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## That Watch Of Yours

Should be treated by a careful workman. When it is in need of a stimulant just take it to—

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### Has Had Nine Husbands.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 20—Down among the hills of Taylor county lives Matilda Jane Ayres, known from one end of the State to the other as the woman who has married nine times and never yet has she been separated from a husband by the divorce route. She has just been married for the ninth time and is believed to hold the world's record for much married women. She is now only 33 years old and almost as pretty as she was when, at the age of 16 years, she eloped from a little country schoolhouse with Morgan Ellet, a handsome young mountaineer.

Eight graves, all headed by gravestones exactly alike, mark the resting places of the eight husbands who have tasted the joys of being loved by this pretty mountain girl. The gravestones have been cut out in them, "Beloved husband of Matilda Jane—Till we meet again." All that is different from the others is inserted in a blank space.

She has certainly had her share of romances. When only 16 years of age fate decreed that she should love a young mountaineer named Morgan Ellet. One night she and Ellet eloped on horseback to Campbellsville, ten miles away, and were married. Her father, who had opposed the match, followed them on horseback and met them on the return. The old man attempted to shoot his newly made son-in-law, but the girl wife, stepped in front of her lord and master and defied her father to shoot. He did not.

Eleven months after that eventful night Morgan Ellet went hunting. He climbed a fence, his gun slipped, the hammer struck a rail and Matilda Jane was a widow. For ten months after she had started her private cemetery, Matilda Jane remained true to her first love, but at last there came a wooing Stephen Boards, a wealthy skinflint, who held a mortgage on the humble home of Mrs. Ellet. Instead of foreclosing the mortgage he held, he laid siege to the heart of the pretty widow and they were married. One day Boards rode away to foreclose a mortgage on somebody's property, and that night as he returned home he was shot from ambush and killed. He left a large estate and Matilda Ellet Boards was wealthy, as mountain riches go.

For several months she waited in the big house Boards had built for her, and then there came down from the hills young Edward Wieton, a moonshiner. Matilda Jane would listen to no other suitor, but married the handsome young moonshiner and went with him to the mountains, where he and several sisters operated a moonshine

still. One day a posse of "revenuers," as the mountaineers call them, raided the Wieton cabin. Edward was away from home, but his sisters attacked the officers and were fighting them when Edward appeared. He stood behind a tree and killed two officers and wounded one or two others, until they returned his fire, and then the young Mrs. Wieton went back to her old home, once more a widow.

She was then 19 years old. Two years she remained single, but at last she hearkened to love's song when it was warbled by Andrew Lowman, a sweetheart of her girlhood days. Two years they were happy together, and "Andy" was gathered to his fathers. In the little cemetery another grave was made and another gravestone added.

Nat Lowman, a brother of Andy, was so kind to the young widow in her hour of trouble that nothing was more natural than that they should wed. Four years they lived together. One day Nat took his ax to the mountains to chop wood. At midnight he had not returned and Matilda Jane went to search for him. When she found a huge tree lately cut down she looked under it and there lay her husband, crushed to death and horribly mutilated, the tree having fallen on him. For several hours the brave mountain girl tugged and cut at the limbs that encircled the dead body and at last as daylight was coming she dragged it two miles to their home and fainted at the side of the crib of her small baby.

She was ill a long time, but when at last she regained her health, there was a swarm of wooers buzzing around. One year after her fifth experience of widowhood, Manuel Hudson came to the house and after a short courtship they were married. Hudson was a lobbyist and would go to Frankfort when the legislature convened. There a zealous partisan for "the other side" shot and killed during an argument. Six graves had been made in the little cemetery and six gravestones have borne the same legend.

Then one Dumesnil approached her on matrimonial bent and a little later the pair were married. They resided in Mercer county, where Dumesnil was a merchant. One day he went to Cincinnati and fell dead from heart trouble in a hotel there.

### Sent in a Protest.

Temple, Texas, August 16—As a means of voicing their displeasure and disapproval of the reported Wanamaker-Booker T. Washington incident, said to have occurred at Saratoga a few days ago, about fifty prominent Temple citizens dispatched the following telegram yesterday:

John Wanamaker, ex-postmaster General, Saratoga, N. Y.  
"From the public press we noticed you dined Booker T. Washington at the United States hotel last Sunday as escort to your daughter. We of the South appreciate Booker Washington's ability, but deny the right to social equality with any American, however humble. Such action on the part of the leading Northern citizens has caused the South much trouble. We as a people regret your action, and ask would you accept a negro of whatever rank as a son-in-law or on social equality with your family, as you have indicated? We 'take no nigger in ours' south of the Mason and Dixon line, and request your reply and explanation.

### Peculiar Case.

Beaumont, Texas, August 19—Judge C. B. Martin has returned to the city from Hemphill, Sabine county, and he tells of a somewhat peculiar case which was tried in the district court there during the past week, and which created much interest throughout the county.

The case referred to was that of Henry Cooper, a young white man who was tried and convicted and sentenced to a term of five years' imprisonment on a charge of burglary with intent to kidnap. The circumstances of the case are most peculiar.

It appears that Miss Broadnax, a young woman from Louisiana was visiting at the home of Henry Cooper's married sister. One night Henry Cooper entered her room and removed her by force, taking her over to Louisiana to the home of her father. The young woman afterward returned to Sabine county and married a brother of Henry Cooper. It was offered in evidence that a younger brother of Cooper had become enamored of the young woman and wanted to marry her. The Cooper family did not approve of the union, and in order to prevent it, Henry Cooper decided to remove the young woman by force to the parental home in Louisiana. It was not established that the defendant had offered any violence to the young woman but it was established that he had carried her off to Louisiana against her will.

### Ready to Transfer Alamo to State.

San Antonio, Tex., August 20—Miss Clara Driscoll, through whose efforts the Alamo is to pass into possession of the State of Texas, returned Sunday noon from New York City. Miss Driscoll came especially to see that the transfer of the historic property to the State is properly brought about.

In company with her father and her attorney, Floyd McGown, she will leave for Austin either this evening or tomorrow. It is expected the deeds will be turned over to the Attorney General.

Miss Driscoll said Sunday evening that the historic property would pass into the State's possession and everything is practically ready for this important event. The deeds for the property are now in her possession.

Miss Driscoll has been in New York for the last month, where she has been engaged in the preliminaries for her new opera which is to be produced in the fall. The scenes of the opera will be laid in Cuernavaca and the score will contain much catchy Indian music. Rehearsals will begin about Sept. 1.

### Killed Young Wife.

Kaufman, Texas, Aug. 16—A. C. Young, a white man about 25 years of age, shot and killed his wife last night about 8 o'clock at the home of his brother, about a mile and a half north of this place. Justice J. S. Carter went out this morning and held an inquest over the remains. The testimony developed no motive for the crime. Young came here from Louisiana last year and has been residing in Willis Point, having moved to this county only last week. His wife was about 18 years old. They had only been married a few months. Young is in jail at this place.

### Negroes of Comfort are Frightened.

Comfort, Texas, Aug. 20—This city is greatly excited over an alleged insult by a negro dishwasher at the Good Times Inn to the daughter of a German citizen in the vicinity of the Inn and a reported attempt to lynch the negro which took place Sunday morning at 5 o'clock. The negro was not killed, but he has disappeared and other negroes have left the city. Not a negro employe of the Inn remains, all of them having gone to San Antonio on the evening train Sunday.

Saturday a negro dishwasher for the hotel made a remark to the girl in question, which was the cause of the trouble. Saturday night a number of German citizens of the town notified Hubert Stanley, proprietor of the Inn, while he was in Comfort, that they would lynch his dishwasher. Mr. Stanley talked with the men and returned to the Inn under the impression that he had discouraged their intentions. But at 5 o'clock Sunday morning eight armed and determined German citizens aroused the proprietor of the Inn and demanded the negro. Mr. Stanley could not dissuade them and a disturbance occurred in which one firearm was discharged and the negro escaped by running down the railroad track in advance of his pursuers. The men seemed determined and it is thought the negro made a very fortunate escape from death. The negro has not been seen since. He was not killed, but escaped badly frightened.

Today the negro employes of the Inn have been panic-stricken. They have not worked, and the guests of the Inn, many of whom are from San Antonio, have really enjoyed the unaccustomed diversion of preparing meals. Manager Stanley has sent to San Antonio for help and servants will be here Monday, so that no inconvenience is expected to result from the frightening away of the negro help.

Among the guests at the Inn, the preparation of Sunday's dinner was a merry laak. Mrs. R. L. Ball and Mrs. George R. Hines prepared salads for the meal. Mrs. Louise Daggett Fisher and Mrs. Sanchez helped in various ways. Miss Tillie Witting and four young gentlemen guests plucked a dozen chickens for the dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley and a guest waited upon the table.

### Held Merry Wake Over Infant Dead.

Laredo, Tex., Aug. 21—A very ancient and at present nearly antiquated custom, at one time commonly practiced among the Mexicans, and which is still said to prevail in secluded hamlets or ranches in some parts of the interior of the Mexican Republic, was revived here last night at a wake held over the corpse of an infant of a poor Mexican family at this place. The wake lasted until early this morning. A band of string music played throughout the night and the older people drank "tapache" and keg beer. The younger participants in the wake indulged in a terpsichorean reel in another part of the house arranged for that purpose. This is something now so uncommon even among the more ignorant Mexicans that it has attracted general attention and comment.

### Didn't Escort Miss Wanamaker into Dinner.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 20—President Booker T. Washington of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial School (colored) has addressed a letter under New York date, to the Age Herald of this city concerning his recent visit to John Wanamaker at Saratoga. He says: "I have just seen for the first time the misleading and false reports in Southern newspapers referring to my escorting female members of Mr. Wanamaker's family into the dining room of a Saratoga hotel. I have not referred to these reports before because they have just come to my notice.

"I did not escort any female member of Mr. Wanamaker's family to or out of the dining room. I did dine with Mr. Wanamaker and members with his family at a hotel at his request, for the purpose of talking on business, but at the time was a guest myself at a colored hotel in Saratoga.

"During the last fifteen years I have been with the hotel where Mr. Wanamaker was on three different occasions, when I was to speak at public meetings, as I was this time, and no comment was made of it.

"When in the South I conform like all colored people, to the customs of the South, but when in the north I have found it necessary during the last twenty years, as stated fully in my book, 'From Slavery,' to come into contact with white people in the furtherance of my work in a way I do not assume in the South."

### Bloody Feud Battle.

Harriman, Tenn., Aug. 21—According to information received here a bloody battle has occurred near Alice station on the Queen & Crescent Railroad, about two miles south of Harriman Junction.

Frederick Miller and his son, John Miller, and Fred Johnson were killed, and Henry Miller, another son of Fred Miller, was dangerously wounded.

The men were en route to the station, where young Miller was to leave to join the army.

When they were two miles from the depot they were fired upon by men from ambush.

The older Miller and his son John, fell at the first fire, while the younger Miller and Johnson were able to return fire.

So far it is not known how many men were in the other party. Johnson was struck twice in the second volley and fell dead. Seeing he would be unable to fight the enemy singlehanded the younger Miller rode away with his right hand shot off.

For more than 20 years the feud war had raged between the Miller and Rawlings families. It is not known what members of the latter family engaged in the fight.

A posse of officers are scouring the country for the murderers. It is the belief of the people of the community that other killings will follow.

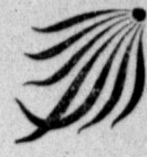
### Murder at Sabinal.

Sabinal, Tex., Aug. 21—Bicente Fernandez, a Mexican who lives in the Mexican part of Sabinal, killed his wife last night about 9 o'clock by shooting her twice with a pistol and stabbing her. He was seen about 4 o'clock this morning by some Mexicans in a drunken condition, but so far the officers have failed to locate him.





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C. M. Lindholm of Junction, was at the Gerdes Monday.

Capt. Sidney Rees was in Kerrville Tuesday from his farm near Center Point.

J. J. McKelvy made a business trip to San Antonio Monday, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. T. O. Griffin of Atascosa, is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. F. Jones, of this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Warner of Houston, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Hodges.

Miss Ora Woods of Gonzales, who formerly taught in the Kerrville Public School, visited Miss Alma Fulton, of this city, Tuesday.

John Davenport and wife of Elm Pass, were among the guests at the Gerdes on Saturday of last week.

Edward Corkili, who had been at his father's ranch on the lower Rio Grande for the past year, is at home on a visit.

Everything in Music, McKelvy's Bruno Schott went to San Antonio Monday.

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Sheriff J. T. Moore and C. T. Weston left last Saturday for Kennedy Junction on a vacation tour.

Postmaster Chas. Real returned Tuesday from a visit to the Alamo City.

Miss Rosa Ridgaway, who had been visiting on the Divide, returned home Monday.

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Mrs. W. C. Rigsby, of San Antonio, is visiting her parents Capt and Mrs Chas Schreiner.

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Mrs. A. C. Schreiner and children, who spent several weeks at Corpus Christi, have returned home.

John Bailey of Milam county, spent several days in Kerrville the first of the week. Mr. Bailey was out on a prospecting tour.

Wanted within a few miles of Kerrville, twenty or thirty cords of green Spanish oak wood.

CECIL ROBINSON.

Uncle Bill Wells, the pioneer of the mountain community was in Kerrville Thursday. Uncle Bill says the reservation is prosperous but a little shower would be a good thing.

Real Nigger Minstrel, Sept. 8. Staples are cheapest at H. and A. Pfeiffer's.

Capt. Chas. Schreiner returned from Austin Monday.

Mrs. Ed B. Gerdes visited in San Antonio Monday, returning home Tuesday.

Think it over again. Any of the calicoes at 5c a yard at H. and A. Pfeiffer's.

Will Ridgaway of Real's ranch on Turtle creek, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. H. V. Scholl and daughter, Miss Alida, have returned from Corpus Christi.

G. T. Obar and D. N. Hodges returned Tuesday from an extensive overland tour of Southwest Texas.

County Commissioner D. R. Watson was in Kerrville Wednesday. Mr. Watson says things are getting a "leettle bit dry" up his way.

There is no article you wear that demands more careful buying than shoes. If you get Star Brand shoes you have the assurance of full value for your money. We have just received a big stock of these shoes and invite you to inspect them. DIETERT BROS.

The negroes are holding a tent meeting at their church north of the depot, and invite the white people to attend, they solicit the protection of public official in keeping order during their meeting which will probably continue through next week.

W. V. Gregory is agent for the Novelty Cutlery Co. Anyone wanting anything in this line, call at his residence. Nothing has ever been seen in this line in Kerrville before.

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### Must Not Disturb Pocahontas.

The bones of Columbus have crossed the sea more than once to gratify Spanish pride, but Englishmen, even for the sake of pleasing some Americans, will be slow to surrender the remains of Pocahontas, as the promoters of the Jamestown Exhibition suggest, says the London Chronicle. The Indian chieftain's daughter saved the life of Captain John Smith, the pioneer of the colony of Virginia, who had been captured by her tribe. She afterwards married and came to England, where she died and was buried in 1613. Her grave recalls not only a true romance, but a stirring episode in our colonial history, and it must not be disturbed, even to swell the profits of a Virginia exhibition.

### Geronimo Seeks Freedom.

There are indications that are long Geronimo, the noted Apache chief, will be allowed to leave Fort Sill, O. T., where he has been held in semi-captivity for nearly seven years. He is now 83 years old and pines for restoration of his old stamping ground in the mountains of Arizona. Many times he has pleaded vainly for presidential clemency, and it is now believed President Roosevelt will soon give favorable answer to the old warrior's prayer.

### Brahmin to Raise Tobacco.

R. B. De, a full-blooded Brahmin of high degree, is in New Haven, Conn., to study tobacco raising at the Connecticut agricultural experiment station and will make use of the knowledge acquired in growing the weed extensively on his estate at home.

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### Peellier Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at Rock Drug Store, price 25c.

### Celebrated by Namesake.

One of Boston's quaint little suburban towns, Sherborne, is just now attracting attention. It is being brought to notice by the recent celebration of the 1,200th anniversary of its mother town, Sherborne, England. A letter from Sherborne, Mass., just received in Kansas City, says: "Our town was invited to take cognizance of the event. At the annual town meeting in March a committee was appointed to prepare and send a greeting to the old town from which it took its name. The celebration took the form of a pageant, and folk play in the ruins of the old castle from June 12 to 17. Louis N. Parker, the London playwright, composed the play and planned the costumes and other details. The final tableau introduced an allegorical scene of Sherborne, England, and the daughter on this side of the seas, who has also accumulated many years, having recently celebrated her 250th anniversary."

### Royal Matchmaker.

Queen Maria Christina of Spain, who has sorrowed deeply over the loss of her eldest daughter, never allows grief to interfere with duties to the state, and in the interests of her son she has been entertaining parents of eligible princesses, the charming daughters being included in the party. Her majesty considers that young royal persons should be allowed to choose their own consorts—of course, within their own caste; and through the marriage of the Princess of Asturias was unpopular at the time the queen favored it, knowing that her daughter preferred Prince Charles of Bourbon Caserta to any other suitor.

### Fleishish Suffering.

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for Ulcers, Sores and Cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at Rock Store; guaranteed.

### Cost of Deceit.

Henry Clews, the New York banker, was dilating on the dangers of deceit. By way of illustration he told of a society woman who saw in a jeweler's window a collar of pearls that she wanted. She inquired the price and was told \$6,000. She gave her check for \$3,000, saying she would send her husband to see the pearls, but the jeweler was to tell him they cost only \$3,000. The storekeeper was familiar with this sort of game and agreed. The husband came to see the pearls and that evening told his wife he had bought them. His wife was delighted and asked if he had brought home the collar, whereupon he replied: "No, dear, I had it sent to my mother. You know, it is her birthday tomorrow."

### Issued Charity Stamps.

A novel way has been discovered in Denmark for raising money for a hospital. The Danish government issued a special stamp, worth 1-2 cent, which the public was requested to buy and paste on letters and parcels. Within a short time more than \$20,000 of these charity stamps were sold.

### Oldest Sunday School Teacher.

Warwick, England, boasts the oldest Sunday school teacher. Her name is Miss Owen. She is 92 years old, and has taught in the local Sunday schools for 82 years.

### Crown Prince's "Will."

Previous to his marriage the other day the German crown prince had shown a will of his own in the affairs of the heart. On two occasions he gave evidence of infatuation for American girls, one of them an opera singer who won celebrity at the Royal opera house in Berlin. Both of these affairs were gall and wormwood to his father, the kaiser. Even worse, the young man positively refused to fall in love with the first royal partner picked for him, Princess Thyra, of Denmark. The emperor peremptorily ordered him to betroth himself to the girl. "Not for the whole German empire," sturdily replied the youngster. "Be silent, sir, it is my royal will." "Your royal will shall not bargain my heart to a woman I do not love." That ended the Denmark project.

### Buying Up America.

Foreign landlordism is reaching out its tentacles in the direction of America. A syndicate headed by the Earl of Verulam and the Earl of Lankerville owns a vast tract of land in Wisconsin. Alexander Grant, of London, has 35,000 acres in Kansas. The English Land Company owns 50,000 acres in Arkansas. Mr. Eifenhauser of Halifax, has 600,000 in West Virginia. A Scotch concern, Syndicate No. 1, bought 50,000 acres in Florida. The Holland syndicate owns 5,000,000 acres of grazing lands in the West, and the German syndicate 2,000,000. It is said that 20,000,000 acres of good American land are owned by foreign landlords (English and Scotch). That is an area larger than the state of South Carolina, and nearly as large as Maine.

### A Touching Story.

is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health with serious Throat Trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fail to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At Rock Drug Store; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

### Chicago Woman Ship Captain.

Miss Laura C. C. Pederson, the first woman in the world made an honorary member of the Danish Ship Captains' Society, of Copenhagen, received that distinction in recognition of her bravery in saving the lives of thirty people when the steamer Norge foundered off the coast of Scotland last year. She is a resident of Chicago.

### Champion "Joiner."

Count Von Eulenberg, marshal of the imperial German court, enjoys the distinction of having had more orders and decorations conferred on him than any other man in the world. The grand cross of the Bulgarian Order of Merit, which has just been bestowed upon him by Prince Ferdinand, brings his collection up to seventy-five.

### An Infant Musician.

Josef Hofmann, the great pianist, could play the sonatas of Beethoven and Mozart when he was only 6. Three years earlier than this he could repeat any melody that was played to him. When he was quite young Rubinstein gave him his favorite piano as a legacy, and this has always been one of Hofmann's most cherished possessions.

### Cures Sciatica.

Rev. W. L. Riley, L. L. D., Cuba, New York, writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment; the first application giving my first relief and the second entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. at Rock Drug Store.



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## Happy Center Point.

Misses Mamic Walker and Etina Williams assisted in the service at the Christian Church last Sunday by singing two beautiful solos, Miss Walker in the morning and Miss Williams at the evening. They won the applause of lovers of music who attend church. We hope to have many more in the coming months. The church doors will be open on the first Lords day in September to the Baptist Association, and the pulpit will be filled by a Baptist minister. New song books are already on hand for the occasion.

Mr. Jesse Bunney, a former resident of this place, now a prosperous business man of Austin, was in this valley several days this week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. J. H. Brown, cashier of the First National Bank of Floresville, was in our village Saturday and Sunday. It is said that he tried to take one of our beautiful summer boarders back with him.

Mrs. M. Huffmeier and little daughter are here from San Antonio visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hodges.

As we go to press, the news comes that Mr. James Lewis fell dead in his chair at Bandera Wednesday, as he sat talking with his father.

Mr. T. D. Willis has been doing work this week that proves him to be the master mechanic of this valley. Saw mills, gins, gasoline engines, pianos, mill-dams and wind mills are easily put in order by one stroke from his hammer.

The boys of Center Point have organized a grape-vine telegraph company. Capital stock a million dollars. Elvin McElroy, president; Tot Richardson, Treasurer and Red Moore, Messenger. Red says he has to carry the messages backward and forward to the operators and translate them. The boys are learning fast enough and by January will be able to hold a station.

No, ladies and gentlemen, there is nothing doing this week. No angels, no arks, no police wagons, no bandits, no bank-robbers, no warning clouds. All's quiet along the Guadalupe this week.

The tale-bearer and the slanderer in Center Point are almost extinct, and are seldom heard. I am glad to say there is none of it in the pure minds of the young people here, and I do want to say to all of such to continue steadfast in your good ways. When you hear a lame, fat old duck vilifying all the churches and subsidizing all the members thereof, put her down as a dangerous member and cut her out for she seeks cheap notoriety and her unsound mind is diseased with envy and jealousy.

A-MERI-CUS.

## Three Days.

During the three days of the fair I will sell Ladies' Set Rings at 1/4 less than the regular price. All marked in plain figures.

SELF.

## From Japonica.

One night early in the fool month of April of last year the members of the Rev. A. Taylor's household were abruptly awakened from their slumbers by the barking of the dogs. The Rev. Doctor true to his established reputation as a pious and fearless pioneer, at once proceeded to cautiously investigate the cause of all this unusual disturbance at that late hour. Arming himself with his trusted rifle and his "friends in need", his two six shooters, buckling the belt containing ammunition for both the rifle and pistols around his night shirt, for of dressing there was, perhaps, no time. He entered the yard, but as his trained eye could at first discover nothing stirring, and as the dogs could be heard still working overtime some distance from the old homestead, he decided to await developments. With this in view he introduced himself into an empty barrel, thus protecting himself from the biting wind and dampness, he obtained an advantageous and safe point of observation.

He did not have long to wait, for soon the trusted dogs could be seen coming with the speed of the wind driving an old black bear before them. Rushing through fields and breaking through fences the old bear was seen to rapidly lose strength and leading only by a few feet, it gained the yard at last, and took shelter from the biting, snarling dogs, behind the barrel in which our hero now had an uneasy berth—99 per cent condition and one per cent theory.

But equal to the occasion, the Rev. Doctor soon got the "upper hand" and in less time than it takes to relate it, he succeeded in putting the old bear's tail through the bung hole, and quickly tying a knot on the end of its tail inside the barrel. This accomplished, he watched his opportunities of escape and finally gained the downy side of his straw bed in safety, fully satisfied that he had made a clever capture and without loss of ammunition.

The "morning after"—it was found that the captive had evaded the dogs and betaken itself, barrel and all, to the "tall timbers." The trail was at once taken, the tracks found and easily followed by the Rev. Doctor, until at a rocky formation they were entirely lost. So this incident closed and was soon forgotten.

The Rev. Dr. Taylor again took the trail a few days ago. He decided to while his time away looking for squirrels—nothing else, for he is a great believer in the upholding of the game laws and the preservation (not by salt) of the game so abundant in the surrounding hills.

While "nooning it"—that is, preparing his hog meat, etc., over a newly made camp fire for a light luncheon—he perceived two young bear cubs, each with a small keg attached to the end of its tail, coming leisurely through the cedar brake, within full view and easy gun shot. The doctor's belief is that the youngsters are of the old she-bear with the barrel tied to its tail, and that the kegs will increase in size as the cubs grow older.

The news of the "find" soon spread, and to-day a detachment of soldiers from the San Antonio post arrived here with orders to trap the cubs and deliver them alive at the officers' canteen at the post.

Now, would this not make old Barnum turn over in his grave—he is still there! Dr. Taylor has promised that long before Captain Charon rings the bell to cross the Stygian ferry we shall hear from him again.

ROORB REMLAP.

## Old Fiddler's Contest.

One of the most pleasing features of the coming fair will be the Old Fiddler's Contest. This feature of the big event is bound to be a winner. There will be no violinists allowed to compete in this contest. The contest is for "fiddlers." The music played will be the kind we knew when we went to "dances" and thought the word ball only applied to something round. Such music will remind us of the good old times when it took half the people in the county to get up a "set," and often the available female contingent was composed of two girls, one married woman and a boy with a handkerchief tied around his arm. The good old times when we went to the ranch house, "staked" our horses and began dancing at sundown and kept it up until daylight. When strong, black coffee was served instead of pure apple punch and there was more hospitality in the "Hello, Bill, get down and hobble your hoss, come in and hang your six shooter on the bed post, the gals are in the other room" than there is now in the dignified "delighted to have you with us—give me your hat and cane." For the older people who have lived a long time in Texas this will bring back old memories of their youth, when the fiddler brought his fiddle in a flour sack, and one of the boys beat on the strings with two knitting needles. When the people were care free and happy. To the younger element it will be a revelation of how they did things in Texas; when paw and maw were young. It will cost the old fiddlers nothing to enter this contest. Every old fiddler in Texas is invited to attend and compete for the handsome prizes.

## STEINLEIN'S MINSTRELS.

Will Give An All Star Performance At Pampell's Opera House, Friday Night, September 8th.

There will be no lack of wholesome amusement for the visitors in Kerrville during the fair. Among other things will be a feast of side-splitting black face comedy by the famous Steinlein Minstrels, at Pampell's Opera House, Friday night. No lover of fun and music can afford to miss this treat. The latest coon songs will be sung. The repertoire of music is unsurpassed. The dancing will be the acme of excellence. It will be an all round mirth provoker from the rise of the curtain to the last good night. Tickets are now on sale at Pampell's.

## A Bashful Boy is Unhappy.

A good start is half the race—no matter what you run for. Don't handicap your boy by starting him to school without one of our stylish suits. They cost no more than others and the boy will feel independent if he knows he looks as well as the other fellow. We have a big new stock of boys' suits and pants. Come and see them.

DIETERT BROS.

The Mountain Sun Band which has been organized about three years have had a hard struggle to exist, but through the efforts of the boys they now have a complete set of the celebrated C. G. Conn silver plated instruments that cost \$700. The boys deserve great credit for this as they have never asked for any help from the citizens of the city. The whole amount has been raised from their hard labor.

Welge Bros. want to buy corn.

## Your Troubles

Are great enough without having to worry over the quality of the goods you buy, or the price you have to pay; we have only one kind of goods at our store,

The Very Best We Can Buy.

OUR PRICES

Are the Lowest, Quality Considered.

A fair profit is all we ask, we always try to so treat our customers that they will stay with us. Big stock of Winter Goods, Clothing, Hats, Dress Goods, Etc.



Make your home happy with one of the Victor Talking machines, the best on the market.

## Dietert Bros.,

DEALERS IN

General Merchandise, Farm Implements, Machinery, Etc.

## The Kerrville School

Opens Monday, Sept. 4th.

Therefore we wish to remind you that we carry a complete line of School Books and all kinds of School Supplies.

Our contract with Publishers require us to sell all School Books for cash. No School Books charged.

The Exchange Period on School Books has expired. No School Books exchanged.

## Kerrville Book Store,

John G. Graves, Proprietor.

# VITROLINE

1905.



The ONLY screw worm CURE. VITROLINE 1905, will kill the worms keep off flies and stops the itching.

Every bottle guaranteed to do as we say. Give it a trial.

**CECIL ROBINSON,**

Manufacturing Druggists, Kerrville, Texas.

For Sale by all Leading Merchants and by Chas. Schreiner Co., Kerrville, Rock Springs, Junction, Paul Ingenuet, Comfort, Center Point Mercantile Co., Center Point.

## THE CROOKED AND STRAIGHT

Photograph Gallery,

On West Water Street, promises to do you good work, at a fair price, in Studio, Landscape and Kodak work.

**MRS. O'NEAL,**

Photographer, Opp. St. Charles.

\$100 REWARD \$100

I will pay \$100 reward for the conviction of any person for theft of cattle, hogs, goats, sheep or horses in Kerr county after this date.

J. T. MOORE, Sheriff.

\$100.00 REWARD.

We will pay \$100.00 for the conviction of any person stealing any horse, cow, hog, goat or sheep. Also \$25.00 for the conviction of any person found trespassing in any of our pastures.

J. T. EVANS,  
G. A. STOWERS,  
B. M. HIXSON,  
SAM H. HILL.

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**W. C. LINDEN,**  
LAWYER.

Office rooms 39 and 40 Kampmann Building, San Antonio, Texas. Will attend all terms of the District Court at Kerrville. Civil and Criminal business solicited.



**HOME NEWS.**  
**Interesting Items From**  
**Town and County.**

Hat pins 25c, 50c, 95c. SELF.  
 The new store will sell you any of their calicoes at only 5c a yard.  
 Short sleeves call for nice bracelets. SELF.

B. M. Hixson of the Mountain Home community, was in the metropolis Thursday.


Willie Garrett left Monday for Fort Worth where he will enter the Draughon Business college.

The exchange on school books has expired. No school books exchanged.

JOHN C. GRAVES.

Mrs. M. E. Barton of Alamogordo, N. M., who had been visiting relatives in Kerrville and community, left Thursday for home.

If shoes are what you want go to the new store of H. and A. Pfeiffer. You will get new goods! guaranteed quality and low prices.

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

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

Secret Lockets and Chains—just the thing for that nice dress. SELF.

Mrs. W. I. Roberson, left on Saturday of last week for St. Louis to buy the fall stock of millinery for Chas. Schreiner. Mr. Roberson accompanied her as far as San Antonio returning Tuesday.

Fall goods will soon be rolling in for the new store of H. and A. Pfeiffer. To make room for these goods we put record breaking prices on summer goods.

Reuben Vining, who had been spending the summer with his brother, J. L. Vining, of this city, has returned to his duties as Sergeant in the Signal Service Corps at Fort Ringgold.

The nights are growing longer and you will want to read. You will also want a good lantern about the place. We have a nice new stock of lamps and lanterns.  
 THE FAMOUS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Gilliam of San Antonio, spent last Sunday in Kerrville visiting the families of J. E. Grinstead and Dr. R. H. P. Wright.

Miss Myrtle Fordtran, who has been visiting her brother, Dr. F. L. Fordtran, of this city, left Thursday for Hico, where she will teach in the public schools the ensuing term.

Every one's attention is called to the fact that our contracts with publishers require us to sell all school books for cash. No school books charged. Kerrville Book Store, John C. Graves, proprietor.

Mrs. Oscar Durand of Patoutville, La., who had been for several months in Kerrville for her health, left Sunday afternoon for Albuquerque, N. M., where she will reside permanently. En route thither she will spend several days in El Paso.

A varmint got in the hen coop of a certain citizen of Kerrville the other night, and the gentleman started out to see what was disturbing his fowls. It was very dark and he butted into a tree and skinned his nose and the neighbors still think his wife hit him with the rolling pin. Moral: Buy a lantern at the Famous.

Bow-hair, resin, bridges, pegs, and patent keys, at McKelvy's.

M. R. Braggins went to San Antonio Tuesday.

7, 15, 17 jeweled watches. Prices lower than city. SELF.

J. W. Coffey of the Knoxville country was in Kerrville Thursday. Mr. Coffey says they don't really have to get a rain soon in his section but still a little shower would not hurt anything.

Prof. J. W. Bagby, who has been instructor in the Kerrville Summer Normal, left for Yoakum on Sunday's train. Prof. Bagby is Principal of Yoakum High School.

If you want to know plain facts about your eye troubles call on

**J. L. G. ADAMS, M. D.**

Will be at Kerrville until August 29. He has had 15 year's experience as an oculist.

Is Eye Surgeon at the San Antonio Sanitarium for the care of blind. He is at Kerrville a few days for his health, and while here will examine all who suffer with eye troubles free of charge and tell them what they may expect from treatment or surgery.

OFFICE WITH  
**DR. E. GALBRAITH, DENTIST.**

Mr. Lou Whorton and Mrs. Long came in from the Whorton ranch Wednesday afternoon.

Energetic measures are being taken by the Presbyterian congregation towards the erection of a church manse. The following committee to solicit subscriptions has been appointed: G. H. Coleman, John C. Graves, Mrs. A. C. Schreiner and Mrs. R. H. P. Wright. The committee is meeting with much encouragement and there is every prospect of having the manse ready for occupancy within the next 60 days.

**CLOTHES DON'T MAKE THE MAN.**

But the man might just as well wear good clothes when they cost no more than poor ones. We have a new stock of Men's custom made clothing that will compare favorably with any tailor-made garment and the cost is only about one-half. We are offering good, serviceable ready-to-wear clothes at prices you can afford to pay. They are 1905 clothes at 1905 prices.

Dietert Bros.

**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, Moline Disc Plows, Deering Harvesters and  
 Springfield and Studebaker Wagons and Vehicles.

**Pasteur's Vaccine for Blackleg.**

**IF YOU DON'T LOOK PRETTY**  
**IT IS NOT OUR FAULT.**

We have got all the nice things necessary to make you look stylish. Our goods are the kind that make clothes look good. If you wear them, people will know you are well dressed, and yet the price is no more than is often paid for articles of inferior quality. Our new fall stock of ladies' wearables is now ready for your inspection. We have silk and Mohair, suitings, fancy white mohair waistings, silk gingham and an endless line of new styles and weaves of dress goods. Buttons, braids and trimmings of every description. Our stock of standard prints, gingham and shirtings is a winner. We have a big stock of goods of first quality and every article offered is well worth the money asked for it.

**Dietert Bros.**

Mrs. T. C. Griffin of Ataseosa, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. F. Jones, of this city, returned home yesterday. She was accompanied by her mother who will visit there for some time.

Violin Bows, 25c to \$3.00, J. J. McKelvy's Music House.

Apple by the dozen bucket, barrel or any other old way at the Famous.

Wanted eggs and butter, in any quantity at the famous.

Beautiful line of white bed spread and counterpanes at the Famous.

Violin, Guitar, Mandolin and Banjo Strings, 5c, J. J. McKelvy.

Go to Welge Bros. feed and camp yard, opposite depot.

Big stock of Ladies' Belts and Belt Buckles, latest novelties in this line at Dietert Bros.

All kinds ornamental combs and ornaments for the hair at Dietert Bros.

We receive fresh bacon, hams and sausage every week. We try to furnish our customers with absolutely pure food stuffs and solicit your trade in this line. The Famous.

**Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!**

The New Shoes have come in at H. and A. Pfeiffer's. A brand new line at very moderate prices.

Fortify the body to resist malarial germs by putting the system in perfect order. Prickly Ash Bitters is a wonderful system regulator.

**NOTICE.**

Will start our gin on Tuesday, August 29th, and will gin regular on each Tuesday and Friday until further notice.

Chas. Schreiner.

An enjoyable evening was recently spent at the home of Mrs. W. G. Garrett, where the new pastor of the Presbyterian church, Rev. Jas. Drummond and his family were introduced to a large circle of friends.

H. C. Griffin of Center Point was in Kerrville Wednesday. Mr. Griffin says the sister city is in a prosperous condition and the business outlook very flattering and cotton will be a little short in yield, but the fair prices now being received for that staple will make things break even, and on the whole there is no room for complaint.

Chas. Schreiner Jr. returned Tuesday from St. Louis, where he had been for the past two weeks purchasing the fall stock for Chas. Schreiner Co's big stores at Kerrville, Junction and Rock Springs. He reports a pleasant and profitable trip. Speaking of the market Mr. Schreiner said: "I found the merchandise market at St. Louis in good shape for early fall buying and proceeded to take advantage of the situation. As has been our custom for several years past, we bought in car load lots and got the inside on the freight proposition. The new goods, which will begin to arrive in a few days, are right-up-to-now in style and quality and were bought so that we can offer the trade extraordinary values in fall and winter wearables and supplies. A very cordial invitation is extended to the people to inspect these new goods, and the ladies are specially requested to call and see the new dress goods."

Welge Bros. want to buy corn.

**Girl Wanted.**

A good position for girl to do house work. German preferred. Apply to E. E. DIETERT. 2t-9

**Will Thresh Cane Seed.**

I will begin threshing cane seed at my farm on Thursday, August 31. F. F. COCKE. 2t-9

**DON'T SEND AWAY**  
**FOR SEEDS.**

We Handle Them in Bulk.

We have just placed our order for the celebrated Landreth's Garden Seeds. We are going to handle these seeds in package and in bulk. If you are making a list now for fall planting get our prices. Everybody knows Landreth's Seeds, there are none better. Remember we will have seeds of every kind and in any quantity.  
 OSCAR ROSENTHAL.

**Just Arrived**

A nice selection of Fall and Winter samples. Call at my place of business on Mountain street, and look at them:

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

Every man owes it to himself and his family to master a trade or profession. Read the display advertisement of the six Morse Schools of Telegraphy, in this issue and learn how easily a young man or lady may learn telegraphy and be assured a position.

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**Austin Nursery.**

Carries everything adapted to Southwest Texas.

No frauds or misrepresentations.  
 J. M. WEBB, Agent,  
 Kerrville,  
 Texas.

**Trespass Notice.**

All persons are warned against trespassing in or upon my pasture or premises, known as the W. M. Eager pasture I will pay \$100 reward for the conviction of any person stealing a cow or hog in my pasture.

C. P. BACON.

Keep the body healthy at this season by using Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a necessary condition at successfully resist malarial germs.

**G. D. Anderson & Co.**

DEALERS IN

**General Merchandise,**

Soliloits Your Business at the Old Stand.

We are sustaining the excellent reputation this house has always had for the excellence of goods handled and uniformly low prices. We solicit your patronage.

**OTTO DIETERT,**  
 Receiver.

**STORE NEAR DEPOT.**



#### American Gunnery.

The recent target practice on the battleship Kentucky is another object lesson in American gunnery. A target had been placed on a raft 1,600 yards distant (not quite one mile), the mark being 21 by 17 feet in size. One gunner fired 14 shots in one minute and hit the target 13 times. Another fired 13 times and made a hit each time. Two other gunners fired 13 times a minute and made 12 hits each. The weapon used was a five-inch gun, and the marksmanship was remarkable. After all is said, it is gunnery that counts in naval warfare, and this trial indicates that the Kentucky would have no cause to fear any battleship in the world.

So far as reports received indicate anything, they show that the destruction of the Russian fleet in the sea of Japan was caused by gunfire. Torpedo boats did great damage in the fight, it is true, but only after the fleet had been demoralized by the gunfire of the Japanese. The torpedo boat is absolutely useless against such gunnery as that of the Kentucky. How could it be possible to launch a torpedo against a gunner who could hit the flimsy little craft carrying the weapon thirteen times a minute? This single five-inch gun would sink a dozen torpedo boats before one of them could get within range to launch its torpedo. Whatever may be the effectiveness of the torpedo under certain circumstances, it is absolutely impotent before such gunnery as this. It does not require a weapon of the dimensions of a five-inch piece to destroy a torpedo boat, and the Kentucky gunner could fire more than twice the number of shots with a semi-automatic weapon which would be quite sufficient to sink one of the little torpedo craft. A considerable fleet of torpedo boats would exist less than one minute before a single battleship carrying the Kentucky's gunners, for it is to be remembered that in the test mentioned both the firing platform and the target were unstable, as they would be in actual warfar on blue water.

#### Rheumatism.

When pains or irritation exist on any part of the body, the application of Ballard's Snow Liniment gives prompt relief. E. W. Sullivan, Prop. Sullivan House, Et Reno, O. T., writes, June 6, 1902: "I take pleasure in recommending Ballard's Snow Liniment to all who are afflicted with rheumatism. It is the only remedy I have found that gives immediate relief." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. at Rock Drug Store.

#### Give Russia the Credit.

It is a singular fact that Russia is the country which first gave the greatest encouragement to the woman doctor. The Women's Medical Institute in St. Petersburg, on its foundation, was hailed as the only place in the world where a woman could take out medical degrees. But, in 1886, Minister Warrowsky closed it. Now it has suddenly come to life again, the czar has given it an endowment, and its students have all the privileges hitherto accorded men. Why and wherefore? Because the war is taking all the men doctors, and if they places are not filled the unhappy empire is at the mercy of any epidemic that may come along.

#### How General Booth Works.

A correspondent who was with General Booth, commander of the Salvation Army, says that on shipboard he is always a slave to work. His cabin is a workshop, his couch emblazoned with army flags, resembles a warrior's tent; his walks and talks on deck are unitarian; his staple food is rice and he ignores the dinner table. His tour of the Orient is to include meetings, councils and conferences in all the leading towns of New Zealand, Tasmania, Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia and West Australia.

#### Choose to Be Slaves.

A rather remarkable state of affairs has developed in two islands, Zanzibar and Pemba, off the African coast, as the result of a government decree abolishing slavery. Despite the fact that any slave can now obtain his freedom for the asking, and that they all know it, very few have as yet applied for freedom. The reason for this is, according to Mr. J. T. Last, a Zanzibar official, that the slaves have discovered freedom to be anything but a bed of roses. They have learned that they lose more than they gain by leaving their owners. "The slave of the present day," writes Mr. Last, "who is practically a free person, and has all the legal privileges of a free person, is in much the same position as ordinary servant at home. He is in some respects in a better position than the European servant, for he can practically do as little work as he pleases, and he is at liberty to leave his owner whenever he thinks fit. I am strongly of opinion that the number of slaves who will apply to be freed by the Zanzibar government in the future will be very small, and in the case of those that do so it will be the result of some pique, dispute, or jealousy rather than from love of freedom for itself."

#### Stop that Cough!

When a cough, a tickling or an irritation in the throat makes you feel uncomfortable take Ballard's Horehound Syrup. Don't wait until the disease has gone beyond control. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson, 354 West 5th St. Salt Lake City, Utah, write: "We think Ballard's Horehound Syrup the best medicine for coughs and colds. We have used it for several years; it always gives immediate relief, is very pleasant and gives perfect satisfaction." 25c, 20c, \$1.00. at Rock Drug Store.

#### Upright Writing.

England every day sees less and less of the slanting style of writing, consequently the percentage of her short-sighted, round-shouldered scholars is small as compared with the 60 per cent and 80 per cent of French and German. Here is the description given by a noted specialist as to the position which is taken by the body when writing a slanting and—the style in Germany and France: "The thorax is oblique as regards the edge of the desk; the left ribs press against the desk, the left shoulder is raised; the right shoulder is lowered; the vertebral column is curved toward the left and toward the front; the axis of the eyes is oblique; the exercise book itself is oblique like the body, and the child looks at it obliquely." How is it in America, where any old style of hand-writing is allowed?

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Everyone Knows When He is Constipated and Everyone Should Know the Risk He is Running When He Fails to Promptly Correct it.

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There are two ways to remove constipation; the wrong way is to drench the bowels with a powerful, gripping, drastic cathartic that injures the coating of the bowel channels and produces an early return of the trouble in a more chronic form. The right way is to use a natural, easy and mild laxative that tones up and strengthens the bowels and leaves a healthful influence behind it. Prickly Ash Bitters will empty the bowels just as thoroughly as the harsher cathartics, and combines all the tonic and strengthening properties necessary to permanently cure the habit.

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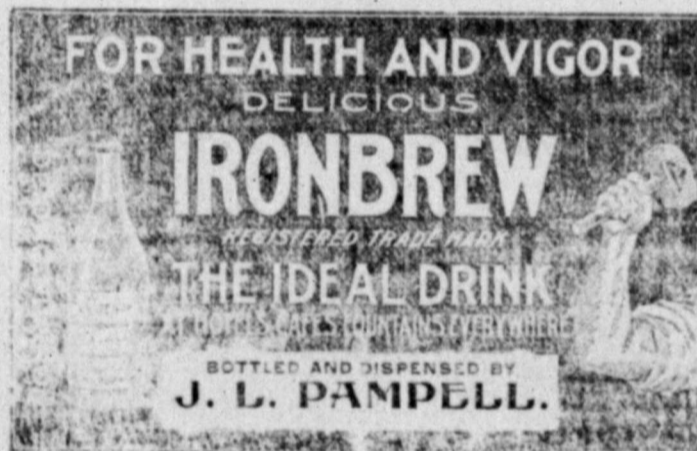
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#### Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months, I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctor's drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Rock Drug Store; price 50c.

#### Limitation for Murder.

There is no punishment in France if the murderer is not discovered and brought to trial within fifteen years. Arnold Weber, who committed a murder twenty-five years ago, has just written defiantly to the police, confessing the crime and saying he is about to return to Paris.

#### German Working Women.

While Germany has 6,500,000 women who earn their own living, Italy, with only one-half the population, has 5,250,000. In Germany the number of servant girls who have savings bank account is nearly three times as large as that of shop girls who have them.

#### Photographing the Eye.

Professor Baiardi, of Turin, has succeeded in perfecting his invention of photographing the eye, and has communicated the results obtained to the Physical Society of Rome, advocating its practical use for diagnosis of diseases of the eye.

#### Great Mexican Financier.

Next to Finance Minister Limantour Don Pablo Macedo is considered the foremost financier of Mexico. At present he is vice-president of the commission of coinage and exchange. To him, as much as to any other citizen of the sister republic is given credit for bringing about the change in the monetary system of Mexico. Senor Macedo is a member of the national congress of Mexico. He is the director of the National School of Law, a director and the counsel of the National Bank of Mexico, which is the financial agent of the Mexican government and has a capital of \$26,000,000. Mr. Macedo is a director of the railways incorporated under the title of the National Lines of Mexico and controlled by the Mexican government; he is the representative in his country of the Rothschilds, the attorney of large native and foreign corporations and was Mexico's delegate to the Pan-American congress.

#### Plague of Mice.

In the town of Merriwa, in New South Wales, a plague of mice is disturbing the people. Recently 10,000 mice were killed in four nights in one store. Upward of 500 were captured while a cricket nest was being unrolled. Four or five bushels of oats in a bag were appropriated by the mice in a night. A local well ceased to yield water and on examination it was found to contain a solid mass of dead mice, several feet deep. Food, water and bedding are overran, contaminated and injured. The townspeople are fighting the terrible little visitors night and day, but at last accounts they had made little impression upon the swarms of vermin.

## MAHNCKE HOTEL,

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Rate \$2.00 a Day.

Modern Conveniences,  
Special Apartments (en suite)  
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The "Sap's" new night  
Train between  
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Leaves Houston 10:15 p. m. Arrives San Antonio 7:45 a. m.  
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Each train strictly up-to-date, wide vestibule, pintsch lighted, soft berth Pullman sleepers, free parlor car, one combination coach and one baggage car.



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Old Hats made new. Old clothes made to look good. Old kinds laundry work done in first-class style. The PAUL has no animal that eats shirts. They come home whole with the buttons all on. Leave Laundry at Kerrville Book Store. Have Laundry in by Tuesday, 12 o'clock. If you do not send laundry regular notify us when you have a package and we will call for it.

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Fresh Beef, Pork,  
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All Orders Delivered Free.

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Beef, Pork, Sausage,  
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### MAIN ST. KERRVILLE TEXAS.

### Going North Soon?

If so, you ought to look into the  
**LOW ROUND TRIP RATES**

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The following are all  
**TOP-NOTCHERS:**

LOUISVILLE, KY. Veterans Reunion

One Cent per mile rate.

Tickets on sale June 9, 10, 11 and 12, good to return July 10th.

TORONTO, CANADA. On the Lakes.

One Fare plus \$2.00.

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One Fare plus \$2.00.

Tickets on sale June 19 to 22, good to return June 29.

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One Fare plus \$3.33.

Tickets on June 28, 29, 30 and July 1, good to return August 31.

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One Fare plus \$2.00.

Tickets on sale July 1, 2 and 3, good to return August 31.

BUFFALO, N. Y.

One Fare plus \$2.00.

Tickets on sale July 7, 8 and 9, good returning August 4.

You travel on the FINEST TRAINS RUNNING OUT OF TEXAS. HARVEY DINING SERVICE. THROUGH SLEEPERS AND CHAIR CARS, ELECTRIC FANS.

G. W. STRAIN,  
Gen'l Pass. Agent,  
Fort Worth, Texas.

## FUNNY THINGS

FROM THE PAPERS.

A Canon City (Colo.) merchant advertises "sweet things in shirt waists," whereat Mayfield, of the Denver News, piously remarks, "Bless their dear hearts!"

"Brother," says a Georgia editor "don't stop your paper because you don't agree with us. The last cabbage you sent us did not agree with us either, but we didn't drop you from our subscription list."

"Let me see" said the minister who was filling out the marriage certificate and had forgotten the date, this is the fifth, is it not?

No sir, said the bride, with some indignation, this is only me third. —Eppicett's.

An Oklahoma editor thus expresses his wrath at a recent crime committed in his community: "Any man who would maliciously set fire to a barn and burn up twenty cows should be kicked to death by a jackass. The Wave man would like to do the kicking."

Outin a certain Texas town there is a Dutch hotel keeper. He runs a good hotel, but he doesn't like to have anyone kicking on things. A certain traveling man stayed there about a week and found fault with everything so that when he left the Dutch hotel keeper was exhausted. "Do you know that Jack—" he said to another traveling man. "Vell if he never comes back again, it will be plenty soon enough."—Ex.

Gaf L. Tufts, editor of the Celeste (Tex.) Courier, advertised thus: "Some woman with substantial understandings left a pair of overshoes at this office. Owner may have same by calling, proving property and paying for advertisement." The shoes were not called for and the following ad. was inserted: "Some neat little woman with pretty feet left a pair of overshoes at this office. She may have same by calling and paying for this advertisement in sweet smiles. That was judicious advertising and it brought results. All the neat little women in town called and claimed those shoes and the editor had to go out and buy a box of rubbers to supply the demand."

### Got Even With Judge Sewall.

Judge Sewall and Joseph Story were dining together at an inn, when a jolly son of Erin appeared at the door and called for dinner. The landlord told him he could eat when the gentlemen had finished.

"Let him dine with us," whispered Judge Sewall, "and we will have some fun with him."

The Irishman took his seat at the table.

"You were not born in this country?" said Story.

"No, I was born in Ireland."

"Is your father living?"

"No, sir."

"What was his occupation?"

"Trading horses, sir."

"Did he ever cheat anyone?"

"I suppose he did, sir."

"Where do you suppose he went to?"

"To heaven, sir."

"Has he ever cheated any one there?"

"He has cheated one man, I believe."

According to the Herald, a Florence (Ala.) parson says that the nicest thing about castles in the air is that you don't have to push a lawn mower all around them once or twice a week.

The Statesbury (Mo.) Star editor would be an optimist were it not for one thing. He says: "Crops are good, people are happy and life would be a bed of roses— if it wasn't for the dod gasted chiggers."

The Sterling (Kan.) Journal editor is a bold, bad man. In his paper, he recently said: "Editor Stulken of the Bison Bee got married last week, and went away to spend his honeymoon. He will give the queen on their return, and proceed to lay up honey against a possible swarming."

Along about now the editor of the Atchison (Kan.) Globe is glad he is alive. During June he said in his paper: "If the women continue to diminish their clothing for the next six weeks as much as they have during the past, we would hate to be blind along about the Fourth of July."

### Error.

Mr. Woollimon—Loogy yuh, now! Dis ain't right! De whole country, tum de Atlantic to de Specific, and tum Alphabet to Omaha, am full o' niggers—dey am a right dignitious presentment of de entah popularity, de nigger is! Well, and vit, sah, out o' all de States in de Union dar ain't a single contaminated one of 'em named after a cullud man Dat's 'scrimination, sah: sho's yo' bawn it is!

Mr. Slewfoot—Aumph! No State named after a cullud man? What's de mattah wid Washington, uh?—Puck.

### Oh! Horrors.

A few days ago a Sweetwater young man accompanied by his sis, visited a store to purchase a gift for his sweetheart as a birthday present. Thinking a book or box of bon bons too common, he decided to give her a pair of gloves, and made his purchase accordingly, while his sister bought a pair of fancy stockings for herself. Both gloves and stockings were wrapped in similar packages. In some way the bundles became mixed, and the young man, not knowing, the mistake sent the stockings to his sweetheart accompanied by the following note:

"Dearest—: I hope you will enjoy this little present, instead of something foolish. Oh, how I wish no other hands than mine would ever touch them after you put them on, but I know 'dear, that such a wish is vain. A score of other fellows may touch them when I am not by your side, and other eyes than mine may see them on the street and at parties. I bought the largest pair I could get, and if they are too long, you can let them wrinkle down. A great many of the girls wear them slipped down a little. Always wear them at parties. I want to see how they fit. Some fellows have dirty hands, and are likely to soil them, but you can clean them, dear, with benzine, if you leave them on till dry. I hope they are not too small. Blow in them before you put them on."

"From your Loving—"

The engagement is off, and if the unfortunate young man ever shows his mug in that end of town, he will get it knocked off by the man-like fist of "Dearest One's" father.

Moral—Always look inside of a box before you send it away.—Press.



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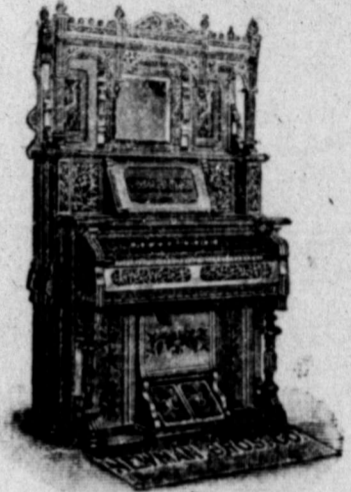
My second car-load of Pianos arrived July 28th, and my stock of Musical Instruments is one of the most complete West of Chicago and New York.

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That I have the largest, best and most carefully selected stock of Pianos in Texas to-day. The cases are of the finest woods, viz: American, Burl and French walnut, Golden and English oak, American and San Domingo Mahogany, and Birds-Eye maple. I visited several of the largest factories and selected my stock.

The following well-known makes of Pianos are represented: Adam SchAAF, Kimball, Hardeman, Harrington, Howard, Byrne, Kingsbury, Weser Bros., Hinze and others. Newman Bros, Chicago Cottage and Putnam organs.



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You are cordially invited to call and examine my stock of fine instruments. I can please you in price and terms. Tuning and Repairing a Specialty.



Make my exhibit at West Texas Fair Sept. 7, 8, 9, your headquarters.



Yours For Music,

J. J. McKelvy,

Music House Two Doors P. O. Kerrville, Tex.



Wolf Creek Barbecue.

The 20th day of August will be a stated and fixed holiday on Wolf creek hereafter. The barbecue given here on that date was an all round success. The meat was as fine as possible and cooked exactly right. The supplementary edibles furnished by the ladies were indeed "too numerous to mention," in fact the case can only be stated by saying that there was a great abundance of all kinds of good things to eat. The day was passed in pleasant social conversation, singing by the Kerrville Concordia and music by the Tivydale band.

Among the special features of the occasion, was a star performance by Prof. Schmidt, Henry Schwethelm, Henry Heinen, Richard Doebbler and a few other members of the "old guard."

A contest was pulled off between Ernest Schwethelm of this city and Geo. Zoerner of White Oak. George was not present and Ernest got the whole package.

The result was an all round good time for all present and everybody satisfied.

Executors' Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of N. E. Wright, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned executors within the time prescribed by law. The undersigned were duly appointed executors of said estate on August 7, 1905, by the County Court of Kerr County, Texas, and their residence and postoffice address is Kerrville, Texas.

ERNEST E. PALMER.  
M. R. BRAGGINS.

Executors of the estate of N. E. Wright. 9-4t.  
Kerrville, Texas, Aug. 15, 1904.

Ring up Phone 17 for groceries, prompt service, free delivery.

Hurt By Falling Horse.

Monday, while Tom Young was doctoring cattle at Schreiner's South Fork ranch, he sustained a very painful injury. Young roped a steer and by some means his horse failed to get a good footing and the steer jerked the horse off his feet. Young and the horse fell in a heap, the horse striking the rider under the chin with his foot and doing considerable damage. Young lost two teeth in the performance and the drum of his left ear was ruptured. He came to town Tuesday for medical attention and is getting along nicely.

Y. T. S. Elects Officers.

At a meeting of the Youth's Temperance Society on Turtle creek last Sunday, officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows: Fred Real, President; Frank Richards, Vice-President; Miss Eva Lamb, Secretary; Miss Maud Burks, Treasurer.

Will Receive Bids.

The City Council of the City of Kerrville will receive bids for the deposit of the City funds. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check, payable to the Mayor of the City of Kerrville, for \$25.00. No bid received later than 10:00 a. m. Tuesday, September 19, 1905.

A. R. JONES,  
Secretary, City of Kerrville.

Youth's Temperance Ball.

A very enjoyable ball was given at Real's Hall on Turtle creek last Saturday night under the auspices of the Youth's Temperance Society. The entertainment was largely attended and all report a very pleasant time.

Welge Bros., dealers in groceries, hay, corn, oats, bran, meal, Flour and salt. Free delivery, Phone 92.

Notice.

Chapter 2, Section 5, of the revised ordinances of the city of Kerrville.

Any weeds found growing on any lot or parcel of land, situated on any street or alley of the city, shall be deemed a nuisance, and any owner, occupant or agent who shall neglect or refuse to abate such nuisance, after six days' notice, shall be subject to a fine of not more than ten dollars.

This will be strictly enforced.  
JOHN H. WARD, Mayor

THERE IS MUCH IN THE HAT

Put a good hat on a poorly dressed man and he will look better than a well dressed man wearing a "Jim Crow lid." We sell good hats.

Dietert Bros.

W. J. and Allen McDonald, Wylie Boatwright and Ben McDonald were in Kerrville the first of the week. Part of the bunch wanted to get out and see the city by electric, but W. J. McDonald and Boatwright told the boys it was naughty to do such things, so the whole outfit went to bed. The next morning the boys all felt fine except W. J. and Boatwright, who complained that their heads felt funny. It was suggested that they had probably been troubled with insomnia and took a walk after the others went to sleep.

Transportation Notice.

We will run busses and hacks to and from the fair grounds. No return checks will be given. The fare will be 15 cents for adults and 10 cents for children.

M. R. BRAGGINS,  
W. E. SMITH.

Welge Bros. want to buy corn.



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J. P. MOSEL,

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I make the best saddles in Southwest Texas, durable, comfortable and easy on the horse, and prices as low as first-class work can be done.

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