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WATCHES.

Ladies' Gold Filled
\$10.00, \$15.00, \$24.00
Gent's Gold Filled
\$10.00 and Up
Silverline
\$5.00 for Elgin

FOBS.

A New Line at
25 Cents and Up

LOCKETS.

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Self, the Jeweler and Optician.
Rock Drug Store.

The Scalper Evil.

Marcus K. Bitterman, a railroad ticket scalper of New Orleans, about six weeks ago was sent to jail by order of the United States Court sitting in New Orleans. Bitterman brazenly disregarded the order of court, was caught red-handed "with the goods on him," metaphorically, and was cheeky enough when hauled up before the court to plead that he was trying "to earn an honest living." Incidentally, Bitterman keeps a curio shop as well as being somewhat of a generous advertiser in the city press of New Orleans, this lay press let Mr. Bitterman down easily. This is to be regretted, but 'tis true. In the work of detection of Bitterman the Louisville and Nashville Railroad did magnificent service and even if the Bitterman catch was all that resulted from the L. & N.'s labor, the reward was a plenty. A quantity of maudlin sentiment was evoked in this fellow Bitterman's favor, even general passenger agents describing him as the "best of the bunch," or the "squarest of the outfit." Such talk is nothing more than rank heresy out of the mouths of any passenger man. Bitterman may be no worse than Kelsko or Mehlig, and it is a question if he is a clever as the first named scalper or as astute as "automobile" Mehlig, but beyond peradventure Bitterman is not nearly as manly or courageous as either. When this creature was before the "beak" for sentence, he almost fainted, but despite his emotion he lied to the last. Bitterman, "the best of the bunch," Bitterman, "the squarest of the outfit," was sent to quod for thirty days. He has served his time, and his special pleaders say he has abandoned ticket scalping.

Before dismissing the subject of Bitterman, "the best," and "the squarest," I would like to say this: so far as concerns ticket scalping in New Orleans, I am afraid there is a screw loose. It is merely a suggestion, but I think that if the Southeastern Passenger Association took a hand in the matter and investigated, a reform might be effected. Ticket scalping is simply daylight robbery, and the city that tolerates it condones the offense. It won't "wash" to say New Orleans cannot do this or that. If the spirit and understanding are applied to the effort, what Birmingham has done and Atlanta and other places besides, can be effected in the Crescent City. Those who say differently must have an ax to grind. I desire to talk right out in open meeting on this matter. Ever since S. F. B. Morse fought the New Orleans scalper I have been on the firing line, and I know

all about the "inside" part of the game. It is up to the railroads to get busy. The scalper is a menace to society. There are no "best" nor any "squarest" in the scalping fraternity. They are simply rogues pure and simple when pursuing their nefarious work of fleecing transportation treasuries.

Killed Himself at Merry Dance.

Runge, Tex., May 19.—With out a thought of impending tragedy, a score of young people, who were assembled at a surprise party at the home of M. P. Schorre, a few miles south of this city last night, were in the midst of dancing and merrymaking, when Oscar Dittmer, a nephew of the host, entered the room and shot himself, dying shortly after. A panic ensued and the women became hysterical.

Dittmer secured the weapon, a 45-caliber sixshooter, from his uncle's room and entered the room where the merrymaking was in progress. He fired two shots upward at his head, and both going astray and lodging in the ceiling above, he placed the muzzle against his breast and fired a third time. This time the shot proved fatal, the ball entering the right nipple and coming out near the left nipple. Dittmer was dead in 20 minutes. Despondency over recent misfortunes is ascribed as the cause.

The funeral took place this afternoon. Deceased was 29 years old and leaves an aged mother, two brothers and a sister.

Died of a Cracked Skull.

Lockhart, Tex., May 21.—A Mexican cotton chopper, whose name is unknown, died at the City Hospital here yesterday from the effects of a blow on the head with a pistol in the hands of City Marshal Lee Holmes. On last Saturday Marshal Holmes was attempting to jail a companion of the deceased for some disorderly conduct, when deceased interfered and Mr. Holmes was forced to use the butt end of his sixshooter in self-defense. The blow cracked the skull of the Mexican, and though given the best of medical attention, yesterday he succumbed to the wound.

Aged Man Killed.

Carrollton, Tex., May 22.—Jim Murphy, aged 67 years, was killed here this afternoon and C. W. Robertson, a young man 23 years of age is under arrest charged with the crime. Both men have been employed as section hands on the Cotton Belt railroad and were working together when the trouble arose. It is alleged that Murphy was abusing Robertson and the latter struck him on the head with a shovel. Murphy's neck was broken and a post-mortem examination was held tonight.

Rock Hits Him in the Eye.

Hills Prairie, Tex., May 22.—Saturday night the regular south bound passenger was three hours late and just as it pulled out from this station a crowd of negroes, which was standing on the steps and in the passageway between the coaches, threw several rocks into the crowd that was on the platform and around the station. One of the rocks struck Ran Peterson in the eye, knocking him down and putting out his eye. He bled very freely from the wound.

Kills to Get His Child.

Natchez, Miss., May 19.—Angered or crazed by the loss of his 4-year-old child, whom he claims was kidnapped by Mrs. Sue Pruitt and A. Z. Bidwell, Peter Matheson, a mechanic, fisherman and jack-of-all-trades, yesterday morning shot and killed two men, struck the Pruitt over the head with his gun and is now in jail.

The weapon used was a single-barreled, hand-made, cedar stalk, twelve-bore shotgun. The victims were A. Z. Bidwell, aged about 68 years, and Steven Jones, aged 50.

The scene of the shooting was a beached shantyboat just beyond the city limits down the river. The bodies of the murdered men were lying in a heap on the front part of the boat. Matheson fired the shots from ambush about fifty feet from the boat. He had gone to the place at 9 o'clock the night before, built a "blind" of sticks and brush, the same as generally made by turkey hunters, and lay in wait until yesterday morning, shortly before 7 o'clock, when he got his men.

After shooting the men he entered the shantyboat, took the boy in his arms and attempted to kill Mrs. Pruitt by striking her over the head. The blow felled her to the floor, where she lay unconscious for a few moments. His next move was to take Bidwell's rifle from a rack and place it by the dead man's side.

He started for the city, and as he was leaving the scene of the double murder he espied a young girl, Ida Rossin, coming from another shantyboat, and fired a shot at her, but his aim this time was poor and the girl escaped injury. He then left the scene of the crime, came to the city, deposited his gun in a hotel office and went to the Catholic Episcopalian residence to make arrangements to have the child placed in an asylum. He was arrested, offering no resistance.

Matheson and his wife had been separated for some time, a Vicksburg (Miss.) court awarding him custody of the child. He brought the boy to Natchez and, he alleges it was kidnapped from the family in whose care it was placed by Bidwell and Mrs. Pruitt.

Bidwell's daughter resides in Bradford, Pa. He was a Union veteran.

Bridge Watcher Killed.

Sherman, Tex., May 23.—News has reached here of the tragic death of Gene Zelow, a section laborer on the Texas & Pacific and Katy joint track at the Buck bridge, about a mile and a half south of Tioga. Zelow was placed to watch the Buck Creek bridge while the water was raging in the stream on Sunday night, and another watchman was placed at a point farther south of Tioga. Yesterday morning Zelow failed to return with the other man, and an investigation followed. Going to the bridge, a searching party found his hat near the south end of the bridge. Another picked up his broken lantern, and blood spots on the trestle told the story. The body was not located, however, until about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when it was fished from the bottom of the creek, where it had evidently been hurled by a passing train.

The charity that begins at home is usually of a domestic character—it seldom leaves the house.

Endless Chain System.

Houston, Tex., May 23.—The examining trial of P. McPike and M. D. Skinner, arrested in this in this city some weeks ago on the charge of unlawfully using the United States mails, set for yesterday before United States Commissioner L. C. Masterson, was postponed until June 3, 1905, by agreement.

This parties were again taken into custody on a second charge, forwarded to this city from Collinsville, Ill., in which they are charged with unlawfully depositing in the postoffice in that city divers letters and packages relating to or concerning a lottery or similar enterprise.

Their bond in this case was fixed at \$500 each, and in the first case it is \$300 each.

This new warrant from Illinois will likely result in these parties being transferred to that place for trial.

The specific charge against these defendants grows out an alleged scheme to sell diamonds under the continuous contract system, constituted by the Federal authorities as an endless chain proposition.

They are charged with conducting a concern known as the Keystone Commission company, which was traced by postoffice authorities all over the country from Illinois down South.

Swimmer Gave Out.

Sherman, Tex., May 23.—Geo. Tucker, aged 22, was drowned late yesterday afternoon in a small lake about four miles southeast of this city.

Claude Dewees, his wife and sister, were attempting to spread a gill net in the lake when young Tucker offered his assistance to Dewees, who was then in the water. Tucker plunged into the lake and was swimming to Dewees, and as he came near said: "I am giving out can't go any further." At the same time he grabbed Dewees about the shoulders. Dewees then set off for the shore. His wife and sister seeing the situation, began pulling the net toward the bank, and Dewees clung to it until he was out of the lake. Tucker, however, seemed to release all hold and soon sank.

Ordered 20,000 Bee Stings.

Beville, Tex., May 19.—A local apiarist has received an order from a New York chemical manufacturing firm for 20,000 bee stings to be made into a remedy for rheumatism. It is claimed that the poison of bee stings, properly administered, is a sure remedy for this malady. In substantiation of this it is said no apiarist suffers the least tinge of rheumatism, having immune by inoculation, incident to handling bees. Several in this locality claim to have been cured by having become beekeepers.

Met Death Alone.

San Antonio, May 24.—Mrs. Heiligen, of 902 Camden street, dropped dead at the family residence Tuesday afternoon. Although 74 years old she had been in good health and possessed unusual vigor. When one of her sons returned home he found her dead body in the kitchen. He arrived before the others and entering the house looked for his mother. He did not see her mov-

ing about as usual, and on going into the kitchen found her body upon the floor. Supper, which she had been preparing, was still on the stove. Death had come to her while she was engaged in her housework.

Her son had sat down on the front steps for about ten minutes before going into the house. He thought it somewhat strange that his mother did not come to the front part of the house, as she was accustomed to do about the hour of his arrival home. This caused him to enter the house to seek her.

In falling Mrs. Heiligen struck the floor with considerable force, bruising her face. She was seen by neighbors about 3 o'clock when she was hanging out some clothes which she had washed. After this she proceeded to prepare the meal and her neighbors did not see her after that. It is supposed that she died about 4:30 o'clock as her body was still warm when found by her son.

Mrs. Heiligen was the widow of Chas. Heiligen, who died about twelve years ago.

Bad Negro Defies Officers.

Owensboro, Ky., May 22.—Bob Shaw, a negro, supposedly insane, has killed one man and wounded seven in the past 24 hour near Waitmad. The body of the dead man lies in front of Shaw's house and the negro continues to defy the officers who are seeking to arrest him.

The dead: William C. Brown, a deputy sheriff.

The wounded: Marshal John J. Jackson, Dr. G. H. Plitt, Town Marshal, Watson, James Ford, John Robinson, Frank Howard and Watson Pelley.

It is probable the house will be burned in an effort to arrest the negro. Yesterday afternoon Shaw was terrorizing the community around Waitman and an appeal was sent to this city for help. A posse was at once formed, but as soon as it appeared the madman opened fire.

Town Marshal Watson was shot in the face and Deputy Jackson in the back. Others wounded were Dr. G. H. Plitt, in the hand; a boy named Howard and another boy named Pelly, in the legs.

This morning a posse headed by Sheriff Kelly went to Waitman and found the negro sitting on his front porch. Shaw quickly barricaded himself in the house. The posse tried to storm the house, but the negro opened fire, wounding James Ford and John Robinson.

He apparently only had small shot, which saved the lives of those he shot at. Shaw was shot at twice. He had two revolvers, but announced that he would save them for close quarters. A great crowd gathered around the house, keeping at a safe distance.

At 3:00 p. m. Will Brown, a deputy sheriff of Hancock county, volunteered to go to the house and take Shaw. When within 15 feet of Shaw, the latter fired, blowing Brown's head completely off. The body now lies at the door of the house and cannot be recovered. The burning of the house is being discussed by the posse and this probably will be done.

A serious question confronting the average young man is the necessity of settling up and the advisability of settling down.



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OSCAR ROSENTHAL, Proprietor,

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Just Because

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.

Love is in the Air,

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.

Miss Helen Brady, left for her home in Hutto on Sunday's train.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Smith on the 23rd inst., a son.

Judge E. H. Turner made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

W. D. Burney, one of the Guadalupe valley farmers, was in Kerrville Wednesday on business.

H. C. Kramme, of Marion, who is sojourning at Center Point, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bagwell, of Center Point, attended the ball given at Pampell's Hall on Saturday night of last week.

Mrs. H. V. Scholl and daughter, Miss Alida, left Thursday for Corpus Christi, to spend the remainder of the summer.

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Deering Twine,
None Better on the Market.
CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

J. R. Hodges, a prominent Guadalupe Valley farmer of near Center Point, was circulating on our streets Tuesday.

W. M. Garrett, a farmer of Center Point, was in the County site Tuesday shaking hands with friends.

Mrs. Secat, of Memphis, and her sister, Miss Carter, left for San Antonio a few days ago. They will remain a short time there, then go to New Mexico.

Mrs. H. M. Knox is away from Kerrville taking her vacation.

J. H. Burris, of Jonah, is visiting his brother, W. M. Burris, of this city.

B. M. Hixson, from his ranch on the Divide was among the visitors to the city Tuesday.

Tom Dowdy and Tom Moore, two prominent merchants of Ingram, were visitors to the city Tuesday.

H. Remschel and family, his brother-in-law, James Knox, left Tuesday morning for a fishing trip.

Mr. Maxwell, representative of Ginn & Co., was in Kerrville a few days ago. He paid Tivy High School a flattering compliment.

Guy Taylor, from his ranch on Paint Creek, spent several days in Kerrville this week. Mr. Taylor was here for supplies.

Henry McNealy, the postmaster at Mountain Home, was in Kerrville Wednesday making business for our merchants.

Wm. Eager, of San Antonio, has been in Kerrville the past two weeks looking over his ranch interests near this city.

L. A. Leinweber, a progressive farmer of the Ingram community, was in the city Wednesday making business for our merchants.

Joe Keller and Hugo Schnerr, two prominent Gillespie county farmers, were in Kerrville Monday attending to business and buying supplies.

Miss Lula Glass, who has been in Kerrville the past year, spending the time with the family of her uncle, J. M. Hankins, Sr., left Thursday for Cuero, where she will in the future reside.

Ivy Steves, of Comfort, was in Kerrville Tuesday and was a guest of the St. Charles.

Mr. Means, a sheep buyer of Kansas City, is in Kerrville for the purpose of buying fat muttons.

County Treasurer J. L. Vining was registered at the Mahneke hotel, San Antonio, Wednesday.

Herbert Rawson, who had been attending the Galveston School of Pharmacy, the past term, returned to his home in this city Tuesday.

D. B. Hatch, of the A. G. Elliott Paper Co., Houston, was in the city Wednesday doing the printer man.

H. I. Hardin, of Japonica, was in the capitol city Tuesday. Mr. Hardin has just recently sold his farm to J. L. Phillips.

Mrs. Guy M. Borden and daughter, Miss Nellie, of San Antonio, have apartments at the St. Charles. The ladies will probably remain sometime for recreation.

A CAR OF

Deering Binders,
Mowers,
Rakes

And Twine Just Received.
Chas. Schreiner Co.

Miss Bryan, of Dallas, is in the city a guest of W. E. Williams. Miss Bryan's father will arrive soon with a view of locating in our town.

J. W. Coffey, a prominent Kimble county ranchman, was in Kerrville the latter part of last week. Mr. Coffey is all smiles on account of fat stock, fine grass and plenty of water.

Alvy Barker, of Harper, passed through Kerrville Tuesday on his way to New Braunfels.

C. T. Weston returned the latter part of last week from a month's trip to Karnes County.

Rev. P. D. Swift, formerly of this city, but now of Harper, was in the County site Tuesday shaking hands with friends.

Misses Lila and Mamie Walker, of Center Point, attended the Tivy High School commencement exercises Friday night of last week.

County Commissioner F. J. Morgan, of near Harper, recently sold 160 head of sheep to Hill and Hixson, of Kerr county, for \$2.00 around including lambs.—Gillespie Co. News.

Rev. J. A. Massey, of Boerne, will hold services in the Episcopal church, Sunday, June 4, at 11:00 a. m. All are cordially invited to be present.

L. B. Miller, wife and little daughter, of San Antonio, are in the city for a few days recreation. They have apartments at the St. Charles.

For Sale.

My household furniture is for sale. Call on Dr. P. J. Domingues or Mrs. M. E. Taylor.

Vitroline 1905. The Only Screw Worm Cure.

I am the originator and inventor of this famous screw worm cure. I will sell a copy of original formula, with full directions for making, to all stockmen and farmers on receipt of \$2.00. Send check or money order. Buy this and save yourself money.

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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.

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. N. 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.

Don't Use the Kegs.

All persons are forbidden to use empty beer kegs belonging to the San Antonio breweries for any purpose hereafter. It is a trespass upon the property of said breweries to do so, and same will be prosecuted.

CHAS. HEINEN, Agt.,
Kerrville, Tex.

Warm spring days produce a feeling of drowsiness if the body is loaded with the impurities of winter diet. Cleanse the blood, liver and bowels with PRICKLY ASH BITTERS. It creates energy and cheerfulness.

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The I. & G. N. R. R., in connection with the Iron Mountain System, operates Four Limited Trains Daily between Texas and St. Louis, the service being four to eight hours quickest, and 100 to 150 miles shortest. These trains have Pullman Buffet Sleepers and Chair Cars through without change, and connect morning and evening in Union Station, St. Louis, with all the Northern and Eastern lines. A la carte Dining Car Service between Texarkana and St. Louis.

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Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which has robbed me of sleep and all interest in life. I have tried many different doctors and several medicines, but I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at Rock Drug Store; price 50c.

Mania for Fino Array.

Apropos of the death of Lord Anglesey, the London Spectator refers to the chief distinction which interested the public in him, that passion for jewels and for personal adornment which many doctors believe to indicate a form of latent insanity. The opinion is often expressed in court in cases where persons under no pecuniary pressure have stolen gems, silks or other shining objects. A semi-mania of this kind is well known in India, where the government has again been obliged to warn native princes rather severely of the consequences of indulging a passion for precious stones. An Indian prince, not necessarily a fool, who has once seen a brilliant stone of exceptional beauty, sometimes appears literally unable to go without it, and will give any price or run any risk for its possession. Ranjeet Singh, for example, one of the ablest men in Asia, so to speak, was mastered by his desire for the Kohinoor. The passion, which has shown itself for thousands of years, is one of the arcana of human nature, and is not altogether explained by assuming egotistical vanity. There is to some natures a physical attraction in jewels which they are almost powerless to resist.

Exposure.

To cold draughts of air, to keen and cutting winds, sudden changes of temperature, scanty clothing, undue exposure of the throat and neck after public speaking and singing, bring on coughs and colds.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the best cure. Mrs. A. Barr, Houston, Tex., writes, Jan. 31, 1902: "One bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup cured me of a very bad cough. It is very pleasant to take."

Cowboy and Tenderfoot.

Senator Dubois, of Idaho, was United States marshal there during the territorial days. A real "tenderfoot" from the East came to Blackfoot with a large roll of money to buy a ranch, but fell into the hands of a well known gambler, who got him into a poker game. The gambler bet \$2 on a hand and the tenderfoot raised him \$12. "I'll just raise that \$160," said the gambler, shoving in his money. To the astonishment of everybody the tenderfoot saw the raise. "What on earth have you got, anyway?" asked the surprised gambler. "A pair of kings," answered the tenderfoot, showing them. "Say, Bill," said the gambler turning to a friend with a look of disgust on his face, "tell him they're good—I can't."

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her, so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At Rock Drug Store, price 50c, and \$1.00. Guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

A Positive Necessity.

Having to lay upon my bed for 14 days from a severely bruised leg, I only found relief when I used a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I can cheerfully recommend it as the best medicine for bruises ever sent to the afflicted. It has now become a positive necessity upon myself.

D. R. Brynes, Merchant, Droversville, Texas. 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

A Successful Woman.

One of the big things in Wall street, New York, is the Broad Exchange building. It is twenty-eight stories high and houses 8,000 brokers, bankers and corporation officers. It has just come to light that the designer of every inch of the structural steel work from the foundation to the roof was a woman—Miss Marion S. Parker, a civil engineer. In addition to this Miss Parker has designed the steel work of the Astoria half of the Waldorf hotel. The Whitehall building is another giant of lower Broadway, and a score of other big structures she has designed. She calls herself a "specializing architect." Miss Parker is a native of Detroit and a graduate of Ann Arbor.

Cortelyou's Chief Pleasure.

Postmaster General Cortelyou is one of the finest amateur pianists in the country, indeed, at one period of his life he seriously considered making music his profession. Whenever the cares of his office have proved unusually heavy he goes to his den and sits down at the piano in the dark. Mrs. Cortelyou knows when he is beginning to forget his official troubles, for then he ceases the minor strains with which he always begins and passes to more lively music, generally finishing with a triumphant march. Mr. Cortelyou finds the same stimulus and refreshment in music that other men find in drink, drugs or long walks.

From Tree to Newspaper.

A London writer says that a German paper manufacturer at Essenthal has just made an experiment to see how rapidly it is possible to transform a tree into a newspaper. Three trees in the neighborhood of his factory were cut down at 7:35 in the morning. They were instantly barked and pulped and the first roll of paper was ready at 9:34. It was lifted into an automobile that stood waiting and conveyed to the machine room of the nearest daily paper. The paper being already set, the printing began at once, and by 10 o'clock precisely the journal was on sale in the streets. The entire process of transformation had taken exactly two hours and twenty-five minutes.

Fashion in Shoes.

In the ninth and tenth centuries the greatest princes of Europe wore wooden shoe. In the reign of William Rufus of England, in the eleventh century, a great dandy, "Robert the Horned," used shoes with sharp points, stuffed with tow and twisted like rams' horns. The Romans made use of two kinds of shoes, the solea, or sandal, which covered the sole of the foot and was worn at home and in company, and the calceus, which covered the whole foot and was always worn with the toga when one went abroad. Greek shoes were peculiar in reaching to the middle of the legs. Slippers were in use before Shakespeare's time and were originally made "rights" and "lefts." Shoes among the Jews were made of leather, linen, rush or wood; soldiers' shoes were sometimes made of brass or iron. In the reign of Richard H. shoes were of such absurd length as to require to be supported by being tied to the knees with chains, sometimes of gold or silver. In 1463 the English parliament took the matter in hand and passed an act forbidding shoes with spikes more than two inches in length being worn and manufactured. The present styles of shoes were introduced into England in 1633.

The Safer Investment.

J. Hampton Moore, the new chief of the bureau of manufactures of the department of commerce and labor, is slim, quick, bright eyed, and generally has the appearance of a young man of elegance and leisure. He is, instead of that, a hard and successful worker, and in Philadelphia his advice upon financial matters is valued highly. A young woman one day said to Mr. Moore: "I have inherited \$25,000. I hesitate whether to invest this money in government bonds, which pay only 3 per cent, or in Zaza gold mine stocks, which pay 15 per cent. What do you advise me to do?" Mr. Moore smiled. "If you want to dine well," he said, "choose the gold mine investment. But choose the other if you want to sleep well."

Herbine.

Will overcome indigestion and dyspepsia; regulate the bowels and cure liver and kidney complaints.

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R. N. Andrews, Editor and Mgr. Cocoa and Rockledge News, Cocoa, Fla., writes: I have used your Herbine in my family, and find it a most excellent medicine. Its effects upon myself have been a marked benefit.

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THE crops of Kerr County promises a bounteous yield.

THE long expected naval battle between Japan and Russia, may soon materialize.

THE rain of Tuesday night was a thing at the right time. Though crops were not suffering, it was a great help to corn and cotton.

ANOTHER big strike is in progress in Chicago. It is a teamsters strike and has been going on for sometime. It spreads but does not get thinner.

THOSE Russo-Jap fleets are still momentarily expected to meet on the deep sea, and havoc will be played when they do. This has been looked for for some time.

THE general election bill and the banking bill, recently passed by our Legislature, are said to contain many errors and Governor Lanham may be compelled to veto both.

SOON harvesting will be in full bloom, the hum of the many threshers throughout the country will be heard, and the farmers will have their barns overflowing with the golden grain.

THE spring clip of wool is being unloaded in Kerrville every day. Soon the mammoth store house will be full of the Western staple, which is the source of bringing thousands of dollars to this country.

THE wheat and oat crop of Kerr County was never better, according to the statement of old farmers, and there is an immense crop planted. Things will happen in Kerr county during the next month.

THE proposed change of trains on the "Sap" June 1, will meet with the approval of everybody. A regular passenger train will be put on at that time to meet the wants of visitors to the cooler climate.

THERE is every indication that more tomatoes will be shipped from Kerrville this season than ever before. Wouldn't a canning factory in Kerrville be a paying enterprise? It would be a source by which our farmers could find a market here at home for their produce.

THE country from Kerrville to San Antonio presents a magnificent appearance. Wheat and oat fields of the finest kind are to be seen, and passengers on the trains going and coming seem to be passing through a flower garden. Great is West Texas.

THE Kerrville Summer Normal which begins June 22, proposes to be one of the best in the State. A large attendance is expected on account of the fine climate, where teachers can have pleasure, and at the same time attend the Normal. Inquiries are being received daily from all parts of the State in regard to the Summer school.

Tivy High School Commencement.

Commencement exercises of Tivy High School were held in the Opera House on Friday night, May 19, 1905. At an early hour it was evident that a large crowd would be in attendance, and by 8:30 o'clock all seats were sold. At 8:45 o'clock the curtain was raised, displaying a stage most beautifully and appropriately decorated with ivy, cedar and carnations. The floor was carpeted in old gold and white, the class colors. Near the middle of the stage, somewhat toward the front a truncated pyramid was arrayed in the most pleasing manner. On this fifteen diplomas were placed. Above it was the class motto: "The End Is Not Yet."

The first speech of the evening was the Salutatory by Chas. Rawson, which was delivered with much credit to himself. Next came the Valedictory by Miss Ida Pfeuffer. It was rich in thought and was presented in a most pleasing manner. Miss Vida Gibbens was especially at home in her essay, "Silent Influences." "Bows of Promise" by Miss Edith Leinweber would do credit to one older by many years. The Historian, Miss Mable Davey, told in a vivid style many pleasant and amusing occurrences in the lives of the graduates. The Prophet, Willie Garrett, predicted a bright future for all his classmates save himself. The class poem by Robt. Lockett indicated a latent talent and was beautifully delivered.

The presentations of diplomas and scholarships were made by the Superintendent, Horace W. Morelock, in a very eloquent manner.

The bacalaureate address by Mr. W. A. Cocke, of San Antonio, was beautiful in thought and gracefully delivered.

The entire program was a grand success and would do credit to any town of 10,000 inhabitants. The receipts were \$80.00. Tivy High School is growing in reputation and in efficiency of work. In fact, we believe there is no better school in the State.

Suits Cleaned and Pressed.

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

S. Friedman,
The Tailor, Kerrville, Texas.

A Ten Dollar Gold Medal.

Public spirited men are always in demand. Such an one has volunteered his services in the interests of Tivy High School. On Friday night, May 19, 1905, Judge Julius Real attended the graduating exercises of the above institution. He was so much pleased with the merits and presentation of the program, that he went home and read all the essays which came out in the MOUNTAIN SUN. To encourage the worthy efforts put forth in this direction a "Real Gold Medal" will be given to that member of the graduating class of 1906 who offers the best essay. The conditions upon which this medal will be awarded are:

- 1st.—Subject.
- 2nd.—Subject—matter.
- 3rd.—Delivery.

Tivy High School wishes to thank Mr. Real for his generous offer, and assure him of their hearty appreciation.

Notice.

All persons are warned against trespassing on my premises for any purpose whatever.

G. F. SCHREINER.

J. W. BUSBY.

J. W. HARRIS.

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and All Kinds of

Real and Personal Property

List your property with us and we will give it prompt and careful attention, whether the value is \$10.00 or \$10,000.

Opp. Schreiner's Store, - Kerrville, Tex.

Happy Center Point.

The heated season in the cities and lower counties has come on, and the inhabitants of those sections are beginning to seek the mountain breezes of our beautiful, Happy Center Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crotty are on a protracted visit to relatives and friends in the city. The Masonic Lodge called a special session Friday night for the purpose of conferring the third degree upon Mr. Crotty.

Miss Sue Cunningham, of San Antonio, was a welcome guest in our village this week.

Ganahl Walker came up from his ranch Saturday to spend a few days with his mother and brother near town.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Vaughan are here for the season, in their beautiful summer home. They are always welcome.

James Mansfield and his sister, Miss George Ann Mansfield, delighted their many friends and acquaintances with a pleasant call on Tuesday of this week. While here, they remembered A-meri-cus.

Miss Grace Hudson, a beautiful and attractive young lady from San Saba, is summering in Center Point the guest of her cousins, Misses Lila, Mamie and Lessie Walker.

Miss Lena Rutledge, of Hazelhurst, Miss., is here for a visit to her brother, T. J. Rutledge.

Jack Moore, High Sheriff of Kerr County, was in this city Monday and Tuesday on business and pleasure. He was accompanied by his father, Mr. John Moore.

S. H. Wellborn, one of the Guadalupe Valley's most substantial planters, was transacting business in Center Point last Monday.

On the fourth Sunday of July, which will be the 23d day of the month, the great protracted revival will begin at the Christian church. The services will continue 30 days, and some of the strongest preachers in the church or in the State will assist in the work.

A-MERI-CUS.

Batteries Return.

The Field Artillery Battalion of Fort Sam Houston, comprising the Second and Fifteenth batteries, under command of Major Lotus Niles, which had been stationed at this place the past month for target practice, left Saturday of last week on their return trip. Both batteries were improved in target work.

VITROLINE

1905.



THE ONLY screw worm CURE: VITROLINE 1905, will kill the worms keep off flies and stops the bleeding.

Every bottle guaranteed to do as we say. Give it a trial.

ROCK DRUG STORE

Manufacturing Druggists. For Sale by all Leading Merchants and by Chas. Schreiner Co., Kerrville, Rock Springs, Junction: Paul Ingenhuett, Comfort; Center Point Mercantile Co., Center Point.

Beauty, Beauty

Oh! What can equal the BEAUTY of NATURE in her lovely Spring dress, and no wonder faces all look more pleasant with all this beauty about them.

Why not have some photographs of yourselves or home, while everything is so new and fresh. Yes, I have a new portrait lens too, and with the good control I have over my light, I am able to do you very high-grade portrait work. Will photograph you anything you want, indoor or out. Fine collection of views for sale. Kodak work finished.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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Awarded Three State Prizes, Also the Highest Prize at San Antonio International Fair 1904. You take no chances. Powell's photos are guaranteed to please. This is the only studio in the State making art of the highest grade finishes known to the Photographic Art. Old pictures enlarged to any size in the most artistic manner.

L. T. Powell.

HOME NEWS.

Interesting Items From Town and County.

Rolland Mayhugh from Johnson Creek was in Kerrville Thursday.

Dr. Price's Food, always fresh. For sale at the Famous.

Dr. J. D. Robinson, of Ingram, was in the city Thursday.

Chas. Leinweber, one of the Divide's most enterprising ranchmen came in Thursday for a load of supplies.

Best porcelain lined fruit jars, all sizes, jelly glasses, extra rubbers and caps, at the lowest price at the Famous.

Dee Garrison, of Bandera county, and a prominent ranchman, was in the city Thursday attending to business.

Mrs. Ethel Boswell, of Houston, is in the city visiting the family of her cousin, J. T. Ligon. Mrs. Boswell will remain here for some time.

Dr. Edward Galbraith,



Dentist

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

Alf Smith from his farm on Johnson Creek was in the capitol of Kerr County Thursday, making business for our merchants.

J. T. Bowman formerly of this city, but now of San Antonio, arrived in Kerrville Thursday for a few days stay with friends and old acquaintances.

Our stock of men's, boys and children straw hats is too large, and we must sell them within the next 30 days regardless of price.

THE FAMOUS.

B. Flemming, a prominent Kimble county ranchman and farmer, was seen on our streets the first of the week. He was here for supplies.

Get Our Prices On
**Binders,
Mowers,
Rakes
and Twine**
Before Buying.

Chas. Schreiner Co.

Fred Allerkamp, a substantial Cypress Creek farmer was among the people in the County site Saturday. Mr. Allerkamp was here strictly on business.

It is your fault if you pay too much for your goods. It will pay you to get my prices when in need of the best merchandise.

OSCAR ROSENTHAL.

Scott and Junior Schreiner, who have been attending school at Ashville, N. C., are at home to spend their vacation with their parents, Mr and Mrs. A. C. Schreiner.

Geo. Bellerby, a substantial Kimble county ranchman, was in Kerrville the first of the week and paid this sanctum a visit. Mr. Bellerby was returning from a trip of several days' duration in the Alamo city.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Anderson, who had been at Morris Ranch for the past month with their little son, who has been ill, returned to Kerrville Monday. We are glad to be able to state that the little fellow is much improved.

If you want to keep cool buy a hammock at the Book Store.

The "Keep Cool Underwear" for ladies and gents at the Famous.

C. H. Sayers sold this week to Pfeiffer Bros., of Comfort, his business and property on Water street. They will take charge about the first of June.

Miss Mary Clark, who had been attending Tivy High School the past term and was the guest of her uncle, T. B. Turner, left Tuesday for her home in New Mexico.

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.

Tanglefoot fly paper and the best wire fly traps at the Famous.

A. Walker, the liveryman of Center Point, was in the city Wednesday meeting his many friends and attending to business.

We have just opened a beautiful line of men's shirts in light weight and light prices, take first choice.

OSCAR ROSENTHAL.

D. H. Hughs, a young ranchman of the Divide country, was in Kerrville the first of the week for supplies. Dee says stockmen have good reasons to be happy.

J. C. Greer and son, Arthur, formerly of this city, but now of Hondo, are visitors in the city. They came across the country in a private conveyance for pleasure and recreation.

Avoid trouble and Expense

By Using

Deering Twine.

Chas. Schreiner Co.

The barber shop conducted by J. H. Chapman is undergoing repairs. The shop is being made larger and when finished will be very comfortable.

W. H. Furr, a prominent farmer of the Upper Guadalupe country, was in Kerrville Tuesday and paid the SUN office a pleasant visit. Mr. Furr was in the city on business.

Misses Aimee and Hattie Garrett, who had been attending the Coronal Institute at San Marcos the past term, returned to their home in this city, the latter part of last week.

J. H. Surber, of Center Point, but who has been at Laredo for the past three years, was in Kerrville Wednesday. Mr. Surber will now reside in Kerr County permanently.

One of the most enjoyable balls of the season was given by the young people of the city on Saturday night of last week at Pampell's Hall. A large crowd was present and all report a very pleasant time.

The children's services at the Methodist church Sunday night last brought out a crowded house. The program was well rendered by all the little folks and was enjoyed by the audience.

Dr. F. L. Fordtran left the first of the week for Austin to attend a meeting of the State conference of County and City Physicians, which meet at the above place on Monday the 22. Dr. Fordtran stated a large attendance was not present, but the meeting was a very interesting one.

Charles Schreiner Co.,

Kerrville, Texas,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

GENERAL MERCHANDISE And Leaders in Low Prices.

Agents for Eclipse and Aermoter Windmills Collins' Pump
Jacks, Yellow Kid Disc Plows, Deering Harvesters and
Springfield and Studebaker Wagons and Vehicles.

Pasteur's Vaccine for Blackleg.

Buy your hammocks and croquet sets at the Book Store.

The old reliable and best Shepard Lightning Ice Cream Freezers, all sizes, at the Famous.

F. L. Conn, a well-known and influential farmer and stockman of the Japonica vicinity, was in Kerrville Tuesday. Mr. Conn says that crops were never better in his neighborhood.

Mrs. Chas. Barlemann and two sisters, Misses Etta and Janie Rees, and Messrs Chas. Rees and James Lyons, all of Center Point, attended the commencement exercises of Tivy High School Friday night of last week.

J. A. Saxon, of Spaulding wagon fame, arrived at his home in this city Tuesday. Mr. Saxon will spend some time with his family here before returning to Abilene, his headquarters.

Hon. C. B. Hudspeth, of Crockett county, was in the city several days the latter part of last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hamilton. Mr. Hudspeth is Representative of his District, and was on his way home.

Henry Streib, a well-known Edwards county ranchman near Lula, was in Kerrville this week. Mr. Streib is an extensive flockmaster, and he says that his sheep were never in better shape.

Walter A. Lund, who left this city about a month ago for his home in Minneapolis, Minn., died at that place on the 9th of this month. Mr. Lund made many friends during his stay in Kerrville, who will regret exceedingly to hear of his death.

Fritz Mosel has men engaged in moving a dwelling which he purchased from his brother, Herman, near the depot, to his lots on Jefferson street, next to the Methodist church. The building will be, when moved, remodeled and fixed up in general.

Miss Zelma Swift, of Harper, who had been attending the Tivy High School the past term, left the latter part of last week for her home. Miss Swift came out with honors by being one of the graduates.

Rev. G. W. Reeves, pastor of the Baptist church of this city, has been called by the members for the ensuing year, making this his third year. At the last regular meeting there were eight additions, and three the Sunday before, making a total of eleven additions to the church this month.

Lee Hatch, a prominent sheepman, of Lula, Edwards county, was in the metropolis Monday with his spring clip of wool which he sold at good prices. Mr. Hatch paid the SUN office a pleasant call, and reported stockmen in splendid shape in his country.

Joe Carman made a business trip to the Alamo City last week.

Lee Dowdy, a young farmer, near Ingram, was circulating on our streets yesterday.

A meeting of Kerrville Hose Company is called for Tuesday night, May 30. All members are asked to be present.

B. B. Lowrance, who has been engaged at painting at Center Point for some time was in Kerrville Sunday last.

W. E. Smith has purchased the property at the corner of Main and Tchoupitoulas streets, and is having the buildings torn away.

W. M. Burriss and family, who have been in Kerrville for the past three years, on account of the school facilities, left Wednesday for Georgetown, his former home.

C. Goodman, who recently purchased the Goulding property, on Water street, is having the dwelling overhauled and made larger, and when completed will be one of the nicest in the city.

J. E. Grinstead and two young sons, Grady and Doyle, left the latter part of last week for the former's boyhood home at Sedalia, Mo. Mr. Grinstead will return in about two weeks, while the boys will remain for the rest of the summer.

Mrs. Adam Wilson and two sons from their home near Leakey, were visitors to Kerrville the latter part of last week, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hamilton. Mrs. Wilson was here to attend the commencement exercises of Tivy High School in which her daughter, Miss Irene, was among the graduates. They left the first of the week for home accompanied by Miss Irene.

"What's in a name?" The word "bitters" does not always indicate something harsh and disagreeable. PRICKLY ASH BITTERS is proof of this. It cleanses, strengthens and regulates the system thoroughly, yet it is so pleasant the most delicate stomach will not object to it.

ICE! ICE!! ICE!!!

I am selling ice. June 1 I will put on a regular ice wagon, and will deliver ice every day. I shall endeavor to serve the trade promptly. Leave orders with me or with Frank Coleman, Jr.

CHAS. HEINEN.

Houses to Rent

Apply to H. V. Scholl at Beitel's Lumber Yard 48-49

Strayed or Stolen.

A sorrel horse, 14 hands high, branded AZ on left shoulder. This horse was lost in the Dietert pasture across the river from Kerrville. A liberal reward will be offered for his recovery.

CHARLIE VANN.

Fair Catalog Now Printed.

The catalog, announcing the Seventh annual exhibition of the "West Texas Fair" is ready for distribution, and will be mailed to anyone applying to the secretary, Chas. Real, Kerrville, Tex.

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. 6t-43

SCHREINER LIVE STOCK CO.

Music Class Reception.

Mrs. F. Coleman gave a reception in honor of her music class, from 5:00 to 7:00 p. m., Saturday of last week. All of her pupils were present besides a number of others, and games peculiar to such occasions were indulged in by the young folks. Refreshments were served and all went to their homes glad of having spent an enjoyable evening.

Injuries Proved Fatal.

J. W. Busby, while attending to a sick horse on Thursday the 18th inst., was kicked in the stomach by the animal, and died just a week later. At first Mr. Busby was not thought to be dangerously hurt, but it was discovered later that his liver was crushed and hemorrhages set in, and lasted until the last and he also suffered intense pain.

Mr. Busby came to Kerrville about six months ago, with his wife, three little boys and mother, from Memphis, Tennessee, and had just recently engaged in the real estate business in this city.

Mr. Busby was a member of Memphis Camp, W. O. W. and the funeral services were conducted under the auspices of that body. He was buried at Glen Rest Cemetery, this city, Friday at 5 p. m.

During his short stay in our midst, Mr. Busby made many friends. The SUN extends to the bereaved ones its sympathy in their hour of trouble.

R. C. Saner, a prominent and well-know ranchman of the Divide, was in Kerrville Tuesday for supplies. Mr. Saner is wearing smiles on account of stock conditions in Kerr County.

Deputy Sheriff J. H. Laurie, of the Japonica settlement was in the metropolis Tuesday, and paid the SUN office a pleasant call. Mr. Laurie among the things he stated to a SUN reporter was, that wheat and oats were never better and that corn and cotton were good, and things were looking bright for the farmers.

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GENERAL DIRECTORY.

14TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
James L. Slayden, Cong. Representative. 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.

35TH 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.

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| Julius Reel, County Judge. | W. E. Smith, [County Attorney] |
| J. T. Moore, Sheriff and Tax. Col. | J. M. Hamilton, Co. and Dist. Clerks. |
| Otto Dietert, County Assessor. | Jeff Vining, County Treasurer. |
| A. L. Starkey, County Surveyor. | |

COMMISSIONERS.

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| F. A. Karger, Precinct 1. | John Rees, Precinct 2. |
| Herman Schulze, Precinct 3. | Dave Watson, Precinct 4. |

CITY OFFICERS.

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| no. 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. | K. H. P. Wright, Alderman. |
| W. A. Fawcett, Alderman. | Max Grona, Alderman. |
| Chas. Mosel, Alderman. | |

Council meets First and Third Tuesdays in month, at the court house.

SCHOOL BOARD.

H. Renschel, Pres.; H. V. Scholl, Sec.; W. H. Rawson, Treas.; W. E. Williams, J. E. Grinstead, B. C. Richards, W. G. Garrett. Regular meetings on 1st 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. Renschel, Treas.; Green Lackey, Tyler.

F. A. Cronshaw, Stewards.
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 R. 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. Reel, C. C.; H. G. Koester, Clerk.
Fritz Reuter Lodge Sons of Hermann, No. 23, meets on last Saturday night in each month, at their hall over Parrott's saloon. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.
MAX GRONA, President.
T. F. W. DEBERT, Secretary.

U. S. MAIL.

Arrives and Departs as follows: San Antonio mail arrives at postoffice daily at 1:50 p. m. Leaves postoffice daily at 3:00 p. m.

Mail for Junction Rock Springs, Mountain Home, Ingram, Japonica, Lulu and Sedona 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 11:30 a. m. to 12:00 p. m. Departs daily, except Sundays, at 1:00 p. m.
CHAS. REEL, P. M.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c at Rock Drug Store.

A Handless Typewriter.

The district attorney of Mojave county, A. T., lost his hands several years ago in an explosion in a gold mine. Though he is handless, Attorney Dickson is able to perform all the tasks that fall to the lot of a man in his profession. He eats and dresses with no more difficulty than people who have the full use of their hands. Around Kingman, the county seat of Mojave county, Attorney Dickson has the reputation of being one of the swiftest performers on the typewriter. In using the typewriter Dickson fastens two short sticks, especially made for him, to the ends of his arms, and, seated well above the typewriter, strikes down with unerring aim and with a rapidity that is marvelous.

Don't Know How to Dress.

Senator Stewart, of Nevada, has only shadowy notions of dress. For instance, a few days ago when Miss Warren, daughter of the Wyoming senator, was married to Captain Pershing, the senate met at 1 o'clock instead of at noon, as usual, in order that the senators might attend the wedding. Just as the senate was called to order Mr. Stewart bustled in, wearing evening clothes. He had been to the wedding and evidently thought that, no matter what the hour, such an event demands the best a man has in his wardrobe.

Growing Aches and Pains.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremond, Tex., writes, April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I used it on my little girl for growing pains and curbed her. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.50. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

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The Pope's Habits.

Pope Pius X is very regular in his habits. His holiness rises at 4:30 a. m., says his breviary, goes to the second floor and reads mass at 6:30, celebrating the communion with anyone presenting himself. After having attended on his knees a second mass, which his chaplain reads, he goes back to his study at 7:30, and his valet brings the cup of milk prescribed by his medical man against a tendency to arthritis. Next he has a walk through the adjoining loggia and the gardens, weather permitting. The carrying chair used by Leo XIII has been stored away, and Pius X has sold the four pairs of horses. Then he works with the two Venetian priests who are his private secretaries, and with the secretary of state he runs through the newspapers, especially the Difesa, of Venice, and gives several audiences. At 1:30 p. m. the pope takes a Venetian luncheon—that is to say, rice boiled with crayfish, grilled oysters, scallops with broccoli or lentils, and some fruit, and on Fridays, boiled fish.

The King of Squashes.

The biggest squash ever raised has been produced by William Warnock, of Goderich, Ont. It weighs 403 pounds, and when picked was forwarded to the world's fair at St. Louis to be admired in the closing days of that big show. When the world's fair was held in Chicago Mr. Warnock sent a squash that weighed 365 pounds, but in 1898 he beat his own record by raising another squash that weighed 388 1-2 pounds, and now last year's big squash beats this by 14 1-2 pounds. While Mr. Warnock's competitors charge that he has some secret process of getting results in squash raising, he attributes his success to liberal watering. He sorrowfully admits he has tried several unusual ways of giving size to squash, but he is now satisfied that the only thing that will increase the size of squash must come out of the vine, and the vine must get its supply from the natural roots.

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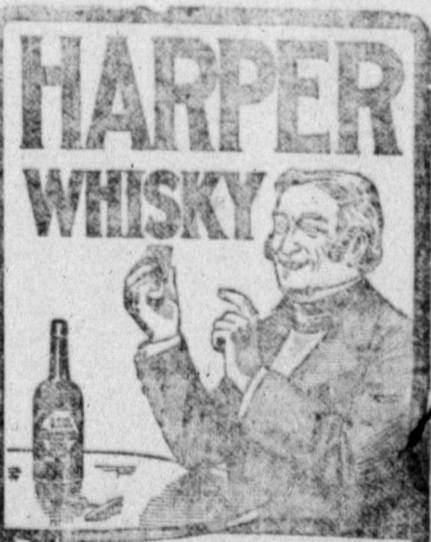
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Lifting by Magnets.
Electro-magnets are becoming more and more common for lifting purposes, and are made to do the work formerly accomplished by means of a chain and hook. Where hot iron plates have to be handled the serviceability of the electro-magnet method is most pronounced. In a large English foundry a number of electro-magnets capable of carrying a load of 4,000 pounds are used. The magnets consume 5-12 amperes of current at a pressure of 110 volts. At the Woolwich arsenal the greater part of the moving of large projectiles is done by electro-magnets. Many large works in this country use them for lifting heavy weights, transporting them rapidly from one point to another by electric motor. Magnets of from one to five horsepower are the usual sizes.

FUNNY THINGS
FROM THE PAPERS.

The Cleveland man who found six rattlesnakes in the snow might have discovered some helitrophe bull frogs with pale blue whiskers and opalesque eyes if he had taken another drink and dug into the next drift.—Fisher (Ill.) Reporter.

The editor of the Ingham County (Mich.) Democrat turns the trick on the nery subscriber in the following manner: "Will the lady who sent the anonymous request to publish one of Longfellow's poems kindly send us a nicely dressed chicken for our Sunday dinner, one that weighs four or five pounds, a roll of butter and a dozen eggs?"—Western Publisher.

A paper in Western Nebraska contains an advertisement in this manner:
"Sauer kraut,
"Harness,
"Furniture,
"Onion sets,
"Pointed laces,
"Dill pickles,
"Riding plows,
"Bulk salmon and mackerel,
"Hardware and
"Cranberries. See us before buying.

A man recently sent us \$15.00 for the Tribune conscience fund. Said he had been taking the paper ten years without paying us anything but had recently got religious and his conscience troubled him. We took the check and as we were signing it, to get it cashed, a bed slat fell out and we struck the floor so hard, that the stove pipe fell down and filled the liver kettle half full of soot. This should be a warning to everyone to clean their pipes before they cook liver.—Bailey, in Britt (La.) Tribune.

The legislator who went into an Austin gambling house and was "rolled" (bet on the ace to win and lost) for \$500, and then squealed to the police, would have been entitled to no sympathy because he lost at gambling. The duty of the officers to whom this legislative gambler made a "roar" was first to put the legislator—the lawmaker under arrest and prosecute him for violating the laws of the State which he had sworn to uphold and defend. He went into the gambling-house hoping to win money, but he lost; and so far as this transaction goes, he was just as much a gambler as the man he bet against, and he should have been punished accordingly.—Beaumont Enterprise.

"I see," said Brother Dickey, "dat somer er de preachers isagin takin' any er Kunnel Rockefeller's money—even when he wants ter give it ter 'um. But its my opinion dat day's in the wrong 'bout it. No matter who de man is dat give de money ef dey does de Lawd's work wit it, won't it fill de bill and kiver de ground? De way I looks at it is des way: ef old Satan was ter come ter me an' say, "Here's a ton er gold what I melted down yander, does you think I'd light en 'buse him en tell ter take it back what it come fum? No sub! I'd des take it end tell him, "Thanky, I knowed dar wuz some gohd in you—you ole black raskill, you!—dat's what I'd him—please God!"—Ex.

Two men up in Oklahoma went to church the other day, and the preacher read the story of Joshua commanding the sun to stand still upon Gideon. It was entirely new to them, and one of them couldn't make up his mind to believe it, so the two quarrelled and one of them shot the other one fatally. That shows what comes of a man getting so far behind in the world's events.—Ex.

Back in the town where I might have been raised, there was a regular bleached-blond scandal. The wife of one of the local editors, looking over the office books one day when the editor had gone fishing, discovered an item that read: "Ribbons for the typewriter \$1.75." As a matter of fact, she isn't that kind of a girl at all, but the poor frustrated publisher has not power of persuasion sufficient to convince his tearful wife.—Ex.

Men.
The following is taken from a little girl's composition on men:
Men are what women marry. They drink and smoke and swear and have ever so many pockets, but they won't go to church. Perhaps if they wore bonnets they would. They are more logical than women, and always more zoological. Both men and women have sprung from monkeys, but the women certainly sprung further than men.—Ex.

When any young women or old women go to church or the theatre or any public place wearing hats as big as a thrashing machine and with ears the size of a Jack rabbit's they should remove the hat and pin the ears to the carotid artery so that those sitting behind them be able now and then to get a glimpse of what was going on in front. We never were successful in seeing things over a hat as big as a hay stack nor through ears the size of a sugar cured ham.—Comanche Visitor

Where did the idea come from that the boys are the woers? do any little boys have the education in love that the girls have. When a little girl starts to school here are some of the things that the big girls learn her the first year. When she eats an apples she is taught to count the seeds while she thinks of some little boy and repeats a rhyme. In the spring time the little girl gathers daises and pick off the petals, one by one, she thinks of some little boy and says another rhyme. When a little girl sees the first star in the evening she repeats another verse. When grown people take wedding cake home it is never the boys who ask for a piece to dream on and see who they will marry.—Ex.

Keep A-tootin'.
If you toot your little tooter and then lay aside your horn, there's not a soul in ten short days will know that you were born. The man who gathers pumpkins is the man who plows all day, and the man who keeps a humping is the man who makes it pay. A man who advertises with short and sudden jerk is the man who blames the editor because it didn't work. The man who gets the business has a long and steady pull and keeps his trade paper from year to year quite full. He plans his advertisement in a thoughtful honest way and keeps forever at it until he makes it pay. He has faith in all the future, can withstand a bankrupt shock and, like a man of Scripture, has his business on a rock.—Ex.

Summer Normal.

Don't forget the Summer Normal to be held from June 22 to July 27 in Tivy High School Building. Free access to an up-to-date library and laboratory. Send for circular containing full information.

Methodist Revival.

A Methodist revival began at the Methodist church, this city, Thursday night, conducted by Rev. M. J. Allen, of Willow City. The meeting will continue throughout next week. Everybody is requested to come to these services and help in a good cause.

Ice Cream Social.

The ice cream social given by the Baptist Ladies' Aid Society, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wednesday evening, was a decided success. A large attendance was present and a handsome sum was netted for the church, for which the entertainment was given.

Family Reunion.

A family reunion of the Henke family was celebrated on Wolf Creek, Sunday last. A. W. Henke and family, the families of Henry Henke and Wm. Nimitz, of this city, were present, besides a number from Fredericksburg. Refreshments were served, and an all round good time was had.

Teachers Elected for Kerrville Schools

At a meeting recently held by the School Board the following teachers were elected for the session of 1905-'06.

Horace W. Morelock, superintendent and principal of Tivy High School.

Miss Alma Fulton, Miss Susan Moore, Miss Lura Watkins, Miss Beatrice Weir, Miss Kate Goodman, Miss Willie Battaile, Mrs. H. M. Knox.

I. N. Hazlett was elected teacher for the Mexican school and J. W. Duncan teacher for the colored school.

New Fountain, Texas.

Mr. A. J. Norwood, Miss Adda Denton and Mrs. John Burks and son, after a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Metzger, returned to Kerrville today. They were delighted with this locality and it's people. Those who have partaken of our German hospitality will not wonder at this.

A social hop was enjoyed one evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Metzger. Refreshments were served at a convenient hour. When the last strains of "Home Sweet Home" had drifted away upon the breezes of this perfect moonlit night, and before the good-nights were spoken, every one expressed themselves as having spent an enjoyable evening.

New Train for Sap Kerrville Branch.

On June 1 the San Antonio & Aransas Pass railroad will resume its straight passenger service on the Kerrville branch and one train will be operated each way daily.

This service was discontinued several months ago, owing to the dullness in passenger travel. The new schedule is being put on to accommodate the big rush of summer tourists to the mountain resorts on that line.

The new passenger schedule is as follows:

Leave San Antonio 9:25 a. m. daily. Arrive Kerrville 12:25 noon.

Arrive San Antonio 6:45 p. m. daily. Leave Kerrville 4 p. m. —San Antonio Gazette.

STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

To Meet at Waco May 30, 31 and June 1, 1905.

The State Sunday School Convention to be held at Waco promises to be the greatest meeting of the kind ever held in Texas. All denominations will be represented and 1,000 delegates are expected.

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W. C. Pearce, international field worker and secretary international teacher training department, and Mrs. M. G. Kennedy, president Pennsylvania state primary council, also president Philadelphia primary union, will be the principal instructors, aided by Fred Long, secretary Arkansas association, C. D. Meigs, secretary Texas association, and many of the foremost workers and pastors of the State.

REPRESENTATION.

Every Sunday School in Texas is entitled to send one official delegate for every thirty persons enrolled. If others desire to go, a certificate will be supplied that will secure entertainment.

RAILROAD RATES.

All railroads will sell tickets May 30 and 31, at the lowest convention rates, good returning until June 2.

From J. E. Roberts, Formerly of the Rock Drug Store, of This City.

Mr. G. W. Walther, Kerrville, Tex.

DEAR SIR:

I take the MOUNTAIN SUN, and in the last few issues I have noticed a great deal said about the Sunshine Library, and especially the last paper you read before the Club, and the same thought that struck you, has struck me. "What is the Sunshine Library, and what course do you have to pursue to organize one? Now if you are receiving so much benefit from this library, and if it is what you say it is, then scatter the good news, and tell me all about it, and I will attempt to start one here, as I believe a good library is essential to the establishment of good moral characters in our boys and girls. It keeps them off of the streets, and they minds from the "10-cent Novels," and "Diamond Dick Yellow Back Books."

Thanking you in advance for any information that you may offer, and wishing you all the success possible with the library,

I am, respectfully,
J. E. ROBERTS,
Eagle Lake, Tex.

Redmen Had a Good Time.

Tuesday night the chiefs, braves and warriors of Black Wolf Tribe, No. 203, in council assembled, decided on the fate of a "paleface," whom the hunters had captured on their hunting grounds. The night was bad, the wind blew, the lightning flashed, the thunder roared and the rain blew into their faces, but they finally gained safe admission into the camp of the tribe. The chiefs appeared to good advantage, decorated in war paint, and the unfortunate "paleface" was brought back to the scenes of his childhood, when the Redmen was more hostile to the "paleface" nation, than today. After the candidate was pronounced a Redman and the war dance was concluded, lunch was served. The tribe feasts on fresh buffalo and bear meats, which the hunters had secured at the risk of their lives for which act the chiefs were high in their praise. An enjoyable evening was spent and those who were not present missed a treat.

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