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## SEVEN SAVED FROM DEATH IN MINE

Entombed 130 Hours With Scarce Foot of Space Between the Water and Roof.

RESCUED IN THE NICK OF TIME

Food Gone, Strength Wasted, Men Were Sinking Into Unconsciousness

ROCKDALE, Tex., Oct. 21.—Entombed 130 hours, since last Thursday afternoon, almost a hundred feet beneath the surface in the Vogel-Lorentz coal mine, flooded with water and with their strength gradually ebbing away in the total darkness, is the story seven miners live to tell. An eighth man, George Lopez, died in the tomb of the living. The rescue of the men came at the end of a tense twenty-four hours and a crowd of hundreds gathered round the mouth of the shaft, cheered itself hoarse and only became stilled when the Rev. M. L. Pardo, Baptist missionary to the Mexican colony here, offered a fervent prayer for the living and the dead. The men were taken out of the mine at 10 o'clock tonight.

Jose Angel Morales, a 16-year-old boy, first of the miners to be brought up, rallied in a remarkable manner

after restoratives were applied. Physicians administered a hypodermic injection of strychnia, then put him in hot blankets and his nourishment was a few spoons of warm milk. In a few minutes the life-giving properties found response in the youth. Then he told his story of the underground prisoners never once losing hope. It was what seemed to be the far-away blast and rumbling of exploding dynamite that instilled hope in them. They believed then the work of rescue was being pushed with all rapidity human ingenuity and mechanical force could bring about.

For two days, as the boy thought, they had the comfort of a meager yellow light from a flickering miner's lamp. It was two days, as the men could best judge, and when the oil in the lamp had burned itself out there was total darkness, for the cavern of the shaft Thursday shut out all daylight. Their scant food supply soon was gone, and with the pangs of hunger, their strength wore away, and it was not until the last day that the drowsiness of unconsciousness was winning in the fight they made to hold on until the rescue force reached them. Had it not been for the forcing of fresh air into the narrow cavern in which they were confined late Monday night, Morales said others would have died. They drank greedily of the better air as it slowly made its way to their level. Then they were certain that rescue was the matter of but a few hours. Through the shaft came the faint sounds of the exhaust of the gasoline engine pumping down the air, and the men prayed that it would never stop until they had reached the ground above.

## SULZER STARTS FIGHT AGAINST TAMMANY HALL

Plunges Into Fray Immediately on Reaching New York From Albany.

FRIENDS CALL HIM A HERO

NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—William Sulzer opened headquarters at a Broadway hotel today for his campaign to re-establish himself at the state capitol. Informally, he plunged into the fight as soon as he stepped from a late train from Albany last night, but from today until election, November 4, he planned to conduct an organized campaign, with his private secretary, Chester Platt, acting as manager, for election to the state assembly. His friends in the Sixth assembly district who succeeded in making him the nominee on the Progressive party ticket almost immediately after he was deposed as governor, shared his confidence of success.

The entry of the deposed governor into the local campaign, which is already at a high pitch of excitement over the majority contest, with charges and countercharges flying everywhere, promises to make the two weeks at hand most stirring in a political way. Fusionists, seeking the election of John Purroy Mitchell as mayor, are guarded in expressing enthusiasm over the entry of the deposed governor into the campaign, but they make no secret of their satisfaction over the fight, which Mr. Sulzer has declared against Tammany Hall, the defeat of whose power the fusionists strive to be the main object.

Mr. Sulzer, who was deposed by the fusionists, has been charged that Charles Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, made threats to him while he was governor and that Edward McCall, Tammany candidate for mayor, had acted as an emissary of the Tammany leader. Mr. McCall has denounced the charges of falsehood, while Mr. Murphy has preserved his usual reticence, insisting only that he will wait until Mr. Sulzer has finished all of his accusations before replying.

John A. Hennessy, who acted as a personal investigator for Governor Sulzer, has injected himself into the city campaign as one of the anti-Tammany orators. In a speech last night he charged Mr. Call acted as Murphy's mouthpiece and once told him "to carry to Sulzer the last word for Murphy of what would happen." Mr. Sulzer did not withdraw from the Senate every nomination he had made. This he said was nearly two months ago.

It was not until an early hour this morning that friends of the deposed governor allowed Mr. Sulzer to go to bed, as determined were they to acclaim him a hero or martyr. For nearly three hours after his arrival, a big crowd of admirers cheered for him as they followed in a triumphant night tour to the east side district, where he reiterated in several short speeches that "the bosses" had removed him because he fought for the people instead of for the bosses and pleaded for a seat in the assembly that he might renew his fight. The demonstration in his behalf, moved the ex-governor to tears and he described his acclaim as the greatest moment of his life.

### Tibet Demands Liberty

PEKING, China, Oct. 21.—News that Tibet demands complete autonomy without even Chinese official representation at L. Hassa, its capital and also asks for indemnities from China, reached the Chinese Government today from the Chinese-Tibetan conference.

Reports from Tibet's frontier, where Chinese troops were sent, have for many months shown that the fighting has favored the Tibetans. From Mongolia come reports that the Mongolians are encamped within 100 miles of the great wall. Tibet and Mongolia at the time of the anti-Manchu revolution proclaimed their autonomy and have defended it ever since. China is now fighting to maintain frontiers against her.

## EXPLOSION IN MINE BURIES 280

Only Five of Entombed Miners in Colliery at Dawson, N. M., Are Known to Have Been Saved.

SOME HOPE IS HELD FOR OTHERS

DENVER, Oct. 22.—Between 250 and 280 miners were entombed by an explosion in mine No. 2 of the Stag Canon Fuel Company at Dawson, N. M., at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The entombed men included General Superintendent McDermott of the mine and several American miners. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Meager advices up to 9:45 o'clock tonight were that only five miners had been taken alive from the upper level. These reports stated that most of the men on the day shift were employed below the second level, where the shaft was blocked with debris resulting from the explosion.

Accounts from Dawson and Raton were uncertain as to the possibility of rescuing any of the men alive, while a statement from El Paso expressed hope that most of the entombed men would be found alive. This belief was based on the fact that the workings of No. 2 mine are connected by a tunnel with mine No. 5, while another shaft is said to furnish another means of escape.

Immediate relief work was undertaken by men from the night shift and neighboring mines while appeals for aid started scores of experienced miners from Trinidad and surrounding camps to Dawson. J. C. Roberts, superintendent of Federal mine rescue stations in the Rocky Mountain district, left for Dawson tonight with the rescue car. He also telegraphed Butteburg, Kan., and Rock Springs, Wyo., for the rescue cars stationed at those points.

### FIVE TAKEN OUT ALIVE

DAWSON, N. M., Oct. 22.—Three Tammany miners were rescued alive from the debris at the entrance to the Stag Canon mine at 5:30 o'clock tonight. This makes five who have been taken out. The rescue party is making slow progress against the tons of coal and debris which is blocking the mine. Two hundred and thirty miners, according to an unofficial estimate, are entombed. Two men found on an upper level early tonight.

The cause of the explosion is unknown. Fire has not broken out, though smoke was seen issuing from the second level of the shaft. It was believed by rescuers that this smoke came from the explosion and not from fire.

Immediately after the explosion all shifts were called to the work of rescue and those miners who were employed in other shafts were put to work drilling through the debris, which was said to have blocked the mine below the second level.

The United States rescue car stationed at Trinidad was summoned and every available man in Dawson tonight was aiding in the attempt to reach the entombed miners.

Rescuers worked heroically to supply air to the men. Reports from the mine did not state at which level the explosion occurred, but simply that the mine shaft was blocked from the second level.

The mine property is owned by the Phelps-Dodge Company of New York. Five mines are connected in the workings and it is thought that if any of the miners escaped death in the explosion they should be able to reach safety.

### Lane Will Not Attend.

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 22.—Comptroller W. P. Lane, candidate for governor, today announced that he will not attend the Prohibition elimination conference at Dallas on October 25. He said: "It is so unquestionably a partisan affair and I do not feel justified in taking part in the proceedings. It is a plan to eliminate me from the race and boost another candidate. I have decided not to attend the conference and will not be bound by its action."

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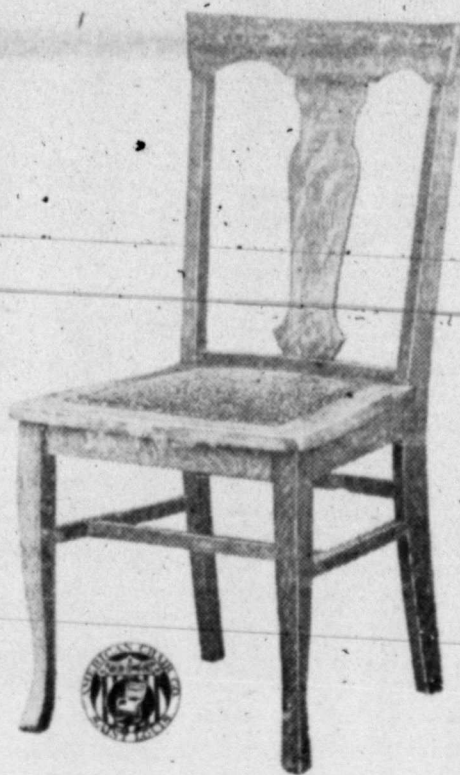
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With every \$25.00 of dry goods you buy from us for cash, whether bought at one time or different times, we will give you one of these Dining Room Chairs for \$1.00. Get as many Chairs as you wish, one Chair for \$1.00 with every \$25.00 you trade. This gives you a complete Set of Six Dining Chairs for only \$6.00 when your cash purchases amount to \$150.00.

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The Chairs are now on exhibition at our store. You are invited to call and see them and get a punch card. Have all of your purchases punched on your card. Do all of your trading with us, and you will soon have a complete set of these handsome Dining Room Chairs.

If you prefer you may have, instead of a chair, a genuine Aix-minster Rug, which sells regularly at \$5.00.

You will always find a choice selection of dependable Merchandise at our store, and our prices mean a saving to you.

## Chas. Schreiner Co.

Dependable Merchandise of Every Kind The People's Favorite Place to Trade The Place Where Your Dollars Go Farthest

KERRVILLE, TEXAS

### American Appeals to Japanese Government.

TOKIO, Oct. 23.—John Ellis, business manager of the Japanese Arvertiser, recently arrested here on a requisition of the American ambassador for alleged perjury, issued an appeal from the prison where he is confined by asking Japan not to deliver him up to the United States and declaring he desired to become a Japanese citizen.

Ellis is said to be wanted in Boston for the abduction of his daughter and for contempt of court. He declares in his appeal today that he is a victim of a conspiracy to obtain possession of his daughter, who was awarded by the Boston courts to his wife after their separation. He declares he has never committed perjury.

The United States government opposes the admission of Ellis to bail. John Ellis formerly was a clergyman, a telegraph operator and a broker. After his separation from his wife he took an office as broker in a Back Bay Hotel at Boston. About a year ago he took his daughter out for a walk and disappeared. Mrs. Ellis traced the couple to Japan through moving pictures.

Abduction is not an extraditable offense and for this reason the American embassy asked for the arrest of Ellis on a perjury charge.

### Sleeping Flowers.

When someone dear to you has gone, and through the night and day appears

The vision of that face, now seen as through a mist of unshed tears. Think; would you mar the Maker, a work for solace in the empty hours.

Although they seem to wring your soul? Think even of His little flowers

That withered, seem to die beneath a mantle of the fallen leaves

While overhead the winter wind through barren boughs and branches grieves

To come to life when Spring's soft voice calls forest slumberers to stir;

To wake from sleep, they merely slept—and sweeter even than they were.

The Maker's work can never die, and human flowers that He made

Now lost to us left sad behind, in weakness of our faith afraid

Will some day rise from sleep He gave; why should our hearts be troubled sore?

Will come to life in God's own time, and sweeter even than before.

### Big Cattle Deal.

The Chas. Schreiner Cattle Company sold to Brown and Sutton, whose ranch is in McCullen county, 3,000 head of yearling steers. The first delivery of 1,400 was made Thursday, and the cattle were shipped to the ranch of the company at Fowlerton, where they will be unloaded. The other 1,600 head will be delivered about the first of the year.

The Schreiner Cattle Company also purchased from Lefe Ward 1000 head of coming two's. This lot of six arrived yesterday by rail and were unloaded and driven to one of the ranches of the company.

### To Meet Railroad Promoters.

Capt. Chas. Schreiner went to San Antonio yesterday in response to a telegram requesting him to meet an appointment with Mr. Whittlesey and his corps of investigators who are making a preliminary survey of the proposed railroad from Kerrville to San Angelo. The data recently furnished by Capt. Schreiner and the business men of Kerrville had been received by the promoters, and the impression made was such that they were anxious to go further into the matter.

### President Declines to Speak Frankly.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 23.—At his usual semi-weekly conference with the newspaper correspondents today, President Wilson, for the first time, declined to discuss foreign relations and asked to be excused from speaking of the attitude of Great Britain or any other phase of the Mexican situation.

The President's departure from his custom of speaking frankly on international affairs was regarded as deeply significant regarding the situation caused by alleged actions of Sir Lionel Carden, British minister to Mexico and Great Britain's attitude toward the Mexican situation generally.

### Fame Finds Burleson.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 23.—Fame sought out Postmaster General Burleson today and cloaked him when it produced a new variety of dahlia and named it "The Burleson." W. H. Harvey, a clerk in the post-office at Baltimore, was the humble agent through which the investiture was accomplished. Mr. Harvey dug and delved and produced the new bloom.

"And it's a cracker," he said proudly. "It's worthy of the distinguished name it bears."

The postmaster general evidently subscribed to Mr. Harvey's views for the "Burleson" dahlia rested proudly in a vase on the official desk today.



**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**  
Items of Interest Gathered Here and There.

Mrs. L. Thallman and sons, Fred and Herbert came over last Friday in their car from their home near Bandera to attend the Millennial Dawn services. Mrs. Thallman's daughters, Misses Amy and Winnifred, who are attending Tivy High School, accompanied her home for the week-end.

The football season is now on in full blast. We have footballs and the necessary harness for football players.

**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**  
F. F. Edwards of San Saba County was a business visitor in Kerrville Wednesday.

Protect your auto tires. See us about it.

**CITY GARAGE.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Benson were among the visitors here Wednesday from their ranch near Vanderpool.

The greatest sport yet devised for girls, and the one that affords most exercise and wholesome pleasure, is basketball. We have basketballs and all the things needful for basketball equipment.

**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**

A. M. Eubanks, a ranchman of the Vanderpool community was a business visitor in Kerrville Tuesday.

Men's woolen overshirts. Big stock just in.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**

Mrs. Daisie Kent spent Tuesday in San Antonio.

Remember always that we are subscription agents for all magazines and periodicals published anywhere. We meet all legitimate clubbing offers, and if you fail to receive a number of a publication subscribed for through us you can come to the store and get it.

**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**

W. C. Kaiser of the Mountain Home community was in town several days the first of the week.

Latest styles in neckwear for men and women.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Colwell were visitors here Tuesday from their ranch near Vance.

Board and rooms. Accommodation for a limited number may be had at Rousemont for the winter. Will be open regularly for the summer.

**J. E. HARRISON**

R. Jones of Johnson creek community was in town Tuesday.

Pound paper and fancy stationery. The finest line of the kind ever seen in Kerrville. Your taste in stationery is an index to your character. We have stationery that will suit you, no matter what your taste may be.

**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**

Dr. Colwell of the Vance country was in Kerrville Tuesday.

You'll be pleased with the way we handle your grocery business.

**HEIMANN & GRONA.**

Enoch Hatch was in town Tuesday from the Divide attending to business.

Did your house leak in the big rain? Do you need shingles, or any other kind of building material? If you do, come to the "Old House of Beitel."

**BEITEL LUMBER CO.**

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Walters were visitors here Wednesday from their ranch near Vanderpool.

The best and freshest groceries and the best and quickest service.

**HEIMANN & GRONA.**

Gus F. Schreiner returned Monday from a business trip of several weeks to various points below San Antonio.

Do you know it is just about the time of the year when the little pigs grab the southwest corner of the blanket and squeal for more cover? The time of year for warm things to wear. Well, we have those things in abundance, and invite you to call and see them.

**HEIMANN & GRONA.**

J. M. Webb was in town Monday from his home on Johnson creek.

Just received a nice assortment of the Jacob Miller Eagle Shirts. Eagle brand shirts are like Edwin Clapp shoes—none better and very few as good. We have them in beautiful patterns in sizes 14 to 18; prices from \$1.00 to \$1.75.

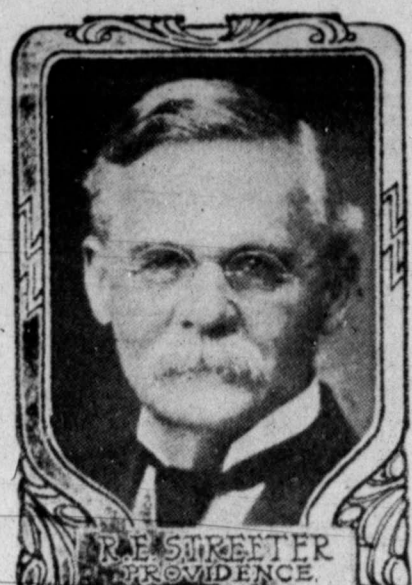
**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**

J. A. Kite was a business visitor here Monday from Lima, in Bandera County.

If you want green tomatoes for pickles and chow chow, call phone 16, or see Clarence Webb.

Quilts and blankets.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**



**R. E. STREETER**

The people of Kerrville are cordially invited to hear Pastor Streeter lecture on the topic "Victory Over the Grave" at the Union Church in this city Oct. 31. Seats free. No collection.

**Notice to Contractors.**

Parties wishing to bid on the Baptist Church, may have plans and specifications of same, by calling at R. S. Newman's store. Two bids will be considered, one in rock and one in brick. All bids must be in by Nov. 1.

**Building Committee of Baptist Church**

"Don't look a gift horse in the mouth" is all very well, but when you are paying real money for the goods, it is a different matter. Take a good careful look into the mouth of alleged bargains, and then when you have had time to think the matter over go back and look again. Just full value in honest goods is all you can expect. That is what we give.

**BEITEL LUMBER CO.**

A. G. Sproul, of the Mountain Home community was in Kerrville last Friday.

When a fellow rears up and tells you a wildly improbable story, he may entertain you for the moment, but you begin looking for salt right away. Same way about a four-flushing advertisement. We have a good straight stock of general merchandise. We are giving good straight service, and we will appreciate your trade.

**HEIMANN & GRONA.**

Miss Pearl Elam of Medina is visiting Mrs. McRae.

Latest popular books and copy-

righted works. If there is any book that we do not have in stock we will take pleasure in ordering it for you.

**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**

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**Kerrville, Texas**

Latest things in notions and novelties.

**MOSEL SAENGER & CO.**

F. S. Ragland was in town Monday from his ranch near Mountain Home.

Athletic jerseys for football and basketball players.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**

A nice line of knit goods for the little folks in sweaters, caps, leggings sacks and booties.

**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**

Buck Moore was in Kerrville Monday from Center Point.

A new line of crochet thread in assorted colors just received at

**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**

W. H. Witt of Center Point was a Kerrville visitor Saturday.

Just received a new assortment of messaline, satin and velvets.

**KERRVILLE MERCANTILE CO.**

**WINCHESTER**—The shell for the man that knows.

**C. C. BUTT GROCERY.**

We don't handle all kinds of lumber. There is one word in the English that is the name of a certain kind of lumber. It is a very expressive word: "C-U-L-L-S, Culls: Refuse timber from which the best has been culled out. Any refuse stuff, as rolls not properly baked." That is one of the kinds of lumber we don't handle. Nothing but straight goods at this yard.

**BEITEL LUMBER CO.**

Mrs. Erwin Saenger and Mrs. E. B. Elam are in Lytle visiting their brother.

Quilts and blankets.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**

**Rams For Sale.**

I have for sale three fine Delaine-Merino rams. One 4-year-old, \$30, one 3-year-old \$25, one yearling, \$20. All smooth-bodied rams and heavy shearers.

**GEO. WILLIAMS & SONS,**  
Kerrville, Texas.

**CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTES**  
BY FATHER KEMPER

Punctually at 7:30 a. m. tomorrow a low mass will be read in St. Mary's Church, so that Father Kemper can keep his Comfort engagement for the second mass at 11:00 o'clock. Last Sunday the Forty Hours' Devotion were held with inspiring solemnity. All day the Blessed Sacrament was solemnly exposed amid a profusion of burning candles and fresh cut flowers; and a constant stream of adorners kept faithful guard all the time. At night the Most Holy was replaced in the Tabernacle.

Mr. Rudolph Staudt brought to the baptismal font his tenth child last Sunday. His nephew, Henry Staudt, and Miss Lina Fassel were sponsors. The son of Mr. Joachim Morales was also christened.

Friday, the 31st is Halloween, and a day of obligatory fast and abstinence because it is the vigil of All Saints' Day. It is also the close of the October devotions. A Halloween Entertainment will be given in Washington Hall at 8:30 p. m. for the benefit of Notre Dame Institute; and therefore a nominal charge of ten cents will be made. Again on All Saints' Day at the same hour and in the same place, an illustrated Bible lecture will be given, to which will be added a musical program and the feature of an open Question Box. Likewise a dime will be charged to further the same good cause. Everyone is cordially invited to this instructive soiree. Non-Catholics on personal application will be given a souvenir alone worth the price of admission.

Saturday, November 1st, is a holy day of obligation, and therefore solemn high mass will be sung at 8:00 o'clock. The meeting of the Senior Branch of the Sacred Heart League will take place on Sunday the 2d, after the rosary.

Last Tuesday Father Kemper made a hurried business trip to Bandera and returned the same afternoon. Two of the Sisters of Notre Dame Institute spent Saturday and Sunday in San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mosheim from Seguin came to visit their two daughters, Mary Louise and Emily at the boarding academy.

The carpenters have about finished the two large wood houses, and a coal bin of twenty-five ton capacity; but they are still busy with other improvements at St. Mary's Park. About a dozen new stoves have

been ordered for the hospital equipment.

Every precaution taken to provide all winter comforts for the well-nigh a hundred students attending the Institute. A delegation of our boys will probably be chosen to go to Austin on Thanksgiving day to attend the great football game between this state and our parent school, Notre Dame University.

**You Know Vogue**

The greatest authority in the world on fashions and styles for women? Well, Vogue says that "the popular hat for this winter is made of black and dark color velvet, with stick-ups." With confidence in Vogue as an exponent of ladies' fashions, and especially in the matter of headwear, we ordered a line of these velvet hats. They will arrive early next week, and we shall be pleased to have the ladies visit our Millinery Department and see them. They are positively the latest creation in trimmed hats.

**Chas. Schreiner Co.**

A pretty foot loses its charm when it gets into a shoe shaped like a spade. You should wear shoes that retain the natural lines of foot comeliness, even after they are worn a long time. The American Lady and Queen Quality Hamilton Brown Shoes are that kind, and our stock of these for ladies and misses, is complete.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**

J. R. Hamilton and son Hal, prominent sheepmen of the Del Rio country were visitors in Kerrville Wednesday, having made the trip in their car by way of Rocksprings.

Fresh herring in any quantity.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**

New fall dry goods, notions and novelties, including the very latest things in these lines.

**MOSEL SAENGER & CO.**

**Seed Rye For Sale.**

I have for sale 75 bushels of extra good, clean seed rye, free of Johnson grass, at \$1.00 per bushel. If required with deliver at Kerrville.

**ARTHUR REAL.**

**Two Are Killed, One Fatally Shot, In Pistol Duel.**

SEYMOUR, Tex., Oct. 21.—Former Sheriff A. L. Board was shot and instantly killed; T. J. Bruce, killed, and Sheriff W. R. Ellis fatally wounded by this morning. Constable Ben Bickers of Stamford, who was with Sheriff Ellis, was the only one participating in the shooting who escaped.

The only explanation of the affair that can be found is that it grew out of the killing of Bruce's brother, ten years ago, by Board and a deputy sheriff in attempting to arrest him on Wagon Creek. Bruce shot Board at the head of the stairway in the National Bank Building. As Sheriff Ellis advanced upon him at the top of the stairway he shot through the body. Ellis jumped behind a telephone pole and began shooting at Bruce. Bickers also opened fire and Bruce was dead when his body was reached.

Board was 68 years old and Bruce 65. Both leave families.

Bruce lived in Stephens County, near Breckenridge, and is supposed to have come to Seymour on the morning train, arriving at 10:15.

At 10:20 he was met by Joe A. Wheat at Board's office, and Board arrived a moment later. Wheat says he heard Bruce address Board, asking "Is your name Board?"

That Board answered, and the shooting followed. Board was shot six times, one shot going through the left side and the others through the body.

Bruce came down the steps, then led to Board's office and asked for the sheriff. Ellis was standing at the corner with Constable Bickers and started toward Bruce. He was shot through the right side, the bullet out the small of his back. Ellis jumped back of a telephone pole on the corner and started firing. Bickers stepped into the street at the same time and started shooting, and Bruce fell. He was found to have been hit three times. One bullet went through his heart and two through the lower part of his body.

About ten years ago, when Board was Sheriff, he and Deputy Sheriff Franz Suttlemeyer, in arresting Bruce and his brother, Arnold Bruce, killed the latter.

**"Keep in the Middle."**

"Keep in the middle of the stream" is the refrain of an old negro melody, floating on the banks of the mightiest of American rivers there were shallows, eddies, counter-currents, and all sorts of water pranks, says George A. Gordon, in the Atlantic. Hence his warning to the navigator, "Keep in the middle of the stream." The negro's observation became a metaphor significant of the adventure of his soul. In the religion of his country there are shallows, whirlpools, all sorts of eddies and oddities. There is, however, a vast central movement. Whoever would live religiously must keep in that great current; whoever would understand American religion must watch the middle of the stream. Otherwise, while the observer may write about the religion of America with genial humor, obvious charm, kindly sarcasm, telling epigram and artistic ecclesiastical purpose, he must write without insight into the spiritual life of Americans, and however much he may protest against it, the picture drawn will be a "chimera, the monster," of the writer's imagination.—Brooklyn Eagle.

**World Trade Directory**

The bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, department of commerce has undertaken the revision of the world trade directory, which was issued by the bureau in 1911. It will be published in sections, the first to comprise South America, for which the consular officers in that continent are now working up their lists on a uniform classification.

Its scope will not include all foreign business houses, but specifically those which are importing or are in a position to buy American goods. The South American directory will be ready in the fall and for sale by the superintendent of documents, government office, Washington, D. C., at a price to be fixed later.—Boston Globe.

A dispatch states that a woman in San Francisco shot a man and hit him "in the stomach, lungs and shoulder." Must have shot him with a blanket primary, or a general order.

The kind of notions and novelties that meet all requirements.

**MOSEL SAENGER & CO.**

W. D. Hope of the Japonica community was attending to business in town Wednesday.

Pickles in bulk, barrel, bottles or any way you want them.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**

**RECREATION HALL**

BILLIARDS POOL BOX BALL  
CHECKERS DOMINOES CHESS  
**FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
Fifteen Hundred Volumes  
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**No One Else Has It**

We sell Roskam & Gerstley's genuine Old Reserve B Whiskey. We are sole agents at Kerrville for this whiskey, and guarantee its absolute purity.

**E. SCHWETHELM & CO.**  
KERRVILLE - TEXAS

**Gunter Hotel**

San Antonio, Texas  
Absolutely Fireproof, Modern, European  
Rates \$1.00 to \$3.00 Per Day  
In the Very Heart of the City. All Street Cars Stop at the Door.

**A Hotel Built for the Climate**

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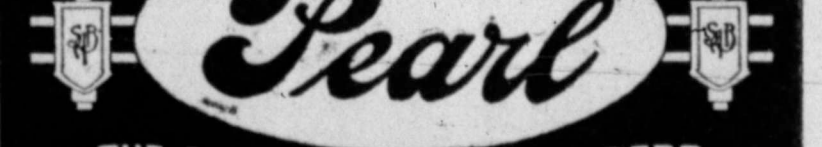


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I will prosecute anyone hunting with dogs or gun in the Reservoir Pasture north of town.  
CHARLES SCHREINER.

**Notice to Trespassers.**  
Notice is hereby given that any person found dumping trash, old cans, or refuse of any kind on my lots at the mouth of Town Creek and also on lots below the crossing of the Guadalupe River and Turtle Creek road, will be prosecuted.  
CHARLES SCHREINER.

**Trespass Notice.**  
Notice is hereby given that no hunting or camping will be permitted in my pastures on the heads of Turtle, Kelly and Indian Creeks.  
T. W. Masterson

**Trespass Notice.**  
No hunting, fishing, camping or other trespassing will be permitted on the property known as the Melissa Ranch, on the head of Johnson Fork of the Guadalupe.  
WM. SPORN.

**Trespass Notice.**  
Notice is hereby given that no hunting or other trespassing will be permitted in my pasture on Camp Meeting Creek.  
G. F. SCHREINER.

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Notice is hereby given that no hunting or other trespassing will be permitted on my farm and pasture, known as the W. L. Robinson place, opposite Kerrville, on the Guadalupe.  
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I have leased the hunting rights in the one-third Pasture on the North Fork of the Guadalupe River and will prosecute any and all trespassers.  
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**The Nutrition of the Poor.**

These are the days in which problems of economy in living are forcing themselves on the public mind. The rise of prices has intruded itself into the conduct of the household and compelled a readjustment in some cases in the distribution of income among the various channels of expenditure. Whatever else may happen, it is fundamentally necessary that certain indispensable requisites of clothing, shelter and food be provided if the individual is to be maintained in a state of physiologic equilibrium and economic efficiency. In the so-called "better classes" the appropriations to such purposes can be adjusted without serious difficulties; but as we descend in the scale of available income a border-line is reached at which the bare necessities of life may not always be suitably provided. It is to this stratum of society that the attention of social workers and students of nutrition alike must be directed if reforms are demanded and deserve to be established.

So much has been written about the influence of diet on the physical conditions of the individual, and particularly on growing children who become the workers of the next generation, that most statements in this field are truisms, says the Journal of the American Medical Association. The facts have been bluntly, yet effectively expressed by saying that the working man brings into the market his energy—his power of doing work—and obtains for it the most favorable price he can. His ultimate power as a wage-earner is being influenced by the character of his food-supply. His profits depend, on the one hand, on the amount of energy he can supply and the price for which he can sell it, and, on the other, on the price for which he can buy his source of energy—his food. An abundance of cheap and good food is the first essential for a productive working class.

Much attention has been given to the food requirements of laborers and to the cost of living involved thereby. Professor Underhill found that it required an expenditure of considerably more than twenty cents a day to secure the nutriment adequate for the working classes investigated. Miss Lindsay has studied the diet of the laboring classes in Glasgow, Scotland, during 1911 and 1912 to ascertain whether the working classes of that city get a diet which will enable them to develop into strong, healthy, energetic men able to do a strenuous day's work.

In the case of the really poor—those who have a daily struggle to make both ends meet—even although as the statistics show three-quarters of their meager income is expended on food, a sufficient supply is not obtained. The remaining fourth of the income is quite inadequate for rents, coal, taxes, insurance, etc. The families in which the income is under 20 shillings a week entirely fail to obtain a supply of food sufficient for their needs. The principal foods used—were bread, potatoes, milk, sugar, beef and vegetables, such valuable and easily procured products as oatmeal and peas being used in relatively small amounts. Not one of the families in which the wage was regular and under 20 shillings per week had a diet the energy value of which reached the minimum of 3,000 calories per adult man.

One naturally asks what can be done to improve such diets, since it is not within the province of the dietitian to alter the financial return to the families. Ignorance and bad marketing play their part as well as penalty. The protein-rich animal foods, flesh, fish and eggs, are all too expensive for the laboring classes, and any increase in their proportion in the diet is impracticable. The Glasgow physiologists wisely point out that cheap and cheap protein-rich vegetable foods, oatmeal, peas, beans, etc., should be more freely used. The chief drawback is the labor entailed in preparing and cooking them. If the diet of the laboring classes is to be improved, without increasing the cost, time and labor must be expended on properly preparing the more nutritive foods of vegetable origin.

**Ramsey Retained by State.**

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 29.—Judge W. F. Ramsey has been retained by the State in the prosecution of the suit against the Houston Oil Company for \$1,000,000 damages and to recover 80,000 acres of East Texas lands, part of which are rich in pine timber. This case is to be tried at the December term of the Twenty-sixth District Court of Travis County, though the exceptions may be argued in advance of the trial. The exceptions would have been argued at the present term, but the large number of lawyers in the case could not agree on a date. Judge Ramsey was employed by Attorney General Looney and will be associated with Assistant G. B. Smedley in the trial of the case.

**OUR JOBBING INTERESTS**

**Texans Consume \$300,000,000 Dry Goods Annually.**

**The Jobber, Salesman of Industry and Forerunner of Factories.**

We can never hope to become a manufacturing country or to acquire power in commerce and trade until we first build up our wholesale and jobbing interests. The jobber is the salesman of industry, the servant of the factory, the standard-bearer of prosperity and the authorized medium of co-operation between the producer and the consumer in economic distribution of merchandise and in empire building.

The people of Texas consume annually approximately \$300,000,000 worth of dry goods and notions, and only a small fraction of the purchases are made through Texas jobbers and manufacturers. No country can advance far in industrial progress until it patronizes home institutions; no community can become powerful in trade and remain indifferent to its local industries. Patronizing home industries is as essential to our commercial success as patriotism is necessary in government, and those who do not do so fail to discharge a debt inherited from civilization and lose an opportunity of making a living contribution to the progress of the country.

The patronizing of our jobbing houses would call for an immediate increase in investments in that industry of approximately \$50,000,000, give direct employment to 100,000 people, bring within our borders ten thousand factories affording employment to a half million people, provide a home market for our farm products, give us control of our own business affairs, make us independent of, instead of dependent upon, our foreign neighbors and multiply the opportunities of every citizen.

There is not a town, village or hamlet in this State that would not become the logical location for one or more of these factories, and yet this natural heritage is withheld from them through lack of co-operation among the buying interests of Texas.

**Waste From Desks Goes Into Brushes**

Waste wood in the manufacture of school desks is now being used for the backs of cheap brushes, according to the statement of the forest service.

A large manufacturer of school desks in Michigan had a considerable amount of waste material in sizes which were too short to enter into the manufacture of the smallest desks, and could not be utilized further with the machines or by his line of work. This material was all hard maple in pieces an inch thick, a foot or so long, and about three inches wide; for a long time it had been consigned to the waste pile and sold as fire-wood. This waste amounted to from one thousand to fifteen hundred board feet each day. A nearby manufacturer was using practically this quantity of maple which he was sawing up into small pieces for making the backs of cheap brushes.

Members of the forest service, investigating methods of eliminating factory waste, conceived the idea that the blocks used by the brush factory could be readily secured from the waste of the school desk manufacturer, and on this basis got the two together. Arrangements were made so that the brush manufacturer now places orders with the other firm for its raw material and what was formerly waste is now a source of profit.

**Watson Trial Ends.**

AUGUSTA, Ga., Oct. 21.—The trial here of Thomas E. Watson, charged with sending obscene matter through the mails ended abruptly at noon today when Federal Judge Rufus E. Foster sustained the motion of the defense, quashing the indictment against the Georgia editor. Immediately upon the announcement of the court's ruling there was a demonstration by the audience, which Judge Foster permitted to pass unrebuked.

In directing that the indictment be quashed, Judge Foster said: "It appears in this indictment that the publications alleged to have been sent through the mails in violation of the law are extracts from a complete article. It is my opinion that the government is required to plead the entire article and is not entitled to pick out a few paragraphs here and there and make that the basis of an indictment."

**Million Dollar Fire Sweeps East St. Louis Docks.**

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 29.—The entire railroad terminals of East St. Louis, Ill., were threatened with destruction by a fire of unknown origin which began at 10 o'clock last night and caused more than \$1,000,000 damage by 1 o'clock this morning.

The greatest losses were the Advance Elevator Company, \$650,000 and the Chicago & Alton Railroad Company, \$100,000. The fire originated in the elevator which stands on the bank of the Mississippi River, and soon spread north, east and south to the Chicago & Alton freight house, the Baltimore & Ohio warehouse and the Coiver Leaf warehouse and the railroad yards proper.

The St. Louis fire department sent several companies across the Eads bridge and the fire fighters gave all their energies to saving adjoining property.

The elevator contained about 500,000 bushels of wheat, oats and barley belonging to Illinois farmers.

The fire originated inside, facing the river, and on that account was inaccessible. Along about midnight the bulk of the elevator crashed to the ground and parts of the burning buildings slid into the river. The huge heap of grain continued to burn all night. Early this morning, having consumed everything else in its path the fire was confined to twenty-five filled freight cars.

All the available engines in the city were used to draw the remaining cars out of the flames' reach. Burning embers were carried far by the wind, starting scores of fires about the railroad yards and in a small business district nearby.

The fire attracted 15,000 spectators, who lined both the Missouri and Illinois sides of the Mississippi River. The glare of the flames was visible for miles.

At 2:30 o'clock this morning the fire was out, except for the heap of smouldering grain. The area burned by the flames covered three city blocks. Several firemen and spectators were hurt, none seriously.

**Churchmen Disagree on Negro Question.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—A heated debate over the negro question in the South enlivened deliberations of the house of deputies of the Protestant Episcopal Church at today's session of the general convention.

A majority report by the committee on racial episcopate, with recommendations against the proposal to establish separate churches, dioceses, clergy and bishops for Southern negroes, was presented. A minority report advocating separation of the races and appointment of negro bishops to sit in the house of bishops with powers equal to the whites was also presented.

Amid a storm of discussion the house made consideration of both reports the order of business for the afternoon session tomorrow, limiting the debate on each side to half an hour.

"The proposal is a radical violation of the principles and customs of diocesan union," asserts the majority report, read by Dr. C. B. Bryan of North Carolina. "With the utmost friendship for our negro brethren and with the desire to advance the work of the church among them, we still cannot believe that as a race they are prepared for an independent ecclesiastical administration."

To this declaration the minority, consisting of Bishop Kisseloving of Texas, Bishop Chesshire of North Carolina and Rev. Dr. J. McK. Pittinger of Raleigh, N. C. took sharp exceptions.

"The white people and the negro people of the South," said the minority report, "cannot be dealt with by the church without a sharp and positive separation, and distinction between the two in worship and in all corporate, ecclesiastical activities, as well as in social life."


**Will Talk 24 Hours.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Women will talk for 24 hours continuously in a public square of Brooklyn borough as part of a big suffrage campaign being waged in that section this week. The record-breaking speech-making effort will take place under the auspices of the Women's Political Union, which will station spellbinders at the junction of Flatbush and Atlantic avenue, near the subway terminal and Long Island railroad station, through which section great crowds flock to and from their work. The plan is to start the oratory at 7 o'clock Friday evening and to continue it by relays until 7 o'clock Saturday night.

Fifty women have been enrolled as spellbinders. Other features of the Brooklyn campaign are visits which the women are making to the United States Coast Artillery garrisons near the harbor entrance, and to the Brooklyn navy yard.

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Hunters Want Season Open From October First. November 1 to January 1, which practically excludes North Texas sportsmen from the fall duck shooting.

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 18.—More than 50 hunters and sportsmen representing Dallas, Terrell, Fort Worth, Waco and other Texas points attended a meeting in Dallas Friday afternoon in an effort to start a move for a change in the law opening the season of water fowl from November 1 to October 1. The men attending the meeting feel that it is unjust for the open season in Oklahoma to be from September 1 to January 1, while across the Red River in Texas it is from



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### THE WATSON TRIAL

Tom Watson, editor of Watson's Magazine, The Jeffersonian, and other publications, was discharged from custody of the U. S. Court at Atlanta, where he was on trial on a charge of sending obscene matter through the mails. Watson is one of the best known political writers in America. A few months ago he became convinced that the progress of the Catholic Church in America was a menace to the welfare of the nation. Watson, while a very brilliant man, is very violent in his views, and his castigation of the methods of the Catholic Church were no doubt very biting, and also doubtless contained matter that might have been omitted and at the same time not have weakened his argument in any manner.

Leaving the question of the right or wrong of the position the Catholic church occupies, and of the methods it uses in America, entirely out of the discussion, the action of Judge Foster in quashing the indictment and discharging Watson from custody was the most intensely American action taken by any court of this country in recent months. The charging of Watson with this violation of the Federal law, his subsequent indictment and trial on the charge, was a blow at one of the chief safeguards of American institutions, the freedom of the American press. The question involved is not a matter of whether the Catholic Church or any other church is that or the other thing, but whether or not the man who wields a pen as editor of a publication of recognized standing in the country has as much right to commit his opinions to paper in harsh language as a priest or a preacher has to criticize and censure that same publication or any other publication, from his pulpit.

The harm done to the general public by harsh statements from the press is a negligible quantity when compared to the value of the free and untrammelled discussion of all matters of public moment. The newspapers and magazines of America constitute the great national university in which our people have learned that matchless progress that has caused them to outstrip the balance of the world in achievement. If, perchance the teachings of that great university have developed a habit of independent thought among the people that strips religion bare of much of the mummy and mystery of priestcraft that has surrounded the Christian religion for the last 1913 years, not only as taught by Catholics, but by Protestants as well, it is merely an epoch in the evolution of the world. The world's progress is a thing that no man can interfere with, and no sect or faction can retard. To presume that the pious efforts of men can retard the Christian religion, is to presume that man is equal to God. If the proponents of the various religious beliefs in the world do not believe that men are powerless to interfere with God's work, and that no criticism of any church by any man could impair its usefulness toward the salvation of souls, (and that is what churches are for) they are not really agents of Salvation, and have no right to exist.

Oppression and persecution in the name of religion, is a species of sinfulness that has no equal in the world of wickedness. The muzzling of the public press is a species of political wickedness that will never be tolerated by a people who base their happiness upon their freedom and their freedom upon intelligence. God grant the day may never come in this nation when the writer has not equal rights with the orator, and with the words spoken in the secret of the cloister.

### REALLY, NOW, ISN'T IT BETTER?

Occasionally some Rip Van Winkle rouses from his slumbers and makes a remark in a maudlin voice, that screams like a smoke house door, about "the good old times that used to be." Is it not a fact that there never were such times for ease and comfort in every walk of life as exist today?

It is remarkable that people of otherwise good intention, and fairly reliable memory, appear to have forgotten what kind of conditions really did obtain in the "good old times." You may hear an old lady who has

hot and cold water in the kitchen, a modern kitchen cabinet, and all the conveniences common in the homes of the better class say with a sigh, "We are getting along very well, but we'll never be fixed like we were in the gold times." She appears to have forgotten that in those good old times she sat out in the yard and stirred a kettle of home-made lye soap with a sassafras stick to kill the unwholesome odor of that essential to household cleanliness. That she scoured the floors with wood ashes, because there was no washing powders, scoured kerosene lamps while she was resting, because there were no electric lights, and did a hundred other acts of drudgery that today are unheard of.

Sometimes we hear an old farmer complaining of the present day. He has forgotten when he used to fence land with eight-foot rails that were split from twisting, blue-hearted post oak. His mind has let slip the times when he had no plow upon which he could ride, but skinned his heels daily as he ambled over the cloddy fields. His mind is a blank on the times when he bound grain by hand and cussed under his breath while his good wife or some other fellow's wife was trying to pick the bull nettles out of his fingers.

Can't the good women remember when they used to wear green and yellow striped polonaise and "pin-back" skirts. Now they have a range of raiment that reaches from split skirts for March, to September Morn; Don't you remember those beautiful black alpaca shoes that laced up on the inside of the foot and a considerable range of the ankle, et cetera, and made a woman interfere when she walked, and look otherwise deformed? And you men folks, think of the white shirts you had for Sunday, and how you used to put them on again Monday morning and wear them because wash day was on Tuesday, and you wanted to save that much clean shirt. Can't you recollect how they gaped open in the back like a cleft in a mountain side, and let a little sunshine in. Lord, how it used to hurt when it would begin to blister, and it would take all the balance of the week for it to heal up so you could work your shoulders without flinching like a horse with the swinney?

Old times were good times because the people did not know any better, but take us back to the same things now, and there would be a riot. There never was a time in the world when there was so much comfort and pleasure in the world, for, was there ever a time when a living could be made with so little real hard labor. The labor problem has been reduced to the minimum, and sources of pleasure have been developed until hardship is practically a thing of the past.

There may be some comfort and pleasure to old people in talking about "the good old times," but they are only good for purposes of reminiscence for people whose memories belong to that most valuable kind of all memories—the kind that forget everything they see.

### THOSE GOOD OLD DAYS

Those good old days—those good old days! How well do I recall the chips and dauts of yellow mud in streaks across the wall. I close my eyes and see how I—the thought "most brings a smile—would borrow pepper salt or tea by walking half a mile. I see my mother scalding lamps—a task of daily kind; I see my father rip his pants to shunt a window blind. The springhouse where we kept our milk was seven blocks away, and we would lug its treasures out some thirty times a day. We'd wait a week in rainy spells to get down to the store, and wallow back with food supplies—perhaps a ton or more, and reach the house by sheer brute strength, o'er roads most fierce and rough, and postpone supper into night unloading all the stuff.

Give us our predigested food, not bread with soda green. Give us our modern telephone; let bacon be shaved clean—not wear stiff whiskers as it did upon a skin of snow, as in the good old days of ours—the days we used to know.

There is a new evidence of the tightness of money. A gang of McCullough county freebooters, according to the Brady Sentinel burglarized the Gem Theater in that city recently. When gentlemen of the mask get to stealing the impressions made by a moving picture show, that craft must be at low ebb. Truly it appears that there is little chance for a poor man to turn an honest penny in Brady.

Those Brooklyn women who purpose talking twenty-four hours without a break, on the suffrage question, are not so much. There are plenty of women right here in Texas that pull off that stunt single-handed and alone, and never think. In fact it is the ones that never think that do most of that kind of thing.

## PRESS COMMENT

It was the custom of the Tapagos, natives of Brazil, says the Gonzales Weekly Inquirer by way of entertainment, to preserve the head of an enemy slain in battle, and on some occasions they wore the ghastly relics hung around their necks as amulets. The sockets of the eyes are filled with black cement of a resinous nature, in which are embedded small pieces of bleached bone.

This pleasing custom of the Tapagos, whatever they may be, however, is no less shocking than our own custom of carrying about in our pockets bills that have been outlawed since 1888.

Devine News: The Blondin show spent a week here and seems to be a pretty decent set of folks. Doubtless they took out a lot of money that ought to have remained here for there are people who will buy on credit at the stores and spend their last quarter to see the show.

True enough. It's always been that way. Shows appear in a town but briefly, and there's no chance of working up a line of credit with them. You can get credit, on the other hand, at almost any old store. It hasn't been forgotten, either, that lots of merchants take a couple of dollars out of the cash drawer, notwithstanding past-due accounts with the wholesaler, and leaving a scowling and soul-sick clerk in charge, go to see the show.

Beeville Picayune: A Cleburne woman has been sent to jail because she refused to talk. Wonders will never cease.

Just what ailed the Cleburne lady in this case, is of course, a matter of speculation or medical inquiry. It is possible, however, that she talked herself out, as many Cleburne people do, boasting of what Cato Sells will do as a High Muck-a-Muck of the Indian department.

San Antonio Express: It certainly does look as if somebody has taken the "go" pretty well out of tango.

Ye—ah; but 'sposin they took the tang out of it?

Mason Enterprise: As we were driving along the road a few days ago we saw coming to meet us a beautiful young lady on a splendid horse, cantering so nicely but when she came opposite us, oh! my, she was riding just like us men folks.

To see a lady cantering on a horse is slight enough. A lady should always let the horse do the cantering. But what is most puzzling is, what sort of biased, back-acted eyesight must a Texas editor have to make it necessary to let a lady on horseback get opposite him in order to see that she rode like men folks? Why, if she were riding that way, anybody, even a nearsighted editor ought have been able to have seen from in front or behind.

### Mills in the Race.

CORPUSCANA, Tex., Oct. 22.—Charles H. Mills today announced his candidacy for governor, his announcement stating that he stands for the same things in Texas that Woodrow Wilson stands for in New Jersey. The question of prohibition he says, has occupied the state long enough and he proposes to center his attention on other matters of more importance to the state at large, mentioning as some of them the penitentiary system, education, good roads, eleemosynary institutions. He stands for the administration of the state's affairs in a businesslike, economical way.

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This yard is the place you are looking for, and if you will let us figure on your bill, we'll prove it.

We supply Lumber and Builder's Material in any quantity. Your order cannot be too too small to receive careful attention, or too large for us to handle.

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KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Water is Rising at Medina Dam. Water in the reservoir behind the Medina dam is still rising, coming up now at about two-hundredths of a foot a day. The supply comes from the many springs in the Medina basin which began running after the heavy rains and flood of a couple of weeks ago. Although the daily rise appears insignificant in itself it means the storage of great quantities of water, for the lake is now of large proportions, and every inch it goes up means much additional water back to its former depth.

At the time of the flood the reservoir rose more than twenty feet, the water becoming nearly ninety-seven feet deep immediately behind the dam. Then when the company began testing its canal system a foot and a half of water was allowed to flow into the diversion reservoir, water tightness—San Antonio Light.



## The New Fall Styles Are Here

The handsomest patterns and the finest tailoring it ever has been our good fortune to offer to the men, and young men of this community.

Don't wait a minute; come right down and let us put you into a pair of CURLEE PANTS—either price—and you'll wonder why you've been paying double Curlee prices for pants not half so good.

And right now is the time you may have your pick from an unbroken assortment of right-up-to-the-minute patterns. We do not charge for showing 'cause if you'll look at CURLEE PANTS you'll buy.

THE VERY SAME PRICE  
**\$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00**  
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**Kerrville Mercantile Co.**  
THE ONE PRICE STORE

**CURLEE**  
\$2.50 \$3.50 \$5.00  
**PANTS**



Have you ever worn tailored-to-measure clothes? If not, you do not know what value there is in them. If you have, you realize the self satisfaction there is in one.

Come in and see our line. Every color, every weave. Satisfaction guaranteed. A perfect fit or back it goes.

## MODEL TAILORING CO.

STEWART VANN, Proprietor

Cleaning and Pressing

OPPOSITE ST. CHARLES

PHONE 37

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There.

L. T. Burney, formerly living in Kerr County, but now living in Sutton county, was on a visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wewitt Burney this week. While here he consummated a deal with Jesse Evans for the purchase of the latter's eight-section ranch in Edwards county—consideration \$19,812.00.

The inside track isn't so much shorter, even when a fellow has it, and he can never be sure about it in a business deal. Just plain full value for your money is about right. We give it.

BEITEL LUMBER CO.

George Dowdy of Ingram was a visitor in town Wednesday.

Fine mackerel now ready for you. CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

J. H. Council of Ingram was in Kerrville Wednesday.

Fresh Sauer Kraut, Pickles and herring. HEIMANN & GRONA.

E. M. Massey was in Kerrville Wednesday from his home near Ingram.

Fresh shipment of fine codfish. CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Parker and family left Thursday for Alice, where they expect to locate.

Why send four money away for a bicycle? CROWN BICYCLES (Guaranteed) for sale by LEAZAR.

Mrs. J. T. King and children of Pharr, who have been visiting the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Compasette, left Thursday for San Antonio to visit relatives and attend conference.

LOST—On streets of Kerrville last Sunday morning, gentleman's watch (ob. Buck ribbon, silver pendant, with green stone. Above pendant was gold fraternity pin. Reward for return to this office.

J. J. and A. L. Starkey left Tuesday for San Antonio to attend the Annual Conference of the Methodist Church.

Spiced herring, a real table delicacy. CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

Cecil Robinson left Tuesday for Pharr, where he will open a jewelry store.

Fresh Sauer Kraut, Pickles and herring. HEIMANN & GRONA.

Mrs. R. A. Council returned Wednesday from a ten days' visit to her son, J. H. Council of Ingram.

SUITS CLEANED AND PRESSED

All kinds of repair work promptly done. Ladies' skirts cleaned, and suits made to order.

S. FRIEDMAN, Tailor

Mountain Street, Opp. Court House

Mrs. D. H. Compasette was among those who attended the Conference of the Methodist Church in San Antonio the latter part of the week.

Look at the CROWN BICYCLES at LEAZAR'S

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dabus, who had been in Mexico, and left there on account of unsettled conditions, are visiting Mr. Dabus' brother, L. G. Dabus, they will leave tomorrow for New Orleans.

FOR SALE—One good full blood Jersey bull, 2-year-old past; seven good milk cows, all giving milk now. Also four calves.

R. D. PALMER, Kerrville, Texas.

W. C. Rigby came up from San Antonio Saturday to spend the week end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Schreiner.

Quilts and blankets. CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

Mrs. M. F. Smith of Medina was in Kerrville Wednesday.

Splendid summer hotel. Rooms large, airy, handsomely furnished, and exposed on two sides. American plan. Meals unsurpassed. Rates furnished upon inquiry. Ye Kendall Inn, Boerne, Texas.

### Ladies' Aid Met.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday, Oct. 21, at the hospitable home of Mrs. R. S. Newman. The President called the meeting to order with twenty members present.

After the regular business was transacted the Society was asked to select a name for our Mexican Mission. Upon motion it was unanimously carried that it be named the "Isla Nations Mission." This was regular missionary day and quite an instructive and interesting program was rendered. Those worthy of special mention were, a piano solo by Mrs. J. T. S. Gammon; a map study telling of all the missionaries and their localities by Mrs. D. P. Airhart, and missionary work in general, by Mrs. Gwinn.

The free will offering amounted to \$14.75. The hostess was assisted by Master Harris Newman and Albert Duderstadt in serving a delicious luncheon.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. McCoy. Bible lesson: 122, 123, 126 and 127 Psalms.

### A New Publication.

Vol. 1, No. 1 of the Tivy High School Record reached this office this week. The publication is unique in its way. The masthead of the paper reads: "G. J. Walther, editor in chief, Howard Butt, Karl Mosty, Louis Compasette assistant editors. Entered through the gates of the school yard as first-class matter. Advertising rates unknown. Subscription, good 'till of the school." This first number contains a number of editorial paragraphs, an article of interest on the school library and other matters of importance. One page of the paper is an art gallery, and in each issue a picture of a prominent person identified with educational matters will appear. The last page of the periodical is embellished with a handsome picture of the high school building.

The Record is a monthly publication with a circulation restricted to the school. It breathes the school spirit, and promises to be an agent for the advancement of education in this part of Texas.

Mrs. J. L. Vining of Poteet, who had been visiting relatives in Kerrville since Saturday, left Wednesday to attend the Annual Conference of the Methodist Church in San Antonio.

Wm. Ward was in town Thursday from his home near Ingram.

There is no guess work about it, we know there is going to be a lot of building done this winter, because the country is in fine shape, and the outlook has been made better for next year by the recent heavy rains. You are going to buy some lumber, and we are interested in the matter. Let us just say that you cannot buy lumber better anywhere than from us.

BEITEL LUMBER CO.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Henry were in Kerrville Wednesday from their ranch near Rock Springs.

McGord Hartspe, who has been in San Antonio for several months, returned home Tuesday.

### Night Turnkey Shot in Houston

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 23.—Mayor Campbell and Police Chief Davison have ordered a full investigation into the sensational shooting of Night Turnkey, E. E. Horton at the police station at an early hour this morning. A warrant for the arrest of Jules Baker, one of the county convict superintendents, has been sworn out, Horton's wound in the neck, and while it is serious, it is said he will recover.

According to Horton, Officer Lynch had arrested Former Police Chief Henry I. Ransom on a charge of beating R. L. Higgins, a newspaper reporter, and Baker had accompanied Ransom to the station. Ransom, Horton says, declined to be registered and walked out and when other officers failed to go after him and bring him back Horton went himself and covered Ransom with his gun when, he charges, Baker opened fire, wounding him, after which, with Ransom, he walked off.

Ransom is a former ranger and while a special officer employed by Mayor Rice, was charged with killing James B. Brockman, one of the best known attorneys of the state, for which he was acquitted, and a few days later he was made chief of police. In this position Ransom had a strenuous time, which culminated in his resignation after the nomination of Campbell for mayor.

Higgins is painfully, but not seriously hurt. The attack upon him is alleged to have grown out of stories he has written.

### Lige Imprisonment For Jesus Gonzales

COTULLA, Tex., Oct. 23.—Jesus Gonzales was today found guilty of the murder of Posseman Guadalupe Ortiz and sentenced to life imprisonment. Gonzales is the third of the band of fourteen ammunition smugglers caught in a fight near Carrizo Springs, Texas, to be convicted. A few days before this fight the smugglers had captured Sheriff Eugene Buck and Ortiz and had slain Ortiz after holding him prisoner several hours.

After the case went to the jury last night, the jury members called for Buck to repeat his testimony about the number of shots fired when Ortiz was killed and to be asked whether he afterward saw Gonzales throwing shells from his gun. Buck answered yes. Defense attorneys will file a motion for a new trial.

Half a dozen members of the C. W. W. were in the snugglers' band. None of these members has yet come to trial.

### Says Women Will Vote.

SWINDON, England, Oct. 23.—Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd George believes that a measure giving the partial suffrage to women in the British Isles will become a law "within a short time," but not during the present parliament. He said this today in reply to questions put to him by a deputation from a number of suffrage societies.

"But I want to say," he added, "that the militant tactics adopted by a section of the women have converted many people's indifference into something like bitter hostility."

### Filipinos Are Pleased.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The answer of the Philippines to President Wilson's message, delivered through Governor General Harrison, came by cable late yesterday in the form of a resolution adopted by the Philippine Assembly. Emphatic belief in the right of the Filipinos to be freed is expressed in the resolution and the president's words are "gratefully accepted as a categorical declaration of the purpose of the nation to recognize the independence of the islands."

### Women Burn Pavilion.

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Militant suffragettes today set fire to the sports pavilion of Bristol University. It was destroyed. They left the usual tell-tale literature scattered about the grounds.

The public prosecutor decided today that he would not proceed against "General" Flora Drummond, who was taken ill last June while proceedings were in progress against her for infringement of the malicious damage act. She underwent an operation and since then has been in continually ill health.

### Earthquake in Colon.

COLON, Oct. 23.—An earthquake shock lasting about 15 seconds occurred here at 9:08 o'clock this morning. Houses rocked and clocks stopped, but no serious damage was reported in this city. The tremor has been exceeded in intensity by only one other recent shock.

Quilts and blankets. CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

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Capital \$50,000

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All business appreciated and will receive prompt and courteous attention

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Prices Ranging from \$13.50 to \$36.00, FOR FULL SUIT

Four hundred patterns to select from. We will save you money, and you can dress better than ever before.

We are experts in taking measures. Perfect fit, workmanship and satisfaction guaranteed. CAME AND SEE THE FALL SAMPLES

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Mountain Street Opposite Courthouse

## NEW DRY GOODS

Our big new fall stock of Dry Goods, which was delayed on account of the floods, has now arrived. This stock includes all the latest ideas in this line, together with a very complete line of notions and novelties. A cordial invitation to the ladies to call and see the new goods.

## Mosel, Saenger Co.

### Notice.

We lost black and white she dog of Wolf brand type. She was lost on hands of Camp Meeting and Bear Creek. When lost had collar on, and following engraved on tag, "Robert Real Live Oak Ranch." Will pay a very liberal reward for any information leading to obtain of animal. 41-43 REAL BROTHERS, Kerrville, Tex.

G. A. Gowan arrived in Kerrville Thursday from Nashville, Tenn. Mr. Gowan is here on a visit to his sisters, Miss Mary Gowan and Mrs. Geo. Morris. He left yesterday for Morris Ranch, where Mrs. Morris is spending some time on account of her health.

Mrs. W. H. Cardwell, who had been visiting relatives at Junction, was a guest at eth St. Charles Thursday. She was en route to her home at Gonzales.

Otto Hein, who has been living near Ingram the past year, has returned with his family to Kerrville, and will reside here.

C. B. Shurley and A. Benton passed through Kerrville last Sunday with 500 head of cattle, which they had purchased in Waller county, and were taking to their ranches in Edwards county.

L. Krauskopf who had been in Kerrville several days on business, returned to his home at Fredericksburg Sunday.

### Managing Editors Elect.

BEAUMONT, Tex., Oct. 22.—The managing editors of the morning newspapers on the Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas circuits of the Associated Press concluded their annual meeting here today by the election of D. P. Toomey of the Dallas News, chairman, and Joseph Emerson Smith of the San Antonio Express, secretary

## S. J. SCOTT Real Estate and Insurance

Let me know your wants as to Real Estate, I have it or will get it. I have good strong Fire Insurance Companies, am one of your resident citizens, and ask the good people of Kerrville a portion of their Fire Insurance. I will appreciate it. For a while my office will be at my home on Barnett street. I am also a Notary Public, will do your work reasonably—prompt attention to business. CALL ME.

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The time of the year has arrived when KODAKING is again a pleasure

A supply of fresh films. A big stock of Cameras.

Price \$1 to \$20

Now is the time. Right this way.

SELF JEWELRY and KODAK STORE

## BARGAINS FOR LADIES

We are offering some unprecedented bargains in Coat Suits, Coats and Cloaks. These goods and the great saving to be made by purchasing them will appeal to all thrifty purchasers. We shall be pleased at any time to show you through our stock in this department, and feel sure that we can meet your every requirement.

CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Evans of Edwards County were among the visitors here Wednesday.

WANTED—A middle-aged german woman to cook and do general house work. Apply to J. E. Harrison, Kerrville, Texas. Phone connection.

N. H. Browne of San Antonio shipped out a fine bunch of cattle Thursday, which he had purchased from the Schreiner Cattle Co.

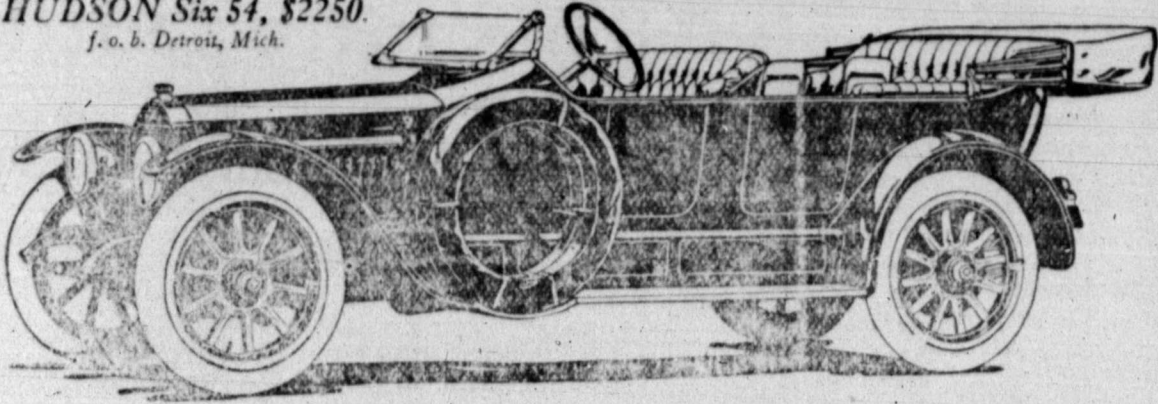
Rubber shoes for men, women and children. CHAS. SCHREINER CO.

Fred Allerkamp was up from his home at Comfort Thursday.

Parties wanting to pasture stock for the winter—extra good grass—apply to Mrs. R. D. Peril, 31-41 Kerrville, Texas.



HUDSON Six 54, \$2250.  
J. o. b. Detroit, Mich.



## What Do You Know About Any Motor Car Save the One You Own?

Think of the cars you have ridden in during the past year; and have you driven any other car than the one you own? Not one automobile owner in a hundred rides a dozen times in any other car than his own.

Under such conditions, with a limited knowledge of other cars, it is natural that every motorist is apt to think his is the best car built.

It is like the man who claims that his town is the best—yet who never goes to any other town. Remember the old Second Reader story about the sign that thought they knew the world until they got out of the pen and climbed the hill?

### Now Let's Make a Good Examination of Six-Cylinder Cars

If you have never driven a Six, you can know nothing of their smoothness.

The man who never saw an electric lamp could easily be persuaded to believe that a kerosene lamp was just as good.

If you never drove a Six, you might easily be led to think that a Four could be made to run as smoothly.

You'll never know the difference except by actual experience.

Riding in a Six will convey some of the sensation. You'll get that feeling of flying. You'll not experience any vibration. The motor will purr—almost noiselessly—and because there is a constant power impulse being imparted to the rear wheels, the grind and growl of the rear axle will not be heard.

But, when you take the wheel, you get an entirely new sensation in motoring. It is not high power that accounts for it. Four-cylinder motors can be made

just as powerful as a six—or a one-cylinder could be, for that matter.

But, nothing short of six cylinders, through any design that engineers have ever conceived, will produce the smoothness and flexibility.

### How to Determine Six-Cylinder Difference

Of course, all Sixes are not equally smooth. Design means much.

To be sure to get the very finest impression of what a Six means, drive a HUDSON Six 54.

Go to any HUDSON dealer. If you drive, have him let you take the wheel, and over any road, through the maze of city traffic, over the rough roads, up hill and down, you will see why it is possible to do 300 miles in a day with safety and comfort.

### New Features in HUDSON Six 54

True streamline body—the handsomest car you ever saw. Highest standard of HUDSON design and construction. The very best we know in beauty and finish. Left-side drive. Right-hand control. Entrance to driver's seat from either side. Electrically self-cranked and electric lighted.

Fully equipped with every necessary detail. \$2250.

S. C. Peterson & Son.

### Troop Train Wrecked; 20 Are Killed

MERIDIAN, Miss., Oct. 19.—Twenty soldiers were killed and about 100 hurt when a special troop train on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad plunged through a trestle near State Line, Miss., late this afternoon.

This casualty list is that given in a report of the disaster by Division Superintendent Pigford of the Mobile and Ohio to headquarters of the road in Mobile. The victims are privates of the One Hundred and Seventieth Company Coast Artillery, U. S. A.

Reports from the scene are meager because of interrupted wire communication and accurate details of the disaster were not obtainable hours after the wreck. The dead and injured were started to Mobile on a special train another relief was headed toward this city.

It is said no officer was killed or seriously hurt. The wreck was caused by the engine tender jumping the track about 200 feet from a trestle. The engine was not derailed and passed over the trestle safely. The tender broke loose from the engine however, and plunged the baggage car and three coaches to the ground twenty-five feet below.

At nine o'clock tonight sixteen bodies had been taken from the wreckage and Superintendent Pigford said in his report he was sure four more bodies were in the debris, which will not be cleared away for twenty-four hours.

One hundred and seventy-nine soldiers belonging to the Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth companies of Coast Artillery were on board the special train. They were from Fort Morgan, Ala., and Fort Barnacas, Fla. They were en route to Meridian, to participate in the Mississippi-Alabama joint State fair. They were under command of Major Taylor, Coast Artillery, United States Army. The men had been taken to Mobile early Sunday and at noon their ill-fated special left Mobile.

As meager news of the wreck filtered into Meridian a special relief train bearing physicians and nurses left for the scene. Other trains left from Mobile and Whistler, Ala. When it was learned in Mobile that a train bearing the dead and wounded was bound for that city another train carrying more doctors and nurses was sent to meet the one bearing the victims.

As is usual with troop trains, the coaches were well filled, and when the three cars were tumbled through the trestle the men had little protection. The dead and injured were tangled in a twisted mass of wrecked metal, making it difficult to remove the dead bodies or rescue the injured.

Because of the confusion, due largely to poor wire communication, it was impossible tonight to learn how many of the injured were expected to die or who they were.

### Watson on Trial in U. S. District Court.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Oct. 20.—Thomas E. Watson, lawyer, publicist and one-time presidential candidate of the "People's party," today was placed on trial before Federal Judge Rufus E. Foster in the United States District Court here on a charge of sending obscene matter through the mails. Watson was arrested in the fall of 1912 on a federal warrant issued upon complaint of the postal authorities and was given a hearing at Augusta before United States Commissioner W. H. Goodwin. At the conclusion of this examination, the Georgia editor was bound over to the federal grand jury, which returned the indictment against him on November 12, 1912.

The specific charge against Watson is that he published in the Jeffersonian in July 1911, alleged questions which he claimed were asked by Roman Catholic priests to persons in confessional.

These questions, the indictment alleges, are obscene. They appeared in a series of articles attacking the Roman Catholic Church and especially the priesthood.

When the case was called both sides were ready for trial and Judge Foster directed the drawing of a jury. Copies of the Jeffersonian, Watson's magazine, containing the alleged objectionable language, were introduced.

During a motion to quash the indictment, Mr. McClendon contended that Watson's attorneys on a motion to quash the indictment, court reserved decision and adjourned until tomorrow.

### Chinese Republic Studies Our Forest Methods.

David Z. T. Yui, formerly secretary to the vice-president of the Chinese Republic, is now traveling in this country to learn modern methods for adoption in China. He is at present in charge of the lecture board of the Chinese Y. M. C. A., which is in close touch with the new government and is aiding in putting into effect an educational campaign for the citizenship of the republic.

While in Washington recently Mr. Yui spent some time investigating the work of the forest service, in order that he might find out whether its organization and methods would be of value to the newly created department of agriculture and forestry in China. In speaking of this part of his work, Mr. Yui said:

"In the matter of forest conservation the United States profited much by looking upon the disasters which were the result of the Chinese neglect of forestry. This was a great warning to you. Now we wish to profit by the improved methods of forestry which the United States has discovered and applied."

### Money Trust Should Worry.

WATERLOO, Ia., October 17.—Secretary of State Bryan, speaking here today, declared that only the "money trust has anything to fear from the currency legislation pending before Congress." The legitimate bankers, he added, had nothing to fear.

Mr. Bryan predicted that the new tariff law would lower the cost of living, bring substantial benefits to consumers and "remove for a generation that fear that has been excited before each election by the advocates of protection."

"I believe that the new tariff will lower the cost of living, on some schedules more than on others," said Mr. Bryan in an interview. "There has been material reduction on woolen goods, which means that part of the saving will go into better quality. Less shoddy and more wool will be used."

Secretary Bryan declared there could be no doubt of the passage of the currency bill in the Senate. He predicted the hearing would close next week and that the bill would be reported in the Senate the week after. "The currency bill is growing in favor with the public as its provisions are understood," he said.

"It is a remarkably successful effort in constructive legislation. It safeguards the interests of the whole people and at the same time gives so much real advantage to bankers in crises that they cannot afford to object to it, unless they have more interest in controlling the country's business than in the accommodation of the public."

### Circus Lion's Escape and Spread Terror.

LEIPZIG, Germany, Oct. 20.—Five lions belonging to an American circus obtained their freedom in the streets of Leipzig today owing to a collision between a street car and their cage while it was on the way to the railroad station after a performance.

The cage was torn open by the shock and the appearance of the wild animals in the center of the city created a panic among the thousands here to attend the celebration of the centennial of the Battle of Nations. One of the lions entered a hotel, rushed upstairs and proceeded along the corridors, driving the guests into their rooms. It was some time before policemen arrived and shot the animal. The other four also were shot and killed in various parts of the city.

Nobody was attacked by the lions.

### They Make You Feel Good.

The pleasant purgative effect produced by Chamberlain's Tablets and the healthy condition of body and mind which they create make one feel joyful. For sale by all dealers.

### Admirers of Sulzer Present Loving Cup.

ALBANY, Oct. 18.—There was red fire, oratory and music by a brass band at the executive mansion tonight, when several hundred admirers of William Sulzer called to present him with a loving cup.

Rain fell while the marchers were en route to the mansion. Sulzer started to shake hands with all his callers, but he never completed the task. They crowded around him and refused to move. Some one said a few words of consolation to him only to be interrupted by Mrs. Sulzer.

"The action of the court is the least of our troubles," she said.

The crowd began to cheer. "We'll have you back here next year, Bill," one man yelled.

Another enthusiast cried "Hurrah for the next president of the United States," whereupon there was more cheering. Cheers for Mrs. Sulzer followed.

Chester C. Platt, Sulzer's secretary, read a speech, assuring Sulzer that he had been removed because he would not obey the bosses. Mention of the name of Charles F. Murphy brought hisses. "Lynch him!" shouted one man at the mention of the name of an assemblyman.

The cup presented to Sulzer was inscribed "To William Sulzer. A victim of corrupt bossism. Oct. 17, 1913."

Mrs. Sulzer was presented with a bouquet. Sulzer, in a speech, reiterated his assertion that his removal was due to his displeasing Tammany Hall.

Had I obeyed the boss instead of my oath of office I would still be governor and the 'organization' would be patting me on the back and telling the people I was a second Andrew Jackson," he said. "My condemnation by the boss is intended to serve as a warning and a precedent to all who may follow me, or what will happen to them if they don't 'obey orders' but I believe my fate will have a good effect in the end and do more than any other single thing I could do to forever destroy the terrors of corrupt bossism in the state of New York."

A letter which Colonel Roosevelt wrote Sulzer Oct. 3 last was given out by Platt. It was in response to one from Sulzer telling Roosevelt that, on advice of counsel, Sulzer could not permit a letter he wrote the former president regarding the impeachment case to be made public. The letter follows:

"I thank you for your letter, and I am sorry that I have to leave before your defense is made public. I wish it had been possible for you to write me the letter of which you wrote, giving me the definite facts as to the effort by Mr. Murphy and his associates to bend you to their interests against the cause of honesty and decency in popular government and their promise of immunity to you from impeachment if you would cease your attacks on the men who have been guilty of misconduct in connection with public office and if you would cease the demand for direct primaries. Such a letter giving me in detail the facts would, of course, have enabled me to speak much more strongly than I have spoken."

Platt also gave out copies of several telegrams Sulzer had received offering him lecture dates. A Kansas City man bid \$10,000 for one lecture; a New Yorker \$20,000 for ten lectures; another New Yorker \$50,000 for fifty, and a Chicago promoter topped the list with \$100,000 for a season. As yet the former governor has closed no contracts for public addresses.

This was the last night Sulzer occupied the executive mansion. He will leave tomorrow morning for Cooperstown, where he will spend three or four days in a summer hotel owned by a friend. He will be accompanied only by Mrs. Sulzer. From Cooperstown, Sulzer will go to the mountains for a few days probably and then return to New York.

### Taking it in Trade.

We give each week, at five cents the line, from \$5 to \$10 worth to religious and educational interests of the town and refuse, at any price advertising that points to vicious and immoral things, and yet some people have the idea that we ought to contribute more in cold cash. Our space is our capital and it costs money to run a newspaper.—Devine News.

Candidly, brother, you should come through with the coin. No man may hope to pay for the salvation of his immortal soul in trade. Run a few Peruna and Whiskey ads, and give the money without stint to the church of your choice. They'll cuss you for being a hypocrite, but they appear to be making it a bit rough for you for being short with the funds. This age is one in which it is better to be crooked than short, and the crooked you are the longer you are, and still don't take up any more room—as the man said by his corn rows.

## What We Want Right Now?

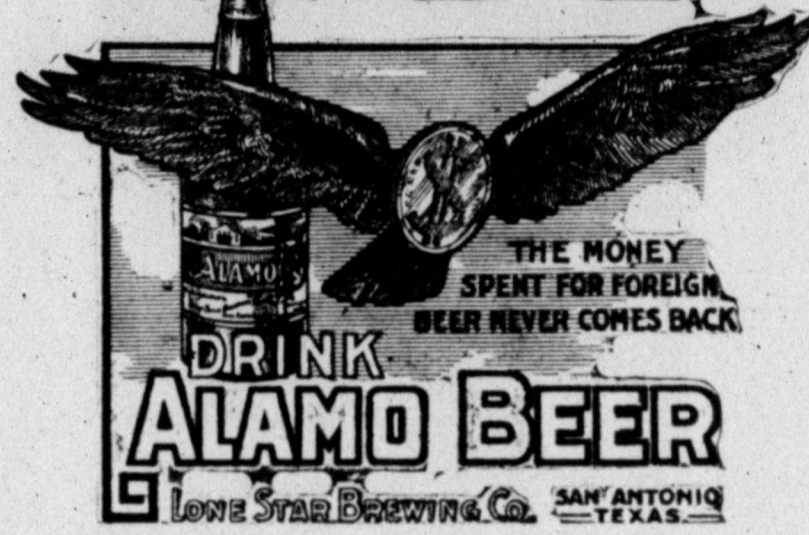
Is Cedar Choppers and Haulers. If you want to make good money call on

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New Club Shells are really the premier black powder shells of this country—Standard for over 50 years.

The No. 2 Primer gives a snappy ignition—sure and quicker than you usually find in black powder shells.

For results in your shooting, rifle or shotgun—get Remington-Union ammunition—with the Red Ball Mark on every box. Ask the liveliest dealer in this community. He carries them.

Remington Arms-Union Metallic Cartridge Co.  
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### Hope to Cure Man With Broken Neck

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 18.—His neck broken and his spine fractured in two places, a few inches apart, as the result of an accident three years ago, H. C. Pannill of Charleston, W. Va., was taken to Charity Hospital here today and surgeons hope to make one of the most remarkable cures on record.

Mr. Pannill is wealthy and traveled both before and after the accident. In Corpus Christi, Tex., in 1910, he tried diving from the roof of the hotel in shallow water. He struck bottom, breaking his neck. Dr. R. L. Stevent of San Antonio set his neck but he since has been paralyzed. He spent most of the summer in Galveston and arrived here Monday en route to Miami, Fla., accompanied by a trained nurse, Miss

Katherine Jerick of Oklahoma City. She was stricken ill and taken to the hospital, which fact attracted local surgeons to Mr. Pannill's condition.

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Was the reply of Terrence Mulvaney to Mr. Tim Haney, when that gentleman said: --

"Sure, me boy, afther all it is the ould things that count. Ye may say that ould min are not strong anny more, and be like you are right, so far as wieldin' the pick goes, but whin ye are in throuble and want advice, and want to be shure you are gettin' the real value of experience, who do yez go to, ansver me thot? Why, to the ould men to be shure. And ould houses, by the same token, are honorable things, and trustworthy withal. Old stores and shops where the grandfathers of the proprietors kept in the long ago. There is every reason why they should be strong and reliable houses, they have a rippyttation to sustain. The people have found that when they buy there they know just what they are getting, and that what's told them is as true as the law. Ould trees in the forest, even are honorable things, and a feelin' of riveness comes over a real man whin he sees one. The young are not to be blamed for not bein' ould, d'ye moind, but they are not ripe, an' they haven't the patience to grow slowly they'll never be ould. There are plinty of min with grey hair who are not ould except in years, but on the whole, me lad, there is wisdom in admiring ould things and in patronizing ould institutions."

In the language of the astute Mulvaney, "begorra, it is a fine and handsome idea." This is the "Old House" in the Lumber Trade of this section of Texas. It has a "rippyttation" to sustain, and is sustaining it. We are proud of the age and distinction of this house and of the fact that the people recognize it as one of the business landmarks of this country, and come to it with the satisfaction of absolute knowledge that they are getting straight goods in every sense.

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#### Filipinos Must Abolish Slavery in the Islands.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21.—President Wilson's appointment of four native Filipinos to the Philippine Commission will not be confirmed by the Senate until assurances have been given that the new officials will use their utmost efforts to stamp out slavery in the islands.

Senator Hiram Bland has made it known he will use every effort to prevent confirmation unless he is assured of their attitude.

It is understood efforts have been made to get information that will satisfy the Senate as to the individual views of the new commissioners.

The answer of the Philippines to President Wilson's message, delivered through Governor General Harrison, came by cable today in the form of a resolution adopted by the Philippine Assembly. Emphatic belief in the right of the Filipinos to be free is expressed in the resolution and the President's words are "gratefully accepted as a categorical declaration of the purpose of the Nation to recognize the independence of the islands."

The text of the resolution, made public by the War Department, follows:

"We, the representatives of the Philippine people, constituting the Philippine Assembly, solemnly declare that it is evident to us that the Filipino people have the right to be free and independent so that in advancing along the road of progress it will on its own responsibility work out its prosperity and manage its own destinies for all the purposes of life. This was the aspiration of the people when they took up arms against Spain and the presence of the American flag first on Manila Bay and then in the interior of the archipelago did not modify but rather encouraged and strengthened the aspiration, despite all the reverses suffered in war and difficulties encountered in peace."

#### Oregon Will Lead Fleet of Nations Through Canal.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21.—Secretary Daniels formally announced today that the historic battleship Oregon, which made the famous trip around Cape Horn in the early days of the Spanish War, will lead the great international fleet through the Panama Canal, when the waterway is opened in 1915.

While plans for the event have not yet been formulated, Secretary Daniels will be aboard and in all probability President Wilson. Also it has been suggested that all surviving officers who served on the Oregon during the 1898 cruise be again at their posts of duty when the battleship leads the procession through the canal. In this event the Oregon will be commanded by Rear Admiral Charles E. Clark, retired, now living in Washington.

The acceptance by the British office of the invitation from the United States to send a squadron of warships to go through the canal will, the international fleet was conveyed today to Secretary Bryan through Ambassador Page. Great Britain is the first of the nations to accept the invitation which will bring together at Hampton Roads the greatest fleet ever assembled in American waters.

#### USE OF CALOMEL PRACTICALLY STOPPED

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#### Church's Class in Eugenics Enrolls Forty at the Start.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The Mount Morris Baptist Church in Harlem has come forward as the first church in New York to start regular classes in eugenics. A prospectus for the course says:

"If the church is to assume authority over the marriage contract, it has a much greater duty to its young people in educating them on the significance of the propagation of the race and to ultimate happiness of the home."

The course will run for forty weeks and cover every phase of the subject of eugenics. Forty young men enrolled yesterday at the opening of this class.

#### HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Patron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good. I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing my work."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of wonderful success, and should surely help you, too. Your druggist has sold Cardui for years. He knows what it will do. Ask him. He will recommend it. Begin taking Cardui today.

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#### A Marvelous Escape.

"My little boy had a marvelous escape," writes P. F. Bastians of Prince Albert, Cape of Good Hope. "It occurred in the middle of the night. He got a very severe attack of croup. As luck would have it, I had a large bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house. After following the directions for an hour and twenty minutes he was through all danger." Sold by all dealers.

#### Ocean Bed Fell 4000 Feet.

PANAMA, Oct. 17.—Reports received here from the center of the recent seismic disturbances indicate that startling changes are taking place in the bed of the ocean off the coast of Los Santos Province, near the town of Tonsi. About 15 miles from the mainland a cable repair ship found that a depth of 1000 feet on the chart of the United States War Department, published in 1894, shows a depth of 5000 feet.

#### Displays Human Head on Pole.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Oct. 18.—The ancient custom of herding victory by making public demonstrations with the heads of the conquered was revived at Fuerte, Sinaloa, at the time of its occupation by the rebels two weeks ago, according to stories told here today by travelers.

After the invasion of Fuerte, the story runs, Yaqui Indians pursued the retreating federal army and captured, among others Prefecto Torres, a federal commander. The Indians put him to death and returned with his head, parading it about the streets on a pole. Torres, it is said, had threatened to execute any constitutionalist who fell into his hands.

#### Citizens Get Revenge.

OXFORD, Pa., Oct. 21.—Taxpayers of Hopewell borough, the smallest borough in point of population in this state, have hit upon a plan of revenge because the tax collector, Samuel Russell, refused to accept their checks. Indignant citizens carted 12,300 pennies to his house yesterday in payment of taxes and demanded receipts. He was told that there were thousands more pennies to come.

#### Aeroplanes Kill Three.

EPINAL, France, October 20.—Lieutenant Garnier and Sapper Jenrot of the Epinal military aeroplane depot were killed today. They were returning from Bar when the engine of their monoplane stopped suddenly. The machine capsize and the aviators fell from a height of 800 feet.

About the same time Corporal Aviator Dautroche, while making a flight near the same spot, met with an almost similar and fatal accident. The engine of his machine became detached and the biplane turned over and fell into the river Moselle. Dautroche was drowned.

#### Will Circle the Globe.

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 19.—W. D. Hornady of this city, prominent all over Texas as a newspaper and magazine writer, will leave tomorrow for a tour around the world. He goes from Austin to San Francisco, from where he will sail to Vancouver, thence to the Hawaiian Islands. From there he will sail to Australia and then continue the journey until he has made a complete circle of the globe. He will be absent eight months and will write a series of articles for a syndicate of the leading newspapers of the United States.

#### Scales Fight Uncle Sam.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Eugene B. Scales of Texas and Frank B. Hayne and William P. Brown of New Orleans today entered tentative pleas of not guilty to the superseding indictment accusing them of having operated a corner in cotton in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. They were given ten days to demur or take other action and were released on \$2,000 bail each.

The defendants were originally indicted with James A. Patten of Chicago, who pleaded guilty and was fined \$4,000. The new indictment which included Col. Robert M. Thompson as a defendant, was drawn to conform to a decision of the United States Supreme Court in the matter.

#### Fifteen Hurt in Crash.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 19.—Fifteen persons were injured, two perhaps fatally, when the Midnight Special of the Chicago & Alton Railroad, bound from Chicago to St. Louis, was wrecked at Alton early this morning.

The lives of thirty-three other passengers in all probability were saved by a steel cable bracing a telegraph pole, which caught the end of the chaircar and prevented it overturning. The car was left standing on end and all its occupants were hurled in a mass to the floor.

The wreck is believed to have been caused by spreading rails. The injured were brought here.

Among the less seriously injured is Mrs. Eliza Kamp of San Antonio, Tex.

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### Bolt of Lightning Kills Three Soldiers.

HOUSTON, Tex., Oct. 22.—A bolt of lightning struck a marching column of the Sixth United States cavalry between Texas City and Galveston about 7:30 o'clock this morning, instantly killing Privates Monroe and George Morris and John Zimmer.

Several horses and mules were also killed.

Veterinary Surgeon Devine was injured but not seriously. Several of the troopers are said to have been unharmed but not otherwise injured.

Privates Monroe and George Morris were brothers, but serving in different troops.

The regiment broke camp early and

was on route to Galveston for target practice. The lightning struck the wagon train with which the dead men were detailed.

Veterinarian Devine saw the accident and rushed to the aid of the men when a second bolt knocked him senseless. He is in the Texas City hospital, but will recover.

Scores of animals were knocked flat by the bolt, but only three horses and one mule were killed.

Several other soldiers were shocked, but none seriously.

The storm followed a heavy wind which had blown all night.

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### ANOTHER LOST ART.

**Flirtation, Delights of Sentiment, and All Those Things Which Meant So Much Are Gone**

Gone the art of flirtation! Gone the delights of sentiment! Gone the penitence habit of dropping dark lashes against a pink cheek—and all those things stood for so much. The feminine chatterbox and athletic girl never in all their lives get the lovely compliments of the shrewd little empty pate who knows when to veil her eyes and give her entire attention to the carpet of the turf.

Not so many years ago flirtation was the occupation worth while for a beauty; she was supposed to flirt until she had broken every heart within a radius of fifty miles and then to bestow her hand upon her masculine ideal.

Look at her now! The art flirtation is fairly obsolete. Ladies of dubious surroundings may rely upon it as a means of interesting moneyed members of the opposite sex, but fine down-to-date girls will have none of it. The polo girl and the tennis girl, the rowing girl and the flying girl, wouldn't they look their parts lingering in some quiet nook with their eyes downcast in true Victorian fashion!

Croquet might be languidly flirted through, but tennis, never! To play a good game of tennis and to flirt separately at the same time is impossible. Besides, the glaring sun of the lawn and links is not conducive to the genial art of flirtation, for which moonlight, twilight or any other perfectly good substitute for darkness is desirable.

No, everything tends away from flirtation.

Where are those challenging silences. There may be a few girls left who know how to help an admirer along by an ingenious silence, but they are "few and far between." For the most they chatter one's head off, ignorant of the value of the silence. Indeed, romantic, droopy-eyed silence doesn't fit the girl of today at all. How could she cultivate such a pose when her blood is tingling madly through her veins, and she's indulging in matches and going to meet from morn till night and dancing the rest of the time.

As a matter of fact, conversation between sexes lags when they've nothing in common. And it's right

then that the little god steps in and takes a hand. Neatly he aims his arrow and nine times out of ten he scores. Silences are the birthplace of compliments.

But what time is there for silence? With a thousand imperative letters of conversation—most of them sporting—how on earth could a girl possibly take a few minutes off for silences.

And what is the result? The modern young man is likely to be anything save young when he does finally marry.

So, perhaps, on the whole, it is a pity that flirting has died out. The flirt had her good qualities. Once strated on the flirtatious read she flirted on until her last affair with the physician who attended her in her final illness. And she usually flirted with her other half, as "age can not stale nor custom wither" the real flirt's activities.

Naturally she sometimes went too far. The happy medium is not the easiest thing to achieve. And so misguided, indiscriminating flirts have flirted their way through life, gazing appealingly and flirtatiously at servants and superiors, friends and strangers, old and young—any and everybody.—Philadelphia Record.

### A Heavy Rain at Galveston Forces Stores to Close.

GALVESTON, Tex., Oct. 22.—The day's rainfall here had totaled 12.93 inches at 7 o'clock tonight and it was still raining lightly. The local weather bureau predicted more rain for the night with thunder squalls, but no high winds.

Damage caused by the rain here today cannot be accurately estimated because for the most part it consists of suspended business operations and no actual cash loss was inflicted.

The street cars were unable to run after 11 o'clock this morning, while the interurban ran only intermittently, and these two, of course, caused the Stone & Webster interests several hundred dollars' loss.

Business was entirely suspended in the afternoon in the lower sections of the city, where water got so high inside the stores that clerks and employes were forced to get on chairs and tables to keep from getting wet. The street car lines were stopped about 11 o'clock and all day patient conductors and motormen have sat in their cars scattered about the city.

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