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Enemy of the Boll Weevil.

Brenham, Tex., Sept. 4.—Mr. W. C. Lipscomb, of William Penn, a successful cotton planter, who has been fighting the boll weevil with every known remedy since they first made their appearance in this county, and who has made a special study of the predatory pests, believes he has found the solution of the problem that has been sought by the best talent of the cotton belt, assisted by the United States government. Early in May, when the weevil first appeared, he noticed a few little red looking flying bugs that somewhat resemble the small red ant, but which has wings and is very swift on them. He commenced studying their habits, as he was hoping to find some enemy of the boll weevil. He says that these little flying bugs, which have a very sharp nose, go into the cotton squares and deposit their larva on the boll weevil larva, and that they propagate faster than the boll weevil, and when they hatch out a worm it subsists on the boll weevil larva. That after they have fully developed the worm webs up in the cotton square and develops into another fly, and that the time required for them to reach perfection is only eleven days. He thinks that inasmuch as they develop so much faster than the boll weevil and are so much more active, that they will eventually destroy the boll weevil. Some of the most learned entomologists have advanced the theory that the solution of the problem was to find some natural enemy of the boll weevil, and Mr. Lipscomb has made the discovery, he believes. He suggests that when the farmers pick up their dead squares that have been punctured by the boll weevils that they be saved in a box covered over, so that the fly can develop and get out, as it will do much sooner than the boll weevil, even if all the boll weevils have not been destroyed in their embryo state. He brought quite a number of these flies to town with him and was showing them to some of the cotton planters. He says that they are getting so plentiful in the cotton fields now that anybody can find them with very little trouble and verify all that he has said about their habits, which he has been studying and experimenting with since May.

Dies in Wife's Presence.

Sherman, Tex., Sept. 8.—Chas. Brunner, aged 39 years, committed suicide at the Central Hotel, near the Union Depot this afternoon. He and his wife were in the room together, and her statement is:

"We were standing at the window watching the train. Suddenly my husband threw up his hands and sank upon the bed and said 'Good bye.' I tried to get him to speak but he could not. My husband was a contractor and bricklayer. I did not see him take the morphine and did not know that he had done so until he sank upon the bed. He came to Sherman Saturday. My husband was accustomed to drink rather heavily and I left him and came here to work, hoping that he would reform. He has drank little since he came. My husband's sole surviving relative, as far as I know, is a sister who lives in Illinois."

The physician said that Bruner was dead within forty minutes after the drug was taken. All efforts to save his life were without result.

Suicide of a Rich Farmer.

Beeville, Tex., Sept. 9.—J. W. Copeland, a well-known and wealthy stock farmer, living near Pettus, in this county, committed suicide about daylight this morning by shooting himself in the head with a sixshooter. Mr. Copeland attended district court here yesterday as a witness in the case against Will H. Smith, having lost about \$2,000 on Smith's forgeries last fall. Despondency on account of a supposed cancer on his face and general melancholia are supposed to have been the cause of his act.

He was one of the most substantial citizens of Bee county and his tragic death is deeply deplored by a large circle of friends. The deed was committed on the gallery of

his residence about daylight this morning. He was 54 years of age and leaves a large family. His funeral will take place here tomorrow, and will be conducted by the local lodge of Masons.

Shoots At Man, Hits Child.

Brady, Tex., Sept. 9.—Near Voça on Friday night two families of cotton pickers of names of McDonald and Crouch respectively, while camped on the farm of W. S. Allen, became involved in a quarrel and McDonald while shooting at Crouch shot through a wagon, where Crouch's children were sleeping, fatally wounding an 8-year-old boy, who died today, and wounding through the leg another younger child. The officers were notified and are now in pursuit of McDonald.

A Colored Deputy Marshal.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 7.—Captain W. H. Hanson, United States Marshal for the Southern District of Texas announced the appointment of R. L. Hoffman, a prominent colored Republican, of this state to the position of office Deputy United States Marshal with headquarters at Galveston. He is secretary of the Republican State Executive Committee and has for several years served as private secretary to C. M. Ferguson, one of the leading colored Republicans of Texas. It was learned that this appointment is made upon the indorsement of a number of leading colored Republicans of the state, and is considered to be a reward for the splendid assistance given Captain Hanson by Ferguson and his many friends in securing his present position.

Mourned as Dead, but Lived.

Monterey, Mex., Sept. 7.—A young man named C. H. McMullen came to Monterey about a year ago and procured employment at the Botica Lion, one of the largest drug stores in the city. He was faithful, steady and attentive to his duties from the start and was liked by his employer and associates. Some time ago Fletcher C. Campbell came here from Virginia to take charge of the Laureous Institute, and entered the Botica Lion recognizing McMullen as a young man from his own home whose family and friends mourned as dead since his disappearance over a year ago. The last seen of Mr. McMullen in Virginia was while going in the direction of the river for the purpose of fishing, it was supposed, and as he did not return it was believed that he was drowned. The river was thoroughly dragged for his body without result. Still he was mourned as dead and no one believed otherwise until Mr. Campbell discovered him as stated. About two hours after Mr. Campbell left the store Mr. McMullen wrote a note to the proprietor, telling him he was going to the United States. He then put on his hat and left and has not been seen since. Nothing is known against him in Virginia.

Murdered Employer.

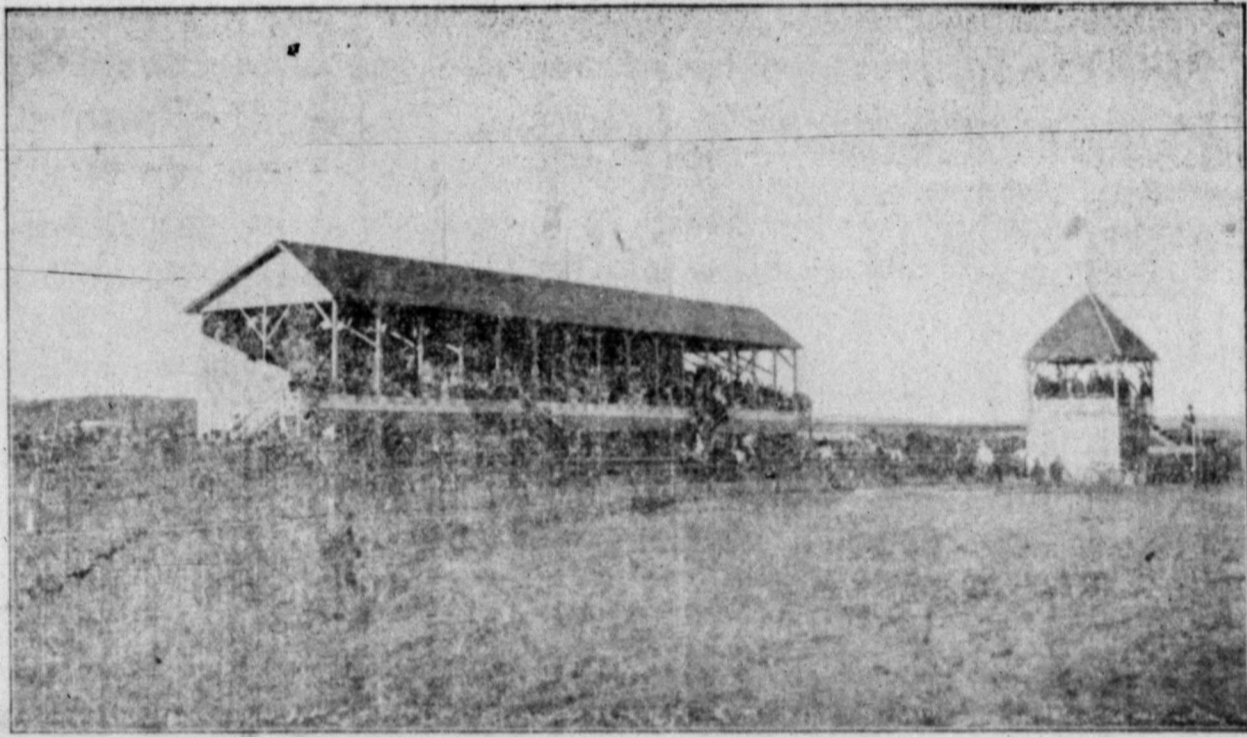
Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 7.—Thomas Burke lies dead at his home, 841 Mulberry street, with his head almost completely severed from his body, while his wife is in a dangerous condition from either knife or razor wounds inflicted by Matthew Alexander, a negro who has been employed around the house for the past five years.

Alexander entered the room in which Mrs. Burke was sleeping with her 13-year-old daughter at midnight while her husband lay asleep on a couch in the other end of the room. Mrs. Burke was awakened by feeling the keen edge of a sharp instrument drawn across her cheek, and her husband, Burke, rushed to the rescue of his wife, but he was only partially awake when slashed across the neck and face by the negro. When Burke fell dying upon the floor the negro rushed out of a side door, but attempted to re-enter the room after the door was bolted by Mrs. Burke. Burke died almost instantly. His wife held his head sobbing and moaning as the blood dropped from her face on that of her husband. No cause is known for the tragedy. The negro has not been captured, but many men are seen upon the streets near police headquarters and jail threatening to lynch him.

Woman Rout a Robber.

Beaumont, Tex., Sept. 8.—Miss Lena P. Dugat, a member of one of the best families in South Texas, had a hand to hand battle with a negro highwayman last night and after disarming him of his revolver fought him until he was ready to run, leaving his coat and pistol in her possession.

Miss Dugat was going home when the negro ran up behind her and pointed his revolver at her head ordered her to halt. She began to fight him, wresting the pistol from his hand and attempted to strike him with it. The pistol, however, slipped from her and fell some distance away. Miss Dugat grasped the negro's coat collar and held to it tightly while she pounded him with all her strength the negro fighting back. Finally the negro squirmed out of his coat and ran, getting out of pistol shot before Miss Dugat could recover the revolver.



VIEW OF GRANDSTAND AND JUDGES STAND AT KERRVILLE PARK.

Grand Race Meet, Two Days, Friday and Saturday, October 10 and 11, 1902. The Best Standard Half-mile track in Texas. Grand Balloon Ascension Each Day. Big Program of Special Amusements. Good Music. Catalogue will be Out Next Week. May be Had for the Asking. Apply to Chas. Real, Secretary.

Charged With Bigamy.

A man who is alleged to be a citizen of San Antonio was jailed at Smithville Monday on information from City Detective Womack, who will go to Smithville to-day to bring him here to answer the charge of bigamy. This man has only two wives, both living in this city. One was wedded in Portland, Ore., in 1892, and the other in this city seven days ago. The last wife had known the man since February and the existence of the first one never came to her knowledge until Sunday night.

About a month ago the man went to North Texas where he held a good position, keeping a correspondence with both women. On September 2 he returned to San Antonio, having stopped off at Austin and secured a marriage license and wedded wife number two.

He stayed with her a day and then went back to North Texas with the promise of sending for her.

All went well until Saturday when the delivery of a box of groceries to wife number one started trouble. The groceries had not been ordered and were rejected, but the delivery boy returned, insisting that she had bought and paid for them. A suspicion entered her mind and the

matter was placed in the hands of Detective Womack and Bethel. They soon found the second wife and the minister who married the couple. A picture of her husband in the hands of wife number one was identified by wife number two as the likeness of her own husband. The man married both wives under the same name.

In the meantime the recent husband was located at Smithville. He was there awaiting the arrival of passes for himself, wife and child to Kansas City. The authorities at Smithville were immediately notified and the man was placed under arrest.—San Antonio Express.

Boy Bitten by Rattler.

Goldswaite, Tex., Sept. 7.—While John Keese and family were enjoying an outing on Naber's creek to-day their 6-year-old boy was badly bitten on the foot by a rattlesnake. Mr. Keese killed the snake, corded the child's leg in several places and put strips of the snake's flesh on the wound. He says that the snake's flesh adhered to the wound several times until each piece would change to a green color and then drop off. The child seems to be free from pain and the family physician anticipates no serious results.

Fraud at Houston.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 9.—The disappearance and resignation of S. H. Trasey, secretary and member of the school board, as announced in to-day's Express, resulted in bringing to light a number of fraudulent school warrants. It is not known yet what the total amount is and it will not be known until the expert accountants now examining the city books finish their work, but it is believed to be about 18 thousand dollars. But for the fact that the city books were being audited, it is doubtful whether the frauds would have come to light at this time. They extend over a period of several months. Some of the warrants are pronounced forgeries and others are duly signed by the president of the school board under misapprehension. It will require expert examination to ascertain which signatures are forgeries and which are genuine. Outstanding fraudulent warrants, of course, will not be paid and the loss will be on the holders. Probably some of them have already been cashed and it remains to be seen whether the city can recover on those. Where the financial responsibility will be can not be determined, until the true and the false are identified.

You will find out all about the amusements in the Gnadalupe Valley Catalogue, page 29.

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Basket lunch at Walther's.
E. H. Turner visited in San Antonio Monday, returning Tuesday.
Soule Jackson made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.
Arthur Greer, of the Divide, was in town this week.
Capt. J. O. McNeely, of Ingram, was in Kerrville, Monday.
Felix Harris, of Junction, was in Kerrville, Thursday.
Mr. Contret and family left Monday for his farm near Runge, where they will reside in the future.
Mrs. Austin and daughter, Miss Annette, of Galveston, are stopping at the St. Charles.
District Attorney J. W. Baker was on our streets, Thursday, shaking hands with friends.
The Kerrville Public Schools, opened on September 1, with a full attendance.
Ed Gerdes, proprietor of the Gerdes Hotel, made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.
Don't forget. Night service commences at 8 o'clock hereafter at the Baptist church.
S. H. Oatman, a farmer from Verde Creek, was on our streets the first of the week.
J. T. Hull, a ranchman of the Divide, was in Kerrville this week loading supplies at Chas. Schreiner Co.
Mr. J. B. Mosby, owner of the Tivy House, is overhauling, painting and papering the building, and intends to open up a first-class hotel about October 15.
Married at the Methodist Church in this city, Thursday, September 11, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., Mr. Geo. Schladoer and Miss Emma Merts, of Comfort, E. H. Turner officiating.

Henry Cravey, left the first of the week for Portland, Oregon.
Chas. Real, our genial postmaster, spent the week in San Antonio.
Rev. Campbell left Monday for Walder, Tex., to visit friends, he will return next Wednesday.
Mack Coopender has sold his residence to Sid Peterson, and has moved back to Bandera county.
Everything usually kept at a first-class drug store can be found at Rawsons.
Dr. E. Galbraith leaves for Ricksprings on Monday, and will not return before October 1st.
C. P. Bacon, a prosperous ranchman, of Town Creek, left a week ago for California, where he intends to spend several weeks.
The Kerrville Concordia attend in a body the Saengerfest at Boerne last Sunday, and report having a good time.
Hello! Here we are again. It's frying chickens you want, is it? We also have everything else you want. Phone No. 33. W. Noll.
W. J. McDoniel left Monday for Beeville, where he has secured a position with the S. A. & A. P. Railway Co.
The Magazine Club held its first meeting of the season at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Carpenter last Saturday night, September 6. A good attendance was secured and a most enjoyable evening passed rapidly away. The club adjourned to meet Friday at the Rectory.
Sheep for Sale.
I have for sale 340 grown sheep and 60 lambs, all in good condition. Call on or address
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Throat Was Cut.
Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 7.—James H. See was murdered to-day by persons unknown a few hundred yards from town in a thicket. His cries of murder called the attention of negroes passing, who, going in search, soon found him gasping his last with his throat cut from ear to ear. He had run 100 yards to where he was found. He is a white man and leaves a family of seven. He was a transient cotton picker, having come here from Waco, Fort Worth and Dallas and having once owned a home in Menard county, Texas, near Mason.
Ice Cream and Ice Cream Soda at Pampell's.
Old Soldier Mangled.
Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 9.—Sam J. Darcey, aged 65 years, an old Confederate soldier, was run over by a couple of Katy cars that had been kicked back on a switch at Seventeenth street crossing tonight. The body was badly mangled. He was killed almost instantly. Deceased was a member of the thirty-second Texas Infantry, Army of Tennessee and enlisted from Fort Worth in 1861.
Anybody living in or above Kerrville, and wishing a catalogue from the Guadalupe Valley Fair, call on Chas. Real, Kerrville.
Just so High.
The editor of the Monitor, who perhaps ought to know, says: "An anxious girl reader asks what is the proper height for a lady to raise her skirts on a muddy day? While our authority to answer the question correctly may be questioned, we would say that modest young ladies raise their skirts possibly 3 inches over 2 feet—not more than that."—Green Bay (Wis.) Review.

Jury List.
The following is the list of jurors for the October 1902 term of district court:
GRAND JURY.
W. W. Allen, S. H. Oatman,
Fred Allerkanp, Arthur Real,
A. Brauetigam, Wm. Burney,
Neal Coldwell, J. M. Webb,
Robt. Saner, Frank Jeffries,
Hugo Wiedenfeld, F. A. Karger,
D. R. Watson, Chas. Graham,
J. L. McElroy, T. Lane.
PETIT JURY—FIRST WEEK.
G. D. Anderson, J. B. Locke,
E. E. Bushong, J. S. Brown,
B. C. Richards, M. V. Vaughn,
A. J. Norwood, J. R. Mayhugh,
F. Volmering, D. W. Barber,
Shell Lowrance, Guy Burney,
O. Rosenthal, A. B. Surber,
W. A. Calloway, Chas. Weston,
A. W. McKillip, F. F. Cocke,
W. G. Carpenter, I. Priour,
J. D. Coleman, F. D. Klein,
John Subban, J. C. Raiford,
A. G. Morriss, J. M. Bruff,
Sid C. Peterson, L. Lich,
C. Schumacher, W. J. Moore,
S. M. Skinner, Geo. Baldwin,
W. H. Rishworth, J. B. Rees,
Bruno Schwethelm, J. J. Denton.
PETIT JURORS—SECOND WEEK.
T. F. W. Diert, N. Herzog,
T. H. McFadin, J. W. Burney,
J. O. McNeely, J. H. Colbath,
J. T. S. Gammon, Jas. Crotty,
D. H. Compartment, B. F. Nowlin,
H. Nurenberg, Robt. Ochse,
F. H. Muller, S. Ridgway,
Joe Schaeffer, Lee Mason,
Jno. A. McBride, Otto Lich,
Ed Corkill, F. C. Nelson,
Chas. Mosel, Ed. Talley,
L. A. Leinweber, J. T. Clark,
W. W. Dollahite, H. Lich,
D. W. Epperson, A. Enderle,
F. L. Conn, Ed Gerdes,
B. V. Williford, Chas. Price,
W. H. Bonnell, A. E. Burge,
J. M. Hankins, W. D. Burney.

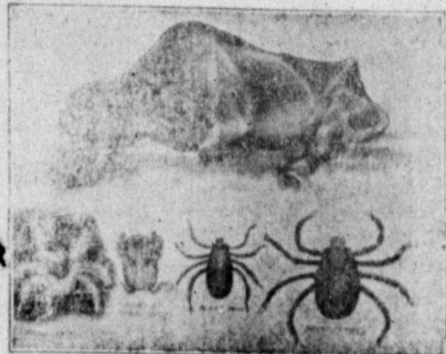
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These tickets give stop-overs at California points, and offer a splendid means of making a trip to California at lower rates than ever. Consult your local ticket agent or write for literature and other information.
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T. J. ANDERSON, A. G. P. A.
Houston, Texas.
Aged Newspaper Man Gone.
San Antonio—S. W. Smith, aged 82 years, one of the oldest, if not the oldest editor in Texas, died at his home in this city of heart disease while eating breakfast Wednesday morning. He was the founder of the Gonzales Inquirer in 1853, and was with that paper twenty-five years. Prior to his coming to Texas he was editor of a paper in Natchez, Miss. His last newspaper work was on the Kerrville News, which he founded. He retired from active work in 1894.
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Financier Bears a Grudge.

Jacob H. Schiff, the banker, has asked to have a new box assigned to him at the Metropolitan opera house, New York. He did this after inquiring whether box No. 51, his old one, was to have the same neighbors it had last season and receiving an affirmative answer. The neighbors were Senator William A. Clark on one side and David Lamar on the other. Those who claim to know a great deal say that Lamar forced the banker's firm of which Mr. Schiff is a member to pay \$200,000 more than they had planned to pay in a Union Pacific deal, and that on other occasions he has had expensive differences with Kulin, Loeb & Co. One hates to sit too near to a person who has cost one \$200,000. It takes away the flavor of the choicest music.

His Grandchildren's Guardian.

It is not generally known that on ascending the throne King Edward became guardian of his grandchildren, the parents' rights being superseded. This arrangement was established by law nearly 200 years ago and the right was frequently exercised by the Georges, who had a way of quarreling with their sons. No member of the royal family may marry without the king's consent; otherwise the marriage is void. The act governing this matter was passed at the instigation of George III. in consequence of his brothers marrying subjects.

Coquelin a Rich Actor.

M. Coquelin, the elder, is one of the few actors on the Paris stage who has made a fortune. Through his efforts a home of retreat for veterans of the French stage is being established. A fine property has been bought near Meaux, in the department of Seine-et-Marne, a few hours from Paris. Here a large house will be erected, giving quarters to sixty old comedians who are drawing the pensions of the Society of Dramatic Artists, of which M. Coquelin is the president.

Knox on a Cabinet Job.

Attorney General Knox is credited with a desire to leave the cabinet. He said to a friend at Atlantic City the other day: "I left a law practice of \$70,000 a year in Pittsburgh to come to Washington to take a cabinet place that pays me \$8,000 a year. In Pittsburgh I had my city house and a little place out in the country where I used to go and romp. In Washington I have just one place, and to get out of doors and have some fun I come to Atlantic City, where I pay \$72 a day for the board of myself and my family. Oh, I am getting rich at it. The joy of being in the cabinet is wonderful."

Saw Victoria Crowned.

William Lovett, of Peru, Ind., says he is the only man in the Hoosier state who was present in London at the coronation of Queen Victoria, June 28, 1838. He walked 152 miles to witness London's greatest spectacular event, and, although now past 90 years old, he can relate much of the details preceding the coronation ceremonies. He was seven years the senior of Victoria. He served four years in an Indiana regiment during the American civil war.

One Prayer Always Answered.

Stories of Mr. Balfour are not numerous, but here is one of them. At a dinner in life of self-confidence. The Scotch saying was repeated, "God gie us a guid conceit of ourselves," Balfour said, "And that, sir, is the only prayer the gods always answer."

Better Pay for Scholars.

Professor Hugo Muensterberg, the seismic essayist, recently urged that in the interests of scholarship the present democratic custom of paying the professor of a given college nearly equal salaries should be given up and great prizes offered to eminent men as an incentive to research. He suggested \$10,000, even \$20,000, as suitable salaries for eachers of distinction.

A "European" Hotel.

The following are said to be the rules and regulations posted in a European hotel in Bloomington, Ill.:

Board, 50 cents per square foot; meals extra; breakfast at 6, supper at 7.

Guests are requested not to speak to the dumbwaiter; guests wishing to get up without being called can have self-rising flour for lunch.

Not responsible for diamonds, bicycles and other valuables kept on the counter; they should be kept under the safe.

The office is convenient to all connections; horses to hire, 25 cents a day.

Guests wishing to do a little driving will find hammer and nails in the closet.

If the room gets too warm open the window and see the fire escape.

If you are fond of athletics and like good jumping, lift the mattress and see the bed spring.

Baseballists desiring a little practice will find a pitcher on the stand.

If the lights go out take a soda—that is light enough for any man.

Any one troubled with nightmare will find a halter in the barn.

Don't worry about your paying your bill; the house is supported by its foundation.

Cheese Causes Cancer.

Recent investigations point to the conclusion that one of the causes of cancer is improper food and drink, says Leslie's Weekly. That cancer of the lips and mouth are caused by excessive smoking is now a fact established by the case of General Grant and others, and it has been intimated that cancer microbes have been found in certain vile smelling foreign cheeses, for which some fashionable people profess to have a great liking. So far as the malady is traceable to cause like these the remedy to be applied is simple and easy, viz., to smoke moderately, if at all, and to let all moldy and decayed articles of food alone, no matter if gourmets-pretend to like them.

Tolstoi's Debt.

Count Tolstoi in a letter to the Russian minister of the interior calls on Russia to punish him and not his disciples and defies the government by declaring that he will continue to write the books which the government regards as harmful. Tolstoi describes the persecution as incomprehensible, useless, cruel, and, above everything, unjust. He says: "I alone am the guilty one in connection with the matter, for I wrote books which propagate ideas which are regarded as a danger to the state. If the government considers it necessary to suppress by force that to which it objects, it should strike directly at the origin of the evil, that is, at me. I consider it my duty that you should punish me instead of those who accept my teachings, and I beg you to mitigate your severity." The authorities have decided, according to Vienna dispatches, to take no action against Count Tolstoi.

Big Haul of Salmon.

Probably one of the largest catches of salmon ever made at a single haul of a seine was made by Captain Tom Thompson of Miller's Sands, Wash., on the first haul in the morning of August 28 when he took nearly 1,000 large salmon. The catch weighed eight tons and was a sight never to be forgotten by those who were present. The company took eighteen tons of fish in five hauls of the seine that day, and could have made another haul, but they were uncertain about being able to dispose of the fish.

The Mountain Sun.

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For State Senator, 24th District:

MARSHALL HICKS.

For Representative, 98th District:

CHAS. MONTAGUE.

Baptist Young People's Union at the Baptist Church to-morrow afternoon.

PROGRAMME.

- Opening Hymn—Prayer.
- Reading—"Has't Thou Faith," by Miss Carrie Gray.
- Solo—Mrs. Pattie Hannis.
- Reading—"Wouldn't It Be Nice," by Ethel Williams.
- Hymn.
- Select Reading—Spiritual Education of Children, by Mrs. T. B. Peterson.
- Hymn.
- Recitation—"Sunshine," by Farrell Rawson.
- Prayer—By pastor, Fred S. Payne.

Burned To Death.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 7.—Mrs. Johanna Seibert, the wife of Mr. William Seibert died last evening at 7:30 o'clock, as the result of a kerosene oil can explosion.

During the afternoon the deceased was engaged in ironing, and tiring of her labor lay down to rest. When she arose a charcoal furnace, which was being used was filled with embers and there was apparently no fire. Mrs. Seibert poured some oil upon the furnace and applied a match. Instantly there was a flame, which like a demon rushed upon its fiendish way and entered the small receptacle of the can which its victim was still holding. Then there was a terrific explosion, jarring the windows out of the house, scattering fragments here and there and alarming the neighborhood. The dress of the lady was ignited and she was soon enveloped in the seething, relentless fire.

One of the children, a manly little fellow 5 years of age, witnessed the dreadful spectacle, and immediately rushed to the rescue, but his tender strength availed nothing toward subduing the fire. But his filial instinct taught him that mother was in peril and no selfish considerations deterred the little hero from risking his life all in order to alleviate the distress of his mother. Realizing the jeopardy in which the baby boy was about to place himself, the mother frantically waved him away. But the flames had already ignited the garments of the little boy and before they were extinguished, the little one had suffered severely from the burns.

Neighbors arrived upon the scene and tenderly bore the injured woman to her bed. Arrangements were made to carry her to the hospital, but this was abandoned, as the attending physician considered her condition too critical. Despite all of the expedients known to medical science, death finally relieved the sufferer. The little boy is considered out of danger.

Cane seed at Dietert Bros.

UVALDE, TEX., Sept. 9, 1902.

EDITOR SUN,

Kerrville, Texas.

DEAR SIR: In the last issue of the Bandera Enterprise I notice that Mr. W. E. Smith, of your county, candidate for District Attorney, made a statement in public that I, his opponent, had frequently urged him not to speak, and I wish to correct the same. In the early part of August I wrote Mr. Smith and told him if he would make appointment, I would meet him at any time or place in the District, and he cannot deny this. On August 25 I met Mr. Smith in Castroville, and invited him to meet me in joint discussion on the morning of the 26th at that place, which he refused to do. Then I invited him to meet me in joint debate at Medina City on August 29, and he replied, "he did not know for certain that he would be there."

On August 29 I met Mr. Smith at Medina City in Bandera county, and told him that I wanted to meet him there that day in joint discussion, which he refused to do unless I spoke first, and the truth of this assertion can be substantiated by a Mr. Horton, whose address is Leakey, Texas, and also by Mr. R. W. Bruce, and my willingness to meet him can also be fully proven by G. W. Lewis, Capt. Richards and Mr. Britt, of Medina City, and also by Mr. Fee, of the Bandera Enterprise. We did not speak on account of an unpleasant occurrence between two young men, which completely demoralized the crowd, an account of which appeared in the Bandera Enterprise of Sept. 4. On starting to leave Medina City, I told Mr. Smith, in the presence of quite a number of Bandera county citizens, that I thought we had better meet some where in joint debate to give the people an opportunity to judge between us, and I would come to Kerrville or Boerne or any other place he might choose, to meet him. Therefore I say, the assertion of Mr. Smith's, as it appeared in the Bandera Enterprise, of September 4, is unjust to me, is political discourtesy, and is positively unwarranted and untrue, and without any grounds whatever.

LEVIE OLD,

Candidate District Attorney, 38th Judicial District.

Stray Notice.

Taken up by C. Schumacher and estrayed before Joel Townsend, J. P., Precinct, No. 5, Kerr county, Texas, on the 13th day of September, 1901, the following: One mare with sucking colt and a two-year-old filly. Colt and filly unbranded, mare 12 to 14 years old, color bay, 14 hands high, branded VC connected.

Also one brown mare mule, about 8 years old, 14 hands high, branded H. V.

Given under my hand seal of office this 16th day of August, 1902.

J. M. HAMILTON,
Co. Clk., Kerr Co., Tex.

Baptist Church.

There will be services to-morrow. The pastor will preach. Let everyone be in their place and help make the services enthusiastic and helpful.

Home Mission Society.

The Ladies' Home Mission Society of the Methodist church will give a Handkerchief Bazaar and Tea Cream Supper, at the Tivy House, on Friday night, September 19th, beginning at 5:30 p. m. Everybody is cordially invited to come, as it is for a good cause—to raise funds to paint and otherwise beautify the Parsonage. Remember the date.

Centre Pointers.

Jack Rees has bought a half interest in Reno's Blacksmith shop.

Robert L. Welborn's baby girl died last week. Cause of death was abscess of the brain.

Mr. Furgerson has gone on a trip to his old home at Seguin.

Mrs. Cecil Riley (nee Moore) has been here on a visit. She returned to Eagle Pass Saturday.

Mr. Ramsey, who has been staying at Bandera the last two years has moved one load of furniture into the Rock House. He will take possession at once. Mrs. Lowrance will move back to the farm.

Mr. R. J. Lang's son, Floyd, died last Saturday after an illness of six days. The cause of death was erysipelas.

Invitations are out for a wedding on the 17th inst. Dee Burney and Miss Orra Storms are the happy pair.

Judge H. M. Burney was in town yesterday. He looks well and hearty. His estimable lady, who was very sick a few days ago, is now well again.

H. C. Moore, the confectioner, has added another room to his ready large store.

Remember there will be cow pony races every day at the Guadalupe Valley Fair. Purses: First day, \$15; second day, \$20; third day, \$20.

Killed by Stray Shot.

Nazogoches, Tex. Sept. 8.—In a shooting scrape with double barreled shot guns on West Main street this evening about 6 o'clock between Dick Crain and two of the Roquemore boys, George W. Clvinger, a good man and citizen who was standing on the opposite side of the street was shot dead. Crain received a wound in the mouth and shoulder, not serious. Neither of the Roquemores was hurt.

The trouble between the parties started in 1897.

Several ladies on the street narrowly escaped the flying bullets. Both sides have friends and further trouble is expected. No arrests have been made up to this time and the better class of citizens are indignant over the whole affair.

Texas Commerce Invades the World.

A Texas paving company has just secured a million dollar contract for paving streets in New York, and Uvalde asphalt is to be used. A year or so ago the street commissioners of New York chose Uvalde asphalt for use on the streets of that city, it having proven, after a thorough test, to be superior to any other asphalt in the world. Texas not only furnishes everything, but the best of everything.—Laredo Times.

School Begins September 1st, and we have
**SCHOOL SHOES,
SCHOOL SUITS,
EXTRA PANTS,**
For your boys to wear.
At the Beehive.

Roping contest will come off on the last day, September 27. The prizes (if all entries are made) will be: First, \$37.50; second, \$15; third, \$7.50. Remember, there will be ten entries, three from each county, the county entering first, four entries. *Entrance fee, \$5.00.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce Marshall Hicks, of San Antonio, as the regular Democratic nominee for State Senator for the 24th Senatorial District, of Texas.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

To THE VOTERS OF KERR CO.:
I am an independent candidate for re-election to the office of Representative of this, the 98th Representative District. If my course in the 27th Legislature proves that I stand for right, for principle, and for THE PEOPLE, I earnestly solicit your support at the ensuing election November 4 next.

H. M. NOWLIN.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce the name of Lee Wallace, as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Kerr county, at the ensuing election, which takes place on the first Tuesday in November, the same being the 4th day of said month.

We are authorized to announce the name of Julius Real as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Kerr county, at the ensuing election which takes place on Tuesday, November 4.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce Jeff L. Vining as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, of Kerr county, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of Oscar Rosenthal as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, of Kerr county, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce H. V. Scholl as a candidate for County Treasurer of Kerr county at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of Fred Witt, as a candidate for County Treasurer of Kerr county, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce E. A. Steel as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Kerr county at the ensuing November election.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR.

To THE VOTERS OF KERR COUNTY.—If my official record, as past Surveyor and Treasurer of Kerr county has been satisfactory, I earnestly and respectfully solicit your support for Tax Assessor of this county at ensuing November election. J. H. DAVIS.

We are authorized to announce the name of Otto Dietert as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Kerr county, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. G. Horn as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Kerr county at the ensuing November election.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of James Crofty as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, of Precinct No. 2, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce E. A. Karger as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Kerr county.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Hankins, Sr., as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, of Kerr county. Election November 4, 1902.

We are authorized to announce Fred Allerkaup, as a candidate for County Commissioner for Precinct No. 3, of Kerr county at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of Herman Schulze, as a candidate for County Commissioner, of Kerr county, for Precinct No. 3, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of T. J. Moore, as a candidate for County Commissioner, of Kerr County, of Precinct No. 4, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. B. Lee, as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, of Kerr county, at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. R. Mayhugh as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, at the ensuing election, November 4, 1902.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

We are authorized to announce E. H. Turner as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, for Precinct No. 1, of Kerr county, at the ensuing November election.

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce J. T. Moore as a candidate for Sheriff and Tax Collector at the ensuing November election.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce Frank Jeffries as a candidate for County and District Clerk, of Kerr county, at the regular election, which takes place Tuesday, November 4.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Hamilton as a candidate for re-election to the office of County and District Clerk of Kerr county.

FOR HIDE AND ANIMAL INSPECTOR.

We are authorized to announce Jno. H. Ward as a candidate for hide and animal inspector of Kerr county at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of F. H. Coleman, Jr., as a candidate for hide and animal inspector at the ensuing November election.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that I have bought the balance of the hogs in the figure [E] brand formerly belonging to Lagon & Brown in the counties of Kerr, Bandera and Edwards.

CHAS. SCHREINER.

The EGGS
which some coffee roasters use to glaze their coffee with—would you eat that kind of eggs? Then why drink them?
Lion Coffee
has no coating of storage eggs, glue, etc. It's coffee—pure, unadulterated, fresh, strong and of delightful flavor and aroma.
Uniform quality and freshness are insured by the sealed package.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on each box. 25 cents.

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HOME NEWS.

Interesting Items From Town and County.

Best 2-pound cans of tomatoes for 10c, at the Famous.

Choir practice at the Baptist church, Saturday night at 8 o'clock. All come.

Ernest Rees, who had been in Cloud Croft, N. M. for several months, returned home last week. Mr. Rees left last Sunday for Bryan to enter the A. & M. College.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Roberts and little daughter, Esther, were pleasant visitors in the Sun's press room, Thursday afternoon, to see the machines at work.

They are here
Our new line of
FALL DRESS GOODS

...CONSISTING OF...
The very latest weaves and patterns in this line, French Flannels, Friets veilings for waist cloth. The ladies are cordially invited to call and inspect these new goods and get our prices.

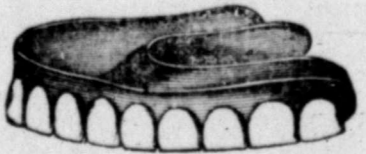
Chas. Schreiner Co.

Your physician will tell you that it is very essential that the feet and legs be kept warm in winter. Buy the best hosiery at the Famous.

The young people will render a program at the Baptist church to-morrow evening commencing promptly at 5 o'clock.

W. D. Burney has had a telephone line put in connecting his farm with the local exchange of this city. Mr. Burney is a progressive farmer of the Guadalupe Valley. We are glad to see our farmers reap the benefits of modern conveniences.

For First-Class Dentistry,
...Try...
DR. W. J. DILLARD.



Kerrville, - - Texas.

Best cotton flannel, 10c a yard, at the Famous.

Don't forget the dates—Oct. 19 and 20, at the Beehive.

Rev. F. S. Payne will preach in Kerrville to-morrow morning and at Center Point to-morrow night.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the announcement of the Chas. Schreiner Co.'s Fall millinery opening, which will take place on the 19th and 20th of this month.

We have had a good sale for Ladies' Hats, from San Antonio and other points, which proves we are strictly in it.—CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

AN INVITATION.

You are cordially invited to attend my Millinery Opening on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 19 and 20. I have recently received a Beautiful Assortment of Newest Styles in Ladies', Misses' and Childrens' headwear. All my Goods are 1902 Style, made from the very best materials obtainable, and cannot fail to please the most fastidious purchasers in this line. I have made a specialty of buying carefully, at lowest figures, such goods as my trade demands, and am in a position to offer you the latest styles and excellent quality at very low prices.

Mrs. N. Herzog.

Birth Day Party.

Master E. Ware Smith entertained a happy party of his little friends at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith on Mountain street Thursday evening. Delicious refreshments were served and the little folks had a royal time. Many presents were received by the little host, and his friends parted reluctantly, wishing him many happy birthdays.

School Shoes

For...
Boys and Girls
At the...
Beehive.

J. R. Mayhugh.

In the proper column of this issue will be found the announcement of J. R. Mayhugh, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, of Kerr county. Mr. Mayhugh is a prominent citizen of the community in which he lives and is eminently qualified for the office to which he aspires.

Dr. Edward Galbraith,



Office Over Rock Drug Store, Kerrville, Texas.

Wear our hats. Big Millinery Opening at the Beehive October 19 and 20.

A cold snap struck this city Thursday night and made young men wonder what had become of their summer's wages and think of winter clothes. But it didn't affect the goods nor the prices at the Famous; they are very warm, and strictly up-to-the-minute.

O. ROSENTHAL.

Charles Schreiner Co.,

Kerrville, Texas,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

GENERAL MERCHANDISE And Leaders in Low Prices.

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

Pasteur's Vaccine for Blackleg.

Just pie, but oh my, at Walthers.

Cotton Batting for quilts, at the Famous.

Felix Harrison and wife, of Junction, were guests at the Gerdes Wednesday.

Miss Georgie Jones left yesterday for the Divide, where she will begin her school Monday next.

L. A. Leinweber returned yesterday from a week's visit at San Antonio.

R. H. Burney returned yesterday from Bandera, where he had been in attendance at District court.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudspeth, returned Wednesday from Bandera, where they had been visiting relatives and friends for several days.

Come to our party—Big Millinery opening at Chas. Schreiner Co's, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 19 and 20.

Editor L. F. Franco, of the Frie Presse, of San Antonio, was a guest at the Gerdes Tuesday.

I have just received a 25-barrel shipment of Pure Old I. W. Harper whisky. C. T. WESTON.

We call the attention of our readers to the announcement of Mrs. Herzog's millinery opening, which will be found elsewhere in these columns.

Mr. and Mrs. Dupree, of Edwards county, were guests at the Gerdes Wednesday. Mr. Dupree left Thursday for home. Mrs. Dupree will remain in the city a month under medical treatment.

W. A. Jacoby returned this week from Fredericksburg, where he has been for the past two months.

Dr. Beasley, of Smiley, who had been visiting at his son's ranch in Kimble county, was a guest at the Gerdes Tuesday. Dr. Beasley was returning home.

Prof. and Mrs. Ernest Reynolds arrived in Kerrville Monday on a visit to Mrs. Reynolds' cousin, Mrs. M. A. Parsons. Prof. Reynolds, who is the principal of a school at Houston, returned to that city Wednesday, but Mrs. Reynolds remained and will spend some time in this city.

Ping-Pong Breaks Up a Home.

Mr. Thomas Ford, a Southsea, England, boarding house keeper, who stated that his wife sat up late in order to play ping-pong, obtained a decree recently in the divorce court. The jury awarded \$250 damages against the co-respondent grocer of Southsea.

Big lot of Agate ware, finest on earth at the Famous.

School Supplies.

The Kerrville school opens September 1, so please remember that I carry a COMPLETE line of all kinds of school supplies. I also carry a full line of all School Books adopted by the state. Any thing you need in the way of School Books and school supplies. Please remember, my contracts with publishers require me to sell all School Books for cash. No School Books charged.

Kerrville Book Store

Jno. C. Graves, Prop.,

Notice.

I have on hand fourteen sample books, of 1902, wall paper patterns comprising over 900 different designs of the latest creations in wall paper, which I am going to sell at cost or 50 per cent below list price. I am also going to hang it at five-cents per roll, or in other words, it will cost you only \$1 per room to have me hang it. All orders for paper and work will be promptly attended to.

Respectfully,

A. E. NORTHCRAFT.

Ranch For Sale Cheap:

580 acres in all. A good farm and big irrigated garden. Lots of water. Also a bunch of fine grade Durham cattle. Several young males. A bargain for somebody. If you want it don't wait, but address,

JOHN C. YOUNG,
Ingram, Kerr Co., Tex.

Letter of Administration.

Letters testamentary upon the estate of Thomas Ingenhuett, deceased, having been granted to me by the probate court of Kerr county, Texas, at 17 August term, 1902, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate, to present the same within the time prescribed by law to the undersigned. My postoffice address is Comfort, Texas.

OTTO INGENHUETT,
Executor of the estate of Thomas Ingenhuett, deceased.
This August 25th, 1902.

STAR BRAND ...SHOES...

We guarantee these shoes to please you.
DIETERT BROS.

Gillespie County Fair.

The Gillespie County Fair opens at Fredericksburg to-day. The Kerrville Park Association will be represented there by Gus Schreiner, J. M. Hamilton and D. H. Comparette. Many people will probably attend the fair from this place. A special effort has been made by the directors of the Gillespie County Fair Association to make this the banner meeting in its history and they will succeed.

Dr. R. H. P. Wright left last Sunday for Willow City on a visit. He returned Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Wright and children who have been visiting at that place for several weeks.

E. C. Meeks, formerly of Illinois, but recently of Comfort, arrived in the city with his family the first of the week and will probably locate here.

In order to have the effect intended by the physician who prescribes them, medicines must be compounded from pure fresh drugs. We have the drugs and a competent pharmacist always in attendance. Your prescription work solicited.

W. H. RAWSON.

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GENERAL DIRECTORY.

1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.
James A. Sladon, Congressman. Comprises the counties of Bexar, Comal, Kendall, Bandera, Kerr, Gillespie, Blanco, Burnet, Llano, Mason, McCulloch, San Saba, Lampasas, Mills, Brown and Coleman.

2ND SENATORIAL DISTRICT.
Theo. Harris, Senator. Comprises the counties of Bexar, Bandera, Kendall, Kerr and Gillespie.

3RD REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT.
H. M. Nowlin, Representative. Comprises the counties of Kerr, Kendall, Bandera, Edwards and Kimble.

35TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
I. L. Martin, Judge; J. W. Baker, Attorney. Comprises the counties of Zavalla, Uvalde, Edwards, Medina, Bandera-Kendall and Kerr.

Court convenes as follows: Kerr county, the 4th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

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

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

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

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

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

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

COUNTY OFFICERS.

W. W. Burnett, County Judge.
Lee Wallace, County Attorney.
J. T. Moore, Sheriff and Tax. Col.
J. M. Hamilton, Co. and Dist. Clerk.
H. Romschel, County Assessor.
J. H. Davis, County Treasurer.
A. L. Starkey, County Surveyor.

COMMISSIONERS.

Julius Real, Precinct 1.
D. G. Horn, Precinct 2.
Wm. Neunhofer, Precinct 3.
T. J. Moore, Precinct 4.

CITY OFFICERS.

I. E. Grinstead, Mayor.
A. H. Moore, City Attorney.
J. F. Thomas, Marshal.
L. A. S. Hines, Treasurer.
J. E. Jones, Secretary.

W. E. Williams, Alderman.
Jno. H. Ward, Alderman.
B. H. Lorraine, Alderman.
Max Gibson, Alderman.
Chas. Massey, Alderman.

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

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Kerrville Lodge A. & A. M. No. 627, meets Saturday night on or before the full moon. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

H. Romschel, W. M. R. H. Barney, S. W. J. Casser, J. W. J. L. Vining, Sec. W. E. Williams, Treas.

Kerrville Lodge Knights of Pythias, No. 166, meets at 8:30 P. M. on the first and third Thursdays of each month, corner Main and Tehoumouthe streets. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend.

Jno. H. Ward, C. C. D. Williamson, K. of R. and S.

W. O. W. No. 18, meets every first and third Wednesday night, at Woodman Hall, corner Main and Mountain streets. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.

Chas. Real, C. C. Otto Dietert, Clerk.

First Order Lodge Sons of Hermann, No. 23, meets at 1st Saturday night in each month, at their hall over Favorite saloon. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.

MAX GRONA, President.
I. F. W. DIETERT, Secretary.

Williams' Decorations.

The orders of decoration borne by the German emperor are worth about \$225,000. His most valuable decorations are the insignia of the Black Eagle, the Order of St. John, of the Garter and of the Toison d'Or. In all he has over 200 crosses, stars, badges and other insignia.

Ah Sin In Real Life.

Ah Sin has a rival in real life, a Chinaman who was recently arrested for causing a fight in a San Francisco Chinese gambling den being found to have ten packs of cards disposed at various convenient places about his loose clothes.

E. W. Groves

This signature is on every bottle of Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets, the remedy that cures a cold in 10 days.

He Bought Gibbon's Library.

Andrew Carnegie is not the first millionaire to buy a historian's library. The 7,000 volumes of chronicles and travels from which Gibbon distilled the "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire" were purchased by Beckford after the writer's death. "I bought it," said the author of "Vathek," "to have something to read when I passed through Lausanne." There were few rarities in the collection, but most of the authors were in the best obtainable editions and in perfect condition; the fastidious Gibbon was incapable of behaving disrespectfully to a book. For six weeks Beckford revelled in his purchase and read himself nearly blind. He soon tired of his books, however, and presented the whole collection to a German physician named Schell. The recipient showed his appreciation of the treasure by promptly selling it.

A Rosebud 1,000 Years Old.

In the town of Hildersheim, in Germany, is a rosebush said to be 1000 years old, and sprouts from its branches have realized fabulous sums. Some years ago a rich Englishman offered \$50,000 for the entire tree, but the sum was indignantly refused. This wonderful plant clings amid thickly grown moss against the side of the famous old Church of St. Michael. It is claimed that it has bloomed perennially since the days of King Alfred, and this statement has never been disputed, for its record has been as carefully kept as the pedigree of the bluest blooded family in the kingdom. It is supposed to have been discovered through that medium of King Louis of Hildersheim as far back as 1022.

"Jim Crow" Street Cars.

Louisiana has a new idea in regard to "Jim Crow" cars. A recently-passed law provides that there shall be separate but equal accommodations for whites and blacks, and the street car companies have introduced a car with a wire screen separating it in the middle, the forward compartment being set apart for the white persons and the rear compartment for colored persons. The negroes protest against this arrangement and talk of raising money to buy cars for the use of their own race. They also threaten to boycott the screened cars.

Some Venerable Athletes.

Abner Dunton, who claims the championship in athletics at Lincolnville, Mass., although 95 years old, offers to run a race, walk or wrestle with any man of his age for money. He is lively as a cricket in spite of his great age and can cover a mile as fast as most men. Another hale and hearty Yankee is Eli B. Bean, who has served as justice of the peace in Brownfield, Oxford county, Me., for fifty-four years. Mr. Bean is 81 years old. He served in the civil war as captain and assistant quartermaster and was breveted major.

Swore Himself In.

General Sir Charles Tucker, who is proceeding to the Cape to assist in solving the remaining military problems, is known in the British service as "Damnation Tucker" to distinguish him from his brother general, "Salvation" Tucker. Most anecdotes regarding him hang on a certain idiosyncrasy of his language. On one occasion the general was gazetted to a district command. Shortly afterward a visitor passing through the district in question asked a waggish subaltern whether the new general had yet arrived and taken over his duties. "Oh, yes," replied the sub, "he swore himself in yesterday."

Americans and Canadian Fish.

A large proportion of the best fishing waters in Canada are already in American hands, according to the World's Work. Mrs. James J. Hill leases the St. John river on the north shore of the St. Lawrence for \$3,000 a year and the St. Paul or Esquimaux for \$500. Mr. H. W. De Forest, of New York, has leased for a club the fishing in the Grand Cascapedia for \$7,500 a year. Mr. Ivers W. Adams, of Boston, has purchased the fishing rights of the Moisie for \$30,000, and has paid more than half as much for those of the Washeshoo. Mr. Louis Capon, of Boston, is the owner of salmon fishing rights in Caspe, for which he has refused \$50,000. The Restigouche Salmon Club, composed entirely of Americans, leases a number of rights in both New Brunswick and Quebec and owns a number of others. Its clubhouse is at Metapedia, and it is probably the most aristocratic fishing club in the world. Its membership shares are worth from \$7,500 to \$10,000 each, and its list of members includes many of the most prominent anglers of the United States. Ex-President Arthur, Mr. Vanderbilt, Mr. Cadwallader, Mr. De Forest, Dean Sage, Billy Florence and the Rev. Dr. Rainsford are a few of the fishermen who have whipped the waters of the Restigouche for salmon. The fishing in this river is principally done from canoes, and a good deal of the traveling up and down the stream is luxuriously accomplished in houseboats.

ook Woman for a Man.

At a diplomatic reception in London the other night the wife of the Chinese ambassador was, upon her arrival, gravely ushered into the cloakroom reserved for gentlemen. The mistake was easily accounted for because Chinese ladies of rank do not, as a rule, attend public functions in London; and because this lady's feet are of the normal size, she belonged to a caste which allows the foot bandages to be discarded. Her dress was only slightly different from that worn by Chinese gentlemen.

Executioner Executed.

The official executioner of Tokio died last week. His death was curious in itself, and considering his profession, was little short of remarkable. He was crossing a railway track near Tokio when he was run down by a fast express. The body was found by the track with the head as neatly decapitated as any which had been cut off by the official executioner himself. Otherwise there was not a mark on the body.

"Huck Finn" on the Stage.

Mark Twain and Lee Arthur have finished the first draft of their dramatic version of Mr. Twain's famous story, "Huckleberry Finn," which will be produced in November. It was not known until within the past two years that Mr. Twain had taken any active part in the writing of the play. He entered into the work with great enthusiasm, and took as much interest in it as if he were a young author with his literary spurs yet to be won.

The Origin of "Grog."

The sailor's word "grog" got its origin from Admiral Vernon, of the British navy, who was known as "Old Grog," because his favorite clothing was grograin, a fabric of silk and mohair. The old seadog punished his sailors for dereliction of duty by diluting their daily ration of liquor with much water.

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Buying Off a Thief.
 It is said that the American
 Bankers' Association is going to
 pay a salary of \$500 a month to
 the notorious forger Charles
 Becker when in a few months he
 finishes serving a seven years sen-
 tence in San Quentin (Cal.) pris-
 on. He is to receive this
 amount "just to be good" and
 not do any more forging. All of
 which calls to mind the story of
 the Southern judge who had a
 fine lot of hogs, and on seeing a
 colored man notorious for stealing
 said: "Uncle Jack, I'll tell you
 what I'll do: You pick out two of
 those hogs you think you'd like
 best and I'll give them to you, pro-
 vided you won't steal any of the
 others." And the negro replied:
 "Judge, you've always been a good
 neighbor an' I likes yuh, an' I
 wants ter do right by yuh, an' so
 I accepts der offah yuh make; but
 I wants yuh to know dat I'll lose
 meat by it."

A Glass-Eyed Policeman.
 In the selection of men for ap-
 pointment on the police force, says
 Tip in the New York Press, the
 greatest care is taken to see that
 the candidates are physically
 sound. No matter how perfect one
 may be in other respects, honesty,
 sobriety, strength, intelligence, and
 bravery counting at, if he has
 not "good feet" he is rejected.
 Singular as it may seem, there is
 a member of the force in Brook-
 lyn who has a glass eye. The
 examining physicians did not
 notice it twenty years ago when
 he was appointed, and while he
 has been ill several times and at-
 tended by police surgeons, he has
 never become known in the de-
 partment as "the man with the
 glass eye."

An Interesting Career.
 William H. Garland, now living
 at Washington at the age of 93
 years, entered the navy when a
 youth and served several years on
 foreign stations. He visited Na-
 pooleon at St. Helena and has seen
 every president of the United
 States except Washington. When
 the civil war broke out he respon-
 ded to the call for volunteers and
 served till the close of the war. He
 was instrumental in having fe-
 male nurses substituted for male
 nurses in the government hospi-
 tals and homes. He lost his entire
 family, consisting of a wife and
 four children in the flood of
 Evansville, Ind., in 1884. He
 himself escaped by climbing a tree,
 where he remained thirty-six
 hours. He is receiving a pension
 of \$12 a month, on which he sub-
 sists.

Watch and Chain for a Hero.
 Captain Crawford J. Smith, of
 Philadelphia, late master of the
 British steamship Corunda, has
 received from President Roose-
 velt, representing the United
 States government, a handsomely
 inscribed gold watch and chain in
 recognition of the fact that he re-
 scued the crew of the American
 bark Ella, which foundered on
 January 17, 220 miles south
 southeast of Bermuda. When the
 captain fell in with the disabled
 vessel—a terrific gale was raging
 and no seaman on the Corunda
 would volunteer to go to the as-
 sistance of those aboard the Ella.
 Then the Captain's officers and men
 manned a boat and all hands were
 taken from the sinking craft.

Hogs Fed Pineapples.
 Pineapples grow so plentifully in
 Natal at certain seasons that it is
 not worth while carting them to
 market, and they are often given
 to the hogs in consequence.

A Royal Priest.
 Prince Max, the youngest son of
 the new King of Saxony, is a Ro-
 man Catholic priest, and was at one
 time an earnest worker among the
 poor of the East end of London.
 His father, King George, and his
 uncle, the late King Albert, were,
 of course, also Catholics, the royal
 house of Saxony being among the
 few princely families of Germany
 that reverted to the old religion
 when the early enthusiasm of the
 Reformation had spent itself. Sax-
 ony has been a kingdom for the last
 century but its electors, as the
 princes were formerly styled, were
 Catholics for more than a century
 before Napoleon gave them a king-
 ly crown.

Congressman a "Messenger."
 After one term in congress, rep-
 resenting the Twelfth Ohio district,
 Emmet Tomblins, who defeated
 the redoubtable Lentz by a plurality
 of 18 votes in a total of some \$1,
 000, has decided that the game is
 not worth the candle and he has
 notified his party to look for another
 candidate. He declared that "the
 average congressman is little more
 than a messenger boy for his con-
 stituency and when not running
 about from one department to an-
 other for books, seeds and flowers,
 by acting as an employment agency
 for a lot of office-seekers. It is
 more than useless for anyone to
 come to congress who is not in-
 dependently wealthy or who has no
 ambition to get ahead in the world."

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How Maxim Saved Them.
 Lord Salisbury's public utter-
 ances are usually somewhat ponder-
 ous, though always polished, but in
 conversation he is often witty and
 never trivial. On one occasion the
 Prince of Wales (now King Ed-
 ward) found Lord Salisbury and
 Sir Hiram Mixam, the gunmaker,
 laughing about something. Lord
 Salisbury explained: "I was just
 telling Sir Hiram that he had pre-
 vented more people from dying of
 old age than any other man who
 ever lived."

Shopkeeper Stole From Himself.
 Adolph Reinarch, a well-to-do
 citizen of Vienna, began missing
 money from his store a few weeks
 ago and set detectives to watch the
 shop. In a few nights they caught
 the proprietor robbing the safe in
 his sleep and hiding his booty un-
 der the carpet in his bedroom.

Hogg Twice a Millionaire.
 Governor Hogg, of Texas, was a
 poor man when he left the govern-
 or's chair, seven years ago. He
 went into oil and is now worth \$2,
 000,000. He says he wouldn't be
 governor again for less than that
 amount.

First Esquimau Journalist.
 Lars Moellers, the first Esquimau
 journalist, is dead. He began by
 printing pictures, making the wood-
 cuts himself. Nordenskjold gave
 him a press and type. He set up
 and printed a paper himself and
 then distributed it through Green-
 land, traveling with sledge and
 snow shoes. Other Esquimaux
 will continue his work.

Guadalupe Valley Fair

Kerr, Kendall and Bandera Counties
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The Committee on Amusements has added many new and interesting features and also increased the prizes at least \$125.00. We have good reasons to believe that, while the Agricultural Exhibits may fall short, the amusements and exhibits in Ladies' Department will far excel those of any previous year. We kindly ask everybody, and most especially the stockholders to assist us in getting exhibits. If you have no exhibits we will be glad to meet you on the 25th, 26th and 27th of September, 1902.

The Directors.

Resolution of Respect.

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF
THE CENTER POINT W. O. W.
CAMP, No. 435.

We, your committee, appointed to draft resolutions upon the death of the beloved son of our Sovereign Robt. J. Lang, beg to submit the following:

Whereas, It has pleased the Sovereign Ruler of the Universe to send the Angel Israfil into the house of Sovereign and Mrs. Lang and take from our midst their loved one.

Be it resolved: That this camp extend to the bereaved Sovereign and his family it's deepest sympathy in their sad bereavement.

"There is no death; an angel form
Walks o'er the earth with silent tread;
"He bears our most loved things away
"And we call them dead."
"And over near us though unseen
"The dear immortal spirits tread,
"For all the boundless universe
"Is life. There is no dead."

Be it further resolved that: These resolutions be placed upon the minutes of the camp, and a duplicate be furnished the family and county paper with a request that they be published.

Resolution of Respect.

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF
THE CENTER POINT W. O. W.
CAMP, No. 435.

We, your committee, who were appointed to draft resolutions of sympathy and condolence to our respected Sovereign R. H. Wellborn, upon the death of his only child, beg leave to submit the following:

Whereas, The Sovereign Commander of the Universe in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to remove from the care of her father and mother, and take her to His everlasting Kingdom above, Ouida Pearle, the beloved and only daughter of Sovereign Wellborn.

Be it resolved that: This Camp of Woodmen extend to the Sovereign Wellborn and wife it's most heartfelt sympathy.

"There is no death. The stars go down
"To rise upon some fairer shore,
"And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown,
"They shine forever more."

Be it further resolved that: A copy of these resolutions be engrossed and presented to our fellow Sovereign, and a copy of same be sent to the MOUNTAIN SUN with a request that they be published.

Resolution of Respect.

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF
LIVE OAK GROVE, No. 143,
WOODMEN CIRCLE.

We, your committee, who were appointed to draft suitable resolutions upon the death of Floyd Lang, the beloved son, of our Sov-

ereigns R. J. and M. E. Lang, beg leave to submit the following:

Whereas, The Supreme Guardian of the Universe, has laid a burden of sorrow upon our esteemed Sovereigns R. J. and M. E. Lang, by taking from them their beloved son, Floyd.

Be it resolved: That the members of this Grove extend to our beloved Sovereigns their heartfelt sympathy, in this their time of sorrow and affliction, and be it further resolved: That one copy of the above be presented to the family of the deceased, and also a copy be sent to the MOUNTAIN SUN, with a request that same be published.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 10.—The newspaper men of Dallas are hard at work arranging for Texas World's Fair Commission and Texas Press day. Replies to the invitation sent to editors indicate that the press of Texas will be well represented, and that there will be a large attendance at the Texas State Fair on that day, September 27. In addition to the attractions for that day previously mentioned, there will be a football game between the teams of Baylor University and Trinity University.

Hon. John H. Kirby, President of the Texas World's Fair Commission, has called a meeting of the board of directors, executive committee and the commissioners, to consider matters of importance to the commission. It will be held at Dallas on September 27.

The International Fair Association of San Antonio and the newspaper men of that city are preparing to celebrate Texas World's Fair Commission and Texas Press Day at that fair on October 28, in great style. The fair management has arranged a very attractive program, and several prominent officers of the World's Fair are to be on hand.

Freak of Lightning.

Rosenberg, Fort Bend Co., Tex., Sept. 7.—A young man named Rowland, living on the prairie 15 miles south of here was struck by lightning in an electric storm. The lightning bolt hit him on the head, tearing his hat to pieces, then ran down his body, and dividing burned a path down each leg to the feet and tearing up both his shoes. Where the lightning left the sole of his feet there are large blood blisters. He is still alive, and the attending physicians are of the opinion that he will entirely recover. This is the most remarkable freak ever played by lightning in this vicinity.

At the Churches.

Services at St. Peters' Episcopal church are as follows: Every Sunday except the 3rd in the month at 11 a. m., and also on the 4th and 5th Sundays at 8 p. m. On 1st Sunday in month evening service at Comfort. 2nd Sunday at Turtle Creek at 3:30 p. m. 3rd Sunday at Morris Ranch.

R. GALBRAITH,
Rector.

Presbyterian Church—Services every Sunday, except the second of each month, at 11 a. m. and at night. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. All are cordially invited to attend these services. A special welcome to strangers.

E. L. STOREY, Pastor.

Baptist Church—Services every Sunday except the fourth in each month. Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday night.

Rev. Mr. Ermisch, of the German Lutheran church, will hold services at the Union church, this city, the first and third Sundays in each month, morning and night.

Methodist Church—Preaching every Sunday, except the first in each month, at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Sunday school 9:45. Epworth League 3:30. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 8:30. All are cordially invited to attend.

E. T. CAMPBELL, P. C.

J. A. Currie, of the Millennial Dawn faith will preach at the Union Church on the 4th Sunday in each month at 11 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.

On Friday, September 26, at the Guadalupe Valley Fair, Center Point, Tex. There will be a 300-yard race for \$300 between Winnie R., owned by J. N. Reno, and Uncle Dick, owned by Alvin Joy.

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