, hoping to escape before shooting began. Generals Obregon and Hay and other prominent delegates, however, rushed to the platform and, obtaining order.

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RESINOL WILL SURELY STOP THAT ITCHING. What blessed relief! The moment resinol ointment touches itching skin, the itching stops and healing begins. That is why doctors have prescribed it successfully for nineteen years in even the severest, stubbornest cases of eczema, tetter, ringworm, rashes and other tormenting, unsightly eruptions. With the help of warm baths with resinol soap, resinol ointment restores the skin or scalp to perfect health and comfort, quickly, easily and at little cost. At all druggists.—Adv. Getting Even. Friend (to returned traveler)—I suppose you had some thrilling experiences over in Europe. Traveler—Yes, I was arrested as a spy, and who do you suppose was my captor—a waiter I once refused a tip to over here. He recognized me and I barely escaped with my life. —Take CAPUDINE— For HEADACHES and GRIPPE. It's Liquid—Prompt and Pleasant.—Adv. No, Cordelia, a prudent girl isn't necessarily a prude. Dyspepsia and pessimism have a lot in common.

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**Williamson Won**

In Tuesday's county election the hottest contest was for county treasurer. A. B. Williamson, known affectionately all over the county as "Bona," was re-elected treasurer by a large majority over Ally Beitel of the Beitel Lumber Co., who was backed by the biggest combination of wealth and influence that ever existed in Kerr county, but the combination could not withstand the independent thought and voice of the people. Mr. Williamson's offense was that he insisted on discharging the duties of his office rather than have them performed for him by other authority, and he was backed by the law and the opinion of our district attorney. Hereafter all funds belonging to Kerr county or any precinct of Kerr county will be deposited by the treasurer and disbursed as provided by law. The new Commissioners' Court and Mr. Williamson will no doubt amicably adjust the matter of the treasurer's commissions on a basis of justice and equity.

The vote shows the confidence of the people in Mr. Williamson's personal and official integrity. We congratulate him upon his splendid and deserved victory, and feel sure that he will, as he has done in the past, faithfully, efficiently and impartially discharge the duties of his office. And now the people have spoken it is hoped that all bitterness will be lost in a feeling of good will, and all hands join for the greater prosperity of our splendid and growing county.

Gambling on elections is a crime against the laws of our State just the same as poker playing, crap shooting or betting on horse racing. However, it has been said if all who bet on the election in Kerrville Tuesday were to be arrested there would not be enough left to get a jury to try them. But it was hardly that bad, we think.

The liquor dealers out of the State are flooding the country with offers to sell their goods, and some of them are doing this in dry territory, and some newspapers are advertising liquor for sale in dry counties. This is done on the ground that the Court of Criminal Appeals has decided that liquor can be shipped from outside States into a dry county for personal use. But now comes our efficient Attorney General

who says such solicitations and advertising is a criminal offense under the laws of Texas and subjects the criminal to a term in the penitentiary. The liquor men are ever ready to take advantage of every chance to sell their poison; but they are a little shy of the penitentiary.

**Religious Notice**

The Holy Communion will be celebrated at St. Peter's Episcopal church next Sunday morning, owing to Bishop Johnston's absence. The subject of the address will be, How I Became a Christian and why I Continue to be one.

In the afternoon at 4 o'clock there will be a service at which the sacrament of baptism will be administered and an address be delivered on some important doctrines of the Christian church as taught by ecclesiastical architecture. These services and lectures will be continued during the winter during on afternoon of the first Sundays in each month.

The Ladies Guild will meet this afternoon at the Bishop's residence. It is hoped that all the women of the congregation will attend.

Laundry De Luxe agency at Adkins barber shop. Best service guaranteed. Hats cleaned and blocked. Basket goes every Tuesday.

C. L. Word, agent.

Our correspondents are urged to get their communications to us not later than Tuesday noon. We have so much matter coming in late that it necessitates leaving out some important matter sometimes which we very much regret. If your letters are written on Monday and mailed they will nearly always reach us in time. But if you can't get them in that early do the best you can to get us a letter each week, for we value our country correspondence very highly.

Baled corn tops, baled sorghum, baled oats, baled Johnson grass. Phone 186 Y. L. A. Mosty.

**FOR SALE**—Country store with about \$5000 stock of goods now doing a good business and one of the best propositions in the country. Only store in village and 15 miles from any other store. Good stock farming country and splendid class of people. If you haven't the cash, what have you to trade? Owner has other business and can't give it his attention. Apply to The Advance, Kerrville, Texas.

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is the best in Kerrville. Make it your headquarters while in the city. Good camphouse, plenty of stalls and water.

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4-room new residence on two nice lots near school building for sale at \$1100, \$350 cash and balance on small monthly payments. Call on the Advance man.

For Sale—40 acre farm 12 miles N. W. of Kerrville on the river, 30 acres in cultivation. Pecan grove and subject to irrigation. Price \$2500. Apply at this office.

For Sale—6-room house in Tivy addition, Kerrville. Place contains one and one-half acres, well, windmill and tank and irrigated garden. Will sell for \$1200. Apply at the Advance office.

I have 76 acres in Kerrville that will trade for farm or ranch property near here. There is 55 acres in cultivation, 1-4 mile river front, 7-room house, two wells and a cistern. What have you to offer?

See Gilbert C. Storms, Kerrville, Texas.

You might call around and see how you stand on our books.

**KERRVILLE**

Is the county seat of Kerr County, has a population of about 2500, is situated 70 miles northwesterly from San Antonio, and is the terminus of the Kerrville branch of the S. A. & A. P. railroad. It has two daily trains to and from San Antonio, and daily mail routes, carrying passengers in hacks, to Ingram, Junction, Rock Springs Harper and other places north and west of Kerrville, and also a daily line to Fredericksburg. From Kerrville to Fredericksburg is 25 miles; to Bandera and Medina City, 25 miles; to Junction 60 miles; Rocksprings 80 miles, Harper 21 miles.

Kerrville has electric lights and a splendid system of water works. The sum of \$20,000 is being spent on the streets and \$40,000 has been voted for road improvements in this precinct.

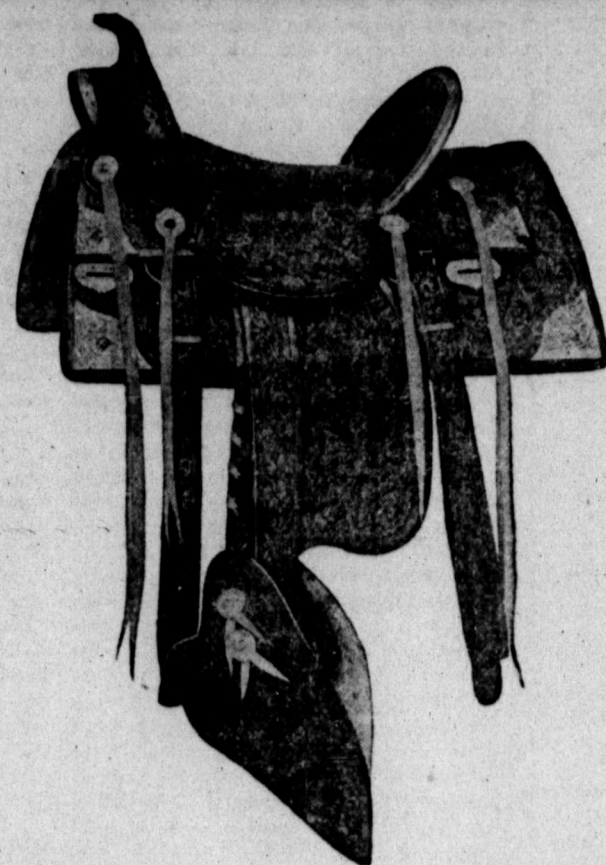
The elevation at Kerrville is 1250 feet. The Guadalupe river, which heads 30 miles north of Kerrville, runs through the city. On the east side where the city is located, there are high bluffs on the river, and on the west side is a fertile and beautiful valley, and mountains surround the city on the east and west. The Guadalupe valley is occupied by thrifty farmers and ranchmen, and the mountain regions, among which there is considerable valley, creek and arable land, there are large ranches of cattle, horses, sheep and goats, all of which do well in the Kerrville country. The land generally is well wooded, principally with live oak, Spanish oak and cedar, and the range is good, and water excellent.

Our farmers grow wheat, oats and all other small grain, cane and alfalfa, cotton and corn, and fruit and vegetables do well. Kerrville is one of the largest wool markets in the state, and large quantities of wool, mohair, cotton, oats, cattle, etc., are shipped from this point.

The climate of the Kerrville country is unsurpassed. The winters are short and generally mild and invigorating owing to the dryness of the climate and the prevalence of sunshine. The summers are cool and delightful, and the mountain air is pure and bracing. Game and fishing in the Guadalupe country, and fishing in the Guadalupe, especially north of Kerrville, is good. Kerrville and the adjoining towns are popular resorts for health and recreation.

The Kerrville Commercial Club, any of the different Realty Companies or any of our citizens, will be pleased to give prospective residents or visitors further information.

See the new goods at E. A. Wied.



I am now well stocked with Buggies, Hacks,

**Harness and Saddles**

I have in stock the very best brands of buggies such as the

**Henney, the Freeport, the Velie, the Hercules and Moon Buggies**

and can fit you up with anything you want in the buggy line. My prices are right and I will save you money if you see me before you buy.

**I am overstocked on Horse Collars**

and will put on a Special Sale on them from now until November 1st.

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Lowry Building, Kerrville, Texas

**FOR SALE**

303 acres one and one-fourth mile from Sherman's crossing on Guadalupe river, 12 miles from Kerrville by wagon road, 80 acres in cultivation, under hog proof fence. Two houses, one 9-room and the other 3 rooms. Plenty of water all seasons. Well, cistern and spring. About 40 pecan trees, 30 fruit trees. \$6500 one half cash, balance long time. P. O. Box 428, Kerrville, Texas

See our new goods, such as men's dress shirts, underwear, mens' and ladies' hose, mens' ties, etc. E. A. Wied.

For Rent—Two rooms for light house-keeping—one newly papered. See Gilbert C. Storms.

**S. A. & A. P. Time Table**

Daily No. 41	Daily No. 43	Daily No. 42	Daily No. 44
5 05 P. M.	8 10 A. M.	Lv. San Antonio Ar.	9 05 A. M. 6 55 P. M.
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6 56 "	10 07 "	" Waring "	7 10 " 5 14 "
7 15 "	10 25 "	" Comfort "	6 50 " 4 55 "
7 35 "	10 46 "	" Center Point "	6 30 " 4 35 "
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Every cent received by them from this community is a direct loss to our merchants—

In almost every case their prices can be met right here, without delay in receiving goods and the possibility of mistakes in filling orders.

**But—**

The natural human trait is to buy where goods are cheapest. Local pride is usually secondary in the game of life as played today.

**Therefore**

Mr. Merchant and Business Man, meet your competitors with their own weapons—advertising.

**Advertise!**

The local field is yours. All you need do is to avail yourself of the opportunities offered. An advertisement in this paper will carry your message into hundreds of homes in this community. It is the surest medium of telling your greatest competitor. A space this size won't cost much. Come in and see us about it.



**Boys!**

Do you want this dandy BICYCLE?

No Money Needed

This is not a Prize Contest. Every boy who fills out and mails the corner coupon can earn this high-grade Bicycle for very little effort during spare time. ASK "The Bicycle Man." Mail this coupon TO-DAY.

"The Bicycle Man"  
The McCall Co.  
236 W. 37th Street  
New York City  
Dear "Bicycle Man":  
Please tell me how to get one of your high-grade Bicycles, without money, and for very little effort.  
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Address \_\_\_\_\_

## Christmas Jewelry

Look for our name or initials on box or card; it is a guarantee of a square deal for money expended.

The gold on jewelry—like "Beauty"—may be only "skin deep," and a mighty thin skin at that.

You CAN not judge of the quality by the appearance.

You MUST take SOMEBODY'S word for it.

Not the biggest piece for your money, but the best in quality.

WE HAVE THE GOODS.

SELP'S JEWELRY and KODAK STORE

### Local Notes

R. S. Newman has moved his tailor shop from the Leavel building to the new Schreiner building.

Sewing wanted, especially for children. Apply to Mrs. Bert Means, Near Tivy High School.

T. H. Phillips and E. W. Miller of Lima were in town trading Friday.

Our specialty is cleaning, pressing and altering Ladies and Gents clothing. Jetton, The Tailor.

Wm. Green of Reservation was in town Friday and made the Advance a pleasant call.

Raincoats for Men, ladies, boys and school girls. Prices very cheap at H. Noll Stock Co.

Ernest Nichols and family are moving this week to Harper where Ernest has bought a barber shop.

I am ready for work in the new Schreiner building.

H. Noll Stock Co. was in town Friday on business.

Miss Clara Herzog left today for an extended visit to her uncle, Mr. Rudolph Dietert, of New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Walther entertained a few friends last evening in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Newell, of Boston, Mass.

R. L. Mayfield of Medina was trading in Kerrville Saturday.

Shoes, yes, we can shoe the whole family at prices that will make your pocket book smile. The big shoe store of H. Noll Stock Co.

Full blood bronze turkey gobblers for sale, apply to Mrs. W. F. Stimson, Center Point Texas.

My tailoring business was never better. Call on me at new Schreiner building. R. S. Newman.

Glema Hicks of Tarpley spent Thursday night in Kerrville. He brought over three wagon loads of wool and mohair and got top prices.

Sweaters, Overcoats, cloaks, rain coats, large stock, new goods, lowest prices at H. Noll Stock Co.

C. B. McCarty of Bandera came over last Saturday for his daughter, Miss Oudia, who had been at the Sanitarium for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Riggs are making quite an addition to their residence on Main street.

Strictly first class work turned out. Please or no pay. R. S. Newman. New Schreiner Building.

W. F. Stimson of Verde was in town Saturday. He says he wishes the fellow who got his bronze turkey gobbler would at least bring his bill home.

### A Card from Mr. Williamson

I wish to assure my friends of my heartfelt appreciation of their very generous support in Tuesday's election. Opposed by a strong organization and having no organization of my own, I feel the more pride in my re-election. It is a matter of sincere regret that I was not able to make a personal canvass of the county as my opponent did, for I believe if I could have done so and answered certain misleading statements my majority would have been still larger.

But the contest is over and with it has gone, so far as I am concerned, all feeling of personal bitterness or resentment, and I shall strive to deserve the good will of all by a personal and faithful discharge of my official duties, with courtesy and fairness to all, as I have done in the past.

A. B. WILLIAMSON.

G. W. Banta of Medina was in this city on business last Thursday.

The Rock Drug Store looks very inviting in it's new dress of white which has been applied to the interior and furnishings.

Remember all work guaranteed. Jetton, The Tailor.

A. J. Baker and family of Morris Ranch were taking advantage of the bargains offered by our merchants Saturday.

Miss Delta Fawcett and Mrs. Maggie Terry, sister and niece of Mr. W. A. Fawcett, are here from Johnson City on a visit to Mr. Fawcett and family.

We defy competition as to quality and lowest prices on Sweaters and Ladies, Misses and childrens cloaks. You'll lose money if you fail to inspect our beautiful new line at H. Noll Stock Co.

Mrs. Geo. P. Walker, Mrs. Dee Burney and Mrs. Fletcher Scott of Center Point were Kerrville visitors last Friday.

Elvius Hicks and Chas. McCurdy from their farms on Hicks Creek, Bandera County, brought wool to this market last Thursday and sold at good prices.

F. J. Rateau, a registered pharmacist from Louisiana, is a recent arrival in Kerrville and has accepted a position with the Kerrville Drug Co. His family is expected to arrive this week.

J. W. Owens of Center Point was in town Saturday on his return from Reservation where he went to take his daughter, Miss Lee, who will teach the school there again this year.

### Feed, Feed, Feed!

For all kinds of feed, such as oats, corn, corn chops, wheat bran, cotton seed, cotton seed meal, and all kinds of hay call on us.

MOSEL, SAENGER & CO.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Bolton who recently bought the O'Connor place two miles down the river, arrived last week from Mullen, Mills county. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Bolton as citizens of Kerr county and hope they will be pleased with their new home.

I want to get a new subscriber for Youth's Companion so that I can get a nice toy engine as a premium. If you want to subscribe please leave it with papa at the Advance office.

Addison Buckner.

R. A. Holland returned Friday from Pearsall where he disposed of a car of apples from his Arkansas orchard. He is expecting a car up on this branch of the Sap. this week.

W. R. Nichols, formerly a citizen of Kerrville but for the past eight years residing in Arizona, is here visiting his brother J. L. Nichols and his old friends.

### Piano Instruction.

Having come to Kerrville to make my home, I will give instruction in music on the piano if the public will give me their patronage. I have just finished two years work in connection with the Kingsville public school. I teach by the Leschetzky system, grounding the pupils thoroughly in the proper technique and expression, the method pursued by all the greatest teachers of the world. I have studied under the best instructors and exponents of this system and have taught for twelve years in metropolitan centers. I give a complete graduating course consisting of seven grades. I will also give a teacher's course.

For particulars and information call on or phone MISS LULA HAYNES, At Miss Alice Williamson, phone 172.

Gibert C. Storms returned yesterday from San Antonio where he had been several days on legal business.

J. T. Clark was among those from Ingram mixing with the crowds in town Saturday.

Gus Sproul from Mountain Home was shaking hands with boys in town Friday.

3 pairs of \$7.00 trousers (your choice) for \$15.00, "made to your measure," at Kerrville Tailoring Co. Jetton, Proprietor.

W. M. Sohm is a recent arrival in Kerrville from the lower Rio Grande valley. He is highly pleased with the mountain climate.

Herman Harper was in Kerrville Saturday from Harper to attend the Masonic lodge and visit his daughter Miss Audrey, who is attending school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Allen (nee Miss Thorne Renschel) and infant son returned to their home at New Orleans Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Shuler and little daughter, Gladys, of Gonzales, left Sunday on their return home after a visit here to Mrs. Shuler's sister, Mrs. W. G. Peterson.

Dr. Domingues has moved his office and Drug Store in Schreiner new building, next door to his old stand.

Miss Victoria Weige who is teaching music in connection with the Bandera public school, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Weige, here the first of the week.

Send your clothes where you can get results, at Kerrville Tailoring Co. Boyd Jetton, Prop.

A large number of people in Kerr county read the Advance that read, no other local paper. It is to the interest of all business men to take this into consideration when placing their advertising.

Rev. C. E. Painter and family have moved to Kerrville from Center Point and occupy the Mosel two story building on main street, next door to Seoble's grocery. They will run a tailor's shop and dress making business in the lower story of their residence. These are splendid people and we welcome them as citizens and hope they may do well in business here.

The following young people from Kerrville, chaperoned by Mrs. T. A. Buckner and Miss Lydia DeWoody, attended the Baptist church supper at Ingram last Saturday night: Misses, Ethel and Blanche Moore, Clara and Bonnie Hicks, Mary Brambilla, Audrey Harper, Eloise Faulkner, Leah Buckner; Messrs, Alfred Staudt, Dick Smith, Viron Elkins, Clarence Leinweber, Gerald Walther, John Williams, Clifton Barfield.

They went in a big bus from the livery stable with Ernest Beckman as driver and reported a jolly good time.

## Fifth Sunday Meeting Program

Following is the Program of Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Medina River Baptist Association to be held with the Church at Bandera Beginning Thursday Night November 26, 1914.

THURSDAY NIGHT	
Devotional.....	C. B. Coulter
Sermon.....	S. F. Marsh
FRIDAY MORNING	
9:00 Devotional.....	L. H. Billings
9:30 Duties of the Pastor to his church.....	C. D. Potts
10:15 General Discussion of the subject.....	
11:00 Sermon.....	T. F. Huffman
FRIDAY AFTERNOON	
2:00 Devotional.....	T. A. Buckner
2:30 Church Discipline. (a) Instruction.....	J. B. Riddle;
(b) Corrective.....	C. E. Painter
Round table talks on subject.	
FRIDAY NIGHT	
Devotional.....	Fritz Bierschwale
Sermon.....	R. T. Deel
SATURDAY MORNING	
9:00 Devotional.....	R. D. Garison
9:30 Church Ordinances. Bible readings on Baptism by pastor Williams Creek Church.....	
10:15 The Lord's Supper, its significance and importance.....	
11:00 Sermon.....	T. F. Huffman
	A. P. Robb
SATURDAY AFTERNOON	
Woman's Work.	
2:00 Pastor's Home & Church Building Association.....	
3:00 Executive Board meeting.....	
SATURDAY NIGHT	
Devotional.....	J. M. Witt
Sermon.....	Wilson Finch
SUNDAY	
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.....	
11:00 a. m. Sermon.....	J. R. Riddle
3:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U.—Miss Lessie Walker, Mrs. Woods and Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon.....	
8:00 p. m. Sermon.....	C. D. Potts
Program Ladies Auxiliary to Medina River Association	
SATURDAY AFTERNOON 2 to 4 O'CLOCK.	
Song—"Help Somebody Today."	
Devotional exercises—Mrs. Wilson Finch; Alternate, Mrs. Deel.	
Roll Call of Societies. Respond with verbal reports.	
Solo..... Mrs. S. F. Marsh.	
"The Mountain Top, Our Aim for the Coming Year."..... Mrs. A. P. Robb.	
"All-together" (our co-operation)..... Mrs. T. F. Huffman.	
The Relation of the local Auxiliary to the Y. W. A., Sunbeams and R. A..... Mrs. R. S. Newman	



### Notice Sportsmen!

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TEXAS NEWS CONDENSED

Work has started on a new school building at Lyons.

An overall factory is to start soon at Wichita Falls that will employ 25 people.

Cleburne is figuring on putting in a new sewerage system. A bond issue is proposed to finance the deal.

The total number of warehouses for the storage of cotton to be established under the emergency warehouse act is 31.

The Clifton High School building has been delivered by the contractors. The building represents an investment of \$25,000.

The Santa Fe railroad is now making a preliminary survey and obtaining estimates of a cutoff from Tulsa to the terminus of the Kansas City-Tulsa division to Cushing, on the main line to Texas points.

The railroad commission gave notice that it will, on Nov. 19 consider proposed amendments to classification rule No. 8, so as to provide for the including of live poultry with shipments of emigrant movables.

The Lubbock Irrigation company has sold its entire property, which consisted of 11,898 acres, lying nine miles east. Several hundred acres of this land is already under irrigation. Consideration is \$25 per acre.

The McKinney city commission has let a contract for a new building for the city water and light plant. The improvement in the system is expected to cut the fire insurance key rate 20 per cent.

The charter of the Dallas & Southwestern Motor Way company, formed for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a toll road extending from a point on the Red river in Red River county to Def Rio, Val Verde county, an estimated distance of 800 miles, has been filed in the office of the secretary of state. The principal place of business is to be in Dallas and the capital stock is \$75,000.

With the single exception of one section of land in Hardin county, judgment for defendants was rendered by District Judge Wilcox in the case of the state of Texas vs. Houston Oil company et al. Notice of appeal was given by the state. Originally the case involved approximately 80,000 acres of timber lands in East Texas which the state sought to recover. The number was cut down to about 50,000 acres by the court's rulings on demurrers.

The net property valuation of Dallas for purposes of taxation is \$115,553,590, an increase of \$5,893,360 over last year's rolls, according to the official recapitulation by the city tax assessor and collector. The tax rate for the year 1914-15 is \$1.30 and this rate on the total valuation will produce an ad valorem tax amounting to \$2,220,478.82. Although the rate is 2c lower than it was last year it will produce \$147,451.98 more taxes than were raised during the last fiscal year.

Gov. Colquitt made it plain that he has not abandoned his inclination to call another special session of the legislature before he retires from office. He asserted that he believes the people want it to provide relief against the present intolerable trade conditions, and that the demand for it will become so strong later that he may be forced to call another session. It was learned that the two special sessions which closed Thursday called the taxpayers approximately \$110,000.

The biggest rise in 20 years swept down the Rio Grande last week. The under-the-hill part of the city of Eagle Pass was inundated and the frail shanties and jacksals of the Mexican inhabitants were carried away along with much of their household goods. The flood reached 32 feet.

The city commissioners of Electric have let the contract for the erection of a 65,000-gallon standpipe for the city water works. Contract price is about \$4,000.

The attorney general's department, in an opinion given the secretary of state, ruled that house bill No. 4, proposing the permanent warehouse bill, recently enacted at the second called session of the thirty-third legislature, became a law immediately upon the signing of it by the governor.

George C. Denning, senior editor of the Daily Visitor, and one of Palestine's oldest and most highly respected citizens, died last week. Deceased was 90 years old.

W. W. Johnson, president and organizer of the Forest Oil company of Wichita Falls, and widely known throughout that section, died at Mineral Wells last week at the age of 62.

Advises received from a Wichita Falls cotton firm by a source seemingly authentic are that American cotton is reaching German ports, despite general belief to the contrary in the country. The cotton was received, Bremen, according to the authorities quoted.

ROAD IMPROVEMENT AND LAND VALUES

EFFECT SHOWN IN INCREASED LAND VALUES ADJACENT TO GOOD ROADS.

Figures Given by Several Counties in Different States—Good Roads of Great Benefit to the Schools Also.

Washington.—The following cases showing the relation between improved roads and adjacent land values are cited by the specialists of the office of public roads in the United States Department of Agriculture Bulletin No. 136:

Manatee County, Florida, built 64 miles of macadam and shell road. From 1911 to 1912 land on the road increased in value \$20 per acre, and land a mile away from the road showed an increase of \$10 per acre.

Spotsylvania County, Virginia, improved 41 miles of road, and land which formerly sold on an average of \$24.74 changed hands within three years at an average of \$44.74 per acre.

In Dinwiddie County, Virginia, where 125 miles of road were built, land between five and ten miles from Petersburg advanced on an average from \$15.25 to \$30 an acre in about fifteen instances, while land ten miles from town increased on an average, in sixteen cases, \$16.32 an acre.

In Franklin County, New York, where 124 miles of road were built, eight pieces of land selected at random showed an increase of 27.8 per cent after the improved roads were built, while in Lee County, Virginia, which built 84 miles of road, land similarly advanced 25 per cent.

The construction of the bond-bid highways in several of the counties herein mentioned has been of decided benefit to school attendance. In Spotsylvania County one consolidated school replaces three one-room schools, and another consolidated school is planned. In Dinwiddie County school attendance increased 17 1/2 per cent in one year on the improved roads, and several school wagons carrying 24 pupils each have been put in service. In Lee County school attendance along the improved roads shows an average of 71 per cent against 62 per cent along other roads. In Wise County, Virginia, several successful school consolidations have been effected since 1909. The Pole Bridge school in this county on the road from Coburn to Wise replaces four one-room schools.

Texas Fourth-Class Postmasters.

Washington.—The following Texas fourth-class postmasters have been appointed: Albrecht, Gray County, Howard G. Craig; Aubrey, Denton County, Elmo D. McCaig; Clearlake, Collin County, Charles L. Hillis; Cuthland, Red River County, Willis A. Mauldin; Greedwood, Wise County, William V. Patton; Illinois Bend, Montague County, Mrs. Mabel C. Fleming; Richardson, Dallas County, Edgar Shehane; Clinton, Hunt County, Bruce W. Baer; Farwell, Farmer County, Mrs. Minnie B. Francis; Floyd, Hunt County, Wylie C. Moore; Groom, Carson County, Columbus R. Slay; Hagerman, Grayson County, W. A. Morrison; Holliday, Archer County, John M. Hawley; Ivanhoe, Fannin County, Gabriel N. Parker.

Texas Births Outstrip Deaths.

Austin, Tex.—During September births in Texas exceeded deaths by 2,823, according to the monthly report issued Wednesday by R. P. Babcock, state registrar of vital statistics. Births numbered 4,418 and deaths 1,595. Thirty-four sets of twins were born. The greatest number of deaths was among children under one year of age, 348 being recorded. Thirty-five deaths from pellagra occurred and there were two deaths from leprosy. Tuberculosis, as usual, led with 134.

Girls and Women Poorly Paid.

New Orleans, La.—Twenty-four per cent of girls and women employed in New Orleans department stores, laundries and factories get less than \$4 a week, and 56 per cent less than \$6, according to the report of a special investigating committee of the National Consumers' League presented Saturday. Ten per cent are paid \$10 a week, and less than 1 per cent as much as \$20.

Juvenile Branch Is Growing.

Austin, Tex.—According to the annual report of Superintendent A. W. Eddins of the State Juvenile Training School at Gatesville, there has been an increase of seventy-one boys sent to the institution, the total number being 432. Of the appropriation of \$127,760 for the fiscal year, \$97,517 was expended.

Longfellow's Birthplace Dedicated.

Portland, Me.—The house in which Henry Wadsworth Longfellow was born was dedicated Thursday by the International Longfellow Society, as a memorial to the poet.

Dead in Mine Now Number Fifty-Nine

Royalton, Ill.—The death list in the lead mine near Royalton Tuesday now is placed at fifty-nine. A reckoning of the names Thursday indicated nine men had not been accounted for.

THE HOME GUARDS



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HOG RAISING IN TEXAS ON A LARGE SCALE

The Undertaking of a Progressive Farmer on the San Benito Tract Reads Like a Romance.

San Benito, Tex.—Secretary Geo. A. Toolan of the San Benito Commercial Club has advised the Texas Industrial Congress that a new approach to the proposition of growing hogs on the farm as a "cash crop" has been made under the leadership of Mr. R. O. Barron, a progressive farmer of San Benito. Without waiting for the banks to furnish the credit, Mr. Barron purchased a carload of thoroughbred Duroc Jersey sows from the stock yards at Fort Worth and had them shipped to San Benito. Then he carefully selected a number of worthy farmers and leased them; one or more sows each, as the circumstances appeared to justify. By the terms of the lease the lessee agreed to care properly for the sows, which had all been bred before shipment, and at the end of three months to return the sows and one-half of the pigs to Mr. Barron, keeping the other half of the pigs for himself. San Benito can grow a plentiful feed crop and has mild winters, and Mr. Toolan states that there are thousands of hogs on the San Benito tract now where a year ago there were but hundreds. He also says that hogs can be and have been raised there at a production cost of 2 1/2 cents per pound. While Mr. Barron acted upon his own initiative, he received valuable help from the San Benito Commercial Club in carrying out his plan.

The banks of Texas have been and are leaders in the better farming movement, and will no doubt render substantial aid in their own communities along these lines, but Mr. Barron's accomplishment shows that any public-spirited citizen can initiate this plan if necessary. The introduction of hog raising on a larger scale around San Benito has not only furnished every grower with meat, but has also provided a cash crop that wartime conditions will only render more remunerative. Grain and sweet sorghums, cowpeas, peanuts and other feed can be grown cheaply in almost every section of the state, and a carload of fat hogs marketed twice a year will make a man a better living than many farmers have ever made from cotton.

Hindu Sentenced to Death.

Vancouver, B. C.—Mewa Singh, a Hindu, was found guilty by a jury Saturday of the murder of William Hopkinson, Canadian immigration inspector, and sentenced to be hanged Jan. 11, next. The Hindu shot Hopkinson in the corridor of the Vancouver court house nine days ago.

Forty-Sixth Warehouse License Issued

Austin, Tex.—The forty-sixth cotton warehouse license was issued Saturday by the warehouse division, department of insurance and banking. It authorizes the establishing of a warehouse at Bogota, Red River County. A. A. de Berry was appointed manager.

600 Miners Go on Strike.

Muskogee, Okla.—Six hundred miners of the Oklahoma Coal Company at Henryetta, Okla., went on a strike Thursday because the company refused to discharge a foreman whom the men asked dismissed.

Counterfeit Note Circulating.

Washington.—Discovery of a new counterfeit \$10 United States note, series of 1901, was announced Thursday by the secret service. The bill is characterized as fairly deceptive. It bears the number E-759140.

Patrol on Border Is Relieved.

Del Rio, Tex.—Troop G, Fourteenth Cavalry, in command of Captain Smith, arrived Friday to relieve Captain Winterburn and Troop E, which will go to Fort Clark.

Great Meat Order Received.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—An order for 15,000,000 pounds of canned meats, valued at \$1,500,000, destined for the use of warring European nations, has been received and is being filled by a local packing company.

Garrison at Nuevo Laredo Increased.

Laredo, Tex.—The Caranista garrison in Nuevo Laredo has been brought up to 1,800 men by the arrival Tuesday of 375 more cavalrymen to take station there.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By E. O. SELLERS, Acting Director Sunday School Course, Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.

LESSON FOR NOVEMBER 8

SOWING AND REAPING.

(World's Temperance Lesson.)

LESSON TEXT—Gal. 6:3-8.

GOLDEN TEXT—Whosoever sows to himself, shall also reap—Gal. 6:7.

Nowhere do the Scriptures excuse men from the results of their own sins. The effects of sins, and of blessings alike, are unto the succeeding generations. France is still paying in the physical realm the cost of Napoleon's ambition. Europe will have a greater debt to pay biologically than any which will be charged against its cashiers as the result of this inhuman and uncalled-for war.

I. Those Who Trespass, vv. 1-5. Jesus plainly instructs us that "trespassers must needs come." Our problem is (a) to avoid being the trespasser and (b) the manner of our conduct towards those who do trespass.

In this lesson the second question is treated first. Though a man be overtaken in the very act of trespassing, those who are taught and governed by the Holy Spirit (see chapter 5:16-25) are to prove to the world by their conduct that they are thus taught and governed. They are to "restore such an one," considering at the same time themselves lest they, too, stumble. To restore is to replace, "to reduce a fracture," to put a member of the body into its proper place. Every believer is a member of the body of which Christ is the head (1 Cor. 12:12, 14, 27, and one who falls (stumbles) into sin is a member out of place.

The first step is to help our erring brother to bear his burdens (weights) of temptation, weakness, failure and sin, and in so doing we "fulfill the law of Christ," Ch. 5:14; John 13:34; Rom. 13:8. Jesus Christ not only gave us this law, but he also lived it as well. Phil. 2:5-8. The true disciple, who is really trying to help his brother bear his burden, does so with the consciousness not of his own rectitude, but rather that through the grace of God he has been kept from a like fate. Otherwise the man who "thinketh himself to be something" deceives himself, and no one else. God knows, so does the one whom we seek to help, if we are animated by spiritual pride and boastfulness. This is a measuring line whereby we may judge ourselves (v. 4). Pride and criticism of others largely comes from a desire to glory in ourselves, not so much that we condemn the acts of our neighbor. In verse three we are admonished to bear the burdens—"weights"—of others. In verse five we are told that every man must bear his own burden—"load," i. e., the burden of his own responsibility. No man can bear that load for another, whereas all men can share the "weights" of temptation, weakness, failure and sin.

II. Those Who Are Taught, vv. 6-10. Paul clearly sets before us the responsibility of being enlightened. Being taught, we "must pass on the knowledge we have been taught, share the 'good things'" (v. 6) we have received, see Prov. 11:24; II Cor. 9:6. Those who refrain from thus aiding their teachers gain no personal advantage. The word "mocked" means to sneer. Men may sneer at God and think they escape the result of their sin, but like still produces like. Sow corn, reap corn; sow figs, reap figs; sow wheat, reap wheat. In spite of the contempt men have for God and in the face of their acceptance of this principle in other realms they continue in their sin with a strange fatalistic persistence.

Habits Bless or Curse. This principle has a wide application. Sow shame, reap dishonor; sow hate, reap bitterness; sow love, reap the fruits of love, kindness, affection and esteem. Every act is a process of sowing. Every appetite fostered, gratified and pampered helps to produce a crop of habits either to bless or to curse. This gives color and significance to the words of verse eight: "He that soweth to his own flesh shall of his own" the flesh reap corruption," if, however, under the leading of the Holy Spirit (cf. John 6:63; II Cor. 3:6) we sow to the Spirit, we will reap eternal life for "this is eternal life that we may know him."

Sow a thought, reap an act; Sow an act, reap a habit; Sow a habit, reap a destiny.

The practical application is in verse nine. If there are such possibilities of development, "let us not weary of well-doing." Our sowing is not a matter of caprice or convenience. Nor should we, through weariness, cease our activity. The temperance application is all too plain. We must constantly sow in the minds of the youth the "reaping of the flesh" for those who cultivate a taste for liquor. We must sow in the minds of taxpayers the criminal waste and folly of trying to regulate this traffic or seeking to tax it for the support of governments. We must sow in the minds of those poor souls now in the clutch of this damnable evil that there is a way of deliverance—the way of the Cross, a permanent and complete cure for the one who has gone the farthest or sunk the deepest in sin.

THE CHARM OF MOTHERHOOD

Enhanced By Perfect Physical Health.

The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

Every woman at this time should rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism.

In many homes once childless there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

Stork's Good Memory. While visiting the Berlin zoological gardens, says Lustige Blatter, little Gretchen saw a great white bird standing on one leg in a cage. She threw in a piece of candy; the bird gobbled it up eagerly, and thrust its head through the wire for more. Presently Gretchen's mother came along. "O mother, see here! What kind of a bird is this?" The mother pointed to the sign on the cage, which read, "The Stork." "The stork!" cried the little girl enthusiastically. "O mamma, do you know, he actually recognized me!"

GROUND ICH (THE CAUSE OF HOODWORMS) CURED. Also sweet sleep and quick relief from that itching, burning sensation by using Tetterine, a wonderful remedy for eczema, tetter, ground itch, erythema, dandruff and all other forms of skin disease. Mrs. Thos. ... with tormenting itching ... doctors to prescribe ... me any good until I got ... cured me. I am so happy ... hands of others can testify to similar cures. Tetterine at drug stores or by mail for 50c by J. T. Shuptrine, Savannah, Ga. Adv.

The less some men know about anything the louder they talk about it.

A mean man isn't always a man of means.

A Home-Made Poison

Uric acid, unknown in the days of a staid, sedentary, unexciting life is a modern ailment created into the human body by a combination of overwork, worry and lack of exercise. Backache or irregular urines are the first signs of weak kidneys. When the kidneys fail, the blood is filtering out the uric acid, the danger of gravel, dropsy or Bright's disease is imminent. Pills which merely treat the symptoms do not cure. Doan's Kidney Pills act more quickly. Doan's Kidney Pills have a world-wide reputation as a reliable kidney tonic.

A Texas Case

Rev. B. T. ... Whiteboro, ... from pain and ... my back until I ... stay in bed ... kidney, acted ... I was ... to ... and ... kidney sections were ... again empty. One of my relatives had ... Doan's Kidney Pills with benefit and I tried them. They ... and I ... can't be too grateful.

Get Doan's at Any Store, 50c a Box. DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

To Cleanse Rusty Nail Wounds

Always Get It to the Bottom. The practical application is in verse nine. If there are such possibilities of development, "let us not weary of well-doing." Our sowing is not a matter of caprice or convenience. Nor should we, through weariness, cease our activity.

HANFORD'S Balsam of Myrrh

For Galls, Wire Cuts, Lameress, Strains, Bunches, Thrush, Old Sores, Nail Wounds, Foot Rot, Fistula, Bleeding, Etc. Etc. Made Since 1845. Ask Anybody. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. G. C. Hanford Mfg. Co., SYRACUSE, N. Y.

THE WEATHER

Carothers Observatory Forecast. General Weather Movements Due to Crossed United States November 1 to 10, 1914.

OUR COTTON CAN GO TO EUROPE

AMERICA MAY SHIP COTTON CARDS AND ENGLAND WILL NOT INTERFERE.

British Government Will Permit the Safe Movement of American Cotton to Any Point, Including Germany, Where Market Is Found.

Washington.—Sir Edward Grey, British minister for foreign affairs, has assured the United States, through Ambassador Page at London, that England will not interfere with American cotton shipments as "contraband of war."

Ambassador Page also reported that the British ship Camperdown, laden with American cotton and products detained at Stornoway, Scotland, was not held because of her manifest, but on account of a disagreement between her owners and the charter party.

This attitude of the British government will permit the safe movement of American cotton to any point, including Germany, where a market may be found.

Moreover, Sir Edward Grey's statement is construed in some quarters as meaning there is to be no interference with any noncontraband cargoes from a neutral country carried in neutral ships even when consigned directly to a belligerent.

A cotton never has been listed as either absolute or conditional contraband, and certain marine insurance companies have refused to issue cotton policies.

Sir Edward Grey cabled the British embassy Sunday confirming the assurances given Ambassador Page. On receipt of the message the ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, issued this statement:

"The assurance may be given that cotton is not on the list of contraband goods."

Appreciation of the statement of the British government, and that that country is being established where it is established in neutral countries. The statement of the British government is a testimony to similar facts or by mail for 50c, S. Savanah, Ga. Adv.

Men know about anything they talk about it. It's not always a man of words.

Made Poison. In the face of a steady decline in the number of deaths from this disease, it is not surprising that the first case of this disease in the city of Houston, Texas, was reported on Sunday, November 1, 1914.

as Case. Rev. H. T. White, pastor of the First Baptist church, Houston, Texas, has been notified that a case of this disease has been reported in the city of Houston, Texas.

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UNITED STATES AT PEACE WITH WORLD

PRESIDENT WILSON ISSUES PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING NOVEMBER 26 THANKSGIVING.

"WE REMAIN AT PEACE"

President Calls Attention to the Many Things We Should Be Thankful For and Refers to Peace Here and War in Europe.

Washington.—President Wilson Wednesday issued a proclamation designating Thursday, Nov. 26, as Thanksgiving Day.

The president's proclamation, which refers to the fact that the United States is at peace while the rest of the world is at war, follows:

"By the President of the United States of America: A Proclamation—It long has been the honored custom of our people to turn in the fruitful autumn of the year in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for his many blessings and mercies to us as a nation.

The year now drawing to a close, since we last observed our day of national thanksgiving, has been, while a year of discipline, because of the mighty forces of war and of changes which have disturbed the world, also a year of special blessing to us.

We Remain at Peace. "It has been vouchsafed to us to remain at peace, with honor, and in some part to succor the suffering and supply the needs of those who are in want. We have been privileged by our own peace and self-control in some degree to steady the counsels and shape the hopes and purposes of a day of fear and distress.

"Our people have looked upon their own life as a nation with a deeper comprehension, a fuller realization of their responsibilities, as well as of their blessings, and a keener sense of the moral and practical significance of what their part among the nations of the world may come to be.

The hurtful effects of foreign war in their own industrial and commercial affairs have made them feel the more fully and see the more clearly their interdependence upon one another, and has stirred them to a helpful co-operation, such as they seldom have practiced before.

"They have been quickened by a great moral stimulation. Their unmistakable ardor for peace, their earnest pity and disinterested sympathy for those who are suffering, their readiness to help and to think of the needs of others, has revealed them to themselves, as well as to the world.

Crops Can Feed All. "Our crops will feed all who need food, the self-possession of our people, amidst the most serious anxieties and difficulties, and the steadiness and resourcefulness of our business men will serve other nations as well as our own.

"The business of the country has been supplied with instrumentalities and the commerce of the world with new channels of trade and intercourse. The Panama canal has been opened to the commerce of the nations. The two continents of America have been bound in closer ties of friendship. New instrumentalities of international trade have been created, which also will be new instrumentalities of acquaintance, intercourse and mutual service. Never before have the people of the United States been so situated for their own advantage or the advantage of their neighbors, or so equipped to serve themselves and mankind.

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, do hereby designate Thursday, the 26th day of November next, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, and invite the people throughout the land to cease from their wonted occupations and in their several homes and places of worship render thanks to Almighty God.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Woodrow Wilson."

Houston Votes Big Bond Issue. Houston, Tex.—By very large majorities and in an election that brought more voters than any previous bond election, the voters of Houston Wednesday authorized the city council to issue bonds in the sum of \$5,450,000 for general public improvements.

Following are the totals cast for the various bond propositions: For the wharf bonds, 2,517; against, 721.

For the drainage bonds, 2,690; against, 559.

For the sanitary sewage bonds, 2,666; against, 573.

For the school bonds, 2,774; against, 146.

For the park bonds, 2,513; against, 725.

New Well Brought in in Caddo Field. Shreveport, La.—Production in the Caddo oil field has been increased nearly three hundred barrels daily by the completion of the Atlas Oil Company's Caddo lease board well B-5. Joems Bayou district.

Louisiana Has Killing Frost. Alexandria, La.—The first killing frost of the season was visible Wednesday. Frost was also reported in several other sections of the parish.

CALOMEL SICKENS! IT SALIVATES! DON'T STAY BILIOUS, CONSTIPATED

I Guarantee "Dodson's Liver Tone" Will Give You the Best Liver and Bowel Cleansing You Ever Had—Don't Lose a Day's Work!

Calomel makes you sick; you lose a day's work. Calomel is quicksilver and it salivates; calomel injures your liver.

If you are bilious, feel lazy, sluggish and all knocked out, if your bowels are constipated and your head aches or stomach is sour, just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone instead of using sickening, salivating calomel. Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular. You will feel like working. You'll be cheerful; full of vigor and ambition.

Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone

HINT EASY TO UNDERSTAND

English Farmer Had Made Old Mistake of Counting Chickens Before They Were Hatched.

An old farmer in the Midlands was anxious to marry, but could not make up his mind between the charms of a certain comely widow in the neighborhood and her equally charming daughter.

At last he resolved to let chance solve the problem.

"I'll ax th' one I fust sees a-goin' in," he muttered, and off he started on his amatory errand. But when he arrived both mother and daughter were sitting in the doorway.

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To Increase Supply of Salmon. Important experiments have recently been made by the fisheries expert with the hatchery operations. Last year at Seaton lake, instead of placing all the sockeye salmon eggs in trays, as has been the custom heretofore, a plan was adopted more in keeping with the natural methods followed by the fish. The eggs, after having been inoculated with the lymph, were buried under five to seven inches of sand and gravel. Over 200,000 ova were thus treated in tanks especially made therefor, and as a result 188,000 healthy fry have been taken out with the possibility of more to follow. This is a splendid record, as compared with the old plan system, and it is believed by the experts that the new method will revolutionize the business of the hatcheries.

Rainy Days. "Are you saving up something for a rainy day?" "No," replied Farmer Cornntossel. "What were you troubled with out this way is an annual drought. If we had more rainy days, everybody would have money."—Washington Star.

Different Things in Mind. Tom's supposed endorsement of what Lurlina Disapproved of Nearly Led to a Quarrel.

They were in the lure of the cabaret, he and she—Tom and Lurlina. The contralto was singing. Positive noncommittalism was in Lurlina's voice as she said:

"Entirely too low! Entirely!" "Surprise and unmistakable admiration mingled in Tom's reply.

"Ah, no! It's exquisite!" A catch in her breath, amazement in her wideopen blue eyes.

"Why, Tom! How can you?" "There was almost tears in her voice.

"How can I?" he replied enthusiastically. "Indeed, how can I not?"

Amazement fled from indignation in her eyes. The chill of ice was in her tone and manner.

"Then I will thank you to take me home!" "Why, Lurlina?" And now the amazement was in his eyes and painful eagerness in his voice. "What do you mean?"

"Oh, and she was angry now! Her blue eyes were ablaze.

"I mean her gown!" A beam of light. Tom saw it all. "Oh, Jupiter!" Could joy have better uttered: "I meant her voice!"

Thereupon the waiter came and all was forgotten.

So Disappointing. Reginald loved his wife tenderly and devotedly, but he had to acknowledge in the inmost recesses of his heart that the hand that wielded the powder puff lost its art in the pudding basin.

"What pudding would you like tonight, love?" she cooed at breakfast time.

"Oh, anything!" he whispered desperately.

"Anything?" she reiterated, in a pained tone.

"Well, you know, old girl; anything light—only don't tire yourself out."

"You shall have your favorite—custard, dear," she promised.

Toward seven o'clock Reginald returned, but the sound of weeping and gnashing of teeth greeted his trained ear.

"Whatever is it, my dear girl?" he inquired, as he rushed into the kitchen.

"O-o-o-oh!" she sniveled on his waistcoat. "I've been making you custards all the afternoon, and—"

"And what, pet?" "They all t-turned out sponge cake!"—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

The Pioneer Mother. The school children of California are saving up their pennies to pay for the monument to the pioneer mother which is to be executed by Charles Grady for the Panama-Pacific exposition. The woman's board of the exposition suggested that such a statue be erected and the children were the first to respond, sending in an avalanche of pennies. The central figure is that of the pioneer mother dressed in a homespun gown, and at her knees are two sturdy little children.

Hard on Some People. "Americans must learn to use home-grown tobacco," a trade journal declares. This will go hard with those persons who haven't been in the habit of using any kind of tobacco at all.—Youngstown (O.) Telegram.

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They Began Early. Dentist—When did your teeth first begin troubling you? Patient—When I was cutting them.

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Greek Meets Greek. The two oldest inhabitants were very ignorant, neither of them being able even to tell the time of day. A friend of Uncle Ben's gave him a watch, of which he was very proud. One day, before the crowd at the corner store, old Pete, being slightly jealous of such wealth and wishing to embarrass his rival, said: "Say, Ben, what time have you got?"

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