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Scientific Optician  
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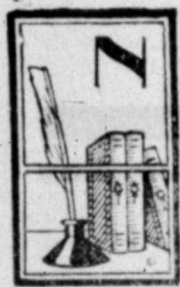
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**DR. J. B. LOVE, Scientific Optician.**

## GEORGE BOWLES

Talks About Thanksgiving, and Says  
People Are Too Busy to be Thank-  
ful These Days.



NEXT Thursday will be Thanksgiving Day. There is not much use for an old fossil, who has studied up on such thing to tell people a lot of stuff about when and how the custom came to be established. I have long had an idea that there were some little discrepancies in all history, and when I took a look into the thanksgiving matter I found that one authority, in whom I have long imposed great confidence, stated that the Presidents fixed the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day, since 1863. Upon examining the records I found, however, that President Johnson, in his Thanksgiving proclamation in 1865, set the first Thursday in December for Thanksgiving Day. I didn't look any further, I just wanted to call your attention to the fact that all the people who have written books about the matter have made errors, so that if I go wrong in this story I shall have a place to get out.

The first time there was a celebration of the day in this country, was in 1621. It was then a harvest festival, and corresponded to the harvest feast of which we read in the Book of Exodus, wherein God commanded the Children of Israel to keep "the feast of ingathering, which is the end of the year, when thou hast gathered in thy labors out of the field." So we see that from a time almost of the earliest history recorded by the Bible, Thanksgiving Day was a day of feasting.

As a rule the people, even in New England, do not celebrate the day now as they once did. There are many persons who can remember the time when no man thought of working on Thanksgiving Day. It was a day of feasting, and was observed alike by all the people, Jew and Gentile, because it was not essentially a Christian celebration, in that it was a day of thanksgiving to a munificent providence, a bowing down before the God of the Harvest.

In the old days preparation for Thanksgiving covered weeks. Mince pies were baked, fruit cakes were made, the turkey, the chicken, the peafowl, were all fattened for the occasion, and a real Thanksgiving feast was prepared. The people were not so busy trying to make money to buy a lot of

things that they had no use for then as they are now. They took time to prepare the feast, and they also took time to enjoy it when the day came.

There will probably not be a dozen cases in Texas next Thursday where an old man and his wife, whose children are all "grown up and married off" will prepare a feast and invite the children and the grandchildren and the great-grandchildren to come from the various sections of the state and nation to which they are scattered, and enjoy one whole day of the pleasure of being thankful. The young people are too busy hustling money to finish paying for the piano or new carpet for the parlor so they can make as good a showing as the neighbors can make. The old folks are too busy worrying about the good chances to make money that they let slip. And so it goes. There will be a lot of people who will do a little thinking when they read this story, and some of you will say, "Next year I am going to have the children come home, that is as many as can come, and take dinner with me. John has been out yonder in Arizona for the last five years, and he says he has hard luck, and maybe he can't come, but the balance of them live close, and I am going to have a real old time Thanksgiving next year." You think now you will, but will you? Don't you think, after all these years, that "after-a-while" is about the poorest and most unsatisfactory date that was ever set for anything? You would do well to have some kind of feast right away, next Thursday. John can't come, but then the rest of the children will be there, and you can write John a letter and tell him how you missed him, and how there was one plate at the table that was not turned up at the feast. How the others all talked about him, and wished that he was there with the same old boyish smile he had the last time they saw him. Things will never look after awhile like they looked awhile ago, so there is little use in waiting for time to come. It is just possible that some of the family will be further off next Thanksgiving than John is now.

Some of you middle aged folks, think a minute. Is it too much trouble for you to cook a good dinner, the very finest you can cook. Can't you find time to prepare a feast and invite mother and father both of the mothers and fathers, so your children can see all their grandparents sitting by the fire after dinner. The old men smoking their pipes, and the old ladies talking about the time it was so dry and they had no meal for more than a month that winter. And so they run on talking about things that happened when you was a baby, and before. Don't

you think that would be nice? or do you think you are too busy to make those old folks happy. Don't you know how happy it would make all those old people to spend the day with Joe and Kate, and to see them getting along so well. What! you say paw eats pie with his knife, and maw hasn't had a new bonnet for three years! You have invited some of your friends to take dinner with you on that day and the knife that paw feeds himself with, and maw's rusty old tucan bonnet, might shock their sensibilities! Well, it is all right to think a lot of your friends, but did it ever occur to you that it is about as near afterwards now with your parents as it is with your friends? Can't you remember the cold November morning when other Thanksgiving days were near. Can't you call to mind how father took you in his lap and put on your shoes and stockings and your little checked linsey dress, while mother was in the kitchen preparing his early meal of coffee, bacon and biscuits. He went out early and he came in late. He was working to make it a little easier for you, and mother was working to help him along, so you could take music lessons when you got larger. Think over the whole thing. Hadn't you better kill a turkey and have paw and maw to take dinner with you next Thursday. There are a lot of us who would give almost any thing in the world we possess if it were possible for us to do that.

Don't get an idea that you have nothing to be thankful for. If you can have paw and maw to dinner on that day, it is enough to sing psalms of thankfulness on account of for a whole year. Look about you and you will find a lot of things for which you may well feel thankful. If I find that this story put it into the heads of one family to treat the old folks well on Thanksgiving day, I will have all I need to be thankful for, if I didn't already have a thousand other things.

Don't be too busy to knock off next Thursday and have a good time. Celebrate the harvest feast, "which is at the end of the year."

### Women's Clubs Convene.

The Texas Federation of Women's Clubs is in session at San Angelo as we go to press. Reports state that resolutions upon the tuberculosis situation will be passed and the legislature memorialized to provide for a State Tuberculosis Sanitarium.

### Death of D. W. Gillespie.

Consul Commander W. G. Carpenter, of the local camp Woodmen of the World received a telegram Tuesday afternoon from Houston stating that Sovereign D. W. Gillespie had died in that city at 11:00 a. m. of that day. Mr. Gillespie was one of the charter members of Cypress Camp 58, of this place, and has many acquaintances in Kerrville who will learn with regret of his death. He was the son of Rev. Gillespie, who was at one time pastor of the Kerrville Presbyterian church. Deceased was also a brother of Hon. Chas. Gillespie, also deceased, who was city attorney of the city of Kerrville in the 90's. Mr. Carpenter wired the Houston Camp of the Woodmen to defray necessary expenses of the funeral and send bill to this camp, of which deceased was a member at the time of his death.

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### Special Meeting of the Business Men's Club.

A special meeting of the Kerrville Business Men's Club will be held at Pampell's hall to-night, (Saturday, November 21) for the purpose of receiving the report of the committee on by-laws. It is especially desired that all members, and those who contemplate becoming members of the club, be present.

W. G. CARPENTER, President  
A. F. THOMPSON, Secretary.

### Building and Contents Damaged by Fire.

Fire broke out Monday afternoon in the rear of Herman Mosel's Saloon, near the San Antonio & Aransas Pass Depot. The fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove that was used for the purpose of preparing quick lunches. An alarm was turned in, and both hose companies responded. The fire, although considerable headway had been gained, was quickly extinguished. The entire building, which was of wood, and the adjacent property, had a very narrow escape from complete destruction. The loss, which was chiefly in the restaurant and barbershop, was very slight.

### The Woman's Club.

The Woman's Club had a most interesting meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Hannis. The Program for the afternoon included a parliamentary Drill the leader being Mrs. A. C. Schreiner; and an old-fashioned spelling match of Roman names, leader Mrs. Chas. Schreiner Jr. The spelling of the difficult words caused much amusement, especially when the fortunate ones made their competitors go "Way back and sit down." The winner in this contest was Miss B. Weir.

### FROM INGRAM.

The young ladies met at Dr. Miller's Wednesday evening and organized a Girls' Industrial Art Club. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Miller, President; Miss Bessie Smith, Vice President; Miss Hattie Colvin, Secretary and Miss Ada Dowdy, Treasurer. A very enjoyable time was spent. They will meet each Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Holland has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. J. B. Lee and son are putting the finishing touches to Mr. Nichols' new dwelling.

Messrs H. L. Lee, Allen Lee, Wesley Hargrove, Geo. Dowdy, Tarlton Dowdy and Joe Council went out for a deer hunt but some of the boys stayed in Ingram to hunt "dear."

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Archer have been down from the divide for the last week. They have been very sick but are much better at present.

Adolphus Ball is visiting Rev. Webb and wife.

Mrs. Kane and daughter, Miss Dora, from Harper were visiting Mrs. Nichols the first of the week.

Miss Pearl Nichols of Grape creek visited home folks Sunday.

Miss Edna Littlefield was visiting Miss Pearl Lee Sunday.

Messrs Henry Noll and Starr Baucom were up visiting Sunday.

The school is getting along very nicely.

Howard Henderson who has been confined to his bed for the past eight weeks is very ill. All of his children have come to see him.

Miss Bessie Smith spent last week with Miss Lenora Council at the mill.

### Schools will Close.

Kerrville Public schools will close for the Christmas holidays Wednesday evening, Dec. 23, and will reopen on Jan. 4.

## LOCAL and PERSONAL

BY SUN REPORTERS.

See what I have special for Xmas in photographs.

MRS. O'NEAL, Photographer.

J. F. Hope, of the Japonica neighborhood, was in Kerrville Monday.

J. G. Caywood, of San Antonio, is in Kerrville visiting.

For fat turkeys and baled hay, see Dr. Boyd. 2t-22

Jno Hendricks left for San Antonio Wednesday morning.

All millinery at half price. Mrs. A. A. TURNER.

I have beautiful pattern hats at half price. Mrs. A. A. TURNER.

Stanley Butt, of Memphis, Tenn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Butt, of this city.

Miss Lallah Goodman left Tuesday morning for San Antonio where she will spend the week with her sister.

Ask about our club offers on leading Magazines.

CHAS. REAL, P. M.

Fred and John Dunderstadt, of the Mountain Home community, were in Kerrville Wednesday.

FOR SALE:—One rubber-tire and one steel-tire buggy and harness. JOHN HELMAN JR.

## NEW CROP SYRUP

FROM

## MASTERTON PLANTATION

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## CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

There will be a Grand Mask Ball at Ingram Hall December 5th. Everybody invited.

Boyd Shoffer, representing A. B. Patterson & Co., of Greenville, was in Kerrville Wednesday arranging to buy a car load of turkeys.

All the children are invited to come and see Santa Claus, in the big show window at the Kerrville Mercantile Company's store, at eight o'clock Monday night Nov. 23rd. The jolly old saint will speak to the little folks at that time.

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### Car of Turkeys Wanted

We will be in Kerrville Wednesday, November 25th, with our poultry car and will pay eight (8) cents per pound, cash, for turkeys delivered at the car. Please tell your neighbors about it.

A. B. Patterson & Co., Greenville, Texas.

Miss May Dodd, of Minden La., arrived Wednesday evening and registered at the St. Charles. Miss Dodd came here to be with her brother who is sojourning in this country for his health.

LOST:—A child's gold bracelet, will pay one dollar for its return to me. J. T. LIGON.

Mrs. C. C. Lockett is in San Antonio visiting a grand-daughter that was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Hadden, on the 18th inst., at their home in that city.

J. E. Kuykendall, of Llano, was a guest at the St. Charles Saturday.

J. W. Coffey, of the Noxville country in Kimble county, was in Kerrville Wednesday with a load of wool and mohair.

Eddie Browning, of Falfurrias, was in Kerrville yesterday on his way to Junction to visit his parents who reside at that place.

Dr. L. Werblun, optician of San Antonio, who makes regular visits to Kerrville will be here at Drs. Palmer & Fortrain's office Dec. 4 and 5, Examination of the eyes free.

Alex J. Hamer, the Junction Merchant, arrived in Kerrville Monday evening, and left the following morning for San Antonio on a business trip.

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J. C. Rafford, of Harper, was in Kerrville Tuesday.

C. D. Stokes, a wool buyer from Lampassas, Tex., was a guest at the St. Charles Monday.

Dr. P. F. Robertson, of Rock Springs, was a guest at the St. Charles Wednesday.

LOST:—On streets of Kerrville, a pair of gold frame spectacles, will pay for return of same to me. W. H. BONNELL.

A letter to Santa Claus. All the little folks that wish to do so, can write letters to Santa and give them to him at our store Monday night Nov. 23. KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.

Trespass Notice. I will prosecute all parties found hunting with gun, or camping in any of the Melissa ranch pastures. 4t-22 J. T. EVANS.

Trespass Notice. I will prosecute any persons found hunting or otherwise trespassing in my pastures on head of Turtle creek and West Creek. 8t-21 WALTER REAL.

Trespass Notice. Notice is hereby given that I will prosecute any person found hunting with gun in my pasture. 4t-22 DEL BACON.

Trespass Notice. Notice is hereby given that I will prosecute any person found hunting with dog or gun in my pastures on the Guadalupe. 4t-22 S. B. FORD.

Trespass Notice. Notice is hereby given that I have leased the hunting right in my pastures to Mr. L.A. Schreiner. All promises heretofore made to persons in regard to hunting in same are hereby repealed, and trespassers will be prosecuted. 1t-21 J. C. BAXTER.

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### Trespass Notice.

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E. T. FLAKE.

### Trespass Notice.

Notice is hereby given that no hunting or other trespassing will be allowed in the G. C. Surber pasture on Campmeeting creek, known as Page ranch.

A. W. HENKE.

### Trespass Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have leased the hunting right in my pastures to Mr. A. B. Davis, of "My Ranch." All promises heretofore made to persons in regard to hunting in same are hereby repealed, and trespassers will be prosecuted.

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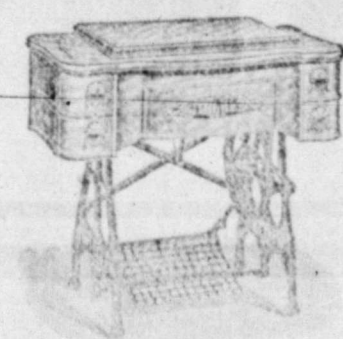
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McKie, the name and place of residence of each of whom is unknown, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Kerr County, Texas, for the 38th Judicial District, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the City of Kerrville, on the first Monday in January, 1909, the same being the 4th day of January, 1909, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28th day of October, 1908, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 754, wherein Edy Boerner is plaintiff and said Nancy Williams, Resin Byrn, Eliza Byrn, John Bradley, Charles Shreve, W. C. Phillips, W. M. McKie and the unknown heirs of N. B. Williams, J. R. Williams, Nancy Williams, Eliza Byrn, John Bradley, Charles Shreve, W. C. Phillips and W. N. McKie, are defendants. Plaintiff sues in Trespass to try title and to remove cloud there from and alleges generally that he owns in fee simple and is now lawfully seized and possessed of 100 1-5 acres of land situated on the South bank of the Guadalupe river in Kerr County, Texas, a part of survey No. 53 in the name of N. B. Williams, bounded as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of the S. G. McElroy survey at the water edge of the Guadalupe river. Thence S. with McElroy line 49 vs. to rock marked X set in the ground, at 903 vs. corner in said line. Thence E. 415 vs. to corner. Thence N. 440 vs. to corner. Thence E. 265 1-2 vs. to cor. in the W. line of the J. Murray survey. Thence N. with the said W. line of the said J. Murray survey 712 vs. to cor. on bank of the river. Thence up the river with its meanders to the place of beginning. And alleges specifically that plaintiff, and those under whom he claims have had and held peaceable, adverse, continuous and exclusive possession of said above described premises under open claim of absolute right and title thereto, having the same enclosed and using, cultivating and enjoying the same continuously under deeds duly registered in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, and under written memorandum of title fully specifying the boundaries of said premises, duly registered in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, and paying, year by year, as same became due, all taxes thereon, for more than five years and for more than ten years next before the filing of this suit, and after defendants' title had accrued; and that plaintiff had acquired a good and perfect fee simple title to said premises under the statute of limitation of five years and under the statute of limitation of ten years. That defendants and each of them are asserting title to said premises above described adverse to plaintiff's said title thereto under following described patent, deeds and other instruments embracing said above described premises and purporting to vest title thereto in defendants and each of them, all recorded in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, as hereinafter set out: 1st.—Patent No. 290 vol. 3, of date February 9, 1846, from the Republic of Texas, granting to N. B. Williams sur No. 53 on South side of Guadalupe river in Bexar County, recorded in vol. A. p. 421 of deed records of Kerr County. 2nd.—Tax deed from N. B. Williams by F. L. Paschal, tax collector of Bexar County, Texas, to John Bradley, of date November 23, 1841, recorded in deed records of Kerr County, Texas, in vol. 1. p. 47 of the transcribed records from Bexar County. 3rd.—Decree of the County Court of Calhoun County, Texas, sitting in matters of Probate, made on the 28th day of July, 1856, in matter of estate of J. R. Williams, deceased, directing the sale of bounty land warrant for 1280 acres of land issued to N. B. Williams, recorded in vol. A. p. 428 and 429 of deed records of Kerr County. 4th.—Decree of the County Court of Calhoun County, Texas, made in matters of probate on the 29th day of September, 1856, in matter of estate of J. R. Williams, deceased, confirming sale of said bounty land warrant to Thomas Wilson, recorded in vol. A. p. 428 and 429 of deed records of Kerr County. 5th.—Transfer, of date October 3, 1856, by administrator of estate of J. R. Williams, deceased, to Thomas Wilson of said bounty land warrant for 1280 acres of land, recorded in vol. A. p. 423 of deed records of Kerr County. 6th.—Decree of the County Court of Calhoun County, Texas, made in matters of probate on the 28th day of September, 1857, in matter of estate of J. R. Williams, deceased, in partition of said estate, allotting to Eliza Byrn the east half of sur. No. 53 in Bexar County on south side of Guadalupe river patented to N. B. Williams and allotting to Nancy Williams the west half of said sur. No. 53 recorded in book F. p. p. 599 to 602 of deed records of Kerr County. 7th.—Deed of date March 19, 1858, from Thomas Wilson to John C. Heaton, recorded in vol. A. p. 425 of deed records of Kerr County. 8th.—Deed of date September 4, 1858, from J. C. Heaton to Charles Shreve, recorded in vol. A. p. 426 of deed records of Kerr County. 9th.—Deed of date March 4, 1858, from Thomas Wilson to W. C. Phillips and John A. Black, recorded in vol. B. p. 262 of deed records of Kerr County. 10th.—Deed of date July 16, 1859,

from John A. Black to W. C. Phillips, recorded in vol. D. p. 282 of deed records of Kerr County. 11th.—Tax deed of date May 7, 1878, from unknown owner, by F. J. Hamer, tax collector of Kerr County, Texas, to W. M. McKie, recorded in vol. E. p. 608 of deed records of Kerr County. Which said patent, deeds and other instruments, above mentioned, were caused to be placed of record in said deed records of Kerr County, Texas, as aforesaid by defendants and each of them. That defendants said title and claim to said premises and the said record thereof in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, constitute and are a cloud upon plaintiff's title to said premises, and materially impair the value thereof, and hinder plaintiff in the full and free use and enjoyment thereof, and are a great obstruction to the sale of said premises by plaintiff, for their full and fair value, to plaintiff's great damage. That plaintiffs said claim of right and title to said premises, above described, is under following described deeds and other muniments of title embracing said premises, and under written memorandum of title, fully specifying the boundaries of said premises, all duly filed for record, and all duly registered in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, as hereinafter set out, to-wit: 1st.—Decree of the County Court of Calhoun County, Texas, made in matters of probate, on the 28th day of September, 1857, in matter of estate of J. R. Williams, deceased, in partition of said estate, allotting to Eliza Byrn the east half of sur. No. 53 in Bexar County on south side of Guadalupe river, patented to N. B. Williams, and allotting to Nancy Williams the west half of said sur. No. 53, recorded in Book F. p. p. 599 to 602 of deed records of Kerr County. 2nd.—Deed from Kit Williams to Wesley Ogden, of date August 11, 1876, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record August 26, 1878, and recorded in vol. E. p. 602 of deed records of Kerr County. 3rd.—Deed from Resin Byrn and wife, Eliza Byrn, to Wesley Ogden, of date December 24, 1856, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record August 27, 1878, and recorded in vol. E. p. 603 of deed records of Kerr County. 4th.—Deed from Wesley Ogden to Charles W. Ogden, of date November 18, 1876, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record August 27, 1878, and recorded in vol. E. p. 605 of deed records of Kerr County. 5th.—Power of attorney from Kit Williams to Shadrack Cayce, of date August 11, 1876, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record August 27, 1878, and recorded in vol. E. p. 606 of deed records of Kerr County. 6th.—Deed from Kit Williams, by S. Cayce, his attorney in fact, to Charles W. Ogden, of date July 31, 1878, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record August 27, 1878, and recorded in vol. E. p. 607 of deed records of Kerr County. 7th.—Deed from Charles W. Ogden to J. M. Witt, of date December 6, 1880, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record January 18, 1881, and recorded in vol. F. p. 591 of deed records of Kerr County. 8th.—Deed from J. M. Witt to J. D. Witt, of date December 1, 1898, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record December 24, 1898, and recorded in vol. R. p. 603 of deed records of Kerr County. 9th.—Deed from J. M. Witt to J. D. Witt, of date September 15, 1906, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record January 8, 1908, and recorded in vol. 27 p. 538 of deed records of Kerr County. 10th.—Deed from J. D. Witt and H. O. Witt, husband and wife, to plaintiff, Edy Boerner, of date October 7, 1908, duly executed and acknowledged, filed for record October 10, 1908, and recorded in vol. 29 p. p. 285 and 286 of deed records of Kerr County. Plaintiff notifies defendants, and each of them, to produce upon the trial or this cause said above mentioned patent, deeds and other instruments, under which defendants are asserting title to said premises as aforesaid, in default of which plaintiff will make proof thereof by secondary evidence. Plaintiff prays that defendants be cited, by publication as prescribed by law, to answer this petition, and on hearing that plaintiff have judgment against the defendants and each of them for the title to said premises and that he be quieted in the title and possession thereof, and that all cloud be removed from plaintiff's title to said premises. Prayer is also made for general relief. Herein fail not but have you then and there before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

[Witness] J. M. HAMILTON,  
Clerk of the District Court of Kerr Co.  
Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Kerrville this the 28th day of October, 1908, and issued the same day.

J. M. HAMILTON,  
Clerk District Court, Kerr County, Texas.  
By M. L. Hudspeth, Deputy.  
Came to hand the 28th day of October, 1908, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., and executed the same day by ordering publication hereof in the Kerrville Mountain Sun for eight consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof. J. T. MOORE,  
St. 20 Sheriff Kerr County, Texas.

### What Would You Do.

In case of a burn or scald what would you do to relieve the pain? Wob injuries are liable to occur. Suc any family and everyone should be prepared for them. Chamberlain's Salve applied on soft cloth will relieve the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a very severe one, will cause the parts heal without leaving a scar. For sale by all Drug-gists.

### Colds and Croup in Children.

"My little girl is subject to colds," says Mrs. Wm. H. Serig, No. 41 Fifth St., Wheeling, W. Va. "Last winter she had a severe spell on a terrible cough, but I cured her with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy without the aid of a doctor, and my little boy has been prevented many times from having the croup by the timely use of this syrup. This remedy is for sale by all Drug-gists.

### Nineteen Turkeys Sell for \$35.40.

Cuero, Texas, November 16.—A farmer living near Cuero sold nineteen turkeys here this morning that brought him \$35.40. They were all young turkeys of the bronze variety.

### Seven Years of Proof.

"I have had seven years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best medicine to take for coughs and colds and for every diseased condition of throat, chest or lungs," says W. V. Henry, of Panama, Mo. The world has had thirty-eight years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds, la grippe, asthma, hay fever, bronchitis, hemorrhage of the lungs, and the early stages of consumption. Its timely use always prevents the development of pneumonia Sold under guarantee at Rock drug store. 50c. and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.

### Tuberculosis Exhibit at San Angelo.

San Angelo, Texas, November 16.—The tuberculosis exhibit reached the city this morning, and is being arranged for exhibition in the County Courthouse, where it will be seen until Saturday evening.

### Watched Fifteen Years.

"For fifteen years I have watched the working of Bucklen's Arnica Salve; and it has never failed to cure any sore, boil, ulcer or burn to which it was applied. It has saved us many a doctor bill," says A. F. Hardy, of East Wilton Maine, 25c at Rock drug store.

### Grows Oranges Near Cuero.

Cuero, Texas, November 16.—A. W. Nannheim, is exhibiting some fine specimens of Dugat oranges of his own raising near town. He has several young trees well laden and a number that will come into bearing next year. Mr. Nannheim is preparing to set out 100 more orange trees this fall, and expects to realize handsome returns.

### How to Treat a Sprain.

Sprains, swellings and lameness are promptly relieved by Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment reduces inflammation and soreness so that a sprain may be cured in about one-third the time acquired by the usual treatment. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by all Dauggists.

### County Convicts Escaped.

Cameron, Texas, November 15.—Robert Downs and a Mexican escaped from the county convict farm Saturday morning and have so far made good their escape. Downs owed about \$100 and the Mexican a little more than that amount. Downs is a white man and came from Beaumont. He is about 21 years old and a bright fellow.

### How is your Digestion.

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 228 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that sor stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market to-day." This great tonic and alterative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c. at Rock Drug Store.

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## THE KILLING OF CARMACK.

At the time of going to press last week the killing of Senator Carmack was not sufficiently well known in detail to warrant editorial comment. At first the country was shocked at the sudden and unwarranted loss of a valuable citizen in the prime of his usefulness. Later, upon sober thought, the people became horrified that such a thing could occur among enlightened people.

That is but another of hundreds of like occurrences the world has known. Only a few years ago a like brutal murder was committed in North Carolina. They are all done under cover of "political heat." We have known of several such killings. They are most unfortunate occurrences.

Aside from the loss of one or more good citizens, they have a very unsalutary effect upon society. So far as the killing itself is concerned, the man who does it is usually a murderer at heart before the crime is committed.

The chiefest harm in such cases is the setting of a precedent whereby other men, both young and old, may proceed in like manner the first time they consider themselves aggrieved. There is no excuse for an unjust and unwarranted attack upon the personal character of any man through the columns of a paper, but it is the duty of every paper, worthy the name, to apprise the people of the public doings of public men, and no man should attempt a part in public life who is unwilling for the principles he advocates, and his own behavior in the premises to become objects of criticism in the public prints. An untrammelled, but high minded and honest press is the safeguard of state and nation.

Making a personal matter of politics is always wrong, and real manly men, in their moments of sober thought, know it is so, but such occurrences as the killing of Editor Carmack, last week, of Gonzales a few years ago, of James Williams, formerly of Denton, Texas, a dozen years or more ago, and many other like cases, are more than that. The courts of the entire nation are entirely too lenient in matters of this kind. More than ninety per cent of all killings, probably, have all the elements of murder, except sufficient proof to convict.

Senator Carmack's death is a calamity to the state of Tennessee and to the nation. No matter what may be the outcome, another prominent family of Nashville is disgraced, and whether of much or little weight in public affairs, that weight has been lost. Without attempting to place blame upon any one for the unfortunate occurrence, and speaking of this and other like tragedies in the abstract, still this is beyond question one of the saddest things that has occurred in recent years.

A dispatch from El Paso states that a plan is on foot to store wool until prices are better. Now, what do you think of that. Wasn't Taft elected to make wool higher?

Taft is credited with intention to fire the present cabinet and break in a new team. Wonder who knows anything about it?

That Japanese Viscount Torio, who sees a war between this country and Japan, should be necked to Hobson and drowned.

There has been much holding up of hands upon various and sundry occasions when Texas was disgraced, but it is a cinch that the Legislature will score one in the disgrace column when it repeals the "Full Rendition Law," which it can never do except by passing it over the Governor's veto.

In all attempts to correct abuses in public matters extreme measures are taken. These heroic efforts at reform usually hurt some entirely innocent person or persons. In the matter of correcting evils that no doubt existed in connection with the public lands of Texas, many persons have lost sums of varying magnitude. These hurts have rarely fallen upon the rich and large land holder, but have frequently been of great detriment to the small ranchman, farmer and home maker.

In the 30th Legislature there was a small element of conservative men who believed radicalism was carried too far. The people of Texas, in general, thought the same thing. There is now every indication that the 31st Legislature will have for its slogan, "Turn Texas Loose." Such a policy as that will be a grave problem for Texas, but there seems little chance that even Governor Tom's strong buckle on the veto "throatlatch," will keep the new body from "pulling the bridle off."

It is never the part of wisdom for the secular press to enter into serious discussion of religious matters, but it occurs to the practical mind that stopping the operation of passenger trains on Sundays is an abrasion of the rule laid down by the Master in the sixth chapter and first verse of the Gospel of Luke. The operation of those passenger trains has become a cog in the intricate machinery of human society, while the matter of operating them is, to certain men and their families, as the "plucking of the ears of corn" on the Sabbath.

## THE YOUTH'S COMPANION CALENDAR FOR 1909.

"In Grandmother's Garden" is the title of the beautiful picture painted by Charles C. Curran for The Youth's Companion panel Calendar for 1909. It is printed on the finest finished stock, by the most recent methods of lithography. All the strength and beauty of the original painting are faithfully shown by employing thirteen separate colors. This is the largest Calendar that The Companion has ever issued, the picture alone measuring 8 inches in width and 24 inches in length. Below the picture are arranged the twelve months. Great care has been taken to make the date figures legible, and to insure a practical and useful, as well as an artistic, Calendar. The Calendar is given to all those who pay their subscriptions to The Companion for 1909.

Here's to Dear Old Texas.

Hurrah for the old Lone Star State of Texas. She's a whopper, she's a peach, she's the longest and broadest on earth.

She can put Rhode Island in her vest pocket. She could make a meal of four states like Maryland, like Vermont as a desert and wash 'em all down by drinking Mississippi dry. She's chiefest among ten thousand and altogether lovely and wild and reckless.

She's the pebble on the beach. She's one of the old blue hen's chickens! She's the leading democrat of the world.—Mason Herald.

Wot t' 'ell man?????

## Photographs

December 4 and 5

Just think of it. What is nicer and more appreciated than a beautiful Photograph of yourself or family for an Xmas present. We will make you one dozen beautiful full figure cabinet size photo for \$1, the regular \$2 kind, and will make a big reduction on all other grades of work in our line.

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## You Wouldn't Want an Overcoat

At a Sunday School picnic in August, but when the wind gets to whistling, a fellow goes to thinking about things to keep him warm. Just now we are making special offerings in

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The new Records for the Edison Phonograph which plays longer and is much better. The average is over four minutes, which is more than twice as long as the old Records.

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## HOME NEWS.

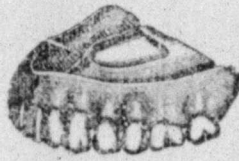
### Interesting Items From Town and County.

Dr. J. D. Robinson, of Center Point, was among the visitors in Kerrville Wednesday.

Misses Rachelle and Cecelia Le Bourgeois, of Jeannerette, La., are visiting their cousin, Mrs. L. G. Dubus, of this city.

J. F. Davenport, of the Elm Pass community was in Kerrville Wednesday. Mr. Davenport says the recent rains were of great benefit to the small grain crop.

Dr. Edward Galbraith,



Dentist

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### Car of Turkeys Wanted

We will be in Kerrville, Wednesday, November 25th, with our poultry car and will pay eight (8) cents per pound, cash, for turkeys delivered at the car. Please tell your neighbors about it.

A. B. Patterson & Co.,  
Greenville, Texas.

Sheriff J. T. Moore is chaperoning a hunting party in the hill country. Other members of the party are J. P. Grider, W. H. Rawson and Frank Jeffers.

Watch for my announcement next week for Trade's Days. But I have some special prices on now, so come at once and have your photographs made. A nice Calendar mount extra with each dozen photographs till January 1.

MRS. O'NEAL.

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## MASTERTON PLANTATION

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A hunting party composed of Frederick S. Murphy, of San Antonio, Judge R. H. Burney, of this city, R. S. Walker, of Center Point, and others, have been camping and hunting at Judge Judge Real's ranch the past week.

### Musical Instrument Strings

A full and complete line of Violin, Guitar, Banjo, and Mandolin Strings. E and A Mandolin in unbroken packages, 15c a dozen. Violin Bows, 50c and up. Pegs, Patent Heads, Chin Rests, Etc.

## SELF,

Across the street from side entrance to Schreiners Co's

Max Grona killed another fine buck last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wilson, of Leaky, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hamilton Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Morris and daughter, Miss Eugie Myers, spent Wednesday visiting at Morris Ranch.

### Suits Cleaned and Pressed.

All kinds of altering and repair work promptly done. Ladies' skirts cleaned.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Carpenter on the 14th inst., a ten pound girl.

I have beautiful pattern hats at half price. MRS. A. A. TURNER.

Dr. A. A. Roberts, A. J. Norwood, and Ben Denton are out in the woods on a deer hunt.

Don't miss reading our Holiday ad in this issue.

KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.

Mrs. G. H. Coleman returned last Saturday from Houston, where she accompanied her sister, Miss Gene Hughes, who has returned to that city to spend the winter.

### If It Is Jewelry

You want the Rock Drug Store is the place you are looking for. We have a very complete line of GOOD JEWELRY—not snide stuff that will "kanker" in damp air. Come in and see it. Also handsome line of back combs, ranging in prices from \$1 to \$5.

### Rock Drug Store.

Miss Rosa Ridgeway, of the Turtle Creek community, is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. E. Grinstead.

Bruno Schwetchemm was in the city from his ranch near the Gillespie county line, Wednesday.

Jas McGuirk, a Boston wool buyer, was in Kerrville several days this week sampling wool.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Burge left Thursday for Los Angeles, San Francisco and other California cities where they will spend the winter visiting relatives and friends.

Jim Peril was in the city last Saturday from the Sawyer ranch. Mr. Peril, who is manager of the ranch for the Charles Schreiner Cattle Company, shipped a car load of range hogs which he brought in from the ranch.

### Pretty Wedding Near Harper.

At the home of the bride's parents Sunday afternoon occurred one of the prettiest home weddings seen in this settlement for many months, when Sidney H. Billings and Miss Octava Stevens were married.

The Rev. Nicholson pastor of the Harper Presbyterian church performing the ceremony. The bride was beautifully attired in erabe de chine, trimmed with white, and the orange blossom wreath made a picture fair to look upon. The reception hall and parlor were beautifully decorated with green ferns and pot flowers. The many nice presents the bride received are too numerous to mention.

The groom is a son of Capt. Sidney Billings and wife of Gonzales who are among the most prominent residents. The bride is an only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stevens of Gillespie county. She is also a granddaughter of H. L. Nelson who moved to this state at an early date and has always been among our most prominent settlers. Mr. and Mrs. Billing left soon after the ceremony for a few days stay in Smiley where the groom has relatives.

They will make their future home near Broni. May sunshine go with them to their new home is the best wishes of their many relatives.

### MRS. GULIELMA D. ROGERS.

Mrs. Gulielma Desdemona Rogers, daughter of Dr. J. J. L. Miller and Francis A. Miller, was born at Sumpter, South Carolina, October 14, 1878, and died at Ingram, Texas, October 26, 1908.

She professed faith in Christ when about twelve years of age; she lived a consistent christian life and died a triumphant christian death.

In 1900 she united in marriage with Mr. M. F. Rogers, of Arkansas, who preceded her to the grave.

Mrs. Rogers had been in failing health for about five years or more. That dreadful monster, tuberculosis, had fastened its clutches upon her and was leading her to an immature death, and all efforts of love and skill failed to restore her to health.

Mrs. Rogers lived a life of devotion to God, kindred and friends. She possessed a cultured mind marked by depth and breadth of thought, and her will power was demonstrated in her long struggle for life.

When she was convinced that hope had taken its flight, she expressed a desire to depart this life and take her flight to her eternal home.

During her entire illness she was patient and submissive, never murmuring or complaining. As her Saviour prayed in the garden, "not what I will, but what thou wilt," so she let her will be lost in God's will.

In gratitude, one of the most beautiful graces humanity can possess, she was not lacking, one of her last requests being that friends and neighbors be thanked for the many kindnesses to her. As her Saviour was laid to rest in a new tomb, so loving hands laid her mortal frame to rest in a new tomb, in the Nichols' cemetery, near Ingram, with the solemn rites expressive of respect and sympathy for those left to mourn over her departure "to be with Christ, which is far better."

A few remarks were made at the tomb, with these words of Paul's as a scriptural basis: "For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens."

May God give us many like her to bless this world.  
"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep  
From which none ever wake to weep."

BY A FRIEND.

A. A. Wendel, of the Harper community, was in Kerrville Tuesday.

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Are past, and the time of mooning over red and gold leaves is history. We are right now putting aside the grey curtain at the threshold of

## GRIM WINTER

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## WARMTH AND PLEASURE

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# FUNNY THINGS

FROM THE PAPERS.

**He—**I'm saddest when I sing.  
**She—**Well, how do you suppose I feel?

**He Had Noticed.**

"There is one notable thing I have observed," said the foreign lecturer. "Your American women have the most luxuriant hair of any woman on the globe."

"Rats!" shouted the irreverent individual from the back of the hall.—Judge.

**Overburdened with Memory.**

"Your son tells me he is going to take lessons to cultivate his memory."

"I hope not," answered Farmer Cornrossels; "he can remember every fool tune that was ever whistled."—Washington Star.

**Too Tall.**

**She—**Is that friend of yours whom you are expecting a tall man?

**He—**About six feet two inches. Why do you ask?

**She—**Because in that case I shall have to dust the ornaments on the top shelf.—Royal Magazine.

**Diverging.**

**Husband—**I'm afraid I'm becoming cross-eyed, dear.

**Wife—**The idea! Why do you think that?

**Husband—**This thing of trying to look at my income and our expenses at the same time is slowly but surely getting its work in.—Ex.

**Barred.**

"If time hangs heavily on your hands, why don't you go into politics?"

"A man as rich as I am," answered Mr. Dustin Stax, "doesn't dare go into politics. He is considered lucky if they let him shove a card under the door with a check attached to it.—Ex.

**Equipment.**

**Dashaway—**I'm going to a horse party. Wonder what I need to take along?

**Cleverton—**About a quart of five dollar gold pieces to tip the servants with, a flannel shirt, dress suit, pajamas, and a half-dozen engagement rings.—Life.

**Qualified.**

**Head Astronomer—**I want a man to figure eclipses, calculate the distances between various stars, fix the orbits of certain comets, and, in fact, be a sort of handy mathematical man around the heavens. What are your qualifications?

**Applicant (proudly)—**All last year, sir, I was the official scorekeeper for a woman's bridge club.—Life.

**"Only us Chickens."**

The same thing that prompts one to say yes in answer to the query, "Are you asleep?" may have influenced the negro in the following story from life:

It was a dark night, and the owner of the chicken coop, gun in hand, was investigating certain suspicious noises he had heard.

"Who's in there?" he called at the open window.

Erastus, inside, replied softly and reassuringly, "Ain't nobody heah 'cep'in us chickens."—Youth's Companion.

**Saving.**

"I wish my husband had a saving disposition," said one woman. "I wish mine hadn't," said the other. "He smokes himself half to death in order to save tobacco coupons."—Washington Star.

**Ostracism.**

"You all fellers seem to kinder shun Bill Scrauny."

"We shore do. He was tried fer runnin' a still last week an' he absolutely proved that he never done such a thing."—Kansas City Times.

**Ought to Work.**

"What socity needs is a clearing house."

"What do you mean?"

"I wish I didn't have to go to the Van Squawks' ball next week. The Van Squawks wish they didn't have to ask me. Why can't we exchange certificates and call the thing even?"

**How to Cure a Cold.**

Be as careful as you can will occasionally take cold and when you do, get a medicine of known reliability, one that has an established reputation and that is certain to effect a quick cure. Such a medicine is Chamberlain's Cough remedy. It has gained a world wide reputation by its remarkable cures of this most common ailment, and can always be depended upon. Its acts on nature's plan, relieves the lungs, aids expectoration, opens the secretions and aid's nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. During the many years in which it has been in general use we have yet to learn of a single case of cold or attack of the grip having resulted in pneumonia when this remedy was used, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. Chamberlain's Cough remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by all Druggists.

**Three His Limit.**

"I want you to write a play for me immediately."

"I can't do it until I get rid of some of my present contracts," declared the successful dramatist. "I already write on a typewriter with each hand, and dictate with my mouth."—Ex.

**Goin' Some.**

In a recent fabricators contest the record was broken to smithereens by an old fellow who was "an innocent by standard." After listening to a thrilling continued story of "hairs-length" escapes and blood-curdling recitals, Good luck and hard luck stories the yarns drifted into horse talk and the fleetness of animals each had known, the old man broke in to the lists with the following:

"You fellers know my son Bill? Well he had a powerful fine race mare, fastest thing in the country. That mare had a colt that I guess will stop hoss racin' because they woit be nothing to run agin him. Last spring, when that colt was a yearling, Bill had him and the old mare in a little wheat patch close to the house. One day it come along a thunder shower and the lightenin' killed the old mare in her tracks, then it took after that colt and chased him all over the field and dang my hide if it ever could ketch 'im. "Now want that goin' some," queried the aged fabricator, but the crowd had dispersed.

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Kerrville, Texas, November 14, 1908.  
Mr. Bill Sandy Claws,  
Care of Kerrville Mercantile Co.,  
Kerrville, Texas.

Dear Sandy:  
I am dot a nold doll, but one arm is off an' all it's hair are gone. The doll buggy what uncle joe gave me last Christmas is been smashed 'cause the seesaw fell on it. The pup pulled all the hair off my wooly dog an' tored the whit stuffed elephant all to pieces. Am jest in a norful fix an' I can't play none, 'cept wif the baby, until after Christmas. Please put all my things in your sleigh right now.

Your truly little girl,  
KATIE.

Little Miss Katie,  
Kerrville, Texas.

Dear, Truly Little Girl:

Your letter was forwarded to me by the Kerrville Mercantile Company, and I was sorry to hear that your toys had been so unfortunate, but when Christmas comes I will fix all the trouble by bringing new ones.

One of my reindeer had a sore foot, and for a while I was afraid I would not get to come, but it is well now and I will open my pack at the Book Store Department on Saturday, November 14. I shall make that headquarters while I distribute toys to all the boys and girls in that part of Texas. I have the biggest and nicest pack of presents this year that I have ever had, and I am afraid I can't get all of them on my sleigh.

Give my love to all the little folks and tell them I am coming.

Yours truly,  
BILL SANTA CLAUS.

Presents  
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Wife,  
Mother,  
Father,  
Sister,  
Brother,  
Your Girl,  
For the  
Other  
Fellow's  
Girl,  
For  
Yourself.  
We've  
Got It.

Santa Town, November 14, 1908.

Jno. C. Graves

W. G. Carpenter

## Kerrville Mercantile Company.

Holiday Opening, 10:00 a. m., to 4:00 p. m., Saturday, November 14.

Frank Kring, the well known San Antonio horse buyer, was in Kerrville Monday. Mr. Kring says his failure to attend the big Trade's Day in this city on the 7th, was owing to a combination of unavoidable circumstances and that he will be here on December 4 and 5 or will pay forfeit to persons who bring stock to the market.

There will be a Thanksgiving service in the Episcopal church at 10:30 a. m. Every one is cordially invited to attend. Collection will be for Diocesan Missions as usual. Rev. J. E. ELLIS, Rector.

Miss Lillian Wilson left Saturday for Uvalde.

### DEATH OF G. A. HARRISON.

Former Kerrville Business Man Dies at Portland, Oregon.

Geo. A. Harris died at Portland, Oregon Nov. 3, of cancer. Mr. Harrison came to Kerrville many years ago from Boerne. He established the Kerrville Book Store. In 1901 he sold his business in this city to John C. Graves, and removed to San Antonio. About three years ago deceased, with his family, went to Portland, where he died as above stated.

### Will Buy Horses and Mules.

To whom it may concern: We, or at least one of us, will be in Kerrville on Friday and Saturday, December 4 and 5, the next Trade's Day, rain or shine, to buy horses and mules.

We want to buy unbroken mules one year old and up. Broken mares; horses and mules from four to ten years old.

We will also have for sale, on that day two fine Tennessee Jacks of excellent pedigree, and one Standard Bred trotting stallion.

To those who were in Kerrville with animals for sale on Nov. 7, we wish to say if you knew the reasons why we were not there you would forgive us, and also Mr. Schreiner, Sid Petterson, G. H. Coleman and all others who were interested in the matter.

If we are not at Kerrville December 4 and 5 we will pay parties for their trouble of bringing stock.

FRANK KRING,  
ED PEPPERLING,  
San Antonio Texas.

Don't forget photographs make most acceptable Xmas presents, and don't neglect to have them made at once by Mrs. O'Neal.

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Whether your order is given in person, sent by mail, or made by telephone it will receive the same prompt and courteous attention. The order for a ten cent purchase, or for a trail wagon load receives the same care at this store.

### Winter Wearables for the Whole Family

Just at this season of the year we devote special attention to the matter of cold weather clothes. It is just as easy to combine comfort, service and good appearance in winter clothing, if you buy at the right place. No matter where you go you are not likely to buy articles just as good—unless you pay more. We buy larger stocks and therefore buy cheaper, consequently, we sell the same quality of goods for less.

You are entitled to the very best the market affords, and to the best obtainable for your money; we offer you a splendid opportunity right here to get what is coming to you.

### The Money You Have Left

Everybody makes a living in some way or another. It is the money we have left after securing a living, the little bit of profit on the year's work that helps men and women to lay up a little for a "rainy day" that helps. If you will trade with us the little saved on the various articles you buy will in the course of the year amount to a nice little saving—a neat profit on the year's business. We are right now operating a great money saving sale six days in the week—come in and get the money saving habit.

If an article costs a little more, at our store, it is because it is worth a great deal more. The first consideration, with us, is always QUALITY

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We have 16 fine Tennessee Jacks for sale. Call or write  
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4-22 San Antonio, Texas.

E. Ingelman and wife, of Three Rivers, Michigan, are visiting at the home their son-in-law, H. K. Finch, of this city.

**Card of Thanks.**  
I desire to thank the Kerrville Fire Company and also other persons who acted so promptly in coming to my assistance when the destruction of my place of business, by fire, was imminent.

HERMAN MOSEL.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clate Love on the 14th a twelve-pound girl.

**DEATH OF A PIONEER.**  
Mr. Howard Henderson, one of the Early Settlers of Kerr County Passed away at his home.

Howard Henderson, a Kerr county pioneer died at his home near Ingram, Wednesday, Nov. 18. The funeral took place the following day from the residence and the body was interred at a private burying place near by.

Mr. Henderson came to Kerr county many years ago, and was a respected citizen of the community in which he lived. He leaves a family of grown children. Many persons from Kerrville attended the funeral.

**Hutchison House Arrivals:**  
W. N. Cornett, San Antonio; T. S. Casner, San Antonio; J. D. Wacy, Houston; Chas Burnam, Marathone; Albert Pape, Harper; J. J. Copeland and family, Okla; J. D. Halliman and family, Okla; R. H. Burlison, Junction; Mrs. J. A. Cowsert, Junction; Boy Shafter, Greenville; J. R. Garrett, Silvestore; August Simon, Junction; J. H. Dalbins, San Antonio.

**NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.**

The State of Texas, County of Kerr. To those indebted to, or holding claims against, the estate of S. E. Harris, deceased. The undersigned, having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of S. E. Harris, deceased, late of Kerr county, Texas, by the Judge of the County Court of said county, on the 16th day of October, 1908, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate, to present them to him at his residence near Kerrville, in Kerr county, Texas, where he receives his mail. This the 16th day of November, 1908.  
4-23 J. M. HARRIS, Administrator of the estate of S. E. Harris, deceased.

**Death of an Infant.**  
The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Nat Sandherr, of Junction, died at the home of Mr. Sandherr's brother-in-law, Mr. T. C. Johnston of this city, Tuesday morning. The little one had been an invalid from its birth. Several weeks ago the parents took it to San Antonio, where an operation was performed in the hope of benefiting it. For a time it appeared to improve, but no permanent relief was had. Since that time Mrs. Sandherr has been in Kerrville with the

baby at the home of her sister. The family left for home the day of its death, taking the body to Junction for interment.

**Mind your Business.**  
If you don't nobody will. It is your business to keep out of all the trouble you can and you can and will keep out of liver trouble if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They keep biliousness, malaria and jaundice out of your system. 25c. at Rock drug store.  
Jas. Thompson was in the city Wednesday from his ranch the Divide.

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