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GEORGE BOWLES.

Indulges in Some Rambling Talk
About Just Living.



OCCASION A L L Y, about this time of the year a fellow eats a big lot of lettuce, spring onions and the like, and drinks buttermilk for dinner. After dinner he goes out and sits on the gallery and smokes his old cob pipe, and in the hour of peace and contentment he almost becomes a philosopher, and would be one if he was not a little bit afraid to.

At such times a man's mind travels back over a lot of country, and takes a peep at a lot of the scenes that he has passed on the trip from his mother's knee on up to the present. All these things are good for a fellow. The butter milk and lettuce corrects the behavior of his liver, while ruminating upon "Just Living" is good for a lot of things: If a fellow has a good memory it helps a whole lot in constituting himself a judge and jury when he passes upon the foibles and discrepancies of his own and other people's children. It also goes a long way toward reaching just conclusions when we are called to pass upon men's and women's failure to live quite up to the standard of life, as set up by "The Great Lexicon of Youth" that some wiseacre has told us about, wherein the word "fail" should not appear. That fellow was a cheap skate with about the ideas of a grey hound. Any man or woman having the instinct of a hound pup would rather make a "successful failure" by his own standards of life, than to make a howling success of the game according to the rules by which the other fellow plays it. "Failure" is a mighty good word. Almost every failure that has ever been made in the world resulted in a success, either by the fellow who made the failure, or by some one else who saw him do it, and profited by the performance and steered his own boat off the same rock. Thus, the fellow who failed succeeded. He tried to run his bark of life through a narrow, dangerous pass, and failed, he left a floating buoy upon the sea of life to mark that passage for the world of humanity.

The fellow who is always successful, just from pure "free nigger" luck, don't deserve so much credit for it. He don't try to do

anything that has not been demonstrated as practical. It is the adventurous spirit that dares the rough high seas in the unknown latitudes of life, and after a while when the snows of winter have fallen upon the decks of his craft, we find it perhaps with broken and torn rigging, moored along the very shores of the gulf that we must all finally cross. And when the final summons shall come, and the ancient and time worn cordage shall creak, and the stays groan, as the battered hull is headed across the last stormy reach, who shall say that the hand that grasps the tiller shall not have as firm a hold, and that the eye that peers into the darkness of that turbulent, stormy reach that lies between this life and the "great beyond" does not discern with unerring vision a landing place for his craft upon celestial shores. Who knows that when the keel of his storm-tossed craft shall grate upon the sands of the eternal shores and as he walked across the golden, shingly beach of Elyseum, he will not hear a tender voice say:

"Well done, thou good and faithfully servant; enter into the joys of thy Lord. I made thee master mariner of a craft of Failure to sail the seas of life and place buoys that others might avoid the narrow, dangerous passes. Thou hast been brave and placed many marks along the trackless way, and for this thou art rewarded." And behold, when he looks back to where his battered ship rides peacefully in the haven of rest, shall he not see that the word "failure" that was painted on his prow in this life, and which was scoffed at by thousands, has disappeared, and in its stead has been written in letters of gold, the word "Success." I think it would not be amiss for many people in this life to adorn their homes, their places of business, and the mile posts along the way of life with this motto taken from holy writ: "Judge not, lest ye be judged."

I have no disposition to condone wrongdoing. It is not my purpose to promulgate a belief that wrongdoing, and failing in life is essential to eternal salvation, but what I would like to know is, who knows that many failures are not God's failures that he has created for His own wise purpose?

Once, when I was a young married man, I lived on a farm, and on an adjoining farm lived an old fellow who was a failure. He was an old man, bent with years, and his beard was long and grey. He had been a giant in his time, but now he was growing feeble. He had moved from state to state, and as he journeyed along the seas of life his daughters had married and left home, his sons had from time

to time lowered their own frail barks from the davits of the old ship and drifted away from its course. Just the old man and his good old wife lived in a little cabin and tilled a little field. One Sunday morning along in the summer, just after I had made some very bad plays with the hand that had been dealt me in the game of life, I walked out into my field to commune with myself over my mistakes. Finally I came to the cross fence between my field and that of my aged neighbor. As I stood leaning on the fence I saw, over in the old fellow's field, in the end of a cotton row near the fence, an old Black Jack stump with red sprouts growing all round it. Leaning against the stump was an old fashioned "single stock," while lying upon it were a broken clevice, a monkey wrench, an old file and half a trace chain. Those things have been left there by the careless old man, just a buoy on the sea of life to mark the rocks of carelessness. I looked away on down the cotton rows and there was "Uncle Ab," walking slowly along the deep sandy "middle," stopping occasionally to "thump a million." He had a sack on his arm and as he approached me he looked up and seeing me, called to me to come over. I climbed over the fence and went down between the rows of cotton to where he was.

"Good mawin', son, how's the wife an' chaps," greeted the old man.

"Just tolerable, Uncle Ab," I replied, "the baby's got the thrash powerful bad."

"How's your million patch, son," he went on.

"Doin' no good," said I, "bugs et 'em all up."

"Well, jest git er sack an' come over here and tote home what you need. They pears like they'll be purty plenty here while they last. Right peart chanst of 'em gittin' ripe too. I thumped several of 'em back down the row that sounded mighty meller to me."

"Why, Uncle Ab," said I, "melons are mighty scarce this year, especially early ones, and you can get a good price for them in town. I don't like to take your melons."

"Well, Gawge," replied the old man, "I allers 'lowed that one half of a crap of millions wouldn't be fitten to eat, ef a feller sold the other half, when his naber didn't have none."

So we talked on as we went across the field to the little cabin where the old fellow lived. As we went along I took the sack and Uncle Ab occasionally would stoop and thump a melon. Once in a while he would pull one, so by the time we reached the house we had a nice lot of melons with the dew still on them. We laid them under the "water shelf" and Uncle Ab cut one rich, red, crisp juicy one, and we each proceeded to help ourselves. He called to his wife who was in the house, and said:

"Biney, this here million ain't jest what I 'lowed it would be, an' ef you don't want none I reckon Gawge an' me kin handle it."

Accepting this rather remarkable invitation to the feast, "Aunt Biney," I never knew where she got the name, came to where we were, and laying her bible on the "end of the water shelf," and passing the time of day with me, proceeded to join in the feast.

During the conversation I unburdened my heart of my troubles

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about some of my mistakes to the old people. Uncle Ab ate his melon in silence as I "told my troubles," and when he had "scraped the rine" and drank the juice with a loud sucking noise and many smacks of relish, he got up and carried the empty rind out in the yard for the ducks to nibble at. Returning he sat down, wiped his knife on his trousers leg, and returning it to his pocket, said:

"Well, son, a feller ort to feel kinder mean over his mistakes. I allers do, an' I think every feller does that has the right kind of works in him, but you mustn't get it inter your head that you are the only young feller in the country who knows how to make 'em, 'cause you ain't. I have put in one-half of my life sowin' wild oats and the other half of harvestin' of 'em. Folks say I have been a failure, an' I guess I have, but it's consolin' to think that ef I hadn't done what I did I mout a done a heap sight worse. I believe there is men in the world that don't even make a 'successful failure,' an' I am allers sorry fer them fellers. As long as there is fellers in the 'country doin' worse than you, you have the satisfaction of knowin' that you hain't at the bottom of the ladder yit."

So, the old fellow ran on in his vein of his homely philosophy, comparing me to himself until he actually made me believe I was a pretty good fellow, and that morning's talk with an old man that I shall always think of as a "successful failure" has kept me off many rocks in the years since then.

I went home feeling better, and along in the afternoon old Ring barked and I looked out the door and there was Uncle Ab and Aunt Biney. The old man had two fine "millions" in a sack, and as he set them down upon the gallery he said to my wife:

"'Lowed mebbe you and the childer would like ter sample these here cowcubers. Gawge, he come down to the cabin an' et a bait this mawin' an' then sneaked off without bringin' you any."

Here Aunt Biney broke into the conversation, and she took off her "split bonnet" and laid it on the bed.

"Gawge, he lowed this mawin' that the baby had the thrash powerful bad. Ab sowed a little patch of late wheat fer the chickens, and I thought I'd better bring you some of it." Here the old lady took a handful of green wheat blades out of the pocket of her dress, and continued, "Now jest bile them blades in sweet cream, and rub the inside of the baby's mouth with 'em, an' he'll be all right in a day or two. I used it with all my children."

These good old people were my neighbors for a long time. They always came out behind. They

failed. But they were not bad folks. One time when I had a bone felon Uncle Ab came every day and cut green corn and carried it and threw it over the pasture fence for my hogs. When the baby had a long spell of sickness, Aunt Biney would come and sit up all night, while my wife got a little rest. They failed every year that they lived near me, but there is a long string of sweet memories to their credit. If they were really failures mean over his mistakes. I believe they were "successful failures," and I believe they were God's own failures, and that their own ship, that long ago anchored in the haven of rest, has painted upon its name plate in letters of gold, the beautiful word, "Success."

ALLOWED EVASION FOR ONCE

Gallant Judge Saved Witness from Embarrassment He Knew Would Be Inevitable.

One of the best-known judges in Alabama, famed for his severity and his uncompromising loyalty to the traditions of procedure, had occasion recently to try a case in which one of the witnesses happened to be an actress of no small popularity in the south.

It chanced that the nature of her evidence was such that the usual question about her age was not likely to be omitted, so when she came to the stand his honor told the court clerk to suspend action for a moment; then, turning to the actress, he demanded:

"Madam, how old are you?"

"Twenty-six," replied the witness, who is 36 if she is a day.

"Very well," said the judge politely. "I asked you that question because, if I hadn't, it would surely have been asked you when the attorney for the defense cross-examined you. And, now that you have told us your age, do you swear to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth?"

BRAZIL'S BLACK DIAMONDS.

The mining methods employed are of the crudest nature, and the work is all done by native miners. The diamonds are found in a gravel known as "cascalho," which is obtained on the sides and slopes of the Sincora mountains and in the Paraguassu river bed and tributaries. Owners and lessees of diamond lots generally allow well-known miners to work their properties, who receive a return of one-fifth to one-fourth of the value of their finds. The former generally buy in all the precious stones themselves and sell them either on the spot to the diamond buyers who represent the Bahia firms, or the stones are shipped to Paris or London for their account, or on joint account with the firms established in Bahia, with their head offices at home. They receive from these firms from 80 to 90 per cent. of the value of the invoices, and the balance is paid after the goods are disposed of.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

BY SUN REPORTERS.

Ball at Real's Hall, Saturday night, May 16.

Tivy High School commencement at Pampell's Opera House, Wednesday night, May 20.

Mrs. O. Rosenthal left Wednesday for a visit of several days in San Antonio.

The big sale of Corn Chops at Welge Bros.

Mrs. L. A. Schreiner spent the week in San Antonio with friends and relatives.

Judge H. M. Burney, whose farm is on Turtle Creek, was in Kerrville Wednesday on business.

For Fire Insurance See Burnett & Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Knox, of Dallas, are in Kerrville to spend sometime.

Pinck Codrington, of Comfort, arrived in Kerrville Tuesday to go up the Guadalupe on a fishing trip.

J. E. Grinstead left Wednesday morning for a few days business trip in the Alamo City.

Capt. Jos. Jackson left Wednesday morning for San Antonio to attend the horse show.

Judge R. H. Burney returned the first of the week from Hondo where he had been holding District Court.

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

Messrs. G. and F. A. Hicks of Tarpley, representing the Bandera Telephone Company, were in the city Tuesday on business.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Ellis, left last Sunday for Rutherford, N. J., to be at the bedside of Mrs. Ellis' mother, Mrs. Garroway.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Galbraith left Wednesday for San Antonio to attend the Episcopal Council. Master Gerald Walther accompanied them.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. Cohron and Mrs. Pattie Hannus left Wednesday for Hot Springs, Ark., to attend the Southern Baptist Convention.

Mrs. J. M. Hankins and children who had been spending several days in this city and San Antonio, left Tuesday for their home at Junction.

Sixteen cars of cattle were shipped from this place, Wednesday night, to Uvalde. The cattle were bought from J. T. Evans at the Melissa Ranch by a Mr. Flowers.

The big sale of Corn Meal at Welge Bros.

The big Modern Woodmen bar-becue that was to have occurred last Saturday has been postponed until Saturday, July 4, on account of all the farmers being busy replanting their crops.

Hon. J. G. Burney and wife, of Austin, have been spending sometime with the former's parents, Judge and Mrs. H. M. Burney, who reside on Turtle Creek. Mr. Burney came to be present at the 82d birthday anniversary of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newcomb, of Galveston, are in the city.

Judge J. R. Burnett made a business trip to the Alamo City this week.

Tivy High School commencement at Pampell's Opera House, Wednesday, May 20.

The big sale of White House flour at Welge Bros.

Many a home has been destroyed by fire with no insurance. See Biggett & Starkey today.

Chas. Leinweber a prosperous ranchman from the Divide country was in Kerrville Wednesday for supplies.

Rev. B. F. Mayhugh, of Ingram, left Wednesday for Hot Springs, Ark., to attend the Baptist convention.

Mrs. C. Coffee and children of Fort Worth, are visiting Mrs. Ben H. Kelly at her home on South Water street.

Mrs. J. R. Thomas and son, Douglass of Ryan, Okla., are in the city visiting relatives and friends.

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The order of Eastern Star held an interesting special meeting Tuesday night. A good attendance was present, and the mysteries of the order was conferred upon one candidate. After the ceremonies an elegant banquet was spread and enjoyed by all.

The big sale of Liberty Bell flour at Welge Bros.

Tivy High School Honor Roll.
Low Second Grade—Mary Horne, Dick Smith.

High Second Grade—Irvin Crider, John Green, Earl Newton.
Low Third Grade—Ella Dietert, Clara Tarver, Vann Ligon, Willie Dietert, Paul Wilson.

High Third Grade—Willie Wright Williams, Kate Hamilton, Blanche Moore, Bessie Raines, Kyle Whorton, Frank Kelly.

Low Fourth Grade—Harry Dietert, Lulu May Parker, Irene Baker, Hattie Crider, Clara Corkill.
High Fourth Grade—Fannie May Coats, Mary McKay, Lila Courtney, Lucile Williamson, Gussie May Brown, Katy Lee Graves.

Fifth Grade—Ferrol Rawson, Charley O'Neal, Annie May Morris, Meta Henke, Rudolph Mosel, Edna Henke, Mabel Hagens.

Sixth Grade—Franky Flach, Robert Horne, Sadie Lawson, Chas. Mason, Mattie Parker, Robert Saenger, Albert McCown, Roy Schuste.

Seventh Grade—Nellie Horne, Olive Wells, Remus Kelly, Kate Remschel, Ethel Williams, Bessie Bennet, Leona Smith, Winnie Turner, Mabel Deering.

WOULDN'T LET THE KING IN.

When King Edward desires to pay a call on a personal friend a message to this effect is sent earlier in the day. This rule is almost invariable, but on one occasion his majesty neglected the precaution, and on arriving at the house of his friends found the hosts out of town and the charwomen in charge.

The king desired to go in and write a message, but was asked by the cautious caretaker for his card, and as that was not forthcoming she declined to let him in. "He was a very pleasant, civil spoken gentleman," she told her employers on their return, "but as he hadn't a card I left him outside."

It was only some time afterward that the master of the house discovered to his horror the identity of the visitor.—Tin-Bits.

JUST THE NAME.

Little Bessie was visiting her Aunt Matilda down in New Orleans. There were several southern delicacies on the dinner table that were new and strange to the little visitor.

"Bessie," said Aunt Matilda, "will you have some alligator pears?"

Bessie held up her chubby hands in wild protest.

"No! No! Auntie," she exclaimed nervously.

"And why don't you care for alligator pears, my dear?"

"'Cause I'm afraid of de toofs!"

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NOTICE.

I will prosecute anyone hunting with dogs or gun in the Reservoir pasture, North of town:

Chas. Schreiner.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance to dispense with and abolish the Office of City Marshal of the City of Kerrville, and to confer the duties of said office on the Constable of Precinct No. One, of Kerr County, Texas.

Whereas, John Grider, the last incumbent of the office of marshal of the City of Kerrville, Texas, has filed with the City Council of said City of Kerrville, Texas, his resignation of said office of Marshal of Kerrville, which has been duly accepted and said office of City Marshal of said City of Kerrville, Texas, is now vacant. Therefore, be it ordained by the City Council of said City of Kerrville:

1. That the office of Marshal of said City of Kerrville be and the same is hereby dispensed with and abolished.

2. That the duties of said office of Marshal of said City of Kerrville be and the same are hereby conferred on the Constable of Precinct No. One, of Kerr County, Texas, and that said Constable of Precinct No. One, of Kerr County, Texas, be, and he is, hereby fully invested and clothed with the duties, authority and responsibilities of said Office of Marshal of the City of Kerrville.

Attest: H. REMSCHEL,
A. R. JONES, Sec'y. Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Kerrville, Texas,

That Sections 1 and 2, of Chapter 4, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Kerrville, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

SECTION 1. That the office of City Assessor and Collector is dispensed with and the powers of said office be and the same are hereby conferred on the City Secretary, at a salary of \$200.00 per year.

SEC. 2. The City Assessor and Collector shall be required to give bond of \$5000.00, binding him to perform his duties, payable to the Mayor and his successors in office, to be approved by the City Council.

Attest: H. REMSCHEL,
A. R. JONES, Sec'y. Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Kerrville, Texas,

That the taxes for the years 1908-1909 shall be levied as follows:

SECTION 1. General Fund, 25c; Sinking Fund, 10c; Road & Bridge Fund, 15c; School Fund, 45c.

SEC. 2. That there shall be levied and collected from every person, firm or association of persons, pursuing any of the occupations taxed by the laws of the State of Texas, an occupation tax, subject to the revisions, limitations and

restrictions that may be imposed by the laws of the State.

Attest: H. REMSCHEL,
R. R. JONES, Sec'y. Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Kerrville, Texas,

That Section 2, of Chapter 26, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Kerrville be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

SECTION 2. That the streets, alleys, sidewalks and thoroughfares of the City of Kerrville shall be built and repaired by direct taxation and all improvements thereon shall be under the immediate supervision of the Mayor, but when any one continuous improvement is to be made calculated to exceed the expenditure of the sum of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars, the consent of the City Council must be first attained.

Attest: H. REMSCHEL,
A. R. JONES, Sec'y. Mayor.

Henderson-Childs.

Chas. Henderson and Miss May Childs, two popular young people of the Ingram community, were married at 2:00 o'clock p. m., at the court house in this city, Wednesday, Judge Lee Wallace performing the ceremony. Several of the young couple's friends were present. Both have been raised near Ingram and have many friends who will join the Sun in wishing for them much happiness during life.

Grand Ball at Real's Hall.

There will be a grand ball at Real's Hall tonight, Saturday, May 16.

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ANECDOTE OF ADE.

George Ade was presiding at a banquet one night. In introducing each speaker he made some reference to the etymology of the speaker's name and pointed out some alleged definition of the name based upon an imaginary Latin or Greek derivation.

By and by the humorist himself was to speak, and another member of the party introduced him. "The next speaker will be Mr. George Ade," said the man. "Now, let us consider that word Ade. It comes from the old French source, aide, or, in modern English, aid, meaning help, assistance. It also means success."

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Kerrville, Tex.

FLOWERY.

Cavaliere Grasso, one of the Sicilian actors now in London, at a luncheon given in his honor recently made a speech to his hosts, a part of which has been translated as follows: "Would that I were a dove, its wings laden with diamonds, that I might scatter them over you. Fain would I be your dawn, herald of a golden future. Fain would I be your twilight haunted by happy memory. I would be your sun, to hold all in my embrace, to melt the snows of your winter with the fire of my art into liquid streams, chiming as they flow. I would be the spring time, bringing to you fresh happiness and tenderness of love. I would be the spring, the twilight, the dawn, the sun, the dove, all together—your Giovanni!"

Biliousness and Constipation.

For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should be had I not tried Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally. Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by all druggists.

Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Kerr County, Greetings:

You are hereby commanded that you summon by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Kerr, Texas, for eight consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Henry Fisher, Thomas Tiedemann and the unknown heirs of Henry Fisher, and the unknown heirs of Thomas Tiedemann, and the unknown heirs of F. Haddenbroeck, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Kerr County, for the 38th Judicial District, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the court house of said county, in the City of Kerrville, on the 16th Monday after the first Monday in March, 1908, the same being the 22nd day of June, 1908, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of April, 1908, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 746, wherein Eutentia Z. Saner, is plaintiff, and said Henry Fisher and Thomas Tiedemann, and the unknown heirs of Henry Fisher, and the unknown heirs of Thomas Tiedemann, and the unknown heirs of F. Haddenbroeck, are defendants. Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title and to remove cloud therefrom, and alleges generally that she owns in fee simple, and is now lawfully seized and possessed of Three Hundred and Twenty (320) acres of land, situated on Goat Creek in Kerr County, Texas, known as Sur. No. 565, in Section No. 2, made by virtue of certificate No. 86, patented to Henry Fisher by Patent No. 916, Vol. 3, of date August 12, 1857, and alleges specifically that plaintiff, and those under who she claims have held peaceable, adverse, continuous and exclusive possession of said above described premises, under claim of a bona fide right and title thereto, having same enclosed, using, cultivating, and enjoying the same continuously under deeds duly registered in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, and under written memorandum fully specifying the boundaries of said premises, duly registered in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, and paying year by year, as same became due, all taxes thereon, for more than five years and for more than ten years next before the filing of this suit, and after defendants' title had accrued; and that plaintiff has acquired a good and perfect fee simple title to said premises under the Statute of limitation of five years, and under the statute of limitation of ten years. That defendants and each of them, are asserting title to said premises above described that the said claim of title asserted to said premises by defendants, consists of Letters Patent No. 916, Vol. 3, from the State of Texas, of date, August 12, 1857, recorded in the deed records in Kerr County, Texas, in Book B, Page 109, granting said premises to Henry Fisher and deed from Henry F. Fisher, of date March 23, 1858, recorded in deed records of Kerr County, in Book B, Page 111, conveying said premises to Thomas Tiedemann, which said patent and deed were caused to be placed of record as aforesaid by defendants. That defendants' said title and claim to said premises and the said record thereof in

the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, constitute and are a cloud upon plaintiff's title to said premises, and materially impair the value thereof, and hinder plaintiff in the full and free use and enjoyment thereof, and are a great obstruction to the sale of said premises by plaintiff, for their full and fair value, to plaintiff's great damage. That plaintiff's said claim of right and title to said premises above described, is under deeds and under written memorandum of title, fully specifying the boundaries of said premises, all duly filed for record, and all duly registered in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, as follows: Deed from Charles Schreiner to Nancy K. Stimson, of date, August 21, 1875, conveying to Nancy K. Stimson said premises, and duly recorded in the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, in Vol. B, Page 677, on the 16th day of September, 1875. Deed from J. L. Nichols to Nancy K. Stimson, of date March 19, 1887, conveying to said Nancy K. Stimson said premises, and duly recorded in Book 29, Page 92, of the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, on the 16th day of April, 1908. Deed from Nancy K. Stimson to plaintiff, Eutentia Z. Saner, of date March 19, 1887, conveying to plaintiff said premises, and duly recorded in Book M, Page 241, of the deed records of Kerr County, Texas, on the 23rd day of March, 1887.

Plaintiff notifies defendants, and each of them, to produce upon trial of this cause said above mentioned patent and deed, under which defendants are asserting title to said premises as aforesaid, in default of which, plaintiff will make proof thereof by secondary evidence.

Plaintiff prays that defendants be cited by publication as prescribed by law to answer this petition, and on hearing that plaintiff have judgment against the defendants and each of them, for the title to said premises, and that she be quieted in the title and possession thereof, and that all cloud be removed from plaintiff's title to said premises. Prayer is also made for general relief.

Herein fail not but have you then and there before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

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

Given under my hand and seal of Court at office in Kerrville this the 20th day of April, 1908, and issued the same day.

J. M. HAMILTON,
Clerk Dist. Court, Kerr Co., Tex.
By M. L. HUBBARD, Deputy.
Case to hand the 20th day of April, A. D., 1908, at 4 o'clock, p. m., and executed the same day by ordering publication hereof in the Kerrville Mountain Sun for eight consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof.

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

Bad Attack of Dysentery Cured.

"An honored citizen of this town was suffering from a severe attack of dysentery. He told a friend if he could obtain a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, he felt confident of being cured, he having used this remedy in the West. He was told that I kept it in stock and lost no time in obtaining it and was promptly cured," says M. J. Leach, druggist, Wolcott, Vt. For sale by all druggists.

HER DOG IN ERMINE.

It has remained for a New York woman to have an ermine coat made for her dog. Clad in this royal fur the animal drives out daily in his mistress' brougham or motor car, enjoying his constitutional in the most approved style.

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"In February our daughter had the whooping cough. Mr. Lane, of Hartland, recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said, and can recommend it to anyone having children troubled with whooping cough," says Mrs. A. Goss, of Durand, Mich. For sale by all druggists.

DIVIDING THE LABOR.

"So Sam, I hear you've taken a partner for life?"
"Yes, sah; married yesterday, sah."

"I hope you believe in an equal division of labor, and will not expect your partner to do all the work, Sam?"

"No, sah! No, indeed, sah! I does believe, we hope should our share, sah. Wife's gwine to do-d' washin', and I'm gwine to act as treasurer, sah!"—Yonkers Statesman.

NEED FOR VANITY.

"Cynics and philosophers have held the vain woman up to ridicule and scorn, but every woman who has to face the world, and expects her fair share of its admiration, must allow her natural vanity to appeal to her," says a writer. "When it is declared that the modern woman is entirely free from the weakness of vanity, we realize that an unintentional compliment has been paid to her skill in concealing what women of a past generation allowed to escape from them in 'airs' and 'graces' and a tendency to 'peacock.'"

A Californian's Luck.

"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve," writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at Rock Drug Store.

DOG FORAGES FOR FAMILY

Habit of Jersey Animal Bids Fair to Cause Embarrassment at Some Time.

A family in Jersey have a yellow dog that bids fair to become as good a provider as his master if his career is not cut short by a bullet or his being sent to the public pound as a common thief. The other day a terrific scratching was heard at the kitchen door, and when the woman of the house opened the door there stood the dog with a chicken in his mouth, wagging his tail as much as to say: "Ain't this good of me?" He was driven away, the woman thinking it was some carcass he had picked up in the road. The next day a truck gardener complained to the police that a yellow cur was killing his chickens. That night the faithful dog again scratched at the door and deposited another chicken, with the same wag of his tail.

The members of the family are hoping it will not last much longer, as chicken is becoming monotonous and the dog is hardly big enough to carry home a calf.—New York Press.

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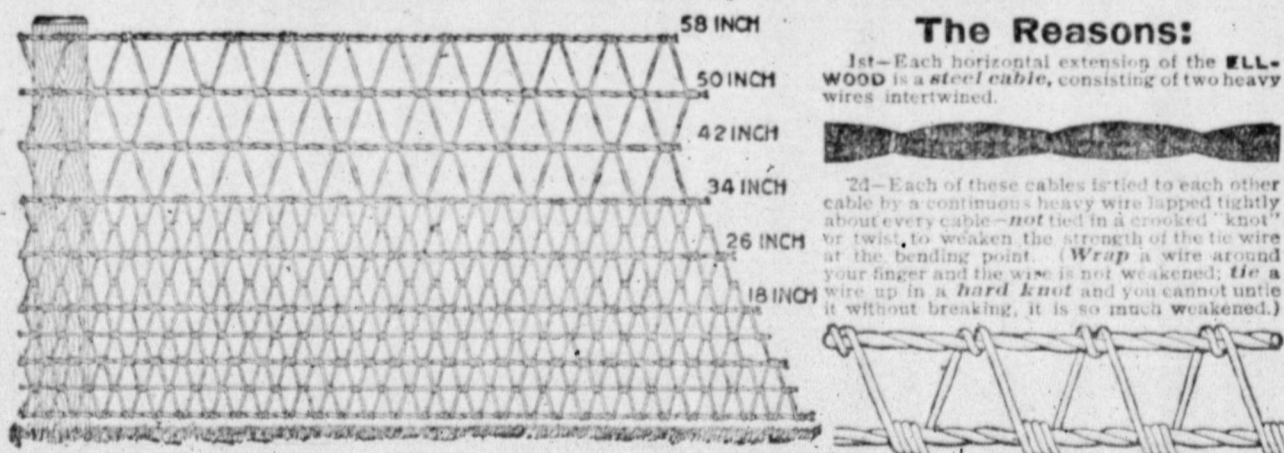
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Everybody else in the world is a fool, except you, but if you happen to be in politics you should remember that every fool in the country has a vote, and some of them are as reckless with the franchise as a woman throwing an empty bottle at a hen scratching in a flower bed.

Just a week ago it all happened and yet the blue waves of the gleaming gulf roll shoreward and return to the mystic tides beyond the horizon as if nothing had disturbed their eternal monotony.—Houston Post.

Well, they wan't much disturbed were they? There is still a hundred thousand "character assassins, hyenas, reprobates and men without honor" in Texas who ain't had their feet wet yet.

John Sharp Williams says Richard Pearson Hobson is "a young enthusiast." The Dallas News refers to the same gentleman as "a wild dreamer." We don't pretend to know anything about Dick's age, but it will be ten years in a few weeks since he first came into notice as a hero, and began to defy the dread microbe of kissing contests. He was evidently "big enough to work to a wagon" at that time, for there is no record in the public prints that he ever had to get a ladder to kiss anything that came his way, and he has been pretty well printed. Another decade should at least get him out of his teens. As to his dreaming proclivities, one would judge from some of his recent expressions on the Japanese war matter that he had been indulging in hasheesh and was about ready to take part in some Indo-Chinese incantation. When a fellow once gets in the "lime light" of the American press, and has his picture in the magazines, he will go to almost any length to keep people from forgetting him. The pictures of some public men in this country that are reproduced from time to time remind one of the familiar picture of the famous Lydia E. Pinkham, whose portrait was in all the leading journals of the land, and whose appearance grew more juvenile each year, the improvement continuing 20 years after she had gone to her reward. Mrs. Pinkham's increasing youthfulness was obviously on account of the retroactive effect of her celebrated remedies, but this rule should not be allowed to operate in the case of the foolish things that public officials do, if it does we will soon have almost the entire roll of National, State and County officials in knickerbockers and curls.

Notice of Removal.

Notice is hereby given that I have removed my office from the stone building on Water street, opposite the Rock Drug Store, to new quarters over the Chas. Schreiner Bank.

R. L. DENMAN, M. D.

Burnett & Starkey want your fire insurance.

City Council Proceedings.

At an adjourned meeting of the city council held Monday night, the following business was transacted: D. H. Comparette and George Morris, newly elected aldermen, were duly installed.

The report of the city marshal for month of April, was read and approved.

The resignation of J. P. Grider, city marshal was accepted and an ordinance passed abolishing the office and conferring the police power of the city upon the constable of Precinct 1.

City Secretary A. R. Jones was appointed assessor and collector.

By action of the board the salaries of the mayor and aldermen were abolished.

The mayor appointed the following standing committees:

Finance Committee—T. F. W. Dietert, W. A. Fawcett and D. H. Comparette.

Ordinance Committee—W. A. Fawcett, Dr. A. A. Roberts and George Morris.

Building Committee—D. H. Comparette, George Morris and Dr. A. A. Roberts.

George Morris was elected mayor pro tem.

The secretary was instructed to notify B. F. Hicks that his services as steward of Hose Co. No. 1 are no longer required.

By an order of the board Mayor Renschel was instructed to confer with the management of the "Sap" railroad in regard to a crossing on Jefferson street.

Commissioners' Court Proceedings.

The May term of the Kerr County Commissioners' Court convened, Monday morning, May 11, with County Judge Lee Wallace, Commissioners F. A. Karger, J. J. Denton and John Rees, Clerk J. M. Hamilton and Sheriff J. T. Moore, present; absent, Commissioner Hermann Schulze. The following business was transacted:

The quarterly report of County Treasurer J. L. Vining was approved.

Stock law election in part Commissioners' precinct No. 3, ordered to be held, Saturday, June 20, and Wm. Wiedenfeld, Hy Spenrath and Wm. Allerkamp were appointed managers of said election.

Confederate pensions were granted to I. A. Marshall and John S. Lowrance.

The following paupers were granted \$4 per month for next three months: Mrs. Childs, Mrs. Gilman, Miss Giiman, Mrs. Joy, Mrs. D. Rainis and Mrs. M. M. Bowen.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay one refunding bond.

The Court decided that the drainage of the road near the farm of Wm. Spenrath did not damage his property.

Bold Attempt at Robbery.

Meagre news reached Kerrville Thursday morning from Junction that a bold attempt at robbery was made on the postoffice at that place Wednesday night. The robbers gained entrance to the office, blew open the safe and had secured something like \$300 in money. J. H. Martin, who conducts the racket store at that place, heard the explosion and ran out with a shot gun just as one of the robbers came out. Mr. Martin turned his gun upon this man, who, it is said, is a man of about 50 years of age, shooting him in the legs. The other robber made his escape. All the money was picked up in the street.

Ball at Real's Hall tonight, May 16.

Mrs. George Steinlein.

In a letter received from George Steinlein by J. L. Pampell, owner and manager of Pampell's Opera House, a few days ago, Mr. Steinlein stated that his wife died some months since.

Many people of Kerrville will remember the Steinleins. They were in Kerrville six months or more, a few years ago, and Mr. Steinlein organized the "Cotton Blossoms" minstrel company, which played to the largest houses that ever greeted a home talent show in this city. He also organized the Mobile Minstrels, and was at one time manager of the Southern Dramatic Company which played Kerrville and other towns of this section.

The Steinleins were here on account of the health of Mrs. Steinlein, who had been an invalid for some time. Notwithstanding her affliction she was a cheerful, bright, and lovable woman. During her stay in Kerrville Mrs. Steinlein made many friends, especially among the young people who composed the Cotton Blossoms. These and many other friends will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Steinlein, and will deeply sympathize with the bereaved actor, in his deep sorrow.

NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION

Whereas the petition of C. Roggenbucke, and 28 other freeholders residing in the hereinafter described subdivision of Commissioners' Precinct No. 3 of Kerr County, Texas, praying for an election to be held in said subdivision to determine whether or not hogs, sheep and goats shall be permitted to run at large in said subdivision, was presented at the May term, 1908, of the Commissioners' Court in and for said Kerr County, and said Court has granted said petition and ordered an election to be held at the Cypress Creek School House on Saturday, the 20th day of June, 1908, to determine the question aforesaid. Now, therefore, I, Lee Wallace, County Judge of Kerr County, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, do hereby proclaim and order said election to be held in said subdivision on said date to determine whether or not hogs, sheep and goats shall be permitted to run at large in said subdivision, which is bounded as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of Kerr County. Thence West with the boundary line between Kerr and Gillespie County to the N. E. corner of election precinct No. 1, being a point in said line due N. E. of survey No. 678, H. Schwethelm. Thence due South to S. E. corner of survey No. 679, H. H. Heinen. Thence W. to S. W. corner of survey No. 3, B. F. I. & M. Thence S. E. to N. E. corner of survey No. 33, G. T. Howard. Thence South with the N. E. line of said survey to the S. line of the Center Point and Comfort road. Thence East with South line of said road to county line of Kerr and Kendall Counties. Thence North with said county line to place of beginning.

And Hugo Wiedenfeld, Henry Spenrath and Willie Allerkamp are hereby appointed as managers of said election.

Those desiring to prevent the animals designated from running at large shall place upon their ballots "For the stock law" and those in favor of allowing such animals to run at large shall place upon their ballots "Against the stock law."

Witness my official signature at Kerrville, Texas, this 14th day of May, 1908. LEE WALLACE, Co. Judge, Kerr Co., Texas.

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HOME NEWS.

Interesting Items From Town and County.

Tivy High School commencement at Pampell's Opera House, Wednesday night, May 20.

John Ward spent several days in San Antonio attending the horse show.

Wm. Eager, of San Antonio, spent several days in Kerrville this week, looking after his ranch interests near the city.

Capt. and Mrs. B. C. Bunbury of Kyle, were visitors at Cedar Lodge, the beautiful suburban home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Schreiner, last week.

Mrs. A. C. Schreiner spent the week in San Antonio attending the commencement exercises of the San Antonio Academy, in which her son, Scott, graduates this year.

Dr. Edward Galbraith,



Dentist

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

Mr. and Mrs. T. Nelson, of Corinth, Miss., who have been in Kerrville sometime left Wednesday for home. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson have made many warm friends here who will regret to see them leave.

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A full line of watches and jewelry, the best quality, at the lowest prices. Call and see my display. J. B. Love, jeweler and optician at Music Store.

M. H. Alford, who has been at Bonita, New Mexico, for several months, returned to Kerrville last Sunday. Mr. Alford was accompanied by Messrs. C. F. Hodge and R. L. Sledge, two mining men of that city. The party will spend some days in Kerrville.

The big sale of Home Rule and Our Pride flour, the finest flour made at Welge Bros.

Tivy High School Commencement.

The commencement exercises of the Tivy High School will be held at Pampell's opera house on Wednesday evening, May 20, at eight-thirty o'clock.

There are ten graduates this year and the commencement will be an unusually entertaining affair. A class play has been secured, and the members of the class will be the performers. The music classes of the city will furnish the music as usual, and it will be of a very high class. Those who attend the entertainment are assured of a pleasant evening.

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Ben McClenahan spent a couple of days in the Alamo city this week.

County Treasurer J. L. Vining left Thursday for a business trip to San Antonio.

D. H. Hughs, from his ranch on the Divide, was in Kerrville Thursday. Mr. Hughs stated that the frost damaged his crop greatly.

FRESH HONEY

AT

Dietert & Bros.

J. O. Wright, a merchant of Vernon, Texas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ben H. Kelly. Remus Kelly will accompany Mr. Wright home the first of next week.

Geo. W. Walther has purchased G. H. Arnold's interest in the Recreation Hall, and will conduct the business in the future. Mr. Arnold having gone to his former home in Iowa for the summer. The Recreation Hall will be conducted as in the past, and Mr. Walther will strive to give the people of Kerrville and surrounding country a first-class pleasure resort where all can spend an hour for rest and at the same time amuse themselves.

Judge R. H. Burney left Wednesday for his home in Kerrville, court having adjourned. The Judge will have a week's much needed rest before the next term of court meets at Bandera on the 18th inst. Judge Burney will be a candidate for re-election at the November election and assured us before leaving here that he would make formal announcement of the same in the papers of his district in due time. He has many friends in Medina county who will be glad to know of a certainty that they will have an opportunity to vote for him in the general election this fall.—Hondo Anvil-Herald.

The big sale of Liverpool and Texas salt at Welge Bros.

Are Pleased With Service.

Service on the Kerrville branch of the Aransas Pass was discussed yesterday morning by a committee representing the Jobbers and Manufacturers League, and Acting General Manager Peter, of the road. The members of the committee were S. B. Weller, A. H. Half, R. H. Russell, F. W. Cook and Chas. Graebner.

Some complaint had been made by the merchants of Fredericksburg and this matter was touched upon. Mr. Peter explained the company's position in the matter, and especially regarding its efforts to have mail delivered in Fredericksburg on the same day it leaves San Antonio.

The committee expressed itself as pleased following the conference, and believes that an adequate service is being given on the Kerrville branch of the road.—San Antonio Express.

Protracted Meeting.

A series of revival services will be held at the Christian church beginning, Sunday, May 24, and continuing two or three weeks. W. A. Boggess, State Evangelist and singers of Dallas, Tex., will assist the local pastor. We covet the cooperation of all christian people. Come and bring friends. Singers of the various churches cordially invited. FRED CARTER, Minister.

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Summary Treasurer's Report.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } In Com-
KERR COUNTY. } missioners' Court, May term, 1908.
Before me, J. M. Hamilton, Clerk of the County Court in and for said County, personally appeared the members of the Commissioners' Court, whose names below subscribed, who, upon their oaths, do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV. of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the regular session of the Twenty-fifth Legislature, have in all things been fully complied with, and that the cash and other assets mentioned in the quarterly report made to and filed in this Court by J. L. Vining, County Treasurer of said County, for the quarter ending the 30th day of April, 1908, and held by him for said County, have been fully inspected and counted by them at this Term of said Court; and that the amount of money and other assets in the hands of said Treasurer are as follows, to-wit: All of said cash being in the hands of the County depository.

Total amount of cash in the various funds belonging to the County, Twenty thousand eight hundred ninety (\$20,890.29) dollars and twenty-nine cents. Total amount of assets other than actual cash to the credit of the County, Thirty-five thousand five hundred eighty-six (\$35,586) dollars.

Lee Wallace, County Judge.

F. A. Karger, County Com. 1st Precinct.

J. J. Denton, County Com. 4th Precinct.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of May, 1908.

J. M. Hamilton, County Clerk, Kerr County.

Kerr County.

WHEN THE BODY IS AT REST

Physician Tells Why a Sufficiency of Bed Covering is of So Much Importance.

"The reason it is necessary to be well covered while sleeping," said a physician in giving some advice to a patient, "is that when the body lies down it is the intention of nature that it should rest, and the heart especially should be relieved of its regular work temporarily. That organ makes ten strokes a minute less than when the body is in an upright posture. This means 600 strokes in 60 minutes. Therefore in the eight hours that a man usually spends in taking his night's rest the heart is saved nearly 5,000 strokes. As it pumps six ounces of blood with each stroke, it lifts 30,000 ounces less of blood in the night's session than it would during the day, when a man is usually in an upright position. Now, the body is dependent for its warmth on the vigor of the circulation, and as the blood flows so much more slowly through the veins when one is lying down the warmth lost in the reduced circulation must be supplied by extra covering."

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15 high grade Hereford bulls, at the Arthur Real ranch 7 miles south of Kerrville. In good condition. Corn fed during winter. 4t-45.

LASCARS ON BRITISH SHIPS

England Seriously Concerned Over Shortage of Seamen to Man Merchant Marine.

England has become seriously concerned over the shortage of seamen to man her merchant marine. Lascars have now largely supplanted the native product. During the last 15 years there has been an increase of 17,103 of these East Indian seamen; as against 510 Britishers. In consequence, the British government issued a notice recently that foreign seamen should not be engaged on British ships in European waters unless they have enough knowledge of English to understand orders given in that language. It is stated that it has been no uncommon thing to find a ship's crew composed of eight or nine nationalities with absolutely no language in common, and perhaps a boatswain who only understands English as "interpreter." The return relating to seamen employed in the British mercantile marine shows 30 English and Irish per 10,000, while Scotland supplies 56 and Wales 44.—Harper's Weekly.

HADN'T LOST MUCH.

"Why do you look so worried?" "I have swallowed a pin." "Well, good gracious; they're two papers for a nickel!"—Houston Post.

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MOTHER WORKS WITHOUT PAY.

"Mother gets up first," said the new office boy. "She lights the fire and gets my breakfast so I can get here early. Then she gets father up, gets his breakfast and sends him off. Then she gives the others their breakfast and gets 'em ready for school; and then she an' the baby have their breakfast." "What is your pay here?" asked the man. "I get three dollars a week and father gets three dollars a day." "How much does your mother get?" "Mother!" he said indignantly. "Why she don't have to work for anybody." "Oh! I thought you just to'd me she worked for the whole family every morning." "Oh! that's for us—but there ain't no money in that."

FEW BEAUTIFUL WOMEN.

"A really beautiful woman is scarcely ever seen, not even in Great Britain, where average good looks are pleasantly paramount," declares Marie Corelli. "Prettiness—the prettiness which is made up of a good skin, bright eyes, soft and abundant hair, and a supple figure—is quite ordinary. It can be seen every day among barmaids, shop girls and milliners' mannequins. But beauty—the divine and subtle charm which enraptures all beholders—the perfect form, united to the perfect face, in which pure and noble thought is expressed in every feature, in every glance of eye, in every smile that makes a sweet mouth sweeter—this is what we may search for throughout the isles of Britain, and throughout Europe and America and the whole world beside, and seldom or never find it."

FUNNY THINGS

FROM THE PAPERS.

Little Ikey came running into his father's store yesterday and said, "Baba, please gif me a nigel I wants to buy an orange of dot pedlar." "No, mine son," said the father. "Yust you goes outside unt make faces at him, unt maybe he vill throw vun at you, dot is sheaper."—Ex.

While addressing a jury in a case in an Iowa town recently a lawyer became excited it is said, and shouted: "Gentlemen of the jury, there are just 36 hogs involved. Please remember that fact: just three times as many as are in the jury box, gentlemen." He did not win the case.—Western Publisher.

I heard an old crippled and grizzled veteran recounting his deeds on the field of battle, and he continued, "Yes, sir, the surgeons kem along an' seein' me a lyin' thar, they puts me in the amunition wagin an'—" "Oh, you mean the ambulance, don't you?" "No, sir rec, I was so full of bullets an' lead they sed the proper place for me was among the amunition."—W. P.

A Boy on Clergymen.
Bishop Potter, at an ecclesiastical dinner in New York, read a Cooperstown schoolboy's essay on "Clergymen." The essay, which created much amusement, was as follows:

"There are 3 kinds of clergymen bishops recters and curats. the bishops tells the recters to work and the curats have to do it. a curate is a thin married man but when he is a recter he gets fuller and can preach longer sermons and becums a good man."

A clothier in an Illinois town, speaking of the effect that calamity howling had on business, said, "Sure, it hurts us; why, the other day an old skinflint came in to buy a suit of clothes, and while he was being fitted another old chap came in who told of a prophecy that the world was coming to an end in 1920, and he took off the coat, remarking, "Well, by gee, ef that's so, what's the use of buying a suit of clothes that ve can't wear only twelve years, anyhow?" and I lost the sale."—Ex.

If there is anything that Casey excels in, it is conundrums. He came to me yesterday with this one: "If a mon cums to a bridge ninety fate high an' walks tin fate out on up, phwat is his name?" The thing seemed ridiculous, and I "gave it up" and asked what is his name. "Montgomery," said Casey. Failing to catch on I asked, "Why is his name Montgomery?" "Bekaze t'wor his father's name," was the reply. "All the rist iv the conundrum don't matther."—W. P.

He is a very handsome n a bashful young man, and he attends Sunday school regularly. The regular teacher of a class composed of frolicsome girls being absent he was asked by the superintendent if he would volunteer to teach the class that day. He bashfully assented and the superintendent taking him over to the class introduced him and said, "Ladies, Mr. Brown will teach your class today; just tell him what your regular teacher did, and he can go on in the same

way. What did she do first?" The girls simpered a bit until one of them giggled out, "She always kissed us." The bashful young man fled.—Ex.

The Nucleus.

Mary Callahan, a Texas widow, owns 60,000 sheep. When we consider the fact that Mary had a little lamb to begin with, it must be acknowledged that she has done remarkably well.—Herald Tarkio, Mo.

Beware.

An exchange tells a horrible tale about a young lady who thoughtlessly jerked back her head so suddenly to keep from being kissed that it broke her neck. This should be a warning to all girls not to jerk back. In fact, it would be better to lean forward a little.—Millstadt, Ill., Enterprise.

At the Chicken Show.

A Chicago young woman, visiting in Fremont, went to the poultry show. Approaching a beautiful flock of hens she inquired what kind they were, and was informed that they were brown leg-horns. "Well, I might have known that," she said, "if I had noticed the horns on their legs."—Wayne (Neb.) Democrat.

The Wicked.

A minister and a deacon went out to feed the latter's stock after the heavy sleet of last week. While they were walking across the field the deacon's feet flew into the air and he sat down very forcibly. The minister remarked: "The wicked stand in slippery places." Looking up the deacon said: "I see they do, but I'll be switched if I can."—Ex.

Much has been written about sermons which, like the noted quaver of Ichabod Crane's nasal voice, are long drawn out. Irving refers to Ichabod's quavering chant as "linked sweetness," but those who criticise long sermons seldom pay the pastor a like tribute. It remained for the colored brother to solve the problem: "Brüddern an' sistahs," began Parson White, "I hab heard many complaints erbout de length of mah sermons, so I hab decided on a reform. Hereafter de collections will be taken and counted befo' I begins mah sermons, an' de smallah de collection, de longah de sermon."—W. P.

Not Going Far.

A man started down a long flight of stairs. Two steps below him was a lady whose fine looking figure made him think that she ought to have an equally handsome face. In his hurry to investigate his feet slipped, and he fell with a bump. Then things commenced to happen. The fall caused him to hit the lady ahead, and she just naturally sat on his lap, and thus the two slid down to the bottom of the steps. It was here that he got the first glimpse of the lady's face. The sobered him instantly, and incidentally on the way down he had begun to realize that the figure was not what it seemed. So, when the lady exhibited no signs of wanting to get up, he said courteously, but firmly: "Pardon me madam, but this is as far as I can go."—Clifton (Tenn.) Mirror.

ASSUMING TOO MUCH.

Dumley—I tell you, I've made up my mind that she'll marry me or I'll blow out my brains.

Knox—Hub! Such unwarranted assumption I never heard—

Dumley—Assumption? I suppose you mean "presumption?"

Knox—No; I refer to your assumption that you have any brains.

COLDLY CONSIDERED.

"I sir," remarked the self-important statesman, "was never approached with a proposition of graft in my life."

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For District Judge, 38th District.

To the Voters of Kerr County:
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of District Judge of the 38th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held in July, next.

I hope to be able to see, personally, every voter in this district, before the election; and if nominated at said primaries, and elected at the general election, I shall serve the people of the district to the best of my ability.

W. D. LOVE,
Uvalde, Texas.

For District Attorney, 38th District,
C. C. HARRIS.

To the Voters of the 38th Judicial District: I hereby announce myself a candidate for District Attorney of said District, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in the several Counties composing the District, if such primaries are held, if not, then to the voters of every party in the District. This office is a non-political one, and I have been requested by a great many of my friends in other parties as well as in the Democratic, to run as an Independent, but as I am informed that several issues, the most important of which is an instruction to the next Legislature to prepare and submit an amendment to the State Constitution for State Prohibition, will be submitted to said primaries, and I intend to vote upon each and every issue presented, I do not see how I can consistently withhold my own candidacy from the same, hence I hope that all of you will attend said primaries and give me your support. I have only one promise to make, viz: If elected, I will to the extreme of my ability, do my duty, my whole duty and nothing but my duty.

Respectfully,
CHAS. MONTAGUE.

For District and County Clerk.

We are authorized to announce the name of

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as a candidate for the office of County and District Clerk at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of

MISS MINNIE L. HUDSPETH
as a candidate for the office of County and District Clerk at the ensuing November election.

We are authorized to announce the name of

J. J. STARKEY

as a candidate for the office of County and District Clerk at the ensuing November election.

It Reached the Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as the Home Telephone Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at Rock Drug Store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malaria or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at Rock Drug Store, 25c.

SATISFIED.

"Did that clairvoyant give you any satisfaction?"

"Yes. She charged me only 50 cents. I had expected to pay at least a dollar."

JOE SAPPINGTON GARDENING

Deep down in the bosom of every able-bodied American citizen who has been raised on the farm is the desire to plant garden seed at the first approach of spring. There are two kinds of gardening in this world—the theoretical and the practical. The theoretical gardener does all his gardening on cold winter nights while sleeping around a cheerful fire surrounded by his loved ones, while the practical gardener goes forth in the early spring, armed with a hoe, and plants two bits worth of garden seed, kills a few grub worms, throws a few rocks at his wife's hens that have come in at a crack in the fence, abuses his wife and children for walking on his cabbage bed and closes his labors by throwing his hoe at the family cow, which he discovers chewing the tail off his coat that he had left hanging on the fence while he was making the garden.

For several years I was a theoretical gardener before I turned my attention to practical gardening, and I raised all kinds of vegetables—by the fire. I have raised beets 2 feet long, cabbage that weighed twenty pounds and snap beans that had to be broken to get them into a wash kettle—by the fire. Some of the finest vegetables I ever raised grew when the mercury in our thermometer was playing peep-eye with me just above zero. I have sat for hours around my family hearthstone while the wind came snorting from the north enjoying the artistic twist of a turnip, the sturdy pose of a squash and the sunset tints of the tomato that was so truthfully portrayed on the outside of the five-cent package of garden seed sent out by the good and honest dispensers of seed up north.

I never owned but one real garden in my life, but that one was sufficient to last me as long as I live. When I pull aside the curtains of the past life there stands that garden to mock me. I had been married about five years when I decided to transfer my garden from its comfortable winter quarters to the cold, damp ground. My wife begged me not to plant that garden, claiming that it would be a waste of time and money, but I was determined to raise a garden or "bust."

It will not interest the reader to go into unnecessary details; suffice it to say that in the fullness of time joyous spring came on apace with its sunshine and singing birds and butterflies and fragrant flowers, and the gentle rains and warm south winds soon wooed my garden seed to burst their tiny shells and peep forth their little heads from the ground. I beheld all these things and saw that they were good and I was a happy man with chin whiskers.

While it may be true that every cloud has a silver lining, it is also true that every joy has its tinge of sorrow. The warm sun and gentle rains that wooed my early York cabbage into peeping forth from Mother Earth also wooed several million goose grass, thistle and other wild weeds into popping their darned little heads up. The same gentle influences that called into life the little radish and grass seed also quickened to life the meek and lowly grub worm and the sluggish cut worm, and when I went forth one morning soon after my garden had come up to a stand and saw what slaughter had been wrought to my onions and black-wax beans by said worms, and how thrifty the grass and weeds were I

saw right straight that it was not good and said so in a loud tone of voice and smote a cut worm with my heel. The very next day after I had discovered the havoc the worms had wrought to my beans and onions, two hens and a rooster flew over the fence and ate the last remaining bean. Of course, I killed the trio with a stick, but that didn't bring back my beans nor keep my wife from calling me an idiot. I proceeded to replant my beans, chop grass and kill grub worms, but I did so with a heavy heart. I was no longer the cheerful, care-free gardener that I was when I pitched my garden; in fact I became a morose, taciturn man. Just a few weeks after I had planted my garden I began to receive anonymous letters through the postoffice asking about my garden and how I had succeeded as a gardener. I bore all my indignities in silence and continued to kill bugs and cut worms and fight goose grass. But to cap the climax some low-down fellow came at the dark hours of night and sowed my garden down in millet seed and tacked a card upon my gate saying that if I chopped the millet down when it came up he proposed to sow it in Johnson grass. There came a rain the very next day after the millet seed were sown and in a few days it came up as thick as the whiskers on a Kansas populist, and for fear that cowardly thing would carry out his threat if I chopped it up, I let it grow unmolested.

I had been the proprietor of this garden for about six weeks when I threw it up, but in that brief time I had killed at least five thousand cut worms, three chickens, crippled our cow, quarrelled with my wife, got several big corns on my hands and lots of dirt in my nostrils, had spent \$7.25 on garden seed and never got as much as a mess of greens. After I quit working my garden the sunflowers grew fifteen feet high all over it, and it kept me busy all that summer pulling big cards off of the garden fence that my enemies would tack up of nights bearing this and similar inscriptions, "Joe Sap's Garden," "Look Out For Snakes."—Wills Point Chronicle.

The big sale of Golden Gate flour at Welge Bros.

PRACTICING FOR THE COTILLON.

"Nobody ever told me that I was a good dancer," declared a leader of cotillions. "But I'll tell you a compliment—a young woman did pay me once. She said: 'You took me through that crowd without a collision and without any one treading on my skirts!'"

"Well, I never had a dancing lesson in my life. But I used to practice dancing in the days when women wore those great long trains and it was not considered good form to pick them up. They trailed along behind several yards. Those were the days when you had to guide and keep moving with your partner so as to keep that train following gracefully."

"But how did you practice?"
"Used to tie two sheets to an ordinary chair and then dance in and out among a dozen chairs scattered over a dance floor."

SHE'D HAVE TO SPEAK.

"It is impossible," cried Mr. Nagget, finally, "for us to live together and not quarrel."

"But," snapped Mrs. Nagget, "it is possible not to quarrel if neither of us speaks."

"Of course, but, as I say, it's impossible for us to live together and not quarrel."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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HAPPY CENTER POINT.

Don't strain your eyes looking for honors or slights. Don't believe what "they say." Reserve your judgment. The wind might change. Don't take this advice unless you want to.

Lee Burney was in from his ranch Saturday looking after business matters.

Mrs. C. F. Bonnell and Miss Ethel Bonnell were here Saturday making business for our merchants.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Burney, of Austin, Tex., are in the Guadalupe valley visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Burney attended the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of which he is a member.

Doctors J. A. Beall and J. D. Robinson are in Corpus Christi this week attending the Medical Association convention.

Bro. J. M. Streater left Wednesday for Smithville where he will preach a series of sermons to the

people of that city at the Christian church.

Mrs. Steve Surber gladdened the hearts of her music pupils Tuesday by giving them an outing among the hills and dinner on the ground at Verde.

The congregation elected officers Sunday at the Christian church, for the years, 1908-'09. Four Elders and six Deacons were appointed.

Mrs. G. P. McCorkle is visiting in Comfort this week, with her sister, Mrs. H. T. McCorkle.

F. F. Cocks made a flying business trip to San Antonio the middle of the week.

L. H. Witt drove the boarding car for the thresher through town early in the week. It is an extra fine, double-strength outfit and a great convenience.

T. A. Buckner, our news man, went to Baudera this week on business and pleasure.

Mrs. M. E. Taylor has purchased a vacant lot from Miss Mary Brophy and will at once begin the erection of a concrete dwelling house. Glad to hear of it.

Mrs. Albert Walker, who has been away on a months visit to W. A. Walker at Skidmore, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Surber are proud to announce the arrival at their home of a bouncing baby boy. Born Monday the 11th.

Mrs. E. M. Riley made a flying business trip to San Antonio Thursday morning.

Misses Janie Rees and Charliana Barlemann have returned from San Antonio Female College where they have studied for two years.

Harvesting has begun. Summer boarders are arriving. Protracted meetings coming and going.

Dances, barbecues and picnics announced. Always something to please you.

"A man, who gave himself out for a Wizard and Fortuneteller, used to stand in the market place and pretend to cast natives, giving information as to missing property, and other matters of like kind. One day, while he was busily plying his trade, a waggish fellow broke through the crowd, and, gasping as if for the want of breath, told him that his house was in flames and must shortly be burned to the ground. Off ran the Wizard at the news as fast as his legs could carry him, while the Wag and a crowd of other people followed at his heels. The house, it seems, was not on fire at all; and the Wag asked him, amid the jeers of the people, how it was that he, who was so clever at telling other peoples fortunes, should know so little of his own."

Moral: The Wag would go out of business if you will deposit your money in the First National Bank, of Center Point, where it is free from fire and burglars, and where it will earn you a better income than Government Bonds. Try it.

A-MER-I-CUS.

Eastern Star Picnic.

The ladies of the local chapter order Eastern Star, will give a picnic at the Chautauqua grounds on Friday, May 22. The members of the Kerrville Masonic Lodge and their families are invited to be guests upon the occasion.

WANTED: To lease for a term of years, from end of this year, 3 or 4 sections of grazing land with house and small farm. Apply at this office.

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I have for sale an established route, twenty good Jersey milk cows, wagon and complete dairy outfit that I will sell at a bargain.

ALVAH B. DAVIS,
Kerrville, Texas.

Miss Rennard of New Braunfels and Miss Ella Rummel of San Antonio, are visiting Mrs. G. F. Schreiner, at her home near the city.

Goats For Sale.

I have some common and fine goats for sale; about 1500 in all. Will sell a part or all. Write for prices.

J. M. BROWN,
Oakville, Texas.

W. B. Anderson, former State Purchasing Agent and wife, arrived in Kerrville Monday. Mr. Anderson is in Kerrville for his health, and if the climate is suited to his conditions, will remain permanently.

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