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In accordance with previous announcements an interesting and enthusiastic railroad meeting was held at the Courthouse in Junction, Saturday, March 9, at 2 p. m. a very good attendance being present. The county was fairly well represented and the spirit which prevailed made it very evident that our people want and are expecting a road to be built from San Angelo to San Antonio, via Ft. McKavitt and Junction.

The meeting was called to order by J. N. Hodges, President of Junction Business Men's Club. E. Holekamp being absent on account of sickness. W. P. Riley acted as secretary.

Horace E. Wilson made an enthusiastic talk and stated the proposition recently received by the Business Men's Club of this place, saying that for years these people have been anxiously looking for a road to the time when they might have before us what we now have—a definite proposition regarding a railroad for Junction. "Time was, and only a few years ago," said Mr. Wilson, "when lands around Junction were priced at next to nothing. Some lands which once priced at from one to three dollars per acre when the railroad gets here will be selling at stupendous prices." Thus he proceeded to point out what a railroad would mean to the large land owners here. "Time will come," he said, "when Mr. Wilson, 'when this old Llano valley will be one of the most densely populated sections of Texas."

"When the proposition asking a \$150,000 bonus was received our Business Men's Club made reply that Junction would do all she can, but that such a bonus is too much to expect of this place. 'How much can you raise?' was the question that came back from the promoter and that is what we now want to find out," said Mr. Wilson.

Several plans were considered in regard to the best manner of raising bonus. Mr. Wilson read the agreement which the bonus raisers would be required to sign, calling special attention to the fact that no money is to be paid until regular trains are running and at that time only one-third cash with one and two years on balance, 5 per cent interest.

Just for a start an estimate was made of what might be expected from those present. In about 20 minutes an approximate \$20,000 was promised by land owners. (This does not include the business firms of the city; they will all contribute handsomely.)

More than one land owner expressed his willingness to give the required site for the depot grounds and yardage.

A committee will be appointed to canvass the people and find out just what can be done on this proposition, and it is believed that when their work is complete we shall be in the position to offer a bonus which will bring a road through here in short order.

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TEXAS STATE NEWS

Rusk.—Dan Crow, assistant warden of the Rusk penitentiary, has tendered his resignation to take effect April 1, 1912.

Nacogdoches.—Up to date one white man and five negroes have been convicted in the district court charged with bootlegging liquor, and sentenced to two years each in the penitentiary.

Palacios.—Fire destroyed the home of Dr. N. P. Knight at Collegeport, across the bay. The house and contents were destroyed, including the doctor's fine equipment of dental tools.

Trinity.—While the International and Great Northern northbound train was switching in the yard at this place late the other night, about 11:30, the caboose caught fire and was totally destroyed with its contents. The train crew lost their effects, valued at \$800.

Victoria.—The Victoria County Boys' Corn Club met last Saturday in Victoria and much enthusiasm was displayed that it was decided to hold monthly meetings of the club in the future. The first Saturday in each month was selected as the date.

Corpus Christi.—On the allegation that the American Rio Grande Land and Immigration Company failed to deliver water for growing crops, judgment against the company for \$25,291 was rendered today in a suit brought by the Mercedes Plantation Company. Notice of appeal was given.

Houstonville.—John Small, a farmer of Houston county, charged with killing Dr. Hale, a physician of this county, last Sunday, has had his examining trial and been released on \$1000 bond. The trouble, it seems, arose over some neighborhood gossip.

Bryan.—Tom J. Wilson and Sol Mabry, two well-known citizens, are alleged to have fought a duel with shotguns at Maey, this county. Wilson was shot in the leg, arm and back with small shot and will recover. Mabry was shot in the side and head with buckshot and is thought to be mortally wounded.

Fort Worth.—Governor Colquitt has offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who fired the First Baptist Church and another \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the party who set fire to the parsonage of that church. That brings the total reward offered for the apprehension of the parties who are guilty of the destruction of the church up to \$7000. The Chamber of Commerce offered a reward of \$5000 and the city commission, \$1000.

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BEE KEEPERS' DEPARTMENT

We have made arrangements to have this column devoted each week entirely to beekeeping. We have secured the services of Mr. E. G. LeSturgeon, secretary of the Bexar County Beekeepers' Association, and one of the best known beekeepers in the State of Texas, to conduct this department for our readers. Any questions concerning apiculture or any request for advice about beekeeping should be addressed to E. G. LeSturgeon, Box 1948, San Antonio, Texas, and will be fully and carefully answered in this column. We trust that every one of our readers will take advantage of this opportunity, because beekeeping is rapidly becoming one of the most extensive industries in our part of Texas.

Some of the oldest settlers have been inclined to believe that the recent agitation in favor of Bee keeping and results promised therefrom, is overdrawn. They will tell you that within their own knowledge there is very little opportunity for successful bee keeping in this district. These people are likely to forget that methods have changed in the production of other lines and that methods of bee keeping are also being improved. Like cows and steers, bees have been bred up, and improvements have been suggested by scientific investigation. Apiculture has been elevated to a high plain and a profitable basis. Bee keeping is so profitable that many ordinary farmers have become specialists, and a swarm is counted by the hundred where there were only dozens before. At the same time, old square board hives have given place to modern bee hives of simple construction, made with scientific improvements and with movable frames. This facilitates handling of the bees and gives them an opportunity to keep their home clean, making it possible for the bees and their owner to protect the hives from ants, moths and other natural enemies.

In these columns we intend to give a description of each of the various races of bees and give the predominating characteristics of each strain. Any question concerning the different races of Bees and their adaptability to this section, will be gladly answered through this column.

Address all inquiries pertaining to Apiculture to E. G. LeSturgeon, P. O. Box 1948, San Antonio, Texas.

FARM NOTES

COMMERCIAL TRUCK GROWING.
 The growing of fancy vegetables to supply the tables of the wealthy is only a small part of the Texas winter vegetable industry. The fertility of the soil of Southern and Southwestern Texas and the possibilities of intensive cultivation when irrigation is provided have encouraged the growing of vegetables of various kinds on a large commercial scale. In fact, the development in certain of the lines has been so great that Texas has been pushed into the fore rank in production of these lines. The onion crop of Texas, not only large in quantity but excellent in size and quality; the cabbages, potatoes, tomatoes, melons, turnips, beans, peas and cucumbers produced of a quality to be sought after and in quantity to be profitable, are not only bringing the dollars into the coffers of the farmers, but are also bringing fame to Texas as a land where superior vegetable may be grown in winter and where the farmer's life is a happy one.

The cultivation of fancy vegetables on a smaller scale has been encouraged by the organization of selling agencies which enables the farmers in various communities to pool their shipments so that carload lots may be sent out by fast freight at a much less expense than if each truck grower expressed his product to market by itself, and by selling through experienced men who watch the market and know where each shipment may be placed to the best advantage, so top prices are obtained. Thus, lettuce, cauliflower, peppers, sweet corn and the like are being raised in steadily increasing quantity each year.

Smithville.—John H. Spitts of Denver, Colo., third vice president of the Order of Railway Carmen of America, is here conferring with the striking Katy carmen regarding the situation. He met in secret session with them in the Knights of Pythias hall.

San Antonio.—The contract between the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce and R. A. Love, who has agreed to build a railroad to Fredericksburg if this city would assist in the project, was signed. Love will remain here until the first of next week and will then go to Kansas City to make ready for the beginning of actual operations March 25. Between now and March 17 the directors of the Chamber of Commerce will decide whether San Antonio's share in the construction of the new road will be in the form of a cash bonus of \$50,000 or a purchase of \$150,000 shares.

Paris.—Plans for the manufacture of dynamite here from cotton seed oil were taken up by the head of several cotton oil mills. The manufacture of dynamite will be under regulation of the proposed law recently offered in the House by Congressman Burleson.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT

MAKING THE HENS LAY.
 Mrs. B. P. Wilcox.

Since eggs are always so much higher during the winter months than through the summer there must have been a lot of hens that were not laying their eggs lately. The owners keep on feeding them scanty food and wonder why the lack of eggs, when eggs are high. It is a strange fact that many poultry keepers expect a hen to manufacture eggs when she is not getting enough to support her own puny carcass.

Any variety of fowls may be made to lay through the winter if they are well fed and given any sort of good care. Most people forget to be interested in getting eggs until the price goes up and then it takes time to get the birds in condition to lay. It is a physical impossibility to get poorly fed birds to lay in cold weather. I have found that the laying hen is invariably the plump hen and for the best results she should be well started in the laying habit before the winter weather begins.

To lay well, the pullet should have the best of care and good food from chickhood up. It is too late to begin after she is grown. The secret in feeding is to keep the birds interested in the bill of fare. Any food that is relished is a good food and by observation we learn when the birds require a change of food. It is a poor plan to adopt another's method of feeding until you are convinced of its merits. What does well for another may not do well for you. Keep a good supply of different grains and it will not be difficult to cater to the appetites of your birds. Recently a writer made the statement that oats are the greatest egg producing grain. I should like to ask how much better are oats than corn for that purpose if the flock has no appetite for them? I believe in feeding what the birds like and I think it is very rare that a bird will overeat if she is given a variety of food and a chance to scratch.

It would be interesting to know just what per cent of hens that could be expected to lay are kept on farms generally. From many I have seen in flocks about farm yards, I am convinced that most of the poultry that don't lay and about which such a howl goes up every winter, is incapacitated for egg production on account of age. I have frequently bought broody hens that were having their eighth or ninth annual spring longing to bring forth a family of downy chicks.

The average hen lays only about 600 eggs during lifetime, so for profitable egg production she must lay one-half of these while a pullet and a yearling hen. Then as the balance will be laid a few each year for the rest of her life, her egg yield will not pay her feed bill, so it is wise to dispose of her for market poultry unless she is valuable as a breeder or a mother. Breeding stock should only lay naturally and be allowed what rest they need in order to get good strong chicks from them. Hens' eggs, as a rule, give the strongest chicks and for this reason the male part of the breeding should be made up largely of

SOUTH POLE IS DISCOVERED
CAPTAIN SCOTT, BRITISH EXPLORER, REPORTED TO HAVE FOUND END OF EARTH'S AXIS.
 Scott Started from New Zealand on November 29, 1910.

Wellington, N. Z., Mar. 12.—Captain Ronald Amundsen the Norwegian explorer, states that Captain Scott, the British explorer, reached the South Pole.

Cable dispatches from New Zealand announcing that Captain Scott had found the south pole come as a startling climax to the race which five explorers of different nationalities have been making to reach this final extremity of the undiscovered portion of the globe.

Captain Robert Falcon Scott started on his expedition from Port Chalmers, N. Z., November 29, 1910. He was well equipped for this dash for the farthest south, having made a previous expedition under the direction of the Royal Geographical society. At that time he attained a record of 82 degrees 30 minutes, which remained the record up to the time of Lieutenant Shackleton's notable exploit. Shackleton pushed further south, and in 1907 reached 88 degrees, 23 minutes, or about 100 miles from the south pole. This remained the record and inspired the hardy navigators of many nations to attempt the culminating feat of reaching the pole itself.

Sailed Into Ross Sea.
 Captain Scott took the route by way of Australia and New Zealand. He sailed due south into Ross Sea, a great stretch of water, reaching toward the south pole. His chief competitor in this dash was Captain Amundsen, who is commissioned by the king of Norway and the Norwegian government.

Amundsen chose the route by way of South America. He left Buenos Ayres toward the close of 1910. He passed through the Straits of Magellan and then sheered for Ross Sea, the same sheet of water which Scott had gained by way of the New Zealand and Australian route. Captain Scott planned to follow the same land trail that Shackleton had taken. This is along a mountain range, thought to be an extension of the Andes range running southward through South America.

Conroe.—A difficulty occurred in Conroe the other night and two young men were seriously injured. A young man by the name of Cable received a serious injury about the head, inflicted a blow of some kind while another young man, a stranger here, whose name is said to be Roach, was severely cut by a knife. While both are painfully injured, their wounds are not necessarily fatal.

Makes Own Coffin
Grave and Monument
 Maryland Man Is in Excellent Health But Wants to Be Ready When Death Comes.

Frederick, Md., March 12.—There will be but little left for the survivors of his family to do when Howard S. Thomas of Libertyville, Md., dies, for he has made most of the arrangements for his funeral. He is a stonecutter and carpenter, and during the winter months has employed his leisure time in carving a monument for himself and in building his own coffin. As soon as the frost goes out of the ground he intends to dig a grave for himself and wait it up, so that it will be in good order when needed. Thomas is in excellent health and there is no immediate prospect of his needing the coffin, grave or monument, but he says all men should be prepared for such a certain event as death.

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PUBLIC OPENING OF 1000 ACRES

Grazing Land in Southwestern Part of State for Homestead Settlement.

Guthrie, Okla., March 12.—There is to be one more opening of public land to homestead settlement in Oklahoma. The land, embracing about 1000 acres, is near Alfalfa, in Southwestern Oklahoma. It is described by the government as grazing land. It will be opened to settlement today and be subject to entry April 10. Entry will be made at the Guthrie land office, after the applicant has made affidavit that he has been upon and viewed the land. The first man at the land office will get the first choice of land.

The tracts will vary from 40 to 160 acres.

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GIRL HEALS POOR THRU "MIRACLES"

GREAT NUMBERS FLOCK TO THE HUMBLE HOME OF MILE. CAMUS, DISCIPLE OF FATHER ANTOINE.

Paris, March 12.—According to a story published in the Paris newspapers, miraculous cures have been effected by a poor sewing girl, who proclaims herself a disciple of a hermit known in Northern France as Father Antoine.

The sewing girl, Mile. Camus, lives in a single room in a dark court of the poorer quarters of Paris and to this room flock many who have heard of her healing. In the neighborhood it is asserted that she has effected no less than forty cures in the last two months, although she continues at her occupation of sewing, devoting only her leisure hours to receiving sufferers, to whom she makes no charge.

Mile. Camus says she knows nothing about occult science. Her procedure is simple. She tells a sufferer to think earnestly of Father Antoine, whom she calls the Regenerator of Humanity, while she tells the patient of Antoine's life and works of charity. She says she can feel the ill and pains leaving the body of a patient and entering her own. She suffers agony, but is fortified by her faith.

After two or three visits the ailment disappears entirely, leaving, according to witnesses, no trace in either healer or patient.

The reports have caused considerable excitement in the quarter where Mile. Camus lives. Many poor go to her in perfect faith. Although Mile. Camus is a disciple of Father Antoine, she says she has never seen him, but his work has been revealed to her in a vision.

Government Rested Case

Prosecution Completed Giving of Testimony in Packers' Trial.

Chicago, March 12.—After thirteen weeks and one day occupied in the selection of a jury and the examination of witnesses, the government today closed its case in the trial of the ten meat packers charged with conspiracy in maintaining a combination in restraint of trade. The case is said to be the longest criminal trial in the history of the Federal courts.

Judge Carpenter immediately adjourned court for the day and it was announced that tomorrow a written motion signed by each of the defendants would be presented, asking the court to take the case from the jury and discharge the packers on the ground that the government had failed to prove its charges. It is expected counsel for the defense will argue nearly a week on the motion. The closing hours of the government's side was taken up with the reading of statistical data on the packing industry in the United States and stipulated statements of the corporate history of the companies.

Cuero.—Mrs. W. M. Murphy was accidentally shot in the foot at Nursery, a pistol having discharged that was knocked to the floor from the mantel board by a baby in the arms of Mrs. Brown. J. S. Crabb brought the wounded woman to the hospital in Cuero. Beyond ascertaining that no bones were broken, physicians have been unable to give much relief as the bullet has not been found and they are waiting for a bright day in order to make an examination with an X ray machine.

BASE BALL IN SO. WEST TEXAS

We have made arrangements to have this column devoted each week entirely to Base Ball and other sports in San Antonio and Southwest Texas. We have secured the services of Mr. Wm. J. Dooley, manager of W. A. S. A. Athletics and Washer's Seniors. Any questions or information regarding Base Ball, etc., for the coming season, should be addressed to him, care Washer Bros. Co., San Antonio, and same will be fully and carefully answered in this column.

Now is the Time to Get Games With S. A. Teams.

Washer Bros. Co., baseball club of the Commercial League is anxious for games with any out of town club up to March 31, when the Commercial League starts its season.

OROZCO, EXPENSIVE OFFICER

Connection With Maderista Army Cost Mexico \$350,000 in Gold.

Mexico City, March 12.—Following the public execution of General Pascual Orozco by President Madero it was reported that an audit of his accounts as commander of revolutionary forces in the north showed his connection with the Maderista army had cost the Mexican people about \$350,000 gold. Orozco's defection is unofficially charged to having followed the refusal of a heavily additional appropriation.

The ayuntamiento, the city council of Mexico City, has ratified a proposal now in the hands of the war department to issue a call for volunteers for the protection to the capital. Its object is to leave the 2000 regular troops now in garrison free for use in aggressive work against the northern revolutionaries.

If carried out, the new volunteer formation will admit the enlistment of men and boys of foreign birth. It is believed there will be a generous response from the various foreign colonies, as there are many Germans and others who have had military experience in other countries. No number is specified for the proposed militia organization, but it is proposed to establish sixteen divisions of the city with an army in each.

National university students today notified the ministry of war of their desire to organize one or more companies.

FAST TRAINS TO ROCKPORT

New Railroad Will Have Two-hour Service When in Operation.

The San Antonio, Rockport & Mexico Railroad is a much larger proposition than the average citizen of Southwest Texas thinks. It is learned that the work will start as soon after April 1 as \$200,000 of the bonus is raised on the San Antonio end of the line. O. R. Mounsey has completed and signed all contracts with the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, and left for London, where he will make the final arrangements for the handling of the large contracts which will be let on the construction work.

There is every possibility of the road being finished within a year. The syndicate backing this proposition is composed of men who have backed big engineering enterprises the world over. They do not delay or hesitate. The work when started will be pushed to the limit. The object is to place this road in operation.

When completed this road will be equipped with the best rolling stock obtainable. The time between San Antonio and Rockport will be cut down to three hours and forty-five minutes. From information secured a two-hour service as soon as possible in order to develop the small towns along the right of way.

The English syndicate has in view colonization schemes which will settle up the waste places through which the road travels. Towns will be built, industries promoted and a general scheme of development will be followed, which will be the making of this section of Texas.

The construction work will be started both on the San Antonio and the Rockport end of the survey. Transportation service will be given as the road progresses, and rolling stock will be placed in operation as soon as fifty miles of the road is built. From information secured from the gentlemen representing this railroad, this is a "live" proposition and a winner.

2 PECAN TREES SUPPORT FAMILY

St. Louis Expert Buyer Calls Abualuco Nut Bearers Most Remarkable in the World.

Abualuco, Mex., March 12.—Will Woldert of St. Louis has been buying pecans in Texas and Mexico for many years. He is a recognized authority not only on the nuts themselves, but on variety of trees that grow in various sections.

He says that the two most remarkable pecan trees upon the continent are here. He makes an annual pilgrimage to this place for the purpose of buying the nuts from these trees. The trip is a long and tiresome one, this place being situated 90 miles from Guadalajara.

Woldert says that the two pecan trees here are probably the largest and oldest in the world. They belong to a Mexican who is 90 years old and were regarded as very old trees in the boyhood of this man's grandfather. The old church which stands near the two trees bears the date of 1716, and it is considered probable that the nuts from which these pecan trees sprang were planted about the time the church was erected. Each tree is of enormous size. One of them is about 19 feet in diameter at the base. The limbs of each of the trees cover nearly one-quarter of an acre.

The Mexican owner and his large family depend solely upon the sale of the nuts for their support throughout the year, the annual production of each tree being about 50 bushels. Woldert has paid as high as \$300 each for the crop of these two trees.

TO REGULATE INSECTICIDES.

Insect Destroyers to Be Inspected Hereafter.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is now chief bug inspector of the United States. This new job came about with the passage of a law identical with the pure food and drugs act but covering all insecticides and fungicides. The new law is specific in declaring against misbranding insecticides. If a well meaning citizen puts up a compound that he says will rid a hen-house of bugs within a specified length of time, there seems no way to determine whether the compound is misbranded unless inspectors are able to determine whether or not the stuff will do the work, and this can only be accomplished by experiments. While the law limited rats among the insects to be prevented, the law officers are going to endeavor to strain a point and technically turn the rodents into bugs. When Congress passed the law it omitted one rather essential part. It did not make any appropriations for the enforcement. There is a chance, however, that the Secretary of Agriculture may be able to put in the intervening time in practicing with various brands of insect powder to see what practical effect they have. It is expected that Congress may ultimately make provision for taking testimony of insects to see what they think of compounds for their "destruction, mitigation or prevention."

Cone shells are used as a substitute for window glass in some parts of the Philippines.

In the majority of cases the sad look on the face of a man is due to overeating.

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M. C. REESE

Several railroads are pointing this way and they are all closely watching this section. This southwestern Texas region is a checkerboard upon which an interesting game is being played by the various railroad companies. Don't know just who will make the next play but there is going to be one made by someone, possibly more, and that in the near future. Our country in this section is just beginning to come unto her own, and within the next few years there are going to be some surprising and interesting developments here. There is not a prettier spot on God's footstool upon which to build a beautiful and flourishing city than where the Kimble county capital is situated. All Kimble needs is an opportunity to show her advantages. And just as sure as time rolls onward that opportunity is coming. A railroad will bring people here, it will bring in outside capital which will develop the innumerable and wonderful resources in these Kimble Climes and make them what they deserve to be, what they must be. Kimble's coming.

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WILL HANKINS

\$44,000 Land Deal

W. A. Quisenberry has just closed a large land deal in which he sold 5500 acres to Frank Baker, J. L. Wright and John Cowser. Consideration, \$8 per acre.

Died

On March 7 the Death Angel called a true home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sinclair and took away the spirit of their 12 days old baby leaving the home in sadness. Interment was made in the Copperas cemetery. The workings of the Omnipotent are not for the human mind to understand; when sorrow comes we can only trust Him who doeth all things well and look forward to a better world than this.

Kite Flyers, Warning!

I was kept busy a day or two this week untangling kites from the telephone wires. I take this method of warning all kite flyers that this telephone system is constructed and operated in accordance with the law and is protected by same. There is a heavy penalty attached to any interfering with the use of the lines and if these lines are not kept away from the lines I shall not hesitate to exercise the full power of the law. T. B. Phillips, Mgr. Junction Telephone Co.

Court Postponed

Word comes from Judge Martin that the coming term of District Court has been postponed to Monday, March 25. Let all interested parties take notice of this change.

Many Driven from Home

Every year in many parts of the country thousands are driven from their homes by colds and lung diseases. Friends and business are left behind for other climates, but this is costly and not always sure. A better way—the way of multitudes—is to use Dr. King's New Discovery and cure yourself at home. Stay right there, with your trial is and take this safe medicine. Throat and lung trouble find quick relief and health restored. Help in coughs, colds, grip, croup, whooping cough, sore lungs make it a positive chesting 50c and \$1.00. Trial not free. Guaranteed by J. A. Heyman.

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Junction Delegation Visits San Angelo

Two car loads of Junction business men and prominent citizens made a trip to San Angelo this week to confer with the business men there in regard to the railroad situation. Those who went were: Alex J. Hamer, H. E. Wilson, E. Holskamp, E. A. Loeffler, J. A. Heyman, L. Beasley, Fred Dunderstadt, Sr., T. S. Butland. The delegation attended a meeting of the Commercial Club in San Angelo Wednesday night, and returned home Thursday. They express the railroad outlook very favorable indeed. The city of San Angelo has five railroad propositions and it is said that this one now under consideration by our people is looked upon with most favor. The people of the Tom Green county capital are busy on the matter; the same may be said of Junction, Kerrville, San Antonio and all points on the proposed line—and the combined efforts of all are going to bring something to pass. Look out for the cars.

M. S. Nich is wants to figure out you at a moment you are thinking of buying. He represents one of the best companies in the state. He is an old hand at the business, traveled in the work over years, and can figure close and give you best prices and terms on all kinds of monuments, marble or granite. Iron fencing best prices, best quality. See him for anything in this line.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wahl moved back to town and Mr. Wahl has again accepted a position with Mueller Loeffler Jordan Co.

FROM LONDON

Dr. J. M. Burt is now cozily located in his new drug store.

Mrs. J. A. Harris is in Brady visiting her daughter Mrs. Grandville.

Rev. Chandler and family have moved back from Menard and are occupying their home in West London.

G. T. May returned Tuesday from a few days stay in Brady.

Mrs. Gus Jones has been confined to her bed several days with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Miss Tennie and Miss Belle McCollum spent Sunday at the A. J. Ivy ranch.

Jim Weaver won the ten dollar prize by riding the S. H. McCaleb horse Friday. There was a large crowd in town to see the riding.

ELEANOR

Attention Ladies!

We desire to organize a Civic League in Junction. For this purpose we earnestly urge every lady of the town interested in this movement to meet at residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Butland, Tuesday, March 19, at 3 p. m. to consider this matter. The ladies are doing a good work in this line all over America. Let the ladies of Junction get together and help beautify the town. Come

Revival Meeting

We are informed that Rev. M. J. Allen cannot be here to help in the meeting to begin at the Methodist Church Thursday night. Rev. Batchelor is now endeavoring to get other help and it is announced that a meeting will begin on the date set for it.

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Dinner

The Methodist ladies will serve a dinner in Junction, Tuesday of District Court week. Be sure to see them on that day if you want to enjoy a good meal. Proceed—go to new church fund.

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New Millinery at Racket Store.
That new yard fence at the
Hodges Hotel looks alright.

Hamburgers-F & M Restaurant
R. A. Pickens made a business
trip to Kerrville this week.

WANTED—49 loads of wood
on subscription.—CITIZEN
S. P. Bennett, of Copperas,
was in the city Thursday.

All feed, cash please.—Will
Hankins.

Dick Patton, of South Llano,
was in Junction Monday.

Fred Hall, of Bear Creek, was
in this city on business Friday.

J. W. White, of Mason, was in
Junction on business Thursday.

For cane and hay baled, also
cane seed, see J. D. Fisher.

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Jno. Miller, of Johnson Fork,
was in town on business Thurs-
day.

Miss Julia Cloud has returned
home after an extended visit in
Dallas.

John T. Wilson came in Mon-
day from his ranch in Western
Kimble.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore, of
Ozona, are here this week visit-
ing Mr. Moore's sister Mrs. John
Cowsert.

Miss Verdie Maddux, of Men-
ard, is visiting relatives and
friends in Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cross have
moved to the Hoy Smith place on
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has won its great reputation and
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It can be depended upon. Try it.
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Saturday from Eden and Lohn,
and filled his regular appoint-
ment here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dea Graves re-
turned Saturday from San Saba
where they have been visiting.
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sick. They report him no better.

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tism have been surprised and de-
lighted with the prompt relief af-
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lain's liniment. Not one case of
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This liniment is for sale by all
dealers.

10c ribbed hose at Racket Store.
ess Schreir was in from John
son Fork Friday.

W. A. Quisenberry had busi-
ness in Menard this week.

Bud Bartlett, of Edwards coun-
ty, was in Junction Thursday.

Get a chili at the Farmers &
Merchants' Restaurant.

W. C. Linden, of San Antonio,
was here on business this week.
Those cakes at the F & M
Restaurant taste good to me.

Judith R. Runge, of Mason,
was here on business Thursday.
Jas. Ragland and family have
returned from a visit in Menard.

Mrs. Harding, of Dallas, is
here visiting her father Capt. J.
W. Cloud.

Uncle Dan Gephart, of Yates
had business in the county capi-
tol Tuesday.

Josh Deats, of Telegraph com-
munity, was a visitor to Junction
Wednesday.

We have a complete stock of
ammunition and solicit your
trade. Come and see us.—Muel-
ler-Loeffler-Jordan Co.

Oscar Hurley, of Segovia, had
business which called him to
Junction Wednesday.

Moy Smith and family have
moved back to their farm three
miles from town on South Llano.

Lon Cowsert returned Thurs-
day from San Antonio where he
has been for several weeks on
business.

Mrs. J. S. Terry is still suffer-
ing very much from injuries
caused by a fall on the night of
February 25.

Charlie Henderson sold the
Junction Tailor Shop this week
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Panama Canal Engineer Will Be Luncheon Guest of William.

Berlin, March 12.—Emperor William has invited Lieut. Col. Geo. W. Goethals of the general staff of the United States army, and chief engineer of the canal, to luncheon at the palace on March 21. The emperor, thus interfering with the plans of Colonel Goethals to return immediately to Panama.

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SHOT ACROSS RIVER SIGNAL FOR INVASION.

El Paso, Tex., Mar. 12.—In instant readiness to cross the Rio Grande River, more than 4000 troops are stationed in the vicinity of El Paso under the command of Col. E. Z. Steever. There are available about 2000 men at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio. Orders from the War Department are for these men to cross at any time either Federal or rebel troops fire into American territory, endangering the lives of American citizens. Mounted patrols are constantly riding on the American side of the border keeping close watch on the situation.

Among army officers the opinion prevails that intervention is the only solution of the problem. For the past 30 days, conditions in Mexico have become constantly worse. A state of anarchy much worse than at any time during the Madero revolution prevails in Chihuahua, Coahuila, Sonora, Durango and Tamaulipas on the north and in half a dozen Mexican States to the south. The territory affected is more than half the entire area of Mexico. Residents in this territory are the larger portion of Americans in Mexico and in these States the Americans and other foreigners have the largest investments.

Foreigners Are in Danger. Several thousand Americans and other foreigners have fled the country. Those remaining are believed to be in peril of their lives. Should the American soldiers cross the border, it is believed the Mexicans would retaliate by a wholesale slaughter of the American residents. As the bandits make little distinction between Americans and other foreigners, all would be in practically the same danger.

Business is at a complete standstill. Hundreds of mines have been closed. American ranches are being wrecked. Business houses are forced to close because of lack of business.

The fact that the United States considers the situation to be serious, is shown by the fact that artillery equipped with long range guns has been ordered to the border. At no time during all the disturbances in Mexico last year was artillery sent to the border to prevent violations of the neutrality laws. Artillery was sent to Fort Sam Houston, but not from there to the border.

The big guns of the Third Artillery could reduce Juarez to ruins by firing across the river. It would not be necessary for a single American soldier to cross the Rio Grande river. The Mexican garrison and the entire Mexican town are within easy range from the American side.

Will Electrocute Woman

Massachusetts Authorities Will Set New Precedent in That State.

Plymouth, Mass., March 12.—For the first time in Massachusetts criminal procedure, a woman, Mrs. Lena Cusumano, was yesterday sentenced to death in the electric chair by Judge Quinn in the Plymouth superior court here.

Enrico Mascioli, whose name has been Angloized into "Henry Marshall," and who was convicted jointly with Mrs. Cusumano for the murder of the woman's husband in September of 1910, also was sentenced to death. Both sentences are to be carried out in the State prison at Charlestown during the week beginning June 2.

Corpus Christi.—A tyrant of thirty-five jurors was exhausted in an effort to obtain five additional jurors to complete the panel in the case of John Bigleben, who is on trial for criminal assault. But two more jurors were accepted and the sheriff has been ordered to summon fifty jurors for Friday morning.

Pleasanton.—P. L. Vickers has announced himself as a candidate for district clerk of this county in opposition to T. A. Crawford.

Stamford.—E. R. Kone, Commissioner of Agriculture, has detailed J. W. Noll, one of the State lecturers for the Department of Agriculture, to spend six days in Jones county addressing the farmers on practical agriculture. The dates and details have been left with the Stamford Commercial Club to work out.

During 1911, New York averaged one murder every 34 hours. The government of Venezuela has established a national bureau of sanitation.

MORE BABIES, LESS INCOME TAX

PROPOSED LAW GIVES \$200 RELIEF FROM TAXATION FOR EACH CHILD UNDER 18 YEARS OLD.

Des Moines, Ia., March 12.—To encourage an increase in the population of Iowa, which showed a loss by the late Federal census, a premium on babies is proposed by J. H. McConlogue of Mason City, member of the State Tax Commission, in a new tax law he has drafted for consideration by the next Iowa Legislature. This law proposes to relieve a man of taxation on \$200 for every child he has in his family. The plan is incorporated in the income tax law just drafted by McConlogue, which provides a tax on all incomes over one thousand dollars with relief from taxation extended \$200 for every child under 18 years in the family. This is looked upon by many as one way to pension parents, the only drawback being that the parent gains nothing financially by having children unless his income is over \$1000 annually.

While a single man must pay an income of \$100 and over, if he has a wife his exemption from taxation is raised to \$1500. Here is encouragement for a man to wed, and as his earning capacity increases, to rear a family.

Power of the Sun

Enormous Energy It Pours Out Almost Past Comprehension.

The enormous energy which is constantly poured out by the sun, is almost past the comprehension of the lay mind.

Measurements have shown that on a clear sunny day the sun transmitted to the earth energy which corresponded to about 7000 horse power per acre. At present all that is practically wasted. Attempts have from time to time been made to utilize this enormous supply of energy but not with any great measure of success. If people only knew how to harness it they could, at the expense of lowering the temperature of the earth by a degree or so, obtain all the power necessary to perform the work of the world. Only about three-fifths of the energy sent to the earth from the sun is appreciable to the eye as light. If the sun were twice as hot as it is, four-fifths would be appreciable in that way, and if it were still hotter the whole of the energy would affect the eye as light. Radiant energy is not heat; that is, the energy of the sun does not reach the earth in the form of heat. It is not heat at all until it falls on bodies whose temperature can be raised. It might rather be called electricity; in fact, it is a form of electricity, for all the methods used to detect and measure radiant energy depend upon absorbing it and transforming it into heat.

Smithville.—The till of the ticket office of the Katy Railroad was tapped to the tune of \$113. Mr. Stewart, the agent, has no trail of the robbers.

"MODEL TOWN" SODOM OF AMERICA

PREACHER FLEES GARY, IND., WHICH HE PRONOUNCES MORE IMMORAL THAN NEW ORLEANS.

Gary, Ind., Mar. 12.—The Rev. Nelson H. Trimble, pastor of the Church of Christ, has quit his job and fled from the "Sodom of America," so that he might not be among the victims when the town is destroyed.

In his letter of resignation, which reached the trustees of the church after Trimble had departed, bag and baggage, the preacher declares the Steel Corporation will not permit a church to obtain building ground and that the men who live in the town prefer saloons to churches. He further says:

"There were between 200 and 300 saloons in Gary, several of these run under the supervision of the steel company and one, at least, in one of their buildings. The saloons had Gary by the throat, making it the most despicable city in America by all who hoped for social reform. But still the steel company made it as hard to get a church in their subdivision as they could.

"I soon learned that there was a red light district in Gary which was as well known as the mills, and run openly, a red light district that was as defiant and as rotten in its putrefaction as any in America, not excluding New Orleans, where sugar, cotton and lost women are openly advertised as staples."

San Angelo.—A blow was received on the forehead fifteen years ago in a railroad wreck in South Texas, caused Melvin Dunham, a mechanic to go insane three months ago, according to belief expressed by relatives and doctors at the insanity trial of the man in the County Court. The wound healed, leaving a pressure on the forehead of the brain. His mind was not affected until three months ago. The jury instructed that Dunham be sent to the State asylum and that an operation be performed on his head to release the brain from the pressure.

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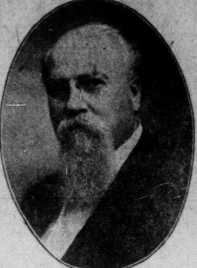
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Railroad To Fredericksburg

Accepting a proposition made by
R. A. Love, formerly of St. Joseph,
Mo., who has been engaged for the
last few years in railroad building,
directors of the Chamber of Com-
merce have paved the way for the
construction of a long-desired rail-
road to extend between Fredericks-
burg and a connection with the San
Antonio & Aransas Pass railroad at
Comfort or Waring. Mr. Love asked
through the Chamber of Com-
merce for a cash bonus of \$50,000
from San Antonio, or, if preferred,
subscription to \$150,000 first mort-
gage 6 per cent bonds of the rail-
road. The directors of the Chamber
of Commerce reserved until March
15 decision as to which of the two
propositions to accept, but promised
support in one way or the other.

Mr. Love agreed to deposit an ap-
proved bond in the sum of \$25,000
to guarantee that he would have the
railroad completed and trains run-
ning over it within eighteen months
after the agreement is signed with
the people of Gillespie county, which
agreement is dependent on the ac-
tion taken in San Antonio, and does
not ask that any of the bonus be
paid or bonds taken until the rail-
road is completed. Mr. Love said
actual construction of the line will
be begun before April 1, the approval
of the project by the San Antonio
Chamber of Commerce having prac-
tically determined the road will be
built. He said the railroad will not
stop at Fredericksburg, but will be
extended 125 to 150 miles farther,
probably to either San Angelo or
Brownwood, and later the railroad
company will extend its own rails
into San Antonio. It is required by
the terms of the agreement with the
Chamber of Commerce that head-
quarters of the line shall be in San
Antonio.

I own two miles either side
of the house here."

"I understand Bear creek is most-
ly government property," Stockton
said. "That is a great benefit to us
in the beginning. Besides, the mouth
of the canon is more suited to our
plans."

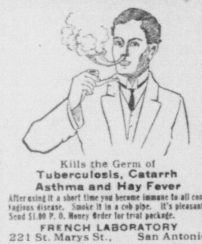
"I met both your other engineers,"
Grinly went on quickly. "One of them
was dead taken with my place. Said
he'd vote for it in a minute!"

"It doesn't appeal to me as being
the more favorable of the two,"
Stockton stated. "However, I've un-
til the end of the week before mak-
ing a decision."

"We've a phone here," the owner
spoke up. "Any time you're bound
this way, let me know, and I'll show
you around. I believe you'll come
around to my way of thinking be-
fore you leave."

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Stockton looked up quickly, and
met Grinly's sharp, black eyes. What
did he mean by that last remark?
Finally, when the engineer was
leaving and just drawing himself in-
to the saddle, a figure passed across
the door of the stable. With an ex-
clamation, Stockton turned to the
other.

"What's he doing here?"
"Who's that? Trent? Why, he's
my nephew—been here for a month
or more on a vacation. Know him?"
"Yes—I know him," Stockton an-
swered, and rode away. What was
the discharged purchasing engineer
doing in this canon?

CHAPTER IV.

Fool's Luck.
As Howard Stockton disappeared
on the canon, Trent, frowning, came
out of the barn, and joined Grinly.
Both men started silently after the
figure on horseback until it slipped
from view behind a clump of rocks.

"Stockton's here for the Consol-
dated, isn't he?" Trent was the first
to speak.

"Yes," And Grinly smiled. "He's
dead against my place, too."

Trent ruminated a moment. "Well,
you bought Lawson, and if you can
get Stockton for the same price you'll
clear up a snug little sum on this
deal. Two engineers in favor of your
canon means a certain success."

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**FORMER TENANT, R. O. HILLIARD
SHOT GEORGETOWN MAN TO
DEATH, THEN ENDED HIS OWN
LIFE.**

Georgetown, Texas, March 12.—J.
T. Sneed, father of J. Beal Sneed,
principal in the Sneed-Boyce murder
trial which resulted in a mistrial at
Fort Worth last week, was shot and
killed here by one of his former farm
tenants, R. O. Hilliard of Rosebud,
Falls county, who then turned the
weapon upon himself, ending his own
life.

He left a note declaring his motive
to be revenge.

Hilliard was in no manner related
to either the Sneed or Boyce families.
Captain Sneed, who was one of the
leading citizens of this section of the
State, at the time the tragedy oc-
curred, about 9:30 a. m., had gone
to the postoffice here to get his mail.
Hilliard is said to have walked in,
and then crouched beside the door,
apparently awaiting Mr. Sneed's exit.

New Slides On Panama Canal

Great Earth Cracks, Bulging at Bot-
tom, Cause Alarm.

Colon, Panama, Mar. 5.—Two
enormous earth slides in Culebra cut
already have thrown 1,000,000 cubic
yards of earth into the deepest por-
tions of the Panama canal and threat-
en worse. Earth cracks promise still
a third slide, which may assume even
more alarming proportions.

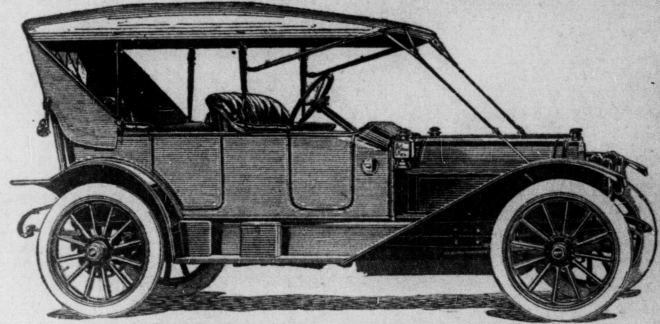
The first slide was of about 250,-
000 yards and took place on the east
bank. It tore away a big section of
the roadway 95 feet wide along the
side of the cut and closed part of
the drainage ditch. All railroad tracks
in the vicinity of the Pioneer cut will
have to be relocated and graded
anew.

Near the site of this slide the earth
is cracked in all directions, and canal
diggers fear a great earth slipper.
The other slide, on the west side of
the cut, is upon the site of the great
slide of two years ago. In the words
of the Canal Commission employees,
it has "become active" again. Three
quarters of a million cubic yards of
earth and rock have already gone in,
and the end is believed not yet.

Added alarm was caused here sev-
eral days ago by the publication in a
leading Panama newspaper of a re-
port that the bottom of the cut had
bulged up, owing to the pressure of
the slides upon the earth walls.

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To illustrate the "officiousness" of
some churches, Rev. John Timothy
Stone told a story of a man who
sat through a service one Sunday
morning wearing his hat.

When requested to do so by the
usher, he removed his hat, smiling-
ly. The usher asked him after-

wards if he had worn the hat in
poorly or if it was merely an in-
dignified negligence.

"No," said the man, "I have
been attending this church regu-
larly for nearly two years and no
one has ever spoken to me in all
that time. I just thought I would
leave my hat on my head this morn-
ing to see if it would serve as an
introduction to some one. I am
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ON HIS HONOR

By Roland Ashford Phillips.

In the life of the truest man honor sometimes weakens at the
call of love or impulse. But real honor is strong, even unto
death, and it rarely "takes the count." A young engineer allowed
love to entice him to the brink of a precipice, but the call of con-
science would not be stilled—and well—even at one minute to
twelve it is not midnight.

(Continued from Last Week.)

"Stockton's heart took an unex-
pected leap. "I—I should like to
have the opportunity," he faltered,
somewhat stunned by the propo-
sition.

"I need a man I can trust—but
every confidence in, and I believe
you have proven your worth to me,
Mr. Stockton. Can you arrange to
leave by the end of the week?"

Stockton hurriedly admitted that
he could.

"Very good. I realize that you
are well studied in the engineering
possibilities along our line, and
want you to make close and earnest
observations in this matter. We
have two canons in view: the El
Tovar and the Bear Creek. As yet
we are undecided which one to
use. One or the other of them
should offer better advantages. I
have sent two other trusted men for
the same purpose, and the directors
will adopt the suggestions of the
majority—two out of three. Drop
in here tomorrow morning and I
will give you more definite direc-
tions. I feel I can put this con-
fidence in you, young man, and
trust it will not be misplaced. It is
a half-million-dollar proposition
for us, and we cannot well afford
to go about it at random."

Stockton felt as if a dozen years
had been added to his age in these
few minutes. "I shall do my very
best," Mr. Grinly, and you can de-
pend upon me to the utmost. I want
to be worthy of your confidence."

He went home that night with
tingling nerves and flushed face.

Before the supper was over, he
laid bare the plans to Molly Creelan
and her mother, with whom he
boarded. Now, Howard Stockton,
for all his ambitions and earnest
endeavors was only human and the
constant association with Molly had
awakened an interest that was far
deeper and deeper than mere friend-
ship. Mrs. Creelan, a widow, looked
upon the match with favorable eyes.
So far, Stockton was only awaiting
the chance for advancement before
bringing matters to a happy conclu-
sion.

"It'll probably mean a better po-
sition and a great deal more salary,"
he enthused, after they had finished
the meal and were sitting out on
the cool, vine-shaded porch. "And
that'll mean—we can be married by
spring, Molly!"

"I knew you would succeed," the
girl encouraged. "I just knew it,
Howard." Her eyes were shining.
"It's going to mean a great deal
more to us both, isn't it?"

Mrs. Creelan interrupted them at
this moment. "I happened to re-
member your mentioning Credele,
Howard," she said. "That is where
Molly's father had some mining
property. Since the death we never
have been able to find out much
about it. Perhaps you may be able
to look up the matter."

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CHURCHES

METHODIST—First Sunday, Gentry street and Fourth Junction, Third, Copperas Sunday school 9:45 Prayer meeting Thursday night.

BAPTIST—Sunday School 9:30 a. m.

Services First Second and Third Sundays in each month, morning and evening. Midweek services each Wednesday night. B. Y. P. U. usual time. Rev. B. W. Simms, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Services Third Sunday in each month, 11 a. m. Other services by appointment. Rev. Richard decker, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN—Services Fourth Sunday in each month, morning and night.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services every Fourth Saturday night and every Fourth Sunday, 11 a. m. and afternoon 2:30.

SECRET ORDERS

A F & A M

Junction City Lodge No. 548, meets second Saturday in each month. W. A. Quisenberry, v. s. W. P. Riley, Sec.

W O W

Mountain Camp No. 414, Meets First Saturday. J. N. Hodges C. C. W. P. Riley, Clerk.

W. C.

Woodmen Circle meets second and fourth Wednesday afternoons in each month. Mrs. Beatrice Wright, Guardian. Mrs. Lilla Chenault, Clerk.

M O P

Meets Saturday night before the 4th Sunday in each month. C. R. Stinson S. A.

K O P P

Junction Lodge No. 283, meets 2nd Wednesday and 4th Saturday in each month. W. R. McKee, C. C.

Q. E. S.

Meets every Friday night 8:00 p. m. at 505, Hill, Emerson, Secretary.

Junction City Chapter No. 497 meets 2nd Saturday afternoon and 4th Thursday evening of each month.

Mrs. Ethel Atkinson, W. M.
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SOCIETIES

W. B. Robertson Chapter U. D. meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays in each month. Mrs. Dora Boone, President. Miss Minnie Stephens, Treasurer.

Woman's Home Mission society meets Friday before second Sunday in each month. Mrs. J. T. Cisset, Pres. Mrs. J. N. Hodges, Treas. Miss Lilla Chenault, Sec. Mrs. F. M. Chas., Cor. Sec.

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Emil Leffler
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Resolutions of Sympathy

Whereas Almighty God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to call from labor to reward, Mrs. N. A. Younger, the beloved grandmother of our sister and so every one who is called to the life of the hereafter by death, we, the undersigned, do hereby extend to her family our sincere sympathy and our prayers for the repose of her soul.

First—That we extend to her family our sincere sympathy and our prayers for the repose of her soul.

Second—That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, spread upon the minutes of our church, and furnished the findings and the findings of our church, with requests for its publication.

Resolutions of Sympathy

Whereas God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to lay the hand of affliction on our sister and brother sovereign John and B. H. Hokekam, by removing from Earth to Heaven their beloved brother Mr. Wm. Muegge.

Therefore be it resolved by Mountain Grove, No. 606, Junction, Texas.

First—That we extend to our bereaved sovereigns our earnest and sincere sympathy in their hour of trial, and lovingly commend them to God who is able to "carry our sorrows."

Second—That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, spread upon the minutes of our church, and furnished the findings and the findings of our church, with requests for its publication.

Beatrice Wright
Lilla Chenault
Katie K. Hodges

The above resolutions were adopted by Mountain Grove, Junction, Texas, at their regular meeting March 13, 1912

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"Why does he write of this?" some reader may ask himself. "The meeting is to be a Methodist meeting." True enough, but many of us are hoping and praying that many blessings shall fall upon us as a people during the meeting beginning Friday night before the fourth Sunday in March.

Now let's get ready for it. We can do much before hand. We can first get right ourselves with God. If we have neglected Him, His word work and worship if we have become worldly, indifferent and neglectful, if we have left off our devotions, our Bible study, right living, and do let's get right with our Lord. He is the promise: "If my people who are called by my name shall sin, and I bring upon them distresses," etc etc. "If my people who are called by my name will humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn away from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven, my dwelling place, will forgive their sins and I will heal their land." Let every professor of religion take this scripture to heart. God says: "Return unto me, O backsliding Israel, and I will return unto you (I) get back to me and I will get near to thee. The next thing to do is to help someone else to get ready. Help some fallen brother to rise. Lift up the feeble faintest, feeblest, kneed church member. If you try to help him, you will yourself be helped. Then try to lead some unbeliever to the Lamb of God. Do try to be instrumental in the salvation of some soul. It is a privilege angels might covet. Another way to help: Make it possible for some one else to attend church if you cannot do so. Urge the husband, the son, the daughter, the visitor in your home, the wife, the father, urge someone every day to go to church.

Do not be sidetracked by the devil's suggestion. "You will not believe in what he (the preacher) says." How do you know this? Besides, you may agree with many good things he will say. Eat the good and lay by the bones of contention. But every Christian man or woman can get in part some good, some way, by attending most any religious meeting that is sanely conducted. So! So I beg lets all get ready for the meeting.

B. W. N. Simms