

The Kerrville Mountain Sun.

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KERRVILLE, KERR COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, JULY 24, 1909.

NO. 6

Fine Watch Repairing

Done promptly and correctly. Give me a trial and be convinced.

J. B. LOVE,

Jeweler and Optician

Mountain Street,
KERRVILLE, TEXAS.

GENEROUS RAINS

All Southwest Texas Gets Fine Rains. Heaviest in Kerrville in Eight Years. Government Gauge Showed Over Nine Inches Precipitation in Twenty-four Hours.

DROUGHT COMPLETELY BROKEN

A Second Spring for This Year is Now Imminent. Cotton Will be Greatly Benefited, Forage Crops Will Take a New Start, the Range Will Come to Life, and the Whole Country Assume a New Garb.

About 2 o'clock, a. m., Thursday a steady rain began falling, and continued up to noon of that day. At noon the precipitation amounted to 2.28 inches. A short cessation about noon was followed by a downpour amounting to almost a water spout, which lasted until about 2:00 a. m., Friday. The rainfall for the twenty-four hours, according to the government gauge, was 9.15 inches. This timely rain saved all southwest Texas from disease. The drought had become so severe in many places that stock water was becoming a very serious problem for ranchmen. Two days ago there was a drought, today there is none, two weeks from now the southwest will be a garden. A veritable shower of pearls fell in the laps of the people of this section in the big rain, and yet with all the great volume of water falling in so short a time, no serious damage was done.

The Guadalupe river rose twelve feet at this point. The light plant, which is run by water power was cut out by the high water Thursday night, but so well pleased were the people at the great rain that they were most happy to go to bed by the same kind of candles that mother used to carry when she tucked the covers down around the trundle bed.

D. N. Whorton lost one hundred sheep in the flood.

Will be Ready in August.

The big Mason building on Water Street is rapidly nearing completion. In fact all that is now lacking is some finishing work on the front and the inside. The building is of concrete and presents a very handsome appearance. One of the larger store rooms will be occupied by W. H. Lawson's drug store. The construction of this building has been under the direction of B. A. Davis, a well known contractor of this place, and the work has gone forward very rapidly, and without a hitch since the foundation was laid.

Party of Campers from San Marcos. A large party of visitors to the encampment came overland from San Marcos arriving at the encampment grounds Wednesday. Among the party were: H. C. Story and family, G. A. McNaughten, editor of the Hayes County Times, and family, Rev. H. L. Paisley and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Talmadge and Miss Belle Collins. These all have tent quarters at the encampment grounds.

WEST TEXAS PRESBYTERIAN ENCAMPMENT

Fourth Annual Meeting Opened Thursday. Largest Attendance in History of Enterprise

OPENING ADDRESS BY DR. S. L. MORRIS

Excellent Program Has Been Prepared for Each Day of the Entire Three Weeks

Good things often come in bunches. The fourth annual meeting of the West Texas Presbyterian Assembly grounds was ushered in Thursday morning accompanied by blinding sheets of rain. The thirsty earth drank the water greedily after the severe drought, and the big crowd of campers were happy to trade the dust for mud, despite the little discomforts of an occasional leak in a tent. The attendance this year breaks the record. Manager Hoon has engaged every tent owned by the encampment organization, has leased and put up twenty-five additional tents and has a requisition out for others, and still they come. There is no fear of being unable to house the crowd, however, as many tents can be prepared here.

The opening address was delivered Thursday night, by S. L. Morris Secretary of Home Missions for the Presbyterian General Assembly.

The program for the first week comprises a series of lectures and discussions upon the subject of home missions, by a number of the most eminent divines in the south. The period from the 23d to the 28th is entirely devoted to a home mission conference.

The music is under the direction of Rev. T. F. Gallaher, of Sulphur Springs. He will be assisted by Mrs. J. W. Morris, of Austin. On the nights of July 28th and August 4th, Mrs. Morris will give a vocal recital at the auditorium, which will be a rare treat to music lovers.

The work for the young people is in charge of Rev. T. O. Perrin, of Rockport. Rev. Perrin will give special attention to the entertainment of the young folks.

Vesper services are conducted each morning by Rev. E. C. Caldwell.

On the whole the encampment has made a long stride in progress toward better things this season, and the management is highly gratified at the success promised at the opening.

ENCAMPMENT NOTES.

Dr. R. E. Vincent and family, Mrs. George Menden and Miss Ida Morrison, of Austin, are among the campers.

Mrs. A. R. Marwood, and family, and Miss Mattie Harwood, of Gonzales, have tent quarters at the grounds.

Dr. S. L. Morris arrived Thursday to deliver the opening address.

C. H. Butchings, of San Marcos, has pitched his tent in spite of the waving cypress and rippling water.

Rev. C. H. Dobbie, Jr., and family, of Gonzales, are among the late arrivals.

Rev. Sidney Venable, of Sherman, is in attendance.

Rev. J. P. Robertson, of Paris, arrived Wednesday.

Rev. W. L. Hickman and wife, of Texarkana are here. Mr. Hickman has charge of the Presbyterian publishing house at Texarkana.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY

One of Kerr County's Most Popular Young Ladies Loses Life by Accidental Discharge of Gun

MISS IDA GIBBENS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED SUNDAY

Funeral Occurred Monday. Pall of Sadness Envelopes Entire Community

No sadder or more grief compelling catastrophe has occurred in the history of Kerr county than the death of Miss Ida Gibbens, near the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gibbens, Sunday, July 18. The family reside at the Gibbens ranch, about twelve miles from Kerrville. Mr. Gibbens and one of his sons were away from home at the time. Sunday morning about sun rise the hounds treed some kind of wild animal not a great way from the house, and as her brother, who was at home, was away from the house, the young lady took a Winchester rifle and started to them in the hope of shooting the animal. She had been raised on her father's ranch and was perfectly used to handling firearms. A short time after Miss Gibbens left the house her mother heard the gun discharge. It was not thought that anything serious had happened. A little later two of the hounds returned to the house, and as the daughter had not yet returned the mother became uneasy and search was instituted. The young woman's body was found with a bullet through the heart. She had evidently fallen and striking the hammer against a stone, had discharged it with the above fatal results.

Death is always a cause of sadness. When grey hairs that have long since blossomed for the tomb are spread upon the pillow of the last sleep, it causes us to bow our heads in sorrow because there could not be even one more day. But, when the bright light of some young lamp of life just lighted for usefulness and happiness, is suddenly blown out by the cruel winds of fate, it is hard to reconcile our grief. This young life passed like a day that has bright morn and black night, but knows no noon day. Ushered in as—

—the morn, in orient purple dressed, Unbars the portal of the roseate east, then stepped with youthful tread across the whole of life's span to the gate all mankind must pass, leaving friends and loved ones to grieve and wonder, and to try to look beyond the walls of destiny, beyond the impenetrable barrier, and wonder at the ways of a wise, but inscrutable providence. A life of purity has been broken on the stem, while yet the pearly dew of its blooming still lingered on its beautiful, waxen petals. Mere words are futile to express sorrow, they are to the bereaved heart as dust upon the lips of the hungry. And yet, we are prone to turn over the broken vase from which the flower has been transplanted to gardens of light, in the realms of everlasting joy. When all is said a mother's cry expresses more grief than all the doves that other lips have sung and a father's sob, more sorrow than hours of the angeli effort of the world's greatest orator, in whose heart the poignant shaft of bereavement did not quiver.

Miss Ida Gibbens was a student of great merit, a most capable young woman, and a favorite with her classmates, as she was with all her friends. She graduated with honors from the Tivy High School, class of 1908, and awarded one of the Schreiner scholarships, and spent one term in the State University at Austin. She was preparing to re-enter that institution when the hand of death was laid upon her.

The funeral took place at the Park creek church Monday, and the body was laid to rest near the old school, where she spent many hours of her childhood, and where the first impressions were gained that made her a great student, and that awakened her soul to a longing for the better and higher things of life. Still, are the echoes from her voice in those hills and dales, the flower is broken, but its fragrance still lingers in the form of a sweet memory to all those who knew and loved her.

THE CONSERVATIVE BANKER

in making loans must know to a certainty that his applicants or sureties are responsible and worthy of credit.

Likewise, the prudent depositor should know the character and the standing of the bank with which he deals.

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Kerrville, Texas

KERRVILLE WOOLS BRING FANCY PRICES

About One Million and a Half Pounds Sold by Capt. Chas. Schreiner

TOPS MARKET FOR TEXAS WOOLS

General Average Reaches Three to Four Cents Higher Than Other Texas Markets

Kerrville wools have long held an enviable record for quality and Capt. Chas. Schreiner, the veteran wool commission merchant of southwest Texas, holds the same kind of record for prices secured for wools. The last shipment of the product from Kerrville amounted to about one million and a half pounds, the last cars of which were shipped about ten days ago. The price received for this big consignment ranged from twenty-three to twenty-seven and one-half cents, which was three to four cents per pound more than the prices received at San Angelo, Del Rio or other Texas markets. This big saving to ranchmen on their product is not an exception, but is the rule, and we merely mention it to keep the record straight. Forty years of experience, a wide practical knowl-

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SEA WALL SAVES GALVESTON

Fierce Storm Sweeps Island, but Gulf Waves are Halted by Concrete Barrier

BATH-HOUSES AND PIERS SMASHED

City Officials Jubilant, Send Greetings to the World, and Reassure the Nation that the City has Stood the Test, Not a Life is Lost and Damage is Light

Galveston, Texas, July 21.—The Caribbean Sea disturbance struck Galveston this morning. Winds from the northwest reached a velocity of sixty-nine miles, the barometer dropped to 29.65. The sea wall stood the test magnificently and no property damage occurred inside the wall. Beach resorts, fishing piers, breakers and Maudslough bath houses were demolished. Pettison's fishing pier, seven miles from the city, was destroyed.

The storm approached from the southeast following an all-night gale. People early this morning began to come in from the beach, although the section of the city was absolutely safe, except the possibility of the houses being wrecked by the wind. The curvature of the sea wall sent the water high into the air, the spray falling like that at Niagara Falls.

Some fifty persons who have spent the night at the two fishing piers on the north jetty were rescued by the pilot boat Texas, assisted by United States

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MOVING SALE

That Is, A Sale
to Move the Goods

KERRVILLE FURNITURE COMPANY

C. L. LOWRY, MANAGER

We have purchased the Kearney Butt Furniture Stock and will open a first class furniture store in the big Lowry building on Mountain Street

FOR NEXT 15 DAYS

Our Trade Mark will be COST

We have a big shipment of new furniture coming and want to close out the old stock to make room for the new. The greatest Furniture Bargains ever offered in Kerrville. Don't Miss the Opportunity.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

BY SUN REPORTERS.

Victor Lee, of Ingram, was in Kerrville Monday.

Linen trousers at the Kerrville Mercantile Co.

R. S. Newman made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

J. M. Webb, from his farm above Ingram, was in Kerrville Monday.

W. D. Hope, of near Japonica, was in Kerrville on a business trip Monday.

Misses Ada Dowdy and Hattie Colvin, popular young ladies of Ingram, were visitors to Kerrville Monday.

Gus Kaiser and C. C. Amsler, of the Johnson creek community, were in the city Monday.

Dr. Edward Galbraith,



Dentist

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

WHITE HOUSE or OUR PRIDE flour will meet your demands for bread and pastry. Try a sack and be convinced.

Allen Lee, telegraph operator at Elm Mott, passed through Kerrville Monday night, on his way to Ingram to visit home folks.

J. M. Finley, county superintendent of education, Galveston county, with his son, Edwin Finley, are in Kerrville to spend several weeks.

Dick Eastland, who has been at his old home in Meridian, Mississippi, for the past month, returned to his home near Kerrville, last Saturday.

Ladies' fixin's. The hundred and one novelties for women that they have to have in order to be up-to-date may be had, the very latest, at our store.

KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.

Mrs. Geo. Morris spent this week in San Antonio.

Mrs. K. H. Dewees and Miss Dewees, of San Antonio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon, at The Oaks.

J. T. Payne, sheriff of Madison county, is visiting his brother-in-law, Rev. J. W. Orr, of this city.

Burks Ligon is at the Morriss Bros' ranch at the head of the Guadalupe. He will spend several weeks there.

Don't fail to see our line of stamped linen and shirt waist patterns.

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**Niagara Maid
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Only 50 Cents, at

**Chas. Schreiner
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OUR PRIDE, the flour of quality. Every sack guaranteed.

SEGUIN MILLING & POWER CO.

Mrs. Gus Schreiner, returned Monday from a several days' visit to San Antonio. She was accompanied by her sisters, Misses Paula and Marguerite Rummel.

Misses Mary Robinson and Ethel Williams left Monday for the Whorton ranch to spend several weeks. They were accompanied by Cecil Robinson, who returned Wednesday.

Enjoy Few Days Fishing Trip.

L. G. Dubus and family spent several days fishing trip on the Guadalupe the latter part of last week, returning home Sunday evening. Mr. Dubus reports an abundance of fish, catching none weighing less than a pound, and several weighing considerably more.

Judge Ben H. Kelley made a business trip to Austin the first of the week.

Oscar Strohoecker was in Kerrville Wednesday from his Turtle creek ranch.

George Page, of the Ingram community, was among the visitors in Kerrville Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Jacoby and children, who had been visiting relatives at Stonewall, have returned home.

J. W. Coffey and son S. A. Coffey of the Noxville country were among the visitors in Kerrville Wednesday.

Mrs. M. A. Parsons is in San Angelo visiting her sons, Bert and John Parsons, who are in business at that place.

W. C. Maddox of San Antonio, was in Kerrville this week in interest of the San Antonio Life Insurance Company.

Captain Alonzo Rees and daughter, Mrs. Charles Barleman, of Center Point, were among the visitors in Kerrville Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. R. Galbraith, their daughter, Miss Florence, and son, Dr. E. Galbraith, left Monday for Seattle to attend the exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lewis, and Mrs. O. S. Dewees, spent Saturday and Sunday at The Oaks, with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon, making the trip from San Antonio in an automobile.

Cattle Shipment.

Hotchkiss & Morriss shipped from this place, Monday, to the Fort Worth market, five cars of fat beef cattle.

Spend Sunday on River.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Will Noll and son, Reiffert, Miss Elizabeth Noll, Henry and Julius Noll and Star Baucum, spent the day on the Guadalupe river, near Sherman's mill. They returned Sunday evening, having had a pleasant outing.

Young Peoples' Party.

Miss Ruth Mosel entertained quite a crowd of young people, at a party at her home on Washington street, last Saturday night, complimentary to Miss Mattie Smith and Mr. Hugo Rauber, of San Antonio. Games appropriate to such occasions were engaged in, refreshments served and a good time had by all.

Dental Notice.

My office will be closed until August 24th.
E. GALBRAITH,
Dentist.

A Candy Pullin'

Leonard Rawson entertained a few of his friends at a candy pulling, at his home Monday evening. Plenty of candy and a good time were the order of the evening.

Why Is It ?
Why is it so many people insist on trading here? Why do they so heartily recommend this store? Simply because our customers get the best goods, right service, honest treatment and care. Trade here once and you'll know.

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Dutch Collars and
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OR 15 Days Only, starting Monday, July 25, we will sell all Summer-price goods at greatly-reduced prices on account of being overstocked on some goods, which will give a good opportunity to replace your want list for the long hot summer month and will save you dollars and cents.

Also will have a few other special inducements.

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Specialty of long runs for drummers. Saving money is making money. Saving time is making money. The way we travel saves your time. The Auto does in one day what the best team you can get will do in four.

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 The Very Best Meats at All Times.
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Dr. A. F. Thigpen
DENTIST
 Office over R. S. Newman's Store
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 "For ten years I couldn't ride a horse without being in torture from piles," writes L. S. Napier, of Rugless, Ky., when all doctors and other remedies failed. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me." Infallible for Piles, Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Boils, Fever-Sores, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Corns. 25c. Guaranteed by Rock Drug Store.

THE THOMAS SCHOOL
 FOR GIRLS. Write For Catalogue
 SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

Woman's Right to Fish:
 All man's heritage of fresh-air pleasure lies at woman's feet. She may ride, she may walk, and, best of all, she may camp and she may fish. Furthermore, let me remind those lords of creation who may still desire to defraud her of this goodly privilege, that whatever their rights in other directions, to the honest art of angling in a literary sense she has the prior claim. Long before the gentle Walton walked, rod in hand, beside the country streams, long before he wrote his charming classic, Dame Juliana Berners, a sporting abbess of the fifteenth century, compiled her "Treatyse on Fyshyng." If the cuts and description of rod and tackle are somewhat ponderous and out of date, the opening argument breathing the love of nature, is eternally young—Country Life in America.

Robins' Curious Nesting Places.
 The two robins which have built their nest in the cover of a meter at the Market Drayton Electric Light works have many precedents in the choice of unconventional nesting places. A year or two ago a robin's nest was built on a book shelf in a night nursery at Chiselhurst which was occupied without interruption by a nurse and child. Four eggs were laid, and two young birds were hatched out. Two other robins built their nest on the axle of a colliery wagon in daily use at Seghill, in Northumberland. Among other curious recent nesting places have been the breast pocket of a scarecrow at Ashbourne, a nail box in a village forge, the skeleton of a crow, and the rifle range butts at Ticehurst, Sussex.—Westminster Gazette.

Powerful Teeth of Squirrel.
 The teeth of a squirrel will penetrate deeper than those of a dog.

German Proverb.
 Say not all thou knowest, but believe all thou sayest.

Get Much Zinc from Prussia.
 Half of the world's zinc comes from Prussia.

Bowel Complaint in Children.
 When six months old the little daughter of E. N. Dewey, a well known merchant of Agnewville, Va., had an attack of cholera infantum. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was given and effected a complete cure. This remedy has proven very successful in cases of bowel complaint in children—and when given according to the plain printed directions can be relied upon with perfect confidence. When reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. For sale by all druggists.

Bees and Sparrows Fight for Tree.

A fight between a half dozen English sparrows and a swarm of bees for the possession of an old tree on the lawn of the Serrill house, Main street, was witnessed by a number of interested spectators, says a Philadelphia correspondent. The colony of bees swarmed around the tree and discovering a hole about 40 feet from the ground flew in. The first of the army, which filled the air like a miniature cloud, had hardly entered the hole before the sparrows came out ruffling their neck feathers and chattering with anger.

There were six sparrows living in the tree and for five minutes they put up a gallant fight for the possession of their home, but the bees were too much for them and after a time they slowly drew off, fighting to the last.

The Mills of the Gods.

They tell us that ever so slight a change in the earth's tilting on its axis brought the glacial period that swallowed up all life in the north as the ice crept down from the pole, inch by inch, foot by foot. When it righted itself again our present day broke, and the river wore its way through the rock, draining the mighty glaciers. So the dawn of a new humanity in which man, facing toward the ideal of brotherhood, shall do justice and love mercy is upon us now. It is good, when one gets impatient, to remember that these things are so, that though the mills of God grind slowly they grind exceeding small.—Jacob A. Riis in The Survey.

Proper Treatment for Dysentery and Diarrhoea.

The great mortality from dysentery and diarrhoea is due to lack of proper treatment at the first stages of the disease. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is a reliable and effectual medicine, and when given in reasonable time will prevent any dangerous consequences. It has been in use for many years and has always met with unvarying success. For sale by all druggists.

Where They Excel.

Where men are natural leaders born, and some are poets made; some win fame through politics, and some get coin in trade. But of the entire earthly crowd, these form but a small slice; for the average man prefers to stand around and give advice.

A Night Rider's Raid.

The worst night riders are calomel, croton oil or aloes pills. They raid your bed to rob you of rest. Not so with Dr. King's New Life Pills. They never distress or inconvenience, but always cleanse the system, curing Colds, Headache, Constipation, Malaria, 25c at Rock Drug Store.

He Only Thinks So.

A man's opinion of himself doesn't really affect the size of his hatband.—Ralph Connor.

No One Without a Fault.

The Talmud: He who seeks a faultless brother will have to remain brotherless.

Concrete from Mill Refuse.

Concrete is made from the refuse of a soap mill at Calcutta.

Value of Ideals.

Ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands. But, like the seafaring man on the deserts of water, you choose them as your guides, and following them you reach your destiny.—Carl Schurz.

Beware of Chattering.

Conversation, like bonbons, should be taken in moderation. About the only one that can thoroughly enjoy unlimited chatter is a member of the monkey tribe. To talk the clock around generally means words—not ideas.

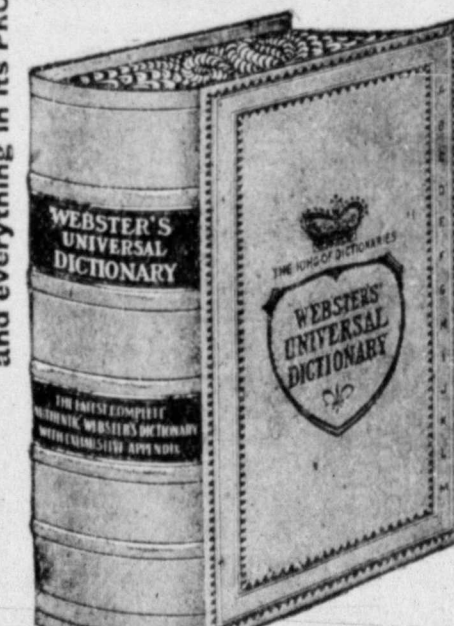
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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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The New Webster's Dictionary

We invite special attention to the fact that the latest previous complete Webster is now 19 years old, and quite out of date. A single page in this book (1089) defines 36 words not found in Webster's International Dictionary; another page (1177) defines 28 such words: RADIUM, the various RAYS, TRUST, BANZAI, GARAGE, SHIMOSE, etc., and all other modern words, also old words with modern meanings, such as GRAFT, are properly defined. The list of elements in WEBSTER'S UNIVERSAL DICTIONARY shows SEVEN MORE elements than the list of elements in the 19-year-old Webster's International Dictionary. The names of those that are not to be found in the old International or defined in their proper vocabulary place in that book, are as follows: ACTINIUM, DYSPROSIUM, EUROPIUM, HOLMIUM, POLONIUM, RADIUM, TERBIUM. In defining "ENGINEERING" the 19-year-old Webster's International defines ONLY FOUR departments of that science, whereas the new WEBSTER'S UNIVERSAL defines NINE departments. In defining the word "RAY" the 19-year-old Webster's International gives ONLY TWO definitions of that word in a scientific sense; whereas the new WEBSTER'S UNIVERSAL gives NINE. A COMPARISON: Number of pages from A to Z in Webster's International (Issued in 1890) 1681 Pages, Webster's Universal (JUST ISSUED) 1956 Pages, and with its Encyclopedic Appendix a total of 2205 pages. SHORT, THE UNIVERSAL OUTCLASSES ALL OTHER WEBSTER'S.



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METEOROLOGICAL RECORD

Taken at Kerrville, Texas, for the Week Ending, Friday, July 23 6.30 a. m.

	Max.	Min.
Saturday	102	68
Sunday	100	78
Monday	97	72
Tuesday	98	65
Wednesday	93	66
Thursday	97	68
Friday	77	69

Average night temperature, 68.
The nights are fine and cool in the "Hill Country."

ADVERTISING KERRVILLE.

Since the day when Romulus plowed a furrow around the site of the ancient city of Rome with a team of heifers that had never before borne the yoke, and then sent his emissaries out to invite the neighboring bands to join in making a great city, it has been good business to advertise your town. The citizen of a town who is not awake to the value of letting the world know his town is "on the map," is further behind in the matter of civic progress than the founder of Rome, who, it is said, was sucked by a she-wolf when he was a baby.

In the last ten years Kerrville has spent more money for high-class advertising than any town of like population in Texas, and every paragraph, line and letter of it has brought results. Results are coming in all the time. The publicity now enjoyed by the city of Kerrville is due to advertising. Not the spasmodic, flaming poster kind, nor yet the "boom" literature issued by land companies and grafters, but the genteel, effective kind, advertising that appeals to men and women of intelligence.

Recently the city of Kerrville has entered the columns of the great dailies as a field for exploiting the merits of the town of Kerrville and the "Hill Country," and results of this service are coming in daily, in the form of letters to the secretary of the Business Men's Club.

Just here let us say that the most essential thing possible to a live town is a business men's club and it is a source of general gratulation that Kerrville has such an organization.

Selfishness is a crime, but civic pride, the banding together of the citizens of a town for the common good, is laudable and commendable. It does not result in clanishness, but it broadens men by showing them the character of their neighbors, and teaching them the value of united effort.

He who has not learned the value of judicious advertising is beginning at the top in a futile effort to build his business downward.

The West Texas Presbyterian Encampment, which opened at the grounds, adjoining the city of Kerrville, Thursday of this week, is the record meeting in point of attendance, and the program for the three weeks will be a source of pleasure and profit to those in attendance. Persistent effort and continued advertising is bringing results. It takes time for fruit to ripen. If the farmer pulled up his corn because there were no ears on it when it came out of the ground, we would not have corn.

An augur bores a hole corresponding to its diameter. The actions of men denote their size. Really big men do not stoop to little things.

THERE are towns in Texas divided by factions that no enterprise, however laudable it may be, can succeed. There is no greater perfection of folly than for intelligent men to allow their political, or other ideas, upon matters of public policy to cause them to split into factions upon matters of civic economy and public expediency.

Looks Good to Him.

Mr. H. V. Scholl sent one of the souvenir post cards recently gotten out by the Sun, to a friend, and received the following reply:

Waco, Texas, July 18, 1909.

Mr. H. V. Scholl, Mgr., Beitel Lumber Co., Kerrville, Texas.

Dear Sir: Your card advertising the beauties of the "Hill Country" at hand, and very much admired. To say that you have interested us along the lines of fishing would be putting it mildly. In case the writer should be in your vicinity he will request that you recognize the fact that "he is from Missouri!" and take him to the places shown.

Thanking you for this courtesy, and trusting that your business is as good as your advertising matter, we are,

Yours very truly,

W. R. PICKERING LUMBER CO.,
By H. T. Kendall.

A Good Name Abroad.

Secretary H. V. Scholl, of the Kerrville School Board, has received a letter from C. F. Evans of Glasgow Kentucky, requesting a catalogue of the school and stating that the Tivy High School had been highly recommended to him and he will probably attend that institution next term.

MUSIC BY MOUNTAIN SUN BAND

Local Musicians to Play for the West Texas Fair

The Mountain Sun silver cornet band will furnish music for the West Texas Fair, which will be held at Kerrville, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 25, 26 and 27. The boys are holding special practice meetings and will be prepared to entertain the people with an excellent repertoire of choice new selections.

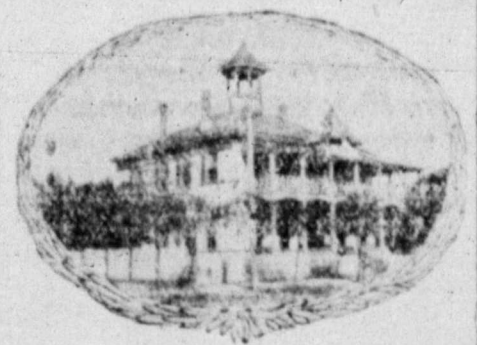
Is Member of State Board.

Prof. Horace W. Morelock, superintendent of the Kerrville Public Schools left Monday for Austin to begin his labors as a member of the State board of examiners. The board will be in session about one month. In addition to the salary of this position, this is a distinction and an honor that comes to few Educators, especially is it unusual for those who have not a "political pull". Professor Morelock received the appointment purely on merit, and it is a cause for gratulation to the people of Kerrville that so able an educator has charge of their public schools.

New Business Firm.

The Kerrville Furniture Company, with C. L. Lowry, as manager, is a new enterprise in Kerrville. This company has purchased the furniture stock of Kearney Butt, and will continue the business at the same stand in the Lowry building. They have floor space 25 x 110 feet and cellar room 50 x 110 feet. Several cars of new goods are now on the road and Mr. Lowry will, in a few weeks, stock the house thoroughly with modern furniture and household goods.

TIVY HOTEL
MRS. MATTIE WILSON, Prop.



We keep no guest who cannot secure a physician's certificate to the effect that bearer is not afflicted with tuberculosis.
Pleased to make special rates to families.
For information, address
MRS. MATTIE WILSON
Kerrville, Texas

TEXAS UNDER SIX FLAGS

Famous Patriotic Play Will be Reproduced on the Kerrville Stage, Benefit of the West Texas Fair

TWO NIGHTS, AUGUST 25 & 26

Big Street Parade and Glittering Pageant, Wednesday Morning, August 25

The patriotic spectacular performance, "Texas Under Six Flags," that was presented at Pampell's Opera House on Friday night, July 24, will be reproduced here by local talent on Wednesday night and Thursday night, August 25 and 26, for the benefit of the West Texas Fair. The entertainment will be under the direction of Mrs. G. F. Schreiner, assisted by Prof. Hall, who has put the play on in many Texas cities, where it has been generally successful. The fair management is not offering to the public an untried performance in this instance. The people of Kerrville have witnessed it and nothing but praise has been heard in its regard.

In the forenoon of the first day a grand parade will be had. The parade alone will be well worth seeing. The performances will be at Pampell's Opera House. Each night, after the play, a ball will be given at Fawcett's Hall. On Friday night, August 27, balls will be given at both Fawcett's and Pampell's Halls.

These entertainments will furnish excellent diversion for the home folks and for visitors alike, during the entire fair time.

Will Receive Bids.

The City Council of the City of Kerrville, Texas, will receive bids for the deposit of the city funds. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check, payable to the Mayor of the City of Kerrville, for \$25.00. No bid will be received later than 10:00 a. m. Tuesday, August 3, 1909. W. A. FAWCETT, Sec'y, City of Kerrville.

Dr. Morris Lectures.

Dr. S. L. Morris, secretary of home missions for the Presbyterian general assembly, delivered the opening address at the Presbyterian encampment Thursday night. Other eminent divines will address the encampment at the big auditorium from time to time.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS.

Co-Educational Tuition Free
ANNUAL EXPENSES \$180 AND UPWARDS

Main University, Austin; Session opens Wednesday, September 22nd, 1909.

COLLEGE OF ARTS: Courses leading to the Degrees of Bachelor and Master of Arts and Doctor of Philosophy.

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ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT: Degree courses in civil, electrical and mining engineering.

LAW DEPARTMENT: (In its new building): Three-year course, leading to Degree of Bachelor of Laws with State license; course leading to Degree of Master of Laws.

SUMMER SCHOOL: Regular University and Normal courses; seven weeks. Session 1910 begins June 18. For catalogue, address THE REGISTRAR, University Station, Austin.

Medical Department, Galveston Session eight months, opening September 25th. Four-year course in medicine; two-year course in pharmacy; three-year course in nursing. Thorough laboratory training. Exceptional clinical facilities in John Sealy Hospital, University Hall, a dormitory for women students of medicine. For catalogue, address THE DEAN, Medical College

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You may rest assured someone is investing it and getting the benefit of its earning power.

Why not start a n account with this bank NOW? Save a part of it and make your own investments. Keeping your dollars working for you means YOU and not some one else reaps the full profit from your labor. The bank plan has proven profitable to others, why don't you try it?

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Kerrville Mercantile Co.
The One Price Store

Holeproof Hose

We Guarantee that Six pair of Holeproof Hose will last you Six months and will not need repairs during that length of time. If they should we agree to replace them by new ones upon the surrender of ticket with the worn pair and coupon, provided they are returned to us within six months of date of sale to wearer.

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HOME NEWS.

Interesting Items From Town and County.

C. M. Click of Lima, was at the St. Charles Sunday.
 B. E. Paech, the auto man, spent the "rainy day" in Kerrville.
 W. G. Boyle and Alex. J. Hamer, of Junction, were guests at the St. Charles Monday night and left the following Monday for home.
 New jet barettes and hair novelties of all kind at Kerrville Mercantile Co.
 Senator T. W. Masterson was in from his ranch on Turtle creek Thursday. Mr. Masterson came to town to meet his sister-in-law, Miss Minnie Ray Earnest of Austin, who will spend some time at the Masterson ranch.

Suits Cleaned and Pressed.

All kinds of altering and repair work promptly done. Ladies' skirts cleaned.
S. FRIEDMAN, Tailor.
 KERRVILLE, TEXAS
 Mountain Street, Opp. Court House
 Also make suits to order.
 Mrs. A. Towne of Victoria is among the late arrivals at the Encampment.
 H. Cordz and family of Austin, are among the guests at the St. Charles.

For Lockets and Chains—50c to \$8.00—see Self.

Geo. M. Moore of San Antonio, and family arrived in Kerrville last Saturday. Mr. Moore returned home Monday. Mrs. Moore and children will spend several weeks at the St. Charles.

Full line of tennis shoes for men, women and boys at Kerrville Mercantile Co.

J. E. Moore of Rockport, accompanied by Mrs. Moore and children, arrived in Kerrville Sunday. The ladies will spend some time in Kerrville. Mr. Moore returned home the first of the week.

OUR PRIDE and WHITE HOUSE flour is made on the banks of the Guadalupe river in a water-power mill. There it must be good. Ask your merchant for it.
 SEIGEN MILLING & POWER CO.

Mrs. Ada Chapman of Rockport, was a guest at the St. Charles Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Jefferies and son, C. Jefferies, who is a prominent contractor and builder, of Laredo, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ragland. Mrs. Jefferies is a sister of Mrs. Ragland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Arthur, of Jennings, La., arrived in Kerrville Wednesday to spend the remainder of the summer. With them, as guests, are Mrs. C. J. Nohe and Mrs. J. R. Mouton, of Jennings. They are guests at the St. Charles at present.

Swan hats, nobbiest what is. Full line. All late novelties in shapes and colors at Kerrville Mercantile Co.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Baker, on the 17th inst., a son.

Lester Fawcett, who had been attending school at Johnson city, arrived in Kerrville Thursday and is a guest of his brother, W. A. Fawcett.

HFUSE FOR RENT.—Apply to Mrs. Cecil Robinson.

The Baptist Philathea class postponed their watermelon feast until Monday night, on account of the rain.

Miss Womack, of Mississippi, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eastland, at Cactus Hill.

Our prices will be reduced on our summer goods next week for 15 days only. Do not overlook this chance. We call your attention to same in another column.

T. F. W. DIETERT & BRO.

I would be glad to have every Sunday school scholar, teacher and officer present at Sunday school promptly Sunday morning. JOHN C. GRAVES, Supt.

For Gold Neck Chains see Self.

Recovering Rapidly.

The friends of Mr. Wm. Burney will be glad to learn that he is recovering from the effects of being kicked by a horse last week. His injuries were not serious and he will be all right in a few days.

Will Garrett, who was thrown from a buggy and injured last week, is also recovering, and is now out of danger.

Killed Monster Bear

Several weeks ago we printed a story about a large bear killing several hogs for Bruno Schwethelm, at his ranch eight miles northeast of Kerrville. Yesterday morning that gentleman killed the bear and brought him to town. The beast killed another hog near the ranch house, and the hounds took his trail early yesterday morning, and after a chase of four miles succeeded in bringing him to bay at the head of Cypress creek.

For Solid Gold and Plated Beauty Pins—Self.

Ice Cream Social.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church will give an ice cream social on the church lawn, Thursday, July 29, commencing at 7 p. m. Come one, come all.

KODAKERS

The Eastman is the only Kodak. Eastman films and papers are BEST. Any trouble about your pictures—consult a man who knows something about a Kodak and what it will do.—Self.

Has Returned to the Cotton Market

E. Habecker, who had been spending the summer vacation on his Turtlecreek ranch, left Monday for San Antonio. Mr. Habecker is a cotton buyer for E. P. Jersig & Co., buyers and exporters of cotton. He will probably spend some time in the Brownsville and Falfurrias country, where the crop is now being gathered.

Ladies Will Entertain.

The Home Mission Society, assisted by the Philathea class will serve ice cream, sherbet, cake and lemonade on the lawn at the Methodist parsonage, Kerrville, Tuesday, August 3. A cordial invitation is extended to the general public.

Married.

Arthur Anderson and Miss Irene Baker were married at Ingram, at 11 o'clock, Sunday, July 18, Rev. H. C. Evans officiating.

Cards of Thanks

In expression of deepest gratitude for the many manifestations of sympathy and kindness shown us during our recent bereavement; for the numerous flowers and especially those from her graduating class.

MR. AND MRS. A. J. GIBBENS AND FAMILY.

Please, Shut Up.

We regret to see that there are no signs of the Versailles stores closing for the summer at 6 o'clock.

- They ought to close.
1. For humanity's sake.
 2. Because a clerk can sell more goods in shorter hours. He or she will get cross and tired through these long hot summer days and evenings, and can not render the maximum grade of efficient service. A merchant stands in his own light who keeps his store open in the evening.
 3. It is a relic of barbarism and an unfeeling sign of provincialism. The men who make big money in merchandising are not the fellows who open their stores before day and sit around till bed time lest they might lose a 5-cent sale. Versailles is improving by leaps and bounds, but this barbarous practice is one of the ear-marks of a little six by nine, one-horse village. The Sun is ashamed of it.

We are informed by those who are interested in the matter that a majority of the merchants are more than willing to close.

Gentlemen, all of you get into the procession and you will feel better and make more money.—Versailles, (Ky.) Sun.

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Fresh Beef, Mutton,

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All Orders Delivered Free

You Can't Lose W.H. Rawson

trading here because you get a tested quality of drugs and medicines that do not disappoint doctor or patient. Bring every prescription here and be safe and satisfied.



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International Fabrics. Every one's a beauty. Drop in and get a line on the good looks of INTERNATIONAL Clothes. Prices that are popular, and styles that will stay popular. ❖ ❖

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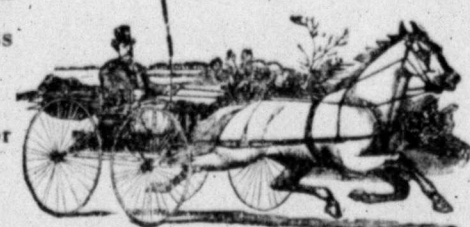
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A PURE, CREAMY, WHITE FLOUR,

Made From the Wheat Kernel.

There is no bleaching used in the manufacture of "GOLDEN CROWN."

Telegrams From Far and Near
Taken From
Leading State Newspapers

Childress, Texas, July 20.—Earnest Bauholdz, a baker, employed at the Hutt hotel here, left hurriedly last night, saying he had seen writing commanding him to attend an anarchists' meeting at Fort Worth. He had nineteen days' pay due, but did not wait to collect it. Another employe left Sunday night without waiting for wages due.

New York, July 20.—The beautiful horse which has been jumping through the hoops in an open-air circus at Coney Island has been seized by the police and fully identified as a 17-year-old animal which for the fifteen years preceding last spring piloted a heavy ice wagon around Brooklyn. Some one stole the horse, which was not known to have any ability as a circus actor and after it had passed through several hands it reached the animal trainer and quickly developed into a very valuable performer. Its original owner would not put it back to the ice wagon.

Life 100,000 Years Ago.

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. To-day the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown of Alexander Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and a stubborn cough." To cure sore lungs, colds, obstinate coughs and prevent pneumonia, it is the best medicine on earth. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by the Rock Drug Store. Trial bottle free.

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

Houston, Texas, July 19.—Mr. and Mrs. S. Adams, recent arrival in Houston from Mobile, Ala., played in hard luck Sunday afternoon while out for a trolley ride over the city. Before leaving their Alabama home they had disposed of their residence property, and when they arrived in Houston they still had \$1,500 that they had received from the party who purchased their place. When they reached Montgomery and Hogan, where they were to transfer to go to Highland park, the handbag in which Mrs. Adams carried the money was missing, and it has not as yet been found. Mr. and Mrs. Adams offered \$500 reward for the return of the money and the handbag to them, but the chances are that the bag containing the money was taken from Mrs. Adams hand by some one of the expert crooks now operating in Houston, and that the money will never be returned to its rightful owners.

Ladies' Shirtwaists

A Nice New
Stock of the
Hot Weather
SEMI-NEGLIGES
With Dutch
Collars, or
without Col-
lars, and Long
Sleeves.

Chas. Schreiner Co.

Newport News, Va., July 20.—Private George A. Hedgepath, a member of the Fortieth Coast Artillery, was killed at Fort Monroe yesterday by falling beneath the wheels of a dummy train. Hedgepath weighed 318 pounds and was said to be the largest man in the army.

Sees Mother Grow Young.

"It would be hard to overstate the wonderful change in my mother since she began to use Electric Bitters," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick of Danforth, Me. "Although past 70 she seems really to be growing young again. She suffered untold misery from dyspepsia for 20 years. At last she could neither eat, drink nor sleep. Doctors gave her up and all remedies failed till Electric Bitters worked such wonders for her health." They invigorate all vital organs, cure Liver and Kidney troubles, induce sleep, impart strength and appetite. Only 50c at Rock Drug Store.

New Bedford, Mass., July 19.—Whether Charles Paquette, a young singer, who broke down while singing at a theatre in Boston, was made dumb by stage fright or by some disease is a question on which medical experts cannot agree. Paquette, who is 23 years old, has not been able to utter a word since he started to sing his second song on his first appearance as a professional in the Boston amusement house last Monday. A doctor who has twice examined him at the home of his father says that he can find nothing at all wrong with his vocal chords and believes the patient could speak if he would.

Washington, July 20.—The failure of Herbert Latham to cross the English channel yesterday, brought forth expressions of confidence from the Wright brothers that their machine could make a successful flight across that body of water.

"Have you any ambition to cross the English channel?" Wilbur Wright was asked.
"No," he replied. "If I had I should have done it long ago."
Mr. Wright said the motor of Latham's aeroplane had rarely been known to run satisfactorily for more than five minutes at a time.

Boston, Mass., July 19.—Luther Burbank, the "wizard of the plant world," has been informed that his last creation, "the wonderberry," or "sunberry," is declared a failure. Many amateur gardeners have tried to cultivate the "wonderberry" without much success in this vicinity. Yesterday Mr. Burbank's berry was labeled "worthless" by the judges of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society. The berry plant, which had been expected to prove a rival to the blueberry, displayed at the sweet pea exhibition at Horticultural Hall and attracted much attention. Under the name given it by Mr. Burbank, the "sunberry," or its commercial title, "wonderberry," the plant has become widely known throughout horticultural circles.
San Antonio, July 20.—San Antonio has a laugh on the Pilgrim land. J. M. Vance of this city has met with great success in raising the succulent wonder berry. To prove that Texas can grow better than Massachusetts of everything except Mayflower descendants, Mr. Vance has a branch loaded with wonder berries on exhibition at the Light and Gazette office.

W. A. Fawcett & Co.,
Home Outfitters.

FURNITURE, STOVES and HOUSEHOLD GOODS.
BEST QUALITY.
LOWEST PRICES.

Trunks and Valises. - - - Mattings and Linoleums.

Remarkable Bat Cave.

In a mountain near Montalban, Luzon, there is a large cavern, with many branching chambers, and a central dome 200 feet in height, perforating the mountaintop, from which, in December, 1907, Mr. Hugh H. Smith saw issue a solid column of bats, which flew rapidly in a straight line, for 15 minutes, disappearing over a mountain range in the direction of Manila, with a single bat having left the column. American engineers stationed there told Mr. Smith that the flight of bats had occurred, at practically the same time each day, during two years. From other sources it was learned that the phenomenon had been observed for at least 30 years.—Youth's Companion.

Disease Carried by the Fly.

Asiatic cholera, so fearful in its ravages, is among the fly's specialties; tuberculosis is another; every disease which begins or ends or endures in filth is his ally; and it has even been demonstrated that the fly carries and deposits, in active and virulent condition, the bacillus of the scourge before which the white man quails in sick and terrified loathing—leprosy.

A Hopeless Case.

"Why don't you revoke your titled son-in-law for his reckless expenditures?" "Because," answered Mr. Comrox, "it's had enough to see him wasting my money without wasting my time."

Stranded.

"For goodness sake, Harriet, why so sad?" "The cook's left, but that is not the worst of it! she took with her the recipe book for all the things John's mother used to make."

Everything Originates in the Mind.

Genius believes its faintest presentiment against the testimony of all history, for it knows that facts are not ultimates, but that a state of mind is the ancestor of everything.—Emerson

Really a Waste of Time.

"One of the reasons why it's silly to cry over spilt milk," says the Philosopher of Folly, "is that it has probably been watered sufficiently by the milkman already."

Effective Persuasion.

"De world sho' owes you a livin,' son," said Uncle Eben; "but de chances is dat it ain't g'inter pay up 'less'n you gives it an argument wif a ax or a whitewash brush."

All Can Be Helpers.

It is never true that we are not helpers; where the fervent heart is, there is the servant of God, and unto Him comes ever with work the reward.—Robert Collyer.

Woman Suffrage.

Gladys—"So you've sent Herbert about his business, have you?" Maybelle—"Yes. But I have since used the—er—recall on him."

Wise Law in the Netherlands.

All employes in the Netherlands who are boarding with their employers are entitled to medical treatment for at least six weeks.

Human Life.

Human life is everywhere a state in which much is to be endured, and little to be enjoyed.—Johnson.

Solitude.

Woe unto him that is never alone, and cannot bear to be alone.—Hamerton.

And in Moderation.

Language is a wonderful and often a dangerous thing, and should be handled with discretion.—Exchange.

Always Plain to Others.

It never takes other people long to find out when a man is fooling himself.

BEITEL LUMBER CO.

H. V. SCHOLL, MANAGER.

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T. P. JUNKIN, PRES., BROWNWOOD, TEXAS

The Proper Question.

The man with the glassy eye and preternaturally solemn demeanor put down a sovereign at the booking office at Charing Cross, and demanded "a ticket." "What station?" snapped the booking clerk. The would-be traveler stammered himself. "What stations have you?" he asked with quiet dignity.—London Globe.

Twenty-Five Cents is the Price of Peace.

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price, 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy—the Best and Surest.

It affords me pleasure to state that I consider the preparation known as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, the best and surest of good results of any I have ever used in my family," says P. E. Herrington, of Mount Aerial, Ky. This is the universal verdict of all who use this remedy. Its cures are so prompt and effectual that people take pleasure in recommending it. For sale by all druggists.

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Agency at Kerrville for Kerr County

BUICK Autos Climb Hills. They afford the maximum of pleasure and the minimum of expense. They do any useful thing that a horse can do--and one very valuable thing that a horse can't do--that is, they don't eat when not at work.

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Buy and Sell All Kinds of Feed - Free Camp Yard.
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CONTAINS HOPS AND MALT AND PURE, ARTESIAN
WATER--IT IS A HEALTHFUL AND INVIGORATING
BEVERAGE--A TISSUE BUILDER AND STRENGTH
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He Got the Candy.

A country doctor who took his two small children, a boy and a girl, around with him one day on his visits, had forbidden them to accept candy, pennies, or other offerings where he visited. One day, while looking after the wife of his grocer, he left the two children in the store. The grocer made up a bag of candies and cakes and offered it to the children. The little girl declined, saying: "Papa has told us not to accept presents." As the grocer was putting the bag back on the counter, the boy, who had been regretfully eyeing the retreating bag, said: "Papa said we mustn't take them, but he didn't say I mustn't let you put them in my coat pocket."

Something Missed.

"A rich man misses much." "You're right," declared Paw Hoptoad. "I missed a good dog fight in the hotel lobby yesterday. Thought it was the orchestra playing something from a grand opary."—Kansas City Journal.

The City Tin Shop

CHAS. MOSEL, Prop.

Roofing, Plumbing
and Repairing
PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO
Job Work Done on Short Notice

We carry in stock a supply of
Bath Tubs, Lavatories, etc.
KERRVILLE, TEXAS.

Beats the Dutch?

NO NOTHING BEATS

the Dutch Collars
and Jabots. Also
a fancy line of ladies' ties.

Chas. Schreiner Co.

APPLICATION FOR RESIGNATION AS GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE
OF KERR COUNTY, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once a week for three successive weeks in some newspaper in Kerr County, the following notice.

The State of Texas, to all persons interested in the welfare of Albert Lock, Golda Lock, Lonnie Lock, Levi Lock, Ellen Lock and Lelia Lock, minors, A. C. Joy, guardian of the said minors has filed in the County Court of Kerr County, Texas, his application for leave to resign from said guardianship and has accompanied same by an account for final settlement thereof, which will be heard by our said County Court on the first Monday in August, A. D., 1909, the same being the second day of August, A. D., 1909, at the court house of said county in Kerrville, at which time all persons interested in said minors may appear and contest said account, if they see proper.

Herein Fail Not, but of this writ make due return, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, A. H. Moore, Clerk of the County Court of Kerr County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this 8th day of July, A. D., 1909.

A. H. MOORE,
Clerk County Court,
Kerr Co., Texas.

[SEAL] By J. R. LEAVELL, Deputy.

THE ST. CHARLES HOTEL

GEO. MORRIS, Prop.

Positively no regular Boarders taken without a Certificate from a Doctor stating that they have no Tuberculosis.

RATE: \$2.00 A DAY

Come to the mountains and spend a pleasant month during summer
WATER STREET - Kerrville.

Unrailing.

To Mark Table Linen.—Leave the baby and some jam alone at the table for five minutes.—Judge.

In the Future.

"How airy that military officer is!" "He can't help it; he's in the balloon corps."

For Sale.

Two good, gentle buggy or work horses. Also one gentle buggy mare. Phone 109. M. G. LOWRY.

For Rent.

Office or bed rooms in the Lowry building. Phone 109, or apply to W. Watson, over store. M. G. LOWRY.

WANTED—Horses to pasture, 50¢ per head per month.

J. B. HYDE,
Kerrville, Texas.

Wanted.

A girl to do house work for small family. Address Box 43, Kerrville, Texas.

For Sale.

Eight room residence in good neighborhood, Kerrville. Excellent cistern, barn and outbuildings. Apply at this office.

Will Pasture Stock.

I will pasture a limited number of horses or cattle. Good grass; plenty of water. "MY RANCH,"
Kerrville, Texas.

Warning Notice.

Any person found bathing in the Guadalupe river, along the river front on my property, without bathing suits, will be prosecuted. A. B. DAVIS,
"My Ranch."

Bulls for Sale.

A few high-grade 3-year-old Hereford bulls and two full-blood Hereford bulls for sale at low figures. Also have one full-blooded Jersey bull, which I will sell for \$15. ARTHUR REAL,
31-5 Turtle Creek.

Strayed.

39 goats, nannies and kids, mark crop the right and overslope and underbit the left ear. Supposed to be in the Turtle creek country. Take them up and phone 109 at my expense. Will call at once and get them and pay charges. M. G. LOWRY.

Notice to Trespassers.

Notice is hereby given that any person dumping trash, old cans and other refuse on my lots at the mouth of town creek, known as the Pecan grove, will be prosecuted for trespassing. CHAS SCHREINER.
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J. M. HANKINS,

201 W. Houston Street,
San Antonio, Texas.
Real Estate Sold and Exchanged
Mountain Farms and Ranches
a Specialty.

NOTICE.

I will prosecute anyone hunting with dogs or gun in the Reservoir pasture, North of town.

Chas. Schreiner.

Notice to Water Users.

Owing to the low stage of water in the river, we are compelled to ask our customers to stop using water on lawns and gardens.

Kerrville Water Works Co.

RESTAURANT

SAM JAMES, Prop.

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In E. Schwethelm & Co's
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Short Order, Hot Lunch
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Canned Goods

We show the best general stock in this line to be found in Kerrville. Goods are all high quality and fresh. We mention

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CODFISH SHRIMP
LOBSTER CRAB
CLAMS

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Phone 72

Mrs. G. G. BUTT

Phone 72

Good Poems for Poetry Lovers

IN CHICAGO.

He met her at the quick-lunch place
Where they were eating pie at noon.
Said he: "Let's hurry up and wed—
I've got to scoot to work right soon!"

They hustled off to find a judge,
By TWELVE-FIFTEEN—ah see
them spoon!

They're married now and have 'til ONE
To go upon their honeymoon!
—Exchange.

TRUE SUCCESS

In the mill where men are ground
You have turned yourself a name;
With the many, fortune bound,
You have won success and fame.
All that growing wealth insures,
All that fame can give is yours!

You have seen your dreams come true—
Gilded castles pierce the sky
To the azure realms of blue
Where the celestial glories lie.

You have won a queenly mate
And have hob-nobbed with the great!
But, withal your lordly crew,
All your worldly fame and lore,
Have you won the joy you knew
In the barefooted days of yore?

Have you felt the perfect joy
Of a tangle-headed boy?
In your victories, forsooth,
Has there come that timbling thrill
Felt, while in the days of youth,
You went fishing at the mill
And came home at night, by jing,
With six shiners on your string?
—Uncle By.

SWEETHEARTS.

The English maid is charming, and
proper as can be;
She knows the art of loving, and firm
her constancy!

The Scottish lass is cheery and bright
blue is her eye—
Through many lands her lovers have
sung her loyalty.

Ah, Franlein of the Danube, her cheeks
are like the peach,
That draws the sunlight blushes where
Autumn azures reach.

And Mademoiselle from Paris, of gay
and piquant style,
is grace and art in motion, entrancing
as her smile.

The Spanish Senorita—of her the poet
sings;
The dreamy eyes, the raven hair, the
throbbing heart that clings!

The colleen, blue-eyed, witty, the boast
of Emerald Isle,
is all the world to Irish lads who bow
before her smile.

But give to me the sweetheart, of all
the gems the pearl,
The pretty, brave, vivacious miss—the
charming U. S. girl!
—Byron Williams.

THE OWL.

A wise old bird is the "who-who" owl,
Around all night on an awful spree!
But what he tells to his waiting wife
Is more than I can pretend to see!

As soon as darkness is on the land
He hies away over the wookland flat—
But what says he to his angry spouse
When he comes home from an all
night bat?

Oh, what says he when she pins him
down
And wants to know where he spent
the night?

He must lie well, for when darkness
falls,
He is off again in the fading light!

He must be smooth with the line of
"con"
He tells each morn with the liltin
lark,

And wise—as wise as Methuselah—
Or Mrs. Owl is an easy mark!

I wish I knew half the tales he tells
And how to hand out the dope just
right!

I'd like to take about one short term
Of school from him on some moon-
light night!

—Western Publisher.

Try This One

W. H. Rawson

For summer use nothing
equals a good toilet powder
for positive protection
from tan or freckles.
If you want the best let
us advise you which to
use.

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE

LEADERS IN LOW PRICES.

Dry Goods and Clothing

Cheapest is never best in anything. Our goods in this department are bought with an eye to service. The dry goods are the best and most stylish fabrics in the market.

Our clothing department is in charge of an expert tailor and we guarantee "better service for the money."

Groceries and Hardware

Groceries are always sold very close. The larger the bill the merchants buys the closer he gets the goods. The bigger the shipment the lower the freight. We buy in car lots and our customers get the benefit.

Our hardware department is always up-to-date

Vehicles and Machinery

We are handling Springfield and Studebaker wagons and vehicles; Aermotor and Samson windmills; Collins' pumpjacks; Moline disc plows and Deering binders and mowers.

Windmill and machine repairs, pumps, piping, etc.

Pasteur's Vaccine for Blackleg Always in Stock.

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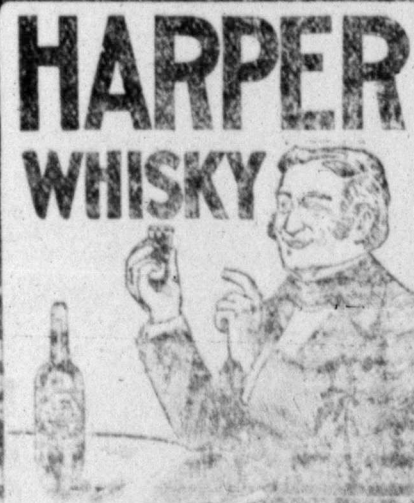
Even if they are not very fine give one a look of respectability. When we do your laundry work it is done right. If we could not do the best class of work we would not do any.

Our Big Basket

Leaves Kerrville every week on Tuesday and returns Friday. Your laundry will be called for and delivered free. Have your laundry ready by Monday evening.

Paul Steam Laundry

HERBERT RAWSON, Agt.
PHONE 37. KERRVILLE



Good Health, Fine Digestion, Strong Nerves, and Hearty Good Humor come from the moderate use of HARPER Whisky.

Buy HARPER from
M. F. Weston & Co.

Just received a new line of high grade cameras, and amateur finishing supplies, call and see what I have.

Mrs. O'NEAL.

Kerrville Wools Bring Fancy Prices.

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edge of the sheep industry in all its branches, and the most careful business methods have made this possible.

In regard to prospects for fall wools, Capt. Schreiner, who owns large flock interests himself, and is in touch with flockmasters throughout the southwest, said:

"Sheep interests promise very well indeed at this time. Animals are in excellent condition, notwithstanding

the recent severe drought, and now that abundant rains have fallen the range will be like spring again. Grass will have plenty of time to mature before frost comes and the outlook is in every way propitious. We expect a good fall clip, and there is no indication of a fall ing off in the market."

On the continent the acknowledged leaders are the nobility. In Washington it's a tie between ability and pliability.

Sea Wall Saves Galveston.

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life-saving crew.

A dredge was driven into the bay bridge doing same damage to the structure, delaying traffic.

It is reported no train will be able to cross the bay tonight. The wrecked span is being repaired.

Fears are entertained for the coast west of Galveston, as the sea was far more furious than the velocity of the wind, which leads the observer here to believe Galveston had not received the full force of the blow.

The loss of the two big bath houses, the Murdock and Breakers, is complete. Both buildings were picked up bodily by the sea and shattered to pieces on the top of the sea wall. The Surf bath house was damaged 20 per cent. The new \$15,000 fishing pier extending far out into the surf was destroyed. The total damage is estimated at \$100,000.

The fact that Galveston has this day passed through a hurricane without a life being lost has caused general rejoicing and the fact is established to the world that the sea wall and the grade has made it absolutely safe to live on the inland. No damage of any consequence occurred inside the sea wall.

FROM MORRIS RASCH.

Wm. Roeder, Sr., made a business trip to Kerrville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Toepferwein and little son, Leo, who had been visiting Mrs. Toepferwein's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roeder, returned to their home in San Antonio last week.

Miss Natalie Roeder gave an ice cream supper Thursday, in honor of her sister, Miss Sophie Roeder, of San Antonio, who will spend some weeks with her parents.

At a dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roeder last Sunday, the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Toepferwein, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wunderlick, Mr. and Mrs. John Staudt, Mrs. Elmer Ruff, Misses Nathalia, Sophie and Augusta Roeder, Anna Wundeslick, Edna and Cora Ruff, Messrs. Gus, Emil, Willie and Robert Roeder and Richard Staudt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Starabe.

Under the Hammer

For two weeks we are going to give big discounts on all our line of Summer Dress Goods.

R. S. NEWMAN

And say—
Don't forget we always have a fine line of pure, fresh groceries.

Phone 124

Notice.

After the 1st of August the law does not permit the transfer of children, within the scholastic age, from one school district to another. Those intending to transfer should attend to it before the time is up.

Respectfully,
LEE WALLACE,
County Judge.

Kerrville, July 22, 1909.

Sheep for Sale.

250 good Merino ewes in fine condition, for sale at a bargain price. Write to J. A. Black, Montell, Valde county, Texas.

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