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Will practice in all State and U. S. Courts.
State Loans and Vendor Lien Notes Bought and Sold.
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Car leaves Junction Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Leaves Junction 6:00 a. m., arrives in Kerrville at 11 a. m. Car leaves Kerrville Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

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All matters entrusted to me will receive very best attention.

R. BECKER.

Blacksmith

And

Machinery Repairing.

JUNCTION, TEXAS.

Are You Hungry?

One of our fine home cooked meals will hit you just right.

The pie we serve are the juicy, appetizing kind that make you call for more.

Our steaks, chops, and other meats are just as good, and cooked to a turn.

And our light bread, just try it. Fresh and good.

With years of experience in some of the best restaurants and cafes in the state we are perfectly capable of supplying your every want in our line. We know how to please you. Just try us.

Hunger soon vanishes here.

THE ★ RESTAURANT

"Old Maids' Convention"

Makes Decided Hit

The "Old Maids' Convention" given under auspices of the Civic Club, at Hankins-Riley Hall Thursday evening, was a decided hit. It was a treat. The hall was crowded to its capacity, and the entire presentation was highly enjoyed and greeted by frequent applause.

The "Old Maids' Convention" is an evening entertainment in one scene. The cast consists of sixteen characters. Eighteen of these represent old maids of all ages from forty years old up to near the century mark—charming gathering of blushing young beauties. The most popular age seemed to be about 57—and we fear no contradiction in stating that some of these would have no trouble passing their ages for 187—such was their complete well prepared make up and manner. The perfection of the play was the height of ridiculous which surrounded the entire presentation. A bunch of "old maids" dressed in all manner of ridiculous costumes, and assembled in their regular convention, and the principal object of discussion was m-a-n. The parliamentary usages of the convention was a feature noticeable. On all questions brought before the body all members would vote both for and against by the "usual sign"—rising and earnestly spelling out m-a-n. Roll call was answered to by quotations and "smart" replies. The reports of the various officers were mirth provoking. Mrs. Fae Stevenson as Josephine Jane Green as President of the Young Ladies Single Blessedness Debating Society; Mrs. Fula Ramsey as Clamity Jane Higgins Treasurer. Mrs. Clyde Butland as Priscilla Abigail Hodge, Secretary. Among the members were lovers of cats, dress reform advocates, lovers of dogs, poetry writers, music lovers, and others. There were also new candidates for membership in the "Society". The budding poetess read an inspiring production of her pen, and the music lovers treated the convention with the use of their talent and accomplishment—all of which was the sublimity of perfection—in crudeness, discord, awkwardness, and general display of ignorance. The songs in unison by the body somewhat resembled the racket made by six fighting cats, a lonesome pup, and a farm wagon in need of grease. The melody was wonderful—for its absence.

The convention was very much agitated by the appearance of Prof. Makeover (John M. Hankins)—and were agitated more by his wonderful machine which calculated to grind the old maids through one at a time changing them into that which they most desired to be. Several passed through nicely and were transformed into happy little girls, accomplished musicians and prima donnas who give pleasing evidence of their talent. Directly on old maid sister of some ninety odd summers got in a truthful statement of her age, met a very sad fate; she was crushed completely, and the machine turned out only fragments of its victim's costume, and the "convention" broke up with screams of excitement.

To say that each character was well chosen and each part presented with pleasing and humorous effect is a bare statement of facts. It was a scream. And the audience was kept in an uproar of laughter from start to finish. The specialties were good. The sum of \$65.05 was realized which goes into treasury of Civic Club.

Judge Thomas L. Blanton Speaks Here.

As announced in his list of speaking appointments in our last issue, Judge Thos. L. Blanton, Candidate for Congress spoke here Monday evening. A good crowd was present at the Court House, to hear Mr. Blanton discuss the various leading issues now before the people—timor other subjects taken up were graft, pensions, immigration, prohibition, woman's suffrage, appropriations. Mr. Blanton is from Abilene, where he has been District Judge for a number of years. He is a very earnest, direct, forceful speaker and makes very plain his views on all subjects, and seems very capable of the position to which he aspires. This is his second trip to Junction, having spoken here in his former race for Congress. He was given a good hearing and attention here Monday night, and it is believed he will make a good race in this county.

Jr. B. Y. P. U. Program

Song.
Prayer.
Minutes.
Offering.
Roll call.
Leader, Emma Mae Hodges.
Scripture Reading 1 Cor. 13: 41-44.
Study Story, Mabel Taylor.
Special Song.
Prayer, That every Junior may have a place with Jesus in the "Many Mansions."
Talks by four Juniors:
1. The Burial of Jesus, Maggie Knox.
2. The Roman Guard, Loyless Jarvis.
3. The Woman at the Tomb, Byron Newby.
4. The Resurrection of the Dead, Omar Wright.
Song, This Love is far Better than Gold.
Three Reminders of the Resurrection, Loma Turman.
Sword Drill Review.
Song.
Prayer.

Notice!

The finest line of samples ever shown in Junction is now on display at Junction Tailor Shop.

Suits from 12.50 to \$42.00

How about some new wall paper for spring? Durst Bros. have one of the finest lines of samples you ever saw. Ask to see them.

This Is For You.

Your Phone rent is due the first day of Each Month, please don't forget it.

Junction Telephone Co.

Wanted—18 loads of wood on subscription at The Citizen of

CREAM AND SKIMMED MILK

The reader who keeps his eye on the advertisement of this paper gets the cream of the bargains. Others get the skimmed milk.

Merchants who advertise get the cream of the business, while the fellow who doesn't believe in printer's ink gets the clabber.

NEW SPRING GOODS

ARE HERE

and you have a special invitation to call and see them. You'll be more than pleased with the beautiful Spring and Summer Clothing, Dress Goods and Novelties. New shipments arriving daily. We'll be pleased to show them to you.

New York Bargain Store,
Sam Melinger, Prop., Junction, Texas.

Garage and Machine Shop

S. H. Woolf, Prop.

I now have an expert mechanic and am prepared to turn out any kind of Machine and Auto Work, Welding, Etc. Expert on Gasoline Engines.

I carry a full and complete line of Automobile Accessories, Best Casings and Inner Tubes. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Garage Open Day and Night. Your trade appreciated.

Arrived! NEW SPRING SAMPLES

A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT. SEE THEM NOW. THEY ARE BEAUTIES.

Our Made to Measure Clothing Fits.
W. H. SIMON, "Fit-U-Best" Tailor

It is Time to Consider Monuments

and before you buy we want you to consider the monuments we sell. A little time spent in investigation now will save you many dollars when pay day comes. Let us bring our designs and figure with you. Why send your order away from home when we can please you better for less money?

C. M. NICHOLS.

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.



R When all try our pure medicines. Always safe at any and all times.

Safety First!

We sell only pure drugs. There are imitation medicines as well as imitation gems. The only way you can tell—not being a pharmacist—is to patronize a druggist that you can absolutely trust. You are taking no risk whatever when you come here. We have been in this business for years and can be relied upon. Bring your prescription here.

J. A. Heyman's Drug Store.

THE CITIZEN is \$1.00 per year, and WORTH IT

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—BY—
C. M. NICHOLS.
Subscription Rates.
One Copy one year.....\$1.00
Six months......50
Three months......40
Entered as the post office of Junction
Texas as Second class matter.
All advertising made known upon
application.

Our National Defense

A wave of patriotic fervor is spreading over this country as a result of the exposures made in the public press as regards our national weakness in matters of defense.

No sane American citizen will want to see his country exposed to attack from some powerful foreign country. Today such an attack could only result in disaster to us because of our utter lack of means of self defense.

Congress should take prompt measures to insure our immunity from attack from abroad, but it should be done in such a manner as not to impose the burden of militarism upon the country. The details should be carefully worked out by experts in that line, instead of by some politician who has one eye upon the national defense and the other upon the votes in his home district.

From a purely economic standpoint it is cheaper by far to take measures to prevent a war than it is to fight one after it comes.

Just what you've been looking for, "Kimble Climes Souvenirs" showing splendid collection of beautiful views "where the limpid Llano flows." Three series of them. On sale at J. A. Heyman's.

There was a lot of real estate changes made here Tuesday through Col. Bowhard March Wind. We only got four corner lots and a calf pasture in our eyes. You, verily, the breezes do gently wait too and fro.

In the speech here Monday night Judge Blanton paid a very complimentary reference to our fine climate and excellent water. "There are many places," said he "that in this dry time are actually suffering for want of water. Nature has greatly blessed your country with this old Llano and its inexhaustible supply of pure refreshing water." As we have remarked some seven thousand times before, "Kimble's alright."

*How about
Your
Dollars?*

WHAT are you doing with them? Are you waiting their earning power by letting them lie in some UNPRODUCTIVE hidden place? Are you squandering them in LUXURIES or FOOLISHNESS? Are you WASTING depositing them in this bank to GROW in time given as for your BENEFIT in future hour of need or of trouble? We hope you are doing the latter. Perhaps you have had a successful year. Now is the time you ought to save.

Junction' State Bank

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS
\$80,000.00

Clothes That Make For Exclusiveness

There is an exclusive beauty and appeal about the better quality of clothing, a particular smartness in cut and style. It is an indefinable quality which gives an air of distinction to the good dresser.

Our New Spring Stock Is Particularly Noticeable For This Quality.

Never before have we been more fortunate in our advance selections and never have we been so well pleased with the styles, quality and values as we are with our present Spring and Summer goods.

A Fresh Shipment of New Spring Suits, Ladies' Shoes, and Ladies' Hats Just Arrived.

All the popular styles and colors. Better come right down today and see them.

THE "GRAND LEADER," PHILIP JOSEPH, Prop.

"Prices Talk."

LONDON DOTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ambersen went to Menard Sunday.

Prof. and Mrs. Alfred Stewart were over from Eden Saturday and Sunday.

A baby boy arrived Monday and will make his home with Prof. and Mrs. M. L. H. Baze.

Mrs. Mary Brewer is at the McCaleb ranch helping nurse her sick daughter Mrs. Sam McCaleb.

Jim McDaniel of Menard is here superintending the building of the D. G. Adams house.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hensley of Menard are here visiting Mrs. Hensley's father Mr. Homer Ferguson.

Ernest Burt and Roy Skaggs were here from Junction Saturday. Mr. Burt has sold his pasture near London to Dee Gibb.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ivy were here Saturday and Sunday and were accompanied home by Mrs. Laurie McDonald and Mrs. Eva Crouch.

Prof. Baze was called to Brady Sunday to his brother Albert Baze who has been sick for some time with little hopes of his recovery. Prof. Baze was accompanied to Brady by G. T. May and Will Amann.

Ada.

All kinds of dried fruits in 10 lb. boxes at Simon the Grocer.

ROOSEVELT ROUNDUP

Mr. Camp is on the sick list this week.

Will Allison is erecting a wind mill at his place.

Arnold Groenbach went to Menard Tuesday.

Rey Richard Mercer was visiting in Roosevelt Thursday.

Dr. Fred Burt of Junction was in our community the past week.

Will Allison made a business trip to Menard the past week.

Adolph Probst is having a well drilled on his ranch on the divide.

J. W. Ragland of Junction was in our community the past week.

Jim Parker is shearing goats this week at the Wilson ranch on the divide.

Miss Riley of Junction is visiting at the John Gardner ranch this week.

There will be services the 1st Sunday night in April by Rev. J. C. Campbell of Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Rance Pettitt Jr. and little son of Junction were guests of the scribblers at Roosevelt Wednesday.

Joe Gardner and M. D. Carson went to Menard Monday. They expect to visit Stock Show at Ft. Worth before returning home.

Frank and Jesse Surber returned home Tuesday from the Jack Stewart ranch where they have been the past month building fence.

There will be service at the schoolhouse in Roosevelt Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. J. N. Campbell of Junction every body welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Graham passed through Roosevelt Sunday accompanied by Mr. Pettitt and son Dick of Junction.

Blue Eyes.

ATTENTION.

As we are closing out our business in Junction in a great sale beginning March 20th and ending May 1st, we urge the people of Kimble and surrounding country to come and get the advantage of the greatly reduced prices in everything. It is indeed an unusual opportunity for you to make a saving in the purchasing of your needs. We kindly urge that all knowing themselves indebted to us come in and make settlement between now and May 1st, as our entire stock must be closed out by that date, and the business here discontinued. Thanking you for all past patronage and hoping to see you during sale, we are,

Cordially yours,

Sam McElroy.

FOR SALE.

2500 head of fine angora goats. Any size bunch to suit your choice.

Apply: W. R. McKee, Junction, Texas.

Telegraph Telegrams

We are needing rain badly.

W. J. Coleman is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. A. Bartley is visiting at the J. S. Fleming ranch this week.

Wheat Bradford passed through Telegraph on his way to the city Friday.

"LISTEN"

One of the meanest things in the world is a perpetual motion tongue. One that wiggles day and night in everybody's affairs.

The owner of such a wild unbridled member ought to be forced to "shut up" by law or by death which they deserve.

Good people are deserving of better surroundings in this world than gossips and rattlesnakes. They pay their taxes and certainly ought to be protected. But—

Alas, I have often wondered what pleasure a long lashing tongue woman got out of lying about some virtuous girl or man who is attending his own business.

When a druggist sells a poison medicine, he puts a skull and cross bones on the bottle so that people will beware.

And when a community allows a red jumping scandalmonger to run at large, by all means "it" should be labeled "Poison" too.

There is nothing under God's shining sun that is meaner than a wayside lying about some man and especially if that some man is a young lady. Remember it is easy to destroy one's reputation that way. So easy to send a pure innocent creature out in the world broken winged and soiled in the sight of all but God.

If life is worth protecting character should be also. Among the best people everywhere it is always considered far more desirable to meet death than dishonor.

A good name is like a rose, but it, too often, some wicked tongue is the frost that bites it and ruins it forever. Often some lady who would blush at the thought of evil is made the object of destruction by an unworthy tongue and alas! the world too willing to accept as true whatever evil it hears.

A Good Friend to the Citizen.

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

Need Glasses?

Dr. Jones, of Brownwood, at Hotel again, Thursday and Friday, 23rd and 24. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, headache and eye strain relieved.

At London Saturday, 25.

The price of the Ford 5 Passenger Touring Car is \$477.15; Runabout \$427.15 delivered. Get yours now.

Junction Hardware Co. Agents.

Wool and Mohair Charles Schreiner, BANKER

(UNINCORPORATED)

Makes Liberal Advances on Sheep, Goats, Wool and Mohair.

Individual Responsibility, Three Million Dollars

Paints



GOING to slick up? Look about your home and see what you ought to do. A little paint or stain goes a long way in brightening things up. Besides, paint's sanitary. We carry a large line of paints, oils and varnishes, with all sorts of brushes. No matter whether your job is large or small, come here and be satisfied. Now is a pretty good time to do it. How about it?

Junction Hardware Co.

M. C. REESE

REESE & WEAVER.

H. WEAVER, JR.

Land, Live Stock, Automobile and Insurance Agents.

Our Motto: A Fair and Square Deal For All.

Your Business Solicited.

Office at Hotel, Junction, Texas.

DURST BROS.

PAINTERS AND DECORATORS

SIGNS

Phone 31-2 rings

Junction, Texas.

The Hard-to Please Men of This Town are the Men We Want the Most

We say with full confidence that

S. E. Perlberg & Co's Tailor-Made
Clothes Suit the
Hard-to-Suit

If your taste demands fashion's newest modes, or all wool, long wearing clothes, then come here and have your measure taken for these honestly tailored suits and overcoats.

We are showing more than 400 all wool fabrics in all the latest weaves and colorings.

The world's best looms supply the woolsens for Perlberg Tailoring.

Come in and let us take your measure.

You pay for satisfaction and here is the place to get it at prices that please.

\$18 - \$20 - \$25

W. H. Simon,
The Tailor

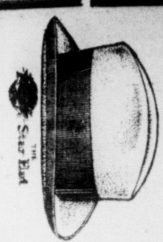


Model No. 624
Two Button Suit

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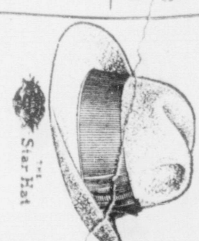
BARGAINS OR EVERYBODY!
 Read these prices. Read every one of these items. They will give small idea of what you may expect in the entire stock. The quicker you get here the better. This will be a storm from start to finish. The people will save as never before. Get in line! Get in early and that's just what you need. Hurry! Hurry! Hurry!



Cycling	
MEN'S SUITS	
\$17.50 and \$20 Suits, at.....	\$13.50
15.00 and \$17.50 Suits, at now at.....	10.50
10.00 Suits, at this sale at.....	6.75
Full length Suits at \$2.50 up	
Men's Modern Single Coats \$1 up	
MEN'S DRESS PANTS	
\$7.00 and \$10.00 Pants in this sale at.....	\$3.65
\$5.00 and \$4.00 Pants at.....	2.95
\$3.00 and 1.25 Pants at.....	1.85c
Overalls 1.00 and 1.25 at.....	85c
Men's Jackets \$3.00 and \$1.25 values	85c
Children's Pants and Suits at less than raw material can be bought.	

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS	
50c and 70c shirts, at.....	40c
50c and 70c Underwear at.....	40c
MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS	
70c Shirts at 2.00 only	45c
\$1.00 and 1.25 Shirts at.....	85c
\$1.50 and 1.75 Shirts at.....	1.25
MEN AND BOYS HATS	
John B. Stetson \$5 to \$7.50	
Hats, clover at.....	3.95
\$4.00 and \$5.00 Hats at.....	2.50
Boys Hats and Caps at less than cost.	

COLLARS	
Best Brand of Collars all go at 10c apiece.	
TIES	
50c and 70c Ties go at.....	40c
25c and 50c Ties go at.....	20c
SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!	
Buy your Shoes while you can get them at Less	
than they can be bought at factory.	



STAPLES	
6 1/2c and 7c Calico goes at per yard.....	4 1/2c
GINGHAMS	
10c and 12 1/2c Ginghams at per yard.....	8 1/2c
SHIRTING	
10c and 12 1/2c Shirting at per yard.....	8 1/2c
PERCALES	
10c and 12 1/2c Percales, gone at per yard.....	8 1/2c
SHEETING	
Best Grade Popperill Sheetting 30c and 40c grade.....	27 1/2c
Feather and Mattress Ticking At Cost.	

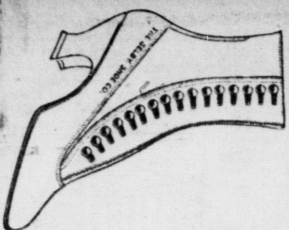
REMEMBER!
 This is not a hanging sale. This is not a needle and pin sale. This is a REAL SALE.
 A Sale which means
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 in YOUR POCKET. COME AND SEE.

DOMESTIC	
10c and 12 1/2c bleached and unbleached Domestic at only.....	8 1/2c
Great reductions on Longcloth and Cornice.	
Laces and embroidery and all kinds of Trim-mings at 25c per egg and 50c per cent off.	
LADIES DRESSES	
\$1.25 and 1.50 Dresses at.....	95c
Great reduction on Ladies Skirts and Children's Dresses.	
One lot Ladies Black Satin Skirts, 1.25 to \$2.00 values.	85c
TABLE LINEN	
30c and 40c Linen goes now at.....	25c

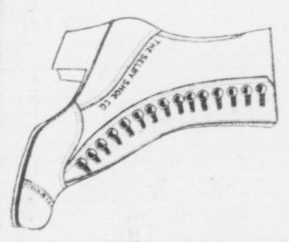
CREPES AND DRESS GOODS	
25c and 30c values go in this Closing Out Sale at.....	17 1/2c
MALINE	
25c and 30c Maline at only per yard.....	17 1/2c
Great reduction on Shirt Waists, Voles and Crepe de Chines.	
Ladies Corsets, 25c, up	
25c Per Cent Off on All Ribbons.	
Trunks and Suit Cases for Less than Cost to Manu-facture them.	
We have odds and ends of Winter Goods left over that can be bought at almost your own price.	
Great Bargains in Show Cases and Fixtures.	

No Goods Charged During This Sale.
 REMEMBER WE HAVE HUNDREDS OF ARTICLES NOT MENTIONED IN THIS LIST AND ENTIRE STOCK MUST GO AT A SACRIFICE.
 FOLLOW THE CROWD TO THE SAM MELINGER STORE.

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NEW YORK BARGAIN STORE. Sam Melinger, Prop.



LOOK!

STUPENDOUS SALE!

LISTEN!

CLOSING OUT OUR BUSINESS IN JUNCTION

Watch For It! Wait For It!

Beginning Monday, March 20th; Closing Monday, May 1.

Nothing Reserved

Everything Must Go

Prices No Object

JUST A WORD EXPLAINING THINGS

This is a sale for a purpose, where the public gets the benefit. Owing to matters which we could not control, this sale is made necessary. As business elsewhere demands my entire attention, and it seems almost impossible for me to get that management which is necessary for the full degree of success of my business in Junction, I have decided to close out my entire stock here. In order to do so quickly I am putting on a Stupendous Closing Out sale, beginning March 20th and ending May 1. In this sale everything in the house must go. Prices no object. Necessity knows no law. The goods MUST be sold. Get here and get your share. This is not a make-believe or a subterfuge, but a genuine price-smashing sale in all its meaning. A sale the like of which has never been seen here before. Come the first day. Come any day. All roads lead to the Sam Melinger store during this great sale. Many dollars will be saved for YOU.

Terrific Reductions!
A \$-Saving Opportunity
Better Buy Now

A Genuine Sacrifice of Values at Prices At and Below COST.

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Clothing

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\$13.50

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

50c and 70c shirts at

40c

40c

Best Brand of Collars all go at 10c apiece.

Hurry! Hurry! Hurry!

AT MAY JETER'S.

Ladies', Misses, and Childrens Spring Hats, Pinkoline Underwear, Heminway's & Bartlett's Embroidery Silk, Royal Society Stamped Pieces.

New Goods to Arrive This Week.

Do You Want a Well Drilled?

We wish to figure with Kimble County people who want wells drilled. We have a good machine and have had success in the business.

Let us figure with you.

EASTMAN BROS.

Do You Want To Go?

If you want to go on a business trip as a worker.
If you want to take a pleasure trip for the day to some of our county's many beauty spots.
If you want to go for a pleasant joy ride.
In short if you want to go ANYWHERE ANY TIME.

Ride in Walter Holekamp's Hup.

Lowest of Rates. Phone 86 3 rings. Best of Service.

MILLINERY MILLINERY

I will be in Junction March 23rd with a line of New Spring shapes and hats. I have secured one of the best trimmers in the state. She knows just what style will become each person. We will have as good style as can be secured in the city. We invite the ladies of Junction and vicinity to come and examine our stock. Will be located in the Sam Melinger Store.

MRS. R. L. LINDSEY

OUR PUBLIC FORUM

Cardinal Gibbons On Woman's Suffrage.



Equal rights do not imply that both sexes should engage promiscuously in the same pursuits, but rather that each sex should discharge those duties which are adapted to its physical constitution and are sanctioned by the canons of justice. To some among the gentler sex the words "equal rights" have been, it is feared, synonymous with "similar rights." To deprive woman from certain pursuits is not to degrade her. To restrict her field of action to the gentler associations of life is not to fetter her aspirations after the higher and the better. It is, on the contrary, to secure to her not equal rights, but those superlative rights which cannot fail to endow her with a sacred influence in her own proper sphere.

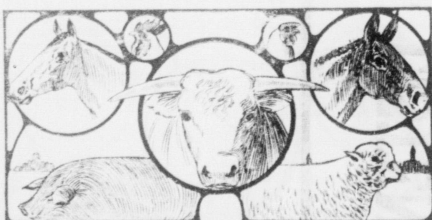
The insistence on a right of participation in active political life is an unduly calculated to rob woman of all that is amiable and gentle, tender and attractive, to rob her of her loveliest graces of character, and give her nothing in return but masculine boldness and effrontery. Its advocates are habitually preaching about woman's rights and prerogatives, and have not a word to say about her duties and responsibilities. They withdraw her from those obligations which properly belong to her sex and fill her with ambition to usurp positions for which neither God nor nature ever intended her. Under the influence of such teachers we find woman, especially in higher circles, neglecting her household duties, caring at best, unless she is in perpetual motion, or unless she is in a state of morbid excitement. She never feels at home unless she is abroad. When she returns home she is irksome to her. Hence arise disputes, quarrels, recriminations, estrangements or the best sort of domestic life.

When I deprecate female suffrage I am pleading for the dignity of woman. I am contending for her honor. I am striving to perpetuate those peerless prerogatives inherent in her sex, those charms and graces which exalt womanhood and make her the ornament and the crowned companion of man.

Woman is queen indeed, but her empire is the domestic kingdom. The greatest political triumphs she could achieve in public life fade into insignificance compared with the serene glories which radiate from the domestic shrine, and which she illumines and warms by her congenial and maternal virtues. If she is ambitious of the dual empire of public and private life, then, like the faded girl beholding her image in the water, she will lose both. She will fall from the lofty pedestal where nature and Providence have placed her, and will fall to grasp the scepter of political authority from the strong hand of her male competitor.

Though woman is debased from seeing she brings into the world and rocks the cradle of the nation's future citizens. She rears and molds the character of those who are to be the future rulers and statesmen, the heroes and benefactors of the country. Surely this is glory enough for her.

The Raising and Marketing of Live Stock



THE TEXAS BARNYARD.

When Uncle Sam wants to bring all the nations of the earth to a full realization of their dependency upon him for their very existence, he takes them through his Texas barnyard—13,000,000 head of live stock—and when he opens the gate and turns our stock out in a pasture as large as the German Empire, almost as great in area as the thirteen original colonies, three times larger than Japan, it is the grandest sight in 20th century civilization.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT

The Hon. Commissioners' Court of Kimble County, Texas, met in regular session Feb. 23, the following members being present: J. B. Randolph, presiding, C. P. Bruce, M. C. Reese, W. B. Miller, and B. T. Joiner, Deputy Sheriff, John Mann and Clerk Owen C. Reid.

For the purpose of considering whether or not the Court would approve of the grade of gravel being placed on the street by the contractor, it being the opinion of the County Judge that the gravel was large, or that there were too many big rocks mixed with the gravel, and that same was not according to contract therefore the above named County Commissioners of said Kimble County inspected and gravel and are of the opinion that same isn't according to contract, but the matter is hereby deferred until a later term of this court.

Court ordered that J. D. Bralley be and he is hereby awarded the contract for the construction of a five ton roller to be the property of the county, and that he be paid the sum of \$90 for same.

It is the order of the Court that the account of B. O. Newby for the sum of \$100 for work on the Boggs bend the same is hereby allowed.

MONDAY, MARCH 5th.

It is the order of the Court that the Alamo Construction Co. of San Antonio, be and they are hereby allowed the sum of \$200 to be paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund, for extra work on the Mason crossing Bridge, said scrip to be payable on March 2, 1917, and shall draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent from this date.

It is the order of the Court that Mason Bridge, Bear Creek bridge and the bridge of Gordon crossing on North Lano, be and same are hereby accepted and approved, and the Clerk of this Court is hereby instructed to issue scrip to the Alamo Construction Co. for the balance due on said bridge, as follows: Mason and Bear Creek bridges, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars said scrip to be issued against the Bond Fund, and the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars out of the Road and Bridge Fund.

On the sixth of March 1916 the Commissioners' Court of Kimble County being in special session a quorum of the members being present, there came to be considered an estimate presented by the Alamo Construction Co. contractor, of the material which has been furnished and work which has been performed in the construction of roads in and for Kimble County under the contract between said county and said contractor entered into on the 14th day of Dec. 1915, as the same appears on record in Book 3, page 172, of the minutes and said estimate is in words and figures as follows:

For grading 1 mile	\$500
For grading 4 miles	
40 ft wide	1400
For graveling 1 mile	
20 ft wide	1800
For graveling 1 mile	
14 feet wide	1200
Total	\$4900

Said estimate has been inspected by the Court and accepted.

JUNIOR LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject, Hope
Leader, Audrey Blackburn.
Roll call, Reading of minutes, Song
Scripture Reading, Rom. 8:24-26
Prayer
Recitation, Charles Cowsett.
Scripture References.
Psalms 31:23-25, Lanan Bissett.
42:1-6, Lois Hankins.
71:13-15, Amy Blackburn.
131:2-4, Dorothy Hodges.
22:8-10, Ida Cowsett.

Song
Reading, Ruth Stevenson,
Recitation, Eula Waulie Jarvis.
Paper, "Hope", Clara Bell Thom.
Discussion.
Song
Benediction.

TEN CENT TEA

The Baptist Ladies Aid of this place will give a Ten Cent Tea at the home of Mrs. W. R. Richardson, on the afternoon of March 17th, beginning at 3 o'clock. All are invited.

Bring your wool and mohair to Arthur Simon, the Grocer.



On the reverse side of this tube and in the case will find the Prince Albert Cigarette, which has made the name Prince Albert famous in every country.

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If you want personal and positive information as to how delightful Prince Albert really is, smoked in a jimmy pipe or rolled into the best makin's cigarette you ever set fire to!

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METHODIST MISSIONARY NEWS.

The Missionary society met in a business session at the church on Monday the 13th of March. After the opening song, scripture reading and prayer the work of the committees were reported. Three visits had been made to strangers and thirteen to the sick. The society planned an ice cream supper by which means might be raised for some necessary improvements about the church and parsonage. This supper will be given on the first Friday night in April on the Church lawn. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. W. Bergmann the fourth Friday. All come and bring your Bazar work and have a pleasant time while you are busy.

Married

On Monday night of last week Mr. R. W. Marsh and Miss Henrietta Fairchild were united in marriage, at the Baptist parsonage in Junction. Rev. J. N. Campbell officiating.

The bride is a charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. B. Fairchild of Segovia. She has been teaching school in our county and has a wide circle of admiring friends.

Mr. Marsh is also a school teacher, and comes from Coke County.

The Citizen joins in the numerous congratulations and good wishes being so freely extended.

Everyone likes nice local views to send their friends. Those "Kimble Climes Souvenirs" just prepared by The Citizen office are just what you want. They may be secured at J. A. Heyman's Drug Store, at Miss May Jeter's, or at the Citizen office. You'll like the views. Each folder contains eight lovely views. Price per folder, 5 cents. A 2-cent stamp takes one anywhere in the United States.

Read every one of the want ads. They may contain just what you are looking for.

Come and bring your friends, to the musical play March 30.

Install Pressing Machine.

Ragland and Stephen are fast making their Tailor Shop and Haberdashery among the best equipped shops to be found. Their latest improvement is a pressing machine which does away with the old hand method and it is claimed not only does much quicker, but does work better. A garment may be pressed through this machine and cleaned and pressed all at one operation, and ready for the customer again within few minutes time. They have gone to some expense to add this new equipment to their shop, but, realizing the ever increasing demands of progress in our thriving city, propose to keep up with the stride and give the very best and up-to-date service possible.

The Musical Play

The musical play given by our music teachers March 30, 1916 at Hankins Rm. Hall in Junction Prices 25c, 50c, and 75c. Benefit Cemetery Aid Society. Don't miss it.

Married

V. M. Loring, proprietor of Mason News, has just been married in Memphis, Tenn. to Miss May Holmes a very accomplished and excellent lady, the adopted daughter of late H. M. Holmes of Mason. As a professional nurse Miss Holmes was with the Red Cross in Cuba during the Spanish American war, and later served as probation officer of the juvenile court of Memphis, resigning that position last year for a rest. Mr. Loring has been very successful as editor of Mason News for more than thirty years, and the plant is now in charge of his son Martin D. Loring. Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Loring will remain in Memphis until close of school in June.

ICE CREAM SUPPER.

On the first Friday night in April the Methodist ladies will serve ice cream and cake at the church lawn. Don't miss this chance to have a good time and to help a good cause.

Ben Simon of Belvedere ranch passed through Junction Sunday returning from Streeter where he had been to take his grandmother, Mrs. Schroeder. Ben was accompanied on the trip by a brother and a sister Herbert and Esther Simon.

UPPER ROOM MEETING.

Come to the upper room meeting at the Methodist Church. If you are a member you can help us, if you are not a member we can help you. Services every evening at 7:45.

Got What They Deserved

You remember Noah had to work a long time on that ark. It was uphill business, too, at best, building a boat away out on dry land while the local wind and hammer club sat around spitting tobacco juice upon his lumber, whittling up his pine boards with their jack knives, and telling him what a fool he was for expecting rain in a country that was too dry to grow alfalfa, but he kept at it. Finally the flood came; every mother's son of the crew were drowned. This is the only instance we know of in either sacred or profane history where a bunch of knucklers got exactly what was coming to them. —Tipton, (Mo.) Times

Died

The sad news of the death of Mrs. Clint McCollum brings sorrow to her many friends in our county. Death occurred at sanitarium at Sterling City, where she had been taken for operation. Mr. and Mrs. McCollum formerly lived in the London community in Kimble county, until a year or so ago when they moved to a ranch near Sterling City. The bereaved ones have our deepest sympathy.

Elects Officers

On Monday evening here the Modern Order Praetorians elected officers for the coming year, as follows: W. O. Dechert, S. A. S. Pickett, S. T. C. M. Nichols, First Cent.; Miss Ocie Cross, Second Cent.; Miss Augusta Dechert, J. E. Rev. J. C. Campbell, J. S. B. T. Joiner, Atty.; Edgum Dechert, Sent.; Coke R. Stevenson, Queen.

Jim Rogers, Jr. Jim Rogers Jr. Lester Rogers Paul Martin, W. R. Davis, Carl Davis, Ed P. Eason and Beatty Eason form a jolly fishing party from Winters who are enjoying an outing in Kimble this week.

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Local Lines and Personal Paragraphs

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

Alex J. Hamer left Monday
for San Antonio and Austin on
a business trip.

Bring your wool and mohair
to Arthur Simon, the Grocer.

M. D. Loring editor of Mason
News, was in Junction the past
week end.

Sunday March 26 will be go to
Church Day, for the Junction
Methodist Church. Plan now to
attend.

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

Fastman Bros., well drillers,
of Mason are now putting down
wells in Kimble county, and
R ss was in Junction Monday.

Bring your wool and mohair
to Arthur Simon, the Grocer.

Believe me they are beauties.
What? Those new wall paper
samples Durst Bros. have
now.

You need it--The Citizen

E. P. Bennett was in from
Roosevelt community Monday.

Bulk sour pickles at Simon
the Grocer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Lawler
motored in from the ranch
Thursday last.

Bring your wool and mohair
to Arthur Simon, the Grocer.

L. B. Kirkpatrick of Segovia
was a visitor in the Kimble ca-
jol Saturday.

Mrs. W. T. Camp came up
from Mason Saturday, called
here by the illness of her hus-
band who is at the Oscar Camp
home on North Liano.

All kinds of feed at Simon the
Grocer.

Rev. J. C. Campbell and Un-
cle Dock Cowser motored over
to San Antonio last Thursday
returning Saturday.

Don't forget that Sunday
March 26 is a general rally day
for the Junction Methodist
Church. We are going to have
a great service. Come.

Automobile Owners

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Hon. M. E. Blackburn, F. M.
Chase, E. A. Loeffler, and H. O.
Patterson left Monday on a trip
to Austin.

J. B. Carico, Clifford Carico
and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bridger
of Houston are here this week
on prospecting trip, and may la-
ter locate in our town.

Get some of those "Kimble
Climes Souvenirs" to send to
your friends elsewhere. Hey-
man has them.

Bring your wool and mohair
to Arthur Simon, the Grocer.

C. W. Bergmann left Tuesday
for San Antonio and Comfort,
called to the latter place to see
his father who is in very ill
health.

Ernest Burt and Roy Skaggs
made a trip to Menard Friday
returning by way of London.
The trip was made in Mr. Burt's
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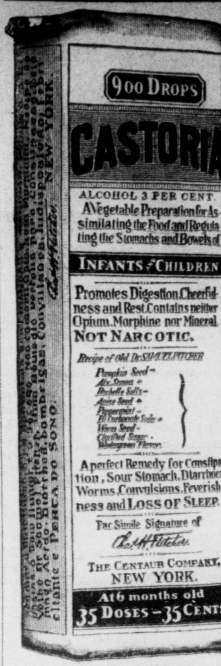
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ness of this kind for 40 years, and I know how to please you.
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Weaver Baker and Irvin Jar-
vis motored over to San Antonio
first of week.

FOR SALE--Old papers, 25c
per hundred. Free to rent under
carpet. Make good cheap wrap-
ing paper. Apply at the office

Sam Melinger of Menard is
here this week looking after his
business here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tinsley,
little Miss Vernelle, and Miss
Ruth Stevenson spent the week
end at the R. M. Stevenson home
in Telegraph community.

J. R. Pettitt and son Dick left
Sunday for a trip of a few weeks
to New Mexico.

FOR SALE--Good Ford Road
ster, at a bargain. J. C. C.
Campbell.

To All The Ladies

Miss Minnie Hamer has taken
charge of our dry goods depart-
ment. She is well qualified and
her years of experience in dress
making and salesmanship will be
of great benefit to our patrons.

We congratulate ourselves on
being able to persuade her to
take charge of this department
for us, and we are going to make
our store "The Ladies Head-
quarters." Come. You are wel-
come.

ALEX J. HAMER CO.

H. Murr was in from the
ranch Saturday.

Durst Bros. have just received
a fine line new spring wall paper
an' p's.

John R. Smart, manager, Mis-
sion Lumber Co., of Menard, was
in Junction on business last of
last week.

Will Graham Jr. and family left
Sunday for their home in New
Mexico, after an extended visit
here with Mrs. Graham's par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Tobey.
They were accompanied home
by Mrs. Graham's sister, Miss
Agnes Tobey.

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
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item one gives us makes this
paper just that much more inter-
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After taking, children stop fret-
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tirely well. Insist on Dr. Bell's
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