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Tivy High School Honor Roll

First Grade—All pupils in "A" Class High First, and Warren B. Rogers, Elice Pierce, Mabel Hopkins.

Second Grade—Addison Buckner, Lois Fawcett, Romeo Dabney, Ruth McCoy, Annie Saenger, Elbert Jacoby, Sallie Robbins, Roy Saucier, Tommie Lord, Chester Parsons, Ella Heinen, Eunice Smith, Valdes Wardlow, Genevieve Hagens, Ruby Grantham, Maryon Starkey, Ruby Coudroy.

Third Grade—Ruth Hicks, Ida Dell Hamilton, Lula Jacoby, Dovie Kirkland, Lucile McCoy, Dora Saenger, Lucille Taylor, Margaret Everhart, Lyla Mae Ferguson.

Fourth Grade—Milton Dietert, Charles Grona, Richard Albe, D. H. Comparette, Louis Potter, Suella Shumaker, Ella Cantwell, Ruth Mosty, Velma Spence, Eula Grantham, Annie Thorburn.

Fifth Grade—Bettie Burnett, Clara Kuykendall, Henry Smith, Ella Mae McRae, Charlie Horne, Bertha Morgan, Claire Williams, Minnie Dietert, Robert Hodges.

Sixth Grade—Mabel Moos, Lucy Word, Norma Walther, Leafy Anderson, Lois Spence, Douglas Cantwell, Louie Wilson, Charles Wesch, Lara Word, Bruce McGehee, Verna Sammons.

Seventh Grade—Lydia Raaz, Tyler Wilkinson, Clarence Mittanck, Mincola Moore, Rankin Starkey, Harris Newman, Polly Hamlyn, Jessie Riddle, Roy Smith.

Eighth Grade—Jewel Payne, Katie Redfield, Margaret Thorburn, Raymond Dabney, Ansel Major.

Ninth Grade—Mamie Heinan, Frith Everett.

Tenth Grade—Barney Klein, Lillian Sutton, Bonnie Hicks, Irma Roberts.

Lutheran Services.

Next preaching service will be held Sunday, May 14th. In the afternoon a meeting will take place to which every member and friend of the church is cordially invited.

Regular preaching Sundays are the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month. B. Schleifer, Pastor.

Bandera Masons Reorganize

Saturday April 29th was a notable day in the Masonic life of the Hill Country for that night the old Bandera Lodge (mother Lodge of the Hill Country) was reopened.

About thirty ardent Masons from Boerne, Center Point and Kerrville attended the meeting and a most enjoyable time was had.

On arriving they were treated to a splendid supper at the Langford Hotel to which they did good justice, the beautiful drive across the hills giving all fine appetites.

After supper all adjourned to the very tastefully furnished Masonic Hall over the bank where District Deputy Grand Master L. W. King of Boerne very impressively installed the following officers:

Henry Rackow, W. M.; W. R. Fletcher, S. W.; Mark McBryde, J. W.; Lee Risinger, Sec.; L. R. Landrum, S. D.; Joe Chism, J. D.; S. J. Rowe, Tyler.

Short talks on Masonry were then made by many of the brothers. Especially impressive were the remarks of Brethren L. A. Mosty, who has been a Mason for 43 years, and F. W. Dorow, also a Mason of many years standing.

It was truly a great pleasure to all who know Henry Rackow to see him presiding over a Lodge once more, and we foresee a useful and happy future for Bandera Lodge under his able leadership.

Before starting home coffee and cake were served and let me tell you the Bandera ladies are wonderful cake makers, they surely were excellent. After this mental and physical refreshment the visitors sped homewards and we certainly appreciate and thank our Bandera brethren for their cordial hospitality.

ONE OF THE VISITORS.

Lost—\$5.00 Reward.

Novajo blanket, lost Sunday afternoon, on Ingram road. \$5.00 reward for its return in first class condition to C. L. MASON, Kerrville, Texas.

Center Point Normal Authorized

The State Board of Education has authorized a Summer Normal at Center Point and approved the faculty, consisting of Prof. E. R. Dabney, Supt. of the Kerrville schools, Conductor; Prof. M. O. Bitt, Nixon Schools; Prof. V. Rumsey, Center Point Schools; Prof. J. W. Overall, Principal Kerrville High School, and Mrs. B. Mallory, Primary Dept. of Kerrville Schools.

The Normal will open June 7th and close July 27th. Everything points to a splendid normal and a good attendance. See ad. in this issue.

Automobile Register

No. 262, John H. Ward, Ford.
 No. 263, Kerrville Livery, Ford.
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 No. 265, Chas. Schreiner Co. Ford.
 No. 266, W. N. Hatch, Ford.
 No. 267, Henke Bros., Ford.
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 No. 271, Chas. Archar, Ford.
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 No. 272, T. C. Johnston, Studebaker.

Card of Thanks

We take pleasure in thanking those who rendered such faithful service to us in the hour of our trouble, the untimely death of Mr. C. B. Christian our brother-in-law at Greenville. May God bless you all, and may no sadness like this ever cross your pathway is our prayer. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moore.

Twenty Graduates This Year.

The present term of Tivy High School will close May 19. Commencement week will begin Monday, May 15. This year twenty splendid young people will receive their diplomas as graduates, as follows:

Lillian Sutton, Barney Klein, Bonnie Hicks, Floyd Conwill, Mary Brambella, Carl Mosty, Mary Horne, Mona Snodgrass, Clifford Payne, Lula McDonald, Louis Comparette, Irma Roberts, Chester Stapp, Ina Coleman, Sidney Deering, Leah Buckner, Helen Dietert, Rosita Holdsworth, Sam Sutton, David Robb.

Dunbar for County Judge.

In this issue we present the announcement of Judge R. A. Dunbar for the office of County Judge of Kerr County.

Judge Dunbar has been a citizen of Kerr county for about six years coming here from Hall county where he served as County Judge and Co. Attorney for six years and also had a good law practice. He graduated from the law department of the University of Texas in 1898.

At the present time he is secretary of the Kerrville Business Mens' Club and Retail Merchants Association. He is a splendid citizen and is no doubt well qualified for the position he seeks. Upon his qualifications and standing as a citizen he asks the consideration of the voters of Kerr county.

The parcel post enables country residents to trade with us by mail. When you need anything in the drug line, come in person, phone or write. Rock Drug Store.

More Teachers Elected.

At a meeting of the School Board last week Prof. G. C. Jones, Superintendent of the Bastrop Public Schools, was elected Superintendent of the Kerrville Public Schools for the next term. Prof. Jones visited Kerrville Friday and formally accepted the position. He comes highly recommended as a school man and high-toned gentleman.

Prof. E. R. Dabney was elected as Principal and Prof. J. L. Waller, of Marietta, Okla., as Assistant Principal.

The faculty is complete with the exception of two teachers in the Grammar School department.

For County Attorney.

Gilbert C. Storms announces in this issue for County Attorney of Kerr County. Mr. Storms has been actively practicing law at Kerrville for the past four years and is well acquainted with most of the people of the county. He graduated with a LL. B. degree from the law department of The University of Texas in 1906 and for six years practiced law in San Antonio before coming to Kerrville to make his home. He was born on Verde Creek in Kerr county thirty-two years ago. He is a self-made young man, having taught school and otherwise worked his way through the University. His father, Judge John R. Storms, was formerly District Attorney of this district.

Mr. Storms asks the support of the voters of Kerr county upon his qualifications and fitness for the office. If elected he promises to fill the office to the best of his ability and in conformity with the requirements of the law, and without considering friend or enemy in the performance of the duties of the office.

Bierschwale-Masters

Mr. Moses Bierschwale and Miss Maude Masters, two popular young people of the Harper community, were united in marriage at the court house yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. B. Riddle, pastor of the Kerrville Baptist Church, officiating.

Methodist Church Notes.

Children's Day will be observed next Sunday morning at the time of the morning services, 11 a. m.

Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a. m. for the regular study. Come and join in the lesson study.

There was a good attendance at the morning prayer and praise service last Wednesday at 10 o'clock. You are cordially invited to attend if you can spare one hour.

An interesting program is being prepared for the Children's day service by the Sunday school next Sunday.

The Epworth League was entertained by the Misses Cora Kirkland, Agnes Wilson and Ona Reinartz at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Storms last Friday night. A large number of young people attended and spent a delightful evening. This was but one of many evenings which have been rendered pleasant for the young folks by the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Storms, who are too young to grow old and too old to grow young. They are wise in their methods and genuine in their interest for our young people.

Baptist Church Notes.

Our Fifth Sunday meeting at Morris Ranch last week was a great success from first to last.

The churches of our association were pretty well represented and the people about the Ranch attended well. A good offering for Missions was made and eight persons joined the church there for baptism during this meeting.

We hope to have the regular services at the Baptist church next Sunday and as usual extend a cordial welcome to friends and strangers and all others to be with us. This pastor is expected to help in a meeting of days at Junction next week. As the custom we will have no morning sermon when the Commencement sermon is preached for our public school.

J. B. RIDDLE, Pastor.

Precinct Convention

Your attention is called the Democratic precinct convention to be held at the court house in Kerrville Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

J. M. Hamilton, Chairman.

Center Point Summer Normal.

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PROGRAM

Final Contest, Indians vs. Barbarians.

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, Saturday Night, May 6

- Indian Chorus, "Dead Leaves Amid the Corn."
- Declamation, "Appeal to the Romans." Earl Cantwell
- Piano Contest—
 (A) "Shepherd All and Maidens Fair," Leah Buckner.
 (B) "False—Arubescque," Lucile Palmer.
- Declamation Contest—
 (A) "Pro Patria," Leah Buckner.
 (B) "Ojstah," Laura Henke
- Gypsy Chorus, (a) "The Merry Zingarellas."
 (b) "Gypsy Birthday."
- Debate, "Resolved that Foreign Immigration to the U. S. Should Be Still Further Restricted."
 Affirmative—Milton Gold, Rosita Holdsworth
 Negative—Lillian Sutton, Eugene Everheart
- Chorus, (a) "Big Chief Not Afraid of His Lesson."
 (b) "My Wahco Maid."
- Decision of Judges.



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SODA EGG NOG

Beat up an egg with a teaspoonful of powdered sugar and add the contents of a half pint bottle of soda water of any desired flavor. Especially good with lemon soda or ginger ale. The entire egg may be used, or only the white of the egg, as preferred. A little lemon will improve it for some tastes.

Watch this space from week to week for directions for preparing other good home drinks.

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JITNEY SERVICE IN THE CITY

Trip Rates to Every Place where Cars can go. If you want to make a trip be sure to see us.

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KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Get the Habit of Drinking Hot Water Before Breakfast

Says we can't look or feel right with the system full of poisons.

Millions of folks bathe internally now instead of loading their system with drugs.

There are vast numbers of men and women who, immediately upon arising in the morning, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it.

People who feel good one day and badly the next, but who simply can not get feeling right are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any druggist or storekeeper.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so limestone phosphate and hot water act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.

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The SEA WOLF JACK LONDON

SYNOPSIS. Humphrey Van Weyden, critic and dilettante, finds himself aboard the sealing schooner Ghost, Captain Wolf Larsen, bound to Japan waters.

CHAPTER XXII—Continued. "He led a lusty, and he was not afraid of God's thunderbolts," Wolf Larsen was saying.

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Larsen's room. He was in the same position in which I had left him, and his head was rocking—almost writhing—from side to side.

"Anything I can do for you?" I asked. He made no reply at first, but on my repeating the question he answered.

"No, no; I'm all right. Leave me alone till morning."

"But as I turned to go I noted that his head had resumed its rocking motion. Maud was waiting patiently for me, and I took notice, with a thrill of joy of the queenly poise of her head and her glorious, calm eyes.

"Will you trust yourself to me for a journey of six hundred miles or so?" I asked.

"You mean—?" she asked, and I knew she had guessed aright.

"There is nothing left for us but the open boat."

"And make all haste," I added, as she turned toward her stateroom.

"The lazaretto was directly beneath the cabin, and opening the trapdoor in the floor and carrying a candle with me, I dropped down and began overhauling the ship's stores.

"We worked in silence. I helped myself also to blankets, mittens, oilskins caps, and such things, from the slop chest. It was no light adventure, this trusting ourselves in a small boat to so raw and stormy a sea, and it was imperative that we should guard ourselves against cold and wet.

"We worked feverishly at carrying our plunder on deck and depositing it amidstships, so feverishly that Maud, whose strength was hardly a positive quantity, had to give over, exhausted and sit on the steps at the break of the poop.

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there, willy-nilly, across the wide expanse of ocean. The high wind blew from the northwest for twenty-four hours, when it fell calm, and to the night sprang up from the south-west.

"This was dead in our teeth, but I took in the sea-anchor I had roughly made and set sail, hauling a course on the wind which took us in a south-easterly direction.

"In three hours—it was midnight, I well remember, and as dark as I had ever seen it on the sea—the wind, still blowing out of the southwest, rose furiously, and once again I was compelled to set the sea-anchor.

"Day broke and found me wan-eyed and the ocean lashed white, the boat pitching, almost on end, to its drag. We were in imminent danger of being swamped by the whitecaps.

"And make all haste," I added, as she turned toward her stateroom.

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Spring Colds Are the Worst

They lead to catarrh and pneumonia. They weaken the entire system and leave it unable to resist the sudden changes.

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Equality Developed Monotony of Type in Country's Second Epoch, Was His Assertion.

Prof. Max Farrand of Yale, lecturing on "American Traits" as developed in the epoch of 1812 to 1840, said at Lowell Institute recently, the Kansas City Star observes:

"Equality of status is, of course, not a characteristic, but a condition; yet it is a factor which has led to the development of important American traits. Here, where, if absolute equality did not exist, at least there was far greater equality than there was anything else; where, if there were not equality of opportunity for all, there was at least some opportunity for all, the European relationship of superior and inferior classes could not long continue.

"This meant, of course, a great stimulus to independence, and developed the people's self-reliance. Independence is one of the most conspicuous American traits, and it has been not without unpleasant manifestations. It has induced a lack of respect for authority and for elders, and the existence of equality has tended to a remarkable monotony among the people who developed these opportunities, till Carlyle could say: 'Americans have begotten, with a rapidity beyond recorded example, 3,000,000 of the greater boroers ever seen in the world before.'"

"Yet in contrast with this deadly equality, the existence of opportunity for all individuals also led to a strong individualism among Americans, giving each man a chance to develop what was in him. Hence our love for the self-made man, and hence the American devotion to leaders rather than to principles."

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Too much meat is just as bad as not enough. Such a diet is apt to load the blood with uric acid and to injure the kidneys. Bad backs, blue, nervous spells, dizziness, rheumatic pains, and bladder troubles indicate weak kidneys, foretell danger of gravel and Bright's disease. Don't neglect this condition. Use Doan's Kidney Pills.

A Texas Case

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New University President

The board of regents of the University of Texas Tuesday unanimously elected Dr. Robert Ernest Vinson, for the last eight years president of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Austin, permanent president of the University; effective July 1 next. Dr. Vinson is to succeed Dr. Dr. W. J. Battle, who has been acting president of the University since the resignation on Dec. 15 of Dr. S. E. Mezes, who is now president of the College of the City of New York.

Dr. Vinson was notified of his election by a committee of the board consisting of David Harrell, G. W. Littlefield and Dr. Battle, and he announced his acceptance.

Dr. Robert Ernest Vinson, elected president of the University, was born in Fairfield county, South Carolina, Nov. 4, 1876, the son of John and Mary Elizabeth Brice Vinson. He received the degree of bachelor of arts from Austin College, Sherman, Texas, in 1896, and the degree of bachelor of divinity from Union Theological Seminary in Virginia in 1899; studied law at the University of Chicago in 1892; received the degree of doctor of divinity from Austin College in 1905; received the degree of doctor of laws from Southwestern Presbyterian University in 1910. For 14 years Dr. Vinson has been a teacher in Austin Theological Seminary and for eight years past has been president of that institution.

The people of Kerrville received the news of Dr. Vinson's appointment with great joy and a considerable degree of pride as he became so closely associated with our people and our city's best interests during the past eleven years that he has

been spending his summer vacations here at the Westminster encampment that we almost feel that he is one of us.

EX-GOV. COLQUITT'S "goose is cooked" and he is a "dead duck," politically. It happened when he wrote to The German-American Alliance of New York to write letters to Germans in Texas asking them to support Colquitt for the U. S. Senate, and requesting that the letters be "confidential for reasons you can readily understand." The people of Texas "understand," too, and they want no confidential or outside help.

W. D. HORNADAY, of Austin, who writes for the San Antonio Express, and who keeps well posted on the political situation, predicts that Dr. S. P. Brooks will be the highest or next to the highest candidate for the U. S. Senate. Wherever he speaks there follow strong Brooks' Clubs from the best men in the community. Kerr County will give him a rousing vote.

Musical Program by B. Y. P. U.

The following program will be rendered Sunday, May 7th.
Hymn. Prayer by president.
Piano solo—Miss Newman.
Vocal Solo—Lewie Moore.
Piano Solo—David Robb.
Reading—Miss Winona Moore.
Vocal Duet—Mr. and Mrs. McCoy.
Violin and Piano Duet—Blanche and Clarence Enms.
Chorus—B. Y. P. U.
Vocal Solo—Walter Buckner.
Vocal Duet—Miss McClendon and Miss Verna Hicks.
Reading—Earl Cantwell.
Guitar Solo—Miss Buckner.
Reading—"Level Crossings."
Piano Solo—Miss Bonnie Hicks.
Chorus—B. Y. P. U.
Benediction—Pastor.
These musical programs are given quarterly. Everybody cordially invited.
Program begins promptly at 6:45.
Latest style no-leak Parker fountain pens. Kerrville Drug Co.

Announcement Column.

Our announcement rates will be the same as heretofore, as follows:
County offices \$5.00
Precinct " " 3.00
Strictly cash in advance.

For County Attorney
GILBERT C. STORMS.

For County Judge
R. A. DUNBAR.
SID REES.

For Tax Assessor
EMMET H. NICHOLS.

Bride-to-be Showered.

The members of the Order of the Eastern Star gave a reception on Saturday night at the Masonic Hall in Honor of Mrs. Etta Townes, a bride of the week. The Chapter endeavored to show its appreciation of one who had been a faithful member for the past ten years, by presenting the honor guest with a handsome set of silver knives and forks. A two course luncheon was served.

Woodmen Circle Notice

All members of Olive Grove 293 Woodmen Circle are requested to be present next regular meeting Monday May 8th. A pleasant surprise awaits you.
Lila Moore, Guardian.

For Rent—Two unfurnished rooms in rear of my office.
Gilbert C. Storms.

Recleaned cane seed, milo maize, Kaffir corn and feterita at
West Texas Supply Co.

BERT PARSONS
PLUMBING
Tank and Tin Work
Parsons Building
Phone 10

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Importance of Letter "E."

"E" is one of the most important letters in the alphabet. I want to call your attention to the fact that E is never in war and always in peace. It is the beginning of existence, the commencement of ease and the end of trouble. Without it there would be no meat, no life, no heaven. It is the center of honesty, makes love perfect, and without it there would be no editors, devils, or news. It is in our Faddles that are easy on your horse; in bridle that makes your horse proud, and in blankets of which we carry the best. It is in my name and the prices I make. It is in my Sanitary Buggies, the best in the land. Buy one and end your troubles.

E ————— E

J. E. PALMER
LOWRY BUILDING KERRVILLE, TEXAS

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ALWAYS BE CAREFUL

WHEN YOU BUY AN OIL STOVE

Be Sure You Buy a Clark Jewel



They are unexcelled in quality, design and finish. They are guaranteed to bake perfectly and be economical in the consumption of oil. When you want the best you will buy one. Let us tell you more about them.

PREPARED

We now have in a fine large shipment of 1916 CLARK JEWEL oil stoves. They have the same fine burner construction as last year. The burners are short and close to the top. The blue flame strikes the bottom of the vessel direct and gives quick results with little oil.

No More Sweating

"What are you going to in (or with) your kitchen this summer, Mary? Are you going to sweat over the old wood stove as you have done heretofore?"

"No, John, I am going down to the Fawcett Furniture Store and get myself one of those CLARK JEWEL oil stoves I hear everybody talking about. They save oil and time."

W. A. Fawcett & Co.

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DENTIST

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Res. Phone 219
Office Phone 237
KERRVILLE, TEXAS

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DENTIST

Office Opposite St. Charles
Office Phone 37
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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

Stockmen's Hand Made Boots

IS MY SPECIALTY
We are especially equipped to turn out the best work and do all kinds of leather repairing.
First Class Shoe Repairing and we do it promptly
J. Q. WHEELER
KERRVILLE, TEXAS

For Sale or Trade—My place of 130 acres on Guadalupe river between Center Point and Kerrville. 70 acres in cultivation. Good improvements. Apply to H. G. Edens, owner, R. R. 1, Kerrville, Texas.

Scholarship for Sale.

We have a \$50 scholarship in the Draughon Business College, San Antonio, which we will sell at a greatly reduced price. THE ADVANCE.

The Convenient Medicine Cabinet

The old saying, "a stitch in time saves nine" is certainly true in case of accidents and sudden illness. Every home should be equipped with a supply of "First Aid Remedies."

Prompt and intelligent action before the physician arrives often averts the serious results which are apt to follow accidents or sudden illness. Camphor, Quinine, Mustard, Ginger, Pure Witch Hazel, Arnica, Sweet Oil, Liniments, Salves, Dioxogen, Court Plasters, Cotton, Bandages, Etc., Etc., are among the items which should be kept constantly on hand. Let us fit up your cabinet with a supply of such goods and you will be prepared for any emergency.

ROCK DRUG STORE

MISS IDA PFEUFFER, Proprietor

Pennant Oil Stoves and Fireless Cooker Combined.

Short Burners, Close up to the Vessel. Burns only Kerosene Oil.

Make your cooking a pleasure during the hot summer time by buying one of these fine stoves. Call and let us show you the splendid advantages of the fireless cooker feature.

Other popular makes, both oil and gasoline stoves with from two to five burners, such as the Quickmeal gasoline range, etc.

Refrigerator Time is Here.

We have a full line of the best makes in stock of all sizes. Be sure to call and see our stock and get our prices.

Kerrville Furniture Co

E. S. PIERCE, Proprietor

WE KEEP IT FOR YOU

Choice brands which appeal to the appetites of particular people are carefully selected for our trade.

BERRY'S

PHONE 1-8-2
Groceries and Produce

Local Notes

Mrs. P. W. Berry was the guest of her sisters in San Antonio the latter part of last week.

Canned Rhubarb for pies.
C. C. Butt Grocery.

Mrs. A. Endeley returned Sunday from a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Endeley of San Antonio.

Fresh Butter, Eggs and Poultry.
BERRY'S.

PAMPELL'S OPERA HOUSE

W. C. BERGER, MGR.

Built Up to a Standard Not Down to a Price.

THURSDAY, MAY 4.

Pearl White, Creighton Hale and Sheldon Lewis
in
The Sixth Episode
of the greatest serial ever made,
"THE IRON CLAW."
Who is the Laughing Mask?
5 and 15c

FRIDAY, MAY 5.

Paramount Pictures Company
presents
The International Favorite,
FANNIE WARD,
in the greatest picture ever made,
"THE CHEAT."
10 and 20c

SATURDAY, MAY 6.

William Fox presents
RUTH BLAIR, and Clifford Bruce
in
A great Newspaper Story,
"THE FOURTH ESTATE."
10 and 20c.

MONDAY

World Film Corporation presents
a play of the Hill Country,
"THE HEART OF THE BLUE RIDGE."
5 and 15c

TUESDAY

Paramount Pictures Co. presents
MACLYN ARBUCKLE,
in a poetical Drama,
"THE REFORM CANDIDATE"
10 and 20c

When better pictures are made
we will show them.

Miss Kyle Wharton of Big Point
is visiting friends here this week.

Cow wanted to milk for her feed.
Apply at Advance office.

H. P. Wier of Beaumont visited
mother and sisters here last week.

Fresh shipment breakfast bacon
and hams at C. C. Butt Grocery.

Mrs. Geo. Morris and daughter
Miss Eugie Myer, were among the
visitors in San Antonio last week.

Why of course you can save money,
buy your shoes and dress goods
from
H. Noll Stock Co.

Bert Parsons has bought out the
interest of M. N. Baylor in the
plumbing and tinner business.

Club House salad dressing is the
best.
C. C. Butt Grocery.

Mrs. R. Galbraith left Tuesday to
visit her daughter at Austin.

20,000 tomato plants for sale at
25c per 100. See Henry Noll, Jr.

Attend the Normal at Center
Point, June 6 to July 27.

John Walker, R. G. Bierschwale
and J. W. Adams of Reservation
were here Saturday on School
business.

Our constant aim in business,
satisfied customers, or your money
back if not satisfied at
H. Noll Stock Co.

Judge R. A. Dunbar left today
for a few days visit to his brother
at Memphis, Texas.

Miss Emma Leinweber, Miss Saleta
Skinner and Clarence Leinweber
came down from the Divide Sunday
for a few days visit in town.

Viols, guitars, mandolins. Also
sheet music at
Kerrville Drug Co.

Mrs. J. D. Faulkner and son J. D.
Jr. met Miss Eloise Faulkner who
is attending the State University,
in San Antonio last week and all
took in the Fiesta.

Best tomato pulp for soup, 5 cents
a can at
C. C. Butt Grocery.

Howard Butt, Floyd Conwill, Louis
Comparette, John Hamilton, and
Clifford Payne went out to Morris
Ranch last Sunday to attend the
services of the Fifth Sunday meeting.

Miss Lynn Burnett returned Sunday
night from a pleasant visit
to her brother and family in San
Antonio.

Play Tennis and buy your Tennis
Shoes at the
West Texas Supply Co.

Mrs. T. B. Peterson, Mrs. J. T.
Moore, Mrs. Henry Staudt and Mrs.
R. A. Holland attended the woman's
Meeting at the Associational meet-
ing at Morris Ranch last Friday.

New lot of reels and all kinds of
of fishing tackle at
Kerrville Drug Co.

A first class Normal has been
recognized by the State Superinten-
dent for Center Point from June 6
to July 27.

Gus Sproul, Robt. Real and Pete
Lowrance of Live Oak were in town
Saturday in the interest of school
matters.

The best chick feed for little
chickens also for the big chickens
at
H. Noll Stock Co.

See our pretty line of stationery.
Good enough for anybody and the
latest styles. Kerrville Drug Co.

Sid Rees is one candidate who
needs no introduction to the people
of Kerr county. See his announce-
ment in the proper column.

Wilbur H. Deering has returned
from Webeville where he finished
his term of school a few days ago.

Use disinfectants now. We have
all the good ones.
Rock Drug Store.

T. A. Duderstadt, C. R. Eddins,
J. M. Webb, Frank Nelson, and M.
D. Henderson, representing the Sun-
set and White schools, were in the
city Saturday attending the School
meeting.

We have a good reason in boost-
ing our dress goods and shoe sales,
our bargain prices and good quality
will bring the customer back to
H. Noll Stock Co.

Elmer Deering who is a minister-
ial student in Baylor University
surprised his homefolks and friends
by paying Kerrville a visit from
Friday night till Sunday. Elmer is
making good at School just as he
has always done at home.

Palm Beach Suits cleaned and
pressed for 50c. Give us a trial.
Model Tailoring Co.

Miss Ida Pfeuffer of the Rock
Drug Store has gone on a visit to
her sister in Houston and will attend
the State Association of Pharmacists
while away. Mr. A. L. Plack of
San Antonio has charge of the store
during her absence.

Choctaw flour for bread. Rival
flour for cakes and pastry. We
guarantee best results or your
money back at
H. Noll Stock Co.

Have your clothes cleaned and
pressed by the Model Tailoring Co.

Build Good Homes



The word HOME should appeal to every one. Think of the pleasure and comfort of owning one of nice homes we build. In planning your future home see book of plans at our office.

HILLYER-DEUTSCH LUMBER COMPANY

Dealers in Building Material Hardware and Paint
R. NAGEL, Manager Near SAP Depot KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Mosel, Saenger & Co.

DEALERS IN
GENERAL MERCHANDISE
Cedar Logs, Posts, Etc.

Comfortable Camp Yard with water Free to All.

Clay St. Near R. R. Depot KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Fire And Tornado Insurance

Am representing Seven of the best and strongest
companies doing business, in Texas.

\$2,000,000 CAPITAL STOCK

Protect your homes, business, automobiles, cotton,
wool, etc. Country property also insured.

MAIN STREET, KERRVILLE, TEX. GILBERT C. STORMS

CAREY-IZED ROCK SALT
prevents waste
insures proper salting

The Ideal
Stock Salt

clean, refined, kiln-dried, compressed under
enormous hydraulic pressure. No waste—
will not crumble, scale—not effected by rain
—cannot be trampled into the ground by
stock

THE QUALITY OF ANY PRODUCT IS
EVIDENCED BY VOLUME OF SALES

A dealer-customer, tells the story better than we can tell it:
"The ton of Carey-ized Rock Salt you sent me in my car last
month gave such satisfaction I ordered a full car and it is going
fast. This is the best stock salt I have ever been able to get. It
gives perfect satisfaction—easily handled and absolutely no waste.
What the stockman like most is it does not make the tongue sore
and sticks to under all kinds of weather."—O. C. Downing,
Terling, Texas.

Carey-ized Sulphurized Rock Salt
Contains the proper amount of sulphur for
a blood purifier and tonic. It should be fed
at regular intervals to keep stock in prime
condition and perfect health.

GRAND SALINE SALT COMPANY,
Grand Saline, Texas.

FREE SALT Coupon Name..... P. O..... Stats.....
Grand Saline Salt Co., Grand Saline, Texas:
Dear Sirs—Send me a prepaid, free sample of—Carey-ized-Sul-
phurized Rock Salt.

For Sale by West Texas Supply Co., Kerrville

Attention Motorists

We wish to advise the motorists of our section that beginning Monday, May 1st, one of the finest mechanics obtainable was placed in charge of our Repair Shop. He is at your service at prevailing rates. We have selected this man from a large number of applicants. He can machine any part for a car, understands thoroughly all Starting and Lighting Systems, and we feel sure will merit your confidence. We are trying to give you the benefit of the best skill obtainable, and trust that our friends will take advantage of this opportunity and enable us to continue it in the future.

PHONE 154

LEE MASON & SON

PHONE 154

"THE UNIVERSAL GARAGE."

NOW TELLING THE NEIGHBORS

To Follow Her Example, When in Need of a Medicine, and They Have Profited by Her Advice.

Asheville, N. C.—Mrs. W. H. Rhoades, of R. F. D. No. 4, of this place, writes: "For five years after my marriage, I didn't have very good health. Every three months I suffered for several days. I had terrible pains in my abdomen and back. I tried various remedies and medicines, which gave me no relief.

"Seeing the testimonials in the Almanac I thought I would try Cardui. After taking the first one or two bottles, I began to feel better. I took it off and on for about four years. I improved all the time after I began to take Cardui.

"Cardui and Black-Draught both are fine medicines and I always advise my sick neighbors to take them and they have been improved or cured by following my advice. I would also advise all suffering women to take Cardui, for it brought about a permanent cure for me, and I always have it in the house. I am well and strong and have had good health in that respect since using that medicine."

Many ladies, who once suffered terrible pains, now do so no more, or at least are relieved of many of their troubles as a result of taking Cardui, the woman's tonic.

Try it. For sale by all druggists.

Peculiar Fertilizer in Tasmania.
Tasmania is a great farming and fruit country and there is a good local market for all the spent oil shale from the distilling retorts. The rock from which the oil has been taken sells at \$2 per ton for agricultural uses. The assays do not disclose any rich fertilizing matter in the spent shale, yet when it is pulverized and distributed over farming lands and garden soils it produces such wonderful results as to make the demand for it greater than the supply. It appears to act on the soil mechanically by aerating it and possibly, by condensing moisture from the atmosphere and transferring it to the crops. It is expected that the prices obtainable for the spent shale will eventually cover mining and retorting costs.—Dr. Arthur Selwyn-Brown, in The Engineering Magazine.

Free Concert.
"Hello!" said a voice at the other end of the phone. "Is that the night clerk?"
"Yes," replied that functionary.
"What can I do for you?"
"I want you to send somebody up and make that man in the next room stop snoring. I can't sleep a wink."
"What room are you in?" asked the clerk.

"No. 53. It's the man in No. 51 who is doing the snoring."
"But my dear sir," said the clerk, "do you realize that the man in No. 51 is Signor Squallorini, the famous tenor, and that we are not charging you a cent extra for the privilege of hearing him?"

It takes a woman's dearest friend to tell her things she doesn't want to hear.

The thing that worries a rich man is that some of his friends are richer.

GOOD REPORT
Doctor Proved Value of Postum.

Physicians know that good food and drink, properly selected, are of the utmost importance, not only for the relief of disease but to maintain health even when one is well.

A doctor writes, "I count it a pleasure to say a good word for Postum with which I have been enabled to relieve so many sufferers, and which I count, with its valued companion Grape-Nuts, one of the daily blessings."

"Coffee was banished from my own table some time ago and Postum used regularly in its place." (Coffee is injurious to many persons, because it contains the subtle, poisonous drug, caffeine.)

"I frequently find it necessary to instruct patients when they take Postum for the first time to be quite sure that it is properly made according to directions, then it has a clear, seal-brown color and a rich, snappy taste, as well as health giving qualities."

The above letter, received over ten years ago, is fully confirmed by a recent letter from the doctor, in which he says: "It is a pleasure to render a good report covering a product of which I am so enthusiastic a friend. 'I am using in my home your Postum Cereal in both its forms. And, what is more, I am having it used in the families of several patients in which there are children, and all unite in endorsing the fine qualities of your admirable product.'"

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms: Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c pkgs.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both forms are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

DAIRY

PREPARING A DAIRY HEIFER

Kindness and Gentle Handling Will Remedy Kicking Habit—Halter-break While Young.

You must have foresight in preparing the dairy heifer for her first milking period. If you handle the udder and teats so as to develop the udder, doing this at least twice a week for six or eight weeks before calving, the heifer will then be quiet and gentle and will not be afraid when her udder is touched after she has calved. Also her udder will be developed so that it will almost resemble a cow's udder.

It is natural for the cow to stand while being milked, consequently the heifer knows nothing about kicking until hurt or frightened into it. It is a good plan to halter-break a heifer when she is young, always being careful not to hurt or frighten her. If by accident anything should be done to cause the heifer to kick it is not the

part of wisdom to punish her for kicking.



A Young Jersey.

Kindness and gentle handling is the only remedy. If one lets his reasoning for the cause be based upon the principle that she never kicked until she was injured, the remedy will at once suggest itself. No cow was ever broken of kicking by striking with the stool or anything else. That practice only punishes the cow on her guard, and as one comes near her with the stool she uses nature's defense and kicks.

CLEANLINESS OF THE CHURN

Rinsing Out With Warm Water Will Remove Any Particles of Butter-milk Remaining in Wood.

After the butter is taken from the churn, the latter should be rinsed out with warm water, and the rinsing followed by a thorough washing with very hot water. The rinsing out with warm water will remove any butter-milk which may remain in the pores of the wood. The hot water will remove any fat which may be left in the churn.

It is never well to use soap powders on the interior of the churn, but the occasional use of a small amount of dairy washing powder or lime water is beneficial. To keep the churn sweet and free from odors and taints a small handful of lime placed in some water in the churn or in the last rinsing of the churn is very effective. It is very essential in good butter making to see that all apparatus used is absolutely clean and free from undesirable odors and taints, as these are quickly absorbed by the butter.

PROPER LOCATION FOR SILO

Huge Receptacles Should Be Placed as Near Animals to Be Fed as Possible to Save Labor.

Silos should be located close to the animals to be fed from them, according to the Oregon agricultural college plans.

They should not be inside the barn since they take up a good deal of room and may give off offensive odors that will taint the milk.

They would also be inconvenient to fill, and silos should be where they may most readily be refilled.

It requires about a quarter of a ton of ensilage daily to feed twelve cows each forty pounds a day, so that the silage should not have to be moved any farther than is necessary.

CONSTRUCTION OF PIT SILOS

Builders Must Be Careful About Plastering—Good Sand Is of Utmost Importance.

Builders of pit silos should be careful about the cement plastering. Make the plaster of one part good sand and 2½ parts Portland cement. In two coats, each about three-quarters of an inch thick.

Let the first set slightly before putting on the second. Keep it wet for a week. If the earth walls are dry to plaster on, wet them before plastering. Keep the plaster shaded for several days.

PROFITABLE TO FEED GRAIN ON PASTURE



Pigs at Weaning Time on Gowpeas.

(By R. C. ASHBY, Minnesota Experiment Station.)

"Corn for fat and pasture for pork," said a farmer. He meant that the pasture furnished exercise in gathering the green, succulent feed and by keeping the hogs healthy and vigorous, it put them in the best condition to make good gains from their grain feed.

It pays to feed grain on pasture, for pasture alone will do little more than keep up a pig's weight. A light to medium grain ration is usually most profitable. About two or three pounds of grain a day is a good ration for hogs weighing eighty to one hundred pounds. If you have scales, weigh your pigs occasionally and feed about three pounds of grain daily for each 100 pounds live weight of hogs.

Good rations for summer feeding are easily obtained. On clover, alfalfa or rape pasture, feed corn and a little skim milk. On blue-grass or timothy pasture feed three pounds of skim milk to each two pounds of corn. More milk would do no harm. If skim milk is not at hand it will pay to feed oil meal or tankage with the corn, where blue grass or timothy pasture is used about one part tankage to 11 parts corn, or one part oil meal to seven parts corn.

Give your hogs good pasture all summer. Give them a change of pasture frequently. Feed a liberal grain ration. Keep good, clean water accessible. Provide shade or wet wallows.

EFFECTS OF SERUM ON BUTCHERED HOGS



Sow and Litter of Pigs on Rape.

(By DAVID S. WHITE, Ohio State University.)

Anti-hog-cholera serum, unlike virus, does not multiply or increase in the body nor does it cause a general disease. Its elimination is very rapid, in the average case it is entirely eliminated in about six weeks. From a purely scientific standpoint, therefore, the meat of a hog, so treated, could be eaten any time, provided it was healthy when the serum was administered and showed no symptoms or indication of increased temperature at the time of slaughter.

However, the injection of serum into the tissues causes them to become discolored and, in some instances, especially if the serum is not pure, may lead to abscess formation. For these reasons it is customary to wait, in the average case, two weeks before allowing the hog treated with serum alone to be killed for human food. In this time usually little or no trace of the serum or its local effect upon the tissues is found at the point of injection.

A ruling of the United States department of agriculture provides that two weeks must elapse between the injection of the serum and the killing of the hog for food.

the magnitude of the loss. The eradication of weeds already established on the farm is a much discussed question at present, but little is said about preventing weeds from getting on the farm.

There are many natural agencies, such as wind, water, animals, etc., which cause the spread of weeds. There is still another manner in which weeds are brought on the farm; that is, by sowing seed which has mixed with it many weed seeds. A large percentage of the weeds is put on the farm by actually planting weed seeds with farm or garden crops.

In most cases a farmer sows weed seeds because he is not familiar with these weed seeds. Every farmer should be just as familiar with the bad weed seeds as he is with seeds of wheat, clover and timothy.

EXERCISE IS GOOD FOR THE STALLION

Animal Should Be Handled by Man Who Understands His Business Thoroughly.

(By C. W. McCAMPBELL, Secretary of Kansas Live Stock Registry Board.)
Stallions should be worked regularly provided the man who works them understands them and gives them proper care. A stallion should be broken to harness before he is two years old.

The man who breaks a stallion to harness, especially after the horse has reached maturity, must be a thorough horseman, not afraid, and yet able to handle the horse with consideration as well as firmness.

Remember that while the horse is big he usually is soft and cannot stand a lot of hard work at first. Give him only a few hours light work each day for several months. After he is hardened to it give him a full day's work except during breeding season when he may be worked half time.

MILLIONS LOST BY PESTIFEROUS WEEDS

One of Most Serious Problems Farmer Has to Deal With—How They Are Spread.

(By W. L. OSWALD, University of Minnesota.)
The weed problem is one of the most serious with which the farmer has to contend. Weeds cause an actual loss to the state of many million dollars every year. But few realize

CALOMEL SICKENS! IT SALIVATES! DON'T STAY BILIOUS, CONSTIPATED

I Guarantee "Dodson's Liver Tone" Will Give You the Best Liver and Bowel Cleansing You Ever Had—Don't Lose a Day's Work!

Calomel makes you sick; you lose a day's work. Calomel is quicksilver and it salivates; calomel injures your liver.

If you are bilious, feel lazy, sluggish and all knocked out, if your bowels are constipated and your head aches or stomach is sour, just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone instead of using sickening, salivating calomel. Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and your bowels regular. You will feel like working. You'll be cheerful; full of vigor and ambition.

Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal guarantee that it will clean your sluggish liver better than nasty calomel; it won't make you sick and you can eat anything you want without being salivated. Your druggist guarantees that each spoonful will straighten your bowels and will bring you up by morning or you can have your money back. Children gladly take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is pleasant tasting and doesn't gripe or cramp or make them sick.

I am selling millions of bottles of Dodson's Liver Tone to people who have found that this pleasant, vegetable liver medicine takes the place of dangerous calomel. Buy one bottle on my sound, reliable guarantee. Ask your druggist or storekeeper about me.

His Choice.
"Six days or six dollars," said the judge sternly.
"I'll take six dollars," said the prisoner. "I've got enough time on my hands as it is."

Important to Mothers.
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* in Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

Safety First.
"I'll let you into my scheme on the ground floor."
"Are there any exits?"

It's a short street that has no turn for the organ grinder.

COVETED BY ALL.
but possessed by few—a beautiful head of hair. If yours is streaked with gray, or is harsh and stiff, you can restore it to its former beauty and luster by using "La Creole" Hair Dressing. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

Vaudeville Novelty.
"She sings in a glass tank."
"Ah, a diving diva."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

RECIPE FOR DARKENING GRAY HAIR WITHOUT DYES.

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Peddling Peter shuffled to the bar of the country inn and ordered a glass of beer.

"Say, boss," he remarked, as the landlord served him, "d'you want to buy a patent, never-failing fly-killer?"

"How much?" was the reply.

"Well, guv'nor, if you perwidge me wi' a decent dinner, yer can have a full-sized bottle of my fly-killer for nothing."

The worthy innkeeper eventually agreed, and when the repast had been provided and consumed, he said briskly:

"Now, let's see this wonderful patent of yours."

Peddling Peter at once produced a small bottle from his pack and carefully uncorked it.

"All you 'ave to do," he explained, "is to 'old the aggrawlatin' hinese' between the finger and thumb, press 'im firmly unti' 'e opens 'is mouth, an' then drop 'in some of this poison."

"W'hy, gasped mine host, feebly, "if I had him between my fingers I could squeeze him to death straight away."

"Well," remarked Peddling Peter, as he departed, "o' course, that's a very good way, too."—London Tit-Bits.

Unusual Celerity.

A lady who had just received an interesting bit of news said to her little daughter:

"Marjorie, dear, suttie has a new baby, and now mamma is the baby's aunt, papa is the baby's uncle, and you are her little cousin."

"Well," said Marjorie, wonderingly, "wasn't that arranged quick?"—Houston Transcript.

Zeppelin Bombs.

Basing his calculation upon the data which were procured when the Z 4 made a descent at Luneville, France, in 1913, Aeronautics estimates that the maximum capacity of the modern Zeppelin for carrying high explosives is about 1½ tons, and that they cannot possibly carry the five tons which have been claimed for these ships of the air.

The same authority estimates that in crossing the 300 miles from the German base to the English coast a ton and a half of fuel is consumed, and that if a ton and a half of explosive is carried a static state of equilibrium will have been attained by the time the coast is reached, the lifting power thereafter being dependent upon the lifting planes. Explosive bombs carried by the Zeppelin weigh 185 pounds and the incendiary bombs about twenty pounds each.

Poor Percy.

At a dance Percival Claude was presented to a beautiful young girl from an adjoining town, and during the evening it was his great happiness to lead her out among the papier mache palms for ice cream and angel cake.

"And so," said the girl, in response to Percival's story of his life, "you have never married?"

"No," answered Percival, "I shall never marry until I meet a woman who is my direct opposite."

"That should not be hard," returned the pretty one with a faint smile.

"There are bright, intelligent girls in every part of the town."

Verbosé.

"Did De Boore have anything to say when the toastmaster called on him at the banquet?"

"No, and it took him nearly an hour to say it."

If you are not up and doing you will soon be down and done.

IMPORTANCE OF PRUNING FRUIT TREES



Elberta Peach Trees Pruned to Produce Open, Spreading Tops.

(By L. C. CORRETT)

The practical grower of trees and shrubs is frequently taken to task by the would-be tree protector because he cuts out branches which are neither broken nor dead, but are in a healthy, flourishing condition. The argument used by this critic is that in nature it is not necessary to cut out branches and otherwise mutilate trees; that, in order to allow the plant to assume its natural and normal form, no pruning should be done and that the use of the knife is detrimental to the best interests of the tree, and should therefore be discouraged.

The practical grower, however, knows too well the results which follow from this laissez faire method of handling trees in orchards, parks, and other ornamental plantations.

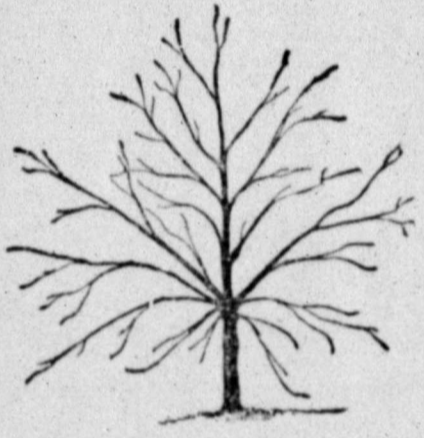
Under natural conditions plants grow thickly; one crowds upon the other, and in that way all superfluous individuals as well as branches are crowded out. Under artificial conditions there is no such force at work. Plants are placed at distances which prevent this natural pruning. The increased amount of food available to plants under artificial conditions frequently excites growth, so that the distance between the different whorls of branches, which naturally develop from near the end of the growth of each season, becomes great, thus giving the plant an open form and the appearance of having been built by stories. By a judicious use of the pruning knife the gardener shortens this annual growth, thus reducing the distance between the branches formed in successive years, with the result that the tree has a more compact and symmetrical form and therefore is better suited to serve the purpose of an orchard or ornamental tree.

With such plants as the peach, which bears its fruit upon the growth of the previous year, pruning is of great importance, as the grower can reduce the crop in proportion to the capacity of the tree. Successful fruit growers thoroughly understand the importance of gauging the quality of fruit allowed to be borne by a tree to the capacity of the tree, the ability of the tree in this respect being measured by the rate of growth, the variety, and the soil and climatic conditions to which it is subjected.

Pruning is of prime importance also in controlling the action of some of

During the early years of the growth of both of these plants care should be exercised to secure a proper distribution of the limbs which are to form the framework branches of the tree, particularly with the Japan plums and the sweet cherries, as both these species have the unfortunate habit of dividing into two shoots of nearly equal size with a close angle between, which always forms a weak joint. Trees not carefully pruned to overcome this bad habit are liable to severe injury from splitting when heavily loaded with fruit.

In the early period of the growth of both the Japan and American plums, as well as the sweet cherry, the annual growth will need more or less severe cutting back, depending upon soil and climatic conditions, in order to maintain them within



Sour Cherry Tree, Good Form.

bounds. On general principles this heading should be done just before growth starts in the spring.

The European plums (Prunus domestica) do well when trained after the general fashion of the peach. In general, however, the main trunk of the plum should be somewhat longer than that of the peach, in order that the work of jarring for the curculio may be facilitated if the orchard happens to be located where this operation is necessary.

The fruiting habits of the plum and the cherry are more closely allied to those of the apple and the pear than to the peach, and for that reason the shortening of the annual growth is of less moment with these plants than with the peach.

SMUDGE POTS WILL PROTECT THE TREES

Devices Are Used in Various Parts of Country—Oil Heaters Are Most Economical.

Smudge pots will protect the fruit trees in the spring. They are used in many parts of the country. There are 10 or more different kinds, with varying capacities from one to six gallons. With 50 one-gallon pots on an acre, about 12½ gallons of oil will be burned each hour. If the air is still, the heated area will be five degrees above the air outside. The initial investment for a ten-acre orchard will not be far from \$500. The cost of keeping up the fires will be about \$5 an acre each night.

Unless coal can be procured at a very low price, the oil heaters are the most economical.

One Ohio orchardist protected 15 acres of apple, pear and cherry trees by using four-foot dry oak wood. With three fires to the acre he kept the temperature at 33 degrees inside the orchard, while it was 25 degrees outside. He used a little less than one cord of wood to each of the three fires each night.

Packing Hatching Eggs.

In packing hatching eggs for shipment use great care to pack them firmly to avoid breakage. There are several styles of packing boxes which are cheap and serviceable. Lacking one of these, line a split market basket with excelsior, wrap each egg with a handful of excelsior, cover them with another layer of this material and then sew on a cloth cover.

Results From Ducks.

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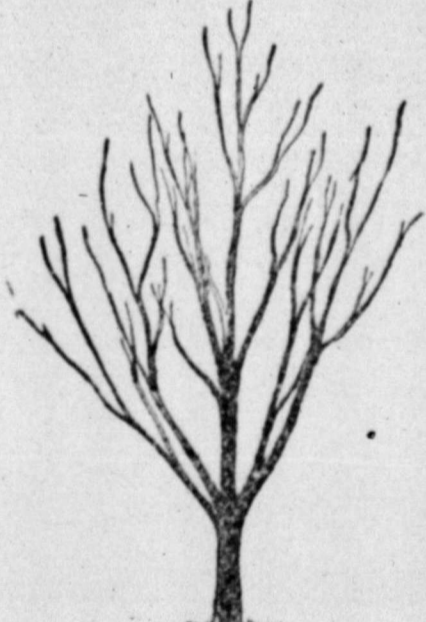
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The habit of the plum to bear early and abundantly under favorable conditions limits its annual growth to such an extent that after the bearing age is attained little annual pruning is necessary other than to remove dead or interfering limbs or to head back an occasional strong shoot which may appear from time to time in the center of the crown. The plum, as well as the cherry, has the annoying habit of occasionally producing strong stems from adventitious buds along the trunk of the tree or from near the surface of the ground. A close watch should be kept for such interlopers in order that they may be promptly removed.

Dressed Wife as Widow.

Realizing that he was dying, Karl Kellams, three days before his death, asked his wife to buy a black mourning dress and veil so that he could see her as she would appear at the funeral. To satisfy him, Mrs. Kellams dressed in mourning and stood at his bedside. Kellams had been sick of tuberculosis for some months. He recently returned from Phoenix, Ariz., where he had gone in the hope that the change in climate would benefit him.—Philadelphia Record.

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—Miss LUCAS FROELICHER, 1923 Manhattan St., North Side, Bellevue, Pa.

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The following is the program of the Epworth League for Sunday, May 7th.
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Topic: Consecration of Talents.
Song. Prayer.
Scripture Lesson: Matt. 25: 14-30.
Song.
Scripture References.
Talk: Architect, not Doctor—Mamie Subletr.
Talk: Public Schools and College Change—Lula McDoniel.
Talk: What are Our Talents?—Corra Kirkland.
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Talk: Developing Talents—Rev. Kemtr.
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