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THE NEGRO TROOPS RIOT.

Bombarded Rio Grande City, Texas, Fatally Wounding One Citizen.

THE SOLDIERS ARE NOW BESIEGED.

Fort Ringgold is Surrounded by a Large Number of Mexicans Heavily Armed—Troops Hurrying to the Scene—Official Information—Schooner Maple Leaf is Found in the Waves.

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 23.—The trouble which has been brewing for some time between the people of Rio Grande City and the negro cavalry troop at Fort Ringgold under Lieutenant Rubottom came to a climax last night, when the negro garrison took possession of Krag-Jorgensen rifles and ball ammunition at the fort and from every vantage point on the reservation opened fire on the town of Rio Grande City.

The best information obtainable is that 1500 shots were fired by the soldiers and that one man was probably fatally injured and another slightly wounded.

Captain W. M. Day, commander of Fort Brown, at the mouth of the Rio Grande, is now en route overland to Fort Ringgold with fifty men of company L, Ninth cavalry. Maj. Thompson, in command at Fort McIntosh, near Laredo, has also started for the scene with a detachment of the Ninth cavalry. Colonel Roberts, post adjutant at Fort Sam Houston, this city, left on a special train for Laredo with a detachment of the Twenty-fifth infantry at noon today. He goes to take charge of affairs at the scene of trouble.

General McKibben, department commander, got into immediate telephone communication with Governor Sayers, and it is reported tonight that the adjutant general of State troops has ordered every available man of the Texas Ranger force to Rio Grande City.

When at the close of the Spanish war the department sent the two negro regiments—the Twenty-fifth infantry and the Ninth cavalry—to garrison Texas posts, a general protest went up. The Mexican population of the frontier posts at once turned upon the negro soldiers and the attentions which the negro soldiers in uniform paid the Mexican population. This tension between the negro soldiers and the police in La-

redo—some four weeks ago, as a result of which the war department decided to temporarily abandon Fort McIntosh at Laredo, which is now being done. The Mexican population considered this action a victory for them, and the news spread rapidly up and down the Rio Grande.

The negro soldiers at Fort Ringgold, on the outskirts of Rio Grande City, raised a "rough house" in a gambling resort of that town on October 9, resulting in two soldiers being shot and three being dragged to jail and heavily fined the next day.

Since that time the soldiers have written letters to friends here, saying that their position at Fort Ringgold was unbearable, that the people of the town were tormenting them with nicknames, and occasionally shooting from the town into the reservation. The soldiers said they would stand it as long as they could, and then something was going to happen. A letter to that effect was received here November 17.

Monday night the men got possession of rifles and ammunition and commenced a desultory firing. Instantly all lamps went out and people began to barricade themselves in their own rooms. The shots were directed principally at the saloons and gambling dens, and these quarters were quickly deserted. Deputy United States Marshal Oscar Merrem rode to Roma, the nearest town, and telegraphed that the soldiers fired no less than 1500 shots and that one man was badly wounded.

Later reports today say that the military authorities now have full control over the soldiers at the fort and that not a man is permitted to approach or leave the reservation. The entire male population in and around Rio Grande City is under arms, with armed Mexicans flocking into the town from nearby ranches. Ringgold is completely surrounded by these armed bands, and the prospects of a bloody battle if the men leave the reservation is imminent. Scores of women and children have been moved from the town.

One Killed and One Wounded.

Denton, Texas, Nov. 22.—In a fight at Decatur, Wise county, last night John Rector was mortally wounded and Chas. Rector, a brother, was killed by Matt Davis, who was immediately arrested and put in jail. John Rector was shot in the lungs and Charles was shot in the body, dying soon after the shooting occurred.

DEATH OF G. A. HOBART.

The Vice President's Soul Passed From Earth Early Yesterday Morning.

HE WAS UNCONSCIOUS AT THE END

But Had Known His Fate and Expressed a Willingness to Go—His Wife and Son Were With Him—President and Mrs. McKinley were Deeply Grieved at the Occurrence.

New York, Nov. 23.—Garrett A. Hobart, vice president of the United States, died at his home in Paterson, N. J., at 8:30 o'clock this morning. At his bedside were Mrs. Hobart and her son, Garrett A. Hobart, Jr., together with Dr. William K. Newton and his wife, and Private Secretary Evans.

Mr. Hobart's death had been expected for some hours. The beginning of the end came yesterday afternoon. There was a sudden failure of the heart and from this attack Mr. Hobart never rallied. He had been sick for a long time and had suffered frequently from heart failure, and his strength had been undermined. Gradually the failure of the heart's action became more apparent and soon after midnight last night Mr. Hobart became unconscious. He remained in that condition until his death. Death was due directly to angina pectoris, complicating myocarditis.

Owing to the prostration of Mrs. Hobart the funeral arrangements will not be completed until tomorrow. The only step decided upon is that the services shall be held in the Church of the Redeemer at Paterson and the interment in the family plot at Cedar Lawn, where the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart was buried six years ago. Rev. Dr. Magee will preach the sermon. The church can accommodate not more than 800 persons, and as thousands will be eager to attend the services, it was suggested that they be held in the armory, which will accommodate 10,000 people. It is known, however, that Mrs. Hobart wishes the funeral to be as quiet as possible and there is little likelihood that the programme will be changed.

The mayor and aldermen of Paterson have suggested that the body lie in state at the city hall Friday

or Saturday morning, and this suggestion will probably be carried out. The pall bearers have been selected, but their names will be withheld until after they have been notified and have accepted.

A Big Battle Reported.

New York, Nov. 23.—A dispatch to the Herald from Panama says: Official advices from Bogota dated November 18 report a terrible battle between the government forces and the revolutionists was fought near Bucaramanga, capital of the department of Santander, in which the government forces were victorious. It is stated that the battle lasted two days from noon of November 16. More than 1000 rebels were killed and 200 were wounded. About 10,000 men on both sides were engaged. Gen. Uribe and Gen. Juan Francisco Gomez, prominent leaders of the revolutionists, were wounded, and it is reported Gen. Pablo Emilio Villar was killed. On the government side Gen. Solano Pillemezares and Gen. Hernandez were wounded. The revolutionists are reported to have occupied Bucaramanga on November 18. The place has been held by the revolutionists since the civil war of a month ago.

Gunboat Helena Arrived.

Manila, Nov. 23.—The United States gunboat Helena arrived at Amaganin during the night of November 12. A party from the Helena visited the stranded Charleston Nov. 13. It was found that her bows were clear and that her after-bridge was submerged, making it doubtful whether anything can be salvaged.

SHORT TEXAS SPECIALS.

Cameron.—Connell & Co. of Brownwood are feeding 1000 steers at the oil mill here.

Marlin.—A military company has been organized here with Thomas Connolly as captain; fifty-three members have signed the roll.

Corsicana.—The horse ridden by the 11-year-old son of Widow Burns ran away, throwing the lad against a fence post with such force as to fatally injure him.

Lott.—Enough has been subscribed to assure the building of a flour mill here with a capacity of about fifty barrels a day.

Corsicana.—Paul Abernathy, aged 11, fell under the wheels of a freight engine on which he was riding and was crushed to death.

THE PHILIPPINES' WAR.

The Thirty-third is in Advance—
Let Dagupan Be Ore
The Force

SENT OUT BY MAC ARTHUR REACHED

There—The Insurgents Now Can Not Be
Found, But Show Considerable Activi-
ty—General Wheeler Will Not Return
—Other News of Greatest Importance
In Condensed Form.

Manila, Nov. 22.—Gen. MacArthur's reconnoissance entered Dagupan this afternoon. The Americans found that no insurgents had been there for three days. The Thirty-third infantry was probably in Dagupan yesterday, leaving last night. No insurgents have been seen anywhere near the railroad, and it is believed that the only armed force of any size is in the mountains of the provinces of Zambales, to the west, although there are reports of insurgents concentrating at San Miguel de Camaling, west of Panique, and at Maugatarom (or Mangalaron), west of Bayabang. Gen. MacArthur is prepared for the attack, his forces being disposed between Durbán, province of Tarlac, and Dagupan. The Twelfth infantry, a battalion of the Seventeenth infantry and two troops of cavalry are with Gen. MacArthur at Dagupan.

Manila, Nov. 22.—There has been a revival of insurgent activity south of Manila, particularly in Cavite province. At Imus yesterday the Filipinos fired a smooth-bore cannon, but this was soon silenced by the American artillery. In the course of the morning Major Cowles, with a battalion of the Fourth infantry and two guns, scattered the enemy from the district around Imus and in the direction of Perez das Marinas. The Americans could not pursue the retreating insurgents because their ammunition was exhausted. The Filipinos are under the command of General Mariano Trias.

Spies report that the insurgents are coming into Cavite province from Calamba, in Laguna province, and the other southern provinces. The insurgents have smooth-bore and two modern cannon. Firing was in progress this afternoon, and it is reported that there are more insurgents in the vicinity of Imus than ever before.

Manila, Nov. 22.—Gen. Wheeler has decided not to return for congress. He is writing a letter to President McKinley with a request that it be forwarded to the house of representatives. In the course of an in-

terview with a correspondent of the Associated Press, he said: "Congress, if it occupies the first day of the session in passing a resolution declaring in unmistakable terms that the sovereignty of the United States is to be maintained in the Philippines, thus dispelling Aguinaldo's illusion that the anti-imperialists can assist him, will be performing a sacred duty. Such a resolution would save the lives of many American soldiers and of thousands of deluded Filipinos; would avert famine and suffering from those islands and would render unnecessary the expenditure of hundreds of millions of dollars."

Olinda Was on Fire.

Cape Henry, Va., Nov. 22.—The German steamer Olinda passed in for Norfolk at 7:30 a. m., flying the signal "I am on fire." The Olinda carried besides her crew eighteen passengers. Fire was discovered last night at 7 o'clock in No. 3 hold aft when off Hatteras. Captain Hanson displayed distress and the Ward liner City of Washington from New York for Havana took all of the passengers off in safety, not, however, without much difficulty, as the sea was quite heavy. The passengers will be landed at Havana. Captain Hanson says that the fire is under control, but the hatches have not been removed, neither has any water been turned on. Lighters were sent to the vessel to remove the cargo when she reached the harbor.

Heavy Rain Fell.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 22.—Heavy rains have fallen the past three days over North, West and Northwest Texas, accompanied in some instances by severe winds. At Bridgeport the wind blew down a number of buildings and slightly injured a half dozen people. At Saginaw F. L. Estis' house was lifted off the foundation and carried thirty feet away. Washouts have occurred on the Rock Island near Comanche, I. T., and at Park Springs, Texas, where a passenger train ran into a stream, the water almost reaching the car doors. Traffic over the Denver was also interfered with, but trains go through today. Fully 3 inches of rain fell and at this point there was a 4-inch downpour.

Struck by Lightning.

Hillsboro, Texas, November 23.—A report from Hubbard says that during a rain and thunder storm there lightning struck a tenant house on J. B. McDaniel's farm, occupied by a family of nine, named Emeralds. They were crazed temporarily and some of them are still in a precarious condition. The lightning set fire to the house. Neighbors, seeing it in flames, arrived in time to rescue the family. The chimney and clock were demolished and some trinkets were melted and run together by the lightning.

Five Were Killed.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 22.—In a collision Sunday on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha railway near Humboldt, five persons were killed and a number of others probably fatally injured. A party of men on a hand car discovered a work train with about 100 laborers aboard backing down upon them. The men on the hand car jumped off, leaving the car on the track. When the work train struck the obstruction the force of the collision threw four flat cars from the track, killing five of the workmen, among them Edward Howard, an American, and injuring many more. Many of the injured are expected to die. The injured Italians immediately became wildly excited, and drawing their knives made threatening demonstrations toward the crew of the work train, who pulled away from the scene of the accident with all possible speed. Relief trains were sent out a number of the injured were brought here. A 15-year old boy died en route.

It Covered the Rails.

Manila, Nov. 22.—The American occupation of the country between Manila and Dagupan is proceeding with a rush. General MacArthur is within five miles of Dagupan, which place Generals Wheaton or Lawton will probably occupy. The railroad is practically intact beyond Bambam except for a distance of five miles north, and the rails for that portion have been discovered. Large quantities of rolling stock, however, has been destroyed. General MacArthur is moving his troops by train and the roads within Lawton's territory are becoming impassable. Captain Leonhauser accomplished one of the best coups of the war. Reaching O'Donnell by a night march from Capas November 8 he surprised the insurgent force, numbering 200, and captured all of them with their arms, 10,000 rounds of ammunition and four tons of subsistence. One Filipino was killed, but there were no American casualties.

Use Hot Sulphur Water.

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 22.—The board of managers of the Southwestern Insane asylum, at their session today, entered into a lease with Pryor, Hartzell & Russell of this city for the use of hot sulphur water from the insane asylum well in this city. The lease is for twenty-five years and the lessees give bond in the sum of \$10,000 for the carrying out of stipulations of lease. They bind themselves to erect a \$25,000 natatorium with sixty baths and three large free public pools, and in addition will at once commence the erection of a \$100,000 hotel and sanitarium.

Was Seen Last Sunday.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 22.—A strange phenomena, supposed to be a part of the tri-centenary meteoric disturbance scheduled by the astronomers, was observed here Sunday night between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock. The fiery messengers made their appearance directly overhead and attracted much attention and no little fear among the negroes. As many as ten meteors were seen, all of which were in the nebulae form resembling comets. They first appeared as patches of light and at times would glow a fiery red and then fade away, repeating the operation a number of times before they finally disappeared. During the lurid period the central body could be easily seen, the light radiating throughout the entire mass which appeared to be about three feet long and six inches wide.

Much Pine Timber.

Kirbyville, Texas, Nov. 22.—Mr. J. J. Copley, of Kountze, Hardin county, is in Kirbyville today. Mr. Copley is in the employ of Hon. John H. Kirby of Houston and is surveying and classifying the pine lands belonging to Mr. Kirby in Jasper and Newton counties. Mr. Kirby now owns a vast amount of timbered lands in these counties, and Mr. Copley being a timber expert, will make an estimate of the stumpage per acre of these lands, which will be of great benefit to Mr. Kirby. It will take Mr. Copley and his crew of men about four months to complete the work, as accuracy is desired in every detail.

Schooner Found.

Chicago, November 23.—A special to the Record from Toronto says: The schooner Maple Leaf was brought into Port Stanley harbor today by the tug Snowstorm. She was found tossing in the waves opposite New Glasgow, a complete wreck above her decks. Her captain, Robinson of Leamington, who was also her owner, and his brother, Evan Robinson, had both been drowned, and the two surviving members of the crew, David Adams and J. A. McIntosh, had a terrible experience. The storm struck them twenty-five miles north of Cleveland Friday night. Captain Robinson was engaged to be married Wednesday.

An Old Man Suicides.

Gonzales, Texas, Nov. 22.—A German named George Hagerdorn, 63 years old, hanged himself yesterday near town in the forks of the Gaudalupe and San Marcos rivers. He and his wife were in town on Saturday, and when they were Hagerdorn was somewhat under the influence of liquor. At the coroner's inquest the testimony showed his family and friends had talked to him about drinking and he told them that he would not die a natural death.

Sheriff Richardson Arrived.

Palestine, Texas, November 22.—Sheriff Richardson of Athens arrived last night, having in charge the prisoners who are charged with the murder of the Humphries in Henderson county last spring. The following are the names of the men: Joe Wilkinson, Walter Wilkinson, Bob Stevens, John Gaddis, Sam Hall, W. B. Brooks, W. A. Johns, John Greenhaw, Arthur Greenhaw, Polk Weeks and Ed Cain. The first ten are charged with murder and the last named is held for conspiracy.

The prisoners will be watched closely from now until the trial and a special guard will be maintained for that purpose. The men are looking exceedingly well, considering their long confinement, and seem to be in the best of spirits. The cases are set for December 13 and the trial promises to be the most exciting ever held in Anderson county.

Circuit Court Convened.

Waco, Texas, November 23.—The United States district and circuit court for the Northern district of Texas convened here yesterday, Hon. Edward R. Meek presiding. A grand jury was inpaneled and is now at work on the list of criminal cases scheduled by the marshal during the vacation. These are mostly counterfeit cases and some of them are important ones. The law docket was taken up today. It is a long docket, and will require several weeks to try it.

Eleven Were Killed.

New York, November 22.—A special cable to a morning paper from Capetown, dated the 14th, says: In the latest fighting at Mafeking the British had eleven killed and thirty wounded. The Boers suffered heavily. Nearly one hundred Boer prisoners were taken, many of whom are well known on the rand. Cronje has been reinforced by 2000 men. It is not known here whether Mafeking has fallen or is still holding out.

SHORT TEXAS SPECIALS.

Hillsboro.—J. B. Tarbley, justice of the peace in the Abbott precinct, has resigned and the commissioners court has elected A. N. Brown to fill his unexpired term.

Pearsall.—The commissioners of Frio county have ordered an election on the issuance of \$27,500 4 per cent bonds for the purpose of building a new court house.

Greenville.—The Hunt county pest house will soon be emptied of its smallpox patients; only six remain. These will be allowed to depart in another week.

—O. G. Park has shipped a table of racers from San Antonio to New Orleans. His racers had great success at Dallas and San Antonio.

Chowder.

We have no change to note since our last in the wool and cotton market. Activity of transactions in wool continues without any advance in values, and cotton seems to have come to stay, but fluctuations in futures keep speculators on the dance—now I see it, and now I don't. Pecans in demand, but slightly reduced in price, as is usual in the the holidays.

The price of grain holds fair, but no heavy supply in market. Good rains have put the ground in fine fix; small grain in the ground is a certainty.

Business in the Beehive shows no let up—every nerve is required to serve the trade. Von Becker reports potatoes going like hot cakes, and salt, sugar, beans, and canned goods are rushing him.

It has been very active in the harbor, many large crafts clearing with freight for the west.

Comodore J. D. Leavel arrived with his fleet, bringing near the last of the fall wools for this port. Skipper Jim towed in a light craft with that enormous Boer cannon ball, consigned to Gus Phleas.

The Boatswain denies the charge that he has been sawed off, but, like an old grindstone, he is worn off by much business.

Whisker's girl has got so cross-eyed watching for him that when she cries the tears run down her back. Poor thing!

The Parson has changed his boarding house. He looks more cheerful, and the wrinkles in his vest are gradually leaving.

Accidentally Killed.

Mr. Airs Gilmer, a well-known young stockman of Edwards county, formerly a resident of Kerrville and brother of our townsman, S. H. Gilmer, was fatally shot and died from the wound two hours afterwards, in Sutton county, on Friday of last week.

Mr. Gilmer and Mr. M. G. Calvert were traveling in a buckboard, and had a shotgun leaning against the seat between them. When about sixteen miles east of Sonora the jolting of the vehicle caused the gun to slip down, striking the hammer and discharging it. The entire charge entered Mr. Gilmer's left side. Mr. Calvert, who was horror stricken at the tragedy, drove to the nearest ranch, a mile and a half away, and a man was sent for a doctor, and another started to bear the news

to the young man's father, Col. A. M. Gilmer, of Rock Springs. Everything possible was done to allay the wounded man's suffering, but of no avail, and he died two hours after the accident occurred. The body was interred at Sonora on Saturday. Mr. Gilmer was a young man who was greatly respected by all who knew him, and had many warm friends in Kerrville who, with his relatives, mourn his death.

Mr. S. H. Gilmer and Mrs. W. E. Stewart, of this city, left Wednesday for Rock Springs to attend the bedside of their father, Col. Gilmer, who is in a very critical condition from nervous prostration over the loss of his son.

A Remarkable Case.

A few days ago Henry Welge bought a load of corn from Mr. Charles Weston, who lives near Centre Point. The next morning Mr. Welge went to shuck some corn for his horse, when a silver spoon fell out of the shuck. It is said that Mr. Welge thinking the spoon grew in the corn, shucked the whole load of about 26 bushels before he thought the spoon might have lodged in the shuck by accident.

Died in Jail.

One of the two men arrested near this city week before last for hog theft in Kimble county and then taken to Junction City by Sheriff Will Taylor of that county, died in the county jail at that place Wednesday night.



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THE San Marcos Democrat declares that the tendency to diversification of crops in Texas, which the press is mentioning, is not apparent in its part of the state. The change from the old system of raising nothing but cotton is, unhappily, not as general as it will be; but it is taking place, nevertheless, and is the beginning of a golden era for the Lone Star farmers. When everything possible for the needs of the family is raised on the farm, and cotton is grown only after the home necessities are provided for, the latter crop will be curtailed naturally by the farmers' sensible methods until the product will command a price that will make its culture profitable. Cotton has been cheap only because too many raised nothing but cotton.

KERRVILLE'S resources are not wholly known by some of our readers. This city is well known as the gathering and shipping point for the products of a large area of country; but the products of Kerrville and immediate vicinity are not generally understood. For instance, few outsiders know that our building stone has been used in the construction of many fine edifices in various cities of the state. Yet this is so. Mr. B. C. Richards, proprietor of the Kerrville quarries, is just now finishing the shipment of a large amount of stone, which the contractors will use in the erection of the convent at the head of the San Antonio river, at the city of San Antonio.

An exchange calls Aguinaldo a stayer. If press dispatches may be credited, he is entitled to that name only by reason of his qualities as a long-distance runner. He is constantly reported as just leaving some place.

THE sleeping car companies of the United States have formed a trust. This is a monopoly over which economical travelers may reasonably be expected to lose sleep.

THE Palestine Advocate says its town is steadily improving despite the fact that a large portion of the town's inhabitants are

mossbacks. The paper that advertises the non-progressive spirit of its citizens co-operates with the mossback element to the detriment of the place in which it is published.

Texas Industry.

A school teacher on the South fork of the Guadalupe recently asked her geography class the question: "What is the principal industry of Texas?" There was no answer and the class stood in embarrassment. Finally a bright little boy in the class asked what industry meant. In order to make it very explicit the teacher told him that industry was the occupation of a people, or "what the men do for a living." The little fellow then said: "Oh, yes; I know the principal industry of Texas: it is hauling cedar!"

This boy spoke from observation rather than extensive reading. He had seen the great loads of cedar posts, piling and telegraph poles that daily passed the school house on its way to Kerrville to be shipped to points throughout the great Southwest, and he thought that must be the "whole thing." There are many others who do not know the magnitude of this great state's industries. Aside from the millions of pounds of cotton, wool, and hides, and thousands of cattle annually produced by this state, the minor industries of Texas are greater than those of any other member of the union.

A three-year-old child of Mr. Randall Mullen, of Hackberry, was burned so severely last week that it died Saturday. It was playing near the fire when its clothes caught on fire, with the above result.—Rock Springs Rustler.

"If you keep on as you have begun, Mabel," complained the young husband, running his eye over the expense account, "we shall never be able to lay up anything for a rainy day."

"How can you say so, Henry," exclaimed the young wife, righteously indignant, "when you know I have two of the loveliest rainy day skirts that were ever made!"—Chicago Tribune.

Miss Browning: "You shouldn't complain. The editor took one of your poems."

Jack Cribber: "Yes, but he took that measley little thing I plagiarized from Byron and rejected my own literary masterpiece."—Judge.

"Did he shake hands with you?" asked Poindexter of Kilduff.

"Well, not exactly."

"What do you mean by 'not exactly?'"

"Well, he shook his fist at me."—Detroit Free Press.

STOCKMEN'S DOINGS.

Movement and Sales of Live Stock as Reported by an Exchange.

J. L. Crawford recently bought 57 head of steer yearling and stock cattle, mixed, from Wit Barron at \$15 a head.—Ozona Kicker.

Wiley Cochran bought 13 head of fat cows from J. W. Henderson last week, and 10 head from Harrell Brothers at \$20 a head.—Ozona Kicker.

Will Whitehead, the Juno stockman, bought last week 1400 yearlings past from C. T. Turney, of Sonora, for June delivery, at \$20 a head. They will be two-year-olds at that time.—Ozona Kicker.

Sam Oglesby was in Ozona Saturday on his way to Juno with a flock of mutton that he recently purchased from Capt. Stanley Turney, of the North Concho, at \$2.35, wool on.—Ozona Kicker.

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LOCAL EVENTS.

Movements of the People in This Community as Reported to the Paper.

Mr. A. C. Schreiner went to San Antonio Wednesday.

B. M. Hixon left Wednesday for a few days' visit to Galveston.

Mack Lampkin and James Douglass went to Bandera Wednesday.

Col. T. H. Zanderson, the San Antonio wool man, was in the city Monday.

Miss Louise Shiner, of San Antonio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. A. Schreiner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Nowlin, of Centre Point, were among the visitors in the city Tuesday.

DR. W. J. DILLARD,

DENTIST.

Office, next door to
Rawson's drug store.

Kerrville, Tex.

County Surveyor Starkey is out at Morriss' ranch running some lines for Mr. Everett this week.

C. C. Kirkland, a prosperous farmer of the Mason Creek community, was in the city Wednesday with corn.

Gus Langbein, a prominent citizen of Kendall county, was in town the first of the week with wheat for the market.

Mrs. A. C. Schreiner entertained a number of friends at dinner Tuesday in honor of Miss Louise Shiner, of San Antonio.

J. F. and B. S. Muller, who have been at the Bluefield, Nicaragua, gold mines for several years, returned to this city Monday.

Dave Martin, of Round Mountain, proprietor of the Round Mountain Telephone exchange, in town Tuesday. Mr. Martin is putting in a telephone exchange at Fredericksburg.

Mrs. G. F. Schreiner gave a Mexican supper Tuesday evening to a select party of friends at her pleasant home on Water street.

Kerrville is the center, the great market for wool, hides, cotton, corn, wheat, oats, and all kinds of farm and ranch products.

J. L. Pampell exhibited luscious, ripe strawberries last Sunday which he had picked that day in his garden. That's the kind of a climate that we have at Kerrville.

DR. F. GALBRAITH,

DENTIST

(Successor to Dr. A. W. Irving).

Office, over A. M. Morriss & Co.'s drug store,
Kerrville, Tex.

Miss Bessie Stratton, of Brackettville, has the position of governess in the family of Mr. H. Tremlett. Mr. and Mrs. Tremlett consider themselves quite fortunate in having secured the services of Miss Stratton, who is a most estimable young lady.

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Turtle Creek Tattle.

Turtle Creek, Nov. 21.—J. D. Ramsay and family narrowly escaped being struck by lightning last Sunday. During the thunder storm on that afternoon lightning struck a tree about 75 feet from the house and passed into a fodder stack near it, making it smoke freely, but not consuming

it, as a heavy rain was falling. Then the bolt struck a tree about 40 feet from the first and 50 feet from the house, and went into the ground some 30 feet from the house, burning wire netting which was around flowers in the yard. Mr. Ramsay, family and a visitor, who were in the house, were all shocked by the lightning, and Mr. Ramsay, who was sitting by a window in a room by himself, was rendered helpless for a short time, and afterward felt, as he describes it, just as he did after emerging from the first effects of a large dose of chloroform. A large rain fell. Turtle creek rose three and a half or four feet at the Ramsay place. This will insure a large crop of small grain in this vicinity.

Glenn & Denton have just finished a well for W. P. Ridgeway. It is 102 feet deep, and the water in it rises within 14 feet of the surface.

J. D. Ramsay and wife spent several days last week at the

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home of Amil Karger in Comfort. They had a very pleasant time with their old friends and new acquaintances which they made.

Mr. Ramsay informs the writer that Editor Swindle and William Neunhoffer, will enter into a discussion through the columns of the Comfort Times, the former assuming the task of proving that the present administration is disposed to favor the use of paper money by our government, and the latter the job of disproving the proposition.

J. D. R.

Plaintiff's attorney: "Mr. Brewster, what is the general character of the defendant, Abram Johnson?"

The witness: "Character for what?"

Plaintiff's attorney: "Oh, well, his morals!"

The witness (appealingly): "Judge, must I answer that question?"

The court (with gravity): "Perhaps the desired answer may be obtained by a slight variation of the question: Mr. Brewster, what about his morals?"

The witness (gratefully): "Well, Judge, as to his immorals, I should say they stand very high!"

Philip Lindsley's Humor of the Courtroom.

**BREAKING
THE RECORD**

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The Mother in Relation to the Kindergarten.

BY MISS ORA WOOD.

[Read at W. C. T. U. meeting, Kerrville, Texas, November 11, 1899.]

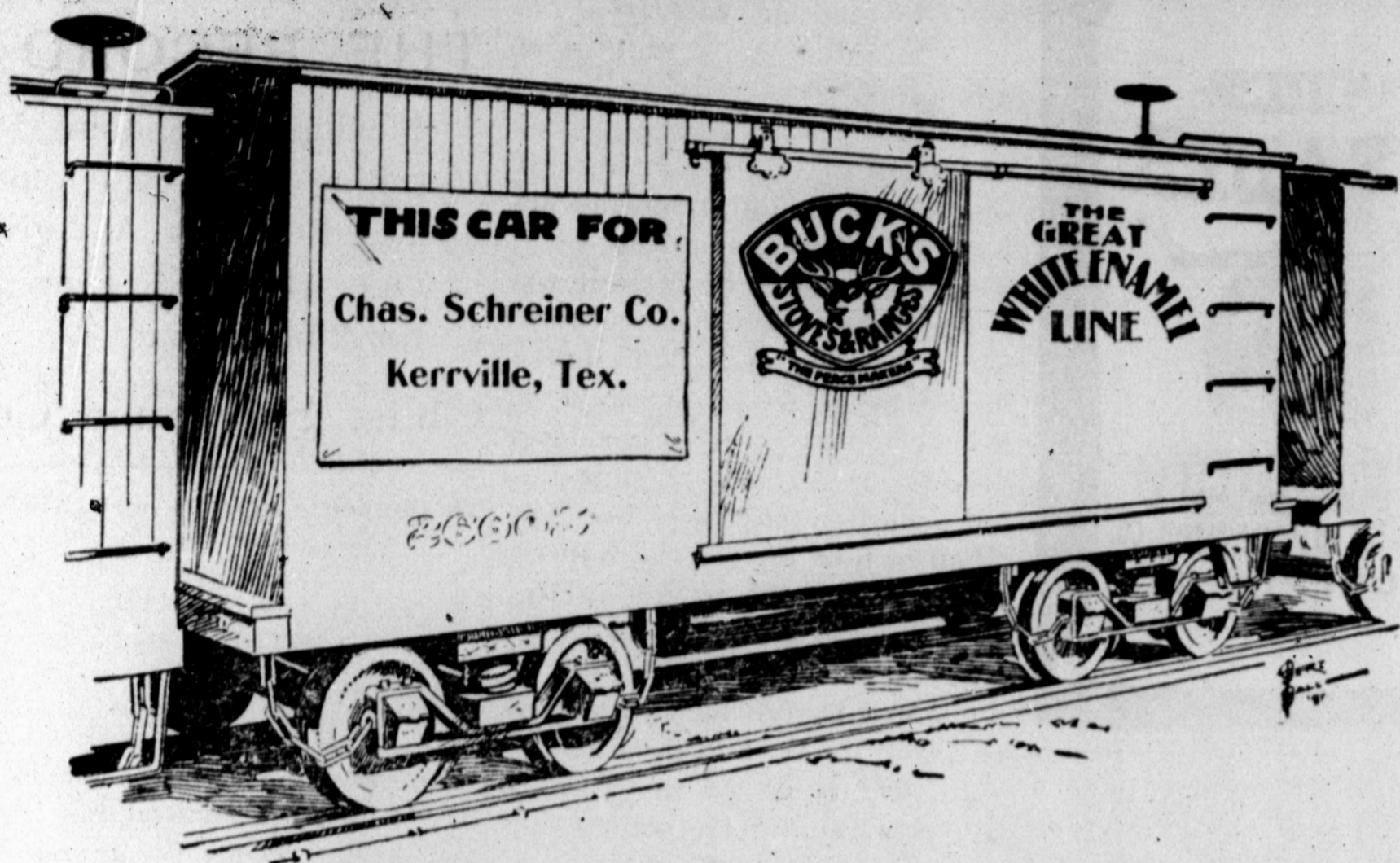
(Concluded from last week.)

A word about story telling. Only the best should be told; never tack on a moral, but leave the child to receive the impression in his childish way. In the kindergarten, as you may already understand, there is no cramming the young mind, or taxing it with book work. We are too eager for results and fail to let nature have fair play. We exhibit a foolish, pompous pride over the so called progress made by mere babies who can read, write, and cipher—forgetting that these accomplishments are merely mechanical—that there is little or no development. It would be far wiser to feed the child on unripe fruit, for unripe fruit for the mind is decidedly more cruel and harmful. But I wander!

Going back to the "Mother Plays" Troebel tells us that the child thrusts out its hands and feet and feels its mother's body or hand opposed to them, much to its infantile delight. Thus it begins to recognize self as a distinct individuality; later the little one learns to walk and goes from her, but soon returns with outstretched hands to the protecting arms of mother, thus living out the universal law of alienation and return. Shakespeare, Homer, and other writers of less note, thoroughly understood this underlying principle and built success upon the knowledge.

In the kindergarten a lack of ready obedience is promptly punished. The child is made to feel that it has violated the law of harmony—for that offense it is alienated from the other children. With a certain reluctance it takes its chair and leaves the table or circle, which ever it may be at. No harsh word or threat ever finds expression in the kindergarten. The isolated child feels the punishment keenly enough. When it is ready to return—that is feels sorry enough for the of-

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fense—it is restored to happy fellowship once more. This often has to be repeated over and over again. I would like to dwell on the harmful effects of prolonged alienation, and the "Mother Plays," generally, but must refrain. You have all noticed a child dragging a stick across fence palings; it is pleased by the repetition of sounds. This trait is utilized in the kindergarten. Day after day, sewing, mending, making of chains, and other occupations are furnished the restless little hands, and are received with delight. The child shows a tendency to break its toys, cut or tear books, etc., much to the consternation and discomfort of the sorely tried mother. This tendency heralds a new stage of development, viz.: that of investigation. In the kindergarten the third gift supplies this need of nature: the child builds houses, bridges, walls, etc., then carefully takes them to pieces, and puts the blocks into the box again—the desire to destroy is eliminated—carefulness is inculcated, and constructiveness has been developed. Why are mothers so slow to grasp the benefits to be derived from this thoroughly logical work? Simply because they know next to nothing about it. I often meet young mothers who grope blindly, anxiously, for safe methods. They

turn to the trained kindergartner for a solution of the problem they cannot solve for themselves. Every mother should, if possible, rear her daughter in a kindergarten atmosphere. It is far more important than higher mathematics or technical grammar. The upbuilding, uplifting of the human race must begin in the nursery. Your example, mother, will weigh more with your child than the whole world besides. See to it that you are not weighed and found wanting. A dear, little, sunny tempered, bright faced mother entered our training class and worked laboriously in order that she might better understand how to train her children properly. May the wave of enthusiasm that bore her upward be the means of inspiring less ambitious mothers. A little girl in my kindergarten once said: "Miss Ora, we don't say grace at home, except when we have company." What a reflection! What a pitiable example of home influence! I suppose that every mother fully realizes that children are, invariably, good judges of human nature—that, like the placid lake, they reflect their surroundings—that they unconsciously imitate—that it behooves every mother to be true to herself, true to the little lives entrusted to her care. We have a

lunch period in kindergarten work that means much to the initiated. The children are allowed to take out their own lunch and put it on a clean paper napkin or plate; then their baby hands are folded, and then the lesson of self restraint becomes a fixed habit. However much they may be tempted to taste their food, they refrain from doing so until it has been properly cut, and thanks returned to the Father for His gracious blessings. They have a merry lunch for a few minutes, but at a given signal, usually, "fold your hands," sung or played on the piano, every little hand is in position once more. They are encouraged to bring only what is necessary and wholesome. I fear that I tax your patient forbearance, but this subject touches my very heart, and I fain would say something to arouse the indifferent mother who believes that her boy must "sow his wild oats;" that her girl must flit away some of the most important years of her life before she settles down to right living. What a mistake! Make home attractive, the boys' room especially; don't give them the least pleasant room in the house, with the broken furniture, but make it homelike. Let the mother's room be a comfortable assembly place for a daily family reunion.

In the kindergarten only the best pictures, the best stories, the best songs, the best games are introduced. The child gets accustomed to such and has no relish for the low and vicious. The mother can select the typical for her child; she can follow the kindergarten methods of order, cleanliness, and of work well done. She can teach her child self reliance, but not by silly coddling. The kindergartner gives the child material to work with—to fashion into something useful or ornamental—thus teaching it that it can overcome environments. The mother should supplement this work. After all the kindergarten is but a widening of the home circle—the typical home circle—where the child is trained for future usefulness, for future citizenship. But while the mind and body are being carefully looked after, the spiritual nature is not overlooked. Through songs, games, stories, and nature studies, the goodness of the all wise Father is carefully fostered. May some child's life be made brighter for our having met together this afternoon; may there be less of the "harsh jangling bells out of tune," for the mother who earnestly desire to put the best efforts for their child's well being.

TOWN TALK.

Short Items of Local Interest Picked Up by Our Reporters.

Surreys at half value at Smith's business block.

C. C. Bessent, of Yoakum, is in the city prospecting with a view to locating in business.

T. H. McFadin made a business trip to Madina City Wednesday returning Thursday.

Elmer Ruff acted as escort to a knight of commerce who went to Fredericksburg Wednesday.

Wm Horton, an Edwards county cattle king, spent several days in this city the first of the week.

Call at Smith's new and second hand store, examine goods and buy where you can do the best for the money.

A. C. Dever, the Brenham horse buyer, bought and shipped a car of horses from this city to that place Thursday.

Prof. Edward Schmidt, of the Turtle Creek neighborhood, paid this office a pleasant visit Saturday of last week.

T. D. McKinzie, of Whitewright, Tex., came to Kerrville Friday, hoping to receive benefit to his health, which is somewhat impaired.

The Kerrville Steam Laundry will call for laundry Tuesdays and Thursdays. All work delivered promptly and satisfaction guaranteed.

FOUND. Gold stick pin with turquoise set. Owner may have same by calling at the PAPER office and paying for this advertisement.

Ben Smith left Sunday for San Antonio, where he joined a hunting party that were going to the head of the Nueces on a big camp hunt for several weeks.

Monday evening as little Willie Robinson, who lives with her grand parents, on Town creek, was returning home from school, the horse she was driving became frightened and ran away, throwing her from the buggy. Though badly shaken up, she was fortunately not seriously hurt.

Mr. Charles Morris, who has been home on a visit, returned

Thursday to the hot Sulphur Wells, near San Antonio. Mr. Morriss has been greatly benefited by the waters of that great health resort.

John M. Newton, of San Antonio, came up Saturday to visit his parents, Capt. and Mrs. H. M. Newton, of this city. Mr. Newton rode his wheel the entire distance, leaving San Antonio at 7:10 he arrived in Kerrville at 2:45 p. m.

Just Received:

A nice line of Outings.

To Arrive This Week:

Men's, Ladies' and Misses' Underwear.

Next Week:

The finest assortment in Ladies' Dress Skirts and Dress Flannels.

L. WELGE.

John Parsons, of this city, and Mr. Duval West, of San Antonio, returned Wednesday evening from the hunters' camp on the head of the Frio. They have our thanks for a nice piece of venison. Mr. West left Thursday morning for his home.

Dr. John Hons, of San Marcos, arrived in this city Tuesday evening and left Wednesday for Ft. Territt, where he had been called to attend a young man named Findlay, who sustained a serious injury by being thrown from his horse. James Thomas, the liveryman, accompanied the doctor on the trip.

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Thursday night. A small admission fee of ten cents will be charged. Don't miss it. In no other way could the same time be spent more pleasantly and profitably.

Kerrville Club.

At a business meeting of the Kerrville Club Tuesday evening the committee on by-laws made their report. The by-laws were approved by the meeting, and permanent organization was effected. The following officers were elected: J. M. Hamilton, president; D. S. Pitts, vice president; Charles Schreiner, Jr., secretary-treasurer. This is a laudable enterprise and should meet with the patronage and hearty support of all the citizens of Kerrville.

Notice to Tax Payers.

I will be at the following places on dates mentioned below to collect taxes:

- William Neunhoffer's, Monday, Nov. 27, 1899.
- Charles Weston's, Tuesday, Nov. 28, 1899.
- Centre Point, Wednesday, Nov. 29, 1899.

Ingram, Thursday, Nov. 30, 1899. Kerrville, Friday, Dec. 1, 1899. **JOHN W. VANN,** Tax Collector.

Thanksgiving.

To our customers: We have just received all and everything you want for it—cranberries, coconuts, mince meats, currants, seedless raisins, orange peel, lemon peel, glace citron, golden dates, London layer raisins. Our stock is complete.

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HOME NEWS.

Tales of Local Happenings Gathered in
by Our City Reporter.

Goods are arriving by the cart load at Smith's business block.

Mr. Baker, of Junction City, arrived in this city Wednesday evening and left Thursday for San Antonio.

Robert Bissett arrived in this city yesterday from Junction City, and will make his home with his parents here.

The Kerrville fire company will meet next Tuesday night. All members are requested to be sure to be present.

Miss Florence Galbraith, who has been visiting relatives at Ft. Worth, returned to her home in this city yesterday evening.

Jesse Clark, of Junction City arrived in Kerrville Thursday evening and left yesterday to visit his old home at San Antonio.

Rev. W. T. H. Miller, of Centre Point, went to San Antonio Wednesday to meet his mother, whom he had not seen for 14 years.

The basket supper, which was to have been given Thursday evening by the ladies of the Presbyterian church, was postponed on account of rain.

Professor Daggert, of San Antonio, came up Tuesday evening and returned Thursday. While here he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Enderle.

Bert C. Parsons, who has been at San Antonio for the past two weeks, serving as a juror in the Federal court, returned home Thursday evening.

Received--a Car of
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Greeley, Colo.,
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DIETERT BROS.

Mr. Jake Hornberger, of Austin, was in town Thursday. Mr. Hornberger is general agent for the Continental Fire Insurance company. While here he appointed A. Enderle local agent at this place.

Mr. H. Tremlett, a prominent farmer and stockman of Gillespie county, in conversation with a PAPER reporter the first of the week, said: "Wheat in this section is in better condition than for several years. The rain Sunday put an excellent season in the ground throughout this and adjoining counties, and the prospects for an abundant harvest next year are very flattering."

We wonder what Smith, the second hand man, will do next.

Judge Scott, who has been in San Antonio for several weeks, returned yesterday and will spend the winter in Kerrville.

The Kerrville Steam Laundry will call for laundry Tuesdays and Thursdays. All work delivered promptly and satisfaction guaranteed.

A telephone message received yesterday from Rock Springs stated that Col. A. M. Gilmer was resting better, and hope was still entertained of his recovery.

Mr. Burns, of Cuero, who has been out west on a prospecting tour, arrived in this city Thursday evening and spent the night at Cravey House. He left yesterday morning for his home.

The District Stewards' meeting of the Methodist church, which convened at Llano recently, appointed B. B. Lowrance, of this city, District secretary of the Epworth League for this district.

ANOTHER CAR

....OF....

GREELEY
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To arrive in a few days at

Chas. Schreiner Co's.

The Magazine club met last Saturday night at the home of President J. S. Gething. Notwithstanding the inclement weather there was a good attendance. Two interesting papers were read, and the usual amount of business was transacted.

Mr. Oscar Latta, a Texas Ranger from Junction City, accompanied by Mrs. Latta, came on the stage Thursday evening and registered at the Cravey House. The couple returned home yesterday.

Miss Maude Kane, of Ingram, who went to Boerne recently to take a position in the school, was obliged to return home on account of ill-health. The young lady arrived in this city Monday evening and spent the night at the home of her uncle, Col. A. M. Morriss, who took her to Ingram Tuesday.

Mr. H. Welge, Sr., and daughter, Miss Louise, arrived in this city Wednesday from their home in Gillespie county, and are the guests of Mr. Welge's sons, C. and H. Welge, of this city. Mr. Welge says that wheat is in fine condition in his section, and Sunday's rain put plenty of water in all the streams.

You can buy of Smith a \$200 surrey for \$75; in fine shape.

Mr. Ike M. Dyer, of Minden, La., is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. A. Smith, of this city.

Mrs. Gus Dietert and children left Tuesday for Del Rio, where they will make their future home.

C. C. Paine, manager of the Parlin & Orendorff Co.'s Centre Point house, was in this city Wednesday.

James Boekman, Frank Coleman and B. M. Hixson returned Tuesday from a brief hunting trip. While out the party succeeded in killing three deer and a turkey.

Grand Cake Walk and Dancing Carnival,

Benefit Kerrville Social club, Parsons hall, Kerrville, Tex., under management of Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Hall, assisted by Kerrville talent, Friday night, December 2.

Come and see the little children; each one is a star, for their little mistakes are enjoyed as much as their skill, and their costumes are all in keeping with the nations represented. See the graceful minuet, the Spanish castanets, the skipping rope, the lively tambourine dancing, Sailors' Hornpipe, the skirt dancing, the beautiful serpentine, and the Posmala dancing, closing with the great cake walk, headed by Prof. Eli Green and his well-known cake walkers; awarding of the cake, and a grand jubilee in a Georgia campmeeting.

This entertainment, with beautiful costumes, marches, dances and tableaux is a moving panorama of youth and beauty.

Secure your seats early and avoid the rush. Tickets on sale at Pampell's.

New Boots for Muddy Weather.

Just received—big shipment of boots and shoes at L. Welge's.

Bad "Nigger" Caught.

Friday night of last week, about 10 o'clock, Sheriff Vann received a telephone message from Ingram to the effect that Dowdy's store at that place had been robbed. He left at once in company with Deputy A. Cravey for the scene of the depredation. Arriving at Ingram, the officers took the thief's trail. They followed him continually from Friday night until Sunday night about 10 o'clock, when they located him at a cabin about fifteen miles this side of Austin, and arrested him. When they arrived at Johnson City they were joined by the only original Ben Jack Stubbs, sheriff of Blanco county, who was awaiting them with fresh horses. Mr. Stubbs remained with the posse until the arrest was made.

Returning with their prisoner the officers arrived in this city Tuesday evening and placed him in the bastille for safe keeping. The long chase was made without stopping, except to change horses, regardless of the hard rain that fell Saturday night and Sunday, and Messrs. Vann and Cravey deserve great credit for bringing the culprit to justice.

It now develops that this is

the negro who committed an assault to rape, near Junction City on Thursday of last week. He afterwards stole a horse and left the country, coming toward Kerrville. He beat the Junction City and Kerrville telephone wire in two with rocks in order to cut off communication. At Morriss Bros. Ranch on the head of the Guadalupe, in this county, he stole a fresh horse, came on to Ingram and broke into Dowdy's store as above stated.

The negro will be retained by the Kerr county authorities to answer to the charge of horse theft and robbery before being taken to Kimble county for trial.

Board of Directors.

At its regular meeting Tuesday night the Kerrville club elected the following directors: H. V. Wilson, H. Renschel, Bert Parsons, L. A. Schreiner, Charles Real, and Otto Dietert.

At the Churches.

Baptist Church—Services every first and third Sunday in each month. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; J. T. Bowman, Supt. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 8:30. Lecture by pastor and talks by the brethren.

J. S. ALLEN, Pastor.

Rev. Govett will preach at the Methodist church to-morrow at 11 a. m., and at night.

Services at St. Peters to-morrow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; also services on Thanksgiving day at 11 a. m. Collection in behalf of district missions.

W. W. Burnett.

C. J. Gillespie.

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