

# THE MOUNTAIN SUN.

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## My Guarantee Is Worth Something.

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### George H. Turner Confesses of Murder of Mrs. E. Lynch.

San Antonio, Tex., March 13.—George H. Turner is the self-confessed murderer of Mrs. Elizabeth Lynch.

To officers and newspaper men, in the presence of more than a half-score of people, at the county jail on Sunday afternoon, a short while after his capture, he told the story of the awful crime of last Thursday night.

Pale from the loss of blood, weak from his famished condition, trembling with dread and fear, terrified outwardly and inwardly, starting nervously at every sound, a cough, a loud voice, a shuffling of feet, or the hum of a passing vehicle, Turner drew aside the curtain and revealed the picture of the most shocking tragedy San Antonio has known for many years.

He made a full, free confession, with the lights before him and after legal warning. It was his second recital of the crime—that one in that one in the room to a half-score of officers and newspaper men—for he had already told Detective Shoaf and Constable Stevens the whole story.

He had bared his bosom to them, had told them everything his plans, his motive, his bloody execution, his flight, his suffering before and since, even up to the moment the words fell from his lips, but he could go no farther. He could not describe his suffering at that moment, his fears and remorse. It was an awful story of awful crime—a story of bloodshed, of tears and terror, of woe and want, of starvation and the slung-shot, of a doom more dreaded than death—a story of deep tragic lines through and through. And to the last page its horror will stand boldly forth, an awful lesson drawn from an awful crime, for Turner, more sensitive to his peril than any other man, when asked what he thought of the consequences of his transgression, said: "I don't know, but I reckon it'll go pretty hard with me."

These words were uttered with deep anguish, and their utter hopelessness sunk into the souls of the strong men standing around.

#### TURNER PALE AND EMACIATED.

Turner is emancipated from the part he played in the game of hide-seek with the law. He could not get food or water. A cut on his right thumb had bled copiously. In his weakened condition this loss was more keenly felt. He was faint and sick from hunger and thirst. He feared to call at any house for food and even feared to creep out of the bushes to the edge of the lake for water.

"I couldn't go to the lake, Charlie, for water," he said meekly to Constable Stevens, "because you know there's always a lot of young men out there fishing." That is why he went the house of English, which is three-quarters of a mile north of the Francis Smith place, back of Laurel Heights. He knows English and said that he had helped English when his family was in need. Approaching the house from the rear he beckoned English to come out and asked him for something to eat. He got the food. While English took the food out to him Mrs. English left by the front door and went to a telephone. Thus the capture of Turner was affected.

#### STORY OF ARREST.

The story of the arrest can be briefly told. English detained Turner while Mrs. English went to a telephone some distance away and called up headquarters. She gave the information and in a few minutes Detective George Shoaf, Deputy United States Marshal Fred Lancaster and Officer Jesse Bennett were in a hack driving madly toward the English home, which is nearly two miles from the center of the city. On the way out they took Henry Shoaf into the hack and also picked up Mounted Police Officer E. G. Neumann. The officers, after getting out of the hack had to run nearly 500 yards. English, in the meantime, was entertaining Turner in the rear of his house. Turner heard the running of Neumann's horse. "What is that?" he asked English. His nerve responded to every sound and his ear was keen.

#### GORDON AROUND PRISONER.

"Its a mounted policeman," said English. Turner turned pale. He was standing. His face betrayed his feelings. His frame shook visibly. Then he said: "English, you've given me away."

By this time the officers were upon him, Detective Shoaf, Henry Shoaf, Fred Lancaster and Officer Bennett advancing from one side and Officer Neumann from the other. Turner made no effort to run and no resistance. He quietly surrendered. In a few moments he was in the hack with the officers driving towards the city.

#### FEARED THE MOB.

Turner had made a partial confession to English before the officers arrived. To the officers in the hack he did not say anything that could be construed as an open confession. It showed his dread of danger, but he was guarded in his utterances. He asked the officers to protect him, evidently fearing mob violence. They reassured him of this score and on the way to the city he talked a little about being in the bushes. He was driven to the county jail and locked up. He still had on the same clothes at the time he committed the murder. He had washed some of the off, so that it did not show. At the jail he was given new raiment and his clothes were bundled to be held for evidence.

#### Mother and Children Killed.

Little Rock, Ark., March 6.—A special to the Arkansas Gazette from Danville says:

A quadruple murder was committed last night at Whitely about 12 miles from Danville, the

victims being the wife and three children of James Ince, a farmer in that locality. Ince is in jail.

The bodies of the woman and children were found this morning by neighbors. An axe had been used by the murderer and the heads of the victims were split and crushed horribly, showing that in each instance a heavy blow was struck. The four persons had been slain while they slept.

News of the tragedy reached here first this morning, through information conveyed by Ince. He said his wife and three children were murdered in their beds and he knew the neighbors would accuse him of the bloody deed and he was afraid he might be mobbed. He came to advise with counsel as to what was best for him to do.

Ince was advised to surrender to the officers. He was taken in charge by City Marshal Vosburg. Soon after the man was put in jail a telephone message came from Whitely, telling of a quadruple murder and requesting the authorities to look out for Ince.

#### Oldest Indian Dead.

Shawnee, Okla., March 15.—Klathlo Harjo, a Seminole, known as "Old Fish," said to have been the oldest living Indian in America, is dead at the age of 110. He was born in the Everglades of Florida and fought in the war of 1812 against this country, as well as in the Seminole wars. He enlisted as a volunteer soldier of the United States during the Civil war and served with distinction. Since then he had lived with his tribe and acquired a reputation as a doctor among the Indians.

#### Liberty Was Brief.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 12.—Sixteen prisoners made a desperate dash for liberty from the county jail at the breakfast hour here early this morning. One of them, Silas Love, was shot dead and Dick Hastings escaped and others who secured temporary liberty were all captured in a short while after the outbreak. Among the prisoners attempting to regain their freedom was Houston Hooker, sentenced to hang for the murder of Conductor Atwood on the St. Louis & Iron Mountain railway.

#### Followed Children a Long Distance.

McKinney, Tex., March 13.—The strength of a mother's devotion received another demonstration in the facts brought out in a habeas corpus hearing completed before Judge J. M. Pearson. The style of the case was Amelia Cardell vs. Jesse Cardell, for possession of their four minor children. These couple, who lived in Cullman county, Alabama, separated last December, the mother leaving and going to Walker county, that State, with the children, the eldest boy of 10 years, and the others little girls of 7, 4 and 2 respectively. Last month she consented for the children to go back for a brief visit to their father. They failed to return, and she went to get them, finding on her arrival that her husband had departed, taking the children with him. With her four month old twin babies she immediately began a search for them. She followed to Decatur, Ala., thence to Dallas, this State, then to Felissa, and finally found them Valdasa, this county. It is said she offered to live with her husband

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in order to be with the children, but on his refusal, she employed Hon. H. L. Davis of this city to institute habeas corpus proceedings for the possession the children. Judge Pearson ruled that he was not justified in separating the children from one parent and awarding them to another, and told them for their children's sake, they should reconcile their differences.

The children seemed willing to go with either parent, and the mother, taking the youngest, the others followed her. The father showed some disposition to interfere, but a crowd gathered and the mother was assured of protection in the possession of the children. She took them to the Vermilion boarding house on North Tennessee street and locked them. She said she would rather die than return to Alabama without her children.

#### Scheme to Marry Money.

Galveston, Tex., Mch. 13.—A very interesting incident recently occurred which shows to what extent schemes will be worked to entrap marriageable women and girls for the sake of money. Rev. Mr.

Moore, pastor of the Shearn Methodist Church here, received a letter, while he was pastor of a church in San Antonio, from an old gentleman in South Carolina, asking him to look up a certain man in San Antonio with reference to his character. He said that the man had been in correspondence with his granddaughter and had made a proposal of marriage to her and had told that he was wealthy and led the young girl to believe that he was very prominent in the city in which he lived. Mr. Moore at once set about to see what he could find out about the man. He telephoned to Dunn's Commercial Agency and gave a description of the man and asked them to look him up. The agent said "Your inquiry comes from a man in South Carolina, does it not?" and the answer was that it did. The agent then told him that they had had a request from the man in San Antonio, asking them to look up the old man in South Carolina with reference to his financial standing. He said that the man who was seeking to marry the young girl was a worthless fellow and of a desperate character and that he had absolutely nothing. It appeared that it was just a scheme to marry a girl, expecting to get a lot of money thereby.





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## Every Item Is a Bargain.

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## Rosenthal.

### PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Gathered Here and There By SUN Reporters.

A \$15.00 watch for \$1.00, Monday. SELF'S.

Miss Julia Helper, of San Antonio, is in the city for a few days' stay.

Mrs. A. A. Roberts has presented the Sunshine Library with a very acceptable book.

O. Rosenthal returned Wednesday from a business trip of several days to San Antonio, Houston and Galveston.

Capt. W. G. Whorton, from the Famous Whorton Ranch on the Divide, was in Kerrville Monday for supplies for the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Dubus returned Sunday from a few days' visit to friends and relatives at their old home at Jeanerette, Louisiana.

Mrs. G. D. Anderson and little son are spending a few days with friends and relatives at Morris Ranch.

Randolph and Gerard Poril were in the metropolis Monday buying supplies and attending to other business.

Notice is directed to the announcement of Mrs. Herzog's millinery opening which appears elsewhere in this issue.

A. P. Littler, a cotton buyer, who had been spending some time in Kerrville, left Sunday last for his home in San Antonio.

B. B. Lowrance and A. E. Northcraft, the painters, returned the latter part of last week from Center Point, where they had been for several weeks engaged.

Lester Taylor, of Junction, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

Gus Real from the Divide, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

Otto Diertert left Wednesday for a business visit to the Alamo city.

Mrs. P. J. Domingues has presented the Sunshine Library with a set of Dicken's works.

### LADIES SHIRT WAISTS.

We have just opened a very nobby line of late styles of plain and fancy shirt waists. These goods are new style fabrics and new in design.

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W. F. Thrailkill, of Mountain Home, was in Kerrville Wednesday making business for our merchants.

Benzo-Lotion cures chaps and freckles.

ROCK DRUG STORE, Kerrville.  
WALKER'S DRUG STORE,  
Center Point, Texas.

Chas. Real left Monday for Waco as a delegate to the W. O. W. Convention which met in that city Tuesday.

Mrs. M. R. Braggins has donated to the Sunshine Library a valuable set of Grant's Memoirs besides several volumes of fiction.

G. M. Carson, a leading merchant of Rock Springs, arrived in Kerrville Tuesday and left Tuesday for San Antonio to buy his Spring stock of goods.

Fritz Bierschwale, Joe Moore, Henry Billings and Mr. Moore, Sr., all of Harper, were here Tuesday with a load of cotton each, which they sold for 7 cents.

A \$9.50 watch for \$1.00, Monday. SELF'S.

Col. Sam Durnett, of Harper, was in Kerrville on Saturday of last week.

Mayor Jno. H. Ward made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

Dr. J. D. Roberson, of Ingram, was in Kerrville on Friday of last week.

### SATTINE PETT COATS.

We have a handsome line of Black Sattine Petticoats. These goods are first-class in quality and the prices will make you glad.

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D. G. Horn, a representative citizen of Center Point, was a visitor to the city Sunday last.

A. E. Burge, a representative Divide ranchman was in Kerrville several days this week for supplies for the ranch.

### Spring Millinery.

Mrs. Russell has received a nice line of new, up-to-date millinery, and will get in new goods continually through the season. She has employed a lady from Tennessee, who has trimmed in St. Louis and other large cities. She will be able to show her friends a nice line of up-to-date hats by the first of April and will have street hats on display by the 15th of this month.

Mrs. M. J. Russell

### Notice of Stock Election.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF KERR. Whereas, on the 18th day of February, 1905, a petition was presented to the Commissioners' Court of Kerr County, Texas, by more than twenty legally qualified free-holders of Election Precinct No. 2, of said County, praying for an election to be held within the Precinct to determine whether or not sheep, hogs and goats shall be permitted to run at large in said precinct; and, whereas, upon hearing of said petition, the same was granted and said election ordered to be held at First National Bank, in Center Point, Texas, on Saturday the 1st day of April 1905.

Therefore, in accordance with said order, I hereby order that said election be held at the time and place, as set forth in the order of the Commissioners' Court aforesaid, for the purpose of determining said question and Neal Coldwell, James Crotty and Alonzo Rees, are hereby appointed managers of said election.

Witness my official signature, at office in Kerrville this 20th day of February 1905.  
44-36 JULIUS REAL,  
County Judge, Kerr Co. Texas.

### Pigs For Sale.

I have for sale, some very fine Poland China-Bershire pigs about 3 or 4 months old.

ED B. GERDES.

D. H. Hughs, a young Divide stockman spent the latter part of last week in Kerrville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hughs.

### At the Churches.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, J. T. King, Pastor. Services every Sabbath, except the 3rd Sabbath in each month, at 11 a. m. and at 7:15 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. J. J. Stokely, Superintendent. Senior League 2:30 p. m. A. L. Stokely, President. Junior League. Sundays 2:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday 7:15 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH: Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., except the fourth in each month. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Jno. C. Graves, Superintendent of Sunday school. Everyone cordially invited to attend all services. Brooks I. Dickey, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Preaching 1st and 3rd Sunday morning and night Sunday school Sunday morning at 10 a. m. Young People's Union every Sunday at 4 p. m. Business meeting first Sunday in each month. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Meet with us.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, Service Kerrville every Sunday in the month, except the 2nd at 11 a. m., also on the 4th at 5 p. m. Morris Ranch, services on 3rd Sunday in month.

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REV. L. C. ZETTNER, German Lutheran minister will preach at the Union church the third and fourth Sunday in each month. Morning and night.

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### The Kaiser's Table Habits.

According to a writer in one of the most courtly of Berlin journals the kaiser is very fond of vegetables. "I have so many gardens," he is reported to have said to the kaiserin, "that surely you can let me have fresh vegetables every day." He likes German beefsteak, that is, chopped meat and onions fried. This he eats with mashed potatoes. It is, in fact, his favorite dish. His majesty can't stand oysters since he was made ill once by some baked mollusks which an august English relative offered him. Fish must never be absent from his table, and he always eats quantities of it. "It is good for the brain," he says, "as it contains plenty of phosphorus." His early breakfast is at 8 o'clock, and then he enjoys plenty of toast and butter, prepared in the English fashion. His beloved sweets are pancakes, with lemon juice and sugar over them. He eats rapidly, and does little talking while at meals, but after a hearty repast he enjoys half an hour of easy, familiar talk and a strong cigar. He never indulges in a siesta, no matter how hot the weather or how heavy the luncheon.

### Champion Water Drinker.

Secretary Shaw received a letter one day from a man named Brown who lives in Covington, Ky., saying: "Please send me a United States license for showing that I am the champion water-drinker of the world—the human reservoir. The way I can drink water is one of the greatest things you ever saw, and I want to exhibit myself around the country."

Mr. Shaw replied that no license is necessary, as there is no law to prevent a man from drinking as much water as he wants to, even in Kentucky.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes, who is from Kentucky, declared that the letter is a fake or Brown is a new arrival in Kentucky. Mr. Yerkes considers that his state has been slandered, and has started an inquiry as to who Brown is and how long he has lived in Kentucky.

### Invaluable for Rheumatism.

I have been suffering for the past few years with a severe attack of rheumatism and found that Ballard's Snow Liniment was the only thing that gave me satisfaction and tended to alleviate my pains. March 24, '02: John C. Dagnan, Kinsman, Ills. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

### A Poet Who Succeeds.

The Italian government has voted an annual pension of about \$2,400 to the veteran poet, Carducci, on his retirement, after forty-five years' service, from the chair of literature in the University of Bologna. Carducci, who has long been recognized as Italy's greatest living poet, was the founder of a new school, a reaction against romanticism, a return to the sources of classic inspiration. His model was Horace, but a Horace endowed with an active political conscience, and his songs of independence have left their mark on history as well as literature.

### Power of an Elephant.

The elephant is great as a traction power. Experiments have shown that a horse pulls about one-sixth of its own weight, whereas an elephant can pull its entire weight. This might be emphasized by the fact that an elephant is six times as big as a horse. In India, for centuries, it has been shown that they are unequaled as pullers. Two of them, in carefully arranged contests, raised 6,500 pounds. One raised a safe weighing more than a ton.

### In Water Ten Hours.

A Belgian swimmer made a wager recently that he could stay in the water ten hours, swimming the whole time. He won the bet, performing the feat at the Antwerp baths.

### The London Fog.

The English fog is sui generis. In a mild fog the perspective of a city street seems merely smoke-obscured, like a street in a great American manufacturing center. What is generally called a fog in the United States is there a mist—pure moisture in the air, devoid of the foreign substances which give the English fog its distinctive character. The basis of the fog is, of course, moisture, to which the British isles are believed to be peculiarly liable from their situation. Scientists say that the topography of London renders it even more vulnerable than most other parts of England. The mist alone would be only a trifle, not necessarily unwholesome, and easily dissipated by the sun, but it becomes charged with the immense quantities of smoke pouring from countless chimneys, the residue of soft-coal combustion. This so thickens the fog that it almost defies the sun. It gathers at the worst after sundown. After sunrise, as a rule, the fog slowly disappears; till by noon the sun appears as a red ball. On rare occasions the fog may last all day undiminished, or it may come in the middle of the day, but the daylight prevents its being quite so bad as at night, since very near objects can be seen. A very thick fog seldom lasts at the longest over two or three days. Generally speaking, the first fogs come with the autumn frosts—the time and atmospheric conditions corresponding with the American Indian summer. The fogs are said to be less dense now than fifteen or twenty years ago, owing to the attempts to abate the smoke nuisance and to the growing use of gas and electricity for heating and cooking.

### The Best Cough Syrup.

S. L. Apple, ex-Probate Judge, Ottawa Co., Kansas, writes: "This is to say that I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for years, and that I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

### Origin of Lloyd's.

Two centuries ago a man who had a cargo to send to the Mediterranean contrived to get rid of some of the risk by inducing a friend to take an interest with him. It was necessary to write out a statement of contract to which the guarantors subscribed; this was the first underwriting. These two men happened to be frequenters of Lloyd's coffee house in London, which was a favorite place for the merchants of the town to gather to discuss business or to gossip. Others immediately saw the advantage of the scheme which their colleagues had devised and on the next voyage the risk was parceled out among a larger number of the patrons of the coffee house. Out of this small beginning has grown the great European maritime agency, still bearing the name of the humble coffee house proprietor and which not only writes risks on vessels, but rates them and publishes their arrivals at every port the world over, no matter how small or how remotely situated.

### What a Buffoon Is.

Mark Twain (Mr. Samuel Clemens) has evolved another definition of humor a great many in the course of his life and thereby enriched the language not a little. "A buffoon," Mr. Clemens is credited with saying, "is a professional fool, whereas a wag is only an amateur fool." "What am I? Why, a serious philosopher, of course, I never pretended to be anything more worthy."

### Water Almost Incompressible.

Water is so nearly incompressible that it is but little denser at the bottom of the ocean than on the surface. Any substance which will sink will go directly to the bottom in spite of the popular belief to the contrary.

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Herbine is a boon for sufferers from anaemia. By its use the blood is quickly regenerated and the color becomes normal. The drooping strength revived. The languor is diminished. New life and happy activity results. Mrs. Belle H. Shriel, Middlesborough, Ill., writes, "I have been troubled with liver complaint and poor blood, and have found nothing to benefit me like Herbine. I hope never to be without it. I have wished that I had known of it in my husband's life time." 50c. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

### Straight Goods on Pure English.

The announcement that Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, has introduced a bill for the preservation of the English language is sure a hot one right off the bat. The general impression, at least on our beat, was that when it came to handing out the English language in a manner that was dead right we were pretty fly guys. Not only the preservation, but the amplification of the English language has always been the long suit of the American people, and no matter how fast new bunches of it were sprung we are always dead next in a minute. What the senator's game is we can't see from here, but we can give him a quiet tip that we're for the English language from soda to hock, and that if we can give him a lift at this graft he won't find any of us with cold feet. That is of course, if it's a straight deal and he really wants to do the right thing by the lingo that we are all so proud of. But if it's anything else he wants to keep his eyes peeled. We've a hunch that any man who tries to monkey with our mother tongue for political purposes is going to get it in the neck all he has got coming to him. We of Indiana, where, perhaps, in politics and literature, we use as much English language per capita as in any other neck of the woods in the country, certainly won't stand for anything that gives the language the heavy end of the log. If there is anything we are touchy about it is our English, and whether it is being used for the hot air of a political gabfest or the perfectly lovely resolutions of the local Council of Women, we want it kept straight and used without any marks on the deck, and it will never lack for a gang of husky guys to see that it doesn't get the worst of it. Us for English, pure and undefined, and oodles of it.—Indianapolis News.

### Strikes Hidden Rocks.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, cough and colds. Guaranteed at Rock Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

### French Politeness.

One of the newest Depew stories was told by the senator as an event of his last foreign trip. The senator was in a Paris shop when a fellow countryman entered and asked the price of a pin on the counter. He was told it was 20 francs. "That's too much," said the tourist; "it's a present for my sister. I'll give you 5 francs for it." "Zen it would be I zat gave ze present to your sister," said the Frenchman, with a deprecatory shrug, "and I do not know ze young made-moiselle."



## The Mountain Sun.

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KERRVILLE is putting on her new fogs and getting ready for Easter. The street commissioner has repaired the streets and side walks, the county court has put out a nice lot of shrubbery and evergreens in the court house yard and the whole town is wearing a look of unusual prosperity.

THAT Missouri Legislature is going keep fooling round, about the United States Senator business until some of them miss a crop this year. Gov. Folk is to blame for the whole business. If it were not for the fear of his anti-boodle policy, somebody would very probably have bought a majority before this time.

EVERYBODY ought to be willing to push a good thing along, and the liberal spirit in which the people have responded to the call of Sunshine Free Library shows that the people consider it a good thing. No person of intelligence attempts to question the value of reading and few people are financially able to buy all the books they have time and inclination to read, but when good books may be had free, all can read and enrich the mind without cost. The Library is prospering beyond the most sanguine expectations of the few original promoters in city. May it grow and wax strong and flourish like the green bay tree.

### Ball a Grand Success.

The mask ball given at Pampell's Hall on Friday night of last week was a very gratifying success from every view point. The costumes were right up to the requirements all the way round, and the Mountain Sun Band Junior, was a prize winner from start to finish. Socially the entertainment was in the first rank with other events of the season. The Band boys netted a handsome amount for the Treasury of the organization and every one who attended was pleased to have been there.

### Artillery Coming to Kerrville.

Lieut. Tillman Campbell, of Fort Sam Houston, was in Kerrville Wednesday on business connected with the encampment of artillery at Kerrville next month, for target practice. Lieut. Campbell says the troops will leave San Antonio immediately after the visit of President Roosevelt to the Alamo city and will be in Kerrville for about a month. The camp will be near the fair grounds.

### DON'T GET FRECKLES.

Buy a straw Hat. We have a big stock, all kinds, classes, styles and varieties and the prices are very low.

### The Famous.

Chas. Goodman and family, of Ft. Smith, Ark., arrived in Kerrville Tuesday. They are now domiciled in the Goodman residence and will locate permanently in Kerrville.

### Sunshine Library.

At a meeting of the Sunshine Library Association held at the Library Monday night, permanent organization was effected by the election of the following officers:

Mrs. G. H. Coleman, president; Mrs. Patti Hannis, vice-president; Mrs. Clemmie Morris, secretary; G. W. Walther, librarian and treasurer.

On motion, the president appointed a purchasing committee of three, composed of G. W. Walther and Misses Burnett and Galbraith.

A committee on by-laws for the Association was appointed as follows: Judge J. R. Burnett, J. E. Grinstead and Mrs. R. Galbraith.

A vote of thanks was tendered Head Librarian, G. W. Walther, for his untiring efforts in the advancement of the Library movement.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at the Library at 8:00 p. m., March 24.

The Library has come to stay. It has all the marks of one of those popular things that from a small beginning grow and grow, until they reach gigantic proportions as an agency for good in the community.

### Suits Cleaned

#### and Pressed.

I do all kinds of repairing and altering work promptly done. Ladies skirts cleaned.

**S. Friedman,**  
The Tailor, Kerrville, Texas.

### The Court House Square.

The little trees and shrubbery just set out by the county on the courthouse square gives that part of the city a very refreshing appearance. The county made a step in the right direction when it began this work, and it is the duty of the city and every citizen of Kerrville to give the enterprise liberal support. With concerted effort on the part of the people, and the authorities of Kerr county can easily have, within a few years, a court house square equal in beauty to any in the State.

### Runaway Boys.

Thursday morning Marshal Peterson arrested two boys, aged about 10 and 14 respectively that had drifted in to Kerrville and had the appearance of being runaways. When questioned the elder boy claimed to be a nephew of ex-Senator Madden, of Crockett, and said he and his companion, who he claimed, was his brother, were on the way to Fredericksburg, where they had relatives. Mr. Peterson wired Senator Madden, who replied that he did not think the boys were runaways.

The lads were dirty and travel stained and looked like they had seen hard usage. They were well fed and got a good rest in the city bastille.

### RUNAWAY NO. 2.

Tuesday, sometime, Eddy Stocking, a white boy, aged nine, and a Mexican boy about seventeen years old started out to see how large a world they were living in. When Eddy failed to show up at night his mother became very anxious and a search was begun which revealed the fact that the two boys had been last seen in company. The officials took up the hunt for the runaways and the boys were located at Bandera. It is very probable that Eddy will have sown as large a crop of wild oats as he wants to harvest, by the time he gets back to his mother.

### Furniture! Furniture! Furniture!

For the next 30 days I am going to sell my entire stock of furniture, matting, window shades, mattresses, cook stoves, &c., at and below cost. I don't mean what it costs you, but what it cost me. Strictly at wholesale prices. This is an opportunity that everyone should take advantage of. If you live fifty miles away it will pay you to come here to buy. If you need anything in this line, come early before the goods are fished over. No trouble to show goods and give prices. Reason for selling out, I want to travel for my health. N. R. SCARBOROUGH, Center Point, Tex.

### Protracted Meeting.

I will begin a series of meetings in the Methodist church, at Center Point next Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Evangelist, Rev. D. A. Gregg, will assist me and a cordial invitation is extended to all Christian people of the community to help in this effort for the advancement of righteousness. F. A. WHITE.

You have a hard enough time making both ends meet, without paying too much for your clothing. We have just received a big stock of men's and boys' clothing. The goods are right in style and quality and the price is not too high. G. D. ANDERSON.

### White Goods,

The best in this line is not too good for you. We have it.

### Our Spring Stock

Which is now ready for your inspection comprises

Persian Lawns,  
Wash Organadies,  
Embroidered Muslin,  
Mercerized Fancies,  
Oxfords, Piques,  
Pompadour Silk Cheviot,  
Silver Appretur,  
Plain White Goods,  
White Silk Batiste,  
White Linen,  
All our Goods and Laces.

The stock covers the whole gamut of dainty white dress goods nice enough for queens and princesses and not too nice for you. We ask you to inspect them.

Chas. Schreiner Co.

### Mad With Rage Denver Teamster Wiped Out Whole Fill Family.

Denver, Col., March 12.—Mad with rage because of his defeat in a law suit, in which K. Fills, the man who he pronounced his bitterest enemy, had been victorious, and swore vengeance against him and his family, George Schistler, a teamster, armed himself with a rifle today and started out to murder. When the smoke of battle had cleared away three persons were dead, one was missing and three others lay wounded, two at least dangerously.

The dead:  
K. Fills,  
Mrs. K. Fills,  
George Schistler.  
The missing:  
A child of the Fills.  
Wounded:  
Dr. Frank Dulin, police surgeon.

William Bohannan, acting chief of police.

Mike Kelly.  
The wife of George Schistler is prostrated over the affair and may die from the shock.

KILLED AND BURNED.  
Schistler had brooded over his

trouble with the Fill's family, who were immediate neighbors, and announced today that he would even up matters. Taking a rifle of improved pattern, and buckling on a belt of smokeless cartridges, he started for the Fills home. Fills saw Schistler approaching and tried to avoid him by entering the house, but Schistler sent a bullet into his brain. Mrs. Fills rushed to her husband's side and was instantly killed by a bullet from Schistler's rifle. Schistler then set fire to the Fills home, which was destroyed.

A son of Fills is missing, and is believed to have perished in the flames. Schistler returned to his own house and barricaded himself inside. In the meantime neighbors appeared on the scene, but quickly retreated when bullets began falling near them. A telephone message was sent to Police Captain Bohannan, and three officers came to the scene. They were met with a rain of bullets. Dulin and Bohannan fell to the floor of the ambulance, wounded. The driver reined his horses, when another shot from Schistler dropped one of the animals to the ground. With the assistance of spectators, the wounded men were removed from the scene. Dulin was shot three times, once in each leg, and another time in the left thigh. His condition is critical. Bohannan received a bullet in the leg, but it is not dangerous.

### HELD ATTACKERS AT BAY.

A call for reinforcements brought all the available men from police headquarters and the sheriff's office, and a consultation was held to formulate a plan of capturing Schistler. Firing squads were stationed in nearby houses, and a larger force was placed in a large hay wagon. During the preliminary arrangements Schistler kept up a continuous fire. This was returned by the officers, and hundreds of shots were exchanged. Kelly was slightly wounded. Finally Schistler ceased firing, and the hay wagon fort was moved cautiously toward the house. When the attacking parties reached the front gate without a shot being fired, one of the officers stepped into view, thinking to draw the fire Schistler, if he were still alive. None came, and with a rush of officers broke down the door. They found Schistler lying on a bed bleeding from several wounds. He died soon afterward.

Mrs. Schistler was from home at the time, and when she learned of the affair fell prostrate. It is thought she will die from the shock.

### Registered Cattle For Sale.

Short Horns, Polled Durham, Red Polls.

Three Hundred Head in Herd. Located below fever line. Healthy, Hardy Stock of best Scotch Strains. Reasonable Prices and Easy Terms to Responsible Buyers. Will take some good land at market price in part pay for round lots. Address

### Landa Cattle Company,

Breeders of Registered Cattle Only. New Braunfels, Texas.

### FOR SALE.

Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels and a Few Fine Pullets.

Eggs for Hatching After February 15th, \$2.00 for 15.  
Single Comb Brown Leghorns.  
Single Comb White Leghorns.  
Barred Plymouth Rocks.

There Are None Better.

Lee Mason, - - Kerrville, Tex.

All Kinds of

## Fancy Chewing And Smoking Tobacco

And

The Best Line of 5c Cigars in Texas, at

J. L. PAMPELL'S.

## WHERE SHALL I GO

To get some good photos? Where can I get my kodak work finished?

Where can I get some good views to send home?

At Mrs. O'Neal's Photograph Gallery, of course. She promises you satisfaction, and will stay here to see that you get it.

**MRS. O'NEAL,**

Photographer, Opp. St. Charles.

### THE CASH BARGAIN STORE

Is still in town and ready to serve all our customers as best we can. Honesty and fairness in both price and quality is our motto; cash is our pass word and bargains is our recognition sign. So call and inspect our stock. Come early and avoid the rush for cheap groceries, shoes, dry goods and notions. Opposite Schreiner's Mill.

C. H. SAYERS, Prop.

### Center Point

Has a first-class drug store. Don't forget about it. Call and give us a chance.

**W. A. WALKER,**

Registered Pharmacist

Center Point, - Texas.



### HOME NEWS.

#### Interesting Items From Town and County.

A \$15.00 watch for \$1.00, Monday. SELF'S.

M. M. Hagens returned Thursday from San Antonio.

J. W. Farris, of Harper, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Miss Ellen Corkill left Sunday for Center Point, where she spent the week with friends.

Richard O'Connor, of Center Point, was in the metropolis Wednesday and paid the S. N. office a pleasant call.

Capt. Howard Lacey, from his ranch at the head of Bear Creek, was in the city Monday and paid the S. N. office a pleasant call.

Mrs. Otto Wahrmond, of San Antonio, was in Kerrville Sunday last and was seen at the St. Charles Hotel.

**Dr. Edward Galbraith,**  
  
**Dentist**

Office Next to Rawson's Drug Store  
Kerrville, Texas.

R. A. Sproul, a young Divide ranchman, near Mountain Home, was in Kerrville Thursday making business for our merchants.

Hon. J. A. Thomas of Leonard, Representative from Fannin county, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas, came over from Austin Saturday and spent Sunday with the family of Street Commissioner T. Thomas.

### Spring Dress Goods

Now Ready At

**Chas. Schreiner Co.**

J. S. Lowrance, a well-known Divide ranchman was in Kerrville Tuesday for supplies. Mr. Lowrance reports everything in fine shape on the ranch.

A new suit for the boy? To be sure. We just got in the noblest line of boys suits ever shown in Kerrville. Late Spring styles, good quality and very low prices. G. D. ANDERSON.

Dennis Tighe, who had been here for some time with his sister, in search of health, died Tuesday morning. The remains were shipped to his home at Sidell, Ill., for interment. Undertaker Jno. H. Ward accompanied the remains as far as San Antonio.

Chas. C. Hand, of Carpenters, Alabama, arrived in Kerrville the latter part of last week on a prospecting trip. Mr. Hand, while here, inspected the country, and will probably locate near Kerrville. He left Wednesday for Fort Worth and will return in a week or ten days.

### LADIES LOW CUT SHOES.

We have received our Spring stock in this line comprising all the latest styles in Blacks and Tans.

**Gibson Ties,**

**Oxford Ties,**

**Beacon Ties.**

Latest styles, first quality. See them first.

**Chas. Schreiner Co.**

A \$9.50 Ring for \$1.00, Monday. SELF'S

Clayton Morris, of Morris Ranch, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Fresh comb honey in any quantity at the Famous.

T. F. Green of the Mountain Home community, was in the city Sunday last.

A. N. Nichols, of Mountain Home, was in Kerrville Monday and registered at the Gerdes.

Bunk Nelson, a stockman of the Ingram vicinity, was in Kerrville Thursday for supplies for the ranch.

Sam H. Jones, a young Bandera county ranchman, was in Kerrville the latter part of last week and registered at the Gerde's Hotel.

### Just Arrived

A nice selection of Spring and Summer samples. Call at my place of business on Mountain street, and look at them.

**S. FRIEDMAN,**  
The Tailor, Kerrville, Texas.

Geo. Anderson, a young Divide stockman, was in the city Monday for supplies. George says everything on the ranch is in good shape.

I am agent for the Globe-Wernicke Book Cases. Samples can be seen in the Sunshine Library. If you are needing any book cases give me your order.

JOHN C. GRAVES.

R. B. Hadden, formerly of this city but now of San Antonio, was in Kerrville Thursday. Mr. Hadden is representing the Lowry Manufacturing Company of San Antonio.

There will be preaching at the Presbyterian church, Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and at 8 p. m. The evening sermon will probably be the last the pastor, Rev. Brooks I. Dickey, will preach in Kerrville, as he will conclude his work with the church at that time.

### LADIES SKIRTS.

Our Spring stock of plain and fancy skirts is now ready for you to look at and buy. Nothing nicer has been offered and we hope you will be pleased.

**Chas. Schreiner Co.**

Mrs. Grubb Hamilton and son, Irvine, formerly residents of this city, but more recently of Brady, arrived in Kerrville the latter part of last week, and will reside here again permanently.

Sam H. Hill and wife, from their ranch at the head of North Fork, were in Kerrville Wednesday and were among the guests at the St. Charles Hotel. Mrs. Hill will remain several days, while Mr. Hill will return to the ranch.

Our stock of slippers and low shoes, for ladies, is up to the requirements in excellence of quality, styles and finish and the prices are just a little lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

THE FAMOUS.

### Coming. Coming.

A full carload of the finest furniture ever bought to Kerrville will arrive next week. We will then be in shape to show the people such furniture bargains as will make them wonder how we can do it.

**Fawcett, Barnes & Co.**

# Charles Schreiner Co.,

Kerrville, Texas,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

## GENERAL MERCHANDISE And Leaders in Low Prices.

Agents for Eclipse and Aermoter Windmills, Collins' Pump Jacks, Yellow Kid Disc Plows, Deering Harvesters and Springfield and Studebaker Wagons and Vehicles.

## Pasteur's Vaccine for Blackleg.

Robt. Wellborn and Wilton Moore, of Center Point, were among the visitors to the city yesterday.

A series of meetings has been going on at the Presbyterian church this week, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Brooks I. Dickey.

Herman Mosel has carpenters at work thoroughly overhauling his residence near the depot. When it is completed it will be one of the nicest homes in that part of the city.

We have a handsome new line of laces and ribbons. Now is the time to get ready for Easter and this is the place to buy the trimmings.

THE FAMOUS.

C. C. Hixson, of Ballinger, arrived in Kerrville Tuesday and registered at the St. Charles Hotel. In the afternoon Mr. Hixson left for the ranch of his brother, B. M. Hixson, where he will spend several days.

### SPRING MILLINERY OPENING.

I will have my Spring Millinery opening, Monday, March 17. Everybody is cordially invited to call and see my display.

**MRS. M. J. RUSSELL.**

A. H. Morris, of New Orleans, arrived in Kerrville Sunday last and left at once for Morris Ranch, where he will visit friends and relatives for several days.

Tailor-Made on a man's coat collar and the knowledge that his clothes are tailor-made gives him confidence in his appearance. You can have tailor-made clothes and the cost won't be any more than you have been paying for hand-me-downs. We have a handsome line of Spring samples from the Royal Tailors and would be pleased to take your order for a suit. They are tailor-made and we guarantee a perfect fit.

G. D. ANDERSON.

### Amusements

THE  
SOUTHERN DRAMATIC COMPANY,  
COMMENCING

TUESDAY,  
MARCH 21,

WITH

"IN THE SHADOW OF THE ROCKIES"

With good, strong specialties,  
Will Play a

WEEK'S ENGAGEMENT AT  
PAMPELL'S OPERA HOUSE

Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

Miss Minnie Hargis, who has been teaching school at the Ed Morriss ranch on the Divide, closed her school last week and left Wednesday for her home at San Antonio.

Chas. Kyle, of Hicksville, Ohio, is visiting friends in Kerrville. Mr. Kyle just returned from a pleasure trip to different points in Old Mexico.

Mrs. T. C. Griffin, of Atascosa, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. F. Jones, for the past two weeks, returned to her home on Saturday of last week. She was accompanied by her mother, who will be there for some time.

### MRS. N. HERZOG

Has received her spring stock of Millinery, and is now ready for business. Will have my Millinery opening on

Saturday, March 25

I invite everybody to call and see the prettiest stock of Millinery ever brought to the city

### MRS. N. HERZOG.

R. C. Harn, of San Antonio and Paul Miller, of Goliad, spent several days in Kerrville this week. These gentlemen are in the lightning rod business.

F. S. Howard returned to his duties with Chas. Schreiner Company Sunday last from a business trip of several days to his old home at Sealy.

J. T. Deering and family, of Higdon's Store, Georgia, arrived in Kerrville Saturday of last week with a view to locating near this place.

For Sale.

A good buggy and harness. Especially suited for a lady or invalid.

BROOKS I. DICKEY.

Wanted.

Jersey bull calf, registered or subject to registration.

H. E. WILSON,  
Junction City, Tex.

For Sale.

Full blood Jersey cows and heifers cheap.

JNO. H. WARD.

Bull For Sale.

I have a good Hereford-Durham bull, seven years old, at a bargain.

HOWARD LACY.

For Sale.

Pure White Wyandotte eggs; 50 cents for a setting of 13.

MRS. JNO. C. GRAVES

### To the Ladies

We call attention to the fact that we have just opened our stock of

### Spring Dress Goods.

This line comprises everything in the latest styles and weaves of dress fabrics, including

### Colored Marquise Organdies.

Fancy Berlin Bastiste,

Plain Bastiste,

Lataska Voile,

Fancy Mohair,

Fancy Dotted Crepe,

Etoile Organdies,

Dotted Swiss Muslins,

Mercerise Rayonet,

Imported French Kikimo,

Mercerized Gingham,

French Suitings,

Fancy Figured Organdies,

Plain Colored Organdies,

Silk Voile.

Great care has been used in selecting this stock. We feel sure they cannot fail to please. We cordially invite the ladies to call and inspect them.

**Chas. Schreiner Co.**

Attention is called to the Spring Millinery advertisement of Chas. Schreiner Co., which appears on the first page of this issue.

Mrs. O. C. Bulwer and little daughter, who had been visiting friends and relatives at Yoakum for the past two weeks, returned to their home in this city Sunday.

The Finest and Latest Photographic Work in Texas done at

### Powell's Studio,

511 1/2 East Houston St.,

San Antonio, Tex.

Awarded Three State Prizes, Also the Highest Prize at San Antonio International Fair 1904. You take no chances. Powell's photos are guaranteed to please. This is the only studio in the State making all of the highest grade finishes known to the Photographic Art. Old pictures enlarged to any size in the most artistic manner.

**L. T. Powell.**



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### 14TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

James L. Slayden, Congressman. Comprises the counties of Bexar, Comal, Kendall, Bandera, Kerr, Gillespie, Blanco, Barnett, Llano, Mason, McCulloch, San Saba, Lampasas, Mills, Brown and Coleman.

### 24TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Marshall Hicks, Senator. Comprises the counties of Bexar, Bandera, Kendall, Kerr and Gillespie.

### 9TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT

W. W. Burnett, Representative. Comprises the counties of Kerr, Kendall, Bandera, Edwards and Kimble.

### 35TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

R. H. Burney, Judge; C. C. Harris, Attorney. Comprises the counties of Zavalla, Uvalde, Edwards, Medina, Bandera, Kendall and Kerr.

Court convenes as follows: Kerr county, the 4th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Kendall county, the 2nd Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Bandera county, the 1st Monday in March and September.

Medina county, the 7th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Uvalde county, the 15th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Edwards county, the 13th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

Zavalla county, the 13th Monday after the 1st Monday in March and September.

### DUNTY OFFICERS.

Julius Real, County Judge.	W. E. Smith, County Attorney.
J. T. Moore, Sheriff and Tax. Col.	J. M. Hamilton, Co. and Dist. Clerk.
Otto Dietert, County Assessor.	Jeff Vining, County Treasurer.
A. L. Starkey, County Surveyor.	

### COMMISSIONERS.

F. A. Karger, Precinct 1.	John Rees, Precinct 2.
Herman Schulze, Precinct 3.	Dave Watson, Precinct 4.

### CITY OFFICERS.

Jno. H. Ward, Mayor.	A. H. Moore, City Attorney.
W. G. Peterson, Marshal.	John C. Graves, Treasurer.
A. R. Jones, Secretary.	W. E. Williams, Alderman.
R. H. P. Wright, Alderman.	B. B. Lowrance, Alderman.
Max Grona, Alderman.	Chas. Mosel, Alderman.

Council meets First and Third Tuesdays in month, at the court house.

### SCHOOL BOARD.

H. Kemschel, Pres.; H. V. Scholl, Sec.; W. H. Rawson, Treas.; W. E. Williams, J. E. Grinstead, B. C. Richards, W. G. Garrett. Regular meetings 2nd and 4th Tuesday nights in each month.

### SECRET SOCIETIES.

Kerrville Lodge A. & A. M., No. 697, meets Saturday night on or before the full moon. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

R. H. P. Wright, W. M.; J. E. Grinstead, S. W. A. R. Jones, J. W.; J. L. Vining, S. D. A. W. Henke, J. D.; G. D. Anderson, Sec. H. Kemschel, Treas. Green Lackey, Tyler. F. A. Crenshaw, W. L. Robinson, } Stewards.

Kerrville Lodge Knights of Pythias, No. 166, meets at Castle Hall on the first and third Thursdays of each month, corner Main and Tchauptoulas streets. Visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend.

G. H. Coleman, C. C. A. B. Williamson, K. of K. and S. Cypress Camp, W. O. W., No. 58, meets every first and third Wednesday night, at Woodmen Hall, corner Main and Mountain streets. Visiting sovereigns cordially invited to attend.

Chas. Real, C. C. H. G. Koester, Clerk.

Fritz Reuter Lodge Sons of Hermann No. 23, meets on last Saturday night in each month, at their hall over Favorite saloon. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.

MAX GRONA, President. I. F. W. DRIBERT, Secretary.

### U. S. MAIL

Arrives and Departs as follows: San Antonio mail arrives at postoffice daily at 1:00 p. m. Leaves postoffice daily at 2:00 p. m. Mail for Junction Rock Springs, Mountain Home, Ingram, Japonica, Lula and Sedovia departs daily, at 1:00 p. m. Arrives daily, at from 11:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

Mail from Harper and Noxville arrives daily, except Sundays, at from 11:30 a. m. to 12:00 p. m. Departs daily, except Sundays, 1:00 p. m.

Mail from Morris Ranch arrives daily, except Sundays, at from 11:30 a. m. to 12:00 p. m. Departs daily, except Sundays, at 1:00 p. m.

CHAS. REAL, P. M.

### Telling How It Is Done.

"How to Make Money," a magazine launched a few months ago which printed various articles detailing "the secret of success" in the careers of Russell Sage, Andrew Carnegie and other multi-millionaires, was itself unable to make money, and has suspended publication. It seems to us that the fate of this periodical was sealed when it chose its title.

Do the men who come to your office with an infallible scheme to make you rich look as if it had made them rich? Do the race track hangers on who want to tip you off to a "sure thing" dress as if they had been backing "sure things" themselves? As the fortune teller who can tell where to "find money" found any on her own account?

It is part of the irony of things that under the useful principle of division of labor, the world may be divided into two classes—those who do things, and those who profess to tell others how to do them. The treatises upon "getting on in the world" are not written by the men who are a conspicuous success at getting on themselves. The little handbooks, "every man his own lawyer" or "doctor"—are they not written by professional men while they are waiting for clients or patients?

When a really successful man tells how it happened, he is giving hostages to ill fortune and inviting the reprisals of the gods. If gossip is to be believed, a distinguished New York lawyer who recently brought out a book on the art of cross-examining witnesses has within the month caused a jury to assess a client of his \$5,000 extra damages, by one unlucky question in a cross-examination.

We are not aware that a number of our millionaires have confided to magazine articles or church and Sunday school audiences what they call the secret of their success. But if the popular impression is correct, some of them have forestalled the hoodoo by keeping the real source of their fortunes quite to themselves. Hence the reiterated question, "Where did you get it?"

### Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Biliousness." 25c at Rock Drug Store.

### Obedied and Defied the Law.

When Sir William Van Horne was president of the Canadian Pacific railway, the racing of that road's and the Grand Trunk trains from Montreal, was a constant source of complaint on the part of the public, who alleged that they were thus put in danger daily. Agitation grew hot, and finally the city passed an ordinance to prohibit the custom. Then Von Horne called his engineers together one morning and read them the ordinance. "Now," said he, "that's the law. As such you've got to obey it. I shall suspend any engineer who breaks it. That's all I've got to say—except this: Heaven help the engineer who lets a Grand Trunk train beat him into this city!"

### Servants Well Fed.

Most London servants are served with food no less than seven times a day, says Hearth and Home. They partake of tea, like their masters, on awakening. Breakfast, in "the room" for the upper functionaries, in the servants' hall for the lesser, is a substantial meat meal. At 11 o'clock beer or milk and light refreshments are set forth, and bridge the time till a heavy repast at 2 o'clock or so. Tea, and then an elaborate dinner, and refreshments or light supper about 10 o'clock bring the number of meals up to seven.

### Mexican Pearl Fishing.

A number of persons interested in pearl fishing on the west coast of Mexico have petitioned the Mexican government to cause the congress of that country to enact a law which will afford protection to the pearl fisheries industry. It is stated that there is at present an entire lack of system in operating the fisheries, and that as a result of this it will be but few years until the pearl oyster will become extinct. The continual fishing throughout the year without a sufficient intermission during the season for spawning has destroyed the small oyster to such an extent that the decrease is now very noticeable. It is understood that the matter will be taken hold of by congress and that a law will probably be passed to regulate the fishing seasons. It is pointed out that the lack of proper observance of the time to operate the fisheries caused the extinction of the pearl oyster in the vicinity of Panama, and that the same result will be had in the Gulf of Lower California and along other parts of the west coast of Mexico if legal steps are not taken to afford the young oysters protection.

### Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., have not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and ulcers, too. Only 25c at Rock Drug Store.

### Disraeli's Courtship.

Apropos of the interest which is being excited by the publication of a novel by Disraeli, the story of his courtship, or rather an episode of that courtship, may be worth repeating. The statesman was in love with a widow, Mrs. Wyndham Lewis. One day when he went to call the lady, sitting by the window, saw him approaching and ordered the servant to say that she was not at home. When her maid reached the hall the statesman was hanging up his overcoat.

"Mrs. Lewis, sir, is not at home," said the flurried maid. "I did not ask for Mrs. Lewis," was the calm, statesmanlike reply.

"But I don't know when she will be back," urged the maid.

"Neither do I," philosophically replied Disraeli, "but I am going to wait till she comes back, so please make me a cup of tea."

He did wait, he got his tea and he married the widow.

### Cured Consumption.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes, "My husband lay for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal."

### Golf Balls.

The first golf balls were made of leather of untanned bull's hide, two round pieces forming the ends and a piece for the middle. These pieces were softened, shaped and firmly sewed together, a small hole being left through which the feathers might afterward be inserted. Before stuffing the leather sphere was turned outside in—an operation not without its difficulties—so that the seams would be on the inside. The skin was then placed in a cup-shaped stand, the worker having the feathers in an apron before him, and the stuffing was done with a steel rod. The aperture was then closed, the seam sewed up, and the only seam showing was this tiny one. But the life of each ball was short. At present the balls are made of gutta percha.

### Not Lincoln's Phrase.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer, after trying for some time to answer inquiries regarding the occasion of Abraham Lincoln's use of the words, "You can fool all the people some of the time and some of the people all of the time," gives it up. Colonel Hay was appealed to, but that biographer of President Lincoln had to acknowledge he never encountered the sentence when making minute investigation of Lincoln's speeches, papers, letters and recorded sayings. An Ohio congressman who had been asked the question referred the inquirer to the library of congress, where, if anywhere, the information could be obtained. The Washington Post reports the result. Assistant Librarian Spofford made a written reply, in which he says the sentence does not occur in any of Lincoln's writings, adding that Mr. Nicolay, Lincoln's secretary and associate of Colonel John Hay, in writing the elaborate biography of Lincoln, told Spofford the alleged Lincoln saying was spurious. Librarian Spofford says the real author of the popular sentence was Phineas T. Barnum, the famous showman, who "fooled the people" more successfully than any other man of his time.

### The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Kiver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure, Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Kidney Disease, by Rock Drug Store, at 50c a bottle.

### Rotten Eggs for Food.

A German epicure comes to the rescue of the Chinese in regard to their alleged habit of eating rotten eggs. The eggs, he says, are simply preserved in lime until they get a consistency like that of hard butter, and they taste somewhat like lobster. He declares them one of the choicest delicacies he has ever eaten. He thinks there are no better cooks in the world than the Chinese. When he went to live among them his friends predicted he would starve, but he had a good time and gained weight—more than he wanted to.

### Chinese Social Customs.

According to the laws of good society in China young widows should not remarry. Widowhood is, therefore, held in highest esteem, and the older the widow grows the more agreeable her position becomes. Should she reach 50 years she may, by applying to the emperor, get a sum of money with which to buy a tablet on which her virtues are inscribed. The tablet is then placed over the door at the principal entrance to her house.

### Peach Stone Fuel.

In California it is found that peach stones burn as well as the best coal and give out more heat in proportion to weight. Large quantities of the stones, taken out of the fruit that is tinned or dried, are collected or sold. Apricot stones also burn, but not as well as peach, and do not command as high a price.

### Insuring the Czar's Life.

It may or may not be an ominous circumstance that of late a number of persons in London have been taking out insurance on the life of Czar Nicholas, though the companies demand heavy premiums. Fifteen guineas (about \$77.75) per \$1,000 is the ruling figure. Thus a man who took out a policy on the czar's life for \$2,500 will have to pay nearly \$200 a year as long as the emperor lives and he keeps up the insurance.

## Prince Russell,

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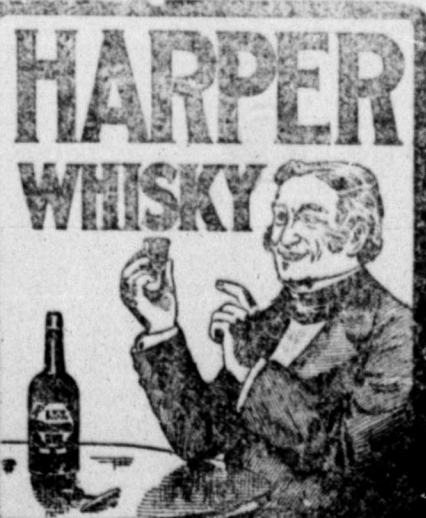
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**FUNNY THINGS**

**FROM THE PAPERS.**

**A Print Shop Tragedy.**  
SAR DEAN.

A mad subscriber came to town  
To wipe a print shop out,  
He said he'd clean the printers up  
And put them all to rout.  
But the editor looked at him so sharp  
It made this bad man quiver,  
And the devil grabbed the office towel  
And stabbed him through the liver.  
—Millersburg (Mich.) Enterprise.

When that Brookline telephone  
girl announced that she had been  
married for a month without any-  
body's knowing it, a good many  
people said "Hullo!"—Ex.

A Texas "devil" is making life  
miserable for the editor. The  
cup insists on knowing where the  
daylight goes when the darkness  
comes, and vice versa. None  
but the poet can answer this.—Ex.

The Antwerp (O.) Bee niftily  
says, "If Darwin's theory, that  
every man is a descendant of a  
monkey, is correct, then there are  
a lot of dubs floating around who  
are not much credit to their  
ancestor."

**A Modest Lady.**

"Miss Ollike is a very modest  
lady, isn't she?"  
"I should say. She wouldn't  
travel through the Indian Territory  
for fear she might see the  
Cherokee Strip."—Ex.

A man with an economical turn  
of mind invested yesterday in two  
or three pairs of women's hose.  
He gave a reason for buying them  
that when the feet wore out he  
could sew up the end and make  
them last longer than men's half  
hose.—Paris News.

Lib. Trees, publisher of the  
Stringtown (Ind.) Herald, has  
moved his printing outfit into an  
unused Methodist church building.  
The strain on the office  
"devil" is said to be pitiable, but  
Editor Trees takes to the pious  
atmosphere like one of Gibson's  
girls to a hammock.

The El Campo (Tex.) News  
jubilantly remarks to "Editor  
Ansley, of Louise, is IT. He got  
a deer"—whereat the Floresville  
(Tex.) Chronicle man complains,  
plaintively, that he procrastinated  
beside the matrimonial stream  
during the entire leaf year season,  
without getting one! Only the  
more serious minded "typo-girls"  
should take this to heart.

**Arkansas Agricultural Item.**

"How long have you been farm-  
ing in this locality?"  
"Nigh twenty year now."  
"Do you diversify?"  
"Do I what?"  
"Do you change around—take  
it time about—something new  
every year?"  
"Not quite, but very nigh. We-  
ve had five boys and five girls  
single and twins twict."—Ex.

A fellow by the name of Moon  
got married. That was a change  
of the moon. After while his  
wife presented him with a daugh-  
ter. That was a new moon. He  
went out and got drunk for joy.  
That was a full moon. When he  
sobered up he had only 25 cents  
left. That was the last quarter.  
When he got home his mother-  
in-law met him with a rolling pin,  
and there was total eclipse of the  
moon.—Ft. Smith Kodak.

An exchange says: "What do  
you think of an artist who painted  
cobwebs on a ceiling so truth-  
fully that the hired girl wore her-  
self into an attack of nervous  
prostration trying to sweep them  
down?" This causes the editor  
to who has had some experience  
along this line to remark that  
there might have been such an  
artist but there was never such a  
hired girl.

A glutton once made a bet that  
he could eat ten apple dumplings  
at one sitting if the other party  
would pay for the accompanying  
wine. After the ninth dumpling,  
however, he declared himself  
beaten. Sadly he regarded the  
tenth dumpling, which still rested  
on his plate. Shaking his fin-  
ger at it, he said: "Ah! If I'd  
known you'd be left over I'd have  
eaten you first."—Argonaut.

**A Sad Catastrophe.**

Commander Brownson tells of a  
German, a recruit in the naval  
service, who, during a certain  
watch, was in accordance with the  
regulations calling the hours,  
"Sefen bells and all iss vell!" called  
the German correctly enough.  
Those who heard the next call  
were much astonished by this  
amusing variation: "Eight bells  
and all iss not vell! I haf droppit  
my hat overboard!"—Ex.

**The Actor Scores Again.**

A certain actor is quick witted  
and nimble tongued as any other  
shining light of his club, which is  
noted for its brilliant members.  
He is credited with having crushed  
an impertinent council with  
neatness and dispatch.

He was a witness in a case, and  
was being questioned by the op-  
posing counsel in a way that was  
not particularly to his liking; but  
a climax was reached when the  
lawyer, in the insulting tone too  
often adopted to witnesses, said:

"You are an actor, Mr.—Do  
you consider acting a low call-  
ing?"

"Not when I compare it with  
my father's," was the answer.

"What was your father's call-  
ing?"

"He was a lawyer," replied the  
actor.—Tit-Bits.

**Wants to Show Here.**

The following letter, given ver-  
batim, was handed to the Temple  
Tribune by a gentleman into  
whose hands it fell, with the sug-  
gestion that it would do to publish:

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Mr Mare uv temple tex  
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if i kin show in yure town without  
having toe git enny liscens. if u  
kin fix it soas i kin i will pass u in  
free. we got the durndest aggre-  
gation of dum animals u ever lade  
lis on mosly pol kats possums and  
a peccary, but its grate, u ot toe  
see the egle the bird uf fredum  
he is sho kute. i dun no zactly  
how it happened but hiz kage was  
clost toe the polcat's and he rech  
in with his klaw an cot i uv the  
kats an u wuld a dide rite then a  
laffin to c the look uv surpriz on  
tnet egies face when that pore ter-  
fificed kat intered his protest in  
his feble way only ther humidity  
was so thick u cud hav cut it with  
tner flat side uv a barl stave. so  
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You are hereby Commanded to Summon the unknown heirs of Michael Hines by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 38th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 38th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Kerr County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Kerrville on the 1st Monday in April, 1905, the same being the 3rd day of April, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 23rd day of February, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 651, wherein Anton Kutz is Plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Michael Hines are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner of and entitled to possession of Survey No. 675, situated in Kerr County, Texas, on the waters of Elm Creek, a tributary of the Guadalupe river, about 12 miles South, 36 deg East from Kerrville, originally granted to Michael Hines, and containing one hundred and sixty acres of land. That defendants claim some interest, right or title in and to said land and premises, which claim constitutes and is a cloud upon the title of plaintiff. Prays for citation for judgment quieting title of plaintiff and removing the cloud cast upon same by reason of the claims of defendants, for costs of suit and for such other and further relief that plaintiff may be entitled to both in law and equity.

Herein Fail Not; but have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness J. M. Hamilton, Clerk of the District Court of Kerr County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Kerrville this the 23rd day of February, 1905.

[Seal] J. M. HAMILTON,  
Clerk, Dist. Court, Kerr County.

#### SHERIFF'S RETURN.

Came to hand on the 23rd day of February, 1905, at 2:00 o'clock, p. m., and publication hereof ordered printed in the MOUNTAIN SUN, a weekly newspaper published in Kerr County, Texas, for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof.

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#### Head Shot Off.

Wallis, Tex., March 11.—A very deplorable accident resulting in the death of young Riggs Pennington, occurring today while he in company with Rufus Denton and John Watson were out hunting. Mr. Denton remarked to Pennington, who had long hair, that he believed he could shoot some of it off, and pointed his gun at him. He thought the weapon was unloaded. The gun was discharged, the load striking Pennington between the eyes, tearing off the top of his head and scattering his brains for twenty feet. The young men are both of prominent families and they have the sympathy of the entire community.

#### Stafford Goes to Palestine.

Dallas, Tex., March 13.—Forney Stafford, the young man who last Saturday was found not guilty of criminal assault, left for Palestine, his former home, this morning, accompanied by his mother and sister. He told one of his friends that he was going home for the purpose of winding up his business affairs and that he proposed to return Dallas to live.

#### Election Notice.

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the city of Kerrville, Texas, I hereby order an election for the city of Kerrville, Texas, to be holden at the court house in said city, on the first Tuesday in April, the same being the 4th day of said month, for the election of three Aldermen, a City Secretary and a City Treasurer, for the city of Kerrville, Texas; and I hereby appoint Wm. Nimitz, J. M. Hankins, Sr. and F. M. Turner as managers of said election.

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#### Resigned His Position.

Mr. H. M. Tedford, who has been an employee of the Inquirer for a number of years and foreman of the office for several years, has resigned his position and will leave today for San Antonio, which place he will probably make his home. Mrs. Tedford left about two weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Tedford leave many friends here who regret their departure.

In his profession, Mr. Tedford is a fine workman, combining taste and skill, and loyalty to duty that is hard to find. He is courteous and gentlemanly at all times, and his word is as good as his bond. Through years of association the Inquirer found many admirable qualities and no faults. It is rather an exceptional assertion, but the Inquirer can truthfully make it. The Inquirer can most earnestly commend him to the trade as a man capable of filling any position in a printing office with exceptional skill and ability, but also honest and faithful to the letter. He leaves the Inquirer to find a larger field of usefulness which the Inquirer trusts he will find and enjoy the prosperity and happiness that should be the reward of merit and honesty.—Gonzales Inquirer.

#### Mother and Daughter Die Within Short Time of Each Other.

San Antonio, Tex., March 8.—One of life's saddest tragedies was enacted late last night and early this morning when a daughter, after attending the bedside of dying mother, was herself taken ill, death coming soon. And shortly thereafter, unconscious of her daughter's death, the mother passed away.

The daughter whose death came first, was Mrs. L. M. Barr, aged 49, and the mother was Mrs. A. Lusignan, aged 75.

Mrs. Lusignan had been sick for some time and all during the period of her illness her daughter was constantly by her side. Under the strain of caring for her aged mother, Mrs. Barr completely collapsed on Monday and sank to the floor beside her mother's bed.

Her head struck the floor, entailing a cerebral hemorrhage which resulted in her death on Tuesday night.

The knowledge of her death was kept from her stricken mother, who, herself, died after 1 o'clock this morning.

#### Billy M'Gee Convicted.

Houston, Tex., Mch. 10.—Officer Higgins of the Grand Central beat, yesterday received the news from New York that his old comrade in arms, Billy M'Gee, who is the sole survivor of the Custer massacre on the Little Big Horn in 1876, had been convicted of manslaughter in New York, and had been sentenced to seven years and ten months in Sing Sing.

Billy M'Gee formerly resided in both Houston and Galveston and was well known throughout this state as a traveling salesman.

The circumstances under which he killed a man in New York about three months ago are peculiar. It seems that he and his roommate, Frank Mitchell, a salesman, become involved in a quarrel as to how to make a kidney stew, and in the altercation it was alleged that M'Gee used a small pocket knife. M'Gee did not know that Mitchell was seriously injured but next day when he heard Mitchell was dead he at once surrendered himself to the officers.

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