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Money Found in a Bed.

Houston, Texas, April 17.—The civil courts will likely be called upon to decide a case which has many peculiarities. Some time ago a young man residing in this city went to a clairvoyant for a reading. His mother had died only a short time before, and during the reading the medium told him that during her lifetime his mother had saved up a sum of money. This money, she stated, was secreted by her in the feather bed. She stated that she could not see the money very clearly, but that there was either 5 hundred or 5 thousand dollars in the bed.

The young man paid but little heed to the story of the medium. He had no faith in her. He, however, told his father what the medium had told him, but the father, too, was skeptical, and he paid no attention to it.

Some time afterward there was a division of the household property. In the division a younger brother was given the possession of the feather bed. The father and the elder brother then told him of the statement of the clairvoyant. This younger brother, while somewhat of a skeptic himself, decided that it would require but small effort on his part to make an investigation, and straightway he investigated. He found 5 hundred dollars. When the other members of the family requested a division he informed them that the feather bed and all its contents belonged to him and he refused to divide.

Capt. R. E. Lewis, prosecuting attorney in the court of Justice Matthews, was called upon by some of the members of the family who desired to know if they could not institute criminal proceedings against the younger brother who had secured the feather bed with the money, because of his refusal to divide. They were informed that there was nothing criminal in the act and that all they could do would be to institute civil proceedings for the division of the money. They left his office in quest of a lawyer.

Captain Lewis states that it is doubtful if any court will take the money away from the young man.

Brother of Millionaire.

Menominee, Wis., April 15.—Joseph Rice, a poor farmer living near this city, claims to have discovered that he is a brother of the late William M. Rice, the Texas millionaire, following whose death in New York, Albert T. Patrick was arraigned on a murder charge.

Joseph Rice also claims that he is the rightful heir to at least 4 million dollars. He believes he can prove this, and has taken legal steps to establish his claim.

A Sheriff Killed.

Senatobia, Miss., April 12.—Four of the alleged members of the sextette of masked men who entered the jail early this morning in an effort to take out a prisoner for the purpose of lynching him, and who shot and killed Sheriff J. M. Poag, of Tate county, have been captured, brought to Senatobia and placed in jail by a deputy sheriff's posse, which returned from its all day man hunt shortly before midnight. They are Henry Hunter, William Tully, Alexander Nelson and John S. Bolling, all of whom reside near the town of Strayhorn, where lived Eustis Thomason, the man, who several years ago was shot and killed by James White. It was for the purpose of lynching White that the men entered the jail at Senatobia.

Great excitement prevails at Senatobia, but it is believed the officers have the situation well in hand. Sam Howell and Tom Norton are the remaining members of the jail storming gang. It is believed Howell was severely wounded by Sheriff Poag and is now in hiding in a negro cabin. Possees are searching for these two men.

At an early hour this morning Sheriff Poag of this county was shot by a mob of masked men, who entered the jail for the purpose of lynching James White, a white prisoner, who is to be placed on trial Monday on a charge of murder. The mob, which consisted of six men, reached the jail at 3:00 o'clock this morning and gained an entrance before Sheriff Poag was aware of its intention. The sheriff's demand that the men leave the jail was met with a firm refusal, whereupon the officer fired, wounding one man. The mob then fired on the sheriff, two bullets taking effect, one passing through the left lung. The members of the mob then beat a hasty retreat, taking their wounded companion with them. Sheriff Poag lingered until 6:00 o'clock this morning when he died. White remains in jail.

Stockman Shot on San Angelo Street.

San Angelo, Tex., April 15.—Frank Sparks, a prominent and popular stockman and citizen of this county, was today shot twice, one shot having glanced his right breast and the other having pierced the lower abdomen, passing through the bladder. The shooting occurred on the main street of the town. He is in a very critical condition, and the chances of his recovery are very doubtful.

Coleman Whitfield, a stockman and a citizen of this county, is in jail.

The affair has cast a gloom over the entire community.

Suicide During Services.

St. Louis, April 16.—Captain Basa Rider, 66 years old, for four years the janitor of the St. James Memorial Episcopal church, committed suicide to-day by shooting in a room adjoining the auditorium where the rector of the church was conducting devotional services. The sound of the shot was plainly heard by the congregation, but there was no excitement.

One of the vestrymen investigated and reported to Dr. Duckworth, who announced from the pulpit a brief statement of what had occurred. He requested that the congregation leave the church at once. Very little is known of Mr. Rider's antecedents. It is he was born in Liverpool, England, and that he was a captain in the British merchant marine service.

One Man Dead, One Dying.

Houston, Tex., April 17.—A tragedy was enacted this afternoon about 3 o'clock near Cross Timbers, north of the city about four miles, as a result of which one man is dead and another perhaps fatally wounded, while a third man, is fleeing from the arm of the law.

All three of the men have served terms in the Rusk penitentiary. The name of the dead man was J. I. Carter, aged 35; that of the wounded, John Dunlap, aged 36. The shooting took place in an unfrequented place in the woods. After the shooting, according to the statement of the wounded man, the third member of the party robbed Carter of \$26 and him 75 cents and then left, thinking both his victims were dead.

Dunlap states that he arrived in Houston Sunday afternoon, having just been given his liberty from the penitentiary. He met Carter and the other man, he states, they had been in the city for the past several weeks. He spent the night with them, and early yesterday morning the third man told them that he knew where they could find work in the new oil field.

They started for Cross Timbers under his escort. Becoming tired, they went out in the woods to rest and sat down in a clump of bushes and leaned his head against a tree, and Dunlap states that he did likewise. Neither of them paid any attention to their companion, he states.

Suddenly he heard a shot and, looking up, saw Carter fall over, shot through the head, while the other man had a smoking pistol in his hand, which, he says, he turned on him. Dunlap states that he fell upon his knees and begged for his life, but to no avail. The first shot, he said, took effect in his right arm. Another shot was fired, which took effect in the temple.

Went as if Dead.

Dunlap states that he did not lose consciousness, but fell to the ground and feigned that he was dead. He says his assailant then went through the pockets of Carter, securing \$26, and then took his 75 cents and left, coming to the city.

As soon as the third member of the party had disappeared from view, Dunlap, with great effort, made his way to the house about a mile distance and sent a telephone and had the sheriff's office notified. The message reached the sheriff's office about 5 o'clock and Sheriff Anderson, with a number of his deputies, left at once for the scene. Justice Matthews was also notified, and he went out to hold the inquest.

Dunlap was found at a house, and, through his directions, the officers found the body of Carter in the woods. Justice Matthews took the statement of Dunlap, he claiming to be the only eye witness to the tragedy. He was brought to the city and taken to St. Joseph's infirmary, where his wounds were looked after. The wound in the head is a serious one, and, according to the opinion of the surgeons, it is doubtful if the man will recover.

Carter's body was brought to city and taken to an undertaking establishment. Carter was sent to the penitentiary from Tarrant county in September, 1901, and was discharged in March of this

year. Dunlap's home is in San Francisco. He sent to the penitentiary from Houston three years ago under the name of John Doe, the charge being burglary.

The man charged with the shooting is well known to the officers in Houston and this county, they having served him with papers in numerous misdemeanor offenses. He left Houston three years ago and was sent to the penitentiary from Luling.

After taking in the situation and getting the direction which the ex-convict had taken after he left the scene of the killing, Sheriff Anderson and his deputies scattered in every direction.

No word had been heard from them up to a late hour.

Dead Baby Found in Negro's Well.

Austin, Tex., April 16.—The naked body of a newly born baby, which had its head crushed in, was found this afternoon floating in a paint bucket in the well on the premises of a negro living at East Tenth and Sabine streets. The negro had noticed that the water of his well had a peculiar taste, and investigated. When he pulled up the paint bucket with books, the top of it was covered tightly, and a bottle of poison, probably chloroform, was tied to the handle.

When he opened the bucket he found the partially decomposed body of the infant. He notified a deputy sheriff, who immediately summoned Justice Mat Johnson. The justice was of the opinion that the child was white, and had been dead three or four weeks. He turned the body over to an undertaker pending the inquest. No clue or explanation of the mysterious murder has been found.

Kills His Sixth Man.

Albany, Ga., April 16.—John Manier, marshal of Pretoria, Ga., was shot and instantly killed last night by Pete Thomas, a negro. Thomas had been creating some disorder, his conduct becoming such that the officer approached him with the intention of arresting him. The officer knowing the negro to be a bad character, ordered him to throw up his hands. Thomas replied by presenting a revolver.

The first shot shattered the marshal's arm and the second cut his jugular vein and brought him to the ground. Thomas then pumped the remaining balls into the prostrate body of the officer who was dead when assistance reached him. As Thomas ran off a man who had come up fired twice at his retreating form and it afterward developed that both shots took effect, one in the hand and the other in the thigh.

The negro was captured about noon today by Sheriff Edwards. He made the statement that Manier was the sixth man whose life he had taken.

Negroes Beaten.

Hempstead, Tex., April 14.—As a result of a difficulty which occurred here today, two negroes are badly beaten up and charges of aggravated assault have been made against Messrs. G. G., R. J. and W. B. Loftin, who have been released on bond to appear before the May term of county court.

Messrs. Loftin are running the Steele plantation, five miles south of here, and it appears that the difficulty arose over business matters in this connection. One of the negroes is in a very bad condition.

Killing of Fisher.

Temple Tex., April 15.—Full particulars are still lacking regarding the manner in which Will Fisher of Temple met his death at Granger yesterday morning. The body of the dead man was brought here last night and the funeral occurred from the residence of his parents. Fisher had been brutally butchered, presumably by some dull instrument, probably a pocket knife. Five or six gashes were cut in the throat and stabs and cuts were on the other portions of the neck and face. The indications are that the attack occurred while the dead man was asleep, as he was found lying on his back, his coat folded up as a pillow and no evidence of a struggle. He was not quite dead when found, but never recovered consciousness and lived less than half an hour.

Thompson is in jail at Georgetown charged with the murder and the latest information from there is that he absolutely refuses to make a statement of any kind. W. W. Hair, Earl Win, Webb Moore and W. C. Halbert, old friends of the accused, are in Georgetown for the purpose of being of whatever assistance they can. R. W. or "Win" Thompson is a well known and prominent farmer, who has never been known display quarrelsome instincts.

A Farmer's Suicide.

Maxwell, Tex., April 14.—Philip Koerbel, a well known farmer, shot himself through the heart this afternoon about 5:30 o'clock at his home, one mile west of Maxwell, a station on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad fifty-six miles from San Antonio. Koerbel was a prosperous farmer and had reared a large family. He was comfortably surrounded and no reason is assigned for the act of ending his own life. With a revolver which he purchased at Maxwell in the afternoon he sent a bullet through his heart. Koerbel is survived by five children, four daughters and one son. His son is married. He leaves a widow also. He was 59 years old and had lived in the neighborhood of Maxwell for years.

G. A. Levi Appointed.

Victoria, Tex., April 15.—Hon. G. A. Levi of this city received notice yesterday from W. B. De Jernett of Commerce, Texas, who succeeded F. J. Bell as grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of Texas, that he had been appointed grand vice chancellor for the unexpired term in recognition of his long and valuable services on important committees of the order. The honor is most worthily bestowed, and the many friends of Mr. Levi all over Texas will be glad to hear of the appointment.

Keller a Suicide.

Lawton, Ok., April 9.—I. H. Keller, of Kellertown, Tex., who arrived at Duncan apparently to visit the family of John W. Merritt, was found dead in the Hickory hotel. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that the deceased came to his death from morphine administered by his own hand. He left the following note: "John.—I want you to send me home. I can't do this all myself."



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And the birds that sing in the trees, the rose bud that peeps modestly forth and the gentle daisy that timidly left its face to the sun tell the story of love and springtime. This is the time of year for pretty hats and fans and parasols and spring dresses, low shoes and a thousand other things in that line. We have them all and ask you to do your spring trading with us.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Gathered Here and There By SUN Reporters.

Quarter sawed oak library tables at Fawcett, Barnes & Co's.

Fritz Sebellhase, of Comfort, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Judge J. R. Burnett spent several days in Houston this week on official business.

Bruno Schwethelm was in the city Saturday from his ranch on the divide.

T. A. Dowdy, Ingram's enterprising merchant, was among the visitors to the city Saturday last.

J. L. Vining will leave Sunday for Mineral Wells, where he goes as a delegate to the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias.

James Crotty, of Center Point, was in the metropolis Monday. He left in the afternoon for a few days stay in the Alamo city.

H. C. Barfield and wife, formerly a farmer of Turtle creek community, but now living at Center Point, were in the county site.

District Judge R. H. Burney, who has been in San Antonio for some time under medical treatment, visited his family in this city Sunday last.

Pleas Crenshaw, a representative farmer of the Ingram vicinity, was in the metropolis Saturday of last week. Mr. Crenshaw was all smiles on account of the fine crop prospect.

J. H. Gardner and Herman Grona will attend the State Fireman's Association in Austin, which meets there the 10th of May. They go as delegates from Kerrville Hose Co. No. 1.

Big stock of hammocks at the Famous.

E. C. Wyatt, of Medina, was registered at the Gerdes Monday.

Violet talcum, something new and very fragrant. Large box, 25c. ROCK DRUG STORE.

J. E. Fisher, station agent at Luling and formerly of this city, was a visitor Sunday last.

J. V. Breuer, of Medina, was among Tuesday's guests at the Gerdes.

Millinery.

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Mrs. McDonald.
Next door to Rock Drug Store.

J. R. Kellum, of San Antonio, was a guest at the St. Charles Wednesday.

Mack Weaver, the livery man of Rock Springs, was in Kerrville Saturday of last week.

Mrs. J. P. Mosel and children are visiting relatives at Fredericksburg.

Hall trees, chiffoniers and princess dressers at Fawcett, Barnes & Co's.

District Court adjourned Monday. There was more business transacted at this term than has been for years.

B. M. Hixson, a well known Angora goat ranchman, was in Kerrville the latter part of last week shaking hands with friends and attending to business.

New crop Laredo Bermuda onions at the Famous.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Robinson, of Ingram, were among the guests at the Gerdes Wednesday.

G. H. Powell of the Hansen ranch, was a guest at the Gerdes Monday.

R. B. Hadden, representing the Lowrey Manufacturing Co., of San Antonio, was in Kerrville Tuesday.

C. T. Weston, returned Tuesday from a visit to his ranch in Karnes county.

Mayor J. H. Ward made a business trip to San Antonio the first of the week, returning home Tuesday.

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G. W. Lewis and wife, of Medina, were guest at the Gerdes last Sunday.

Allan Beasley, of Seagoville, was among the guests at the Gerdes last Sunday.

Sunshine Library Notes.

The Sunshine Library now has five hundred books.

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Mrs. W. J. Dilliard has presented the Sunshine Library with six excellent books.

General J. G. C. Lee, U. S. A., of Fort Sam Houston has the appreciative thanks of the Sunshine Library for the generous gift of fifty very fine books.

Readers of the Kerrville SUN know that it has never been a policy of the paper to exploit or let the use of its columns for advertising purposes to any of the so-called "sure cures" and other patent nostrums that were only after the public's dollars. Patent medicine ads before allowed to run in this paper are subjected to a careful scrutiny and must be of tried and recognized merit and endorsed by physicians and druggists, who are in a position to know. We have by this policy lost business, but our efforts to maintain a right standard is appreciated by our readers. Anyone who wishes to try a medicine that is advertised in the Kerrville SUN can rest assured it will not be a fake. We especially call our readers' attention to the advertisement of Grandma's Liver and Stomach Tea, a certain cure for constipation and all bowel troubles. This remedy is not unknown in Kerrville, as last fall the manufacturer of this remedy distributed from the drug stores of this city, free thousands of samples of their well-known remedy.

Monument to Chas. Herbst.

Mr. Chas. Herbst, who died at Comfort recently, was one of the oldest school teachers in the Southwest. Scattered about over Texas are hundreds of men and women whose education was either all, or in part, secured in his school in Comfort. A movement has been started by a number of his old pupils to erect a fitting monument at Mr. Herbst's grave in the cemetery at Comfort. A large number of these old school fellows reside in and near Kerrville, and subscription list will be found at the bank where those who so desire can assist in paying this last tribute to one whose life work did much for the present generation of men and women of Southwest Texas.

At the Churches.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, J. T. King, Pastor. Services every Sabbath, except the 3rd Sabbath in each month, at 11 a. m. and at 7:15 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. J. Starkey, Superintendent. Senior League 3:30 p. m., A. L. Starkey, President. Junior League Sundays 2:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday 7:15 p. m.

FIRST BYTERIAN CHURCH: Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., except the fourth in each month. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. J. S. C. Graves, Superintendent of Sunday school. Everyone cordially invited to attend all services. Brooks I. Dickey, Pastor.

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Yours very respectfully,

M. F. LOERA,
Brigadier-General Mexican Army.

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Joe Manley and the Judge.

Chief Justice Fuller, of the United States supreme court, was on a visit to Maine some years ago, and while there was entertained by "Joe" Manley, who died recently. Mr. Manley was held in great reverence by his fellow citizens all over Maine, and especially in Augusta, his home. He took Mr. Fuller for a drive about the place, but was forced by a pressing business engagement to leave his guest before the drive was finished. When Mr. Manley disappeared the driver turned to the judge, whom he did not know, and, drawing out a cigar, said: "I suppose you don't mind if I smoke. When we are driving Mr. Manley we never light up, because he's rather a distinguished citizen." Fuller repressed a laugh and told the driver to go ahead which he did. Later the chief justice retained the driver to Mr. Manley, who at the first opportunity told the driver a few things, winding up: "You miserable three-ply idiot, that was the chief justice of the United States."

The Senate Reading Clerk

The senate has its trials when a good reading clerk decides to quit his job. So fastidious have senators become that no ordinary reader will do. Efforts to break in three or four different novices of late have resulted in disapproval and disaster. Steps are being taken to retain Chief Clerk Henry M. Rose, who resigned not long ago to become collector of internal revenue in the Grand Rapids district. As Mr. Rose refused to withdraw his resignation, for the reason that it would affect promotions made because of it, senators of both parties are proposing that the office of assistant secretary of the senate be created for him. Mr. Rose is one of the best readers the senate ever had, and there is no inclination to allow him to leave if it can reasonably be avoided.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

Immediately relieves hoarse, croupy cough; oppressing, rattling rasping and difficult breathing. Henry C. Stearns, Druggist, Schullburg, Wis., writes, May 20, 1902: "I have sold Ballard's Horehound Syrup for two years and have never had a preparation that has given better satisfaction. I notice that when I sell a bottle they come back for more. I can honestly recommend it." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

The Difference in Accent.

An American correspondent protests against the phrase "American accent" and "nasal twang," which were used in reports of the Currys-Alexander mission at Liverpool. For "the impression is a general one that all Americans talk through their noses. The idea is quite as erroneous as if one should assume that all English people are Cockney." The protest is justifiable. There is no such thing as "American accent," except in a few words such as "advertisement," wherein America is superior as to pronunciation and practice. Nor does the American born man "talk through his nose." The real difference that we notice is a difference in the general pitch of voice. The American voice is pitched in a slightly higher key than the English; here you may find the reason: the American assimilates more so easily. Put roughly, the difference is this: The Frenchman talks from his palate, the American from the top of his throat, the Englishman from his chest and the German from his diaphragm.

Corrupt Grand Dukes.

In Russia many stories are told about the rapacity of the grand dukes. One of them was president some years ago of a committee which was raising funds for a monument to be erected to the memory of Alexander II. The funds disappeared, and with it more than the usual courage of the Russian notable Count Brobrinski and Count Vorontzoff Dashkoff complained to the reigning czar. Nothing, however, came of the complaint. The whole thing was hushed up. Another was said to have supplemented his enormous income by receiving bribes to give low-born aspirants a standing in society. Their incomes, it may be said, are enormous, yet the majority of them are in chronic need of cash, and are anything but squeamish as to the manner in which they obtain it.

Health is Youth.

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Facts About San Domingo.

About 50 per cent of the commerce of Santa Domingo is with the United States. The remaining 50 per cent is chiefly with the European countries—England, Germany, France and Spain—and in smaller proportions with Cuba, Mexico and South America. England supplies the largest proportion of the imports, aside from those drawn from the United States, a considerable element along the coast being an English-speaking population. English, French and Spanish are the principal languages of Santa Domingo, English and French being especially spoken along the coast, while in the interior Spanish is the principal vehicle of communication. The population is chiefly of mixed Spanish, Indian and negro blood, with some of pure African descent, and a comparative few whites. The total population of the republic is estimated at the present time at about 500,000, that being somewhat less than the official estimate of 610,000 made in 1888.

Edison on Capital Punishment.

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It is a woman's reason for everything, but just because prospect are good and indications are that money will be plentiful is not a reason why you should waste your money. It is your duty to buy for just as little money as you can and yet get the best goods. We will prove to you that you can save money by trading here if you give us a chance.

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And the birds that sing in the trees, the rose bud that peeps modestly forth and the gentle daisy that timidly left its face to the sun tell the story of love and springtime. This is the time of year for pretty hats and fans and parasols and spring dresses, low shoes and a thousand other things in that line. We have them all and ask you to do your spring trading with us.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Gathered Here and There By SUN Reporters.

Quarter sawed oak library tables at Fawcett, Barnes & Co's.

Fritz Sebellhase, of Comfort, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Judge J. R. Burnett spent several days in Houston this week on official business.

Bruno Schwethelm was in the city Saturday from his ranch on the divide.

T. A. Dowdy, Ingram's enterprising merchant, was among the visitors to the city Saturday last.

J. L. Vining will leave Sunday for Mineral Wells, where he goes as a delegate to the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias.

James Crotty, of Center Point, was in the metropolis Monday. He left in the afternoon for a few days stay in the Alamo city.

H. C. Earfield and wife, formerly a farmer of Turtle creek community, but now living at Center Point, were in the county site.

District Judge R.H. Burney, who has been in San Antonio for some time under medical treatment, visited his family in this city Sunday last.

Pleas Crenshaw, a representative farmer of the Ingram vicinity, was in the metropolis Saturday of last week. Mr. Crenshaw was all smiles on account of the fine crop prospect.

J. H. Gardner and Herman Grona will attend the State Fireman's Association in Austin, which meets there the 10th of May. They go as delegates from Kerrville Hose Co. No. 1.

Big stock of hammocks at the Famous.

E. C. Wyatt, of Medina, was registered at the Gerdes Monday.

Violet talcum, something new and very fragrant. Large box, 25c. Rock Drug Store.

J. E. Fisher, station agent at Luling and formerly of this city, was a visitor Sunday last.

J. V. Brener, of Medina, was among Tuesday's guests at the Gerdes.

Millinery.

We have one of the prettiest lines of down-to-date Millinery in the city. A pretty line of Turbans, elderly ladies' hats, children's hats and the very latest in street hats; also a beautiful lot of dress hats.

Mrs. McDonald.
Next door to Rock Drug Store.

J. R. Kellum, of San Antonio, was a guest at the St. Charles Wednesday.

Mack Weaver, the livery man of Rock Springs, was in Kerrville Saturday of last week.

Mrs. J. P. Mosel and children are visiting relatives at Fredericksburg.

Hall trees, chiffoniers and princess dressers at Fawcett, Barnes & Co's.

District Court adjourned Monday. There was more business transacted at this term than has been for years.

B. M. Hixson, a well known Angora goat ranchman, was in Kerrville the latter part of last week shaking hands with friends and attending to business.

New crop Laredo Bermuda onions at the Famous.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Robinson, of Ingram, were among the guests at the Gerdes Wednesday.

G. H. Powell of the Hansen ranch, was a guest at the Gerdes Monday.

R. B. Hadden, representing the Lowrey Manufacturing Co., of San Antonio, was in Kerrville Tuesday.

C. T. Weston, returned Tuesday from a visit to his ranch in Karnes county.

Mayor J. H. Ward made a business trip to San Antonio the first of the week, returning home Tuesday.

The sun will come out good and strong next week and you will need a straw hat. Big stock at the Famous.

Lunch baskets and hampers of all kinds at the Famous.

Japanese cleaning cream for cleaning cloth. A large bottle for 25c. Rock Drug Store.

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Sunshine Library Notes.

The Sunshine Library now has five hundred books.

Give a book to the Sunshine Library and add to the sum, total of human happiness.

Mrs. W. J. Dilliard has presented the Sunshine Library with six excellent books.

General J. G. C. Lee, U. S. A., of Fort Sam Houston has the appreciative thanks of the Sunshine Library for the generous gift of fifty very fine books.

Readers of the Kerrville SUN know that it has never been a policy of the paper to exploit or let the use of its columns for advertising purposes to any of the so-called "sure cures" and other patent nostrums that were only after the public's dollars. Patent medicine ads before allowed to run in this paper are subjected to a careful scrutiny and must be of tried and recognized merit and endorsed by physicians and druggists, who are in a position to know. We have by this policy lost business, but our efforts to maintain a right standard is appreciated by our readers. Anyone who wishes to try a medicine that is advertised in the Kerrville SUN can rest assured it will not be a fake. We especially call our readers' attention to the advertisement of Grandma's Liver and Stomach Tea, a certain cure for constipation and all bowel troubles. This remedy is not unknown in Kerrville, as last fall the manufacturer of this remedy distributed from the drug stores of this city, free thousands of samples of their well-known remedy.

Monument to Chas. Herbst.

Mr. Chas. Herbst, who died at Comfort recently, was one of the oldest school teachers in the Southwest. Scattered about over Texas are hundreds of men and women whose education was either all, or in part, secured in his school in Comfort. A movement has been started by a number of his old pupils to erect a fitting monument at Mr. Herbst's grave in the cemetery at Comfort. A large number of these old school fellows reside in and near Kerrville, and subscription list will be found at the bank where those who so desire can assist in payin this last tribute to one whose life work did much for the present generation of men and women of Southwest Texas.

At the Churches.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, J. T. King, Pastor. Services every Sabbath, except the 3rd Sabbath in each month, at 11 a. m. and at 7:15 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. J. Starkey, Superintendent. Senior League 3:30 p. m., A. L. Starkey, President. Junior League Sundays 9:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday 7:15 p. m.

PRE-BYTERIAN CHURCH—Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., except the fourth in each month. Prayermeeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. J. P. C. GRAVES, Superintendent of Sunday school. Everyone cordially invited to attend all services. BROOKS I. DUCKY, 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 9 p. m. Morris Ranch, services on 3rd Sunday in month.

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

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CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 12, 1904.

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Gentlemen:—With your esteemed letter of recent date, I was favored with a package of Grandma's Tea for the liver and stomach. A thousand thanks for the favor bestowed; assuring you that I will most effectively recommend your remedies to my friends, and especially to the Military Hospitals and commanders of corps and regiments. Your therapeutic explanation is in accordance with the opinion of reputable physicians of this Capital, who have attained the best results from the use of your remedies among their patients. I congratulate you on your discovery of "Grandma's Tea". That it may sweeten the ailments of humanity is my sincere wish. If I can be of service to you in any way in the Capital, command me.

Yours very respectfully,

M. F. LOERA,
Brigadier-General Mexican Army.

Last Hope Vanished.

When leading physicians said that W. M. Smithart, of Pekin, Ia., had incurable consumption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 10 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure." Strictly scientific cure for Coughs, Sore Throats or Colds; sure preventive of Pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c and \$1 bottles at Rock Drug Store. Trial bottle free.

Joe Manley and the Judge.

Chief Justice Fuller, of the United States supreme court, was on a visit to Maine some years ago, and while there was entertained by "Joe" Manley, who died recently. Mr. Manley was held in great reverence by his fellow citizens all over Maine, and especially in Augusta, his home. He took Mr. Fuller for a drive about the place, but was forced by a pressing business engagement to leave his guest before the drive was finished. When Mr. Manley disappeared the driver turned to the judge, whom he did not know, and drawing out a cigar, said: "I suppose you don't mind if I smoke. When we are driving Mr. Manley we never light up, because he's rather a distinguished citizen." Fuller repressed a laugh and told the driver to go ahead, which he did. Later the chief justice retailed the joke to Mr. Manley, who at the first opportunity told the driver a few things, winding up: "You miserable three-ply idiot, that was the chief justice of the United States."

The Senate Reading Clerk.

The senate has its trials when a good reading clerk decides to quit his job. So fastidious have senators become that no ordinary reader will do. Efforts to break in three or four different novices of late have resulted in disapproval and disaster. Steps are being taken to retain Chief Clerk Henry M. Rose, who resigned not long ago to become collector of internal revenue in the Grand Rapids district. As Mr. Rose refused to withdraw his resignation, for the reason that it would affect promotions made because of it, senators of both parties are proposing that the office of assistant secretary of the senate be created for him. Mr. Rose is one of the best readers the senate ever had, and there is no inclination to allow him to leave if it can reasonably be avoided.

Ballard's Horchonnid Syrup.

Immediately relieves hoarse, croupy cough; oppressing, rattling rasping and difficult breathing. Henry C. Stearns, Druggist, Schullburg, Wis., writes, May 20, 1902: "I have sold Ballard's Horchonnid Syrup for two years and have never had a preparation that has given better satisfaction. I notice that when I sell a bottle they come back for more. I can honestly recommend it" 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

The Difference in Accent.

An American correspondent protests against the phrase "American accent" and "Mass twang," which were used in many reports of the Toffey, Alexander mission at Liverpool. For "the impression is a general one that all Americans talk through their noses." The idea is quite as erroneous as if one should assume that all English people talk Cockney." The protest is justifiable. There is no such thing as "American accent," except in a few words such as "advertisement," wherein America is superior as to pronunciation and practice. Nor does the American born man "talk through his nose." The real difference that we notice is a difference in the general pitch of voice. The American voice is pitched in a higher key than the English. Here you may find the reason why the American assimilates French so easily. Put roughly, the difference is this: The Frenchman takes from his palate, the American from the top of his throat, the Englishman from his chest and the German from his diaphragm.

Corrupt Grand Dukos.

In Russia many stories are told about the rapacity of the grand dukos. One of them was president some years ago of a committee which was raising funds for a monument to be erected to the memory of Alexander II. The funds disappeared, and with it more than the usual courage of the Russian notable Count Brobrinski and Count Vorontzoff Dashkoff complained to the reigning czar. Nothing, however, came of the complaint. The whole thing was hushed up. Another was said to have supplemented his enormous income by receiving bribes to give low-born aspirants a standing in society. Their incomes, it may be said, are enormous, yet the majority of them are in chronic need of cash, and are anything but squeamish as to the manner in which they obtain it.

Health is Youth.

Disease and Sickness Bring Old Age. Herbine, taken every morning before breakfast, will keep you in robust health, fit you to ward off disease. It cures constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, fever skin, liver and kidney complaints. It purifies the blood and clears the complexion.

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THE present crop prospect indicates that the farmers and ranchmen of Southwest Texas will have money to loan next fall.

THE Texas Legislature adjourned last Saturday, and was immediately reconvened in special session. The law makers will probably use the next sixty days in a frantic effort to pass a general appropriation bill.

THE vastly increased number having fruit trees in Texas, and the phenomenal fruit crop, will result in the State producing something near twice as much fruit this year as in any one year in its previous history.

VOLUME 1, No. 5, of the Southwest Kindergarten Magazine, has reached us. The publication is creditable from every view point and fills a long felt want in the field of Texas journalism. The subscription price is \$1 a year and it should be in every home in Texas.

THE greatest annual event, from an historical and patriotic viewpoint, in Texas, is the "Battle of Flowers" at San Antonio. That entertainment will last all next week and the Alamo City has made extensive preparation for the festival, and promises visitors a royal time.

A GREAT many men are anxious for their sons to get a good start in the game of life, but we have noticed that the young fellow who makes a three-base hit the first time he goes to bat, generally comes in behind the lad who has to sneak for the first base while the backstop is scratching for the ball in the grass.

THE Galveston News says "unless the people of Texas plant their heels down on it, they are going in due cause to have the Legislature in session all the time."

That is pretty good argument for cutting down the representation and sending to the Legislature fewer men and more brains. If the Legislature was composed of men who had the ability to earn more than \$2 a day in the ordinary marts of business they would not be anxious to stay at Austin for that salary.

It is to be earnestly hoped that the Anti-Tuberculosis League which met at Atlanta Monday will achieve some new success in the discovery of means and methods for fighting this terrible disease, which becomes more and more prevalent in the world every year. It is very probable, however, that it will take as many generations of right living to bring the human family back to its pristine strength as it has taken generations of wrong living to bring us to our present condition of physical weakness. There are many things people do that are not conducive to physical strength, for instance, people eat breakfast foods now, and think they thrive on them, a hundred years ago would have poisoned an Igarotte.

THE Japanese are said to have swiped a lot of coal from the Russian fleet. The Russians should not complain of that however, as the coal would be very heavy to carry when they start back home, and they will probably be in a hurry.

Treasurer's Report.

Sun mary of the City Treasurer's report from January 1, 1905, to March 31, 1905.

April 1, by cash in general fund	\$1010 50
By cash in sinking fund	1581 97
By cash in road and bridge fund	264 33
Total	\$2856 81

I certify that the above is correct.

JOHN C. GRAVES,
City Treasurer.

Examined and found correct by finance committee, April 18, 1905

W. E. WILLIAMS, } Com.
MAX GRONA, }

Attest:

ALMER R. JONES, Sec.

Suits Cleaned and Pressed.

I do all kinds of repairing and altering work promptly done. Ladies skirts cleaned.

S. Friedman,

The Tailor, Kerrville, Texas.

Tivy High School Notes.

Honor roll for April 1905:

1st grade.—Ware Smith, Wright Robinson, Francis Domingues, John Mosel, Gerald Walther.

Low 2d.—Irene Baker, Elizabeth Christenbury, Oscar Raugh, Ruth Hicks, Bell Benson.

High 2d.—George Wells, Edgar Mosel, August Michon, Mabel Hagens, Ruben Dietert.

Low 3d.—Ferrol Rawson, Laura Wilson, Howell Ferris, Bodo Pankratz.

Low 4th.—Lillie Koester, Ethel Williams, Elizabeth Noll, Winnie Turner.

High 4th.—Vernie Stocking Nellie Horne, Olive Wells, Bessie Bennett.

5th.—Rodger Renschel, Agnes Christenbury, Leonard Rawson, Joel Burney, Cecil Robinson, Jessie Stockings.

6th.—Sadie Lockett, Kittie Robinson, Harold Richards, Ivy Burney, Rosa Pfeuffer.

7th.—Roscoe Sawyer, Hal Garrett, Lee Harris, Nannie Allen, Mattie Surber.

8th.—Grady Horne, Blanche Self Ed Koester, Carrie Love, Walter Burnett.

9th.—Catherine Richards, Geo. Reeves, Thorne Renschel, Julius Noll, Lester Enderle.

10th.—Ida Pfeuffer, Edith Leinweber, Chas. Rawson, Mabel Davey, Irene Wilson.

Ready For Business Again.

Henke Bros. meat market on Water street, has been undergoing repairs and thorough renovation. The work is now about finished and the business has settled back into its usual channel. The entire shop has been thoroughly overhauled and put in first-class condition. Everything is neat as a new pin and the new market would be a credit to any city.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen.

120 head of goats, dry nannies and muttons. Most of them have left ear off and are branded half circle on left jaw and cross on right jaw. The balance are branded H on right jaw. Anyone knowing their whereabouts will please notify

SAM HILL
or B. M. HIXSON
Japonica, Texas.

Happy Center Point.

This valley is blessed with more rain than we have seen for many years. Crops are in perfect condition.

Merry, merry wedding bells are about to ring in our village, and we may have the pleasure in calling names next week.

Elder Jonathan Streeter preached several able sermons this week at the Christian church. He is a pleasant and scholarly man. He may visit us again before many weeks.

The first strawberry supper of the season was given by the members of the Sunshine Band at the Avenue hotel Thursday of last week and all enjoyed the occasion as well as making a neat sum for the church.

A protracted meeting to last several days will begin at the Baptist church Thursday of this week.

Mr. T. A. Buckner was here from Bandera this week.

Mrs. J. N. Hodges is visiting in San Antonio.

Our school closed Thursday and diplomas have been awarded to the following young ladies:

Elizabeth Scott, Clara Rishworth, Ethel Price Bonnell, Catharine Owens, Janie Rees and Benita Killough. We extend congratulations to these pupils and Prof. Bennett for their past years work.

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Indian Tribe Dying of White Plague.

Black River Falls, Wis., April 17.

The Winnebago tribe of Indians is facing a miserable end, though it has \$900,000 with the National Government to its credit. The red men are dying by scores of consumption and are a heavy expense to several towns. According to a decision of the Supreme Court of the United States it is believed that the towns in which the sick and poor Indians reside must pay for their care, as they would for any indigent citizens. Sickness prevails and hundreds of dollars are being needed to treat the decrepit old warriors.

Resident Indian Farmer A. P. Jones is authority for the statement that consumption, unless stopped, will soon kill the whole tribe. It is said that little attention is paid to the marriage rites among the Indians in this vicinity, which has resulted in demoralizing conditions.

District Court Adjourned.

The Kerr County District Court transacted a small amount of minor business Monday and adjourned. The next term of the Court for this county will be held in January, 1906, owing to the law changing the time of settings of court in this District.

Soldiers are Here.

Two batteries of artillery from Fort Sam Houston under command of Major L. Niles, arrived in Kerrville Monday and went into camp near the Fair ground. The troops came to Kerrville this year, as usual, for target practice and will be here several weeks.

SPRING CARNIVAL.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX.

The "S. A. P." will sell April 23, good until April 25, tickets at \$2.20 round trip. Child's rate, \$1.10 round trip.

April 27, good until April 29, at \$1.00 round trip.

April 23 to April 30 daily, good until April 30 for \$2.80 round trip. Child's rate \$1.40 round trip.

For further information call on S. C. TOWNES, Agt. GEO. F. LUPTON, G. P. A.

Strayed.

Iron grey mare, 4 years old, 14½ hands high, unbraided, shod in front, two white hind feet, any information that will lead to her recovery will be appreciated.

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For Sale.

A wind mill and piping for sale cheap. Enquire of Mrs. M. A. Parsons. 41-4

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HOME NEWS.

Interesting Items From Town and County.

Big stock of Ladies' and Gents' belts at the Famous.

B. C. Richard returned Thursday from a business trip to Austin.

C. A. Stapp, of Ward and Stapps ranch on the Divide, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Benzo-Lotion will not only cure chaps, but will take off sun burn and tan. 25c at Rock Drug Store.

Dr. Edward Galbraith,



Dentist

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

R. E. Jump, of Leinweber ranch on the Divide, was in Kerrville yesterday.

Jno. Hick, of Vance Edwards county, was among the visitors in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Alice Morrison and her two daughters, Misses Daisy and Flora, left yesterday for San Antonio, where they will reside.

T. C. Hagens, R. B. Hagens and G. B. Robbins, of Falls county, who have been on a prospecting tour in South Texas, are visiting Robt. Hagens of this city.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will have a sale of aprons and neck wear at Walther's parlors, where refreshments will also be served, Tuesday May 2, from 4 to 7 p. m.

W. H. Weeks, live stock agent of the Frisco system, accompanied by Mrs. Weeks, spent last Sunday in Kerrville, guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. L. A. Schreiner. They left in the afternoon for their home at Fort Worth.

Dr. L. Werblun, optician of San Antonio will be in Kerrville at Dr. Palmer's office May 1 and 2. All glasses fitted by Dr. Werblun that do not relieve headache or do not enable you to read or do all close work without the least strain to the eyes will be exchanged free.

IT IS ALL YOUR FAULT

That you haven't got a nice new matting on your floor. We have the biggest stock, best quality and lowest prices ever offered on mattings in Kerrville and we are willing to sell.

FAWCETT, BARNES & CO.

The Sunshine Library is indebted to Mrs. Keppele Hall, of Dayton, Ohio, for a large box of books and magazines for which many thanks are due.

C. T. Mayes, of Cameron, who has been in Kerrville for the past two months visiting his cousin, A. R. Jones, left Thursday for Fort Worth.

The MOUNTAIN SUN now makes weekly visits to Mr. Ernest Boyd, of Kansas City, through the kindness of his mother, Mrs. J. N. Boyd, of this city. Mr. Boyd recently accepted a position with the Smith-McCord Dry Goods Co., of Kansas City.

John C. Graves has increased the floor space of the Kerrville Book Store to twice the usual dimensions. The room formerly occupied by the family has been shelved and fitted up for store room. A telephone has been put in and the establishment improved generally.

Mrs. J. E. Grinstead and children are visiting in San Antonio.

A. M. Terry, of Harper, was in Kerrville on business Thursday.

W. S. Jennings, of Sam Hill's ranch, was in the city yesterday.

T. A. Hibden, of Bandera county, was in Kerrville yesterday. Mr. Hibden conducts a store near Lima.

W. L. Means, a Bandera county ranchman from the Medina Valley, was in Kerrville yesterday.

F. M. Moffett, of the Wallis Creek country, is in Kerrville under medical treatment.

M. R. Braggins went to San Antonio Thursday and will return tomorrow.

County Clerk J. M. Hamilton went to San Antonio Thursday afternoon.

Jas. Knox, of Brownwood, is visiting his mother and other relatives in Kerrville.

Easter

Eggs,
Dyes,
Rabbits,
Candies

at THE FAMOUS.

Mrs. James Rollish, of Hitchcock, is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. C. L. Biehler, of this city.

W. C. Whorton's outfit, receiving cattle for Schreiner Cattle Co., passed through Kerrville yesterday.

Remember **Hoyer's kidney and liver pills** will cure you or money refunded.
ROCK DRUG STORE.

J. H. Parker and wife, of Noxville, were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Melvin Fitzgerald, and sisters, Misses Ella, Sallie and Lillian, of Bandera, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Ed Heinen, of this city.

I Carry

A nice selection of Spring and Summer samples. Call at my place of business on Mountain street, and look at them.

S. FRIEDMAN,
The Tailor, Kerrville, Texas.

Rob Remschel is home from the University at Austin on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Remschel.

W. J. Dalton, a well-known goat ranchman of the Vance community in Edwards county, was in the city Wednesday.

Hoyer's kidney and liver pills will cure you of the after effects of la grippe. 50c a box. ROCK DRUG STORE.

From the Ladies' Home Journal for May.

If none of the above calls meets with what you can do this month, then send another book to Kerrville, Texas, in care of Mr. Geo. W. Walther, librarian. When we have two thousand books in the new bookcases that fill their library building, we shall turn our dues toward making another magnificent Sunshine Library for some one else.

For Sale.

At the Live Oak Ranch a fine lot of Pure Blood Hereford Bulls, also Pure Blood Half Hereford and Half Durham Bulls; all two-year-old and up; at very reasonable prices.

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Jacks, Yellow Kid Disc Plows, Deering Harvesters and
Springfield and Studebaker Wagons and Vehicles.

Pasteur's Vaccine for Blackleg.

Baldrige-Payne.

Mr. Robert L. Baldrige, of Clifton and Miss Nora Payne, were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Payne, Friday morning, April 7, 1904, Elder John S. Durst officiating. Mr. Baldrige is the able editor of the Clifton Record and is a young gentleman of splendid personal bearing, exceptional business qualifications, and we congratulate him on his good fortune. The bride was one of Junction's most charming and accomplished young ladies and has a host of friends who will wish her all happiness. The handsome couple departed immediately by way of San Antonio and Austin, for Clifton, where they will make their future home. The Citizen wishes for Mr. and Mrs. Baldrige a life of happiness and prosperity.—Kimble County Citizen.

Messrs. Russell, Bulkeley and Shapton, three prominent gentlemen of New York, have been in town this week, the guests of the Buswell Hotel. Messrs. Russell and Bulkeley are owners of a large amount of land in this and Kerr county, known as the Tracy and Russell lands. Liveryman Weaver and Surveyor Hunter conducted them through the eastern part of the county on their way from Kerrville. Mr. Bulkeley rested in town while Messrs. Russell and Shannon were conducted through the western part of the county. Mr. Bulkeley expressed himself as being much pleased with the appearance and outlook of our section of country and thinks prospects for a railroad or two in the near future very good. This distinguished party left Thursday for Kerrville.—Rock Spring Rustler.

Telephone Improvements.

The Kerrville Telephone Company has recently put in a new 300-drop switch board which will greatly facilitate the handling of the greatly increased business over the exchange and long distance lines of the company.

"The Barbed Wire Must Go."

Where? Through a Kitzelman fence machine, and be woven into a fence so the horses cannot get at it or the hogs go through it.

T. K. CARR,
Agent, Kerrville, Tex.

Kerrville Concordia.

The Kerrville Concordia went out to the home of Prof. Schmidt, on Turtle Creek, last Sunday evening. The members of the Society who were present report a very enjoyable visit.

A. S. Gibbens, of Turtle Creek, was in Kerrville yesterday.

Don't Blame Us.

We are going to give away that iron folding bed on May 1, as we have advertised. If you have bought goods from us since January 1, and did not get your tickets come in and get them before Saturday night April 20, don't blame us. FAWCETT, BARNES & CO.

An Historic Incident.

The following dramatic story connected with the royal opening of a parliament is almost two centuries old, according to the London News. After Queen Anne had met her faithful lords of commons, at the beginning of one session in her reign, she held court in Westminster Hall. Within that historic edifice an old countryman took keen note of the brilliant scene, and he was asked by one of the silken gallants of the period who was in attendance if he had ever beheld anything like it. He replied, "Never; since I sat in that chair!" He was Richard Cromwell, who became protector in 1658, but retired after a few months' rule.

Judge's Grave Joke.

During Queen Victoria's reign one of the solicitors of the queen who had jurisdiction over capital cases chanced to be a man named Bacon. By a curious chance a man named Hogg was condemned to death under his jurisdiction. The day before the execution Hogg sent for his executioner, Bacon. The prisoner pleaded for interference in his case because of his claims of relationship to Bacon. The solicitor, always ready with a reply, answered: "I have no proof of our relationship. You are doubtless mistaken. At any rate, the execution must take place, for only in that way can matters be set right. Hogg is not Bacon until it is dead." It is said the prisoner laughed in spite of himself.

A Choir of Toms.

"Milwaukee, March 5.—Wanted—100 boys named Tom." This small ad appearing in newspapers was the means taken to secure a real Thomas-boy choir for St. Thomas Episcopal church, and choir was formally organized soon after. Of the entire number present fifty were named "Tom," three were Williams with a last name of Thomas, and one rejoiced in the name of Jack Thom. The leader of the choir is named Thomas H. Thomas, but this is the first time that he has been called upon to lead a choir of all Toms.

Artificial Milk.

A process has recently been patented in Canada for the manufacture of milk powder, which consists of mixing with milk a sufficient quantity of milk salts to render the albumen soluble, such as 1 per cent of nitrate of calcium and the phosphate of potassium. The milk is then evaporated and noncrystalline sugar is added in a proportion of about 1 to 2 per cent of the weight of the milk in order to prevent decomposition.

Social Mistakes of Statesmen.

The first ventures into high society of the statesmen who come from the smaller towns are sometimes spectacular. A man who is serving his first term had an invitation to dine with his senator, who is no end of a rich man. The new member went to the senator's house at the proper time, was admitted and found an imposing butler standing in the hall, holding out a silver tray. The new member had heard of tips, and he dropped a quarter on the tray. Then he went into the parlor. Meanwhile the butler with the tray stood motionless in the hall. The new member stepped out to get his handkerchief from his overcoat. The butler stuck out the tray again and the new member dropped in another quarter. Then the butler said: "Your card, sir," and the new member discovered that the butler had on his tray a card on which was the name of the lady the new member was to take in to dinner.

New Use for Stamps.

The monks at the Hospital of St. Jean de Dieu, at Ghent, have in their leisure moments decorated the walls with gorgeous landscapes, glowing with color and full of life, formed entirely by means of the postage stamps of all the nations of the world. Palaces, forests, streams and mountains are represented, butterflies flit about in the air, birds of beautiful plumage perch on branches, snakes and lizards glide about, and innumerable animals find places here and there. The pictures are most artistic, in the style of Chinese landscape gardening, and already between 9,000,000 and 10,000,000 stamps have been used.

Last of Agod Governors.

With the death of Mr. Boutwell passed the last of the seven governors of Massachusetts who were born in 1818. The others were: William Claflin, born in Milford, March 6; John Albion Andrew, born at Windham, Me., May 31; Henry Joseph Gardner, born at Dorchester June 14; Alexander Hamilton Rice, born at Newton August 30; Thomas Talbot, born at Cambridge, N. Y., September 7; and Benjamin Franklin Butler, born at Deerfield, N. H., November 5. As Mr. Boutwell was born in January, it will be seen that only February, April, July, October and December of 1818 failed to give birth to a Massachusetts governor.

Boys' Hair Grows Slower.

It is a curious fact that a boy's hair grows one-half slower than a girl's. In boys the average rate of growth is three feet six inches in six years, being an average of 018 inch a day. During the 21st and 24th years a man's hair grows quicker than at any other period. It takes an eyelash twenty weeks to reach a length of .429 inch, and then its life is from 100 to 150 days. By means of a camera the wink of an eyelid has been measured and it was found that twenty winks can be made in four seconds.

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James L. Slayden, Congressman. Comprises the counties of Bexar, Comal, Kendall, Bandera, Kerr, Gillespie, Blanco, Burnet, Llano, Mason, McCulloch, San Saba, Lampasas, Mills, Brown and Coleman.

24TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.
Marshall Hicks, Senator. Comprises the counties of Bexar, Bandera, Kendall, Kerr and Gillespie.

95TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.
W. W. Burnett, Representative. Comprises the counties of Kerr, Kendall, Bandera, Edwards and Kimble.

35TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
K. H. Burney, Judge; C. C. Harris, Attorney. Comprises the counties of Zavalla, Uvalde, Edwards, Medina, Bandera, Kendall and Kerr. Court convenes as follows: Kerr county, the 4th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Kendall county, the 2nd Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Bandera county, the 1st Monday in March and September.

Medina county, the 7th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Uvalde county, the 15th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Edwards county, the 11th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Zavalla county, the 13th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

DUNTY OFFICERS.
Julius Real, County Judge;
W. E. Smith, County Attorney;
J. T. Moore, Sheriff and Tax. Col.
J. M. Hamilton, Co. and Dist. Clerk.
Otto Dietert, County Assessor.
Jeff Vining, County Treasurer.
A. L. Starkey, County Surveyor.

COMMISSIONERS.
F. A. Karger, Precinct 1.
John Rees, Precinct 2.
Herman Schulte, Precinct 3.
Dave Watson, Precinct 4.

CITY OFFICERS.
Joe. H. Ward, Mayor.
A. H. Moore, City Attorney.
W. G. Peterson, Marshal.
John C. Graves, Treasurer.
A. R. Jones, Secretary.
W. E. Williams, Alderman.
R. H. P. Wright, Alderman.
B. B. Lowrance, Alderman.
Max Grona, Alderman.
Chas. Moser, Alderman.
Council meets First and Third Tuesdays in month, at the court house.

SCHOOL BOARD.
H. Kemschel, Pres.; H. V. Scholl, Sec.; W. H. Rawson, Treas.; W. E. Williams, J. E. Grinstead, B. C. Richards, W. G. Garrett. Regular meetings 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights in each month.

SECRET SOCIETIES.
Kerrville Lodge A. & A. M., No. 697, meets Saturday night on or before the full moon. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.
R. H. P. Wright, W. M.; J. E. Grinstead, S. W.
A. R. Jones, J. W.; J. L. Vining, S. D.
A. W. Henke, J. D.; G. D. Anderson, Sec.
H. Kemschel, Treas.; Green Lackey, Tyler.
F. A. Crenshaw, W. L. Robinson, Stewards.

Kerrville Lodge Knights of Pythias, No. 166, meets at Castle Hall on the first and third Thursdays of each month, corner Main and Tchoupitoulas streets. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend.

G. H. Coleman, C. C.
A. B. Williamson, K. of K. and S.
Cypress Camp, W. O. W., No. 58, meets every first and third Wednesday night, at Woodmen Hall, corner Main and Mountain streets. Visiting sovereigns cordially invited to attend.
Chas. Real, C. C.
H. G. Koester, Clerk.

Fritz Reuter Lodge Sons of Hermann, No. 231, meets on last Saturday night in each month, at their hall over Favorite saloon. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.
MAX GRONA, President.
I. F. W. DRIBBERT, Secretary.

S. S. MAIL.

Arrives and Departs as follows: San Antonio mail arrives at postoffice daily at 1:00 p. m. Leaves postoffice daily at 2:00 p. m.

Mail for Junction Rock Springs, Mountain Home, Ingram, Japonica, Lula and Sedovia departs daily, at 1:00 p. m. Arrives daily, at from 1:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

Mail from Harper and Knoxville arrives daily except Sundays, at from 11:30 a. m. to 12:00 p. m. Departs daily, except Sundays, 1:00 p. m.

Mail from Morris Ranch arrives daily, except Sundays, at from 11:30 a. m. to 12:00 p. m. Departs daily, except Sundays, at 1:00 p. m.
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A Nery Lawyer.

Francis I. Heney, the special United States district attorney who brought Senator Mitchell and the others to indictment in Oregon, is a San Francisco man who was sent to Oregon by Attorney General Moody because he fears nothing and has a record for absolute integrity. Heney is now in Washington reporting on his work in Oregon.

In his early days he practiced law in Arizona. One day a woman came into his office and said she wanted a divorce.

"What for?" asked Heney. "My husband beats me," she replied. "He lashes me with a blacksnake whip."

"I can get you a divorce for that," said Heney, and he made out the bill and complaint.

Before the woman left the office she said: "I want to be fair with you. My husband says he will kill any lawyer who helps me in getting a divorce from him."

"Oh," Heney replied, "that is a matter that comes afterward. It has no bearing now that I can see."

He went ahead and got the divorce for his client. A few days after the decree had been handed down Heney met the woman's former husband in the street. Heney waited until the man had pulled out a pistol in order that there might be no mistake about his intentions. Then Heney, being somewhat of a gun artist himself, pulled his own pistol and shot the man dead before he had time to get his pistol into action.

Cures Colds and Coughs.

Mrs. C. Peterson, 625 Lake St., Topeka, Kan., says, "Of all cough remedies Ballard's Horehound Syrup is my favorite; it has done and will do all that is claimed for it—to speedily cure all coughs and colds—and it is so sweet and pleasant to the taste. Sold by Rock Drug Store."

Mule for a Partner.

The late Senator Edward O. Wolcott, of Colorado, was fond sometimes of telling stories of which he was the butt. He used to tell how, at the beginning of his professional career in the West, he established a law and real estate office in Georgetown, Colorado. As the future statesman was in partnership with a brother, the firm sign read: "Edward Wolcott & Bro." The young lawyer, however, found that business would not come to him, so he decided to move to a neighboring town in search of it. He bought a donkey, packed his few belongings upon it and started for his new field. He took with him the firm sign, thinking after the addition of fresh paint it might be made to do duty once more. On arrival at his new field of endeavor he found a group of miners awaiting him. All eyes were fixed on the side of the pack animal. For a moment there was silence, and then an old miner drawled out: "Say, young feller, which of you-all is Ed?"

Frightful Suffering.

Suffering frightfully from the virulent poisons of undigested food, C. G. Grayson, of Lula, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes, "that I was cured." All stomach and bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties. 25c at Rock Drug Store guaranteed.

The Czar's Stables.

The Czar of Russia has four separate "services" of horses and carriages, namely, the Russian, English, French and the gala sets. Each set comprises at least fifty horses. The Russian set accompanies the emperor wherever he goes and at Gatchina it is used together with the English set. The gala and the French horses and carriages are housed in St. Petersburg in the Winter palace stables. The czar's gala turnout consists of fifty Hanoverian horses, which are perfectly white, with blue eyes.

The Tennessee Jack

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Neal Goldwell.

Cloth Made From Wood.

In Germany, Spain and Holland textile goods are made of wood, and it is probable that this industry will soon spread to France. The process consists in making the wood pulp pass directly through a metallic plate with a number of slits, resulting in the formation of thin ribbons, which pass from the slitted plate directly to a machine which twists them, transforming them into very regular threads of any desired size. The wood-fiber threads thus produced go by the names of xylofine, s'valine, and licella; they are classified by number like the other threads in use. Mixed with hemp threads they have been used to make towels. These mixed fabrics readily admit of washing, dyeing and printing; the wood-pulp thread, which grows weak when wet, regains its resistance when dried.

A Dandy for Burns.

Dr. Bergin, Paña, Ill., writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment; always recommended it to my friends, as I am confident there is no better made. 'It is a dandy for burns.' Those who live on farms are especially liable to many accidental cuts, burns, bruises, which heal rapidly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is applied. It should always be kept in the house for cases of emergency." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

Don't Object to Bibles.

It appears that the Turks did not object to the sale of Bibles in Macedonia or Argentina, feeling quite sure they will convert no Mussulmen, but they object to the distribution of Bibles with inserted pages of revolutionary and seditious matter. All the Porte requires is that the Bibles shall be genuine from cover to cover.

Cheated Death.

Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had Kidney Trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitter, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." Rock Drug Store guarantees them at 50c.

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FUNNY THINGS

FROM THE PAPERS.

Two unknown Michigan editors
are guilty of malice aforethought.
One of them remarked that "the
beef trust is now cowed!" Where-
at the other added, "Naturally
this makes Mr. Roosevelt feel
bully!"—Ex.

A speaker at a meeting of the
chamber of agriculture, in Wor-
cester, England, said: "We have
a fire-engine which always goes to
fires, never gets there, and always
manages to cause one or two fires
on the way."—Ex.

A schoolma'am at Wray, Colo.,
according to the Rattler, mistook a
young calf for a wild animal the
other evening while returning
home from school and started to
run. The calf ran after her, and
when heroically rescued by some
of the big boys they had the tem-
erity to declare they saw three
calves instead of one.

A young married man who was
seen hurrying along the street
carrying a big paper bag Thurs-
day. Somebody asked him why
he was in such a hurry. "I've
just bought a new hat for my
wife," he replied, "and I want to
get home before the style
changes."—Ex.

Fables Up-to-date.

A man hearing a speaker who
was possessed of a tremendous
voice and mighty few ideas, said:
"That man makes me think of a
dog I own. If you could separate
him from his bark all that would
be left of him could be soaked up
with a halt sheet of blotting paper."
—Topeka Mail and Breeze.

"John," said a butter dealer,
"always put a couple of sheets of
paper when you weigh. Custom-
ers will think you neat and clean-
ly in your business. They don't
like to have their butter stopped
onto a scale that, for all they know,
has never been washed. And be-
sides, there's a good profit in buy-
ing paper at three cents a pound
and selling it for eighteen cents."
—Ex.

The mule dealt the donkey a
terrible kick. A young racer near-
by gave him the horse laugh. His
dam then said: "Neigh, neigh,
my child." Then the donkey fell
to his knees and said: "I bray
you don't do that again." This
made an old ram in the next lot
feel sheepish, and a goat outside
the lane said: "That's what you
get for butting in."—Wellington
(Tex.) Times.

A Mutual Mistake.

Little Willie told his mother
that a lion was on the front porch
but when an investigation was
made it was found to be the New-
foundland dog, which had been
newly sheared.

"Now, Willie," said his mother,
"you have told a very naughty
story and you must go to your
room and pray for forgiveness and
remain there until the Lord does
forgive you."

Willie promptly obeyed and
was gone only a few minutes be-
fore he came tripping back.

"Did the Lord forgive you?"
asked the mother.

"Yes," was the reply, "and he
said he didn't blame me much
either, 'cause when he first saw it
he sorter thought it was a lion
himself."—Ex.

"The physicians say," remarked
young Slowboy, "that kissing is
dangerous and must go."

"Well," replied Miss Swiftleigh,
"I'm ready; so let it go."—Ex.

A certain man was bragging
about the smartness of his chil-
dren and repeating their bright
sayings. This went on for some
time when another man called
the proud tather to one side and
said:

"If I were you I would let up
on that sort of talk. It is bad for
your boys."

"How is that?" asked the fond
parent.

"Well when the boys have
grown up they will overhear such
remarks as this: You would
hardly think to look at that
fool now that he used to be a
smart boy when he was little."—
Ex.

A citizen of Salem, Mass., the
witch town, brought suit for di-
vorce, and according to a Boston
paper, he proved the following al-
legations: "That his wife tore the
sign from his store, put into his
tea something that made him vom-
it, threw his clothes downstairs,
filled his shoes with cold water,
put swill in his overcoat pocket,
threw water over him as he went
downtown, put pepper in his bed,
made him sleep in an attic, kept in
her bed an iron bar eight inches
long and threatened him with it
when he approached her; wouldn't
do his washing, wouldn't mend
his clothes, made him darn his
socks and sew buttons on his shirt,
spat on his toast when he was get-
ting his breakfast, rocked in a
squeaky chair for hours at a time
to annoy him, put grease on his
Sunday clothes, wouldn't let him
have a fire on the coldest nights,
so that he often had to go to bed at
7:00 o'clock p. m. to keep warm,
and finally, that she rubbed a
butcher knife over his neck once,
and threatened to blow out his
brains. The man should have the
divorce, for it is evident even to
the uninitiated, that the woman was
no gentleman!"

A Female Drink.

We hev been asted ter serve
on th' committee of refreshments
fer th' president's visit ter Alkali,
and we hev declined; we air not
in th' same class with no presi-
dent an' we'd git mixed as ter
terms; what he'd call refresh-
ments we'd probably call booze.
We ain't no doubt that they is
sech things as Manhattan cock-
tails an' Saratoga sourses an' long
an' short toddieses an' rock-an'-
rises an' other things, but when
it gits in our subscription jug it's
all booze ter us. We ain't con-
templatin' cuttin' no dash when
th' president comes; th' Eye won't
git out no extry. Ef we air in th'
line o' th' parade when she comes
along we'd like ter express a wish
ter be took by th' heels by some
kind friend who knows how it is
himself and behind Widder
Smith's pigpen an' left alone in
our glory. Last week our friend
th' bartender asted us over ter try
a new driak an' we confess with
shame the four o' 'em put us
down an' out an' they had ter
burn a feather under our nose ter
bring us two; we don't know what
th' driak was made of an' we
ain't makin' no kick becuz our
whiskers was singed; we on'y
hev this ter say: we bet th' bar-
keep can't do it agin; we under-
stand he calls th' driak "Maud."
We feel like absorbin' a few
few Maud's right now.—Alkali
Eye, in Houston Post.

Were Train Robbers.

El Paso, Tex., April 15.—The two men who recently robbed a Lordsburg, N. M., saloon, and were killed resisting arrest, were identified today as George and Edward Gates, who robbed a Southern Pacific train in California in 1894, and killed Express Messenger O'Neill. Both were well known outlaws.

A Fourth Attempt.

Lake Charles, La., April 15.—A fourth attempt within three months upon the life of Joseph McDonald was made last night. McDonald is guard at the Southern Pacific freight depot, and unknown persons shot at him last night. There were seven shots in all fired, the watchman having hit his man, who escaped in the darkness.

Wheeling His Family.

Temple, Tex., April 8.—Anton Hanshan, a freak pedestrian, whose specialty is walking around the world wheeling his wife and child in a perambulator, was here Friday and Saturday, and succeeded in arousing a great deal of interest. He started from Vienna, Austria, Sept. 12, 1900, and has papers showing him to have covered 25,000 miles of the trip.

Grandmother at 85.

Leakey, Tex., April 9.—Mrs. Ida Shackelford, of Bandera county claims the record of being the youngest grandmother in America. She was 35 years old and her husband was 40. Her grandchild was born December 15. She married at the age of 17 years and her husband at the age of 22 years. Their first child was a girl, who, when 16 years of age, married C. O. Bell, aged 42. It is believed that Mr. Shackelford holds the second place in being the youngest grandfather in the United States.

Pros Won at Llano.

Llano, Tex., April 15.—A prohibition election was held in this county today. Returns indicate a prohibition majority of 150 or more.

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Killed by Negroes.

Covington, Ga., April 16.—News was received here this afternoon of a tragedy near Broughton, a station on the Central railroad 15 miles east of Covington, at a late hour last night. Kelsey Cranford, white, 22 years old, accompanied by his younger brother, while walking along the public road near the home of John Clack, was fired on by four unknown negroes.

Twelve shots were fired. The elder Cranford was killed outright, falling in the middle of the road, within a few feet of his assailants. Walter Cranford received the contents of one load of buckshot in his left arm. He outran the assassins and gave the alarm.

Young Cranford was not able to identify the murderers but suspicion points to a family of negroes with whom the Cranfords had been at outs over a plantation road. Much excitement prevails in the community. At 12 o'clock today no arrests had been made, the arrival of officers from Madison being awaited.

Bill Missing.

Austin, Tex., April 15.—The horse racing bill is mysteriously missing. It was signed by the president and speaker of the senate, but failed to reach the governor. A search for the bill was made this evening, but it was not found.

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