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B. Y. P. U. Social

On last Friday evening the monthly social of the Baptist Young Peoples Union was held in the Sunday School Auditorium. After an entertaining program, rendered by the young people, consisting of Piano and vocal solos and readings, two amusing contests were had for which prizes in the form of jokes were given. The Anatomy contest was very funny, the prize being awarded to Mr. Howard first and the booby to Sidney Deering and partner.

The other contest was one for which each guest was asked to bring their picture taken when they were youngest, these were numbered and all were required to guess the identity of the photos. Some laughable stakes were made. The prizes were presented to Lewie Moore and Miss Newman and Walter Coleman and partner. At the close of this, refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served. Over 50 were present. These socials are given with the intention of developing the social life of the B. Y. P. U. and their friends are cordially welcome.

Program as follows
Piano solo—Miss Fox.
Vocal solo—Miss Leah Buckner.
Character sketch, Small Boys Essay on cats—Lewie Moore.
Piano solo—Miss Bonnie Hicks.
Reading—Mrs. Newman.
Character sketch, Darkey Sermon—Lewie Moore.

Letter From Mrs. Colquitt

Miss Lynn Burnett,
Kerrville, Texas.
Dear Miss Burnett: Your report and check for \$6.55 received, and I congratulate you upon the splendid results secured. I sincerely hope that you will be able to interest all of your people in the work we are attempting to do.

Tell them of the effort being made to secure Federal hospitals for consumptive strangers. Kerrville will be benefited more than possibly any other town in the State, if we are successful in this movement.

"With best wishes for your future success, I am Sincerely yours,
Mrs. O. B. Colquitt
President of Texas Public Health Association.

The following officials from the Center Point precinct qualified before the commissioners court last Saturday: James Crotty, County Commissioner; J. M. Hamby, Justice of the Peace, and Levi Surber, Constable.

Notice to Applicants.

The regular examination for teacher's certificates will be held at Kerrville the first Friday and Saturday and Thursday preceding in December.

This examination is for both State and County certificates. Be sure to have on hand a supply of uniform paper.

LEE WALLACE,
Ex-Officio County Supt.



Red Cross Christmas Seals

One Cent Each

Buy and Use Seals on the back of all mail. Christmas Seal money built the Children's Hospital at Galveston; is securing the building of County Hospitals; is working to get Federal Hospitals for Consumptives and is responsible for the Texas Public Health Exhibit. Help the good work to continue.

Persons living in small communities where Red Cross Christmas Seals are not sold can obtain them by writing to Miss Lynn Burnett, Chairman of the Red Cross Christmas Seal Committee at Kerrville. Remember the price is only one cent each.

Christmas Seal money is working to get Federal Hospitals for Consumptives in the Southwestern States. Help the good work by buying Red Cross Christmas Seals NOW. Up to date \$16.95 worth of Seals have been sold in Kerrville.

RAILROADS APPEAL TO PRESIDENT

The Common Carriers Ask for Relief—President Wilson Directs Attention of Public to Their Needs.

The committee of railroad executives, headed by Mr. Frank Trumbull, representing thirty-five of the leading railroad systems of the nation, recently presented to President Wilson a memorandum briefly reviewing the difficulties now confronting the railroads of the country and asking for the co-operation of the governmental authorities and the public in supporting railroad credits and recognizing an emergency which requires that the railroads be given additional revenues.

The memorandum recites that the European war has resulted in general depression of business on the American continent and in the dislocation of credits at home and abroad. With revenues decreasing and interest rates increasing the transportation systems of the country face a most serious crisis and the memorandum is a strong presentation of the candle burning at both ends and the perils that must ultimately attend such a conflagration when the flames meet is apparent to all. In their general discussion the railroad representatives say in part: "By reason of legislation and regulation by the Federal Government and the forty-eight states acting independently of each other, as well as through the action of a strong public opinion, railroad expenses in recent years have vastly increased. No criticism is here made of the general theory of governmental regulation, but on the other hand, no ingenuity can relieve the carriers of expenses created thereby."

President Wilson, in transmitting the memorandum of the railroad presidents to the public, characterizes it as "a lucid statement of plain truth." The President recognizing the emergency as extraordinary, continuing, said in part:

"You ask me to call the attention of the country to the imperative need that railway credits be sustained and the railroads helped in every possible way, whether by private co-operative effort or by the action, wherever feasible of governmental agencies and I am glad to do so because I think the need very real."

The conference was certainly a fortunate one for the nation and the President is to be congratulated for opening the gate to a new world of effort in which everyone may co-operate.

Y. W. A. of Kerrville

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of Kerrville met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Boyd Jetton.

A very interesting and helpful program was rendered, the subject being "Missions." Some of the many good works which have been accomplished in Burma, China, and Cuba were discussed. One of the most interesting features was a real letter from China, read by Mrs. A. P. Robb.

Three new members were also received. Then followed a liberal free will offering.

Delicious refreshments were served, after which we adjourned to meet Dec. 3, at the Sunday School Auditorium.

Press Reporter.

Henry Beckmann.

After lingering in a semi-conscious condition for a week, Henry Beckmann passed away last Sunday morning.

His death was caused from being thrown from a mule while at the road camp a few miles down the river on Sunday, a week before his death. His neck was broken from the effects of which his entire body became paralyzed in which condition he remained until his death.

The funeral took place Monday, the body being interred in Glen Rest cemetery.

Mr. Tom Tarver spent Monday in San Antonio.

A REMARKABLE WAR STORY

Frederick Palmer Now Witnessing Fulfillment of Prophecy Described in "The Last Shot."

Frederick Palmer, the author of the remarkable story, "The Last Shot," is a typical cosmopolitan. He not only knows war and the men who make war, but he knows the world and has been practically all over it.

Mr. Palmer is a native of Pennsylvania, born at Pleasantville in that state in 1873. He was residing in England at the time the Greco-Turkish war of 1895 began and went to the front as a correspondent. At the close of this war he went to the Klondike as a correspondent. He was in the Orient in 1898 when the war between the United States and Spain began, and was with Admiral Dewey at the battle of Manila, reporting it for the London Times and a number of American newspapers. He remained with the American army in the Philippines throughout the campaign against Aguinaldo. When the international expedition for the rescue of the foreign residents in Peking was organized at the time of the Boxer uprising in China he joined it in the capacity of a correspondent for his papers.

From 1900 to 1903 Mr. Palmer saw service in the Central and South American and the Macedonian insurrections. With the breaking out of war between Japan and Russia he joined the first Japanese army in the field as the representative of the London Times and Collier's Weekly, and was almost the only correspondent who saw active service with the Japanese army. He was in Constantinople during the Turkish revolution of 1909, and was with the Bulgarian army throughout the Balkan war of 1912-13.

In addition to this active career as a war correspondent, Mr. Palmer has circled the globe with Admiral Dewey, and again with the American battleship fleet in 1907-8. He is familiar with every capital of Europe, and has a personal acquaintance with a very large number of prominent European government officials and military and naval commanders.

Mr. Palmer is now at the front reporting the present war for the papers he represents, and is witnessing the fulfillment of the prophecy contained in his notable story, "The Last Shot."

We have arranged to print Mr. Palmer's remarkable story, "The Last Shot" serially in these columns.

There are many important problems in our complex civilization that will yield to co-operation which will not lend themselves to arbitrary rulings of commissions and financing railroads is one of them. The man with the money is a factor that cannot be eliminated from any business transaction, and the public is an interested party that should always be consulted and happily the President has invited all to participate in the solution of our railroad problems.

Camp Verde Letter.

(Regular Correspondence)

Moving is still the order of the day in Camp Verde. P. H. Dozier moved to the place he bought of John Rees, and Mr. Terry moved to Mr. Dozier's place, having bought it some time ago. E. J. Painter moved to John McBryde's place near the Verde pass.

G. C. Sutherland and family returned from San Antonio Friday where they have been visiting for several days.

W. R. Caldwell returned home from San Antonio where he has been with a load of freight for Chas. Landry.

A. Eakins is moving to the place he rented near the depot. We are very sorry to lose Mr. Eakins' family from our neighborhood.

Misses Betty, Nell, and Opal Hodges were Verde visitors Friday.

Dr. Merritt was called out to see Miss Annie Burleson Friday who was quite serious for a few hours but is reported better now.

Our young people have organized a choir and will meet every Friday night to practice.

The sad news came over the phone Monday night from San Antonio that Mrs. Hilbert Oatman died there between 10 and 11 o'clock Monday night. The young husband and all those to whom she was dear have our heart-felt sympathy.

Fruit cake ingredients at
C. C. Butt Grocery,

Commissioners Court Minutes.

Commissioner's Court met Saturday, Nov. 21, and approved the bonds of all county and precinct officers recently elected.

\$400 of the Special fund of the County was ordered transferred to the Road and Bridge fund.

\$400 was apportioned to the credit of Commissioner's Road and Bridge Fund of Precinct No. 4.

Numerous items and bills incurred in connection with the Road and Bridge work of the County were examined, approved and ordered paid.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Issued Nov. 23, 1914—E. J. Halamuda and Miss Stella Halamuda.

Brown-Parker.

Mr. Roy Brown and Miss Gladys Mae Parker were united in marriage at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesday Nov. 17, at San Antonio, Rev. T. N. Barton officiating.

The happy couple came up last Thursday and visited until Sunday with Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Brown. They will make their home in the Alamo City where Roy is employed in the large department store of Wolff & Marx Co.

District Judge R. H. Barney went to Bandera Sunday where he opened the regular fall term of District Court Monday morning. After finishing there, he will next go to Rock Springs, then to Leakey and will finish up here in January.

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TEXAS NEWS CONDENSED

McLean is shipping out 2,000 bushels of threshed maize every day.

The Hardin County Abstract company of Beaumont has been chartered, capital stock \$5,000.

A new four-stand Murray gin burned at Gasoline Nov. 7. The gin was valued at \$9,000.

The gate receipts of the San Angelo fair were so large that a good surplus has been left after all premiums and other expenses were paid.

At a conference of property taxpayers in the paving district, with the mayor and city commissioners, it was decided to begin paving the business district of Ennis about April 1, 1915.

The attorney general's department has approved the following bond issues: Lamar county common school district, No. 52, \$20,000; Lamar county common school district, No. 86, \$18,000.

One of the large sheet-iron warehouses of W. T. Wilson Grain company containing fifty tons of alfalfa and other feedstuffs, was destroyed by fire at Nacogdoches. The total loss was \$10,000, partially covered by insurance.

The railroad commission at its regular monthly hearing in granting the petition of coffee shippers to use cotton bags instead of burlap bags in the shipment of coffee, gave some relief to the cotton situation.

The Ballinger Warehouse association has incorporated and is ready for business. The charter was so drawn that no one member can hold more than \$500 worth of stock in the association. The amount for which the warehouse is incorporated is \$1,320.

Sidney E. Mezes, president of the university of Texas, has submitted his resignation to the board of regents of the university. The board accepted the resignation with expressions of much regret. Dr. Mezes already has accepted the presidency of the college of the city of New York, and will leave as soon as a successor or temporary successor is secured. Dr. Mezes has been connected with the university of Texas for 20 years.

Dr. B. H. Carroll, aged 70 years, president of the Southwestern Baptist theological seminary, died at his home in Fort Worth Wednesday morning. Dr. Carroll had been in ill health for some years. He was formerly a pastor at Waco and was well known all over the state. Dr. Carroll was one of the most noted theological authorities and teachers in America. He was a venerable churchman and a leading Baptist of the south.

The enormous gas flow in the well of the White Point Oil and Gas company at the White Point field, eight miles north of Corpus Christi, continued unabated and with such fury that oil men are unable to curb it. The gas issues forth with such great force that it has been impossible to measure the production even in a rough way, but drillers have estimated that the flow has averaged about fifty million feet per day.

Two massive services of silver were presented to the nation's new superintendent, the Texas, at Galveston. The first was presented by the state's school children. This was the service of the old battleship Texas, renamed the San Marcos, and sunk, which the school children of Texas have replenished and refurbished by contributions. The second service was the \$7,500 service purchased by subscription conducted by the young men's business league of Waco.

John Lester Wroe, a young attorney at Houston, and a member of the state Democratic executive committee, was named by Governor-Elect James E. Ferguson as his private secretary. Mr. Wroe has accepted the position.

Robert T. Neill of El Paso, son of Judge H. H. Neill, and assistant United States district attorney, has been appointed assistant attorney general of the United States by Attorney General Gregory. He will take office on Dec. 1.

It was learned that all chances for another special session of the legislature have not vanished, as the governor dictated a letter to be sent to members of the legislature asking for an expression as to the sentiment in their communities with reference to cotton acreage reduction.

A large concrete building is being erected at the Texas tuberculosis sanitarium, which will take three months to complete. The other buildings being constructed at the sanitarium are rapidly nearing completion.

The Ohio and Texas sugar property, including a modern sugar mill and about 2,000 acres of land near Brownsville, were sold at auction for \$60,000.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway company lost its case for recovery of more than \$61,000,000 as the value of 2,000,000 acres of land in Eastern Oklahoma, embraced within the famous Katy land grant, when the supreme court sustained the decision of the court of claims, which was adverse to the railroad company.

TEXAS FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

ADOPT MANY RESOLUTIONS OF WIDE RANGE FOR BETTERMENT OF CONDITIONS.

FAVORING PRISON REFORMS

Compulsory Education, Child Labor Laws, Protection for Girls Traveling to Frisco Exposition, Protection of Bird Species, Etc.

Galveston, Tex.—The seventeenth annual convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs adjourned on Friday morning, after passing resolutions favoring prison reform, a campaign for compulsory education and child labor laws, the apportionment of half the fund provided under the Smith-Lever act for the instruction of women in home economics, opposing partisan politics in state educational institutions, pledging the moral support of the federation to the work of the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, approving action by the federated clubs looking to the protection of girls traveling unattended to San Francisco exposition in 1915, approving the good roads movement and the protection of bird species in Texas.

The convention also adopted a constitution and by-laws presented by Mrs. J. C. Terrell of Marshall and instructed its members to let the regents of the University of Texas know that the federation wanted equal rights for boys and girls in State University courses.

Professor E. H. Shurtler of the University of Texas public speaking department told of the work of the inter-scholastic league in enlightening the general public in educational work. Reports on the work of the federation in Texas toward universal peace and improved kindergartens were given by Mrs. Mary L. Christensen of Port Arthur and Mrs. A. B. Griffith of Terrell.

The convention did not bind its committees to work for all the resolutions adopted. Some of them were referred to the executive board with instructions to consider the advisability of active support. Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker of Austin, in urging that some of the measures be left to the discretion of the executive committee, said that her purpose in making this request was to avoid overloading the legislative committee with work which might lessen the effectiveness of their campaign for compulsory education, child labor laws, and other immediate necessities. Referring the resolutions to the executive committee did not mean, she said, that they would be tabled, for by their passage they were given the moral support of the federation.

Resolutions which were so referred were the resolution asking members to write their state representative to vote for an increased appropriation for the College of Industrial Arts at Denton, the resolutions on prison reform, good roads and the conservation of birds.

In the resolution on prison reform, abolition of capital punishment, and of the fee system was advocated and manual training and better quarters for convicts favored.

Other resolutions passed favored the standardization of music teachers in the state, the election of women to school boards and the appointment of a state woman inspector of schools. Governor Colquitt had requested the federation to work for the establishment of hospitals in each county, and the movement was given the moral support of the federation. A resolution favoring the establishment of a federation magazine was passed. The report on resolutions was read by Mrs. J. I. McDowell of Big Springs.

Gas Well Goes Wild.

Corpus Christi, Tex.—Bubbling like a cauldron and with vast bodies of mud, water and slush being hurled as much as twenty feet in the air, the White Point gas field now presents a scene of an active volcano, with millions of cubic feet of natural gas escaping to the open air, through the well in which the blowout occurred, through two abandoned wells in the field and through every crack, fissure and crevice that can be reached by the gas in its mad escape.

Pink Oysters Cause Alarm.

Washington.—Pink oysters are the latest freak of nature under investigation by experts of the department of agriculture. The rosy hued bivalve comes from beds in Long Island sound, looks like a regular oyster when gathered, but turns up pink on the plate of the ultimate consumer. Frightened epicureans besieged the bureau of chemistry with inquiries and a volunteer poison squad found the pink oyster not only harmless, but delicious.

Germany Welcomes Aid to Belgians.

Washington.—Germany will welcome any assistance by Americans in relieving the Belgians, according to an announcement by Secretary Bryan after a conference Tuesday with Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador at Washington.

Good Road Petition Circulated.

Bryan, Tex.—A petition is being circulated among the voters of the county for a bond issue for good roads in the sum of \$600,000.

Millinery to Sparkle With the Frost



ALTHOUGH the small hat has triumphed for four seasons it shows not the slightest sign of losing ground. And for midwinter, with fur a furure and many brilliant trimming novelties at the milliner's hand, the small hat cannot be out rivalled for beauty. Velvet and furs look unusually well with the many metallic trimmings which will sparkle along with the frost as long as winter lasts.

Besides the endless number of turban shapes there are small hats with straight brims, made of metallic nets or laces, and velvet crowns for those who prefer brimmed shapes to the turban. Among the most elegant of models are those having half the brim of velvet, bordered with a wide flange of silver or gold lace or net, and the crown of velvet. For a hat of this kind the trimming is often a collar of mink or ermine or fitch. Sometimes a big flower of metallic net, having each petal bound with fur, is used for garniture, and sometimes brilliant silk and velvet roses are used. Hats of this kind are rather difficult to make and require perfect workmanship and the best material.

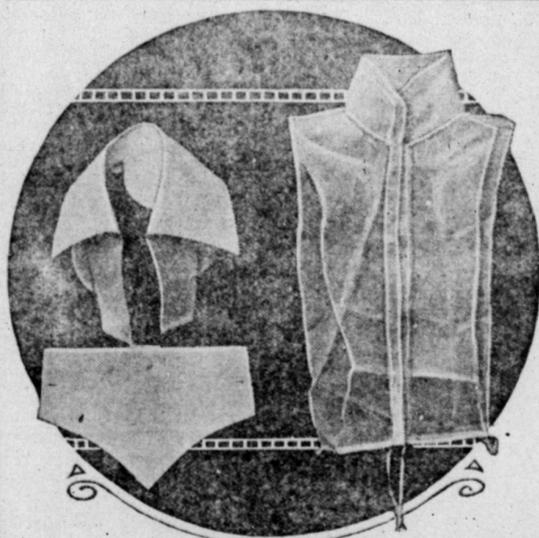
Occasionally a moderately wide-brimmed hat emphasizes just how becoming the brimmed hat can be. Usually it is trimmed with a broad band of ostrich. An example of this style is shown in the picture, and for shape and manner of trimming it cannot be improved upon.

In the pretty velvet turban at the right a narrow fringe of curled ostrich extends about the top of the coronet and the edge of the crown. An applique of fancy braid gives a touch of color at the side. Metallic ribbons are used in bows to finish turbans of this kind. This is an excellent model for women of middle age.

More distinctly suited to the matronly wearer is the turban with a wide fur band about the coronet, headed with a band of steel beads. The crown is extended to simulate a loop of velvet at the center and overhangs the coronet at the back like a tam. This method of draping the crown gives the turban the necessary height.

A collar of white fox fur is effectively worn with this smartly designed hat. Collars and boas of ostrich serve the purpose of fur. They are made in many colors and combinations of colors and are very popular.

To Be Worn With Tailored Suits



THE making of neckwear has grown into a business of really great magnitude, and those who manufacture collars and frills for the necks of women kind keep designers as busy as those who create millinery. These designers follow the trend of fashion, but must produce variations in all types of neckwear that will captivate by their daintiness and beauty and have something of novelty to recommend them.

Just now there are several distinct types of collars that are fashionable, leading off with the De Medici type, which will maintain its supremacy. Then there are roll-over and turn-over collars, and those that take their inspiration from the sailor collar. Added to these are frills that extend all around or only part way around the neck.

These several types are elaborated in all sorts of ways. There are medic collars with veestes, others with capes, and still others combined with berthas. And they are made of lace or net or sheer embroidery or organdie, embellished with fine, narrow laces with hemstitching, tucks or cords. All other types are made with as great variety in construction and material.

In finishing neck frills, velvet and satin ribbons and ribbon flowers are added to them, while the medic and sailor types, with turn-over and roll-over collars, indulge in fine embroidery, in evenly laid tucks, and in inserted cords, with hemstitching and

lingerie laces to embellish the plain sheer fabrics of which most of them are made.

Just now, to be worn with tailored suits, there are "laundered sets," by which is meant stiff collars and cuffs which are either plain or embroidered and starched into the required stiffness. One of these collars, with one of the cuffs to match, is shown in the picture. It has a small vestee and fastens up rather close about the neck. The cuff is provided with a little tab which is pinned to the coat sleeve. The crisp freshness of these sets adds street suit. Similar sets of sheer or gaudie are just as pretty.

A plain vestee with military collar, made of organdie, is also shown in the picture. The fronts of the vestee are hemstitched, the edges of the collar finished in the same way, and the collar attached to the vestee with hemstitching, which is the one decorative feature of this piece.

This standing collar is a novelty that will be welcomed by women who prefer to have the throat covered and those to whom other types are not becoming.

Among the prettiest collars, with cuffs to match, are severe and simple styles in the roll-over collar, made of organdie. Often the only ornament is a narrow, transparent fluted edge. The collars fasten up moderately close about the neck.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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

LESSON FOR NOVEMBER 29

CHRIST CRUCIFIED.

LESSON TEXT—Mark 15:22-29. (Luke 23:39-43).

GOLDEN TEXT—Surely he hath borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.—Isa. 53:4.

Last Sunday we saw Jesus on trial before Gentile power. Today's lesson brings us to the central event of his saving mission to men. We must read all four accounts of this event attentively, reverently, humbly, for it cannot be treated even as other events in the life of our Lord.

I. The Procession to Calvary, v. 21. 'Twas a physically exhausted Christ that left the judgment hall. A night of vigil, mocking, buffeting and without food since the previous evening left him too weak to bear the cross. Then it was that a son of Africa, Simon of Cyrene, was "impressed" to bear the burden. The Romans demanded that the victim bear his own cross. He accepted the human help, but refused the aid of the drug, Matt. 27:34. Luke gives us at this point the incident of the weeping woman. Mark 15:22 seems to indicate that Jesus had to be assisted to the place of the cross.

On the Cross.

II. The Place, Calvary, vv. 22-27. Here we see him, the brightness of God's glory and the express image of his person, the incarnation of truth, in whom dwelt the fullness of the God-head bodily—"crucified." Sin has done its worst. The Scriptures are fulfilled, Ps. 22:16, Zech. 12:10. It was necessary for our salvation that he should die exactly as he did, Gal. 3:10, 12; John 3:14; Deut. 21:22. Upon the parting of his garments was prophesied, Ps. 22:18. The presence of two malefactors had also been foretold, Isa. 53:9, 12.

III. The Passers-by at Calvary, vv. 29-32. The people and the priests joined in heaping scorn upon him. Even those that were crucified with him "reproached him." Yet he loved them all. There seem to have been no gibes for the two thieves, John 19:19, II Tim. 3:12. The cry of the mob now is, "save, thyself!" (v. 30), "Twas spoken in mockery, but it was necessary for the good shepherd to give his life for the sheep, John 10:11, and by so means to use his power in saving himself." They did not believe in him after the resurrection of Lazarus; is it to be believed that they would have accepted him had he "saved himself?" To have saved himself would have been for him to take himself out of the hands of God—an act of disobedience.

IV. The Person on Calvary, vv. 33-40. In the midst of this awful scene, in the confusion of the mingled cry of the mob, there is sounded one note of triumph. As Jesus was thus "lifted up from the earth" (John 12:32), one of those, his companions, ceased to revile him, and cried out, "Art thou the Christ?" and, to be literal, "If so, save us." The other seems to have had his vision cleared, for he rebukes his fellow criminal by saying that their condemnation was a just reward for their deeds. Turning to Jesus he exclaims, "Remember me . . . in thy kingdom." The answer was immediate and significant, "Today shalt thou be with me in paradise." This is a graphic illustration of the whole meaning and symbolism of the cross, in his undying hour the Savior of men loosed this sinner from his sins and granted him the right to fellowship with him in the life beyond.

Jesus hung upon the cross three hours,

Bearing shame and scoffing rude, In my place condemned he stood, Sealed my pardon with his blood, Hallelujah! what a Savior.

His Faith Triumphant.

Then God drew the curtain, for even he could not look upon that scene (II Cor. 5:21; Heb. 1:13). We do not believe the eclipse theory, but rather that God caused the darkness, another illustration of the closeness of man and nature, Rom. 8:20, 21 R. V. The dying cry, "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me," was uttered when Jesus sensed the full and complete realization of being separated from the Father. Death is not annihilation, but separation, and Jesus was separated from God the Father because of our sins, Isa. 53:6. Yet in that terrible moment his faith does not waver, for he cries, "My God." Conscious of his personal innocence, but suffering for the sins of others, his faith is triumphant.

This lesson suggests that all who study it yield themselves to a searching self-examination. Such a manifestation of divine love should call forth our utmost confidence and our unquestioned trust in our divine redeemer. The revelation of the enormity of man's sin as seen on Calvary ought to fill us with an uncompromising hatred of sin. The story of the Savior's sufferings ought to impel us to a constant conflict with sin.

Those who witnessed the event: that day saw him "stricken, smitten," but God was in him reconciling the world to himself.

HAVE YOU A CHILD?

Many women long for children, but because of some curable physical derangement are deprived of this greatest of all happiness. The women whose names follow were restored to normal health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Write and ask them about it.

"I took your Compound and have a fine, strong baby."—Mrs. JOHN MITCHELL, Massena, N. Y.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a wonderful medicine for expectant mothers."—Mrs. A. M. MYERS, Gordonville, Mo.

"I highly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before child-birth, it has done so much for me."—Mrs. E. M. DEER, R. 1, Conshohocken, Pa.

"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to build up my system and have the dearest baby girl in the world."—Mrs. MOSE BLAKELEY, Imperial, Pa.

"I praise the Compound whenever I have a chance. It did so much for me before my little girl was born."—Mrs. E. W. SANDERS, Rowlesburg, W. Va.

"I took your Compound before baby was born and feel I owe my life to it."—Mrs. WINNIE TULLIS, Winter Haven, Florida.

"By Wire." Louise Randolph smilingly confirms this tale told of her the other day: "She was in her dressing room preparing to go 'on' when the call boy announced that she was wanted at the telephone. The boy returned shortly, slightly embarrassed. 'You had better come, Miss Randolph,' he said. 'It's your daughter, and she wants to give you a kiss over the phone.'"—Green Book.

Hicks' CAPUDINE
CURES HEADACHES AND COLDS
—Easy To Take—Quick Relief—Adv.
Austrian Army.
Adjutant—Our equipment is no good.
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Sprains, Bruises, Stiff Muscles
Sloan's Liniment will save hours of suffering. For sprain or sprain it gives instant relief. It arrests inflammation and thus prevents more serious troubles developing. No need to rub it in—it acts at once, instantly relieving the pain, however severe it may be.

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SLOAN'S LINIMENT
Kills Pain

Tutt's Pills
stimulate the torpid liver, strengthen the digestive organs, regulate the bowels. A remedy for sick headache. Unequaled as an ANTI-BILIOUS MEDICINE. Elegantly sugar coated. Small dose. Price, 25c.

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AGENTS make 50% profit. Sell every medicine on sight. New invention of active therapeutic. Write Dahl Co., 31 E. 4th, New York.

ALLIES CLOSING IN ON TURKEY



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CATTLE QUARANTINE NOW ON IN TEXAS

Live Stock Sanitary Commission Takes Action Against Foot and Mouth Disease.

Fort Worth, Tex.—The quarantine forbidding the importation of cattle from all states and sections in America, north and east of Texas, except Oklahoma, Kansas, Louisiana and Arkansas, is officially established and will be maintained and enforced by the live stock sanitary commission of Texas, with or without the indorsement of Governor Colquitt, according to W. N. Waddell, chairman of the commission. A copy of the proclamation establishing the quarantine was forwarded to the governor Saturday.

"I have refrained from commenting on the power of the commission to establish and enforce a quarantine without the indorsement of the governor," said Mr. Waddell. "However, we have accorded him the courtesy of requesting his indorsement of the quarantine and an official proclamation indorsing the quarantine desired by the commission.

"I am sure that the matter of deciding whether the quarantine is desirable and necessary will be left to the commission, because it was for this kind of work that the commission was instituted.

"I am going to do exactly what I think best and proper to protect adequately the live stock industry of Texas from all danger of the foot and mouth disease. The quarantine is being established and will be maintained and enforced by the commission.

faith and visiting cattle men, in the opinion of the commission, have indorsed by their actions to continue the work of tick and scab eradication in the Panhandle.

Ten Persons Burned to Death. Marianna, Fla.—Ten persons were burned to death Wednesday when fire destroyed the main building of the Florida Reform School, an institution maintained by the state for the training of youths.

Approximately 100 students escaped by climbing through a skylight to the roof and then making their way down the sides of the three-story building on fire-escapes.

The dead include two officers of the institution and eight students. All of the latter were under 17 years of age. The list follows: Bennett Evans, instructor in carpentry; Charles Evans, guard; Earl Morris, student; Joseph Weatherbee, student; Clifford Giffords, student; Louis Haffin, student; Louis Fernandez, student; Walter Fisher, student; Waldo Drew, student; Clarence Parrott, student.

Federal Reserve Banks Opened. Washington—Although the twelve federal reserve banks began business only Monday, the federal reserve board already has before it plans for widening their field of operations and increasing their store of cash. Telegrams began to reach the treasury department shortly after Secretary McAdoo issued his formal announcement to the banks to open their doors. They contained a federal reserve agents of all the banks telegraphing their congratulations and their promises of co-operation in making the system a success.

Rope-Tied Corpse Found. San Angelo, Tex.—Small boys playing along the South Concho river Thursday found the dead body of W. A. Guthrie, a prominent citizen, in the water. Both feet of the corpse were tied with rope. The left arm was also tied with rope. It is believed that Mr. Guthrie was bound and thrown into the river.

New State Bank. Austin, Tex.—The state banking board Monday granted authority to do business to the First State bank of Big Wells, Dimmit County, capital stock \$10,000.

Goss Estate is Left to Family. Chicago.—An estate of \$610,000 was left to members of his family by the late Frederick L. Goss, printing press manufacturer, whose will was filed Thursday.

Postmaster Receives Commission. Hebronville, Tex.—Alva Dannelley has received his commission as postmaster of Hebronville, Texas. He succeeds S. E. Garcia.

TEXAS FARMERS TO RAISE HORSES FOR ALL WORLD

Demand for Good Animals is Here Now and Will Continue for a Long Time to Come.

Everywhere in Texas the cotton situation occasioned by the European war has caused our farmers to consider the diversification of farm products and has especially directed their attention to the necessity of raising more live stock. Land owners as well as the real tillers of the soil have come to a recognition of this necessity, and the fact makes the brightest outlook for the future of Texas and its preponderating agricultural interests.

We have had too much of King Cotton. Formerly, before the all-prevailing sentiment in favor of raising cotton exclusively as a money crop possessed our people, one of the chief industries of Texas was the raising of horses and many breeding farms for the production of thoroughbred sires were established, but the one-crop idea of recent years has well-nigh destroyed the opportunities for breeding good horses and many of the breeding farms have gone out of existence.

Texas farmers have now, and will have for years to come, excellent opportunities to breed horses for all the world, both of the kind required for farm work and the breeding stable, and they should take advantage of the opportunity. No phase of farm life offers the pleasure, relaxation and interest to the farmer as does the breeding of a few good horses from his farm mares. The young colts are a source of perpetual interest for every member of the farmer's family from the day they are foaled until in their old age they find themselves in the far off breeding stables. Through all the vicissitudes of a thoroughbred colt's life the pride of the producer never wanes.

Safe Either Way. A farmer in a cyclone district was building a superb stone wall. He was building the wall stanch and solid, five feet across the base and four feet high. A stranger stopped his horse and said to the farmer:

"You're taking a lot of trouble with that wall."

"You bet," the farmer answered. "I'm putting her here to stay."

"What's the good of that?" sneered the stranger. "A cyclone'll come along and she'll blow over just the same."

"Well, let her," said the farmer. "She'll be a foot higher if she does."

Not to Be Thought of. "Now let us put our heads together and see if we can't arrange matters."

"Put our heads together? That would hardly do, Maude. Your green wig and my purple hair won't harmonize."

—Take CAPUDINE— For HEADACHES and GRIP. It's Liquid—Prompt and Pleasant—Adv.

Pluck. Lawson—Jones has been married for a year now, and he still looks happy. Dawson—Jones always was a good loser.

Hanford's Balm has cured many cases of running sores of many years standing. Adv.

The Easiest Way. Fifth Avenue Pedestrian—Which is the quickest way to the morgue, officer? Traffic Cop—Just across the street.

For crushed finger thoroughly apply Hanford's Balm. Adv.

Cornered. "I saw a great deal of the war, sir." "In Louvain or Reims?" "In the illustrated papers, sir."

The surgeon knows how to get inside information.

CALOMEL MAKES YOU SICK, UGH! IT'S MERCURY AND SALIVATES

Straighten Up! Don't Lose a Day's Work! Clean Your Sluggish Liver and Bowels With "Dodson's Liver Tone."

Ugh! Calomel makes you sick. Take a dose of the vile, dangerous drug tonight and tomorrow you may lose a day's work. Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you feel sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone. Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store or dealer and get a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful tonight and if it doesn't

straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it cannot sallyate or make you sick. I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

FOUND TIME FOR AMENITIES

How British and Boers Exchanged Compliments During the Long Siege of Kimberley.

During the Boer war Mr. Rhodes was shut up in Kimberley, and the Boers constantly shelled the town with long-range artillery. They were not very successful, for with 300 big shells they only killed 12 people.

Meantime, Mr. Rhodes accomplished the extraordinary feat of getting a cannon built at his works inside the town. It was a regular modern rifled gun, and fired shells—also homemade—on each of which was stamped, "With compliments of C. J. Rhodes."

The Boers themselves were not without a sense of humor. During Christmas, 1899, they were besieging Ladysmith, and on Christmas eve they fired ten plugged shells into the town each with a piece of plum pudding inside, and each bearing the words, "With the season's compliments."

Two of the shells were found by the ear, and it was discovered that, like Mr. Rhodes, they were homemade, having been cast in a foundry at Johannesburg.

HOW TO HEAL SKIN AND SCALP TROUBLES

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, rashes, and similar itching skin and scalp troubles.

At any reliable drugist's get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stops with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.—Adv.

Men Fight On Their Stomachs

Napoleon so said. A man with a weak stomach is a poor fighter. It is difficult—almost impossible—for anyone, man or woman, if digestion is poor, to succeed in business or socially—or to enjoy life. In tablet or liquid form

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

helps weak stomachs to strong, healthy action—helps them to digest the food that makes the good, rich, red blood which nourishes the entire body. This vegetable remedy, to a great extent, puts the liver into activity—oil the machinery of the human system so that those who spend their working hours at the desk, behind the counter, or in the home are rejuvenated into vigorous health.

Has brought relief to many thousands every year for over forty years. It can relieve you and doubtless restore to you your former health and strength. At least you owe it to yourself to give it a trial. Sold by Medicine Dealers or send for trial box of Tablets—Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel & Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N.Y. You can have Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser of 1008 Pages for 31c.

Our Early Chinese Trade

The rapid growth of our early trade with China is shown by the fact that the 27 vessels carrying in 1805 nearly five and three-quarters millions' worth of goods to Canton, represented a larger fraction of our total foreign commerce than our trade with the whole of China does today. The silver imported to balance American trade with China averaged more than two and a half millions annually in the 30 years down to 1827, and reached a maximum of seven and a half millions in 1818.—John Ford, in Youth's Companion.

Higher Criticism

Visitor—"Don't you believe in the sand man?" Boston Child—"Certainly not; how could he throw through my spectacles?"

YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU

Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Watery Eyes and all other eye troubles. Write for Book of the Eye just Eye Remedy. Write for Book of the Eye just Eye Remedy. Write for Book of the Eye just Eye Remedy.

Any man might conquer the world if he had half as much perseverance as a female book agent.

Hanford's Balm should relieve even the worst burns. Adv.

The golden calf used to get a lot of worship that is now devoted to the slken calf.

MADE THE VICTORY CERTAIN

Gunner's "Announcement Naturally Brought Joy to the Heart of Artillery Captain.

With a ringing cheer the enemy advanced to attack the intrenchments. "Fire!" hoarsely shouted the artillery captain, and the roar of the guns responded, but without checking the steady advance of the enemy.

One piece remained undischarged. "Why don't you fire?" demanded the captain.

"I don't know if it's loaded," responded the gunner.

A gleam of joy lit up the stern features of the commander.

"Then victory is ours!" he shouted. "Fire it and let's find out!" The discharge mowed down the advancing column and the assault was repelled.

"Twas ever thus.

Ought to Have Been. "I wonder if there was a hot time last night."

"Where?"

"At Smith's house-warming."

Gasoline at the Poles

The Amundsen and Scott expeditions were greatly hindered through losing much of their gasoline—a loss that, in fact, had much to do with the disaster that befell Captain Scott.

Mr. B. T. Brooks of the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research thinks he knows what caused the loss. At low temperatures, he says, ordinary tin tends to pulverize. At 54 degrees below zero it pulverizes quickly and may pulverize, although more slowly, at a higher temperature.

Now, hard solder usually contains a large percentage of tin, and so, of course, disintegrates in the same way. Consequently the gasoline cans are likely to leak at the soldered seams. Mr. Brooks suggests that polar explorers carry their supplies of gasoline in containers made of glass, or of some metal unaffected by extreme cold.—Youth's Companion.

For Domestic Animals

Horses, cattle and sheep are liable to sores, sprains, galls, kicks, bruises and cuts, and Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh is the standard remedy for such cases.

When you consider how valuable your stock is, having the Balsam always on hand for them is a cheap form of insurance. Adv.

Just Mother's Way

Robbie (from the depths of a bedtime cuddle)—Mother, you member you told me today that no one could possibly love dirty, noisy little boys?

Mother—Yes, dear. What about it?

Robbie—Then what for are you huggin' me so tight?—Judge.

Father's Ultimatum

"I think two can live as cheaply as one, sir."

"You can't edge into my family on that theory, young man. I'm willing to keep on supporting my daughter, but you'll have to pay board."

Antagonizes Them

"Has Bella many friends?" "Oh, yes, but she is the sort of girl who is bound to make a few enemies among the members of her own sex."

"Why so?" "She has such a good natural complexion."

"An orator is a lad who will say: 'Needless to say,' and then takes a half hour saying it."

WHY CATCH COLD

One-half of the Deaths and Two-thirds of the Sickness is the Direct Result of Catching Cold.

Nothing could be of greater vital interest to the family than to know how to avoid catching cold.

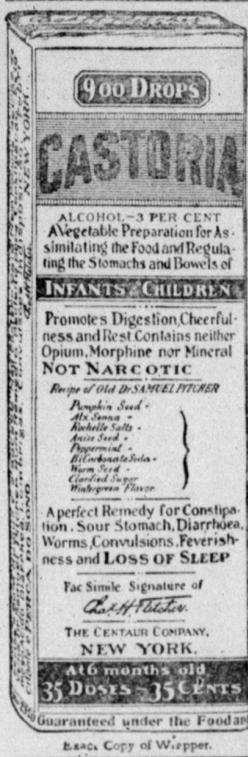
COLDS THAT KILL

If it be true, as one famous doctor says, that catching cold can be avoided, think what it means. Two-thirds of the sickness that now oppresses the people would be avoided. Serious interference with business. The anguish of anxious parents. The blasting of many brilliant dreams. All these things would be largely done away with if people knew how to avoid catching cold.

CAN BE AVOIDED

People are taught in the "ills of Life" how to avoid the ceaseless drain that catching cold makes upon the vital organs. Get it and read it and judge for yourselves of its value and practicability. It is issued by the Peruna Co., of Columbus, Ohio.

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The most successful advertisers the world has ever known are those that advertise the most when money is scarce. Some people are always looking for bargains, but when times are hard everybody is looking for bargains.

Australia, under British government, is one of the strongest wool competitors of the United States, and England has forbidden the export of Australian wool to any other than British ports. The American demand for wool and mohair will probably consume the American crop.

"Did booze ever do you any good," is part of a sign displayed over the gates of the Illinois Steel Company. Nearly all companies have put a ban on alcoholic drinks, and at the recent "Safety First" convention in Chicago alcoholic drinks were condemned by reason of the dangers from accident and the impairment of efficiency caused by them. The North Carolina board of health has condemned their use as inimical to the public health.

The most intelligent advertisers do not now attempt, nor do they desire, to control editorial policies. They have found that such control exercised by them merely decreases the advertising value of the medium. Advertising to be effective must command the confidence of the readers. The "big" advertiser is the most intelligent advertiser. When he spends his money to advertise his wares, he expects to get more money in return. To him advertising is a detail of his business. Long ago he learned that a newspaper to have real drawing power as an advertising medium must possess the confidence of the reading public. Public confidence is not possible in a newspaper whose opinions are for sale or are shaped and slanted to mercenary ends. It must be free.

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.

STATEMENT

of the ownership, management, etc. of the Kerrville Advance, published weekly at Kerrville, Kerr County, Texas, as required by Act. of August 24, 1912.

Editor Managing Editor, Business Manager, Publisher and owner T. A. Buckner, Post Office address, Kerrville, Texas.

Known bondholders, Mortgagees, etc., The Vaughn Manufacturing Co. Waterloo, Iowa.

Signed, T. A. Buckner. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of Sept., 1914.

GILBERT C. STORMS, Notary Public, Kerr Co., Texas.

The Advance editor received last week a bundle of newspapers published in Alaska which were sent by our friend J. W. Pritchett who is now located at Skagway. We judge that "Jimmie" is still in the printing business, though he didn't say. It will be remembered that "Jimmie" Pritchett once resided in Kerrville and that he got his first knowledge of the printers trade in the old Kerrville Paper office under the instruction of Wm. Smallwood.

WANTED—Farm and Ranch Land for Colonization purposes. No tract too large or too small. If you want to sell your property at your own price, on your own terms, without payment of commission, write European Mutual Colonization Co., Ltd., 633 Kress Bldg., Houston, Texas, for listing blanks and full information.

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

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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.

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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 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.

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; to Rock Springs, 80 miles, Harper 21 miles.

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

The elevation at Kerrville is 1750 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 abounds in the Kerrville 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.

I have a 32-acre place opposite Schreiner's mill on the river that I will lease for the coming year.

Gilbert C. Storms, Kerrville.

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.

We call for and deliver.

Kerrville Tailoring Co., Next door to Self's Jewelry Store.

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

E. A. Wied.

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.

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

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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

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Right in the midst of the Fall and Winter Season we find that we need Room, owing to the fact that Christmas is near at hand and we haven't room with our present large stock to show our Holiday Goods, of which we have a very large assortment, and we must make room by moving our present stock of staple merchandise regardless of the cost or profits.

HOW ARE WE GOING TO DO IT? WE KNOW HOW. THE PRICE WILL MOVE IT.
And We are Not Afraid to Put the Price on It.

This GREAT STOCK REDUCING SALE puts the goods at your mercy. Never before have we offered you such bargains right in the middle of the season, and never before have we offered you such great opportunities to save money on the Goods that you need right now. WE CHALLENGE ANY MAIL ORDER HOUSE PRICES. Bring their prices along with you and compare them with ours. We will show you that we can save you money, and besides WE CAN SHOW YOU THE ACTUAL MERCHANDISE instead of pictures of it.

Our store is now lined from floor to ceiling with New and Up-to-date Fall and Winter Goods, and we tell you again that they are going to move at any cost. Will you be here to get yours or will you let your neighbor get all the BARGAINS.

We invite you to come Early that you may get the full benefit of these BARGAINS before the stock is broken. READ BELOW AND YOU WILL SEE WHAT WE MEAN.

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Our regular \$2.50 value at **\$1.69**

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Silk finished and rubber lined
Regular \$5.00 values at **\$3.98**

Mens' Overalls

The TURKEY GOBBLER Overall, and the best overall on the market, regular price \$1.25. Sale price **89c**

Mens' Dress Pants

One lot \$2.25 and \$2.50 Mens pants, **\$1.79**
One lot \$1.25 values at **.89c**
Off lot Boys' \$1.25 knee pants, **.89c**
One lot Boys' 75c knee pants, **.43c**
Boys Suits, \$4.50 values at **3.29**
Boys Suits, \$3.50 values at **2.79**
Boys Suits, \$1.50 values at **.98c**

Mens Furnishings

Mens Linen Collars, reg. 15c values at **.09c**
Mens Dress Shirts, \$1 and 75c val., **.49c**
Mens Pongee soft Shirts \$1 to 1.50 val., **.68c**
Mens Blue Chambray Shirts, .50c val., **.35c**
Mens Grey Wool Shirts, \$1.25 val., **.98c**
Mens heavy fleeced 50c Undershirts at **.39c**
Mens heavy fleeced ribbed 50c drawers, **.39c**
Boys fleeced undershirts and drawers
Regular 40c each values at **.25c each**

Enamel Ware Assortment

This is the greatest thing we ever offered you. Just think—Nice blue and white enameled ware, large Dish Pans, large Tea Kettles, Sauce Pans, Coffee Pots, Stewers, Water Buckets, and many other large useful things that are valued at 59c to \$1.50. We are going to offer you pick of anything in this assortment for **25c each**

Gold Band Chinaware

This is High grade and beautiful ware. Regular \$1.00 set cups and saucers **69c**
Plates same ware, \$1.00 set at **69c**
Other pieces, such as bowls, pitchers, meat platters, etc., at lowest prices on earth.

Mens Hats

\$3.00 mens hats at **\$2.19**
\$2.50 mens hats at **\$1.98**
\$2.00 mens hats at **\$1.40**
\$1.50 mens hats at **\$1.19**
\$1.25 mens hats at **.98**

Mens Shoes

Mens shoes, all \$4.75 values **\$3.69**
" " " 4.50 " **3.49**
" " " 4.00 " **3.10**
" " " 3.75 " **2.98**
" " " 3.50 " **2.79**
" " " 3.00 " **2.59**
Mens rubber side house shoes
1.50 values **1.10**

Outing Flannels, Domestics and Calicos

All Outing Flannels, regular 10c and 12c grades, sale price **8c yd.**
Bleached Domestic, 10c and 12c gr., **8c yd.**
All Calicos, reg. 5c and 7c grades, **4c yd.**

Special Lot Boys Suits

One lot of Boys Suits, regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 values, this sale at **\$1.69**

Hose for All the Family

25c values, this sale for **.19c**
15c values, this sale for **.09c**
10c values, this sale for **.07c**
Mens and Womens grey mixed (cotton) Hose, at **.05c**

Little Bargains

2 Tin Cups **.05**
1 Flour Sifter **.09**
1 Lamp Globe **.05**
1 Flat File, 12 inches **.15**
1 doz. Lamp Wicks **.05**
1 Box Shoe Polish **.08**
1 doz. Pearl Buttons **.04**
2 papers pins **.04**
1 yard Elastic **.04**
1 Milk Strainer **.09**
1 revolving Egg Beater **.05**
1 yd. Ribbon any width **.09**

Ladies Shoes

Regular price \$4.00 Ladies Shoes **\$3.15**
" " 3.50 " **2.69**
" " 3.00 " **2.19**
" " 2.50 " **1.79**
" " 1.75 " **1.39**
" " 1.50 " **1.19**
" " 1.25 " **.98**

Ladies House Shoes and Slippers,
Regular \$1.50 values at **.98**

Suit Cases and Traveling Bags

\$1.25 value Suit Cases at **.98**
2.00 value Suit Cases at **1.59**
2.50 value Suit Cases at **1.89**
3.00 value Suit Cases at **2.19**
3.50 value Suit Cases at **2.89**
5.00 value Suit Cases at **3.40**
6.00 value Suit Cases at **4.75**

Mens and Womens Sweaters

\$3.50 Sweaters at **\$2.69**
3.00 Sweaters at **2.19**
2.50 Sweaters at **1.95**
2.00 Sweaters at **1.39**
1.50 Sweaters at **1.05**
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Plates, Cups and Saucers

We have secured 50 sets more Cups, Saucers and Plates and we are going to offer them to you during this sale at **25c a set**
You will have to hurry.

This is just a few of the many thousand bargains we have to offer you. But you can see what we are doing. Everything included in this sale. You will find just what you are looking for here and at about half the money.

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KERRVILLE, TEXAS

RUSSIAN CAVALRY PENETRATING GALICIA



This photograph shows a great body of the so-called irresistible cavalry of Russia crossing a broad plain in central Galicia.

COLD-EXHAUSTION CHECK BIG BATTLE

ALLIES CONTENT TO TAKE REST WHEN GERMANS LET UP IN FLANDERS AND FRANCE.

FIERCE FIGHTING IN EAST

Battles Between Russians and Germans in Poland, Where It Is Said 7,000,000 Men Are Engaged, Is Fiercest of Present War.

Summary of News to Date.

The veil of secrecy has been drawn over the battles between the Russians and the Austro-German forces. Headquarters of both armies are now confining themselves to the briefest statements concerning the hostilities, merely saying that fighting is in progress.

News coming from unofficial sources, however, shows that the German advance has penetrated further into Poland than had been disclosed previously, and that Warsaw is threatened for a second time. General von Hindenburg's army has advanced as far as the Lovicz-Skierniewice line, which means that the Germans have covered two-thirds of the ground to the Polish capital, from which they are now only forty miles distant. Further south in Poland, however, the Tontons are said to have been repulsed between Radom and Kielce.

The battle in East Prussia seems to have died down, but the Russians continue to advance in Galicia and are still fighting on the Czenstochowa-Cracow front.

The battle in Poland in the direction of Lovicz is the most critical one, and while the Germans have the greatest confidence in General von Hindenburg since his defeat of the Russian General von Rennenkampf in East Prussia, London and Petrograd military observers express the opinion that Russia's overwhelming superiority in numbers of men again must tell, as was the case when the Germans made their first attack on Warsaw.

In Flanders and in France the armies seem to be enjoying a long deserved rest, for the only remaining evidence that the belligerents are facing each other is an occasional bombardment with heavy guns. Infantry attacks have temporarily ceased, and while the generals are laying their plans for their next move, the men are getting a chance to rest and tidy themselves up after a month in the water-soaked trenches.

An eyewitness with the British headquarters, in a long statement made public Monday, gives official confirmation of the reported heavy losses the Germans have suffered in their attacks on Ypres. He speaks of decimating battalions, of hundreds of dead left before the trenches and of batches of bodies found in farm houses. The casualty lists of British officers show that the British forces also have suffered severely in the fighting.

The Servians are making a stand against the Austrians in well-chosen fortified positions on the Kolubara river, but as the Austrians command superior forces and Serbia is without allies near enough to offer her assistance, it seems apparent that unless other Balkan states come into the war Serbia is faced with defeat.

Reminiscent of the early days of the war is the report that Belgrade has been called upon to surrender. This city, the capital of Serbia, was under bombardment for weeks and was relieved only when the first Russian advance in Galicia compelled the Austrians to look after their northern frontiers. Now the Servians, like the Montenegrins, are back in their own country and the Austrians, unmindful of the second invasion of their northern provinces, are endeavoring to destroy the two little armies.

The recruiting campaign which is being carried on throughout the British Isles has resulted in bringing many men to the colors. Troops with banners flying and bands playing marched Sunday through the east end of London to Victoria Park, where speakers addressed the crowds from early morning until late in the evening.

Two big battles, either or both of which may have decisive results, are being fought in Poland, and a third conflict of almost equal importance is progressing in East Prussia.

Of the three battles that which is now at its height between the Russians and Wartha rivers, and in which the Russians claim partial success, is exciting the greatest interest. The Germans, it is believed, have brought up by their line of strategic railways in Posen and Silesia at least half a million men in an effort to break the Russian line at this point. Weather conditions, the frozen ground and the situation of the battlefield favor a battle decisive to a degree not equalled on any other field in the present war.

The other battle in Poland is taking place on the Cracow-Czenstochowa front, and both the Russians and the Germans claim it is proceeding satisfactorily for them. In East Prussia the Russian advance is moving slowly through the country surrounding the Masurian lakes, which is difficult of passage. In Galicia the Russians are moving steadily westward and at the same time are seizing the passes of the Carpathians.

There is now almost a complete absence of infantry attacks in the western arena and the artillery fighting is of much less violence. All that region about Dixmude through which the Yser canal passes is inundated and the only serious fighting at present appears to be taking place to the south of Ypres, where cannonading of considerable intensity is in progress. Very bad weather, which necessarily hampers operations, has been experienced and snow has fallen in some places. There has been no important action in the French center, but in the Argonne region the Germans have made vigorous attacks, which, the French say, were repulsed. On the French right wing the Germans have retaken the village of Chauvencourt, part of which they blew up a few days ago. The activity of the Germans in the vicinity of Rheims has slackened.

The advance by Austria into Serbia is creating uneasiness in Bulgaria as to the future of the Balkan states. The question as to whether Bulgaria should remain neutral or throw in her lot with the allies was discussed Friday in the sbranje. Leaders of the democratic party suggested that the allies should be consulted as to their intentions regarding the Balkans' future.

Italy, too, has been affected by the Austrian advance and her ambassadors at the European capitals have been called home to confer with the cabinet. Marquis Imperiali, Italian ambassador to Great Britain, will leave for Rome immediately.

The Germans are sending very strong forces of men and guns into the country between the two rivers, where the battle must be fought, hoping that in this confined area the Russians will not be able to deploy their enormous forces to advantage as they have done in practically all the previous battles.

Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander in chief, however, can choose his own battleground and probably will select it as far from the German lines of communication as he can.

The British prime minister, Mr. Asquith, has announced that the British government has decided to declare the whole of the North sea to be in the military area and that therefore all subjects of the enemy found in neutral vessels in those waters would be liable to detention as prisoners of war. Oil and copper, he has further announced, will be declared contraband of war.

The prince of Wales, who is now at the front in France, has been made an aide de camp to Field Marshal Sir John French.

English Soldier Laid to Rest.
London.—The body of Field Marshal Lord Roberts, borne on a gun carriage, moved slowly through the streets of London Thursday to its last resting place in St. Paul's Cathedral.

The streets were lined with troops while hundreds of thousands of civilians stood with bared heads in a cold rain as the funeral passed.

The cortege reached St. Paul's at noon, where services were held before a reverent throng, including King George. The body was interred alongside the remains of Wellington, Nelson, Wolsey and other famous Britons.

Lord Roberts died from natural causes last week at the headquarters of the British army in France. He was 82 years old. The body was returned to England Wednesday and Wednesday night it lay in his residence at Ascot, where brief services, attended by Lady Roberts and her daughters, were held.

It is recalled that just sixty-two years ago Thursday the body of the duke of Wellington was interred in St. Paul's Cathedral.

Lord Kitchener, secretary of war; Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, Lord Grenfell, Admiral Sir E. H. Seymour, Sir Evelyn Wood and other prominent naval and army officers followed the caisson bearing the flag-draped coffin.

King George was not in the procession. He drove from Buckingham palace direct to the cathedral cortege. This is the first time England's king has attended the funeral of a national hero since the burial of Wellington.

Preceding the caisson was a battery of Indian artillery, given this place of honor because of Lord Roberts' lifelong devotion to the king's Indian troops. His final visit to France was for the purpose of welcoming the Indian contingents and looking after their needs.

Washington.—Secretary Daniels received Friday messages from Captain Decker of the cruiser Tennessee and Captain Omar of the cruiser North Carolina, acknowledging receipt of his order that no action be taken by either ship in Turkish waters without specific instructions from Washington.

Washington.—The United States government has directed Ambassador Henry Morgenthau at Constantinople to ask the Ottoman government for an explanation of the firing by Turkish land forces at a launch from the American cruiser Tennessee proceeding from Vourlah to the American consulate at Smyrna, Asia Minor.

How Cruiser Sets Traps.
New York.—How the German cruiser Karlsruhe sets its traps for ships of nations at war with Germany was told in detail Friday by one-time passengers of the Vandyck, captured by the Karlsruhe, who arrived Friday on the Sao Paulo from Brazil.

From Captain Hans Fritsch, a member of the German naval reserve, commanding the steamer Asuncion, to which those aboard the Vandyck were transferred after the Vandyck had been captured by the Karlsruhe on Oct. 26, the passengers obtained their information.

Captain Fritsch said that the Karlsruhe was accompanied by four captured merchant vessels, manned by prize crews. The flotilla, when there was reason to believe a merchantman was near, spread out over a line about 150 miles long. When a vessel flying the enemy's flag was sighted by one of the ships the wireless notified the cruiser, and the Karlsruhe, with superior speed, would dash in and make the capture.

Captain Fritsch said the Karlsruhe had captured seventeen ships in or near equatorial Atlantic waters.

Captain Fritsch said that the Karlsruhe had captured the following vessels: Aug. 31, Maple Branch; Sept. 1, Strathroy; Sept. 14, Highland Hope; Sept. 17, Indrani; Sept. 21, Maria; a Dutch vessel, with contraband of war aboard, and Rio Icyana; Sept. 22, Cornish City; Oct. 5, Maria de Larrinaga and the Melitade; Oct. 6, Farn; Oct. 7, Lycronna; Oct. 8, Cervantes; Oct. 9, Pruth; Oct. 11, Condor; Oct. 18, Ganton; Oct. 23, Hurndale, and Oct. 25, Vandyck.

VILLA'S MARCH ON CAPITAL DELAYED

RETIRING CARRANZA TROOPS HAVE TORN UP RAILROAD LEADING TO CAPITAL.

CARRANZA'S ARMY LEAVES

The City of Mexico is Without Police Force and the National Palace Has Been Deserted.

El Paso, Tex.—The occupation by Villa troops of the City of Mexico has been delayed. It probably will not occur until after the evacuation of Vera Cruz by the American forces. This was indicated Sunday when it was learned that the retreating Carranza troops from Queretaro last week tore up several miles of railroad track leading into the City of Mexico.

Villa, who is at Irapuato with 10,000 men, has telegraphed the headquarters at Aguascalientes that General Felipe Angeles, commander in chief of the Villista artillery, is in position with 100 field and siege guns at Guadalupe, state of Jalisco, and is prepared to bombard the ancient capital of the state unless the large Carrancista garrison, which was left there by Obregon when he captured it from the federals, capitulates. While Angeles is in command of 14,500 men before Guadalupe, Augustin Serbin, Villa's daring little artillery commander of the north, is advancing on Tampico from the direction of San Luis Potosi, according to semi-official advices received from San Juan by the commanders at headquarters in Aguascalientes.

The constitutional convention, supreme in power now that Carranza has practically evacuated the City of Mexico, is going south toward Queretaro from Aguascalientes. The Villa army is pushing on south from Irapuato and is being preceded by a pioneer train of 2,000 men in command of General Carlos Dominguez y Rubio, who is repairing all of the railroad lines and reporting the positions of the enemy along the route. He has reached San Juan del Rio station and is being followed by the main command under General Villa, reports from the military telegraph say.

General Eulalio Gutierrez, provisional president ad interim, is trying to bring his brother, General Luis Gutierrez, into line, although he persists in remaining loyal to Carranza.

The Mexican capital Sunday was without a police force and without a public functionary. The National Palace is deserted, save for an occasional attendant guarding halls and doorways.

At the headquarters of General Obregon a council of war was held Saturday night to decide whether the complete evacuation of the City of Mexico, ordered by General Carranza, should be complied with. All the generals with the exception of General Blanco, attended the conference. He declared, in a signed statement, that he would not desert the capital and leave it to the marauding bands of Zapatista adherents who occupy the surrounding suburban towns.

As an evidence of good faith, General Blanco has ordered his men to take possession of the abandoned police station and has appointed Colonel Samuel Vasquez chief of police, the former chief having abandoned the city and gone to Carranza's headquarters.

Every member of the cabinet except Jose Reynoso, minister of finance, has left the City of Mexico. He declares he will remain to guard the funds left in his care until such time as he can deliver them to the responsible government.

All public buildings, banks and other institutions, as well as the schools, have been closed. There has been, however, no serious disorder.

It is predicted that the Aguascalientes convention will reassemble in the City of Mexico within a week. General Obregon left the capital Monday. He set free all the political prisoners.

Troops Leave Vera Cruz.
Washington.—Brigadier General Frederick Funston's infantry and marines, numbering about 6,000 men, Monday hauled down the stars and stripes which have been flying over Vera Cruz since last April and evacuated the Mexican port in accord with instructions from President Wilson. The five battleships at Vera Cruz and Tampico and the string of vessels on the west coast will remain indefinitely. They will continue to afford by their presence protection to Americans and be in readiness to meet emergencies.

Matamoros is Busy Fortifying.
Brownsville, Tex.—Matamoros, opposite Brownsville, the garrison of which is favorable to Carranza, has been busy fortifying and clearing the outskirts of the city as if against an attack, although there are no present indications of trouble in this vicinity.

Rome.—For the first time since his election Pope Benedict Sunday delivered an address in St. Peter's. Fifty thousand people heard his holiness speak on "Faith." Afterward the "Te Deum" was intoned.

SALAZAR ESCAPES FROM UNITED STATES CUSTODY

Former Mexican General Held at Albuquerque, New Mexico, Makes Bold Dash for Liberty.

Albuquerque, N. M.—General Jose Ynez Salazar escaped from the Bernalillo county jail at Old Albuquerque Friday night.

Two masked men scaled the fence around the jail shortly after 9 o'clock and attacked Deputy Sheriff Charles Armijo. He was alone, another deputy having been called away a few minutes before, it is said, by a fake telephone call.

Armijo reached for his revolver when one of the attackers hacked at him with a bowie knife and the other attempted to shoot him with an automatic revolver, but it jammed. He was overpowered and handcuffed to a post outside. Armijo is suffering from knife wounds. The masked men found the keys and released Salazar and then climbed into a taxicab and were whizzed toward Albuquerque, while Salazar got into a buggy and drove off.

Salazar was brought to Albuquerque from Fort Bliss last Sunday to be tried in the United States court on a charge of perjury alleged to have been committed in his attempt to obtain his release from the internic camp at Fort Wingate, New Mexico, on habeas corpus proceedings.

Posses in automobiles are searching the surrounding country. The border patrol has been notified.

Washington.—The country-wide effort to furnish aid to cotton producers and find a bottom for the cotton market came to a successful conclusion Tuesday when Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo announced the completion of the \$135,000,000 cotton loan fund. In making his announcement Mr. McAdoo declared the success of the plan was now assured.

The secretary's statement came at the end of a day devoted to efforts to secure the subscriptions necessary to complete the \$100,000,000 portion of the fund assigned to banks in non-cotton producing States.

Earlier in the day Mr. McAdoo issued a denial that the fund was about to fail and stated that it still lacked only a few million dollars to insure success.

Following this, Mr. McAdoo, Paul M. Warburg and W. P. G. Harding, members of the federal reserve board in active charge of the pool plan, took active steps to gather in the remaining millions. Kuhn, Loeb & Co. of New York, of which Mr. Warburg was a partner before he came to the board, agreed to subscribe \$2,500,000. At a luncheon given by John Skelton Williams, Bernard M. Baruch of New York said that he might invest in the fund up to \$1,500,000. His offer was taken to the extent of \$1,000,000 and the fund completed.

A few hours after Mr. Baruch's offer, word was received from several banks that they were willing to subscribe to an amount of \$2,500,000, but their assistance was not needed. As it stands, the fund is oversubscribed about \$300,000.

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One-third off on our regular Stock of hats and millinery. Come and see the bargains.

Paris Millinery Parlor.

Rev. C. E. Painter preached Sunday morning and evening at Harper in the absence of the pastor, Rev. T. F. Huffman, who went to the Baptist State Convention.

A Discount of 33 1-3 per cent will be made on all Millinery at our store from this date.

Paris Millinery Co.

Mr. B. Cunningham of Aransas Pass was in Kerrville Tuesday looking for a location.

Strohm's Sugar Bowl, the pure food Confectionery.

Mr. Alister Shand went to San Antonio Sunday to attend to his business interests there, returning Tuesday.

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John House of Yoakum was in Kerrville Tuesday.

Prof. Bagwell, Messrs. Coers and Martin, Mrs. B. Mallory, and Misses Pollyware Davenport and Willie Dobbins leave today to attend the State Teachers' Convention at San Antonio.

Mrs. A. C. Schreiner, Jr. returned Friday night from a two weeks visit in San Antonio.

Scott Schreiner visited in Houston the first of the week.

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

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Galbraith of Dalhart are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Galbraith was called home on account of the serious illness of her mother Mrs. Carr.

Rev. and Mrs. P. A. Brunner left Monday for Abilene where Mr. Brunner will enter a Sanitarium.

Ladies and gents clothes cleaned pressed and repaired. Phone 218 R. S. Newman New Schreiner building.

Mr. Gilbert Storms made a business trip to San Antonio last Monday.

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

Mr. Nelson Hatch of Big Paint was in Kerrville on business last Saturday.

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Miss Leora Rambie was the guest of Miss Leah Buckner Wednesday. She was on her return home to Bandera from a visit to Ingram.

Hot drinks that please at Strohm's Sugar Bowl.

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Mr. J. W. Chamberlain and Mr. W. A. Parker of the Bluff community were in Kerrville on business Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mr. B. Cunningham of Aransas Pass Texas is in Kerrville this week. He is looking for a location in this part of the country.

Mrs. C. E. Painter and daughter Nellie visited friends in Center Point Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hatch were in Kerrville shopping last Friday.

**For breakfast tomorrow phone for some nice Mackerel.
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Aaron Meadows, principal of the Ingram School, passed through Kerrville yesterday en route to Bandera to attend court as a witness.

Judge Lee Wallace and wife and H. C. Geddie left Monday for Bandera where the two gentlemen are interested in some cases in the District Court.

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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.

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