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BANQUET ROYAL

Junction Chamber of Commerce
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Previous Efforts

The Junction Chamber of Commerce gave a banquet royal at the Hankins and Riley Hall Wednesday evening, which, it is acknowledged, eclipses all previous efforts in Junction in occasions of this nature. The banquet was primarily in honor of our retired Postmaster, C. W. Atchison. Mr. Atchison is just leaving the Junction Post Office after seventeen years of faithful service here, and the business men's club deemed it fitting and deserving respect to prepare a royal banquet in honor of this fellow-citizen who in the capacity of Postmaster has served the people so long and faithfully.

The Chamber of Commerce members, with a few invited guests gathered with genial companionship, the air pervading with lively strains of music, and all assembled bent on enjoying the fullest of the evening's pleasures.

Dainty place cards designated the guests' respective places; and when the crowd gathered around the beautifully decorated and heavily laden festive board there was served a feast fit for a king. It seemed that everything which the appetite might desire had been provided, the faithful waiters certainly did their duty and "eat drink and be merry" sentiment was shared and enjoyed by all alike.

Just before feasting began H. E. Wilson made a most appropriate presentation address, in which he made language do its duty in the expression of the deep appreciation which every one shares toward Mr. Atchison for his untiring faithfulness and ever-courteous treatment to all. At the close of Mr. Wilson's remarks he presented to the honor guest in the name of the Chamber of Commerce a beautiful gold watch, in the back of which was inscribed: Presented to C. W. A. in recognition of seventeen years faithful service as Postmaster; by Junction Chamber of Commerce, February 24, 1915.

Mr. Atchison's hearty response was one of happy surprise and keen appreciation; no long oration could have been more expressive and fitting.

At the close of the feasting after-dinner speeches were in order. In the midst of the flow of merriment unconfined, speeches were made and toasts were offered to the honor guest, to Junction, to Kimble County and her people, West Texas, U. S. A., and to an hundred and one other deserving objects of toasts. The program as responded to was as follows:

Music.
Presentation Address—H. E. Wilson.
Response—C. W. Atchison.
Music.
Dinner.
Toasts: Good Roads, Their Value How to Secure Them—Alex J. Hamer.
The "Fourth Estate"—C. M. Nichols.
The Hardware Man—E. A. Loeffler.
Music.
Friendship—J. B. Stevenson.
The Poverty-Stricken Man—J. M. Hankins.
Music.
Comedy on Love—J. D. Motley.
Economy; Its Values and How to Practice It—H. E. Wilson.
Music.

The committee of arrangements for the occasion chose wisely in assigning to each special speaker subject which was very near at heart by each respective participant. Space will not permit us to take up each address at length, but it can be said that all was handled in a most interesting manner and it was all hugely enjoyed as well as beneficial. At all gathered, Coke P. Stevenson as toastmaster called the numbers on the program and managed the entire occasion with adept cleverness, and supplied throughout apt bits of humor and mirth provoking references all of which helped much toward making

OUTLOOK PROMISING FOR WOOL GROWERS

Price of Wool Steadily Gaining
And Indications That It Will
Continue To Rise

Capt. Chas. Schreiner who is spending some weeks in San Antonio was in Kerrville Wednesday and Thursday, returning to the Alamo City Thursday afternoon. While here Capt. Schreiner discussed the outlook for the wool and mohair business at this place, and in the country generally. He stated that indications were very gratifying. That the prices had been steadily gaining for the past ten days and the outlook good for a continued advance. Among other things the veteran wool commission man said:

"As usual when any commodity is rising in price and there is promise that the advance will continue, there are men who are anxious to contract ahead for wools, in the hope of taking the profit that legitimately belongs to the producer. I would advise the wool growers of this section to avoid any such contracts for their spring clip, as I believe there is a good profit coming to them from the advancing price."

"The general outlook for the wool and mohair industry is very good just at this time. Animals are in fine condition. There is a splendid season in the ground and the past few warm days have started the weeds and grass for the lambing season. On the whole there is promise for a successful year for the growers of Southwest Texas."

The wool and mohair consignments to the Schreiner warehouse in Kerrville for the year 1914 were 13,993 bags, or 3,986,572 pounds of wool, and 5,516 bags, or 1,587,149 pounds of mohair, making a total of 19,509 bags or 6,673,721 pounds of wool and mohair. Chas. Schreiner is undoubtedly the largest individual handler of wool and mohair direct from the ranchmen in the United States. Kerrville is the second largest wool market in Texas, and beyond question the largest market in America, outside of Boston.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court will at the next meeting receive sealed bids for the erection of two wire fences along the proposed new road through the Bolt pasture; and the court will also receive bids for the construction of the new road beginning at the South end of the bridge following the blazed right of way to intersection of the present road a distance of one-half mile.

For particulars call on C. P. Bruce or J. B. Randolph.

The court reserves the right to reject all bids.

J. B. Randolph,
County Judge

thirty-five participants were gathered around the table, and nearly every one responded in some manner to the toastmaster.

Among the notable guests were were glad to recognize three leading merchants of London: G. T. May, R. F. Cannon and G. Lewis, who added to the pleasure of the evening and expressed hearty enjoyment of the occasion. Several of the most prominent ranchmen of county were among those assembled. Among the guests also was John A. Caplen, a man who is now a visitor in the city, and who has made regular visits to our county since before Junction could hardly claim an existence. His talk was especially appreciated. The occasion was interspersed throughout with music by the band which was an appreciated feature of the entertainment. To say that the banquet and

OPEN LETTER FROM PROF. LEON H. DURST

A Kimble Boy In The Land Beyond The Seas

Dear Clarence:
I am "receiving" the Citizen regularly. I was so sad when I read of your father's death. It was an inspiration to know him and I can't realize that he has passed out of this life, yet we know the life he lived and what his reward is. You and your mother have my deepest sympathy in your loss. The loss of our loved ones is part of our lives and we should bear such losses cheerfully. I realize that soon I must lose my dear old father, and I hope I shall bear cheerfully looking to that future life as I know you do.

I am pleased to see the Citizen growing and filling out. I certainly welcome it to my desk. I look back with pleasure on the time we took, Clarence. It seems a very very strange thing to think that I was awakened from my slumber on the banks of the old Llanos to come many thousands of miles to Turkey. It's more like ship Van dream. But here I am just the same. I am going to now write some of my impressions of the East from time to time. I hope you will find them as you please if the censor here leaves anything.

I learn from papers and letters from America that people there think that we Americans in Turkey are in a bad plight. I read a lot of foolish rumors in American papers about anything here. AMERICANS HERE ARE IN NO DANGER. We laugh at the reports we read and listen to foreigners ridiculing our journalism which deserves ridicule. There are about our hundred Americans on commercial work Robert College is running with no disturbance from any source. Business under American control is flourishing. Even the work in the consulate and embassy is running smoothly. It was affected some when the Ambassador took over the duties of the English, French and Russian embassies. Thus a great burden was thrust upon Mr. Morganthau, but he is handling everything well. Constantinople is very quiet. No unusual demonstration has been made against the people of the empires. English has not put us "in bad" but the English themselves have not been mistreated here.

Since this letter is strictly censored I must refrain from a discussion of war topics, but let me offer two things for consideration: In one's judgment of war news; these are censorship and source of reports. Don't believe anything you read. I would tell you: but take these two things into consideration and judge for yourself. The Ambassador Mr. Morganthau is master of the situation in all respects. He has received no criticism from any of the Americans here for any of his work. He's on the job every minute and meets all exigencies without delay. He keeps in touch with the Americans here in a social way too. Very often he and his wife receive us very cordially. Though the flags have been taken off the Russian, French and English embassies and Turkish flags are in their places, the stars and stripes still waves in the navy. East—a flag which demands the same respect wherever it is unfurled. Let us hope foreigners will ever have a cause to look upon it in admiration of the liberty, peace and happiness for which it stands, and that our banner will never suggest that militarism which has brought into history the present terrible conflict of the nations.

It's great to stand off and look at one's country. If every American could do this, oh what a reform would come about! If we all could hear the criticism of the European, what a chance for greater progress would there be. I wish I had space to enumerate some European impressions of the American as an individual. First and last he European looks upon the American as he sees him in the tourist as a fool—and he is right. Took up Irving Cobb's articles in

A CORRECTION

A Misleading Impression Corrected

There appeared last week in the other local paper an advertisement of the City Hotel, with W. H. Johnson, proprietor, and rates given as \$1.50 per day. I desire to state that the appearance of that ad was unauthorized. I did not desire, and so stated, that any ad should appear for me in any paper at that time. As for the rates announced in that ad I can merely say that the ad entire was prepared and inserted wholly without my knowledge or consent. As a matter of fact my hotel is not yet open for business, and I have intimated to no one regarding my rates when I start into the hotel business.

My hotel building is still under process of renovation and preparation; the work in these matters will be thorough, and when I do open up for business Junction is going to have a hotel with accommodations and conditions which all will appreciate. In another column of The Citizen appears this week an ad concerning my FUTURE Hotel business which I am endeavoring to get ready to start at the very earliest possible date. Notice each week my ad in The Citizen, and when I get ready to open my doors come in and see what I have to offer you in hotel service. Date of opening and rates will be announced in these columns in all due time.

W. H. JOHNSON.

\$75,000 RANCH DEAL.

J. W. Garrett has sold his half interest in the Aqua Loma ranch to his partner Al Ward of San Antonio. The ranch is situated near Segovia, and consists of 22,000 acres. Deal included all the ranch implements and all livestock now on place. Consideration for the half-interest is approximately \$75,000.

This ranch is one of the best in Kimble County. It is well watered by springs, and the soil is very fertile. However on 1200 acres are at present under cultivation.

The ranch at time of sale was not heavily stocked, much of the stock having been sold before this deal was made. The ranch was started as a horse ranch, later used for cattle raising, and in last several years has been used for the breeding of fine Angora goats. The Ward and Garrett Angora goats have a wide notoriety, and have taken many blue ribbons and worthy prizes at various exhibits.

Mr. Garrett expects to continue as a ranchman, but will locate near to some city where the children may have better school advantages. Mr. Garrett has done much for the great goat industry of our county—an industry for which Kimble is becoming famous—and this prominent ranchman turning his attention elsewhere occasions much regret among the goatmen of Kimble and among the many friends of Mr. Garrett and his estimable family.

On the first, second and third Sundays in each month there will be preaching at Junction Baptist Church: morning service at 11 o'clock, evening service at 7:00. You are urged to be present at these services.

When you are absent we miss you. "The Spirit and the bride say come."

R. T. Deel

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Miss Elida Morris, a singing comedienne, with a program of brand new numbers which she "puts over" with a style and individuality all her own, is quite accustomed to having her name out in the electric lights in front of America's most prominent vaudeville theaters.

Kalmar and Brown, singers and dancers, present a varied program of classic dances and original songs. The team forms a combination of artistic talent that is exceptional.

Goldsmith and Pinard offer a comedy and musical act entitled "The New Salesman," in which Sol Goldsmith handles the title role as the seller of musical instruments, which he demonstrates during the act.

Five juggling Mowatts offer an Indian club juggling and throwing act that for speed and dexterity is away ahead of anything like it that has ever been seen here.

Bertie Ford offers an aerial slack wire novelty act in which she presents a new and original number billed as "The Aerial Tango." It is a demonstration of what can be accomplished by constant and assiduous practice by one who would prefer to do stunts away up in the air on a slender thread of steel, to doing the mon the stage. Miss Ford is a graceful, pretty and speedy worker.

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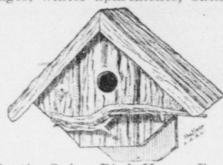
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Mr. Charles P. Shoffner, artist and editor of the Liberty Bell Bird Club department of the Farm Journal, Philadelphia, is preparing a most interesting and instructive exhibit of the Liberty Bell Bird Club work, to be placed in the Palace of Education and Social Economics at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition in San Francisco. Here, bird house architects, builders or would-be landlords may find models of summer cottages, winter apartments, bath-



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ing facilities and eating places that bird residents like best. The bird student will be helped to find an answer to the ever-recurring "What bird is this?"

"I doubt if the Farm Journal realizes the economic importance of its Liberty Bell Bird Club movement to future generations," says Col. Ike T. Pryor, ex-president of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress and vice-president of the National Livestock Association, also an enthusiastic worker for the club. "The preservation and protection of insectivorous birds is imperative and essential to our existence. Without these birds little or nothing could be grown or matured by the farmer. Insects of various kinds would multiply and increase to a point where vegetable and animal life could not exist, and without which the human family cannot long survive. This club should have the support and co-operation of every individual who inhabits every country on the globe."

"Birds save more of the nation's wealth each year than can possibly be estimated," states Prof. C. B. Bull, ex-manager of the Sixth National Corn Exposition, now professor of agronomy in the University of Minnesota. "Your movement for more and tamer birds is a good one and should be pushed along. We need more of our feathered friends. Success to the Liberty Bell Bird Club."

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HEREDITY OR ENVIRONMENT?

By G. A. McNaughton.
It is now conceded that the old timers were somewhat in error when they averred that the preachers' sons and deacons' daughters generally go to the bad—in fact, figures have proved that the percentage of preachers' sons who depart from the teachings of youth is exceedingly small—more so when compared with all other professions—as legal and medical. In fact, the picture has been painted so attractively that if you were a baby and selecting a paternal possibility, you would just naturally hunt up a preacher rather than any other. But it is not all in hereditary conditions, entirely; but environment also is to be considered. Take the case of Samuel and the sons of Eli, even in the glamor of the Old Bible. Here were sons of a preacher—even in the Bible—who went to the bad; but actually how many preachers' sons do you of your own personal experience know? On the other hand, Samuel, raised by this same preacher, is "Called of God." Environment or heredity? Eli fails to make good as a father for his own sons, yet with the boy Samuel is a shining success—instructs in what was then the works of the church, and one of the most glorious of the Bible saints. The story as recorded in the first part of First Samuel is veritably a fairy story—particularly when we read with astonishment that the lad is eventually taught to say: "Speak, Jehovah, for thy servant heareth."

SORTING FROSTED LEMONS AND ORANGES.

Frosted or frozen oranges and lemons are lighter than sound fruit, writes Shelby McKinstry in describing for the Scientific American an invention of Frank Shase, a California orange grower, which sorts out the sound from the frosted fruit. The more badly they have been frosted the lighter they become. Hence when they are passed through water the sound fruit sinks to the bottom, the badly frosted fruit floats to the surface and the slightly frosted fruit is barely submerged.

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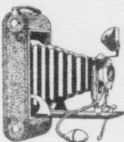
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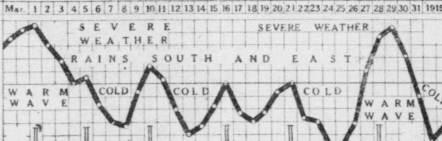
Foster's MARCH, 1915, Weather Chart.

Temperatures of March will average a little below normal, but will go to such great extremes that the average is of no great importance. Those extremes will be very important as they will cause thaws and severe frosts. High temperatures will cross meridian 90 near March 1, moving eastward and then bob up and down till March 25 when a severe cold wave will reach meridian 90 moving eastward. About March 29 another high temperature wave will reach meridian 90 and severe cold wave will follow it.

During the five days centering on March 5 and 23 look out for severe storms. Near those dates heavy rains are expected in all southern and eastern sections.

March will be noted for excessive rains in all states bordering on the Gulf of Mexico and all states and provinces bordering on the Atlantic.

California coast sections will continue to get large amounts of rain during March and the Hawaii Islands will be flooded and storm swept. Great storms and floods are expected in the East Indies during March.



Treble line represents seasonable normal temperatures, the heavy black line the predicted departures from normal. The black line tending upward indicates rising temperature and downward indicates falling temperature. Where the heavy temperature line goes above normal indications are for warmer, and below cooler than usual. The I indicates when storm waves will cross meridian 90 degrees, moving eastward. Count one or two days later for east of meridian 90 degrees, moving eastward. Count one or two days later for east of meridian 90 degrees and one to three days earlier for west of it. Warm waves will be about a day earlier and cool waves a day later.



Meridian 90 is a straight line running north and south nearly through New Orleans and St. Louis.

Broken lines separate map into 8 weather districts named North Pacific Slope, South Pacific Slope, North West, South West, Lake, Southeast, Northeast and Washington. Address Foster's Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26--Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross continent February 22 to 26, warm wave 21 to 25, cool wave 24 to 28. Temperatures will average about normal. Rains in southern and eastern sections.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about February 27, cross Pacific slopes by close of 28, great central valleys March 1 to 3, eastern sections 4. Warm wave will cross Pacific slope about February 27, great central valleys March 1, eastern sections March 3. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope about March 2, great central valleys 4, eastern sections 6. Cool wave will cross Pacific slope about March 5, great central valleys 7, eastern sections 9.

Here is where trouble begins. We sympathize with all the people whose habitations are near the coasts of that land-locked sea usually called the Gulf of Mexico. Before our people get through with March weather they will conclude that the so-called Gulf of Mexico should have been located around the City of Mexico where it would be surrounded by human elements more nearly attuned to its boisterous March storms this year.

In all the sections south and east better wrap your shelters around you and bet quiet till the end of March.

Early in October of last year these bulletins advised farmers not to sell their grain and cotton at the low prices. Since then immense millions have been realized by farmers and dealers by holding on to their grain and cotton. But the grains are high enough and we will draw our advice to hold them. They may go much higher but it is safe to take any further risks? The farmers and planters should know when they have enough and May wheat is rapidly approaching \$2.00 per bushel. We do not believe it is safe to hold for \$2.00. But cotton is on an entirely different basis and should not be sold for less than 10 cents.

The southern states will produce more corn this year than ever before and corn, on account of the high price of wheat, will be more largely used than ever before.

WHY A SILO?

Here are ten reasons why every farmer who keeps livestock should have a silo. They were formulated by Professor J. H. Skinner of Purdue University.

1. The silo preserves the palatability and succulence of the green corn plant for winter feeding.
2. It helps to make use of the entire corn plant.
3. The silo increases the livestock capacity of the farm.
4. Silage is a good summer feed when pastures are short.
5. Because of the small amount of ground space required by the silo it is an economical means of storing forage.
6. The silo prevents waste of corn stalks, leaves and husks, which contain about two-fifths of the feeding value of the corn plant.
7. The silo located near the feed manger is an assurance of having feed near at hand in stormy as well as fair weather.
8. The silo assists in reducing the milk flow during the winter season and decreases the cost of production.
9. Silage greatly increases the milk flow during the winter season and decreases the cost of production.
10. There are no stalks to bother in the manure when corn is put into silo.

All should understand that silage is not a complete or balanced ration. It is a succulent food and should be supplemented with some balancing dry feed.

AGRICULTURAL CO-OPERATIVES IN ARGENTINA.

Consul Wm. Dawson, Jr., Rosario, Dec. 14.

The director of rural economy has submitted to the minister of agriculture a report concerning agricultural co-operatives in Argentina for the year 1913-14. The report gives the following total returns: Number of co-operative and mutual societies in existence, 56; number of members, 19,531; nominal capital, \$3,396,630; effective capital, \$2,156,619; total amount of production, (unphased sales

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societies which do a hail-insurance business, the report contains the following data: Total value insured, \$11,843,232; premiums, \$571,786; losses paid, \$328,042.

As compared with 1912-13, the number of co-operatives and mutual societies increased in 1913-14 from 34 to 56, members from 13,371 to 19,531, and effective capital from \$1,383,260 to \$2,156,619. With respect to hail insurance, there was a general falling off in total value insured not only in operations of co-operative and mutual societies but also, and to a greater extent, in case of stock and other companies.

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"Geography, Travel, Exploration" is the title of a new free price list just issued by the superintendent of documents, Washington, D. C., in which are enumerated many government publications containing information regarding places at home and abroad. Any one of the publications may be had by forwarding a nominal sum covering cost of issue, to the office of the superintendent. Prices range from three cents to \$9, most of the sums, however, being less than \$1.

Numerous pamphlets listed in this collection describe different parts of the United States and its territories, geographically, geologically and historically.

A number of the publications deal with South American countries and capitals, Panama, Mexico and the West Indies. Others deal with arctic and antarctic explorations; still others take the reader to strange places in Asia, Africa or Australia.

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around the act. And it occurs
to us that the offense is the
same whether committed by
"city dads" in high circles or by
town bums in back alleys.

What construction does the law
put on such matters? Don't
all speak at once.

The editor is in receipt of an
invitation to attend a banquet given
by the Junction Chamber of Com
merce on Wednesday, twenty-
fourth. It is with a great deal
of regret that we are unable to
be present with them for we are
that it will be an evening long to
be remembered by those present.
The thing which appealed to us
the most was the fact that the
price per plate listed in small
type in the lower right hand cor
ner had been thoughtfully
scratched out. Any Chamber
of Commerce gifted with such
tact is bound to have one glori
ous time when they gather
around the festive board. How
ever, Wednesday night is our
press night and we have to con
fine ourselves to the usual mid
night lunch of crackers, cheese,
etc.—Menard Messenger.

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g for that dollar.
The dove of peace is having a
hard time finding a place to
light.
When a pretty girl smiles ev
ery man in sight begins to swell
out his chest.

So far as we can see Freder
icksburg has but two ways open
or the maintaining of order in
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Menard contingents are within
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to do business there.

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"Prices Talk."

STOCK NEWS
MENARD MESSENGER:
J. W. Ellis bought and shipped
in from Knox of Jacksonville,
25 fine registered bulls. They
are all black mules of the Poll
stock and are unusually fine ani
mals.
W. P. Bevans sold to Barney
Westbrook 235 bred ewes at \$5.00
W. P. Bevans sold to Wm. Bev
ans 300 one and two year olds
and spring lambs at \$4.00.
Wm. Bevans bought from H.
H. Wheelers 900 goats at \$3.00.
Wm. Bevans bought of Ed
Markis 500 head of cattle, terms
private.
John R. Washington of Davis
Oklahoma, bought of Lee Russell
1100 2 and 3 year olds for April
delivery at \$5.0 a round.

On the way to Menard, Lee
Russell stopped at Brownwood
to look at a herd of steers which
he had recently purchased from
Russell and Bevans of this city
and which he has on full feed at
that place. He found them in
the best of condition and the oil
people there state that without
exception it is the finest herd of
steers ever put in a Brownwood
pen. They will average in weight
1300 pounds. Mr. Russell has
them in readiness for market
and will sell them at the earliest
possible moment.

\$7,000 Cattle Deal.
The West Texas Land Co.
sold to J. A. Bevans and John
Callan, 1200 cows belonging to J.
T. Evans, to be delivered at the
Forth Terrett ranch, April 15th.
The consideration was \$57,50
around.

BIG CATTLE DEAL.
Last week W. E. Weather
bee bought for Russell and
Weatherbee 1207 head of three
fours, fives and sixes, high
grade steers from Frank Baker,
of Junction City, and W. T. O.
Holman of Sonora. These fine
steers were delivered Saturday
at George Miller's ranch and driv
en to Russell and Weatherbee's
Pinto ranch where they will be
fattened for market. The con
sideration is private but it is known
that prices were commensurate
with the high grade of stuff and
that it is one of the biggest cat
tle deals ever made in this sec
tion.—Val Verde County Herald

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five 2 cent stamps, for applica
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prompt reply. Write South
ern Office, Southeastern Mortgage
Loan Assn., Fourth Natl
Bank Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

SALINE NEWS
H. C. Jackson is at the Mill Creek
ranch this week on business.
Harvey Pearl left last Friday for
Roosevelt to visit friends and rela
tives. He was accompanied by his
grandmother Mrs. Rena Adams.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Mathews spent
Sunday on Red Creek with Mr. and
Mrs. Oliver Hight and family.
Those that attended the celebra
tion at the Saline School house Sat
urday, the 20th, report a nice time.
A delicious dinner was served the
house was beautifully decorated in
contrasting colors, red, white and
blue. The program in the afternoon
was one we shall never forget.
Miss Oma Jackson visited. Miss
Marguerite and Miss Mabel Fussell
of London Friday and Saturday.
Miss Mollie Knox from Leon was
here on Saline last week on busi
ness. While here she was the guest
of Oma and Hester Jackson.
Mrs. Jack Ivy of the Saline ranch
has been very sick the past few
days. We are glad to report she is
better at this writing.
Most all the young people are
preparing for the Mask Ball to be
given February 26th, at the Lyn
ville Hall at London.
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and you'll be a failure.
Brown Eyes.

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Two choice corner residences
for sale on reasonable terms, in
desirable part of city.
John S. Durst.

APPRECIATION.
We desire to express our sin
cere appreciation for the helpful
assistance and thoughtful kind
ness to us during our daughter's
suffering from her recent inju
ry. Especially do we thank her
classmates at school—the 6th
grade—for their gifts, and kind
ness shown. Our daughter joins
in this expression of gratitude
which is so deeply felt that words
cannot fittingly describe it.
Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Wilson

"Bread like mother used to
make" is a common expression
often used in referring to the
height of excellency in bread
making. Anyone can have such
bread using Baker's Wheat
flour. City Grocery handle it.

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POWER AND
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ICE**
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SEGOVIA CLATTER.
Mrs. R. S. Bowers and son
went to Junction Wednesday.
Mr. Ragland of Junction
spent Tuesday night at R. S.
Bowers home.
Mrs. Charlie Bowers and
daughter Annie went to Junc
tion Friday.
Bill Phillips was in Segovia
Tuesday.
Leslie Beasley was in Segovia
Saturday.
Mr. Ely preached at this place
Sunday. He will preach again
the third Sunday in March.

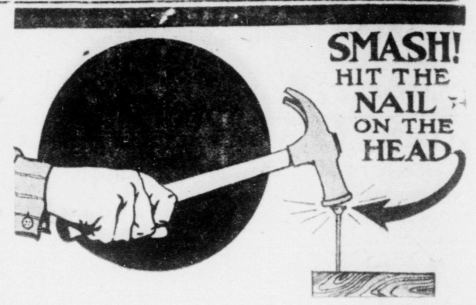
Sam and Annie Bowers, Lena
Gary and Crate Phillips went to
the box supper at Beasley school
house Saturday night. They
report a jolly good time.
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hall were
in Segovia Tuesday.
Miss Lena Phillips returned
home Monday from a visit to
Harper.
Brown King visited his par
ents Saturday and Sunday.
Biddy.

New goods at J. B. Van Em
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MY HOTEL
is not yet open for
business. It is still
under process of
renovation and of
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going to be in good
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open its doors to
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the people will ap
preciate such.
Rates and date of
opening will be an
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hope of an early peace. Sure!
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annexing a million.
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you are a success—AND YOU
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CURING MEAT ON THE FARM

Useful Receipts for the Economical and Satisfactory Preservation of Beef and Pork.

The best way to eat meat is to eat it while fresh, for there is no way of preserving it that will retain all the nutrition and all the flavor. It is, nevertheless, frequently desirable to cure meat at home, and there is no reason why this can not be done satisfactorily and economically. Salt, sugar or molasses, baking soda, and a little saltpeter are the only ingredients necessary.

Ordinarily the curing of meat should be begun from 24 to 36 hours after the animal is slaughtered. This allows sufficient time for the animal heat to leave the meat entirely, but not sufficient to permit decay to set in. Once the meat is tainted, no amount of preservatives will bring back its proper flavor.

On the other hand, if salt is applied too soon, obnoxious gases will be retained and the meat will possess an offensive odor. It is also impossible to obtain good results when the meat is frozen.

Three useful receipts for popular forms of cured meat are given below. The only equipment necessary for them are the ingredients already mentioned and a clean hardwood barrel, or a large stone barrel, stone jar or crock. In considering these receipts it is well to remember that, on the whole, brine-cured meats are best for farm use. They are less trouble to prepare and the brine affords better protection against insects and vermin. A cool, moist cellar is the best place for brine-curing. The cellar should be dark and tight enough to prevent flies and vermin.

RECIPES FOR CURING.

Corned Beef.—The pieces commonly used for corning are the plate, rump, cross ribs, and brisket, or, in other words, the cheaper cuts of meat. The loin, ribs, and other fancy cuts are more often used fresh, and since there is more or less waste of nutrients in corning this is well. The pieces for corning should be cut in to convenient sized joints, say 5 or 6 inches square. It should be the aim to cut them all about the same thickness, so that they will make an even layer in the barrel.

Meat from fat animals makes choicer corned beef than that from poor animals. When the meat is thoroughly cooled it should be corned as soon as possible, as any decay in the meat is likely to spoil the brine during the curing process. Under no circumstances should the meat be brined while it is frozen. Weigh out the meat and allow 8 pounds of salt to each 100 pounds; sprinkle a layer of salt one quarter of an inch in depth over the bottom of the barrel; pack in as closely as possible the cuts of meat, making a layer 5 or 6 inches in thickness; then put on a layer of salt, following that with another layer of meat; repeat until the meat and salt have all been packed in the barrel, care being used to reserve salt enough for a good layer over the top. After the package has stood over night add for every 100 pounds of meat, 4 pounds of sugar, 2 ounces of baking soda, and 4 ounces of saltpeter dissolved in a gallon of tepid water. Three gallons more of water should be sufficient to cover this quantity. In case more or less than 100 pounds of meat is to be corned, make the brine in proportion given. A loose board cover, weighted down with a heavy stone, or piece of iron, should be put on the meat to keep all of it under the brine. In case any should project, rust would start and the brine would spoil in a short time.

It is not necessary to boil the brine except in warm weather. If the meat has been corned during the winter and must be kept into the summer season, it would be well to watch the brine closely during the spring, as it is more likely to spoil at that time than at any other season. If the brine appears to beropy or does not drip freely from the finger when immersed and lifted it should be turned off and new brine added, after carefully washing the meat. The sugar or molasses in the brine has a ten-

days to secure thorough corning.

Dried Beef.—The round is commonly used for dried beef, the inside of the thigh being considered the choicest piece, as it is slightly more tender than the outside of the round. The round should be cut lengthwise of the grain of the meat in preparing for dried beef, so that the muscle fibers may be cut crosswise when the dried beef is sliced for table use. A tight jar or cask is necessary for curing. The process is as follows: To each 100 pounds of meat, weigh out 5 pounds of salt, 3 pounds of granulated sugar, and 2 ounces of saltpeter; mix thoroughly together. Rub the meat on all surfaces with a third of the mixture and pack it in the jar as tightly as possible. Allow it to remain three days, when it should be removed and rubbed again with another third of the mixture. In repacking put at the bottom the pieces that were on top the first time. Let it stand for three days, when they should be removed and rubbed with the remaining third of the mixture and allowed to stand for three days more. The meat is then ready to be removed from the pickle. The liquid forming in the jar should not be removed but the meat should be repacked in the liquid each time. After being removed from the pickle the meat should be smoked and hung in a dry attic or near a kitchen fire where the water will evaporate from it. It may be used at any time after smoking, although the longer it hangs in the dry atmosphere the dryer it will get. The dryer the climate, in general, the more easily meats can be dried. In arid regions good dried meat can be made by exposing it fresh to the air, with protection from flies.

Plain salt pork.—Rub each piece of meat with fine common salt and pack closely in a barrel. Let stand over night. The next day weigh out 10 pounds of salt and 2 ounces of saltpeter to each 100 pounds of meat and dissolve in 4 gallons of boiling water. Pour this brine over the meat when cold, cover, and weight down to keep it under the brine. Meat will pack best if cut into pieces about 6 inches square. The pork should be kept in the brine till used.

Sugar-cured hams and bacon.—When the meat is cooled, rub each piece with salt and allow it to drain over night. Then pack it in a barrel with the hams and shoulders in the bottom, using the strips of bacon to fill in between or to put on top. Weigh out for each 100 pounds of meat 8 pounds of salt, 2 pounds of brown sugar, and 2 ounces of saltpeter. Dissolve all in 4 gallons of water, and cover the meat with the brine. For summer use it will be safest to boil the brine before using. In that case it should be thoroughly cooled before it is used. For winter curing it is not necessary to boil the brine. Bacon strips should remain in this brine four to six weeks; hams six to eight weeks. This is a standard recipe and has given the best of satisfaction. Hams and bacon cured in the spring will keep right through the summer after they are smoked. The meat will be sweet and palatable if it is properly smoked, and the flavor will be good.

The world is full of wisdom, but it is often more elusive than a flea.

Mr. Arbuckle, whose coffee goes around the world, once said two-thirds of his department heads and the best of his sales force came to him through classified advertising.

Don't waste time, Mr. Business Man, in a personal search for the man you want.

For infants and children.

Be More, Do More and Have More

Continue what you are and where you are and you are what and whose you will always be. The world of wage earners is a world of hoppers, wishers, and hesitators, held down by foolish doubts and empty fears. Endless thousands of bright, fine fellows whose wishbone is where the backbone ought to be, are excusably afraid, halting, timid, clinging with the drowning man grasp to their slender salaries, because they think business is a mystery and they can never learn to transact it.

You must be more, have more and do more in this life or you will be seeing other men that are better dressed getting more out of life, more of this world's enjoyments and comforts than you. We can point you to a hundred of young men and women no smarter than you are that are now successfully and happily engaged in a business of their own, because they attended our institution took a course in bookkeeping and shorthand or business administration and finance, and prepared themselves to go into the business office and work along with trained men and become masters of the art of doing business.

Business is not a happy-go-lucky, haphazard sort of thing. If you understand it thoroughly you are sure to succeed. If you have never been trained, it is all left to luck and guess work.

Write for our catalog today and read the unsolicited testimonials from many of our former students who are today demonstrating their success and the value of our training. Opportunity never comes to him who waits. It comes to him who goes after it with all there is in him, with a deep, burning, intense iron resolve of his inmost being. Read our catalog carefully. Why not you be one of the 2000 that will go out of our institution this year into a good business office. Procrastination is a thief of time. Fill in the following blank and send it by return mail. It may be the turning point in your life.

Name _____
Address _____
Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.

The race is not always to the swift—but most always.

That hare and tortoise race would hardly be classed as a sporting event now.

It is the man who delivers the goods who has the blue ribbon pinned on him in this year of our Lord.

If you are running a square race young man, and the race goes to the tortoise, what you need is another job.

Try the want ad way.

Peace on earth! Where?

Old papers for sale at the office at 25c per bundle. 100 papers to the bundle.

If he buys his home paper He's a bully good fellow; If he borrows from his neighbor His hide is quite yellow.

A farm colony has been proposed as a refuge for erring women. Of course the men do not err.

CASTORIA

For infants and children.

"DR. ALF STEPHENS"

Alfred Stevens is now a full-fledged medical and his name will be inscribed on history's pages as a benefactor to mankind and a reliever of nine-tenths of the ills to which the human body is subjected.

A few weeks ago Alf was sick and concluding that he was apt to be as good, a doctor as any one else, he proceeded to compound his remedies. Some of the ingredients in his main medicine were, A pair of boots, 4 mullen leaves, three bird's nests one plug navy tobacco, 33 ounces capsaicum. Alf says this remedy is kind of them all—it will cure anything from bookworm to St. Vitus dance, blind staggers or appendicitis.

To back up his claims he has a moral full of testimonials, a few of which we print: A Bandera county man says: "I have been unable to walk without crutches for many years, but after using your medicine I ran for office." A Kimble county citizen writes: "I lost my eyesight six years ago; after using a box of your eye salve I saw wood." A Menard man has this to say: "Some time ago I lost the use of both arms and after using your medicine I struck a man for ten dollars. A Schleicher county patient expresses himself in this manner: 'I had been deaf many years, but after using your remedy I heard my aunt had died and left me \$10,000.'—Harper Herald.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING.

The farmer should be the most fortunate of all the many classes of people in the matter of providing a living at a low cost, but recent figures show that the farmer's cost of living is increasing in the same proportion as that of city people.

One of the chief reasons for this is that the farmer is buying much of his merchandise in the city instead of from the local merchant nearest him. This applies with equal force to residents of this town.

More than half the people of the United States live on farms and in towns of less than 2,500 population, yet only one-fifth of the total retail business of the country is done in these small communities. Thirty per cent of the trade of these people goes to the larger towns and cities where prices are 10 to 25 per cent higher for the same quality of merchandise the country merchant sells.

We recognize the right of every person to buy where he can get the best merchandise and the best service for his money, but the value of the country store to the rural community is greater today than it ever was, because it carries a better assortment and gives better values. Therefore, the stability and integrity of the country merchant should be maintained.

We urge our readers to compare prices of city merchants with those of their country store. Give your country merchant a chance to supply your needs. Then, if you find that you can buy the same goods for less money by going or sending away from home for them, your own good judgment will tell you that is the thing to do.

It is the duty of every family to prevent this exodus of trade to the cities, if such a thing is possible. Keep a record of your purchases in the city store and the total cost including the delivery to your home.

Compare the prices and the quality of your purchases with the same merchandise carried by your local dealer. Then you will know who is giving you the most for your money.

Paying the income tax is a distinction few of us crave.

Toutons—"We win," Allies—"We win," The Public—"Who lied?"

The services of the Baptist Church for next Sunday night at eleven o'clock and Sunday night at seven o'clock are for you. The theme for the morning hour is, "The Christian's Bank." The night service will be especially for the lost.

R. T. Deel, Pastor.

Over in Europe they build a neat little house in the top of a

REMEMBER

WHEN YOU WANT ANY KIND OF

MONUMENT



YOU WILL SAVE MONEY and be assured of SATISFACTION in dealing with

C. M. Nichols

I have taken over the monumental work which was formerly carried on by my father and will be pleased to figure with anyone in need of anything in this line. Having worked together with my father in this business I understand the work thoroughly and am sure that I can please you in every particular. I represent one of the best companies in the State—the company which my father represented for fifteen years, erecting hundreds of pleased customers in various Texas. We have thousands of dollars' worth of monuments erected in this and surrounding counties—and have the first dissatisfied customer from.

Call at Citizen office and see samples and signs—hundreds to select from—or we will bring these and call at your home.

All outstanding contracts made by my father will be filled by me, when due, without delay.

C. M. NICHOLS.

Men

and Women

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to sell the most remarkable bargain in the magazine world this year.

Regular price	EVERYBODY'S \$1.50	BOTH \$2
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A monthly salary and a liberal commission on each order. Salaries run up to \$250.00 per month, depending on the number of orders. This work can be done in your spare time, and need not conflict with your present duties. No investment or previous experience necessary. We furnish full equipment free. Write for particulars to

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Is Marriage a Failure?

No, not if you secure your wedding cards at The Citizen office

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court will at the next meeting receive sealed bids for the erection of two wire fences along the proposed new road through the Bolt pasture; and the court will also receive bids for the construction of the new road beginning at the South Llano bridge following the blazed right of way to intersection of the present road a distance of one-half mile.

For particulars call on C. P. Bruce or J. B. Randolph.

The court reserves the right to reject all bids.

J. B. Randolph,

County Judge

If you have friends or relatives coming in or going away we will thank you to call, phone or write The Citizen office. You like to read about others; others like to read about you. Every news item one gives us makes this paper just that much more inter-

There are 1,500,000 automobiles in use in this country, and one out of ten are owned by farmers. But we have a perfectly good pair of legs and are not a bit envious.

"All things come to him who waits" belongs to the leisurely past.

No good live American would father the phrase now.

Present day successful ones get a strangle hold on what they want, and hang on.

All things come to him who uses printer's ink and goes after what he wants.

Dodson's Better

Live a better life. On the home front, you may find a better life. Listen to the voice of the people.

Please all your friends and family. They will be glad to hear from you.

EASY ON YOUR POCKET

That is the record this grocery store has built up during the years we have been feeding the people of this community. And it is such a self-evident truth, and so well known to everybody, that we are not going to say another word in this advertisement.

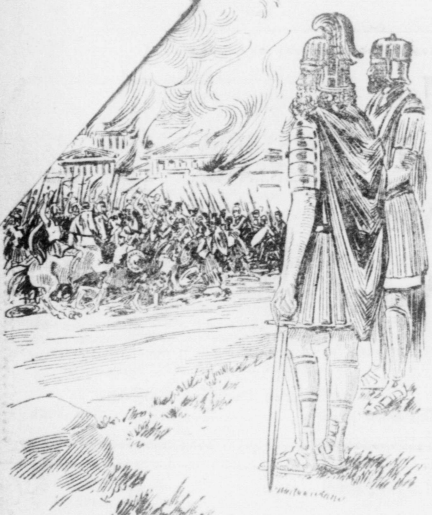
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TEXAS NEEDS GREAT MEN

XXXVI. ASPIRATION

involved Carthage in a war with Rome and he was the greatest military genius of any age or race, he was drenched with blood, the homes of his people and he died a fugitive from Rome, his people mourning for him plunge their country into a state of anarchy, the appetite of the people for revenge. There is no greater chastened ambition making a criminal.



HANNIBAL PLUNGING CARTHAGE INTO WAR.

Let those who dash billows of strife against the shores of peace understand that to rise ignominiously is to fall wretchedly; that no pestilence is greater than wretched leadership and no crime against humanity more terrible than chasing painting industry from the land and no scene more appalling than a country sick with strife. Texas Needs Great Men.

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Will Practice in all State and Federal Courts.
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All roads lead to our subscription book. Are you traveling?

You can easily gauge a young man's character by ascertaining what he does in his idle hours.

Some politicians spend hundreds of thousands of dollars to get into office. — Exchange

Citizen want ads bring results.

Wanted—An authentic boundary of Europe.

While advocating eugenic marriages, we might go a step farther and demand eugenic minds in office holders.

OBSERVER LEARNS A LESSON WHEN HE VISITS "GRANDMA"

—By Observer—

Did you ever visit in the home of one of these motherly old souls—those grand-mothers whom we call old-fashioned—those aged women whom the poets always have had in mind when they dedicated their most tender words to mother?

It was my good fortune to spend a couple of hours in such a home, near Junction a short time ago, and, aside from the visit giving me real pleasure, it actually furnished me what I consider valuable information I am going to give you.

I stopped at the home for no other reason than to get a drink of water, but the time having approached the dinner hour, I was prevailed upon to stay for dinner. And I will admit the invitation was very agreeable to me. As is always the case with these good grandmothers, the woman at once went about getting up something extra, because she was going to have company. Her frequent trips from the kitchen to a nearby building which she called her "smoke-house" attracted my attention, and at the risk of appearing to be "nosy" I made a visit to the "smoke-house" myself—and only to find just what I expected to find. The walls and ceiling hung with little paper bags, turned yellow with age, and upon rows of empty fruit jars and cans, jelly glasses, etc. But the paper bags claimed all of my attention. They called up recollections of just such a "smoke house" as my own grand-mother used to have—and that was so long ago that its lining of yellow paper bags is about all that remains in my memory. From my parents I learned the bags were filled with various kinds of seeds, leaves, herbs and roots, which "grand-mother" kept—some for replanting the following year, some for sale to residents of the community who did not care to take the trouble of preserving them themselves, but most all the bags contained roots, seeds or leaves which the family used for medicinal purposes or for seasoning vegetables, or other foods when cooking.

I purposely brought up the subject at the dinner table, for I had decided it was sometimes a glorious thing to be a little old-fashioned and I was going to have some paper bags hanging around my own home this fall—for the pleasure brought by the sweet memories of my youth, if for no other reason I found the hostess to be a living encyclopedia on the subject of roots, herbs and leaves and only too glad to give any information asked. Having first to make my collection I inquired as to the proper time for gathering the articles, and here is what I was told.

Leaves should be gathered when the plant is in blossom, spread or hang them in a current of air, that they may quickly and thoroughly dry. When dry, keep them in a glass or tin-air-tight receptacle.

Roots—gather them in the spring before the sap rises, or in the fall after the leaves have dried. Keep them in barrels or wooden cases after they have thoroughly dried.

Barks—gather early in the spring or late fall; remove the outer portion of the bark and keep in a dry place.

Seeds and flowers—gather when well ripe and keep in a shady dry place.

Herbs—if a plant to be used for medicinal purposes, gather while the plant is in bloom, which always will be before frost; dry them in the shade.

This woman also gave me a wealth of information as to what plants and vegetables are good in alleviating human ills, and I find myself just old-fashioned enough to put considerable credence in them. At some future time, perhaps, I will give this information to the readers of the Citizen.

LYRICAL LIES. By Our Office Post

THE CANDIDATE.

When Babitt was a candidate His promises were great, He said if we elected him That he'd clean up the state. Well, Babitt is in office now And we've no act to rue, For he is striving hard to see The good that he can do.

That Boy

I have profound respect for boys. Grimy ragged, tattered boys in the street often attract me strangely. A boy is a man in a cocom—you do not know what he is going to become. His life is big with many possibilities. He may make or unmake things, he may change boundary lines between states, write books that will mold characters, or invent machines that will revolutionize the commerce of the world. Wouldn't you like to turn backward and see Abraham Lincoln at twelve, when he had never seen a pair of boots? The lank, lean, hungry boy—hungry for love, hungry for learning, tramping off through the woods for twenty miles to borrow a book, and spelling it out crouched before the glare of the burning logs. Then there was that Corsican boy, one of a goodly brood, who only weighed fifty pounds when ten years old; who was thin and pale and perceptive and had tantrums and had to be sent suppers to bed, or locked in a dark closet because he would not mind. Who would have thought he would have mastered every phase of warfare at 20? Very distinctly I remember a slim, freckled boy who was born in the "patch" and who used to pick up coal along the railroad tracks in Buffalo. A few months ago I had a motion to make before the supreme court and that boy from the "patch" was the judge who wrote the opinion granting my petition.

Yesterday I rode horseback past a field where a boy was plowing. The lad's hair stuck out through the crown of his hat; his form was bony and awkward, his legs and arms were bare, sunburned and briar-scratched. He swung his horses around just as I passed and from the flapping brim of his hat he cast a half-shaful eyes and dark, half-haful eyes, and modestly returned my salute. When his back was turned I took off my hat and sent a God-bless-you down the furrow after him. Who knows? I may go to that boy to borrow money yet, or to hear him preach, or to beg him to send me in a lawsuit; or he may stand with pulse unshaken, bare of art, in white apron, ready to do his duty with the compass being placed over my face and Night and Death come creeping into my veins.

Be patient with the boys—you are dealing with soul stuff. Destiny awaits just around the corner. Elbert Hubbard.

Read This Carefully

To all who would like to attend religious services at our house of worship we extend a cordial invitation to the preaching on the 2nd and 4th Sundays in each month and to the Bible class study and school for children on each Lord's Day at 10 a.m. To you who are not coming we ask you to try it awhile and see if you will not be benefited. We earnestly ask all to give at least a part of this time to Lord's work on the Lord's Day during the year 1915. If you have not yet done this turn over a new leaf and make it a bright one in your book of life.

John S. Darst.

Get the exchange habit. It's an economical one.

Tired of your camera?

Before you buy that guitar, suppose you find the fellow who has a guitar enjoying the same leisure your camera is.

We Americans buy right and left as the impulse moves us, a little forethought and a want ad will get what you want, and

MARY ANN

A girl there was who followed out no fond, romantic plan. Her face contained some freckles and her name was Mary Ann. She really enjoyed her home and helped to keep it neat. She did not daily promenade along the sunny street. She played and sang the simple tunes her father liked to hear. She didn't put on war paint and a bale of feathers queer. In making conversation she did not select a text which caused the lads to shiver, fearing what she might say next. She knew just how to wear her clothes to make them look in style, and better yet, she knew just how to wait the winsome smile and chirp the cheery chatter in a wholesome, hearty way that made the friends she visited all wish that she could stay.

Now Essie, Beanie, Tessie, likewise Gwendolyn and Gert, they homed down the highway with an air extremely pert. They very much resemble the subterrets who come on view in shows which Bill, the language man describes as "burlesque." You'd think those gay paraders would have all the lads in line, but the wise ones look them over and murmur "not for mine!" For fascinations I find when placed too much upon display and the sweet, home loving lassie is the heroine today, the glittering exception to the ordinary plan. And that's why all the valentines will go to Mary Ann—Philauder Johnson, in Fort Worth Record.

Kimble County Citizen

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San Antonio Express	\$1.75
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ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Being an Eloquent Oration by Our Office Devil

Abraham Lincoln was a man and split logs. He also split up what states there was when he was, then tied them together again tighter than ever.

Abraham Lincoln wrote the Explanation Procrastination. He wrote lots more, too, but what I just said was the greatest what he ever wrote. It meant that all negro slaves didn't have to be slaves any more, and they ain't. Nearly every negro man and boy has been named Lincoln ever since he done what I said.

Abraham Lincoln wasn't a pretty man. I don't think any men are. Only Abraham Lincoln was more so. He was a good man, though, and got to be elected president. All good men don't get to presidents, and all presidents don't seem to have to be good men.

I don't want to be president of America, but I wish I could be president of a big baseball team. That's all I know of Abraham Lincoln.

A PRESIDENT UNAFRAID.

President Wilson has pressed 22 months of strenuous endeavor accomplishing tasks which few of his predecessors in that length of time ever attempted. His has been a record of phenomenal success.

It's a question which is the worst condition—to want a thing and not have it, or to have a thing and not want it.

In either case the answer is—read and use the want ads.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND SCHOOLS.

Parents tell us what you think of this. Medical statistics are authority for the statement that a large per cent of children attending school are afflicted with curvature of the spine or other bodily imperfection which could be easily corrected by a simple method of physical exercise.

And this brings to our mind a suggestion for local application. Why not let our school board or teachers, prescribe such a course for the pupils in our public schools. Fifteen minutes a day of time could be easily found and a careful system of physical exercise in which all pupils be required to participate would create a healthy circulation of the blood, develop the physique, correct all forms of spinal curvature, and serve as a general tonic. And the mind would become clearer and brighter and in better form to sustain the strain of the class room.

Training the mind is essential, but a proper regard for the demands of the body is also necessary. That sluggish feeling which retards the advancement of so many pupils would gradually disappear under proper physical exercise, leaving both mind and body in a healthy state.

With all deference to our school board and teachers, we make this a suggestion. It is worth a trial.

Billy Boy has a bicycle—tired of it, and is dying for a canoe—the woods and streams are calling.

Ted has a canoe, pretty good craft, but he's cloyed with the water and only a bicycle can save his life.

What a chance for

There is No Use to Worry

about the future or the past. Just bring in your Cotton, your Mohair, Wool or most any other kind of produce and we will take care of you.

Don't forget to trade with a house that trades with you, and gives you service when you need it.

Alex J. Hamer Company.

"The Always Ready to Serve You Store."

Local Lines and Personal Paragraphs

Your subscription may be due

You need it—The Citizen

E. Holekamp left Tuesday for Fredericksburg to attend Court.

P. Joseph left first of week for Recksprings on business.

Sale of 10 cent enamelware at J. B. Van Eman's.

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S. B. Kindrick was up Tuesday from his ranch in the London community.

When we start with you in our service car we'll take you there—and we're always ready to start.—Eastman and Tinsley.

Have you tried that Belle of Wichita flour at City Grocery?

As we go to press Coleman Highsmith is reported slightly improved.

Oil Fleming of South Llano was among the ranchmen doing business in Junction Tuesday.

The Citizen is \$1.00 per year—and worth it.

See Simon the tailor about that new fall suit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coleman of South Llano have moved to Junction and are now at home at the Jetton residence.

A. O. Lawler left Tuesday for a visit to relatives and friends at various points over the state.

Orville Cowsett, a North Llano ranchman was in Junction Wednesday.

WE HANDLE:
Standard Mowers.
Standard Rakes.
Standard Planters.
Standard Cultivators
In short a full line of the well known Standard Implements on hand now. Get yours now.

Eventually you'll come to Simon the tailor. Start now and save money as well as worry.

JUNCTION HARDWARE CO.

Found—A Masonic pin. Owner may have same by calling at this office, describing pin and paying for this notice.

O. W. Cardwell returned Tuesday from Wellock, Texas, where he and his family went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Cardwell's sister, whose death occurred in New York, February 13th and the body shipped to Wellock for burial. Mrs. Cardwell and the children will return later.

New Spring samples just arrived.—Simon the Tailor.

Well, I should say it is fine! That Belle of Wichita flour at City Grocery.

M. D. Paschall, representing the Southwestern Silo Co., of Fort Worth, Texas, will be in Junction and the Kimble country again sometime within the next thirty or sixty days. Mr. Paschall has made regular trips through this section for several years, and is well known by people throughout all this part of the state. He is an experienced silo man, knows the business from first to last and is representing a company that puts out the best satisfaction in silos that has been brought to these people. If you need a silo it will pay you to wait and let Mr. Paschall figure with you when he arrives. He'll be glad if you will—and you'll be gladder still.

Judge Jno. R. Storms was in Junction first of the week returning from Fredericksburg where he had been on legal business. He left Tuesday for his home in San Antonio.

Any person may keep himself well posted on current local events, be regarded as a well read man, know what's what and who's who in the community, and have numerous attractive propositions placed before him for the trifling sum of about two cents a week. For proof of this statement invest a dollar a year in this paper.

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Good fresh meats make muscle and brain. Muscle and brain make the world go round. We serve our customers with nothing but the best. We appreciate your patronage. Our customers appreciate our service. Phone in your orders. Prompt delivery.
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**COKE R. STEVENSON,
LAWYER**

County Attorney of Kimble County, Texas.
Will practice in any Civil Cases as well as Criminal.
Office in Court House, Upstairs.
Junction, Texas.

See my new wall paper samples—S. O. Durst.

Sale of 10 cent enamelware at J. B. Van Eman's.

Born Friday, February 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boone a girl.

Screen wire rabbit and chicken wire all kinds of wire at Junction Hardware Co.

Edwin Wahl, a former resident of Junction came in first of the week from Fredericksburg.

New wall paper samples just arrived. If your home needs paper, let me figure with you.—S. O. Durst.

Miss Kate Bishop went out to the ranch Thursday to visit a few days with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mills are this week from Del Rio making a visit with relatives. Mrs. Mills is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Joy returned here last Friday from San Antonio where they have been living for some time. Edwin has been in the street car service in the Alamo City where he held a good position and did well. He says now, however, that while he can do well in San Antonio, for a pleasant place to make a home he wouldn't trade Kimble county for all the Alamo City—or any other city. Kimble's alright.

Take the Hup when you want to go anywhere. Walter Holekamp drives it.

If you have friends or relatives coming in or going away we will thank you to call, phone or write The Citizen office. You like to read about others; others like to read about you. Every news item one gives us makes this paper just that much more interesting for the other seven hundred readers. And such favors are not forgotten by the editor.

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NOT PAINT.

The worst mistake in painting is not putting-off. That costs about 10 percent; you keep your money a year and pay 10 percent for it.

Paint would have to come down 25 percent to make 10 percent on the job for wages do not go down.

The worst mistake is "cheap" paint. It costs from 50 percent to 100 first cost, and another in wear.

What a liar "cheap paint" is! "Put off" is bad enough; "cheap" is ten times worse.

DEVOTE.

A. S. ETHERIDGE ACQUITTED

A. S. Etheridge, formerly a citizen of our county, and charged with the killing of Tom Cox near Junction, was acquitted in the Court in Fredericksburg last week. The jury was only out about half a day when they arrived at a verdict. It will be remembered that in Mr. Etheridge's trial at San Saba at the last term of Court there the jury could not agree.

Those new wall paper samples are beauties. The ones that S. O. Durst.

Printing. You'll be pleased. Just try the Citizen on for size.

New Spring hats at J. B. Van Eman's.

Mr. Robert Singer, Mrs. Mary Garrett and sister Miss Elsie Johnson of Kerrville are in Junction for a visit with friends and relatives, and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hodges.

Save money by getting your apples by the box at City Grocery.

Hon. M. E. Blackburn arrived in Junction and spent the week end at home. He was just returning from Fredericksburg where he had been summoned from the legislative duties to attend Court. He left Junction again Tuesday returning to Austin to resume his duties as Representative.

"S. O. D. did it." Papered my home—painted it too. You bet it's a nice job!

Mrs. S. A. Vining is very ill at the home of her daughter Mrs. W. H. Johnson. Mrs. Vining's daughters Mrs. Sam Scowther, of San Angelo, Texas, Mrs. Van Dresser of Crowther, Texas, and Mrs. Vasma Brown of El Paso, Texas; also Mrs. Vining's son W. H. Vining of San Angelo; all were called here this week on account of their mother's illness.

New shipment of Belle of Wichita flour just arrived at City Grocery. Phone today and order a sack.

Hal Holland left this week for Marlin, Texas, to enter League baseball. He has always had a natural ability and liking for the game, and has been one of the star players of Junction team in clothing with defeat practically all neighbor teams in this and adjoining counties. Hal has the making of a real baseball player and we look forward to see his name mentioned as a player of wide reputation in the great national pastime. Here's luck to you, Hal, old sport.

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They are beauties, those new Spring samples Simon the Tailor has just received. See them.

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T. S. Butland and family returned first of week from San Antonio where Mr. Butland has been attending the Bankers' Convention.

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Remember in Spring cleaning that you need new wall paper. Then remember "S. O. D. did it."

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Walter Holekamp took Nantz, Dug, Skeet and Will Nantz over to Menard today. They enroute to Temple where mother went for treatment. Is in a very serious condition.

If you want to go to Kerrville or any other place—phone Eastman and Tinsley at Junction. Their service car will take you any direction any time. They start with you they take you there.

Will Ellebracht has charge the gas engines for the [illegible] people, he seems to be on the job; any of our neighbors that have a good chronic case of gas engine trouble, no doubt can get some good advice along the line from this party.

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The Pickwick Papers

(These immortal tales of Charles Dickens will remain a feature of this paper for a time, and will embody the choicest selections from the English humorist's pen.—Ed.)

(In previous chapters, Mr. Pickwick and his party, on a pleasure trip, met with a stranger of peculiar characteristics, who, among other exploits, borrows Mr. Winkle's coat without informing the owner, wears it to a ball, insults a fiery little doctor, is challenged to a duel. Through a fatality that he cannot overcome, Mr. Winkle is thus drawn into a duel with the doctor whom he never met.)

The whole population of Rochester and the adjoining towns rose from their beds at an early hour of the following morning, in a state of the utmost bustle and excitement. A grand review was to take place upon the lines. The maneuvers of half a dozen regiments were to be inspected by the eagle eye of the commander-in-chief; temporary fortifications had been erected, the citadel was to be attacked and taken, and a men was to be sprung.

At length that low roar of many voices ran through the crowd, which usually announces the arrival of whatever they have been waiting for. All eyes were turned in the direction of the sally-port. A few moments of eager expectation, and colors were seen fluttering gayly in the air, arms glistening brightly in the sun, column after column poured on to the plain. The troops halted and formed, the word of command rung through the line, there was a general clash of muskets as arms were presented, and the commander-in-chief, attended by Colonel Bulder and numerous officers, cantered to the front. The military bands struck up altogether; the horses stood upon two legs each, cantered backwards, and whisked their tails about in all directions; the dogs barked, the mob screamed, the troops recovered, and nothing was to be seen on either side, as far as the eye could reach, but a long perspective of red coats and white trousers, fixed and motionless.

Mr. Pickwick had been so fully occupied in falling about, and disentangling himself, miraculously, from between the legs of horses, that he had not enjoyed sufficient leisure to observe the scene before him, until it assumed the appearance we have just described. When he was at last enabled to stand firmly on his legs, his gratification and delight were unbounded.

"Can anything be finer or more delightful?" he inquired of Mr. Winkle.

"Nothing," replied that gentleman, who had had a short man standing on each of his feet for the quarter of an hour immediately preceding.

"It is indeed a noble and a brilliant sight," said Mr. Snodgrass, in whose bosom a blaze of poetry was rapidly bursting forth, "to see the gallant defenders of their country drawn up in brilliant array before its peaceful citizens; their faces beaming—not with warlike ferocity, but with civilized gentleness; their eyes flashing—not with the rule fire of rapine or revenge, but with the soft light of humanity and intelligence."

Mr. Pickwick fully entered into the spirit of this eulogium, but he could not exactly re-echo its terms, for the soft light of intelligence burnt rather feebly in the eyes of the warriors, inasmuch as the command "eyes front" had been given, and all

the spectator saw before him was several thousand pair of optics, staring straightforward, wholly divested in any expression whatever.

"We are in a critical situation now," said Mr. Pickwick, looking around him. The crowd had gradually dispersed in their immediate vicinity, and they were nearly alone.

"Capital!" echoed both Mr. Snodgrass and Mr. Winkle. "What are they doing now?" inquired Mr. Pickwick, adjusting his spectacles.

"I—I rather think," said Mr. Winkle, changing color—"I rather think they're going to fire."

"Nonsense," said Mr. Pickwick, hastily. "I—I really think they are," urged Mr. Snodgrass, somewhat alarmed.

"Impossible," replied Mr. Pickwick. He had hardly uttered the word when the whole half dozen regiments leveled their muskets as if they had but one common object, and that object the Pickwickians, and burst forth with the most awful and tremendous discharge that ever shook the earth to its center, or an elderly gentleman off his feet.

It was in this trying situation, exposed to a galling fire of blank cartridges, and harassed by the operations of the military, a fresh body of whom had begun to fall in on the opposite side, that Mr. Pickwick displayed that perfect coolness and self-possession which are the indispensable accompaniments of a great mind. He seized Mr. Winkle by the arm, and placing himself between that gentleman and Mr. Snodgrass, earnestly besought them to remember that beyond the possibility of being rendered deaf by the noise, there was no immediate danger to be apprehended from the firing.

"But—suppose some of the men should happen to have ball cartridges by mistake?" remonstrated Mr. Winkle, pallid at the supposition he was himself conjuring up. "I heard something whistle through the air just now—so sharp; close to my ear."

"We had better throw ourselves on our faces, hadn't we?" said Mr. Snodgrass.

"No, no; it's over now," said Mr. Pickwick. His lip might quiver and his cheek might blanch, but no expression of fear or concern escaped the lips of that immortal man.

Mr. Pickwick was right; the firing ceased, but he had scarcely time to congratulate himself on the accuracy of his opinion, when a quick movement was visible in the line; the hoarse shout of the word of command ran along it, and before either of the party could form a guess at the meaning of this new maneuver, the whole of the half-dozen regiments with fixed bayonets, charged at double quick time down upon the very spot on which Mr. Pickwick and his friends were stationed.

Man is but mortal; and there is a point beyond which human courage cannot extend. Mr. Pickwick gazed through his spectacles for an instant on the advancing mass, and then fairly turned his back and—well, he did not say fled; firstly, because it is an ignoble term, and, secondly, because Mr. Pickwick's figure was by no means adapted for that mode of retreat—he trotted away, at as quick a rate as his legs would take him; so quickly, indeed, that he did not perceive the awkwardness of the situation to the full extent until too late.

The opposite troops, whose falling-in had perplexed Mr. Pickwick a few seconds before, were drawn up to repel the mimic attack of the sham besiegers of the citadel; and the consequence was that Mr. Pickwick and his two companions found themselves suddenly enclosed between two lines of great length, the one advancing at a rapid pace and the other firmly waiting the collision in hostile array.

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Review of the Week's News

February 10.

Fisherman of Brownsville shot while on Rio Grande by Mexican guard. So far the State Department has taken no notice of the affair.

Two human feet, a hand and two heads found in sack in an alley in Detroit. The supposed murderer died the day after discovery.

Berlin papers publish speech of Hirsch, Socialist delegate to German Reichstag, hinting that end of war is desired by German people. Paris papers state a certain party in French capital, high in authority, tried to arrange terms of concluding war with Germany. Immature exposure of plan resulted in allies signing pact that none should make peace without all the others.

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worse. This view is upheld by experiments in northern states, notably Ohio.

Charles Cline given life sentence in San Antonio for murder of Deputy Sheriff Ortiz, of Dimmit County. His last trial in October proved a mis-trial.

Charles Hamlin, governor of Federal reserve board, says new system will prevent all financial panics.

Spanish government applies to powers to put an end to anarchy in Mexico, it is reported.

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February 14.

Government urged to prevent shipments of wheat so as to lower prices. Bread going up 6c a loaf in many big cities.

Carranza denies right of diplomats to deal with any one but himself; he declares Vera Cruz has no right to leave Mexico City where they were sent by their powers. Situation acute.

February 15.

Foreign diplomats preparing to quit Mexico in a body.

Germany declares waters about England and Ireland in war zone, and warns neutral shipping it may expect to be sunk if found in prohibited region; this in retaliation for British move in attempting to arrest all vessels bound for Germany.

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