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Bro. Drake Comes Back

Our Methodist brethren in particular and everybody in general are glad that Rev. S. J. Drake has been assigned another year as pastor of the Methodist church at Kerrville. We should all regret to lose him and his estimable family. This is his fourth year here.

The full list of appointments for the San Antonio District are given below:

Presiding elder, S. H. C. Burgin; Alamo, A. N. James; Government Hill, T. N. Barton; Laurel Heights, C. H. Booth; Prospect Hill, N. B. Reed; South Heights, F. M. Jackson; McKinley Avenue, S. B. Johnson, Alamo Heights, G. Hartsfield; Travis Park, D. E. Hawk; West End, L. E. Booth; Hillcrest, S. L. Batchelor; San Antonio Mission, J. W. Slaemaker; Bandera, J.H. Meredith; Boerne, R. W. Fisher; Comfort, R. E. Duke; Fowlerton, J. Redmon; Jourdanton, S. W. Kerer; Kerrville station, S. J. Drake; Medina, A. C. Gentle, supply; Poteet, R. H. O'Barr; Pleasanton station, S. C. Dunn; President San Antonio Female College, J. E. Harrison; district commissioner of education, J. E. Harrison; principal Marshall Training School, J. T. Curry; Commissioner of Mission Home and Training School, J. D. Scott; conference field Sunday school secretary, A. E. Rector.

Tivy vs. S.

The first of a serie collegiate foot ball g pulled off Saturday on Athletic Field between tonio Academy and Tivy teams. Much interest aroused and a large crowd ted to be present.

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Bandera Local Notes.

From Regular Correspondent.

Two youthful offenders were in Justice Chas. T. Johnson's Court Monday charged with a misdemeanor, to which each pleaded guilty, after which both young men promised the officers that there would be repetition of the offense.

n County Court, convened Monday, Oct. 20, at which time the final unt of D. T. Lewis executor of state of Mrs. Minnie Morgdeceased, was approved and the will of admitted to probMrs. Fartin appointed also San

second son panied A. L. Mansfield, Messrs. A. Antonio by his Thalmann, by D. J. O. s operated up- B. Langf Friday morning. last Th fletcher was quite on f part of last week but of fever and improving.

d Mrs. I. N. Fletcher are from the Sabinal visiting the ly of their son Bob.

Three-fifths of the membership of the local bar was in Medina Saturday the 25th, C. L. Patterson, W. S. Ethridge and the County Atty.

We presume from the proximity of the new school building of the handsome residence of Dr. Butler that the Doctor is averse to having his children walk any great distance to school.

As a result of the resignation of Tax Assessor J. R. Hankinson, there are several avowed applicants for the position. The friends of our popular and efficient surveyor Jos. Chisum, and those of Mr. Mark McBryde, of the Medina community, have been actively at work circulating petitions. We understand that K. F. Dugosh and F. R. Caffall will also make application.

Mr. Will Leavell was over from Kerrville last week trying to interest our people in the "Ford" and "Singer."

Birthday Party

Master Louis Domingues invited his classmates and a few neighbors to help him celebrate his 13sh birthday Tuesday afternoon. Numerous games were played and all had a thoroughly good time. Sandwiches, cake, and chocolate were served. There was much merriment when the birthday cake was cut. Milton Gold found the ring, Clarence Mosel the dime, and Elizabeth Locke the button. All departed, wishing Master Louis many happy returns of the day.

Protestant Church Intelligenc

Rev. Brunner last Sunday night at Comfort, held a brief service, the first since his recent illness. Miss Florence accompanied him and sang to a good sized audience.

The coming Saturday being All Saints Day holy communion will be celebrated at St. Peter's Episcopal church at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Next Sunday, Nov. 2nd, the Rt. Rev'd Bishop of West Texas will make Kerrville a visit. He will preach at the 11 o'clock service at St. Peter's church. Miss Brunner will sing a selection appropriate to the season.

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(Regular Corres nce)

W. E. Pafford we o San Antonio Saturday to ult a cancer specialist. eturned Monday

L. N. Co o where had been from San on busi rs. C. H. Sloan and E.

Mr. San Antonio are visiting J. here.

M. Painter has bought the ck dairy and truck farm in the part of town.

Leo Barney and family left Saturday for their new ranch home near Rock Springs.

Bro. Duke was returned here as pastor of the Methodist church for another year. Besides Rev. and Mrs. Duke who attended the Annual Conference at San Antonio were: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruff, Mrs. T. D. Wills, Misses Mamie and Mabel Cocke, Dee Richarhson, H. G. Eden, and Dr. Merritt.

Dick Swayze went down to San Antonio to attend a big Masonic meeting.

G. W. Lewis Jr. went to San Antonio today to attend to some business and take in the Tinners Convention.

There was an Associational Board meeting at the Baptist church here Tuesday. The following were among those present from other points: Revs. T. F. Huffman, Harper; D. P. Airhart and Robb and Mr. Gammon of Kerrville; and Messrs. R. D. Garison, Medina; R. N. Padgett, Tarpley, and A. L. Mansfield, Bandera.

J. E. Palmer returned Monday evening from attendance at the Prohibition mass-meeting at Dallas last Saturday. He reports a good time and a harmonious convention. He says it was the general opinion of those present that Prohibition candidates would win in the State election next year and that we would adopt a Statewide Probition amendment in 1915. The sooner the better, so pass it along.

Boys' Corn Club Prizes Awarded

At a special meeting of the Kerr County Boys' Corn Club held in connection with the regular meeting of the Kerr County Farmers Institute at the court house last Saturday, prizes were awarded to the boys as follows:

William Edwards, 13 years old, 1st prize of $65 cash with 63 bushels to his credit.

Erbane Edwards, 2nd prize of $40 cash, 62 bushels and 37 pounds.

Arthur Edwards, 3rd prize of $20 cash, 56 bushels and 32 pounds.

The three winners are brothers and sons of W. R. Edwards, living on the Kerrville-Bandera road near Camp Verde.

No boy had less than 45 bushels to his credit and several others besides the winners went above the 50-bushel mark.

The cash prizes were given by Capt. Chas. Schreiner and for the coming year they will be increased to $150; of this $90 will apply on strictly dry farming and $60 on sub-irrigated land.

Ed. R. Kone, Commissioner of Agriculture, and Sam Neill, State Lecturer for Farmers' Institutes, were both present and addressed the meeting.

Considerable interest has been aroused in the Boys' Corn Club and it is expected that over 100 members will be enrolled for the coming year.

Prof. Alvin Dille was again chosen president and J. M. Hamilton was re-elected secretary of the club.

Notice Hunters.

No hunting with gun or dog will be allowed in my pastures on Camp meeting, West and Bear creeks. Parties violating this notice will be prosecuted.

J. T. S. Gammon.

Fredericksburg Railroad Completed.

Fredericksburg, Texas, Oct. 27.—The last rail of the San Antonio, Fredericksburg & Northern Railroad was spiked down this afternoon at 6 o'clock. So far as track laying is concerned the road is now complete.

A locomotive came puffing and wheezing up to the point where the station will be built. As it approached the whistle cord was tied down and a long blast echoed and re-echoed by the hills heralded the news that Fredericksburg now has something for which its citizens have been striving for more than a quarter of a century. A fair size crowd was gathered to see the last rail put down, but when the whistle gave forth the tidings people came from their homes and soon a wild shouting mob gathered around the train. It was an hour of triumph for those who have worked and dreamed of seeing a train enter the town.

A special meeting of the Business Men's Progressive League was called tonight and the date for the celebration was set for November 18, 19 and 20.

Your subscription may be due.

Real Estate Deals

The Denny place, now occupied by Judge R. A. Dunbar, formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baxter, has been bought by D. A. Walker and C. C. Fawcett of San Antonio and Judge Dunbar. This property adjoins the Fair grounds and is a part of the S. A. Rees home place. It contains 215 acres and has a river front as well as on Town creek.

The Advance is informed that it is proposed to extend Water street to this property and to subdivide the land into blocks for residences. There are many pretty views on it and the land is fertile.

There is considerable demand for ranches in the Kerrvilie country and the city is steadily growing. Our mountain climate is not equaled in Texas, and there is no better all round farming and ranch lands, and for cattle, sheep, goats, horses and mules this country stands at the head.

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The Sacred Ballot.

Apropos the "sacredness" of the ballot, after the last election in which I took part, I asked a laborer (who had nothing to fear from me) how he voted. "God knows," was the answer "I don't."

"Not know how you voted?" I said; "what on earth do you mean?" "Well, sir,' he explained, "this here ballot is sacred, ain't it? So I sez, 'Let God decide,' and I sez a prayer to him, and I shuts my eyes and makes my mark. He knows where I puts 'un, I don't."—Correspondence of the London Observer.

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Gentle Hint.

"Pardon me," said the waiter, "but I believe that newspaper you are reading is yesterday's."

The patient guest sighed.

"Mayhap, mayhap!" he replied, "but it was today's I am sure—when I gave you my order."

But the serving-person, being dermatologically prepared for such remarks, refused to hurry.

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Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy. Adv.

Always on the Trail.

"What is a nemesis?" asked the politician's wife.

"Nemesis," replied the politician, "is the thing that will continue to spread out against you, mighty evil by word, by pen whom you once foolishly by ballot, where and whenever political job."

portunity is afforded.

Nail in the Foot.

cattle are liable to blood om stepping on rusty nails. n injury apply Hanford's Myrrh and get it into the the wound. It should kill germs. Always have a bot- stable, because you will uses for it. Adv.

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Forage Crops Fully as Important as Cotton and Corn.

PROFITABLE AS WINTER FEED

Every Farmer Should Make Growing of Fodder a Big Part of His Farm Operations, Selecting Piece of Land for Purpose.

(By G. H. ALFORD.)

The question of forage crops is not a difficult problem for southern farmers. Almost every farm crop grown can be used for forage. There are, however, many plants that will produce forage in abundance.

Every farmer should make the growing of forage an important part of his farm operations. Each year a large piece of land should be selected especially for the growing of forage crops. Forage crops are of fully as much importance as cotton and corn, but they are usually neglected crops.

The turnip crop should be considered of great value. Prepare the land thoroughly, manure heavy, plant in drills three feet apart, when the leaf is as large as a dime, thin to 15 inches and cultivate often, and you will raise a great quantity and find that the crop is very profitable for winter feeding.

For the earliest spring feed, sow oats, rye or wheat in the fall. Sow two bushels per acre on fertile soil, liberally manured and well prepared. These crops usually produce feed by the first of March and furnish good hay if cut in the dough stage.

Crimson, white, burr and red clovers are valuable winter crops to plant. September and October are the best months for seeding, and to be sure of a big crop plant on fertile soil and a perfect seed bed, using plenty of manure and 200 pounds of acid phosphate per acre. Sow from 15 to 20 pounds of seed per acre. The yield of hay on thoroughly prepared fertile soil is about one and one-half tons per acre. The corn crop planted on this clover stubble will never fail you. As high as 20 tons of silage corn is often grown on clover sod.

Alfalfa excels every other crop in yield per acre, in feeding value, and as a soil enricher, when grown on land to which it is well adapted.

For a large yield of hay, sow one bushel of wheat or oats and 15 pounds crimson or red clover per acre. The crops are cut when the clover is in full bloom. It is easy to make two tons of hay per acre on fertile soil, and these hays are milk and fat producing feeds.

Hairy vetch and wheat or oats are also fine for grazing and hay. More land is being seeded each year to this mixture, and the farmers all like it.

Fall or spring sown oats furnish grazing and make a capital hay when cut in the dough stage. At Baton Rouge, La., two and one-half acres were planted in oats at the experiment station for grazing on September 28. October 29 seven Poland China pigs weighing in total 276 pounds were put on the oats and given no feed during the winter. On February 17 the pigs weighed a total of 568 pounds, or an average gain of .37 pound per pig per day for 110 days. From October 29 to January 1 45 head of sheep were pastured on this same plat.

Rape will produce more green forage in the south during the winter months than any other one plant or combination of plants that can be grown. It has been demonstrated by the experiment station that an acre of good rich land sown to rape will produce as much pork when used as a hog pasture as the same acre planted to corn and well cultivated. It can be grown a great deal cheaper than corn. One or more acres should be planted on every farm every year.

Wheat, oats, rye, and barley make a good mixture for grazing and hay. When sown in September or October on good land, it may be grazed all the dry days from November 1 to March 1 and then hay may be harvested the latter part of May or the first of June.

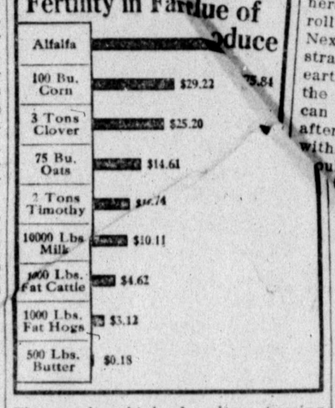
There is hardly an end to the summer crop that can be grown for forage. Every farmer is entitled to his choice, and while sorghum and other crops produce an abundance of high-class feed per acre we must not fail to keep in mind the fertility of the soil.

It is possible to have a rotation of very fine forage crops that will improve the soil. Cow peas, soy beans, peanuts, alfalfa, the vetches and clovers furnish grazing and hay and rapidly increase the fertility of the soil.

At the Louisiana station corn with cowpeas grown in the corn and peanuts gave 450 pounds of pork per acre. The peanuts were planted after oats, which, during the winter, furnished grazing that gave 200 pounds of pork per acre and a crop of oats besides. The peanuts planted after oats gave an average of 400 pounds of pork and this added to 200 pounds from grazing the oats made a total of 600 pounds of pork per acre and a crop of oats besides.

Sweet potatoes give from 400 to 750 pounds of pork per acre. If we take an average at 500 pounds and add to it 200 pounds from grazing the oats which preceded the sweet potatoes, we get 700 pounds of pork per acre for the season, plus a crop of oats harvested.

At the Mississippi delta station, after the crop was gathered, pigs were turned into the pea field, and made a gain from this of 170 pounds per acre. They had additional feed.



The results obtained when turning hogs, cattle, sheep and other stock into velvet beans after the corn is harvested are more than satisfactory.

The soy bean is probably the best annual legume to grow for forage in the cotton belt. Whether used as a hay, grain or for grazing it is a very valuable feed for live stock. Soy-bean hay is practically identical in feeding value with alfalfa, and yields from two to three tons per acre. The grain is more valuable than cottonseed meal as a supplementary feed in the production of pork, mutton, wool, beef, milk and butter. A bushel of soy beans is at least twice as valuable for feed as a bushel of corn.

Spanish peanuts will produce good crops on comparatively poor land, when well fertilized and cultivated. Prof. Duggar at the Alabama station found an acre of Spanish peanuts produced 600 pounds of live weight in hogs. This was after the tops had been cut with a mower and saved for hay. The growing of peanuts after oats and on other land, and the use of the mowing machine or the thresher and hay press, will promote the raising of good live stock and add much to the fertility of the soil.

Cow pens without grain usually give better results than other crops. One season a crop of peas grown on bottom land produced 483 pounds of pork per acre. Peas furnish most excellent grazing for all kinds of stock.

Milo maize, Kaffir corn, millet and other crops furnish excellent forage, but a crop of corn and cow peas, soy beans, peanuts, or velvet beans can be grown on the same land at the same time and furnishes a world of valuable feed and increases the fertility of the soil at the same time. This being true, let us call particular attention to the importance of cow peas, peanuts and soy beans planted in the corn at the last working as a factor in the production of large quantities of cheap forage. All kinds of stock can be turned into the field after the corn is harvested and will soon be rolling fat.

Every farmer who keeps as many as ten head of stock should build a silo. The cost is small. For filling the silo corn is king. The yield of corn on fertile soil is seldom under ten tons per acre, and often as high as 20 tons per acre.

No man can make the best use of forage crops without adequate fencing. Around every field run a woven wire fence 20 inches high, with two strands of barb wire above. Also use several hundred yards of the hurdle or portable fence to divide the fields into lots of any size. This fence is simple and cheaply made and can be stored under a shed until needed.

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BEES ARE QUITE PROFITABLE

Honey Gatherers Are Only Producers on Farm That Yield Profit Without Cost of Feed.

(By WESLEY FORSTER, Colorado State Bee Inspector.)

If people knew what a great source of profit is found in the keeping of bees, and how interesting the work there wouldn't be an unused square foot of ground on any farm in the United States.

Bees are the only producers known to husbandry that yield a profit without cost of feed. They find their own pasture. They multiply so rapidly that they more than pay for the small initial expense of housing them, and the first cost of equipment is almost trifling.

Bee culture may be made profitable by the children of the farm, or by the women members of the family. It may be carried on successfully in conjunction with the keeping of poultry or growing of fruit. In the latter case, apiculture is found to be a great help toward more fruit and better fruit.

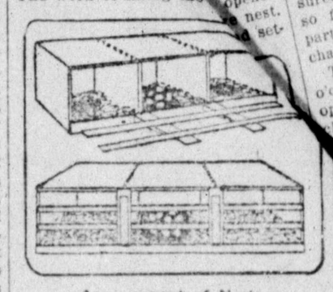
Bees are little trouble, and require only occasional attention. They are easily handled and readily controlled. Best of all, they give a real service in hard cash, and that counts most on the farm.

FARM POULTRY

ARRANGEMENT OF NE

Canadian Expert Recommends Earth or Overturned Sod With Straw or Ch

A nest can be made out box about 12 inches squa inches deep. Professor Gr Ontario Agricultural col mends that "some earth turned sod be placed in th the box, taking care to h ners very full so that n roll out from the hen and Next put on about two straw or chaff; and then earthenware eggs into the the nest in some pen wh can disturb the hen, and after dark. Feed and w within easy reach and could also be convenie to setting quietly th safe to put the three b cut in nest box th used for satisfaction and the nests. A inch board partitions about len same material be fo Along the front bottom. The to keep in the litt ade of the a slatted door, wh ot lengths. forms a platform in inch strip The work of filling the is hinged opened nest.



Arrangement of Nests.

ting the hen can be proceeded with as already described. These boxes may be piled one above the other.

When the hens are let off the nests to feed, the doors of the nest boxes should be closed, which compels the hens to remain on the floor until they have had a chance to feed. The hens will not return to the same nests, but this is rather likely to be of benefit than otherwise. All hens do not set at exactly the same temperature, and an occasional change averages up the temperature for all the settings of eggs.

No hen should be allowed to set, unless she is free from lice. The inaction of the bird is conducive to rapid multiplication of any lice there may be on her. These will make her irritable and a poor setter. In addition, should she bring off a hatch in such a condition, the chicks will be open to infection. Dust the hen well with flowers of sulphur or some other insect powder before setting, and again a day or two before the hatch finishes.

About the seventh day the eggs should be tested, the infertile ones removed, and the balance put back in the nests. After testing it is usually found that the eggs from four hens can be put under three. This leaves one hen with no eggs, and a new setting can be put under her.

When the chicks arrive two or three batches can be put with one hen, which leaves more hens at liberty to sit, or if there is no more hatching to be done they can be put back in the laying pens.

POULTRY NOTES

The day before shipping live fowls, feed hard grain.

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Satisfying the appetite adds greatly to the thrift of the flock.

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It is estimated that five chickens will yield a pound of feathers.

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Cleaning dropping boards is a chore that cannot be done too often.

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Whatever interferes with growth retards and diminshes egg production.

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On cool, damp, rainy nights close all the ventilating windows of the hen house.

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The very first thing to do on noticing signs of illness in a bird, is to isolate it.

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The best nest for laying hens is close to the floor, darkened, and easily movable.

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Feed plenty of charcoal, as it is one of the best things for keeping the poultry healthy.

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Eggs cannot be produced without nitrogenous food in some shape. Bones are absolutely essential.

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Do not forget that your fowls need green food. If it is impossible to give them a change of yard or runs, see that they get some kind of green food during the daily feed.

TION IN MEXICO

ESSOR TO HUERTA ED—NOT SUFFICIENT VOTES.

dications Prevail at City of xico—The Catholic Party Ticket Lead.

y of Mexico.—At the close of the ious Sunday the indications were not sufficient votes had been cast Mexico to constitute a legal choice the presidency to succeed General ictoriano Huerta.

Judging from the results in the capital, where it was expected the vote would be up to the average, that less than 10,000 of the 80,000 eligible voters in the republic went to the polls. It would be no surprise if congress, the members of which also were voted for, declared the elections void when that body is organized and revises the returns.

The leaders of the Catholic party claimed a long lead, although they were unable to estimate the number of votes polled for their candidates, Federico Gamboa and General Rascon.

If this claim is correct, it is generally thought that General Felix Diaz and Senor Requena ran second. The liberal candidates, Manuel Calero and Flores Magon, had no printed tickets at the polling places, their constituents being obliged to write their names on their blank ballots.

Since the deputies and senators are not subject to the election provisions governing the presidential election, it is said the choice for congress is assured. It is assumed, on the showing so far as known, that the Catholic party will have a majority in both chamber and senate.

The polling places opened at 9 o'clock in the morning and remained open until noon, when the attendants closed the booths until 3 in the afternoon for the midday meal. They were opened at 3 and closed again at 5 o'clock.

Between 3 to 5 p'clock, officials, one of whom was designated "president," were in attendance at each polling place. These officials represented the various parties and assisted in the preparation of ballots when necessary, but on no coercion or suggestion as to how the applicant should vote.

The election boards appeared to be a representative cross-section of citizens—bankers, merchants, railroad clerks, small business men, employes and shopkeepers of average intelligence. So far as could be ascertained no government officials served in this capacity.

The polling places, of which there were said to be 982, averaging three to a city block, were located in the entrances of buildings generally, but in some instances were set up on the sidewalks or the corners of public squares. Each had a table on which were spread tickets of the various candidates. From these the voter made his selection, signed, folded and delivered it to the president, who deposited it in the presence of the voter in the ballot box.

Ballot boxes consisted of all sorts of receptacles from a pasteboard shoe box to a plush-covered jewel casket or a glass jar borrowed from a neighboring drug store.

6,956,583 Bales of Cotton Ginned.

Washington.—The third cotton ginning report of the season, compiled from reports of census bureau correspondents and agents throughout the cotton belt and issued Saturday by Director William J. Harris, announced that 6,956,583 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, of the growth of 1913 had been ginned prior to Oct. 18. This includes the results of the most active period of the ginning season, Sept. 25 to Oct. 18, during which in recent years more than one-fourth of the entire crop passed through the ginners' hands.

Sheriffs to Trot With Turkeys.

Cuero, Tex.—Nine sheriffs, from as many different South Texas counties, will trot with the turkeys at the second annual turkey trot, to be held at Cuero Nov. 18 to 21, inclusive, according to responses to invitations sent out by Sheriff Jesse B. Farris, who will also serve as chief marshal of the day. The other sheriffs, who will also serve as marshals of the parades, are John W. Tobin of San Antonio, W. L. Wright of Floresville, W. W. Johnson of Gonzales, Jim Brown of Karnes City, Victor Willemin of Goliad, Albert Egg of Edna, R. S. Weiseger of Victoria and E. H. Houchins of Hallettsville. Most of the sheriffs will bring their own horses and saddles.

Seven Firemen Killed.

Milwaukee. — Seven firemen are known to have been killed and twenty-four injured while fighting a fire which destroyed the store of the Goodyear Rubber Company and damaged adjoining buildings Sunday. Several other firemen are missing and their bodies are believed to be in the ruins. The property damage is estimated at $500,000.

Large Cattle Shipments.

Alpine, Tex.—Brewster County stock movements are increasingly active. Trading is heavy locally and hundreds of cars are being sent to the markets, while the depleted ranges are being restocked by cattle brought in from Arizona.

Good Roads Election Carried 10 to 1.

Alice, Tex.—The $125,000 good roads bond election held in Jim Wells County Saturday carried by a majority of ten to one.

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PAINFUL ECZEMA ON HANDS

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TEXAS BREVITIES

Mabank voted recently to remain incorporated.

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The town of Forney has let a contract for a new fire station to cost about $3,000.

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The Wilbarger county poultry association was formed at Vernon last week and it is planned to hold a poultry show about Dec. 15.

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An election has been called at Hillsboro for Nov. 15 to decide whether bonds to the amount of $250,000 for good roads shall be issued.

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The voters of Montgomery are circulating a petition asking for another road bond election, a $250,000 issue having been defeated there recently.

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It is understood that a factory is to be built in Bishop at once for the manufacture of silos and also for making brooms.

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The largest number of cattle received at the Fort Worth stock market in some time were unloaded Oct. 1, when 7,500 steers and 1,000 cows were shipped.

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The commissioners of Concho county have ordered an election for Nov. 29 to vote on a bond issue of $15,000 for the purpose of erecting a new jail building.

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The big grain elevator that was destroyed at Beaumont by fire a short time ago will be reconstructed immediately. The new building and equipment will cost about $100,000.

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The Galveston commercial association has called a meeting to be held in Dallas Oct. 29, at which time will be discussed the proposition of taking convicts from competition with free labor and to work them on the roads of this state.

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Congressman Hatton W. Summers has issued a call to those interested in having a market bureau created in the department of agriculture, to attend a meeting in Dallas on Oct. 30. The purpose is to formulate plans by which organized support will be given to the efforts to create this bureau.

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Eighteen students of the University of Texas do practically all the work at the University of Texas cafeteria, where more [illegible] served at [illegible] County Commissioner Arthur Reed [illegible] 14 cent food and [illegible]nt to San Antonio Tuesday [illegible] simile fat[illegible]siness. my lady. "Some[illegible] on, with a [illegible] d an eye keen [illegible] I have a cow to exchange curvettings." [illegible] eat fresh in milk and pay [illegible] appreciate [illegible] upted dr[illegible] looking [illegible] and the [illegible] are all versity students.

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As the culmination of a [illegible]paign, which has extended over [illegible] increased months, in the interest [illegible] county, pork production in G[illegible] commerce the Sherman chamber [illegible] of the county called the hog raising [illegible] perfected the together on Oct. [illegible] Grayson county organization of [illegible] which has adopted Hog association [illegible] hog on every farm." as its slogan.

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Prizes will be offered for the best loaf of bread brought to the University of Texas Extension tent at the Dallas state fair on Oct. 29. Similar contests will be held in cake baking and dressmaking. The cost of the dress is not to exceed $5.00 and each dress is not to be worn by the contestant at the time the contest is decided. The dressmaking contest is open to girls between the ages of 14 and 18 years. The cake contest to girls between the ages of 12 and 16 years. Prizes will be awarded.

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The fifteenth annual convention of the Texas Postmasters' association and the tenth annual session of the Postmasters' league of Texas came to a close Monday in Galveston, after Austin, in compliment to Postmaster General Burleson, as the next meeting place in May, 1914.

A newly discovered case of leprosy at Los Angeles, reported to the Public health service is taken to confirm Surgeon General Blue's declaration that more leprosy exists in the United States than is generally known.

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The city tax rate for Dallas has been levied and is the same as last year, $1.92 on the $1000 valuation. From this rate the city expects to receive in revenue about $2,100,000.

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Tulsa, Okla., will have one of the largest municipal markets in the Southwest. It will cover nearly a block of ground. It is being built by a bond issue which was voted for this purpose about a year ago. It will cost $25,000. Construction work will be started in a few days.

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The 28th state fair of Texas will open in Dallas Oct. 18 and continue 16 days to Nov. 2. Everything is now in readiness and indications point to the most successful exhibition in the history of the event.

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The county commissioners have delivered another consignment of the Tarrant county road and bridge bonds to the purchasers. The amount of the consignment was $25,000, leaving only $75,000 out of the total of $1,600,000 to be delivered.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Director Department, The Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.)

LESSON FOR NOVEMBER 2

BALAK AND BALAAM.

LESSON TEXT—Numbers 22:1-6, 36; 23:19. Read Numbers chs. 21-24.

GOLDEN TEXT—"A double-minded man, unstable in all his ways." Jas. 1:8.

Following our last lesson the Israelites marched along the borders of the wilderness meeting with much opposition. In Num. 20 we are told of the death of Aaron. They met Arad (21:1-3) and overthrew him. Moving around Edom was a difficult process and the people became discouraged. Again they murmured against God and against Moses. Swift punishment followed in the form of fiery serpents, Num. 21:4-11. Confessing their sins Moses interceded on their behalf and the look at a brazen serpent suggested to them the necessary attitude of faith towards God. After sundry wanderings, the dwelling among the Amorites and the overthrow of sundry tribes, we come to their encounter with Balak. As they journeyed the report of their victories preceded them and Balak sought to protect himself against these strange "people come out of Egypt," by other means than that of war, for, said he, "they are covering the face of the earth." See Ex. 15:15.

Little Known About Balaam.

Here Balaam appears upon the scene. Little is known about him. He evidently had a knowledge of Jehovah and yet was a sorcerer, a spiritist, dealing with evil spirits. He was, probably, a Midianite.

I. The Call to Curse, Ch. 22:1-21. There are six personal pronouns in verse; Balak sought to [illegible] to Moab, to save his own [illegible] fire, to save his own [illegible] with those whom God bless[illegible] arrived Moab [illegible] today hates those [illegible] days with [illegible] world. Had Balak been [illegible] blessed. cast in his lot [illegible] Lace collar could have have miserably [illegible] and not along with him [illegible]d in battle (See Num. [illegible] tool, Balaam.

Balaam Co. M[illegible] 13:32.)

vitation exalted [illegible] refused Balak's in- of ho[illegible]t Balak sends more hon[illegible] and brother, [illegible]rs and greater offers [illegible]ewards, promising him [illegible] kingdom if he would but [illegible]rael (v. 17). Balaam again [illegible]rs word that this is impossible [illegible]18) for he cannot go beyond the [illegible]rd of Jehovah. not that he was in sympathy with that word at all, but he was conscious of Jehovah's power.

II. A Challenge by the way. Ch. 22:22-35. The angel of Jehovah, as the agent of his anger, interposed to save Balaam from himself. Lust had so blinded his eyes that even an ass saw more clearly than he. God rebuked him and those who trafficked with evil spirits in order to produce results are mocked by the fact that a dumb ass found voice and spoke. Finally, after repeating his conditional permission that he was to speak only the word Jehovah was to give him, he is permitted to proceed with the "princes of Balak."

Balaam a Prophet.

III. The changeless message, Ch. 24. Read carefully the intervening chapters. In them we have the acount of Balaam meeting Balak and of his brief but wonderful prophecy concerning Israel. Balaam gives us a wonderful description of one who is a prophet (24:16). He (1) "heareth the words of God," (2) "knoweth the knowledge of the most high," (3) "seeth the vision of the almighty." Verse 17 is a wonderful phophecy of the Lord Jesus, who is "a star," for he "lighteth every man who cometh into the world." (See also 2 Pet. 1:19.) He is called "a sceptre" because of his kingly sway (see Lk. 1: 32, 33, Heb. 1:8). From the context we read how once his lips were opened he declared a wonderful prophecy concerning these whom Balak considered his enemies and with prophetic eye he sees the coming glory of Israel. Balak's anger is kindled, and he seeks to drive Balaam away, but each time there comes forth from his lips one of these unwelcome prophecies. These marvelous prophecies which fell from Balaam's lips, as an instrument, taught that this entire under world of evil is under control of Jehovah and its curses upon his people are important. He may even compel unwilling instruments, if needful, to become agents for the accomplishment of his purposes. Balaam's sad end strikingly illustrates the fact that a man may admire the ideal of righteousness and the beauty of holiness and yet failing to yield his own life to those principles fail utterly in the consummation of his life and his influence. He taught Israel to sin.

The Golden Text. It would almost seem that James must have had Balaam in mind when he wrote these words. Double-minded means "two-minded" and unstable means that we lack foundation, are "not fastened down." James is speaking of the lack of wisdom which may be supplied by asking him who gives liberally, but admonishes us to ask in faith, "nothing wavering." This is a picture of all men who, knowing God, yet deny his power, and for the greed of gain refuse to yield to his claim and so fail in the realization of their true selves.

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Another Case.

Philadelphia Pa. "[illegible] is all you claim it to be. [illegible] two or three days before my [illegible] I would get bad backaches, [illegible] would ache. I called sides, and [illegible] said I had organic in- flamma[illegible] so I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking [illegible] I was relieved and finally did not [illegible] left me. I married and have two little girls. I have had no return of the old troubles."—Mrs. CHAS. [illegible], 2650 S. Chadwick St., Phila., Pa.

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No Need for More.

Giles met an acquaintance on the street the other day, although he artfully tried to avoid him.

"Hello, Giles, dear boy!" exclaimed the other. "So glad to see you. I'm going to London next week. Can I do anything for you?"

"No, goings enough, thanks," replied Giles, moving on.—Lippincott's.

CHILDREN LOVE SYRUP OF FIGS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

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Getting Some Business.

"Is your son, the young doctor, getting any business."

"Yes; he did very nicely during the green apple season, and he says the football season promises well."

GOOD MEN ARE DISSATISFIED

Feel That They Don't Measure Up to Own Standards Every Day in Week.

So you feel that you're a failure because you don't measure up to your own standards, every day in the week?

Buck up, brother! That's the way all good, go-ahead men feel sometimes!

If they weren't dissatisfied with their performances as well as their promises, they'd be trotting in a circle; and that means b[illegible]rot, if anyone asks you.

A certain amount of dissatisfaction is the best tonic in the world for the genus, man. It keeps him from [illegible]—like David broodin' on being a dog, you know! Harum's flea-bitten [illegible] can find fault with yourself and [illegible] as long as he works, you're alive, and my friend [illegible] get to the point where you're sorry for other men because they're such good salesmen, or they're presidents—or porters—then is the time for the doctor to put you on a diet and prescribe [illegible] quiet—to keep you from going crazy about yourself!

Don't get the glooms over self-distrust. Ambition and dissatisfaction are half brothers, anyway! — Exchange.

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"Have any of you gentlemen money with which to back your doubts of my veracity?"

"I have a couple of dollars," replied Caswell.

"So have I," added Dukane.

"Good enough! I'll cover both of those bets."

"Very well. Now show us those eggs in that collar-box."

"Well, I can do it if you insist, but perhaps it may not be necessary."

"Of course it's necessary! You don't expect to win our money without proof, do you?"

"Not at all, but I merely wish to observe that it was a horse-collar-box I put the eggs in."

With some difficulty the matter was compromised, and Skimps was warned that the next break of the kind would cost him his life.

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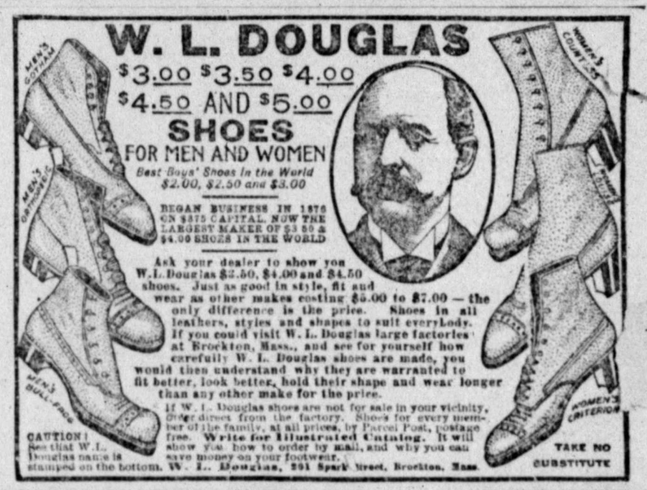
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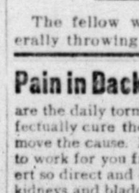
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THE KERRVILLE ADVANCE

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President Wilson and Mexico.

That was a great speech of President Wilson at Mobile before the Southern Commercial Congress last Monday. The keynote was that material interests must always be subordinated to moral principles and constitutional government. Monarchical government must keep hands off the Western hemisphere, but all governments of this hemisphere must have constitutional liberty and be based on high moral plains, and not civil war and dominated by sordid wealth that cares for nothing but making money.

He didn't say so, but it was understood that he had Mexico largely in mind. There was a farce of an election last Sunday in Mexico, but Mexico is more like a human slaughter pen than a civil government. President Wilson understands the situation and will yet succeed in bringing about civilized government there.

Saloon Closing

Attorney General Looney has rendered an opinion that the law requiring saloons to close on Sundays and at 9:30 o'clock at night means that they shall close. It has been the custom of some saloon men to shut their doors or screen their bars, but to carry on restaurant or other business in the building, or to clean up after closing hours, but under the new laws the doors must stay closed after 9:30 o'clock p. m. until 6 a. m. and on Sundays for all purposes. No longer will people passing a saloon on Sundays or after 9:30 o'clock in the week days hear the rattling of glasses or stamping of feet. The excuse that it is necessary to clean up after closing hours will no longer avail. The cleaning up as well as dispensing the poison must be done while the saloons are permitted by law to remain open.

Prohibition Primary

The mass meeting of Progressive Prohibition Democrats at Dallas last Saturday unanimously pronounced for primaries next April to select a Prohibition candidate for Governor. This is a patriotic movement and its success will mean the election of a Prohibition Governor. It is believed that a fair expression of the people's choice can thus be obtained, and that is all that any candidate should demand.

The management of the Center Point News has changed hands, Mr. Blanton having leased the paper to Geo. A. Byus of Corpus Christi. The new editor has taken charge and Mr. Blanton and family have gone back to their former home at Nordheim where Mr. Blanton will take charge of his paper, The Nordheim View. The Advance regrets to lose Bro. Blanton as a neighbor but hopes the change may work out for the best both for him and the new editor as well as for the patrons of the paper. Here's good luck to you, Bro. Byus, and may you have unbounded success.

...e Advance has heretofore ex-...itself as favorable to Comp-... P. Lane as a candidate for ... continue to ... mighty ... by ballot ... portuni... Our idea of Mr. Lane's ...torial size has recently been ...ch diminished. If he per-... his stiff-necked attitude to-... those who are trying by pure-...triotic effort to hamonize and ...ate our Prohibition forces ...oming contest, he will ...imself from the race ...we are concerned.

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Ex-Governor Patterson of Tennessee who vetoed the Prohibition bill has come out squarely for Prohibition. He admits that he is inconsistent, but to be on the right side is better and more manly than consistency. The Ex-Governor gives strong and unanswerable reasons why the liquor traffic should be destroyed. No one can give a single good reason why it should not be prohibited.

Just a few men of strong Christian character and with backbone and moral courage can do a wonderful work for the cause of humanity and righteousness when they set their heads and get busy. But you can't do much with a mixture of little milk and cider fellows with a stem of soft-boiled macaroni where their back-bones ought to be.

President Wilson has issued the usual Thanksgiving proclamation appointing Thursday, November 27, as Thanksgiving Day. Gov. Colquitt will appoint the same day. This beautiful custom has come down to us from the first settlers of America. It is a day of family reunions, for reverence and thanks to the Giver of all good.

The only worthy aristocracy is the aristocracy, not of wealth or brief authority, but the aristocracy of the heart and brain—that which tends to make this life better and nobler.

A business that is by its very nature opposed to law and order can no more be expected to obey the law than an officer who is opposed to law enforcement can be expected to enforce the law.

Whoever tries to injure his neighbor may or may not succeed, but he will certainly succeed in injuring himself.

KERRVILLE

Is the county seat of Kerr County, has a population of about 2500, is situated 70 miles northwesterly from San Antonio, and is the terminus of the Kerrville branch of the S. A. & A. P. railroad. It has two daily trains to and from San Antonio, and daily mail routes, carrying passengers in hacks, to Ingram, Junction, Rock Springs Harper and other places north and west of Kerrville, and also a daily line to Fredericksburg. From Kerrville to Fredericksburg is 25 miles; to Bandera and Medina City, 25 miles; to Junction 60 miles; Rocksprings 80 miles, Harper 21 miles.

Kerrville has electric lights and a splendid system of water works. The sum of $20,000 is being spent on the streets and $40,000 has been voted for road improvements in this precinct.

The elevation at Kerrville is 1750 feet. The Guadalupe river, which heads 30 miles north of Kerrville, runs through the city. On the east side where the city is located, there are high bluffs on the river, and on the west side is a fertile and beautiful valley, and mountains surround the city on the east and west. The Guadalupe valley is occupied by thrifty farmers and ranchmen, and the mountain regions, among which there is considerable valley, creek and arable land, there are large ranches of cattle, horses, sheep and goats, all of which do well in the Kerrville country. The land generally is well wooded, principally with live oak, Spanish oak and cedar, and the range is good, and water excellent.

Our farmers grow wheat, oats and all other small grain, cane and alfalfa, cotton and corn, and fruit and vegetables do well. Kerrville is one of the largest wool markets in the state, and large quantities of wool, mohair, cotton, oats, cattle, etc., are shipped from this point.

The climate of the Kerrville country is unsurpassed. The winters are short and generally mild and invigorating owing to the dryness of the climate and the prevalence of sunshine. The summers are cool and delightful, and the mountain air is pure and bracing. Game abounds in the Kerrville country, and fishing in the Guadalupe, especially north of Kerrville, is good. Kerrville and the adjoining towns are popular resorts for health and recreation.

The Kerrville Commercial Club, any of the different Realty Companies or any of our citizens, will be pleased to give prospective residents or visitors further information.

SOME MORE LAND BARGAINS

346 acres in Sabinal valley four miles from Utopia and two miles from Taylor high school. 100 acres bottom land in cultivation. Four room house and large barn. Will sell for property near Kerrville, Center Point or Bandera, and might consider town property.

2240 acres on Medina river in Bandera County. 1000 acres fenced hog proof through it. 800 acres in cultivation; three small ranch houses on tract; three small pastured in three pastures. Hasn't been rented in 4 years. $4 per acre, $2000 cash, balance only $4 per acre, $2000 cash, price only to suit purchaser, balance to suit purchaser.

320 acres on Elm Creek in Bandera county, 4 miles from Medina City, 50 acres in cultivation, 2 room house and other improvements, all land fenced sheep proof. $4,000.

1913 acres, 14 miles from Kerrville, on Medina City-Kerrville road, all fenced with 7 and 9 wires and divided into three pastures, one of 1200, one of 640, one of 73 acres. Eight acres in cultivation. Good 6-room house, good windmill and 3000 gallon tank, irrigated garden, pens to shelter 1000 sheep or goats, 8 permanent streams on the land, and an unlimited supply of cedar. 425 head of goats, including 5 registered billies and 300 registered nannies, or subject to registration. $12,000 buys the place, including goats and a few head of hogs; half cash and balance on terms to suit the purchaser.

137 acres five miles from Bandera and in 1-4 mile of good country school. One of the best farm houses in the county, good orchard and fine cistern. Place all under good hog proof fence, 65 acres in cultivation. Price $30 per acre, one-half cash, balance in 1 and 2 years with 7 per cent interest.

150 by 185 feet, near high school building, Kerrville. 4-room house practically new, price $1100. And, if purchaser wants it, a 2-chair barber shop in center of city can be had for $400.

160 acres fronting river one and one half miles from Ingram. Has 30 acres in cultivation on bank of river. Land is heavy pecan bottom suitable for alfalfa or truck. About 22 acres can be irrigated with a 20-foot raise of water. Small house and good barn. Price $2,500.

32 1-2 acres opposite Schreiner's mill on river, Kerrville, good pecan bottom, fronts river. Abundance of water for irrigation purposes. Fair improvements, fine irrigation proposition. Price $4500.

5 acres in heart of town of Center Point. Deep well, pump and engine. Can be cut up into business and residence lots or utilized for irrigated gardens as at present. To sell quick will go at $1600 and is the best buy in the county.

160 acres, one-half mile of railroad station near large town. Has creek and river front. 75 acres in cultivation, 45 can be irrigated from creek and river, 160 foot well, 17,000 gallon rock tank and smaller over-head tank, two gasoline engines. 7-room rock house, large barn, other out-houses. Will be sold at a bargain.

48 1-2 acres in LaSalle county, 20 acres in cultivation and under irrigation and all tillable, 5 room house, 2 rent houses, shed and pumping plant and interest in dam on Nueces river. Good roads to town. Price $5000,—$2000 cash, balance one, two and three years. Will trade for Kerr County property.

Apply to T. A. BUCKNER
P. O. Box 56, Kerrville, Texas

NOMINATING COUPON

WEST TEXAS SUPPLY CO. POPULAR VOTING CONTEST.

..... 1913

I hereby nominate or suggest the name of

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as one worthy to become a canditate in your popular voting contest.

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TWO BEAUTIFUL AND VALUABLE PRIZES to be GIVEN AWAY

1st Prize The Beautiful CABINET GRAND STANDARD PHONOGRAPH now On Display at our Store, - - - **Value $150**

2nd Prize One 26 Piece Set Guaranteed ROGERS SILVER WARE on display at our store - - - **Value $25**

Beginning at o'clock Saturday, Nov. 1, we will issue vote coupons of 1000 votes each for every cash purchase in the dry goods department of our store. These coupons can be voted for contestant regularly entered for the prizes. This is simply a popular voting contest and the one receiving the lasgest number of votes at close of contest will receive the 1st prize; the one given next largest number of votes the 2nd prize. In case of a tie a prize of like value will be awarded. No one connected with this store or the Kerrville Advance will be allowed to be a contestant or vote for any one, and we guarantee the contest shall be fair to all alike.

You may enter the contest at any time after publication or upon notification from the store, by filling out the blank printed in this ad and voting upon your own application.

2000 votes will be given upon application of some friend on each contestant as a starter but no more will be issued to any one except as to each contestant votes. Enter your name or the name of some friend in Nomination Blank and deposit nomination Mittanck, our contest manager. Write the name of some the name and credit the 2000 votes to Mr.

A sealed ballot box will be kept at the store in which all votes will be deposited until close of contest when a committee of three persons to be chosen by the costestants will open the box, count the votes and declare results.

A register of votes cast for each contestant will be kept and the standing of the contestants published from week to week in the Kerrville Advance.

Contestants may call and get voting coupons at the store, and we will be glad to give full instructions about the contest.

SPECIAL NOTICE—1000 votes will be given at the store for each subscription to the Kerrville Advance to be applied the same as the votes for merchandise purchases. This offer is made only at the Contest Manager at our store. This offer is made only on cash in advance subscriptions from one to five years. So the contestants may solicit subscriptions to be turned in to be given 1000 votes for every dollar turned in. Remember only on cash in advance subscriptions from one to five years. So the contestants may solicit subscriptions to be turned in to be given 1000 votes for every dollar turned in. The contestants can get and will return in all the subscriptions they can get and will have the same way.

The Contest will close on Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 4 p. m.

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Have a long list of properties for sale. Ranches, Farms both large and small.

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KERRVILLE CENTER POINT

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Methodist Church

S. J. DRAKE, Pastor

Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m and 8:00 p. m.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. J. J. Starkey, Superintendent.

Epworth League 7 p. m. Mark Mosty, President.

First Baptist Church

D. P. AIRHART, Pastor
J. T. S. GAMMON, Treasurer

Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m and 8:00 p. m.

Sunday School 10 a. m. A. B. Williamson, Superintendent; Lula Mae Parker, Secretary.

Prayer Services every Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock.

Church choir practice every Friday night.

The Ladies Aid meets every Tuesday at 3 p. m. Mrs. R. S. Newman, President; Mrs. A. A. Roberts, Secretary and Treasurer. Missionary Program 1st Tuesday in each month.

Presbyterian Church

W. P. Dickey, Pastor

Preaching every Sunday, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.

Services will begin and close promptly on time.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to visit these services.

Episcopal Church

Preaching services 11 a m and 7:30 p. m. every Sunday.

Litany and sermon Friday nights at 8 o'clock.

Sunday School at 7:45 a. m.

Lutheran Church

Regular services will be held on the 1st and 3rd Sundays in each month at the Union Church. Sunday School at 9:50 and preaching at 10:50 a. m.

B. Schleifer, Prstor.

THE LODGES

W. O. W.

Meets at Fawcett's Hall on First and Third Wednesday nights in each month.

S. A. Rees, C. C.
A. F. Thigpen, Clerk.

WOMEN CIRCLE

Meets on the second and Fourth Monday in each month at Fawcett's Hall.

Lilah Moore, Guardian
Mrs. Elizabeth Mosty, Clerk

O. E. S.

Meets every 2nd and 4th Thursday nights of each month at Masonic Hall.

Mrs. Ettie Townes, Worthy Matron.
Dr. E. Galbraith, Worthy Patron.
Mrs. Eron Williamson, Secretary.

K. of P.

Lodge No. 166 meets on 1st and 3rd Thursdays in each month at Fawcett's Hall.

Silas F. Howard, C. C.
J. D. Motley, K. of R.

M. W. A.

Meets at Fawcett's Hall, 2nd and 4th Thursday nights in each month.

L. A. Mosty, Consul,
W. W. Noll, Clerk.

A. F. & A. M.

Lodge No. 697 meets at Masonic Hall on Saturday night on or before full moon each month.

A. W. Henke, W. M.
E. Gold, Secretary.

PYTHIAN SISTERS

Meets 1st and 3rd Friday nights each month at Fawcett's Hall.

Mrs. J. E. Grinstead, M. E. C.
Miss Mabel Davie, M. of R. & C.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

THE COURTS

DISTRICT COURT

R. H. Burney, District Judge
Brucks, District Attorney.
Court meets First Monday in March and September and Fourth Monday in January and Fourth Monday in June.

COUNTY COURT

Meets for Probate business on the 1st Monday's in February, April, June, August, October and December.

Lee Wallace, Judge.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT

Meets Second Monday's in February, May, August and November.

COUNTY OFFICERS

Lee Wallace, Judge
W. G. Garrett, County Attorney
John R. Leavell, Clerk
J. C. Moore, Sheriff
A. G. Williamson, Treasurer
W. G. Peterson, Assessor
A. L. Starkey, Surveyor

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Arthur Real		Pre. No. 1
John Rees,		Pre. No. 2
Hugo Wiedenfeld,		Pre. No. 3
J. M. Webb		Pre. No. 4
E. H. Turner,	Justice P.	Pre. No. 1
Jas. Crotty,	Justice P.	Pre. No. 2
Ed Smith,	Justice P.	Pre. No. 3



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CASH GROCERY

Local Mention

Miss Amy Thalman spent Sunday ...ting friends in Center Point.

...ur Sweater line is complete in ...d price from 50c up, at
West Texas Supply Co.

...zurek of Bandera ... Kerrville the latter ... week.

Delia Fuller, proprietor of ...e Hotel at Center Point, ... a Kerrville visitor Tuesday.

...or school Rain Coats and Motor ...ods, go to
West Texas Supply Co.

Senator Julius Real and brother, ...unty Commissioner Arthur Real, ...nt to San Antonio Tuesday on ...siness.

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... Corn and child... ... been visiting relatives ... Mrs. She... ... who ... left today on their re... ... near I... ...le to New Mexico.

...ur large comfortable camp yard ...s now open to the public. A good camp house, plenty of sheds and free water. Come and camp with us.
Mosel Saenger & Co.

W. H. Page and J. R. McVicker from their up-the-river truck farms were in town Tuesday and report all vegetation cleaned up by the frost.

We have a very large stock of Dress Goods in Serges, Whipcord, Suitings, Brocaded Crepe, Novelty Goods, and School Dress Ginghams.
West Texas Supply Co.

Madam Rumor says the Fall fights have opened.

C. L. Lowry and family have moved into their pretty new home on Tivy Flat.

Trunks, Suit Cases, hand bags, at
West Texas Supply Co.

Geo. Hinds, of Lima was in Kerrville last Friday. He came to bring his mohair.

Dont fail to see our nice line of Hats, Paris Millinery, Newman Building.

Jim Freeman, the cattle dealer, returned Saturday night from a business trip to Hondo.

The WALKOVER SHOE is sure a hit for this mountain climbing country. At West Texas Supply Co.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rees Tuesday, Oct. 28th.

Crown Bicycles, the guaranteed kind, price complete $25.00.
See Leazar.

Jim Freeman bought 300 head of steers on the Divide last week for which he paid $56 a head.

Crown Bicycles, the guaranteed kind, prices complete $25.00.
See Leazar.

Mrs. Otto Wahrmund of San Antonio arrived Wednesday to spend a few days with relatives here.

Lace collars and cuffs to match.
West Texas Supply Co.

Miss Mary Gowan has returned from a visit to Morris Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Real left Monday for San Antonio where they will reside in the future.

Mrs. Alice Bowman, mother of Mrs. Dr. Domingues, left yesterday for her home at Berwick, La.

Mesdames Rutledge and Foster accompanied by Miss Maude Muller of San Antonio are spending this week at the St. Charles Hotel.

You know that we always keep well stocked in up-to-date Shoes for the whole family.
West Texas Supply Co.

Editor V. J. McAteer of the Comfort News was in Kerrville yesterday and made the Advance a pleasant call.

Ladies visiting cards neatly printed in latest style, at Advance office.

Editor T. B. Lee and wife of the Harper Herald came down Saturday and remained over till Monday with Mrs. Lee's parents on Turtle Creek.

When in need of a nice suit or overcoat for men or boys, see us before you buy. It will pay you.
West Texas Supply Co.

J. G. McHaney of Medina was in the city Monday on business.

Miss Callie Shelburne has returned from Houston where she attended a business college.

The latest in Fall Hats will be found at the Paris Milllnery Co., Newman Building.

S. J. Scott, Notary Public, can prepare your Deeds, Releases, etc. Phone 114--Red.

Mrs. J. S. Lowrance and family have moved to their home across Quinlan creek, known as the Robinson place,

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wheeler and grandson, John, and Mrs. R. H. Bruce left Saturday for a weeks visit over on the Medina.

Jack Jhillips and Clifford Freeman, two High School boys, made a horseback trip to Lima Friday evening, returning Sunday.

Call for vote coupons when trading in our dry goods department after Saturday morning Nov. 1st.
West Texas Supply Co.

J. W. Holt, a prominent farmer of the Medina valley near Bandera, was in Kerrville on business Monday.

Our beautiful stock of Fall and Winter drygoods, notions and novelty goods have arrived. Come and see for yourself.
Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Jack Frost made his appearance Monday morning and nipped every thing green. Beautiful weather has prevailed all the week since the near-blizzard Sunday morning.

Ladies Home Journal
EMBROIDERY
Patterns
at
West Texas Supply Company.

Mr. Lee Foster and family from Georgia are here on a visit to the Deering family. Mrs. Foster is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Deering.

Look up the special ad of the West Texas Supply Co. in this issue and see the splendid prizes they are going to give away. Call at the store and get full information.

There are a great many strangers and prospecters coming to Kerrville just now and some are locating permanently with us. We need more good citizens to help develop our splendid town and section.

L. N. Coffey, manager of the Center Point branch of the Hillyer-Deutsch Lumber Co., was in Kerrville between trains Tuesday. He reports the lumber business good at his point.

Our Fall stock of Shoes for men women and children is already on the shelves. Call while the sizes have not been broken. We can fit you out in footwear of the best quality and right prices.
Mosel Saenger & Co.

WAIT PAINT.

There are painters and waiters. Which am I going to do? Paint or wait?

Which is better?

How much am I worth with my property waiting? How much if I paint? Will my house be worth more or less if I paint?

Say it costs $2.00 a gollon Devoe—I wouldn't paint any other—and $3 or $4 more for putting it on. That's $50 or $60 a 10-gallon job.

The monee is gone. Is it in the house? Is it all in the house?

Suppose I were selling; what should I get for that house fresh-painted and what shauld I get for it needing paint?

I wonder why men paint before selling!

DEVOE.

H. Noll Stock Co. sells it.

NEW FALL GOODS HAVE COME IN

Don't Fail to call and See our New Fall and Winter Goods Just In. Complete Stock in all Departments.

Mosel, Saenger & Co.

CLAY ST., NEAR R. R. TRACK, KERRVILLE, TEXAS

A called meeting of the members of Associational Board of the Medina Baptist association was held at Center Point. Revs. Airhart and Robb and Mr. J. T. S. Gammon and wife of Kerrville and Rev. T. F. Huffman of Harper went down from here in Mr. Gammon's Car.

District Judge R. H. Burney returned from Uvalde the latter part of last week where he held a very busy term of the Court for three weeks. He left Sunday for Hondo where he opened the regular term of court Monday, with nine felony cases to dispose of besides much other business.

Mrs. C. A. Meyer of San Antonio is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gilbert C. Storms, this week. A friend Mrs. Mattie Hughes, of St. Louis, came with her.

Rev. B. Schleifer, pastor of the local Lutheran Church, and Miss Lena Cloudt were married at the home of the bride at Rock Springs, Oct. 29. Rev. E. Hannermann of Fredericksburg peformed the ceremony. Congratulations are extended.

Fire Insurance, S. J. Scott.

We're Opposed to Mail Order Concerns Because—

They have never contributed a cent to furthering the interests of our town—

Every cent received by them from this community is a direct loss to our merchants—

In almost every case their prices can be met right here, without delay in receiving goods and the possibility of mistakes in filling orders.

But—

The natural human trait is to buy where goods are cheapest. Local pride is usually secondary in the game of life as played today.

Therefore

Mr. Merchant and Business Man, meet your competitors with their own weapons—advertising.

Advertise!

The local field is yours. All you need do is to avail yourself of the opportunities offered. An advertisement in this paper will carry your message into hundreds of homes in this community. It is the surest medium of killing your greatest competitor. A space this size won't cost much. Come in and see us about it.

STEVENS



Accuracy and Penetration distinguish our

"High Power" Repeating Rifle No. 425

List Price $20.00

.25 .30-30 .32 and .35 calibers

Use Remington Auto-Loading Cartridges.

A Big Game Rifle that Makes Good.

Sure Fire No Balks No Jams

Order from your Dealer.

Send for Handsomely Illustrated Rifle Catalog No. 41

J. Stevens Arms & Tool Co.,
P. O. Box 3085
Chicopee Falls, Mass.

Mr. J. C. Reynolds of Port Arthur left Sunday evening after spending a week prospecting here. He liked the country so well that he and his family will soon become citizens of Kerrville. Mr. Reynolds is a prominent business man of Port Arthur and also an attorney. Our people will heartily welcome him and his family.

Fountain Pens
At 20 per cent Discount

We are selling all our Parker Fountain Pens at a discount of 20 per cent.
Good self-filler pens at **25c**

Kerrville Drug Co.

REAL ESTATE AND Fire Insurance

I represent Real Estate in many localities; let me know your wants. I have best Fire Insurance Companies---will appreciate a part of your Insurance. Am a Notary Public, will do your work reasonably. My office for a while at my home on Barnett Street.
Phone me, No. 114--Red.

S. J. SCOTT
KERRVILLE, TEXAS

POULTRY, HIDES, FURS,
Rabbits and Squirrels, and Produce

I will pay you best market price for your stuff and solicit your business. Nothing too large or too small. Boys come let us tell you how to get the rabbits and squirrels.
SCHREINER'S WARE HOUSE, NEAR DEPOT.

A. J. REINARZ

S. A. & A. P. Time Table

Daily No. 41	Daily No. 43			Daily No. 42	Daily No. 44
5 05 P. M.	8 15 A. M.	Lv. San Antonio	Ar.	9 00 A. M.	7 05 P. M.
6 24 "	9 33 "	" Boerne	"	7 40 "	5 45 "
6 56 "	10 07 "	" Waring	"	7 10 "	5 14 "
7 15 "	10 25 "	" Comfort	"	6 50 "	4 55 "
7 35 "	10 46 "	" Center Point	"	6 30 "	4 35 "
8 00 "	11 15 "	Ar. KERRVILLE	Lv.	6 05 "	4 10 "

PARSONS' CONFECTIONERY CO.

Drinks, Fruits, Candies, Stationery, Etc.
ICE CREAM AND CANDIES OUR SPECIALTY.
KERRVILLE, TEXAS

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FIRE INSURANCE

Different companies doing business under the kind that gives protection when you

Insurance on WOOL, MOHAIR, COTTON, Stocks, Dwellings, and Household Furn and country.

NO. 4, KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Telephone 162 *Free Delivery*

Star Meat Market

BIEHLER & BYAS, Proprietors

First Class Service in Every Respect. Fresh Sausage, Barbecue, Etc.

KERRVILLE, -:- TEXAS

Gathered Smiles

CRAFTY HUSBAND.

An arcade shopkeeper tells us that a well-dressed man of about forty came into his place the other day and asked to see some chafing dishes. He didn't care for the first one shown him, nor the second. "Let me see some nicer ones—more expensive," he said.

So some very flossy ones were shown him, but still he was not satisfied. "I want a chafin dish that is extremely showy," he explained. "Something that will attract attention on any sideboard. All gold an[d s]ilver and chasings and things."

"Well, here's one that ... an ornament," said the sa[lesman] ... only trouble is that it's ... wife don't want to use it ... anything but to look at."

The customer's face brightened wonderfully.

"I'll take that one," he grinned.

NOT NEGOTIABLE.



What They Read.

"Got through reading your paper, yet?"

"Just finished it."

"Lend it to me for a moment?"

"Can't. Threw it away. It was 96 in the shade at 4 o'clock yesterday, and McGoogin and Schultz is today's battery for the home team."

"Thanks. Well, so long. See you later.

Not Denying It.

Long Suffering Wife—I don't know how I ever came to marry you, anyhow! You've always had a hard face on you!

Equally Long Suffering Husband—That's true enough. You've kept my nose to the grindstone for fifteen years, and it's still a fairly good nose.

A Kind Man.

"Hush! There are burglars in the pantry eating those pies I made this afternoon!"

"All right, I'll look after them."

"Oh, George, you are never going to attack them!"

"Certainly not. I'm going to take them a bottle of pa[in] killer."

Two Good Reasons.

... (in Kentucky)—I wonder why this shabby little hamlet is called Dell Delight?

Colonel Nosepaint—Because, in the fuhst place, it is in a dell; and, secondly, because we have fo' apple-jack distilleries within a stone's throw of each othuh, suh!—Puck.

Office Chat.

"Wombat is always willing to stay late," remarked the junior partner.

"Has his heart in the office work, eh?" said the senior partner.

"Not so much that. He has his family in the country for the summer, and he's thankful for any excuse to stay in town."

Not Superstitious.

Mrs. Lakeside—Mrs. Weeds was married on Friday, and in less than a year she was a widow.

Mrs. Wabash—Now she will probably want to be married thirteen times, to see how that would affect her luck.—Puck.

The Dyspeptic—Why do you trouble me with your stories of hunger? I envy your good appetite.

The Hobo—Yes, but dere's one great trouble about a good appetite. De better it is de more difficulty you find in tradin' it off fur somethin' to eat.

Dead Horses.

A man was fixing his automobile.

"Trouble?" asked a bystander.

"Some," was the laconic answer.

"What power car is it?"

"Forty horse," came the answer.

"What seems to be the matter with it?"

"Well, from the way she acts, I should say that thirty-nine of the horses were dead."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Misdirected.

Her smile was very sweet to see,
But, ah, it wasn't meant for me.
How sad is life, as on we jog!
That smile was wasted on a dog.

Ingratitude.

"I helped an intoxicated man out of the gutter several weeks ago and put him aboard a car."

"Yes?"

"The other day he wrote to the police asking them to find my address."

"Ah, I see. He wants to force $10,000 on you."

"No; he says he thinks I must have pinched his watch."

Woman's Woes.

"Then you're not glad that your husband struck oil?"

"Oh, I suppose I am for the sake of the children. But it's pretty tough on a woman of fifty to have to go in for high heels, fashionable dresses and straight fronts."

Just Like Her.

Mr. Styles—Fido is getting more like you every day, dear.

Mrs. Styles—How so?

"Why, every time I do anything he don't like he snaps at me."

BY THE WAYSIDE.



Dusty Rhodes—I hate fleas.

Weary Walker—Me, too, pard. They make me awfully irritated.

Never Saw One.

The city urchin knows the gnu,
The Ibex on its bough.
He learns about 'em at the zoo;
He wouldn't know a cow.

A Differnce of Taste.

Mrs. Liston Welle—Don't you think Miss Thumpford is playing that nocturne through too fast?

Mr. Boardman—Too fast! Good heavens, madam! She can't play it through too fast to suit me!—Puck.

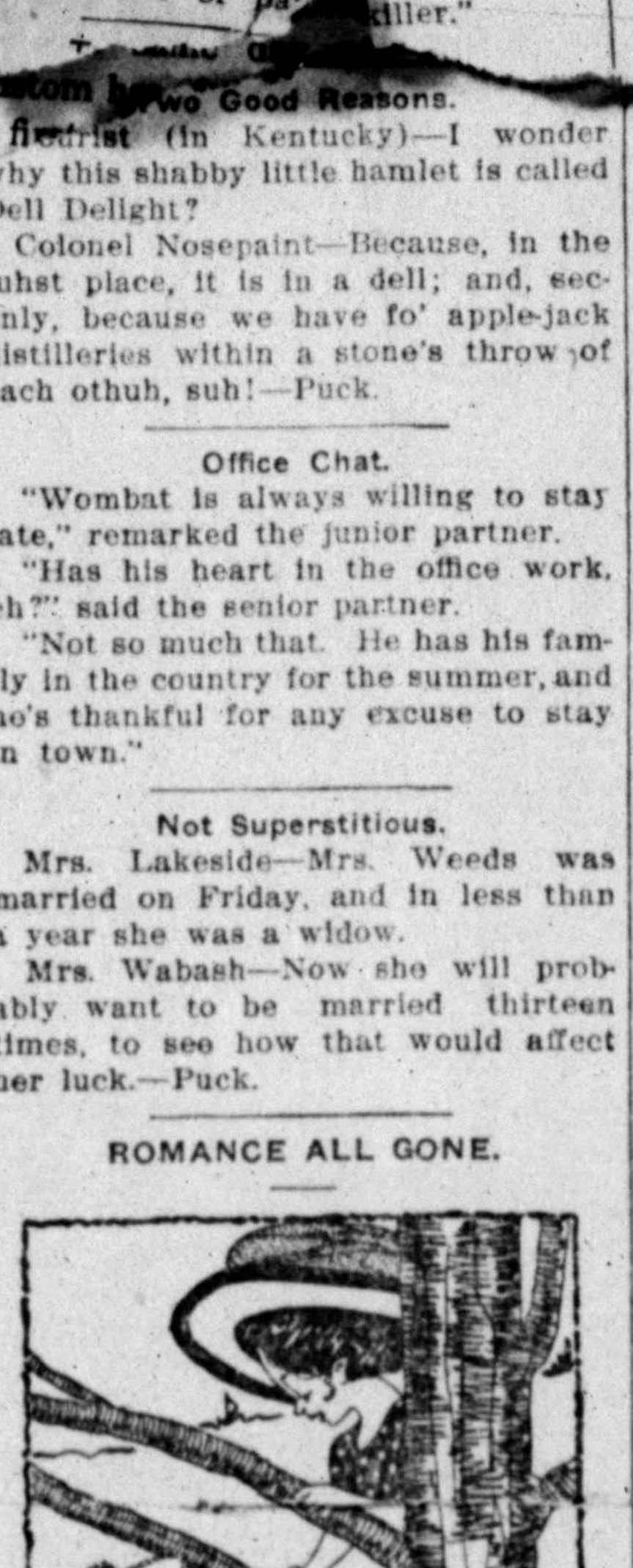
One Case.

"This agitator says money ought to be smashed."

"A queer statement. Can money be smashed?"

"Well, I once saw a conductor knock down a nickel."

ROMANCE ALL GONE.



He—It's quite romantic our meeting here again this summer.

She—It would be, only I've married since I saw you last summer.

Parcel Post.

It injures romance much, indeed
In case a damsel sweet
Expects to get a tender screed
And gets a pound of meat.

Before and After.

Bacon—You know, a girl, before she is married, has an idea she can live on love.

Egbert—Of course.

"But after marriage, different. She can't even live on alimony then."

Scientific Problems.

"Much energy is not utilized. There ought to be some way of conserving the rays of the sun."

"Yes, and look at all the energy that goes to waste in chewing gum. If we could only harness the gum chewers, eh?"

Fishless Fisherman.

"So you took a day off from your work and went fishing?"

"Yes," replied the man who insists on being cheerful.

"Have any luck?"

"Certainly. A day off is luck enough."

Restricted Styles.

Jane—Good gracious, do you call that a bathing suit?

Mamie—Why, yes.

Jane—It surely wasn't designed for the water?

Mamie—No, for the photographer.

Similar Needs.

"We must have an organ to support us."

"Why, that's just what the street musician said to his monkey."

Local Atmosphere.

"And you didn't see any windmills in Holland?"

"Not one."

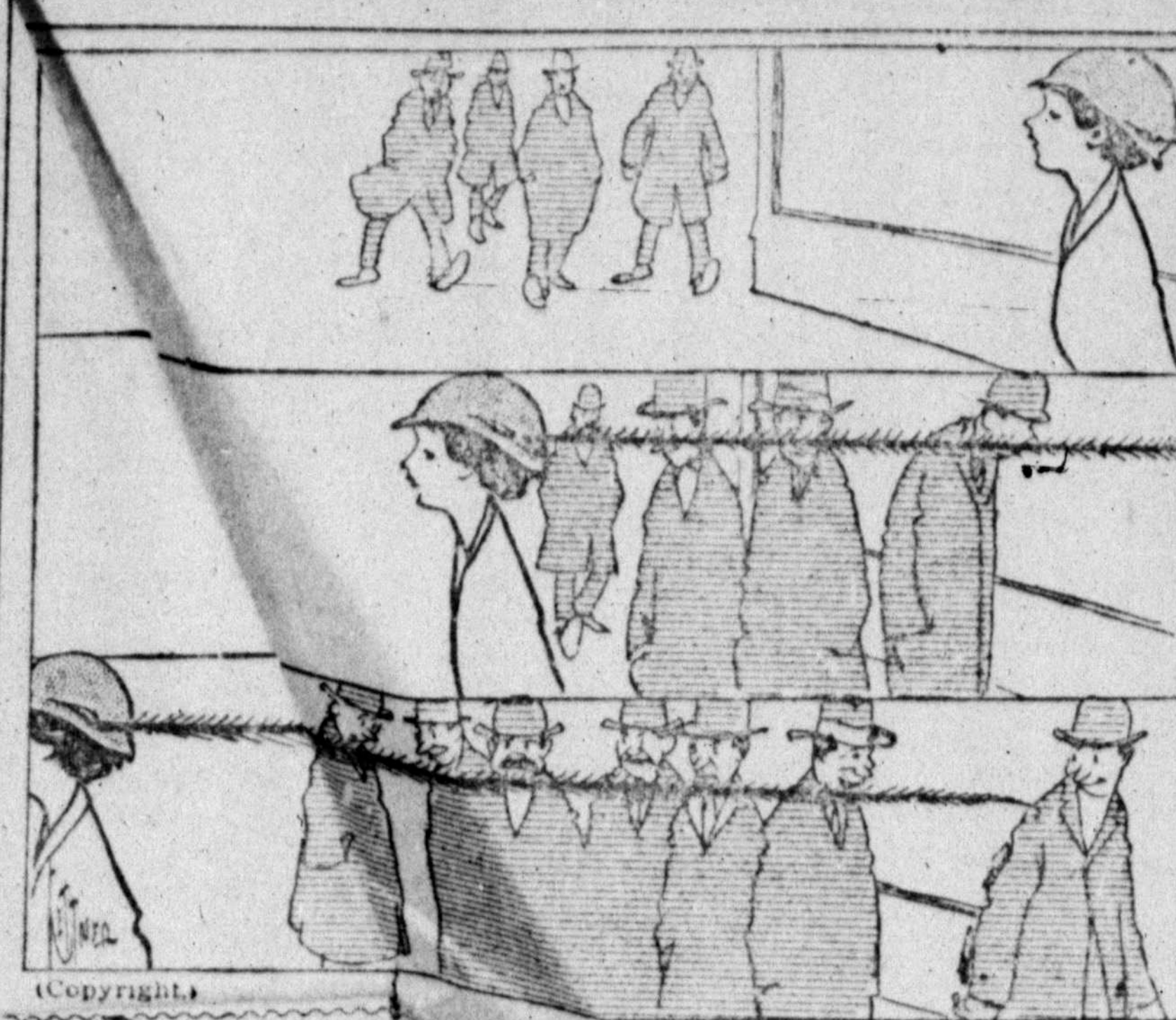
"That will hurt the tourist business. I should think the hotelkeepers would get together and maintain a few."

Its Kind.

"I notice there is to be a race between a railroad train and an aeroplane."

"Then I suppose it will be a race with a flying start."

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THIS?



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THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION BY PRESIDENT

Designates Thursday, Nov. 27, Thanksgiving Day—Sa[ys Nati]on Should Be Tha[nkful fo]r Peace.

Wa[shington]—... President Wilson has designated Thursday, Nov. 27, as Thanksgiving day and issued the following—his first Thanksgiving proclamation:

"The season is at hand in which it has been our long respected custom as a people to turn in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for his manifold mercies and blessings to us as a nation.

"The year that has just passed has been marked in a peculiar degree by manifestations of His gracious and beneficient providence. We have not only had peace throughout our own borders and with the nations of the world, but that peace has brightened by constantly multiplying evidences of genuine friendship, of mutual sympathy and understanding, and by the happy operation of many elevating influences both of ideal and practice.

"The nation not only has been prosperous, but has proved its capacity to take calm counsel amidst the rapid movement of affairs and deals with its own life in a spirit of candor, righteousness and comity. We have seen the practical completion of a great work at the Isthmus of Panama which now only exemplifies the nation's abundant resources to accomplish what it will and the distinguished skill and capacity of its public servants, but also promises the beginning of a new age, of new contacts, new neighborhoods, new sympathies, new bonds and new achievements of co-operation and peace.

"'Righteousness exalteth a nation' and 'peace on earth, good will to men,' furnish the only foundation upon which can be built the lasting achievements of the human spirit. The year has brought us the satisfaction of work well done and fresh visions of our duty which will make the work of the future better still.

"Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, do hereby designate Thursday, the 27th of November next, as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer and invite the people throughout the land to cease from their labors and in their several homes and places of worship, render thanks to Almighty God.

"In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

"Done at the city of Washington this 23d day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-eighth.

(Signed) "Woodrow Wilson.

"By the President: W. J. Bryan, Secretary of State."

(Seal.)

Gross Receipts Tax Unconstitutional.

Austin, Tex.—District Judge Wilcox Tuesday held unconstitutional section 16 of the gross receipts tax of 1907, which laid a tax "equal" to 1 per cent of the gross earnings of railroad terminal companies. He declared it unconstitutional and void, as being in contravention of that provision of the federal constitution forbidding the laying of a tax burden on interstate commerce.

Four Persons Killed in Wreck.

Dallas, Tex.—The motorman and three passengers were instantly killed and twenty-one out of a total of twenty-seven passengers were injured when an unmanned flat car loaded with ties, running wild down a two-mile grade, crashed head-on into a southbound Dallas-Waco interurban car Tuesday night, on a twenty-foot trestle about two and a half miles south of Dallas.

First Orange County Rice Sale.

Orange, Tex.—The first sale of Orange County rice was made Friday when 400 bags came in by barge from the Helton Brown farm and ranch. The rice was bought by the Orange Rice Mill Company, the price paid being $3.70 a bag.

Ex-Governor Crawford Dies.

Topeka, Kan.—Samuel W. Crawford, third governor of Kansas, famous as an Indian fighter, died Tuesday. He was 78 years old.

LOSS IN RICE BELT ABOUT 50 PER CENT

First Figures Reflecting Condition of the Crop Since the Great Rains This Season.

Beaumont, Tex.—The first figures reflecting the condition of the rice crop since the unprecedented rainfall of September and October have been collected and compiled as accurately as possible. The Southern Rice Growers' Association has, of course, been receiving reports from all its agents in every section of the rice-growing states and figures have also been obtained from various other sources.

It is extremely difficult to arrive at a definite summing up of the crop as a whole and the only estimates that can be furnished now must be based on reports of conditions in the various sections. A very reliable authority who had made up a grand average for the entire rice-growing section, puts the loss at 50 per cent, and says there is no strictly first-grade rice in this part of the country.

Virtually all rice is water stained and otherwise damaged, but the full extent of this damage in quality can not be determined until the last sack is thrashed. Average percentages are not to be accepted as accurately representing actual conditions, but rather as being bare indications of comparative prospects. The averages that may be struck from the figures given below are based on compilations that come from many sources and are:

Rice in shock during rains: Texas, 61 per cent; Louisiana, 54 per cent.

Estimated loss in sackage of shocked rice: Texas, 19 per cent; Louisiana, 32 per cent.

Rice uncut during rains: Texas, 38 per cent; Louisiana, 38 per cent.

Estimated loss in sackage of rice uncut during rains: Texas, 7 per cent; Louisiana, 14 per cent.

Estimated yield: Texas—Honduras, 8 sacks; Japan, 10 sacks. Louisiana—Honduras, 7½ sacks; Japan, 8½ sacks.

Entire acreage: Texas—Honduras, 63 per cent; Japan, 37 per cent. Louisiana—Honduras, 26 per cent; Japan, 74 per cent.

LIGHTNING BOLT KILLS THREE CAVALRYMEN

Struck in Midst of Sixth Regiment's Pack Train—Horses Were Also Killed.

Texas City, Tex.—Stricken by a bolt of lightning that played along the column of 800 riding men for the brief space of seconds, then flashed down upon a wagon which they were accompanying as escorts in the rear of the column, three privates of the Sixth Cavalry under command of Colonel O'Connor were killed Wednesday morning while en route from their permanent camps at Texas City to a temporary camp site on Galveston Island. Four horses and one mule of the wagon outfit gave up their lives to the bolt, and later a veterinary of the command, while attending an animal, was struck by a second bolt, much slighter than the first, and rendered unconscious.

The dead:

Private George Morris, Troop L.

Private Monroe Morris, Troop G.

Farrier John Zimmer, Troop L.

The injured:

Veterinary Surgeon Devine.

Private of Company H.

The cavalrymen were marching to Galveston, under orders issued some time past when plans were formulated for work on the marksman's range at Galveston, to take their turn for two weeks on the range below Fort Crockett.

Willard Arrives in Spain.

Madrid.—Joseph E. Willard of Virginia, the newly appointed American ambassador to Spain, arrived Thursday, accompanied by Mrs. Willard.

Declare Hans Schmidt Sane.

New York.—Hans Schmidt, the priest who confessed to slaying Anna Aumuller and dismembering her body, was sane when the murder was committed, according to the report of four alienists who examined him Tuesday.

Russia at Opening of Canal.

St. Petersburg.—It is understood that the Russian admiralty will send one or two naval officers to represent the government at the opening of the Panama canal.

MINERS RESCUED ALIVE

SEVEN MEN, A BOY AND A MULE RESCUED FROM ROCKDALE, TEXAS, MINE.

BURIED 75 FEET BELOW SIX DAYS

Boy, First One Brought Up, Says They Heard Rescuers at Work Blasting With Dynamite. Eighth Man Drowned.

Rockdale, Tex.—At 8 o'clock Tuesday night the workmen who have been making desperate efforts to reach seven men entombed in a mine at Rockdale since last Thursday broke through into the mine tunnel. One hour later the first rescued miner was hoisted to the surface, seventy-five feet above. At 9:45 the seventh and last man was brought up. The eighth man, George Lopeze, is known to have drowned in another part of the mine. The body was not recovered, but efforts are being made to do so. The entombed men were in a greatly weakened condition. Local physicians administered hypodermics, placed them in warm blankets, applied hot bricks and improvised a hospital tent. Rockdale ladies were ready with warm milk and restoratives. Physicians state all seven men are in excellent shape and need only proper nourishment to be all right in forty-eight hours.

Joseangel Mirales, a 16-year-old boy, was the first one brought up. He recuperated rapidly and was able to talk clearly in a few minutes. He stated the men never gave up hope and that they heard every blast of dynamite and knew efforts were being made to save them. Their lamps lasted until Saturday, after which time they grouped in utter darkness. For the past twenty-four hours they could hear the exhaust of the gasoline engine used to fan air down the shaft, and they felt the improvement in the ... immediately after the air shaft ... completed.

... before the workmen broke ... N. M. Bullock, local member ... te mining board, and Mine ... Taylor went below and ... the rescue work. They ... alive and braying near... to be car... men were 300 ... up that the rescue shaft and had went up from ... word was sent ... assembled. ... alive, a shout ... Pardo, Baptist m... of 400 people ... can colony, offered ... Rev. M. L. ... Rev. Mr. Pardo and Ma... the Mexi... exuberant with joy, ... prayer. ... Vogel of the mine. These ... were ... have been constantly on ... the disaster occurred last ... afternoon.

As soon as the men were all, Vogel ordered a big feed of oats se[nt] down to the mule.

MONSTER SLEEL PLANT FOR TEXAS CITY

A $30,000,000 Industry and Establishment of $10,000,000 Plant to Commence Soon.

Texas City, Tex.—A $10,000,000 steel plant at tidewater on Galveston harbor at Texas City, utilizing Texas iron ore, employing 7,500 men and comprising steel plant, rolling mills, smelters, coking plant and yards, is an assured fact. The entire investment involved, including plant, ore and coal fields, is $30,000,000. Work on the giant new industrial plant, greater perhaps than any other industry in the Southwest and comparable only to the stock yard interests at Fort Worth, is to start within sixty days, it was officially announced Tuesday by H. B. Moore of Texas City, vice president and general manager of the Texas City Company; by J. H. W. Steele of Galveston, president of the Texas City Steamship Company, and W. T. Armstrong of Galveston, general attorney of all the Texas City interests.

The Southwestern Steel Development Company, with headquarters in Houston, and the bond house of Peabody, Houghteling & Co. of Chicago, are the interests that have developed the new industrial plant, forming for this especial purpose the Southwestern Steel Corporation, capitalized at $30,000,000.

Limestone from Texas quarries in Coryell County and the contiguous territory has been secured. The iron ore is to be hauled to the steel plant at Texas City from East Texas by the International and Great Northern railway. The coal is to be barged from the Alabama mines on the now canalized Tombigbee and Warrior rivers by an all-water coastwise haul to the wharves of the steel plant at Texas City. Across from the city of Galveston, on the mainland shore, is to be assembled all of the material for the manufacture of general steel and rolling mill products. Nails, barbed wire, cotton ties, steel rei[n]forcement for concrete constructi[on] steel rails are among the produ[cts]...

Schmidt Pleads Not Guilty.

New York.—Hans Schmidt, sel[f-con]fessed murderer of Anna Au[muller] through counsel, Monday plead ... guilty to a charge of homicide a[nd was] sent back to the Tombs.

Alvin Peanut Crop Dam[aged].

Alvin, Tex.—The recent h... did much damage to the p... in the Alvin section. The d... caused by the peanuts sp... fore they could be pulled ... ground.

IN[DIGESTION]...

Time ... all S... minutes.

Do some foods you e... taste good, but work b... into stubborn lumps an... sour, gassy stomach? ... Mrs. Dyspeptic, jot this d... Diapepsin digests everyth... nothing to sour and upset ... never was anything so saf... certainly effective. No di... badly your stomach is dis... will get happy relief in f... but what pleases you mos... strengthens and regulate... ach so you can eat your fav... without fear.

You feel different as soon a... Diapepsin" comes in contact ... stomach—distress just vanis... stomach gets sweet, no gases ... ing, no eructations of undige... —Go now, make the best in... you ever made, by getting a l... cent case of Pape's Diapepsin ... store. You realize in five min... needless it is to suffer fro... tion, dyspepsia or bad stom...

Unconquerable Cat.

There is just one animal ... never conquered, never can ... Centuries ago every other ... came the slave of man or ... far from human habitation. ... one only refused to flee or ... This only exception to a ... servants and of scared enem... domestic cat. When some an... came man's slaves and oth... from him, the cat did neit... simply took all the favors ... vantages man had to offer, and ... to do one lick of work in ex... Beat a dog and he will fawn ... Beat a cat and it will attack y... then desert you. You can't ... the cat. You can't make it wo...

FALLING HAIR MEA[NS] DANDRUFF IS A...

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Ce[nt Bottle] of Danderine Right Now—Stops Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and ... hair is mute evidence of a ... scalp; of dandruff—that awf... There is nothing so destru... hair as dandruff. It robs ... luster, its strength and ... ... hair—growing all over the scalp. Adv.

Father's Neat Rebuke.

This is a story told of an old Evangelical clergyman who had a son in orders. The young man became a full-blown Ritualist. On one occasion the father paid a visit to his son, who asked him to preach in his church. For some time the old man refused, but pressed to do so, he at length consented, and chose the text, "Lord, have mercy upon my son, for he is a lunatic."

Strenuous Crusade Against Calomel

If you would be cheer... of life and vigor d... or any violen... HOT S...

THE LADY OF MOUNT

ALDERIC S. ISNAM

AUTHOR OF "THE STROLLERS," "UNDER THE ROSE" ETC.

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WINNOPSIS.

...n, daughter of the governor, has chanced encounter ...boy. The "Mount," a small ...land, stood in vast bay on ...ern coast of France, and ...e of Louis XVI. was a gov- ...ughold. Develops that the ...was the son of Seigneur De ...man. Young Desaurac deter- ...ire an education and become ...s the governor's daugh- ...or Paris. Lady Elise returns ...years' schooling, and enter- ...nobles. Her Ladyship dances ...e fisherman, and a call to ...de in an effort to capture a Le Seigneur Noir. He escapes ...is caught in the "Grand" tide. Seigneur rescues and takes ...retreat.

...TER VIII.—(Continued.)

...ded her silently; the beau- ...lent eyes; the slim, white ...; tapped restlessly, one ...other. "I will do what I ...said at last slowly.

...at?" she demanded. "What ...?"

...not answer; my lady made a ..."How ridiculous! A prison- ...island!"

...may be a way," he began.

...rse?" she said quickly. "What ...of him?"

...as swept away by the tide!" ...he proud eyes came a softer ...regret, pain.

...Ladyship should remember it ...ave been worse," he added, in ...ded to reassure her. "After ...nly a horse—"

...horse!" she exclaimed in- ..."But, I suppose you can't ...—caring for a horse!"

...understand caring for a ...answered quickly, a flash of ..., hardly concealed, in his ...eyes.

..." scornfully; "dead wood ...ood and iron! Beautiful ...e simile failed him; he ...my lady. "Something to ...on, with a hand to the ...an eye keen for mad dan- ...urveyings."

...I appreciate them h... ...pted dryly, with ...ed ...

...nearer to the Mount. That, and- ...idle opinions," in accents that ...veyed surprise at the temerity "is ...in his position to express ... ...of most moment!"

...with a ...He accepted the reproof, her ...readiness that further he said. "I ..."Your Ladyship is right. The storm ...will see what may be, yet daylight, ...has passed. Then, almost preoccu- ...and—" an expres... features—"a boat ...pied, came to ... ...may be sighted."

..."To be sur... At the prospect, all ...other consi...ations passed from my ...le's min... "A boat may be sighted! ...y did you not think of it before? ...ome! Too much time has already ...en lost." And she rose.

...e moment!" His voice was ...; respectful; although, she ...ed, constrained. "I had better go ... The way to the cliff is rough, ...

...hall not mind that!" ...ides, your clothes—"

...dry!" ...She flushed at the abrupt con- ..."I mean, I don't see how ...could be!" h... went on hurriedly, ...his tone a...umed a certain ob- ..."I assure your Ladyship, it ...least."

...She looked at him more ..."Is that your only reason?" ...A trace of embarrassment, ...instant, crossed its dark fea- ...ures. "What other reason, my Lady?"

..."That I know not!" quickly, assured ...had struck some... "Only I ...there is or!"

...Ladyship must ...wly. "I did not ...this is a rough ...about ...

...head haughtily to regard the new- ...comer, as she stepped toward him. "Cross yourself, I mean?"

"This good fellow, my Lady, is surprised to see you here, and small wonder he forgets his manners!" said the young man coolly, speaking for the other. "But he is honest enough—and—intends no disrespect!"

"None whatever!" muttered the intruder, a thin, wizened, yet still active-looking person.

My lady did not reply; her gaze, in which suspicion had become conviction, again met the young man's, whose black eyes now gleamed with a sudden, challenging light.

"With your permission, my Lady, I will speak with this fellow," he said, and abruptly strode from the tower; walked a short distance away, followed by the man, when he stopped.

"Certes, your tongue betrayed you that time, Sanchez!" he said confronting the other.

The man made a rough gesture. "C'est vrai!" regretfully. "But when I saw you two together I thought I had seen a—" He stopped. "She is so like—"

"Nay; I don't blame you; the sight was certainly unexpected! I had thought to come down and prepare you, but—'tis done!"

"And I knew what it meant." The old servant looked over his shoulder toward the tower.

"Call it magic!" with a short laugh. "Diablerie!" muttered the other.

"Well, have your way! Why," abruptly, "did you not meet me here last night at his tide as we had planned?"

"The priest came not in time; fearing he was watched, waited until night to leave his hiding-place at Verranch."

"And after missing me last night, thought to find me here today?"

"I knew you were most anxious to see the Governor's, knavery! And, that upon him depended your to find you here with the daugh- to undo some of his Excel- of the man who has wrought you much wrong, robbed you of your lands—your right to your name!" A cloud shadowed the listener's bold brow. "I know not how it came about, Seigneur, but be assured, no good can come of it!"

From where she stood, at the distance to the tower, the Governor's daughter saw now the two men descend; she perceived, also, at a turn in the path, coming up slowly, as one whose years had begun to tell upon him, another figure, clad in black; a priest. This last person and the Black Seigneur accosted each other; stopped, while the other man, who had crossed himself at sight of her, drew aside. At length, somewhat abruptly, they separated, the priest and Sanchez going down the hill and the young man starting to walk up. Then quickly leaving the ancient, circular structure for observation, she stepped toward the cliff, not far to the right; and in an attitude of as great unconcern as she could summon, waited.

Below the ocean beat around the rock, and her eyes seemed to have rested an interminable period on the dark surface of the water, when at length she heard him; near at hand; directly behind. Still she did not stir; he, too, by the silence, stood motionless. How long? The little foot moved restlessly; why did he not speak? She knew he was looking at her—the Governor's daughter who had inadvertently looked into a forbidden chamber; was possessed of dangerous knowledge.

Again she made a movement. When was he going to speak? It was intolerable that he should stand there, studying, deducing! That she, accustomed to command; to be served; to have her way at court and Mount, should now be judged, passed upon, disposed of, by—whom? Quickly she looked around; the flashing brown eyes met the steady black ones.

"Well?"

"The man will take you back." His manner was quiet; composed; implied a full cognizance of what she knew, and an absence of any further desire to attempt to disguise the truth.

"Back! Where?" She could not conceal her surprise.

"To the Mount."

For the moment she did not speak; she had not known what to expect—certainly not that.

"Why ...!" A smile, slightly forced, passed his face. "Does your Ladyship think I make war on women? Only, before your Ladyship departs, it will be necessary for you to agree to a little condition."

"Condition?" She drew her breath quickly.

"That you will say nothing to incriminate him. He is an old servant of mine; has broken none of the laws of the land," with a somewhat contemptuous accent, "works his bit of ground; pays metayage, and a tax on all the fish he brings in. Only in a certain matter today has he served me."

"You mean I must say nothing about meeting him? You?"

"For his sake!"

"And your own!"

"Mine?" He made a careless gesture. "I should not presume! For myself I should exact or expect, from your Ladyship no promise. Tonight I shall be far away. But this good fellow remains behind; should be allowed to continue his peaceful, lowly occupation. I would not have anything happen to him on my account."

"And if I refuse to promise?" she asked haughtily. "To enter into any covenant with—you!"

"But you will not!" he said steadily. "Your Ladyship, for her own sake, should not force the alternative."

"Alternative?"

"Why speak of it?"

"What is the alternative?" she demanded.

"If your Ladyship refuses to promise, it will be necessary for the man to return alone."

"You mean," in spite of herself, she gave a start, "you would make me—a prisoner?"

"It should not be necessary."

"But you would not dare!" indignantly.

"Not dare! Your Ladyship forgets—"

"True!" with a scornful glance. After a pause: "But suppose I did promise? Are you not reposing a good deal of confidence in me?"

"Not too much!"

"I presume," disdainfully, "I should feel flattered in being trusted by—" She did not finish the sentence.

But the young man apparently had not heard. "I'll take the chance on your own words," he added unexpectedly.

"My words?"

"That you are no telltale."

The girl started. "Telltale?" she repeated.

"You once told me you were not!"



"But Suppose I Did Promise?"

"I—told you!" She stared at him.

"Told me you were no telltale," he repeated. "And—when Beppo lied, you told the truth—about a ragged vagabond of a boy."

"Beppo!" The look in her eyes deepened; cleared. "I remember now," she said slowly. "You were the boy with the fish, who said he lived in the woods. I met you while riding, and again that night, as a child, leaving for Paris; but I did not know, then, you would become—"

The young man's face changed. "An outlaw!" he said coolly.

"Yes; an outlaw," she repeated firmly. Angered by his unflinching gaze, she went on: "Who dares not fly the flag of his king! Who dares not come openly into any honest port!"

She ended, her brown eyes flashing. His own darkened; but he only remarked coldly: "My Lady, at any rate, dares much!"

"Oh, I've no doubt you don't care to hear—"

"From you!" He looked at her coldly, from the golden hair to the small dainty foot. "From your Ladyship!" he repeated, as if amused. An instant he regarded her silently, intently; but his voice when at length he again spoke was cool and slightly mocking: "My Lady speaks, of course, from the standpoint of her own world—a very pretty world! A park of allsance, wherein, I can vouch for it, my Lady dances very prettily."

She started; a flush of resentment glowed and faded on her cheek; a question his words suggested trembled on her lips.

"Why did you come to the beach that night of the dance? How dared you, knowing that if—"

"Why?" His eyes lost their ironical light. "Why?" he repeated; then laughed with sudden recklessness. "I wished to see your Ladyship."

"Me!" She shrank back.

"You!" he repeated, his gaze fastened on the startled, proud face. "Though I looked not forward to a dance—with your Ladyship!" The black eyes glowed. "Pardi! It was worth the risk." A moment he waited; then his manner changed. "I will leave your Ladyship now," he said quietly. "You will have opportunity to consider"—she did not answer—"whether you will give me promise, or not," he added abruptly, walked away, which ...

Some time later, in the fast-gathering darkness, from the cove a small boat put out, with Sanchez, gloomy and sullen, in the stern; at the bow, the Governor's daughter. As the isle receded and the point of land loomed bigger before them, the girl gazed straight ahead; but the man looked back; to the sands of the little cove, a pale similar in the dragon-like mouth of the rock; toward the tower, near which he fancied he could see a figure, turned from them—seaward—where, far out, a ship might just be discerned, a dim outline on the horizon.

CHAPTER X.

The Cloister in the Air.

Irrespective of environment, the cloister of the Mount would have been a delight to the eye, but, upheld in mid air, with the sky so near and the sands so far below, it seemed more an inspiration of fancy than a work of hand. Dainty, delicate, its rose-colored columns of granite appeared too thin for tangible weight; the tympan's sculptured designs, fanciful as the carvings in some palace of a poet's dream. Despite, however, this first impression of evanescence, it carried a charm against the ravages of time, and ethereal though it was, had rested like a crown on the grim head of the rock through the ages.

Once a place for quiet meditation, the cloister had, through a whirligig of change, become the favorite resort of the Governor, for dejeuner, or after-dinner dram, and, on occasions, for the transaction of much profane though necessary labor pertaining to his office and private concerns. He busied himself there now; or had been busying himself, but paused to look up from the large book before him, whose pages were inscribed with items and figures. His finger following the mental computation remained stationary. Fouage—tax upon fires; banvin—duties on wine; vingtain—the lord's right to his share of the produce; minage—his due from each mine or half

set of coin—con... usually all-importa... of the moment to ... him.

He leaned back, ... the light and shad... the dark, steely ey... sunken, the hard, ... the white mustac... the spare figure ... ready, as if to gra... den danger.

"J'arrive en... De Basso ...

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"Housed? Yes, ... But we have little ... cells are all occupi... fairly full! E... Deux Jumeaux have been pre... service."

"Hum!" The long hand tapped restlessly a moment; the cold eyes gleamed, then shot an inquiring look. "There are no new particulars about last night's encounter with this—Black Seigneur?"

"None, your Excellency, except," the commandant drew a paper from his breast pocket, "I have here in writing the detailed account of the officer in charge of your Excellency's boat, who was wounded himself in the encounter."

"Read it."

The commandant obeyed. "'Our schooner, belonging to his Excellency, the Governor, was returning last night to the Mount with troops—reinforcements for the garrison from St. Dalard—when it happened quite by accident near a ship, maneuvering at a respectful distance from the island of Casque. The night was dark and cloudy, but our men got a look at her and suspecting who she was and knowing her armament, against our will, we felt obliged to bear away. She, having no reason to think us other than a fishing schooner, or that we were freighted with troops instead of cod, did not follow and we had passed out of sight, and were rounding the island when we ran into two small sail-boats that had just set out from there.'"

"To join the ship of this outlaw!" interposed the Governor. "Go on!" shortly.

"'We hailed; their answer was unsatisfactory; we ordered them to halt, whereupon they tried to sail away. We followed and overtaking them, commanded them to surrender. Their leader, who was the Black Seigneur himself, refused, and we attacked—'"

"Bien! 'We attacked!' But what then? Eh, what then?"

"'With fury they responded; in spite of their inferiority of numbers tried to board us. Bravely our men repulsed them; yet still they persisted; led by their captain, the Black Seigneur, had gained the deck when a chance shot struck him. As he fell back, the others tried to escape; one boat was sunk—'"

"And the other, bearing their leader, got away!" interrupted the Governor harshly.

"In the confusion—yes, your Excellency."

The Governor waved his hand impatiently.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A Delicate Point.

"They are a happy Sewickley couple. They haven't been married very long. In fact, the honeymoon has barely waned. An elderly friend met the bridegroom down town yesterday and slapped him on the back.

"Well, happy as a lark, I suppose?"

"Oh, yes."

"How's the cooking?"

"I have one trouble there. It's just this, my wife has been preparing angel food every day for dinner."

"You must be getting tired of it."

"I am. Yet I feel a hesitancy about saying anything. How soon after the honeymoon would it be proper to ask for beefsteak and onions?"

Peril of Sleep Walkers.

The reason many persons walk in their sleep is because one part of the mind is wide awake when the other is asleep. But the curious thing about sleep walking is just because the walker is asleep and not conscious, he can walk over dangerous spots which would probably cause him to fall through nervousness, if he were wide awake. But as he is not awake, and not conscious, he generally walks safely and remembers nothing about it.

So it is easy to see why it is dangerous to awaken a sleep walker while he is walking along a precipice or in some other dangerous position.

The Key.

"And where," my fellow citizens, appealed the political speaker, "can we find an instrument so fit, so delicate, so adjustable, and at the same time so unassuming and popular that it will unlock every department of state for the benefit of the people?"

"The hairpin!" shrieked an enthusiastic suffragette in the audience.—Judge.

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NO. 3

Japonica Jottings.

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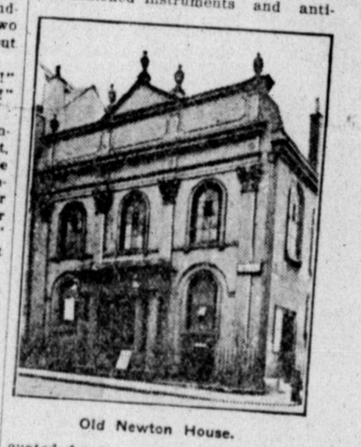
...ville are up here this week vis- ...and hunting. Mr. Cannon ...dered his new rifle this morn- ...and thought he would take a ...walk for his health. A big ...joint buck stepped in the path ...front of him and he brought him ...the ground. (That must have ...a brave deer to deliberately ...himself in front of a Cannon ...rifle.—Ed.)

...Cantwell is building ...on Mr. A. E. ... intends ...ber 17, ... came ho... the ... specta to ... all the de...

Several en... serving to illus... zen of Kerrville. He remained ... are extant. In the ... Monday afternoon looking ... for 1811 appears a pic... sentation by Lacy, after a dr... place. The people of ... Meredith, with the title, "The Hote... him and his fam- ... St. Martin's street, formerly the resi- ...dence of Sir Isaac Newton." A placard ...to that effect is seen across the facade. ...In C. J. Smith's "Historical and Lit- ...erary Curiosities" is an engraving ...(published 1836) showing the interior ...of the observatory; and another, of the ...house itself (published 1837), shows a ...board outside with the legend "Orange ...Street Chapel Sunday and Infant ...Schools." A colored lithograph depict- ...ing the building adjoining Newton's ...dwelling was published in 1862, intend- ...ed to keep in remembrance the jubilee ...of the Sunday schools.

...am barber

A story got into print that Newton house was at one time taken by a foreigner, who built a little observatory at the top and then filled it with some old-fashioned instruments and antiquated furniture. He advertised the house as on view in the state it was left by Newton, and many visitors from the country and foreign parts were imposed upon till the joke became too stale. The circumstance is alluded to by J. T. Smith in "An Antiquarian Ramble of the Streets of London" (1846) and by Rev. W. G. Humphry, sometime vicar of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, in a pamphlet published in 1857. He describes the house as being "now occupied by laborers and bargemen, and easily distinguished by a small wooden erection on the roof."



Old Newton House.

William Weidman

William Weidman of Spaulding, Ohio died at his residence here on Water street Tuesday morning at 6 o'clock. Mr. Weidman, who was a sufferer from tuberculosis, came to Kerrville in June with his wife and two daughters. The body was shipped to his former home Wednesday morning accompanied by the widow and daughters, to whom we extend our deepest sympathy.

Protestant Church Intelligence

Rt. Rev. J. S. Johnston of San Antonio, Bishop of the Episcopal Church for the Western diocese of Texas, came up Saturday afternoon to visit Rev. Mr. Brunner, and preached an able sermon at St. Peter's church Sunday morning and made an interesting address Sunday afternoon at the Parish room. It is good news to our people that Bishop Johnston contemplates becoming a resident of Kerrville. He remained over Monday afternoon looking for a place. The people of Kerrville and his family will be glad to welcome him and his family to our midst.

BLACK SNAKE SLIPPED SKIN

In That Way, According to Pennsylvania Story, Reptile Escaped Being Captured.

Philadelphia.—A weekly newspaper in Newtown, Bucks county, printed this story:

"Alexander Dewsnap of Bristol saw a blacksnake sunning itself and made an effort to catch the reptile alive. Just as the snake glided into a hole in the ground Dewsnap clutched it by the tail and drew it out again—as he thought.

"Only the skin, however, was in his hands, the blacksnake having suddenly divested itself of its old clothes (or skin) in order to escape.

"Dewsnap has had the skin preserved and is now using it as an umbrella cover."

Wife Called Him "Pig;" Seeks Divorce

Jersey City, N. J.—Because his wife called him a pig and slapped his face while in a restaurant, James Freeman of Arlington, N. J., asserted that he went to Reno and secured a divorce. Freeman, who is about seventy years of age, declared that his marital difficulties developed during their honeymoon in Europe.

Steal Tickets to World Series.

Orange, N. J.—Henry C. Davis of Orange was held up and robbed of six tickets to the world series. His money and j... were not molested.

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CRAFTY HUSBAND.

An arcade shopkeeper tells a well-dressed man of about came into his place the other d asked to see some chafing dish didn't care for the first one show nor the second. "Let me see nicer ones—more expensive," h

So some very flossy ones shown him, but still he was not fied. "I want a chafin dish that is tremely showy," he explained. "So thing that will attract attention any sideboard. All gold and silver chasings and things."

"Well, here's one that is more an ornament," said the sa derful w only trouble is that it's wife don't want to use it for anythi but to look at."

The customer's face brightene wonderfully.

"I'll take that one," he grinned.

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Livery business in live town, with lot 120x140, and barn 40x100, all floored, and good auto garage 32x60, good autos, hacks, buggies, saddles, harness and horses, tools, etc. Doing all of City sprinkling, and operating the hearse, and telephone line; also 324 acres of land nine miles of town, every foot tillable, except about 15 acres, with well and small house on land all under practically new fence, fine grazing. Entire business and farm property at bargain. You cant afford to miss it. Business in 1-2 block of center of town, on Southern Pacific Railroad.

For Sale---200x600 feet in Tivy addition, Water St., good improvements, including stock of groceries and growing garden, $5,200. Also 4 lots in Lowry addition fronting road, 350x190 feet, $100 per lot. Also 25x104 feet on Water St., in center of town. Rock building including bakery oven. Good tenant $2750.

A pretty home on Clay Street, Kerrville for sale. Contains four large lots, nice six-room house and other improvements. For quick sale will go at $2700.

No. 3. 800 acres 4 miles from Kerrville, 20 acres in cultivation, balance pasture land, all fenced hog proof. Good 6-room house almost new, with fire place. Good spring near house, other springs in pasture. Price $5000.

Nice 5-room house with two lots, good shed and outhouses, six blocks south of court house. A bargain to anybody that wants it. Good terms and cash payment.

348 acres 12 miles from Kerrville on daily mail route, all under 7 and 8 wire fence; well and windmill at the house, plenty water in pasture; new two-room house; all improvements new. In 1-2 mile of good school, store and two churches. 4 acres in cultivation, more tillable, young orchard. Price $2250.

90 Acres one mile from Pearsall, all under one fence and all in cultivation except small pasture. New 7-room 2-porch bungalo, fine well of soft water, windmill, tank and waterworks, fine shade trees and two big young orchards, on clayed auto road in good prohibition town. Will sell or trade for property in Kerr County.

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160 acres black land in Jones Co., 10 miles from Abilene and 1 mile from Hamby. 90 acres in cultivation, 50 more tillable. 6-room house almost new, well, etc. $40 acre.

747 acres, 100 acres in cultivation good fences, barns and out houses. Good 5-room house, two good wells and three tanks, one windmill. Located 19 miles Northwest of Kerrville on Kerrville-Reservation road. All farm implements and machinery, consisting of reaper, grain drill, mowing machine, rake, molases mill, cultivators and single and double disc plows go with place for $12000,

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Baptist Ladies Aid

The Baptist Ladies Aid met Oct. 28 with Mrs. McCoy with quite a large attendance. It was decided to pack the box for Buckner Orphan's Home Tuesday, Nov. 11, at the residence of Mrs. R. S. Newman. All who will donate to this worthy cause, please phone 61 and offering will be called for.

Mrs. R. S. Newman and Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon were appointed as delegates to represent our Society at the Baptist Convention in San Antonio this week.

Our next meeting will be held with Mrs. W. H. Rawson. This will be "Dollar Day" and a good program will be rendered. The hour of meeting has been changed from to 4:00 to 3:30.

Japonica Jottings.

A fresh norther blew up yesterday morning and Mr. Jack Frost visited the farmers last night doing a great deal of damage to potatoes and late tomato crops.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fairchilds of Harper are visiting relatives and friends in this community.

Mrs. Corbelo and Mrs. Tedford visited Mrs. Corbelo's daughter, Mrs. Reno, in Kerrville Saturday and Sunday.

The young people of this community enjoyed themselves at a singing at Mrs. Griffin's Saturday night.

Mr. Will Furr returned the latter part of last week from Menard where he was called to his brother who has been quite sick.

RAMS FOR SALE.

I have for sale three fine Delaine Merino Rams, one 4-year-old, $30; one 3-year-old, $25; one yearling $20. All smooth bodied rams and heavy shearers.

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Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK

at Kerrville, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 21st day of October, 1913, published in the Advance, a newspaper printed and published at Kerrville, Texas on the 30th day of October, 1913.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral		$43,856.18
Loans, real estate		12,648.65
Overdrafts		1269.44
Real Estate (banking house)		6641.89
Furniture and Fixtures		2510.12
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	$5,047.27	
Due from other Banks and B'nk'rs subject to check	479.82	5527.09
Cash items	158.85	
Currency	3259.00	
Specie	1650.75	5068.60
Other resources as follows:		
Interest in Guaranty Fund,		652.16
Assessment Guaranty fund,		49.17
Total		$78,223.30

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	$30,000.00
Surplus Fund	3,500.00
Undivided profits, net	2644.37
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	6,235.15
Individual Deposits, subject to check	29,862.61
Time certificates of deposit	5,981.17
Total	$78,223.30

State of Texas)
County of Kerr) We, T. F. W. Dietert as president, and A. B. Williamson as assistant cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. F. W. DIETERT, President.
A. B. WILLIAMSON, Ass't Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 28th day of October A. D. nineteen hundred and thirteen.

Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

[L. S.] E. H. TURNER, Notary Public, Kerr Co., Texas.

CORRECT---ATTEST:

J. P. Burnett)
Edw'd Dietert) Directors.

Notice Contractors

Parties wishing to bid on the Baptist Church may have plans and specifications by calling for same at R. S. Newman's store.

Two bids will be considered, one for brick and one for rock construction. All bids must be in by Nov. 1st, 1913.

Building Committee.

When you begin to talk about good wagons, some fellow is sure to mention Fort Smith. We have just received a car of the Fort Smith wagons. West Texas Supply Co.

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