

WOMEN MAKING GOOD IN RAILROAD WORK

Few realize the large number of women now engaged in railroad work, in view of which fact The Mountain Sun deems the following report of sufficient interest to warrant our giving it space. The report follows:

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—That a distinct future for women is offered in railroad work was the conclusion of Miss Pauline Goldmark, manager of the Women's Service Section of the Division of Labor of the United States Railroad Administration, in her annual report for the year 1919 to W. S. Carter, Director of the Division of Labor, and Walker D. Hines, Director General of Railroads, made public today.

"Testimony from their superiors indicates that women will undoubtedly progress further in all forms of work," said Miss Goldmark. "While in some offices there is hesitation in encouraging them to advance into the more responsible positions, in other offices there is distinct effort to put no obstacle in their path, in fact they are being urged to bid on the higher positions. While some officials are still testing out the capacities of their women employees, others are emphasizing the need of training as the only requisite for further advancement. As one official put it, 'If women have a desire to advance and get a well-rounded background, as a young man must do in order to secure promotion, they can do any class of work.' Another official stated, 'We used to hire women in positions set aside for them, such as stenographers. Of course, they never had a chance to develop. We start the boy in at the bottom as office boy and give him a long ladder to climb. Things are changing now. If the women are started at the bottom like the boys and given the chance, they will climb too.'

"The outstanding feature of the year has been the continued employment of women in the service. While the number has decreased 20 per cent since the highest point reached on October 1, 1918, it still remains two and one-half times larger than before the entrance of the United States into the war. Recently, moreover, there has been an increase again in the total number employed by certain roads.

"An important development during the last 12 months has been the final discontinuance of certain forms of railroad work which women performed under suitable conditions, or which involves too great muscular effort and undoubted danger to their health."

Miss Goldmark stated that, in her opinion, it would be unfortunate for the women railroad employees should the work of the Women's Service Section be discontinued with the end of Government control of railroads.

Miss Goldmark reported that on January 1, 1917, there were 31,400 women employed on class I railroads in the United States; that this number had increased to 61,162 on January 1, 1918, and to 101,785 on October 1, 1918, and had dropped on October 1, 1919, to 81,803.

"The reasons for the total decrease must be carefully considered for an understanding of the present status of the women employees," said Miss Goldmark. "Two important factors were in part responsible—first, the return of men from service with the Army and Navy who were reinstated by the railroads according to their seniority, and, second, the drastic reduction of labor force on the railroads of the country, made by the administration early in the year in order to effect necessary economies. In both cases, on account of their lower seniority rights, women were properly laid off.

"Beginning early in the year, the eight-hour day has been put increasingly into effect in all the railroad occupations in which women are employed. The inspections of the Women's Service Section show that of a total of 12,908 women employed in all classes of work 90 per cent were working 48 hours or less—that is, a day of eight hours or less, compared with a total of 70 per cent working these hours in 1918. The number of women employed more than 60 hours amounted to 2.2 per cent as compared with 8 per cent in this group in 1918.

"The improvement of working conditions for women during the year has been marked on many railroads. The increasing interest is no doubt due to the good effects observed in the war industries of attending adequately to the workers' physical needs. Direct supervision of health has unquestionably justified itself for both men and women. The latter were found to react favorably to improved surroundings, even more quickly than men, so that the desirability of providing, as far as possible, facilities insuring highest standard of comfort. Rest rooms have been one of the features which have

been most appreciated by the women employees.

"Women employees have shared in all the wage increases given to the various classes of railroad employees."

Miss Goldmark's report showed that of the women employed on railroads as clerical workers 0.4 per cent received between \$45 and \$50 per month; 2.8 per cent received between \$50 and \$60 per month; 1.4 per cent received between \$60 and \$70 per month; 2.2 per cent received between \$70 and \$87.50 per month; 52.5 per cent received between \$87.50 and \$95 per month; 19.5 per cent received between \$95 and \$105 per month; 7.2 per cent received between \$105 and \$115 per month; 2.4 per cent received between \$115 and \$125 per month; 1.8 per cent received between \$125 and \$135 per month, and 0.3 per cent received over \$135 per month. Of the women employees engaged in other classes of railroad work the largest group, or 33.6 per cent, received between \$70 and \$80 per month while 16 per cent received between \$80 and \$90 per month, 5.5 per cent received between \$90 and \$100 per month, and only 2.6 per cent received under \$40 per month.

"Instead of quoting favorable or unfavorable opinions in regard to the value of women's accomplishment in the railroad service," said Miss Goldmark, "it will be more profitable to apply the test of experience to this new question and to set forth some specific facts as found by this section." Special investigations were made in the offices of car accountants, freight claims, freight auditors, local freight, and auditor of disbursements. After reviewing various investigations in such offices, Miss Goldmark stated: "It may be said that even in the limited field of this inquiry women have been found in practically every form of work. As far as machine operators are concerned they are said by their superiors to be careful and accurate and to pay close attention to the minute details of the various operations. In a number of general offices the women's performance shows not more than one-half of 1 per cent error per month.

"There is no doubt that the new seniority rules opened up the door of advancement to a much larger group of women than had previously had these opportunities, and that women in general have eagerly taken advantage of these new openings. The conditions under which they are working are more auspicious in regard to the cardinal points of wages and advancement than have been previously offered in any other field."

—K.M.S.—
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Road Bond Election Notice

The State of Texas, County of Kerr.

On this, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1920, the Commissioners' Court of Kerr County, Texas, being convened in a special session at the Court House of said county, in Kerrville, Texas, a quorum being present, to-wit:

Hon. Lee Wallace, County Judge; Arthur Real, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; M. K. Hood, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Hugo Wiedenfeld, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, and passed the following order, to-wit:

On this day came on to be heard the petition of Gus Ehlers Sr. and over fifty other persons who are resident property tax payers and qualified voters of Commissioners' Precinct No. 3 of Kerr County, Texas, being a political subdivision of said county and described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at the N. E. corner of Precinct No. 1, in Kerr and Gillespie County line; thence South, West and S. E. with line of Precinct No. 1 to N. W. corner of Precinct No. 2, on Survey No. 1423; thence S. E. in due course to N. E. corner of Survey No. 33, Geo. I. Howard, with line No. 2; thence South, West and East with the East line of Precinct No. 2 to its S. E. corner in line of Kerr and Bandera Counties; thence S. E. with said county line to the S. E. corner of Kerr County; thence N. with E. line of Kerr County to its N. E. corner; thence West with said Kerr and Gillespie line to the place of beginning.

To be created into a Road District of Kerr County, Texas, and that bonds be issued by said Road District of Kerr County, Texas, in the sum of Twelve Thousand (\$12,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest to be fixed by the Commissioners' Court not to exceed five and one-half per centum per annum and maturing twenty years from the date of the issuance of said bonds, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof. And it appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax payers of the above and foregoing described territory of Kerr County, Texas, and that the amount of the bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property situated in said



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above described territory of Kerr County, Texas;

It is therefore considered and ordered by the Court that the above and foregoing described territory of Kerr County, Texas, be and the same is hereby created into a road district to be known and designated as Road District No. 3 of Kerr County, Texas. And it is further ordered by the Court that an election be held in the said above described Road District No. 3 of Kerr County, Texas, on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1920, which is not less than thirty days, nor more than 60 days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not bonds of said Road District No. 3 of Kerr County, Texas, shall be issued in the amount of Twelve Thousand (\$12,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed five and one-half per centum per annum and maturing, serially or otherwise as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, and whether a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District No. 3 of Kerr County, Texas, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds at maturity.

Notice of said election shall be given over the signature of the County Judge by publication in some news-

paper published in Kerr County, Texas, or in said Road District No. 3 (if there be a newspaper published in said Road District No. 3), and also by posting four notices, one at the court house door and one at three other public places in said Road District No. 3, for four consecutive weeks prior to the day fixed for said election.

It is further ordered by the Court that said election shall be held at the usual voting places in said Road District No. 3, and shall be held by the regular officers of election and the manner of holding said election and of making return thereof shall be controlled by the general laws of this State, relating to elections.

All persons who are property tax payers and who are qualified electors residing with said Road District No. 3 of Kerr County, Texas, shall be allowed to vote at said election and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written on their ballots the words "For the issuance of \$12,000.00 of Road Bonds and for the levy of the necessary tax in support thereof," and all those opposed thereto shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against the issuance of \$12,000.00 Road Bonds and against the levy of the necessary tax in support thereof." Said bonds to be issued for

the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof.

A copy of this order signed by the County Judge of the County aforesaid shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper in Kerr County, or in said Road District No. 3 (if there be one published in said Road District No. 3), for four consecutive weeks next preceding said election and cause a notice thereof to be posted at the Court House door and one at three other public places in said Road District No. 3 of said County for four consecutive weeks prior to the date of said election.

A True Copy I Certify.
LEE WALLACE,
County Judge, Kerr County, Texas.

—K.M.S.—

Church affiliation of students of the University of Texas is as follows: Methodist, 1,182; Baptist, 732; Presbyterian, 549; Christian, 343; Episcopal, 315; Catholic, 150; Lutheran, 71; Jewish, 60; Christian Science, 18; Unitarian, 10; Peoples, 2; Universalist, 2; Brethren, 1; Free Church, 1; Liberal, 1; Moravian, 1; Mt. Bernard, 1; Spiritualist, 1; Unspecified, 2. Neither members nor preference, 183.

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

TRESPASS NOTICE—I will prosecute anyone hunting or in any other way trespassing on my land. Dr. S. E. Thompson. 46-tfc

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-tfc

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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CATHOLIC CHURCH NOTES

By Father Kemper

The High School students of Notre Dame Institute presented a very profitable entertainment last Friday in Washington Hall. It is their custom to hold the fourth meeting of the month in a public fashion so that they and their audience may be benefitted by the general discussion of the topic selected.

The January thesis was Shakespeare's tragedy of Macbeth. Members of the senior English classes gave very scholarly resumes from various viewpoints of this historical drama. After the story and salient features of this play were fully analyzed, its literary aspects were made the subject of a round table discussion by all the members of this school circle.

To enliven the program with a touch of the humorous, several comic songs and elocution pieces were interspersed. Graver selections were also introduced by Miss Meta Michon and her sister, Frances. Miss Wilhelmina Mosel favored her schoolmates with many appropriate piano solos.

An opportunity was also given to a few chosen pupils to read their prize essays of the current month. These compositions gave evidence of the admirable interest that all the Notre Dame children are taking in their academic studies. With such application and zeal it is not surprising that many of the scholars secured an average of 99 per cent in their semi-annual examinations.

As usual, a stanza of the "Star-Spangled Banner" opened and closed the program. Other patriotic numbers were interwoven in the body of the brief but educational entertainment.

From the secretary's report it was gratifying to learn that handsome additions keep piling into Notre Dame library, so that the students are already in possession of a valuable assortment of educational volumes for their research work. Such acquisitions make their curriculum all the more profitable and give a special impetus in developing the students' individual preferences.

Next Sunday Rev. Walter Fritz, O. M. I., will offer for the first time the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in Fredericksburg, the home of his parents. This newly ordained priest was raised to the seventh and last levitical stage on the first of February by Rt. Rev. A. J. Drossaerts. He was a member of our parish about seven years ago, when he began his philosophical and theological studies in St. Anthony's Seminary. During all these anxious years, his parents yearned ardently for the incomparable day when their son would present the clean oblation to his Heavenly Father. We congratulate the levite on reaching the summit of his noble ambition after the long and patient preparation in the last decade of years, and we earnestly hope that his missionary toils will be blessed with a rich harvest of souls for the Great Master.

The infant daughter of Jose Vargas was baptized at the Guadalupe Church last Sunday.

Joseph Stehling went with his wife to Fredericksburg to make his home there. His brother, Rudolph, spent the week in this German settlement with his business partner, James J. Flanagan.

John J. Yungfleisch of Kansas City, Mo., was a guest at the Rectory on last Saturday.

—K.M.S.—
STATE SUPERINTENDENT
WARNS BOOK CONTRACTORS

In view of the fact that many school children of Texas have this year been deprived of the necessary books, because of the slowness of many schools in sending in requisitions and the slowness of the contractors in furnishing supplies, the following from the State Superintendent will be of much interest:

"State Department of Education, Austin, Tex., Jan. 23, 1920.—To Book Companies Holding Texas Contracts.—Gentlemen: One-half of the scholastic year has passed and many orders for free text books for Texas schools still remain unfilled. It is useless to tell me that a sufficient supply of your text books is in the State, so long as this condition exists. I understand fully the adverse conditions under which you have, this year, attempted to carry out your contracts. I have explained these conditions to the people of my State, both through the newspapers and in public addresses. I have borne patiently the abuse heaped upon me as a result of the inconvenience to which pupils and teachers have been subjected. I wish now to suggest to you that you make sure that there shall be no repetition next Fall of the delays from which we have suffered this year, or that, if you cannot fill your contracts promptly next year,

you give them up and let us purchase text-books elsewhere.

"It is true that our schools were late in sending in requisitions for books. I had no law by which to compel prompter action. But it is also true that we waited patiently during three months of delay, before making urgent demands upon you.

"This year I shall enforce rigidly the law in regard to promptness in making requisitions. I expect then to demand that each school shall have its books before its opening day. I would respectfully suggest to you that you begin now to send to our State a supply of your books sufficient to meet demands. Do not wait till August to forward shipments.

"Investigations of mine as to conditions in the past show that delays in supplying text-books by the opening of the schools have been of frequent occurrence. My opinion is that delays will continue to hamper our schools, so long as distribution is attempted through one State depository. In any of our large cities, car shortages and congestion at our freight and express offices will cause delay when vast numbers of books are to be shipped within a short time. The adoption of five different shipping points in as many sections of the State would enable us to avail ourselves of more car space and five times as many freight and express offices with their additional forces for handling books. Most of the book companies pay the cost of book distribution on a percentage basis. This plan would probably result in little or no increase in expense to you, and, in the end, might be more economical if you consider the cost to you in the future of the penalties for delay.

"I shall not again face the people of Texas with excuses for text-book shortages. My advice to the schools next Fall will be to the effect that if their books have not been delivered in time for the opening of school their best course will be to take immediate measures for legal proceedings.

"If you have the faintest idea of what I have endured during the past six months, or the slightest notion of the increase of work which the delays have caused in my department, you cannot but feel that I am justified in my attitude in regard to next year and future years. The present plan of distribution from one shipping point has not been successful in the past, and we have no cause to suppose that it will be so in the future.

"If you are willing to join in a different plan to be arranged with me through your representatives, at a meeting at my office, I shall be glad to call such a meeting. If not, I shall consider the matter closed until I can get desired changes in the present law; but I shall expect no more delays in text-book deliveries.

"I wish to call your attention to the use of teachers employed in the schools, as book agents, and the practice of attempts of employees of book companies to act as teacher-placing agencies. There are few who have followed these policies, but their actions have caused criticism and discord.

"Assuring you of my desire to cooperate with you for the good of Texas schools, I am
Respectfully yours,
ANNIE WEBB BLANTON
State Superintendent.
—K.M.S.—
First Baptist Church

The pastor attended the Bible Conference at San Antonio last week. It was a great meeting and was well attended. We are to have such an institute for Southwest Texas every year in San Antonio. Ten associations will be represented in this gathering.

Our people in this section are expecting great things of Kerrville. They believe in us. They want our leaders to attend these meetings. You will be glad to know that the Baptist Churches in San Antonio are in fine shape.

Sunday was a good day with us here in Kerrville. The Sunday School did good work. The preaching services were well attended and there was a good feeling among the people. The Sunday School Council met in the church at 3 p. m. Several helpful new features were added to the Sunday School program. Our superintendent, Bro. C. C. Butt, and his staff of officers and teachers mean to go forward.

At 4 p. m. the Sunbeam Band was reorganized with Miss Faye Turley as the leader. The children are enthusiastic.

Many of our people have been down with the "flu" and some have been quite sick. We hope they will all soon be well.

Our services are all free, democratic and informal, and everybody is invited to worship with us.
J. B. HOLT, Pastor.
—K.M.S.—

The United States Supreme Court on Monday refused to suspend enforcement of the Texas anti-pool room law, as requested by counsel for the operators of such places, pending a decision on the constitutionality of the law in a lower court.

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—K.M.S.—
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The young couple left immediately following the ceremony for San Antonio, where they will make their home. Numerous friends offer them every felicitation.

An Appreciation

Mrs. M. J. Ruff wishes to express her gratitude to those who were so thoughtful of her in her recent trials—the death of her husband, followed so soon by that of her son.

Many thanks to the friends for the nice floral offerings. To the Modern Woodmen, who assisted in every way possible, she feels very grateful. She appreciated very much the words of comfort and sympathy from Rev. Houts and the members of the church.

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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.
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How about that New Year's resolution, Old Man?

Gen. "Blackjack" Pershing was the honored guest of San Antonio Tuesday and Wednesday.

Another young Texan who has done a worthy thing is Oscar Monning, a Fort Worth high school graduate, whose general average for the past two years in school was 99.31.

Did you do something yesterday to make the world better? Have you spread a bit of sunshine today? Will tomorrow's setting sun view from your hand "some worthy action done?"

We don't blame The Devine News editor for being plumb proud of some of his acquaintances. Frinstance: "We know a small bunch of hens, two dozen or more, that are furnishing eggs occasionally for the table and four or five dollars the week marketing products."

Fellow from the Ranger oil field walked into a Fort Worth barber shop and asked to "cleaned up." He got it alright, four dollars and ten cents' worth. When a Fort Worth barber fails to clean up on an oil field worker, he just hasn't had a chance to, that's all.

Mister Jack Johnson, once champion pug but now fugitive from justice, writes in from Mexico to say that he is desirous of squaring things with the U. S. courts and taking on Jack Dempsey for the championship. Lil' Arthur is getting homesick, but home is not sick for him. His absence is good riddance of bad rubbish.

Somebody must be asleep at the switch at Devine. Says The Devine News: "The new fire engine, ordered last year and received several weeks ago, has never been charged, is locked up at night and the key outside the city." We doubt if even a fire engine ought to be locked up without even being charged with something or other.

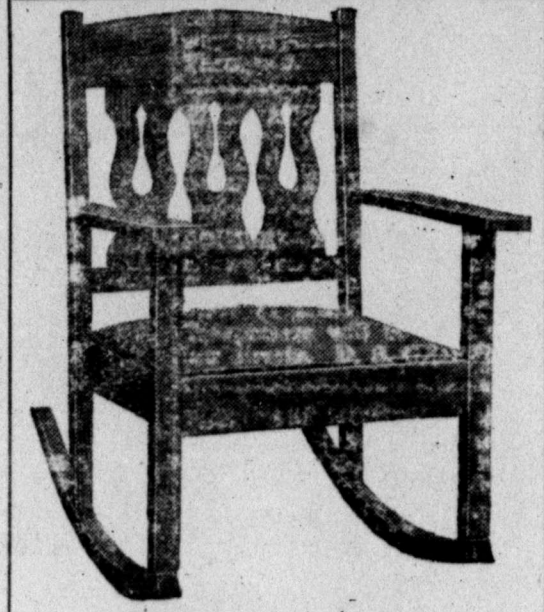
The success of the health authorities in controlling the "flu" situation depends to a great extent upon the co-operation they receive from the citizenship. Don't wait to be compelled by force of law to do the right thing. For your own sake and for the protection of others, conform to the restrictions imposed by the health authorities, and let's demonstrate the truth of the old saw that "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

Some bright fellow has divided mankind into three classifications—has-beens, going-to-be's and isers. The first have already shot their mark and are down and out, the second find it impossible to settle down and make a success of any one thing but are pipe-dreaming of possible future accomplishments, while the "isers" are right up in the collar doing things NOW. The classification is of course quite general in its nature, but it doesn't miss the mark very far at that, does it?

"The Sweetwater Daily Reporter Vol. 1, No. 1," if you please. That is what greeted the scribe's eye as he tore the wrapper from an exchange from the used-to-be Wild and Woolly West. The Daily Reporter is The Mountain Sun's newest sister, published by the Terrell Publishing Company. The Daily Reporter is a sure-enough daily paper, with Associated Press service, good local service and many features to make it attractive and of real benefit to its field which, by the way, is an excellent one. The Mountain Sun not only wishes its sister long, useful and prosperous life, but congratulates the Sweetwater country upon annexing so good a mouthpiece.

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BUFF LEGHORN eggs, \$2.50 for 15; a few choice breeders for sale. John Greer, Kerrville, Texas. 7-7c

I NOW HAVE the San Antonio Express agency and will appreciate your patronage. Delivered in person or by mail. On sale at Rawson's. See me. Ben Grantham. 7-2c

WANTED—Late model touring car, Dodge or Ford; may consider other makes, if price is right for cash. See me at Ed. Mosel's apartment. No phone. T. B. Slaughter. 7-1p

FOR LEASE, two years, 2,500 cattle, goat and sheep range, Western Kerr County, February delivery. If willing to pay for extra good range apply to Box 34, Comfort, Texas. 7-1p

Editor Shuffler of The Olney Enterprise says right out in meeting: "Many an editor whose trousers bag at the knee has delinquent subscribers riding around in automobiles." If The Enterprise's dear delings don't come across at that, they are hard to reach.

"I find down here in the Southwest," declared General Pershing at San Antonio, "that devotion to the flag is natural to the people. The schools teach it, the kiddies learn it from mother's knee and the very foundation of patriotism is inherent. And I want to tell you that it makes the best soldiers in the world."

If the big daily papers would play the game halfway fairly in the matter of conserving the print paper supply, not so many country weeklies would be compelled to suspend publication on account of the scarcity and extreme cost of paper. The dailies, especially on Sundays, use page after page of matter that could very well be dispensed with under the circumstances without much loss to their readers and with considerable saving to themselves and to the other publishers of the country.

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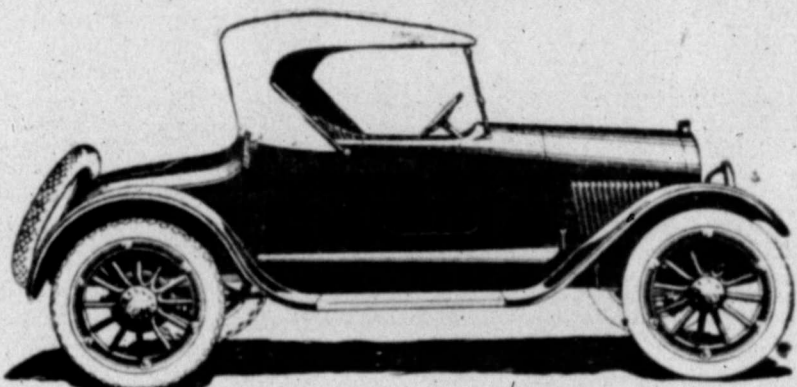
- SORGHUM Syrup, Cash-and-Carry. 3-4tc
- SWANSDOWN Cake Flour at C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-7c
- IF YOU USE Syrup, buy now. Cash-and-Carry Grocery. 3-7c
- PIANO FOR SALE cheap, if sold at once. Phone 140. 3-4tp
- CREME OIL Soap, 3 bars for 25c. Cash-and-Carry Grocery. 3-7c
- S. FRIEDMAN, Tailor, cleaning and pressing. South of Court House. 3-7c
- GROCERIES only, but the best of those. Cash-and-Carry Grocery. 3-7c
- COTTON SEED HULLS are excellent cow feed. Get them at Mosel, Saenger & Co. 3-7c
- ORDER your fresh meats and groceries together today from C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-7c
- I HAVE a few cords of liveoak and Spanish oak at \$10 a cord, delivered. Phone 43, J. G. Ayala. 7-7c
- FOUR HUNDRED mutton goats for sale. If interested, write or phone G. Varner, Bandera, Texas. 5-6tp
- FORD Service, FORD parts, FORD equipment, Ford mechanics and FORD prices at LEE MASON & SON. 36-7c
- WANTED—Carpenters and Laborers. Apply at Aug. Henke job on Water Street. Elder Bros. Construction Company. 34-7c
- APARTMENT, completely furnished, south sleeping porch, private bath. H. H. Kuhlmann, Main St., Tel. 10. References. 2-7c
- DEPOT Restaurant: Best of attention and good eats, short orders. Phone orders promptly filled. Phone 43. J. G. Ayala, Prop. 32-7c
- WANTED—Goat ranch, 2,000 to 15,000 acres; give lowest price and complete description. N. T. Hensley, 216 Central Office Bldg., San Antonio, Texas. 4-4tp
- FOR SALE—House and three lots; fronts Water St., 150-ft. front, runs 196 ft. deep. For information apply to N. H. James, R. R. 10, Box 72a, San Antonio, Texas. 5-4tc
- FOR SALE—Ever-laying S. C. Brown Leghorn eggs for hatching, every egg guaranteed fertile; \$1.50 per setting of 15. Buy them now and hatch some early layers. H. Noll Jr. 5-7c
- REWARD will be paid for return to Schreiner's Store of an overcoat, small alligator grip and a package containing a Government blanket, mistakenly placed back of seat of a car standing between P. O. and Chas. Schreiner Bank on morning of Jan. 20. Upton Lorentz, Lima, Texas. 6-2tp
- CREOLE Dinner, Cash-and-Carry. 7-7c
- FOR SALE—Registered Ayrshire bull calf. George Morris. 7-7c
- OLEOMARGARINE, Cash-and-Carry Grocery, Phone 162. 7-7c
- EVERYTHING fresh but the clerks. Cash-and-Carry Grocery. 7-7c
- FRESH Redfish, Trout and Flounder every Friday at C. C. Butt Grocery. 7-7c
- COTTON SEED for planting or for cow feed at Mosel, Saenger & Co. 3-7c
- SLICED Boiled or Raw Ham and Sliced Bacon at C. C. Butt Grocery. 7-7c
- FOR SERVICE CAR, call A. W. Watson at the Nichols Garage. Phone 230. 7-7c
- BOARD and Rooms, modern conveniences, reasonable rates. Stranger's Rest. 6-4tp
- PURINA Chicken Chowder makes those hens lay. Get it at C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-7c
- PHONE 43, John G. Ayala, for hauling and transfer. Prompt service, fair charges. 7-7c
- RELLOGG'S Brand, Cash-and-Carry. E. Z. FLOW Salt, Cash-and-Carry Grocery, Phone 162. 7-7c
- THOROUGHbred Ringlet Barred Rock eggs for setting, \$1.50 for 15 eggs. J. N. Ewing, Box 112, Kerrville, Texas. 6-8tc
- FOR SALE—Four rooms, hall and two galleries; 17 acres of land, well and barns; close in. For price and terms, see J. J. Dent. 4-4tc
- PLEASE turn now and see how your subscription figures stand, and if convenient "see the man" and set 'em up to January 1, 1921. 6-2tp
- FOR SALE—Ever-laying S. C. Brown Leghorn chicks after February 1st. Get the early ones, they are the ones that lay first. H. Noll Jr. 5-7c
- LOST on North Fork road beyond Ingram, shell-rim spectacles. Finder please notify Mrs. L. F. Dowdy, Ingram, or leave at Mountain Sun Office for reward. 7-1tp
- FOR SALE—The old Rees home one mile north of Kerrville, consisting of 85 acres; abstract, etc., up to date. See J. J. Dent, Agt., Kerrville, Texas. (Signed) MRS. JIM MOORE, Owner, Junction, Texas. 5-7c
- FOR SALE—One Mammoth Bronze tom, June hatched from \$25 stock; \$10. Also one pair three-month-old registered Hampshire pigs, with papers; \$15 each. Sam McMurray, Phone 189 Blue, Kerrville, Tex. 7-2tc

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We have received a fresh shipment of Liggett's high grade candies. You know—those delicious CENTERS. Take home a box today.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL
Items of Interest Gathered Here and There

The Mountain Sun, \$1.50 Per Year.
Fresh Fish every Friday at C. C. Butt Grocery. 7-tfc
Dr. Joe N. Parke of San Marcos was in town Monday.
Scratch feed for your chickens. C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-tfc
A couple of airplanes from San Antonio passed over Wednesday morning.
Dr. Cora W. Trevitt, Osteopath; office, 543 Moore Bldg., San Antonio, Texas. 51-tfc
Joe M. Hicks of Romayor, Liberty County, is visiting his brother, Ben Hicks.
Batteries inspected and filled with distilled water free. Kerrville Battery Co. 2-tfc
Fresh beef, veal and pork. Satisfaction guaranteed. C. C. Butt Grocery, Phone 72. 7-tfc
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vanham and children left Monday for a week's stay at their ranch on the Divide.
One phone call instead of two. Order your meats, groceries and bread together from C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-tfc
Mrs. A. C. Schreiner left last Thursday for San Antonio for a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Harrison.
D. H. Comparette spent Monday in San Antonio, where he went to visit his son, D. H. Jr., who is ill with the influenza at San Antonio Academy.
J. M. Thompson and Tom Ragland returned the first of the week from a several days' trip to Orange Grove and other points, looking after cattle interests.
Weiners, bologna, liver sausage, pork links, Brookfield pure-pork sausage, New England ham, our own pork sausage, hamburger, chili meat and veal loaf at C. C. Butt Grocery.

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Raw or Boiled Ham, sliced, at C. C. Butt Grocery. 7-tfc
John Gaddis of Comfort spent last Wednesday here.
Furs wanted by M. M. Baylor, opposite Baptist Church. 52-tfc
All kinds of chicken feed at Jno. Burney's Feed Store. Phone 128. 7-2tc
Felix Watson was in town Wednesday from his ranch near Junction.
Have received a car of extra fine alfalfa hay. Chas. Schreiner Co. 6-2tc
FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms. Apply to Mrs. Ottinger, near school house. 5-tfc
L. C. Taylor of Rocksprings spent Wednesday and Thursday here on business.
Triumph and Cobler seed potatoes, and onion sets at CHAS. SCHREINER COMPANY. 7-2tc

Mrs. Walter Real of the Turtle Creek neighborhood was in town shopping Tuesday.
We handle fresh bread and deliver same with your groceries or meats. C. C. Butt Grocery. 3-tfc
Mrs. W. T. Kuesel left last week for a visit to her sister, Mrs. James Bader, in Galveston.
Mrs. G. W. Hughes arrived here Monday from Del Rio and expects to remain for some time visiting relatives.
FRESH MEATS—Fresh Meats—fresh meats; all the time—and FRESH FISH on Fridays. C. C. Butt Grocery.
Well rotted stable manure, \$1.25 a load delivered. See W. G. Chamberlain, Jno. Burney's Campyard. Phone 128. 7-2tc
Have received several shipments of Ladies' Early Spring Suits, Silk and Voile Dresses, House Dresses, Etc. Look this line over. Chas. Schreiner Company. 7-2tc
Mr. Reichert, who has been seriously ill with double pneumonia for the past two weeks, is reported slightly improved. Numerous friends wish for him a speedy recovery.
I will give \$200 to anybody that will send me a buyer for my home of 1,000 acres, twelve miles from Kerrville on the Junction road. J. M. Webb, Ingram, Texas. 28-tfc
L. A. Hilbert and family left last Saturday for Burton, Tex. Mr. Hilbert came here about three months ago and has been connected with the Chas. Schreiner Co. during that time.
The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will not hold its regular meeting this Thursday, owing to the "flu." Announcement will be made as to the date of the next meeting.

Single comb Brown Leghorn hatching eggs for sale from O. W. Clark's Birkhoff and Tarmoplin light and dark heavy laying strains; 200 for \$12, 100 for \$7; 50 for \$3.75, one setting of 15 for \$1.50, two settings for \$2.50. J. T. Deering, with H. Noll Stock Co. 7-tfc
Among those attending the basketball games at Fredericksburg last Saturday were noted: Mrs. W. H. Rawson, Mrs. Ben Nowlin, J. A. Kennedy, Wm. Rawson, Misses Kate Renschel, Ayleen Procter, Willabel Ragland, Gussie May and Helena Brown, Laura Kenke and Kate Hamilton, Ollie Dunscombe, Dick Smith, R. A. Franklin, Prof. G. C. Jones and others.

The third basketball team of Tivy High met defeat at Center Point last Saturday in a match game with Center Point's second team, the score being 20 to 9. Through a mistake in the terms of the match, Center Point played her second team which outweighed the Kerrville team a great deal. Two of Tivy's best players were not able to play owing to the "flu." The Tivy line-up was as follows: Center, Anna Nebbett Thoburn and Pauline Bowden; guards, Bernice Thompson and Willie Holdsworth; forwards, Velma Spence and Lucille Taylor. The girl's coach, Miss Della Mae Lee, refereed the game.

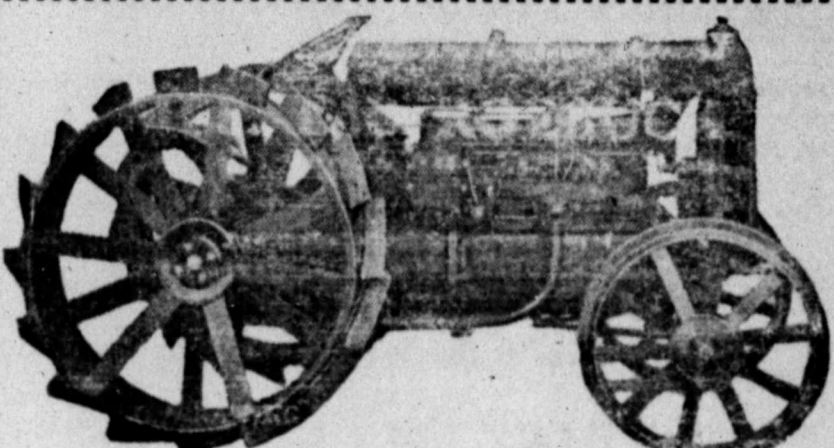


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IN YOUR HOME

Read the article by Chas. E. White Jr. on Page 65 of the February Ladies' Home Journal. Our method of installation conforms to this. Yours for Better, More Sanitary Plumbing.

W. B. BROWN

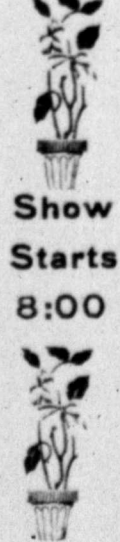
Swans Down Cake Flour. C. C. Butt Grocery. 7-tfc
Phone your fresh meat order to C. C. Butt Grocery. 7-tfc
Emil Leinweber was in town from his ranch on the Divide last Saturday trading.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Edwards of San Antonio were in town on business the first of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mills and daughter were here Wednesday from San Antonio on business. Mr. Mills expects to locate in San Antonio.
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McCord of Victoria, who have spent the past week here, left Monday for El Paso, where they go for Mrs. McCord's health.

DIXIE THEATER

This Week---

Next Week---

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 28—
"Blackies Redemption," Bert Lytell.
Ford Weekly.
FRIDAY, JAN. 30—
"Girls," Marguerite Clark.
"Fatty" Arbuckle Comedy.
SATURDAY, JAN. 31—
"Sacred Silence," William Russell.
"Sweet Papa," Mutt and Jeff.



WEDNESDAY, FEB. 4—
"Bill Henry," Wallace Reid.
FRIDAY, FEB. 6—
"Wagon Tracks," Wm. S. Hart.
SATURDAY, FEB. 7—
"String Beans," Chas. Ray.

Yours for Clean, Uplifting, Instructive Amusement,
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 The staff is organized for the diagnosis and treatment of all non-contagious diseases by drugs, surgery or modern drugless methods as the case may require.
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 A physician will be provided for outside calls day or night.
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 a Home of Your Own."
 U. S. Department of Labor, W. B.
 Wilson, Secretary.

Set your money to work on building a home of your own. This is the period of readjustment, and idle dollars are as detrimental to the National welfare as idle men.
 Building is a basic industry. To build a home, aside from the obvious benefits to the home owner, is to make an important and direct contribution to National readjustment and reconstruction.
 First, the country needs thousands of homes. After that the home builder creates a demand for stone, bricks, lumber, hardware, concrete, paint, etc., etc.; money circulates—only blood that circulates makes for health. Building absorbs labor. That is of prime importance right now when thousands of soldiers are being released from the Army and industry is in transition from the war to peace gear.
 Your money, invested in building a home, works for your permanent prosperity and welfare and at the same time renders a not less tangible service to your country. Put your money to work—**BUILD NOW.**
 K.M.S.
BANDERA'S FIRST OIL TEST
 ON HENRY ADAMIETZ LAND

Bandera New Era.
 The site for the first well to be drilled was finally located on the lands of Henry Adamietz, three miles south-east of Bandera, on San Julian Creek.
 This final decision was made Tuesday, January 27, after careful deliberation by C. Beasley, petroleum engineer for the Rex Oil Co.
 "We have every confidence that our first well will be a producer," said Mr. Beasley. "There are more reasons than surface indications, formations, and structure, that bear out our hope for bringing in a well. The company has data that is highly valuable and which was obtained years ago when it was not opportune for practical use. But today it means that we know ahead of time what we shall encounter for some time and it means much toward our success."
 Clarence Solomon, promoter of the local development, has just received a message by wire that the rig is en route to San Antonio. The lumber for the derrick is purchased and four wagon loads were placed on the ground yesterday. The big obstacle is getting teams to haul material from the railroads to the location, but this is being rushed with all possible haste, and when material is all on the ground the carpenters will soon have the big derrick up. It is hoped the rig will be here by that time and that within a very few days the people will have the opportunity of witnessing the spudding in of Bandera's first oil well.
 The contract calls for a depth of 3,500 feet, if necessary, and Mr. Beasley tells us that he can go down 4,000 feet if conditions require it.
 K.M.S.
Ingram Baptist Church Notes

We are still calling for the forward movement in Ingram. Last Sunday was an interesting day with our people. We were delighted to worship with the most enthusiastic band Ingram has seen for many weeks. In our evening services we enjoyed a touch of the pure "old time religion." Two persons were saved; one gentleman, possibly past 50 years of age, and one young woman, who is the mother of a splendid home in Ingram. We all join in thanksgiving to God for answer to a united petition.
 The pastor will be away next Sunday to fill his appointment at Sunset. It will be his purpose to assist in organizing a Sunday School at the White School on that afternoon.
 Everybody has a cordial invitation to be present at our Sunday School here in Ingram at 10 a. m. Be there and get into the real spirit of the service.
 R. C. WALKER, Pastor.
 K.M.S.
Parent-Teachers' Club

The following program will be rendered at the meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Club Wednesday, February 11, at 4 p. m., provided the schools are reopened by that date:
 Opening prayer.
 Piano solo, Doris Peterson.
 Paper, "The Might of a Nation Is Represented by the Health of Its Children," Dr. McDonald.
 Recitation, "When Doctors Disagree," Charlie Moore.
 Vocal duet, Mildren Williams and Aimee Louise Schmerbeck.
 Paper, "Child Welfare in Home, School and Community," Mrs. E. E. Diert.
 Reading, Miss Dunscombe.

ABREVIATED FICKSHUN
 Writer for The Mountain
 Sun by A. Podger.
Mystery, Ah Mystery
 Gene Darby was a serious young man.
 "That's a nice way of calling him a fool," Uncle Milo, who heard me quote that first sentence, remarked, and that is about all for Uncle Milo so far as this story is concerned. He continued to fill his pipe or something.
 When Gene Darby, who was a serious young man by nature, came home from the war, he had no idea he would be lonesome on his 750 acres of hills and vales, liveoak and scrub cedar, rattlesnakes and lizards, buzzards, sheep, goats and a flivver. But he was; excitingly, enthusiastically lonesome.
 In the course of his mental meanderings his mind's eye revisited Bessie Walker. Bessie operated a cash register in one of the stores in a town seven miles from the haunt of lonesomeness.
 (Well, the girl's in the game anyway, and I'll bet you've made it a guess already. Twenty to one you're wrong).
 Gene ambulated out to his flivver. The thing wouldn't fliv, so he set himself down on the running board and continued his mental meanderings.
 Pretty soon (a real flickshun maker would tell you how soon to a minute, just as though he was there with a stop watch, not giving you credit enough to know of your own self how long pretty soon is to be)—well right after pretty soon was finished he went to his shack. (I forgot to put it in that he shrugged his powerful shoulders one mighty shrug when he got off the running board. Say, is shrug and shimmy the same thing now?) Within the solitudinous confines of the four walls, three windows and the door of his domicilly he lit a lamp so that he could see to write a letter, which incident was what followed.
 When the letter was wrote, signed, enclosed in an envelope and the latter sealed; er—er—ah yes, superscribed and affixed with a stamp, it was done. (I won't do it again; just wanted to show you that I got something out of the correspondence course).
 Then he doused the glim and went away from there to somewhere else. In fact, he strolled leisurely over three miles of rocky trail and back the same way. When he arrived back due S. by N. E. at the place of beginning the letter had disappeared. It wasn't there nowhere around. It was gone—it had vanooosed as completely as if a whale had rose up and swallowed it up—no, make that down.
 (Note—Mystery! What became of the letter? Twenty to one again, boys, in haf-suvrins, gilders, pesos, or francs—but not marks, mark you).
 Came another day and another and others, several of them, plenty of time for that letter to be Burlesoned to Back Bay or Hicks Corners, with their respective and consecutive nights, and the flivver flived Darby to town with equal regularity.
 And Bessie Walker smiled, punched the cash register and made change if you didn't hand over "even money."
 Came a certin night. The Sand Man approached Darby's shack at a late hour, for he had been fooled the past many nights by arriving on the job before Darby came to town. He listened at the closed door and was rewarded by mirthful bits of conversation. (That would pass the Cor. Sch. censor alright). Then he went to the closely shaded window and listened some more, but it was old stuff—old stuff, that is to the Sand Man.
 He lit a cigarette, pulled down his whiskers, scattered two portions of sand on the ground, and went on his way mumbling, and this is what he got off his chest: "Nothin' doin'; nope, not tonight."
 (Twenty to one in chalk, pickled hornets or gold dust you can't guess it now. Twenty to one again you on two guesses).
 Well here it is, the mystery of the letter.
 Gene's Buddy had come from Hicks Corners, Michigan.
 Pay me! Pay me!
 K.M.S.
**Y. M. C. A. PRESENTS SOME
 1919 ITEMS OF INTEREST**

1. Associations have recovered from war time disruption. Secretarial ranks have been filled. Larger programs have been projected.
2. Special work for returned soldiers with over 75,000 visits to Association buildings; 7,500 placed in positions; 9,500 in religious meetings and Bible classes; 27,000 in social and entertainments, and more than 12,000 using physical privileges.
3. Sherman raised \$12,000 and work is thoroughly rehabilitated. Corsicana secured over 1,200 members. Eleven Railroad Associations participated in Continental Membership Campaign, adding 1,500 members.



THESE FREQUENT REMINDERS
 that we are engaged in selling Good Lumber and Building Material would be worse than useless were it not a fact.
 We hope, when you awake to the fact that you need something in our line, the remembrance of the above fact will be a factor in directing your steps here.

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- Belmead Railroad Association wiped out \$6,000 debt.
4. Dallas extended its Boys Work to include newsboys and delinquent boys. Houston secured fund and placed Secretary in Houston Heights to work on community non-equipment plan. Beaumont and Orange have secured secretaries to serve men engaged in local industries.
 5. Five Associations promoted and organized in oil fields, Caddo, Olden, Breckenridge, Burkburnett and Goose Creek; buildings opened in each with secretaries in charge.
 6. A remarkable series of evangelistic meetings conducted at the University of Texas. Three College Association organized, making a total of twenty-four. Sixty selected students present at Hollister Training Conference, preparing to lead in organized Christian effort among their fellows.
 7. Hunt, Fannin and Harrison Counties organized on County Work Plan and several groups of sider boys being directly influenced to become leaders of their fellows. Three other counties in process of organization. State County Work Secretaries participated in several State and County Rural Life and Welfare Conferences.
 8. Four colored secretaries placed (Dallas, Houston and Fort Worth) working on non-equipment community basis. Harrison County organized for County Work among colored men and boys.
 9. More than 7,600 visits daily of young men and boys in twenty-nine buildings quietly but effectively influenced to right living by wholesome and ennobling environment.
 10. Large numbers of churchmen trained for Christian leadership by serving on Boards of Directors and Committees of local associations, thus further evidencing to young men that leading men of the Christian Churches have interest in their moral and spiritual welfare.
 11. Correspondence plan inaugurated by which young men removing from rural districts are brought under good environment in community in which they locate.
 12. Two conferences were held attended by 384 older boys. Of this number 27 definitely decided for the Christian life, and several others covenanted for more loyal Christian service.
 13. There were 201 Texas students (half of them men), who attended the Student Volunteer Convention for Foreign Missions held in Des Moines. More than 8,000 students, members of faculties and church leaders attended this great missionary gathering.
 14. Clubs for High School boys have been organized in 21 communities, several in non-association points. These develop clean speech, clean athletics, clean scholarship and clean living.
 15. Successful building campaign conducted in Denison, \$69,000 pledged, assuring splendid Association building for that city.
 K.M.S.
 Cairo and Capetown, representing the extremes of the African continent, have at last been linked up by an air service. The British Air Ministry has announced that the air route is finally ready for traffic and that the time heretofore required to traverse the continent, from ten to twelve weeks, has been cut down to about one week. Heretofore secluded sections of Africa will be opened up to the world by the new route.

Notice, Live Stock Owners

In planning for 1920, which bids fair to be the best year in the history of Texas, and especially South-west Texas, do not overlook the importance of putting your live stock in the best condition possible. They are worth too much money to neglect. In order to help you in this, we are buying and receiving continually the best tonics and remedies that the leading manufacturers of the United States make. We are also using every effort to find the best remedy for the present worm troubles in many flocks of this country. We are consulting by mail and personally, both Government and other leading veterinaries of the country.

ROCK DRUG STORE

L. W. McCOY, Proprietor

CASH-AND-CARRY GROCERY

"A Grand and Glorious Feeling"

(With Apologies to the Funny Papers)

When the first of the month is approaching and you are dreaming about how you are going to stand off the bill collectors, and you remember that you have already exhausted all the excuses in the language, and you are wishing that the weather was fine so that you could go on a hunt or a fishing trip or somewhere, but realize with the rain pouring down and the temperature ranging round the freezing point, it is no go, and you are wondering if you could borrow money enough to pay off your bills, AND THEN—

You wake up and remember that you have been buying strictly for cash and owe no bills; Oh Boy! Ain't it A GRAND AND GLORIOUS FEELING?

Cash-and-Carry Grocery, Kerrville, Texas

(NEXT DOOR TO RAWSON'S DRUG STORE)



Printing Safeguards Your Money

Protect your cash not only with bolts and bars and banks but with businesslike printed forms and records for every transaction you undertake. We can show you a paper—



Paper—that betrays erasure and prevents fraudulent alteration of your checks, notes, drafts and receipts.

For letterheads and general printed forms we use and recommend a standard paper

HAMMERMILL BOND

that we know will give you satisfaction.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL Items of Interest Gathered Here and There

Pop Corn for popping. C. C. Butt Grocery. 7-tfc

Henry Staudt made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

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

George Walker of Center Point was in town on business Monday.

Miss Mary Horne spent last Wednesday in San Antonio shopping.

Have received a car of extra fine alfalfa hay. Chas. Schreiner Co. 6-2tc

Miss Margaret Thorburn is a guest of Miss Ruth Wallis at Westhoff.

All kinds of chicken feed at Jno. Burney's Feed Store. Phone 128. 7-2tc

Dick O. Terrell of San Antonio was here Sunday, en route to Junction.

Kill that hog—and let us make your sausage for you. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Miss Ouida Dunbar spent Sunday and Monday of this week in San Antonio.

Triumph and Cobler seed potatoes, and onion sets at CHAS. SCHREINER COMPANY. 7-2tc

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

R. L. Scherbeck and Hal Garrett spent last Thursday in Fredericksburg on business.

J. N. Hodges of the Schreiner-Hodges Co. of Junction was in town last Wednesday on business.

Paul Bode, a ranchman of near Kerrville, was a visitor in Fredericksburg on Thursday.—Fredericksburg Standard.

Young Men's Early Spring Suits just in; a beautiful line of patterns, prices within reason. Chas. Schreiner Company. 7-2tc

Miss Hattie Garrett was up from San Antonio to spend the week-end with her parents, Judge and Mrs. W. G. Garrett.

Richard Smith has accepted a position with the Chas. Schreiner Bank and took up his duties there the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ward left Sunday for their home at Mt. Vernon, Ill., after a two months' visit to Mr. and Mrs. John Ward.

Miss Lulu Womack of Meridian, Miss., arrived last Thursday for a several months' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Seaborn Eastland.

Mrs. DeWitt C. Bennett and little son, Clifton, from Sealey, Tex., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Tomlinson, of this city last week.

Ben F. Surber of Kerrville spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Surber and his aunt, Mrs. J. L. Nichols, at the Comfort Hotel.—Comfort News.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight have gone to Kerrville. Mrs. Knight may remain some time under a doctor's care. Mr. Knight will return home.—Bandera New Era.

Mrs. M. Goss arrived Friday from Lake Charles, La., where she has spent the past four months, and is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Peterson.

Mrs. Nannie Summers returned home last Saturday after a week's stay in San Antonio and a visit of several days here, where she was the guest of Miss Anabel Dickey.

EGGS! Eggs!! Eggs!!! While most hens loaf, mine lay. Get some real thoroughbred stock. Pure Parks strain Barred Rock eggs for settings. Fred C. Smith, Phone 136. 7-8tc

Lieut. Otto Nimitz of the U. S. Navy arrived here Monday from San Francisco on a month's leave of absence, which he will spend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nimitz. This is Lieutenant Nimitz's first visit home in four years, and numerous friends are welcoming him back.

Our Spring line of ladies', misses' and children's hats is now on display in our Millinery Department. This line is more complete than ever, the assortment is larger, styles are good and prices are right. Come in and look them over. CHAS. SCHREINER COMPANY. 7-2tc

HALF A CENTURY

1869---1919

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!

WE THANK YOU

THE CHARLES SCHREINER COMPANY

Established 1869
"THE HOUSE OF QUALITY"

Notice to Car Owners

I have opened an auto repair shop on Earl Garrett St., between Main and Water Sts., and am ready to serve the public. Will also handle gas, oil and accessories. Phone 230. E. L. NICHOLS. 6-tfc

Home rendered pure hog lard at C. C. Butt Grocery. 7-tfc

Hal R. Garrett has accepted a position with the Chas. Schreiner Co.

Miss Minnie May Boeckmann is visiting friends in Rocksprings this week.

Chas. and George Morris spent Thursday and Friday of last week in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Johnson of Del Rio are guests at the St. Charles for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Shirley and children of Rocksprings spent Sunday and Monday here.

F. L. Wignall, Kerrville's most prominent apiarian, is spending some time at Ft. McKavett.

James Lafreniere, who has been connected with the Lewis Dairy, left this week for San Antonio.

Mrs. R. E. Buescher, who has spent the past several months here, has returned to her home in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Rockwell, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Saner for a week, have gone to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cecil, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Davis for two or three weeks, have returned to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rockefeller of Butte, Mont., were here Tuesday, en route to Los Angeles, Cal. The trip is being made by motor.

Subscribers will confer a favor on the management by notifying the office promptly when they fail to receive the paper, or when change of address occurs.

Miss Clara Herzog left last Thursday for San Antonio, where she will attend the concerts of the Symphony Orchestra. She is a guest of Mrs. H. P. Drought while there.

EGGS FOR SETTING Barred Rocks

PEN NO. 1
(Headed by a Prize Winner)
HOLTERMANN STRAIN
\$2.00 for 15

PEN NO. 2
THOMPSON AND PARK
STRAINS
\$1.50 for 15

BIRDS CAN BE SEEN AT MY HOME
E. E. COX, KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Ryzon Baking Powder at C. C. Butt Grocery, Phone 72. 7-tfc

Robert Peril of Harper was here last Friday, en route to San Antonio.

Fleischmann's Yeast makes better bread. Get it at C. C. Butt Grocery.

Miss Cecile Campbell is at the St. Charles after a several weeks' stay in San Antonio.

Do your best and you'll go forward. You're not doing your best if you are not buying War Savings Stamps.

W. D. Nance of Philadelphia, Miss., who has been at the Noble Hotel for several weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. H. F. Witherspoon and little son of Galveston are at the St. Charles and expect to remain for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Hewson have moved out to the Dunbar Colony after rooming in town for some time.

Mrs. G. C. Carothers of Mexico City was here the first of the week to visit her brother, who is at Thompson's Sanatorium.

Mrs. Edna King and mother, Mrs. Johnston, of Indianapolis are at the Williams Boarding House, and expect to remain for some time.

Mrs. L. Johnson and Jimmie Johnson Jr. of Beaumont arrived here Monday and expect to spend several weeks. They are guests at the St. Charles Hotel.

Miss Carrie Belle Sterrett, assistant school supervisor, is here this week in the interest of the schools. The town schools being closed, she is making a tour of the country schools.

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Now we have it—fresh home-made BOLOGNA. C. C. Butt Grocery.

Try our home-packed tomatoes—they are better. C. C. Butt Grocery.

E. B. Marshall of Rocksprings was a Kerrville visitor the first of the week.

Wiley Anderson was in town from his ranch near Rocksprings the first of the week.

Mrs. D. H. Comparette is spending the week in San Antonio visiting her son, D. H. Jr., at San Antonio Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dunbar of Memphis, Tex., spent last week here visiting the former's brother, Judge R. A. Dunbar, and family.

Mrs. W. Scott Schreiner and little daughter, Josephine, left Wednesday for San Antonio for a several days' visit with Mrs. Warren Colvert.

J. W. Russell is spending a week in San Antonio, where he is looking for a location. Mr. Russell sold his residence here to Ralph B. Fawcett, and family expect to move to San Antonio.