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## AUSTIN WILL BE HONORED

Body of "Father of Texas" Will Rest in Austin.

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 19.—The program of the joint committee of the legislature to supervise the removal of the body of Stephen F. Austin, "the Father of Texas," from Brazoria County to the State Cemetery here was today announced.

The committee will meet at the Rice hotel in Houston, October 17 at 10 o'clock, will at once select a casket for the removal of the body and that evening will leave for Brazoria County, where Austin's body will be exhumed the next day in time for the committee to return to Houston with it. The party will reach Austin October 19, and the body will lie in state in the house of representatives until October 20, when it will be re-interred in the State Cemetery with other illustrious dead of the state.

A. W. Terrell, one of the old residents of Austin, has consented, at the request of the legislative committee and Austin's relatives, to deliver an address here on the evening of October 19 in the house of representatives, where Austin's body will lie in state.

The legislative committee to attend the exercises and to supervise the removal of the body from Brazoria County to Austin consists of State Senators Peeler and Kaufman and Representatives McKlaney, Wilson and Munson.

Efforts will be made on the parts of Mayor Woodruff of Austin to interest the people of Austin very largely in the exercises attendant upon the removal of the body, that appropriate observance of the occasion may be had here.

## WHILE PRAYING, IS ROBBERED.

While Kneeling at the Grave of Her Husband Woman Is Robbed.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 20.—Negro habitations are being searched tonight for Memphis' most cautious robber. The robbery occurred at a local cemetery late today, the victim, Mrs. Charles Neu, being attacked while kneeling in prayer at a grave, beaten and robbed of a small amount of money. The negro escaped before bystanders came to the woman's assistance.

It was the second hold-up and third robbery of the day. This morning a school boy was choked and robbed of a watch by two men and earlier in the day a local armory was broken into and a quantity of arms and ammunition stolen.

## Cattle Deals Aggregate \$88,000.

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Sept. 21.—Cattle deals aggregating \$88,000 were closed here today, the purchasers being Blackstone & Slaughter, West Texas and Oklahoma ranchmen. In all they bought 3700 head, paying \$26 a head for the 2-year-old steers and \$18 for the steer yearlings. From John M. Chambers they bought 1000 2-year-old steers; from Willis Johnson 700 2-year-old steers and 700 steer yearlings; from W. C. Barron 300 2-year-old steers; from Harris Bros. 100 steer yearlings.

## New Iberia Loss Is \$150,000.

NEW IBERIA, La., Sept. 22.—Considerable loss was sustained here today, which swept a portion of the business section of New Iberia, today, than was first believed. Estimates range from \$100,000 to \$150,000, a majority of the estimates favoring the smaller sum. The insurance, so far as it is known, amounts to about \$45,000.

## Ladies' Tailored Suits, Skirts, Coats and Silk Waists

See my new line of fall suits, and will be pleased to fill your order for these articles.

Alice Williamson  
Sel, Saenger & Cos. store

## AMARILLO DISREGARDS LIGHTFOOT

County Judge Jeter of Potter County Issues Eight Permits for Saloon Licenses.

DEFIES ATTORNEY GENERAL. Judge Jeter Announces That the Fight Will Be to the Finish if the Comptroller Refuses to Receipt Occupation Tax

AMARILLO, Tex., Sept. 21.—With the court of civil appeals likely to take action on the local option cases from Potter County one week from next Monday and with the state authorities at cross purposes in the matter of issuance of saloon licenses, County Judge Jeter here today granted eight permits for saloon licenses and announced that the fight will be to the finish if the comptroller refuses to send receipts for occupation taxes as provided by law.

The opinion is openly expressed here that Governor Campbell is responsible for the attitude of the state officials toward the election here recently in which this county voted wet.

Attorney General Lightfoot late yesterday rendered an opinion holding the last local option election null and void. This might preclude the holding of another election for two years.

## Licenses Dangerous to Their Holders

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 21.—If the Potter County clerk issues any saloon license permits it will be done at the risk of persons receiving them, according to statements made by state officials here this afternoon. It is declared persons using such licenses are liable to prosecution. No further action will be taken in the matter by the state authorities here.

## TEXAN GIVES YALE \$50,000.

President Hadley Is Indorsed at a Meeting of the Corporation.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 19.—At a meeting of the Yale corporation today, at which President Taft was present, a vote was passed approving the action of President Arthur T. Hadley of the university in accepting the chairmanship of the newly appointed federal commission on railroad securities. Plans will be made later whereby President Hadley, on his return from England and Germany, where he will study railroad conditions, may devote a part of his time to the work of the commission. President Hadley will make an address at the University of Berlin on October 20.

Gifts to Yale University totaling \$60,000 were announced today. The largest was one of \$50,000 from the estate of John B. Collins of Fort Worth, Tex.

## COLQUITT WILL GO NORTH

Railroad Commissioners' Meeting in Chicago Calls Him.

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 18.—Railroad Commissioner O. B. Colquitt will attend, if possible, the meeting of the legislative committee of the International Association of Railroad Commissioners at Chicago, Sept. 27. He is a member of that committee and is interested in the subject that will come up. This committee, which will prepare at the Chicago meeting its recommendations to the association, is going to discuss at length ways and means to combat successfully the encroachment of federal control on railroad rates, seemingly to the detriment of state control. Doubtless the work of the Interstate Commerce Commission will be discussed at length and plans will be laid for the preservation of the rights of state railroad commissioners.

Mr. Colquitt may later go to Washington to appear before the Interstate Commerce Commission on the Tap Line lumber rate question, which arose during the Texas Railroad Commission lumber rate hearing, and has gone to the Interstate Commerce Commission. Full plans in regard to this matter have not yet been completed, but if necessary, Mr. Colquitt is planning to go to Washington.

## LYCEUM COURSE IS ARRANGED FOR KERRVILLE

Famous Entertainers Will Greet Kerrville Audiences During the Winter Months.

INSTRUCTIVE ENTERTAINMENTS. An Arrangement Has Been Made for a Lyceum Course for Kerrville This Winter, and Many Attractions are Booked.

The first of this series of entertainments will be Oct. 26, when Luther Manship, lieutenant governor of Mississippi, will afford the public an evening of delightful entertainment.

In introducing Mr. Manship the Rice Bureau says:

In presenting Governor Manship, let us say that his is not a lecture, but rather an evening of entertainment, blending humor and pathos in a most charming and original way. He takes a sunny view of life, brightening and bringing human hearts closer together. Mr. Manship is spoken of as "the soul of humor who knows the pathway that leads to every smile in the shadowy jungles of human nature; he knows the hiding places of the hearty laugh, and he will take you through the scented lanes of other times that lead back to slavery days. From the Big House to the Cabin."

And so follow many plaudits from the press, critics and laymen. The Nashville Banner sums up the whole matter when it says: "Gov. Manship is styled the Sol. Smith Russell of the South, and his wonderful impersonations fully justify the title."

Persons who enjoy really high-class entertainments will be pleased with Governor Manship.

Proceeding with the program on Nov. 28, the Boston Lyrics will be the attraction. On Dec. 7, the Nell-Litchfield trio, and on Feb. 6, "The Players." Everyone of these are high-class attractions, and the people of Kerrville are to be congratulated upon having an opportunity to see them right at home.

## HENRY WILL NOT SPEAK.

WACO, Tex., Sept. 19.—Today it became known that R. L. Henry has refused to speak on Brazos Navigation Day at the cotton palace. He has formally notified the directors that he will be out of the state at that time.

Though Mr. Henry accepted an invitation to deliver democratic speeches in Indiana some time ago his refusal to speak on the above named occasion has caused considerable comment here, and some have expressed the opinion that his declination comes as a result of Senator Bailey delivering an address November 5, when the exposition is to be opened.

George Clark has been substituted for Mr. Henry.

## Dallas Makes a Record.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 16.—One of the most remarkable revelations of the thirteenth census was made tonight when the population of Dallas was announced by the director of the census. The official figures show that Dallas has a population of 92,104 as compared with 42,638 in 1900 and 28,087 in 1890.

The increase in the last decade is 49,466 or 116 per cent as compared with an increase for the preceding decade of 4571 or 12 per cent. Although the percentage of Dallas's increase in the last ten years is below that of Schenectady, N. Y., which was 129.9 per cent, Dallas shows the greatest increase in the number of inhabitants of any city thus far reported with the exception of Atlanta, Ga., which gained 64,967 inhabitants in ten years.

## Two Bales Sell for \$255.75.

NEW BOSTON, Tex., Sept. 22.—Two bales of long staple cotton were sold on the streets here today for 22 1-16 cents a pound, which was the highest paid this season. The cotton was raised by John Eby on the plantation of T. J. Whatley, eight miles from town on the Red River. The two bales netted, including seed, \$255.75.

## CYPRESS CREEK MARKSMEN MAKE SCORES

That Please Them. Robert Voges Wins the Grand Trophy at the

ANNUAL GRAND PRIZE SHOOT WHICH TOOK PLACE LAST SUNDAY. Many Marksmen Make Merry and the Shoot Is Followed by Barbecue Feast.

The grand annual prize shoot at the Cypress Creek shooting grounds has for many years been an important event in that community. This year it was unusually so. This festival and grand contest took place last Sunday. There were many old citizens of the community present who were members of the gun club in pioneer days. Among these were Wm. Nagel, Fred Allerkamp and Gottfried Schellhase.

The grand prize was won by Robert Voges of the Comfort club, who made a score of 58 points out of a possible 60. Other prizes were won by the following: Robert Voges, Ernest Pfeuffer, Rudolph Nurenberger, Wm. Roemer, Otto Holekamp, Frank Rush, Willie Metz, Ernest Karger, Dan Seidensticker, Rudolph Allerkamp, Gus Bierman, W. Wiedenfeld, Ed Schellhase, Louis Nurenberger, E. Schwethelm, Wm. Sauer, Wm. Reeh, Willy Allerkamp, Bruno Reeh, Oswald Grona, Edgar Holekamp, E. Seidensticker, Otto Karger, Fritz Karger, Louis Lich, Louis Karger, Walter Schwethelm, Otto Ingenhuett, Chas. Roggenbucke and Louis Wiedenfeld.

The booby prize was captured by August Jordan, the only man in the crowd who had nerve enough to take it.

After the shooting a feast of fine barbecued meats and other refreshments was indulged in, and the festivities terminated in a moonlight ride to the homes of the revelers.

The clubs participating in this contest were Cypress, Kerrville, Holliday, Comfort, North Creek. The next event will take place at Kerrville shooting grounds a week from tomorrow.

## The Pacific Monthly's Special Introductory Offer.

The Pacific Monthly of Portland, Oregon, is a beautifully illustrated monthly magazine which gives very full information about the resources of the country lying west of the Rockies. It tells all about the government reclamation projects, free government land and tells about the districts adapted to fruit raising, dairying, poultry raising, etc. It has splendid stories by Jack London and other noted authors.

The price is \$1.50 a year, but to introduce it we will send six months for fifty cents. This offer must be accepted on or before February 1, 1911. Send your name and address accompanied by fifty cents in stamps and learn all about Oregon, Washington, Idaho and California.

Address, The Pacific Monthly, Portland, Oregon. 29-41

## Boycott the Quack Advertiser.

The sincerity of the newspaper which proclaims its devotion to the public welfare in its editorial columns and sells its advertising columns to quacks and frauds are open to question. That newspaper has the greatest value as an advertising medium which declines fraudulent advertisements. Many newspapers help advertisers to perpetrate frauds on their readers. They print advertising matter so that it will simulate news, and they thus betray the confidence of their readers. A falling and not a rising circulation generally characterizes this indefensible course. A newspaper to deserve respect should be something more than a vehicle for the schemes of tricksters and sharpers. No self-respecting newspaper will knowingly accept a fraudulent advertisement.—Louis Wiley, Publisher New York Times.

The West Texas Gebirg Saengerbund is now in session at Comfort with a large attendance.

**THE**  
safest man is the man who has a bank account.  
When you establish yourself with a good bank you feel secure and your mind is at peace.  
Banks have been the means of making more successful men than colleges.  
When you grow  
**OLD**  
a snug sum in the bank is an insurance policy against hard times and hard work. Begin to save when you are young, and place your savings in a bank that combines all the good features of modern banking institutions. The time-tried and most  
**RELIABLE**  
bank is the one to do your business with. In judging a bank, always remember that capital gives security to the depositor, and stands between him and possible loss. The individual responsibility of this bank is MORE THAN THREE MILLION DOLLARS, which assures absolute safety to our customers.

**CHARLES SCHREINER,**  
**BANKER**  
(UNINCORPORATED)  
KERRVILLE, : : : TEXAS

## CAN'T GET HOME.

Americans Find Steamers Full. Rich Men Go Steerage.

Our Yankee cousins who have seen all the sights of London are anxious to get back home and are finding some difficulty in doing so. All the westward bound steamers are full, and they have to do some mighty slick hustling if they want to reach the land of the free before the Christmas holidays start.

Every year the American invasion of London grows larger and larger and the Daily Sketch was informed yesterday that this year the number of visitors from the other side of the Atlantic had beaten all records.

The traffic manager of Cook's told the Daily Sketch that the first and second-class accommodations on all the ocean greyhounds was booked up all the middle of September, and there was such a rush of homebound Americans that many wealthy travelers were going across steerage rather than wait a turn which might not come until the beginning of October.

"This is not the immigration season," he said, "and in consequence there is plenty of third-class accommodation on most of the boats; but for a lady or gentleman who has been accustomed to saloon traveling it must be rather unpleasant to 'pig in' among the third-classes."

"On some of the big boats there are two-berth cabins, but the accommodation in the steerage generally comprises six and eight-berth cabins, and twenty or thirty people have to sleep together in the same apartment."

"Then, of course, the members of the American upper ten who are having to go home steerage have to land at Ellis Island like any of the low class aliens who go across with them, and have to pass through the hands of the immigration officer on the other side before they are permitted to land."

While our representative was speaking to the official a wealthy attired citizen of the United States entered the office and asked if he could have a couple of berths for himself and his wife on the Mauretania or any other boat that was sailing in the near future.

When told that there was no accommodation in any of the New York boats for a week ahead he turned to the gray-haired clerk and told him what he thought of the Atlantic steamboat services in breezy American.

"It ain't no use yer tellin' me I can't get back home before the end of September," he added, "because I've just got to do it—see? If I can not get back any other way, I guess

I shall have to go on one of the cattle boats, young feller. I've got a \$10,000 deal waiting to be fixed up in Chicago in three weeks' time."

In the end the clerk was able to fix the American client up with a double-berth cabin in the steerage and the traveler left the office looking tolerably happy again.—London Daily Sketch.

## William James.

Some of the dispatches speak of William James of Harvard as "the aged philosopher." Such a term must have been chosen by some person very imperfectly acquainted with the professor's character. He was only 68, and young for his years. The news of his death will startle thousands throughout the country to whom, from near or distant acquaintance, he seemed a much younger man than that.

In judgement he was old; in philosophy he was older. He was indeed the dean of them all. He had delved deep in the sciences which are hidden mysteries to most men—even to many who study them. He was of the American geniuses of psychic research the peer. What he has taught and written has been and will continue to be the prolific incentive to progress in this hardly touched field of human progress. He had distinguished himself as well in some other branches of research, but it is as a philosopher that the world knows of him. Three nations through four of their great universities have signally honored him, and to all students who knew at all of his subjects his name was a name of authority for admiration.

The phase of Professor James' work which must appeal most to those who properly estimate it is its bearing on the future of the teacher. The higher teacher is in these days studying the science of mind for a purpose. Those charged with the development of the minds of others are realizing with increasing force that they must understand those minds. Professor James understood this. He applied the best of his writings to the purposes of the teacher. We shall have better teachers, more effective teaching, an educational system raised to a higher plane, because of the work whose earthly period has just closed.—New Haven Register.

## Runge Man Is Badly Hurt.

RUNGE, Tex., Sept. 22.—Louis Steves, a widely known carpenter here, while at work yesterday fell from a ladder and was badly hurt, but not seriously. He was injured in the back.



**LOCAL AND PERSONAL MENTION OF THE TOWN AND COUNTY.**

Rev. Woolls went to San Antonio Wednesday.

H. I. Hardin of the South Fork was in town Wednesday.

Few more Jersey cows fresh in milk, with baby calves. E. C. Felty.

J. M. Webb, of the Johnson Creek Community, was in Kerrville Saturday.

A bright little girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reno Sept. 3.

Schwartz Bros. shipped a car of horses and mules to Schulenberg, Saturday.

We have everything for the boys to wear when schooltime comes. Charles Schreiner Co.

Mrs. Petty, who has been visiting in Kerrville for a few weeks, returned Saturday to her home in San Antonio.

We have everything that's pretty in lawns and they are going very fast at our cut prices. Charles Schreiner Company.

Extensive repairs are being made to the Steagall hotel. Six rooms have been added and numerous other improvements made.

Mrs. W. G. Garrett has returned after enjoying a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. Schermerbeck, at Monterey, Mexico.

No property as valuable as a good milk cow, well cared for. She will raise the family. I have a few good Jersey cows for sale. E. C. Felty.

Baby's change is fast; don't fail to get a photograph of her now, while she is so fat and jolly, from Mrs. O'Neal's studio.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hatch and son of Rock Springs arrived in Kerrville last Friday. Mrs. Hatch will spend some time in Kerrville. Mr. Hatch returned home Tuesday.

**DR. EDWARD GALBRAITH**



**DENTIST**

Office at Rawson's Drug Store  
Kerrville, Texas.

Addison D. Hesse, of the South Fork Community, was in town Friday.

Mrs. J. T. Nelson of Center Point was a Kerrville visitor Sunday.

W. G. Carpenter and R. B. Knox left Sunday for Dallas on business.

Our special line of Walk-Over shoes are very stylish and serviceable. Williamson & Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brown of Beeville are visiting their daughter, Miss Mary Brown, who is a teacher in the Tivy high school.

M. F. Leeds, agent at the Sap depot, spent several days at Beeville attending court. C. M. McNutt acted as agent during Mr. Leeds absence.

Just unloaded a car of cotton seed meal and a car of cracked cotton seed cake. Also have mixed feed, meal and hulls for sale. Welge Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon arrived Wednesday night from their Tennessee trip, where they had visited friends and relatives for several weeks.

O. C. Bulwer, Dr. Roberts, J. A. Dawson and Butler Love returned Wednesday from a few days fishing trip on the North Fork. They enjoyed the outing and caught a good supply of fish.

E. C. Felty has sold three fine Jersey cows. The purchasers were Dr. W. H. Miller, Judge R. A. Dunbar and a Mr. Burton, who lives on the West Nueces River, eighty-five miles from here.

**IF IT'S ON THE LABEL**

**IT IS GUARANTEED**

**RAWSON'S CELEBRATED SCREW WORM KILLER**

Will do what it is recommended to do, or your money back.

**W. H. RAWSON DISPENSING CHEMIST**

SOLE MANUFACTURERS AND DISTRIBUTORS  
KERRVILLE, TEXAS

B. E. Paech of San Antonio spent Sunday in Kerrville.

Don Summers of San Antonio spent Sunday in Kerrville.

John Sheeby went to San Antonio Sunday to visit friends.

I buy and sell new and second hand buggles, wagons and harness. E. C. Felty.

Rev. J. E. Ellis preached at Morris Ranch Sunday, returning home Monday.

W. Nounhofer of San Antonio was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Scholl Sunday.

Mrs. R. A. Cochran left Monday morning for a visit with friends in Mississippi.

Baby will soon be a big child; have his pictures made while he is a baby, at Mrs. O'Neal's studio.

**MODEL TAILORING CO.**

Our fall samples have arrived. We can fit your frame, your pocket-book, and yet not do violence to our own conscience. We give the best to be had in clothes for men—can you beat it? Well! We're willing.

Model Tailoring Co., Phone 37

Rev. R. A. Cochran left Tuesday for San Marcos.

Rev. J. Overton of Bandera was a Kerrville visitor Tuesday.

Now is the time to bring baby to be photographed. Mrs. O'Neal's is the place.

Captain McKillup returned Sunday from his Colorado vacation and reports having had an enjoyable trip.

My millinery opening will take place Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 27 and 28, in the millinery department of Chas. Schreiner Co's. store. All ladies cordially invited.

The funeral of Mrs. Rebecca White was held Sunday at 10 a. m. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

If nothing happens, I'll be here next spring to photograph the baby, but she won't look the same as she does now. Mrs. O'Neal.

A few more weeks and the days will be getting cold, and baby will be such a big child next spring, so don't wait about having his photograph made. Take him to Mrs. O'Neal's studio today.

**The**

**FLOUR**

That Makes Bread and Cakes Like Mother Makes  
**GUENTHER'S PIONEER and OKLAHOMA FLOURS**  
For Sale By  
**MOSEL, SAENGER & CO.**

**MAN KILLED BY I. & G. N. ENGINE**

ing Near Longview. Mark Joplin Loses Life Sunday Morning. LONGVIEW, Tex., Sept. 18.—Mark Joplin, a rural mail carrier, was fatally injured by being struck by the pilot beam of an International & Great Northern train this morning. The details of the accident could not be obtained. He died at 1 o'clock.

**Card of Thanks.**

I desire to thank my doctors, and wish those to know who so kindly helped and cheered me during my illness, that their good deeds were appreciated and treasured.

Gratefully,  
MRS. ED DIETERT.

F. S. Ragland was a Kerrville visitor Thursday from his ranch.

Uncle Tom Nelson of Center Point visited Kerrville Thursday.

Walter Real was in Kerrville Tuesday from his ranch on Turtle Creek.

Mrs. Amelia Rosenthal of Comfort is visiting her son, Oscar Rosenthal.

We handle a complete line of Peter shoes, all new styles. Williamson & Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morris of Morris Ranch are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Morris at the St. Charles.

Mrs. B. A. Davey and daughter, Miss Myrtle, who had been visiting in Kimble County, returned home last week.

We have in stock a general line of Peter's Shoes for men, ladies and children; also a special line of Walk-Over shoes for men and boys. Williamson & Peterson.



**An Unreasonable Story Carries Little Weight With It**

**Our Statements are Reasonable and We are Always Ready to Back Them Up.**

"Come, now, and let us reason together."

¶ There is no question of wife or dowry in this matter, it is true, but "reasoning together" is just as good practice to-day as it was in ancient Bible Days. We want to reason with you about buying furniture and household goods.

¶ Does it not appeal to your intelligence that a firm that has been in the furniture business, buying and selling furniture, and studying furniture for years, knows more about the business in all its details, than a chance dealer?

¶ Is it not a reasonable proposition that a man who works with cattle every day knows more about them than the consumer who never saw a live cow, but just buys a porter house steak or a veal cutlet occasionally?

¶ Is it not true in every business that the buyer must be largely directed in his purchases by the knowledge of the seller and chiefly safeguarded against improper buying by his confidence in and the integrity of the dealer?

¶ We believe you must agree that these things are true.

¶ If this then, is true, does it not behoove every buyer to deal with a house of an established reputation?

¶ We believe you will also agree to that. Now then, let us say that we have been selling furniture in Kerrville several years. We have not always sold cheaper than any one else, but we have always sold articles that were just as represented, and worth the price paid. Another thing—we are here to stay. The House of "Fawcett Furniture Company" is as much a fixture as the pavement of the streets.

¶ YOU CAN COME BACK. If the goods are not just as represented, you will find us always ready to make good.

¶ We have a big stock. There is not a piece in it that was bought "only to sell." The goods are goods with a reputation, sold by a house with a reputation. We shall be pleased to make you close prices on your wants in our line.

**W. A. Fawcett & Company FURNITURE**

**Good Pecan Crop.**

J. B. Hyde of Goat Creek was in town Friday on business, and says condition are good in his section, cattle are doing fine. They have had frequent showers and prospects are good for a fine pecan crop.

**Card Party.**

A card party was given Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Reese, at which those present had a most delightful time. Delicious refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rosenthal, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dominguez, Mr and Mrs. A. F. Adkins, Ben Smith and Miss Nellie Smith.

**Had Good Rain.**

Walter Schwethelm was in Kerrville Wednesday from his ranch on Wolf Creek. Mr. Schwethelm says a fine rain, amounting to an inch or more, fell at his place Sunday evening. The rain covered a scope of country about one and a half miles wide, and extended several miles. This, with other recent good showers, puts the Wolf Creek community in fine shape.

**Freight Wreck on the "Sap."**

Train service in and out of Kerrville was badly demoralized Monday and Tuesday on account of a wreck two miles this side of Comfort. The local freight had four freight cars and the baggage car derailed. It occurred close to a bridge and the derailed cars running on the bridge damaged it badly. One car was badly damaged. Fortunately the coach remained on the track. No one was injured. The wrecker arrived from Yoakum at 1 a. m. Tuesday and it took until 1 p. m., twelve hours, to clear the track and repair the bridge so trains could pass. The Monday night passenger train was backed up to San Antonio and arrived at Kerrville at 2:10 p. m. Tuesday. It is supposed a broken brake beam was the cause of the wreck. The derailed cars were in such a position that a track could not be built around the wreck is the reason there was such a delay to traffic.

Miss Marguerite Rummel of San Antonio, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. F. Schreiner, has returned home.

**PASTIME PARLOR**

J. H. JONES, Proprietor.

Billiards, Pool, Dominoes, Auto-Motor pictures.

LUNCH AND SHORT ORDERS.  
WATER STREET KERRVILLE

**R. D. PALMER & COMPANY**

Dealers in STAPLE GROCERIES.

Groceries, Feed, Eggs, Butter, Poultry, Etc.

Highest Market Price Paid For Country Produce  
Lowry Addition, KERRVILLE

**Change of Business.**

J. W. Dawson and E. A. Reno of Carrollton, Ill., are new residents of Kerrville, having purchased the meat market of McKeen & Son. These gentlemen are occupying Mrs. Gedney's residence near the depot and will be cordially welcomed to the business and social circles of Kerrville.

**It Saved His Leg**

"All thought I would lose my leg," writes J. A. Swensen, of Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it, cured and well." Infalible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Boils, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at Rock Drug Store.

Dick Eastland was in town Thursday.

Miss Lula Black, daughter of Presiding Elder Black of the Episcopal Church, is in Kerrville studying music with Mrs. Whitfield. Miss Black is studying at Mrs. J. L. Vining's.

**MONUMENTS**

MARBLE, GRANITE and BRONZE

**FRANK TIECH**

Manufacturer, Llano, Texas

E. V. COUNCIL, Agent  
Kerrville, Texas

The Largest Monument Works West of the Mississippi

**T. F. W. DIETERT & BRO.**

DEALERS IN

**GENERAL MERCHANDISE**

Just such prices as make it worth our while to sell to you, and to your interest to buy from us.

Dry Goods, Groceries, Clothing, Hats, Shoes, Farm Machinery and Harvesting Supplies. BUY and SELL Country Produce

**T. F. W. Dietert & Bro.**  
Water Street Kerrville, Texas

Rev. R. Galbraith and wife left Sunday for Comfort, where Rev. Galbraith held services Sunday evening. They spent a few days at "The Oaks" near Waring and had a most delightful visit, returning home Wednesday night.

Oscar Rosenthal, the up-to-date merchant, has just a McClosky register cabinet. It is a complete record of sales and is one of the first in this city. It is now in Alliance, Ohio.

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**LEGAL NOTICES.**

No. 286  
**THE STATE OF TEXAS.**  
 To the Sheriff or any constable of Kerr county, Greeting:  
 W. D. Hope, Administrator of the estate of M. F. Butler, deceased, having filed in our county court his application to be discharged as such Administrator, said application being accompanied with a full and complete exhibit of the condition of the estate, together with his administration account.

You are hereby commanded that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Kerr, you give due notice to all persons interested in said estate to appear and contest said exhibit and account if they see proper to do so, at the next regular term of said county court, commencing and to be holden at the court house of said county, in the city of Kerrville on the first Monday of October, 1910, the same being the 3rd day thereof, when said application exhibit and account will be considered by the court.

Witness: A. H. MOORE,  
 Clerk of the County Court, Kerr County, Texas.  
 Given under my hand and seal this 6th day of September, 1910.  
 A. H. MOORE,  
 County Clerk, Kerr County, Texas.  
 A true copy, I certify:  
 J. T. MOORE,  
 Sheriff Kerr County Texas.  
 37-4t

**ORDER OF ELECTION.**

By authority in me vested by law, I, Lee Wallace, County Judge, Kerr County, hereby order a general election to be held for the purpose of electing a member of congress, 14th congressional district of Texas, state, county and precinct officers, and for the further purpose of voting for or against amending section 51, article 3, of the constitution of the state of Texas, to be holden on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1910, at the various voting places and in the several voting precincts of Kerr County, Texas.  
 Given under my hand this 19th day of September, 1910.  
 LEE WALLACE,  
 County Judge, Kerr County, Texas.

**What to Do With Trusts.**

New legislation is needed to supplement the anti-trust law. For public ownership and management of the capital and productive agencies and instrumentalities of the country we shall be ready when the millennium comes, but not sooner. Individualistic system of production of other days has largely given place to production on a large scale by means of consolidated capital and under corporate management and control. These colossal enterprises are the combined result of science, invention, accumulated capital and the genius for business organization by which Americans are especially distinguished. For the American consumer these consolidated undertakings have greatly multiplied and cheapened commodities; for the American merchant they have made it impossible to compete with success in the markets of the world, and for the American laborer they have vastly enlarged and increased the wages of employment. The competitor, actual or potential, is the economic slave of the consuming public. To defend that competitor where he still holds the field and to re-establish him where monopoly by unfair methods has driven him out is, as I conceive it, the object of all anti-trust legislation.—President Schurman, of Cornell University.

**ROPER BREAKS WORLDS RECORD**

Albert Vivian Ties Three Steers in the Quickest Time.  
 LAREDO, Tex., Sept. 18.—It has developed that Albert Vivian of Carrizo Springs, in roping and tying three steers in 1:25 here yesterday, broke the world's record for a three steer contest by five seconds.

**The Leaves Are Fallin'  
 And The Sap's Goin' Down**



And there is no reason why wooden goods should go up. In fact, we are seeing to it that wooden furniture and every other kind of furniture don't go up. We want to tell you a few

**FURNITURE FACTS**

**THE CAUSE**

Now, let us talk this matter over coolly and in a neighborly manner. It is mercantile history that when there is too much of any commodity upon the market, that commodity becomes cheap. You will remember that along about harvest time things looked mighty good. Grain was fine, corn looked well, and the promise for a cotton crop was excellent. Looking at the matter in that way we bought a big stock of furniture for fall delivery, and it was delivered. We expected of course to make a bunch of money on these goods, because we bought them right, but "the best laid plans of mice and men gang aft aglee." Fall has come, business is quiet money is scarce, and we are willing to sell at the smallest profit in order to get our money out from under this mammoth pile of furniture.

**THE EFFECT**

Very naturally all this misplaced confidence is having effect, and the effect is felt chiefly by us. It results in us cutting the price of furniture to dangerously near cost. Our loss, in this instance, is the gain of those who buy goods from us at prices lower than they have ever bought such goods before. We have more square feet of floor space than any store in Kerrville, and every foot of it is taken up with fine furniture. The stock comprises parlor suits, bedroom suits, single pieces of furniture, rugs, art squares, and all kinds of attractive and serviceable articles for household comfort and ornament. There is no bluff, bluster, fuss, feathers or brag about this matter. We simply have this stock in such quantities that we must sell. The result of a purchase is your profit.

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**Fixtures, Etc.**  
 FOR SALE—100 head of good grade ewes, and 180 extra good grade Angora goats. Apply to Moritz Holkamp, Kerrville, Texas.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred—Buff Orpington cockerels for sale. See S. P. Benton 28-2t

**FOR SALE.**

We have 150 extra good bucks for sale at Live Oak ranch. Address Robert Real, Mountain Home, Texas. 4t-36.

FOR SALE—Kingsbury piano in good condition. Apply at this office. 1f-36.

FOR SALE—About 40 good ewes cheap if sold soon. J. T. Clark, Ingram, Texas. 39-1t

MERINO RAMS—From prize winning bucks. For sale by George Williams, rural route 1, Kerrville, Texas 39-5t

**NOTICE**

To Trespassers.

**NOTICE.**

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

CHARLES SCHREINER

NOTICE is hereby given that any person dumping trash, old cans and other refuse on my lots at the mouth of Town creek, known as the Pecan Grove, will be prosecuted for trespassing. CHAS. SCHREINER.

Notice is hereby given that we have leased the hunting right in the Fritz Karger pasture and will prosecute any person found hunting or otherwise trespassing in same.

E. SCHWETHELM,  
 J. M. HAMILTON.

Notice is hereby given that we have leased the hunting rights in Walter Schwethelm's pasture on the head of Wolf Creek, and will prosecute anyone found hunting or otherwise trespassing in same.

CHAS. HEINEN,  
 THOS. PETERSON

Notice is hereby given that I have leased the hunting rights in the Bruno Schwethelm pasture, known as the Aug. Karger place, and will prosecute anyone found hunting or otherwise trespassing in same.

WALTER PETERSON

**WANTED**

Miscellaneous.

**STORM-DRIVEN SHIP IS SAFE**

Crew of Schooner Battle for Five Days With Howling Gale.

GALVESTON, Tex., Sept. 19.—The fruit schooner L. N. Man Dantzer, seven days out from Tampico for Galveston, and feared lost in the hurricane which swept the Gulf four days ago, is in port.

Captain Fred Cordsen and crew of five men survived the experience, but were saved from the battle of three days by a squall of wind blowing to eighty miles an hour. The cargo of fruit spoiled and the crew were without sleep trying to keep the boat from being sucked into the vortex of the hurricane.

The voyage from Tampico to Galveston is only sixty hours, but the schooner was driven nearly 200 miles out of its course.

**FORT DAVIS TO BE SOLD.**

Sale Will be Conducted by Judge Witten November 21.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 20.—Judge Witten of the general land office announced today that he will conduct the sale of Fort Davis, in Jeff Davis County, Texas, November 21. The fort was abandoned by the war department in 1896 and turned over to the interior department. The tract contains 300 acres and will be sold in lots of thirty acres.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's cough remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or soon after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. Sold by all dealers.

**COURTS GIRL SIXTY YEARS.**

Henry St. Johns, Now 84 Years Old, Weds Sweetheart Aged 80.

CORTLAND, N. Y., Sept. 20.—Announcement was received here today of the marriage of Henry C. St. Johns of Leonardville, aged 84, and Miss Myra W. Cushing of Little York, aged 80. The ceremony was performed Saturday night at Little York lake. The wedding is a culmination of a romance that began sixty years ago. The two were engaged a day set for their marriage. Something happened to prevent the ceremony and the bride-to-be could not be prevailed upon to name another day. She remained in single blessedness and her love waited for her until he was 50 years old, when he married another. A year ago his wife died. The early courtship was reopened and proved successful this time.

**NEW BUILDING TOPPLES.**

Two-Story Structure at San Benito Gave Way During Storm.

SAN BENITO, Tex., Sept. 18.—Last night the two-story brick building which was being erected for J. Magill Smith of St. Paul, Minn., collapsed, and in falling practically demolished a one-story frame building belonging to C. W. Dunaway, and which was occupied as a barber shop. This latter building was badly shattered by the falling brick and heavy steel beams, but left uninjured all the mirrors and a clock hanging on the wall, which excited many comments. It is not known what caused the collapse of the Smith building, which had not yet been roofed, but is attributed to the heavy rains which have been falling incessantly since Tuesday night. The loss on the new building is covered by tornado insurance.

Your complexion as well as your temper is rendered miserable by a disordered liver. By taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets you can improve both. Sold by all dealers.

**Girl Swims Seventeen Miles.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Starting from the New York Yacht club pier at Twenty-third street and East river today, Rose Pitonof, a 16-year-old girl, of Boston, swam to Coney Island a distance of about seventeen miles. Mrs. Clara Hurst Bouton of Staten Island finished five minutes behind Miss Pitonof, whose time was five hours and six minutes.

**Same Thing.**

"City people don't buy gold bricks, you know," said the summer young man.  
 "No," replied Farmer Corntassel; "they jes' keep pikin' along, buyin' melons an' such that look good on the outside."

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H. V. SCHOLL, MANAGER.

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**THE MOST FAMOUS MAN.**

There has probably been no time since the most primitive organization of human society, when the world had not one man who was "The Most Famous Man." The most famous man in the world today is, beyond doubt, Theodore Roosevelt, Esq., a private citizen of the United States. This statement in these columns need excite no thought in the mind of the reader that this publication has become a votary at the shrine of this tin god. We honor Roosevelt because he is ex-president of the great nation on earth. We credit him with the good things that he has done, just as other men are entitled to credit for good deeds. What he has done in history, what he shall do in future, it is to be hoped will be little. Just today he is the most famous man in the world.

Theodore Roosevelt will be 52 years old on the 27th of next month. He is as stated, the most famous man in the world, and in the same sentence we may say that he has reached the height of that fame. There is no higher office than that of president of the United States. Mr. Roosevelt has served in that capacity two terms, and can get no glory from a third term, as is suggested by some fanatical worshippers of this wonderful, self-made man. The only thing that could be greater than to be president of the United States would be to be the political dictator of a nation, and Mr. Roosevelt's attempts along that line recently have not met with the greatest encouragement from the leaders of his own party. Ex-presidents heretofore have been satisfied to play the role of sages, of wise men who had plucked the brightest flowers of fame, and were content to retire from active life.

The ex-president is essentially a man of action, and there is not and never will be a field for a restless spirit. The world has not known a more consummate politician than Roosevelt. There is no record in history of a greater ambition than that possessed by him, he has attained all there is to attain, and like Alexander pines for new worlds to conquer. It is a pity, that his matchless strength of character, and his many strong qualities can now have no new field of labor for the common good. There are some publications in America who, becoming suddenly anti-Taft have also turned violently pro-Roosevelt. Mr. Taft was never anything except Roosevelt's puppet, and now that the president refuses to make wry faces and nod wisely when the would-be dictator attempts his ventriloquy in the great political punch and Judy show, we have a national figurehead, a wooden manikin, whose gaudy cap and gay attire that erstwhile bravely held the stage, while he glibly repeated "my policies," are now shaken by the cruel winds of scorn from those who tacked them to the little wooden form.

This does not appear to be discussing Mr. Roosevelt's fame, but such is the case. Theodore Roosevelt was president of this great nation, other men have had that honor. Roosevelt made the man who succeeded him as president, no other man has done that. But there is a step upon the ladder of fame beyond which mortal man cannot pass. Alexander conquered the world, and in the end failed to reward the man who helped him conquer it. Alexander ordered the death of Parmenio, and assassinated Clitus, thus rewarding with cruelty and death the generals who had secured his fame. Roosevelt has turned against the republican leaders in New York and other states who have led the fight for him, and would now in like manner reward them with political cruelty and death.

This writer does not attempt to gainsay the fact that these same republican politicians, this same "Old Guard," and kindred bands should not be put out of business, but we do believe in "honor among thieves" and that these people and their policies are now no worse than they were when they helped Roosevelt up the ladder of fame. The world always stands for fairness, and Roosevelt's behavior is not fair in this instance, and no man can practice such methods and continue in the good graces

of the people.

Again, Mr. Roosevelt has experienced such a remarkable change of heart in recent years that having paraphrased all the extreme ideas of Wm. J. Bryan, and appropriated all his theories to his own use and political benefit, he is now perilously near turning socialist. This insatiable hankering after the center of the spot light and the buzz of the candle bug, this species of political insanity on the part of the master politician is going to result in the disruption of the republican party, and the necessity for some one to hand T. Roosevelt, Esq. a piece of chalk, with which to make his little mark on the ladder of fame, to show the future generations how far he got.

The nomination of Roosevelt for president in 1912 is not probable, and even at this remote period his election at that time is problematical, even if he should be nominated.

**Strictly Agin the Government.**

Probably the most ridiculous figure on the political stage of America this week was Hon. J. O. Terrell, republican candidate for governor of Texas, in his high-class vaudeville act, entitled "Standing Pat." Mr. Terrell, strong in the faith—considering the short time since he was regenerated—that Taft will be re-elected, and will have some honor to confer that will set well upon a defeated candidate for governor of Texas, proclaims the Payne-Aldrich-Cannon buzz saw "The greatest tariff law yet"; damns insurgents roundly, and tells his neighbors the election of a republican governor is the hope of the country. All this in the face of what that same buzz saw did to the republicans in Maine, and will in all probability do in Ohio. Mr. Terrell discusses the political situation of the country with about as much acumen as a ten-year-old school boy would descend upon Greek literature, and his vision of the future in politics appears to have about the same depth of focus as the left eye of a blind fish.

We feel sure that Mr. Terrell is a good lawyer and a pretty good average man, but his nomination by the republicans for governor of Texas reminds us of a remark made by the aged editor of the "Tusqueharrow" many years ago. Two country papers were quarrelling over the matter of stealing the other's editorials. The Arrow man said: "The Wister New Era is accusing the Wagoner Sayings of stealing its editorials. All we can say is that the editor of the Sayings is either gone crazy, or is put to damned hard straits for editorials."

San Antonio's 96,614 population is a glowing tribute to persistent and systematic advertising.

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Roosevelt is said to see complete route of the "Old Guard" in New York. If this is true, look out for talk of panic, not because there is any reason for it, but because "the gang" do know what T. R.'s policies are, except that he wants to choke off some of the gang that have been coupled so long to the public free pop hydrant.

**25,000 MINERS GO TO WORK.**

Long Controversy Brought to a Close by Joint Ratification. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 18.—The long-drawn out controversy between the United Mine Workers and the Operator's Association, including Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas, was today brought to a close by a joint ratification of the new contract and the 25,000 men affected will return to work Tuesday morning. Of the 35,000 miners originally affected, 10,000 have already returned to work, under independent contracts negotiated by the Miners' Association. The effect of the five months struggle between the miners and the operators is a compromise contract, satisfactory to both. The miners under the new contract are granted the general advance in wages of 5.55 per cent over last year's scale, while the operators were successful in retaining a clause in the contract which in all probability will prevent future disastrous results incident to the men being arbitrarily called out on a strike order.

At the joint meeting today W. L. A. Johnson, labor commissioner of Kansas, was chosen official arbitrator to settle disputes that may arise under the new contract. The clause which it is thought will do much toward preventing hardships for both miners and operators in the future provides that pending negotiations work will be continued after the expiration of the present contract for a period of thirty days, during which time the disputed points will be referred to the executive boards of the respective organizations.

**Forty-Two Picnickers are Killed.**

BLUFFTON, Ind., Sept. 21.—Forty-two persons were killed in an interurban trolley wreck between here and Fort Wayne about noon today. Just what caused the wreck no one seems to know. At least no one has yet offered a clear explanation.

At 11:56 o'clock, if the train left on schedule, a regular train consisting of one car, left Bluffton for Fort Wayne. At practically the same hour a single motor car left Fort Wayne for Bluffton empty, to pick up a load of passengers to bring back to Fort Wayne for the county fair at Fort Wayne.

Some one made a mistake. At Kingsland, eighteen miles south of Fort Wayne, the cars met.

Those who were in the accident can tell little of what actually occurred. In the extra car were no passengers. In the regular local were probably fifty-five or sixty passengers. Of these, few escaped death or injury.

The accident occurred on a curve on both sides, particularly on that tangent approaching from the north, there was a curve screened by dense woods. Bearing down from the north came the empty passenger car. Speeding toward Fort Wayne was the coach filled with men and women bent on a merry-making day or two at the Allen County Fair.

The exact time of the accident is in doubt. Probably it was about a half hour after noon. The southbound car seemed to take the right of way. Like a giant missile it plowed its way through the traffic-packed car coming in the opposite direction. Its heavier frame cut like a keen knife a pathway half the length of the opposing vehicle. It cut off seats an inch above the floor and smashed and packed in one ghastly mass the whole interior of the car, seats, overhead baskets, lighting fixtures, baggage and the bodies of two score passengers. In the northbound car there were only a few capable of giving aid to the dying. They did what they could and from the fields came the farmers who either had witnessed the accident or who had been summoned by neighbors. Word was flashed by telephone to Bluffton and a special car was loaded with all the physicians available and sent to the scene.

At midnight all the dead and injured had been removed and the wrecked cars were lying beside the right of way, a bonfire to illuminate the spot of one of the greatest, if not the greatest, electric traction wrecks in the history of the country.

Around each of the two Bluffton undertaking establishments tonight there is a crowd of mourners, ropes keeping back the idly curious from the rooms where the torn bodies lie. The schools and the local courts will be closed for the rest of the week. No official of the Fort Wayne & Wabash Valley Traction line would tonight venture an opinion on whom was to blame for the accident.

One heroic act will stand out in the annals of the wreck is that performed by conductor Spiller of the northbound car. Though severely injured, he staggered down the track and flagged a limited train only a short distance away.

**HE IS HELD FOR MURDER OF BELLE ELMORE.**

Ethel Claire Leneve is Also Refused Dismissal by Judge—Inquest Over Remains Will be Held Soon.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Dr. Hawley H. Crippen and his typist, Ethel Claire Leneve, today were formally committed for the murder of the former's wife, Cora Belle Crippen, the American actress, who was known on the stage as Belle Elmore. The doctor is charged as the principal and his companion as an accessory after the fact.

For some time the magistrate in the Bow Street Police Court has been hearing the evidence offered by the crown, and at the conclusion of these preliminary proceedings today announced that he would hold Crippen on the capital charge and, without expressing an opinion on the evidence against Miss Leneve, added that he felt it was sufficient for him to commit her for trial as an accessory after the fact.

When the prosecution had concluded the magistrate proposed to set aside another day upon which Solicitor Arthur Newton, who is representing both of the accused, might make any statement he wished on behalf of the defendants. Mr. Newton, however, after saying a few words in favor of Miss Leneve, who he contended had not been proved guilty, said he would reserve his defense of Crippen until the trial proper was held. The inquest into the death of the person, parts of whose body were unearthed in the cellar of the Crippen home in Hilldrop Crescent, has not been concluded, and another session of the court will be held next Monday.

**BALLINGER MAKES DENIAL.**

Secretary Declares His Visit to Washington Has no Bearing on Case.

BOISE, Idaho, Sept. 18.—"It is true that I am going to Washington to attend a series of cabinet meetings, which will last for about a week, but all the members of the cabinet have been called by the president to discuss various matters pertaining to the government. I do not know that anything affecting me personally will be discussed at all."

In this way Secretary of the Interior Ballinger today flatly denied the report recently sent out from Washington, supposedly from an authoritative source, to the effect that he was hastening to the national capital to attend a meeting of the cabinet, when he would put it up straight to his republican colleagues to sustain him or turn him down; and declaring that he had determined, in the event of being sustained by the other members of the cabinet, to remain in office regardless of any pressure that might be brought to bear to force his resignation; but that if the heads of the other departments repudiated him he would resign without waiting for the report of the congressional investigating committee. When asked whether he had read the dispatch referred to, Mr. Ballinger said:

"Yes, I read every word of it. But it is absolutely without foundation so far as I am concerned. Such a proposition has never even occurred to me. The report is silly, absurd and I simply laughed at it."

Asked whether he had consulted any of his cabinet colleagues as to whether he should submit the question of resigning to the republican members of the cabinet, Mr. Ballinger said:

"That is all rot, and I won't discuss it any further."

"Do you intend to resign?" was asked.

"What I have said before along that line still stands. I will not resign as long as I am sustained by the president. I cannot see what connection the other members of the cabinet can have in this matter. Certainly, I never have made any such suggestion, and I am ignorant of such suggestion having been made by any member of the cabinet."

**MASKED MEN ROB PARTY.**

Country Club in Early Evening Is Scene of Daring Crime.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 20.—Two masked men with drawn pistols, about 9:30 o'clock Monday night, at the entrance to the grounds of the Country Club, on Alamo Heights, held up an automobile owned by W. K. Ewing of 902 Avenue C, in which he was driving in company with the Misses Wood of 407 Fourth street. Mr. Ewing stopped his car at command, thinking, as he afterward said, that it was a joke of some friends, for it seemed improbable that any man would attempt a hold-up in bright moonlight, with the clubhouse in plain view and persons seen there on the gallery.

Mr. Ewing and the Misses Wood were compelled by the men to get out of the car and give up their money and jewelry, but, except for a few rings and brooches and a small amount of money, the highwaymen got little plunder. They overlooked a watch carried by Mr. Ewing, which he neglected to offer them, and Miss Lottie Wood successfully concealed a ring.

The two men then got into the car—a Hudson 26 touring car, No. 755—and drove away in the direction of Government Hill. They had a little difficulty in getting the car started, but seemed able to manage it as soon as the engine was in motion.

Mr. Ewing and his friends went immediately in the Country Club and Mr. Ewing notified the police. City Detectives Green and Stowe were sent at once from headquarters and took up the trail of the hold-up men, first securing from the victims a description of the articles taken from them.

From the manner in which the search for money and jewelry was made by the highwaymen, Mr. Ewing thinks they are amateurs. They seemed nervous, he said, and not only neglected to ask for his watch, but did not demand his pocketbook either. Mr. Ewing said he had little money with him and but for the jewelry they secured the men got a very small return for their daring work.

At an early hour this morning the police had made no arrest nor had they succeeded in finding the stolen car. It is believed the men drove the car to some out-of-the-way part of the city, whence they could make their escape on foot unobserved, and Mr. Ewing and the police expressed the opinion that the car will be found this morning.

**Insurgency.**

"It will pass." "Insurgency is only the rebellion of a few disgruntled men. It will blow over." These are to me like the senile prat-

**The Leaves Will Soon Be Soon Red**

You will be wanting fall and winter clothing and dry goods, shoes, etc. There is no better place to buy them than at our store. Our stock is first-class and the quality is just right.

Our Grocery department is always well-filled with new, fresh, seasonable goods. You cannot do better to give us a share of your trade in this line. If you cannot come to the store, phone us your order and we will deliver the articles promptly.

We especially invite shoppers from the country to make our store headquarters when in town.

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| Quilts .....       | twenty-five cents | Lace curtains ..... | fifty cents       |
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**PAMPELL'S OPERA HOUSE**

flings of the dotard; the chirping of the grasshopper, not knowing that the winter rain is already brooded which shall burst upon him and chill him unto death. Insurgency dying? Why, it is but the first stirring of a new life which will grow and spread and defy party ties and fatuous threats till it unites into a new party all those radicals or progressives who believe in the human race, human rights and never-dying justice. Nor does the administration's supposed desire to throw Cannon, Aldrich and their like overboard command my respect. The cowardly crew that threw Jonah to the fishes to save their own hides never did excite my admiration. Cannon and Aldrich are but the fruits of the tree. You may pluck them and others will blossom. The real remedy is to lay the ax to the root. Let Mr. Taft not hope to delude and satisfy insurgency by offering sacrifices while he himself calls the Aldrich-Payne bill the best tariff bill ever produced and says it meets his ante-election promises. Let

him cease to vindicate Aldrich and the forces which produce Aldrich. Let him cease to snub Cummins and LaFollette in their own homes. Let him have a change of heart and see what Oregon sees, that it is all part of one great struggle for equality of opportunity in this beautiful world, and the Cannons and Aldrichs are mere incidents of a fundamental wrong. Let him in reply to the man who asks, "What shall a man do who wants to work and can get none?" make a better answer than "God knows," and not mock the wan-faced factory girl with the advice to take a two months' vacation. Then perhaps the people will see that he really comprehends the souls of the people, and they will forgive him the smile which must come off. For not only God knows the answer but the people are determined to know. Erskine Scott Wood, in October Monthly.

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### From Mountain Terrace.

Miss Schasse left for her home in San Antonio on Saturday and Miss Robson for Galveston on Sunday. Miss Scofield and her little niece are spending this week with relatives in San Antonio.

In two weeks girlish voices and laughter will again be heard at Mountain Terrace, and the winter's work will be well begun.

Following is a list of the teachers for the coming year: Miss Sarah C. Scofield, principal, history, English and Latin; Miss Hazel E. Raber, University of Nebraska, gymnasium, mathematics and science; Miss Sue Hughes, College of Industrial Arts at Denton, Tex., domestic science, primary; Miss Clara Herzog, Cincinnati Conservatory, piano and voice; Mrs. Annie Y. Woodson, drawing, painting, arts and crafts; Miss Elmira Tinnin, University of Texas, German, Spanish and intermediate subjects.

### Bitten By Rabid Dog.

FREDERICKSBURG, Tex. Sept. 21.—The nine-year-old son of Henry Wehnelmer, who lives five miles south of this place, was bitten by a rabid dog today. The animal bit the child in four places, on the arm, leg and side. He was immediately taken by auto to Austin for treatment.

### San Angelo Fair.

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Sept. 21.—"Come back to the banks of the Conchos and the scenes of camp fires" is the invitation the committee of "old timers" is sending out by the hundreds to the men who followed the cow trail in '85 or thereabouts. It means that Oct. 4 has been set apart as "Old Settler's Day" at the San Angelo Fair, which will be held this year Oct. 3 to 8.

A barbecue and short talks by pioneers will be the program at noon, after which the men who blazed the trail will adjourn to the fair grounds and witness horse races and auto contests for prizes aggregating more than \$8,000 during the meet.

Anticipating large crowds, the fair directors have authorized a sixty-foot extension to the grand stand and the building of a paddock. The recent rains have put the mile track in excellent shape and some of the best horse talent in Texas and Oklahoma are trying out at the track daily.

The Texas & Pacific, Santa Fe and Orient railroads have announced one and one-fifth fares for the round trip during fair week.

C. H. Reno has purchased a new Brush 19-horse power automobile from Dr. A. A. Roberts. It is a very pretty and practical runabout machine.

## Local News

And Personal Mention

E. L. Sublett is enjoying a few days' outing up the river on a fishing trip.

Miss Inez McClean, of Moody, is visiting her aunt, Miss Daisy Jennings.

Miss Charissa Barlemann was in Kerrville Thursday from her country home, "The Willows."

Mrs. L. D. Bratton and Miss Hatlie Colvin, of Ingram, were among the shoppers in Kerrville Thursday.

### MILLINERY OPENING.

Our fall opening will take place

SEPTEMBER 30 AND OCTOBER 1.

The ladies of Kerrville and surrounding country are cordially invited to attend. Our stock is new, stylish and attractive, and the prices moderate. Next door to Noll's store

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W. F. Leeds, the Sap agent, returned Thursday night from Beville where he had been attending court.

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Miss Daisy Jennings returned last week from Moody, where she had been on a two months' vacation visit to her sister, Mrs. McClean.

Clothing, underwear, shirts, hostelry, and shoes, every thing for the school boys and girls. Chas. Schreiner Co.

Miss Betty Hodges, who was awarded the honor scholarship at Llano left Sunday for Georgetown, where she will attend the Southwestern University.

We have just received a shipment of pure linen hand-made handkerchiefs for ladies. They are certainly beautiful. Chas. Schreiner Co.

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J. D. Wasey has moved to the O'Connor place about two miles from town on the Center Point road. Mr. Wasey expects to do a little poultry raising in connection with his handling of the Watkins goods.

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Shd Peterson sold a car load of mules Wednesday to Pfeifferling Bros. of San Antonio. They were shipped out the same day. Mr. Peterson brought in 125 head of mules and horses Thursday from Kimble county.

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### Lawn Social.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Aid Society will give a lawn social at the St. Charles hotel Friday, September 30, 5:00 to 9:00 p. m. Tea, cakes, hamburger, hot coffee and other light refreshments will be served. Everybody invited.

Henry Scholl arrived yesterday from New Braunfels on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Scholl. He will return home to-morrow accompanied by his mother, who will visit relatives at New Braunfels and other points.

Walter Schreiner, accompanied by Dr. E. E. Palmer, left Tuesday for Philadelphia. At San Antonio they were joined by Mrs. W. C. Rigby. Dr. Palmer was called to Philadelphia to consult with physicians there who are attending upon Captain Charles Schreiner, who is now in that city under treatment. Walter Schreiner and Mrs. Rigby will remain with their father until he recovers from his illness, and will return home with him.

### Jersey Cream Dairy.

I will start my dairy again Sept. 1. I have a nice herd of fine, healthy Jersey cows, and will be in a position to supply the public with pure milk and butter. Will have an experienced man in charge and will conduct the business strictly on sanitary lines. Phone your wants to No. 131 (Black). E. C. Felty.

### New Tires.

We are prepared to put new rubber tires on your go carts and baby carriages. Phone us. W. A. Fawcett & Company.

### New Millinery Store.

Mrs. Hy Staudt and Miss Lenora Council have re-opened the Bon Ton Millinery store. They have put in a new stock of late style goods, and extend a cordial invitation to the ladies of Kerrville and surrounding country to call on them when in need of head wear.

### J. W. OWENS NOT GUILTY.

Jury at Fredericksburg Clears Him of Death of Harry Stokes.

FREDERICKSBURG, Tex., Sept. 22.—"Not guilty," was the verdict of the jury shortly after noon today in the case of the State vs. J. W. Owens, charged with the killing of Harry Stokes in this city a year ago.

The trial has occupied several days and interest in the case has been great.

The evidence tended to show that several years ago, while in the freighting business, Owens was severely kicked by a mule and crippled. He then took up the Wild West show business and followed it for several years.

### FARMER BITTEN BY RATTLER.

Snake Struck From Corn Crib When Man Inserted Hand.

TAYLOR, Tex., Sept. 18.—H. Heintzke, a farmer residing seven miles south of Taylor, was bitten by a rattlesnake yesterday afternoon and for a time was in a critical condition, but is reported this morning practically out of danger. Mr. Heintzke went to his crib to get corn to feed stock and, putting his hand inside, was immediately struck by a huge rattlesnake, which buried its fangs in his hand.

### News From Turtle Creek.

As our little community seems so dead, will send in a few items to see who will wake up.

Our young people are very dull as there are no youngsters now, but a bunch of old maids and bachelors and they stand back and let the married people take the lead.

We feel in some better mood than the last time, as we have had enough showers to bring up grain.

Sam James of Menardville is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. James.

Miss Carrie Ridgeaway visited homefolks last Sunday.

J. J. Denton and daughter, Miss Jessie, and Clara Colbath of Ingram visited here last week.

George Norwood went to Medina Monday on business.

Earl Denton is attending school in Kerrville.

Ernest Gibbons left Wednesday for College Station, where he will re-enter school.

Miss Eva Lamb is visiting on the Divide this week.

Gabe Means of Medina was here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams left Thursday for San Antonio to visit a few days.

Mr. Vassey, the Watkins man, was here this week.

Some of our good writers of our vicinity come again. X. Y. Z.

### BUILDS CHURCH TO SPITE RIVAL

Saloon Man Erects Edifice to Cripple Rival's Business.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—New York has a "spite church" erected, it is said, as a result of the business rivalry of two saloonkeepers in the Bronx. The church, a little wooden building, was opened for worship yesterday with a congregation of thirty persons.

For some time the liquor trade in the neighborhood has been divided between two saloonkeepers, whose business rivalry has been keen. There is a state law which forbids the keeping of a saloon within 200 feet of a church.

One of the saloonkeepers said there could be no more effective way of putting a rival out of business than building a church near enough to him to compel him to close up when his license ran out. The property upon which the new congregation will pray belongs to the saloonkeeper and was donated by him for the purpose. The other liquor man declares that he will retaliate by taking steps to build another church on property owned by a relative within 200 feet of his rival's door.

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### GIRL CONFESSES TO MURDER.

She Says She Slew Two Men Because They Whipped Her.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Sept. 18.—Ebbey Shepard, the 16-year-old daughter of J. W. Shepard, who, with his brother, Taylor Shepard, was murdered at their home in Newkirk, Okla., Friday morning, confessed to County Attorney Burnes and Sheriff Rader that she killed the two men.

In her confession she declared the cause of the crime was that the men whipped her. She also went to the woodshed, secured the axe with which the crime was committed, and gave it to the officers. The girl has always been considered feeble-minded.

### Cannon Says Tariff Needs no Revision

DANVILLE, Ill., Sept. 21.—Speaker Joseph G. Cannon in accepting his twentieth nomination for congress today, said that the present tariff needed no defense and declared that the agitation for its revision is dangerous to the welfare of the country. The speaker is still a determined standpatter.

### Cotton Bale Kills Old Man.

MCKINNEY, Tex., Sept. 16.—John Snaverly, an aged Collin County citizen, while returning from a gin at Altoga, was thrown from his wagon when the wheel struck a stump and a bale of cotton fell upon him from the wagon, crushing him to death. Mr. Snaverly was a Confederate veteran and a highly respected citizen.

### A Wonderful Southern Republic.

Chili is one of the strongest and the most energetic of our South American neighbors. During the past twenty years the republic has made remarkable strides. Its population is less than of New York City and its area is about ten per cent greater than that of the state of Texas. It has a coast line of about 6,225 miles, extending through thirty-six degrees of latitude, from Cape Horn to the Peruvian border. The average width of the national territory is ninety miles. One-third of the country, the northern part, is a desert; but from that waste of land a large part of the national wealth is derived. One hundred and twenty-seven million dollars are invested there in the nitrate industry. More than three-quarters of the exports of the country are products of that section, including minerals and metals. The central section of Chili is agricultural, and the government strives to foster and develop farming by increasing transportation facilities, assisting in irrigation projects and the encouragement of immigration. Great forests of valuable timber abound and there are huge pasture tracts adapted to cattle raising and farming. The recent opening of the Trans-Andean Railway brought Valparaiso and Santiago nearer to Europe commercially than they were before. As a commercial nation, Chili ranks third in the list of Latin-American countries, Argentina and Brazil being the leaders.—Leslie's Weekly.

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Joseph Bader Achieved Distinction as a Craftsman While in Navy, and Has Made an Automobile.

The subject of this sketch, Joseph Bader, has had a very unique experience as a craftsman. Mr. Bader was born at Seeburg, Germany, Aug. 31, 1881. At the age of 15 he entered a blacksmith shop in his native town and learned the trade. In 1902, at the age of 21 years, he came to America, and in September he enlisted in the U. S. Navy as a blacksmith, and served in that capacity four years.

While Mr. Bader had entered the service as a blacksmith, he had long before evinced a strong predilection for machinery and at the end of his service his rating as to knowledge of machinery was next to the highest that could be given. In the navy the scale of honors is as follows: 0, bad; 1, indifferent; 2, fair; 3, good; 4, very good; 5, excellent. When Joseph Bader was given his certificate of honorable discharge from the service at Cape Cod Bay in September, 1907, his general average was 4.9, which is the highest mark given. Among other things, his proficiency in knowledge of marine machinery was rated at 4, obedience 4.5 and sobriety 5.

During his service Mr. Bader was on the Franklin, the Vixen and the Monongehela, and when discharged, was in service of the famous Kearsarge. At the close of his term in the service he made a visit of a few months to Europe, but soon returned to America, and after a short stay in New York came to Texas. In April 1908 he opened a blacksmith shop at Comfort, and conducted a very successful business. Meantime, the automobile habit struck the country. With his old penchant for complicated machinery, Mr. Bader too took up the study of motor cars, and at first times in his shop built the first automobile ever owned in Comfort. This performance and the successful operation of the machine that he had made, gave Mr. Bader a reputation as an automobile specialist, and attracted the attention of manufacturers of motor cars. In the early part of this year, desiring to enter the automobile business exclusively, Mr. Bader came to Kerrville and started a garage on Tehoupitoulas street, where he sells supplies and does all kinds of high-class automobile repairing. Speaking of the new business, Mr. Bader said: "I like the business because it is along the lines upon which my mind has run for many years. As a profitable occupation, it is here to stay. The time when automobiles are a luxury, for the wealthy classes only, will soon be a thing of the past, motor vehicles of all kinds will be as common as bugles and carriages are today. I have enjoyed a liberal patronage since coming to Kerrville, I appreciate it, and am going to conduct my business so as to merit its continuance."

### Don't Break Down.

Severe strains on the vital organs, like strains on machinery, cause break-downs. You can't over-tax stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels or nerves without serious danger to yourself. If you are weak or run-down, or under strain of any kind, take Electric Bitters the matchless, tonic medicine. Mrs. J. E. Van do Sande, of Kirkland, Ill., writes: "That I did not break down while enduring a most severe strain, for three months, is due wholly to Electric Bitters." Use them and enjoy health and strength. Satisfaction positively guaranteed. 50c at the Rock Drug Store.

### The Lash of a Fiend.

It would have been about as welcome to A Cooper of Oswego, N. Y., as a merciful lung racking cough that defied all remedies for years. "It was most troublesome at night," he writes, "nothing helped me until I used Dr. King's New Discovery which cured me completely. I never cough at night now." Millions know its matchless merit for stubborn colds, obstinate coughs, sore lungs, lagrippe, asthma, hemorrhage, croup, whooping cough, or hayfever. It relieves quickly and never fails to satisfy. A trial convinces, 50c, \$1. Trial bottle free. Its positively guaranteed by the Rock Drug Store.

## CRIPPEN TRIAL SENSATIONAL.

Landlady Tells of Conversation Had With Miss Leneve.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Something of what Ethel Clare Leneve suffered, as half mad with jealousy, she impatiently waited the fulfillment of Dr. Hawley H. Crippen's promise to make her his wife, was revealed at today's session of the inquest into the death of Belle Elmore, with the murder of whom the doctor and his typist are jointly charged.

In her distress Miss Leneve confided in her landlady, Mrs. Jackson, and the story that the latter told on the witness stand rivalled the most sensational evidence introduced at the preliminary trial. The girl appeared distressed, Mrs. Jackson testified, and she questioned her as to her trouble.

"Would you be surprised if I told you that it was the doctor and Miss Elmore?" Miss Leneve replied, the witness said.

"He was the cause of my trouble when you first knew me. She is his wife, and when I see them together it makes me realize my position as to what she is and what I am."

Mrs. Jackson added:

"What is the use of you worrying over another woman's husband?"

Miss Leneve replied:

"Miss Elmore has been threatening

## BRAVES RAPIDS OF NIAGARA

Klaus Larsen Goes Through Whirlpool Rapids in Motor Boat.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 18.—Captain Klaus Larsen, in his little motor boat, the Ferro, late this afternoon made a successful trip from the foot of the cataract through the whirlpool rapids to within a mile of Lewiston, a distance of four and one-half miles. He started from the Maid of the Mist dock at 4:45, and ran on a rock near the American shore at 5:30.

Despite the battering of the whirlpool rapids, Larsen went through safely, but his boat was leaking badly at the finish and through the trip, Larsen had intended to start at 2:30 o'clock, but he was delayed by engine trouble. Besides, the authorities threatened to interfere on the ground of attempted suicide.

The Ferro swung under the cantilever bridge, the engine running at top speed, and was caught in the swift drift, where the river begins its rush down to the whirlpool rapids. Larsen held to the middle of the channel and in less than three minutes had made the great pool. In the trip through the rapids the little boat was lost to sight most of the time, but at Great Wave it was shot twenty

## \$1500 WORTH OF NERVE WANTED

Uncle Sam Wants a Brave Man on New Job at Salary of \$1500.

Uncle Sam is in search of brave men who would accept a position under the civil service commission as foremen of mine rescue stations at a salary ranging from \$1089 to \$1500 per year, and an examination for the positions will be held in San Antonio October 15.

Applicants for this position should have had experience as fire boss, mine foreman or inspector in coal mining. They should be thoroughly experienced in underground work, capable of finding their way in the darkness of mines with which they have had no previous familiarity, and should have the courage, skill and physical endurance required in directing rescue operations underground after mine explosions.

Sub-rescue stations have been established at Knoxville, Tenn.; McAlester, Okla.; Seattle, Wash. and Urbana, Ill. Other examinations set for October are as follows:

October 19, bookbinder in bureau of engraving and printing at Washington, salary \$4 per day; October 19, chemical engineer in forest products in the forest products laboratory at Madison, Wis., at salaries ranging from \$1600 to \$2500 per year; October 19, engineer in forest products in the forest products laboratory at Madison, Wis., with salaries ranging from \$1600 to \$2500 per year; October 19, chemist in forest products in the forest products laboratory at Madison, Wis., with salaries ranging from \$900 to \$1600 per year; October 19-20, clerk draftsman in offices of surveyors general, land office service, at salaries ranging from \$4 per day to \$1200 per year; October 19, draftsman in the bureau of soils, department of agriculture, at a salary of \$1200 per year.

## TAFT HAS GONE WEST

Summer White House Loses President for Two Weeks.

BEVERLY, Mass., Sept. 18.—The president will reach Cincinnati Thursday afternoon and will remain there until next Saturday, when he leaves for Washington for a week's stay. He will return to Beverly Oct. 2 for a fortnight, after which the summer White House will be closed and the family will return to Washington.

Mrs. Taft will remain at Beverly during the president's absence on his present trip.

President Taft's itinerary, in brief, follows:

September 18 leaves Boston at midnight September 19, arrives in New Haven at 5 o'clock a. m., leaves at 3 o'clock p. m. same day for Cincinnati, direct, by way of Springfield, Albany, Buffalo, Cleveland, arriving in Cincinnati at 1:30 o'clock p. m. September 20, leaves Cincinnati for Washington September 24 and arrives there at 9 o'clock the following morning. The Atlantic City end of the trip will be abandoned.

## HENRY WILL GET BUSY

Texas Congressman Will Be Important Factor in Western States

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19.—Representative R. L. Henry of Texas was a caller today at democratic congressional campaign headquarters where he had a conference with Chairman Lloyd.

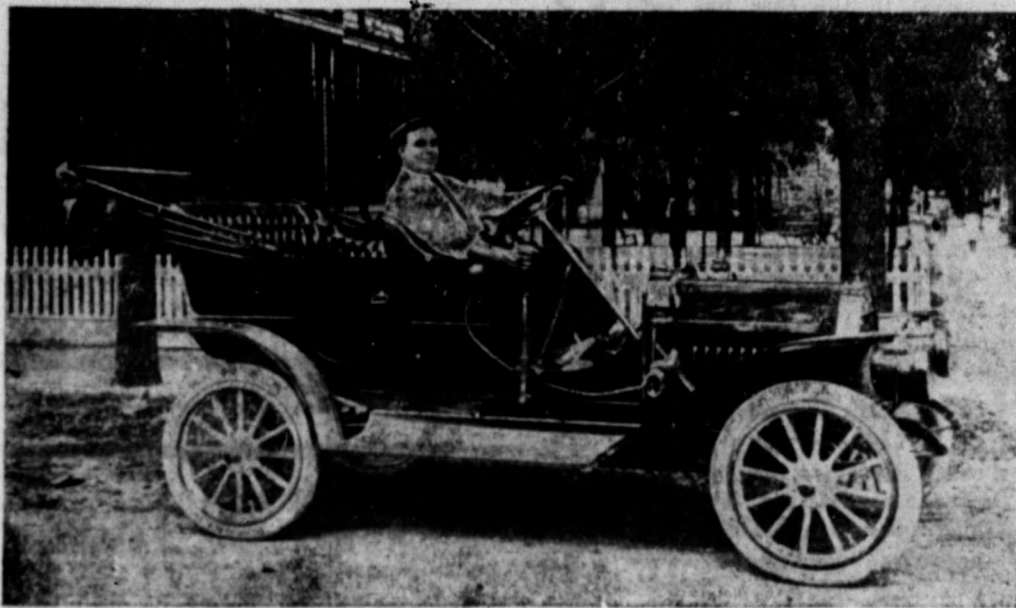
Within a week or ten days Mr. Henry will start for the Middle West where he is scheduled to make a number of speeches in behalf of the democratic candidates from Ohio and Indiana. He will probably go to Nebraska and Oklahoma and later arrangements will be made for him in New York and New Jersey.

Mr. Henry was very much gratified to learn that his speech in the house last winter in answer to an attack made upon the democratic party by Representative Boutell of Illinois was used in the recent campaign in the latter's district, and as is well known Boutell was defeated for the nomination by a progressive republican.

Mr. Henry was accompanied to Washington by his family, his children to enter school this week.

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JOSEPH BADER IN HIS PATERSON 30 TOURING CAR.

to go away with another man. Dr. Crippen has been waiting for her to do so, when he would divorce her."

Solicitor Newton, who is looking out for the interests of Crippen and Miss Leneve, closely cross-examined Mrs. Jackson, suggesting that her lodger's excitement was due to the landlady having resurrected a trouble which the girl experienced during her early association with Crippen, but the witness maintained the correctness of her evidence as given.

## AMERICAN HONORED IN CHINA.

Secretary of War Dickinson Is Greeted Enthusiastically by Chinamen

PEKIN, Sept. 18.—A curious throng of Chinese, wearing blue skirts and queues, in innumerable cars, on horses, donkeys and camels, last evening lined the route from the railway station to the American legation.

William J. Calhoun, the American minister, the other members of the legation and many Chinese officials in picturesque costumes met the train which brought Jacob McG. Dickinson, the American secretary of war, and party from Hankow to this city.

Secretary Dickinson was borne through the gates into the legation compound in a sedan chair, while he was heartily greeted on all sides.

The program for his entertainment is said to be the most elaborate ever arranged in honor of a foreign official visiting the celestial capital. He will be received in audience by the prince regent and will be entertained by the royal princes, the army, the foreign board and the graduates of the American colleges. A reception will be given to the ladies of the party by the wives of the grand councilors.

It is pointed out that this innovation is indicative of the broadening of China. The review of 11,000 troops of the modern army will be the feature of the last day of the secretary's visit, Sept. 26.

## FARMER AT VICTORIA KILLED.

Mexican Is Found in Throes of Death. Negroes Are Sought.

VICTORIA, Tex., Sept. 18.—Juan Rangel, a Mexican farmer, was shot and killed in the McCrabb pasture, near Thomaston, DeWitt County, last Wednesday while returning from Cuero, where he had marketed a load of cotton. Rangel had four horses hitched to his wagon and was riding one. He was shot in the back and neck and was still alive when found. Someone was seen running away from him, but was too far away to be identified. Robbery was the motive of the crime.

Two negroes who have since disappeared are being sought by the sheriff.

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Kerrville Chapter, R. A. M., meets on the 4th Friday in each month. Ben H. Kelly, High Priest.

Cypress Camp No. 58, W. O. W., meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday, each month. W. G. Carpenter, C. C., A. F. Thigpen, Clerk.

Kerrville Chapter, Order Eastern Star, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday each month. Mrs. H. Renschel, W. M., Miss Nona Shelburne, Secretary.

Kerrville Temple Pythian Sisters meets 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month. Miss Nona Shelburne, W. E. C.

Kerrville Camp, M. W. A., meets 2nd and 4th Thursday in each month. H. Eckstein, Consul.

Oliver Grove Woodmen Circle meets on 2nd and 4th Monday in each month. Mrs. Lila Moore, Guardian; Mrs. L. A. Mosty, Clerk.

Kerrville Lodge Knights of Pythias, meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday in each month. E. C. Pliske, C. C.; Howard Davis, K. of R. C.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

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**For State Senator, 24th District.**

In asking a re-election to the State Senate, I wish to say that it is true that I am a republican and have been favored with the nomination of that party; but I am not asking the vote of any man by reason of that. My course and record in the Senate for the past two years shows a non-partisan spirit and that I have tried to do the best for my district and for Texas, regardless of partisanship. On this record I submit my candidacy and solicit your support regardless of political affiliation.

I believe that with my past experience that I am in a better position to represent your interests; I am asking your vote and support on those grounds and my record is my pledge. Yours respectfully,

**JULIUS REAL.**

**FOR COUNTY JUDGE**

We are authorized to announce **LEE WALLACE** as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Kerr County, at the ensuing November election.

**FOR COUNTY TRESURER**

We are authorized to announce **A. B. WILLIAMSON** as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Kerr County, at the ensuing November election.

**FOR SHERIFF**

We are authorized to announce **J. T. MOORE** as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector at the ensuing November election.

**FOR ASSESSOR**

We are authorized to announce **OTTO DIETERT** as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Assessor of Kerr County at the ensuing November election.

**FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER**

We are authorized to announce **J. M. HOWELL** as a candidate for the office of county commissioner, precinct No. 4, of Kerr County.

**Uvalde Contest is Close.**

UVALDE, Tex., Sept. 16.—In the recount of the votes cast for sheriff at the recent primary election, H. W. Baylor leads Hammer Johnson by two. All the votes challenged by either contestant have been ruled upon by District Judge Barney.

Eight hundred votes have been counted and the judge ordered a recount of the vote of the entire county. In the recount Baylor gained but one. About twenty claimed by Baylor were thrown out and about seventeen claimed by Johnson were not counted.

The opinion is expressed here that the result will show a tie.

**THE FENCE POSTS OF IOWA.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 22.—The United States department of agriculture estimates that the farmers of the single state of Iowa use every year \$1,400,000 worth of new fence posts, which cost the equivalent of \$600,000 for setting them in the ground. Further, the department of officials believe that a part of this expenditure might be saved.

The opportunity for economy is found, first, in using the kinds of posts which, taking into account both cost and durability, are cheapest in the long run, and secondly, by treating the posts to prevent decay, particularly those which decay most quickly. When a farmer sets a post which will have a comparatively short life, he loses not only through having to buy a new post but also because of the additional labor involved in setting it. It is true that in both cases no money outlay may be involved, for he may set the posts himself, after getting them from his own woodlot. Of the posts used last year in Iowa, seventy per cent. it is estimated, were grown on the farms where they were used, or were obtained from other farmers or woodlot owners, and only thirty per cent were bought from lumber dealers. Nevertheless, the farmer is out his labor and the part of the product of his woodlot which is used up, even though he does not pay out any cash.

The facts concerning the use of fence posts in Iowa were brought out by an investigation which the department of agriculture has been making through inquiries sent to farmers. Several thousand replies have been used in compiling the figures, which, combined with statistics issued by the Iowa State Board of Agriculture as to the number of farmers and the acreage, furnished the totals. According to these totals about 10,999,000 posts are called for yearly to build and repair fences on 299,163 farms, of an average size of 158 1/2 acres each.

The average life of a fence post is stated to be fourteen years and the average cost 13.7 cents. There is, however, great difference in the lasting properties of different woods. Osage orange lasts more than five times as long as willow does, and for length of service it heads the list of post timbers in the state. The comparative life of other posts is shown in the following list, ranging from the longest period to the shortest: Red cedar, locust, white oak, northern white cedar (or arborvitae), catalpa, black walnut, butternut, red oak and willow.

The average costs of posts varies for different woods, and for the same woods in different localities. Red cedar is most expensive, at an average of 26 3/4 cents each, and willow the cheapest, at 6 cents.

Taking into consideration the time a post will last, and the cost of buying it and setting it in the ground, the conclusion must be drawn that the osage orange post is the most economical in Iowa, followed by white oak, locust, catalpa, red cedar, black walnut, butternut, willow, white cedar and red oak in the order named.

Comparatively few posts of some of these woods are used. Catalpa and butternut together do not constitute one per cent, while white oak exceeds forty per cent. From white oak the highest, the numbers used rank down in the following order: White cedar, osage orange, red cedar, willow, black walnut, locust, butternut and catalpa. A few posts are cut from other woods. Nearly or quite one-half of all the posts were round, indicating that most of the trees cut were too small to split.

The low place attained by black walnut and butternut, generally rated high in lasting properties, is probably due to the fact that the posts were found and small, and therefore largely sapwood, which decays quickly. The life of such posts would be much extended by giving them preservative treatment. Preservative treatment increases the life of all wooden posts and more than double the period of usefulness of those which are mostly sapwood. The two million dollars spent yearly by Iowa farmers in buying and setting fence posts might be materially lessened by putting into practice the well-known method of wood preservation. It costs much less to treat a post than to buy a new one and set it in the ground, and in addition much wood could be saved for other purposes. The department of agriculture has made a special study of practical methods of preserving farm timbers so that it is able to inform interested inquirers how to do this for themselves.

Don't waste your money buying plaster when you can get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment for twenty-five cents. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment is superior to any plaster for lame back, pains in the side and chest, and much cheaper. Sold by all dealers.

**AMERICAN APPLES TEMPT THEM**

**British Buy Heavily If Fruit Is Good and Well Packed.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 18.—American apples tempt the English buyer.

In proof of this statement, Albert W. Swalm, American consul at Southampton, reports that a shipment of apples from the Wenatchee section of the state of Washington commanded a higher price than any other American apple ever offered in the open English market, much of the shipment being sold at from 8 to 12 cents a pound, and eagerly taken at that price.

The secret of success, he says, is for the American shipper to send good fruit, well packed and keep out of an auction where a combination control prices.

**Dallas Clubs in Danger.**

DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 21.—The recent organization of twenty-five or more clubs in Dallas for "social and benevolent purposes" has led to activity in the attorney general's department to close them up.

From time to time newspaper dispatches have been sent out from Austin containing the information that the attorney general had brought proceedings against Sunday clubs in certain places for forfeiture of charters with the view of putting them out of business because of the selling of liquor and the promoting of gambling, especially on Sunday.

Assistant Attorney General Leddy was in Dallas today in consultation with Mayor Hay and Chief of Police Ryan. When asked the object of his trip to Dallas he replied that it was on personal business.

"If you put anything in the paper about me being here," said Mr. Leddy "I wish you would not speculate on the object of the visit. It is possible that I might be able to give out something of interest later."

Despite the fact that Mr. Leddy says he is in Dallas on private business, it is believed by those who know that he is here in connection with the Sunday clubs. It is pointed out that the assistant attorney general could hardly have "private" business with Mayor Hay and Chief of Police Ryan. Neither the mayor nor Chief Ryan would make any statement.

**Texas Riflemen Will Meet in San Antonio.**

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Sept. 22.—Over fifty of the best rifle shots of Texas will be here next month for the twenty-sixth annual contest of the Texasischer Schuetzen-Bund. The dates set are October 9 and 10.

Two hundred dollars in prizes and a gold medal for the individual championship have been put up for the meet. The prize committee consists of Ernest Steves, Arthur Guenther and Gus Heye. The contests will consist of the individual prize shoot, a team contest and the sweepstakes. In each style there will be both re and off-hand shooting for the prize.

The last shoot of the association of Texas clubs was held at New Braunfels. The shoot has not taken place here for three years, but interest in the event is very keen.

The local club members meet Sunday at their range and practice for the big event. The same is true of the other clubs in the association.

**Farmer Dies in a Well.**

COLLINSVILLE, Tex., Sept. 16.—Ward received here by telephone about 10 o'clock that Frank Farmer was found dead in a well in Woodward Methour's place, five miles east of here. Farmer lived about seven miles west of town and leaves a wife and six children. He was about 45 years of age.

It was known that there was gas in the well where he had been working, and fresh air was being pumped from above. It is supposed that the supply of air was insufficient and he was overcome and died before he could be rescued.

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**TEACH SHOOTING IN SCHOOLS?**

National Board Sends Circulars to Boards of Education.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 18.—Attempts are being made by the national board for the promotion of rifle practice to have clubs organized in the public schools for rifle practice. Circulars are being sent to public school boards throughout the country suggesting the organization.

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**How We Waste Money.**

Is it any wonder the appropriations of the last congress reached the billion mark? As an experiment, a year or more ago, some fifteen or eighteen battleships were equipped with skeleton or woven-wire masts, at a cost of ten thousand dollars each. Now they have all got to come down. The experiment could have been tried out just as effectively on one or two ships as on eighteen, and no one but Uncle Sam would have been so prodigal as even to think of doing it on a larger scale. Instances like this give point to the demand for a business administration of the government and show the wisdom of President Taft's commission which is to inquire into the business methods of all the departments.—Leslie's Weekly.

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**TWO PROMINENT MEN LYNCHED.**

**Two Prominent Italians Are Taken From Officers and Strung to Limb**

TAMPA, Fla., Sept. 20.—While being transported to the county jail tonight at 9 o'clock, Castenge Piccarotta and Angelo Albano, two prominent Italians, who have been conspicuous in the cigar makers' strike here, were taken from deputy sheriffs at Howard and Grand Central avenues, hurried to a heavily wooded place nearby and hanged to the limb of a tree.

Both men were arrested at six o'clock in the evening by a deputy sheriff, charged with being accessories to the shooting of J. F. Easterling, the bookkeeper of Bustillo Bros. & Diaz, several days ago. They were locked up in the West Tampa barracks for a time and shortly after 9 o'clock were taken out, placed in a hack and started towards the county jail in Tampa. They were accompanied by Deputy Sheriffs Evans and Bryan.

When the hack in which the four men were riding reached Howard and Grand Central avenues, a squad of armed men, estimated in numbers from fifty to seventy-five, halted the party. The officers were told to get out and the driver ordered to turn around. The prisoners, handcuffed to each other, were then ordered to alight.

As the two prisoners were marched off the officers hurried to the nearest telephone and sent a message to police headquarters, but when Police Chief Clark Woodward arrived on the scene no one was in sight. He was greeted with the gruesome sight of the two dead bodies swinging in the moonlight.

A hasty examination was made but there was no clue upon which the officers could proceed. The two deputy sheriffs when questioned, stated that they believed the lynching party was composed of Italians and Cubans and they would be able to identify some of them.

When the bodies were cut down at 11 o'clock it was found that the necessity of hanging both to the same limb arose when the mob failed in an effort to sever the chains connecting the handcuffs. Piccarotta had his pipe gripped firmly in his teeth and wore his hat.

Following the discovery of the bodies wild excitement reigned here. At midnight a crowd estimated at 2000 persons had gathered and the real reason of feeling, resultant from the strike now on here was evidenced.

The police do not believe that the execution of these two Italians has any bearing on the local strike situation, alleging that it is rather the result of recent feuds between certain elements of the local Italian colony.

When the two bodies were taken down a note with the following written on it was found: "Others take notice or go the same way. We know seven more. We are watching you. If any more citizens are molested, look out. (Signed) Justice."

**CONCERNING THE PEANUT**

When you invest a nickel in a bag of warm, appetizing peanuts and munch them contentedly at the ball game or throw them to the squirrels in the park, you do not pause to think how much is spent on those nuts by the country's population each year. Do you realize that with that nickel you are contributing to an industry that last year farmed a \$1,000,000 crop, which, placed on the market in various forms, reached the astounding sum of \$26,000,000? 'Tis a seductive nut. When you make up your mind to eat "just one more," that one goes on in arithmetic progression. The peanut was born in America. From a humble beginning as an infant industry it has grown to be a pretty husky youth. Scientists claim that the peanut is the only food staple which will at once nourish a man, beast, bird and the soil. It is the most nutritious of nuts, rich in tissue building properties and containing glucose and carbohydrates. It is, too, the cheapest of nuts. As regards price, average number in a pound, edible part, waste, fat and economy, the peanut is in a class by itself. A pound contains about three hundred and fifty nuts, costing ten cents. The edible portion is 73.6 and 26.4 waste. The amount of fat is about eighty per cent. The Texas pecan is the nearest competitor to the peanut. It sells, however, for over a third more, averaging but two hundred and sixteen to a pound. Its waste is 61.8 per cent, and it contains sixty-eight per cent of fat. At present about five-sixths of the crop comes from Virginia and most of the balance from Tennessee, Georgia, West Virginia and the Carolinas. Most of the southern states contribute some.—Leslie's Weekly.

While no general rain has visited this section of Texas, still good showers have fallen in most localities, and the drought situation is greatly relieved.

**Stumps, Brush, Weeds, Grass.**

We pay a larger tax every year for stumps, brush, weeds and grass than is required to support our municipal, county, state and federal governments, to endow all the colleges and educate all the youth of the land; and we get no return. A stump not only occupies valuable space, but it prevents the use of improved implements for better and more rapid tillage of the soil. The cost of farm labor is on the increase with the certainty that this will continue till the equation of wages on the farms and in the town or city is more equal. The remedy for higher priced labor on the farm is the use of more and better teams and implements. If the day wage on the farms of the South advances from 75 cents to \$1.50 then each farm must plow, plant and cultivate twice as many acres in a day as he did before and this is an easy problem. But the stumps must go, and the farmer who does not try to get rid of them will soon be a back number. The stump farmer pays about \$3.00 an acre every year for the privilege of having stumps in his fields. In addition, there are generally a few feet of unfilled soil around every field stump which produce foul weeds and grasses to seed the land.

What has been charged against stumps applies with still more force to trees, shrubs and brush patches in the field; dig, burn, destroy they are natural enemies of the farmer. Straighten out the sides of the field, square up the corners and avoid the short rows as much as possible, they increase the work of tillage.

Farmers have become so accustomed to fighting weeds and grass in the cultivated fields that they regard it as a matter of necessity. They think the land is full of foul seeds and of course they will germinate when it rains.

When virgin soils are first placed in cultivation they are comparatively free from weeds and grass, and that they become foul is due to faulty management on the part of the farmers. It is not difficult to discover the real causes. First, careless cultivation, which allows weeds and grass to mature seed in the cultivated fields. Second, little attention is paid to the highway, the brush patches, the fence corners and the pastures, and they are almost universally breeding grounds for foul weeds and grass. It has been charged that the Southern farmer is careless. It may be true in some things, but in one thing too many of them stand first among the farmers of the world—they never fail to raise a crop of weed and grass seed large enough to seed their own fields and their neighbor's.

The cost of this universal weed and grass seeding amounts annually to more than five dollars to each acre in corn, and ten dollars for each acre in cotton. In 1909 in the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia, there were 40,965,000 acres in corn and 20,692,000 acres in cotton, which would show a yearly loss of over \$11 millions of dollars. The loss can be greatly reduced by intensive cultivation continued as late in the season as possible and by mowing the roadsides, the fence corners, the borders of the fields and the pastures in June and in August. At first it seems like a waste of labor, but its beneficial effects soon become apparent.

A persistent war on weeds and grass, stumps and brush, in the fields is one of the great progressive movements necessary to progress in agriculture.

**Beginning the California Orange Industry.**

For nearly three-quarters of a century oranges had been produced in southern California, but not for exportation. The first trees were grown at San Gabriel Mission about the beginning of the last century. A few had been planted at other Missions of the south and in the gardens of some of the wealthier families. The first trees grown within the limits of the Pueblo of Los Angeles were planted in 1815. William Wolfskill, in 1811, planted the first orange grove of any extent. It was on what are now the Southern Pacific depot grounds of Los Angeles. He added to his original orchard until it covered seventy acres. In the later '60s it was reported to be paying at the rate of \$1,000 per acre net. This yield was probably exaggerated but it was sufficient to induce the planting of orange groves wherever suitable land with irrigating facilities could be procured.

The extraordinary profits made from oranges by Wolfskill and a few others who had bearing orchards in the later '60s and early '70s started an epidemic of orange growing. Like the silkworm fad large profits were made from the sale of nursery stock. It was a very scrubby sort of a tree that could be bought for a dollar, and a thrifty two-year-old commanded two to three dollars at the nursery. As it took about seventy-five trees

to plant an acre it required considerable ready money to embark in the business. Many prospective orange growers, too poor to buy stock, raised their own from the seed. It required two years longer to wait for returns but with them money was more valuable than time. If oranges were apples of gold the seeds in those days were golden nuggets. The visitor to a grove might be indulged in a luscious orange but at the same time he would be solicited "to save the seeds."—J. M. Quinn, in October Pacific Monthly.

**Noisy Pavements and Nerves**

Professor Stanley Adshhead, director of the department of civic design of the University of Liverpool, has been telling Mayor Gaynor's commission on congestion of population some of the faults he has discovered with living conditions in New York. The professor is an expert on civic affairs and has studied conditions in English, German and French cities, and is now making a similar study of American municipalities. He has investigated the tenements of New York, the methods of transportation, and all of those correlated subjects that have such a vital connection with the betterment of city life.

One of the criticisms leveled at New York by Professor Adshhead is particularly applicable to Newark.

"New York," he told the commission, "needs more wood block streets."

And the reason stated why such pavement was needed was a humanitarian one. The professor was thinking of people. Rough pavements and elevated roads he considered the most nerve-racking hardships the residents of the congested sections of the city were called upon to bear.

"You should pay more attention," he said, "to the question of reducing the noise, which must be very injurious to the nervous system of those whose fate it is to be in close proximity to the overhead line."

Professor Adshhead ought to be induced to come over to Newark and tell some of the officials here his opinion of their attitude on this paving matter. He comes from a city where wood block is laid in all the principal thoroughfares in the congested sections. He can speak with authority on wood blocks, as he has noted it in all of the principle cities of Europe.

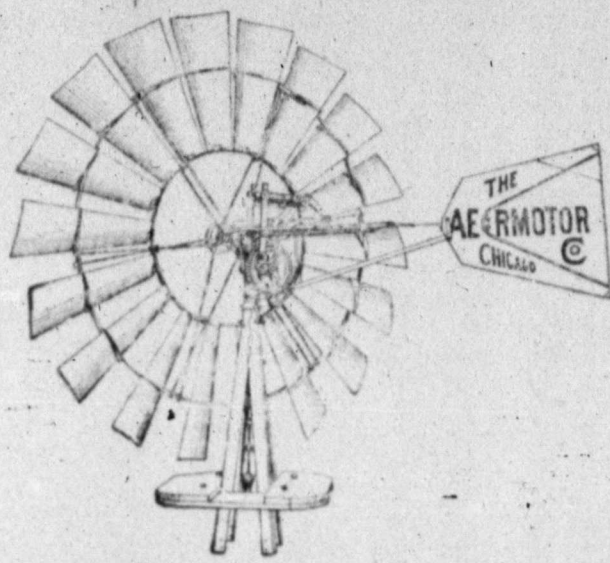
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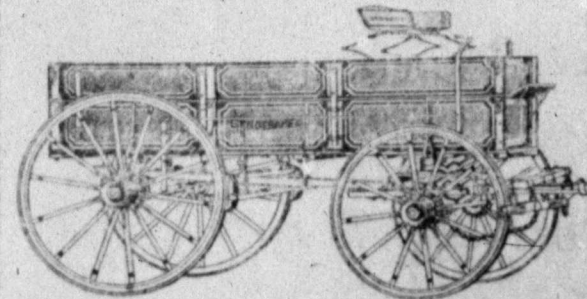
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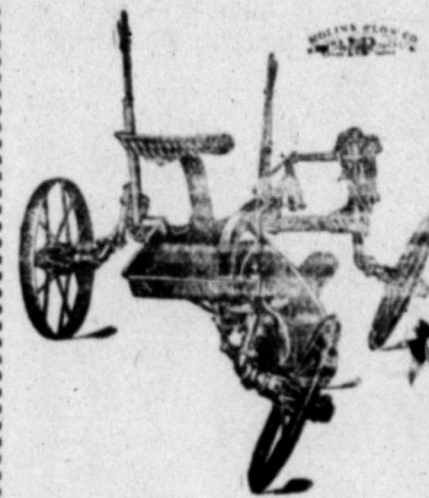


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