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Dr. J. B. Love,
Scientific Optician
Jeweler



FINE WATCH REPAIRING.

March is a good time to "Raise the Wind." We are offering specially low March prices on good Watches, to help raise the wind!

The watches we show are standard, high-class, and worth more than we are asking for them.

DR. J. B. LOVE, Scientific Optician.

The Bride of Bandera Pass, A Thrilling Psychological Romance.

BY GEORGE BOWLES,
Author of "Strange Enough to Be True," "Headless Horseman," Etc.

LUTHER CARSTED did not speak, or move, or seem to see, but as Bill and I raised the body between us and gently laid it on its own soft bed beside the piano, he arose, and slowly followed us like a mute animal—as its dead offspring is borne away.

The rangers and ranchmen brought water and bathed the blood from the face and hands, smoothed back the hair, and covered the corpse with a sheet. Uncle Luther had seated himself in a chair, and the dim candle light flickered over the rough walls, the humble furniture, the quaint old arm chair, that would never again hold his broken form, the old piano with its time-yellowed keys that would respond no more to the master's touch, and on the still, lifeless form just beginning its last, long sleep. As the rangers, rough men though they were, completed their task, they silently retired from the room and left Mr. Carsted with his grief. Bill was the last to leave the room, and at the door he turned and motioned me to go to the room where the women were.

"Mrs. Hamilton, under Mary's ministrations, had revived, and was silently sobbing out her sorrow. Mary did not say a word, but taking me by the hand drew me to a seat beside her on the edge of her mother's coach, and thus we sat in voiceless sorrow while the clock ticked on its ceaseless measuring of time.

"During the night the rangers yoked the oxen to a wagon, and hauled the bodies of the Indians to a point a long way from the house, buried them, and returning—threw dirt on the blood clots on the ground.

"When morning came, the sun rose over a scene of profound sadness. Mary and I—with the help of Bill—prepared breakfast for the men. When all was ready, I went to Mr. Carsted and told him I would take his place while he ate breakfast with the others. When the meal was finished, he walked into the yard and sent for me. When I approached him, he said:

"Jim, you know that little mot of live oaks on the ridge just east of the yard,—Milton often talked of them. There are two big trees and a bunch of smaller ones, and

he called them a swart old giant and his wife and little ones. There is no graveyard near here, and I want him buried there, for that's a spot I know he loved in life.

"We dug a grave in the little grove, and fashioned a rough coffin from some boards. We lined the rude casket with a blanket, and tenderly laid the body in it. Then strong hands lifted it gently, and the family and friends followed out through the gate and down to the grave, where we laid to rest in its lowly bed the broken vase that once had held the rarest soul flower I had ever known—the spirit of Milton Carsted.

"No words were spoken at the grave,—none felt that fitting tribute could be paid in words. When the last shovelful of earth had been replaced, Mr. Carsted bent his steps toward the house accompanied by his sister, who silently swept by his side. As we walked along, Mary I had dropped a little behind the others, Bill Lampton waited till we came up and as we walked along together said: "Jim, you know I ain't much 'count for talkin'. The life I've led for many years won't do much to fit a man for preachin', but hit don't put no brakes on his feeler. I don't know nuch er the talk hit takes to express sympathy, but I can feel it, an' I want you fellers and these wimmen to know it.

"From what I can learn, he said, 'your old uncle want fur short uv a saint, an' the last act of his life showed more true grit and human feelin' than anything I've ever seed, and I've had a right peart chance to see things uv that kind. I don't know much about consolin', but ef that 'ere ain't consolation the' ain't any, and what's more the' ain't no use in none."

"As Bill finished speaking, we reached the house. In our absence, two of the men had removed, as possible, all evidence of battle and death. The men saddled their horses preparatory to leaving, and then the entire party returned to the house. We four that were left of the household were standing under the old oak tree at the well, on the opposite side of the house from the scene of the recent sanguinary conflict. As they came up, Mr. Carsted said to me:

"Jim thank these men for what they've done for us and ours."

"I addressed them in the best

manner I could, and thanked them for the service they had rendered and for the kindness and sympathy they had shown us in our sorrow. When I had finished, Lampton acting as spokesman for them said:

"We ain't done no more'n our duty. Since ye hed to hev this trouble and sorrow, we are glad we was here to keep it from being any greater than it was."

"He walked along and shook hands with each of us, and the others followed his example, and then they turned in silence and walked with heavy steps and clinking spurs across the yard, out the gate, and mounting their horses, rode away to join the band that was forming to follow and exterminate the Indians. Two days later they overtook them on the head of the Nueces. The savages had gathered up their scattered bands and were making their way, more than two hundred of them, to the westward and open country. A fierce fight ensued, and the Indians were completely put to rout, scarcely a one escaping, but in the fight Bill Lampton was shot through the heart with an arrow, like the one he so lately had drawn from another's breast. He was buried there on the mountain to await the final summons to his reward.

"Thus, all about over Texas, are scattered the unmarked graves of fallen Texas Rangers, than whom no nobler, truer, braver body of men have honored the arms of any state or nation. I would that somewhere in the state the people would build a fitting monument to their memory. It should be built of rough, native stones, and placed where the spray of falling water would bedew it with flower scented tears, the tears of Texas gratitude."

CHAPTER XVII. HIS SPIRIT RETURNS.

When the venerable hermit had proceeded thus far with his story, he laid himself back upon the ground and gazed at the moon, now past the zenith, and the myriad stars, and as he lay upon the bare earth in seeming forgetfulness of his aged and stiffening joints, he spoke, as it were, to the moon and stars, saying:

"Twas just such a night as this when cruel fate caused me to steal my bride, married our spirits, and then snatched away from me the precious gem and broke the casket that held it."

He did not speak again for some time. In the silent, moonlit dale, with grotesque shades and shadows, that changed from fairy forms to frightful dragons, as the moon moved on in its course toward the west, a strange, uncanny feeling crept over me, and I could not suppress a silent shudder as I gazed upon the time worn wanderer. I had followed his narrative so closely, and had become so much a part of his weird legend that my mind and nerves were keyed tight and quivered like the strings on some intricate instrument, from which a master musician had just stayed his hand.

The old man lay in perfect silence. His hat had fallen back on the ground, he did not move a muscle and his eyes stared unblinkingly at the sky. His mind was evidently wandering in the faded fragrance of the valley of his youth, while his spirit had gone on before to make a trial passage over the frail and narrow barrier

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that separates time from eternity. Thus, in the absence of both, his body lay in semi-death, awaiting the return of the two elements in man that liken him to God. As this thought occurred to me, a thrill of fear ran through my body and held me spellbound on the ground. As I sat staring at him, it did not appear to me at all strange that one of his venerable years should die, but so impressed had I become with his tale, that I found myself saying in my mind, 'he has not finished yet, he has not reached the climax.' I was like one who dreams a sweet and beautiful dream, and fears that he will be awakened before the vagary is complete.

In my anxiety, I moved and brought myself from my trance-like state. At the same time one of the horses in the valley whinnied to his mate, and this aroused my visitor from his stupor and he sat up straight and looked into the fire, which I, by this time, had replenished. Slowly refilling his old clay pipe, he lighted it, and drawing a few draughts of fragrant smoke, went on with his story, as if no time had intervened since he had spoken his last word.

"From the day of the funeral in the little grave," said he, "a psychic change came over our household. It had always been a home of staid and dignified demeanor, but a something indefinably different had come.

"The rangers were gone, the Indians were dispersed, our little world was at peace again. The sun was bright as ever, rains had come and washed away the stains, and settled the sod that we had planted upon the new-made grave. Summer was come, flowers bloomed and birds sang, the cows came home early to the pen from feast-

ing on the bounteous crop of grasses, and stood chewing the cud of contentment, and conversing in their silent language with the calves inside, that impatiently awaited their evening meal, like hungry children waiting for the second table. The little crops that had been planted by the few who tried to farm, promised an abundant harvest to repay the effort that had been made. But amidst all these glad surroundings, an impenetrable gloom had settled over the old ranch house.

"When a strong man dies in the vigor of his prime, our grief is poignant, for a time. We miss his step upon the floor, but gradually it dies away in the silent distances of the past. When death claims a little child, it is as if some ruthless hand had drawn a budding plant from the fertile soil of nature's garden. It was a bud of promise, but the flower and fruit we do not see, and cannot know what it would have been. A broken toy, a little shoe, an old door knob with which it used to play will draw our heart strings tight, almost to breaking. But the shoes are put away, the toy laid on a shelf, and though we do not forget him, time heals the wound, and after awhile we think of the little one, as an angel gone on before, whose beckoning hands are reaching out over the battlements of heaven, and whose lisping tones call back, 'Tis better here.' But neither of these apply when a cripple goes across the mystic line.

"Uncle Milton had been his brother's constant care since boyhood. He had been Mary's tutor and companion and the only father she had known. He had been Mrs. Hamilton's patient charge throughout the day for many years, and even I, who had known him so

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LOCAL and PERSONAL
BY SUN REPORTERS.

Full line of tennis shoes.
KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.
E. M. Rather, of Junction, was a guest at the St. Charles Monday.
Frank Ragland was in from his ranch Tuesday.
A. J. Schraeder of Mason, was in Kerrville this week.
E. H. Kothman, of Castel, was a guest of the Gerdes Hotel this week.

Jas. J. Cox, of Ashtabla, Ohio, is in Kerrville to spend some time, and is a guest of the Gerdes Hotel.
Col. Sam Burnett, of Harper, was in Kerrville on business Tuesday.
J. R. Scott made a business trip to San Antonio the first of the week.
Low cut shoes, oxfords, ties, Newports, for men, women and children. New spring stock just in. MOSEL, SAENGER & CO.

Messrs. N. B. Smith, S. H. Huntington and Richard Coke, returned Monday from a fishing trip.
C. J. Minsker, of Kausas is in Kerrville, a guest of the Sawyer House. Mr. Minsker contemplates locating here.
Mrs. Emma Beck, of Mexico City, was a guest of the St. Charles Sunday and will probably spend the summer here.

Did You Know

That the FLOUR used by the K. C. Baking Powder Demonstrator at Pampell's last week was
"GOLDEN CROWN,"
a home product? It is a fact. No better flour for cakes, biscuits and light bread to be had anywhere

Kerrville Roller Mills.

Mrs. G. W. Colvin and daughter, Miss Hattie and Miss Ada Dowdy, of Ingram, were in Kerrville Saturday shopping.
Sheriff W. W. Taylor, of Junction, spent Sunday in Kerrville and left in the afternoon for San Antonio.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rawson left last Sunday for San Antonio, on a visit to Mrs. Rawson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Koester.
Mrs. D. Graves and child, of Junction, was a guest at the St. Charles the latter part of last week.
F. J. Scott and family, of Toronto, Canada, were in Kerrville last week and paid a visit to "My Ranch."
Moved to old Braggins stable, opposite MOUNTAIN SUN office. Will receive poultry there.
ALBIN THOMPINS.
A. W. Haag and wife of Bluff, Texas, was in Kerrville Wednesday for supplies. Mr. Haag says things in his neighborhood looking fairly good considering the dry weather.

Col. George Morris made a business trip to Harper Tuesday.
Dr. F. L. Fordtran made a visit to Harper Tuesday.
Anything you want in fishing tackle at the Kerrville Mercantile Co.
W. S. Ethridge, of Bandera was in the city on a business trip this week.

Adolph Real of San Antonio, was a guest of the Gerdes Hotel this week.
Mrs. Chas. Archer, of Ingram, was in Kerrville shopping Wednesday.
Mrs. J. E. Browing, of Medina, passed through Kerrville Friday on her way to San Antonio.
Senator Real spent last Sunday with his family, returning Sunday night to Austin.
Miss Lallah Goodman spent the week in San Antonio, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alfred Simering.

Aleck Cochran, of San Antonio, spent Sunday in Kerrville a guest of the St. Charles hotel.
Wm. Lich, of the Cypress creek community, was in Kerrville Monday. Mr. Lich says rain is badly needed in his section.
I have good pasturage for 30 horses at 75c, or 50 head cattle at 22 1-2c, paid monthly. Apply by letter to W. Mountain Sun office.

Come to the one-price store. We do not ask more than our goods are worth.
KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.
Herman Mosel, Tom Peterson and Chas. Hinen left last Sunday for Houston to attend the Woodmen's Head Camp.
E. Holekamp, of Junction, passed through Kerrville last Sunday enroute to Houston to attend the Head Camp of Woodmen.

Addison Burge, who has been living in San Antonio for the past eighteen months, returned to this city the first of the week.
Ed. H. Everett, of the San Antonio Express, was in Kerrville the first of the week, on a business trip.

C. O. Nesting, of the Hanson Ranch, was in Kerrville Friday of last week, leaving the next day for San Antonio.
O. C. Jones, of St. Joseph, Mo., arrived in Kerrville the latter part of last week, on his way to Rock Springs on a business trip.
Moved to old Braggins stable, opposite MOUNTAIN SUN office. Will receive all poultry there.
ALBIN THOMPINS.

L. P. Ogden, of Beaumont arrived in Kerrville from Junction last week. Mr. Ogden is well pleased with the country and will probably locate in this section.
Charles Mueller and wife and Adolph Basse and wife of Fredericksburg, passed through Kerrville Sunday on their way to San Antonio.
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wesch, of San Antonio, came to Kerrville on Saturday of last week to visit Mrs. Wesch's parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. E. Newton. Mr. Wesch returned to San Antonio Sunday but Mrs. Wesch will spend several days with her parents.

Don't fail to see Chas. Geyer's Big Show to-night.
Judge Ben Kelly went to Harper Tuesday on a business trip.
Jas. Cravey, of Bandera was a visitor to Kerrville this week.
W. A. Peril, of the divide country, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Misses Ethel and Inez New, of Camp Verde were shoppers in Kerrville Tuesday.
John A. Cowser, of Junction, was in Kerrville last Saturday on business.
Ross Beasley, of the 7 O.E. ranch in Kimble county was in Kerrville this week after a load of supplies.
Victor Mellinger, of Lockheart was a visitor to Kerrville this week.

Mrs. J. J. Tally, from Japonica, was a visitor to Kerrville Wednesday.
"The Hen That Lays is the Hen That Pays."
Try Single Comb Brown Leghorns. Eggs for hatching only \$1.50 per 15. LEE MASON. 4-35

SPECIAL SALE, SATURDAY MARCH 20TH.
Don't Cook for Sunday.
Buy a sack of our
ASSORTED CAKES OVENS
Fresh from the
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NICE PREMIUMS
given with Coffees, Teas, Extracts, and Baking Powders, also examine our great variety of Fancy Groceries and get our prices.
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*Jim Thompson, from the Ragland ranch on the divide, was a guest of Dr. and Mrs. F.L. Fordtran Thursday.
Clarence Hewes, of Jeanerette, La., is a guest at the St. Charles and will probably remain some time.
Hurst Shackleford, the popular San Antonio Drug Company's salesman, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

See our spring line of dry goods. They were bought right and we sell them right.
KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.
Wm. L. LeBlond, of Cincinnati, Ohio, who has been visiting at the Peril ranch for some time, passed through Kerrville Thursday on his way home.
J. L. Koenigsburg, a former merchant of Kerrville, but now a popular San Antonio drummer, was in Kerrville this week looking after the needs of our merchants.
Ed. J. Brueks, foreman of the News office, and family, who had been to Missouri on a visit are again at home on South Water street.
Albert Moursund, of Fredericksburg, passed through Kerrville Tuesday on his way to Bisbee, Ariz., where he contemplates locating.
Fred Coeke completed a well for John H. Ward last week, striking an ample supply of water at the depth of 150 feet. Mr. Ward has had a wind mill erected.

PRISCH'S
GOLDEN RULE RACKET STORE.
Has just received a fine lot of crystal glass to sell at
10 to 25c
There is a fine lot of pieces with covers of special value for table use. Come in and look them over.

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Every suit ordered from me between the first of February and the first of April will be reduced ten per cent from the regular price.
Nice line of late style samples of spring and summer woolens and worsteds from which to select your suits.
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Chickens, hens, \$3.25 per dozen
Fryers, large, 3.25 per dozen
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NOTICE.

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Chas. Schreiner.

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"I have found out that there is no use to die of lung trouble as you can get Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. J. P. White, of Rushboro, Pa. "I would not be alive today only for that wonderful medicine. It loosens up a cough quicker than anything else, and cures lung disease even after the case is pronounced hopeless." This most reliable remedy for coughs and colds, lagrippe, asthma, bronchitis, and hoarseness, is sold under guarantee at Rock Drug Store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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Married.

Marriage license was issued from the clerk's office here to Walter Taylor and Miss Minerva McDonald, of Harper. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Carter at Harper last Sunday.

The Lucky Quarter.

Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than jewels. Try them for headache, biliousness, constipation and malaria. If they disappoint you the price will be cheerfully refunded at Rock Drug Store.

Ball at Real Hall.

The ball at Real's Hall was reported to have been a grand affair and everybody had a jolly good time. Schmidt's Orchestra furnished their usual program of fine music.

Among those present from Kerrville were, Misses Lillah Goodman, Bee Wier, Sadie Lockett, Helen Scott, Hazel Hamilton, Whitaker, Sadie Sarridge, Ruth Robinson, Messrs Frank Brady, R. A. Shelburn, Henry Scholl, Clyde Hamilton, LeRoy Garrett, Harold Richards, Chester Granville, Cecil Robinson, Will Garrett and Chas. Rawson.

Unequaled as a Cure for Croup.

"Besides being an excellent remedy for colds and throat troubles, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is unequaled as a cure for croup," says Harry Wilson, of Wayne town, Ind. When given as soon as the croupy cough appears, this remedy will prevent the attack. It is used successfully in many thousands of homes. For sale by all druggists.



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A GOOD MEDICINE.

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WM. H. HUBBLE DIES.

A Pioneer Citizen of Kerr County Passed Away.

The death of Wm. H. Hubble marks the passing away of another of Kerr counties most honored pioneer citizens. Mr. Hubble took suddenly ill last Sunday. Medical aid was summoned, but to no avail. His condition grew worse and Tuesday afternoon death came to claim him.

Mr. Hubble was about sixty years old and came to Kerrville some thirty years ago. He was a man well and favorably known throughout this whole section and friends unnumbered are left to mourn the death of their companion.

A widow and seven children are left to survive him. Louis Hubble and Mrs. Green Surber of this city and Hubble and Mrs. Gilledge of San Antonio, Mrs. L. J. Surber of Lasoya, John Hubble of Globe, Ariz., and Roscoe Hubble of Blanco.

Deceased was a member of the Christian church. Rev. Fred S. Corter of the Christian church conducting the services. The funeral took place from the family residence on Broad St., Wednesday evening.

Bids For County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Honorable County Commissioners' Court of Gillespie County, on Monday, the 5th day of April, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock, a. m. from any banking incorporation, association or individual banker in adjoining counties, to act as county depository of the funds of Gillespie County, Texas, in the manner and under the conditions as provided by Act of the Twenty-ninth Legislature.

**MAX BLUM,
 County Judge.**

31-35 - Gillespie County, Texas.

Good Liniment.

You will hunt a good while before you find a preparation that is equal to Chamberlain's Liniment as a cure for muscular and rheumatic pains, for the cure of sprains and soreness of the muscles. It is equally valuable for lame back and all deep seated muscular pains. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by all druggists.

Visits Harper.

Postmaster Chas. Real made a business visit to Harper last Friday. Mr. Real delivered an address to the patrons of the Star Route between Kerrville and Harper indicating the necessity of repairing the roads and erecting gates convenient for drivers of the route to open without leaving their vehicles, those present were impressed of the needs and assured Mr. Real that these matters would receive their undivided attention.

Home Mission Society.

The Home Mission Society, of the Methodist church, held a special meeting at the parsonage, entertained by Mrs. Barton and Miss Gowen. The subject for discussion was "Tithing," and those present expressed themselves as greatly benefited by the meeting. Refreshments were served.

Died.

J. W. BALLARD.

J. W. Ballard died at the Sawyer House, Monday evening, of tuberculosis. The body was shipped to Gainesville, Texas, the following day for internment.

J. W. PAULLIN.

J. W. Paullin died at Ingram, Sunday night, of heart trouble. The body was shipped from Kerrville the following day to Springfield, Ill., for burial.

Prof. H. A. Howell, of Havana, Cuba, Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"As long ago as I can remember my mother was a faithful user and friend of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, but never in my life have I realized its true value until now," writes Prof. H. A. Howell, of Howell's American School, Havana, Cuba. "On the night of February 3rd our baby was taken sick with a severe cold; the next day was worse, and the following night his condition grew desperate. He could not lie down and it was necessary to have him in the arms every moment. Even then his breathing was difficult. I did not think he would live until morning. At last I thought of my mother's remedy, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which we gave, and it afforded prompt relief, and now three days later, he has fully recovered. Under the circumstances I would not hesitate a moment in saying that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and that only, saved the life of our dear little boy." For sale by all druggists.

HONOR ROLL.

The following is the honor roll of the Tivy High School for February, 1909.

1st Grade - Newton Scott, Varina Vining, John Henry Harper, Ada Vowell, Ruth Baker, Clay Baker.

2nd Grade - Jack Ligon, Tony Bessan, W. C. Fawcett, Dora Johnston, Hilda Rosenthal, Walter Grona, Harry Warwick, Juanita Duncan, Maggie Combs, Ernest Heinen, Maimie Heinen, Zula Peterson, Lena Vowell, Bartlett McMullan, Annie Mosel, Laura Henke, Pearl Dubus.

3rd Grade - Dick Smith, Eugene Lathrop, Irvin Crider, Mary Horne, Ina Coleman, Helen Dietert, Maimie Sublett, Lillian Sutton, Verna Burney, Mary Brambilla, Lula McDonald, Lillie Pfeuffer, Jennie Dietert, Minnie Benson, Alice Bludworth.

4th Grade - Paul Wilson, Willie Dietert, Kendrick Everett, Clara Tarver, Ethel Lumpkin, Etta Dietert, Bess Raines, Adele Michon, Kate Hamilton, Blanche Moore, Kyle Whorton, Charley Baker.

5th Grade - Oscar Rosenthal, Gerold Walther, Frank Skinner, Walter Saenger, Gussie M. Brown, Flower Russell, Mary McCay, Katy L. Graves, Jessamy Fosdram.

6th Grade - Charley O'Neal, Edna Henke, Nabel Hagons, Willie Chambers, Lucy B. Stone, Emma Pfeuffer, George Wells, Ferrol Rawson, Johnnie Skinner.

7th Grade - Albert McCown, Robert Horne, Dora Nimitz, Chester Henke, Franky Fisch, Minnie Lowrance, Victoria Welge, Everett Lumpkin.

8th Grade - Harold Prisch, Hilda Real, Olive Wells, Nellie Horne, Kate Renschel, Mabel Deering.

Notice.

Farmers and poultry men bring your turkeys, chickens and eggs to Market Restaurant and receive highest cash prices for same.

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CHAS. GEYER'S BIG TENT SHOW

Presenting this Season's Popular Comedy Drama

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Positively the only Production of like character to visit this section this season.

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 MILITARY BAND AND CHALLENGE CONTEST ORCHESTRA
 Popular Prices**

Don't Wish You Had, But Go and See.

Attend Confirmation Service.

Rev. J. E. Ellis, and Mrs. George Morris and daughter, Miss Eugie Miers, accompanied Bishop Johnston to Morris Ranch to be in attendance at the confirmation service held at that place Sunday night. The confirmation class was composed of two members, Mrs. Fred Morris and daughter. They returned to Kerrville Monday morning.

Best Healer in the World.

Rev. F. Starbird, of East Raymond, Maine, says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve for several years, on my old army wound, and other obstinate sores, and find it the best healer in the world. I use it too with great success in my veterinary business." Price 25c at Rock Drug Store.

Surprise Party.

Quite a jolly surprise party was had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Coleman, Sr., near this city, Monday night. The following were those present, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Newman, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Love, Miss Nealle Coleman, Rev. Fred S. Carter and E. C. Fisk. Singing and other amusements were engaged in until a late hour, when refreshments were served. All report a glorious time.

For Diseases of the Skin.

Nearly all diseases of the skin such as eczema, tetter, salt rheum and barbers' itch, are characterized by an intense itching and smarting, which often makes life a burden and disturbs sleep and rest. Quick relief may be had by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It always the itching and smarting almost instantly. Many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by all druggists.

Big Shipment of Armadillo Hides.

Allen Beasley, a ranchman from near Segovia, brought to this city, the first of the week, three hundred and fifty armadillo hides, delivering them to O. Rosenthal, to be shipped to Chas. Apelt, at Comfort. These hides are to be converted into baskets, to be used in an order from Germany.

Civil Service Examination.

Six applicants took the examination for Rural Route carrier for Route No. 1, before Chas Real, postmaster, last Saturday morning, in the Fawcett building. The papers were forwarded to headquarters at Washington, to be graded and the one receiving the highest rating will be the one appointed to the position which will be known in due course of time.

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SANITARIUM BILL PASSED.

The bill establishing a State Sanitarium for Tuberculosis, was passed finally in the House Wednesday. All that now intervenes between Texas and this great act of humanitarianism is the sanction of Governor Campbell, and we feel that in view of the great popular demand for the institution, he will give it his endorsement.

This is the same bill that the editor of this paper introduced in the 30th legislature, and passed it through the House. Political defeat has not deterred us from the labor of securing its final passage. When the 31st legislature convened we re-wrote the bill exactly as the original Grinstead bill was written, and sent it to Austin. Senator Stokes took charge of it and it passed the Senate more than a month ago. Since that time this writer has made two trips to Austin in the interest of the measure, one of which was at the invitation of the House of Representatives, and the other, this week, was made because we feared it would be overlooked in the rush of the closing scenes of the session.

There can be no direct profit to the writer from this enactment. As stated before, the only real estate we possess is a home and a cemetery lot; the first we need now, and the other we shall need in the

course of human events, so neither are for sale.

We are gratified and proud of the success of the long labor in which this paper and its publisher have been engaged for the good of humanity, and trust that we may be permitted to see the establishment, provided for by the bill, finally put in operation.

Clean-up Thursday, March 18.

The Woman's Club offers cash prizes as follows to boys of fifteen years or under, who shall accumulate the largest heap of trash and place ready to be carted away from streets, alleys, public camp yards, or other public places.

Largest heap, \$3.00
2nd largest heap, 2.00
3rd largest heap, 1.00

To boys of any age who can show the cleanest home premises, a prize of \$2.50 will be given. To the negro boy showing the cleanest home premises, a prize of \$2.00. Contestants will leave their names and location of trash heap, or home, at the MOUNTAIN SUN office and the same will be inspected and prizes awarded on Friday morning, March 19.

General Rain.

A slow rain is falling throughout this section. Up to the time of going to press about one-half inch had fallen in Kerrville, according to the government gauge.

Boarding House.

I have opened up a new boarding house in Ingram, 7 miles northwest of Kerrville. If you want a nice cool place to stay, it might be to your interest to come up and see us. Board \$4.00 a week. Write or phone me and I will convey you out.

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Low cut shoes, oxfords, ties, Newport, for men, women and children. New spring stock just in.
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BUSINESS MEN'S CLUB

Important Business Transacted At Regular Meeting Last Wednesday Night.

At a regular meeting of the Kerrville Business Men's Club held Wednesday night, a great deal of important business was transacted.

At a meeting of the board of directors held prior to the Club meeting, Dr. A. F. Thigpen was elected secretary of the organization.

A motion was made that a committee be appointed to get up a petition of citizens to the city council requesting that body to employ an efficient engineer to make a survey of the city and estimate cost of a sewerage system. The motion carried and the following committee was appointed, J. R. Scott, Oscar Rosenthal, McCollum Burnett.

A motion was also made providing for a committee to confer with the citizens of Harper and immediate communities, in regard to the matter of improving the Harper road. The motion prevailed and the following committee was appointed, Chas. Real, H. Welge, A. C. Schreiner.

Routine work and other matters of minor importance were discussed and on the whole the meeting was a very profitable and satisfactory one.

COTTON BLOSSOMS.

The Cotton Blossoms Minstrel Company gave another of their laugh-provoking entertainments at Pampell's Opera House on Friday night of last week.

The scene of the grand overture was laid on an old southern plantation, at a husking bee. The minstrels were attired as old time plantation niggers. The interloper was an old southern planter, and the costumes were typical of anti-bellum days. The opening song, "Down on the Swanee River," was appropriate and well received. The instrumental music by the Cotton Blossoms orchestra, was splendid and every vocal number was a winner.

It was a performance of amateurs, so far as the display of histrionic ability was concerned, but the large audience expressed themselves well pleased with the performance. The members of the company all deserve praise for the manner in which each did his part.

Took Special Course.

Dr. J. M. Adams, of Medina, returned Thursday from New Orleans, where he had been taking a four weeks special polyclinic course. Dr. Adams, already a prominent physician, believes in keeping abreast of modern progress in all things.

Confirmation Service.

Confirmation service was held at St. Peter's Episcopal church last Sunday morning. Quite a large class were confirmed.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the people of Kerrville for their kindness shown us during the last illness and at the death of W.H. Hubble, also for the many floral offerings at the funeral. THE FAMILY.

Will Take Longer Course.

Mrs. Ellen O'Neal, expected to return this week from San Antonio where she went last week to take a special course in photography, but after reaching the city she decided to take a longer course. She will return next week to re-open her studio. After this special course Mrs. O'Neal will be better than ever equipped for turning out high class photography.

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HOME NEWS.

Interesting Items From Town and County.

J. T. Evans, and wife, from the Melissa ranch on the divide were in Kerrville Wednesday.

It is easy to wash with the "Flyer"—see them at Mosel, Saenger & Co's.

Mrs. Judge J. E. Hauney, of Houston, is visiting her brother, W. W. Allen.

Moved to old Braggins stable, opposite MOUNTAIN SUN office. Will receive all poultry there.

ALBIN TOMPKINS,

Our new stock of laces and embroideries have arrived and we will be pleased to have the ladies inspect them.

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WANTED—Well grown Jersey bull; one year old, registered or subject to registration. Address HORACE E. WILSON, Junction, Texas.

Col. Ed. Rightor and E. H. Morris, who had been to the Morris Ranch on a visit, passed through Kerrville Sunday on their way to New Orleans.

Dr. L. Werblum, optician, of San Antonio, who makes regular visits to Kerrville, will be at Drs. Palmer & Fordtran's office March 26 and 27. Examination of the eyes free. 2t-39

WANTED—To rent a furnished four bed room house, in town or country. MRS. BECK, 1017 Main Avenue, San Antonio. 2t-39

Miss Allen, of San Antonio, is visiting at the home of W. W. Allen, this city.

Dress gingham, new line of beautiful spring patterns at Mosel, Saenger & Co's.

Jas. Howell from his farm on Goat Creek, was a visitor to Kerrville Monday.

Norton's International Stock Salt
For Sale by
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Kerrville.

New line of fishing tackle just received at the Kerrville Mercantile Co.

Chas Geyer's Big Show will show one night only under canvas near the Depot (to-night) March 13.

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W. A. FAWCETT.

In this week's issue of the SUN appears the announcement of W. A. Fawcett as a candidate for the office of City Secretary. Mr. Fawcett needs no introduction to the people of Kerrville, having served as alderman for the past four years and has been a leading business man since coming to Kerrville. He is making the race strictly upon his merits, and the voters will do well to consider him when they come to cast their ballot. Should he be elected, he pledges himself to perform the duties of the office to the best of his ability, and Kerrville would have no better officer.

DEATH OF F. M. MOORE.

Aged Ex-Sheriff of Kerr County Receives the Final Summons at the Home of His Nephew, J. A. Cowser, near Junction, Kimble County.

Just as we go to press, news reached the city that Capt. F. M. Moore died at the home of John A. Cowser, near Junction, at 10:00 a. m., Friday, March 12.

Deceased was a pioneer of Kerr county, and for ten years was sheriff of the county, refusing at last to hold the office longer.

He was 76 years old and is a bachelor. He is survived by one brother, Uncle Sim Moore, of Center Point, under the auspices of Kerrville Lodge, 697, A. F. & A. M., and the local chapter R. A. M., of which organizations he was a member.

An obituary will appear in these columns next week.

MILLINERY OPENING.

Saturday, March 13.

Our big spring stock of millinery will be on display. This stock includes the latest and best in Women's, Misses' and children's headwear. A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies of Kerrville and surrounding country.

MRS. A. A. TURNER

Death From Accident.

Center Point, Texas, March 12—Walter P. Griffin met death at this place today from an accident. He was entering a cistern at the home of his father-in-law, Dr. Mauldin, with whom he resided. By some means deceased lost his balance and fell, striking the bottom of the cistern head foremost. The cistern was dry and there being no water to break the fall, death resulted instantly.

Walter P. Griffin was 35 years old and leaves a wife and two children, who, with a large circle of friends will mourn his death.

The funeral will occur tomorrow night.

Miss Hazel Hamilton entertained a few of her most intimate friends at her home Tuesday night.

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

By virtue of authority vested in me as mayor, pro tem, I hereby order an election to be holden at the courthouse in the City of Kerrville, Texas, on the first Tuesday in April, the same being the 6th day of said month for the election of three Aldermen, a City Secretary and a City Treasurer, and I hereby appoint Wm. Nimitz, Green Coleman and J. M. Sutton as managers of said election.
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A. R. JONES, Mayor, Pro Tem.
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TO VALIDATE SCHOOL BONDS DECLARED VOID.

Senate Passes House Resolution Made Necessary by Decision in the Baird Case.

Dove and Quail Season Changed.

Austin, Texas, March 10.—The Senate through the morning and in the earlier part of the afternoon did not show a tendency to dispose of many measures. During that time the House bill establishing a training school along mechanical, agricultural and domestic science lines in each congressional district was under fire, and was finally killed by the adoption of the adverse minority report.

The Hudspeth game law, imposing tax on hunters, was finally passed. This bill was so amended as to not place a tax on hunters in their own counties. The dove season was changed so that the open season will now run from August 15 to March 1. The open season on quail will run in the Southern portion of the State from November 1 to February 1, while in the Northern portion of the State it will run from December 1 to March 1.

The House joint resolution validating the school bonds, declared void by the Baird case, was finally passed, as was a Senate resolution by Harper allowing counties to issue bonds for the purpose of erecting and maintaining interurbans and other railroads, the object being to allow Brazos County to build a railway out to College Station.

The Senter general vagrancy act was also passed finally, and the Veale measure, requiring druggists in local option precincts to file with the county clerk monthly a list of prescriptions filled containing whiskey, received like consideration.

The invitation to visit Fort Worth during the cattle raisers' convention was accepted, and the Senate will go as the guest of the cattle raisers. This will, however, have to be during the called session, as the Legislature adjourns sine die Saturday, and the invitation is good only next week.

MORNING SESSION OF SENATE.

There were the usual number of petitions read in the Senate today.

The House pure food bill and committee amendments were ordered printed in the journal, and consideration was deferred until tomorrow on the House bill authorizing wholesale druggists to sell alcohol to retail druggists in prohibition territory for compounding purposes.

Senator Sturgeon called up Gaines' House bill providing for the establishment of an agricultural and mechanical and domestic science school in each Congressional district, provided as much as \$25,000 and 200 acres of desirable land is given for the location of each school. The Senator made a plea for the bill, while Senator Brachfield opposed the bill and moved the adoption of the adverse minority report. He asserted that no provision for maintaining the schools has been made and the State partnership plan is absolutely impracticable. The present institutions need more money and enlargement, and the schools would require at least \$500,000 annually.

The previous question was

ordered and bill was killed by the adoption of the adverse minority report.

Consideration was then given Hudspeth's bill levying a \$1.50 tax on local hunters in Texas and \$15 on non-residents who hunt in this state, deer and turkey hunting only requiring licenses.

Senator Murray had adopted an amendment providing that a Texan need not secure a license to hunt in the county of his residence.

Senator Hume offered an amendment prescribing the following open seasons:

Deer—November and December, with a limit of three bucks.

Quail and Turkey—December, January and February, with a limit of three turkeys to each season.

Doves—August 1 to March 1, inclusive.

The 25-bird bag limit is retained.

The bill was laid on the table subject to call.

Finally passed House joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to validate the three million dollars of school district bonded voided by the Baird case.

A message was received from the Governor submitting the list of notaries, some 7000 in number, and it was agreed to go into executive session to consider same next Thursday noon.

Finally passed House bill amending the stock law so as to permit elections on stock running at large in any political subdivision of a county.

Considered Watson's bill allowing county commissioners \$5 a day while sitting as commissioners. An amendment was adopted providing that the maximum pay shall be \$4 per day. The bill was finally passed.

Considered Senter's bill defining and punishing vagrancy, largely following the Mississippi law.

Senator Cofer had an amendment adopted providing that the definition of vagrancy includes persons selling intoxicating liquors in prohibition districts or soliciting orders for liquor in said districts.

Senator Alexander had an amendment adopted providing that the punishment shall be cumulative with violation of other criminal laws. The bill was finally passed.

Finally passed Senate joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution permitting counties to issue bonds to build interurban railroads. It would enable Brazos County to build a trolley line between Bryan and the Agricultural and Mechanical College.

Senator Senter had a resolution adopted providing that the night sessions be devoted to general bills as well as local bills.

Senator Meachum's bill amending the anti-trust statutes increasing the maximum fine \$50 to \$1500 for each day's violation, was ordered printed in the house journal.

Finally passed Senator Veale's bill requiring druggists in local option districts to file with the county clerk between the 1st and

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3rd of each month a list of prescriptions filled by druggists containing whiskey.

The Senate resumed consideration of the Hudspeth game bill and in lieu of the House amendment a substitute was adopted providing that the present law shall prevail, except that the open season on quail and turkeys shall be from December 1 to March 1 in counties north of the following counties: El Paso, Loving, Winkler, Ector, Midland, Glasscock, Sterling, Coke, Runnels, Coleman, Brown, Comanche, Erath, Bosque, Hill, Limestone, Robertson, Freestone, Cherokee, Rusk and Panola. In the counties named and all counties south thereof, the season shall be from November 1 to February 1.

An amendment was adopted providing that the open season on doves throughout the State shall be from August 15 to March 1.

The bill as amended was passed finally.

Finally passed bill by Mr. Terrell (McLennan) authorizing political subdivisions of counties to issue bonds for road improvement purposes.

Senator Bryan called from the table and had adopted the resolution accepting the invitation of the Cattle Raisers' Association to attend one day's session of the association's convention at Fort Worth, March 16-19.

Finally passed, through the efforts of Senator Ward, the House bill reducing the permit fees on building and loan companies doing business in Texas.

Recessed until 8:15 o'clock, p. m.

NIGHT SESSION IN SENATE.

At its night session tonight the Senate finally passed Senate bill giving Corpus Christi a charter.

On motion of Senator Mayfield, the Senate rescinded its action in adopting the free conference committee report on the full crew bill, and conferees were re-appointed. The new report was adopted.

Senator Real called up the Watson bill codifying the insurance laws of Texas.

Senator Watson offered an amendment leaving the punishment optional with the district judge in

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the county where the witness refuses to testify, the maximum fine to be \$1000. Slightly altered this was adopted. As changed, it permits the witness or person summoned to appeal to the court and the court to decide if there has been any contempt. An amendment was adopted providing that life insurance companies must have at least \$100,000 capital paid up.

Senator Hudspeth offered an amendment permitting life insurance companies to invest in the bonds of independent and common school districts. Adopted.

Senator Terrell of Bowie offered an amendment prohibiting life insurance companies from reducing their capital stock. The bill was laid on the table, subject to call.

Finally passed Senator Master's bill, providing that as much as \$60,000 may be taken from anti-trust and railroad judgments for the erection, repair and improvement of buildings at the State medical college at Galveston.

Finally passed Senator Alexander's bill authorizing the incor-

poration of interurban companies using naphtha, gasoline or other similar power. The present law authorizes those propelled by electricity.

Finally passed Senator Holsey's bill enlarging the powers of the Commissioners of Agriculture in gathering common crop statistics. The Willacy amendment was adopted by striking out the extra clerks proposed.

Senator Meachum secured final passage of his bill providing for a topographical survey of the principal rivers of Texas in conjunction with the Federal Government.

Finally passed Senate bill incorporating the Corpus Christi school districts.

Finally passed House bill creating State plumbing board.

Adjourned until 10:30 a. m.

The House of Representatives, was, at 1:30, still in session and will probably work all night.

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We are authorized to announce W. A. Fawcett as a candidate for the office of City Secretary of the City of Kerrville, at the ensuing April election.

FROM TURTLE CREEK.

Dear Editor: Here comes Wampus to bother you again.

We had a nice little shower last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Bauerline of Medina, spent Sunday with Mrs. Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Denton spent Sunday at Ingram with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Denton.

Miss Maude Burks attended the ball at Ingram Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Helekamp, of Comfort, spent several days visiting their daughter, Mrs. Strohecker, this week.

Mr. Hubble, of Comfort, spent last week with his granddaughter, Mrs. James.

Miss Dollie Lamb returned home last week from the divide. Mrs. Colbath also returned home.

R. C. Hearn, of Rock Springs, spent Monday on the creek. **WAMPUS.**

Box Ball Alley.

For sale, cheap for cash, one new forty-two foot box ball alley. Inquire Recreation Hall, Kerrville, Texas. **tf**

Eggs For Sale.

I have for sale a limited number of eggs for setting purposes. Buff Cochin, Rhode Island Reds and Partridge Wyandottes. These breeds of chickens are fine layers. The eggs have been carefully handled. Buff Cochin, \$1 per setting, and the others \$2 per setting of 15 eggs. **Mrs. R. C. SANER.**

Dress gingham, new lot of beautiful spring patterns at Mosel, Saenger & Co's.

Good For Everybody.

Mr. Norman R. Conlter, a prominent architect, in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse all that has been said of Electric Bitters as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner and builds up the system." Electric Bitters is the best spring medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter; as a blood purifier it is unequalled. 50¢ at Rock Drug Store.

Notice.

We have loaned a large number of Locke wire fence stretchers to persons who bought fencing from us. We will appreciate the favor if all those who have stretchers, and are through using them will return same to us.

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Woman's Club.

The Kerrville Woman's Club held a most enthusiastic meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fortran.

The week's lesson proved to be a most instructive subject about a very interesting people.

History of Italy.
Leader, Miss Weir.
Paper, Rosam and Donizetti,
Miss Clara Herzog.
Italian Rural Life,
Leader, Mrs. A. C. Schreiner.

At the close of the program the hostess served a delicious two course luncheon.

The next meeting of the club will be held March the seventeenth with Mrs. Weir.

Our new stock of laces and embroideries have arrived and will be pleased to have the ladies inspect them.

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Episcopal Reception.

At the Parish house of the Episcopal church last Monday night, the Ladies' Guild tendered a grand reception to Bishop J. S. Johnston.

Although the weather was rather disagreeable, fifty guests were in attendance, and a general social entertainment was engaged in.

Delicious refreshments were served and all present enjoyed themselves.

Clean-up Day.

Last Wednesday was clean-up day in San Antonio in common with the greater part of Texas. Kerrville has set aside next Thursday the eighteenth. On that day every citizen is expected to see to it that his premises are free from trash accumulated through the year, that all out houses, barns, stables, pens, where stock is kept is put in sanitary condition. Trash heaps will be conveniently placed outside the city limits by the city council. The Woman's Club is offering several prizes to boys of fifteen years and under who shall accumulate the greatest heap of trash from streets, alleys or of public place. There will be three cash prizes besides other prizes in cash for the boys of any age, who can on that day show the cleanest and most sanitary back yard. This is according to instruction from State Health Officer Brumby. No public cleaning will be done on private premises, each citizen is responsible for himself.

Tuesday Musical Club.

Mrs. W. C. Walker entertained the Musical Club.

Subject,
Beethoven.

Beethoven's Middle Life,
Mrs. F. Coleman.

Andante from Kruezer Sonata, Op. 47
Mrs. W. C. Walker.

Rondo from Sonata Op. 51 No. 2.
Mrs. J. L. Pampell.

Song, Knowest Thou the Lord.
Mrs. J. W. Burney.

9th Symphony, 2nd Movement.
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"Say, now wouldn't that swell your expense account? Ain't you glad you know where you are?" exclaimed a grocery drummer, grasping a friend by the shoulder and pointing to the new decoration over the post office sign reading "Kerrville, Texas." "It certainly is kind of the honorable Postmaster to put the people wise, but an awful indictment on the intelligence of the people who visit this burg."

Postmaster Real was appealed to as to the whys and wherefores of this new ornament. "You see," explained the postmaster, "that was done in obedience to instructions from Washington. I understand for the benefit of Ernst Schwethelm, who, I am advised, can discuss the matter intelligently."

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BRIDE OF BANDERA PASS

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short a time, missed him more as the days went by, yet could not convince myself that he was gone.

"When the storms at night came down from the mountains and screamed in fury round the house, we awoke in wonder that we did not hear his voice in song. When Sunday morning came we missed his fervent prayer, and his soft, sweet voice in songs of praise. We missed him at our meals, and when we sat upon the gallery in the gloaming, we saw his vacant chair, and though we all strove hard to be cheerful, knowing that he would wish it so, we could not shake off the sadness that his absence

caused. Mrs. Hamilton would retire early to her room, and Uncle Luther would go and sit for hours in the darkness by the old piano. Mary and I were the only ones who had something to divert our minds. We used to go and sit together upon the old well, where Cupid had first plaited the coils that bound our souls in deathless love, but even our tones of love were subdued by the sadness around us.

"When the time came round for the fall work and preparation for winter, I noticed that Mr. Carsted seemed listless, and could not handle the business as of yore. One day, we were out looking after some cattle. As we rode

along I spoke to him two or three times, but he did not answer, finally he looked up and said:

"Jim, I am getting wrong some way. I don't mean that my mind is not clear, but since that night and here his voice fell to a low sad tone—at least half of the time I seem to leave myself. Sometimes these absent spells will last almost continuously for several days, usually they are for a few hours at a time, and often only for a few minutes. I can't understand it."

"Then he rode on in silence for a time. At length, he came back from his reverie and said:—

"I don't know where my mind and spirit go when I have the strange feelings, but I think they must visit the spirit world. Sometimes I sit in wakeful vigils throughout the silent watches of the night. On Thursday night, just one week after the fight, I was sitting in Milton's room. His old chair sat between me and the window. The stars made a faint, cold light, and just as the clock struck twelve, I looked up and MILTON WAS SITTING IN HIS CHAIR. Since then I've seen him EVERY THURSDAY. He isn't flesh and blood, for I cannot touch his body, but his form is there, and he talks to me, and on stormy nights he often goes to the old piano and plays and sings the sadly sweet old songs in a strange unearthly voice that is but little more than a whisper.

"One night as I silently contemplating his mystic form, and wondering why his spirit could not rest in peace as other spirits do, he seemed to know my thoughts and said: 'Brother, the reason that you all cannot forget me is this: my spirit is always in the house. You and I were twins in

body, and GOD GAVE US BUT ONE SOUL. Our individual share of this soul is each incomplete without the other, and mine shall wander in the world until your body is laid to rest, and then we shall meet at the threshold of eternity and our one soul shall become a perfect unit with the soul of the woman whom we loved on earth, and shall wing its way to realms of endless joy."

"I know" Mr. Carsted went on "that the world would say I was crazy, if it were generally known that I made such a statement, but, Jim, I swear to you this is true. Milton studied such things as this all his life, and I thought I was only humoring him and lightening the burden of his infirmities when I would strive to purchase for him every available book on the subject of metaphysics and psychology. When I used to hear you and my brother talk for hours together over these things, I thought it was all bosh, but now although I never learned any of it

from books, I know from actual experience that there is such a thing as the materialization of spirits.

"I do not wish," he continued, "to cast a gloom over the household by talking of these things at home, and I am going to make you a pledge, on account of yourself and Mary, that I will earnestly strive to be more cheerful when my spirit is with me than I have been of late, and I will shut myself up away from you on Thursday nights. Sister has never spoken to me, but I feel sure that she has seen him and that he has brought her a MESSAGE FROM THE SPIRIT WORLD."

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