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## TILLMAN HAS INTERESTING MEN FOR CONSTITUENTS.

ONE-GALLUS BOYS ARE ALWAYS GLAD TO SEE THE RUGGED COMMONER.

Senator Is Defending State Dispensary Law.

The Honorable Benjamin R. Tillman, Senator from South Carolina, is a spectacle in the Senate of the United States which all visitors ask to have pointed out to them. A speech by him in the Senate is an occasion in Washington and a feature in the papers throughout the country the morning after.

But Ben Tillman in the original and on his native heath, among the "wool hat one-gallus boys," is a show indeed, writes a correspondent for the Kansas City Journal. He is running for re-election to the Senate, though he has no opposition, the one opponent who entered the race having withdrawn he is going from place to place to address the people on the issues.

The issues are whether or not South Carolina shall continue the State Dispensary for the purpose of dispensing "licker" to the people and how and where. "Licker" is the question before the people of the State.

Tillman invented the dispensary, fathered and fostered it. For fourteen years it has run a course of trouble and for the first few years of its history it ran a course of blood.

The people of South Carolina are now asked to kill it. Already in fifteen counties, nearly half the counties in the state, the people have under a recent act of the legislature voted out their dispensaries.

Tillman's pet is the dispensary. He said it was established in the interests of temperance, and some of his lieutenants—Tillman himself, some say—said it was a great moral institution. Some of the newspapers have since called it "perdition," abbreviating it to the "G. M. I."

It has been an issue in every election for Governor since 1894. This year eight candidates are running for governor, each expressing different views as to the management of the liquor question. Tillman is putting forth the stoutest efforts to save the "G. M. I." and he is going about it in the interest of "good licker."

The issue, as someone has expressed it, is between those who believed that there is no good "licker," but good, better and best. Tillman is the "champion" "good licker" and he tells the people how to get it.

But regardless of the issues and the views he expresses, which are always less interesting than the way he expresses them, it is Tillman on the stump who is to be described.

In the little town of Union, up in the red hills of South Carolina, the other day, there had gathered, then, not the beauty and chivalry as in an earlier day had been wont to gather around Senators in South Carolina, but some 1,500 or 2,000 "wool hat, one gallus boys" from the wood and hills and fields to see and to hear the man they had sent to the U. S. Senate. Many of

them did not know what the U. S. Senate was, neither what it is like nor what it is for.

But some sixteen years ago, a lean, lank, sallow faced fellow with one flashing brown eye, a tremendous head, long, nervous rapid, moving arms, a high, whining voice and a fiery, scathing, voluble tongue, had come out of the backwoods of Edgefield and told them that they were a downtrodden lot; that they were under the heel of aristocracies, rings, corporations and other horrible things and that he was the Moses—just like one of them, he told them, except that he had more sense—come to lead them up out of bondage.

They made him governor. They knew what a governor was, most of them did, and he saw them occasionally and told them what he was doing for them. Then he told them there was a place called the U. S. Senate and that they were entitled to have a man there to look after their interests and he wanted to go there.

"When you go to elect members of the legislature," he told them "you need not ask where they stand on this question or that. What you want to ask them is will they vote for Tillman for the U. S. Senate."

And they did, and Tillman was sent to the U. S. Senate. He went away and they have not seen much of him since.

Now of late they had heard that he has become famous. They gathered around him in the grove at Union and mounted him on a stand erected in the grove and hurried for their hero, sent off by them to the wars and come home covered with glory.

"It is my pleasure, as it has been many a time before," said the chairman, "to introduce to you the foremost man in the United States."

"That's right," several shouted, and they gave a tremendous yell, not that the announcement was unusual or in any way striking.

Of course he was the foremost man in the United States. But he was their Ben, "Ole Ben" they called him affectionately, and many in the crowd, if he had told them that black was white, would have declared "That's so," and shouted, "Hurrah for Ole Ben."

The crowd was very familiar. Not alone was Tillman unconventional, as he also is, but this time the audience was unconventional as he. It was the most undignified, undeliberative assembly in the world.

"Take off that damn turtle-back and git to speaking!" cried a fellow from the crowd as Tillman mounted the stand wearing a brown linen helmet.

About every five minutes, sometimes when there was none, a young man half reclining on the floor of the platform, not five feet away from the speaker, would lean back on his elbows, look at him with admiring eyes, put on a big, broad grin and cry out in a slow drawl

"Hurrah for Ole Ben Tillman!"

As he rose to speak the crowd yelled and that part of it which was seated on the rough benches immediately in front of the stand stood up to get a better view.

"Sit down," thundered Tillman.

They sat down, but they still yelled and some of them began to make good humored but bantering remarks. "Same Ole Ben!" "Give it to 'em Ben!" "Hurrah for Ben

Tillman! Hee-ee!"

"Keep your mouths shut now if you want to hear me talk!" shouted Tillman at them.

They laughed and said it was "the same Old Ben," and yelled again. But in a few minutes they quieted down and he began to preach to them the gospel of good "licker."

Not one reference did he make to the rate bill, with which subject he has been chiefly engaged during the past session of Congress; not once did he make reference to any other measure before Congress or that ought to be before Congress. He never mentioned the President of the United States, nor the presidency, and the only reference he made during the whole of his two hours' speech to himself in the Senate was this:

"Talk about having any fun in Washington. Why, I have plenty of fun. I just have the biggest time in the world throwing rocks at those Republicans and watching 'em dodge."

The main thing he had come to talk with them about was "licker."

"You people will have to settle this question for yourself," he said. "I'm not here to give orders, as some of the newspapers would have you believe."

"Hurrah for Tillman. We need somebody to give orders," some of them shouted.

"Well, but South Carolinians will not take orders from any man much less me," he said. In a moment he added, "I mean the genuine article. We got some cur dogs among us, just like there are some everywhere."

"Hurrah for Ole Ben Tillman!"

Soon after the speaking began, men climbed upon the platform to get a better view. This platform was a shaky looking thing about six feet from the ground. So many got upon it that it shook. With a jar one side of it tilted and it looked as if it was going to fall. Some one gave the alarm.

"Well, why don't everybody get down off here but me," shouted Tillman in an angry manner.

An at this the crowd laughed and shouted again. "Hee-ee. Hurrah for Tillman!" But the stand did not fall and Tillman went on.

It was a legislative investigation committee that had unearthed alleged corruption in "Ole Ben's" dispensary, and he was wroth with the committee.

"It was conceived in deceit," he declared, "and its only purpose has been to raise a howl and hulla-balloo against the dispensary by saying there is corruption in it."

Then he told them that this committee had failed to show that the dispensary was bad or corrupt.

"That's so! That's so! Hurrah for Ole Ben!" shouted several.

A little later he told them that the dispensary had been grossly mismanaged and that those who had been running it had got it into a terrible mess.

"That's so! That's so! Hurrah for Ole Ben!" shouted the same ones.

"And the worst thing they have done," went on Tillman, "has been to give you the meanest liquor that any man ever drank."

"What we want," cried a man standing near the stand, "is the State dispensary and good licker."

This man had evidently other resources than the dispensary, which several months before had been voted out of Union county and closed up.

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Kerrville, Texas.

"I'm afraid, my friend, that you are one of those who are willing to have liquor any way you can get it."

"That's right! Hee-ee! Hurrah for Ole Ben!"

Then Tillman went on to tell them how to get good licker.

"You pass the Tillman-Raysor-Manning bill, which the last legislature killed, and then you'll have good licker. Pass that bill and I'll guarantee there'll be no more stealing on the Congaree."

They did not know what the Tillman-Raysor-Manning bill was, but it had the name Tillman attached to it and they swore they would pass it.

But as much interested as they were in good "licker" they had not seen him in a long time and they did not know when they were going to see him again, so that after awhile when they began to tell them a little about himself and his adventures they gathered still closer around the stand, all standing up to get as near as possible, and hung upon his every word.

"This may be the last time I'll get to speak to you," he said.

"Oh, no; come again, every year, and see us," they shouted.

"Well, I'm getting up in years," he said.

One fellow way out in the crowd cried out above the din:

"I hope you'll live to be a thousand years old and I'll get to come to your burying."

This caused a stay in the proceedings till the crowd could recover from its laughter, during which the fellow lying on the platform drawled out: "Hurrah for Ole Ben Tillman!"

They got most interested, perhaps, when Tillman began to tell them about how he discussed the negro question up North.

"When I go up there to speak for money—" he began.

Some of the crowd looked astonished at the information, while others wondered at his admission before that crowd that he had left his home in South Carolina to go into other States to speak for money.

"Yes, for money," he said in a defiant tone. Then he paused again and looked out over the crowd, which stood still staring and wondering. "I'm going up there up there next week," he said. "I speak to make no money the next week than you'll make the next few years."

Then they laughed and shouted and the fellow on the floor leaned further over and cried, "Hurrah for Ole Ben Tillman!"

"I do love to go up there and tell those Yankies the truth about the negro and recount their treatment of the negroes who come up there from the South and their treatment of the Filipinos; then tell them what damnable hypocrites they are; and the best part of it all is I make 'em pay me 50 or 75 cents apiece to hear me do it. It is the sweetest money God Almighty ever let me make."

## GRINSTEAD TELLS THE PEOPLE WHAT HE THINKS.

NOMINEE FOR LEGISLATURE IN 98TH DISTRICT HAS DECIDED OPINIONS ON PUBLIC QUESTIONS.

How Election Law Should Be Treated.

Bandera, Tex., Aug. 25.—At the Democratic nominating convention for the 98th Representative District, held here today, J. E. Grinstead, of Kerrville, was nominated without opposition. In his address of acceptance Mr. Grinstead said:

"Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Convention: With feelings of deep and sincere appreciation I formally accept the Democratic nomination for Representative of the 98th District. I desire to thank all the Democrats of the District for this honor. While some of the counties have no representation here today, yet the fact that no protest has been made by them is sufficient evidence that they are satisfied. I want also to thank all the people of various political creeds and factions that no effort has been made, so far, to induce an opponent to enter the field against me, either as an opposing party nominee or an independent. I take this to be an unexpressed confidence in my ability to perform the service for which I have been selected from among so many men who are equally worthy and far better qualified. I hope that my services in the 30th Legislature of Texas—if I am elected to that honorable position—will cast no reflection upon their judgment, and I shall endeavor to so conduct myself and to so regard the interests of my district that my supporters may not regret the selection. I am not much given to pledges, but I am now going to pledge myself to one thing, and that is, that if elected, I shall be the representative of all the people in the 98th District, regardless of their social position, worldly wealth or honors, or political affiliations.

GRINSTEAD TELLS A STORY.

Now, before I enter into any discussion of needed legislation, I want to say a few words about people who do not want political preferment. Now, mind you, I am not making any allusion to men whose business interests are such that they can not afford to accept public honors, and who have sense enough to know it, but I am talking about men who don't want honors. I can more fittingly illustrate this, perhaps, by telling you of a boy I once knew. Many years ago in the frontier country where I lived there was a ranchman who

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**PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE**

Gathered Here and There By  
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Use Liberty Bell Flour. It's the Best and Cheapest.  
WELGE BROS.

R. O. Tedford, well-known truck farmer of the Japonca vicinity, spent Tuesday in Kerrville.

Mrs. Florence Coleman will open her music class Monday morning in the music room on the school campus.

W. M. Bennett and wife returned Monday from a few days' stay with friends and relatives in Bandera county.

Misses Georgine and Ella Koetter and Leila Corkill were among the excursionists to New Braunfels last Sunday.

J. R. Armstrong, of Boswell, I. T., arrived in Kerrville the first of the week on a prospecting trip. He will remain for several days.

You can't invest anything better than having a suit made by your home tailor, where you can be fitted before it is made. It is made right, it fits right and always looks good.

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

Mrs. A. A. Roberts and little daughter, Esther, returned on Friday of last week from a two weeks visit to friends and relatives at Columbus.

It will be worth the price of admission to the Kerrville fair to see and hear the wonderful Playola piano at J. J. McKelvy's exhibit of musical instruments.

Geo. Reeves, formerly of this city, but now of East Texas, arrived in Kerrville the first of the week to spend a few days with old friends.

The Messrs. Guber's, Capt. T. Thomas and Frank Jeffries left Tuesday morning for the Upper Guadalupe for a few days camping trip.

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L. W. and J. L. Bounds, of Jacksonville arrived in Kerrville the first of the week seeking a location. They will probably locate here in the West.

Grady and Doyle Grinstead, who had been spending their vacation with their grandmother at Hughesville, Mo., returned to their home in this city on Saturday of last week.

Judge R. H. Burney and son, Henry, left Monday for Rock Springs, where the Judge will hold a term of the District court. While enroute they will angle for the finny tribe.

We are taking orders for ladies tailor-made walking skirts, jackets and shirt waist suits, men's suits, etc. The quality of fabrics used in these goods, and the styles are the very latest. Handsome line of samples to select from. Give us a trial order.

DIETERT BROS.

Chas. Rawson returned Monday from a business trip to Uvalde.

Tarlton Dowdy, of Ingram, was seen on the streets of Kerrville Tuesday.

Dr. J. D. Robinson, of Ingram, was circulating among friends in Kerrville Monday.

H. C. Griffin, a young business man of Center Point, was a business visitor to Kerrville Tuesday.

When you **WOOD** say Lawson say Ring up phone 15 3 rings for prices.

Alf Smith and J. M. Webb, two substantial citizens and farmers of the Johnson Creek settlement, were business visitors to the city Tuesday.

Mr. Louis Doyle, the new pharmacist for the Rock Drug Store, arrived in Kerrville on Monday's train. He is a man of fifteen years drug experience and comes highly recommended.

J. L. Vining, Otto Dietert, Oswald Herzog and Alfred Beckman, returned on Saturday of last week from a two weeks' camping and fishing trip upon the Llano. They report plenty of fish and an all round good time.

We are just now unpacking our fine assortment of new fall goods. We will have them marked and ready for your inspection next week, and invite you to call and investigate the stock, and lay the foundation for your fall buying.

Rev. Shuford and children formerly of this county, but now of Colorado City, and who had been visiting relatives and acquaintances on Turtle Creek and other parts of the county for the past two months left for their home Monday.

**MAKE  
Rock Drug Store  
YOUR  
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During the Fair  
**Morelock & Hixson,**  
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L. A. Guber and wife, of Oklahoma, and C. T. Guber, of Throckmorton county, Texas, arrived in Kerrville the latter part of last week to visit their sister, Mrs. T. Thomas. They will remain until after the fair.

You want what you want, when you want it. You want to be sure and see those elegant pianos and organs, J. J. McKelvy will exhibit at the fair. The piano is right, the price is right, the terms are right and you are right in wanting to save \$50.00 by buying a piano from J. J. McKelvy.

J. W. Carson of Johnson City, arrived in Kerrville on Saturday of last week, to spend a few days with his son, C. F. Carson. Mr. Carson returned to his home Tuesday.

W. L. Robinson and family, old residents of Kerrville, left Tuesday for Navasota, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Robinson has been living in this county for the past 25 years. He has purchased a good farm near Navasota where he will engage in farming more extensively.

**ELEWOOD FENCING.**  
The Beitel Lumber Co. has received a full carload of Ellwood Wire Fencing and Gates, and will receive another car load in about two weeks. No better fence can be bought. All styles and heights. See them for Lawn Fencing.

Miss Catherine Dykes, of San Antonio, arrived in Kerrville, Sunday last, to spend a few days with her sister, Miss Susie Dykes, who is sojourning in Kerrville for the summer.

When you want anything in the drug line it will pay you to consult W. H. Rawson. He handles only the purest and freshest drugs. A competent pharmacist always in attendance.

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### CITATION BY PUBLICATION. NO. 309.

The State of Texas.  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Kerr County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded that you summon by making publication of this citation in some weekly newspaper published in the County of Kerr for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Charles Faubion, whose residence is unknown: to be and appear before me the undersigned a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Kerr, at my office in Kerrville, Precinct No. 1, at the next regular term of said Court to be begun and holden on Monday the 24th day of September, 1906, at ten o'clock a. m., then and there to answer the suit of H. M. Burney, plaintiff, against Charles Faubion and W. E. Williams, defendants, filed on the 30th day of July, 1906, file No. 309, for the sum of Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars, principal and interest, due upon promissory note for the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, of date, August the 1st, 1901, due and payable August 1st, 1902, with interest from said 1st day of August, 1901, until paid, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum. Executed by said defendants, Charles Faubion and W. E. Williams, and one, George L. Leigh, to plaintiff, H. M. Burney, and filed in this cause by said plaintiff. Plaintiff prays judgment for principal and interest of said note and costs of suit. Herein fail not, but of this writ make due return showing how you have executed the same.

E. H. TURNER,  
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Kerr Co., Texas.  
Issued the 28th day of August, 1906.  
E. H. TURNER,  
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Kerr Co., Texas.

Came to hand the 28th day of August, 1906, at 5:00 o'clock p. m., and executed the same day by ordering publication hereof in the "Mountain Sun," a weekly newspaper published in Kerr Co., Texas, once in each week, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof.

J. T. MOORE,  
Sheriff, Kerr Co., Texas.

### Starving to Death.

Because her stomach was so weakened by useless drugging that she could not eat, Mrs. Mary H. Walters, of St. Clair St., Columbus, O., was literally starving to death. She writes: "My stomach was so weak from useless drugs that I could not eat, and my nerves so wrecked that I could not sleep; and not before I was given up to die was I induced to try Electric Bitters; with the wonderful result that improvement began at once, and a complete cure followed." Best health on earth. 50c guaranteed by Rock Drug Store.

### Death of William Holmig.

William Holmig died at his home in this city on Friday night of last week, after a long illness. The body was taken by friends and relatives Sunday to Fredericksburg where it was buried. Mr. Holmig had lived in Kerrville for several years, and was raised in Gillespie county where he has many friends and relatives. He was a highly respected citizen and was unmarried.

### The Breath of Life.

It's a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla, also has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs means powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora A. Stephens, of Port Williams, O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. O, its grand for throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed by Rock Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

### B. Y. P. U. September 2, 4 P. M.

Subject—Spiritual blindness.  
Hymn—Scripture reading John 9:35-41; Acts 26:12-19

Prayer. Roll call.  
Bible readings by Union.  
1. Blind as to God.  
2. Blind as to moral things.  
3. Blind as to duty.  
4. Blind as to the future.

Hymn.  
1. What is spiritual blindness? Sadie Page.

2. Can men understand spiritual things by human means? Mand Williford.

3. The holy spirit our teacher in spiritual things. Marion Newton.

4. Spirituality the need of our times. Will Jennings.

Select readings by the following:  
1. Zeffie Carson.  
2. Emma Surber.  
3. Oliver Byas.  
4. Eli Page.  
5. Mrs. Butt.

Solo—Mrs. Pattie Hannis.  
Recitations by the following:  
1. Annie Russell.  
2. Lula Mae Parker.  
3. Henry Turner.

Solo—Mara Clayton.  
Short prayers for spiritual guidance and help: Ed Parker, Mrs. Cöhrön, Mrs. C. C. Butt, Mrs. T. B. Peterson.

Regular collection.  
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says Sam Kendall of Phillipsburg, Kan., "just cover it over with Bucklen's Arnica Salve and the salve will do the rest." Quickest cure for burns, boils, sores, scalds, wounds, piles, eczema, salt rheum chapped hands, sore feet and sore eyes. Only 25c at Rock Drug Store. Guaranteed.

## JUDGE REAL NOMINATED

Convention at Comfort Selects Him for Opponent of Judge Green.

The republican convention for the Twenty-fourth Senatorial District was held in Comfort last Saturday and Judge Julius Real, County Judge of Kerr county, was nominated for State Senator. The convention was held in Meyer's hall.

Ed F. Glaze, chairman of the Senatorial executive committee, appointed temporary chairman of the convention, Capt. J. E. Elgin of San Antonio and Herman O. Inghuett of Comfort secretaries.

The executive committee reported in favor of Ed F. Glaze for permanent Senatorial chairman and W. S. Mesmer of San Antonio for Congressional chairman for the next two years. The report was adopted.

Julius M. Oppenheimer, chairman of the republican executive committee of Bexar county, then made a speech nominating Judge Real. The speech was well received.

The delegates called for a speech from Judge Real, and he spoke for one hour. He thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him and explained that he had not sought the office, but that letters and telegrams from all parts of the district urging him to enter the race had induced him to do so.

"If I am elected," he said, "I will not represent the republican party in the Senate nor will I represent the Democratic party. I will go to Austin to represent the people of the Twenty-fourth Senatorial District."

In his speech nominating Judge Real Chairman Oppenheimer called attention to Judge Real's long record as an official in Kerr county.

"We will let the Democrats open the fight," said Mr. Oppenheimer yesterday evening. "About six weeks before election we will make a whirlwind campaign attacking every plank in the platform of the Democratic party."

### \$100 Reward, \$100.

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### RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

S. A. & A. P. RY.

Effective after 12:01 p. m. June 3.

Passenger No. 9—Daily.  
Leave San Antonio, . . . 8:30 a. m.  
Arrive Kerrville, . . . 11:30 a. m.

Passenger No. 10—Daily.  
Leave Kerrville, . . . 4:00 p. m.  
Arrive San Antonio, . . . 7:00 p. m.

Mixed No. 15—Saturdays only.  
Leave San Antonio, . . . 3:35 p. m.  
Arrive Kerrville, . . . 7:45 p. m.

Passenger No. 16—Monday only.  
Leave Kerrville, . . . 6:30 a. m.  
Arrive San Antonio, . . . 9:30 a. m.

Freight, No. 17—Monday, Wednesday Friday.  
Leave San Antonio, . . . 6:30 a. m.  
Arrive Kerrville, . . . 11:10 a. m.  
Leave Kerrville, . . . 12:35 p. m.  
Arrive San Antonio, . . . 5:00 p. m.

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#### A QUESTION OF HONOR.

When political campaigns arise in any State or District the question naturally arises in the minds of the people "what will this, that or the other man who is accredited with more or less public prominence do?" There is but one way in which this question can be answered. Each individual must answer it for himself. What is commonly called being governed by the dictates of one's conscience, is simply adhering to the inviolable teachings of honor among men. It has been the policy of the Sun to refrain from making comment upon the merits of individual candidates for county office. For seven years we have used such influence as we could to prevent the drawing of party lines in County affairs, and in such matters have supported men for office without regard to political affiliation. The Sun is, however, well-known to be a Democratic paper, although it has always refrained from being violently and unfairly partisan. Our ideas of honor in politics may not comport with those of some other people, but we have a policy, and it is this:

When a man affiliates with any political party, attends its councils and is active in the matter of conducting party conventions, and the selection of party candidates, he pledges himself by his actions and is in honor bound to support all

the nominees of his party. The newspaper that is circulating under a nonpartisan banner and has never taken a stand for any political party, may consistently support whom it pleases, but a paper that has declared itself politically can not do otherwise than support the nominees of its party, without becoming ridiculous and losing the respect and esteem of all people, regardless of class or political affiliation.

The "Mountain Sun" is a Democratic paper, and must out of self respect and consistency at all times stand by its party, and stand or fall with it. The publisher of the "Sun" is a Democratic nominee for the Legislature, and, further more, assisted in nominating other party candidates, and without regard to any other feature of the matter will support the party nominees on honor.

During our career it has often occurred that we have had to support party nominees against men who were the warmest personal friends, and they have always been broad-minded and honorable enough to eliminate personal feeling from politics.

A campaign has just opened in the 24th Senatorial District that places us in exactly the position above referred to. Judge Julius Real, to whom we have given unflinching and unflinching support for the past four years, has become the Republican nominee for State Senator. This race is a party matter, strictly, and we must in 'honor-bound' support the Democratic nominee. There is no man in Southwest Texas of higher character than Julius Real. In point of genuine manliness there is no choice between Judge Real and Judge Green. It is simply a matter of party preference, and the

'Sun' follows the course of other men whose ideas of party honor causes them to go with their party.

This paper stands just as ready and willing at all times to defend the honorable character of Judge Real as we are to further the political interest of Judge Green. We do not belong to the mud-slinging class, and give notice now that no article can be published in these columns reflecting upon the character of any candidate.

#### BANDERA ITEMS.

At the Democratic nominating convention for the 98th Representative District, held here on August 25, J. E. Grinstead, of Kerrville, was nominated without opposition. In a most able address of acceptance, Mr. Grinstead outlined his policies which were heartily endorsed by our citizens.

Miss Mamie Halbedell, of San Antonio, who has been spending the summer at the Bandera Hotel returned to her home last Sunday.

W. H. Wilson, of Charlotte, N. C., is here for the winter the guest of Dr. L. L. Ardrey.

Chas. Montague left for San Antonio today.

J. M. Hamilton and wife and J. E. Grinstead, of Kerrville, spent Friday and Saturday in Bandera.

Dr. J. C. Orr, who has been spending the summer in our town, left for his home in Melford, Tex., last week.

Miss Grace Head has returned from an extended visit to her sister at Ganado, Tex.

The entertainment given at the Court House, on August 25, for the public school fund, was quite a success, both socially and financially, \$80 dollars being realized.

Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, of Rock Springs, is here visiting relatives and friends.

Tom Chipman and sister, Miss Callie, are spending the week in Castroville.

Miss May Weldon left last week for Cuero and Port Lavaca, on a month's visit.

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Miss Beatrice Weir, who had been visiting friends and relatives at Bonham and other East Texas points, returned to her home in this city on Saturday of last week. Miss Weir will resume her duties in the public school Monday morning.

Fred Welge, of San Marcos, arrived in Kerrville Thursday to attend the Fair. He is a relative of our townsmen H. and C. C. Welge.

Miss Tillie Welge returned last Saturday from a three weeks' visit to Waco, Moody and other places.

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OCT. 31st to NOV. 11th

**HOME NEWS.**

**Interesting Items From Town and County.**

No school books exchanged. McClenahan, Carpenter, Graves Co.

Mrs. May Evers Ross, of San Antonio, is a guest at Camp Verde.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Liljegren, of Glen Flora, are visiting at Camp Verde.

John Anderson, of the Divide, shipped a car of fat cattle to the San Antonio market this week.

Mrs. Harry Thornton, of San Antonio, spent Friday and Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boyer, of this city.

J. M. Hankins, of Kerrville, shipped a car of mixed hog to the San Antonio market the first of the week.

A. E. Burge returned Wednesday from a trip to St. Louis. Mr. Burge took with him a car load of fat calves which he sold at a good price.

**Dr. Edward Galbraith,**



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A. H. Saeguard and family, of Etchecock, Tex., are in Kerrville on a visit to Mr. Saeguard's brother-in-law, B. M. Hixson.

Mr. Benson, of the Noxville country, shipped a car of fat cattle to the San Antonio market this week.

Chas. L. Page and family, of Llano, arrived in Kerrville the first of the week on a visit to Mr. Page's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Page. They will also be conspicuous figures at the fair.

The big basket always leaves Tuesday and returns Friday. One trip a week to the big shirt and collar renovator, the Paul Steam Laundry. Chas. Rawson, agent, Kerrville Phone 37. You get your laundry Friday evening.

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Herbert Austin, and family and nurse, of Galveston, arrived in Kerrville Tuesday to enjoy a siege of the cool mountain breezes. They have apartments at the St. Charles.

J. A. Salmon, of Atoka, I. T., arrived in Kerrville Sunday to spend a few days to recuperate and otherwise enjoy himself. Mr. Salmon spends a few days in the mountains every summer.

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Hughes Moore and A. Walker, business men of Center Point, were in attendance at the Senatorial convention last Saturday.

Mrs. Camillo Talbot, of San Antonio, arrived in Kerrville Wednesday to spend a few days with Mrs. P. J. Richardson on Jefferson street.

J. W. Gilmer and wife, of Rock Springs, came in Wednesday to attend the Fair. Mr. Gilmer is a young business man of Rock Springs, who formerly resided in this city.

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A. Coutret, formerly of this city, but now a merchant of Charco, Tex., spent a day or two in Kerrville this week, on a visit to Mrs. Coutret and children, who are sojourning in this city.

P. H. Caldwell, wife and daughter, of Cuero, spent a few days in Kerrville the first of the week for recreation. Mr. Caldwell is a stationery drummer, and was here in the interest of his business.

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The ladies' of the Presbyterian church will give an ice cream social on the lawn in the rear of the church building, Friday night, September 7th. The social is for the benefit of the Presbyterian manse and everybody is cordially invited.

The following were in attendance at the Senatorial convention from Bexar county. Selig Deutschman, Emmett B. Coker, Perry Lewis, C. L. Bass, C. A. Goeth, Otto Wahrmond, R. B. Green, Robert Neil, John R. Boyle, Carlos Bee, W. A. Coker, Earl D. Scott, Harry Baker and others.

Henry Wahrmond represented Gillespie county.

A number of Kerr county democrats were in attendance as delegates and visitors.

**LILJEGREN BONNELL.**

A pretty wedding on Tuesday, August 28, was that of Miss Helen Charlotte Bonnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bonnell, of Camp Verde, to Karl Fletcher Liljegren, of Glen Flora, Tex., the ceremony took place at 12:00 o'clock.

Rev. Mr. White, of Center Point, read the services in his usual happy manner. The house was beautifully decorated with carnations and ferns.

Miss Ethel Bonnell, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. William Brewster Leigh best man.

Mrs. Liljegren has lived in San Antonio and Camp Verde during her life, and is well-known and loved by all. Mr. Liljegren is a popular sugar planter of Glen Flora. They have many friends who wish them every pleasure in their new relationship.

The young couple left that afternoon for a trip to Mexico.

Adam Morris, a young ranchman from the head of North Fork, was in Kerrville several days this week.

Capt. J. L. Phillips, a representative citizen from the Upper Guadalupe country, was a conspicuous figure on our streets Wednesday.

Our contracts with the publishers require us to sell all school books for cash. No school books charged.

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Stanley and Kearney Butt, of Memphis, Tenn., who had been visiting their father, C. C. Butt, of this city, returned to their home Tuesday. This was their first trip to the Mountain City in Kerr county.

Rudolph Dietert and wife, of San Francisco, arrived in Kerrville to visit old friends and relatives. Both formerly lived in Kerrville where they have many friends and relatives. They will leave Monday for their home.

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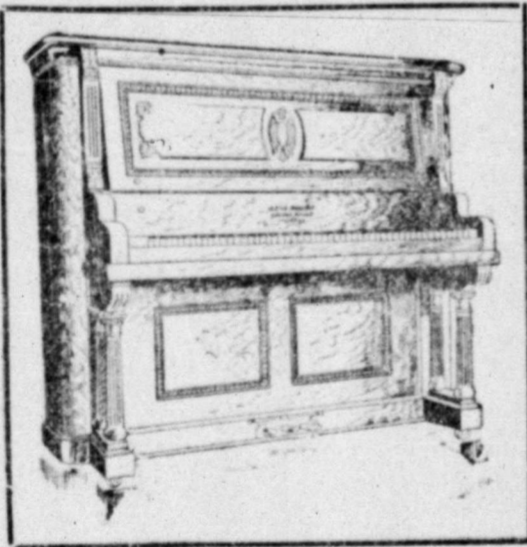
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# FUNNY THINGS

FROM THE PAPERS.

## Not Just the Right Place.

A bashful young couple, who were evidently very much in love entered a crowded street car.

"Do you suppose we can squeeze in here?" he asked, looking doubtfully at her blushing face.

"Don't you think, dear, we had better wait until we get home?" was the low, embarrassed reply.

## Wouldn't Have Been Strange.

Two women were strangers to each other at a reception. After a few moments' desultory talk the first said rather querulously:

"I don't know what's the matter with that tall, blond gentleman over there. He was so attentive a while ago, but he won't look at me now."

"Perhaps," said the other, "he saw me come in. He's my husband."

An Irishman, in order to celebrate the advent of a new era, went out on a lark. He didn't get home till three o'clock in the morning and was barely in the house before a nurse rushed up and uncovering a bundle of soft goods, showed him triplets. The Irishman looked up at the clock which said three, then at the three of a kind in the nurse's arms, and said: "O'm not superstitious, but thank Hivins that Oi didn't come home at twelve!"

## The Baptists Sued Him.

An old colored man first joined the Episcopal church, then the Methodist, and next the Baptist, where he remained. Questioned as to the reason for his church travels he responded:

"Well, suh, hit's this way; de 'Piscopals is gemmen, suh, but I couldn't keep up wid de answerin' back in dey church. De Methodis', dey always holdin' inquiry meetin', and I don't like too much inquirin' into. But de Baptis', suh, dey jes' dip and are done wid hit."

## More Than Enough.

An eight year-old boy went to a church picnic, and being a favorite with the ladies, had been liberally supplied with good things to eat. Later in the day one of the ladies noticed the boy sitting near a stream with a woe-begone expression of his face and his hands clasped over his stomach.

"Why, what's the matter, Willie?" she kindly asked. "Haven't you had enough to eat?"

"Oh, yes'm," said the boy. "I've had enough. I feel as though I don't want all I've got."

## Took the Wrong House.

On one of the Southern railroads there is a station-building that is commonly known by travelers as the smallest railroad station in America. It is of this station that the story is told that an old farmer was expecting a chicken-house to arrive there, and he sent one of his hands, a newcomer, to fetch it. Arriving there the man saw the house, loaded it on his wagon and started for home. On the way he met a man in uniform with the words "Station Agent" on his cap.

"Say, hold on. What have you got on that wagon?" he asked.

"My chicken-house, of course," was the reply.

"Chicken-house be jiggered!" exploded the official. "That's the station!"

## Really, All the Same.

As the railroad train was stopping an old lady, not accustomed to traveling, hailed the passing conductor and asked:

"Conductor, what door shall I get out by?"

"Either door, ma'am," graciously answered the conductor. "The car stops at both ends."

"Advertising is no good," said the man in old clothes. "It never helped me none." The millionaire merchant smiled. "That is because you tried it John, as the Indian tried the feather bed. An Indian took a feather, placed it on a plank, and slept on it all night. In the morning he growled: 'Pale face say feathers heap soft. Pale face heap fool, ugh!'"

## How She Got It.

A little girl was sent by her mother to the grocery store with a jug for a quart of vinegar.

"But, mamma," said the little one, "I can't say that word."

"But you must try," said the mother, "for I must have vinegar and there's no one else to send."

So the little girl went with the jug, and as she reached the counter of the store she pulled the cork out of the jug with a pop, swung the jug on the counter with a thud, and said to the astonished clerk: "There! Smell of that and give me a quart!"

## Literal, but Truthful.

Two gentlemen were traveling in one of the hill counties of Kentucky not long ago, bound on an exploration for pitch, pine. They had been driving for two hours without encountering a human being, when they came in sight of a cabin in a clearing. It was very still. The hogs lay where they had fallen, the thin claybank mule grazed round and round in a great circle, to save the trouble of walking, and one lean, lank man, whose garments were the color of the claybank mule, leaned against a tree and let time roll by.

"Wonder if he can speak," said one traveler to the other.

"Try him," said his companion.

"How do you do?" said the Northerner.

"Howdy?" remarked the Southerner languidly.

"Pleasant country."

"Fur them that likes it."

Lived here all your life?"

The Southerner spat pensively in the dust. "Not yit," he said.

## An Endless Wash.

In one of the lesser Indian hill wars an English detachment took an Afghan prisoner. The Afghan was very dirty. Accordingly two privates were deputed to strip and wash him.

The privates dragged the man to a stream of running water, undressed him, plunged him in, and set upon him lustily with stiff brushes and large cakes of white soap.

After a long time one of the privates came back to make a report. He saluted his officer and said disconsolately:

"It's no use, sir. It's no use."

"No use?" said the officer.

"What do you mean? Haven't you washed that Afghan yet?"

"It's no use, sir," the private repeated. "We've washed him for two hours, but it's no use."

"How do you mean it's no use?" said the officer angrily.

"Why, sir," said the private, "after rubbin' him and scrubbin' him till our arms ached I'll be hanged if we didn't come to another suit of clothes."

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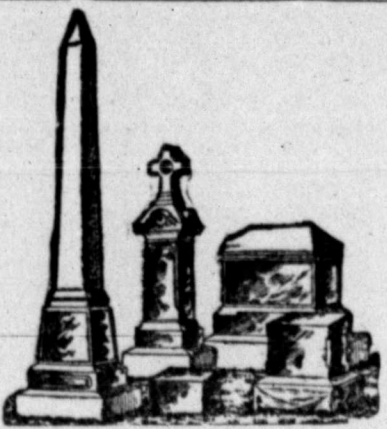
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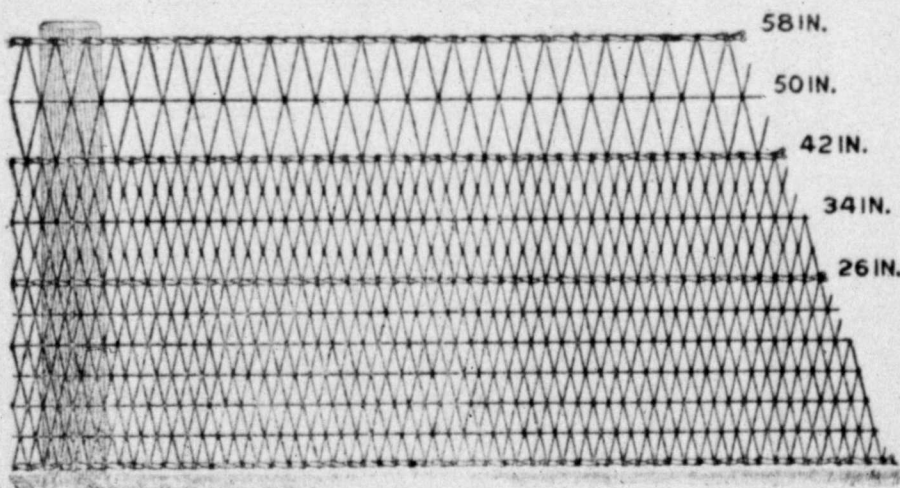
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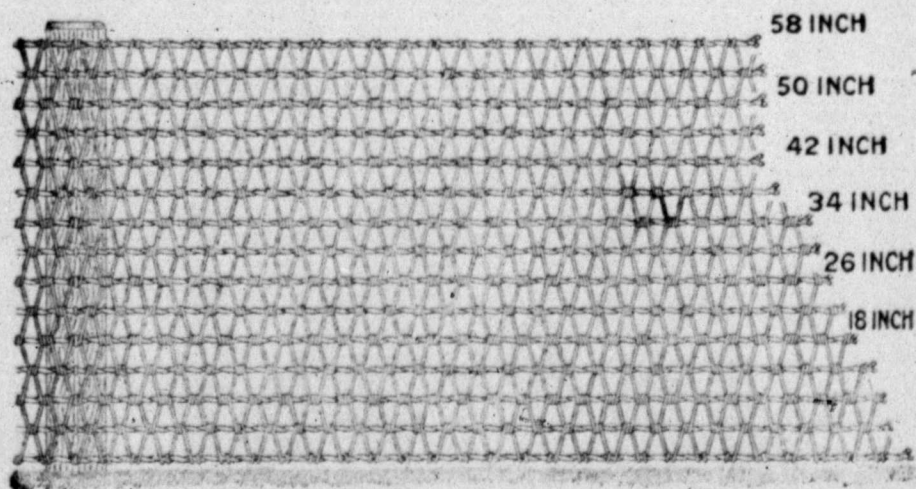
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Main Yard at San Antonio Kerrville, Texas.

had the foresight to plant an orchard of peach trees, and when the trees were a few years old they bore an abundant crop of fruit.

"Now, this ranchman had a neighbor who had no peach trees, but who did have a boy, and, like all boys, big and little, he did love a nice rosy peach, or anything that looked like one. One day this boy's mother sent him to the ranchman's house on an errand, and, as a parting injunction, told him he was not to ask the ranchman for peaches, but that he might accept them if offered to him. When the boy reached the ranchman's house the family were at dinner. The little fellow delivered the message and then stood in the door until he thought there had been plenty of time to offer anything they choose, and finally, for fear they might think he really did want a peach, he said, 'I don't want no peach.' Of course the big-hearted old ranchman promptly gave him a fine luscious peach from a basket that sat in the corner. The lad, without loss of time, bit a mule track in the reddest side of the peach and, with his mouth full and the juice running from its corners and dripping off his chin, said, 'I don't want no peach, but it shore is good.'

"I've been standing in the doors of the big-hearted people of the 98th District for seven years, and when first the people began to talk to me of political preferment, I told them 'I didn't want no peach,' but now that I have it, I like it and I want, as best I can, to thank you for it. There is something seriously the matter with a man who does not appreciate the esteem of his people, and who does not get a lump in his neck when he first learns that they prefer him before others for a public service. It is a disease I don't want to have, because I don't believe a man with a real bad case of it could be a right good citizen.

### EXPRESSES HIS GENERAL VIEWS.

"Now, I do not consider myself an orator, nor a politician, but in view of the fact that I am about to become a public servant, I think it my duty to express my views in a general way on matters pertaining to probable legislation, in order that the people may know what they are getting in the way of a servant, and not be placed under the necessity of saying at some future period, 'I didn't know the thing was loaded.'

"I want to say at the outset that I heartily endorse every provision of the platform framed by the Democratic convention at Dallas. Anything that is good enough for a majority of the Democrats of Texas is good enough for me. There are a few things that I want to mention especially, so that no man can say I was not explicit and thoroughly definite in my position on them.

"Prohibition—On the matter of laws affecting the liquor traffic in Texas, I want it understood that I am not a Prohibitionist, as that term is generally accepted. I will vote against any measure that may be introduced that seeks to change the present law. I believe in the right of local self-government. I believe that if any precinct or county in Texas wants prohibition, and a majority of its citizens favor it, they ought to have it, and the laws prohibiting its sale ought to be enforced as rigidly as those prohibiting cow stealing or any other crime, and I will vote for any measure that seeks a strict enforcement of the law in precincts or counties where such prohibition or local option exists.

"Taxation—In regard to tax-

tion, I want to go on record as saying that it is a disgrace to our proud Lone Star State that with all her wonderful resources and millions of dollars of taxable values, that she should be compelled to stand around and whittle a whole day trying to get some money stored to carry her account until the crop is made. Some provision for fair, just and equitable taxation must be made. That is one of the few things upon which I consider that legislation is urgently needed.

### HAS VIEWS AS TO CORPORATIONS.

"Corporations—There has been no one thing more fully discussed by the press and people of the State and nation in recent years than various kinds of corporations and the laws governing them. In regard to this I want to say that I believe corporations should be accorded the same rights and privileges as individuals, not one jot more nor one tittle less. I think corporations should be governed by wise, conservative and constitutional laws, and that such laws, when enacted, should be enforced to the letter. I do not believe in extreme, radical legislation. I do not think it either just or expedient to pass laws that would confiscate the property of corporations, or even hamper them in their operations within the State, for the wonderful development of Texas is largely due to them, however much we may sometimes deplore the attendant evils. I know that in some sections of the State the people are clamoring for stringent and extremely radical legislation governing corporations, but if you will notice it, you will see that those sections are already fully developed and have all the railroads and public utilities they need.

"And that reminds me that I once knew a little girl who was very fond of sugar. One day her father knocked the head out of a barrel of sugar and told her to eat all she wanted. After a little while she came to her father and said: 'Papa, I ate all that was good.'

"Those thickly settled, thoroughly developed sections have all the railroads and public enterprises that are good, but the head has not been knocked out of the barrel for Southwest Texas yet, and we don't want any mills stopped until we get ours. There are three counties in this district that haven't a mile of railroad. The man would be a traitor to the Commonwealth of Texas who would grant a railroad company, or any other corporation, any privilege that he would not grant to an individual; but a servant of the people of West Texas who would vote for any radical measure that would restrict progress, that would rob Bandera, Edwards, Kimble and scores of other West Texas counties of an even break with the rest of the State in the matter of acquiring means of transportation and other public utilities, would be a traitor to his trust and unworthy of the confidence and esteem of his constituents.

### IS AGAINST TERRELL ELECTION LAW.

"Election Law—I do not think the Terrell election law ought to be amended. I candidly believe that law has the worst, the most virulent case of chronic inflammatory 'amendicitis' of any law that ever disgraced the statute books of any State or Nation in the history of the world. If it remains in operation a few more years it will either bankrupt the sparsely settled counties of West and Southwest Texas, or force the Democrats of that section of the State to leave

the party table and eat their bread and 'lasses in a corner by themselves.

"I think the law ought to be promptly repealed and an election law passed that will preserve the purity of the ballot as far as possible, and yet not be as complicated but that a man of ordinary intelligence could understand it. I do not think, in view of the onerous duties of the Attorney General, that it is best for the State that he be required to work overtime making rulings on the election law.

"These things I have mentioned are matters upon which I feel it my duty to make public expression. I do not think it necessary that a great many laws be passed, and, candidly, I believe a member of the Legislature, on the whole, can do more good by working to prevent legislation that he can by aiding it.

"Now, in conclusion, I want to do a little more thanking. I may not get back to Bandera again for some time, and I left this until the last for my goodbye to you. I have thanked the District as a whole, and I appreciate the honor they have conferred upon me, but I want to thank Bandera county in particular.

"The people of Bandera county were among the first to petition me to become a candidate, notwithstanding you have many worthy and able men among your citizenship. The first time I came among you you gave me the glad hand, and each successive visit I have made, your courtesy has only been changed by increasing warmth. I am proud that your county is part of the 98th District, and if earnest effort can give you such service as your kindness merits, you shall have it for two years, if I am elected."

At the close of Mr. Grinstead's address, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, that the address of J. E. Grinstead and his declaration of principles and position upon important matters that will probably engage the attention of the 30th legislature of Texas, be, and the same is hereby heartily and unanimously endorsed by this convention.

"Signed H. C. DUFFY, Ch'm.  
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## SENATORIAL CONVENTION

Judge R. B. Green Nominated by the Democrats at Kerrville last Saturday.

The Senatorial convention for the 24th district met at the court house at 2 p. m. August 25. Preceding the calling to order the executive committee met in a short session. Henry Wahrmond of Gillespie county called the convention to order.

Henry Wahrmond was elected chairman and J. J. Starkey secretary.

On motion the reading of the report of the Executive Committee was dispensed with and the report of the credential committee was adopted.

The chair then announced that the nomination of a candidate for State Senator, was next in order. Mr. C. A. Goeth took the floor and placed in nomination Judge R. B. Green, paying him a splendid tribute.

Henry Wahrmond of Gillespie county and W. A. Cocks of Bexar county seconded the nomination.

Mr. Goeth moved that nominations be closed and that Judge Green be nominated by acclamation. The motion was carried unanimously.

Henry Remschel, Perry Lewis and Lee Wallace were appointed a committee to escort the nominee to the front. Judge Green thanked the convention for the honor conferred, and briefly outlined his views as to proposed legislation. The speech was well received by the assembled delegates and spectators and cheered at every paragraph.

He spoke in favor of juvenile courts, which he has advocated for many years. His views in favor of legislation to protect and reform juvenile offenders was cheered enthusiastically.

He also explained his well-known position in favor of allowing prisoners confined pending trial to work on the county roads if they wish to. He favors allowing them the time they work on the county roads as part of their term in case of conviction, or giving them a reasonable compensation for their work if they are acquitted, in order that they may not be turned into the world beggars after having been declared innocent of the charge on which they were tried.

Judge Green advocated with eloquence increasing the number of good roads in this district and told of his efforts in this county, which have resulted in a network of good roads leading to San Antonio from every direction.

On the question of prohibition he said: "I am opposed to State prohibition and to the submission of such an issue. I am opposed to an uniform license. Malt liquors should not be taxed as high as alcoholic liquors. The lighter drinks should be taxed less than the strong drinks. A man who desires to engage solely in the sale of malt liquors should not by necessity of law be compelled to sell strong alcoholic drinks.

"Gambling houses, policy shops, variety theaters and dance halls where women are allowed to conduct themselves in a lewd or lascivious or indecent manner or where the vagrant, vicious and criminal class are allowed to congregate and hatch crime, should be suppressed. Disreputable places and dives that serve as pitfalls for young girls and children should not be allowed.

"Opposition is not so much to

liquor itself as it is to the manner in which a few saloons are run. A saloon run in a reputable, orderly and lawful way does not create opposition. Opposition to the liquor interest has been caused by some men conducting in connection with their saloons gambling hells and brothels. Eliminate gambling and prostitution from the saloon business and you will never hear any prohibition talk at all. Those who sincerely stand for the suppression of these evils are the best and only practical anti-prohibitionists.

"Those of us who oppose prohibition have a right to demand that these evils be stamped out so as not to endanger the enactment of sumptuary laws.

"The saloon men who run their places in a lawful, reputable and orderly manner are entitled to have these evils suppressed, so as not to jeopardize and bring into disrepute their business. The public too often fails to locate the fault against the guilty individual, but simply charges it against the saloon business.

"All citizens have a right to demand a suppression of these evils, because of their inherent wrong and vice and so that the prohibition question can be put to rest forever and they not be forever and continually confronted with this agitation.

"Those who have studied this question and watched the state of public opinion on this matter agree that the trouble lies in the existence of these evils in a few saloons and places where liquors are sold and they all agree that the proper solution of this question is the absolute, complete and entire elimination of these evils from the liquor interest.

"To this end the saloon men have nationally in the State and in their local communities frequently met and firmly determined and resolved that these evils shall cease and they are entitled in their pursuit of a licensed and legal business to have the officers suppress these evils.

"The brewers and wholesale liquor dealers have likewise determined that these evils shall cease and to that end they have in our own State contributed thousands of dollars, annually, for the employment of special officers, detectives and attorneys to suppress these evils.

"These institutions are large taxpayers and they are entitled to have the law enforced in regard to these matters without being required to expend other large sums to enforce laws the violation of which endangers and injures their business.

"I have stood for the enforcement of these laws. I have actually enforced them and in doing so I have had the active and hearty co-operation of the breweries and the best saloon men in my city and county.

"Let us all join in demanding and in requiring our officials to en-

force these laws and put at rest forever this bitterest of all contentions, the prohibition question."

Judge Green accompanied by his son, who is 7 years of age, will spend a few weeks on a fishing trip in Kerr county. He expects to make a personal canvass of the county on his return from his vacation and meet every voter in the county.

Speaking of Judge Green's opening the campaign in Kerr county, the home of Judge Real, C. L. Bass, chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of this county, said yesterday evening: "Judge Green, I think, means by the invasion that he will capture Kerr county, and challenges Judge Real to take Bexar county if he can."

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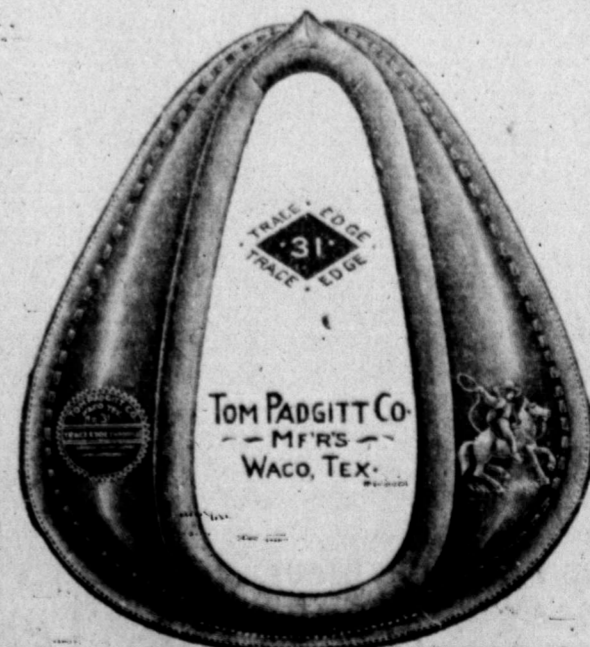
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