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## KERRVILLE EXPECTS TO MARKET \$1,285,000 WOOL AND MOHAIR CLIP

### GROWERS IN THIS SECTION ESTIMATE SPRING SHEARING AT 1,500,000 POUNDS OF MOHAIR AND 1,000,000 OF WOOL

The Kerrville country will market approximately \$1,285,000 worth of wool and mohair of the Spring clip, according to estimates made by those well acquainted with stock conditions. Conservative figures for the mohair clip have been set at around 1,500,000 pounds, while the wool growers expect to market at least 1,000,000 pounds. The quality of both the wool and mohair is excellent, stockmen say.

With a price of about 57 cents for mohair and around 55 cents expected for wool, the goat and sheep industry of the Kerrville section will bring in anywhere from \$1,250,000 to \$2,000,000 this season.

Good grass and underbrush is abundant everywhere, with other conditions equally as favorable to stock growing, while the outlook for strong prices is designed to place the man with a flock on "easy street" when he cashes in this Spring.

A. C. Schreiner of the Chas. Schreiner Company, the largest individual wool and mohair-dealer in the Southwest, stated a few days ago that the outlook for a heavy clip this Spring was unusually bright just now, and that there should be no reason why prices on those commodities would not be equally as good as those which prevailed during the Fall.

### SOME VERY INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT THE LONE STAR STATE

Texas is the largest State in the Union, having an area of 267,896 square miles—262,308 square miles of land and 5,488 square miles of water.

There are 249 organized counties and 4 unorganized counties in Texas. Population—The 1910 census gives the population of Texas as 3,896,541. If the rate of increase remains the same as it was between 1900 and 1910, the population of the State in 1919 is 4,687,135. Texas is rapidly going up in rank in population—in 1850 it was twenty-fifth among the States; in 1870 it was nineteenth; in 1890 it was seventh, and in 1910 it was fifth. The scholastic population of the State this year is 1,245,278.

Topography—The general slope of Texas is in a northwesterly direction from the Gulf of Mexico. The mountains are in the western part of the State. There are four peaks above 8,000 feet—Guadalupe Peak, 9,500, barometer measurement; El Capitan in the Guadalupe Mountains, which is 8,600 feet; Baldy Peak and Mt. Livermore in Jeff Davis County, which are 8,382 feet. There are over 100 peaks which are above 5,000 feet. The average elevation of Texas is 1,700 feet.

Rivers—The ten principal rivers of Texas, from the standpoint of mileage from the mouth to headwaters and area drained, are as follows: Brazos, 590 miles long, drains 36,763 square miles; Colorado, 605 miles long, drains 45,500 square miles; Guadalupe, 289 miles long, drains 5,568 square miles; Neches, 258 miles long, drains 11,725 square miles; Nueces, 312 miles long, drains 15,750 square miles; Pecos, 643 miles long, drains 39,065 square miles; Red, over 1,000 miles long, drains 89,970 square miles; Rio Grande, 1,770 miles long, drains 22,981 square miles; Sabine, 368 miles long, drains 13,826 square miles, and Trinity, 471 miles long, drains 17,700 square miles.

Climate—The annual rainfall varies in Texas according to the section of the State. The average annual rainfall in East Texas is 55 inches; in West Texas it is 10 inches. The mean annual temperature ranges from 55 degrees in North Texas to 72 degrees in South Texas.

Agriculture—Texas is primarily an agricultural State and is first among the States in the value of farm products. There are over 500,000 separate farms in Texas. The United States Department of Agriculture reports the following live stock in Texas on January 1, 1919: Horses, 1,164,000 head; mules, 792,000; cattle, 5,021,000;

sheep, 2,232,000; hogs, 2,320,000. The total value of this live stock was placed at \$454,838,000.

Railroads—Texas has more railroad mileage than any other State in the United States. The last statistical abstract published by the United States Government shows that Texas has 15,866 miles of railroad, while the next State in rank, Illinois, has only 12,141 miles. This does not include yard tracks and sidings.

### ROADS LEADING TO CITY TO BE MARKED BY SIGNS

G. A. Helmuth and J. F. Anderson of Dallas, of the Circle Automobile Men's Association of America, were here Tuesday enlisting local business houses for the purpose of marking the highways leading into Kerrville. From Comfort, Fredericksburg and Junction all posts will read Kerrville, so many miles.

Local Chambers of Commerce are being made centers by representatives of the C. A. M. A. A. and through their information the organization is marking roads. Every automobile road in the United States is being posted with this system of marking and it will be impossible for any tourist to lose his way, either day or night. Radium treatment of the posts lasts eight years and each post will mark the exact distance to the towns and cities named, and those at cross roads will be certain of the correct information on both routes.

A motorist handbook is being compiled containing maps of every designated highway and intersecting roads, and is being distributed to every member. The Dallas office has charge of the work in Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas and parts of New Mexico and Arizona.

Local business houses represented in the C. A. M. A. A. are the Chas. Schreiner Co., Chas. Schreiner Bank, Lee Mason & Son, St. Charles Hotel, Adkins Barber Shop and Pampell's Confectionery.

### KERRVILLE TO PUT FAST BASE

#### BALL TEAM ON LOCAL DIAMOND

San Antonio Express. According to word received here by Jack Flaherty, captain of the Elks' baseball team and manager of the last year's champion War Cats nine, the City of Kerrville will have one of the strongest ball nines in the State this season. The team has been entirely reorganized, a business meeting taking place during the past week.

Eugene Butt has been named manager of the Kerrville team, while Ernest Schwethelm will be finance manager. It is planned to build up a strong team and if necessary import two or three more players. It is understood that two local pastimes have already been approached about playing at Kerrville and working there the coming season.

Al Manny, local pitcher, who starred on the slab for Kerrville last year, will be with that club again as will Gotthard, San Antonio catcher, who served as Manny's battery mate in 1919.

Numbers of soldiers back from overseas, who formerly played baseball at Kerrville, are expected to be cut to make the team this year and a championship club is being predicted in the resort city.

### WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO MEET JAN. 22

Following will be the program of the Second Annual Convention and Banquet, West Texas Chamber of Commerce, at Abilene, January 22, 1920:

Registration—Delegates will register at the offices of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, 110 Cypress Street, where tickets to the annual banquet will be furnished to all members and delegates.

Visit to Lake Abilene—At 1 p. m., visitors will be guests of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce and the City Government of Abilene, and will be invited to visit Lake Abilene, where there is now under construction one of the largest dams and irrigation systems in the Southwest. Automobiles will be at hand at the offices of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce.

### SCHREINER'S NEW STORE TO BE COMPLETED SOON

MODERN HOME FOR PIONEER FIRM TO BE BEST IN HILL COUNTRY; WILL COST MORE THAN \$50,000.00.

The new home of the Chas. Schreiner Company will be completed in the near future, giving this pioneer firm one of the most modern and substantial homes in the Southwest. Construction work on this building has been delayed during the past year by labor conditions and the excessive rains, but the roof has been completed now and work on the interior can be done without further interruption. The structure will cost approximately \$50,000.

The building, which is constructed of native rock and plate glass, will be two stories, 60x100, with a mezzanine floor in the first story designed especially to accommodate the millinery and ladies' ready-to-wear departments.

The original home of the Chas. Schreiner Co., built in 1883, and the addition, erected several years later, after the establishment had begun its growth that resulted in making it the leading general supply depot for the Hill Country, will be made to conform with the architecture of the new building.

The original buildings will be used for the grocery, hardware and stockery departments, while the new storehouse will contain the dry goods and notions. Additional stocks will be added, Mr. Schreiner states, to meet the constant increase of business.

Sales of the Chas. Schreiner Co. during 1919 reached a fabulous sum, bespeaking the popularity that this concern has gained in dealing with its host of customers.

Modern store ideas predominate in the architecture of the new building, the entire front having been designed to give effective display to the merchandise carried. Plate glass show windows will compose the front and side, while an awning will be constructed clear around the main front.

### ALARMING CONDITION NOW CONFRONTS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

A. Caswell Ellis, professor of the philosophy of education in the University of Texas, in a bulletin which he has just finished, calls attention to a serious problem confronting the public schools of Texas. He says, in part: "One-third of the men and one-fourth of the women teachers left their positions in the schools of Texas last year, four-fifths of those leaving being among the better teachers."

"There were only one-fifth as many men and one-third as many women applicants this year as usual to fill the vacancies, with the result that several thousand below-standard school girls had to be put in as teachers and that more than two thousand schools and school rooms had no teachers at all this Fall. Probably nearly a hundred thousand children in Texas are without a teacher."

"The conditions are growing worse. Practically no men are preparing to teach and the number of women is less than usual. By next Fall, unless something definite is done this Winter, the schools will probably have lost more than half of their best teachers and be set back ten years."

"The cause of the trouble is the low salaries of teachers. There is no hope of saving the schools and protecting the children of Texas except by practically doubling the annual salaries paid teachers. This will cost \$10,000,000 per year. This amount can be easily raised by taxes on corporations and large inheritances, which will fall on those able to pay and will be a hardship on no one."

Anyone desiring this bulletin may secure a copy free by addressing the University Publications Committee, Austin, Texas.

### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The stockholders of The Terrell Publishing Company held their annual meeting in the city of Austin on Saturday, January 10. Quite a number of the stockholders were present, and all expressed gratification at the financial condition of the company, as shown by the statement read by the secretary.

It was shown that the past year had been the best in the history of the company, and the plans of the president for the future, which were outlined to the meeting, met the hearty approval of all. In line with the president's suggestion, it was decided to increase the capital stock from \$50,000 to \$100,000, which increase is to be used in the expansion and development of the company's holdings.

The publication of a daily at Sweetwater is one of the new undertakings of the company, and it is said that other projects of a similar nature are under advisement.

### Red Cross Elects

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of Kerr County Chapter, American Red Cross, a few days since, the following officers were elected: T. C. Johnston, chairman; Mrs. R. S. Newman, vice chairman, and S. H. Huntington, secretary.

### HERE'S THE WEATHER DOPE FOR THE WET OLD YEAR

Comfort, Tex., Jan. 7, 1920.—Editor Mountain Sun.—Dear Sir: I herewith send you the yearly rain report of the year 1919, beginning with January and ending with December:

Jan. 14-15-16—Snow, 2 in. (Jan. 15-16—Snow, 2 in.)

Jan. 21 1.07

Jan. 26 44 2.93

Feb. 4 .69

Feb. 17 .67 1.27

March 4 .21

March 11 .87 1.08

April 2 .62

April 29 .75 1.37

May 7 .54

May 9 .79 ?

May 11 1.00

May 13 .16

May 24 .75

May 26 .24 3.48

June 9 .53

June 10 .95

June 16-17-18 .46

June 22 .35

June 23 .65

June 27 .59 3.53

July 2 .25

July 3 .92

July 6-7 1.96

July 21 1.31

July 23 .90

July 27 .39 5.73

Aug. 9-10 .86

Aug. 18 .36

Aug. 20-21 (high water) 6.50

Aug. 22 1.80

Aug. 23 .13

Aug. 27 .92 10.51

Sept. 15-16 4.32

Sept. 20-23 4.70 9.02

Oct. 6 2.44

Oct. 10 .44

Oct. 11 .46 3.34

Nov. 1-5 .40

Nov. 18 .82 1.22

Dec. 2-4 .40

Dec. 18 .39

Dec. 19 .27 1.06

Total 44.54

In some places below here the rainfall was up to 60 inches and over. It would have been enough water for the last two dry years for good crops; we have had good small grain crops with 13 inches of rainfall.

Yours truly, WILLIE ALLERKAMP. K.M.S.

### WATER WORKS PURCHASE PROPOSITION CARRIES

Last Saturday's municipal election on the issuance of bonds to purchase the water works, resulted in a victory for the proposition by a vote of 87 to 9.

K.M.S.— "On the Street"

First Citizen—"You'll have to hand it to those women for being alive."

Second Citizen—"In what way?"

First Citizen—"Why, that bunch Waco are visiting friends at the that paid their poll tax last Friday." Thompson Sanatorium for a few days.



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### USE OF FRANCHISE A DUTY INCUMBENT ON EVERY ONE

It is the duty of every good citizen to vote and to cast his vote for the betterment of his country and the race.

As the sons of the family are brought up to realize their responsibilities as citizens, so are the women awakening to the fact that it is their duty and privilege to cast their vote for the same reason. Women demonstrated during the War their ability to shoulder affairs on an equal basis with the men of the country. The English women were given suffrage as a recognition of their ability so effectively demonstrated during the World War.

Women are permitted to vote in the next primary by paying their poll tax, which is \$1.75. Did you know that twenty-four of the thirty-six States necessary to pass the Suffrage Amendment have already ratified it and the rest will most probably have passed the Federal National Amendment before election time, and you can probably vote in the election proper—if you pay your poll tax.

One dollar of the poll tax goes to the State education fund, and our schools are sorely in need of that fund. The shortage of teachers is really serious. A large number of teachers are resigning all the time, as their salaries are insufficient. A recent case in point is that the superintendent and principal of the Corpus Christi Schools, who resigned because their salaries were too small to enable them to support their families. Twenty-five cents of this fund goes to the Charity Fund of the county, and fifty cents of it to the State General Fund.

What better way could one expend \$1.75? And with it is the privilege of exercising your vote as an American citizen! To use your vote for child welfare; to have a voice in the selection of men for office, from the President down to constable.

Without the mother the home is a failure. Without the feminine judgment the world, the country, the State, the city, are not a balanced result. A true democracy gives its opinion at the polls—the selection of the right kind of men to be chosen by all the people. Pay your poll tax and do your duty as a citizen. The man who objects to suffrage marks himself as narrow and unenlightened. Do you not consider your wife, sister, mother, as intelligent as some of the uneducated mass who are permitted to vote?

When we double suffrage we double the self-respect of America, and this self-respect is the most valuable thing in the world. Pay your poll tax and write your name with those who are in the forward march of civilization. —K.M.S.—

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**TACKS**  
Ethelyn Bryant Chapman

Down from the icy barrens of Canada the howling blizzard had torn its way into the steel-walled canons of the great city, where the air was being woven rapidly into a swirling, smothering white blanket. Since the closing of the big offices and department stores at 3 o'clock the sound of transportation had come at longer intervals, until now at 8 the city was helpless and silent.

Peg Murphy with nine unsold papers, his block deserted, and "Bully" Moretti waiting "returns" in the warmth of the Italian cafe, shivered in body and soul, huddled in the deep recess of a north doorway. It was pay day and the "Bully" would hold over on him for a whole week.

Peg was very cold and very hungry, and therefore his stub was hurting him cruelly where the straps held the wooden stick on his left side. Also he had been very lonely all the time since his mother had gone on her last journey, for which the county had paid.

Something soft snuggled against his good leg, there came a long whine ending in a yelp of pain, and the boy looked down to see a small paw held up, while "Help" cried from the soft eyes of a dog whose every Irish hair spelled "Rough on Rats."

As Peg gently lifted the terrier to examine the injury, an electric coupe came to a stop at the curb, and a man stepped from it into the lights of the movie theater. A touch of the mystic was in the dark face above the high fur collar, as he turned and said, smilingly, "So that's why my car has stalled right here. A boy and a dog both in trouble on such a night as this? Get in the machine and let's see about it." Switching on the reading light he gently stroked the wiry haired spine, and softly held the paw until the trembling ceased, and then with a swift certainty of touch withdrew from it a large tack bedded to its head in the fleshy pad. Into the boy's mind flashed a picture from the days following the one when he had slipped in the icy slush and gone out into a great darkness as a loaded giant truck pinned him down.

After years of seemingly being whirled on a great wheel, the darkness had lightened and he had opened his eyes to see a beautiful angel smiling down at him, and to hear her say, "He's coming out quite all right, Doctor," and to feel a funny lopsided sensation where his left leg used to be. Convalescing in a wheel chair, while discipline winked or deliberately closed an eye to a favorite son, he had explored the great building and so one day he saw the Picture which remained: the Great Vision.

"Gee," thought Peg, as the little terrier gratefully licked the man's hand, "his eyes look jus' like Jesus' with the lamb, in the 'ospital window."

"Now drop your papers and beat it for home with your dog," the man was saying, "and if everything is not all right with either of you at any time, look me up." Boys and dogs happen to be long suits with me," and a card and a dollar bill were pressed into the lad's hand.

With the correct change from the restaurant Peg fought his way to Moretti. Big "Bully" swore at the delay, and more at having to settle for the week, and then, his eyes alight with pure malice, cried, "Where you getta da pup? I shaka hees hand," and his own closed with an iron grip on the inflated foot.

Promptly the dog's sharp teeth met in the back of that hand, and the enraged Corsican called after the fleeing pair, "For that I keela him; but he not die so queek lika he bite. Oh, no."

That night, as Peg showed "Tacks" to the kindly janitor in the furnace room, and curled down on a clean pile of excelsior with the cold nose buried in the hollow of his own throat, a great content came to him. Again he belonged to some one his very own.

Spring came; Moretti seemed so friendly that the two Celtic hearts forgave and Tacks almost forgot. Uncannily intelligent, he had joyously yearned many tricks from his adoring master. Muzzle lifted, he howled an "Extra" with the best, and people laughed and bought.

Then, one afternoon, delayed for change in the crowded restaurant, Peg came out to find no trace of Tacks. In vain his piercing three-note whistle (the code call which always brought the dog panting to his side) shrilled through the streets again and again.

Papers unsold, he hunted frantically for two hours, returning frequently to the boss to inquire, until Moretti, tiring of the game of cat and mouse, said: "Your pup gotta no license; my Tony taka heem to big vivassee" Doctor at the big medical school. Getta

feety cents; when dey cutta da live eye dey not goeva da sleep med'cin an' he no die so queek lika he bite. No-o."

"You devil," shrieked Peg, and then, as he thought of the torture awaiting Tack's shining trusting eyes, he pleaded piteously, "Aw—Bully—it's pay day; I'll work a whole mont' for nothin' if you'll give me my money to buy him back in time. He's all I got now; aw—Bully—please—"

"Nottin' doin' 'till papers all sold," sneered Moretti. With despair in his heart the boy tore across the street to "Cop" Corcoran with his tragedy. "O'm feared Tacks is a goner, me la-ad," the big policeman said. "Shure they'd niver aven listen to ye out at the great college; 'tis a grown man's job ye'd be after tacklin'." Slowly in that crowded thoroughfare the chapel window outlined in radiant colors its picture of Divine Compassion; and then a dark face with the Jesus look of pity bent down over a little hurt dog.

"Lead me a dime, Cork," said Peg, "and I'll find the grown man. He told me to come if Tacks or me got in trouble; look," and he held up a soiled and crumpled card bearing the name "Dr. Raoul Farranza"; and on see, Cork! he lives pretty near the college."

"Here's a quarter; go to it quick," said Corcoran.

The electric was standing at the curb before the exclusive bachelor apartment building, and a tall dark man about to enter was hailed by a breathless boy, who incoherently gasped, "You told me to come if Tacks or me didn't get along all right, an' they've got Tacks in that awful place over yonder an' they're goin' to cut his eyes an' him a knowin' it if you don't stop 'em an' he'll think I let 'em do it. Oh—" And the slow tears gathered at last and fell.

"Get in the car and tell me how this all happened," said Farranza; "I can go anywhere 'over yonder' and I know everybody inside; don't worry; I think we're in time to save him."

Inside the immense building, crowded fittingly with three crosses, Tack's lay strapped down upon a table, his every dog instinct alive to a great danger, and his beautiful eyes, wild with fear, fixed on the white-clad man who was sorting out those terrible shining things. With every nerve a-quiver he was listening for the beloved voice in the call of the three-note whistle, and with despair in his loyal dog heart he knew that when it sounded he would be helpless to answer it.

The man was bending very close now, but Tacks could not even shrink from the glitter of the pointed thing in his hand.

Suddenly the door opened and a voice Tacks had never forgotten cried, "Hold on, Frank; you've got a dog there that belongs to a kid friend of mine, and it's all he's got in the world. I met them in trouble last winter the night of the big blizzard, and I told the boy to come to me if he ever needed help. He's been playing a lone hand in Life's game, for he's just said to me, 'The old man died o' the snakes over at the Bridewell last Summer, an' the 'fu took me mother in October; I been hidin' out on the truant cops in a furnace room with a good janitor pal o' mine 'cause dey'd sen' me to some hell uv a institoot, an' I ain't doin' nothin' worse now dan earnin' me feed.' There's good stuff in the boy and I'm going to give him his chance. You know I'm pretty much alone in the world now myself. Some day, Frank, maybe you'll come to see, as I have, that you've got your causes and effects reversed, and then all this torture will be impossible to you. It's the minds of the world that need healing through Love. I'm leaving for the West tomorrow, so this is good-bye."

A moment later down in the car a jubilant boy tried vainly to control a whirlwind of a terrier, who was impartially dividing its carcases between Peg and the Doctor, who, laying his arm across the lad's shoulder, said, "Peg, my work here is over for the present; tomorrow we'll do a little outfitting. Tacks needs a collar with his name and his owner's on it, and you some clothes; but tomorrow night we three start for home in California, and a lot of dogs and horses, Peg, belong to that home. It's school for you, with the finest new leg money can buy, with a wonderful foot on it."

Then, again the worshipping Peg saw the look which was in the eyes of the Man in the Picture come into Farranza's, as he added, "And for me, work; the beautiful work of trying to make men and women realize how practical for every day use are the teachings of the Master, Christ."

—K.M.S.—

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## Read This; It Will Help to Keep You Out of Trouble

Austin, Tex., Jan. 10.—The National Prohibition Act, which became effective in part on October 28, 1919, is divided into three titles. Title I has to do with the enforcement of the War Time Prohibition Act; Title II with the prohibition of intoxicating beverages after the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution becomes effective, and Title III deals with the manufacture and use of industrial alcohol.

Titles I and III and sections of Title II became effective on October 28, last, and the following brief synopsis relates to this portion of the Act:

Any beverage containing one-half of 1 per cent or more of alcohol is considered intoxicating liquor under this Act.

Any room, house, building, boat, vehicle, structure, or place where intoxicating liquor is manufactured, sold, kept or bartered in violation of this Title, and all intoxicating liquor and property kept and used in maintaining the same is declared a common nuisance and any person who maintains a common nuisance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000, or be imprisoned for not less than thirty days, or more than one year, or both.

The storage in U. S. bonded warehouses of all liquor manufactured prior to the taking effect of this Act, or the transportation of such liquor to such warehouse or to any wholesale druggist for sale to such druggist for purposes not prohibited, when the tax is paid, is permitted.

A manufacturer of any beverage containing less than one-half of 1 per cent alcohol by volume, may, on making application and giving bond, be given a permit to develop in the manufacture thereof by the usual methods of fermentation and fortification or otherwise a liquid such as beer, ale, porter or wine, containing more than one-half of 1 per cent alcohol by volume, but before such liquid is withdrawn from the factory or otherwise disposed of the alcoholic content shall be reduced below one-half of 1 per cent. If the alcohol is saved from such a process it shall be taxable.

Any person now producing alcohol shall, within thirty days after the passage of this Act, make application to the Commissioner for registration of his industrial alcohol plant and such premises will be bonded and a permit issued.

Warehouses for the storage and distribution of alcohol to be used exclusively for other than beverage purposes may be established upon filing of application and bonds, and permits will be issued.

Any tax imposed by law upon alcohol shall attach as soon as it is in existence as such.

Alcohol may be produced at any industrial plant established under the provisions of this law, from any raw materials or by any process suitable for the production of the same.

Alcohol lawfully denatured, may under regulations, be sold free of tax for either domestic use or for export.

Two million dollars for the use of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue and \$100,000 for the use of the Department of Justice is appropriated for the enforcement of the provisions of this law.

Alcohol may be withdrawn, under regulations, from any industrial alcohol

plant or bonded warehouse tax free by the United States or any governmental agency thereof, or by the several States and Territories or any municipal subdivision, thereof, or by the District of Columbia, or for the use of any scientific university or college of learning and laboratory for use exclusively in scientific research, or for use in hospitals and sanitariums.

Following is a brief digest of Title II of the Act, which will become effective on January 16, 1920:

Any person engaged in the manufacture of medicinal preparations, patented medicines, toilet preparations and antiseptic preparations, flavoring extracts, that are unfit for beverage purposes, and of vinegar and preserved sweet cider may purchase and possess liquor for such purpose, but only under regulations prescribed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue. Any person who shall knowingly sell any of the above articles for beverage purposes shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned for six months, and for second or subsequent offense shall be fined not less than \$200 nor more than \$2,000 and be imprisoned not less than one month nor more than five years; and it shall be unlawful for such person to sell such articles for a period of one year thereafter without obtaining a permit to do so.

No one shall manufacture, purchase, sell, transport or prescribe any liquor without first obtaining permit from the Commissioner, except that a person may purchase and use liquor for medicinal purposes when prescribed by a physician as provided by regulations; and except any person who in the opinion of the Commissioner is conducting a bona fide hospital or sanitarium may purchase and use liquor to be administered to patients of such institution under the direction of a duly qualified physician employed by such institution.

All permits to manufacture, sell or transport liquor may be issued for one year, and shall expire on the 31st day of December next succeeding such issuance, provided that the Commissioner may extend any permit granted under this Act or laws now in force after August 31st in any year to December 31st of the succeeding year.

Permits to purchase liquor for manufacture or selling shall not be in force to exceed ninety days from day of issuance. A permit to purchase liquor for any other purpose shall not be in force to exceed thirty days.

No permit to sell, purchase or prescribe liquor shall be issued persons who have violated terms of permit within one year prior to application thereof or issuance thereof.

No permit shall be issued to sell liquor at retail unless the sale is to be made through a pharmacist designated in the permit and duly licensed under the laws of his State to compound and dispense medicine.

No permit shall be issued to prescribe liquor except it be to a duly licensed physician engaged in the practice of his profession.

No more than a pint of liquor to be taken internally shall be prescribed for use by the same person within a period of ten days and no prescription shall be filled more than once.

No permits will be issued until a verified written application has been made, setting forth the qualifications of the applicant and the purpose for which the liquor is to be used. A

bond also is required before such permit is issued.

The manufacture, sale, transportation, importation, possession or distribution of wine for sacramental purposes or like religious rites is not prohibited by this Act, but is subject to the regulations prescribed by the Commissioner. Only a rabbi, minister of the gospel, priest, or an officer of the church duly authorized for the purpose, upon application duly subscribed by him, is allowed to purchase the same.

If at any time the Commissioner has reason to believe that any person who has a permit is not in good faith conforming to the provisions of this Act, and after trial it is found that such person has willfully violated any such laws, permit will be revoked and no permit shall be granted such person within one year thereafter.

No person shall manufacture, purchase for sale or transport any liquor without making at the time a permanent record thereof showing in detail the amount and kind of liquor manufactured, purchased, sold or transported, giving name and address of person to whom sold, and the time and place of manufacture.

Wholesale and retail druggists are required to keep a copy of all permits to purchase on which a sale of any liquor is made and no manufacturer or wholesale druggist shall sell any liquor except at wholesale in lots of five gallons or more, and only to persons having permits to purchase in such quantities.

The manufacturer and wholesale druggist are required to label every container of liquor manufactured or sold by them.

Carriers are required to make a record at the place of shipment of the receipt of any liquor transported and shall deliver same only to persons upon presentation of a verified copy of permit to purchase liquor.

It shall be unlawful for a person to use or induce any carrier or any employee thereof to ship any package containing liquor without notifying carrier of the true nature and character of shipment.

It shall be unlawful to give to any carrier or any employee thereof, an order requiring the delivery of liquor consigned to or claimed to be consigned to a person when the purpose of the order is to enable any person not an actual bona fide consignee to obtain such liquor.

It shall be unlawful to advertise by any means or method liquor or the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, or furnishing of the same. Billboards containing such advertising are prohibited.

The advertising of alcohol in business publications or trade journals circulating generally among manufacturers of lawful alcoholic perfumes, toilet preparations, flavoring extracts, medicinal preparations and like articles, is permitted.

It shall be unlawful to advertise, manufacture, sell or possess for sale any utensil, contrivance, machine, preparation, compound, tablet, substance, formula or receipt advertised, designed or intended for the use in the unlawful manufacture of intoxicating liquor.

No person shall, nor permit his employee to solicit or receive an order for liquor or give information of how liquor may be obtained in violation of this Act.

Any person who shall be injured in person, property, means of support or otherwise by an intoxicated person shall have a right of action against any person who shall be unlawfully selling to or unlawfully assisting in procuring liquor for such intoxicated person causing such injury.

It shall be unlawful for any person who shall, with intent to effect a sale of liquor by himself, his employee, servant or agent for himself or any person, company or corporation, to keep or carry around on his person or in a vehicle or other conveyance, or leave in a place for another to secure, any liquor, or to travel to solicit, solicit, or take or accept orders for the sale, shipment or delivery of liquor in violation of this law.

It shall be unlawful to have or possess any liquor or property designed for the manufacture of liquor intended for use in violating this title or which has been used, and no property rights shall exist in any such liquor or property.

When a person is discovered in the act of transporting liquor in a conveyance on land or water or in the air, contrary to law, such liquor and conveyance shall be seized and held by the officer, and such person shall be proceeded against as provided by law.

After February 1, 1920, the possession of liquor by any person not legally permitted under this title to possess liquor shall be prima facie evidence that such liquor is kept for the purpose of being sold, bartered, exchanged, given away, furnished or otherwise disposed of in violation of this Act. Persons are entitled to have liquor in their own homes used by them as a dwelling only for the use

### TRESPASS NOTICES

POSTED—The pastures of S. S. Durant, known as the old Frank Moore place, are posted against all trespassing. 47-10tp

TRESPASS NOTICE—I will prosecute anyone hunting or in any other way trespassing on my land. S. E. Thompson. 16-1f

TRESPASS NOTICE—I will prosecute any one hunting with dogs or gun in the Reservoir Pasture north of town. CHARLES SCHREINER

POSTED—No hunting or trespassing allowed on my ranch 22 miles west of Kerrville, 1,600 acres, or on my home place 11 miles west of Kerrville. Trespassers will be dealt with as the law directs. D. S. GRIFFIN. 43-ftc

TRESPASS NOTICE—All parties are hereby warned not to hunt or trespass on our pastures on the head of Turtle Creek and west of same. All trespassing will be prosecuted according to law. WALTER REAL, DR. LEE SECOR, JOHN PAMPELL, D. B. CANDLER. 50-ftc

TRESPASS NOTICE—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

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Invites Your Trade.  
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We have put in a new machine for Hemstitching and Picoting, and solicit your orders.

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Positively no regular boarders taken without a certificate from a doctor stating that they have no Tuberculosis.

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of the family or bona fide guests entertained therein.

Any person who manufactures or sells liquor in violation of this law shall for the first offense be fined not more than \$1,000 or be imprisoned not exceeding six months, and for second or subsequent offense shall be fined not less than \$200 nor more than \$2,000 and be imprisoned not less than one month nor more than five years.





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### CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTES

By Father Kemper

The first funeral of the current year was that of Felipe Monsabellas, conducted in the Guadalupe Church on Wednesday afternoon. Decedent had died of heart trouble in his 56th year. He was the husband of Concepcion Torres. His numerous friends, both Catholic and non-Catholic, crowded the Mexican chapel to the limit, and attentively heard a Spanish explanation of St. Matthew's text (XV, 14) about "blind leaders," for "none are more blind than those who will not see."

In order to help the census enumerators, the Mexicans were also informed about Uncle Sam's inquisitiveness regarding personal data which he, as a good business man, is eager to learn at the cost of over twenty million dollars. The presumed difficulty among these Spanish-speaking citizens is more than offset by their inborn courtesy. As often as the parish census has been taken amongst them there has never been any indication of brutality or slander.

Conformable to an established custom for the past nine years, a detailed statement was rendered last Sunday in St. Mary's parish about the financial and spiritual statistics of the previous twelve months. Many interesting facts came to light in this summary, as for instance, the growth in daily communicants. Due to them the number of Holy Communions received during 1919 reached the total of 8,382. There were about the same number of confessions heard, and during May, Rt. Rev. Drossaerts confirmed 76 candidates. We had 33 baptisms, 8 marriages and 11 funerals. Twenty-six boys and girls were admitted to First Holy Communion in Spring.

Rev. J. G. Barrez, Father Kemper's predecessor in Kerrville, was to have started his return voyage to America on the 5th instant, but a few days previously he was stricken with apoplexy and may have to remain among his war-stricken relatives in Belgium.

Lawrence Fitz Simon, who will be remembered by the old parishioners, and who is a brother-in-law of the Sap auditor, received his discharge the other day from naval service. He had belonged to the U. S. S. "Hun" of the "Suicide Squadron." His ship held the record in its own class for exploding over 2,000 mines in the North Sea. Lawrence saw the entire German fleet in Scapa Flow previous to its destruction.

It was very gratifying to the devoted Sisters at the Mexican School to be able to begin this semester with a very large increase of students. These pupils manifest great pride in their beautiful and spacious playgrounds, which they make a pattern of cleanliness in the Mexican settlement.

All the young lady boarders who went home for the Yuletide have returned to St. Mary's Convent. Miss Helen Mosel of the Notre Dame High School Department had to go to San Antonio for medical treatment. Her sister, Mrs. Annie Tarrillon, gave birth on Wednesday to an 8 1/2-pound baby boy, who will be christened next Sunday with the name of Charles William, in honor of his grandpa and papa. Wm. Tarrillon, since his return from Wichita Falls, is plastering Gus Schreiner's residence.

Miss Mary Lange went to the metropolis in the early part of this week with Mrs. Rudolph Stehling in order to complete her trousseau for her marriage next Tuesday to Joseph Stehling. The ceremony will take place at 8 a. m. in St. Mary's Church and everyone, regardless of creed, is cordially invited to witness the impressive rites.

In the current issue of The Buick Magazine an illustrated article is contributed by Father Kemper to entice autoists to our Hill Country. Another Kerrville booster appeared this month in The Catholic Citizen of Milwaukee.

Considerable anxiety was felt, by the many friends of Eugene O'Brien, the oil well driller, who was regarded as one of the strongest physical specimens in this community. He had never suffered any illness whatever in his life until the 5th of this month, when he was seized with hiccoughs. After a week of this strange malady, the sufferer rallied at the City Hospital.

Services will be held next Sunday in Comfort at 8:20 a. m. and in St. Mary's before sunrise at 6 o'clock.

K.M.S.  
"The preacher has a hard time," some writer has said. "If his hair is grey, he is old. If he is a young man, he hasn't had experience. If he has eight or ten children, he has too many. If he has none, he should have, and isn't setting a good example. If his wife sings in the choir, she is presuming. If she doesn't, she isn't interested in her husband's work. If a preacher reads from notes, he is a bore. If he speaks extemporaneously, he isn't deep enough. If he stays at home in his study, he doesn't mix

enough with the people. If he is seen around the streets, he ought to be at home getting up a good sermon. If he calls on some very poor family, he is playing to the grandstand. If he calls at the home of the rich, he is an aristocrat. Whatever he does, someone could have told him how to do better."

### DISCHARGED SOLDIERS ARE ENTITLED TO WEAR UNIFORM

San Antonio Express.  
A letter written by Maj. Gen. P. C. Harris, adjutant general of the army, to Representative Carlos Bee, giving regulations regarding the wearing of the army uniform and overcoat by men who have been honorably discharged from the military service, was received yesterday from Representative Bee by Edward F. Schneider, 710 Monterey Street. The letter follows complaints made in San Antonio against action of military police in stopping ex-service men wearing army garments.

Former soldiers, honorably discharged, are authorized to wear both the army uniform and the army overcoat, provided they wear a red chevron, signifying their honorable discharge from the service, Maj. Gen. Harris said.

K.M.S.  
Methodist Church Notes

Don't forget that Mr. Bickers, the Irish orator, representing the Anti-Saloon League, will speak in the Methodist Church next Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Be sure and be there and tell your friends about it. Mr. Bickers has a message for you.

The Bible Study of the Missionary Society will begin at 3 o'clock on the first Monday afternoon the weather man will permit. It seems Jupiter Pluvius has it in for the ladies who desire to begin this Bible study. He can't hold out all the time, however. Let us not lose interest in this very important work because we have been hindered in starting it. We hope all the prospective members and the members of this class will be present at the morning service, especially, next Sunday morning, as we desire to speak along this line that will be of interest to them.

Centenary Pledges all past due. I will be around to see some of you when I get paddles on my bicycle.

ROY T. HOUTS, Pastor.  
K.M.S.  
First Baptist Church

The pastor and his family were most cordially received by the congregation and other friends. This happy and pleasant entering in upon the work makes us feel that the opportunities for real sympathetic service are highly encouraging. We are here to serve; to serve not only those who call themselves Baptists, but any others who need us. Our phone number is 134.

All the regular services were held last Sunday in spite of the bad weather.

We are expecting two great services next Sunday.

Sunday, the 25th, at 11 a. m., we will have a Roll Call service. If you are on the Baptist roll, please be present and answer to your name.

At present the Prayer Meeting will be Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., and the Teachers' Meeting will be held immediately following.

Our church is always comfortable and the public is invited to all our services. We want to be "The Church of the Hearty Welcome."

JUDD B. HOLT, Pastor.  
K.M.S.  
Ingram Baptist Church Notes

Unpleasant weather conditions hindered our services the past Sunday at Sunset. That same barrier has been ours to face these last three months, but victory thrills our hearts until we are able to rise above such difficulties.

The Mountain Home people have the will to win, and we feel assured that they shall do so. Their loyalty has been shown in a great fashion in all the interests of the community, and especially in the Sunday School. We thank God for that noble band of Christian people.

We are still calling for a forward movement at Ingram. This end of the field is fortunate to have a great multitude of Christian people; many of them are blessed with talents. The Lord has promised us success; let's claim it. Let us willingly, unitedly and eagerly begin the year 1920 by sounding a high note in service.

Next Sunday will be our special Go-to-Church Day. Please bear that fact in mind; and as you think about it, prepare to come to church. 1919 is gone, 1920 is upon us; let's make the best of it.

May it be understood clearly that all denominations have a standing invitation to our services always. Furthermore, we urge you to come; and we shall feel disappointed if you don't come. Meet us on time next Sunday in the Sunday School.

ROGER C. WALKER, Pastor.



## The Pirate-

"Sh! What would happen to me if I were your kid? Well, if you're not acquainted with Calumet Baking Powder you don't know what a good excuse I have. I Can't Help Helping Myself—they're so good! Good for me too, because Calumet Baking Powder is wholesome and easily digested. Millions of mothers use CALUMET BAKING POWDER because of its purity—because it always gives best results and is economical in cost and use. Calumet contains only such ingredients as have been approved officially by the U. S. Food Authorities. You save when you buy it. You save when you use it. HIGHEST QUALITY AWARDS"



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We will be glad to quote special prices on anything listed above, if large quantities are desired.

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### Women!

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- PERSONAL DESCRIPTION—Sex, color or race, age, single or married.
- CITIZENSHIP—Naturalized or alien. Year of immigration if alien.
- EDUCATION—Whether able to read or write.
- NATIVITY—Place of birth of each person and parents.
- If born in United States the State must be given. If of foreign birth, place of birth and mother tongue must be given; also whether able to speak English.
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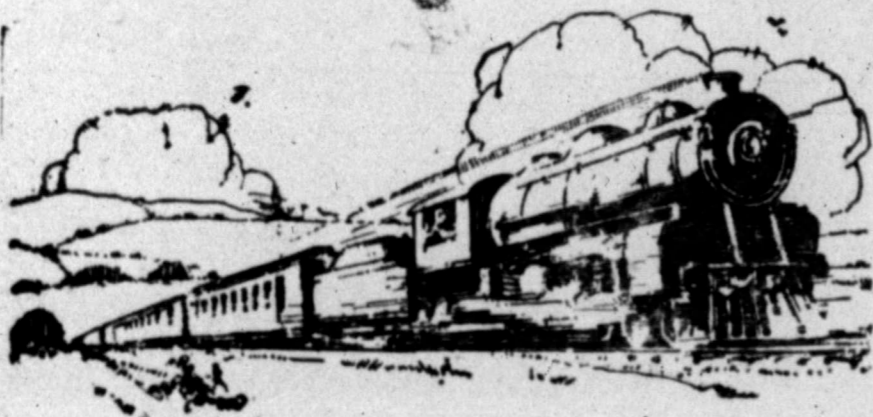


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—JAMES J. HILL

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and cuts down costs by investment in labor-saving machinery.

Good prices for the farmers' crops encourage new investment, more production and greater prosperity.

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Good morning, have you bought that new automobile license?

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"Happiness," some homely philosopher has said, "is a roadside flower growing on the highway of usefulness."

"As a rule, man's a fool. When it's hot he wants it cool; when it's cool he wants it hot; always wanting what is not."

"Nearly every Adam has his Eve," says The Topeka Capital. And it must be admitted that many of them likewise have their apples.

"This talk about married men being bossed is all bosh," says The Economist. "A married man can make his wife do anything she wants to."

One trouble with the average Government or State bureau publication is that it is hard to tell where the "public benefit" stuff leaves off and the political dope commences.

"You cannot dream yourself into a character," says Froide. "You must hammer and forge yourself one." You may succeed in temporarily building up a passably good "reputation" by hypocrisy and outward appearance, but the character that lasts is the inner man and must be of pure gold that will stand the acid test. "The wicked (even the secretly wicked) stand in slippery places."

We note that the City Council of Uvalde have promulgated an ordinance forbidding anyone but a duly accredited and authorized representative of the United States Government to either buy, sell, barter or offer or accept as collateral any Thrift Stamps or War Savings Stamps. We suppose the ordinance would "hold water" about two seconds, but it is a bluff in a good direction.

From an exchange published in Northwest Texas we note that the leading qualifications of one man accepted for jury service in a noted murder trial were: "Married, farmer, Baptist; never reads newspapers, and the only one that comes to his house is one printed in Michigan, which is sent to him gratis." May make a crackerjack juror, but we'll be hanged if his fourth qualification is very complimentary to the first three.

Bro. Dollahite of The Edwards County Leader at Rocksprings recently added a Linotype machine to his office equipment, and is having more fun with it than a box of monkeys. The keyboard shimmies so he can't hit the right key more than once in ever so often, and when the doctor prescribes a lower-case letter a cap often shows up in the proof, and vice versa. But Bro. Dollahite will soon have the critter bridle-wise, and then he will be able to give his people a better paper than has heretofore been possible.

Recently The Mountain Sun had the pleasure of reporting the addition of O. H. Roberts to the Terrell Publishing Company's "string" of practical newspaper men. This week we have the pleasure of reporting another strong addition, that of J. B. White, formerly city editor of The San Antonio Daily Express, who becomes local manager of the Terrell Company's office at Cameron, where he will have charge of The Cameron Herald, one of the leading weeklies of the State, succeeding T. N. Herring, who has gone into the newspaper business "on his own" in the same city, becoming editor and manager of The Cameron Enterprise.

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**ADVICE TO CANDIDATES**

Dear Candidates: You are to face voters of a new type this year. Some of you, perhaps, learned some things two years ago, but most of you will be new at the game of hunting votes where the swish of silks is heard and the odor of talcum is exhaled. You will have to make many changes.

It used to be that a ragged pair of trousers and a hickory shirt were vote getters, but these will spell defeat where the new type of suffragans do the voting. Fresh shaves and creased trousers are vote winners now. And you ought to have your cards engraved, bordered in baby blue and richly perfumed. Even these precautions fail unless the candidate is a diplomat in speech.

If you would be sure of the vote of the boss of the house, when calling at a residence, never approach the lady who meets you at the door as if you had imagined her a voter. Ask her if her mother is at home. If she says no, leave your card with the statement that you know she is not old enough to vote, but you will be very glad to have her hand the card to her mother, older sister or sweetheart.—J. HONEYGROVE LOWRY.

**Hitting Him Below the Belt**

"Did you call me a bonehead?" asked the big man.  
"No," answered the little fellow. "I merely referred to you as an example of cerebral ossification."  
"H'm. Would you mind waiting here a minute till I go and look in the dictionary?"—Washington Star.  
—K.M.S.  
To pay our poll tax is loyalty to the children of Texas. They need our help in a generous school fund.  
—K.M.S.  
Cinders are no more worthless than good intentions which go no further. Buy those War Savings Stamps now.

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- SLICED Boiled or Raw Ham and Sliced Bacon at C. C. Butt Grocery.
- COTTON SEED HULLS are excellent cow feed. Get them at Mosel, Saenger & Co. 3-tfc
- PHONE 43, John G. Ayala, for hauling and transfer. Prompt service, fair charges. 26-tfc
- ORDER your fresh meats and groceries together today from C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-tfc
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- APARTMENT, completely furnished, south sleeping porch, private bath. H. H. Kuhlmann, Main St., Tel. 10. References. 2-tfc
- DEPOT Restaurant: Best of attention and good eats, short orders. Phone orders promptly filled. Phone 43. J. G. Ayala, Prop. 32-tfc
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- A CLASSIFIED adv. in The Mountain Sun will tell hundreds of people what you have to offer or what you wish to buy. Nickle a line.
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- FRESH Redfish, Trout and Flounder every Friday at C. C. Butt Grocery.
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- WANTED—Girl or woman for housework. Mrs. Orion Procter, Phone 293.
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- Jno. R. Leavell.....Dist. and Co. Clerk
- J. T. Moore.....Sheriff and Tax Col.
- W. G. Peterson.....Assessor
- A. B. Williamson.....Treasurer
- W. G. Garrett.....County Attorney
- A. L. Starkey.....Surveyor
- Commissioners**
- Arthur Real, Kerrville.....Prec. 1
- Jas. Crotty, Center Point.....Prec. 2
- Hugo Wiedenfeld, Comfort.....Prec. 3
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- Justices of the Peace**
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### THIRTY MILLIONS' RELIEF BY RED CROSS THIS YEAR

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—The American Red Cross will spend \$30,000,000 this year.

Out of a fund of that amount available for the year's work, \$15,000,000 has been set aside for European relief, \$13,750,000 for use at home and \$1,250,000 for completing its program in Siberia.

In making public plans for the carrying forward of the Red Cross peace-time activities, Dr. Livingston Farrand, head of the Red Cross, declared that a considerable reserve must be held for emergency calls, such as "such possible events as the opening of Russia to intercourse with the United States."

With appeals infinitely beyond Red Cross resources and unable to count on additions to its total fund during the year, the executive committee, he said, found it "wise and necessary to consider the application of its funds so that the soundest sense of proportion might prevail."

K.M.S.  
B. W. M. W.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will have its monthly missionary meeting at the home of Mrs. L. W. McCoy Tuesday, January 20, at 3 p. m., with Mrs. A. G. Morriss as leader. Program as follows:

Song, "I Love to Tell the Story."  
"Home Mission Heroes." Thess. xi:32, xii:2.

"Prayer That W. M. U. Members May Tell the Unsaved Around Them About Jesus," Mrs. Rawson.

"What Home Missions Will Get Out of the Campaign," Mrs. J. T. Moore.

Song, "We Praise Thee, O God."  
"Our Southland—First, Its Assets; Second, Its Liabilities; Third, Its Surety," Mrs. T. B. Peterson.

"Prayer for Our Home Missionaries," Mrs. A. M. Morriss.

Song, "Stand Up for Jesus."  
Roll call, each one to respond with the name and location of a Home Mission, followed by free will offering and dismissal with prayer.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE.  
K.M.S.  
Furs wanted by M. M. Baylor, opposite Baptist Church. 52-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schwethelm spent Sunday and Monday of this week in San Antonio.

We handle fresh bread and deliver same with your groceries or meats. C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wedekind of Harper were in town Saturday, en route to San Antonio.

S. P. Wellborn and family arrived recently from Kentucky and expect to make their home here.

Otto Henke was in from Morris Ranch the other day and set his subscription figures forward.

Mrs. R. D. Peril and Miss Ethel Peril left the first of the week for San Antonio, after spending the Winter here.

Women over 60 are exempt from poll tax. Girls coming of age after February 1, 1919, can get exemption receipt.

Mrs. F. A. Ober of San Antonio came up Saturday to spend the week-end with her mother, Mrs. N. G. Pfeuffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Starkey of Oklahoma City have been visiting J. J. and A. L. Starkey and Miss Alice Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ward of Mt. Vernon, Ill., spent last week visiting friends and relatives in San Antonio.

Andrew Biermann of Comfort was among the goodly number who have called and set their Mountain Sun figures forward since our last issue.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Heard are here at the bedside of their father, C. H. Heard, who is seriously ill, and are also visiting their sister, Mrs. J. F. Leisinger.

Among records recently contributed for the Victrola, which the Parent-Teachers' Club donated to the school, is a splendid one given by Mrs. George Morris.

# Ford

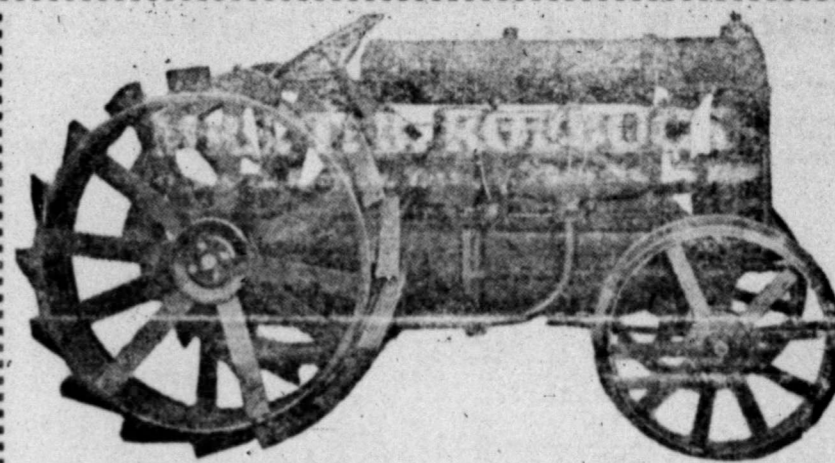
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### This Week---

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 14—

Five-Reel Metro Feature.  
Ford Weekly.

FRIDAY, JAN. 16—

"Money Corral," Wm. S. Hart.  
"Fatty's Bubble Trick," Arbuckle Comedy.

SATURDAY, JAN. 17—

"Winning Stroke," George Walsh.  
"Oh Teacher," Mutt and Jeff.

### Next Week---

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 21—

Five-Reel Metro Feature.  
Ford Weekly.

THURSDAY, JAN. 22—

"Heart of Texas Ryan," Tom Mix.  
(Special Attraction)

FRIDAY, JAN. 23—

"Hay Foot-Straw Foot," Charles Ray.  
"Fatty" Arbuckle Comedy.

SATURDAY, JAN. 24—

"Lost Princess," Albert Ray and Elinor Fair.  
"Hands Up," Mutt and Jeff.



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### PODGER'S PARAGRAPHS

Well folks, did you notice what a nice newsy paper it was last week? It's mighty easy for the editor when you all hustle around and keep something happening every minute like a circus or a pitcher-show.

I ain't been over to the town to get me no ideas so I will have to think of something out of the cloudy sky, which is all around and everywhere you look at, and rain into the bargain.

Last night I was thinking of the time Lem White hauled off and soaked Old Man Archer in the eye, and thought maybe I'd tell you all about that. Then I got to thinking about the jail where they was both put at, an' how the jail got builded by the Three Wise Men that always run our town and I guessed again and that maybe perhaps I'd better tell you about that there jail first, or about the Three Wig Men, or the rocus that was had about the jail after it was all done and finished off completely.

Now the Three Wise Men built it that jail without any idea that they would ever have to go into it. Yes sir, they arkited and composed it from the bottom up and every one else was too busy rustlin' around to get the tax money to pay for it to find out if they was satisfied with it or not.

They didn't seem to be no one satisfied with it. Them as never expected to go there said it was too good and them as had a chance to gettin' into it said it wasn't good enough, but the Three Wise Men said it suited them, and they was already to boss another job as soon as the money to build a stand pipe could be dug up.

Then a feller wrote it a piece for the paper and took that jail apart and put it up again, and wound up by sayin' it wasn't a fitten place to put the Three Wise Men that built it.

Now, them there Three Wise Men were as mad as men usually git who are lookin' after the public money which is paid in taxes. They thought that was a mighty fine jail, good enough for anybody, and demanded a public apology from the Aleck that wrote it the piece in the paper. Well, the Aleck he said alright, so he give it a big supper in the Odd Feller's Hall, and had speechifyin' an' every little-thing, an' then he got up and made it his apology.

He said that what he wrote was that there jail wasn't no fitten place even for the men that composed it, and he admitted that he had made a mistake an' a big one, an' he was grateful that his attention had been called to it.

"I want to change that all," he said. "That there jail is just the fittest place and the really and truly only place for the three rascals that built it."

And it was the very next day that Lem White hauled off an' soaked Old Man Archer in the eye.

And that is about all there was to it, an' no one paid any more attention to it than we do to a Congressional investigation or the Pieces of Treaty, or the Leeg of Notions; Lloyd George's notions, by the way.

A. PODGER.

K.M.S.

An Old One Retold

Washington Star.

"You can't expect much of a millionaire. A millionaire, on one pretext or another, will escape you."

The speaker was Guy Oyster, President Gompers' secretary. He went on:

"A shabby man called on a millionaire one day and the two men shook hands warmly, for they were boyhood chums.

"Bill," said the shabby man, "I hear you're worth millions."

"Yes," said Bill. "I've got on pretty fine. How has the world treated you?"

"Terrible, Bill," the shabby man answered. "Let me tell you about it. You see, my father died in 1912 and then my mother, and on top of that wife and I lost our daughter. Then wife's father died and then her mother. Bill, it certainly was tough."

"It certainly was," said the millionaire, and he took out a white silk handkerchief and wiped his eyes.

"But, Bill," said the shabby man, "the spring is yet to come. Early in the Spring our oldest boy died and his death so upset wife that she died, too. Of course the doctor's bill all fell on me, and the natural consequence was that I went bankrupt. Bankrupt and all alone. Bill, I'm bankrupt and all alone."

"The millionaire was sobbing bitterly by now. He touched a button on his desk and a burly porter entered. "Pete," said the millionaire to the porter, "throw this man out. He's breaking my heart."

K.M.S.

It's not what you make, but what you save that counts. Are you getting ahead or slipping behind? War Savings Stamps are pretty good non-skid chains.

### THRIFT-O-GRAMS

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 12.—Three hundred of the employees of a large local hotel have had \$3,000 in War Savings Stamps divided among them by the management as a bonus.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 12.—The first "limit" buyer of War Savings Stamps in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District is the State of Texas, which, through State Treasurer John W. Baker, has bought a \$1,000 Registered Treasury Savings Certificate. The January price is \$824. The State put its order with the Government Savings Division on December 20th to be sure that it would get the first certificate issued in the district.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 12.—State Superintendents of Public Instruction of Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Louisiana will shortly call upon every teacher in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District to report to the State Department of Education the number of Thrift lessons taught, Thrift Clubs formed and money saved by their pupils during the Fall term of 1919. Under instructions from their State superintendents and with the co-operation of the Government Savings Division, the school teachers are instructing their pupils in saving. School children in this district now own over \$16,000,000 of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps. These savings are earning them more than a quarter of a million dollars in interest yearly.

K.M.S.

SIBERIAN Y. W. C. A.

GROWS LARGER DAILY

Over in Siberia a staff of Y. W. C. A. workers are slowly but surely making headway in organizing an Association and in interesting girls in the various activities planned for their benefit. Overcoming the mountains of difficulties which arise from the abnormal educational and social situation in Vladivostok has been a problem to be approached slowly and with eyes open.

The workers report finding a few people interested in the things which have to do with girls and with whatever information they have gathered they are carefully developing their activities. There are sewing classes and one of the workers is conducting classes in spelling and letter writing.

The girls who are studying English are particularly loyal in their attendance at classes. On one day when there was a heavy rain leading questions brought out the fact that not one of the girls had an umbrella; one only had a raincoat, and one or two had overshoes. In spite of these few difficulties the girls manage to attend their classes regularly.

One of the secretaries, in telling of the hostess house which was finally obtained after much hard work, says: "Our hostess house is open, formally and actually, and a very creditable Hostess House it is. It is the first one, we are sure, to be made out of an old military storehouse, and the brick walls, heavy-beamed ceiling, small iron-barred windows, huge barn-like doors and thick brick supporting column make an interior not only unique, but interestingly attractive."

"The furniture is of light wicker and unpainted pine in the social end of the long room, while that in the canteen has been painted blue. The effect is very pleasing through the corn-colored silk curtains. Two fireplaces have been built and the piano, victrola, bookcases, writing tables, chairs and settees, effectively placed, make the place very homelike. Special mention must be made of the beautiful extra touches in the shape of lamp shades, book ends and desk sets which Miss Rowland's artistic sense and skillful fingers have provided, and which add greatly to the homelikeness of the house."

K.M.S.

The Waitress' Revenge

The Sioux Falls Press tells of a waitress, who had occasion to call up a party at another town. She did not get the party with whom she wished to talk. Nevertheless she had to pay for the message under the Burlington station-to-station, person-to-person system. She protested vigorously against the charge, but was informed that she must pay for the "report" that the party she wanted was not available for conversation.

A day or two later the manager of the telephone company was waited on by the waitress. Among other things he ordered a piece of cherry pie. He was advised that the larder was innocent of cherry pie at that time. When he went to pay his bill he noted that he was charged for a piece of cherry pie! He protested, but was met by the waitress, who told him that the charge was for the "report" that there was no cherry pie to be had.

K.M.S.

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No. 248

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

## First State Bank

at Kerrville, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1919, published in The Mountain Sun, a newspaper printed and published at Kerrville, State of Texas, on the 16th day of January, 1920.

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$138,382.34
Loans, real estate	8,283.01
Overdrafts	2,910.76
Bonds and Stocks	19,049.70
Real Estate (banking house)	6,500.00
Other Real Estate	1,472.73
Furniture and Fixtures	2,400.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	41,173.67
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	1,699.20
Cash Items	1,341.92
Currency	9,026.00
Specie	1,581.70
Interest and Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,700.36
Other Resources (Warrant Account)	2,261.90
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$237,783.29</b>

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	207.80
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	1,713.31
Individual Deposits, subject to check	164,440.78
Time Certificates of Deposit	30,529.73
Cashier's Checks	891.67
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$237,783.29</b>

### RECAPITULATION

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$148,927.25
Overdrafts	2,910.76
U.S. Bonds and Treas. Cert.	19,049.70
Banking House, Furniture, Fixtures and Real Estate	10,372.73
Int. in Dep. Guar. Fund	1,700.36
Cash and Exchange	54,822.49
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$237,783.29</b>

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	207.80
Deposits	197,575.49
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$237,783.29</b>

State of Texas, County of Kerr.

We, E. Galbraith, as president, and A. B. Williamson, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. GALBRAITH, President.  
A. B. WILLIAMSON, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:  
A. B. BURTON,  
A. A. ROBERTS,  
J. L. FOWLER,  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, A. D. 1920.

E. H. TURNER,  
Notary Public, Kerr County, Texas.

(First Publication Jan. 16)

Notice by Publication in Probate Case No. 457

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Kerr County, Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your County) at least once a week for two consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all Persons Interested in the Estate of W. G. Bacon, Deceased, Charles Leinweber has filed an application in the County Court of Kerr County on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1920, for Letters of Administration on the estate of said W. G. Bacon, Deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 2nd day of February, 1920, at the Court House of said County, in Kerrville, Texas, at which time all persons who are interested in said Estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Kerrville, Texas, this 12th day of January, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) JNO. R. LEAVELL,  
Clerk County Court,  
Kerr County, Texas.

(Seal) K.M.S.

The Mountain Sun, \$1.50 Per Year.

No. 350

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

## Guadalupe Valley Bank

at Center Point, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1919, published in The Kerrville Mountain Sun, a newspaper printed and published at Kerrville, State of Texas, on the 16th day of January, 1920.

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 59,946.18
Loans, real estate	4,678.00
Overdrafts	1,077.76
Bonds and Stocks	12,415.92
Real Estate (banking house)	3,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,450.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	15,585.78
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	10,064.24
Cash Items	1,102.32
Currency	4,145.00
Specie	1,139.99
Interest and Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,723.96
Other Resources (School Warrants)	743.30
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$118,072.45</b>

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 20,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,850.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,532.36
Individual Deposits, subject to check	80,035.94
Time Certificates of Deposit	7,599.88
Cashier's Checks	2,354.27
Bonds Deposited	2,700.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$118,072.45</b>

State of Texas, County of Kerr.

We, Malnor Shumard, as president, and W. D. Burney, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

MALNOR SHUMARD, President.  
W. D. BURNEY, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:  
DEE BURNEY,  
J. B. REES,  
T. L. WILLS,  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) JAMES CROTTY,  
Notary Public, Kerr County, Texas.

(First Publication Jan. 16)

Notice by Publication in Probate Case No. 456

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Kerr County, Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your County) at least once a week for two consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all Persons Interested in the Estate of D. Broughton, Deceased, George Walker has filed an application in the County Court of Kerr County on the 10th day of January, 1920, for the Probate of the Will of said D. Broughton, Deceased, and for Letters of Administration on the estate of said D. Broughton, Deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 2nd day of February, 1920, at the Court House of said County, in Kerrville, Texas, at which time all persons who are interested in said Estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

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Witness my hand and official seal, at Kerrville, Texas, this 12th day of January, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) JNO. R. LEAVELL,  
Clerk County Court,  
Kerr County, Texas.

(Seal) K.M.S.

The moonshine still artist and other violators of the prohibition law are going to face a new situation after January 16, when the National prohibition law goes into effect. Heretofore a moonshiner has been treated by the Federal courts simply as a tax defaulter. He was not fined for running a still but for failing to comply with the law requiring him to pay a revenue tax. After January 16 he will be a criminal in the eyes of the court and be treated as such. Small fines and sentences of a few days or months in jail will be at an end. Hereafter it will be a free ride and a long term in the Federal penitentiary. Verily, moonshining is going to be a risky piece of business from now on and nobody but those belonging to the criminal class is going to engage in it.—Lyons (Ga.) Progress.

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# HAPPY NEW YEAR



## CASH-AND-CARRY GROCERY

### What Shall I Fix for Dinner?

What shall I fix for dinner? This is a problem which is always perplexing to a housekeeper, but it is particularly so at this time of the year when vegetables are scarce and high, and you have grown sick and tired of just plain bread and meat.

When that question arises, as it does every morning about 8:30 or 9 o'clock, just go to your phone and call for 1-6-2. The Cash-and-Carry Grocery handles all the fresh vegetables that are obtainable, such as lettuce, celery, tomatoes, cabbage, turnips, sweet peppers, etc., as well as Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, onions, beans, and black-eyed and speckled peas.

In addition to these, however, there are canned vegetables of all kinds—corn, hominy, string beans, peas, spinach, beets, asparagus, tomatoes, pumpkins, sauer kraut, lima beans, etc. We have macaroni, spaghetti, vermicelli and noodles. We have syrups of all kinds, from maple to home-made sorghum. We have dried and canned fruits. We have whole dried apricots at 25c a pound. Just the thing to use that dark brown sugar with. Try them.

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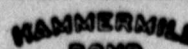
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### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

#### Items of Interest Gathered Here and There

J. H. Vanham spent the week at his ranch on the Divide.

Order fresh fish every Friday from C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-tfc

Lawrence Lundell of Taylor spent the week-end in town visiting friends.

The Tuesday Bridge Club meets this week with Mrs. C. W. Rawson as hostess.

New and second-hand sewing machines at M. M. Baylor's, opposite Baptist Church. 52-tfc

Miss Emma Enderle of San Antonio is a guest of Capt. Chas. Schreiner and other relatives here.

Mr. Reichert left Tuesday on a two or three weeks' business trip to Houston and other points.

For Sale—A mare and buggy, cow, calf, cultivator and harrow. W. W. Maner, Kerrville, Tex. 4-1tc

Miss Zuhry of McAllen, Texas, is here visiting her brother, who is at the Thompson Sanatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Simpson of Salina, Kan., have as their guests their son and daughter of Salina.

Miss Jettie Sageser of Harper was in town last Saturday, en route to San Antonio, where she will attend a business college.

H. G. Cram of El Reno, Okla., is here at the St. Charles for a few weeks and is also visiting relatives on Turtle Creek.

H. T. Anderson, superintendent of the S. A. & A. P. Road, and J. B. Goodlee, attorney for the Sap, were in town the last of the week on business.

Miss Gena Love, who is attending school in Kerrville, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Press Love, here.—Vanderpool Correspondent, Bandera New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Schreiner were honor guests at a dinner party held last Friday at the Country Club in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Montgomery as hosts. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mrs. Lila Fordtran and C. W. Hampel of Nixon were united in marriage in San Antonio on January 1, 1920, Rev. Mr. McFaddin of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. They are at home at Nixon, Texas.

Chas. V. Gordon of San Antonio was here Friday conferring with Mrs. Sid Rees and J. L. Pampell of the Home Service Section of the Red Cross about adjusting claims for soldiers who were disabled in the war.

Parker Sheppard of Austin arrived Monday and will spend a few days here visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Sheppard has just received his discharge from the Marine Service, with which he served two and one-half years, stationed in Cuba, Haiti and San Domingo.

Ralph Solomon of Harper was in town Monday to meet his sister, Mrs. Bessie Drake, of Devine, who is en route to Harper to visit her parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dorsey were returning at that time from Harper, where they had spent several weeks visiting Mrs. Dorsey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Solomon.

Will A. Morriss and Dr. W. H. McCoach of San Antonio spent the week-end here. Dr. McCoach was called in consultation with Dr. P. J. Domingues to see Adam Morriss, who has been ill for some time. Mr. Morriss has recently returned from San Antonio, where he was under treatment for several months.

On January 1, J. W. Burney resigned as manager of the Chas. Schreiner Co.'s depot warehouse, and has now leased from that company the camp- yard and warehouse and is going into business for himself, handling poultry, poultry supplies, feed, fertilizer, high grade Texas flower, garden and field seeds, etc. An up-to-date camp- yard in connection. 4-1tc

Mrs. Mason J. Rockwell left Monday morning for San Antonio, where she will meet her husband, Sergeant Rockwell, who has been stationed in Camp Meade, Md., for some time. A telegram from Sergeant Rockwell stated that he would be stationed in Camp Travis with the 14th Cavalry. Sergeant and Mrs. Rockwell will make their home in San Antonio until he receives his discharge, and then they expect to locate in Michigan.

# HALF A CENTURY

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To you, whose business helps to make ours successful, we send Cordial New Year's Greetings. May Happiness and Prosperity be your portion through all the coming Year of 1920!

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### Ginning Notice

We will run our gin Friday, January 23, for the last time this season.  
KERRVILLE ROLLER MILLS.  
—K.M.S.—

From the Poultry Show held in San Antonio last week, comes the good news that Kerrville copped some nice prizes; John Greer getting first on Buff Leghorn cockerel and E. Gold first on Silver Laced Wyandotte cockerel, and first and second on pullets of that breed.

## Don't Forget to Pay Your Poll Tax

### KEEP WELL.

1. Ventilate every room you occupy.
2. Wear loose, porous clothing suited to season, weather and occupation.
3. If you are an indoor worker, be sure to get recreation outdoors.
4. Sleep in fresh air always; in the open, if you can.
5. Hold a handkerchief before your mouth and nose when you cough or sneeze, and insist that others do so, too.
6. Always wash your hands before eating.
7. Do not overeat. This applies especially to meats and eggs.
8. Eat some hard and some bulky foods; some fruits.
9. Eat slowly—chew thoroughly.
10. Drink sufficient water daily.
11. Evacuate thoroughly, regularly.
12. Stand, sit and walk erect.
13. Do not allow poisons and infections to enter the body.
14. Keep the teeth, gums and tongue clean.
15. Work, play, rest and sleep in moderation.
16. Keep serene. Worry is the foe of health. Cultivate the companionship of your fellow men.
17. Avoid self-drugging. Beware the plausible humbug of the patent medicine faker.
18. Have your doctor examine you carefully once a year. Also consult your dentist at regular intervals.

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