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SCENE ON GUADALUPE RIVER GIVING VIEW OF SECTION OF PROPOSED NEW A. & M. SITE

Locating Committee of A. & M. Coming Saturday

The locating committee of the new West Texas A. & M. College is expected to be in Kerrville Saturday to inspect our splendid site for the college. The personnel of the committee is as follows: Gov. Jas. E. Ferguson, Lieut. Governor W. P. Hobby, C. E. Fuller speaker of the House, Fred Davis Commissioner of Agriculture, and W. P. Doughty Supt. of Public Instruction.

At San Antonio the committee will be joined by a large delegation of business men who will come to boost for Kerrville. A special train has been arranged for the trip up from San Antonio, and it is expected that delegations will join them at Boerne, Comfort and Center Point.

Automobiles will meet the train at the proposed site near Herman Schulze's and escort the committee over the grounds and later bring them on into town where an elaborate luncheon will be prepared for them by the ladies of the Civic Club at Fawcett's Hall.

Japanese Luncheon

Miss Kate Renschel entertained several of her girl friends Monday afternoon at a five course luncheon, the occasion being in honor of Miss Bess Renschel's birthday. Beautiful Japanese card cases were given as favors, and the decorations consisted of Japanese dolls with rose kimonos and purple pansies. The place cards were hand painted Japanese scenes. There were present: Misses Marguerite Rummel, Elsie Johnston, Gussie Mae Brown, Kate Hamilton, Bess Renschel, Kate Renschel.

For Sale, or will trade for small farm, new 4-room bungalow house located in desirable part of Kerrville. M. S. Osborne.

Deputy Killed at Junction

Deputy Sheriff Ray James was killed while making an arrest last Saturday morning. A young man who claims to be a deserter from the army and gave his name as Harrison McAlester, of Troop C., First Cavalry, Texas National Guard, had been apprehended by Deputies James and Ragland on the road out four miles above Junction as he was coming in town on a chuck wagon. As he climbed off the wagon upon orders of Mr. James he pulled an automatic army pistol and fired, the ball striking the officer in the bowels from which he died a few hours later. McAlester was overpowered and taken to town and placed in jail. It was at first thought he was the same man who broke jail the night before at Rock Springs, but upon investigation it was found that he was not the man.

Ray James was 26 years old and leaves a wife and two children. He had been a peace officer in Junction for the past four years and was very popular.

Fire Truck Here

The new Ford Fire Truck has been received and rigged up for service. This truck was bought by the city and seems to be just the thing for quick and adequate fire protection. We understand Lee Mason & Son, the Ford salesmen, and Wm. Boeckman who furnishes the truck attachment, kindly donated their profits in order to help the city get this splendid equipment.

For Rent—Three rooms for light housekeeping; furnished or unfurnished. Apply to Mrs. Robb, phone 238 white.

Sad Death of Garrett Martin

Kerrville was greatly shocked last Sunday morning at about 11 o'clock to learn that Garrett Martin was dead from a gunshot wound, supposed to have been accidental. The particulars, so far as can ever be known were as follows:

Ben Smith and his negro boy helper went out to Mr. Martin's place about six miles up town creek taking some patent bee hives to transfer some bees for Mr. Martin into new hives. Mr. Martin and the two went to the apiary a short distance in the woods, the deceased taking his 32 rifle and remarking that he might kill some squirrels. After the hiving of the bees was well under progress and a period of waiting on them was reached, the deceased took his gun and stated he would go out and get the squirrels. Mr. Smith thinks only a minute had elapsed when the gun was fired out in the brush. It was thought he had really shot a squirrel and nothing wrong was suspected until some twenty minutes had elapsed and nothing more was heard or seen of him, when they became a little alarmed that he did not return. The negro boy made a little round in the brush and came back and reported that Mr. Martin was lying down out there. It was then that Mr. Smith at once went and found him dead. There was a bullet hole through his forehead, entering above the right temple and ranging a little backward and coming out on the other side a little higher and above the left ear. The gun with one empty shell in the barrel was lying about five feet away.

It is supposed he stumbled over some scrubby brush whas was plentiful near him, and he met his death by one of those mysterious accidents that can never be explained. Deceased was about 38 years of age and leaves a devoted wife and two small children. He came to Kerrville from Arkansas some fifteen years ago and was married eight years ago to Miss Amelia Eckstein. He was a good, hard working citizen and had made many friends here during the time he had made this his home. For a number of years he conducted a dairy and sold milk and butter to the town people.

The body will be shipped back to his old home at Sulphur Rock, Ark., for burial.

Baseball

The Kerrville Athletics have played seven games this season and have won every one. On last Sunday they defeated the Fraternal Brotherhood team of San Antonio. Next Sunday they will play the XXX Pearls which is the champion team of the Alamo City, the game to be played on the home diamond.

E. H. Turner informs us that he has enrolled 17 new members in the Modern Woodmen of America within the past ten days. Special deputy Sanderlin of San Antonio was here several days assisting him.

CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP NOW

There is no need to go into arguments in favor of a clean community. No right-minded citizen wants to live in a place which is not clean and sanitary. A clean town insures health, health brings happiness and prosperity. The trouble is that many of us live in dirty, unsanitary towns, and either do not know it or are indifferent. Even the fact that we cannot keep ourselves personally clean or our houses clean unless the city as a whole is in a sanitary condition, fails to drive home our responsibility. This is where the clean up campaign justifies itself. It makes dirt apparent. It makes each citizen responsible. It makes cleanliness contagious. There is a saying: "If you want to keep a man out of the mud, black his boots." The clean up campaign acts as a community hootblackening.

One of our magazines has been interested in promoting year-round clean-up campaigns, and to further this cause has been offering prizes for letters on the subject. One small boy concluded his letter as follows: "When a fellow has a clean home and a clean yard and clean parents, it seems as if all the dirt there is stares him in the face; anyway he always sees dirt and disorder when there is any." That is more than half the battle, to see the dirt and disorder and to have it make one uncomfortable.

For a number of years sometime in April or May clean-up campaigns have had an annual sporadic appearance in towns and cities throughout the country. It is only recently that municipal housecleaning has become a national spring fashion. It can truthfully be termed a national fashion for it is estimated that last spring 2,500 cities and towns conducted their own campaigns against dirt and filth. This year more than 6,000 communities will be at it. In some states the fashion is dignified by a governor's proclamation, setting aside a day or a week for the ceremony. In some places the mayor issues a proclamation calling the citizens to brooms, shovels, and paint brushes upon a given date. There is no doubt that the sanction of a governor or a mayor produces a campaign which bears the best results. But many a commercial or civic club, woman's club or art society has put a city or village through a cleansing process which has left it more attractive and self respecting than it ever was before.

It really makes little difference who takes the initiative, but it is of great importance that everyone in the town should become vitally interested not only in making the place clean on a certain date but in keeping it so for all time.

Recipes for model campaigns have appeared upon the market in surprising numbers. There have been campaigns for an isolated farm, for a small town or village, for cities small and large. In describing a model campaign, it is impossible to find one that will be applicable to all conditions. In every case the general directions must be made to fit local needs.

At the outset it is only fair to recognize the fact that the majority of citizens too often expect officials to keep the town clean while the public is absolutely lacking in individual responsibility.

At first sight it might seem that a clean up and paint up campaign is conducted chiefly as a benefit performance for the hardware, paint, and lumber trades. A little thought will show that to produce cleaner surroundings both inside and outside the home, not only tradesmen of all kinds but every citizen of the town is incalculably benefited.—E. S. Koelker.

Baptist Church Notes.

I call the attention of the public again to the announcement made last week that Rev. B. G. Holloway, "Enlistment Evangelist" of our State Executive Board, is to be here and help us in a protracted meeting beginning fourth Sunday in June. He has with him a splendid singer, and I feel sure if you will hear them once you will hear them again. A call comes ringing from our leader, President Wilson, for volunteers, and as it does, a call comes from a greater than our President for every loyal soldier to enlist for our King, Jesus Christ. Do not wait for conscription, but sign up for the great war of right against wrong.

We are to have services in all departments of our work next Sunday at the usual hours. Come and worship with us.

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Letter from Carroll Byas

Norfolk, Va., May 20.

My Dear Homefolks:

I write to let you know how they are moving me about. I thought when I last wrote that I would stay at Boston for some time but you can't tell what they are going to do in the Navy, changes are coming so rapidly. I was drafted out the next day after I wrote you and was sent to Norfolk. I went by rail from Boston to Providence and there took boat for New York. After laying over five hours I took another boat for Norfolk. Tomorrow morning I leave for Yorktown about twenty miles from here. There I will board the Battleship Texas where I will make my home for a while. I suppose I will soon be on the high seas. A bunch of coast artillerymen came on the boat with us from New York and we had a fine time. Well, I guess I may get to take a trip to Europe. I am still satisfied with the life in the Navy. I expect to live a clean life and I want you all to pray for me that I may make something of myself and that I may some time return safely home. Don't answer until I write again. Excuse writing as I just have a box in my lap to write on, and it is very difficult.

Yours with love to all,

Carroll Byas.

Civic Club Notes

The Kerrville Civic League will not have its regular Meeting on June 9th on account of the Banquet given by the Business Men's Club under the auspices of the Civic League on that date. The next meeting will be held on June 23. Watch for date of our next, cleanup day, and we earnestly urge that every one do what they can towards beautifying their homes and making the town attractive.—Press Com.

Lange-Reinartz

On last Sunday at the home of the bride in this city, Miss Ona Reinartz was married to Mr. E. F. Lange of Mason, Judge E. H. Turner officiating. Both are popular young people and their many friends will join us in extending them good wishes.

Special Recruiting Officer Frank Bannister of the U. S. Army was here Tuesday, and three of our young men enlisted for service and left on the same day for San Antonio, as follows: Tate Hodges, Ernest Biehler, and Floyd Strong.

Mrs. M. E. Williams had as her guests last week Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Logan, Miss Katie Logan, Billie Boy Logan and Tom Cody, all of San Angelo.

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It appears the alarmist and pessimist have had no effect in retarding the progress or prosperity of Kerrville. Business continues up to the usual standard, and there is more building going on here than for a long while. Prospects are splendid for a larger number of summer tourists than ever before, and our hotels and boarding houses are getting ready to entertain them.

There is a question in going into this war that is of vastly greater importance than raising food and feed and supplying money and ammunition for the fighters on the front. Never before has the world so forcibly recognized the need of protecting our young men in the army from the physical and moral degradation that comes from indulging in strong drink and the vices that follow in the wake of the liquor traffic. The nations abroad have all felt the necessity of protecting their soldiers from these evils and in America we are coming to our senses along this line. The best writers of the country in the magazines are advocating wartime prohibition, and most of the daily papers favor it, but we have a few dailies and some little two-by-four "weaklies" that are run for purely selfish purposes and political pull in

certain localities which decry the very mention of prohibition in this time of war. They say we ought to let the liquor question rest now and pay all our attention to enlistment and preparedness along other lines. They forget that good moral character and temperate habits are the first requirements of a soldier upon enlistment, and these are the greatest essentials when he gets on the battle line. The recent law making it a heavy penalty to sell liquor in any form to a soldier or an officer is a good one. We suppose our contemporaries of the extra wet persuasion will fall out with the government over this as they have with the papers who have advocated such measures. When Congress passes the law prohibiting the manufacture of beer and liquor from foodstuff the matter will be closed and closed to stay.

Local Option Elections

The Anti-Saloon Headquarters of Texas has sent us from Austin the following statement for publication: "The 35th Legislature altho expressly commanded to do so, refused to obey the will of the people, and submit for their adoption, the prohibition of the Liquor traffic in Texas. Had they done so, there is no doubt that an overwhelming majority would have been recorded against the Saloon. The saloons and breweries knew this, and so did their friend, the Legislature. Fortified by the determination of a righteously indignant people—we can yet redeem our State from the grasp of liquorism, by voting it dry through local option. At a conference of prohibitionists it was unanimously decided to designate Saturday July 14th next, as field day to make Texas dry by speedy and simultaneous elections, in all Counties, Commissioners, and Justice precincts, School Districts, Cities or Towns which are now wet. For the purpose of ordering such elections, and to discuss ways and means to get rid of the liquor saloon, I call on the Prohibitionists to

meet in Mass at the Court House in all wet or partially wet Counties in the State at 2 P. M. Saturday July 14, 1917."

Mrs. P. J. Domingues and daughter, Alice, and Helena Brown went to San Antonio the latter part of last week to attend the commencement exercises at St. Louis College of which Louis and Francis Domingues were students the past term.

Leslie Beasley came in Friday to meet his brother who has just finished school at Whittis in Austin. Howard B. Granberry, Jr. of Austin accompanied him home and will spend a couple of weeks visiting on the ranch.

Lee Mason & Son report Ford sales since our last issue to Rev. J. B. Riddle, Nic Hagens, C. W. Moore, Chas Heinen and fire truck to city of Kerrville.

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Payne Williamson and Gerald Wither who have for the past two years been students at the Galveston Medical University returned home Monday having completed the course and secured their diplomas as pharmacists.

Ring phone No. 117 and tell us the news. We are paying rent on a phone for this very purpose. Who were your visitors from a distance the past week? Did you go away or did some of your family go away on a visit? What do you know anyway, that would be new?

Ex-Senator Julius Real went to Austin last week and laid before the locating committee Kerrville's application for the West Texas A. & M. College. He thinks he made as good or better showing than any of the many other places wanting the college.



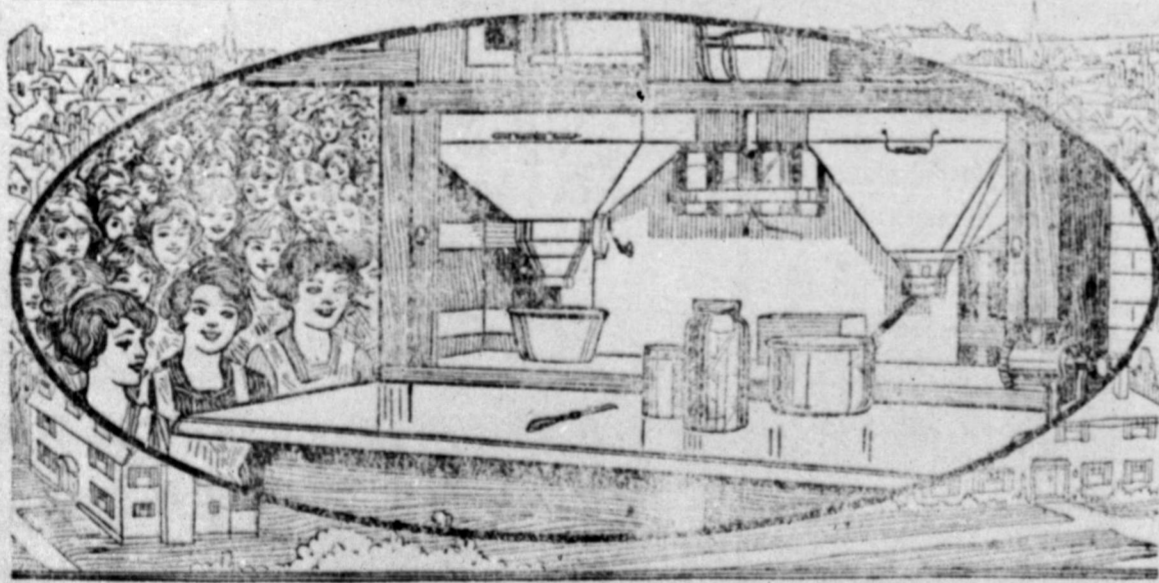
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Catholic Church Notes

(By Father Kemper)
Now that Our Lady of Guadalupe School has closed, Rev. Dr. McKeon will be free to read mass at St. Mary's Church at 7:30 A. M. except this Thursday, which is the feast of Corpus Christi. Father Kemper will celebrate the sacrifice of the altar at 6:30 A. M., and will sing a High Mass Thursday at 7:15 A. M.

Miss Thelma Redmon was married to Mr. Wm. H. Gaines on Sunday at the home of her brother-in-law, V. J. McAteer, editor of the Comfort News.

The Mexican students displayed a magnificent assortment of fancy work and drawings at their school. Beautiful needle-craft was exhibited by girls from five to nineteen years of age. The Notre Dame pupils enjoyed a basket picnic on Thursday. It was a great pleasure for the scholars to welcome a member of our first faculty, Sr. Dympna, and also Sr. Mary Loretto.

Miss Angeline Kemper motored to San Antonio on Tuesday to attend a meeting of the daughters of Isabella relative to their vacation camp. For a similar mission she toured in her Buick to Medina Lake on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Enderle have as their guests this week their sons, L. A. Enderle and family of San Antonio and Lester Enderle and family of Fredericksburg.

Church notices, lodge notices, programs, etc. which are run as free matter must be in this office by Tuesday noon. We close our forms Wednesday afternoon and cannot set up everything in one day.

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DISEASE AND DIRT ARE TWINS

Filth in Streets May Cause Your Death, So Help as Much as You Can to Clean Town.

See That the Children Wash Hands and Face Before Eating—and Fight Flies, for They're Pestilent.

By DR. A. S. BARNES.

Dirt and disease are apt to go together, but until lately no one knew why. Today we know that dirt and disease often are closely connected, because dirt generally is not merely dead earth, but rather a kind of living earth, crowded with unseen and almost countless germs of microbes some of which are dangerous, and even deadly.

Dirty streets are dangerous because the dirt in this case may cling to shoes or other articles of footwear and be carried from the streets into houses where, either as fresh dirt or more often as dry dirt (dust), it may find its way to foods or other articles, which either enter or touch the mouths of members of the household.

Street dust also is dangerous when dried up or pulverized or turned into dust which may be readily lifted and blown about. Thus finding its way perhaps directly into the mouths of human beings or through cracks or crevices or open doors and windows into human habitations, and finally into human bodies, with articles of food or drink.

Dust Causes Many Diseases.

The connection between street dust and a number of diseases now is clearly established. It is claimed that out of 46 experiments on animals, the germs contained in city and dust caused infectious diseases in 32 cases.

Dust may so lower the vitality of the mucous membranes by producing an irritated condition of the respiratory organs that the development of disease is made easy from the germs deposited thereon.

Street dust consists of ashes ground-up steel, iron, stone and asphaltum; house and store sweepings; pollens of plants; excrements of horses, dogs and birds, dried spores, dead pulverized insects, pulverized earth, plaster and cement, earth from street excavations, soot from chimneys and even human excrements, which is crowded regions frequently are voided by children or adults in alleys and ill-lighted streets.

This filth is being whirled into our faces by the wind, by motor and auto cars and other vehicles, while we stand or drive; into our homes, offices, factories, theaters, churches and stores where meats, fish, fruit, vegetable, breadstuffs, cake, pastry, candies, confectionery, etc. form a final resting place for this germ-laden filth. It also settles on walls, carpets, curtains, clothes, and then is set freshly into circulation with each and every dusting and sweeping.

Germs Plentiful in Food.

It is still easier to understand why water which contains dirt or excreta may be very dangerous, because in no way are the germs of disease more readily taken into the human body than with food and drink.

Dirty milk is dangerous because the dirt most often found in milk is manure or else dirt from dirty barns or dirty pens, or dirty milkmen who have handled the milk with dirty hands. Dirty hands are dangerous as human hands so very readily almost everywhere, and thus only too easily, become dirty—children, for example, have soiled their hands, may perhaps the next minute put their fingers upon their faces or into their mouths, and thus carry dirt, and with that the germs of disease directly into the body itself. Frequent washing of the hands is a great sanitary safeguard.

Keep Streets Clean.

This dirt menace and nuisance is preventable not only in the streets, but likewise in our living and working places. Much house dust pollution may be avoided if the original street dust were removed or allayed.

The remedy for abating street dust in cities is thorough flushing of streets with large amounts of water. In order to make street sprinkling effective it either should be sufficiently abundant to wash the dirt away into the sewers, or if moderate amounts of water are used, then it becomes imperative to put in the water some suitable disinfectant.

Small towns should clean streets of loose dirt, pack undersoil with roller and oil carefully with heavy oil.

With a better insight into the dangers from dust, a real live interest is awakening. Education has been telling, methods are improving, the public has awakened to the dangers from dust and filth. Every person should do his part to assist in the eradication of disease from these dangerous sources.

Dust then is not by any means or in the main a mere nuisance and source of public discomfort, but performs a menace and direct public danger of deadly potentiality.

SHE'LL MAKE A GOOD JOB OF IT, TOO!



Medina Local Notes.

(Regular Correspondence)

Mrs. Judith Baker and two children accompanied by Lenna Coulter, left for Port Arthur Saturday for several weeks visit with relatives.

Miss Maggie Scallorn who has been in Kerrville the past month came home Saturday.

The Center Point boys played the Medina ball team a very interesting game of ball Saturday which resulted 4 to 1 in favor of Center Point.

Mr. McHaney died very suddenly Thursday night of heart failure. We extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris made a business trip to Bandera Friday.

Dr. Adams has recently installed a beautiful new self playing piano in his home.

Rev. Childers filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning. Children's day exercises were held at night.

Mrs. J. E. Browning entertained the Exchange Club Thursday afternoon, and a pleasant time was spent.

Mr. Buddie Coose and Miss Jessie Phillips were married last week at Lima.

Little J. C. the small son of Mrs. Dot Pate died Sunday morning after a brief illness. The community extends its deepest sympathy in this dark hour.

Camp Verde Letter.

(Regular Correspondence)

Mrs. Lillie Holland who has been visiting her mother Mrs. H. B. Edens the past two weeks went down to Comfort Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Beulah Nichols.

J. A. Rouse and wife were business visitors to Comfort Friday.

Mac Dazier, wife and daughter, Miss Laura, came in Thursday from Garden City. Mrs. Dozier and Miss Laura left Friday for Corpus Christi where her mother is very ill. Mr. Dozier returned to Garden City Monday.

Mrs. Chester Dickey's baby who was quite sick last week is reported better at present.

A. D. McBryde was a business visitor to Bandera Friday.

Roy Nowlin finished rounding up his cattle Friday and moved them to his ranch Saturday.

Preston McFarland was a Verde caller Friday. We understand he expects to move to Mr. Fred Vaughn's place formerly owned by Arthur Edwards.

Bro. Meredith filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

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certain localities which decry the very mention of prohibition in this time of war. They say we ought to let the liquor question rest now and pay all our attention to enlistment and preparedness along other lines. They forget that good moral character and temperate habits are the first requirements of a soldier upon enlistment, and these are the greatest essentials when he gets on the battle line. The recent law making it a heavy penalty to sell liquor in any form to a soldier or an officer is a good one. We suppose our contemporaries of the extra wet persuasion will fall out with the government over this as they have with the papers who have advocated such measures. When Congress passes the law prohibiting the manufacture of beer and liquor from foodstuff the matter will be closed and closed to stay.

Local Option Elections

The Anti-Saloon Headquarters of Texas has sent us from Austin the following statement for publication:

"The 35th Legislature altho expressly commanded to do so, refused to obey the will of the people, and submit for their adoption, the prohibition of the Liquor traffic in Texas. Had they done so, there is no doubt that an overwhelming majority would have been recorded against the Saloon. The saloons and brewers knew this, and so did their friend, the Legislature. Fortified by the determination of a righteously indignant people—we can yet redeem our State from the grasp of liquorism, by voting it dry through local option.

At a conference of prohibitionists it was unanimously decided to designate Saturday July 14th next, as field day to make Texas dry by speedy and simultaneous elections, in all Counties, Commissioners, and Justice precincts, School Districts, Cities or Towns which are now wet. For the purpose of ordering such elections, and to discuss ways and means to get rid of the liquor saloon, I call on the Prohibitionists to

meet in Mass. at the Court House in all wet or partially wet Counties in the State at 2 P. M. Saturday July 14, 1917."

Mrs. P. J. Domingues and daughter, Alice, and Helena Brown went to San Antonio the latter part of last week to attend the commencement exercises at St. Louis College of which Louis and Francis Domingues were students the past term.

Leslie Beasley came in Friday to meet his brother who has just finished school at Whitis in Austin. Howard B. Granberry, Jr. of Austin accompanied him home and will spend a couple of weeks visiting on the ranch.

Lee Mason & Son report Ford sales since our last issue to Rev. J. B. Riddle, Nic Hagens, C. W. Moore, Chas Heinep and fire truck to city of Kerrville.

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Payne Williamson and Gerald Walther who have for the past two years been students at the Galveston Medical University returned home Monday having completed the course and secured their diplomas as pharmacists.

Ring phone No. 117 and tell us the news. We are paying rent on a phone for this very purpose. Why were your visitors from a distance the past week? Did you go away or did some of your family go away on a visit? What do you know anyway, that would be new?

Ex-Senator Julius Real went to Austin last week and laid before the locating committee Kerrville's application for the West Texas A. & M. College. He thinks he made as good or better showing than any of the many other places wanting the college.



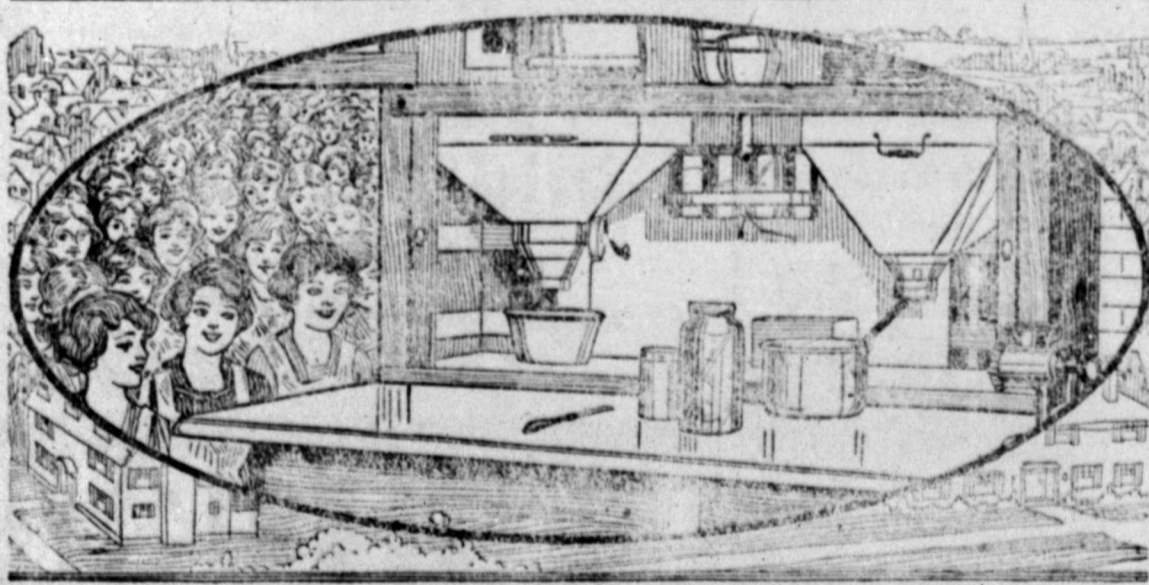
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Catholic Church Notes

(By Father Kemper)

Now that Our Lady of Guadalupe School has closed, Rev. Dr. McKeon will be free to read mass at St. Mary's Church at 7:30 A. M. except this Thursday, which is the feast of Corpus Christi. Father Kemper will celebrate the sacrifice of the altar at 8:30 A. M., and will sing a High Mass Thursday at 7:15 A. M.

Miss Thelma Redmon was married to Mr. Wm. H. Gaines on Sunday at the home of her brother-in-law, V. J. McAteer, editor of the Comfort News.

The Mexican students displayed a magnificent assortment of fancy work and drawings at their school. Beautiful needle-craft was exhibited by girls from five to nineteen years of age. The Notre Dame pupils enjoyed a basket picnic on Thursday. It was a great pleasure for the scholars to welcome a member of our first faculty, Sr. Dymphna, and also Sr. Mary Loretto.

Miss Angeline Kemper motored to San Antonio on Tuesday to attend a meeting of the daughters of Isabella relative to their vacation camp. For a similar mission she toured in her Buick to Medina Lake on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Enderle have as their guests this week their sons, L. A. Enderle and family of San Antonio and Lester Enderle and family of Fredericksburg.

Church notices, lodge notices, programs, etc. which are run as free matter must be in this office by Tuesday noon. We close our forms Wednesday afternoon and cannot set up everything in one day.

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DISEASE AND DIRT ARE TWINS

Filth in Streets May Cause Your Death, So Help as Much as You Can to Clean Town.

See That the Children Wash Hands and Face Before Eating—and Fight Flies, for They're Pesticide.

By DR. A. S. BARNES.

Dirt and disease are apt to go together, but until lately no one knew why. Today we know that dirt and disease often are closely connected because dirt generally is not merely dead earth, but rather a kind of living earth, crowded with unseen and almost countless germs of microbes some of which are dangerous, and even deadly.

Dirty streets are dangerous because the dirt in this case may cling to shoes or other articles of footwear and be carried from the streets into houses where, either as fresh dirt or more often as dry dirt (dust), it may find its way to foods or other articles, which either enter or touch the mouths of members of the household.

Street dust also is dangerous when dried up or pulverized or turned into dust which may be readily lifted and blown about, thus finding its way perhaps directly into the mouths of human beings or through cracks or crevices or open doors and windows into human habitations, and finally into human bodies, with articles of food or drink.

Dust Causes Many Diseases.

The connection between street dust and a number of diseases now is clearly established. It is claimed that out of 46 experiments on animals, the germs contained in city and dust caused infectious diseases in 32 cases.

Dust may also lower the vitality of the mucous membranes by producing an irritated condition of the respiratory organs that the development of disease is made easy from the germs deposited thereon.

Street dust consists of ashes, ground-up steel, iron, stone and asphaltum; house and store sweepings, pollen of plants, excrements of horses, dogs and birds, dried spores, dead pulverized insects, pulverized earth, plaster and cement, earth from street excavations, soot from chimneys, debris from fruit stands, garbage and even human excrements, which in crowded regions frequently are voided by children or adults in alleys and ill-lighted streets.

This filth is being whirled here and there by the wind, by motor and road cars and other vehicles, while we walk or drive; into our homes, offices, factories, theaters, churches and stores where meats, fish, fruit, vegetable breadstuffs, cake, pastry, candies, confectionery, etc., form a final resting place for this germ-laden filth. It also settles on walls, carpets, curtains, clothes, and then is set freshly into circulation with each and every dusting and sweeping.

Germs Plentiful in Food.

It is still easier to understand why water which contains dirt or excrete may be very dangerous, because in no way are the germs of disease more readily taken into the human body than with food and drink.

Dirty milk is dangerous because the dirt most often found in milk is manure or else dirt from dirty barns or dirty utensils, or dirty milkmen who have handled the milk with dirty hands. Dirty hands are dangerous as human hands so very readily almost everywhere, and thus only too easily, become dirty—children, for example, have soiled their hands, say perhaps the next minute put their fingers upon their faces or into their mouths, and thus carry dirt, and with that the germs of disease directly into the body itself. Frequent washing of the hands is a great sanitary safeguard.

Keep Streets Clean.

This dirt menace and nuisance is preventable not only in the streets, but likewise in our living and working places. Much house dust pollution may be avoided if the original street dust were removed or allayed.

The remedy for abating street dust in cities is thorough flushing of streets with large amounts of water. In order to make street sprinkling effective, it either should be sufficiently abundant to wash the dirt away into the sewers, or if moderate amounts of water are used, then it becomes imperative to put in the water some suitable disinfectant.

Small towns should clean streets of loose dirt, pack underseal with roller and oil carefully with heavy oil.

With a better insight into the dangers from dust, a real live interest is awakening. Education has been telling, methods are improving, the public has awakened to the dangers from dust and filth. Every person should do his part to assist in the eradication of disease from these dangerous sources.

Dust then is not by any means or in the main a mere nuisance and source of public discomfort, but performs a menace and direct public danger of deadly potentiality.

SHE'LL MAKE A GOOD JOB OF IT, TOO!



Medina Local Notes.

(Regular Correspondence)

Mrs. Judith Baker and two children accompanied by Lenna Coulter, left for Port Arthur Saturday for several weeks visit with relatives.

Miss Maggie Scallorn who has been in Kerrville the past month came home Saturday.

The Center Point boys played the Medina ball team a very interesting game of ball Saturday which resulted 4 to 1 in favor of Center Point.

Mr. McHaney died very suddenly Thursday night of heart failure. We extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris made a business trip to Bandera Friday.

Dr. Adams has recently installed a beautiful new self playing piano in his home.

Rev. Childers filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning. Children's day exercises were held at night.

Mrs. J. E. Browning entertained the Exchange Club Thursday afternoon, and a pleasant time was spent.

Mr. Buddie Coose and Miss Jessie Phillips were married last week at Lima.

Little J. C. the small son of Mrs. Dot Pate died Sunday morning after a brief illness. The community extends its deepest sympathy in this dark hour.

Camp Verde Letter.

(Regular Correspondence)

Mrs. Lillie Holland who has been visiting her mother Mrs. H. B. Edens the past two weeks went down to Comfort Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Beulah Nichols.

J. A. Rouse and wife were business visitors to Comfort Friday.

Mac Dazier, wife and daughter, Miss Laura, came in Thursday from Garden City. Mrs. Dozier and Miss Laura left Friday for Corpus Christi where her mother is very ill. Mr. Dozier returned to Garden City Monday.

Mrs. Chester Dickey's baby who was quite sick last week is reported better at present.

A. D. McBryde was a business visitor to Bandera Friday.

Roy Nowlin finished rounding up his cattle Friday and moved them to his ranch Saturday.

Preston McFarland was a Verde caller Friday. We understand he expects to move to Mr. Fred Vaughn's place formerly owned by Arthur Edwards.

Bro. Meredith filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

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BRITISH UPSET GERMANY'S PLANS

Remarkable Mobility of Britain's Army Defeats Strategy of Hindenburg.

TRACTORS THE BIG FACTOR

German General Staff Failed to Calculate Quick Repair of Roads and Immediate Advance of Light and Heavy Artillery.

By JUDSON C. WELLIVER,
Correspondent of the New York Sun,
London.—All the world wondered—and nobody more than Marshal Hindenburg—that the British were able to keep instantly and constantly right on the heels of the retreating Germans after the recent evacuation of the territory back of the Bapaume-Peronne line. The thing didn't fall out at all as the German general staff had foreseen. Those masters of the art of war had carefully calculated that when they yielded a very little ground after having first destroyed villages, blown up roads and pulverized the terrain with trenches and shellholes it would take at least a series of weeks for the British to bring up their forces and prepare for a new attack. This was the whole strategy of the establishment of the new Hindenburg line.

The weakness of Hindenburg's calculation was that he knew too much about the established and accepted rules of war and too little about English and American ingenuity in producing the new types of war machine which make it possible for an army nowadays to move faster than it ever could before.

Caterpillar tractors, as big as a respectable locomotive, make it possible to do things with even the biggest howitzers that were undreamed of even when this war began.

Tractors the Big Factors.
I have seen a couple of these levitans taking a ten-inch howitzer over a road that had been theoretically "destroyed" three days earlier, almost under the fire of the enemy and actually within their own range of the nearest enemy positions, at the rate of seven or eight miles an hour. All the horses that ever were commandeered couldn't have been harnessed to do that job, simply because they couldn't have got themselves through the mud, to say nothing of pulling something after them.

I studied for several days the methods by which one army was fairly leaping on the trail of another, and it seemed to me the greatest wonder that the war had developed. The steel works of Birmingham and Bethlehem and Pittsburgh were doing it. But even before their giant contraptions could perform the road must be ready for them. This reconstruction of roads is just plain, back-breaking, awful drudgery; but what magnificently organized and predigested drudgery!

STOP WASTE OF FLOUR



"I appeal to the bakers of the United States to quit making pastry during this emergency.
"I appeal to the housewives of America to stop buying pastry of bakers who do continue to make it. And I appeal to housewives to stop making pies, cakes and cookies in their own kitchens."
This is the plea of Dr. Gurl Melnithin, who has just started a nationwide propaganda against the use of pastry as a means of conserving flour for the needs of our allies as well as for our own.

organization, of perfect arrangement, of precise and yet thoroughly elastic and adaptable plans was to be seen everywhere.
The emergency engineers who manage these things understand in their way. They seem to know by instinct what will be required of them. But it isn't instinct so much as it is the complete knowledge of the terrain that has been brought back to them in the photographs taken by the flying corps' observers. Everything is on hand, everything is in its right place, every man understands just what is expected of him, and when they move forward there is seldom a hitch. Inevitably, it is fearfully expensive business, and sometimes there is over-preparation for the sake of certainty.

Light Guns Move Quickly.
The lighter and more mobile guns of course go forward earliest. They are built especially for this kind of experience and can get over half-built roads with an agility and safety that could not possibly be believed if one hadn't seen the performance. The French "75s" are particularly useful in this style of quick advance, but the British light guns, as now built, are hardly inferior.

The handling of the 6, 8, 10, 12 and even 15-inch howitzers is, of course, most impressive. Hitched to their caterpillar tractors, they jog along, keeping pace with the light field pieces that are drawn by well-trained horses. These big guns, as now constructed, are the last word in mobility. No need to worry about building emplacements for them. They can be fired from any sort of ground, and if things get too hot for them in one place they can be coupled up and hauled off to another. Along with the big guns go complete outfits of repair material and machinery, so that if anything goes wrong it can be attended to without a minute's delay. Nothing known to modern war is so

TEN MILLION ARE SUBJECT TO THE DRAFT

Census Bureau Estimates That Is Number of Men Between 21 and 30.

TEN PER CENT OF POPULATION

Figures Show Men of Draft Age in the Several States and in the Leading Cities—Government Ready for Registration.

Washington.—According to a statement issued by Director Sam L. Rogers of the bureau of the census, department of commerce, there are estimated to be in the United States, 10,000,000 men between the ages of twenty-one and thirty, inclusive. This number represents very nearly 10 per cent of the estimated population of the country—between 103,000,000 and 104,000,000. The table below shows, for the United States, and for the leading cities, the numbers of males between the ages of twenty-one and thirty, inclusive, on July 1, 1917. The figures for that date are estimated on the assumption that the annual numerical increase since 1910 in each state has been the same as the average annual numerical increase between 1900 and 1910.

State	July 1, 1917 (estimated)
Alabama	10,738,500
Arkansas	209,800
California	34,700
Colorado	156,600
Connecticut	302,000
District of Columbia	30,000
Florida	27,400
Georgia	81,800
Idaho	629,600
Illinois	1,390,000
Indiana	189,000
Iowa	175,800
Kentucky	267,500
Louisiana	171,000
Maine	194,700
Maryland	121,000
Massachusetts	355,400
Michigan	28,100
Minnesota	344,700
Mississippi	115,100
Missouri	312,800
Montana	73,300
Nebraska	128,400
Nevada	18,500
New Hampshire	96,800
New Jersey	309,200
New Mexico	41,000
New York	1,058,000
North Carolina	34,400
North Dakota	89,000
Ohio	1,250,000
Oklahoma	212,600
Oregon	109,100
Pennsylvania	874,000
Rhode Island	69,800
South Carolina	137,100
South Dakota	80,500
Tennessee	196,000
Texas	420,200
T Utah	46,200
Vermont	25,400
Virginia	317,800
Washington	217,400
West Virginia	141,500
Wisconsin	221,000
Wyoming	35,400

Acting on these figures, the war department began the distribution of upward of nine million registration blanks to be filled in at the polling and other designated places by the men who fall within the draft ages. The blank cards contain spaces for

FARMER PATRIOT OFFERS FREE SEED POTATOES

Morristown, Tenn.—D. C. Waters, a patriot of the first order. He is a prosperous farmer and last fall he stored many bushels of Irish potatoes. Recently a buyer from the East offered Waters \$2.50 a bushel for them. He declined the offer. Then he notified the neighborhood he had plenty of Irish potatoes for seed and that if any of his neighbors did not have the money to buy seed this spring he would give them potatoes to plant without making any charge. Now "potato patches" are to be found everywhere in the community.

pampered, so delicately nursed, as a big field howitzer, unless, perhaps, it be a super-dreadnaught or a temperamental Missouri mule.
And when one of these delicate instruments gets into range, that is, so that it isn't necessary to fire more than half way across a good-sized middle Western county, it can do an amount of business that quite justifies all the trouble it has required. A six-inch howitzer will drop an explosive shell every ten seconds, and drop it exactly where it will do the most harm. Their accuracy in firing is almost unbelievable and quite indescribable.

The biggest of them are manned by crews of naval gunners, trained to shoot from the unstable deck of battleship or cruiser and to hit the mark. When they get a chance on dry land which doesn't roll or sway beneath them it becomes highly undesirable to attract the diligent attention of one of these crews within ten or a dozen miles.

All this is a mild suggestion of what went wrong with the Hindenburg line. It was undoubtedly a mighty good line—once. But the engineers and machine shops behind the French and British armies had made their arrangements for wrecking it long before Hindenburg had even thought of establishing it.

answers to 12 questions, which will embody all the information which the government desires of each individual.
Commercial travelers and others within the ages of twenty-one and thirty, inclusive, who happen to be absent from their homes on registration days will be required to procure cards wherever they may be on that date and mail them to the county clerks in their home registration districts.

BIG CROPS FOR NEW YORK

Western Portion of State Gives Promise of Big Yield of Potatoes and Small Truck.

Buffalo, N. Y.—An early census in the western New York agricultural districts shows there will be harvested over 100,000 bushels of potatoes more than in any recent year. This is the result of an organized effort to stimulate general crop production in larger quantities than ever. Indications are that the Niagara fruit belt will register a tremendous yield this year. Small truck is being raised in heretofore unheard of quantities. The great Chautauque grape belt is expected to register another million-dollar crop, with grape juice and wine companies already contracting for larger than usual tonnage of grapes.
Early in the spring a great labor shortage loomed up, but this has been overcome in a measure by the farm-cadet movement, which sent hundreds of boys into the rural districts.

RED CROSS GROWING RAPIDLY

Patriots Barred From Armed Service Find This Way of Doing Their Bit.

Washington.—As a result of the war-inspired patriotism the number of Red Cross chapters in the United States has more than doubled in the past three months. The number is now more than three times that of a year ago. More new chapters were formed in April than existed in the whole country last July. Twenty-six new chapters were organized in the month of February; 74 in the month of March, while April surpassed all records with 190 new chapters, a 51 per cent increase. This brought the total number to 562 chapters, as against 272 at the first of the year.

Requests for chapters have come from every quarter of the country, from Alaska, Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philippines.

TAKE NEW "ANTITANK GUNS"

British Discover That German Inventors Have Devised New Form of Weapon.

London.—Germany's war inventors have devised a new form of weapon known as "antitank guns." These cannon are used against the huge armored and armored monsters which the British have been using with such excellent results on the western front. The "antitank" gun is a short-barreled seven-inch weapon, hurling a shell with tremendous power. A number of them have been captured by the British forces on the Arras front.

RAILWAYS OF THE UNITED STATES IN SINGLE SYSTEM FOR WAR

Under Government Direction and With European Lessons in View. They Are Preparing to Handle Armies and Supplies — Mistakes of the Spanish-American War Will Not Be Repeated—Efficiency the Watchword.

Washington.—Transportation is an essential of the national service in war time. Railways move the troops, feed the troops, equip the troops; railways feed the navy, equip and coal the navy, and build the ships. No plant can perform its government task without prompt movement of material, parts, supplies and fuel. Railways are the very arteries of war. Magnificent armies of highly disciplined men equipped with the most ingenious instruments of destruction would be rendered inefficient by a lack of railroads. Never, perhaps, was the importance of the railroad so exemplified as in the European war. When the first shadow of a war cloud was cast over the peace-loving United States, instant consideration of the railroads as a means of defense came from the government, and railroad officials patriotically took the initiative in planning the disposal of the nation every mile of track and every wheel. When the history of the war is written, one of the most dramatic chapters may have to do with the part the railroads played.

If the American railroads were called upon to move large bodies of troops and give the same accommodation as supplied in Europe, said George Bury, vice president of the Canadian Pacific railway, the other day, they would be in a position to move a vastly greater number in a shorter time. In warring Europe troops are moved in freight cars when passenger equipment is not available. In Europe the passenger service has been curtailed, the remaining trains slowed up, and the running of fast freights discontinued.

Efficient Plan Worked Out.

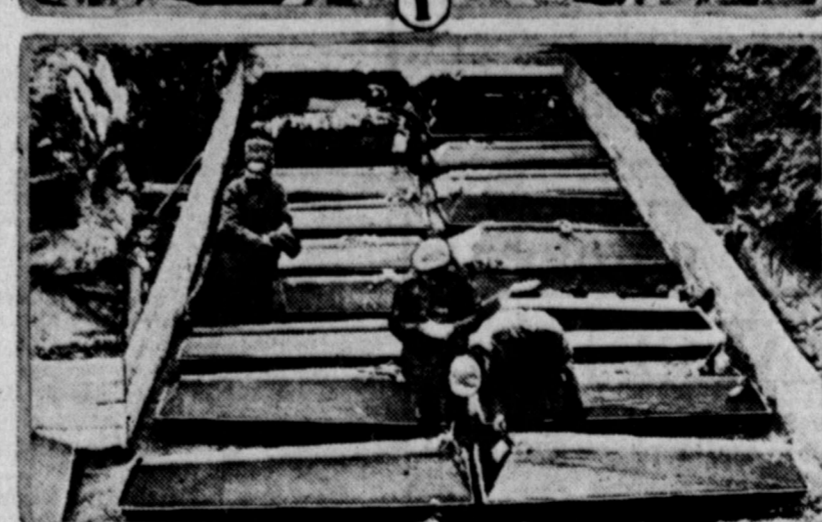
The country has been assured by the highest railroad authorities that the failures of our transportation system in the Spanish war will not be repeated, but that, on the contrary, as a result of a system which the war department has worked out with the railroads, confusion such as was incident to 1900 will be avoided. The conduct of that campaign was little better than the fiasco of the French empire at the opening of the Franco-Prussian war. To get rid of the confusion which attended the attempted mobilization at Tampa, when was disclosed an unparalleled lack of executive ability, the war department took up the question with the railroads and worked out a plan which has been accepted by all lines in the country.

During the Spanish war, for example, supplies for 70,000 men had been ordered to Tampa. In the effort of the railroads to put these supplies into that port 1,000 freight cars were sidetracked and the whole lines congested up as far as Columbia, S. C. In accordance with the understanding that today exists between the war department and all the railroads, a placard will be placed on every freight car, marked "United States Army" in large letters at the head, stating the department to which the supplies are consigned, the car number, the car number, point of shipment, contents, consignee, destination, route, date shipped, and consignor. When they arrive at the front they will at once be put into position, unloaded, and released without waiting for bills of lading or other railroad papers. The placards placed on the cars will be considered sufficient for all purposes.

Must Never Be Sidetracked.

It will be a rule of the railroad officials conducting the mobilization that a car thus marked shall never be sidetracked or laid over in a yard. If it is damaged in any manner, repairs on it will have precedence over other work. If these repairs cannot be immediately made, or are serious in character, the car will be at once unloaded.

FUNERAL OF RUSSIAN MARTYRS



Above, Premier Lvoff—(1) and Foreign Minister Millukoff (2) attending the funeral of those who fell during the Russian revolution. Below, one of the four graves, each of which contained 45 coffins.

DORE'S FAMOUS VASE



Copy of Gustave Dore's famous vase, the only one in America, now valued at \$250,000, may increase in value many times if, as is thought, the original, which is "somewhere in France," has been destroyed or mutilated.

The masterpiece of bronze stands nine feet high and for the last 22 years has been exposed to the elements outside the public museum in San Francisco, Cal. It has stood there since the famous Midwinter fair.
It cost the city of San Francisco \$11,000 and is now estimated to be worth over 20 times that sum. Word has been received that the original, which was "somewhere in France," has been discovered in Reims, having suffered but mutilation during the various bombardments. If the original is beyond repair this copy will be almost invaluable.

System in Germany.

By the end of 1907 the normal tracks in Germany constituted more than one-sixth of the whole of Europe—a system larger than that of any other European country with one exception, Russia. The Kaiser has been ex officio the chief of the Imperial railway office. He has appointed its members. He has had the power to demand and to prescribe lower than the normal rates for the transportation of provisions in case of emergency. He, in connection with the upper house of parliament, may call for the conveyance of soldiers and the materials of war.

Not long after the war began Germany called to the colors every available man. This gave a total of 4,000,000 men in the field to be supplied with food, clothing, ammunition, and everything needed for actual service. There were probably 800,000 horses also in the field, and they too had to be fed. The ammunition and the guns had to be carried to the front by rail, and much of it was transported back and forth several times. Germany's railroad arrangements had been complete even before the war started. A war time-table, revised as occasion demanded, has from the first been in the possession of railway officers throughout the country, capable of being put into force at the shortest notice. Short strategic lines built by Germany on the French and Belgian frontiers have been of the greatest importance, and, in addition, most of the main lines are so located as to have the greatest efficiency for military purposes.

Every railroad car in Germany has stenciled on it the number of men or horses it is expected to accommodate. In Germany the world has its most complete example of the state-owned railway. Bismarck worked for Imperial ownership. The foundation of such a net as we now see in operation was laid in 1871, when the lines of Alsace-Lorraine came to the empire as a result of the Franco-Prussian war. In that war Germany used her seven railway lines in the north and three in the south, only one having a double track, to transport 16 army corps, numbering 450,000 men, to the frontier, and accomplished the strategic feat in 11 days. Today Germany has 12 double-track lines grilling her broad surface, and the manner in which she has made use of them to prosecute the world war has been a striking example of the railroad as a weapon for

UNUSUAL FOOD SUPPLY SOURCES ARE TAPPED

Chicago.—The woods and waters are being invaded in the nation-wide drive for food.

In Michigan potatoes have been planted in the forest reserves under orders of the state public domain commission. Every available acre has been put to use.

In Wisconsin rivers and lakes are being scoured for coarse fish that can be put on the market at a low price to offset the rising price of staple foodstuffs. The state conservation commission, which ordered the scolding, did so under instructions from Governor Philpp.

COURT DOOMS NOISY BIRDS

Judge in Pennsylvania Clears Man Who Killed Them Despite the Game Laws.

Norristown, Pa.—"No statute can compel us to resign our homes to the game birds, at least not without compensation," declares Judge Swartz in reversing the judgment of Magistrate McClellan of Lower Merion, in fining Charles Hill, caretaker of the Ardmore police station, \$80 for "hunting and killing" a robin, a blackbird and a flicker in a crusade made against thousands of blackbirds which have infested Ardmore for several years. Hill killed the birds at the direction of chief of Police Donaghy of Lower Merion. Donaghy got Hill to shoot up into trees in which blackbirds flocked in swarms after all other methods of ridding the community had been tried and failed.

Wedding Rings
AND
Wedding Presents
FOR
June Weddings

SELF'S JEWELRY and KODAK STORE

Local Notes

Eyes tested, glasses fitted. Self.

L. A. Baxter of Camp Verde was in this city Saturday.

Don't forget that we pay highest market prices for all country produce. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Ladies white boots and Sport Shoes just received at West Texas Supply Co.

Miss Ferrol Rawson returned home Tuesday night from San Marcos where she has been in school.

Bathing caps of every kind and color at Rock Drug Store.

J. M. Hatch of Japonica was in town Monday and reports it getting dry again.

Bring your repair work to Hicks' Garage and Machine Shop, Center Point. Jitney service.

Fresh Jellies at BERRY'S.

Mrs. J. W. Owens and daughter, Miss Lee, of Center Point were shopping here Wednesday.

Misses Mary and Lillian Coffey of the upper Guadalupe were visitors to this city Friday and made the Advance a pleasant call.

Mens and boys summer sport shirts cheap at H. Noll Stock Co.

For Sale—6 acres close to small town, fine proposition for truck garden. M. S. Osborne.

Miss Pearl Elam of Medina spent last week here visiting her brother E. B. Elam and family.

Dress goods at bargain prices H. Noll Stock Co.

Lee Risinger of Bandera was here on business Saturday.

Canned pumpkin 15c at H. Noll Stock Co.

Alf. Smith was in town Saturday from his farm on Johnson creek.

U. S. Flags, at Watters Variety Store.

Bulk Peanut Butter. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. McAtter of Comfort were visitors to Kerrville Monday afternoon.

Boys summer Kool Kloth suits only \$4.50 at H. Noll Stock Co.

Sliced Bacon in pound boxes—Excellent. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Commissioner James Crotty and Geo. Sellers were here from Center Point on business Saturday.

Mens Kool Kloth suits \$6.50 to \$7.50 at H. Noll Stock Co.

Good 4 room house close in—a bargain. M. S. Osborne, Phone 57.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Scallorn and son George of Medina were visitors to this city Saturday.

Grady Grinstead who recently enlisted in the Quartermaster's Department at Fort Sam Houston, spent Sunday here visiting his father, J. E. Grinstead.

Silk Georgette Crepe, width 40 inches, \$1.75 per yd. at H. Noll Stock Co.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hodges of Junction visited their daughter, Mrs. Henry Noll Jr., here last week.

New shipment of Premier Salad Dressing, just in at BERRY'S.

Mrs. Lula Howard left Saturday for San Antonio to visit her daughter, Miss Gladys for several weeks.

Bathing Suits Watters Variety Store.

Fine residence, modern conveniences, good location, part cash or will trade for property just outside city limits. See M. S. Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morriss and their daughter, Mrs. Owen Anderson spent the past week visiting at the Morriss ranch on the divide.

Walter Meadows and Chas. McCurdy were here Tuesday with their wool which they sold at top prices.

Our Pride and Whitehouse Flour always satisfy, at West Texas Supply Co.

We carry hundreds of little items you need in your home, and "We sell it for less." Watters Variety Store.

Norman Jetton of Center Point spent Sunday night here visiting his sister, Mrs. Walter C. Coleman.

For Sale—Two level lots. Good location. W. D. Pultz, Mountain Sun Office.

Pioneer Flour, the old reliable tried and true, is the flour for you. Get it at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

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We have just received a beautiful stock of silk waists, all colors and sizes. Come and see them at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Prof. and Mrs. G. C. Jones and little son, Chester, left last week for Corpus Christi where Prof. Jones is engaged in the Corpus Christi Summer Normal as instructor.

For Sale—Air Domé. Everything in good shape to conduct first class picture show. See W. D. Pultz, Mountain Sun Office.

Shirts, Collars and Ties at Benton's.

Furnished rooms for rent. Apply to Mrs. M. A. Parsons, Phone 46.

Mrs. F. A. Ober, formerly Miss Rosa Pfeuffer, is here from Brownsville visiting her mother and family.

Cut Prices on Men's and Boys summer Hats and Caps at Beuton's.

Mrs. E. E. Dietert and daughter, Miss Helen, went to San Antonio last Thursday in their car to meet Willie Dietert who was returning home from the A. & M. college.

Spee Dee for cleaning. Will not injure Skin. C. C. Butt Grocery.

B. J. Sublett has returned home from Bismark, Okla., and is at home with his parents, Mr. Mrs. J. J. Sublett near Hunt.

Ladies House Aprons, Childrens dresses, Boys Wash Suits. Watters Variety Store.

Lost—Child's gold neck chain with heart locket. Lost in or near the Baptist church. Liberal reward for its return to Kearney Butt or this office.

P. A. Deering and family of Long Mott are spending a few days here visiting Mr. Deering's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Deering.

Jams and Jellies, cheaper than you can fix them yourself. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jordan of Sonora spent last week here visiting Mrs. Jordan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Welge.

Cotton Seed Meal, Cake Bran and hay, at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

L. A. Leinweber was in town from Ingram Saturday and has so far recovered that he has laid aside his crutches.

Our line of hosiery cant be beat. Watters Variety Store.

Rev. B. Schiefer left yesterday for San Antonio to attend the district annual meeting of the Lutheran Church.

Lowest prices get us the biggest business, consequently we are always busy at H. Noll Stock Co.

Mrs. E. A. Wied of Gonzales is here to spend a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henke.

THOSE THAT REGISTERED their son or daughter for the next scholastic year at Notre Dame Institute, acted wisely because accommodations are limited and the old rule will have to be followed: first come first served, whether able to pay or not.

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Judge and Mrs. R. A. Dunbar had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Whaley of Memphis, Texas.

Wanted to buy—Old sacks of all kinds, oat, wheat, bran, etc. Bring to Adkins Barber Shop. W. C. Word and Homer Ruff.

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SERVICE CARS
Phone 154

LEE MASON & SON

Mrs. O. H. Kelly and daughter, Miss Maud, of Medina visited friends in Kerrville and Ingram Saturday and Sunday.

Cut Prices on Ladies, Misses and Childrens pumps, straps and Mary Janes at Benton's.

Mrs. Mary Sheppard of Medina came over last Saturday to spend a while with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Williams.

R. D. Garison, prominent stock farmer from near Medina, was in this city Friday with his spring clip of wool which he sold at a little above 45c. He took home with him a new Dodge car.

Read the Ford ad in every issue of the Advance.

Come in and see our nice assortment of bathing caps Rock Drug Store.

The Eastern Star Chapter will have a public installation of officers Thursday June 7. All Masons and all ladies who are eligible to become members are cordially invited to be present.

Lipton's Tea at Berry's. The perfect blend for iced or hot tea.

Dr. E. E. Palmer went to San Antonio last week and purchased a new Chandler Chummy Roadster. It is one of the prettiest cars in the city.

Come in and see our nice assortment of bathing caps. Rock Drug Store.

J. D. Motley, C. E. Salter and W. D. Pultz went to Junction Sunday and attended the funeral of Ray James. The funeral, which was conducted by Rev. S. F. Marsh, was the largest and one of the saddest ever held at Junction.

Bring your green and dry hides to us. We pay highest market prices. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

The Commissioners Court met in special session Monday to pass finally on the tax assessments raised at the last term. They also levied the county taxes for this year at the same rate as before, 40 cents on the \$100 valuation.

Come and separate your milk free of charge at the Kerrville Creamery.

Kerr County Registered 492

Registration day passed off quietly in Kerr county and not one complaint of disorder or failure to register has been received by Sheriff Moore who has the matter in charge. There was a marked eagerness to register from all parts of the county. Following is the register by precincts; Kerrville 207, Center Point 72, Cypress Creek 20, Mountain Home 32, Grape Creek 18, Ingram 49, Turtle Creek 9, Lane Valley 35, Frio 8, Live Oak 26, Pebbie 16.

Card of Thanks

Our sincere thanks are extended to the loving friends who so kindly ministered to us in this sad hour of bereavement.

Mrs. Garret Martin and family.

DR. WERBLUN IN KERRVILLE

Dr. L. Werblun, optician, who makes regular visits here will be in Kerrville at Rawson's Drug Store June 18 to 24. Examination of the eyes free.

Judge R. H. Burney returned the first of the week from Honda where he closed the term of court last week. He was accompanied home by his daughter, Miss Vera, and John Henry Harper, who had been visiting for some time at Uvalde. The Judge begins court next Monday at Bandera.

Fine home in desirable part of Kerrville, 6 rooms, hall and bath, garage, poultry house and yard, and small orchard. For quick sale at a sacrifice. M. S. Osborne.

Harry Dietert writes us to change the address of his Advance from Highland Park, Des Moines, Iowa to Manitowoc, Wis., where he is now engaged in a shipbuilding yard. He finished successfully his first year in the Highland College of Engraving.

Miss Dora Kane who has had charge of the Kodak Finishing Department of Self's Jewelry and Kodak Store for four years, left yesterday for Rowlette, Texas, where she will make her home with her brother, Gus Kane. Miss Blanche Self has again taken charge of the Kodak Finishing Department

HENKE BROS. MARKET

A Strictly Sanitary Shop
Our Motto: Correct Weight and a Square Deal.
We Appreciate your Patronage
Prompt Delivery Phone No: 7

PAMPELL'S THEATER

THURSDAY NIGHT—Paramount-Lasky presents
Marquerite Clark in "Little Lady Eileen"

FRIDAY NIGHT—
Vitagraph Feature

SATURDAY NIGHT.—Win. Fox presents
Gladys Brockwell in "Sins of her Parents"
A Moral Lesson that Every Mother Should See.

MONDAY NIGHT—Paramount-Lasky presents
Blanche Sweet in "Storm."

TUESDAY NIGHT—
Vitagraph Feature to be announced

WEDNESDAY NIGHT—
Vitagraph 5-reel Feature
To Be Announced Later

For Rent—Two or three unfurnished rooms, desirably located. Address Box 413.

Will pay highest market prices for wool and mohair, and make liberal advances on consignment. H. WELGE.

Bevo,—the famous beverage, health drink on ice or in case lots BERRY'S.

For Rent—Nicely furnished room. Phone 193.

Mrs. Chas. Leinweber, Miss Dollie and Clarence came down from their divide ranch to attend the commencement exercises of Scofield School and to convey Miss Tilley home.

Remember we are always in the market for your poultry and eggs and will pay the best price the market will justify. Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Y. P. Oliver, prominent farmer and the grower of the famous Oliver pecan was here from Junction and spent Friday and Saturday visiting friends.

Complete line of Middies and Middy Suits just received at Mosel, Saenger & Co.

Buy Bratwurst, the fancy Frankfurter for picnic lunches. BERRY'S.

Chas. Schreiner Company

Dealers in General Merchandise
The House of Quality

In 1869 we started in business in a small way. Our business has increased with leaps and bounds and we are now probably the largest retail store in Texas. Nearly 50 years without a failure.

"There is a Reason"

Fads And Fancies Of Fashion



For the Business Girl.

Business women have become so accustomed to the blouse and skirt for daily wear that it is almost a uniform to them. But, as warm weather comes and coats may be discarded, the business girl is more than likely to indulge in a change of dress and come out in a one-piece frock. Among them are models, especially suited to the big and growing army of women who go to business every day.

Whoever designed the frock shown above had in mind that it needed to be practical as well as smart. For every day wear it will be made in some of the strong new weaves in silk, or in lightweight serge or equally durable mohair. It suggests possibilities in remodeling suits and giving good materials a new lease on life by changing a suit of antiquated style into an

up-to-date frock. It is made in two pieces, joined at the waist, under a soft belt of the material. The belt overlaps at the front, one side slipping through a slash in the other, and the ends fasten down with buttons.

Deep pockets at each side provide two style features of the season: the emphasis of the hips, and the use of wide tucks for decoration. The bodice might fasten along the shoulder and under-arm or up the back.

Collar and cuffs of organdie are indispensable in a frock of this kind. They provide the touch of fresh distinctness, that makes the shirtwaist so dear to the heart of women in the work-a-day world. The triple pieces of this set are made without lace or embroidery, having their edges finished with narrow hems, or with hemstitching. One only needs to look at them to sense their charm for summer wear.



The Bridesmaid's Crowning Glory

Here comes the bride, along about this time, with her maids, waiting into the milliner's to discuss the momentous question of their hats. And perhaps the milliner is all ready for her; for hats especially designed have been supplied in plenty by those who welcome each June with a new array of 'bridal millinery. It is easy enough to make a selection when there is opportunity to see them.

Designers one and all appear to have been captivated by the fitness of georgette crepe for making the loveliest headwear that sun, or electric lights, ever shone on. All the chances are that crepe it will be when the decision is made and everybody pledged. But there are also hats of mulline, lace, hair braid and the well-loved legion among candidates for favor.

In the group of three hats shown above, only hats made of crepe (including one of crepe and ribbon) appear. They are sponsored by the best designers so that there is no question as to their good style, and they speak for themselves as to their beauty. At the right a wide-brimmed sailor covered with white crepe has over the brim an overlay made of lengths of narrow ribbon featherstitched together with heavy white silk floss.

At the left another sailor shape, with soft crown tip, makes place for a row of French knots on a narrow silk ribbon about the crown. Four camellias, with white foliage, are set, at a special advantage, on the brim. Both these hats might be made in a light color.

The lovely hat at the center is in pale pink and has a wreath of small,

plastic flowers across it and a bride and ties of narrow velvet ribbon in orchid pink.

Julie Bottomley

Gowned for War.

Now that it seems likely that women may be engaged in the preparedness campaign an enterprising firm has devised suits of khaki whose lines are particularly appropriate for drilling, hiking and other military incidentals. A woman may have a suit consisting of coat and skirt, or she may acquire merely the camp skirt to be worn with the middie blouse. There also is a cavalry skirt to go with a smart, mannish shirtwaist. All of these garments are made with the object of service. They can be worn for a considerable time without showing soil, and then they may be laundered, if care is taken in the process. It is also possible for the woman motor driver, the Red Cross assistant and those who may aim to enter the cavalry or infantry corps to get suitable uniforms.

For Straw Hats.

To keep your new sailor, or any other straw hat having a flat crown and brim, fresh and unfaded looking up to the end of the season, brush it occasionally with ammonia water (about a teaspoonful to a cupful of water) and while still damp lay over it a dry cloth, and press with a moderately hot iron. The ammonia restores the color and the moisture and pressure will give it its original stiffness.

Health: Keystone of the Arch of Genuine Preparedness

By DR. SAMUEL G. DIXON, Commissioner of Health of Pennsylvania.

The perfect manifestations of life can only be had with a harmonious performance of all the functions of the body. This is so from the lowest forms of life up to the complex and wonderful creation of man.

Now when we are confronted with war and its accumulated horrors, we must use every effort to throw off the insidious hold it gradually gets upon our nervous systems, destroying the harmoniousness of the vast number of active little cells that go to make up our physical and mental bodies.

If the balance and harmony are once destroyed, our digestion weakens and this robs the body of nourishment, which is followed by general loss of strength. The heart muscles consequently suffer and weaken, and when this pump fails to send the exhausted blood cells through the lungs for purification and recharging, the physiological process fails in its purpose.

The break-up of the general balance and harmony causes the body to lose its resistance to disease germs. The result is general weakening of the individual, and often death, neither of which we can afford at any time, let alone in time of war, when every preventable measure must be taken to guard against the inroad of disease.

Today we cannot help but feel our great responsibilities and make sacrifices for that which has given us our national pride and freedom. We must, however, at the same time be careful not to break up unnecessarily the harmony of our social and other every-day occupations.

The greatest measure to help us carry our burden during war is to keep busy in some well-directed path of work that will produce those things most essential to a successful warfare and turn our minds from those horrors that otherwise would break up our nervous force.

If war becomes long-continued, it may be that a revolutionary state may occur, where our occupations will have to be changed: giving up the easier ones to the weak, and shifting those that are more laborious to the strong. These changes, however, at the present time can be effected more easily than ever before in the history of the world, because of the many kinds of modern occupations which permit of selection to accommodate those of different capabilities. Whatever may be the disturbance, we must keep busy. We must not think too much of "what might happen" and keep it ever before us, destroying that balance and harmony necessary for health.

SOME SMILES

Necessary.

"I do not understand why you wish to sell such a valuable lot when the price is bound to increase," said his adviser.

"Ah, but it is absolutely necessary. I'll have to apply the money as a partial payment on my wife's new shoes."

The Vogue for Agriculture.

"That golf player continues to cut chunks out of the turf!"

"Is he playin' golf?" inquired Farmer Cortossel.

"I thought he was hoeing."

Nightmare.

"Does sleeping on your back give you nightmares?"

"Invariably," replied Mr. Chugctus. "I wake up with my hands pawing the air, imagining I am fixing my automobile."

One of the Reasons.

She had just been shown through the prison.

"I don't wonder," she said with a sigh, "that so many of us have to remain old maids when they keep shut up from the world so many handsome and bold men."

For Bigger Crops.

"My wife made a suggestion last night."

"What?"

"To relieve the scarcity of potatoes this year, she said that instead of planting them in hills they ought to be planted in mountains."

The Way of It.

"Do you always give your wife her own way?"

"No."

"How do you manage it?"

"I don't. She takes it."

Not Knocking at All.

"I wanted to talk to you yesterday."

"Why didn't you call me on the telephone?"

"It wasn't important enough for me to go to all that trouble."

Quite Correct.

"The man you see walking under is the author of our most popular standard works."

"Indeed! What has he written?"

"Nothing. He makes flags."

National Misunderstanding.

American Heiress—How do you like my new gown?"

English Friend—It's ripping.

American Heiress—Oh, where?

True.

"Do you know anything about golf?"

"Only this. That when my husband's golf is bad, so is his disposition."

Nuts Make Good Substitute For Meat in the Diet, Says Domestic Science Expert.

The food value of nuts is usually underestimated. Nuts are rich in both protein and fat and may be used as a meat substitute in the diet, according to Miss Alice Skinner, instructor in domestic science in the Kansas State Agricultural college.

"Nuts should be regarded as a staple article of food whose constituents are in a concentrated form," said Miss Skinner. "In using nuts as a meat substitute it is best to combine them and some starchy food of considerable bulk with a milk sauce. When they are used in bread or in combination with vegetables and salads they should be finely ground to make the constituents more easily digested."

"Nuts that are most available on the average market are peanuts, black walnuts, English walnuts, chestnuts, pecans, Brazil nuts, and hickory nuts. These nuts are found on the market in several different forms principally as nut meats, nut oils, nut meals, and as blanched and white nuts."

"Nuts should be included in the diet at least once or twice a week for adults, but should be used sparingly in the diet for children because the food is in such concentrated form. They may be used in both cooked and uncooked dishes—salads, candies, breads, cakes, custards, puddings, and baked dishes."

Mum.

"An open mind," began the would-be philosopher, "is generally in partnership with a closed mouth."

Mother's Cook Book

Inexpensive Dishes.

When an emergency arises with but half enough meat to go round, mix it after chopping fine with equal parts of cooked rice, one small onion chopped and one green pepper. For each pint add a cupful of canned tomato. Season well and add gravy for moisture and a tablespoonful of butter. Cover with crumbs and bake.

Sour milk can be used for so many delicious foods, spice cakes, doughnuts, griddle cakes, waffles, steamed bread and biscuits. Surely one may find some dish among these to utilize the sour milk.

Sour cream with small green onions sliced into it, salt and pepper added, is one of the most appetizing of salads.

Children like bread, buttered, sprinkled with cinnamon and sugar and browned in the oven. This may be used with a cupful of tea when other cakes are lacking.

Crumb Bread.

When one has an accumulation of bits of bread left from sandwiches when entertaining, dry them thoroughly and put them through the food chopper. Dissolve a half a yeast cake in a half cupful of water, add two cupfuls of warm water, a tablespoonful of shortening, a cupful of Graham flour, a teaspoonful of salt, a cupful and a half of crumbs and enough white flour to make a very stiff dough. Let rise, cut down, then, when risen, place in the tin, let rise again and bake.

Corn Bread Country Style.

Sift together three-fourths of a cupful of corn meal, half a cupful of flour, one-fourth of a cupful of sugar and half a teaspoonful each of salt and soda. Beat one egg, add a cupful of thick sour cream or a cupful of buttermilk or sour milk and three tablespoonfuls of melted shortening and stir into the dry ingredients. Bake in a shallow pan about 25 minutes.

Delicate Muffins.

Sift together one cupful and a half of pastry flour, two and one-half tablespoonfuls of baking powder, half a teaspoonful of salt and one-third of a cupful of sugar; add three-fourths of a cupful of milk, three tablespoonfuls of melted butter and mix well. Bake in hot, well buttered, iron pans about 25 minutes.

Nellie Maxwell Her Brilliant Idea.

After many trials and tribulations Mrs. Timson had managed to get a "maid" of sorts.

"Now, Thurza," said she, "be careful about the water. We only use the well water for drinking, as we have to pay a man to pump it. The rainwater is good enough for washing up and so on."

"Did you remember about the water, Thurza?" she asked later in the day.

"Oh, yes, mum," said Thurza. "I filled the kettle half full of water from the well and other half with water from the well. I thought the bottom half might as well be getting hot at the same time for washing up after tea."

Another Paraphrase.

If all the debts were, one debt, what a great debt that would be; and all the money were one money, what a great money that would be; and if all the men were one man, what a great man he would be. And if the great man took the great money and paid off the great debt, wouldn't there be an exhilarating howl on the part of the loan sharks, and collection agencies?—Indianapolis Star.

New Things Under the Sun.

India's railroads are experimenting with all steel cars because of the advance in cost of teak, the wood generally used.

Introduction of electricity for power in South Africa gold mines has reduced the amount of tuberculosis among the miners.

Fifty-five miles in five hours is the remarkable record recently established by Siberian huskies drawing a sledge over ice.

Hinges patented by a Texas inventor enable a door to be hung so closely to its frame that no cracks remain to pinch fingers.

Press buttons, similar to those used for fastening gloves, have been invented for holding carpets on floors or tapestries on walls.

The entire front axle, wheels, driver's seat and battery box turn in steering a new low motor truck designed for carrying heavy loads.

Bridge gates invented by a Boston man are expected to bring vehicles or street cars that strike them to a gradual stop without injury.

Gelatin golf tees have been invented, the idea being that they soon are dissolved by the atmosphere and will not litter up a golf course if forgotten.

A tool composed principally of flexible, rubber-covered fingers has been invented for removing and inserting electric light bulbs in sockets difficult to reach.

To permit the outside of windows to be washed by persons inside rooms is the purpose of a recently patented wire frame into which cloths can be clamped.

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Men who have swayed millions, ruled continents, commanded mighty armies, have not always been blessed with money.

Hard cash was the one thing which in the early days Napoleon could not lay hands on, and the same may be said of Marshal Soult, who, before he became duke of Dalmenia was without a penny, says London Answers. Nor was his great comrade-in-arms, the heroic Ney, any better off when in his youth he donned the uniform of a private soldier.

We do not know for certain whether Columbus ever carried his coat to the pawnshop, but the miseries of a dungeon were certainly not the only ones which tried his heart, his pocket often being empty.

Owing to poverty, Dickens knew hardships as a boy, and Dumas, the author of "Monte Cristo," died a dependent.

Exodus of Genesis.

She—Don't you just love to think of Eden and our first parents?

He—Oh, I don't know. You see, mine got divorced so often that I can't remember which were the first.

One Advantage.

"Well, after all," remarked the Tommy who had lost a leg at the war, "there's one advantage in 'aving a wooden leg."

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"You can hold up yer bloomin' sock with a tin-tack!" chuckled the hero.

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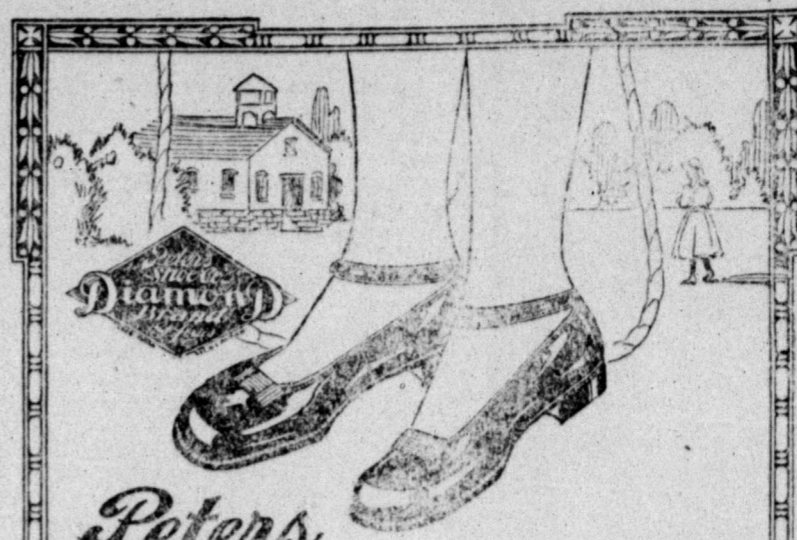
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Goat Creek News
Mr. Harvey Stone of Goat Creek and Miss Ada Bird of Roswell, N. M., were married at Waco May 22. They returned to her home, and spent several days and then went to Oklahoma where they will make their future home. We wish them much joy and happiness.
Contributed.

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Hunt Letter.
(Regular Correspondence)
Mrs. Johns Wachter and son Charlie are visiting her old home at Memphis, Tenn.
Dr. Walsh made a business trip to San Antonio this week.
Mrs. Harris Hardin and mother are visiting at Junction this week.
Mr. Joe Byas and daughters, Euia and Pearl, shopped in Kerrville last week.
Rob Merritt and wife of North fork visited his brother this week.
Miss Eddie Fowler of Ingram and Misses Maud Kelley and Willie Mayfield of Medina attended Sunday school at Hunt Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Dee Crider visited on South fork Monday.
Hal McKinley of Beaumont visited at Alva Joy's last Sunday.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Griffin June 1; a daughter.
Mrs. Jim Starcks visited Mrs. R. Byas Sunday.
Mr. Wren Alexander of Honey Creek was very painfully hurt while remodeling Alva Joy's barn last week.

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Violin Solo—Maybelle Roberts.
Male Quartette—Messrs. Moore, Saenger, Buckner and Saenger.
Piano solo—Miss Rawson.
Vocal solo—Miss Watters.
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