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YOUR HOME PAPER

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Camp Verde Letter.

(Regular Correspondence)

Mr. Editor, just come over on Verde now and you will think you have landed in California. Everything seems so Springlike.

Mrs. Lillian Oatman, who spent the summer with her mother here, returned to San Antonio, Thursday, to spend the winter there with her children.

Mrs. Laura Mathews of San Antonio and Mrs. S. A. Stocker and daughter of California are here on a visit to their mother, Mrs. Sarah Shults.

Mrs. T. H. Davis visited in Medina last week.

Chester Dickey came up from Wharton county on a few days visit to his family Thursday, returning Saturday.

Heck Jones moved into his house on the John Rees place. He bought the place from Ivey Rees and rebuilt the house.

Arthur Edwards has moved to the old Sidney-Rees place on the Guadalupe where he will truck farm next year.

Mrs. H. B. Elens is visiting her children in San Antonio.

Miss Jewel Coleman of Medina is visiting her uncle, G. C. Sutherland, here for a few days.

Ivey Rees and Geo. Sutherland are still buying and selling sheep.

Quill Stevens sold and delivered a fine bunch of sheep last week to Sid Rees of Kerrville.

Ivey Rees and family made a flying trip to Kerrville Monday.

Trespass Notice

Notice is hereby given that we have leased the hunting privileges of that part of the Melissa ranch property on head of Johnson creek, now owned by F. S. Ragland, and hunting with dog or gun or otherwise trespassing is strictly prohibited.

W. A. FAWCETT,
J. R. LEAVELL.

Medina Local Notes.

(Regular Correspondence)

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Caton and two children left Friday for a two weeks visit at Snyder. The trip was made in their Dodge.

Charlton Collins visited friends and homefolks here for several days before leaving for the training camp.

Mrs. Owens of Mena, Ark., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kelley.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lackey on Sept. 17, a fine girl.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Cox gave a farewell party Saturday night for the eight boys called to their country's service from this community. A very pleasant evening was spent in the playing of games and goodby talks, after which delicious punch, tea and cake were served.

King Gentle of the Alamo city is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Sam Adams.

Miss Dora Scallorn left Sunday afternoon for Medina Lake where she will teach this winter.

Little Vincent Hardwick is visiting relatives in Medina.

Geo. Tait is at home after a two-weeks stay in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Lackey returned home Thursday from San Antonio where they had been on a visit.

The farmers are busy in the fields since the fine rains.

A Womanless Wedding

There will be a womanless wedding at the old Union church next week, under the auspices of the Red Cross, the date to be announced later. Consider this your invitation to be present.

To Teachers and School Children

I will have Lunches, Sandwiches, and full Dinners for sale on and after October 1st.

MRS. G. W. DOYLE,
Tivy High School.

Red Cross Column

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The first box of surgical dressings is ready for shipment to Red Cross Headquarters. The box contains one hundred and forty-three and one half dozen bandages, wipes, sponges, drains, and etc. These articles, seventeen hundred and twenty two in all, represent many hours of patient, careful, painstaking work. The high standards maintained by the Red Cross in the last three years, before the demand for dressings ran up to many millions, have not been relaxed, for it must be remembered that a moment lost in handling a poorly made bandage may undo the work of the best surgeon. Kerrville's supplies, now ready for shipment, were made by the classes of Mrs. G. F. Schreiner, Mrs. H. C. Geddie, Miss Vela Burney and Mrs. L. E. King.

It is announced from Red Cross Headquarters that each American prisoner of war held in Germany will receive every two weeks through the American Red Cross committee in Switzerland, three "feed kits" containing from nine to ten pounds each. The food division of the surgeon general's office has prescribed a table of feed for each "kit" so that sufficient nutriment may be sent to take care of a prisoner until the next package arrives for him. In order to fulfill the desire of families to send feed to relatives held prisoner, arrangements will be made later for boxes to be sent to Red Cross headquarters in Switzerland to be repacked there and forwarded to Germany. The German authorities have agreed that each American shall personally sign a receipt for his "kit". At this time 101 Americans are prisoners in Germany.

Millions of bandages have already been made by the American women. Vast quantities of them have been sent abroad; the balance has been added to the necessary equipment of the thirty-six base hospitals in this country, where the storage of millions is absolutely required.

The women of Kerrville who took the course in Elementary Hygiene and Home care of the sick under the instruction of Miss Allie M. Knott, R. N. of San Antonio and who successfully passed the examination, have received their certificates from Washington. These certificates bear the signature of Woodrow Wilson, President; Wm. H. Taft Chairman Central Committee; Jane A. Delano, Chairman National Committee Nursing Service and Helen Scott Hay, Director Bureau of Instruction.

Baptist Church Notes.

Because of an important meeting at Bandera beginning next Friday morning and continuing until the following Sunday night, we will not have preaching at the Baptist church next Sunday morning or night. The usual Sunday school and Young people's meetings will be held at their usual hours.

J. R. RIDDLE, Pastor.

B. Y. P. U. Program

Missionary meeting. In all Judea. State Missions. Special music. Prayer. Introductory—Leader. Evangelizing the Lost: Teaching the saved—Miss Graves Dewees. Developing the forces in the Church—Miss Lyla Russell. Church building and Pastoral Supply—Miss Mable Moos.

We owe it to our own State to provide adequately and systematically for the financial needs of our State Mission work.—Mrs. C. C. Butt.

Governor Ferguson Impeached

The Texas Senate, sitting as a high court of impeachment, convicted Governor James E. Ferguson on ten of the twenty-one charges preferred against him by the House of Representatives, by a two-thirds vote, on last Saturday afternoon after one of the most noted and dramatic trials in the history of the United States. On eleven of the charges a two-thirds vote failed to be recorded in favor of impeachment, but on a majority vote favored conviction.

The vote was taken on each article of impeachment separately. On three charges the vote stood 27 to 4 for impeachment. The four Senators who voted against on these were Clark, Hall, Parr and Woodard. These four voted "no" on all of the twenty-one charges. Five negative votes only were cast against impeachment in two other of the charges and in these Senator Hudspeth voted "no" with the four above mentioned Senators. It is considered somewhat remarkable that Senator Hudspeth voted to impeach the governor on the \$156,000 secret loan charge when only last week his vote was recorded as against making him tell the Senate the particulars of said loan.

Taking the vote all the way through the report shows that our senator, Carlos Bee, voted nine times for conviction and 12 times against. Senator Hudspeth voted three times for and 18 times against conviction. Senator Buchanan of Ferguson's home county, Bell, did not vote "no" any single article but was recorded present and not voting on three.

If only one of the articles of impeachment had been sustained the governor would have stood convicted and would have been removed from office. With Mr. Pampell.

Mr. Byas has accepted a position with Mr. Pampell.

Mr. C. C. Butt Grocery instead of going to San Antonio to work for Wells Fargo, as we stated two weeks ago.

Mr. King and family moved to Kerrville last week where Mrs. King and the children will reside during the term of school there. The home is made for the benefit of his children's health. Mr. King will spend considerable of his time here looking after his interests.

Mr. King regrets to give up this headed family even temporarily but we hope their stay there will be pleasant and profitable.—Flores Chronicle.

Baptist Woman's Auxiliary

They meet with the Bandera church on the Fifth Sunday meeting Friday at 28, 4 p. m. Devotional—Mrs. F. P. Layton. Scripture reading. Hymn. Prayer. Reports from Societies. Special Needs of Our Association.—Mrs. King. State Missions—Mrs. Marsh. State Sanitariums—Mrs. G. Moore. War Literature—Mrs. Simms. War Schools—Mrs. A. M. Morris. Hymn. Closing chain of prayer.

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Company "D" Making Good

Dr. W. P. Dickey while on a trip to North Texas last week visited Camp Bowie at Fort Worth and found the Kerrville boys (Company "D") in the highest spirits and looking fine. The boys stated that they were faring well in every particular, with good eating, good sleeping, comfortable and sanitary quarters and kind and agreeable officers. Dr. Dickey declared that in regimental drill our boys made a fine showing.

Mason's Jars at BERRY'S.

Bandera News Letter.

Bandera County's first quota of the selective draft took fifteen of our young men and they left for Camp Travis last Wednesday. The boys were eager to go and if one should call them conscripts he would doubtless get trouble on his hands. They simply waited for their country's call and went willingly to perform whatever duty they might be asked to perform. They were: Ham Chipman, John H. ...

DR. L. WERLUM IN KERRVILLE

Dr. L. Werlum, optician of San Antonio, who makes regular visits here, will be in Kerrville at Rawson's Drug Store, Oct. 9 to 15 inclusive. Examination of the eyes free.

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New Liberty Loan

The total yearly income of all the people in this country is estimated at forty billion dollars. During the first year of the war we must find eighteen and one-half billion dollars or about forty-seven dollars for every hundred dollars that we earn.

These figures are astounding, but we can "get by," and if you will read on you will see how we are going to do it.

There are two ways in which the Government will raise this money—by taxation and borrowing money from you.

The more the government will allow you to loan to it the less it will have to tax you right now. Therefore ease your taxation by buying a Liberty Bond.

Argument about facts which have been mentioned is useless. We are in the war; we must win, and to do it the money must be found.

This is how we are going to find the money—by economizing and saving.

Duty demands it; common sense advises it, and the Government calls upon you to do it.

Waste and extravagance must go, and the money so saved loaned to the Government or given up to it in taxes to carry on the war.

Give up the money you waste on the "unnecessaries" of life, and buy a Liberty Bond with it. You will be putting by for a rainy day and serving your country at the same time.

Many people in the Eleventh District have money that they do not need until Spring. They should loan it to the Government at good interest. It is good business and good Americanism.

You do not part with your money when you buy a Liberty Bond. The Bond is as good as money; it is yours to borrow on; to sell, or do as you like with. It pays good interest too.

Taxes never come back; they pay no interest; they are a dead expense. Again we say, ease out your tax-

ation by buying a Liberty Bond.

Do not be scared at having to find all this money. Billions of it will be paid back to the farmers and workmen of this country. Billions will be loaned to our allies at interest and will form a huge National Bank account, which we can draw upon later. This country is in the position of a man who has to deny himself in order to keep his business going, but who will make a fortune if only he has sense enough to put up the money when it is needed.

Our boys are giving their lives; our friends and allies their money and their lives; the whole civilized world is fighting that Right, not Might, shall rule, that the world may be made a safe place for honest men, women, and little children, to live in.

Think over these few serious, interesting and simply told facts about Our Country, the war, and the Liberty Loan. Then do your duty to yourself and to your country—Buy a Liberty Bond.

The Big Meteor.

Of course everybody who wasn't as sound asleep as the writer saw the great meteor which fell somewhere in Texas or probably New Mexico on Monday night at 10:40 o'clock. Those who were out in the open and got a good view say it was the grandest sight ever witnessed. The great detonations following the bright light were from three to five minutes in reaching here, indicating the great distance it was from this point. The earth apparently trembled and the window pains rattled so terrific was the sound.

The report in the papers that the meteor fell near Hillsboro is not given much credence as it apparently fell in a Northwesterly direction from Kerrville. Many people at first thought it fell near Kerrville.

Grape Juice any size, at C. C. Butt Grocery.

Red Cross Column

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The membership list of the Boy Scouts of Kerrville is now complete, thanks to the untiring efforts of Mrs. George Morris, and will be forwarded to National Headquarters at once. Through the patriotism and generosity of Mr. Walter Schreiner the boys are now members of the Red Cross. There has been some delay in completing the list because of the absence of some of the Scouts. Those who signed the list and thereby pledged their support to the great National Relief Organization are: Geo. W. Doyle, Robert Russell, Merrill Doyle, Raymond Fisk, Louis Comparette, Kirk Holdsworth, Frank Moore, Geo. Russell, Harris Newman, Elmer Palmer, Bruce Magee, Frank McLean, Harold Chaney, William Rawson, Roy Smith, Chas. Wesch, Scott Fawcett, Jesse Grinstead, Ellis McDoniel, James Sutton, Gilmer Morriss, Otto Seburining, D. H. Camparotte, Robert Hagens, Elmer Parsons, Eddie Fisk, Clarence Mosel, Pam Grinstead, Chas. Grenn, Gus Coleman, William Moos.

Received this week for the General fund, Mrs. M. M. Hagens, \$1.00; Mrs. Nora Love, \$1.00; Mrs. R. Sauer, 1.00.

The Headquarters for the Kerrville section are now located in St. Louis, Mo. The enormous mail received by the Red Cross headquarters at Washington, fifteen thousand letters daily, was the chief reason for the policy of decentralization decided during the summer. This new system will mean better service to those who make inquiries of the Red Cross, and will also enable the National Headquarters to do better work. Thirteen divisions have been created, centering about thirteen large cities. Each division is in charge of a business man of recognized eminence and ability, serving without pay for the period of the period of the war. Each division manager's office will be a miniature National Headquarters with competent specialists in every kind of Red Cross work and management. Henceforth no one will need to write to National Headquarters for Red Cross information; all inquiries will be handled at the division headquarters of each section.

M. M. Hagens' House Burns

At about one o'clock last Friday morning the large two-story dwelling of M. M. Hagens, four miles below Kerrville, was burned to the ground. There was nothing saved from the building except three mattresses, a pillow or two and a few clothes that Mr. Hagens snatched from a closet, besides Miss Mabel's cedar chest. The loss is estimated at more than \$3,000 and insurance to the amount of \$1500 was carried by Mr. Hagens.

There is no possible clue as to how it caught fire. The family were aroused by the flames in the kitchen and dining room and before they hardly realized it the building was a mass of flames. Mr. Hagens does not lay it to incendiarism but cannot account for it catching any other way as there was no fire in the house.

M. W. A. Notice.

All members are urged to be present at the regular meeting next Thursday night, Oct. 11th. Voting on ratification of the new "patriotic special" rate will be a special order of business. Don't forget it.

I. A. Mosty, Consul.

A car load of Tidal Wave and Galveston Bell Flour just received. Try a Sack of this splendid flour and be convinced of its excellent quality. West Texas Supply Co.

Bandera News Letter.

The Baptist Fifth Sunday Meeting which was in session here from Friday morning until Sunday night was well attended and was considered one of the best ever held in the Association. Rev. J. P. King was elected as Associational Missionary and has given notice that he will resign his pastorates at Bandera and Tarpley after the second Sunday in Oct. and enter upon his new work.

Mrs. Nation-Smith was re-employed as Missionary in the Mexican work. The meeting of the Womans Auxiliary, presided over by Mrs. Newman of Kerrville, was considered one of the very best ever yet held. And the B. Y. P. U. Rally on Sunday afternoon was splendid. The following visiting ministers were present: D. H. Palmer of Medina; S. F. Marsh, Junction, J. B. Riddle and R. A. Cohron, Kerrville; B. W. N. Sims, Center Point. The following churches were represented in the Executive Board meeting Saturday afternoon: Junction, Medina, Ingram, Kerrville, Williams Creek, Camp Verde, Pipe Creek, Center Point and Bandera. The salary of the Associational Missionary was fixed at \$1000, one-half to be paid by the Association and application made to the State Board for other half.

F. A. Cooke was here from San Antonio Friday and bought 40 head of horses and mules and on Saturday Frank Kring came over from Kerrville with 12 head he bought over there and bought 70 head more here. All together more than \$12,000 was turned loose here the two days among our farmers which will be of untold good.

The gins have turned out more than 200 bales of cotton so far. One man, J. A. Miller, has had ginned 50 bales.

The boy Scouts armed themselves with rakes Saturday and proceeded to clean up the streets. All loose rocks were raked together and hauled off.

C. C. Burris and family have moved out to the old Ike Stevens place which they have rented for another year.

The public school is moving off nicely under the able management of Superintendent Leslie Fawcett.

The busiest men in Bandera these days are Bob Fletcher, Joe Short and Dr. J. O. Butler who constitute the Bandera County Exemption Board. The second quota of Bandera's selected men, 17 in number, will have to report next week at Camp Travis. This will complete Bandera county's first call under the draft of 35 men.

Queen Esther Circle

The Queen Esther Circle held a business session last Saturday at the Parsonage, elected to fill vacancies caused by our girls going to teach or to school. Miss Dora Krause was chosen president and Miss Lurel Paine secretary.

Baptist Church Notes.

Our fifth Sunday meeting at Bandera was the best in way of a good representation we have had for quite awhile, but as the Editor of the Advance was on hand I hope he will give an account of this good meeting.

You are again invited to attend our meetings next Sunday, as we are to have all our regular services. Rev. S. F. Marsh, of Junction preached a fine sermon at our church last Sunday night. Now if you can't attend preaching this fine weather I would like to hear your excuse. We hope to have one of our own women who now lives in San Antonio sing for us next Sunday.

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Will Enforce Automobile Law

Kerrville, Texas, October 1, 1917. To Whom It May Concern,

The law passed by the Thirty Fifth Legislature of Texas, regulating the use of motor vehicles provides among many other things that:

1. Each motor vehicle shall have two number plates one on front and one on rear, while in use on the public street or highway, said number plate to be those prescribed by the Highway Department of Texas.

2. Each motor vehicle shall have the seal for the current year on the front.

3. Each motor vehicle shall have a bell, gong, horn or whistle.

4. Each must have at night and in foggy weather two front and one rear lights.

5. These must be white lights that do not produce a glare.

6. Each must have adequate brakes when in use.

7. No "muffler cutouts" or devices causing unusual noises are allowed.

8. No intoxicated person may operate a motor vehicle on the public highway.

9. No person shall employ an unlicensed chauffeur.

10. No person shall allow his vehicle to be used by any chauffeur who has no right to do so.

11. When vehicle is stopped on streets brakes must be set and mo-

tor stopped if left unattended.

12. Must not drive at unreasonable speed, and in city not at greater speed than fifteen miles per hour, and all racing on highways is prohibited.

13. Must observe rules of the road.

A fine not to exceed \$100 is provided for the violation of any of the provisions of said law.

This is to give notice that beginning at midnight of Friday the 5th inst. I will attempt to impartially enforce all the provisions of this law and prosecution will be made of all violations by any person whomsoever.

HY. STAUDT,
Constable, Pre. No. 1, Kerr Co.

Rally Day in the Methodist Sunday School

After the regular session of the Sunday school at 9:45, members of the school will give the Rally Day program at 10:30 consisting of songs, drills and exercises, together with special songs and a solo by Miss Watters. A round table talk will be conducted by the superintendent, Judge H. C. Geddie, in which several teachers will take part. The special offering will be given to the cause of missions. Each member of the Sunday School is expected to bring one new pupil.

Remember the time 10:30, and there will be no preaching service.

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What National Prohibition Means.

From the noise that is made about it among the wets, one might think prohibition meant murder. It doesn't.

It simply means more food, and that means lower food prices.

It means more efficient labor, and that means greater output, and that means lower prices again.

It means that the men who are now making beer and whiskey will begin to make the equivalent of what they consume, and that, again means lower prices for you.

It means more car space for legitimate commodities, and that means faster handling of freight, and that means lower prices.

It means more ship tonnage to be used in transporting material for our boys in France and for our allies, and that means not only lower prices for our allies, but the lives of American boys saved for America.

Incidentally, it means less crime, and that means less taxes. It means less pauperism, and that means less taxes. It means less insanity, and that means less taxes. It means less disease and death, and THAT means infinite myriads of things for the good old U. S. A!

Couldn't Find it.

Howard, who was in the third grade of rural school, was evidently "absorbing" some of the seventh grade literature also, as one evening he said to his brother: "Roy, do you remember where it is in 'Evangeline' that Brutus kills Caesar?"

Clamorous.

A New Jersey man wants the ringing of a church bell near his home enjoined. He says it is so clamorous that it shook him out of bed Sunday morning. But he didn't go to church.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Yellow.

The United States produces one-fifth of the world's gold. Excepting the Transvaal, this country far outranks all other countries in turning out the yellow metal.—New York Telegram.

On the Square, It Is.

It is queer they allow an expression like "the four corners of the earth" to survive after all the pains our "joggerly" teachers take to make us think the earth is round.—Exchange.

She May Yet.

A woman whose hands are occupied in housework becomes such an adept in holding things in her mouth it is a wonder she never tried to hold the baby that way.

Optimism That Fades.

It is easy to be an optimist when everything is lovely and no clouds are in your sky—but that kind of optimism becomes blighted when the first frost comes.

Not Always Weaker.

We often hear of the weaker sex, in spite of which Fortune is seldom as strong as Misfortune.—Philadelphia Record.

The Philosopher.

A philosopher is a fellow who manages to say what you knew all along but don't realize you did until he said it.

Big Revenue Producer.

In proportion to its size, Monaco produces a richer royal revenue than any other country.

Too Big a Burden.

Don't carry the whole world on your shoulders.

Too Common.

And sweets grown common lose their dear delight.

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 route, carrying passengers in autos, 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 45.25 miles; to Bandera and Medina City, 25 miles; to Junction 60 miles; 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 \$10,000 has been spent 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.

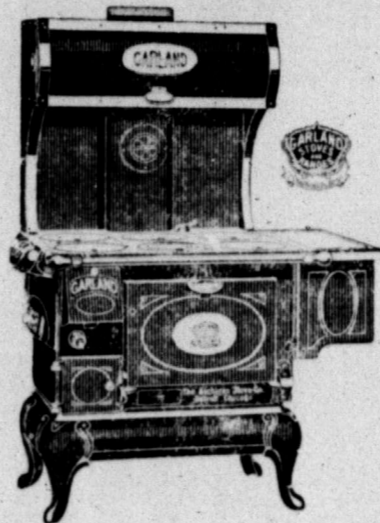
The climate of the Kerrville country is unsurpassed. The winters are short and generally mild and invigorating owing to the dryness of the climate and the prevalence of sunshine. The summers are cool and delightful, and the mountain air is pure and bracing. Game abounds in the Kerrville country, and 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.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church

Holy Communion 1st Sunday.
Morning prayer 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays 10:30 a. m.
Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Morris Ranch 3rd Sunday 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Turtle Creek 4th Sunday 3:30 p. m.
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Catholic Church Notes

(By Father Kemper)

During the past week the sacrament of baptism was administered to Miss Ruth Stevens of Camp Verde and to Mr. Millard V. Stevens who was also admitted to the reception of his first Holy Communion. The funeral of Mrs. Annie Rotge, one of the oldest pioneers on Quinlan Creek, took place last Wednesday. On the previous Sunday little Jose Silvas was laid to rest in the Guadalupe cemetery.

Ringling day enticed many of the parishners to San Antonio. Miss Angeline Kemper went down in her car with her twin nephews and Miss Matilda Funke, who had so successfully managed the Vacation Camp for the Daughters of Isabella. She returned with Mrs. W. G. Carpenter and children. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mosel seized this opportunity to pay a visit to their daughter, Hilda, who is establishing an enviable record at Draughon's College and has been warmly welcomed into a wide circle of friends among elite families in the metropolis. Next Sunday the order of services will be as follows: the sacrifice of the altar at our Lady of Guadalupe 8:15 A. M., High Mass at St. Mary's Church 10:15 A. M., public Bible Class at 2:30 P. M. Everybody welcome at all times!

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Local Notes

Eyes tested, glasses fitted. Self.

Mrs. Lou Wharton of the divide is spending a few days in this city.

Feed of all kinds, the best we can buy. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Rudolph Stehling made a business visit to San Antonio Monday.

Uncle Sam's Breakfast Food, at C. C. Butt Grocery.

Walter Mayfield was here from Medina Monday for seed oats for fall planting.

Smart Styles in New-Fall Stationery at Rock Drug Store.

Maxwell House Coffee. Excellent. Try it. C. C. Butt Grocery.

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J. R. Mayhugh of Hunt was in this city on business Tuesday.

Trunks and handbags, a good stock at reasonable prices. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watters of San Antonio visited Mr. Frank Watters and family here the latter part of last week.

New shipment of Premier salad dressing just in. It's just what you have been looking for. BERRY'S.

School shoes and men's and women's shoes of latest and best styles, also a few pairs of last years stock at old prices. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Package and Bulk Cakes, C. C. Butt Grocery.

Ed. and Adam Morriss and Carl Morriss were in the city Monday from Big Paint.

Hydro-Puro, the modern washing powder. Try it. C. C. Butt Grocery.

R. D. Garrison and family of the West Prong of the Medina were in this city shopping Monday.

See the announcement of the new flour in the big ad of West Texas Supply Co.

Lost on streets of Kerrville, child's shoe, aged two years. Please leave at Advance office.

New Fall Serge and Suiting for skirts and suits, at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Emmett Nichols of Comfort spent Monday and Tuesday in this city.

Get the best when you buy--Golden Age Macaroni, Spaghetti and Vemicelli, at BERRY'S.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morriss left yesterday for Big Paint to spend a few days visiting their sons, Ed. and Adam.

Good sorghum molasses in barrel West Texas Supply Co.

Forrest Byas was a business visitor to San Antonio last Thursday.

Ferry's new garden seeds at Berry's.

Mrs. J. T. Moore had as her guests the past week her brother, A. H. Bishop of New Mexico and her sister, Mrs. Kern, of Mason.

Get a Regal Washer, at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Get our price on the best cotton seed meal, price just right at H. Noll Stock Co.

Mason's Jars at BERRY'S.

Mrs. T. A. Buekner and daughter Emma Ruth visited W. S. Mayfield and family in Center Point last Sunday.

Just received 3000 yards check Gingham, pretty patterns, 15c yd. H. Noll Stock Co.

All plain and fancy cakes for the school lunch. BERRY'S.

A large number of Kerrville people, too numerous to mention, attended Ringling's circus in San Antonio Saturday and report it the best ever.

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Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Breeden and daughter, Mrs. H. C. Stevenson, of Memphis, Tenn., are late arrivals in Kerrville and for the present are stopping at the St. Charles.

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English style Jams, Jellies, and conserves at reasonable prices at BERRY'S.

Mrs. Fannie Williams left Tuesday morning on a few months visit to her son and family at Corpus Christi. The hotel will be in charge of Mrs. H. I. Hardin while she is away.

We naveor nistribution Number Alates following car owners, on presentation of cards received with seals: Dr. H. E. Williams, Herman Schulze, M. Holekamp, R. L. Jonas, and A. T. Adkins. Lee Mason & Son.

If everybody will assist the officers who are attempting to enforce the laws governing automobiles, there will be no trouble. But if you begin criticising their efforts you will not only hinder them but put yourself in the way of the public welfare. For everybody knows how the traffic laws are violated here every day, especially the speed law.

The best of Winter rye seed and barley seed just arrived at H. Noll Stock Co.

Miss Isabel Mendenhall who has so ably managed the Western Union Telegraph office here since last winter, has been transferred by the company to New York City and expects to leave to day. She is succeeded here by Mrs. Lula Buzarde, formerly of Galveston, who is now in charge of the office.

Good rich wheat bran \$2.15 per 100 lb. sack at H. Noll Stock Co.

W. J. McDoniel who is employed as night police at the new Katy terminals San Antonio spent Sunday with his family here.

Seed Rye for fall planting at West Texas Supply Co.

Mr. H. Welge and family went up to Junction Sunday where they were met by the families of R. B. Jordan, O. W. Jordan and Hartgraves of Sonora and all had a picnic dinner together.

Economy cow feed, the best, at \$2.25 per sack at H. Noll Stock Co.

A. M. Morriss and his grandson, Morris Hanis, left Monday afternoon for Mason where the young man had been summoned as a witness in the murder trial of the deserted soldier who killed the deputy sheriff recently at Junction.

Hay by the bale, the ton, or the car load, at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Doyle Grinstead who is a member of the 115th aerial squadron at the Kelley Field, San Antonio, spent last week with his homefolks here.

The following people from Kerrville attended the B. Y. P. U. rally at Bandera last Sunday afternoon: Miss Graves Dewees, Mrs. Clyde Phelps, Mrs. W. B. Burton, Miss Ruth Taquard, Messrs. A. B. Burton, Oliver Byas and Eugene Butt.

Robert L. Bennett has accepted the position in the postoffice recently vacated by Mark Mosty who enlisted in the navy. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett have moved into one of the Jarmon cottages.

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 Why will parents cease to show their affection for their children when they have become old enough to appreciate and long to be petted? Some parents will say they have no time for such foolishness after the child has passed his babyhood. But does it take any more time to speak a cheery word, imprint a breezy kiss or impart a loving hug than it does to scold, slap or perhaps push your child out of your way? How many of you have not in times passed at some crisis in your lives, felt that you would give years of your life to lay your head in mother's lap and feel her hand rest like a benediction on a tired head; feel father's arms lovingly around you in sympathetic understanding? I have, and I am--well, no matter how old. And I feel at times even yet that I would give much for a little petting (I like the word) from my mother or father. As a teacher I have found that children who come from homes where these forms of endearment and affection are indulged in, are by far the most easily managed and the most courteous of children. You may say, "My child does not want to be petted." Try him and see. --Selected.

Notice of Hearing to Appropriate Public Waters
 THE STATE OF TEXAS, No. 232.
 Notice is hereby given to whom concerned, that R. F. Hunt, whose postoffice address is Kerrville, Texas, did on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1917, file an application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, in which he applies for a permit to appropriate 11.2 cubic feet of water per second of time for the purpose of irrigating certain lands hereinafter described, from the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, to be diverted from the Guadalupe river, by means of a pumping plant, located on the Samuel Wallace Survey No. 112, and on the north bank of the Guadalupe river, two miles in a southeasterly direction from the town of Kerrville, in Kerr County, Texas.
 You are hereby further noticed that the lands proposed to be irrigated consist of a part of the said Samuel Wallace Survey No. 112, described by metes and bounds in the application aggregating 26 acres, and situated in Kerr County, Texas.
 A hearing on the said application of the said R. F. Hunt will be held by the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at its office, in the City of Austin, County of Travis, said State, on Monday, the 29th day of October, A. D. 1917, beginning at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.
 Given under, and by virtue of, an order of the Board of Water Engineers of the State of Texas, at the office of said Board, in Austin, Texas, this 1st day of October, A. D., 1917.
 John Wilson, E. B. Gore, Board.
 Attest: W. T. Potter, Secretary.

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Parent-Teachers Club
 The Parent Teachers Club will meet in School Auditorium at 4 o'clock on Wednesday, Oct. 10th, at which meeting all who are interested in the school in any way will be made welcome. The program for the day will be:
 Prayer--Rev. Schleifer.
 Music--Miss Herzog.
 Roll Call and Minutes.
 Music, Piano and Violin--Scott and Lois Fawcett.
 What has been done and what will be done in the Domestic Science Room--Miss Florence M. Smith.
 Music--Miss Minnie Dietert.

Sheep For Sale.
 I have 140 ewes, 25 lambs and bucks for sale. Phone 20 W.
 Albert Real, Kerrville, Texas.

Masonic Notice!
 Brethren take notice: Tuesday Oct. 9, is regular meeting night. A good attendance is requested. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
 E. Galbraith W. M.

For Sale--Vendor's Lien Notes to the value of \$350 bearing 8 per cent interest. Will give one year's interest as a bonus to buyer. Apply at Advance office.

Those who attended the Fifth Sunday meeting at Bandera from Kerrville were: Rev. J. B. Riddle, Rev. R. A. Cochran, Mrs. R. S. Newman and son Harris, Mrs. Nation Smith, Mrs. T. B. Peterson, Mrs. W. H. Rawson and son William Henry, Mrs. H. B. Clapp and son Reuben, Mrs. D. N. Hodges, Mrs. A. M. Morriss.

The fire boys had a call to the Mack Burney place last Saturday where fire was reported but it was extinguished before they arrived. Also on Tuesday a call was turned in that Ally Beitel's house was on fire but was only the overturning of an ironing furnace and was extinguished before the company had hardly gotten started.

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 W. A. FAWCETT,
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I will have Lunches, Sandwiches, and full Dinners for sale on and after October 1st.
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Wanted to buy—Old sacks of all kinds, oat, wheat, bran, etc. Bring to Adkins Barber Shop.
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Sleeplessness.

When you are sleepless for no other apparent reason than that you just cannot get to sleep try the following remedy: "Take seven to ten" cloves. Place them in a cup. Pour on a cupful of boiling water. Let steep for ten minutes. Add a dash of nutmeg. Sweeten with wild honey. Drink before going to bed. It works in nine cases out of ten in all those instances in which sleeplessness does not arise from some deep-seated disorder.

Which Was Which?

Jimmy's mother had told him to stay near the window and watch for the bride and groom and come and tell her when he saw them coming. After waiting for some time his patience was rewarded, but he forgot to run and tell his mother. When they were quite near he suddenly remembered and called out lustily: "Mamma, here comes the bride and the groom."—Christian Herald.

A Thimble for a Mouse Trap.

Put some moist cornmeal in an ordinary thimble. Then put a china bowl, upside down, the edge resting on the large end of the thimble. The mouse will go under the bowl and begin to nibble at the meal, pushing the thimble outward to secure the last bits of meal, adhering to the sides. This will cause the bowl to slip down over the mouse.

Fixing the Responsibility.

While taking up a collection in church one Sunday, a little boy was seated in a section reserved for children for that particular service. Upon watching the children contribute their pennies and being under the impression that he had to contribute, he called out loudly: "I'm with my mother."

Birthdays.

Little Peter, who had had his first experience of a death in the family, recently, and whose most vivid impressions had been those of birthday parties, sat thinking about these widely contrasting features of life. "Mamma," he said, "do you have birthdays after you are dead?"

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