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GEORGE BOWLES

DISCOURSES ON THE "STRENUOUS LIFE" AND TELLS A FEW THINGS.

Austin, Mar. 18.—If I don't get busy and tell something the people will think that the "Lobsters" have got hold of me and subsidized me. I had to go with the Gentleman from Kerr on one of his big non-political trips last week and did not have a chance to write to my own folks. He went up to Waco to tell the mayor and the people of the Central City how glad the printers of Texas were that they were allowed to hold their semi-annual meeting there. Of course I went along as private secretary and to root for him. Did you ever notice that when one fellow begins to clap his hands in a crowd other people catch it from him and pretty soon everybody is cheering and clapping throwing up hats just like they were ever so much in earnest about it. If I have to keep up this life much longer I am going to be unfit for anything else but an advance man for a circus or a "spieler" for a moving picture show. When I first came here I was all the time thinking about the early spring garden, but I have got so used to the life of elegance and ease that I don't care now whether there is any mustard or turnips raised in Texas this year or not. While the joys were getting five dollars a day they were all so cheery that they had the top buttons swelled close their vests, but since they have cut the wage scale down to two pitiful little "simoleans," they look kinder "swunk up" all the way from their chins south, except when you see one once in a while who has been treated to a good, square feed by some belated "lobster" who has not yet succeeded in getting his particular "menace to the welfare of the state" killed or modified until it will do the least harm to the public welfare.

The legislature has been monkeying along here making various kinds of "regulator" until I am beginning to be a little bit afraid the renowned Dr. Simmons will sue the whole outfit for infringing on his rights as a manufacturer of proprietary medicines. However when they had undertaken to regulate everything in the state, but the peoples' livers, they backed up to-day and began to look after the long delayed duty of passing some revenue bills. They have not done much in that line yet, on account of the fact that every fellow seems to think that his bill is the only means of saving the country from eternal bankruptcy, and that the other fellow's measure is a subterfuge to protect the tax payers. I have about come to the conclusion that after passing a bill appropriating \$100,000 to pay for wolf and other varmint scalps there ought to have been a like amount set aside for the scalps of tax dodgers, only there don't seem to be anybody here who knows just what part of the state the worst den of them is located in.

The job of legislating for the purpose of creating funds to run the state's business seems to be a mighty big task and most of the boys look awkward at it. There are two or three fellows here who

had an idea that they were going to make a hobby of revenue producing laws and ride the "eritter" in the next campaign. They seem now to be willing to trade the beast for a "borro" or anything else that will do to ride at all. A fellow trying to ride a tax bill hobby horse is a political campaign reminds me of a cowboy I saw one time trying to ride a bicycle with a pair of bell spurs, he looked powerful lonesome and as if he wished he had undertaken the race a foot. Of course revenue bills have to be passed or the state would be mighty shy on pocket money, but it looks mighty plain to a common man that the thing most needed is to get the taxes on what is already in sight instead of trying to tax something that has not happened yet. The gang is after the tax matter good and strong now and unless I am much mistaken there will be some laws passed that will either make the people pay their taxes or make them sorry if they didn't do it.

About all the devilment has been done that the 30th legislature can do without getting caught at it, and I think an adjournment will be had as soon as some bills can be passed providing revenue, unless the governor decides to carry out his threat to keep them here until all the platform demands are enacted into law, in that event there will sholy be "frost on the pumpkin" when the last good bye is said. There has been a lot said about platform demands lately, but nobody has yet touched the spot quite so well as Brown of Wharton did when he said "platform demands are no more the voice of the people of Texas than the bellowing of a bull in the Ft. Worth stock yards is the voice of a herd of cattle on the Pecos." I have taken occasion several times in "these dispatches" to take a light fall out of the platform demand proposition, but when a fellow gets to thinking what a gigantic bluff it is he is kinder afraid to call it, especially these fellows who are playing politics on a limited stake and have to take up a collection among themselves in order to scrape up enough brains to open a pot at a ten cent ante and a four bit limit. I guess the only people in the world who are not afraid are those who never saw a real bad booger, but it is getting mighty near time for Texas to have some officials who are not afraid to do what conscience and common sense tells them is right, regardless of what the platform says. Now I don't want anybody to think that I am not a good Democrat, for that would not be true, but I want folks to know that I discovered a long time ago that there is a wide difference between a "principle" and a "policy." Democratic principles will live just as long as our government lasts, but erratic policy will bring any party into disrepute. Wrong policy brought the republican party into disrepute and caused the election of a Democratic president twice in the past quarter of a century, and if the policy of the Democratic party had been kept straight and had been worried over by its leaders half as much as some of them have pestered over keeping the "record" straight there wouldn't have been a Republican in the White House now. There is no grander "principle" than that of Democracy, but there has been some woful blunders made in shaping Demo-

cratic "policy" and it is going on in Texas right now. If the people of this state don't pay attention to what they are doing and quit giving over the whole task of shaking public policy to a set of political grafters who meet in convention bi-ennially and prescribe the political vaccine with which every man in the state must be inoculated before he can aspire to the honored distinction of calling himself a Democrat and being admitted to the party councils, things will happen in this state in the next few years that will make Sam Houston and David Crockett turn over in their graves and come back and haunt us. I think some fellow said "The spirit of Texas patriotism has slept, and today his stately stepping is only heard when he comes sadly at night and, standing in the moonlight shadows of the beautiful granite capitol building, his head bowed in shame, raises up his hands in supplication and says, O, God, can it be that Texas, grand, beautiful Texas, for which so much patriotic blood has been shed, must become a polluted carcass for the gorging of a horde of graceless political vultures." That was pretty strong talk, but sometimes it takes hard words to recall men to their duty. The time is right now here when men who are entrusted with the sacred duty of shaping public policy must cease playing politics while in office and put their whole hearts and all their strength into conscientious discharge of their official duty, letting merit be the only mentor that guides them, and relying upon the sovereign people to pay them in future preference for faithful and efficient public service.

Nobody attempts to say that all the platform demands are falacies, such is not the case, but there are few of them that cannot be distorted into meaning almost anything except the original intention of the people. Platform demands remind me of the wise doctor who said the "normal human stomach would hold about three pints, but that it was, however, capable of being greatly distended." Just so the normal platform demand, or recommendation is no doubt a very good thing, but it is capable of being frightfully distorted.

A fellow who use to be a brakeman on a gravel train, slapped me on the back the other day and said, "George, you was the first newspaper writer in the whole bunch to set stakes for a 'bump fill' at the end of the pit track in the 'political gravel pit' of Texas, the other fellows have got in line and among you the grade stakes are driven tight and marked in plain figures, 'Conservative Business Administration' of Public Affairs, and if the public officials of the state don't build that bumper right up to the lettering on those stakes and do it now, there is going to be an awful big string of 'Empties' go off the end of that spur when the next general election comes off." Now, I don't know whether that ought to make me feel good or not. You know the fellow who leads a gang that is out on a booger hunt generally finds the game first, and is also behind when you start back, so, like the niggers eon trap, he "ketches it gwine and comin'," but a fellow who is not willing to get scratched a little in a fight for the good of Texas and the Democratic party of Texas, which are two of the biggest things on earth, is not fit to live in such a state.

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MOVEMENT STARTED BY MRS. R. A. FERRIS TO ENDOW THE BUCKNER HOME.

FOR ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND

Idea is to Have One Thousand Persons Subscribe Each to Amount of One Hundred Dollars.

The prosperous conditions prevailing in Texas, and the idea that Texas people should show their appreciations of their welfare, is the basis upon which a movement is being started, led by Mrs. R. A. Ferris of Dallas, for the endowment of the Buckner Orphans' Home.

The plan in brief, as suggested by Mrs. Ferris, is that 1,000 people of this favored state, men, women or children of all denominations, contribute each \$100, thereby creating a fund of \$100,000 as the first endowment fund to the home, and that an invitation be extended to all the mothers in Texas to assist in the movement, as well as business and professional men in all lines and vocations, farmers and ministers of all denominations.

Mrs. Ferris expresses the belief that if those who should hesitate to contribute to such a purpose be invited to visit the home, and should see the orphan children and the manner in which they are being tenderly cared for by Father Buckner, not one would hesitate a moment to contribute the \$100 required as a part of the fund.

"I would suggest," she said yesterday, "that after this fund has been subscribed and paid in it be placed in the hands of the trustees of the institution to invest in the safest character of annual revenue-bearing investments possible, and that the net revenue arising from same be used annually in accordance with the suggestions made by Dr. Buckner in his last annual report, as follows:

"The institution should be at least sufficiently endowed to meet all expenses of repairs, improvements, extensions, salaries, insurance and other unavoidable expenses, leaving contributions made by the people to be expended upon the support of the children. The school should be endowed sufficiently to support half-dozen good teachers, to be always present. If schools whose patrons are nearly all able to pay tuition need endowment, why not a school for, say 500 and more students, none of whom can pay tuition? The technical school should be endowed sufficiently to place good, practical instructors in the shops, with the

machinery, to help make men out of poor boys and the shops money-earners for the home at the same time.

"I would further suggest that a list of subscribers to this first endowment fund be placed upon a tablet to be hung on the walls of the home, thus showing for all time to come the subscribers to this; their first endowment fund, and I want it understood that due credit shall be given to each and every person throughout the state who aids in this great work.

"It is sad, but true, that the number of children that are cared for by this home is largely increasing annually. Hence it is very apparent that permanent arrangements should be made to create sufficient funds to perpetuate this good work. It cares for children regardless of denomination or previous character, and the mothers throughout the state should reflect and, while they are in a position to contribute and while they are able use their efforts toward its encouragement.

"It is not intended that this shall in any way affect contributions given annually as heretofore, for you will observe that it is necessary that this continue, and it is to be hoped will annually increase, for it is necessary to have that fund in addition to the revenue that will arise from the endowment fund to maintain the home."—Dallas Morning News, Sunday, January 27th, 1907.

The very facts that Democrats have been fighting for more than a century are now being advocated by men who claim to be Democrats largely because they fancy that it will please a noisy contingent of misguided voters. O for the courage and the conscience of that sort of Democracy which dares to teach and lead ignorance rather than that sort which follows in and panders to it.—Galveston News.

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Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Gathered Here and There By
SUN Reporters.

The famous Geisha fans at H. & A. Pfeiffer.

Will Roeder of Gillespie county was in the city Tuesday.

Try Pfeiffers' store for white embroidery belts.

The children of the Lutheran church will be confirmed tomorrow.

Rev. Lyle and little daughter of Center Point were in Kerrville Tuesday.

W. C. Linden, a prominent lawyer of San Antonio came up on Tuesday's train.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Real and son, Caspar, spent last Saturday in the city.

A. D. Hotchkiss, the hog buyer, of San Antonio, spent several days in Kerrville this week.

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.

Sheriff J. T. Moore was among the passengers to San Antonio Sunday.

County Clerk J. H. Hamilton left Sunday evening for a short visit in the Alamo City.

J. T. Ligon has sold his residence on Clay street to J. P. Reinhardt. Consideration \$1200.

Ed Pruitt of San Antonio is sojourning in Kerrville for a few days.

W. G. Peterson has purchased the Joe Schaeffer residence on Clay street.

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**"Golden
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It is made from pure, fresh wheat; no bleaching machine used to make low grade flour look white.

Chas. Rawson, who is attending the Medical Department of the University at Galveston, arrived home Sunday.

G. J. Jordan and wife of Cooper, Texas, spent several days in Kerrville last week with friends.

Dr. R. L. Combs left Friday of last week for a few days stay at his former home Cooper, Texas.

County Clerk Joe Corwin of Austin, was a pleasant visitor to friends in Kerrville the latter part of last week.

**Suits Cleaned
and Pressed.**

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

S. Friedman,
THE TAILOR,
Mountain Street, Opp. Court House
KERRVILLE, TEXAS.

Fresh vegetables every Friday at H. & A. Pfeiffer's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Colvin of Hillsboro, Ill., are guests of the St. Charles Hotel, this city.

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock eggs. One dollar per setting. tf-35 E. SCHWETHELM.

W. H. Bonnell and wife of Camp Vere were guests of the St. Charles Hotel Tuesday.

Miss Rae Weeks and mother of San Antonio, are in Kerrville for the summer. Miss Weeks has spent several summers in this city.

W. D. Burney from his farm near the mouth of Silver creek spent Tuesday afternoon in the city on business.

When You Need

Anything in the drug line it will pay you to consult

W. H. RAWSON.

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Robt. Real, manager of the Live Oak ranch near Mountain Home was circulating among friends in Kerrville Tuesday.

S. A. Rees returned to his home near this city on Friday of last week from the City of Mexico, where he had been on a three week's visit to relatives.

Did you see the big crowd of people at H. & A. Pfeiffers' last Friday? They all wanted some of those fine vegetables.

W. J. Moore, stockman and farmer of the Center Point vicinity, attended a Directors' meeting of the West Texas Fair, in this city, last Saturday evening.

**Use Golden Crown
Flour--it is the Best
and Cheapest Flour
in Texas.**

FOR SALE—Full blood Plymouth Rock eggs. Apply to Robt. Saenger.

W. A. Fawcett and Edward Koester, who had been in Dallas the past week attending the Woodman Grand Lodge, returned home Sunday.

J. S. Lowrance, a prosperous ranchman of the Mountain Home vicinity, was in Kerrville Monday shaking hands with friends and attending to business.

Ring No. 17 for beets, carrots, lettuce, turnips, radish, cabbage onions, fresh every Friday. Fresh mackerel and sweet pickles at H. & A. Pfeiffer.

J. C. Dollahite and wife, formerly residents of this city, but more recently of San Antonio, returned to Kerrville Wednesday and will in the future reside here.

B. F. Denton, from his home on Turtle creek, came over Sunday to meet his daughter, Miss Addie, who had been visiting for the past two weeks in San Antonio and other points.

WE HAVE IT

Genuine Hasting's Mortgage Lifter Cotton Seed for sale. \$1 per 100 lbs.

CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

Attempted Jail Delivery.

(Advertisement)

What came near being a wholesale jail delivery was narrowly averted last week when the prisoners in the Kerr county jail sawed their way through the steel cages in which they were confined and made their escape into the jail yard, but fortunately it was fenced with the celebrated Ellwood Woven Wire Fencing and they could go no further. Beitel Lumber Company, Kerrville, Texas, have just received two cars of this famous fencing. It is the cheapest and best fencing made.

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Apply to H. V. Scholl at Beitel's Lumber Yard. 48-1f

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Green Armadillo shells with head and tail. Bone not taken out of tail.

Will pay 25c each for the shells

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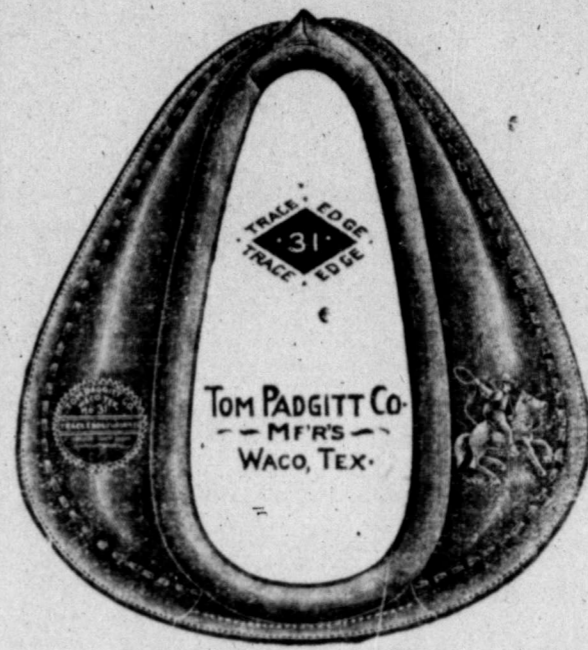
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Our Spring Goods

Are arriving daily and it will be well for all patrons of our store to call and see the goods whether you want to buy or not. We purchased a heavy line this year.

Dry Goods, Notions, Laces,

Embroideries, Etc.

The goods were the best we could buy and they will be placed at prices within reach of all. A fair profit is all we ask.

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West Water Street, Kerrville, Texas

The Kerrville Mercantile Company

CORNER MAIN AND MOUNTAIN STREETS

Have now on display one of the most up-to-date and well selected stocks of Spring and Summer dry goods ever brought to the city. The representative of our store, who has just recently returned from the markets in the East, is an expert in his line, and knew what our trade and customers demanded--he knew exactly what to buy and bought heavily. He did not jump at any of the snaps or bargains usually found in the markets, but bought good, serviceable goods, that we are going to offer at a very small profit. The following are some of the goods, and latest styles that we have to offer our customers:

Ladies' Vests, Belts and Collars, Muslin Underwear, Silk Shirt Waist Patterns, Ladies' Dress Goods, Ladies Long Silk, Lisle and Kid Gloves, Latest Hand Bags, Fancy Ribbons, Ready Made Skirts, Silk Petticoats, Hosiery, Laces and Em-

broidery, Ladies' and Men's Oxfords, Baby Irish Allover with Edge and Insertion to Match, Embroidery Floss, Fancy Red Seal and Toli de nord Gingham, Lace Curtains, Fancy White Goods, White Linen, Fancy Madras, Fancy Combs, Etc.

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SAN ANTONIO BREWING ASSOCIATION

Death of J. M. Elledge.

J. M. Elledge, a highly respected citizen of Mountain Home, died Tuesday about noon and was buried the following day at 2:00 p. m. at the Sunset burying ground, under the auspices of the Kerrville Masonic Lodge of which lodge he was a member.

Mr. Elledge was at the time of his death 44 years old and died from a throat affection caused from the effect of measles several years ago. He had been in Texas about seven years, coming from Horatio, Arkansas. He had lived at Mountain Home the entire time where he conducted the store. He leaves a wife and little child and two brothers at Mountain Home, besides many relatives in Arkansas to mourn his death. To the relatives and scores of friends the Sun extends its sympathy.

Ornamental Post Cards.

Patrons of the office will kindly observe a ruling made by the Post-office Department regarding Ornamental Post Cards, which reads as follows:

"Post cards ornamented with particles of glass, mica or other similar substances, are hereby excluded from the mails, unless enclosed in suitable envelopes."

Save expense to yourself and trouble to us by adhering to the above. Respectfully yours,
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Notice.

I have taken up a black barrow at the August Karger place on Cypress creek, marked crop and over half crop and underbit the right, overslope and underbit the left. Owner can get same by calling and paying charges. R. T. Hester

Bids For County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Commissioners' Court of Gillespie County, Texas, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1907, at ten o'clock a. m., from any banking incorporation, association or individual banker, to act as county depository of the funds of Gillespie County, Texas, in the manner and under the conditions as provided by act of the Twenty-ninth Legislature. 4-38
MAX BLUM,
Co. Judge, Gillespie Co., Tex.

Teachers Elected.

At a meeting of the school board Monday night, the old board of teachers were elected for Tivy High School for the term of 1907-08: H. W. Morelock, principal, Misses A. Fulton, Susan Moore, Lara Watkins, Hattie Garrett, Leah McNealy, Willa Battaile and Beatrice Weir, assistants.

I. N. Hazlett was elected to teach the Mexican school.

We clip the following from the La Grange Journal, which will be of interest to our readers:

"The Journal begins today the publishing of a series of three articles, recently read at a meeting of the Etaero club of this city. As the subjects, 'The Alamo,' 'Goliad' and 'San Jacinto' are among the most prominent in Texas history, and ever interesting to the present and instructive to the coming generation, they are given space in this paper. Today, 'The Alamo' by Miss Lizzie Rumsey is given space."

For Sale.

Three room cottage and out houses, two lots, good condition. 2t-40
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T. C. Johnston has accepted a position with Chas. Schreiner Co. at Kerrville and will move with his family to that place to make his home. Mr. Johnston and his family have a host of friends in Junction who will witness their departure with much regret.--Kimble County Citizen.

Horses Wanted to Train.

I want horses of all kinds to break to wagon and harness. I have had plenty of experience in this business. BUCK ELL.

Attempted Jail Delivery.

(Advertisement)
What came near being a whole sale jail delivery was narrowly averted last week when the prisoners in the Kerr county jail sawed their way through the steel cages in which they were confined and made their escape into the jail yard, but fortunately it was fenced with the celebrated Ellwood Woven Wire Fencing and they could go no further. Beitel Lumber Company, Kerrville, Texas, have just received two cars of this famous fencing. It is the cheapest and best fencing made.

How to Remain Young.

To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan, McDonough, Ga. did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store." Guaranteed at Rock Drug Store. Price 50c.

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The Cattlemen's Association is to meet in the Alamo City in 1908.

KERRVILLE needs a first-class dairy—one that can supply the demand for fresh milk and butter.

PROVIDED there does not come a late frost the fruit crop of Kerr county will be something enormous. All the trees are loaded with blooms and young fruit and the only danger to it is a late frost.

THE wheat and oat fields of Kerr county look green and nice, despite the fact that no rain has fallen this spring. Should we have a good rain soon the small grain crop will not be a failure.

SPRING is here in all its beauty, and the flowers are blooming, the mountains are beginning to take on their green coat and the farmers are busy planting their fields and gardens. A good rain is the only thing lacking.

THE City Council has begun to take necessary steps toward the health of the city. An ordinance will soon be passed making it an offense to keep hogs within certain limits. The hog pens have been a landmark in Kerrville, but they are bound to go.

JOHN TOBIN, Sheriff of Bexar county, was nominated for Mayor of San Antonio Wednesday by a large majority on the non-partisan ticket. If Mr. Tobin is elected San Antonio will have a good Mayor.

THE Thaw case is still holding the boards in New York and helps to furnish the leading dailies with sensational stuff to print. It has been going on for the past ten weeks and the cost to both sides of the case will run up into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. It might have been a good thing for all parties concerned if that pistol had been loaded at both ends and went off at the same time.

Kerrville Officer Coming Here.

J. T. Moore, and officer of Kerrville, telegraphed to Constable C. F. Stevens yesterday that he would be in San Antonio today to get a Mexican prisoner who was arrested by the constable at his request several days ago. The prisoner is charged with burglary.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the Kerr County Aid Association will be held at the Court house, Thursday, March 28th, at 8 p. m. All members are earnestly requested to be present. Election of a board of directors and other important business. J. L. Vining, Sec.

FOR SALE

Hastings big boll Mortgage Lifter Cotton Seed. \$4.00 per 100 pounds delivered to Anderson Bros. Store, Kerrville. 100 pounds will plant from 6 to 8 acres

GEO. M. LOWRY

J. C. Dowd of Norman, Oklahoma, arrived in Kerrville the latter part of last week to join Mrs. Dowd, who has been here several months. Mr. Dowd has purchased five lots on Clay street and will, at once, commence the erection of a commodious residence.

Sheriff Bozarth and M. Z. Weaver arrived in Kerrville Thursday noon bringing three Mexicans that were sentenced to the penitentiary at the last term of the District Court of Edwards county. They were met here by State Convict Agent Reed of Houston, who left in the afternoon with them.

Miss Alva Franks of Del Rio who is a school mate of Miss Thorne Renschel, spent several days in Kerrville this week in company with Miss Thorne, at Oak Hill, the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Renschel. The young ladies are attending school in San Antonio and left Monday afternoon to resume their studies.

Meagre news reached Kerrville recently that Bud Williams son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams of this city, who is traveling and seeing much of the world in the East, was in some manner hurt while aboard a ship two days off the coast of Japan. Unfortunately there was no medical assistance on his ship and the young man was taken to San Francisco where he is now in the hospital. The extent of his injuries or how he was hurt cannot be ascertained at this time.

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Dr. F. L. Fordtran made a professional visit to Bandera Tuesday.

Sheriff J. T. Moore left Thursday afternoon for San Antonio, where he went for a Mexican who was recently arrested there by Constable Charles F. Stevens, on a telegram from Mr. Moore.

Sam H. Hill, a prominent ranchman of the North Fork community has sold his ranch and cattle to J. A. Jackson of Austin. Mr. Hill will go to Tom Green county where he has purchased several thousand acres of land.

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Rev. P. D. Swift and daughter of Harper were among Kerrville visitors Thursday.

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James Bruff, a young business man of Center Point, was in Kerrville Thursday evening.

Jas. M. Beatt of Niangua, Mo., arrived in Kerrville Thursday in quest of health. He will probably spend some time in the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Perkins of Georgia are at the St. Charles Hotel, this city.

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James Sellers, a leading citizen of Harper has sold his hotel at that place, and will locate in Kerrville.

It is reported that Geo. Morris of Harper has sold his hotel at that place, and will locate in Kerrville.

W. B. Chaney, a prominent Bandera county farmer was circulating among friends in Kerrville Thursday. He reports it very dry in his section.

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Ed Corkill, a prominent and well-known ranchman from the lower Rio Grande country, spent several days in this city last week with Mrs. Corkill and children.

The Venerable A. W. S. Garden, Archdeacon of West Texas, will preach in St. Peter's church at 11 a. m. next Sunday 24th inst. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs Otto Holekamp and children, of Comfort, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Edgar Holekamp of this city for several days, returned to their home last Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nichols from their farm near Ingram, were in Kerrville on a shopping tour Thursday.

Mrs. Mary F. Haydon, president of the Texas Woman's Colony, came up from San Antonio Wednesday in the interest of that colony and to look at the country.

Capt. W. G. Whorton, the general proprietor of the noted Whorton ranch on the divide, spent Thursday in Kerrville. Mr. Whorton reports it dry in his country.

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The Ingram Public Schools closed yesterday with a big picnic on the river. Everybody in that section was there and a good time reported.

Frank Ragland, a prominent Divide ranchman, shipped to Kerrville Thursday from the King ranch in Neeces county 4 thoroughbred trotting horses. They will be taken to his ranch.

Mrs. Pattie Hannis, who spent last week in Dallas attending the Woodmen Circle convention, returned to her home in this city last Sunday.

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Col. Sam Durnett of Harper, was seen on our streets Thursday. He says the bond issue carried and that Harper will soon have a good, substantial school building.

Geo. Tarr, the well-known Angora goat man, who had been in San Antonio several days, returned to Kerrville Thursday. Mr. Tarr has just sold his mohair at a fair price.

It is very dry in Kerr county just at the present, and the farmers are beginning to suffer. The days are very warm—even as warm as in the middle of summer. A good rain is badly needed.

TRY

Elijah's Manna At Barnes.

NEW CEREAL—IT'S GOOD

In the local option election recently held in Kimble county the antis were at first reported to have carried the county by the small majority of two votes, but by a recount of the Commissioners' court it was found, that in some manner, the pro's had carried the county by five votes.

The 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. "Doc" Carter died near this city Thursday night, and the body was shipped yesterday to her home at Fort Worth for interment. Mr. and Mrs. Carter have been at Kerrville for the past two months in quest of health for their daughter's health, but the disease had spent its fury before she came and she died as above stated.

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FUNNY THINGS

FROM THE PAPERS.

There is hardly any crop you can raise that will pay less than children.

In a trolley accident in New England an Irishman was badly hurt. The next day a lawyer called on him and asked him if he intended to sue the company for damages. "D. mages?" said Pat looking feebly over his bandages. "Sure I have thim already. Oi'd loike to sue the railway for fre-pairs, sor av ye'll take the case." —Youth's Companion.

A story is told of a teacher in the Hallettsville school who read to her pupils the poem, "The Landing of the Pilgrims" after which she requested each pupil to draw from his or her imagination a picture of Plymouth Rock. Most of them went to work at once, but one little fellow hesitated and at length raised his hand. "Well, Willie, what is it?" asked the teacher. "Please, ma'am, do you want me to draw a hen or a rooster?" —Hallettsville Herald.

Good Reason.

A professor tells this story at his own expense:

He was instructing a class of boys about the circulation of the blood, and to make sure that they understood him, he said: Can you tell me why it is that if I stood on my head the blood would rush to my head, and when I stand on my feet there is no rush of blood to the feet?"

Then a small boy after pausing for a short time answered, "It is because your feet are not empty, sir." —Ex.

Young America is always "butting in." The other day a devout man who would have attracted attention only by the look of extreme innocence on his face, was walking up the street carrying a bundle which apparently contained several bolts of wall paper. The man was studiously avoiding old acquaintances and not making an effort to find new ones, and was right in the center of a crowd, walking with his head down when a small boy with a "spirit of commercialism" called out: "Say, Mister don't break them bottles when they're empty, I know where I can sell 'em." —Mason News.

Not His Fault.

They had been married only a few months, and the wife stood by the side of the department store windows. A handsome tailor-made dress took her fancy, and she left her husband to examine it more closely. Then she went back to him still talking.

"You never look at anything I want to look at any more," she complained. "You don't care for me any more. Why, you haven't kissed me for nearly two weeks."

"Indeed, I am sorry, but it is not my fault," said the man.

Turning the lady looked at him and gasped. She had taken the arm of the wrong man.

She Knew Women.

Nellie, who is in her first year at school, albeit she is a very bright child, came in the other evening and began catechising her mother.

"Mamma," she inquired, "is there any person in history named Timon Tyde?"

"I've heard of such name as

Timon," ventured the mother doubtfully.

"Was Timon a man or woman?"

"A man if I remember correctly."

"I guess that's the same one then," said Nellie.

By this time the mother was quite curious. "Why do you think so when you know so little about it?" she queried.

"Well," replied Nellie, with confidence, the teacher said Timon Tyde waits for no man, and I didn't think it could be a woman." —Brownsville Herald.

Lady Prayed for Rain.

An old lady planted cabbage in her little garden on the side of a hill; after they had come up, a drouth set in, and she was afraid it would ruin the cabbage. So she prayed for rain. It rained and it continued to rain and then it kept on raining; then it rained some more. When the old lady saw the cabbages washed down the hillside, she brook herself to her knees again to pray, and said: "O Lord, it is true that I prayed for rain, but this is simply ridiculous." —Selected.

A new story just on its rounds: A traveling salesman died suddenly in New Braunfels. Relatives telegraphed the undertaker to make a wreath, the ribbon to be extra wide, with the inscription, "Rest in Peace" on both sides, and if there is room, "We shall meet in Heaven." The undertaker was out of town and his new assistant handled the job. It was a startling floral piece which turned up at the funeral. The ribbon was extra wide and bore this inscription: "Rest in Peace on Both Sides and if there is Room we shall meet in Heaven."

His White Partner.

Opposite the depot in a Georgia town was a grocery store run by a colored man, and, while waiting for my train I sauntered into the place and asked how the business was going.

"Pore, sah, mighty pore," replied the old man. "De trouble am dat I hain't dun got capital 'nuff."

"Why don't you take in a partner?" I asked.

"No, sah—no, sah. I've had one partner and don't want no more. One time Kurney Dowson comes ober to my cabin wid a bland smile on his face and shakes hands wid me, and axes me arter my health, and says:

"Moses, yet's yo' an' me dun go iner partnership in de wood bizness. Yo's a powerful man wid de ax, and i'ze a powerful good man to sell cordwood."

"It appears like a mighty good chance fur me, and so I agrees and goes at it, and bimeby I goes down for my sheer ob de money. He smiles and shakes hands and says:

"I've dun got it figured out Moses. In de fust place, I perwided the timber. In de next place I perwided the ax. Den I sent my mewls to draw de wood, and I spent my time to sell it. Dat 'pears to take in de hull ob de case."

"But whar does de choppin' come in?" I says.

"De choppin', Moses. Oh, dat was exercise and don't count." —Cincinnati Inquirer.

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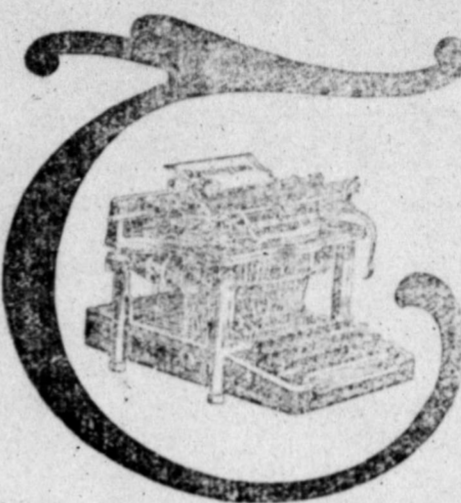
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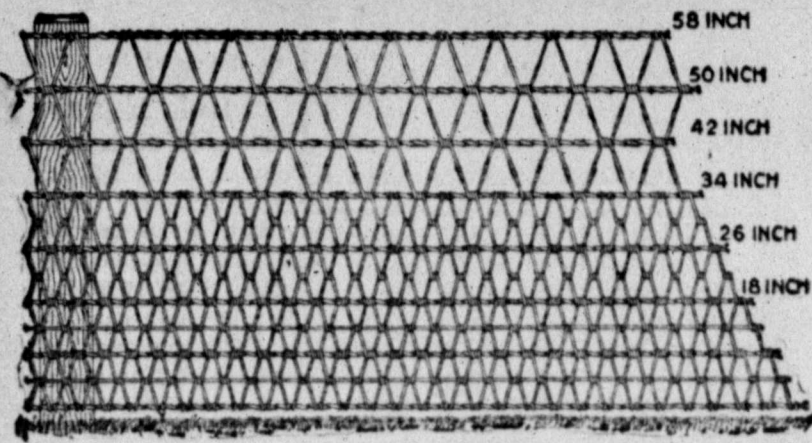
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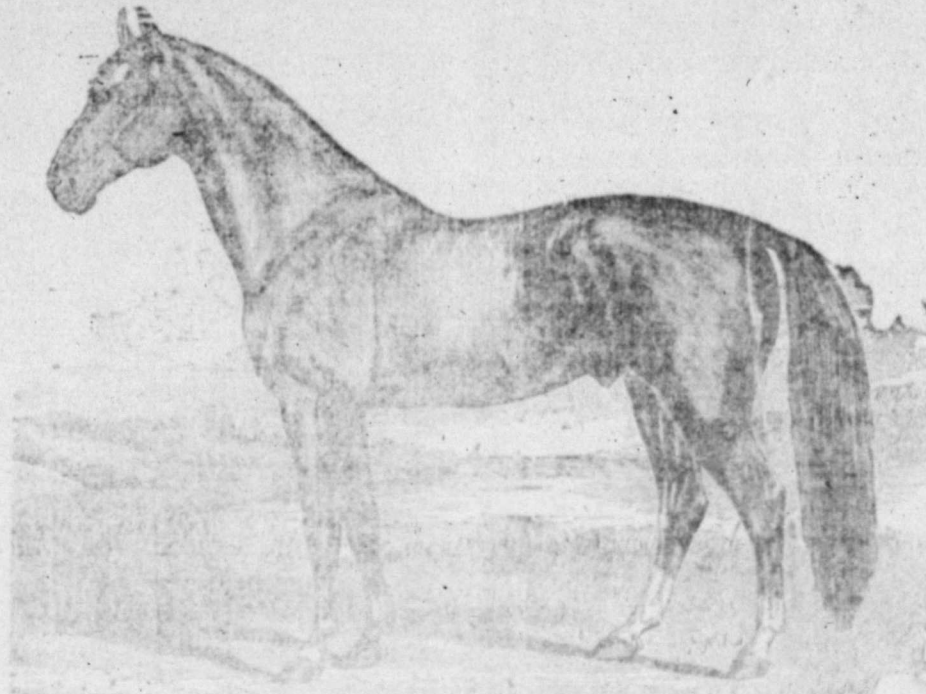
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On Friday, April 19, 1907, Tivy High School has its annual "Exhibit day." The doors will be open at 10:30 in the morning and close at 2:30 in the afternoon. At this exhibit every pupil will have on display his or her best work in each subject. Would you like to know what your children are doing? Would you like to compare their work with that of other pupils in their grades? Do you care to know if the comparative estimates we are putting on their work are fair and impartial?

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Solo

What I have learned from the lives and characters of others—personal testimony from all

Recitation—Lucile Williamson.

Song.

Chautauqua Dates Fixed.

The Southwest Texas Presbyterian Chautauqua which has its camping grounds near this city has fixed the dates for the coming encampment from July 15 to August 15. The encampment has been extended this year from two weeks to one month. It is under the presidency of Rev. Dr. Robt. Vinson of Austin and no doubt the Chautauqua this year will be well attended.

The protracted meeting has continued this week with a large attendance at each service. Much good has been accomplished and quite a number have been converted, who have given their names to the pastors of the different churches for membership.

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intendent or to the individual teacher concerned, and your cause will be cheerfully listened to with the most thoughtful consideration.

We would not have you entertain for a moment the idea that these articles wear even the colorings of a complaint, but why can we not reason together? We want you to know our plans and difficulties, and this is the only way we have of laying them before you. With a heart open to conviction, listen to a few plain facts. Did you ever lead your child to believe the teacher wrong? That the teacher was doing the child an injustice? In some cases the teacher may be wrong, but did you know that you are doing your own child the injustice by letting them know that you believe such a thing? Suppose your children should lose confidence in you, what would your influence then mean to them? If your teacher "does not fill the bill," at the close of the year see that they are dismissed, but give them your support as long as they continue in your service. Come to the teacher with your grievance, but keep it from your child. I do not believe there is one teacher in a thousand who would knowingly do any pupil an injustice. Do not come to the teacher in a spirit of anger, but you have a right to ask—even demand—a fair and full explanation of facts. Will they satisfy you? Then seek for them first.

Home life and school life are by no means the same. It often happens that a boy who is good at home is bad at school and vice versa. The explanation is easy and simple enough. One boy naturally loves home-life and its environments and he comports himself in a way consistent with this love; to another, school-life is very distasteful, and he is out of harmony with all its requirements. The grade teacher may not be responsible for this distaste for school and its duties, and yet she has to contend with the unfortunate state of affairs. Would you have her create in your child a love for school? Then how can you best do this?

Not every boy or girl loves school and its tasks, just as every one does not love work. Can any one transform a nature thus disinclined by a day's training? Too many parents entertain the belief that their children bear the brunt of all troubles. I have come to the conclusion that the world pretty fairly measures out to us as much as we merit. Did you ever see "would-be saints" or "would-be intellectuals" sitting around grieving because the world doesn't reward their goodness or their genius?

Again, some people complain

because their children do not stand first in their classes, because they do not receive the highest honors. Sometimes pupils go home and say, "Mamma, I know my grade is as good as this one or that one and yet my average is lower." Do you encourage them in this spirit of discontentment? Do you believe them competent and impartial judges of the comparative merits of pupils? If so, they have gone to school long enough. Their own unpardonable presumption should be sufficient justification for "honorable promotion." I have known pupils, many and many a time, to believe with emphatic confidence that they had solved a problem with a skill and accuracy akin to perfection, when there wasn't a germ of logical reasoning in the entire process, and when you showed them the fallacy they looked at you in blank bewilderment. This illustrates one vital point in life: "Any of us may at some time be wrong."

Election Proclamation.

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Kerrville, Texas, I hereby order an election to be held at the court house in said city on the first Tuesday in April, 1907, the same being the 2nd day of said month for the election of three aldermen, a secretary and a treasurer for the City of Kerrville, and I hereby appoint Wm. Nimitz, presiding officer and Geo. W. Walther and A. M. Morriss judges of said election.

JNO. H. WARD,
Mayor.

A. R. JONES, Sec.

Attempted Jail Delivery.

(Advertisement)
What came near being a wholesale jail delivery was narrowly averted last week when the prisoners in the Kerr county jail sawed their way through the steel cages in which they were confined and made their escape into the jail yard, but fortunately it was fenced with the celebrated Ellwood Woven Wire Fencing and they could go no further. Beitel Lumber Company, Kerrville, Texas, have just received two cars of this famous fencing. It is the cheapest and best fencing made.

GRAND MILLINERY OPENING

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