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KERRVILLE, KERR COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1904.

NO. 20

Holiday Goods.

My stock is more complete than last year. I have a better grade of goods than before.

Nothing else is so appropriate for a Holiday Present as a Watch or piece of Jewelry.

Come in and let me show you what a nice present you can get for a small amount of money.

SELF, the Jeweler,
Rock Drug and Jewelry Store.

Prisoner Made Escape.

Texarkana, Tex., Nov. 6.—Wesley Traylor, City Marshal of Ashdown, Ark., who is under indictment by the Bowie county grand jury for the killing of an Iron Mountain negro train porter at this place on the night of Sept. 15, was brought here yesterday on a writ of habeas corpus, on application of bail, which was to have been heard before District Judge P. A. Turner in chambers this morning at the office of Justice Henry. Last night, however, the prisoner succeeded in making his escape and is still at Jarge Sheriff Morris, when seen this morning, explained that about 8 o'clock last night the prisoner requested that he be taken to the hotel, where his mother was stopping, as he desired to see her for a few minutes. The officer readily complied and went with the prisoner to the foot of the stairs at the hotel, where he waited while Traylor ascended to his mother's room, which was situated right at the head of the stairs. The sheriff waited a short time and as the prisoner did not return he walked up only to find his man had disappeared, having gone down a private stairway to the street and afterward made his way off in the darkness.

Sheriff Morris knew of this stairway, but as it is seldom used had forgotten its existence. Besides he had no thought that Traylor had the remotest inclination to escape, as he had previously come in and voluntarily surrendered as soon as he heard of the charge pending against him. Officers are now out in all directions looking for the fugitive. The escape has created quite a sensation.

Complete Election Returns.

The General Election at Kerrville passed off very quietly. The vote was light at this place as was the case at other voting boxes in the county. The day was perfect and while considerable electioneering was done, the people were good-natured and the day passed very pleasantly, notwithstanding the tedium of voting under the new election law which was not fully understood by the voters. All election officers who have been inviewed on the subject are well pleased with the new law. This has beyond question been the quietest and most satisfactory election held in Texas for years.

Names of the Candidates and the offices sought for:	Kerrville.	Cent. Point.	Cypress.	Sunset.	Japodica.	Ingram.	Turtle Crk.	Witt.	Frio.	Live Oak.	South Fork.	Total.
County Judge, Julius Real	162	76	47	23	13	35	24	10	23	23	23	480
" " Lee Wallace	136	81	22	22	58	9	3	15	7	4	4	358
County Attorney, C. C. Lockett	119	63	12	13	17	42	11	10	14	12	12	325
" " W. E. Smith	131	51	24	13	38	18	24	9	9	13	13	356
Co. and Dist. Clerk, J. M. Hamilton	184	82	27	24	27	13	30	6	22	9	9	473
" " A. H. Moore	117	68	19	11	68	20	17	8	8	18	18	363
County Treasurer, J. L. Vining	258	148	43	40	36	79	31	41	20	30	26	752
County Surveyor, A. L. Starkey	251	147	44	39	34	78	32	44	24	28	25	746
Sheriff and Tax Collector, J. T. Moore	268	154	48	39	35	75	32	40	30	30	27	784
Tax Assessor, Otto Dietert	251	98	45	36	32	84	29	43	19	23	27	687
" " J. W. Burney	40	47	3	11	4	11	5	3	4	4	1	133
Hide and Ant'l Insp'r, Wm. Boelmann	51	8	0	2	5	9	1	4	3			69
" " W. J. McDaniel	94	44	15	7	16	41	12	11	10	7	9	269
" " S. M. Skinner	140	91	24	36	15	40	10	20	11	22	10	432

The Democratic State Ticket won by the usual majority. R. H. Burney, District Judge, and C. C. Harris, District Attorney of 38th Judicial District were elected without opposition.

Returns received so far show Burnett's majority for Representative in this county to be 265. Incomplete returns show his majority to be about 280 in the District.

Real's majority for County Judge will be approximately 124.

Hamilton's majority for County Clerk is 110.

W. E. Smith was elected County Attorney by about 30 majority.

E. A. Karger was re-elected Commissioner, Precinct 1, without opposition, as was also H. Schulze, of Precinct 3. Rees was elected Commissioner Precinct 2 by 13 majority. D. R. Watson was elected Commissioner Precinct 4 by 50 majority.

Justices of the Peace were elected as follows: Precinct No. 1, E. H. Turner; Precinct No. 2, Jas. Crotty; Precinct No. 3, H. Schulze; Precinct No. 4, Jas. Spicer; Precinct No. 6, H. P. McNealy.

Negroes Warned Away.

Coal Creek, Col., Nov. 6.—The killing in cold blood of Marshal Bates of Coal Creek, a coal mining town in Fremont county by two negroes, Grant and Wesley Thompson, whom he was trying to arrest

disturbing the peace, has caused the white residents to issue a warning to all negroes to leave the camp.

Many negroes have already left town. If any insist on remaining it is feared bloodshed will result. The white charge the negroes with numerous crimes, committed since the latter were imported into the camp a year ago to take the places of striking coal miners.

A Foul Crime.

Marshall, Mo., Nov. 4.—The body of Miss Rosa Butts, aged 23 years, a white servant girl of this city, was found today in the suburbs of South Marshall in a pasture. The girl evidently had evidently had been murdered. Her throat had been cut with a sharp stick, a piece of which still remained in the flesh. Her left ear had been cut and there was a bullet hole in her head. There was evidence that the girl had made a struggle for her life. A cigarette near the body and bloody tracks leading away from the spot are the only tangible clues. Miss Butts was seen late Wednesday night, according to her sister, with two young men, one of whom she says she can recognize. Neither of the men have been located.

Killed by Bursting Wheel.

Castoville, Tex., Nov. 6.—Albert Benke of the upper Geronimo was killed yesterday by a bursting of the fly wheel of a drilling machine. Mr. Benke was drilling a well when the wheel bursted, a fragment striking him on the head and fracturing the skull. He lived several hours after receiving the wound.

A Mexican living on the lower Medina was brought into town today suffering from a gunshot wound. The man loaded the gun, and in setting it down, the weapon was discharged, the contents entering the arm just below the shoulder point.

First Temple Trolley Car.

Temple, Tex., Nov. 3.—The first car on the interurban trolley line was started today and made the run from Main street and Avenue G to the powerhouse at Midway. Two cars were in the train, and they contained a number of specially invited guests. Messrs. Kretz and Ahrens, who are in charge of the construction work, arranged the trip, which was in the nature of a trial run. On account of the day being circus day not as large a crowd was attracted to the starting point as would otherwise have been the case.

Brenham Killing.

Brenham, Texas, Nov. 7.—The body of Alvin Doleshal, the man shot Thursday afternoon, was removed from the Felscher hotel to the undertaking establishment and prepared for shipment to his home in Nelsonville, and accompanied by his brother, Mr. Julius Doleshal, who was also his partner in the blacksmith business, and a relative of the dead man's wife, Mr. Fred Bell of Kenny, accompanied the remains home to his young wife and little 2 weeks' old baby boy.

Mr. Doleshal was 32 years of age and a member of the order of Herman Sons, a man who stood well in the community in which he resided. In addition to the young wife and little baby, he leaves a mother, two brothers and three sisters.

An interview was held with Mr. Julius Doleshal, the brother that came up to look after the remains Friday morning, and asked him in reference to the former difficulty between Cheronosky and his brother. He said that they were at the hall where a fest was in progress one night several years ago; that Cheronosky cursed his brother and dared him out of the hall. His brother took the cursing for some time, but finally jumped out of the door through which the light was streaming into the dark, and that Cheronosky started at him. His brother warned him not advance on him, and as he came shot him. The grand jury investigated the case and refused to find an indictment against his brother for the shooting, though he paid a fine for carrying a six-shooter.

He stated that the men had met many times since that affray, both at Brenham and at Nelsonville. "I have heard my brother say that he believed that Charley had got over their former trouble and that he was very glad that he did not kill him, and Cheronosky pretended to be a friend of mine."

Cheronosky was asked what he was doing marching around town with a shot gun, and he replied that he was going out bird hunting, and he was then asked why he didn't have a dog with him and get someone to go with him, his friend that had been going around with him having disappeared at that time. This was about ten minutes before the shooting occurred, and at Schmid Bros. corner, and the killing occurred on the same street, one block east.

Good On Circus Day.

Temple, Tex., Nov. 4.—The usual accidents that are attendant upon the gathering of circus crowds were entirely absent in Temple yesterday during the performances of the circus. The detective department of the circus pronounced the Temple crowds the most orderly and easily handled of any encountered in Texas. A few arrests for plain drunks was all the grist that came to the peace officers mills. There were two narrow escapes from accidents reported. A negro while passing the residence of Dr. J. R. Rucker on North Main street was struck in the head by a shot from a pistol. The bullet was a small calibre and the negro's head proved an effectual barrier to its further progress. The shot came apparently from nowhere and was probably discharged without malicious intent. Herbert Langster, a white boy, was struck in the face by a rock thrown by some miscreant while passing the Exchange Hotel. He was not seriously hurt.

AN INVITATION.

Is extended you to make our store a visit when you come to San Antonio. You will be repaid in our Fall Display of Good Clothes for the man, Youth and boy is a sight worth seeing. The clothes are the uncommon kind, with a wider range of styles and prices than we've ever shown before.

If you cannot come to San Antonio, we invite you to take advantage of Our Mail Order Department. We'll serve you equally as well as though you were in Our Store.

Men's Suits, \$10.00 and up. Youth's Suits, \$10.00 and up. Boys Suits, \$2.00 and up.

Everything in Shirts, Hats, Fancy Vests, Odd Trousers and Furnishings for the man and boy, Ready too.

WASHER BROS.
SAN ANTONIO, TEX.



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OSCAR ROSENTHAL, Proprietor,

NEXT DOOR TO POSTOFFICE, KERRVILLE, TEXAS.

Dry Goods

Here's Where We Shine.

Our Stock in this department is right up to the minute including Dress Goods, Clothing and Furnishings, and the prices are so low they will astonish you. All that's newest and latest. No trouble to show goods and make prices.

Rosenthal.

Every Day Is Bargain Day

Every Item Is a Bargain.

Groceries

Here's where you come in good and strong; if we can't save you money on groceries, we don't want your trade, and we won't get it, and we know that too. So we give more pure, wholesome groceries for the money than any house in this county. Come and see about it.

Rosenthal.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Gathered Here and There By SUN Reporters.

Men's and Boy's sweaters, all colors and sizes at the Famous.

Jas. Matthews of Japonica, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

Sam O. Hammond left Wednesday for San Angelo.

Otto Dietert made a trip to San Antonio Wednesday.

W. J. Moore, of Center Point, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Our Christmas goods will arrive in a few days.

KERRVILLE BOOK STORE.

Alex Cravey, of the South Fork community, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

Benzo-Lotion

For chaps and freckles.

25c.

Rock Drug Store.

Henry McNealy of Ingram was among the visitors in Kerrville Thursday.

H. E. Hilderbrand, president of the San Antonio Business Men's Club, was a visitor in Kerrville Tuesday.

Hugo Wiedenfeld, was in Kerrville Wednesday from his home on Cypress creek.

Walter Vann came up Tuesday from Austin to vote in the general election.

Clytus Burney, who came home Tuesday, from the University at Austin, to vote in the general election, returned Wednesday.

Oysterettes, 5c at Kinney's.

H. B. Edens, of Center Point, was in Kerrville Monday.

Capt. Neal Coldwell, of Center Point, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

S. H. Wellborn, of the Center Point community was in Kerrville Wednesday.

J. O. McNealy, of Ingram, was among the visitors in the city Wednesday.

DR. A. P. VOORHIES,

...DENTIST...

Graduate Northwestern University Dental School, Chicago.

TWELVE YEARS EXPERIENCE.

Office Over Schreiner's Bank.

Hours 9 to 12 a. m. 2 to 4 p. m.

WANTED. Butter, Eggs, Chickens, Turkeys at the Famous.

Emil Dietert brought to the SUN office recently three lemons, averaging one pound each, that were grown on a tree at his home in this city.

Deputy U. S. Marshal, Jno. W. Vann, who spent several days at home the first of the week, left Tuesday afternoon for the scene of his labors.

Mrs. Ed Corkill and daughter, Miss Leila, and Miss Flora Ranney, returned on Saturday of last week from Junction where they had been visiting Mrs. J. M. Hankins.

Mrs. I. A. Marshall, who was hurt by falling down an elevator shaft at Chas. Schreiner Company's store last week, is reported doing nicely.

Ladies underwear, union suits and ladies pants at the Famous.

25 pound box prunes, \$1.25 at Kinney's.

T. H. Benton of Medina, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Jack Hayes of the South Fork, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

7 pounds rice for 25c at Kinney's.

A. C. Joy of Japonica, was among the visitors in the city Thursday.

J. M. Holsey, of Medina, was among the busy traders in the city Thursday.

T. B. Billings of Medina, was among the many ranchmen in Kerrville Thursday.

The Rock Drug Store.

Is headquarters for fine perfumes hair brushes, combs, soaps, fresh new line in.

J. B. New of the Hixson ranch, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Uncle Bill Whorton was in from his ranch Thursday.

Sam Crider of the South Fork community, was in Kerrville Thursday.

W. P. Alston of Medina, was among the business visitors in Kerrville Thursday.

T. M. Knatcher, a well-known Bandera county ranchman, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Do you wear pants? If so we want to call your attention to the fact that we have just opened a nice line for men and boys. All kinds and prices. Our prices are always lowest. THE FAMOUS.

Pop corn poppers at the Famous Imported perfumes at the Rock Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Burge left Thursday for their ranch on the Divide.

Commissioners' Court.

Kerr County Commissioners' court will meet Monday. In addition to the transaction of routine business the court will canvass the official ballot cast at Tuesday's election.

For Sale.

A second-hand surrey for sale cheap. Apply to Mrs. W. A. Stocking. 21-1f

For Rent.

The Hole field to rent. Apply to H. Brent.

Sheep For Sale.

Small flock, choice, high grade Shropshire sheep for sale.

E. K. CARR,

Kerrville, Tex.

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DAVID M. KINNEY'S Cash Store

OPERA HOUSE BLOCK, KERRVILLE, TEX.

Full Stock Nabisco Cheese Straws, Oysterettes, Uacda Biscuits and Cakes.

Everything fresh and new. The very best quality and lowest cash price.

Come around and get acquainted, we will save you money.

At the Churches.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, T. J. King, Pastor. Services every Sabbath, except the 1st Sabbath in each month, at 11 a. m. Every Sabbath at 8 p. m. Sunday School at 9:25 a. m. J. J. Starkey, Superintendent. Senior League 3:30 p. m. A. L. Starkey, President. Junior League Saturdays 2:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday 8:00 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Jno. C. Graves, Superintendent of Sunday school. Everyone cordially invited to attend all services. Brooks I. Dickey, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Preaching 1st and 3rd Sunday morning and night Sunday school Sunday morning at 10 a. m. Young People's Union every Sunday at 4 p. m. Business meeting first Sunday in each month. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Meet with us.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, Service Kerrville every Sunday in the month, except the 3rd at 11 a. m., also on the 4th at 5 p. m. Morris Ranch, services on 3rd Sunday in month.

R. GALBRAITH

REV. L. C. ZETTNER, German Lutheran minister will preach at the Union church the third and fourth Sunday in each month. Morning and night.

When you want anything in the drug line it will pay you to consult W. H. Rawson. He handles only the purest and freshest drugs. A competent pharmacist always in attendance.

Send for catalogue. Fall term opens Sept. 6th. Alamo City Commercial College and Alamo City Business College combined San Antonio, Tex. Address, SHAPER & DOWNEY, Props.

Where a stimulant is indicated, the doctor, prescribes good, pure whiskey. I. W. HARPER is the ideal liquor. None better.

Sold by C. T. WESTON.

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Advertising rates made known on application.

BOODLING is likely to go out of style in Missouri for at least two years.

JOSEPH FOLK was elected Governor of Missouri and the people of that good old State will know they have a Governor for the next two years.

THE newspapers for the past two weeks have been publishing campaign news almost to the exclusion of Eastern war matter. It is rumored that Wednesday morning Gen. Kuropatkin wired Judge Parker, in the language of the seared cowboy used to the jackrabbit, "If you can't run, git out'n the way and let a feller in what can."

GO BUY your friend the hat now. Shake hands and forget about the hot political fight you had. Remember Thanksgiving is only two weeks off, and those who won should be thankful for winning, and those who lost should be thankful that it's no worse than it is as the old woman said when her husband was hanged for horse stealing.

THE Terrell Election law has been thoroughly tried and not found wanting. There are many things about the law that should be revised and simplified, but taking the law as a whole, it is a good law, and has resulted in Texas having as near an absolutely honest election as can well be held in any country where politicians grow and prosper.

IT reigns again throughout and, and the election of 1904 matter of history. The republican national ticket won by an overwhelming majority. Texas rolled up her usual staunch Democratic majority. Notwithstanding the brave show made by Parker and his friends, the ticket did not do as well this year as it did four years ago under the leadership of W. J. Bryan.

MUCH comment is made among the business element of the country upon the seemingly unnecessary frequency of elections. Attention is called to the fact that the people do not more than become acquainted with the officers, and the officers with their duties until a new election is held. Again, every election causes estrangement, for a time, at least, between friends. The fact that broad minded men should be above making a personal matter of politics does not remove this unfortunate situation. Every politician is a "victim of his friends" (?) some time or another. Four years is not too long for a good officer to serve his people, and two years, or even two months is too long for a poor one.

BLANKETS!

The nights are cool, and good warm blankets are a pleasure, within the reach of all. We have a very large stock, and are giving excellent values in these goods. Call and see us for your needs in this line.

Chas. Schreiner Co.

"BEN HUR."

The Grandest Spectacle of the Century.
To be Staged in San Antonio
the Entire Week of
December 12th.

After six years patient waiting Texas is at last to have a "Ben Hur" season. Klaw & Erlanger's massive and magnificent spectacle is to be staged at the Grand Opera House the entire week of December 12th with special matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

The dramatization of General Lew Wallace's great novel has been seen very little outside of New York. William Young, who made the dramatization, succeeded most admirably in the production of a drama which not only retains the most absolute fidelity to General Wallace's great book but which does not offend the most devout Christian. Professor Stillman Kelley has heightened the solemnity of "Ben Hur" with music that is a positive delight to the ear. The stage settings provided by Klaw & Erlanger have never been equaled in this country. The pictures of "The Star of Bethlehem," "The City of Jerusalem from the terrace garden of the palace of Hur in Judea," "The Interior of a Roman Galley," "The Grove of Daphne," "The Fountain of Castalia," "The Chariot Race," "The Vale of Hinnon" and "The Mount of Olives" are remarkable exhibits of the best scenic art. To these are added some wonderful effects in lighting, as in "The Star of Bethlehem," and in stage mechanics, as shown in the thrilling chariot race. The contrivances that go to make up the chariot race costs \$15,000. Eight horses run in full view of the audience.

The great scene which closes the play is the healing of the lepers on Mount Olive. Here hundreds of people are arranged in attractive groupings, the whole forming one of the most beautiful pictures ever put on the stage. The personality of the Nazarene is not shown in the play, but in this scene the nearness of His presence is indicated with the most intense impressiveness by a shaft of the purest white light. The dramatization is carefully constructed so as to remove it from the domain of the so-called Passion plays, and while the Saviour is only referred to, yet His tremendous dominating power is felt with thrilling effect. The advance sale of seats for the "Ben Hur" engagement will open in San Antonio on Thursday Dec. 8th, when mail orders for seats for any of the performances will be promptly filled in the order of their receipt, if accompanied with remittance and self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Address all communications to S. H. Weis, Manager Grand Opera House.

New Business House.

Mr. David M. Kenney has opened a handsome stock of staple and fancy groceries, notions and hardware in the Opera House block, next door to Pampell's. Mr. Kenney comes to here from Mayville, N. D. He is affable gentleman and a thorough business man, having been in the mercantile business for the past thirty years. The SUN takes pleasure in welcoming him to the social and business circles of Kerrville.

Notice.

The members of the Presbyterian church and congregation are earnestly urged to be present next Sunday at 11 a. m. After the sermon, a full report will be made concerning the financial condition of the church.

By order of the session of the church.

Pasturage.

Will pasture 250 head of cattle. Fine grass and plenty water. For terms address, D. C. Pattison, Mountain Home, Kerr Co., Texas.

Just received a big shipment of apples. We've got too many and must sell them. All varieties. We sell by pennyworth, dozen, bushel or barrel, any old way at the Famous.



American Lady SHOE

MAKERS.

FOR SALE BY
Chas. Schreiner Co.,
Kerrville, Texas.

A SWELL BOOT that individualises its wearer as being exclusive.
PRICE: \$3.50

CASH BARGAIN STORE

Opposite Schreiner's Mill will be pleased to give you prices on dry goods, groceries, notions and feed of all kinds at hours between 6 a. m. and 10 p. m. Free delivery. Free camp yard in connection.

C. H. SAYERS, Prop.

Notice.

Bankrupt stock of H. H. Carnichael & Co., Bandera, Tex., will be sold at public sale at Bandera, on Nov. 15, at 10:00 a. m. Fullest opportunities given for examination before sale.
H. M. Aubrey, Rec.

OUTINGS!

Here is where we have all competition distanced. We bought in large quantities for cash. We bought them right, the stock is big and the variety of patterns to select from is all you could desire. We are giving better values in these goods than ever before, and invite you to inspect them.

Chas. Schreiner Co.

About Ready.

We are about ready to receive our holiday guests. Everything is about ready for the big array of Christmas shoppers. We have prepared a commodious ware room and our goods will arrive in a day or two. Our annual holiday announcement will probably appear next week. Our store will be a palace of beauty this season.

Yours for a happy holiday season,

KERRVILLE BOOK STORE.

The best is not too good. We handle the best graniteware on earth. Coffee pots, tea pots, rice boilers and everything made in such ware, at the Famous.

ESTABLISHED 1845.

ALEX SARTOR, THE JEWELER.

Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry,

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Under the personal management of Saul Wolfson, who for thirty-five years prior to his retirement in 1899, was prominently identified with San Antonio's Retail Dry Goods business. Solicits a share of your business, with

A New And Complete Stock of
Fine Dry Goods

Women's Ready-to-Wear Garments, Clothing, Furnishings, Hats, Shoes, Etc.

Send us your orders by mail they will be promptly and carefully filled. Write for samples. All orders of \$5.00 or over will be delivered free at your express office.

I am still selling high grade pianos and organs at remarkably low prices. Before buying, see my instruments and ask for prices and terms. Old instruments, taken in exchange. In my absence, see Mrs. McKelvy or Dr. Boyd.
Yours for Music,
J. J. MCKELVY.

NECK TIE PARTY.

If you want to have one you can get the celebrated

WILSON BROS.

Fine neckwear of the very best quality and latest styles at

Chas. Schreiner Co.

JACKETS and CAPES for LADIES and MISSES!

Everybody can have a new Jacket this season. We have an endless variety of pretty patterns, all late styles. These garments show individuality and have the appearance of tailor-made goods. The prices are astonishingly low, and we extend a cordial invitation to the Ladies to call and see them.

Chas. Schreiner Co.

Japanese Cream

For cleaning laces, silks, etc.

25c.

Chas. Schreiner Co. Rock Drug Store.


HOME NEWS.
Interesting Items From
Town and County.

W. D. King, of Medina, was at the Gerdes Sunday.

C. A. Stappe, of the Divide, was at the Gerdes Thursday.

We have a new and select lot of perfumes. Rock Drug Store.

Jno. Allen and wife, of Junction, were registered at the Gerdes Sunday.

Dr. Edward Galbraith,

Dentist
Office Next to Rawson's Drug Store
Kerrville, Texas.

Fresh oysters every day at the Famous.

Miss May Norris, of Waring, was a guest at the Gerdes last Sunday.

Miss Selma Brauner, of Marvin, was among the guests at the Gerdes last Sunday.

Hoods and fascinators, beautiful designs and low prices at Dietert Bros.

Jas. Heffner, of Mountain Home, was a guest at the Gerdes Thursday.

White Bermuda
Onion Seed
—AND—

Bulk Turnip Seed
Just Received.
Chas Schreiner Co.

Fine toilet sets for Xmas at the Rock Drug Store.

Capt G. K. Gordan and wife, of Junction City, were at the St. Charles Monday.

Something new and nice in writing papers at the Rock Drug Store.

Handsome new line of ladies' belts. 50 different styles. Worth \$1.00 each, now offered at 75c at G. D. Anderson.

Wm. F. Shinke, of Chicago, who had been sojourning in this place for some time and was for several days a guest at the Hutchison House, left last Saturday for his home.

Don't wait until your boy gets grown to teach him to chop wood. We have a nice line of boys axes that we sell very cheap at the Famous.

J. A. Mosely of Russellville, Ark., and A. D. Robinson, of Houston, who had been out on a hunting trip were guests at the Hutchison House last Friday and left the following day for home.

We don't handle any kind of mattresses except brand new one's fresh from the factory. We have a big stock and our prices are exceedingly low.
W. A. FAWCETT & Co.

Dr. L. Werblum, optician of San Antonio, will be in Kerrville, at Dr. Palmer's office, November 18 and 19. Remember that most headaches are caused by eyestrain. Dr. Werblum will examine your eyes free and if glasses are necessary he will fit them to perfection.

Our entire stock of overcoats are now offered at \$7.50. The garment worth twice the money. Don't fail to take advantage of these extraordinary values. G. D. ANDERSON.

The new millinery store next door to Rock Drug Store 4t-20
Christmas goods in toilet articles.
ROCK DRUG STORE.

The prettiest line of rugs ever shown in Kerrville at Dietert Bros.

M. E. Hart and wife, of Cuero, are guests at the Hutchison House. They will locate in Kerrville.

Handsome line of new style jackets and capes for ladies and Misses, at Dietert Bros.

Another new lot of those handsome Sorosis under skirts at prices lower than the cloth can be bought.
G. D. ANDERSON.

A Car Of
JOHN DEERE PLOWS

Just Received.
Both Disc
And
Turning Plows.
BUCKEYE SEEDER
Disc Harrows,
AND
Seeders, Etc.
Chas. Schreiner Co.

You can't go barefooted in the winter time. We have a big stock of the famous Star Brand Shoes. None better made.
DIETERT BROS.

We have a full car of bedsteads to arrive next week. Every kind, the best quality and lowest prices. Call and see what a car load of bedsteads looks like at W. A. Fawcett & Co.

You can't afford to take chances on a spell of grip or pneumonia, by wearing insufficient clothing. Our stock of fleeced lined underwear for men, women and children is very complete and the price low.
DIETERT BROS.

We have some extraordinary bargains in solid oak kitchen cabinets. No kitchen is completely furnished without one of these cabinets. The price is very low at W. A. Fawcett & Co.

MEN'S CLOTHING.

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The Cunard company has issued an order forbidding the officers to promenade the decks with feminine passengers or to participate in any social events on shipboard. It seems that numerous complaints were made that the officers were neglecting their duties in order to play gallant, and, besides, that the officers snubbed all but the pretty girls, bringing complaints from the ladies not endowed with beauty. The fascinating wearers of gold lace and brass buttons will hereafter attend strictly to their duties, for steamship companies should take as good care of their homely passengers as of their good looking ones.

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Notice in Probate.

Whereas on the 30th day of October 1904, letters of administration were issued to me out of the Probate court of Kerr County upon the estate of John Locke, deceased. There are therefore to notify and require all persons having claims against said estate to present the same within the time prescribed by law: My residence and post office address is Kerrville, Texas.
Nov. 11, 1904. W. E. NEWTON,
Administrator.

Hamlet in Real Life.

The release from prison of Mrs. Maybrick recalls the story told on the authority of E. S. Willard, the English actor. According to the story there was a sensational play in rehearsal at one of the London theaters early in the '80s. The plot of the play was in all essentials the plot of the Maybrick tragedy. Before putting it in the bill a private matinee was given, to which critics, actors and literary folk were invited. In the result, the play was condemned and never produced, but among the audience at the matinee, the story goes, were Mrs. Maybrick and the man whose name was mentioned in the case. If the story be true, it furnishes one of the most curious coincidences in the history of crime since the leading case of Hamlet vs. the King of Denmark.

New Way to Get Turpentine.

"Down in Georgia they have hit upon a brand-new and most successful scheme of turpentine production," said Captain E. G. Mullins, of Milwaukee, at the Raleigh. "The plan which is in successful operation there, does not depend on the tapping of pine trees as by the ordinary way, but utilizes old stumps, slabs, sawdust and any old odds and ends of pine refuse. The turpentine is extracted by a steaming process, and from twelve to twenty gallons can be had for each ton of material. As the material costs next to nothing, and as turpentine is worth 54 cents a gallon, it can be seen at a glance that there is money in this kind of manufacturing. In the opinion of experts the quality of the turpentine made in this way is of the very best."

Notice to Trespassers.

As some persons had the audacity to hunt in our pastures with a pack of hounds, after some deer to waste, several times out of the season, in defiance of the law and decency, we are compelled to announce that every person caught hunting, shooting or trespassing in our pastures on Verde, Turtle, Fall, Lamb's and Robinson creeks, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
GEO. & M. HOLEKAMP,
Ed. SCHMIDT.
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Notice to Trespassers.

Any person found hunting or camping or hog hunting at any time in my pasture without permission will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
4t-18 FRED ALLERKAMP.

Notice to Trespassers.

All parties found hunting with dog or gun in my pastures on Campmeeting creek, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
J. T. S. GAMMON.

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that all parties found hunting, camping, or cutting timber in my pasture, known as the Beef Pen Pasture, on Town Creek, will be prosecuted, to the full extent of the law.
A. HOPPING.

Notice to Trespassers.

Any person found hunting with dog or gun or camping or fishing in our pastures will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
G. A. STOWERS,
J. T. EVANS,
SAM H. HILL,
B. M. HINSON.

Notice to Trespassers.

All parties found hunting in the pasture known as the Sid Peterson pasture at the head of Silver Creek will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
4t-18 C. T. WESTON.

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that all persons found hunting or camping in my pasture on Bear Creek, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
F. M. MOORE.

Notice to Trespassers.

All persons will be allowed to hunt hogs in the Roper ranch during the first week in December. Any person found hunting, camping or hunting hogs in said pastures before and after that time, without permission will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
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Booker Washington's Crab Story.

Booker Washington, in lecturing to his colored people, tells them this story: "Once upon a time there was an old colored man who was having great success catching crabs. He had a tremendous box more than half full, when a passerby warned him that the biggest and best crabs were crawling out and would escape. The old man replied: 'Thankee, sir, much obleeged, but I ain't goin' to lose no crabs. I see a crabologist, I is, and I knows all 'bout de crab nature. I don't need to watch 'em fall. When de big crab fight up to de top, and when he's gittin' out, de little crabs catch him by de laig and pull him back. He can't git out nohow.' And then Booker Washington says: 'My friends, I have been informed that there is something of crab nature in human nature, but it must be altogether among white folk and not in our race.'

Machine-Made Inspiration.

Art now draws inspiration from a machine. A New York painter has introduced a phonograph into his studio, and declares it a success. By means of various records he says he is able to inspire a variety of moods which were often unattainable before. As the voice of the phonograph is gay or melancholy, so the face of his subject is wont to take a happy or sad expression, and at the same time his own fingers are guided in harmony with his theme.

A Runaway Bicycle.

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c at Rock Drug Store.

Uncle Sam's Central Man.

Henry Marr, a farmer, who lives near Columbus, Bartholomew county, Indiana, is the center man of the population of the whole United States. The census man has found that the exact center of population at the census of 1900 was in latitude 39 degrees 9 minutes and 39 seconds north, longitude 85 degrees 48 minutes and 54 seconds west. If a person is desirous of visiting the spot a better idea of its location can be got by asking the nearest resident of Columbus. Almost invariably the answer to such a question will be: "Five miles southwest of Columbus, in Hen Marr's barn lot." The center was recently marked by a monument.

The Fight in Wisconsin.

Ex-Speaker J. Warren Keifer, of Ohio, has been looking over the republican situation in Wisconsin, and shakes his head dubiously. He says that they have "terrific fights" within the party in Ohio, but usually get together by election and vote the straight ticket. But in Wisconsin the contest is not over men and offices. It concerns policies of government of the deepest moment, and resembles such a division on class lines as marked the presidential election of 1896. Indeed, Governor La Follette is often referred to as the Republican Bryan.

More Actors in Vaudeville.
New York theatrical managers and actors are "thin-spacing" the gap between the legitimate shows and the legitimate. Already such fine actors as William H. Thompson, Robert Hilliard, Boyd Furnam, Charles Dickson, Jessie Millard, Blanche King and a host of others have signed for the vaudeville stage and many of them are already in action. Those who remember Jessie Millard as the "Lady Algy" with Faversham will understand what an important step this fine actress has taken in going over to the legitimate. With Blanche King it is the same. She might have had a half dozen musical comedies for next season if she cared to launch herself as a star, but the inducements of the vaudeville managers appear to have been too great to decline.

Oldest Man in Wall Street.

Edward B. Wesley, the oldest speculator in Wall street, is 93 years old, but five days a week-nearly all the year round is found in his office watching the tape. Mr. Wesley is a millionaire many times over. He is proud of the fact that he has been a speculator all his life and confidently predicts that he will be in the business when he reaches the century mark. Russell Sage, old and feeble, did not make his appearance in "the street" until twenty-five years after Wesley had been operating. The veteran is connected with many concerns big in the financial world.

Most "Eligible" Bachelor.

James Henry Smith—"Silent" Smith—is regarded as the most eligible bachelor in New York. He is worth about \$40,000,000, and, although he is just 50 years old, he looks to be about 40—the right age. Mr. Smith has recently bought the Whitney mansion, and his social activities have been noticeably increased. This gives rise to the old report that he is about to marry. Society and the newspapers have had him engaged about twenty times in the last ten years, but the silent man of millions—the richest bachelor in the world—has always emerged unscathed and unmarried.

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I was taken severely sick with kidney troubles. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney troubles and General Debility." This is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50c, at Rock Drug Store.

Mexico's New Supreme Judge.

The recent election of Felix Romero to the office of president of the supreme court of the republic of Mexico has given wide spread pleasure, particularly in judicial circles and among the leading politicians of the country. Mr. Romero, like the late President Porfirio Diaz, is a native of Oaxaca and was a schoolfellow of President Diaz, both attending the Councillar seminary of that city. When the constitution was framed in 1857 he was one of the signers. Of all the others who signed the document there are besides himself but three living—Ignacio Mariscal, minister of foreign relations; Justino Fernandez, minister of justice, and Senator Benito Gomez Farias.

Was Uncle Sam's Oldest Clerk.

William O. Conway, who had been employed in the land office in Washington for fifty years, is dead, aged 73. Mr. Conway was appointed from Maryland and was the oldest clerk in point of continuous service in Washington. He was appointed to a position in the land office in February, 1834. He began as a clerk and was steadily promoted until he became a law examiner. Until last Tuesday he attended to his work at the department.

A Needle-and-Thread Tree.

The Mexican maguery tree furnishes a needle and thread all ready for use. At the tip of each dark green leaf is a slender, thorn needle that must be carefully drawn from its sheath; at the same time it slowly unwinds the thread, a strong, smooth fiber attached to the needle and capable of being drawn out to a great length.

Roosevelt's Petrified Hat.

The campaign Panama hat worn by President Roosevelt in 1900 was taken by some Western railroad officials to the hot springs of Wyoming, and left in one of them for several months. The hat, turned to stone, has just been received at Omaha, according to a dispatch from that city. In its petrified form it weighs about fifteen pounds.

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'Twas a Fine Speech.

Irving Bacheller, novelist and after-dinner speaker, says that the flattery hurled at him during recent years has been as nothing compared to the dose he received from an old farmer on the day of his graduation from college. On that occasion Mr. Bacheller was one of the senior class commencement orators. After the usual fashion of college speakers, he got rid of many high-sounding words and wound himself up into varied flourishing gestures. When it was all over the old farmer approached. "Wal," said he to the young graduate, "you sure did make the finest speech I ever heard. Great! You jes' riz right up in the air, and no darned fool in that thar crowd could understand a word you wuz talkin' about."

Disasterous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers of Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Lung and Throat diseases by Rock Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Ex-Vice President's Birthday.

Levi P. Morton, of New York, was 80 years old last week. For more than half a century Mr. Morton has been continuously engaged in large mercantile and financial affairs, besides filling the offices of minister to France, vice president of the United States when General Harrison was president, and governor of New York. Happily, Mr. Morton is in excellent health.

Kept Her Secret Well.

The recent death of an old and much loved teacher in Philadelphia revealed the fact that she had been married sixteen years. She had kept her marriage secret, because she wanted to continue with her teaching, which the Philadelphia school law would not allow.



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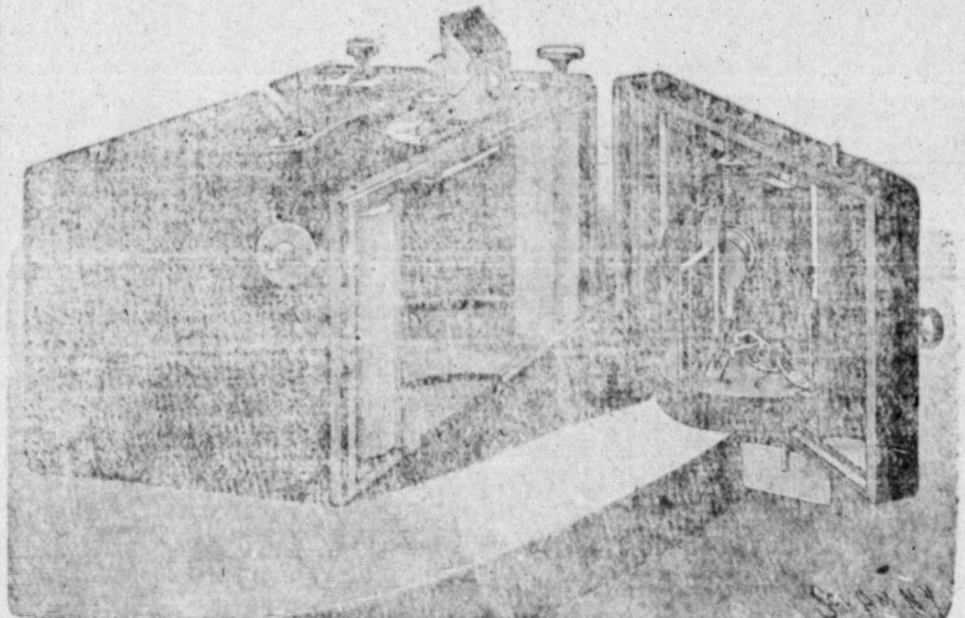
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Lily Langtry's Husband.

Evidently Lily Langtry had a profitable visit to America last winter, because she bought for her husband, Gerald de Bathe, some shirt studs that a duke might envy. These are cabochon rubies of good size, and each is surrounded by a ring of diamonds. The studs were purchased from a Fifth Avenue jeweler and the price was more than \$1,000. Gerald de Bathe is known in London as one of the best dressed men in England. He affixes conspicuous clothes, but there is a certain distinction about his appearance that counteracts the effect of his "loud" clothes. To his friends he is known as "Jiggy" de Bathe. The Jersey Lily refers to him as "Jiggy." They see little of one another. "Jiggy" counts the king among his friends, but he has never entered the set in which his wife moves. He loathes anything that approaches society, but is something of a clubman.

Identification by Thumb Prints.

The finger print method of personal identification seems to be coming to the front. It has long been used as an adjunct to the Bertillon system of measurement, and now we are told that in England it is superseding that system, being regarded as both simpler and surer. The trouble with any measurement system is that the measurements of the same man taken by different persons or at different ages will differ slightly, and so the identification may fail. Finger prints, on the other hand, tell their own story and are subject to no "personal equation"; while their systems of ridges and whorls remain the same from infancy to manhood. In a recent French paper a murderer was detected through the agency of a thumb print on the rail of a broken sash—so slight a mark that it was scarcely visible—but photography enabled it to be studied sufficiently for identification.

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FUNNY THINGS

FROM THE PAPERS.

The cat produces fiddle-strings.
The fish produces glue.
The hen produces eggs and things I don't care, do you?
—George Adé.

A man is mighty smart, but he cannot make a noise like a woman when escaping from a mouse.

A Kansas boy was run over by the water wagon, but escaped injury. In coming out of the accident unhurt, he was luckier than most men who fall off the water wagon.—Western Publisher.

A little girl in Dwight heard her papa say to another man, this cold weather: "Better dig up your overcoat." The girl said after reflection: "Papa, what did he bury his overcoat for?"—Ex.

Father (who is always trying to teach his son how to act while at the table): "Well, John, you see that when I have finish eating I always leave the table." John: "Yes sir, and that is about all you do leave."—Western Publisher.

The disagreeable task of picking chickens may soon become a thing of the past. A country editor who is a poultry fancier last winter let his incubator get too hot and singed all the feathers off a lot of young chicks. Since that time they had become fully developed and perfectly fowls, so he declares, but never a feather has appeared on any one of them. Next!—Western Publisher.

A tramp called at a north side home Saturday and asked for a hand out. The lady of the house gave him a pie and told him when he finished eating it he could saw her a few sticks of wood. The tramp was seen leaving the back yard shortly after and the woman hailed him. "See here! you promised to saw wood for that pie." "It's this way, lady," said the tramp, "you oughtn't to've give me the pie first. I have just ruined the saw trying to cut the pie."—Western Publisher.

A country editor had just finished a remarkably good meal and remarked to the farmer subscriber. "If this is a fair sample of your meals I think I will come here to board." The farmer, who had watched the editor's ferocious appetite with some dismay, answered: "First of all, Mister, is that a sample of your appetite? If it is, god darned if I want ye."—Ex.

There has been considerable rain out in Nebraska lately, and Editor C. M. Reynolds, of The Free Lance, in referring to it, says: "Backward, roll backward, O clouds, in the sky; give us a touch of old-fashioned dry. The crops are now floating, the earth is awash, bullheads are feasting on turnips and squash. The sun is seen rarely, the moon doesn't beam—this damp wet weather's worse 'n 'twould seem. The beet from it home is jerked hence by the flood, where once was alfalfa is an ocean of mud. Men wear hip waders, and women must swim while children and cats perch alike on a limb. Like sea-kelp the cornstalks float with the tide; spring chickens will never, no never, be fried. Cows moo sadly from flood-furrowed hill; minnows drown clinging to big fishes' gills. The straight, narrow trail is obstructed by slime and, methinks, the fires of perdition are quenched by this time."

Will some brother please send us a couple of bushels of cuss words? An ambitious amateur printer mixed a case of brevier with a case of primer, equal parts, last week and we have been putting in all our spare time ever since sorting the ———— stuff.—Treyner (La.) Record.

Never say again that a newspaper writer is not a master of diplomacy. One of the fraternity was to write up the history of an old of ninety-eight. He was told that she had not so much as learned her letters. Did he blurt out in print? Not a bit of it. He merely stated in his finely written article that "she can read the finest print as well as she ever could."—Western Publisher.

Landlord—"In one word, when are you going to pay your arrears?"

Hard-Up Author—"I will satisfy your demands as soon as I receive the money which the publisher will pay me if he accepts the novel I am going to send him, as soon as the work is finished which I am about to commence when I have found a suitable subject and the necessary inspiration."—Ex.

A Sign of Destiny.

"Little boy," said the wise philosopher upon the bank, watching the lads disposing themselves in the limpid water of the old swimmin' hole, "little boy, come here!"

"What'er want?" queried Nicky Fassbinder, teasing in his mad endeavor to pick a clam-shell from the bottom of the river with his toes, "what's eatin' ye?"

"Come, come, little boy," repeated the observer; "come to me. I see on your body the sign of destiny! Look, playmates! See—right there between his shoulders is a mark regarded by the Arabs as the omen of a great destiny!"

Little Nicky looked where the wise philosopher indicated on his gleaming, dripping skin, and blurted:

"Aw, go on, old whiskers! What's matter wid you? Dat's where m' little brudder Bill hit me wid a ax! See?"

And the wise philosopher, sighing, held his peace.—Upele By.

"I was traveling down in Arkansas some time ago," says Col. Burgess. "A lank, awe-stricken Arkansawyer came into town leading a cow. She was one of the little knot-head breed, about as big as a good yearling."

"What are you going to do with that cow?" I asked the native.

"I low mebbe I'll sell her ef I kin git my price."

"Is she a good milch cow?"

"Gosh, yes; I should say so. She's a tanel good milker, stranger."

"About how much milk will she give?"

"Wall, the old woman hain't kept a strictly acrate count, but I sh'd low about two quarts a day."

"How much do you want for her?"

"Wall, I low she ought to fetch about \$15."

"Where I came from, my friend; many of the cows weigh over 2000 pounds each. I have known plenty of cows there that would give five gallons of milk a day and would sell for \$500 apiece."

"Say, mister, what part of the country might you-all come from?"

"I told him that I came from Kansas."

"Yas, there was a regiment they called the 'Leventh Kansas come down through here durin' the war. They all wuz the durned biggest liars I ever see. Reckon mebbe you must a been the cunnel uv that regiment."

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Died.
Mrs. John Speed died at her home in Kerrville, Monday, the 7th inst. The body was taken to Kyle for interment. A husband and six children survive her.

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Notice K. of P's.
Kerrville Lodge No. 166 Knights of Pythias will give an oyster supper, at their next regular meeting, Thursday night, November 17, and requests all the members to be present. Nomination of officers will take place at this meeting, and every member is urged to be there and vote for the one's that you want to be at the head of the Lodge for the ensuing year.

Citation by Publication.
No. 290.
THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Kerr County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded that you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some weekly newspaper published in the County of Kerr for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, P. A. Brink, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before me, the undersigned a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County of Kerr, at my office in Kerrville, Precinct No. One at the next regular term of said court to be begun and holden on Monday the 28th day of November 1904 at 10 o'clock a. m. then and there to answer the suit of the Beitel Lumber Company, a partnership, plaintiff, against the said P. A. Brink, defendant, filed on the 26th day of October 1904; file No. 290, for the sum of \$156.60 principal and interest due upon an itemized sworn account filed in said suit by plaintiff for the sum of \$156.60 for goods, wares, merchandise and cash, sold, delivered and advanced by plaintiff to defendant at times mentioned in said account at the request of defendant and upon his promise to pay plaintiff for same the prices charged therefor in said account.

Herein fail not, but of this writ make due return showing how you have executed the same.
Witness my official signature this 26th day of October 1904.
E. H. TURNER.

Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1, Kerr County, Texas.
Issued 26th day of October 1904.
E. H. TURNER.

Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1, Kerr County, Texas.
Came to hand the 26th day of October 1904, at 5:30 o'clock, p. m., and executed the same day by ordering publication hereof in the MOUNTAIN SUN for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof.
B. F. HICKS,
Constable Pre. No. 1, Kerr County, Texas.

Wanted.
A good German girl to cook in family of two at San Antonio. Apply to J. E. Fisher, Agent "SAP" railroad, Kerrville, Tex. tf-18

FIELD DAY EXERCISES.

The Students of Tivy High School Engaged in Field Sports, Friday Afternoon, Nov. 4.

On Friday afternoon of last week the students of Tivy High School spent a half holiday in field sports on the school campus. Games of various kinds were engaged in by the different classes. A foot-ball game by the little boys was the opening event. The battle was hard fought and resulted in a tie between the Reds and the Blues.

Two games of basket ball were played, by the girls, both of which were watched with much interest by the large crowd of students and visitors present.

After other minor amusements the day's exercises closed with a well played base ball game played by the High School teams. The day was perfect and while the children seemed to enjoy the event as only buoyant youth can enjoy such sports, at the same time they furnished good entertainment for the parents and visitors present.

These periodical relaxations from their labors are good for the students, not only in the way of giving them physical exercise, but as a few hours complete mental rest. The board and the patrons of the school should encourage the faculty and students in making these entertainments a success.

Bazaar at Morris Ranch.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Morris Ranch will give a bazaar next Thursday and Friday, Nov. 17 and 18. A free entertainment will be given each night. All are cordially invited to attend. The Morris Ranch Band will furnish the music and refreshments will be served.

THE ELECTION

Is over and business has settled to its usual smooth and even course. There is nothing fitful or changing in our business. It is just a steady increase that marks the course of the Famous. We are now just about our third birthday. We have enjoyed three years of business success, unprecedented in the annals of Kerrville's business history. We do not claim all the credit for this success. We have tried hard to place before the buying public the very best goods made by the world's factories. We have striven also to give the very best values possible for every dollar spent with us. We feel that, in that respect we have succeeded. The greatest measure of the success of the business, however, we naturally attribute to the kindness and liberal patronage of the public. We appreciate this and shall continue to make an earnest effort to merit the favors that have been shown us.

Yours very truly,
OSCAR ROSENTHAL.

Died.

Duncan McDonald died at the Taylor ranch in Edwards county, Sunday, November 6. Interment was made at a private burying grounds at the ranch. Mr. McDonald was a brother of Mrs. Dr. E. E. Palmer of this city and lived several years in Kerrville prior to going to the Taylor ranch a few months since.

The genuine "bachelor tuck" on the covers these cold nights can only be made with blankets bought at the Famous.

New Yorkers' Expensive Palaces.

The report that Henry Phipps paid \$100,000 for the interior of a rajah's palace, which he intends to install in his New York home, does not create a great deal of surprise in New York on account of the money expended. The late William C. Whitney spent \$3,000,000 in decorating his home, and it is said that he paid \$60,000 for a single piece of tapestry. Charles T. Yerkes has over \$150,000 worth of rare tapestries in his house, and H. McKay Twombly and C. T. Barney have single pieces for which they paid \$50,000. They say J. Pierpont Morgan holds that celebrated piece which he lent to King Edward at \$500,000. He does not bring it to New York, because the duty would almost ruin him.

Reforming China from Abroad.

New York Chinamen say the hope of their mother country lies in the energy and progressiveness of her expatriated sons. What is known as the Chinese Reform League has its headquarters in New York city and it publishes a newspaper which reaches every laundry in the United States. No chop suey restaurant is complete without it. The leaders of the new movement say there are 6,000,000 Chinamen abroad who are working in the cause of introducing Western civilization into the "petrified country." Reform does not thrive in the home soil. The officials here have an unpleasant way of amputating the heads of those persons who see the beauties of Occidental civilization and strive to promote their growth.

A Future Mikado.

Perhaps the most interesting small boy in the world is the little Prince Micchi, grandson of the Japanese mikado and destined himself to be a mikado some day. He will be 4 years old next month. The heir presumptive to the great Eastern throne has the distinction of being the baby of the royal house of Jimmu Tefno, who has been allowed to grow his hair like an English baby. Both his father and the mikado, when babies, had their heads shaved daily by their nurses.

NOTICE.

Beginning Monday, Oct. 31, we will run our gin, Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays until further notice.
CHAS. SCHREINER.

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