

# THE MOUNTAIN SUN.

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KERRVILLE, KERR COUNTY, TEXAS, SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 1905.

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## CLOCKS!

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### El Paso Floods Worst in History.

El Paso, Tex., June 4.—As a result of the melting snows in the Colorado Mountains, the Rio Grande is swollen worse than for years and the damage is beyond estimate. Three towns have been washed away. Half of El Paso is threatened.

The Southern Pacific tracks south of this city are in danger, and thirty thousand acres of land will be washed clean if the river cuts the railroad embankment. Anthony, former capital of New Mexico, Tome and Lamesa are New Mexico towns that have been devastated. Every house in these parts has been washed, alt being of adobe, and crumbling readily under the pressure of the rushing waters. Alfalfa, baled alfalfa, hay presses, farm wagons, vegetables and everything in the path of the waters have been carried away. The banks of the stream are low and of soft sand, and the river, in its regular course running in a zigzag manner, the water soon cut out and over the fields.

Many cattle have been drowned but thus far only one life has been lost, a cowboy, attempting to save his herd.

At El Paso the banks of the stream are higher, but are soft, and although the water has been kept back by workmen with sandbags, green trees and other impediments, it has carried away a score of Mexican homes and threatens a thousand others if a small thin dyke gradually growing weaker each hour, shall give away under the stream.

### MAY CHANGE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY.

Below the city the stream is attempting to change its course, and eat into the Southern Pacific track. If it crosses the track it will cut through the valley and throw from ten to twenty thousand acres of Texas territory into the Mexican side, and do much damage to farms, as it has already done in New Mexico. The town of Ysleta would be isolated and thrown on the Mexican side and Clint, San Elizario and other towns might be destroyed. Already the river has eaten away sixteen acres of land and is within a few feet of the railroad, just where the irrigation canal takes its course through the valley, and it is feared the canal will become the river bed if the flood is not stayed.

The flood situation was never so serious in this section before. The damage is already over a million and a half dollars. The Mexican town of Juarez, Mexico, opposite El Paso, is also threatened, notwithstanding the large expenditures the past year on levees and dykes under the supervision of Government experts.

### E. S. Badders Almost Instantly Killed While Hunting Wire Trouble. He Fell Forty Feet.

San Antonio, Tex., June 6.—E. S. Badders, a lineman in the employ of the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co., fell from the top of a pole on Augusta street about 5:45 p. m. Monday, and was almost instantly killed.

Although immediately removed to the Physicians and Surgeons Hospital and given medical attention, Badders injuries were too severe to be baffled by treatment. His skull was crushed and the brain fearfully lacerated. All of one side of the head and the base of the brain was mashed in. The unfortunate lineman evidently fell head foremost. His head struck a stone curbing, a red spot on the stones showing the place of contact.

Badders was in the office of the telephone company as late as 5:00 p. m. He was the "trouble" lineman, and had gone out to locate wire trouble in the neighborhood where the accident occurred. He had been with the company for a number of years and was experienced in that line of work. He was known to be very careful as well as efficient. Badders was unconscious when found, and was not able to speak. He was working at the top of a forty foot pole in front of the house at 603 Augusta street. The thud of his body striking the sidewalk attracted the attention of the people in the house.

With as much dispatch as possible he was taken to the Physicians and Surgeons Hospital. He was attended by Dr. R. Caffery, who at a glance saw there was no hope for him. He died at 7:20 p. m. Dr. Caffery held a postmortem examination, finding that the entire skull had been fractured, the base of the brain and one side of the head being crushed inward and the brain being torn and lacerated. The dead man lived at 307 Grand avenue. He was married and his wife survives him. He was 35 years of age.

### Found a Buried City.

City of Mexico, June 4.—Laborers excavating trenches for the underground cable system of the telephone company unearthed in Cinco de Mayo street last evening an immense number of clay utensils, concrete foundations of temples and pottery covered with hieroglyphics; also old Spanish coins whose dates are unintelligible but which, mingled with the pottery, induced the supposition that the antiquities found appertain to periods of the conquest when Cortez razed every building in the Aztec capital.

Intermingling among the ruins thus unearthed, Prof. Batres said this morning, that the Government would doubtless find a block of lava from the eruption of Popocatepec more than 100 years ago. The walls thus uncovered show the evidence of having been built on the ruins of another city still lower down. The wall is covered with hieroglyphics, which were partially destroyed by the drilling of conduct holes through the solid mass.

Prof. Batres is eager to obtain Governmental permission to excavate below the present find for older remains, which he is satisfied exist underneath, especially in view of similar discoveries made in 1900.

### Drowns in Canal.

Beaumont, Tex., June 4.—Teddy Alexander, a youth about 14 years of age, was drowned in Treadway canal, a short distance above Beaumont, at about 11:00 a. m. this morning. Teddy and a boy named Eddy Dutton, became engaged in a wrestling match and inadvertently they got into deep water and neither could swim. N. C. Mayhew, who chanced to be near, heard cries and went to the rescue. Before he reached them the boys had become separated and both had sunk. Mr. Mayhew dived and succeeded in bringing the body of Eddy Dutton to the surface before he lost consciousness. Mr. Mayhew continued diving for the other boy, but was not so successful, and when he finally rescued the boy it was too late to save his life. The dead boy has no parents or relatives here, as far as can be learned. It is thought he has a father living in either Humble or Corsicana.

### Tragedy Followed Tragedy.

Rockyford, Ga., June 4.—Last night Joseph Dougherty, a prominent young farmer, was shot through the heart while in his buggy and instantly killed. A negro woman, Caroline Riddy, is alleged to have fired the shot. She escaped. This morning Paul Jones, a negro, was arrested as accessory to the crime.

While Jones was being taken to jail at Statesboro, he made an attempt to brain the sheriff with a brick. The sheriff was partly stunned, but succeeded in drawing his pistol and firing. The bullet went through Jones' temple and was killed.

### \$2,500 For a Foot.

San Antonio, Tex., June 6.—A defect in the floor of the G. H. & S. A. railroad shops is set forth as causing an accident whereby Horace Robinson had his right foot crushed and the little toe of that foot amputated. Upon these facts Robinson filed suit for \$2,500 damages in the district court Monday against the railroad company. The petition recites that on May 29 the foreman of the shops directed the plaintiff to move a very heavy driving wheel which was on a car in the building from one point to another; that he was complying with these instructions when the floor gave way, causing the heavy driving wheel to fall off and crush his right foot.

### Ban for Nan Patterson.

Columbus, Ohio, June 5.—Messrs. Dickinson and Talbot, of Indianapolis, who own the Grand Opera House here, announce that they have refused to allow Nan Patterson to play in their houses. They run playhouses in other cities also.

### Negro Killed.

Terrell, Tex., June 5.—Freeman Shaw, colored, was shot and killed on the Grinnan Ranch near this city last night about 9:00 p. m. Morris Shaw, colored, brother of the deceased, is in jail charged with doing the killing. His examination trial is now in progress before Justice T. L. Frank.

### Good Out Crop.

Corsicana, Tex., June 5.—The oats crop in this county is turning out far better than was anticipated three or four weeks ago. Most farmers will get 50 bushels per acre and many 75 bushels.

### Struck by a Baseball.

Brownsville, Tex., June 4.—Last Tuesday Herman Scriber, a boy, 7 years old, was struck on the head by a baseball during a game on the local diamond. Nothing was thought of the matter at the time, but on Wednesday afternoon he became unconscious and remained so until 5:00 a. m. this morning. It was feared the boy would not recover, but his chances now are good. It was an accident, for which no one was to blame.

### Father Killed by His Daughter.

Peoria, Ill., June 4.—Wenon Gilham, 16 years old, shot and wounded her father today, 18 miles from this city. Gilham was abusing his daughter when his wife interfered. He dealt her a blow on the head with a club, knocking her senseless. The daughter secured a shotgun and fired both barrels at her father, inflicting a mortal wound.

Miss Gilham surrendered to the sheriff.

### Severe Injuries.

San Angelo, Tex., June 4.—The news has just reached here of the probably fatal injury of R. F. Cumble, a prominent stockman, and son of Rev. R. M. Cumble, of Bronte, Tex. The young man was riding in the McCutcheon pasture Thursday evening and was thrown and rendered unconscious. Both jaw bones were broken and the head injured. He was found Friday and has never recovered. No hopes are held out for his recovery.

### Desperate Leap.

Beaumont, Tex., June 4.—In an effort to escape from the custody of a deputy sheriff, who was bringing him back to Beaumont to answer a charge of forgery, Bob White, a young white man, jumped from the car window of the Southern Pacific passenger train at an early hour this morning at Westlake, La. His neck was broken and he died a short time afterwards.

### Editor Weds.

Austin, Tex., June 5.—The marriage of Horace H. Shelton, city editor of the San Antonio Gazette, and Miss Gene F. Clarke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Clarke of this city, took place yesterday at the home of the bride's parents. The bride is an accomplished and popular young lady. The happy couple left on a brief burial trip, after which they will return to San Antonio to live.

### R. F. Cumble Injured.

San Angelo, Tex., June 4.—R. F. Cumble, a prominent young stockman, while riding a vicious horse on the range near Bronte, Coke county, was thrown and fatally injured. His jaw was broken and head injured. A searching party found him unconscious 24 hours after the accident. He has not regained consciousness. He is a son of Rev. R. M. Cumble, of Bronte.

### Hoke Smith a Candidate.

Atlanta, Ga., June 4.—In an interview with a representative of the Associated Press tonight Hon. Hoke Smith, secretary of the interior under ex-President Cleveland, stated that he would tomorrow announce as a candidate for governor of Georgia, subject to the Democratic primary.

### Bendele Released.

Jack Bendele, the ranchman from Mexico, who was arrested here by a ranger after being cleared in Mexico upon a murder charge, was released today in a habeas corpus hearing before Special Judge Walsh, the Court holding that since he had been acquitted in a Mexican court he could not be tried here, especially as the crime was committed in Mexico, even if the victim was brought to the United States before he died, as was the case.

This barred a Mexican inquest, and there was no legal evidence in Mexico on which to convict him there, hence the attempt to hold him here.—Ex.

### Knights in Wreck.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 4.—The Boston special bearing 250 Knights of Columbus and visitors, which arrived here today over the S. P., L. A. & S. L. R. R., was delayed by a wreck at Callente in which the passengers in two cars of the train had a narrow escape from death.

Two coaches jumped the track as the result, it is thought, by spreading rails, and tore up a considerable length of track. Several of the Knights sustained slight cuts and bruises, and one, a delegate from Illinois, named Fitzgerald, sustained a broken nose. A serious wreck was avoided only by reason of the fact that the train was running about 7 miles an hour at the time.

### Moore Is Elected.

Houston, Tex., June 6.—While the vote has been light throughout the district, returns show beyond a doubt that John M. Moore, of Richmond, Democrat, has been elected to Congress in the Eight District to succeed J. M. Pinkney, deceased, by a big majority. He carried every county in the district. The city of Houston, the home of Urwitz, gave him a majority of about 2 to 1.

### Extradition Ordered.

Montreal, June 6.—Judge LaFontaine, Extradition Commissioner, today gave judgement in the case of the United States vs. John F. Gaynor and Benjamin D. Green, committing both for extradition and ordering them back to jail to await surrender to United States officers.

Washington, D. C., June 6.—The Associated Press dispatch from Montreal stated that Judge LaFontaine had rendered his decision committing Greene and Gaynor for surrender to the United States authorities, was shown to the Attorney General today. When questioned as to what further rights of appeal Greene and Gaynor had, it was stated at the Department of Justice that the prisoners would have 15 days from the date of Judge LaFontaine's decision in which to appeal for a writ of habeas corpus.

This proceeding, if taken, would come before another judge, who would have the power to discharge the prisoners or to recommit them for surrender, in which case they will be surrendered within 2 months from the date of such recommitment.



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## SPRING

Is now here. The fields are green, the mountains are clothed in robes of emerald and the daisies sprinkle the earth like silver bubbles on a sea of moving verdure. There has never been such a promising prospect for a bountiful harvest, in this country, as now greets the eye at every turn. We have prepared and are still preparing for a prosperous year.

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### Love is in the Air,

And the birds that sing in the trees, the raven that peeps modestly forth and the gentle daisy that timidly left its face to the sun tell the story of love and springtime. This is the time of year for pretty hats and fans and parasols and spring dresses, low shoes and a thousand other things in that line. We have them all and ask you to do your spring trading with us.

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#### PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Gathered Here and There By  
SUN Reporters.

J. A. Benskin, of Kimble county, was in the city trading Wednesday.

James Cravey, of Bandera county was in Kerrville Tuesday.

Miss Vela Burney returned Sunday from a visit to San Antonio.

A better clock for \$2.75 than you buy elsewhere for \$3.50.

SELF.

C. Goodman is making a business visit to his old home at Ft. Smith, Ark.

Mrs. L. A. Schreiner and little daughter are in Corpus Christi for a few weeks visit.

Judge W. G. Garrett made a business trip to San Antonio the first of the week.

J. T. Bowman, who had been visiting in Kerrville, left Monday for his home at San Antonio.

Rev. R. Galbraith returned Friday from Uvalde county, where he had been for the past month visiting his daughters.

Ernest and Idabell Biehler returned home this week from Galveston and Hitchcock, after a five weeks visit.

Mrs. J. C. Kelso and family, of Galveston, are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Biehler, of this city.

Louis Jung, who had been attending the Sam Houston Normal at Huntsville, returned home last Friday. Mr. Jung visited his sister Mrs. J. P. Mosel, this city, several days before returning to his home in Gillespie county.

J. M. Anderson, of the Divide, was in Kerrville Ehursday.

Oscar Coose, of Lima, was in Kerrville Thursday.

Robert Remschel left for Austin Wednesday for a few day visit.

I. N. Hazlett spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Miss Emma Endeke, of San Antonio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Schreiner, of this city.

Misses Pearl Wilson and Emma Means, of Medina, were in the city shopping Wednesday.

Miss Ella Kruger, of Galveston, is visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Biehler, this city.

Miss Ethel Williams, who had been visiting at Whorton ranch, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Schreiner and children, have gone to Corpus Christi to spend the summer.

Shinola and Shinola outfit at Kerrville Book Store. Shinola is the best there is.

Rev. R. Galbraith will hold services in St. Peter's Episcopal church at 11:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. Sunday. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. B. F. Nowlin, Miss Anna and Robert Nowlin leave today for their old home in Tennessee where they will reside.

Miss Gene Carr left Wednesday for Georgetown to attend the summer school at the Southwestern University.

Mrs. Lee Miller and daughter, Miss Lucile, who had been in Kerrville several days left Wednesday for San Antonio. They will return soon and spend several weeks here with Mr. Miller, who is spending the summer in Kerrville for his health.

B. Billings, of the Harper community, was in Kerrville Monday.

J. H. Saul, of Center Point, was in Kerrville Tuesday.

John Hankins left on Thursday for a few days business trip to Harper and London.

Miss Allie Boyle, of Junction, is visiting at the home of her uncle, B. A. Davey, this city.

Mrs. Lou Whorton and Mrs. Long of Whorton ranch, were in Kerrville Wednesday, guests of Mrs. W. E. Williams.

Mrs. H. Partee and children returned last Sunday from Ripley, Tenn., where she had been visiting relatives.

Wm. J. Butland, of Kimble Co., passed through Kerrville Thursday on his way to England where he will spend the summer.

D. A. and G. F. Large, well-known goat ranchmen of the Nueces country, were in Kerrville buying supplies Wednesday.

Rev. J. A. Massey, of Boerne, came to Kerrville Saturday evening, and preached at St. Peter's church on Sunday, in the absence of Rev. R. Galbraith.

E. Schwethelm and Max Grona spent last Sunday in Fredericksburg. They went there to pay a policy in the Sons of Hermann, to Mrs. Adolph Knoche.

Capt. E. E. Sawyer, owner of the big Ft. Terrett ranch, was in Kerrville Tuesday. Capt. Sawyer shipped 1,300 sheep and 750 goats from this place to Eastern markets. He reports range fine, an unusually good season, and stock and farm interest of all kinds in his section in a very prosperous condition.

Judge J. R. Burnett left Tuesday for Houston on legal business.

Mrs. J. M. Hamilton is visiting at Adam Wilson's ranch, near Leakey.

Keeps time. Strikes the hour. Strikes the half. Wakes you up. \$3.00. SELF.

Mrs. H. Gerdes arrived in Kerrville Tuesday from San Antonio to attend the funeral her son, Ed. B. Gerdes.

Col. Asa Hill, San Antonio, box 577, who is compiling a history of the State of Texas, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. C. Schunke, of Del Rio, a sister of the late Ed. B. Gerdes, arrived in Kerrville Tuesday to attend her brother's funeral.

Judge and Mrs. R. H. Storms, of Center Point, were in Kerrville Thursday of last week visiting friends. While here the Judge renewed his Notary Public license for another term.

Jno. Gerdes, brother of the late Ed. B. Gerdes, arrived in the city Tuesday to attend the funeral of his brother. Mr. Gerdes is a member of the Dallas fire department.

#### Absolutely Pure.

Notwithstanding the fact that the Kerrville water supply is as pure as that of any town in Texas, yet we make assurance doubly sure by filtering three times by the very most modern process, all water used in our carbonated beverages. We positively know it is absolutely pure. A cordial invitation is extended to dealers and consumers to visit our plant and let us explain the process by which our goods are manufactured. J. L. PAMPELL.

#### At the Churches.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, J. T. King, Pastor. Services every Sabbath, except the 3rd Sabbath in each month, at 11 a. m. and at 7:15 p. m. Sunday School at 9:15 a. m., J. J. Starkey, Superintendent. Senior League 3:30 p. m., A. L. Starkey, President, Junior League Sundays 9:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday 7:15 p. m.

PRE-SBYTERIAN CHURCH: Sunday school every Sunday at 9:45 a. m. J. C. GRAVES, Superintendent of Sunday school. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Preaching 1st and 3rd Sunday morning and night Sunday school Sunday morning at 10 a. m. Young People's Union every Sunday at 4 p. m. Business meeting first Sunday in each month. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Meet with us.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, Service Kerrville every Sunday in the month, except the 3rd at 11 a. m., also on the 4th at 5 p. m. Morris Ranch, services on 3rd Sunday in month.

R. GALBRAITH

REV. L. C. ZETTNER, German Lutheran minister will preach at the Union church the third and fourth Sunday in each month. Morning and night.

#### Don't Use the Kegs.

All persons are forbidden to use empty beer kegs belonging to the San Antonio breweries for any purpose hereafter. It is a trespass upon the property of said breweries to do so, and same will be prosecuted.

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My household furniture, one book piano and several carpets. Call on or address,

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### Famous Flower Crozes.

The prices paid for a new variety of rose recently in Paris, when single buds sold for thousands of francs, recall the high figures which tulips once fetched. In Holland in one year the sales aggregated 10,000,000 florins. Holland went tulip mad. The bulbs were quoted on the stock exchange. Ownership in them was divided into shares. Speculators sold them short. At one time more tulips were sold than existed. At Lille a brewer sold his trade and good will in exchange for a bulb, which was thereafter known as the brewer's tulip. In Amsterdam a father gave one away by way of dower with his child. Thereafter the variety was known as the marriage-of-my-daughter. At Rotterdam a hungry sailor happening on a few mistook them for onions and ate them. The report became a passage, also hams whole or sliced in quantity at Henke Bros. 2t-5t. Col. T. H. Zanderson, of San Antonio, was a guest at the St. Mirles Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Hoxie offered a ewe lamb of his the deputation offered 1,000 florins, which he refused. He was offered 10,000 florins. Still he refused. Cascades of gold were poured before his resisting eyes. Finally, tormented and tempted, he succumbed. There and then the deputation trampled that tulip under their feet. Afterward it appeared that the syndicate had already grown a gem precisely similar, and, unable to bear the idea that a rival existed, had authorized the deputation if needful to offer ten times the amount which it paid.

### Beggars' Language.

In describing their possessions and their environment, professional beggars use nick-names, writes Theodore Waters in Everybody's. Thus a cent is known as an "Indian." Other coins are known as "white money." A detective is a "bull," and a policeman is a "bull in harness." A thief is a "gun" and a pickpocket is a "dip." A gold watch is a "red kettle." Stamps are known as "stickers." Money is "cush." A horse car is a "rat-tler." When a beggar is arrested he is said to "fall." The work-house is known as the "band house." The penitentiary is known as the "big house." A revolver is a "rod." A beggar who gives out cards on which are printed appealing bits of rhyme is known as a "throw out." One who sits cross-legged on the walk is known as a "flopper." One who holds you up on the sidewalk is known as a "strong arm." So it runs on with so many expressions covering so many figures of speech that one not familiar with their argot might listen to their talk for hours without catching the real meaning of the conversation.

### That Tired Feeling.

If you are languid, depressed, incapable for work, it indicates that your liver is out of order. Herbine will assist nature to throw headaches, rheumatism and ailments akin to nervousness, and restore the energies and vitality of sound and perfect health. J. J. Hubbard, Temple, Texas, writes, "I have used Herbine for the past two years. It has done me more good than all the doctors. It is the best medicine ever made for chills and fever." 50c. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

### Cures All Sores.

Westmoreland, Kans. May 5, 1902: Ballard's Snow Liniment cured an old sore on the side of my chin that was supposed to be a cancer. The sore was stubborn and would not yield to treatment, until I tried Snow Liniment, which did the work in short order. My sister, Mrs. Sophia J. Carson, Allensville, Mifflin Co., Pa., has a sore and mistrusts that it is a cancer. Please send her a 50c bottle. Sold by Rock Drug Store.

### The Dance of Death.

The death dances of the Tibetan mystery plays, one of which is performed on the last three days of the year, are called "the ceremony of the sacrificial body of the dead year." The effigy of a man made out of dough, as lifelike as possible and having inside a distinct heart and all the entrails filled with a red fluid, is placed by four cemetery ghouls in sight of the numerous spectators in the center of the yard and at once bands of skeleton ghosts rush upon the corpse to attack it. This is the time to display the necromatic power of Lamaism over the evil spirits. Monks and lamas come forth and go through a series of ceremonies, the magic effect of which keeps the fiends away. But a more formidable devil with great horns and possessed of superior powers makes his appearance and takes the field. Whereupon a saint or an incarnation of Buddha himself goes to the rescue, tramples flour on the enemy, makes mystic signs and utters incantations. The skeleton ghosts and the big fiend grovel before him and implore mercy. He graciously yields to their supplications and allows them to partake of a sacramental meal. While they kneel before him he gives to each one of them a little flour to eat and a drink out of a vessel of holy water.

### Big Rewards to Fighters.

Great Britain's greatest soldiers and sailors receive great rewards for their services. It is now proposed to give an honorarium of \$125,000 to Admiral Sir John Fisher, the first lord of the admiralty. Lord Wolseley received an award of \$125,000 after the Ashanti expedition, and another equal amount at the conclusion of the Egyptian war in 1882. Lord Alcester received a peerage and \$125,000 for the bombardment of Alexandria, a day's work, which was valuable largely because it disclosed the weakness of the British navy at that time. Lord Roberts received \$500,000, besides his full pay as commander-in-chief, for his work in the Boer war, and Lord Kitchener received \$250,000 for his services in the same struggle.

## HELP WANTED.

No Energy. No Will Power. No Ambition. Losing Confidence in Self and the Confidence of Friends or Employers.

A State of Health That Needs Prompt Treatment to Ward Off Serious Disease.

Do you notice a large reduction in your vital energy? Are you losing hold on your place in the social world? Is your strength gone, constitution weak, appetite poor, digestion deranged, bowels costive, with uneasiness and symptoms of derangement in the region of the kidneys? Such a condition is the preliminary to Bright's Disease or some other serious kidney trouble. If this describes the state of your body, we urge upon you prompt action before your health is entirely beyond recovery. Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy you need; it has a four-fold restorative effect. It stimulates the torpid liver, restores health in the stomach, strengthens and cures the kidneys, and through its peculiar yet agreeable laxative character it clinches the good work by thoroughly cleansing the bowels. It is a certain remedy for kidney and liver diseases.

Accept no substitute. Insist on having the genuine Prickly Ash Bitters with the large figure 8 in red on the front label.

Sold by Druggists, Price \$1.00 per bottle.

### Acute Rheumatism.

Deep tearing or wrenching pains, occasioned by getting wet through; worse when at rest, or on first moving the limbs and in cold or damp weather, is cured quickly by Ballard's Snow Liniment. Oscar Oleson, Gibson City, Ill., writes, Feb. 16, 1902: "A year ago I was troubled with a pain in my back. It got so bad I could not bend over. One bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me." Sold by Rock Drug Store.

### Facial Peculiarities.

The two sides of a person's face are never alike, according to the Indianapolis News. The eyes are out of line in two cases out of five, and one eye is stronger than the other in seven cases out of ten. The right is also, as a rule, higher than the left. Only one person in fifteen has perfect eyes, the largest percentage of defects prevailing among fair-haired people. The smallest interval of sound can be distinguished better with one ear than with both. The nails of two fingers never grow with the same rapidity, that of the middle finger growing the fastest, while that of the thumb grows slowest. In fifty-four cases out of one hundred the left leg is shorter than the right.

## Let Common Sense Decide

Do you honestly believe, that coffee sold loose (in bulk), exposed to dust, germs and insects, passing through many hands (some of them not over-clean), "blended," you don't know how or by whom, is fit for your use? Of course you don't. But

## LION COFFEE

is another story. The green berries, selected by keen judges at the plantation, are skillfully roasted at our factories, where precautions you would not dream of are taken to secure perfect cleanliness, flavor, strength and uniformity.

From the time the coffee leaves the factory no hand touches it till it is opened in your kitchen.

This has made LION COFFEE the LEADER of ALL PACKAGE COFFEES.

Millions of American Homes welcome LION COFFEE daily. There is no stronger proof of merit than continued and increasing popularity. "Quality survives all opposition."

(Sold only in 1 lb. packages. Lion-head on every package.) (Save your Lion-heads for valuable premiums.)

SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE

WOOLSON SPICE CO., Toledo, Ohio.

# The Mountain Sun.

PUBLISHED EVERY SATURDAY

J. E. GRINSTEAD.

Corner of Main and Mountain Streets, Kerrville, Texas.

\$1.00 PER YEAR.

Entered at the postoffice in Kerrville, Texas for transportation through the mails as second class matter.

Advertising rates made known on application.

If there is any able bodied man in Kerr County out of a job right now it is his own fault. There is plenty of work for everybody.

CORN in Kerr County was never in finer condition at this time of the year. There is now a fine season in the ground, and but a little more rain is needed to make a record breaking crop.

THERE is a mighty busy time ahead of the farmers. The end of this week will see the grain all cut, but threshing and marketing the crop has just begun. The yield will be enormous and acreage is unusually large. There's a good time coming.

Now is a good time to remember that the West Texas Fair will hold its 1905 meeting September 7, 8 and 9. Now is the time to begin to prepare an exhibit. Let every farmer and stockman in the country make a special effort to show something at the coming Fair, and the result will be both creditable to the country and gratifying to the exhibitors and the Fair management.

KERRVILLE will handle more than 1,000,000 pounds of wool this season. The wool and mohair that will be shipped from Kerrville will bring into this section from \$250,000 to \$500,000. The wheat and oats crop is a record breaker, stock of all kinds are in an excellent condition. Fat beef and muttons are being shipped every day, and the general business outlook is more promising than for several years.

THE excellent crops that have been raised the past few years by Kerr County farmers are not due altogether to unusually good season. Modern and more progressive farming, and the benefit of experience has much to do with these things. Kerr County has about the most progressive farmers in Southwest Texas, and the result of their labors is in evidence at every turn of the road.

### Card of Thanks.

Mr. J. E. Grinstead,  
DEAR SIR:  
I wish to thank the people of Kerrville for their kindness to me while I was in business here. Also to thank the business men for their kind offer as an inducement to rebuild.

I will do anything I can to help Kerrville to get another plant, and if it should be erected during the winter I will volunteer to come up here, and use my tools and my experience and give my labor to erect, at no further expense than my railroad fare to and from Kerrville and my expenses while here. I wish to say that I leave Kerrville with the kindest feeling toward all, and any letters as to the amount of ice sold, and any information that I can give to anyone as an inducement to establish another plant I will cheerfully answer at any time.

Respectfully,  
A. F. HOLMGREN.

Try H. & A. Pfeiffer for laces and embroideries.

OFFICE OF COCA COLA BOTTLING CO.  
San Antonio, Tex., May 20, 1905.  
Mr. J. L. Pampell,  
Kerrville, Tex.

Dear Sir:  
A few days ago our Mr. Bullis told me that in a conversation with you, he understood that you desired to bottle Coca Cola for Kerrville and points in the country west of you. It is not the custom of the Coca Cola Co. to bottle Coca Cola except at our regular bottling establishments, but on account of the unusual position of Kerrville, and as we understand that you have a very nice bottling establishment, we are willing to give you permission to bottle Coca Cola.

Please let us hear from you without delay as we desire to make some arrangement about sale of bottled Coca Cola in Kerrville. With best wishes, we are  
Very truly yours,  
COCA COLA BOTTLING CO.  
By S. J. NEWCOMB.

I have perfected the arrangement referred to in the foregoing letter and am now bottling Coca Cola at the Kerrville Bottling Works and will be pleased to make prices to dealers in this section on Coca Cola and other beverages.  
J. L. PAMPELL.

### Suits Cleaned and Pressed.

I do all kinds of repairing and altering work promptly done. Ladies skirts cleaned.

**S. Friedman,**  
The Tailor, Kerrville, Texas.

### Ed. B. Gerdes.

On Monday, June 5, the angel of Death visited our city and took from our midst Ed. B. Gerdes. Death resulted from heart failure and was most unexpected by the friends and family. Mr. Gerdes was a Sons of Herman and the local lodge of that order took charge of the funeral arrangement. The funeral service was conducted by Father \_\_\_\_\_ of the Catholic church and the order of Sons of Herman.

Ed. B. Gerdes was born in San Antonio, Texas, in 1867 and was in the prime of life and usefulness when death claimed him. He had spent a number of years in Kerrville at different times prior to 1900, when he returned here and purchased the present Gerdes Hotel. He was an up-right business man, a loyal friend and an excellent citizen. Through his kindly and courteous bearing he had made a host of friends not only in Kerrville, but among the thousands of transient guest who had enjoyed his hospitality.

### FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION.

Big Three Days Barbecue and Picnic.  
Public Speaking and Amusement, July 3, 4 and 5.

At the picnic grove near Frank Moore's crossing of the Guadalupe, 3 1/2 miles above Kerrville. The picnic will be under the auspices of the Farmers' Union, and a cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend. The District Union will hold a meeting at the picnic.

Let everybody turn out and make this entertainment break the picnic record of Texas.

B. BILLING,  
Chairman of Com.

### Happy Center Point.

At 10:00 o'clock on the morning of June 7, the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. McCorkle was entered by a blustering and well armed bank robber, who demanded of them everything in sight and more if they had it. The odor of chloroform was distinctly plain, and a few moments great excitement prevailed, in which the intruder came near losing his life. He kicked Mrs. Hughes Moore a savage blow on the arm, but fortunately broke no bones. At the proper moment Dr. J. A. Beall happened along and dashed a pan of cold water in the burglars face, after which he was securely bound. It was agreed to compromise the case by his promising to be good, make his future home there and be contented with a new suit of clothes, a jug of milk and a bottle of paregoric. The little fellow weighed 10 1/2 pounds. Both mother and boy are doing well. Mrs. McCorkle wants his name to be G. P., Jr., but his daddy says call him Sam.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parks are preparing to build a cottage on the lot they have recently purchased of the Guadalupe Valley Trust Co., in the new addition.

For just as much money you can save money by  
**ir,**

Sheriff Jack Moore was in Happy Center Point bright and early Thursday morning.

H. D. Blatherwick is on a business trip this week to San Antonio. Miss Bettie McElroy is visiting relatives and friends in the capitol of Kerr county.

Mrs. W. Bagwell is spending the summer months on the coast. She and Mr. Bagwell had the misfortune to lose their fine buggy horse Monday.

The farmers of this valley are through cutting wheat, and very soon the steady hum of the threshing machines will furnish the music.

The ladies of the Home Missionary Society served cake and tea at the M. E. church Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Meeks have returned from Tennessee.

Dr. Beall left town Wednesday afternoon for a 2-mile trip down the river for the purpose of arresting another bank robber. The entire band, consisting of 12 or 15, may be apprehended before the summer is gone.

A-MERI-CUS.

### GERMICIDE GAS GENERATOR.

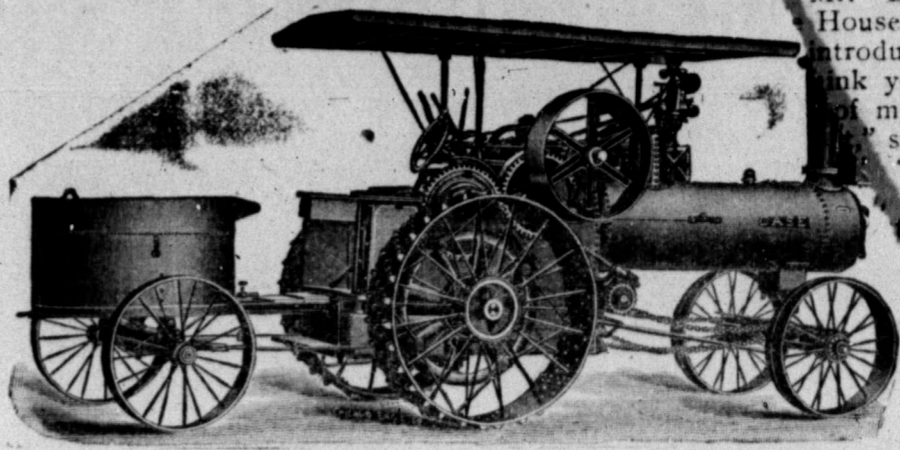
I have an exhibition at my store an instrument made upon scientific principles which is the result of the deepest thought and most thorough scientific investigation of the best minds in the world. It is a Formaldehyde Gas Generator and has the endorsement of the ablest health officers and physicians of America. It is a guaranteed Gericide, and those who have the health of themselves and families at heart and wish to preclude the possibility of the spread of disease should investigate this instrument. I will take pleasure in explaining its merits to anyone who will call at my store.

W. H. RAWSON.

COCA COLA

On Ice, In Bottles, all saloons and dealers

# Traction Engine



These engines make plenty of power for threshing machines and plowing purposes. One has just been delivered to Moore, Burney & Hamilton like above cut. Dietert Brothers are agents for the above machines.

## ICE CREAM!

Same superior quality as always, packed and delivered in porcelain lined cans. Family and hotel trade solicited.

Get Our Prices.  
**J. L. PAMPELL.**

## VITROLINE 1905.



The ONLY ser-w worm CURE. VITROLINE 1905, will kill the worms keep off flies and stops the bleeding.

Every bottle guaranteed to do as we say. Give it a trial.

### ROCK DRUG STORE

Manufacturing Druggists. For Sale by all Leading Merchants and by Chas. Schreiner Co., Kerrville, Rock Springs, Junction; Paul Ingenuett, Comart; Center Point Mercantile Co., Center Point.

The Finest and Latest Photographic Work in Texas done at

**Powell's Studio,**  
511 1/2 East Houston St.,  
San Antonio, Tex.

Awarded Three State Prizes, Also the Highest Prize at San Antonio International Fair 1904. You take no chances. Powell's photos are guaranteed to please. This is the only studio in the State making all of the highest grade finishes known to the Photographic Art. Old pictures enlarged to any size in the most artistic manner.

**L. T. Powell.**

### Card of Thanks.

We take this means of extending our heartfelt thanks to the kind friends who administered to the wants of J. W. Busby during his last days, and aiding us in every way. Also to the members of the W. O. W. Lodge for conducting the funeral services. They shall ever be remembered.  
HIS MOTHER AND CHILDREN.

Nothing equal to PRICKLY ASH BITTERS for removing that sluggish bilious feeling, so common to hot weather. It creates strength, vigor, appetite and cheerful spirits.

If you don't know what Shinola is and what it will do for your shoes go to the Kerrville Book Store and find out it is the thing you have been hunting.

## HOT! HOT! HOT!

Yes, indeed! The hot days are coming! Baby won't look so rosy; the older children will not have so much spirit; mothers won't have so restful a look, and even the young folks will not be so jolly, when the hot days of July come.

So if you are thinking of having some photographs made now is the time, and I promise to give you satisfaction. I will photograph any views you want, and finish your kodak work satisfactorily.

**MRS. O'NEAL,**

Photographer, Opp. St. Charles.

Wanted. — To Keep Sheep on Shares. I have fine pasture and want 500 to 600 sheep. Good ewes to keep on shares. Enquire at this office 4t-50

### Notice.

All persons are warned against trespassing on my premises for any purpose whatever.

G. F. SCHREINER.

**NEWS.**

**Shipping Items From  
Harris and County.**

Class eight day clocks, SELF.  
A. Green, of Harper, was a guest at the Gerdes Monday.  
A beautiful set of glassware for cents at H. & A. Pfeiffer's.  
J. E. Dubose, of Ingram, was a guest at the Gerdes Monday.  
Make it rain by buying a sprinkling can at the Famous.  
J. L. McMahon, of Boerne, was a guest at the Gerdes Thursday.  
E. I. Childs, of Harper, was registered at the Gerdes Monday.

**Dr. Edward Galbraith,**



**Dentist**

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

J. J. Davidson leaves today for a visit to his old home at Helena, Ark.

Mrs. S. M. Howard and daughter, left Saturday for Sealy to visit relatives.

Mrs. A. B. Williamson and children left Sunday for San Angelo, to visit relatives.

To arrive next week; a carload of water melons.

THE FAMOUS.

**ICE! ICE!! ICE!!!**

I am selling ice. June 1 I will put on a regular ice wagon, and will deliver ice every day. I shall endeavor to serve the trade promptly. Leave orders with me or with Frank Coleman, Jr.  
CHAS. HEINEN.

You know what you are eating when you use our lard. We butcher nothing but the best hogs and make lard by the best process. It is clean and pure.  
HENKE BROS.

The SUN has received a handsome invitation to attend the graduating exercises of the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, through the courtesy of Miss Clara Herzog, of this city who is a member of the 1905 class.

**Just Rugs.**

We have a nice line of rugs and will be pleased to show them to you. FAWCETT, BARNES & CO.

T. O. Cowan, of Hico, Tex., was registered at the St. Charles Thursday.

Capt. Steve Wray, of the Center Point community, was in Kerrville yesterday.

Mrs. Jno. W. Vann and little son, Stewart, left yesterday for Austin, to attend the University commencement.

Don't waste hot air, cool it with a fan bought at the Famous. Fans from 5 cents up. Beautiful line to select from.

**SALE OF PRIVILEGES.**

The committee of the big Farmers' Union picnic to be held July 3, 4 and 5 at Moore's crossing, is now ready to receive bids on privileges. Send all bids to N. F. Davis, Kerrville, Tex., not later than June 20. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

28 pounds of rice for \$1.00 at H. & A. Pfeiffer's.

W. G. Carpenter spent several days at the Carr ranch the latter part of last week.

D. J. Thomas, a ranchman from the Nueces country, was in Kerrville Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Hope and son, Fred, of Magnolia, Miss., arrived in Kerrville Thursday, and will make their home here.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. P. Wright and children left Sunday for Longview, where they will spend several weeks visiting relatives.

**I Carry**

A nice selection of Spring and Summer samples. Call at my place of business on Mountain street, and look at them.

**S. FRIEDMAN,**  
The Tailor. Kerrville, Texas.

Wm. Russel and family, of Menardville, were in Kerrville Tuesday. Mr. Russel is a prominent banker and stockman of Menardville.

Good appetite and cheerfulness follows the use of PRICKLY ASH BITTERS. It purifies the blood, liver and bowels and makes life worth living.

Walter Schreiner is in from the James River country on a visit to his parents. Mr. Schreiner will go to Austin to attend the University commencement.

**MCCORMICK**

**Binders,  
Mowers,  
Rakes  
and Twine.**

None better in the market.  
**Dietert Bros.**

**Lost Foot From Snake Bite.**

Richard Slaughter, an 8-year-old boy of the Verde Creek community, was bitten on the foot by a rattlesnake on the 22nd of May. Simple remedies were applied, but the injured member became badly swollen and inflamed, and the attendants hoping to prevent the spread of the poison corded the limb to stop the circulation. Finally a physician was summoned who severed the cord, but all circulation having been suspended for 24 hours, the lower part of the limb was dead and in a gangrenous condition. Physicians say that in cording a limb under such circumstances the circulation should not be stopped not more than 24 hours. When the child's parents realized the alarming condition of the child they brought him to Kerrville for medical attention. Sunday the flesh of the entire foot and ankle fell away from the bone. Monday afternoon Drs. Palmer, Fordtran and Roberts amputated the leg at the thigh. The little fellow stood the operation well and is now doing nicely, with strong probability of recovery.

**Cards of Thanks.**

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends of the family, to the Sons of Herman and all who so kindly and generously offered their sympathy and assistance in last illness of Mr. Ed. B. Gerdes. May you ever find like sympathy and assistance in hour of your sorrow. THE FAMILY.

**Charles Schreiner Co.,**

**Kerrville, Texas,**

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

**GENERAL MERCHANDISE  
And Leaders in Low Prices.**

Agents for Eclipse and Aermoter Windmills Collins' Pump  
Jacks, Yellow Kid Disc Plows, Deering Harvesters and  
Springfield and Studebaker Wagons and Vehicles.

**Pasteur's Vaccine for Blackleg.**

The colored people will have a baptism at the mouth of Town creek tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock.

City Marshal W. G. Peterson and Chas. Heinen went to San Antonio Friday.

Chas. S. Carson, of Cheapside, visited his cousin, W. A. Fawcett, this city this week.

Our own make ham and bologna sausage, also hams whole or sliced any quantity at Henke Bros. 2t-5t

Col. T. H. Zanderson, of San Antonio, was a guest at the St. Charles Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Honig, Chas. Honig and L. D. Honig, of St. Louis, are guests at the St. Charles hotel.

We don't sell at or below cost. We handle such a class of good that we must make a little profit on every article we sell or we will lose money. First-class goods, quick sales and small profit is our motto.  
THE FAMOUS.



We Are

**Exclusive Agents In  
KERRVILLE,**

**For This Celebrated Line of  
Shoes.**

**Chas. Schreiner Co.**

**Card of Thanks.**

I desire to express my sincere thanks and gratitude to our friends and to the Sons of Hermann and Concordia Singing Club for the kindness and sympathy shown me at the death of my husband and for the many floral offerings and other evidence of kindly feeling.  
MRS. ED GERDES.

Hill Humphrey, traveling salesman for the Lamb Fence Co., of Adrian, Mich., has been in the city a vicinity in the interest of this company for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Street H. Gilmer, of Rock Springs, arrived in this city Wednesday from Floresville, where they had been visiting. They left in the afternoon for their home.

**CLOSING OUT  
SALE  
OF  
SUMMER MILLINERY.**

Beginning Monday, June 5th, and continuing throughout the season, we will inaugurate a great Closing Out Sale of Summer millinery.

This line a nobby line of Dress and Street Hats in the latest colors and shapes.

All this season's goods, "NO LEFT OVERS" in this entire line.

Everything goes—Nothing reserved. Prices to suit purchaser.

**CHAS. SCHREINER CO.**

When you want anything in the drug line it will pay you to consult W. H. Rawson. He handles only the purest and freshest drugs. A competent pharmacist always in attendance.

No man can work well with a torpid liver or constipated bowels. A few doses of PRICKLY ASH BITTERS will quickly remove this condition and make work a pleasure.

**We Carry A Big Supply of  
Seamless Sacks.**

Get our prices before you buy.

**Dietert Bros.**

**Houses to Rent**

Apply to H. V. Scholl at Beitel's Lumber Yard. 48-tf

**Will Begin Threshing Monday.**

J. W. Babb, a leading farmer of the Center Point community, was in Kerrville Tuesday. Mr. Babb says the grain is about all cut and threshing will begin Monday. He reports a very fine crop of small grain in that community as is the case throughout this entire section.

**Austin Nursery.**

Carries everything adapted to Southwest Texas.

No frauds or misrepresentations.

J. M. Webb, Agent,  
Kerrville,  
Texas.

No. 6040.

Report of the Condition of  
**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,**  
at Center Point, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, May 29, 1905.

**RESOURCES.**

Loan and Discounts	\$70,215 74
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	2,418 53
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Other resources	428 92
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	2,750 00
Bonds, securities, etc	193 10
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	5,500 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	12,569 49
Due from approved reserve agents	1,757 27
Checks and other cash items	169 93
Notes of other National Banks	2,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	15 99
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	\$1,946
Legal-tender notes	400
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,500 00
Total	\$161,863 17

**LIABILITIES.**

Capital stock paid in	50,000 00
Surplus fund	7,000 00
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000 00
Due to other National Bank	99 49
Individual deposits subject to check	31,640 18
Time certificate of deposit	8,123 50
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	15,000 00
Total	\$161,863 17

STATE OF TEXAS, )  
COUNTY OF KERR. ) ss:

I, G. P. McCorkle, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. P. McCorkle, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1905.

R. H. STORMS,  
Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

H. M. BURNEY,  
JAS. L. McELROY,  
W. H. WITT. } Directors.

**Pastor's Home to Be Built.**

At the regular business meeting of the Baptist church of this city on last Sunday, the church unanimously voted the adoption of a resolution to build a pastor's home on their lot adjoining the one on which the church stands.

This home has been a long felt necessity, and it is expected that by the united efforts of the Baptist church and the assistance of their friends, the home will soon be an accomplished fact.

Give H. & A. Pfeiffer a trial for groceries.

Misses Mabel Shiner and Mabel McChesney, of San Antonio, are guests of Miss Nannie Allen.



CATER TO THE TASTE  
THE  
**ELI ATESSEN**  
STORE.  
GEO. W. WALTHER. - KERRVILLE, TEX.

**THE KERRVILLE MARKET**  
HAAG & MICHON, PROP.  
The Very Best Meats at All Times. Up-to-Date Refrigerator Process.  
OPPOSITE BANK PHONE No. 90 KERRVILLE, TEX.

Prompt Service  
Liberal Treatment  
Absolute Safety.

We give particular attention to the business of Merchants, Farmers and Stockmen. We cordially invite them to make this their Banking home. Advances made on Wool and Mohair. Come and see us.

**Chas. Schreiner, Banker,**  
Kerrville, Texas.

**H. Remschel,**  
DEALER IN  
**..LUMBER..**  
Sash, Doors, Etc  
YARD NEAR DEPOT  
FULL LINE OF Ready-Mixed Paints. KERRVILLE, TEXAS

**ST. CHARLES HOTEL.**  
LEE MASON, Proprietor.  
Only First-Class Hotel in the City. All Modern Conveniences  
Water Street, Kerrville, Texas.

**DAVY CROCKETT** The "Saps" new night Train between San Antonio & Houston.  
Leaves Houston 10:15 p. m. Arrives San Antonio 7:45 a. m.  
Leaves San Ant. 9:45 p. m. Arrives Houston 7:45 a. m.  
Each train strictly up-to date, wide vestibule, pintsch lighted, soft berth Pullman sleepers, free parlor car, one combination coach and one baggage car.



**WHEN YOU TRAVEL**  
SELECT A RAILWAY AS YOU DO YOUR CLOTHES  
**KATY SERVICE**  
(MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY.)  
SUGGESTS COMFORTABLE AND CONVENIENT TRAINS.  
**THE "KATY FLYER" AND KATY DINING STATIONS.**  
MEALS MODERATE IN PRICE. UNSURPASSED IN QUALITY AND SERVICE.  
**ONE PRICE 50¢**

PHONE 103.  
**THE BIG BASKET**  
Is Your Friend.  
It makes a trip every week to  
**Paul Steam Laundry,**  
Old Hats made new. Old clothes made to look good, and all kinds Laundry work done in first-class style. The PAUL has no animal that eats shirts. They come home whole with the buttons all on. Leave Laundry at Kerrville Book Store. Have Laundry in by Tuesday, 12 o'clock. If you do not send Laundry regular notify us when you have a package and we will call for it.  
**John C. Graves, Agent,**  
Kerrville, Texas.

**CHAS. MOSEL TINSMITH,**  
Job Work Done on Short Notice  
**ROOFING AND GUTTERING**  
A Specialty  
KERRVILLE, TEXAS.  
Opp. Schreiner's Store.

**CITY MEAT MARKET**  
Fresh Beef, Pork, Mutton and Veal.  
Henke Bros., Poprietors.  
All Orders Delivered Free

**PRICE'S MEAT MARKET.**  
Beef, Pork, Sausage, and Barbecued Meat.  
All Orders Delivered Free.  
**MAIN ST. KERRVILLE TEXAS.**

**Going North Soon?**  
If so, you ought to look into the **LOW ROUND TRIP RATES**  
Via the



The following are all **TOP-NOTCHERS:**  
**LOUISVILLE, KY.** Veterans Reunion One Cent per mile rate.  
Tickets on sale June 9, 10, 11 and 12, good to return July 10th.  
**TORONTO, CANADA.** On the Lakes. One Fare plus \$2.00.  
Tickets on sale June 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, good to return August 31.  
**INDIANAPOLIS, IND.** One Fare plus \$2.00.  
Tickets on sale June 19 to 22, good to return June 29.  
**ASHBURY PARK, N. J., Sea Shore.** One Fare plus \$3.33.  
Tickets on June 28, 29, 30 and July 1, good to return August 31.  
**BALTIMORE, MD.** One Fare plus \$2.00.  
Tickets on sale July 1, 2 and 3, good to return August 31.  
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**FUNNY THINGS**  
FROM THE PAPERS.

An Oklahoma farmer subscribed to the "Ram's Horn" because he interested in sheep.—Ex.

A Kansas man is said to be rejoicing because it cost him but \$1 to whip his mother-in-law. He thinks he got a bargain.—Ex.

A Kansas physician lost a pocketbook containing a comfortable sum of money. The other day he received the empty wallet bearing this note: "Doctor, please fill this prescription again."—Western Publisher.

W. H. Lewis, publisher of the Ruthven (La.) Appeal, says: "We've got chicken on the brain!" Shoo 'em off, old Hot Tamales, or they'll scratch up your intellectual equilibrium and peck your belluvia full of air holes. You've seen the same thing done on a tomato. Beware.—Western Publisher.

According to the report of a young man who has just returned from Grand Junction, Colo., there is a new kind of game over the divide called "lemons." The game to catch the prettiest girl in the bunch and squeezer. That makes the other girls look sour.—Ex.

The Somerville (Tex.) Standard man is laying up trouble for himself when he prints stories like this: "A certain elderly married man says that he first met his wife in a storm, took her to her first ball in a storm, proposed in a storm, married in a storm and has lived in a storm ever since."—Ex.

The Akron Herald is conducting an egg contest. The man bringing the largest specimen of hen's fruit will receive a year's subscription. The same prize will fall to the individual able to produce the smallest egg.—Hornellsville (N. Y.) Tribune. And the man who brings a bad one! What does he get?—Western Publisher.

**Knew Jack.**  
Not long ago a player in a certain junior Rugby football team begged his committee to give trial to a young friend of his.

"He ain't got much science, ain't Jack," he exclaimed, "but he's any amount o' strength."  
As it happened, the forward line of the team needed strengthening, and Jack was given a train. In the very first match it was early evident that Jack's friend had accurately described the new player.

Whenever that individual got hold of the ball, he stuck to it and endeavored to force his way through a crowd of opponents.

Once he actually succeeded in doing so and scored a try; but in repeating the experiment he had a nasty cropper, his head coming in violent contact with one of the goal posts.  
"Merely stunned!" exclaimed the doctor, who happened to be on the ground. "He'll soon come around. Slight concussion of the brain."

"Concussion o' the brain be hanged!" ejaculated Jack's friend. "Aw knows little about doctoring, but I knows something about Jack, an' he niver hed no brains to concuss!"—Tit Bits.

Teacher — Wait a moment, Johnny. What do you understand by the word "deficit?" Johnny—It's what you've got when you haven't got as much as if you just hadn't nothin'.—Chicago Tribune.

It was a good old fashioned revival service, and getting warmed up to white heat the butcher arose and began to speak. "I have been a very wicked man," he said, "I have given short weight and bad meats and when I die I'll go to hell." Just then an old deacon, who was the groceryman and very deaf startled the hymn, "If you get there before I do tell them that I'm coming too."—Ex.

A young man of this town who stands behind the counter in one of our leading business houses during the day and milks the boss's cow morning and night remarked the other evening that he would go and pail the cow. A gentleman asked if he would go and milk his cow. The young man said: "What is in it?" A young lady present remarked, "A gallon and a half."—Ex.

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A lazy man who edits a paper over in Illinois warble sweetly as follows: "The lark came to meet the sun and carol forth his lay, the farmer's son took down his gun and at him blazed away. The busy bee arose at five and hummed the meadows o'er, the farmer's wife went for his hive and robbed him of his store. The little ant rose, too, his labors to begin. The greedy swallow flew that way and took his antship in. O birds, bees, ants, be wise, in proverbs take no stock; like me refuse from bed to rise till half past nine o'clock."—Ex.

Down in Arkansas they have introduced hugging society to swell the church treasury, and an Arkansas paper gives the following scale of prices: Girls under 16, 15 cents for a short squeeze; from 16 to 20, 50 cents; another man's wife, \$1; widow, according to looks, from 3 cents to \$8; old maids, 3 cents apiece or two for a nickle and not any limit of time. Preachers are not charged. Editors pay in advertising but are not not allowed to squeeze anything but old maids and school ma'ams.—Blythesville.

Wait until a member of the Bean Bag Club catches the editor of the Ponca City (Okla.) Courier who must be a brave man to print this in his paper: "Yesterday the reporter saw a young lady throwing rocks at a dog. It seems that the dog insisted on following her and she wanted him to go home. The dog stood about ten or twenty feet away and wagged his tail and grinned as if he thought it the best joke he ever saw in his whole lifetime. Pretty soon, however, the girl hit him in the slats with a rock and he let out a yelp that scared her. He wasn't hurt any, and was howling with surprise because the girl hit him."—Western Publisher.

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**Decisions Affirmed.**

The cases of State vs. Ned Coleman, and State vs. Candelario Trevino, tried at the April term of our District Court, and appealed to the Court of Criminal Appeals, were both affirmed by that Court.

**Extra Good Beef.**

Henke Bros., the butchers, have recently purchased a large number of fine beeves. These gentlemen say that the beef of this section this year is exceptionally fine. Twenty beeves bought by them from Walter Real, high class Durham-Hereford, are as fine as could be bought on any market in America. All stock bought by Henke Bros. are butchered for their shop in Kerrville.

**Official Route For Epworth Leaguers To Denver.**

Official announcement is made by the State Chairman of Transportation that for the 7th International Epworth League Conference to be held at Denver July 5th to 9th, the Fort Worth & Denver City Railway ("The Denver Road") has been selected as the 'Official Route' from Texas and that in connection with that line arrangements have been perfected for Special Service leaving Fort Worth 9:55 a. m. July 4th the schedule being such as to put Delegates and friends in Denver early in the following afternoon.

In addition to the always up-to-date regular service available via that route, which includes Palace Sleepers and Cafe Cars, the special arrangements also provide for the operation of first class Pullman Tourists Sleepers, though in which entirely satisfactory sleeping accommodations will be available at but one-half the usual expense. In other words, upon a basis of two persons to a double berth, individual expenses for through Sleeping Car Accommodations need not exceed \$1.25 from Fort Worth to Denver.

As the passage rate will be but one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip and tickets will be good for stop-overs, also good for 60 days for return, and as unusually low rate side trips will be available from Denver to numerous adjacent resorts and points of attraction in and along the mountains, it is anticipated that Texas Leaguers will, as they most undoubtedly should, be on hand in large numbers.

As a strong effort is to be made toward securing the next International Conference for Texas, many Pastors and other Church workers will head delegations from their respective churches and communities in the interest of accomplishing the end referred to; hence it is a foregone conclusion that 'Grand Old Texas' will be strongly and enthusiastically represented and that, among thousands who will be present from every section of the country, Texas and its claims will be made manifest and become justified through its delegations.

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All summer goods must go in the next 30 days. We have put the prices down so the people will buy them. If you want bargains in summer goods don't go any further, stop at the FAMOUS.

**Innovation at the Stock Yards.**

The Stoller Live Stock company has just finished decorating one of the most unique and attractive suite of offices in Kansas City, the officers being papered with the cancelled checks of the firm. The checks are artistically pasted on the wall in a gold frame work with a deep green background, and being a fine lithographic check with a picture of George Washington on one end and the American eagle on the other, the effect is extremely artistic and beautiful. There is no check on the wall less than £1,000, total face value of checks over \$8,000,000. These checks represent only a small part of the volume of business done by this firm from 1895 to 1903.

While dwelling on the above it will be interesting to note some characteristic of the Stoller Live Stock Commission Co., that are equally as remarkable as their wall decorations. Here is a firm holding the enviable record of having sold more cattle in one day than any commission firm in the world, 175 cars, and not a dollar advanced on them. The employes of this firm are working under strict orders to look carefully after every detail of the business, such as feeding promptly, watering at the right time, watching the scale beam, etc., and hold the record for the past year of having had fewer mistakes in weighing and handling stock than any of their competitors. By strict attention to business and the reputation attained by this firm they have the best located cattle pens in the yards, being directly in front of the Exchange building at the main entrance, where the cattle are seen by all the buyers as they pass into and out of the yards. Last year the Stoller Live Stock Commission Co., without a dollar loaned on live stock nor a single note endorsed, ranked in volume of business among the largest firms that were leaning millions of dollars.—They and Kansas City, too, may well be proud of such a record.—Kansas City Live Stock Journal.

**Not Badly Hurt.**

Alvin, Tex., June 5.—The man who jumped through the window of a Santa Fe passenger coach a few miles north of here while the train was at full speed, turned up at Pearland this morning. His injuries are reported very slight, only having sustained a sprained ankle and a few bruises. He gave no reason why he did the rash act.

**FIRST WHEAT IN UNITED STATES. Farmers of Kerr County Sold First Car This Week.**

Kerr County furnishes the first carload of wheat for 1905. Paul Ingenhennett, of Comfort, has just bought it for the Landa Roller Mills, of New Braunfels, and it will be shipped tomorrow. This is the first carload of the new crop bought in the United States. South Texas has always done unusual stunts in the production of cotton and vegetables and the Kerrville country is developing into a grain field of very pretentious proportions.—San Antonio Express.

**Five Years for McCoy.**

Colorado, Tex., June 4.—The jury in the case of J. E. McCoy, charged with the killing of T. M. Wiley in this county last August, which has been on trial here for several days, brought in a verdict of guilty, and punishment of 5 years imprisonment.

My car load of pianos will arrive from Chicago about July 1, and it will pay you to wait and see them before purchasing elsewhere.

I guarantee to save you \$50.00 on price of piano. Terms to suit. Old instruments taken in exchange. J. J. MCKELVER, tf-50 Kerrville, Tex.

**Kerrville Sunshine Library.**

The record for the month of May 1905 is 222 books borrowed by 68 member. The receipts in membership fees and fines have been \$5.90 and there is a balance in the treasury of 31.80.

During the month fifty books have been added to the library making 650 volumes now on the shelves.

Members and friends of the Society are requested to give any book they can spare to the library as we want to keep up the reputation as having the best Sunshine library in the State.

Mrs. Alden our President-General writes she is very proud of the Kerrville Sunshine library and is sending us another box of books out of her own private library.

Let us show her we appreciate her interest in ourselves.

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**\$100.00 REWARD.**

We will pay \$100.00 for the conviction of any person stealing a horse, cow or hog. After July 15, when the law making it a penal offence to steal sheep or goats goes into effect, we will pay \$100.00 for the conviction of any person stealing a sheep or a goat. We will also pay \$25.00 for the conviction of any person found trespassing in any of our pastures.

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**Arson at Wharton.**

Wharton, Tex., June 5.—A peculiar case of incendiarism is being investigated by Sheriff Rich, and though every effort has been made to learn something of the guilty party, no clew has yet been obtained. The residence of W. A. Kineheloe, who is absent, was set on fire both Saturday and Sunday nights, but fortunately both times it was seen in time to be put out without damage being done.

**Congressman.**

Clear the Arena, a man elected to Mare, Met Death in November is Frank Detroit, Mich., June 5.—Twenty-fourth collision today between Mr. Lefevre and Grand Trunk freight House a few near Chatham, Ont., introduced to Arena, a racing mare, valued at \$3,000, was killed, and Foxy, valued at \$3,000, severely injured. Both horses were owned by F. Kettleman of this city. The Nugeffre get and another runner were injured.

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