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Medina Local Notes.

(Regular Correspondence)

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Caton and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Caton have gone to San Marcos by auto. Emmett Caton, who has been attending school there, will return with them.

Mr. Sam Adams went to San Antonio Sunday to join his wife who is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Gentle. They will return the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Walter Mayfield is in Port Arthur, having been called there on account of the sickness of her son, Claude. We understand he is doing nicely.

Mrs. Kelly and daughter, Maude, went to Tarpley Saturday, returning Sunday.

Judge Harris was in Bandera last Friday.

Misses Minnie and Dora Scallorn and Mr. Raymond McHaney were in Center Point over Sunday attending the B. Y. P. U. rally.

Mr. Oscar King and family have moved to town and will occupy the Fred Akin house. We understand Mrs. King will put in a line of millinery, probably at the drug store.

Miss Maggie Tomlinson entertained a host of her young friends at a party at her home Saturday night.

Mrs. Harris entertained the Exchange Club Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton were in Kerrville one day last week.

The Baptist Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. S. E. Mayfield Saturday afternoon for their monthly missionary program.

Open house at the Opera House next Thursday night. The entire show will be free in order that all may get started on the first episode of the great movie serial, "The Iron Claw." Read this first episode, in this week's Advance and then go to see it in the moving pictures next Thursday night, March 30th.

Center Point Letter.

The protracted meeting at the Methodist church is still going on with much interest. Rev. J. H. Meredith, the pastor, is doing some excellent preaching and there is general revival in the community.

The Associational B. Y. P. U. convention was held here from Friday night till Sunday night. A number of visitors from Harper, Kerrville, Medina and Ingram were in attendance. There was preaching twice a day and an outlined program between. On Sunday afternoon the Center Point B. Y. P. U. gave a very interesting musical program which was attended by a full house.

Arrangements for the Center Point Summer Normal are about complete. The Executive Committee announce a change in the faculty, Prof. E. R. Dabney of Kerrville having been substituted for Prof. Chapman, as conductor of the Normal.

Parent-Teachers' Club.

Program of the Parent-Teachers' Club for Wednesday, April 12th, at the High School Auditorium will be as follows:

1. Prayer.
2. Music: Selection—Miss Ethel Williams.
3. Song: "America"—Club.
4. Business.
5. Home: The Basis of Moral, Social and Civic Uplift.
 - a. The Moral Phase—Rev. S. W. Kemerer.
 - b. The Social Phase—Mrs. T. A. Buckner.
 - c. The Civic Phase—Judge H. C. Geddie.
6. Solo: Miss Mary Robinson. Everybody cordially invited.

John H. Ward had the misfortune to lose another fine animal last week with lock-jaw. This was the last of his fine span of mares which always took the blue ribbon at the fairs. The other one was gored to death by a bull last year.

SOMETHING EXTRA

Starting next Thursday night, March 30, we present Pathe's Greatest Serial Story featuring that fearless girl, Miss Pearl White, in

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(Read the First Episode in this issue of the Advance.)

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High School Notes.

At a meeting of the new board of trustees held last Thursday night, Prof. E. R. Dabney was reinstated as teacher and promoted to the position of superintendent of the schools of Kerrville. An order was also passed at this meeting rescinding the order of the old board prohibiting the teachers from attending the meetings of the Parent-Teachers' Club and prohibiting the Club from holding their meetings in the school building, and the secretary of the new board was instructed to notify the Parent-Teachers' Club and the teachers that all restraining orders had been removed.

On Friday, another meeting of the new board was held, at which Prof. J. W. Overall of Center Point was elected as principal, and Miss Susan Moore as assistant, in the High School.

The faculty is now complete and everything pertaining to the school is said to be going along in the most agreeable and harmonious manner.

The new board also announces that the school will run the full nine months.

Baptist Ladies' Aid.

The regular monthly Missionary Meeting of the Aid was held at the beautiful home of Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon on Tuesday afternoon, there being nineteen members and seven visitors present. The program was both interesting and inspiring, the subject being, "Home Missions."

Mr. Lewis Moore favored the meeting with a splendid solo. The offering amounted to \$4.50. Our hostess served most delicious refreshments consisting of a salad course, cream and cake.

Doing Something for his Country

The following article appeared in an exchange the past week:

Temple, Texas.—The sum of \$25,000 has been set aside by H. C. Poe, president of the local National Bank, to assist the farmers who do not now own milk cows, to purchase one under approved conditions. Farmers who have advantage of this offer will be permitted to pay for them at a certain time or by installments from product of the animal.

Last year Mr. Poe financed 325 farm boys in purchasing one good thoroughbred sow, all of which money was repaid, and most of it before it was due, and this year aided farmers' wives and daughters in obtaining flocks of turkeys and chickens at practically no cost to them.

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Mr. Poe is doing a great work, and will start many boys and girls on the road to make an honest living. His plan to stock Bell County with good cows will at the same time afford a source of revenue to the farmers who, outside of this plan could not secure it.

Farmers' Institute.

The next regular meeting of the Kerr County Farmers' Institute will be held at Kerrville Court House, Saturday, April 1st, at 3 p. m.

Everybody interested is cordially invited to meet with us.

ARTHUR REAL, Pres.
MORITZ HOEKAMP, Secy.

"The Iron Claw" is the newest and best serial ever produced. See the girl without fear, Miss Pearl White, in this great picture.

Methodist Church Notes.

In response to the pastor's invitation last Sunday morning, thirty-three pledged their efforts to aid in the "Win One" movement during the next four weeks.

Several strangers were in the congregation last Sunday. Let every member make special effort to welcome strangers.

Beginning the first Sunday in April revival services will be conducted, led by the pastor. The presiding elder, the Rev. J. H. Grose-close, of San Antonio, will arrive Tuesday, April 4th, and will preach for several days. An earnest invitation is extended to the people of Kerrville to attend and assist in these special meetings.

The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. next Sunday. The fourth sermon in the series on "The Moral Nature of God" will be preached at night. The subject will be "What Does History Teach Concerning the Moral Nature of God?"

The Junior Epworth League indulged in a delightful "hike" along the river below town last Saturday afternoon, spent some pleasant hours in games and wading, and then proceeded to dispose of a delightful picnic supper, made more tempting by savory bacon broiled over a campfire. Mrs. Kemerer, the super-

tendent, was assisted by Mrs. Hamlyn and Mrs. Ewing. They all returned by the light of the moon.

The first of the series of "Endless Chain Teas" that the ladies are giving was given at the home of Mrs. C. W. Moore last Friday. Fifteen ladies responded to the invitation to be present. After a time of pleasant social intercourse, delicious refreshments were served and all pronounced this initial tea a success in every way. The silver offering at the close was liberal.

The Epworth League gave a "Measuring Party" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert C. Storms Friday night at which sixty-one persons were present. The program and decorations were entirely in line with St. Patrick's day. Each guest was measured and contributed three cents for each foot, and a half cent for each odd inch of their height. The proceeds amounted to \$10.56. Delicious refreshments were served.

Baptist Church Notes.

Rev. T. F. Huffman, pastor of the Harper Baptist church, preached last Sunday morning and Brother Robb at night, in the absence of the pastor. There will be the usual preaching services next Sunday, both morning and night.

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

The Kerrville Business Mens Club and Retail Merchants Association are the booster organizations for Kerrville and Kerr County. They are strictly non-partisan. If you are not already a member, you should enlist at once. Any reputable business or professional man of the city or county is eligible to membership. If you believe in progress you can't afford to stay out.

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THESE lovely, warm spring days make a fellow think of angle worms and hook and line. It's hard when a fellow can't gratify a longing like this.

THE Fredericksburg Standard is boosting for a new public school building and court house. It usually falls to the lot of the newspaper to do the most of the boosting and get most of the cussing.

BOWIE COUNTY, after being dry for six years, had another local option election last Saturday, brought on by the ants of course, and remains in the dry column by a majority of 1,223. At the last election the pros carried the county by only 237, and Texarkana gave a large wet majority. In Saturday's election, Texarkana and New London both went dry. Draw your own conclusions.

THE Bandera New Era reached our exchange table Saturday. J. F. Roche, formerly of Poteet, is the editor, and is to be congratulated on his first issue. It seems that the lapse of several months without a paper since the burning out of the old Enterprise, has created a real demand for a paper, as evidenced by the numerous ads. in the New Era. With the railroad prospects, the creamery, the ice plant, the new paper and other evidences of prosperity, it appears that a new era has really come upon Bandera and thus the name of the new publication is most appropriate.

THE Advance believes the people who pay taxes for the expense of government should have an opportunity to know how their money is expended. Every cent that is paid into the treasury of the county, the city and the school fund should be

accounted for in an itemized statement and published in some newspaper in the county at least once each year. Publicity cannot hurt any honest officer and will prevent the unjust criticism that is sometimes heard when these matters of public interest are kept within the lids of records which the larger majority of the people consider to be private and never see. The law requires that the state and county authorities make and publish statements of receipts and disbursements of public funds and it is our opinion that the same should apply to city and school funds.

Preaching Notice.

There will be preaching services in the Bandera Baptist church house next Lord's Day, March 26th, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and be with us.

Aif P. Robb, Missionary.

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Camp Verde Letter.

(Regular Correspondence)

We are sorry to report no rain yet. Some of our farmers say the small grain will go until the middle of April, and then make a good crop. Some of the old farmers of our community can recall the time "when things looked gloomier than they do now; when a rain made a wonderful change." We hope there is now a change near at hand.

Several Bandera people came over to the Masonic meeting Saturday night. Among them was Mr. Fletcher, County Clerk of Bandera Co.

Mrs. L. A. Rees left for San Antonio Sunday, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Baxter. Mrs. Rees will leave for California the last of this week, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Vining, for a few months' visit with her sons, Ernest and Dolph.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nowlin visit W. R. Edwards Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Coldwell is doing nicely at the present.

Mrs. Cowden, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Mardis of Center Point visited Mrs. Coldwell Monday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Geisler is reported quite ill this week. Dr. Jones of Comfort was called out to see her Monday afternoon.

E. G. Blatherwick and R. B. Ellis were Camp Verde callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Nowlin made a flying trip to Kerrville Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Witt were Camp Verde shoppers Tuesday.

P. H. Dozier was a Center Point visitor Tuesday.

Mr. Dakin of Comfort was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Boulware is visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Rees, in Center Point this week and attending the meeting.

John Aaron from near Kerrville, passed through here Tuesday en route to Bandera.

Rev. Potts filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Le Roy Potts, Mrs. Potts, Dan Possey and sister passed through here en route to the Medina dam for a few days' fishing.



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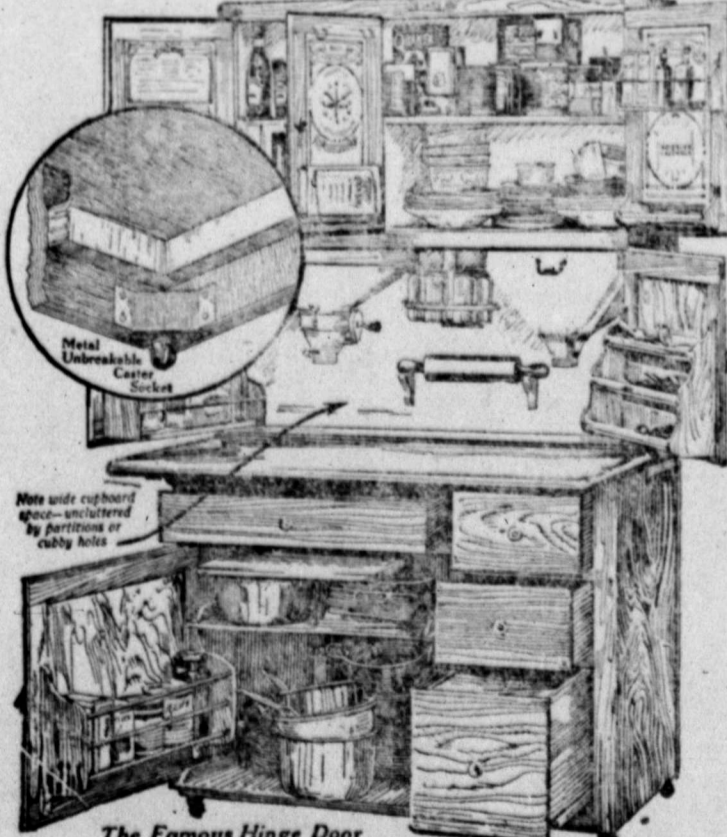
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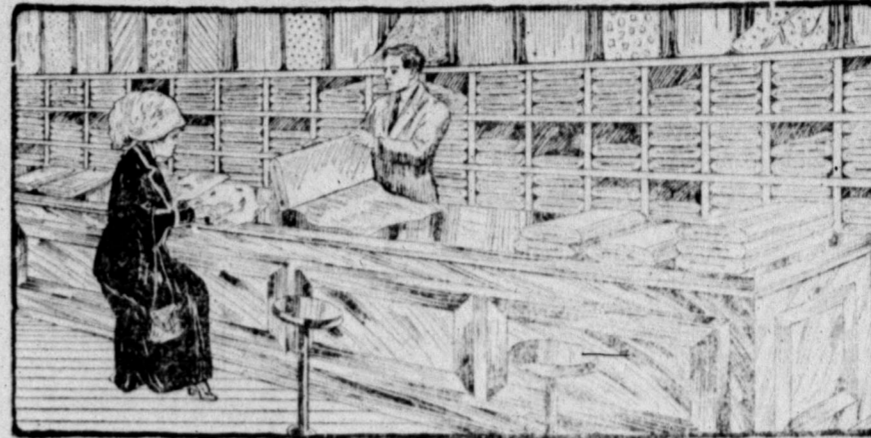
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gram will be held at the Baptist
church Sunday, March 26th, from
9:45 to 11 o'clock:
Prayer for World-wide Missions.
Hymn No. 231.
Introducing the Cause of the Pro-
gram—Superintendent and Classes.
Reading: Lewie Moore.
Duet: Miss McLendon and Miss
Leah Buckner.
What we can do to lead the whole
World to Serve and Worship God—
Mrs. Clapp.
Chorus: Children.
China: Harvey Deering.
Reading: Alice Moore.
Solo: Walter Buckner.
Japan: Mrs. Clyde Phelps.
Africa: Mrs. Robb.
Quartette: Children.
Italy, Mexico, Brazil: Chas. Butt.
Duet: Eva Mae Staudt, Gladys
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Love of Pleasure and Money;
Floyd Conwill.
Hymn No. 135.

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Reading: Mrs. Robert Phelps.
The Immigrants a Great Social
Problem and Work of H. M. B. with
Immigrants—Floyd Conwill.
Solo: Lewie Moore.
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