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Spending Dollars at Home.

Most Americans are convinced of the fact that it is better to [illegible] foreign countries [illegible] obtained, and it is well to remember that it is equally as sound business sense to buy in one's home town, rather than in some [illegible] metropolis, which [illegible] goods can be had at home.

For just as we want to make and keep America the most prosperous nation in the world, so we should aspire to keep our home community prosperous and [illegible]

It is by home business and professional business men who know that [illegible] by helping [illegible] schools, churches and other [illegible] institutions, and by making public improvements, and every dollar spent at home increases business and consequently the public as well as the commercial revenue of the town.

Would ever like a clean, progressive, happy community which did not have active, prosperous and healthy business institutions. It is the town with the best business which has the best schools, the best churches and the most modern improvements.

Let everybody help.

The Medina Road Fund.

Good headway is being made in securing funds for the work now in progress on the Medina road between Ranger Crossing and Woman's Creek. Everybody is urged to contribute to this fund. Following donations have been made in cash and labor since our last report: Gordon Evans, $25; Clint Chenault, $25; Fred. Tinsmann, $25; Henry Bausch, $30; Lee Mansfield $10; [illegible] $5; A. L. Mansfield $8; [illegible] McCarty, $9; A. D. Kutzer, $25; Matt Adamietz, $4; Jim Cox, $15; Gus Klemstein, $10; Elvin Hicks, $20; Ed Fries, Jim Barber, C. S. Burns, David Brewer, W. J. Batte, Ed Batte, [illegible] labor. List of all donations will be published in the New Era when work is done.

Let everybody help.

Death of Aged Man.

J. M. McCuistion, aged 82, was found dead near his ranch home Tuesday. He lived at his place just north of the C. M. Brown ranch and lived by himself. Justice Joseph Carper held the inquest and pronounced death [illegible] heart failure. Deceased [illegible]

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VANDERPOOL

[illegible] Brown, of Utopia [illegible] Mexia, came [illegible] to visit her parents, [illegible] Mrs. Arthur Fay.

We are glad to report all the [illegible] Leslie, who [illegible] with [illegible] Hunter, [illegible] place [illegible] Massey, [illegible] The many friends [illegible] is [illegible] sorry to [illegible] with [illegible] of local [illegible] cities recently.

Lassie Caldwell, [illegible] P. Coonrod and [illegible] W. R. Hicks, [illegible] Thursday evening [illegible] Another [illegible] to the land [illegible] Relief [illegible] the [illegible] Bandera [illegible] son left Monday [illegible] Somerset.

Cupid seems [illegible] Mrs. Wm. [illegible] Thompson [illegible] marriage of Mrs. [illegible] R. L. Watson [illegible] to Miss Della [illegible] place Saturday [illegible] is the best [illegible] and are [illegible] Miss California [illegible]

Misses Roberta Thompson and Opal Cupp, students of Sabinal school, were [illegible] their parents [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thompson [illegible] and Mrs. A. E. Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Ingle [illegible] Virginia visiting [illegible] Saturday.

Miss Wilma [illegible] of Lytle, is a guest [illegible] Mrs. J. D. Chalmers [illegible] week.

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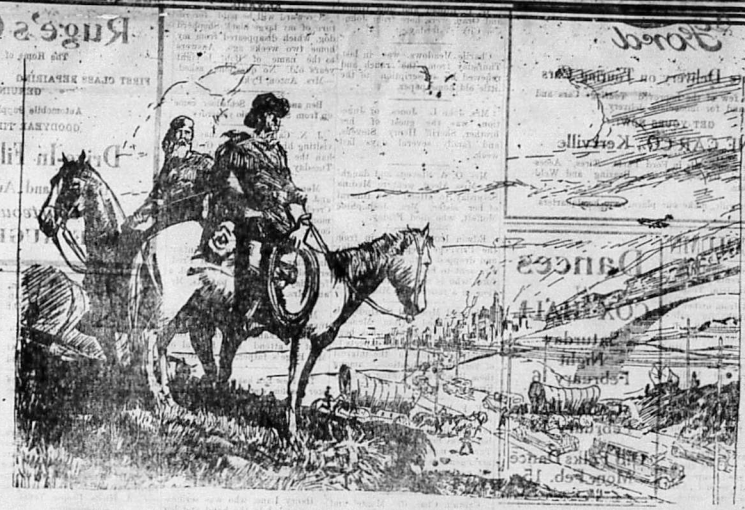

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LOST—Between my house and bridge on Bandera and Medina road one pair of leather riding chaps or leggings, on January 25, 1926. Found by a man a few minutes later. Finder please return to me for reward if desired.—R. S. Smith, Medina.

FOR SALE—I have a 1924 model Ford touring car for sale cheap; new top and in good shape. If you want a good second hand Ford truck, see me quick.—Frank Mansfield.

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W. F. Rippey and sons, Glenn and Oran, were here from Johnson City yesterday.

Charlie Meadows was in last Thursday from the ranch and renewed his subscription to the little old home paper.

Mrs. John L. Jones, of Junction, was the guest of her brother, Sheriff Henry Stevens, and family several days last week.

Mrs. O. A. Stevens and daughter, Miss Aleen, went to Medina Saturday to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Josephine Moffett, who died Friday.

Edwin Langford was in from the Privilege region Saturday and dropped in to order the New Era sent to his son, Lane Langford, who is now holding a position on a ranch near Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal S. Hudspeth have returned from Menard, where Mr. Hudspeth has been working on a ranch. He expects to travel for awhile in the interest of certain publications, among them Bandera's growing monthly Frontier Times.

E. F. Warren, who secured the contract to erect the monument to the Bandera county soldier boys, was here from San Antonio Tuesday making the preliminary arrangements for the erection of the monument on the court house square.

Captain Chas. de Montel and his talented daughters, Miss Ollie and Annie de Montel, were over from Camp Verde Thursday. Captain de Montel says the road between Bandera and Bandera Pass needs working as there are several places which are almost impassable during wet weather.

Joe G. Callahan and his brother, J. N. Callahan were up from Pipe Creek Monday and paid this office a visit. Mr. Callahan informs us that his wife recently fell and sustained painful injuries since which time she has been in San Antonio undergoing treatment, but is rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. N. Gammel, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Heare, of Austin, were visitors in Bandera Sunday. They dropped in to see the New Era editor and expressed themselves as being delighted with our picturesque mountain region and are coming over to spend a few weeks camping here this summer.

Messrs. Anton and Eddie Liebold, accompanied by their venerable father, John Liebold, were transacting business in the city Saturday and paid this office an appreciated visit. These gentlemen are enthusiastic over the plans to erect a monument to our Bandera county boys who died in the World War, and they contributed to the fund now being raised for that purpose.

It will be pleasing news to the many friends of Miss Eva Thallman, chief dietician in the General Hospital in Boston, Mass., to learn that she has fully recovered from the injuries sustained several weeks ago when she was thrown from a horse. Her sister, Mrs. Chas. Eckhart of this place, received a letter a few days ago containing the news of Miss Thallman's complete recovery.

Uncle Bill Haught and son, Ben, were down from Pipe Creek yesterday and Uncle Bill paid this office a visit to tell us that he had no part in the "lifting" of those hogs near Medina the other night, the suspicions of some people to the contrary notwithstanding. He announced his intention to be on hand for the Old Settlers' reunion in July and enter that hogcalling contest with Pomp Freeman, and he's betting that he can make Pomp ashamed of himself when it comes to calling hogs.

Big Reduction Sale.

Adams & Adams, at Medina will put on a Reduction Sale, beginning Friday, February 5th, and continue two weeks or more. Sales same as first reduction sale, except 20c Gingham, 32-inch, at 15c; 29c Domestics, 18c; Bleached Domestics, 36-inch, at 15c and 12½c. You can save money by taking advantage of the extremely low prices offered in this sale. Don't forget the place—Adams & Adams, Medina, Texas.

REWARD.

A reward will be paid for return of my large black Shepherd dog, which disappeared from my home two weeks ago. Answers to the name of Bob. Is eight years old. No questions asked. —Mrs. Anton Pyka.

Ben and Edwin Schnacker came up from San Antonio yesterday.

J. N. Callahan, who has been visiting his brother, Joe G. Callahan the past two weeks, left Tuesday for Frio county.

Monroe, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Pue of Laxson's Creek, is quite ill with pneumonia. We hope he will soon recover.

Mrs. Eunice Young and infant daughter came over from Fredericksburg Saturday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge returned Saturday from Fort Smith, Arkansas, where they went to attend the funeral of Mr. Ruge's father, E. H. Ruge.

The New Era has a 3 h. p. Dempster gasoline engine for sale, cheap.

Miss Magdalen Dugos, assistant cashier of the First State Bank, has so far recovered from the operation for appendicitis which she recently underwent as to be able to resume her duties at the bank.

Henry Lane, who was seriously wounded in the hand and leg when a rifle was discharged accidently on Wednesday of last week, is reported to be doing nicely in a hospital in San Antonio. For a time it was thought that his leg would have to be amputated, but unless complications set in it is believed the limb will be saved. Mr. Lane's many friends are hopeful that he will make good recovery.

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Regular meeting, Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, Feb. 26th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

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All lands lying in Bandera, Medina and Uvalde counties, owned and controlled by me, are posted. No trapping or hunting allowed. Trespassers are warned to stay out. This means you. —F. A. Hicks, Utopia, Texas.

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mayfield and daughter, Miss Donna, have returned from a visit to relatives at Lampasas.

W. R. Baker has been very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. McMahon are visiting relatives at Fredericksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Porter and children and Hugh Porter, of Port Arthur, came to attend the funeral of Mrs. H. L. Porter last week.

Mrs. J. C. Collins received the news Saturday that her son, Finie, was very sick with pneumonia. She left at once to go to him at Port Arthur.

Miss Valentine Smith spent several days last week at the Klenstein ranch.

There is lots of sickness in our community at present, mostly influenza.

H. L. Porter and children left Tuesday for Port Arthur to reside.

The Medina Parent-Teachers' Association will meet at the school house Friday evening at 4 o'clock.

Grandma W. B. Baker fell and broke her hip Tuesday night. She is resting well at this writing.

Miss Ruth Whitley is quite ill with pneumonia at the home of J. W. Cox, west of town.

Judge A. L. Mansfield and several members of his family were ill with influenza this week.

Captain Chas. de Montel and daughters, Misses Ollie and Annie, were over from Camp Verde Monday.

Alex Engel and Misses Annie and Martha Habenicht, of San Antonio, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

L. N. Coffey came over from Comstock Saturday and remained until Tuesday. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Coffey, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. T. M. Weldon the past four weeks.

Ben F. O'Bryant and daughter, Miss Gladys, were here from Utopia Tuesday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fletcher. Mr. O'Bryant reports the range in his section looking good, and grain crops are promising.

Old Folks Dance.

There will be an Old Folk's Dance at Cox Hall on Monday night, February 15th. Music by three-piece band. Admission 50c. Come and enjoy yourself.

The New Era has a 3 h. p. Dempster gasoline engine for sale, cheap.

TUFF TOPICS.

Mrs. Harve Light and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Frame Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson spent a few days last week with relatives at Kerrville.

Ray Stewart was in this community Monday.

There will be church at the Tuff school house next Sunday.

Joe Sutherland made a business trip to Kerrville last week.

Mrs. John Adams and daughter, Miss Ola Belle, and son Richard spent awhile in O. L. Adams' home Sunday night.

Miss Gladys Sutherland spent Sunday and Monday night with Miss Eunice Sutherland.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means to express our heartfelt thanks to all who assisted us and for their sympathy during our recent bereavement in the loss of our infant son, John Montague, and for the beautiful floral offerings. Their kindness will ever be held in grateful remembrance.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all who so kindly ministered to our beloved mother Mrs. Josephine Moffett during her last illness, for the many acts of kindness at her death, and for the beautiful floral offerings. We appreciate every kindness bestowed and pray God's blessing upon every one of you.

THE MOFFETT CHILDREN.

Card of Thanks.

We are grateful to everyone who rendered assistance and sympathy during the last illness and death of our beloved daughter, wife and sister, Mrs. H. Porter, and for the beautiful floral offerings. In our great sorrow over the loss of this dear one the many acts of kindness and love are a consolation to us. May God bless you all.

L. J. KEESE & FAMILY.
H. L. PORTER & FAMILY.

Field Seeds.

We have on hand and in transit a limited supply of the following seed: Corn, several varieties; Red Top Cane, Sudan and Milo Maize. If you want any you should apply at once as our supply may not last.—Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association.

Mrs. W. R. Lumpkins of Sheffield, Alabama, and Mrs. George Brady of Texas City, left Monday for their respective homes after an enjoyable visit to their sister, Mrs. C. M. Click, and other relatives.

Dipping Ceased.

We understand that the State Livestock Sanitary Board has cancelled the commissions of inspectors in this county and the supervising inspector has withdrawn, and dipping of stock in the eradication campaign has ceased. We have been unable to learn why this action was taken by the Livestock Sanitary Board, but there are reports current that if was because the county would not cooperate in the clean-up movement. It seems to us that the action was very unjust, inasmuch as most of our stockmen were dipping their stock as per regulations, and doing all they could do to make the county clean.

Farewell Dinner.

A farewell dinner was given at the ranch home of W. J. Mauss last Sunday, honoring Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kuykendall, who were leaving for their home in Kansas City, Kansas, after spending a week with relatives here. About thirty guests were present including Mr. Mauss' children and their families. A fine dinner was served, and Mr. and Mrs. Kuykendall received the best wishes of all for a safe journey to their far-away home, and a hearty invitation to return whenever they could do so.

Commissioners' Court.

Commissioners' Court is in session this week, this being the regular quarterly term. Present are Commissioners Jim Pyka of Bandera, John L. Edwards of Pipe Creek, R. L. Morris of Lima, and J. V. Porter of Vanderpool. Full proceedings will be published in our next issue.

A New Oil Field Promised.

A new pool has been discovered in Medina county, approximately 50 miles southwest of San Antonio. One of the most remarkable wells in South Texas oil territory has been completed. The Medina Oil Company has completed a producing well at 356 feet, which is making about 100 barrels of oil on pump, according to Andrew Watts, lease man. The well is pumping about 150 barrels of fluid into the settling tanks daily, but about 25 per cent of is water.

The feature of the new well is that it is producing in lime, instead of from sand, at such shallow depth. Limestone is generally a water formation in San Antonio territory.

The well is located on the Taylor lease and is known as No. 1 Taylor. It is in the center of about 3000 acres held under lease by the Medina Company.

The oil is of 16.2 gravity and is about 60 per cent lubricant. Although it is not high grade oil, the shallow depth makes development very profitable.

Sunday more than 150 oil men visited the producer, most of whom are interested in South Texas oil development. A number of deals, including lease and royalty sales, were made.

This well is north and a little west of the Ina Oil Company wells, in a hilly district immediately below the Balcones Escarpment which crosses Northern Medina county. The well is about eight miles from Hondo.

The discovery of this well is important from the fact that it establishes the trend of the oil bearing formations. While the extreme shallow depth and the

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The First State Bank

Undergoes An Operation.

Alfred Saathoff, formerly of Tarpley, but now living in San Antonio, underwent an operation at a hospital there one day last week. We are pleased to learn that he is making good recovery and will soon be able to leave the hospital. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Saathoff went to San Antonio to be with him.

Cutting Scrape.

Harmon Smith and Pat Forrest became involved in a difficulty Saturday night on Main Street, in which Smith received a serious knife wound in the abdomen. He received prompt treatment and is getting along very well. Forrest was arrested, and on Monday was released on bail of $750 to await the action of the grand jury.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kuykendall and children came up from San Antonio Sunday afternoon to visit relatives. They were accompanied back to San Antonio Sunday afternoon by Mrs. and Mrs. J. M. Kuykendall, who were returning to their home at Kansas City after an extended visit to Mrs. Kuykendall's brother, W. J. Mauss, and other relatives.

Miss Zella Mae Price is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Lenora Mills, on Honey Creek.

water are against the possibilities of this field, they are offset by the fact that the well is producing from which is in limerock formation. Whether the oil is riding on the water or whether the water is seeping in by the oil stratum from above remains to be determined. In the second well, location for which was made Sunday, care will be taken to bring in the well without water if it is possible.

Should water be entirely excluded, the wells would be highly profitable at such a depth even with no greater production. Oil men recall that the No. 1 Rios discovery well at Luling came in with a large flow of water. This gives Medina county two new oil pools.—San Antonio Light.

Teachers, Attention!

The District Meet of the Interscholastic League will be held at Kerrville April 23rd and 24th.

The Bandera County Meet will be held at Medina April 2nd and 3rd.

To be allowed to enter the Meet the Interscholastic League fee must be paid before February 15.

Every teacher is urged to have their school represented in the County Meet. Let's make this meet the biggest and best meet we have ever had.

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Underwent an Operation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips of Lima went to San Antonio last Friday to be with their daughter, Mrs. J. N. Coose, who underwent an operation at a hospital in that city on Sunday. Mrs. Coose stood the operation well, and is making good recovery. Mr. Phillips returned home Monday, but Mrs. Phillips will remain in San Antonio with her daughter a few days longer.

Sunday Chicken Dinners.

The O. S. T. Cafe in Bandera is gaining quite a reputation for the fine chicken dinners which are now being served there each Wednesday and Sunday. The fame of the O. S. T. Cafe is spreading and this popular eating place is receiving a good patronage from the traveling public. Don't forget the chicken dinner dates, each Wednesday and Sunday.

Students Planting Garden.

A plot has been broken up on the school campus and the students of the seventh grade in Bandera High School will cultivate it. This is a good move in the right direction, and will teach the pupils agriculture in a practical way. The pupils are enthusiastic over the work, and we're predicting that they will make a good crop.

Mrs. John Clark and baby, of Tarpley, were guests of Colonel and Mrs. John A. Head yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jones and two children, and Sam Jones, of Crystal City, are guests of Colonel and Mrs. John A. Head.

Miss Pauline Pue, of Medina, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. E. T. Stovall, of Medina, spent several days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Heady Lewis. She returned home Tuesday.

The Bandera boys' basket ball team played a matched game with the Medina boys Tuesday, and the Medina boys won by a score of 20 to 8.

Warren Hunter went to Harper Tuesday to arrange for establishment of his newspaper venture, the Harper Herald, the first issue of which is to appear February 25th.

M. R. Thalmann will attend the quarterly meeting of the United Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, which is to be held at Uvalde next Saturday.

TAYLOR NEWS.

Mrs. Lem O'Bryant was called to San Antonio Monday to attend the funeral of her brother, Mac Russel, who died with pneumonia.

Allen Tampke is able to be back at school, having missed three weeks on account of pneumonia.

Laura Mae, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Crofts, is improving slowly after being very sick with the Flu.

We are having some clear warm weather with indications of spring time judging from the big rattle snake that Ira Grigsby killed Monday. The snake was about six feet long and had fifteen rattles.

The Little Creek School teacher and pupils are going to give a play at the Taylor school house Saturday night February 13th. The proceeds will be used to prolong the school. Admission 25c and 35c.

J. V. Porter is attending commissioners court this week.

Frontier Times for March.

The March number of Frontier Times is being issued from the press this week and will be mailed to subscribers next Monday. The little magazine is, as usual, full of frontier stories. Its circulation continues to grow, more than one hundred new names being added since the last issue. Every school boy and girl who is interested in Texas history should read Frontier Times. It is recognized as containing the best first-hand information obtainable on the history of our state. Contents of the March number are as follows: "The Thermopylae of America," "Only Eleven Mexican War Veterans," "Getting Married in Early Texas," "Early Days in Dallas Vicinity," "Roped and Tamed An Indian," "Origin of the Famous Alamo Phrase," "The Old Spanish Trail," "An Act with Mr. and Mrs. Heady Lewis. She returned home Tuesday. Incident of the Lost Valley Fight," "History of Sam Bass and His Gang," a serial; "Indian Raid on the San Saba in 1866," "Battle With Indians on Devil's River," "Husking Bees of Long Ago," "The Fight at Green Lake Water Hole," "An Indian Shows His Gratitude," "Recall's Camel Corps Days," "Perilous Days in Uvalde County," and other interesting sketches of real historical value.

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Don H. Biggers has established a political paper at Fredericksburg, The Limelight, and sends the New Era a copy for exchange. The new publication is pretty much of a free lance, and is throwing the calcium on the doings over at Austin. Mr Biggers is a versatile writer, well known all over the state, and we wish him success in his new undertaking.

Political bees are beginning to buzz. No candidates have announced for county office yet, but several are in prospect we understand, and we look for open declarations soon.

Bandera county "went broke" trying to "eradicate the ticks." Finally, the State undertook the work and trying it for several months, for some cause, the inspectors were withdrawn and dipping discontinued, whether only temporarily or permanently we have been unable to ascertain. So we are about where we were at the start.

A feature of the Old Settlers Reunion to be held in Bandera July 2nd and 3rd, will be the singing of old time songs by old time folks. Such songs as "The Dying Cowboy," "Utah Carrol," "Sam Bass," "Old Folks at Home," "Old Black Joe," "I'm Going to See My Mother When the Work Is Done This Fall," and other old songs have not lost their melody and will be appreciated by those who attend the big reunion.

It is certainly gratifying to see the excellent work that is being done on the Medina road by Commissioner Anton Pyka and Frank Mansfield. Just as soon as the work is finished the State Highway crew will jump right onto the job and keep the road in fine shape. We can now look back and remember that it was our good friend, T. H. Phillips, of Lima, who first suggested that this road be made a link in the Old Spanish Trail and later accepted as a State Highway. Mr. Phillips lives up among some of the most picturesque scenery of old Bandera County, and he knows that if the summer tourists have a good road provided for their travel they will visit that region by the hundreds. And they will all come this summer.

Harper is to have a newspaper, the first issue of which is to appear on Friday of next week, as Warren Hunter will be editor and general manager of the new publication. Fifteen years ago the New Era editor established the Harper Herald and later sold the business. His brother, A. W. Hunter, now publishing the Camp Wood Crony, afterwards purchased the Herald and published it for several years, afterwards selling the business to R. S. Mayhall. During the World War, the Herald, like hundreds of other weekly newspapers, sickened and died, and for the past few years Harper has been without a newspaper. Harper is an enterprising little town, and if the business men there will get behind the new enterprise, which we are confident they will do, Warren will give them a live newspaper, and one which all will be proud of.

Frontier Times is published monthly in Bandera. $1.50 per year.

Election of School Trustees.

Notice to all School Authorities and others interested in District Trustee Elections.

The law with reference to the election of district trustees has been amended, and as amended reads as follows:

Section 1. That Article 2820, Title 48, be amended so as to read as follows:

Article 2820. All the ballots for the election of school trustees in common school districts and in independent school districts having fewer than 500 scholastic as shown by the last preceding scholastic census roll approved by the State Department of Education and exclusive of transfers shall be printed with black ink on clear white paper, and be of uniform style; at the top of the ballot shall be printed

"Official Ballot——Independent School District," the number or name of the school district in which the election is to be held to be filled in by the county judge of the county when he orders the ballots printed. Any person desiring to have his name placed on said official ballot, as a candidate for the office of trustee of a common school district or independent school district as herein provided shall, at least ten days before said election, file a written request with the county judge of the county in which said district is located, requesting that his name be placed on the official ballot, and no candidate shall have his name printed on said ballot unless he has complied with the provisions of this section; provided that five or more resident qualified voters in the district may request that certain names be printed. The county judge upon receipt of said written request, and at least five days before the election, shall have the ballots printed as provided in this Act, placing on the ballot the name of each candidate who has complied with the terms of this Act and deliver a sufficient number of printed ballots and necessary election supplies to the presiding officer of the election at least one day before the election is held, the said election supplies including the ballots, poll list and tally sheets to be delivered by the county judge by mail or in any other manner by him deemed best, to the presiding officer of said election in sealed envelope, and said sealed envelops shall not be opened by the election officers until the day of the election. The expense of printing the ballots and delivering the same to the presiding officers, together with the other incidental expenses, shall be paid out of the general funds of the county. The election officers of said election shall be required to use the ballots so furnished by the county judge as provided by the terms of this Act. The election officers shall make returns of said election to the county judge and certify the result in the same manner as is now required by law and said ballot boxes, which have been furnished by local school officials shall be sent to the county judge and said election returns shall be canvased by the commissioners court, and together with ballot boxes shall be safely preserved for a period of three months next after the date of the election.

Section 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. Emergency clause.

J. A. EAMES,
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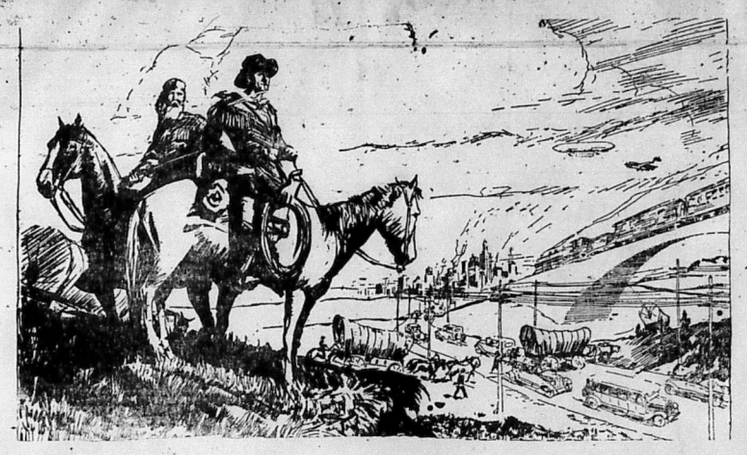

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Tom Crist and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Crist were here from Pipe Creek Monday.

W. H. Lewis and J. E. Crist were here from Medina last Friday on business.

Mrs. R. Tronson, of San Antonio, is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Postert.

Mrs. T. B. Baker and daughter, Miss Lucile, of Mason, were guests of Mrs. Mark McBryde yesterday.

J. C. Gallant was down from Medina Saturday and called to extend his subscription figures for the New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Congleran, of Tarpley, were in the city last Thursday and paid us an appreciated visit.

Jesse Moravietz, of Hebron, Texas, sends in his renewal subscription to the old home paper.

Dr. Jos. Greer, of San Saba, sends in his renewal subscription to the New Era and Frontier Times.

Mrs. Pauline Wright, of San Antonio, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ethridge Sunday.

E. P. Corley, of the Bureau of Pensions, Washington, D. C., was here one day last week, visiting Veteran Amasa Clark.

Mrs. K. K. Stokes, of Medina, left Saturday for Port Neches, Port Arthur and Sour Lake to visit her children at those places.

Aunt Adelia Richards was a visitor to our sanetum on Monday and ordered the New Era sent to her niece, Mrs. Nelda Harmon, at El Paso, Texas.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Mazurek, of near Utopia, is quite ill with pneumonia. We hope the little one will soon be restored to health.

Capt. C. Anderson and Wm. Wallace were up from Pipe Creek Saturday and Mr. Wallace dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era and Frontier Times.

Senator Julius Real, accompanied by Mr. Nuenhoeffer, was over from Kerrville Monday mingling with friends. The New Era appreciated a visit from these gentlemen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Habenicht and daughter, Richard Habenicht and children and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Habenicht, of Sisterdale, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht Sunday.

Messrs. D. D. Hammond, Jack Ellsworth, Miss Hugh Mansfield, and Mrs. Fred Risinger and two children were up from San Antonio last Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait and Miss Frankie Monk.

Mrs. A. Crow of Fort Worth, is here on a visit to her brothers, Tom Crist of Pipe Creek, and J. E. Crist of Medina. It has been twenty-four years since the sister and brothers have seen each other, and the reunion is being greatly enjoyed by all of them. Mrs. Crow will spend several weeks here.

Joe Pete Anderwald had a party at his home last Friday night for the young people. Those who attended were: Misses Gladys Crosland, Thelma Barber, Frankie Monk, Iris Faris, Cecil Faris, Ruth Thalmann, Messrs. Herman Thalmann, Roy Thalmann, Forest Irving, Burgin Davenport, Harold Wagner, Edward Kalka, Rhea Mansfield, Bob Mansfield, Raymond McBryde, Harlan Gray, Marvin Hunter, jr., and others. Games were played on the lawn, and after refreshments the joyful crowd told jokes. A very good time was had by all who attended.

Read Frontier Times.

Henry Lewis and members of his family have been down with influenza this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kutzer and pretty daughter, Miss Ruth, visited San Antonio last Saturday.

A. A. Parker came up from San Antonio a few days ago and will remain several months with his daughter, Mrs. R. E. Blunt.

Mrs. A. P. Kibbe was here from San Antonio and spent a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Montague. She returned home Saturday.

Messrs. Bud Keese, J. M. Moffett, N. N. Jackson, John Hinds and J. C. Gallant, good citizens of Medina, were here on business Saturday, and paid the New Era an appreciated visit.

Lewis Strickland, a former Bandera county citizen who now resides at Shingle Springs, California, sends in his renewal subscription to the New Era and Frontier Times.

J. H. Bruce is carrying his good right hand in a sling, as a result of two or three of his fingers being broken while cranking an obstreperous Ford car early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crist and W. H. Lewis came down from Medina Monday to meet Mr. Crist's sister, Mrs. C. A. Crowe, who arrived from Fort Worth on a visit. The New Era appreciated a call from these good people.

Master Robert Hicks celebrated his eighth birthday last Monday, with an delightful party. Thirty-one friends were present. The dining table had been beautifully arranged by his mother, the color scheme carrying out the entire scheme, and the plate favors being valentines. A fine time was enjoyed by the little folks.

In mentioning the surviving brothers and sisters of Mrs. H. T. Porter in our last issue we overlooked the name of Charles Keese, her brother. Mrs. Porter died at Medina February 3rd, and besides her husband and little children, is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Keese, and two sisters and four brothers, Misses Lela and Annie Keese of Medina, Orville and Alfred Keese of June, and Jesse and Charles Keese of Medina.

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All lands lying in Bandera, Medina and Uvalde counties, owned and controlled by me, are posted. No trapping or hunting allowed. Trespassers are warned to stay out. This means you. —F. A. Hicks, Utopia, Texas.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, Feb. 26th, at 8 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

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MEDINA.

J. C. Collins, Sr., returned from Port Arthur accompanied her son, Finis Collins.

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e G. B. C. Club of Medina l will sell sandwiches, hamrs, cake and candy on the s of Medina Saturday Feb. 20, for the benefit of the ty Meet.

Geneva Norwood, daughof George Norwood of Bluff, taken to Kerrville Tuesday dergo an operation for appendicitis. We hope she will ly recover.

ll Monday will be Washingn Birthday—a legal holiday Bank will be closed on that —First State Bank.

an T. Walker of Bluff and ie Walker of Medina, were ss visitors in the city y.

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asoline Engine For Sale. e New Era has a 7-horse- er Stickney gasoline engine sale at a bargain. You'll to hurry if you want it.

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TUFF TOPICS.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Adams and little daughter, June, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Elam Sunday.

Leroy Allaun has been sick the past week, but is some better now.

Miss Kathleen Adams spent Saturday night with Miss Ola Bell Adams.

Ed Evans and Allie Allaun spent Saturday night and Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Adams spent awhile Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walters.

Miss Bertie Light returned home Sunday after staying a month at Honey Creek with her aunt, Mrs. Amos Weed.

Eli Hillman was in this community Sunday evening.

Jesse Adams left Monday morning for Blanco. He will return in about two weeks.

Henry Zumwalt and Stanley Pike spent Sunday evening with Floyd Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McMahon and children and Mrs. Charlie Carpenter spent awhile Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sutherland.

Carl F. Wheeler and son, Preston, made a business trip to Bandera Saturday.

Ray Stewart spent Sunday night with Joe Sutherland.

Jim Zumwalt made a business trip to San Antonio Friday.

Mrs. Minnie Robertson's children have been very sick the past week, especially the baby.

Mrs. Lottie Parker.

Mrs. Lottie Parker, nee Lottie McCurdy, died at Kerrville on Wednesday of last week, and was buried there on Thursday. She was forty years old, and leaves three children, two boys and one girl. Also surviving are her mother, Mrs. R. J. McCurdy of Kerrville, three brothers, C. W. McCurdy of Wolfarth; R. J. McCurdy of Port Arthur, and J. H. McCurdy of California; four sisters, Miss Minnie McCurdy, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnsen and Mrs. L. R. Landrum of Kerrville, and Mrs. P. S. Rackley of Boerne. Mrs. Parker at one time lived in this county, and the news of her death came as a great shock to her many friends throughout this region.

Undergoes An Operation.

Mrs. Fabian Garrison, who underwent a serious operation at a Kerrville hospital Tuesday is reported to be doing nicely, and chances are excellent for her early recovery.

The New Era has a 3 h. p. Dempster gasoline engine for sale, cheap.

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Sham Battle Arrangements.

Col. Brown, Col. Jones, and other army officers from Fort Sam Houston were here Monday and in company with W. S. Ethridge went out to Bandera Pass and Camp Verde to arrange for encampment of some six thousand troops in May, when a sham battle and certain army maneuvers will take place. The troops will march out from San Antonio 3,000 going to Camp Verde and 3,000 coming to Bandera, where they will encamp on the Loop on May 19th, and on the 20th and 21st the Camp Verde contingent will attack the Camp Verde forces which will be entrenched in Bandera Pass. It will be a great battle and will be viewed by thousands. Infantry, cavalry and artillery will participate in the maneuvers. Permission was secured from property owners in that region for the despatch of the troops across lands. Full particulars of this army demonstration will be given later.

Electric Light Plant.

We understand that Oscar Perner is arranging to put in an electric light plant in Bandera and has rented one of the Noonan buildings for his plant. Bandera needs an electric plant and we hope Mr. Perner will get the encouragement he needs to install a system that will meet the requirements.

Sustains Broken Leg.

Clarence McDaniel, nine years old, sustained a broken leg when he fell from a swing on the Hansen ranch last Thursday. Dr. Erwin set the fracture, and the little fellow is getting along nicely.

Our 1926 Bank

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Laxson Creek Community Club.

The Laxson Creek Community Club enjoyed a most delightful meeting at the Community Hall on last Friday evening, with Mrs. R. P. Cox and Miss Pauline Pue as hostesses. The evening's program consisted of Progressive Forty-two, music by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker, and games suggestive of St. Valentine. This suggestion was also carried out in the house decorations. Delicious refreshments of heart-shaped sandwiches, cake and tea were served to the following guests: Mesdames Kate Whisenhunt, Julia Becker, E. Hammond, W. H. H. Davis, Effie Tallman, Lucile Fames, Bess Canafax, Susie Davis, W. Ross, Myrtle Daniels, Misses Ollie and Annie Montel, Rachel Whisenhunt, Emogene Canafax, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. E. Whisenhunt, Mr. and Mrs. Milam Faris and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Browning, Mr and Mrs. O. D. Tallman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thalmann, Messrs. Sid Hammond, Carl Bush, O. Baker, Wendel Reed, Ed Stevens, Chas. McGrath, W. Bush, Walter Meadows, Heber Stevens, Mac Walker, R. P. Cox, Edgar Pue, Albert Faris, Joe Lewis Davis, and David James.

Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield entertained a number of her friends last Friday night with a valentine social.

Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald Dead.

The community was shocked Tuesday morning when the news came that Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald had just died at McKinney, Texas, after a brief illness. Mrs. Fitzgerald was a well known and highly esteemed resident of Bandera, having lived here for many years. She is the wife of W. H. Fitzgerald, one of the substantial citizens of the county, and at the time of her death was 68 years old. Surviving besides the husband, are ten children, Melvin, Collier and Henry Fitzgerald of Bandera; Mrs. May Heinen of Bandera, Mrs. Mattie Boothe of Sweetwater, Mrs. Ella Burney of Center Point, Mrs. Sallie Meyers of Velasco, Mrs. Lillian Leslie and Mrs. Grace Partlow of San Antonio, all of whom were present at the funeral, which was conducted yesterday afternoon, by Rev. H. S. O. Burgin, paster of the Laurel Heights Methodist church of San Antonio, assisted by Rev. Ben J. Hosteti, pasor of the Bandera Methodist church. Interment was in Bandera Cemetery. The pall bearers were F. Barrett, W. J. Davenport, Sr., Chas. Rugh, John Pyka, John Wright and Vernon Merritt. A great concourse of sorrowing friends followed the remains to the cemetery, and when interment had been made the mound was banked high with beautiful flowers and wreaths of flowers, showing the high regard and esteem in which Mrs. Fitzgerald was held by our people.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, nee Mary Cobb, was born in Gonzales county, and was reared there. When she grew to womanhood she was married to W. H. Fitzgerald, and abut thirty years ago with her husband moved to Bandera county. She was a lifelong member of the Methodist church.

The passing of this good woman is a sad blow to our community, for she was a most kind and lovable mother, a devoted wife, a loyal friend and excellent neighbor. She took active interest in the social and religious affairs of Bandera, and her home was always open to receive her friends, and they were legion. She graced her home with the queenly dignity of true motherhood and wifely devotion, and everyone keenly feels the sorrow which today rests so heavily upon that home now bereft of the good wife and mother. Our sympathy goes out to the grief-stricken husband and children in their bereavment.

Leg Amputated.

Henry Lane's condition had grown so serious that it was found necessary to amputate his leg at a hospital in San Antonio Monday. A few weeks ago Mr Lane accidently shot himself with a rifle at his home on Hillege Creek, the ball shattering his knee and penetrating his arm. He was rushed to a hospital in San Antonio, where he has since been in a critical condition. His many friends here anxiously hope he will now fully recover.

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Mrs. Austin Dead.

Mrs. Willie Austin, nee Beulah Welch, died in a hospital at San Antonio last Sunday following an operation. She was about 33 years old, and leaves a husband and four little children, besides her mother and several brothers and sisters, to mourn her death. For the past year the family has lived on Robert Brown's place above Medina, and had made a large circle of friends, who sympathize with the bereaved husband and little children in this great sorrow which has come upon them so suddenly. The eldest child is only thirteen years old and the youngest is an infant seven months old. Mrs. Austin was an excellent woman, a kind and affectionate wife and mother, and it is indeed sad to chronicle the death of one, who, in the prime of life, is cut down by the Grim Reaper. The New Era extends condolence and sympathy to Mr. Austin and his children.

Barn Destroyed by Fire.

A large barn belonging to E. H. Sewall at the Pecan Valley Ranch above Medina, was destroyed by fire early last Friday morning. A new threshing machine, a new Ford car, and a great deal of feed stuff was destroyed, the loss amounting to several thousand dollars. It is not known how the fire originated. Mr. Sewall has our sympathy in his heavy loss.

On History Program.

J. Marvin Hunter, editor and publisher of Frontier Times, has received notice that he has been placed on the program of the history section of the South western Political Science Association, which meets at Dallas April 1-3, the subject assigned to him being a discussion of "The Seminole Negroes." Supt. B. H. Miller of Eagle Pass is on the same subject.

Undergoes an Operation.

Mrs. Charleston Collins, of Medina, was taken to a hospital in Kerrville last Saturday, suffering with an attack of acute appendicitis. She underwent an operation Sunday and is reported to be doing nicely.

Premium Money in Show.

In the annual show and sale of the United Goat & Sheep Raisers' Association, to be held at Camp Wood in August, about $1400 has been appropriated for cash prizes in the general show. There will be five cash classifications in each show department. Apportionment of these cash prizes will be announced later.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. Willie Austin died in a hospital in San Antonio Sunday morning at five o'clock. Mrs. Austin had appendicitis. She was hastened to a hospital Friday night and was operated on Saturday morning at nine o'clock. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welch of San Antonio, her husband, Willie Austin, of Medina, four daughters, as follows, Elsie, Gladys, Beulah, and Mary all of Medina; also several brothers and sisters. We give our sympathy to the bereaved ones in this dark hour.

Bertha Shipman, little daughter of Mrs. N. N. Mayberry, is up after being confined to the bed for about three weeks with pneumonia. We hope she will soon be able to come back to school.

Miss Joyce Phillips returned home Monday from San Antonio where she has been with her sister, Mrs. J. N. Coose. Joyce reports that Mrs. Coose is doing fine, as she was able to be taken home from the hospital Friday. Mrs. Phillips is still in San Antonio with Mrs. Coose.

Johnnie Shipman was a guest at the Reed Ranch, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Ella Hillman and Thomas Keese were guests of Miss Sylva Keese Sunday evening.

Orville Keese and Eli Hillman went back to the goat ranch Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hillman and baby were guests in the Hillman home Sunday.

Gainor Keese was the guest of his cousin Howell Keese Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips and baby and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips enjoyed playing dominoes at Orville Keese's home Sunday night.

A large crowd enjoyed a dance at Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Brown's Friday night.

Singing was enjoyed at N. N. Mayberry's.

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Rev. P. E. Hawkins, pastor of the Christian church at Kerrville has purchased the interests of Otho A. Morris and J. A. Jackson in the new Kerrville paper, The Hill View Times, and will conduct the business and edit that paper in the future. Elder Hawkins is a good writer, a good mixer, and a splendid business man, and already the Hill View Times is showing improvement.

The opening of a new oil field down in Medina county is gratifying news to the citizens of Bandera county, who feel encouraged in the belief that oil will some day be found in this section. Some drilling has been done over in the extreme western part of Bandera county, and while indications found were very good, a producer was not brought in. But we are firm in our belief that an oil pool exists not far away from Bandera, and if the proper development is done we believe an oil field will be opened right here. There are forces at work now, we understand, to bring about some drilling before long.

C. M. Baker of Wolffarth, who was here last Saturday, informs us that he is coming to the Old Settlers' Reunion here in July to enter that "hog-calling contest" against Pomp Freeman and Bill Haught. He says Pomp and Bill can call hogs all right, but they do not know how to put the fancy trills to the calls that will make an old sow and a litter of pigs come up for their feed. He avers that when he gets through calling every hog within a radius of ten miles will be rooting on the reunion grounds, and warns Ed Mansfield to put a log proof fence around his premises if he wants to keep them out.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

Affidavit of Commissioners Court To Examination of County Cash and Assets.

The State of Texas,
Bandera County.

In Commissioners' Court February term, 1926.

Before me, Mark McBryde, Clerk of the Court in and for said County, personally appeared the Members of the Commissioners' Court, whose names are below inscribed, who upon their oaths, do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the 40th Legislature, and filed in this Court by Mrs. John F. Hodges, County Treasurer of said county, for the quarter ending February 6th, 1926, and held by her for said county, have been fully inspected and counted by them at this term of said court; and that the amount of money in the hands of said Treasurer are as follows, to-wit:

Total amount of cash in the various Funds belonging to the county, twenty-four thousand, three hundred nine dollars, one cent, ($24,309.01)

J. A. EAMES,
County Judge, Bandera Co.
ANTON PYKA,
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.
J. L. EDWARDS,
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of February, 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
County Clerk, Bandera Co.

Election of School Trustees.

Notice to all School Authorities and others interested in District Trustee Elections.

The law with reference to the election of district trustees has been amended, and as amended reads as follows:

Section 1. That Article 2820, Title 48, be amended so as to read as follows:

Article 2820. All the ballots for the election of school trustees in common school districts and in independent school districts having fewer than 500 scholastic as shown by the last preceding scholastic census roll approved by the State Department of Education and exclusive of transfers shall be printed with black ink on clear white paper, and be of uniform style; at the top of the ballot shall be printed ——"Official Ballot——Independent School District," the number or name of the school district in which the election is to be held to be filled in by the county judge of the county when he orders the ballots printed. Any person desiring to have his name placed on said official ballot, as a candidate for the office of trustee of a common school district or independent school district as herein provided shall, at least ten days before said election, file a written request with the county judge of the county in which said district is located, requesting that his name be placed on the official ballot, and no candidate shall have his name printed on said ballot unless he has complied with the provisions of this section; provided that five or more resident qualified voters in the district may request that certain names be printed. The county judge upon receipt of said written request, and at least five days before the election, shall have the ballots printed as provided in this Act, placing on the ballot the name of each candidate who has complied with the terms of this Act and deliver a sufficient number of printed ballots and necessary election supplies to the presiding officer of the election at least one day before the election is held, the said election supplies including the ballots, poll list and tally sheets to be delivered by the county judge by mail or in any other manner by him deemed best, to the presiding officer of said election in sealed envelops, and said sealed envelops shall not be opened by the election officers until the day of the election. The expense of printing the ballots and delivering the same to the presiding officers, together with the other incidental expenses, shall be paid out of the general funds of the county. The election officers of said election shall be required to use the ballots so furnished by the county judge as provided by the terms of this Act. The election officers shall make returns of said election to the county judge and certify the result in the same manner as is now required by law and said ballot boxes, which have been furnished by local school officials shall be sent to the county judge and said election returns shall be canvased by the commissioners' court, and together with ballot boxes shall be safely preserved for a period of three months next after the date of the election.

Section 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. Emergency clause.

J. A. EAMES,
County Judge, Bandera County.

NOTICE.

My three pastures (formerly J. H. Dean pasture) are posted against hunting with dogs or firearms, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein. — ELDEN FRIES. 1yrp

Commissioners' Court.

Petition of Joe Villemain and 51 others, asking that a justice of the peace be appointed in Pipe Creek Precinct, No. 2, granted, and R. E. Buck was appointed.

W. H. Fisher appointed Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 6, Taylor precinct.

The reports of the county officers were examined and approved.

Reports of justices of the peace examined and approved.

Quarterly statement of the First National Bank, depository for county funds, examined and approved.

Quarterly statement of First State Bank, depository for Road Districts Nos. 2 and 3, examined and approved.

In matter of petition of the committee to erect a monument to the boys who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War, the committee was granted permission to erect the monument on the public square in front of the court house.

Report of jury of view on Medina and Center Point road over A. G. Jones' land, approved.

Petition of Chas. de Montel for extention of Camp Verde road from his gate to Kerr county line, granted.

The following named citizens were appointed election officers:

Voting Precinct No. 1, (Voting place at Court House) Frank M. Montague, presiding judge; A. L. Mansfield, B. F. Langford, Mrs. M. J. Head.

Voting Precinct No. 2, (Pipe Creek school house) Joe Villemain, presiding judge; Mrs. Mont Newcomer, Alfred Reinarz, Mrs. Carrie Hodges.

Voting Precinct No. 3, Medina —Ed Caton, presiding judge; E. H. Sewall, L. O. Baurlein, C. W. Harris.

Voting Precinct No. 4, Lima— O. W. Coose, presiding judge; L. A. Reed.

Voting Precinct No. 5, Tarpley —Smith Coffey, presiding judge; E. E. Coughran.

Voting Precinct No. 6, Taylor —H. T. Kenedy, presiding judge; Jesse Storms, Sterling Fisher, Joe O'Bryant.

Voting Precinct No. 7, Vandergool—J. P. Casparis, presiding judge; Ben F. O'Bryant.

Voting Precinct No. 8, Tuff— Carl F. Wheeler, presiding judge; O. L. Adams.

Voting Precinct No. 9, Blackett—Otto Weltner, presiding judge; John Taylor.

Voting Precinct No. 10, Polly —E. F. Langford, presiding judge; F. J. Herrera.

Voting Precinct No. 11, Bandera School House—W. R. Fletcher, presiding judge; Mrs. Rose Gardiner, M. R. Thalmann, P. T. Hay.

The following road overseers were appointed for the various road precincts of the county:

No. 1, Precinct No. 2, Vic Saul; No. 3, Hubert Dugos; No. 4, Howard Eckhart; No. 5, Frank Mangold; No. 7, Amie Jeffers; No. 8, Earl Mansfield; No. 9, Casper Dugos; No. 10, Ross Chaney; No. 11, Leo Loskowsky; No. 12, John Ryle; No. 13, E. E. Coughran, No. 14, A. D. Hicks; No. 15, Eb Holt; No. 16, Ed Postert; No. 17, Howard Billings; No. 18, Elden Fries; No. 20, Albert Fink; No. 21, Julius Backhouse; No. 22, Arnold Haby; No. 23, Eddie Liebold; No. 24, Sam Clark; No. 25, Sam Herrera; No. 26, Alfred Villemain; No. 27, Johnnie Newcomer; No. 28, Ellis Letcher; No. 29, C. A. Reed; No. 30, Otto Weltner; No. 32, J. E. Justice; No. 34, E. H. Sewall; No. 35, Johnnie Bonnett; No. 36 Tom Light; No. 37, O. H. Kelly; No. 38, George Allsup; No. 41, John Reed; No. 43, J. C. Hillman; No. 44, Louis Sutton; No. 45, Brice Mayfield; No. 46, Will Blackwell; No. 47 Andrew Murphy; No. 49, Wilson Clayton; No. 50, J. A. Hicks; No. 51, J. L. Storms; No. 52, S. A. Polvado; No. 53, Thos. Haby; No. 54, Ben O'Bryant; No. 55, John Goss; No. 56, Bud Johnson; No. 57, E. L. Gazaway; No. 58, R. Reavis; No. 59, Mark Boultinghouse.

All the old timers are looking forward to the Old Settlers' Reunion to be held in Bandera in July. Last year the thousands who attended were so well pleased with the great get-together meet that they have told all of their friends about it, and this year they are all coming back and will bring their friends with them.

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Nothing is more important than CO-OPERATION. In our day many of the axioms of bygone days will not work. Most of us can remember how the proverb "Competition is the life of trade" was generally accepted as a truism in economics.

Today, in most cases, the practice of such a theory would be ruinous and to give a modern turn to the phrase substitute "CO-OPERATION" for "Competition" and you get the answer. CO-OPERATION—to begin at the top—is of the very essence of our National life, and of a democratic system of government.

No matter which opposing political parties win in a general election—when the dust has settled and the final count of votes recorded—the man elected President is without a competitor, and to loyally co-operate with him for the best of the Nation is the duty of every loyal American. How could the best team pictured above hope to win if half the crew decide to ignore the word of the helmsman?

Apply the allegory to our own affairs in Bandera County. When the voice of the people has placed certain men at the head of the local affairs for a fixed period, the only way to a successful administration is for everyone to co-operate.

Honest criticism is all right, but see to it that the motive behind it is a desire to help not cripple those pledged to conduct our affairs.

And—citizens of Bandera, while there is no law which compels you to trade in Bandera, there is a moral obligation, fully as binding on a conscientious citizen which should impel you to work for them in their effort to make Bandera a trading center.

The people with investments here in Bandera have heavy responsibilities involving great risks.

They must maintain adequate stock so as to give prompt and intelligent service, and yet the most careful buyers are at times loaded with goods bought at top prices on which—without a murmur—they take a loss. The average fair minded American merchant only seeks to get a fair profit figured on his investment on the yearly turnover.

It can be demonstrated by unimpeachable authorities that many a merchant when his trading statement for a year is examined, has not made as much as would yield him a salary commensurate with his own ability were he to sell his service to someone else, and this is true in certain years of all business institutions, large or small, in cities of less than ten thousand population. And the people with investments are those who must shoulder the biggest end of the tax burden, the inevitable load which makes and keeps Bandera a center of population for this district.

Be fair to investors in Bandera whether it is the Ice Plant or the General Merchant, and being in the same boat with them, pull together, keep stroke—for the common good.

And remember—the race is over a certain course, so don't "crab" things by stopping at the hundred post when a mile is the mark. Decide that since you are in the same boat with us, you will pull with us for a straight year, giving Bandera people a chance to supply everything you need, and as sure as day follows night, you will benefit, we will benefit and Bandera will prosper.

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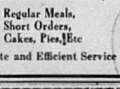

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W. F. Rippey was over from Johnson City, on business Friday.

Big Chicken Dinner at O. S. T. Cafe on Wednesdays and Sundays.

Miss Frankie Monk spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge and Mrs. James Cox visited Junction Sunday.

Dee Chipman went to Sonora last week to accept a position on a ranch.

Mrs. W. E. Mansfield has been quite sick with influenza the past several days.

Closed at day, February 22, Washington's Birthday.—First State Bank of Bandera.

Mack Boyle spent several days with his brother, Tom Boyle, at Crystal City last week.

Lee Montel and several members of his family have been ill with the flu the past few days.

Miss Ruth Whitley, who has been critically ill with pneumonia, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs F P Layton were down from Medina Monday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis.

Clyde Powell and daughter, Miss Juanita, of Somerset, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Miss Clara Mansfield, came up from Austin last week to visit her parents, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

Charlie Schott and his manly son, Rudolph, were up from Elm Creek Monday in a handsome new Chevrolet sedan.

A. W. Mayfield and son, Walter, were here Saturday en route to New Braunfels, where they will probably remain a few weeks.

The old folks dance at Cox hall Monday night was quite an event, and was attended by a large crowd. A fine time is reported.

Messrs. Q. T. Stevens and Jay Stevens were in from the Bandera Pass region Saturday. Q. T. says the range is greening up fast and stock are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. S.O. Loyd of the Short ranch, above Lima, were visitors in the city Monday. While here they were guests of Mrs. Loyd's sister, Mrs. Henry Haby.

Col. John H. Ross spent several days in San Antonio last week. He was in town Tuesday and dropped in to order the New Era sent to his daughter, Mrs. Carrie Stevens, at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pyka and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pyka and Miss Dorothy Saunders, all of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Pyka last Sunday.

We learn that Ham Chipman, who has been in a hospital at San Angelo several days, was able to return to his ranch near Sonora the first of this week. Ham's many friends here hope he will soon recover.

C. W. McCurdy and C. M. Baker were here from Wolffarth, near Lubbock, last Saturday. They came down to attend the funeral at Kerrville of Mr. McCurdy's sister, Mrs. Lottie Parker, who died on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Bob Surber was taken to Kerrville one day last week for an operation for appendicitis. After arriving there it was found that an operation would not be necessary. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is recovering nicely.

Frank M. Montague and Hal S. Hudspeth attended the meeting of the Angora Goat Association at Rocksprings last week. Mr. Hudspeth says that they were royally entertained by the people of that town, and the meeting was one of the best ever held.

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KERRVILLE

Alex G. Halamuda, of San Antonio, is spending awhile with father, Anton Halamuda, shopping.

Mrs. Lon Joiner and daughters, Misses Fleeta and Lee, were in from Mason Creek Saturday.

Messrs. Tom and Joe Pyka, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Green and Elvie Green, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Pyka Sunday.

W. F. Kuehne came over from Boerne Tuesday to deliver a handsome Chevrolet coupe which Frank Mansfield, the local salesman, had sold to Mrs. Booker Davenport.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. George Fee, of Winan's Creek, is reported to be making good recovery in a hospital at Kerrville, where it was taken about two weeks ago.

Ed Mansfield and Marcus Thalmann and their sons, Roy Thalmann and Bruce Mansfield, attended the quarterly meeting of the United Goat & Sheep Raisers' Association at Uvalde last Saturday.

Visitors at the Otto Weltner ranch near Camp Verde last Sunday were Henry Bergmann of Comfort, Henry Wellborn of Center Point, Chas. de Montel of Camp Verde, Mrs. E. Bernard of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallrath and sons, Otto and Carlos, of San Antonio.

C. M. Doss, salesman for Peterson & Schmerbeck, the Buick and Chevrolet dealers of Kerrville, was here Tuesday and dropped in to see the New Era. Mr. Doss says his firm is selling a great many of these popular automobiles these days, and he expects to put in considerable time in this territory.

NOTICE

A meeting of Bandera Camp Lodge, Liberty Life Assurance Society, will be held in Medina, Texas, 7:30 p. m. Friday, February 26. An interesting meeting is assured.

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r. and Mrs. Carl Bantu of alifornia are visiting Mr. ita's parents, Mr. and Mrs. e Barta.

r. and Mrs. J. H. Autrey and . Buster, have returned from eales.

ther Roy S. Harris visited parents Mr and Mrs. C. W. ris last week.

rs. C. A. Sherrill spent eral days in San Antonio last k.

onnie Mitchell, of Houston, e to visit his sister Mrs. J. C. lins Jr. who underwent an ration for appendicitis. Mrs. lins was operated on again nday and her condition is deal.

Misses Fays Rees and Miss Alice n came up from San Antonio h Rev. Burton last Saturday. r. W. S. Baker is getting g very well. Mrs. Baker is e better at present.

rs. Dye and Misses Ora and Pate visited their parents, and Mrs. Fletcher Pate last k.

rs. T. G. Light, of near Mc, k, who was taken to a rville hospital last week, is far recovered as to be able to e Ingram, where she will nd awhile with her sister, Mrs Moseley. It was thought m Mrs. Light was taken ill, t she was suffering from an ck of acute appendicitis, and n operation would be needed , but this did not prove to he case.

Putting in Big Stock.

H Stokes was here from Mc. Monday and informed the r Era scribe that he is now ving a big line of dry goods his store in Medina, and will y a complete stock of every g, dry goods, dress goods, s, hats, clothing, etc. and es has been steadily build starting in two or three years with a small stock and gradu expanding. He says he is in position to supply the ts of the public in the general handise line and invites you all and see him when in Mc. See his ad in another mn.

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LIMA LINES.

Miss Lottie Miller was the guest of Miss Sadie Miller Wednesday night.

Rupert Reese was a guest in the Mayberry home last Wednesday night.

John Hilman and son, Alex, and Mary Mills went down to the goat ranch Wednesday. Alex and Mr. Mills went to shear Mr. Hillman's and Orville and Stanley Reese's goats.

Mrs. Zula Miller and Jesse Adams were business visitors in Bandera Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Reese and daughters, and Mrs. S. A. Reese and two little daughters were afternoon guests in G. W. Banta's home at Medina Sunday.

Miss Grace Hillman was the guest of Miss Sadie Miller Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Jesse Hillman and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hillman Sunday.

Singing was enjoyed at Robt. Brown's.

Lima Ladies Meet.

A number of the ladies of the Lima school district met at the Lima school house last Friday afternoon and organized a Mother's Club. A temporary organization was effected with the following officers: Mrs. Joe L. Tilley, president; Miss Vivian Reese, secretary-reporter. Mrs. O. D. Reese, Mrs. Sam Miller and Mrs. Mayberry were appointed as a committee to draw up a constitution and by-laws. The meeting then adjourned to meet next Saturday, February 27, at 3:30 p.m. at the school house. Every mother is urged to attend the meeting.

Buys Jones Ranch.

A deal is pending whereby Fletcher P. Layton is buying the A. G. Jones ranch on Myrtle Creek. For a consideration of $10,950. The ranch is pretty well improved and contains nearly 1500 acres.

Raising Turkens.

Much interest has been taken in the new fowl, the Turken, a cross between a turkey and a chicken, which a few years ago made its appearance on the Pacific Coast. Mrs. E. M. Dowty of this city has a number of these fowls which she has raised herself and she invites the general public to call at her home and see them. They are odd looking birds, resembling in some respects a turkey and in others a chicken, but they are thrifty and very prolific layers, and the meat is very delicious. Mrs. Dowty is selling eggs for hatching purposes, and is ready to guarantee a reasonable batch.

Electric Light Plant.

Last week we announced that Oscar Perner would install an electric light plant in Bandera. Mr. Perner informs us that he has abandoned his plans along this line, but T. W. North is making arrangements to put in a modern electric light plant and power house, to supply the city with lights and power. The plant will be installed at a cost of about $3,000, and Mr. North says he hopes to have it in operation within the next few months. Bandera has long needed just such an enterprise and we are feeling mighty good over the prospects to secure the needed service. The installation of an electric plant here will materially reduce our insurance rates as well as supply power for the operation of machinery, and every citizen should encourage the new industry in every way.

To Purchase Stage Curtains.

Mr. J. T. Davis in Bandera this week soliciting advertising for a handsome stage curtain for Bandera High School auditorium, which the Parent-Teachers' Association contemplates purchasing. The curtain is a beauty and will be quite an addition to the equipment of the school auditorium.

From Honolulu.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Autrey and son, Buster, have returned from Castroville.

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Mrs. C. A. Sherrill spent several days in San Antonio last week.

Bonnie Mitchell, of Houston, came to visit his sister Mrs. J. C. Hess Jr. who underwent an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Hess was operated on again today and her condition is good.

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Mrs. W. R. Baker is getting along very well. Mrs. Baker is some better at present.

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Putting in Big Stock.

H. H. Stokes was here from Medina Monday and informed the New Era scribe that he is now having a big line of dry goods in his store in Medina, and will carry a complete stock of everything; dry goods, dress goods, hats, clothing, etc. Mr. Stokes has been steadily building starting in two or three years ago with a small stock and gradually expanding. He says he is now in position to supply the needs of the public in the general merchandise line and invites you to call and see him when in Medina. See his ad in another column.

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LIMA LINES.

Miss Lonie Miller was the guest of Miss Sadie Miller Wednesday night.

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Buys Jones Ranch.

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Raising Turkeys.

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Gasoline Engine For Sale.

The New Era has a 7-horse-power Stickney gasoline engine for sale at a bargain. You'll have to hurry if you want it.

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K. K. K.

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There will be fewer deaths among extremely old people in the county this year than for several years previous, but there will be several accidents which will bring grief and sorrow into two or three homes. Auto drivers should use extra caution this year. Women's dresses will be shorter this summer and as a result sore eyes will afflict the male population.

Harper, the Beautiful.

Last Thursday the New Era editor made a trip to the pretty little town of Harper, located in Gillespie county, 20 miles north of Kerrville. We spent over there to help our son, Warren Hunter, resurrect the Harper Herald, a newspaper which has been "dead" for the past few years. Seventeen years ago we established the Harper Herald, but sold it in a short while, and this was our first visit there since then. During the time we have been away from there, the little town has grown considerably and has put in city airs, the streets have been graded, handsome new business structures have gone up, electric lights have been installed, and many other changes have taken place, but while we were over there last week we found the same generous, hospitable people we knew there so many years ago. Time has not changed them in the least, the old folks then are still old folks, but they do not look old, and the young folks seem to still be young folks. We met our old friend, Conrad Birchfield, who, though having suffered a stroke of paralysis several months ago, is able to get about and is just as cheerful as ever. Uncle Johnnie Cook, who by the way is about ninety-three years young, and, twice as warmly and cordially welcome back as often as we could Webb Sagesser, Aged eighty-year-gets about, lively and says he does not feel a bit older than he did twenty years ago. Our old friend, R. Markwardt, gave us a hearty greeting, and seems to be the same genial gentleman who used to drop in, for a social chat while we lived there. Cheri Bein is engaged in the mercantile business and also runs a pool hall, a sideline carries a good stock of general merchandise which a good wife manages, and is doing well. Harper without Pearl would not be Harper. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Weidelich are also engaged in the mercantile business at the same old stand, and both of them are just as busy and cheerful as they were when we first met them in 1900. And Henry Thiele, the blacksmith, is still right there with his laughing smile and hearty handshake that makes a fellow feel welcome. Harper Mrs. J. R. Bell, formerly Mrs. Annie Sagesser, and her beloved by all of the people there, is postmaster of the town and has efficiently served in that capacity for seven years, taking the place of Mrs. Patton, another excellent lady who had filled the place satisfactorily for many years, and who resigned to seek the retirement of a quiet home life. Mrs. Bell's son, Claude Sagesser, and his wife are engaged in the hotel business there and feed the hungry in fine style. By the way, Claude is the community's champion Prof Cole is the principal of the school. We found Mr. and Mrs. John Morris in the First State Bank, a solid institution which has been organized and conducted since we knew it. The bank is located in a fine new building and equipped with modern conveniences. Mr. and Mrs. H. Reimer have also built a fine furniture store, while Henry Fischer deals in groceries. Mr. Fischer and brother, sons of our old friend Jake Cooper, carry on a blacksmithing and also handle feed, coal and are doing well. The Citizens Auto Co. an enterprise and concern has a large and well equipped garage building and well supplied establishment, and Harper Garage is another growing concern, both establishments being owned by five enterprising citizens of the town. Otto Reiche has a well established general merchandise business, and during the several years he has been there has built up an extensive trade. J. P. Taylor, a son of that well known Presbyterian, Captain Creed Taylor, is the druggist for the town now. Our old friend, Fred Weidelich, has the butcher shop at the old stand where it was located when we were there. We had the pleasure of again greeting Mr. Weidelich and his charming wife, and found both of them the same jolly people we knew in 1900. J. W. Lennon, Jr., conducts an up-to-date and model bakery there and enjoys a liberal patronage. Mr. C. Weinecke owns and operates the City Cafe and also conducts a meat market. Messrs. Bauman & Fiedler conduct a general merchandise store in the upper part of town and are doing a good business. W. A. Brown is the boot and shoe maker and is a good one. Bellmore Roberts runs the barber shop and enjoys a good patronage. Thus the readers can see that Harper has a good representation in the line of business.

Harper has five church buildings, the Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Lutheran and Catholic. She also has a fine school with an excellent corps of teachers. A movement is already under way to secure a highway from Fredericksburg to pass through the town and connect with the Kerrville and Junction highway at a point about sixteen miles west of Harper. This proposed highway will give Harper direct connection with Austin and will be a great benefit to that town. The Harper Herald, under the management of Warren Hunter, will make its appearance this week and we are sure the paper will receive a liberal patronage from those enterprising people.

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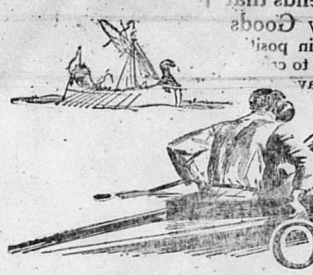

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TEAM WORK WILL WIN

Nothing is more important than CO-OPERATION. In our day many of the axioms of bygone days will not work. Most of us can remember how the proverb "Competition is the life of trade" was generally accepted as a truism in economics.

Today, in most cases, the practice of such a theory would be ruinous and to give a modern turn to the phrase substitute "CO-OPERATION" for "Competition" and you get the answer. CO-OPERATION—to begin at the top—is of the very essence of our National life, and of a democratic system of government.

No matter which opposing political parties win in a general election—when the die is cast—the final count of votes recorded—the man elected President is without a competitor, and to loyally co-operate with him for the best of the Nation is the duty of every loyal American. How could the best team pictured above hope to win if half the crew decide to ignore the word of the helmsman?

Apply the allegory to our own affairs in Bandera County. When the voice of the people has placed certain men at the head of the local affairs for a fixed period, the only way to a successful administration is for everyone to co-operate.

Honest criticism is all right, but see to it that the motive behind it is a desire to help not cripple those pledged to conduct our affairs.

And—citizens of Bandera, while there is no law which compels you to trade in Bandera, there is a moral obligation, fully as binding on a conscientious citizen which should impel you to work for them in their effort to make Bandera a trading center.

The people with investments here in Bandera have heavy responsibilities involving great risks.

They must maintain adequate stock so as to give prompt and intelligent service, and yet the most careful buyers are at times loaded with goods bought at top prices on which—without a murmur—they take a loss. The average fair minded American merchant only seeks to get a fair profit figured on his investment on the yearly turnover.

It can be demonstrated by unimpeachable authorities that many a merchant when his trading statement for a year is examined, has not made as much as would yield him a salary commensurate with his own ability were he to sell his service to someone else, and this is true in certain years of all business institutions, large or small, in cities of less than ten thousand population. And the people with investments are those who must shoulder the biggest end of the tax burden, the inevitable load which makes and keeps Bandera a center of population for this district.

Be fair to investors in Bandera whether it is the Ice Plant or the General Merchant, and being in the same boat with them, pull together, keep stroke—for the common good.

And remember—the race is over a certain course, so don't "crab" things by stopping at the hundred post when a mile is the mark. Decide that since you are in the same boat with us, you will pull with us for a straight year, giving Bandera people a chance to supply everything you need, and as sure as day follows night, you will benefit, we will benefit and Bandera will prosper.

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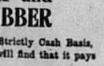

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Miss Inez Ross went to San Antonio Sunday to accept a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Irving, of Mason Creek, were in the city yesterday.

Miss Katherine Lark, of Dallas, was the guest of Mrs. James Cox Saturday.

Harry Hamilton went to Ganado last week to accept a position there.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane and children went to San Antonio last Sunday to visit relatives.

Lane Langford and David Pepper have returned from Midland, where they have been working on a ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Chipman and children were up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman.

Mrs. Mary Carmichael and son, Gervis, Miss Lois Miller and Miss Ruth Davenport spent last Monday in San Antonio.

Henry Late, whose leg was amputated at a San Antonio hospital one day last week, is reported to be making good recovery and will soon be able to return home.

E. V. Sellers, Price Campbell and R. M. Wagstaff, of Abilene, were here several days last week, looking over the field with a view to putting in an electric light plant and power house here.

Eugene Montague, of Lordsburg, New Mexico, was here for a day or two last week on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague. Mr. Montague is doing well in the New Mexico town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. DeLamure and babe came up from San Antonio Monday. Mr. DeLamure returned home Tuesday, while Mrs. DeLamure and baby will remain several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Berry White and children, of Kerrville, were visitors here last Thursday. Mr. White was a linotype operator in the Kerrville Mountain Sun office until recently, when he resigned his position and will probably engage in business for himself.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stone, of Hunt, were guests of Mrs. E. M. Dowty Saturday. Mr. Stone a few months ago suffered a broken leg, and is still on crutches. He had been to San Antonio for treatment and was returning to Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V Pue and children were in from Laxson's Creek Sunday, guests of Mr and Mrs. Milton Faris. Mr. Pue informs us that Commissioner Morris is doing some excellent work on the road from Medina to Lima, and putting that thoroughfare in good shape.

The New Era has a 3 h. p. Dempster gasoline engine for sale, cheap.

John R. Chipman, who went to Mooringsport, La., several months ago, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chipman, that he has a good position with the Caddo Oil Co. at that place and likes his work fine. It will be pleasing news to John R's many friends here to know that he is doing well and all wish him the best of luck.

Read Frontier Times.

G. L. Vawter, of Pipe Creek, was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Rev. R. N. Hicks made a business trip to Brownwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Stevens, of near Bandera Pass, were in town yesterday.

Royce Risinger and family were here from San Antonio Sunday visiting relatives.

Miss Luria Teel and Miss Evelyn Mansfield went to Devine Saturday, returning Monday.

Chas. de Montel and daughters Misses Annie and Ollie, were in from Camp Verde yesterday.

Inspector Jim Moore, of the Angora Goat Raisers' Association, was here from Ozona last Saturday.

James Cox caught a 52-pound cat fish in Medina Lake last Friday, and distributed it among his friends in town.

Mrs. Warren Hunter left yesterday for Harper to join Warren, who has embarked in the newspaper business there.

Miss Grace Duke, principal of the Hunt school, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. I. Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Risinger and children and Hubert Risinger came up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with relatives.

Gus Reinarz was up from Pipe Creek Saturday to attend the meeting of the executive committee of the Old Settlers' Association, of which he is a member.

Among the Medina folks who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Faris last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnston and children, Miss Florence Price, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Banta and children, R. H. Stokes and family, and Mrs. O. F. Stokes and children.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

During the past three or four weeks a number of cases of influenza were reported throughout the country, but the epidemic seems to be abating, and all of the patients have recovered. The disease was in a mild form this year, only one or two cases of pneumonia resulting.

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Mrs. Robertson and children of Fredericksburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill McMahan.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stone and their son, of Hunt, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Watson and family recently.

Mrs. J. G. Richards went to visit her sister, Mrs. Chaffin, at Nixon Mrs. Chaffin is in the hospital.

Miss Inez Gilbert, who is teaching near Hondo, spent last week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Bantz and children, of San Antonio, visited relatives here last week.

J. M. Moffett, Miss Lura and J. W. Moffett, Mrs. M. D. Kelly and Miss Valentine Smith attended church at Hunt last Sunday.

L. J. Shoptrine and J. C. Gall are made a trip to San Antonio Friday.

Mrs. Jim Allison and son, William and his wife, of Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Justice.

Mrs. Daniels, of San Antonio, visited her sister, Mrs. W. J. Justice.

Mrs. K. R Stokes has returned from a visit to Port Neches and Sour Lake. She was accompanied home by Miss Mamie Faris of Sour Lake.

Mrs. J. C. Collins, Jr., is reported to be doing nicely at present.

Quarterly Conference will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday evening, March 7. Presiding Elder J. W. Terry will be present.

At Port Arthur Saturday evening February 27, at 6 o'clock Miss Ida Belle Barnes and Mr. R. Dewey Humphreys were married at the First Methodist Episcopal church there with Rev. W. C. Martin officiating. The ceremony was performed in the presence of more than two hundred friends and relatives. They will make their home at Port Arthur. Dewey Humphreys is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Humphreys of Medina.

Mrs. George Fee underwent a serious operation Tuesday at Kerrville. Last report she was doing very well.

Married in San Antonio.

Virgil Jones and Miss Lillian Robertson were married in San Antonio last Friday, Rev. Pedrick, pastor of the Collins Garden Christian church officiating.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Jones of Bandera, and the bride is from Louisiana and for some time has been engaged in chiropractic work here. Mr. and Mrs. Jones left immediately after the ceremony for Houston, where they will spend several months.

After Many Years.

Seventy-five years ago Amasa Clark, Mexican War veteran, came to Bandera and cast his lot here. Mr. Clark was originally from Seobarrie county, New York. Shortly after coming to this section he wrote to his people in New York state, but never heard from them. Years passed and still no word came to the young man far from home. After repeated efforts to locate his people Mr. Clark finally decided that all of them were dead. The last message he had from home was in 1849, when he received a letter, while at El Paso, from his sister, Caroline Glen Clark. During the past two or three years Mr. Clark has attained much prominence from the fact that he is one of the few surviving veterans of the Mexican War. His picture, taken at the New Era office in his Mexican War uniform, has appeared in all of the leading newspapers in the United States and in some foreign countries. On the 3rd of last September he celebrated his birthday and gained further publicity. Recently one of his nephews living in Oklahoma, a son of the long-lost sister, Caroline Glenn Clark, saw the old veteran's picture in an Oklahoma daily, and wrote to inquire if he was originally from Seobarrie county, New York. Letters were exchanged with the result that Veteran Clark once more is united with some of his kin.

Last Tuesday I. W. Rhodes of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, and H. A. Rhodes of Cornell, Illinois, arrived in Bandera on a visit to their uncle, Clark, their aunt, Their mother, Caroline Clark Rhodes died three or four years ago at the age of 98 years. Three brothers and a sister stayed here. They were accompanied up from San Antonio by Alvin Clark, Lieut. and Mrs. Hill and children, Mrs. James W. Evans and baby, and Billy Krempkau.

A few days ago representatives of the Bandera High School came here from San Antonio making arrangements to place about forty pupils of the school here during the summer months for the purpose of painting our picturesque scenery on canvas. The Bandera region is the delight of all artists.

Q. C. Hodges of Pipe Creek, sends us three plunks to keep the little old home paper coming.

Spring and Summer Hats.

A new and up-to-date line of ladies ready trimmed Spring and Summer Hats, latest creations, just received.—Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Warehouse Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association was held at the association's warehouse last Saturday, more than fifty members being present. Manager Fred Thalmann gave a report of the association's business, after which the old board of directors was re-elected to serve for the next year. The directors are W. E. Mansfield, A. D. Kutzer, F. E. Whisenhunt, R. B. Garrison, R. N. Padgett, W. R Thomason, and Fred Thalmann. Officers will be chosen by the directors at a meeting to be held next Saturday.

The secretary's report shows the Association to be in good condition, having a cash surplus on hand of about $3,000. A ten per cent dividend was paid to the stockholders the first of the year. During 1925 the Association handled 195,000 pounds of mohair and 250,000 pounds of wool, which it sold to the best advantage for the growers. The combined clips of wool and mohair represented the distribution to growers of around $200,000 during the year.

We are all proud of our warehouse organization and every citizen of the county should cooperate with it and help to make it stronger.

Ranch Home Destroyed.

There is an old saying that Misfortune never comes singly. This certainly seems to be true in the affairs of George Fee of Winan's Creek. A few weeks ago the infant of Mr. and Mrs. Fee was stricken with illness and was taken to a hospital at Kerrville, where, for several days it was not expected to live. As soon as the infant was on the road to recovery, Mrs. Fee was stricken and had to undergo an operation, which took place on Monday, and reports are that she is well on the road to recovery. Mr. Fee, in order to be with his wife and baby as much as possible during their stay in the hospital, went over to Kerrville last Sunday, and on Tuesday morning, while there was no one on the premises, his house was discovered to be on fire, and before anyone could reach there the flames had gained such headway that the building and all of its contents was consumed. How the fire originated is a mystery. It was first discovered by the Medina mail-carrier, Orville Rhodes, as he was going to Bandera with the mail. He gave the alarm and F. A. Masters, V. C. Masters and others rushed over there to combat the flames, but all to no purpose. A telephone message was sent to Mr. Fee at Kerrville apprising him of his loss, and he returned home at once. The sympatily of the whole community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Fee in their misfortune.

Undergoes An Operation.

Mrs. Felix Newcomer, of Pipe Creek, was taken to San Antonio last Friday night and underwent an operation at a hospital there at midnight. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is making good recovery.

Will Resume Dipping April 1.

Dipping operations in this county will be resumed April 1, under direction of the Livestock Sanitary Board, after a cessation of about two months. Leo Callan, chairman of the State Livestock Sanitary Board, accompanied by Dr. Robards and H. F. Wurzbach, came to Bandera last Saturday to complete arrangements for resumption of the eradication work, which will be in charge of Dr. Robards, as understand. As the fever tick is not active at this time of the year the loss of a few weeks dipping has not handicapped the work in any way. Our stockmen who have been making a determined effort to clean their ranges are rejoicing that the work is to be resumed, and we hope everyone will lend all co-operation and encouragement to the undertaking so that before many months Bandera county will be declared clean and be given a release from the regulations.

Bitten by a Rattlesnake.

Ross Merritt, residing on the Sargent Branch, was bitten by a rattlesnake last Friday night. Dr. Butler was summoned and promptly administered antidotes. The young man is now out of danger and getting along nicely.

Miss Anna Habenicht to Wed

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Anna Habenicht and Mr. Alex Engel, the wedding to take place in San Antonio on Saturday, March 13. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht of Bandera, and is an excellent young lady. The groom is an enterprising young business man of San Antonio.

Mrs. Wilson Clark Dead.

Mrs. Wilson Clark died at the home of Mrs. Cox at Pipe Creek last Monday at 2:45 o'clock p. m. Mrs. Clark had been ill for several months, and a few days ago developed pneumonia.

Mrs. Clark, nee Louiza Matilda Dunn, was born in Marion county, Alabama, July 3, 1849 and came to Texas with her parents when she was eight years old. On December 25, 1875, she was happily married to Wilson Clark, who survives her. Also surviving are two children, Mrs. Chas. Ruede of Pipe Creek and Mrs. Maud Jump of San Antonio, eleven grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Howard of Uvalde, and several brothers whose where abouts are unknown to the writer.

Mrs. Clark was a life-long member of the Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints, and her funeral was conducted at Pipe Creek Tuesday afternoon by her pastor, Elder D. S. Palmer. Interment was in Pipe Creek cemetery.

Thus another one of our old pioneers has passed away. Mrs. Clark was of that distinctive type of pioneer mother, hospitable, charitable, generous and beloved by all who knew her. We deeply sympathize with the bereft husband in the great sorrow that has come upon him, and the grief-stricken children.

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Celebrates Wedding Anniversary

On last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Blake Anderwalds who live near Bandera, celebrated the 45th anniversary of their wedding, being delightfully surprised by their children with a bounteous dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Anderwald are old settlers here, and have lived on their present homestead all of their married life. When they settled here neighbors were few and Indians often made raids into this section. The country was so wild that Mr. Anderwald says that he could stand on his porch and kill deer and wild turkey. They have reared nine children, and all were present on this happy occasion, except Sister Gustava, who is in Kosciusko teaching school, and Henry Anderwald, who is manager of a big ranch near Lockney. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Dugosh and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderwald and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderwald and family, all of Bandera, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gavlick and family and Mrs. William Frederick of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Potter of Boerne. Others present were A. H. Carvajal of San Antonio and Alex Kalka and children of Bandera.

The beautiful wedding cake, baked by daughters, was frosted in white and had 45 candles placed around it. The cake occupied the center of a long table which was well laden with many good things to eat, fine meats, beef, mutton, chicken various salads, dressings, and all that go with such a wonderful spread. After dinner was served a number of pictures were taken of Mr. and Mrs. Anderwald, their children, and grandchildren. There were forty-five guests present on this happy occasion. The New Era joins in wishing this venerable couple many more happy years of wedded life.

Elder D. S. Palmer of near Medina, attended the Semi-Annual Conference of the Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints, held in San Antonio Saturday and Sunday. He was chosen as delegate to go to the General Conference which is soon to be held in Independence, Mo. Elder Palmer has represented his district in the General Conference several times and says he always enjoys the trip, the fellowship of the brethren and the wonderful Missouri scenery, but that scenery does not compare to old Bandera county picturesqueness and beauty.

S. A. Stevens, progressive ranchman and citizen of the Medina region, was here Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Witt Dead.

Another pioneer of the Hill Country has passed on to her final reward. It is with sadness that we chronicle the death of Mrs. J. M. Witt, which occurred at her home in Center Point last Tuesday, after an illness of only a few days. Mother Witt was truly a pioneer, having lived at Center Point for almost seventy-five years. She was born in Kentucky in 1839, and came to Texas with her mother in 1852, settling on Turtle Creek, where it empties into the Guadalupe, four miles below Center Point. Her mother, Mrs. Denton, braved the dangers of the Frontier, and raised her family there. In 1867 Miss Carrie Denton was married to Rev. J. M. Witt, a Baptist minister, and raised a family of five children, who besides the aged husband, survives. These children are W. F. Witt of Clifton, Arizona, J. D. Witt of Center Point, James A. Witt of San Francisco, California, Fred Witt of Morgan's Mills, Texas, and Mrs. J. H. Surber of Bandera.

Funeral services will be conducted at Center Point this morning at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made in Center Point cemetery.

The experiences and hardships endured by this good old pioneer mother if printed would fill a massive volume. She was known and loved throughout the Hill Country for her many deeds of kindness and devotion to her church and the uplift of humanity. Her life has been one of usefulness and covering a long span of years many people have been benefitted by coming in contact with her kindly ministrations. Our pioneer mothers are passing away, and the world will never see their like again. They have done well their part in laying the foundation for the splendid civilization we today enjoy, and rising generations will not forget them. Mrs. Witt was one of these, and though she has gone from us, the lessons from which no traveler returns her memory will linger with those who knew her and loved her for the many excellent traits of character and Christian graces she possessed. The New Era extends condolence and sympathy to the aged husband and children of this good woman in the sorrow that bears so heavily upon them.

Utopia to Vote on Bonds.

An election has been ordered to be held at Utopia on March 27th for the purpose of voting bonds to the amount of $25,000 to erect a new school building in Utopia.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

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Bandera should regale and and secure some of the encampments that will be established throughout the Hill Country, this summer. We have plenty of ideal encampment sites, and a little activity on our part just now will bring some of them to Bandera. The Boy Scouts of San Antonio are seeking a permanent encampment site, free from the vice and turmoil of the city, where the boys can enjoy real camp life and out-door sports, and if we offer the proper inducements we can secure this encampment. Let's get busy.

The first issue of the Harper Herald under Warren Hunter's management reached our exchange table last Saturday. It is a neat seven-column four page paper, full of live local news, and reflects much credit on Warren's ability as a newspaper man.

Heroism In Hell.

Vachel Lindsay, the poet, once wrote a poem about Lucifer, the fallen angel. In his poem he represented Lucifer as singing, in Hell, a song so marvelously beautiful and uplifting that the demons forgot their pain and sorrow and, for a moment, imagined that they were once again the shining angels of light, feeling glorious battles for right in the limitless blue.

Reading the poem, one is apt to wish wistfully, that Lucifer's music could be brought to earth occasionally. We're mostly well-meaning folks, decently intentioned; but we lack the soaring impulse that this fabulous musician could give us—the impulse that could make us do the fine, unselfish things we dream about doing.

It is a vain wish, of course. And yet, somehow, there seems to be a mysterious harmony in the air at times that makes men realize that no man can live to himself alone, and that brings about noble deeds. It penetrates to the most unlikely places; behind grim prison walls, for instance, where it sets poor, luckless felons wishing that they could make amends by performing some self-sacrificing act.

In proof of that, consider the following:

Dr. Hugh S. Cumming, surgeon general of the U. S. Public Health Service, tells how his physicians were enabled to take a great step forward in their fight on the disease known as pellegra, which attacks poor people in certain sections of the country with disastrous effect.

A dozen convicts in the Mississippi penitentiary volunteered for aid. They ate, for six months, a restricted, pellagra diet resembling the class of people who suffer most from the disease. The experiment was conducted in strict secrecy at the Rankin convict farm under the direction of a surgeon of the public health service. At the end of the six months' period half of these convicts had developed pellegra. And the doctors had gained valuable knowledge.

It is heartening to read of such things. They show us, once more, that no man need live in vain; that even a convicted criminal can be of service to his fellow men; that in spite of what cynics may say, there is a very strange, indefinable influence at work that helps every the meanest of us to rise to undreamed of heights of self-denial and sacrifice.

Lucifer's music, maybe!

Historic Battle Ground.

San Antonio Light: First reconnaissance of the route over which 6000 men of the famous Fighting Second Division will march in the annual spring training hike, will begin Monday when a party of officers leave Fort Sam Houston for Kerrville.

Two itineraries for the march that is to begin May 17th and last two weeks, are being considered. The selection will be made after the officers return.

In either case, the division will make the hike by way of Boerne and Bandera.

Under one of the plans proposed, a meeting engagement and defensive maneuvers at the historic Indian battleground of the Bandera Pass is being considered.

The other plan contemplates a direct march into Kerrville with the division advancing in two columns.

The division will march to Camp Stanley May 10 and 11, for the annual tactical inspection on the range. It will leave Monday morning May 17 for Boerne.

On May 18 the division will be divided into two re-enforced brigades and will continue the march in two columns. The west column will march to the Bandera road and the east column will stop at Waring. The next day the west line will move on to Bandera and the east to Center Point.

If a lease of sufficient territory can be secured, a meeting engagement will take place the next day for the possession of Bandera Pass.

The Third Brigade will arrive first and will defend the position against the attack of the Fourth Brigade.

The following day will be devoted to combined defensive maneuvers. If this plan is adopted, the division will continue to Kerrville on Saturday.

Sunday the division will rest at Kerrville and begin the return to Fort Sam Houston the next morning.

Airplane pictures of the route will be made by the Second Division air force.

Last Sunday, in company with W. D. Smithers, the photographer, we visited the delightful farm home of E. Burk, on the Julian, near Bandera. Mr. Burk has one of the best farms in this whole region, and has but recently erected a commodious barn on his premises, the work being done by M. F. Johnston. The barn provides plenty of storage room for his grain and hay crops, and shelter for stock. A shed for sheep is being built adjacent to it. During the past year or two Mr. Burk has been busy making many improvements on his premises. Quite a number of summer guests are entertained there every year, and the delightfulness of this country home is much sought after by vacationists.

When You Eat in Kerrville.

Remember that E. Ruff serves the best meals. Ruff's Cafe has moved to the stand formerly occupied by the Depot Cafe, near the depot. I invite my Bandera friends to come and dine with me when in Kerrville.—E. Ruff.

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From Honolulu.

Honolulu, H. I.
February, 4th, 1926.

Dear Mr. Hunter:

We are just coming into Hanalei, the "Pearl of the Pacific." On our left, amid the warm blue waters of the Pacific, lies that island of the living dead, Molokai, the leper island. Here are hundreds of unfortunates living out their lives amid beautiful surroundings only to die a slow, lingering death, shunned by mankind. Only a few miles away can be seen the first dim outlines of the beautiful island of Oahu, upon which the City of Honolulu is situated. As we approach the island we first see and recognize Kokos Head, an extinct volcanic peak, projecting its rugged bulk into the warm blue sky for over six thousand feet. We draw nearer, round the point and see Diamond Head, another extinct crater, over two thousand feet high and three miles in diameter. As we pass Diamond Head that world-famed playground comes into view—Waikiki Beach, the beautiful—and six miles further on the City of Honolulu lies basking in the warm tropical sun, enormous mountain ranges rising from her back yard and her feet in the warm, blue sea—a wonderful panorama. As we steam slowly in toward the channel through the coral reef by which we enter the harbor, the plaintive strains of a native Hawaiian orchestra are heard, and from a small boat alongside rises the voice of a native quartette singing that beautiful song of greeting and farewell, "Aloah Oe." As I look around I see several boats not quite dry, several faces with that longing wistful look which spells homesickness.

We enter the harbor and for the first time realize that truly we are in another land, among other people than ours. The water is covered with small boats, out rigger canoes predominating, and from all sides rise the clamor of many voices shouting their wares for sale, fruit, curios, native clothing, &c. The good ship moves slowly forward and comes to rest beside the dock. At last, after eight days of tossing about upon the sea we are tied to land again, and can put our feet on something more solid than an unsteady ship's deck—glorious feeling! Time is short, as we sail again at six o'clock tomorrow, so all hurry ashore to see as much as can be seen in so short a time. We walk two blocks and catch a street car to Waikiki. On our way through the city we pass Government House, formerly the palace of the native kings, many beautiful homes and parks, and after a short ride we arrive at the beach. Here we visit the Aquarium, a show place where one may see the marine life of the Pacific, and probably one of the most wonderful places of its kind in the world. After visit there we again go to the swimming beach, where one may see the natives riding in from the sea on a narrow surf-board at the crest of an express train; some, the more experienced, standing upright or even upon their heads. We try it, but soon come to grief, with the boards and ourselves far beneath the water in one mad swirl, after which we are content to watch others, or ride in a canoe. Time of he beach we go to Pali Park, where one may view the wonders of tropical vegetation, then return to the city and stroll around the native stores and bazaars until late in the evening. After a glorious day we return to our ship, tired but happy, to sail on the morrow for Guam. Will write more from Manila.

With best regards to you and all the good people of Bandera, I am

Ever yours,
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Clerk's Annual Statement of County Finances

Aggregate Amount Received and Paid Out of Each Fund for the Year Ending February 6th, 1926, and Balance to the Credit of Each Fund.

JURY FUND, FIRST CLASS.

Bilance on hand Feb. 7th, 1925	$1,754.58	
Amount received during year	460.70	
By am't transferred from other funds	1,247.24	
By am't transferred to other funds		$1,000.00
By am't paid out during year		939.89
By 2½ per cent Commission on am't received		11.52
By 2½ per cent Commission on am't paid out		23.49
Amount to balance		1487.58
	$3,462.48	$3,462.48
Balance on hand	$1,487.58	

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, SECOND CLASS.

Balance on hand February 7th, 1925	$ 4,751.49	
By amount received during year	10,517.62	
By amount transferred from other funds	1,000.00	
By amount transferred to other funds		1,681.71
By amount paid out during year		8,157.63
By 2½ per cent Commission on am't rec'd		237.94
By 2½ per cent Commission on am't paid out		202.93
Amount to balance		4,978.54
	$15,259.21	$15,259.21
By balance on hand	$4,978.54	

GENERAL COUNTY FUND, THIRD CLASS.

Balance on hand February 7th 1925	$ 561.55	
By amount received during year	5,293.38	
By scrip on taxes	82.70	
By amount paid out during year scrip on taxes		$ 82.70
By amount paid out during year		4,775.21
By 2½ per cent Commission on am't rec'd		122.99
By 2½ per cent Commission on am't paid out		121.45
Amount to balance		825.95
	$5,937.63	$5,937.63
Balance on hand	$825.95	

Registered indebtedness February 7th, 1925	$4,865.47	
Registered indebtedness February 6th, 1926	5,966.45	

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1, INTEREST AND SINKING FUND

Balance on hand February 7th, 1925	$9,155.02	
Amount received during year	2,345.64	
Amount paid out during year		$ 1,181.00
Amount 1 per cent Commission on am't rec'd		23.44
Amount 1 per cent Commission on am't paid out		11.81
Amount to balance		10,284.41
	$11,500.66	11,500.66
Balance on hand	$10,284.41	

BANDERA COUNTY FUNDING WARRANTS

Balance on hand February 7th, 1925	$ 590.13	
Amount received during year	1,306.30	
Amount paid out during year		$1,421.06
By 2½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		32.64
By 2½ per cent commission on am't paid out		35.52
Amount to balance		407.21
	$1,896.43	$1,896.43
Balance on hand	$407.21	

VANDERPOOL ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2, BOND

Balance on hand February 7th, 1925		$21,273.30
By amount received during year	410.66	
By amount paid out during year		$17,041.63
By ½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		2.05
By ½ per cent commission on amount paid out		80.19
By amount to balance		4,560.11
	$21,683.96	$21,683.96
Balance	$4,560.11	

MEDINA ROAD DISTRICT NO 3, BOND

Balance on hand February 7th 1925	$11,565.10	
Amount received during year	190.77	
Transferred from other funds	433.93	
Amount paid out during year		$10,934.66
By ½ per cent commission on amount rec'd		.93
By ½ per cent commission on amount paid out		54.66
Amount transferred to other funds		780.00
Amount to Balance		419.55
	$12,189.80	$12,189.80
Balance	$419.55	

VANDERPOOL ROAD DIST. NO 2, INTEREST & SINKING FUND

Balance on hand February 7th, 1925	$ 77.01	
Amount received during year	2,543.82	
By amount paid out during year		$2,036.02
By ½ per cent commission amount rec'd		12.69
By ½ per cent commission amount paid out		10.13
Amount to balance		562.00
	2,620.83	2,620.83
Balance on hand	$562.00	

MEDINA ROAD DISTRICT NO 3, INTEREST & SINKING FUND

Balance on hand February 7th 1925	$ 454.80	
Amount received during year	2546.46	
Transferred from other funds	780.00	
Amount paid out during year		$2,980.00
By ½ per cent commission on amount received		12.71
By ½ per cent commission on amount paid out		14.80
Amount to balance		773.66
	3,781.26	3,781.26
Balance on hand	$773.66	

RECAPITULATION—BALANCES ON HAND IN EACH FUND

First Class Jury Fund	$ 1,487.58
Second class Road and Bridge Fund	4,978.54
Third Class General County Fund	825.95
County Funding Warrants, Sinking Fund	407.21
Road District No. 1, Sinking Fund	10,284.41
Road District No. 2 Bond Fund	4,560.11
Road District No. 3, Bond Fund	419.55
Road District No. 2, Interest and Sinking Fund	572.00
Road District No. 3, Interest and Sinking Fund	773.66
Total Amount of Cash on Hand February 7th, 1926	$24,309.01

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF BANDERA. The foregoing is a true and correct statement of the finances of Bandera County, Texas, for the year ending the 6th day of February A. D. 1926. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of February A. D. 1926 W. R. FLETCHER
Notary Public, Bandera County, Texas.

Barbecue a Big Success

The barbecue dinner given by the citizens of Center Point on the proposed site of a camp ground to be established by the Christian Churches of this section was a decided success last Thursday. Notwithstanding a high wind which made it disagreeable to be out, there was quite a crowd of home people and visitors attending.

The dinner consisted of barbecued beef, coffee, bread, pickles salads and delicious cake. Rev. Walter Harbin welcomed the visitors in a few well chosen words which were heartily responded to by several of the visitors. A number of people made brief talks, but perhaps the most interesting and important talk of all was made by J. R. Wales of the local committee when he tended the locating committee a warranty deed to the 60-acre plot of ground upon which the dinner was being served.

This site is along the Guadalupe River about one and a half miles west of the town, on an elevation of some 200 feet above the river. It affords a commanding view of the river valley. The railroad and the Old Spanish Trail are visible several miles both up and down the river valley.

The visitors expressed themselves as highly pleased with the location, and especially so with the reception given them.

Those attending from San Antonio included Rev. Patrick Henry, Carlton Adams, W. A. Orth, Rev. C. C. Bobson, F. A. Burns, Rev. R.L. Courtney, E. C. Van Ness, Charles Lee, Rev. J. K. Pedrick, A. H. Darnell and R. A. White.

Among those from Kerrville were Rev. P. E. Hawkins, Sr., E. Galbraith and A. B. Burton. —Kerrville Mountain Sun

Successful Poultry Project

The Camp Verde Club-boys visited the home of Raymond and J. H. Rawls on Tuesday morning Feb. 16th, to inspect the poultry projects of their club brothers and are well pleased with the trip. The boys found that where there is a will and a determination to make a success in the poultry business, success will follow.

The Rawls boys are by necessity using the simplest and crudest of methods and equipment, making practically all of their buildings and equipment by their own hands with scrap material. An old smokehouse has been converted into a brooder house, divided into compartments and by the use of home-made brooders, fountains and feeders, the boys and their sister have only lost five baby chicks out of 151. Most of the chicks are now three weeks old and doing fine. The boys and their sister were not able to fence on places for their laying flocks to keep them separate, so each of them has built a portable house of his own and thereby keep their flocks separate and from their mother's flock. This requires lots of walking but walking is not all taken up with the Rawls children when their chickens are concerned. The boys are now cutting cord wood to get money to buy feed for their baby chicks, the laying flocks being self-maintaining.

Mr. and Mrs. Rawls are justly proud of their children for the efforts and labor being put forth and are cooperating with all of their ability to help the youngsters along with their poultry work.—Hill View Times

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GANDERBONES FORECAST

Since my last report I have consulted my horoscope, and I find there indications of many good things that will take place during the next few months. Bandera business firms will enjoy a brisk trade this spring and summer, and each firm will marvel at the increase over the business of the same period of time last year. There is going to be considerable activity in oil circles throughout Southwest Texas, and Bandera county will share in the excitement. A great producer will be brought in in a county not very far removed from Bandera county, which will cause oil people to turn their attention to this immediate vicinity. A vast pool of oil underlies this region, somewhere, and when it is trapped there is going to be considerable excitement.

There will be an unusual number of May and June weddings, and if the old maids hereabouts do not get married this year they will all have to wait until 1928.

Fish will bite better this summer than ever before and there will be more fish than usual. The best bait to use will be earthworms, which will also be plentiful. But don't try to catch fish before May first.

Cockroaches will be numerous and the housewife will be exasperated by their inroads. A good way to get rid of the roaches is to sprinkle lime about the premises, and if that won't get them, then I would suggest that you catch and chop their heads off with an axe.

Grasshoppers may do some damage, but it will be slight.

But fleas! They'll be here by the millions. Better begin now to sprinkle lime in the outhouses and all over the premises. That will get 'em. A flea will not stay where he has to hop about in lime.

Let's all look forward to a good year, good crops, good living, good health, good fellowship. Good night.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, March 26th at 8 o'clock. The Masonic hall Al members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

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We take this means of thanking all who so kindly assisted us in the last illness of our beloved companion and mother. May God bless each and every one of you.—W. L. Clark and Family.

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Chas. Ruede and his manly son, M. ray, were here from Spicewood Creek yesterday en route to Bluff, where Mr. Ruede has charge of the maintenance work on the new highway which leads from Bandera to Kerrville. He is working from the county line to Kerrville.

Messrs. W. D. Harwood of San Antonio and W. H. Kuehne of Boerne, were visitors at the New Era sanctum yesterday. These gentlemen were here in the interest of that increasingly popular automobile, the Chevrolet, and report many sales being made these days. Frank Mansfield is the local salesman for this territory, handling the sales through the Kuehne Hardware Co. of Boerne.

Full line of Easter Candies at the O. S. T. Confectionery.

LIMA LINES.

The mothers' Club met at the school house Saturday afternoon. Constitution and by-laws were read by Mrs O. D. Keese, and after a few amendments they were left for further approval. The election of permanent officers was postponed to a later date. The annual membership fee was set at 25c per member. A musical program of old time songs and ballads was planned for March 13th. Definite announcement of this will be given next week. The meeting then adjourned to meet again March 27th at the home of Mrs. X. N. Mayberry. Refreshments of cake and cocoa were served by Mrs. Tilley and Miss Vivian Reese.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sutton died early Saturday morning and was buried Saturday evening at the Helm graveyard.

Mrs. S. J. Coose and son, Jack, came up from San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. John Coose, who was operated on in San Antonio is getting along very well, but had to return to the hospital last Monday for treatment.

R. L. Morris and John Phillips have been sick with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs Lee Scales, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr and Mrs. G. G. Hicks last Sunday.

WINAN'S CREEK.

Miss Sylva Duke is home from Baylor College, at Belton, having completed her work there.

Mrs. Estelle Harris spent several days the past week in the McCurdy home in Kerrville.

Mrs. J. L. Moravietz has as her guest her niece, Mrs. Minor Wilks, of San Antonio.

George Fee who has been at the Kerrville hospital the past month with a very sick baby spent the week-end at home, reporting the baby much improved. His wife underwent an operation Monday and is doing very well at this writing.

Rev. and Mrs. P. D Swift of Fort Werth spent several days last week visiting in the home of Mr and Mrs. F. A. Masters and other friends. He was pastor of the Medina Baptist church over twenty years ago and has many friends in this section who were very glad to see him. He promised to return in May as this visit was incomplete.

L. N. Stevens, of the Bandera Pass region, was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. T. J. Rappold and children, who have been visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Rappold, departed Friday for their home at Yoakum.

Born to Mr and Mrs. Ned W. Smith, March 1, a girl.

Frank Buck and W. D. Smith are spending the week at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mangold were in from the ranch Saturday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart spent last Sunday at Medina Lake.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold L. Haby, Medina Lake, on February 28 a girl.

Mrs. Anten Pyka spent several days in San Antonio last week with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs T. S. Dennis and Miss Nina Belle Hand visited friends at Medina Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Chas. Meadows were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chisum last Sunday.

W. D. Smithers, the San Antonio photographer, was the guest of the New Era editor Sunday.

Will Ellebracht the well known machinery salesman, was here from San Antonio Monday.

Miss Alcen Stevens, the New Era's linotype operator, spent Saturday in San Antonio with friends.

Miss Ruth Kutzer entertained a number of her friends with a delightful party at her home on Wynn's creek last Friday night.

Mrs. A. Maman left last Thursday for her home at Hensley, Texas, after spending two weeks with her daughter Mrs. Frank Billings.

Frank Billings went to San Antonio yesterday where he will undergo a minor operation at a hospital. He will be there about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Huffmeyer and Mrs. Trevor Wharne and son, of San Antonio, were guests of Chas. Rugh and family Sunday.

Mrs. L. L. DeLamure and infant left Monday for her home at San Antonio after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Billings.

Gilbert Jureczki, son of Anton Jureczki, who sustained a broken thigh when he was thrown from a donkey several weeks ago, is making good recovery and able to get about on crutches.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young and baby, of Hedtes, accompanied by Mrs. Renfro of Menard, were in the city Saturday. Miss Renfro is visiting Mrs Young for a few weeks.

Mrs. M. E. Colbath and children came up from San Antonio yesterday with Grandma Jones for a short visit. They were accompanied by Mrs. Colbath's brother, Roy Jones.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will meet at the High School Auditorium next Friday at 3:30 p. m. Every member urged to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

Mrs. Lula Cavitt and daughter, Miss Mary, Mrs. R. G. Mills and son, Royce, were here from Center Point Tuesday visiting Mrs Mark McBryde and children. Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Cavitt paid the New Era sanctum an appreciated visit while here.

Mrs. Rose Gardiner and Earl Mansfield went to San Antonio Tuesday to meet Mrs. Gardiner's brother, Eugene Montague, of Lordsburg, New Mexico, who was returning from a visit to Florida. Mr. Montague will spend a day or two with his mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, in this city before going on to his home in New Mexico.

Presiding Elder J. T. Curry, of San Antonio, will conduct quarterly conference at the Methodist church Saturday night, after preaching service. Rev. Curry will preach Saturday night and Sunday morning. He will then go to Medina where he will hold quarterly conference and occupy the pulpit at the Methodist church there that night.

We saw J. C. Hillman, the Lima ranchman, scouting around town Saturday.

F. A. Masters, Winan's Creek ranchman and farmer, was in the city Saturday.

Among the business visitors in the metropolis last Saturday we saw George Fee, of Winan's Creek.

W. A. Tobey and Charlie Fee came down from Medina last Saturday to attend the warp meeting.

Ewell Wyatt, who is now ranching out on Mason Creek, was a business visitor in Bandera Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Raybould and Mrs. Harry Raybould, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chisum last Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Jones went to San Antonio last week to spend several days with her children, Mrs. Mina Gibbons and Sam Jones.

G. Hicks, all the way from Tarpley, was in the city Saturday, attending the annual meeting of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association.

Chas Britsch was in from East Verde Saturday and called to advance his subscription figures with the New Era. Mr. Britsch suggests that Gamberdone pray for rain.

H. W. Goodenough, who lives out on Bandera Creek, was in town Saturday and enriched the editor by a dollar and a half in payment for subscription to this little old home paper.

Henry Southoff, substantial citizen of the East Verde section was seen at the meeting of the stockholders of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers Association last Saturday.

F. E. Whisenhunt, the well known sheep and goat breeder was here Saturday from his ranch near Medina, to attend the annual meeting of the Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers' Association.

Last Monday Elvins Hicks marketed on San Antonio a fifteen months old Polled Durham calf for which he received 7½ cents per pound. This calf weighed 1,050 pounds, and is the same animal which Mr. Hicks exhibited at the last Bandera county fair in the baby beef show.

Mrs. E. H. Dabse and twin babies, Tommie Jeane and Cleo Margaret, and Miss Clara Maas, field, are here from Austin to spend the week with their parents, Judge and Mrs. A. I. Mansfield. Mr. Dabse accompanied them to Bandera Saturday, but returned to Austin Sunday.

The Medina and Bandera road is now in pretty good shape. The work on the road between Ranger Crossing and Winan's Creek will be finished this week, and that portion of the road has been put in excellent condition by Commissioner Anton Pyka and Frank Mansfield. The road was designated a state highway sometime ago and will be maintained by the state.

Mrs. John Pyka celebrated her 53rd birthday last Monday, and received quite a happy surprise when her children and friends came in to wish her many happy returns of the day. An enjoyable feast was spread Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pyka, the guests present being Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Knapick, Miss Anna Pyka, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morgan, Mr and Mrs. Ed Gollihar, Mr. and Mrs. J. V Pyka and children, Mr and Mrs P. J. Pyka, Mr. and Mrs. A N Pyka, all of San Antonio, and Bernard E. Pyka and Misses Ida and Stella Pyka of the home place. Two large birthday cakes, one baked by Mrs. Knapick and one by Mrs. J. V. Pyka, were present for this venerable mother, as well as many other pretty and useful gifts. The New Era joins in wishing Grandma Pyka many more happy birthdays.

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sudduth and baby have returned from Port Neches.

Mrs. Cris Lackey and daughter, Edna, have gone to Port Arthur to visit her husband.

Miss Ada Pace is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Pate.

Ira Lackey, of Port Arthur, made a business trip to Medina.

Rev. B. J. Gossett and Prof. McDonald of Bandera attended Quarterly Conference of the Methodist church at Medina Sunday.

J. M. Hunter, S. H. Rees and W. D. Smithers visited San Smith last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Mayfield and Lenvel Akin spent last week end in San Antonio.

Marshall Dunning of Cevaland, Ohio, is visiting Henry Adams. Mr. Dunning lived here as a child, leaving here when eleven years old. He is an author of note, and will visit around for awhile with old friends here.

Tuesday night Mr. J. H. Autrey died at his home near Medina. He had been in ill health for quite awhile. He leaves a wife and six children, Bryan Autrey, Dester Autrey, Jesse Autrey, Mrs. Eva Whitehead, Mrs. Pearl Grebon, Miss Jewel Autrey. All the children were present when he died. The funeral services were held at Gonzales March 10. We extend sympathy to these dear people.

Mrs. Ellis Tallman was tendered a birthday surprise by her friends last Friday afternoon. The guests were as follows: Mrs. P. P. Layton, Mrs. Henry Hours, Mrs. C. W. Harris, Mrs. J. C. Collins, Mrs. J. E. Booker, Mrs. Joe Finney, Mrs. E. J. Banta. Readings and songs were enjoyed. Refreshments of cake, fruit, and punch were served. Only a few were present on account of weather.

Juniors Have a Good Time.

On last Friday evening Mrs. E. B. Little, Mrs. C. B. Corley and Mrs. J. E. Chisum entertained the Junior B. Y. P. U. at the home of Mrs. E. B. Little. Some very clever games and contests were enjoyed. The guests were Elizabeth McBryde, Aleen Buck, Ruth Little, Elsie Lee Faris, Eloise Corley, Howard and James Chisum, Coy Mansfield, Eugene Burns, Cecil Lavis, and James Davenport and Mack Little.

To Drill for Oil.

Homer P. Lee, representing a large oil development company, was here from San Antonio last Monday, making arrangements to begin drilling for oil on a tract several miles north of Bandera. Mr. Lee spent several weeks here securing leases on about 20,000 acres, lying into the south of two seres on Mason Creek, Myrtle Creek, and in that region north of Bandera Creek. We are informed that it is the intention of Mr. Lee and his associates to drill a test well to a depth of 6000 or 7000 feet.

There has never been any drilling for oil done in the locality mentioned above, but it is confidently believed that when a well is drilled that oil will be found. The company has not made any bluster about what it proposes to do, but is going quietly ahead with its plans and the outcome will be watched with interest. We have always believed that oil exists in this section, that a great pool lies undiscovered somewhere hereabouts, and we are glad that efforts are made to bring it to the extensive developments are going surface.

Celebrating Birthday.

Mrs. J. A. Head is today celebrating her 64th birthday anniversary. A sumptious dinner will be served to her relatives and friends. The New Era extends congratulations to this good pioneer woman, and joins her many friends in wishing her many more happy birthdays.

Charged With Hog Theft.

Four young men of the Medina region were arrested last week charged with theft of hogs from Clint Chenault a short time ago. The accused parties have given bonds and await the action of the next grand jury.

Some time ago Mr. Chenault lost four Berkshire hogs from his premises. Outside of Medina. Officers found where the hogs had been butchered, and secured several good clues to work on, and they have been diligently at work on the case ever since. The arrests made are the outcome of their investigations. The New Era is not familiar enough with the facts in the case to justify giving details of the arrests, and due to the fact that we do not want to prejudice the case against the accused or in any manner interfere with the administration of justice, we refrain from publishing names until the matter has gone through the regular court channels.

F. D. Barnes Dead.

Bandera today mourns the death of another substantial citizen. F. D. Barnes, aged 68, a prominent rancher and stock farmer, passed away at his home near Bandera Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, following a stroke of appoplexy a few hours before. Sunday evening Mr. Barnes went out to the cow lot to milk several cows, and not returning promptly his wife went to the lot and found him lying unconsciously on the ground. He was carried into the house and Dr. Butler was summoned. All that medical skill could suggest was done to restore him, but without avail, and he never regained consciousness.

Frank D. Barnes was a quiet, unassuming gentleman, highly respected and of that sturdy type which stamped him as a substantial citizen. He was a stockholder in the First National Bank of Bandera, and was always identified with every movement that pertained to the upbuilding of the moral and business life of the community. His friends were numbered by his acquaintances, and if he had an enemy it was not known.

Born in Ottowa, Ill., December 20, 1858, he came to Texas in 1882, settling on the place where he died. He was just a young man then, only 23 years old, but he had grit and ambition and by hard toil and close economy he succeeded in amassing a competency to provide against want. In August, 1885 he was happily married to Miss Emma Powell, and to this union two children were born, they being Mrs. Carrie Liebold and Miss Allie Ruth Barnes. One brother, R. C. Barnes, of California, and one sister, Mrs. Lydia Hall of Seattle, Washington, also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family home by Rev. J. E. Potts, pastor of the Methodist church at Yorktown, assisted by Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor the Bandera Methodist church. Interment was in Bandera cemetery at 3 p. m. Pall bearers were Frank M. Montague, Dr. J. O. Butler, Judge J. A. Eames, M. P. Johnston, Melvin Fitzgerald, and J. F. Tait.

To the grief-stricken wife and daughters the New Era extends condolence and sympathy.

Wins Championship.

Bill McCarty, the adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McCarty, who enlisted in the Navy about three years ago and is now on the battleship Tennessee, is a winning fame as a wrestler. For the second time he has won the middle-weight championships of the squadron fleet, and will soon wrestle for the middle-weight championship of the whole Navy. The Tennessee is now in Panama waters, and we all extend congratulations. His term of enlistment will soon expire and he will return home on a visit, when it is expected that he will be tendered quite an ovation.

J. H. Autrey Dead.

J. H. Autrey, a highly respected citizen of the Medina community, died at 10 p'clock Monday night, after an illness of several days. The remains were taken to Gonzales Tuesday afternoon for burial, the family and a number of friends accompanying the hearse.

Surviving besides the wife, are six children, Jesse and Bryan Autrey of Gonzales, Mrs. Len Whitehead of Port Arthur, Mrs. Pearl Greeven of Medina, Buster Autrey and Miss Jewel Autrey. All of the children were present at the bedside when Mr. Autrey passed away.

Mr. Autrey was a native of Gonzales county, but had resided in this county many years. He was engaged in the ranching business on an extensive scale, his ranch being located near the mouth of Wallace Creek.

Deceased was of a quiet, retiring disposition, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was a kind and effectionate husband and father, and in his death Bandera county loses one of her best citizens.

To the sorrowing family the New Era extends heartfelt sympathy and condolence.

Bridal Shower.

Last Thursday afternoon in San Antonio Mrs. Lee Southern, Mrs. Schellhasse and Miss Martha Habenicht gave Miss Anna Habenicht and Mr. Alex Engel, who are to be married next Saturday, a bridal shower. They received many useful gifts. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served to twenty-eight guests, and a most delightful time is reported.

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Preparing for Beauty Contest.

Uncle Andy Jones was awarded the big stick of striped candy for being the best looking man in the county at the last Old Settlers' reunion. The award seems to have aroused a bit of rivalry among some of the swains of forty years ago, and it is likely that several will enter the men's beauty contest at next reunion. Charlie Schmidtke has sent away to get some mustache wax and sweet-smelling hair oil; John Ross is thinking of cutting his beard Van Dyke style; Andy Mansfield is beginning to part his hair in the middle; George Elam is using a massage bath to smooth out the wrinkles on his face; Lee Risinger has ordered a derby hat from Sears & Roebuck; Will Massa has bought a paper collar and a new caravat, while Jack Anderson says his good looks don't need any fixing for he is sure he will take the prize as he is. There's great excitement among these old boys and this beauty contest is going to wax warm by the time the reunion comes off. Uncle Andy is just "cutting patching" and saying nothing.

Elimination Event.

The elimination in Declamation and Debate in Bandera High School will take place at the school building tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

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Badges for Old Settlers.

Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, secretary of the Bandera County Old Settler's Association, has ordered badges for this year's membership in the association. These badges will soon arrive, and will be "green in color, while the inmortal ribbon will, as usual, wear the blue badges. All citizens who have resided in the county more than sixty years are entitled to honorary membership in the association, and are not required to pay dues, but all citizens over forty years old who have resided in the county less than sixty years are assessed a membership fee of $1.00 per year. The badge admits them to the reunion grounds each day, and gives them all of the privileges of the reunion.

The big reunion will be held at Mansfield Park on July 2nd and 3rd. An elaborate program is now being arranged for the entertainment of the old settlers, old time sports, old time dancing, old time singing, old fiddlers contest, beauty contest for boys and girls over sixty-five years old, log calling contest for men, cow calling contest for women, big rodeo each day, and if an old couple will volunteer to go through the ceremony there will be a golden wedding. The full program will be announced in due time.

Golden Wedding.

Last Sunday, March 7, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller who live near Lima, celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding. Their children from Fredericksburg and Bandera and Kerrville brought them and their grandchildren a bounteous dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Miller lived at Pine Creek fifteen years and moved near Lima where they have lived for seventeen years. They have nine children, six of whom were present on this occasion. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller and family, Mr. Chris Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Hankinson and family Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace and family, Mr and Mrs. Max Kneese and Mr and Mrs. Otto Kneese, all of Fredericksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Val Stich and family and Mrs. Zula Miller and two daughters, Inez and Sadie, of Lima.

After enjoying the wonderful dinner pictures were taken of Mr. and Mrs. Miller, their children and grandchildren. There were thirty-four present. Mr. and Mrs. Miller received many useful gifts and every one enjoyed the day very much. We wish them many more happy years of wedded life.

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Bandera Boy Making Good.

It is indeed gratifying to the people of Bandera to note the advancement to a high position of any boy or girl born and raised here, and the New Era takes pride in publishing facts relative to their achievement. The one of whom have achieved a flattering measure of fame. But this article has particularly to do with Brian Montague, who is now one of the leading attorneys in Southwest Texas, being a member of the law firm of Belcher & Montague of Del Rio. Our readers are quite familiar with the notoriety gained by Jess and Joe Newton, alleged bank robbers, whose exploits were given much publicity in the newspapers a year or two ago. A short time ago Joe Newton was released on parole from the Federal prison at Leavenworth, Kansas where he was confined for bank robbery. As soon as he was paroled to Houston West of Uvalde and returned to this state he was arrested charged with complicity in the robbery of the banks at San Marcos and New Braunfels. Belcher & Montague were employed to defend him and in the hearing before Judge Allen West in San Antonio, Mr. Montague raised the point that inasmuch as the defendant was under parole for the duration of his parole. It was a point that had never been raised before. Judge West sustained the point, and Newton was released from custody of state officers.

Electric Lights Coming.

Tom North has secured a franchise from the county commissioners' court to install an electric light and power plant in Bandera. The franchise is to run fifty years, and Mr. North informs us that he has made arrangements for long cedar poles, and within a short time will begin stringing wires and installing the plant to supply lights and power for the whole town.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

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Bandera needs some kind of fire protection. Every year the business men of this town pay out an enormous sum for insurance just because we have no adequate fire-fighting system. Fortunately we have not had a destructive fire in our business district in many years, but that does not mean that we will never have a fire. A few hundred dollars invested in a fire-fighting apparatus now will aid in materially reducing our insurance rate, and at the same time place us in position to successfully combat the fire demon. Bandera is growing, and we may as well face the fact right now that we must have fire protection and take immediate steps to secure it. In another column appears a letter from the chief of the San Antonio fire department, who was solicited to recommend the kind of apparatus we should secure for Bandera. Read what he has to say, and think the matter over seriously, and when a committee approaches you for a contribution toward purchasing a chemical fire engine subscribe just as liberally as you possibly can. Don't get the idea that you are making a donation to a fund to buy a fire engine, but rather consider that you are making an investment and taking steps to save your own property from destruction. Every home owner and every citizen in the county is vitally interested in this matter. Suppose, some night when the wind is high from the north, a fire should break out on the north side of Main Street. The flames would leap across that street and ignite the buildings on the opposite side. In our present utterly helpless condition and inadequate water supply we could not save a thing and the greater part of the town would burn down in less than one hour's time. But if we had a chemical fire engine, ready at all times for use, we would be in a position to check the flames and perhaps put out a fire before it could gain any headway. The situation is very serious and should be given immediate attention.

Dan Moody, attorney general of Texas, has announced as a candidate for governor. That puts three candidates in the field for governor, to date—Ma. Ferguson, Lynch Davidson, and Dan Moody. Of course may be others later, but these three will occupy the center of interest. The campaign gives promise of being a real warm one. It is generally conceded that the race for the democratic nomination will be between Dan Moody and Lynch Davidson. Mrs. Ferguson has "vindicated" her husband as much as she can "vindicate" him before the people of Texas, and it is likely that the people will decide to give Dan Moody a chance to "vindicate" Fergusonism for awhile.

And now our good friend, Senator Julius Real of Kerrville, is being groomed to enter the race for Congress against Harry Wurzbach, the present Republican member of Congress from Texas. Senator Real is well fitted for the office of Congressman. He is the present State Senator from our district, and has hundreds of friends throughout Texas who will back him if he should consent to enter the race for Congress. Senator Real has made no announcement of his intention to run, and we do not know if he is even considering the race, but his friends are grooming him just the same.

Fire Fighting Equipment.

A few days ago Mr J. F. Tait of Bandera, having in view only the safety of Bandera, took it upon himself while in San Antonio to inquire into the cost of an adequate fire-fighting apparatus for this town, called on Chief J. G. Sarran of the fire department there and secured information that is passed on to our people. He also visited a firm which supplies equipment in order to secure prices and we publish below letters which are self-explanatory, the first letter being from Fire Chief Serran:

San Antohio, Texas March 3,1926
Dear Sir:—

As requested in our conversation today regarding needed fire equipment for your town, beg to advise that I recommend the purchase of two 50-gallon chemical engines, fully equipped with by-pass system, same to be mounted on a four wheel trailer. You should have at least 200 feet of chemical hose for each engine, and the engine should be so arranged that one or both could be used at one and the same time as occasion demanded. Trusting this infomation will be of service to you and your good citizens in reaching a decison in the matter, I am

Yours truly,
J. G. SARRAN.
Chief Fire Dept.

The estimated cost of such an equipment is about $1500, with no commission or rake-off allowed to any one. Mr. Tait called on the Burke & Sims Fire Equipment Co. to get figures and in a day or two he received the following letter from Mr. Simms:

San Antonio, Tex. Mar. 4, 1926.
Dear Mr. Tait:—

I looked around here today to find something suitable upon which to mount the chemical tanks and equipment which we discussed yesterday with Chief S'rran of the San Antonio Fire Department. I found a good second-hand four-wheel trailer with small artillery type wheels which is just the thing. It has a long pole in front that could be tied on the back end of any car. The following equipment will be mounted on this trailer: Two fifty-gallon chemical tanks with two brass tops, two cage leaders, two bottles for carrying acid, two lines of ¾-inch red cover chemical hose, two chemical nozz'es, two baskets in which to place the chemical hose, one fireman's pickhead axe in holder, one crowbar in holder, one large box for carrying extra charges for chemical tanks, wrenches spanners, etc., all to be painted fire department red and striped in gold bronze for the sum of $1175, delivered in Bandera.

You understand Mr. Tait, that this price would only hold good provided we can buy this trailer at the price quoted us. It is of course liable to be sold at any time and perhaps before your citizens may be ready to place an order. The only way I know of to insure getting for mounting what you want, would be to raise the money amongst yourselves enough to make this purchase, and we would hold it here for you until you were ready to go ahead with the building. Will be pleased to hear from you.

Yours truly,
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Modern Magic.

It was very dark and still outside. The stars were dimly twinkling pinholes in a monster black velvet curtain that covered the sky. Beneath them the countryside lay silent, and even the wind that had disturbed the afternoon had gone lurking over the horizon to rest.

But although the air seemed so still it was really full of man's senses, coursed back and forth in the darkness. They swept over field and river and forest and city alike, unimpeded save only when they struck fine coils and loops of thin wire cunningly arranged.

These wires translated them gave them body. Instead of being invisible, mysterious current they became music; laughter words of greeting and advice, distant trumpets—and the man in the Iowa farmhouse or the Atlanta apartment entered into communication with brothers on the other side of the world.

Old stuff, already. We have come face to face with too many miracles to be amazed. We may perhaps find it in our hearts to doubt that Lazarus, being dead, lived again; but that the song of a violin played in New York is heard in all its nuances by Bandera seems only a commonplace.

And yet the miracle of radio is useful one to us. Used from the fact that it makes the poorest drudge on earth master of the world's greatest music by virtue of his possession of a few pounds of fine wires and copper plates is useful because it prepares the way, in our minds for a much greater miracle that is to come.

This new miracle that is to come is like radio in that it operates in ways that we scarcely recognize and never understand. Mysterious waves transmit it from nation to nation, in spite of high peaked mountains and frost bound seas; but east-us officials never see it.

What is it? Nothing—and everything; the steadily growing, ever-rising sense of the brotherhood of man and the unity of human people.

It has been coming in this way. Sometimes the group has been hard, and often it has been the invisible waves of sympathy between man and man have seemed dead; but at other times they flow in mighty floods that put to a hastille toppling or drag the czar of all the Russias down to ever-lasting oblivion. The cracking of muskets on Bunker Hill and them throbbing across the Atlantic Garibaldi put new vigor into them.

And always, bit by bit, the force of these waves increased. Dimly, and little by little, we come to realize that kindness and neighborliness and tolerance will yet lap the whole earth and give us peace, harmony and happiness without limit. It may be still a dream, but it is a dream that will come true.

This is our new miracle. the slowly, steady spread of those waves of human understanding and brotherhood. Not in the radio pales to a thing for children. The other marvels of our inventive skill—the great machines, the countless delicate instruments, the shining towers and the soaring airplanes—they also are insignificant.

For if we hope greatly, and endure greatly, and love greatly—we know that some day this weary old earth will become, in very truth, the heaven to which we have visioned it, and will go spinning down the corridors of limitless space with a chorous of laughter and song as answer for the distant twinkling of a million kindly stars.

There is a small ad appearing in our want column for old postage stamps on envelopes. A number of people have sent stamps to this office in reply to the ad. For the info nation of the public we wish to say that the advertiser wants OLD stamps used forty, fifty or sixty years ago. If you have such envelopes on the envelopes please write stating what you have, and address your letter to G, care New Era.

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Texas Political Calendar for 1926

(And references are to the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, adopted at the regular session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, 1925.)

1. Jan. 31—Last day for payment of poll taxes and securing certificates of exemption. (Art. 2955).

2. Feb. 8—At February term Commissioners' Courts of each county shall appoint Judges of the Election, selected from different political parties. (Art. 3107).

3. April 1—Before this date, county collector shall furnish the County Election Board (County Clerk, County Judge and Sheriff) list of all persons who paid poll tax or secured exemption. (Art. 2975).

4. June 7—On or before this date candidates for party nomination for office to be filled by the voters, of the State shall file with their State Chairman application for place on primary ballot. Such request may be made by twenty-five qualified voters instead. (Art. 3111).

5. June 7—On or before this date, candidates for party nomination for office in district shall file with their District Chairman application for place on primary ballot. If there is no district Chairman, application shall be filed with the County Chairman of the counties comprising the District. This request also may be made by twenty-five qualified voters residing in the district instead. (Art. 3112).

6. June 14—State Executive Committee of party shall meet and canvass returns of primary election to be held on July 31. The chairman for each precinct voting is the member of the county committee from that precinct, and at the hour and place for holding these precinct conventions shall be announced. (Art. 3134).

7. June 16—On or before this date candidates for party nomination for office to be filled by voters of a single county or portion thereof, or for county offices, shall file with chairman for place on primary ballot with county chairman. This request may be filed by twenty-five qualified voters residing in county. (Art. 3113).

9 June 21—County Executive Committee meets to determine order of names on primary ballot, and certify same to county clerk. (Art. 3117-3108.)

County Chairman with approval of County Committee appoints subcommittee of five with himself as Chairman, to meet on July 12 to make up ballot, etc. (Art. 3115.)

10. June 28—On or before this date candidates in primary election must pay ballot fees assessed against them. (Art. 3108.)

11. July 12—Subcommittee of County Executive Committee meets to make up primary ballot. (Art. 3115.)

County Executive Committee has general supervision over primary in such county and is charged with full responsibility for the preparing and distribution to presiding judges of all election supplies. (Art. 3119.)

12. July 19—Before this date each County Chairman gets from the Tax Collector a list of voters in his county, arranged by precincts, paying 85 therefor—such list to be used in primary election. Primary election certify such list of voters in his county, arranged by precincts, paying 85 therefor—such list to be used in primary election. Primary election certify such list legal unless such lists are obtained and used for reference by election judges during the election. (Art. 3117).

13 July 19—On or before this date, persons who have moved from one ward in a city to another, or from one county over 10,000 to another, shall apply for the delivery of their certificates of voters to precinct chairman, who shall appear before the tax collector and obtain a corrected tax receipt of certificate of exemption. (Art. 2966)

14. July 20—On or before this date, persons who have become of age, or who have become citizens, who desire to vote in the primary election, must apply to county tax collector for and secure record of transfer. This applies only to those who move to cities of 10,000 or more. (Art. 2967)

15 July 24—PRIMARY ELECTION DAY—Polls open at 8:00 a. m., close at 7:00 p. m. (Art. 3102)

Returns of primary elections are delivered to County Chairmen.

On this day there is also held an election to decide whether or not to prevent a convention to be held July 31, where delegates are elected, to State and district conventions. The election is held at the usual voting places, and the returns certify to County Chairman the names of delegates elected to county convention. (Art. 3134).

16. July 31—County Executive Committee meets to canvass returns from primary election. County chairman certifies all results to County Clerk, and to district and State chairmen as to district and State officers, respectively. County chairman makes tabulated returns, and with county secretary, certifies number of votes cast for each office filled by voters of State, or one county, to the president of the next State convention of the party and for district committee. Such certificate is published in a newspaper of the county, if any, county chairman also certifies to County Clerk name of person elected county chairman. (Art. 3124-3125-3127).

17. July 31—COUNTY CONVENTION to elect delegates to district and State convention. Chairman and secretary of this convention immediately certify to State chairman list of delegates elected to State convention and to district chairman list of delegates elected to district convention. (Art. 3134).

18. Aug. 3—On or before this date all candidates, managers of campaigns and others who have expended money in behalf of any candidate or political measure shall file statement of expenses with county clerk.

19. Aug 9—State Executive Committee meets to canvass returns of primary election. (Art. 3127).

If no candidate receives a majority of all votes, the committee shall prepare a list of the two receiving the highest number of votes for such office and certify said list to county chairman of the counties in which said candidates at second primary. (Art. 3102)

20. Aug 23-24—Same provisions as to transfers as under dates 18 and 19.

21. Aug 28—SECOND OR RUN-OFF PRIMARY ELECTION where one candidate for any office has not received a majority of votes cast at first primary, polls open at 8:00 a. m. close at 7:00 p. m. (Art. 3102)

22. Aug 28—DISTRICT CONVENTION to be held; immediately following with chairman and secretary of such conventions shall certify district nominations to Secretary of State. (Art. 3135.)

23 Sept. 6—State Executive Committee meets to canvass vote at second primary; also to prepare a complete list of delegates elected to State convention from each county.

State chairman presents to temporary chairman of State convention on September 7, results first and second primaries and list of delegates. (Art. 3137.)

24 Sept 7—On or before this date, all candidates, all managers of campaigns, and others who spent money in behalf of any candidate or political party during or preceding the run-off primary must file statement of expenses with county judge. (Art. 3144-3145.)

25. Sept. 7—STATE CONVENTION to canvass vote for State officers, announce resulting nominations, chairman and secretary of convention certify such nominations to Secretary of State, adopt platform, elect State executive committee—one member from each State senatorial district—the member from each district is recommended by the delegates from the counties comprising such districts. (Art. 3138-3139-3140.)

26 Oct 27—On or before this date, county chairman nominates a supervisor for each election precinct in his county. Such nominations to be in writing and approved by county judge. (Art. 2941)

28 Oct 28—Same provisions as to transfers under dates 19 and 20.

28 Nov 2—County chairman should on or before morning of election day appoint (in writing) one challenger for each polling place. (Art 2985)

29 Nov. 2—GENERAL ELECTION DAY—Polls open at 8:00 a. m., close at 7:00 p. m. (Art. 3102)

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TION. Polls open from 8:00 a m to 7:00 p m (Art. 2930) (Each county chairman should, without fail, see to it that his party has supervisor and challenger at each polling place.)

30 Nov 12—On or before this date all candidates, all managers of campaigns and others who spent money in behalf of any candidate or political party during or preceding the general election must file statement of expenses with county judge. (Art. 3144-3145.)

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GANDERBONES FORECAST

My horoscope reveals promising crops for Bandera county and this year. With the passing of this month all danger of frost will be over. There will be no frost in April. Rains will fall bountifully, especially years. Small grain will turn out better than for many years, if rust does not interfere, and I hardly think it likely; however, continued rains just before harvest time may have the effect of rusting oats. But in spite of that the hum of the thrasher will be heard in every community and hands will be in demand.

I see in the not far distant future a railroad project materializing, for Bandera. Contrary to expectations the railroad will not be run directly to San Antonio, but will be built from Center Point through Elm Pass to a point some five or six miles from Bandera, where a new town will spring up, and legislation may have to be restored to to bring the railroad into Bandera, the county seat, but it will be built. This is a railroad and a route which has never been considered—a new project in fact, and there is a good chance for it to materialize. This will occur within the next five years. Mark this prediction, and you will see that my horoscope is correct in making long-distance forecasts. Politics will be unusually interesting this year. With a three-cornered fight for the governorship the voters are likely to get confused. Mrs. Ferguson will be in the run-off primary, and so will Dan Moody. If Moody had not entered the race Lynch Davidson would be the next governor. But Moody will win in the final count by 50,000 majority.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Anna May Kalka, Deceased, J. P Kalka has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs Anna May Kalka, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this 8th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
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To All Persons interested in the estate of H L Atkins, Deceased, Nancy Elizabeth Atkins has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said H. L. Atkins, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary of the Estate of said H. L. Atkins, Deceased which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

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STAMPS WANTED—You may have old stamps on envelopes that are worth real money! I want to buy them on the envelopes. Write me what you have. Address G, care New Era, Bandera, Texas.

TURKEN EGGS for sale, $5.00 per setting of 13. Number limited, so you will have to hurry.—Mrs. E. M. Dowty.

1924 FORD TON TRUCK, good cab and stake body. Good tires and ready to run. A bargain for $325.00.—Ketchum, 511 W Houston Street, San Antonio.

FOR SALE—Baby Chicks from high quality and bred up flocks, using pedigreed cockrels.—Kerrville Chick Hatchery.

SELECTED pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs, $1.00 per setting of 15.—Mrs. V. F Brewer.

1919 FORD car for sale at a bargain. New tires, all in good condition. See Joseph Kelly.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

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DODGE Touring car in best of condition good tires and new top. Good battery. $250.00. Terms can be arranged. Drop me a card.—Ketchum, 511 W. Houston Street, San Antonio.

WANT SMALL FARM—Have party with three acres for suburban home, six room house, plenty of fruit shrubbery, truck farm. All under irrigation from artesian wells, two blocks from tarviated highway, and on good graveled street; 2 blocks from brick school, one mile outside of city limits. Clear. Party wants to exchange for small ranch, river frontage with fair improvements. Also have other parties desiring to trade San Antonio property for Bandera county ranch. Would like to hear from owners. I used to live in Bandera County, as many readers will remember, and know the country pretty well. Will be glad to help, any one desiring to trade their ranch or farm for San Antonio property.—J. E. Johnson, 728 Navarro Street, San Antonio, Texas.

When You Eat in Kerrville.

Remember that E. Ruff serves the best meals. Ruff's Cafe has moved to the stand formerly occupied by the Depot Cafe, near the depot. I invite my Bandera friends to come and dine with me when in Kerrville.—E. Ruff.

Small fee chest for sale—See T. S. Dennis.

J. C. Collins, of Boerne, was here on business Monday.

Grandma Hay has been ill for several days, but is reported improving.

Tom North is getting his ice plant in readiness for the season's run.

Miss Victoria Montague was here from San Antonio to spend Sunday with home folks.

Latest styles in ladies' hats and prices as low as anywhere.—Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H P. Chipman, at Mooringsport, La., February 16, a ten-pound girl.

Wilson Clark was in from his ranch Monday and called to renew his subscription to the little old home paper.

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Mrs. George B. Tait and little daughter, Marjorie, of Medina, are spending a few days with Mr and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

Misses Florence Kelso and Thelma Schuetze, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ruge last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N Coffee came over from Comstock Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Coffey's brother-in-law, F. D. Barnes.

J. F. Tait spent a few days in San Antonio. He was accompanied home by his son, George Tait, of Victoria, who spent a day or two here.

Elsie Lee Faris (Black Eyes), celebrated her eleventh birthday last Tuesday by giving a delightful party to a number of her friends. Those present were Lula North, Lela Evelyn Thalmann, Mary Pyka, Cecil Lewis, Troyce Lewis, Ruth Thalmann, Inez Ross, Iris Faris, Maybelle Faris, Cecil Faris. A fine time is reported.

Plans are being made to fix another road leading into Bandera. For sometime that Kerrville road, out through Bandera Pass has been in bad condition, and now a movement is on foot to raise $1,500 or $2,000 to be expended on this thoroughfare. Most of the money will be raised by popular subscription, the balance to be supplied from county road funds, and the work to be done under supervision of the commissioner of this precinct, Mr. Anton Pyka. Let the good work continue.

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Is a great old tune and everybody knows it. We do a general line of repairing, blacksmithing, automobile repairing, sewing machine work, everything. Tell us your troubles—we'll listen, and can help you.—E. M. Dowty & Son.

E. T. Peters was here from San Antonio Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meadlow, were in from Hicks Creek Saturday.

Miss Laura Duffy is spending a few weeks at Crystal City with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boyle.

The B. Y. P. U. was royally entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs A. Meadows last Friday night.

A full line of Easter Candies at the O. S. T Confectionery.

Mrs. Pauline Wright, of San Antonio, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S Ethridge.

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Mr and Mrs. Manuel Faris have moved to Bandera and are now occupying a portion of the dwelling wherein Mr. and Mrs. Milton Faris reside.

Mrs. C. C. Lackey, who has been spending the winter with her parents, Mr and Mrs. W. J. Justice near Medina, returned to Port Arthur Saturday.

J. R. C Barnes of El Centro, California, is expected to arrive today. He is coming in response to a message announcing the death of his brother, F. D. Barnes.

Mrs. Gilbert North and twin daughters, Bernice and Beatrice came up from San Antonio last Thursday and remained until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs T. W North.

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Read the prices of new Chevrolet cars, to be found on page 3 of this issue, and then let Frank Mansfield, the local agent, explain the features of this popular car to you.

Rev. J. E. Potts, formerly pastor of the Bandera Methodist church, but now stationed at Yorktown, came in Monday to conduct the funeral of F. D. Barnes.

The parties who carried away my assortment of cypress fence from the W. J. Justice place near Medina is kindly requested to at once advise me of the quantity they secured and the kind of lumber they needed, in order that we may make settlement on an equitable basis.—Alex Kalka.

Messrs. I. W. Rhodes of Kingfisher, Okla., and H. A. Rhodes of Purcell, Illinois, departed Monday for their homes after spending a few days with their uncle, Veteran Amasa Clark. They enjoyed their visit very much and may they expect to return some time when they can stay longer.

Among Mrs. Orville Surber's guests last Sunday were the following visitors from San Antonio: Mr. and Mrs. Leo M. J. Dielmann, Inez Dielmann, Alene Dielmann, Leo Dielmann, Jr., Hon. John P. Pfeiffer, Mrs. John P. Pfeiffer, Rita Pfeiffer, and Mr and Mrs Alfred F. Munster. A picnic dinner was arranged on the river for the party, after which the San Antonio crowd paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Chas Meadows at the ranch. The visitors were delighted with our picturesque scenery and say they are coming to Bandera again soon.

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Mrs J H. Allison, of Yoakum, spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Justice, near Medina. She departed for home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Bryan Autrey and Jesse Autrey, of Gonzales, were here this week, summoned home by the critical illness of Mr. J. H. Autrey, who died Monday night.

The friends of J. A. Browning and Bob Mayfield, Medina violinists, enjoyed hearing these gentlemen play over the radio last Saturday night, their music being broadcasted from San Antonio in the old fiddlers contest put on by a broadcasting station there.

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W. H. Snyder, contractor in charge for Hegderson and Hohlen, of Tulsa, owners of the lease on the Adams ranch, is making every effort to save the well and bring the gas under control. Mud is being pumped in the hole in an ecort to smother the gas sufficiently to permit the setting of casing.

This gasser is across the Hondo creek from the Ina wells and on about the same elevation. It was found at almost the same depth as the oil in the Ina wells and seemingly in the same stratum.

The well blew in unexpectedly. The contractor had changed from a rotary to a standard rig to drill into the oil sand expecting to get a larger well by this method in the fine sands of that region. To his amazement, the well headed up and cleaned the hole and has been blowing ever since.

Oil men say this unquestionably means gusher oil for Medina county. It is believed that if this well can be controlled and completed further into the sand that it will make a flowing well, because former tests in the locality showed that this sand carried oil. The gas is said by the petroleum in origin and the pressure is terrific. No estimate is possible as the gas has not been gauged.

Copious Rains.

Old Bandera county has been soaked again this week with copious rains. Following the good rains of last week the precipitation of Tuesday and Wednesday assures a splendid season for crops and the range. A heavy small grain crop is almost certain. Many farmers who planted corn before the rains came are regretting that they did so, and others feel encouraged by the fine season and will begin planting corn as soon as the weather permits.

Jolly Crowd at Spicewood Ranch.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Walter Godkin entertained a jolly crowd at the Spicewood Springs ranch. A big dinner

Death of Aged Citizen.

J. C. Warner, an aged citizen of the Medina community, died last Tuesday at the home of his step-daughter, Mrs. T. H. Davis, near Medina, after an illness of two weeks with influenza. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday by Rev. W. H. Price, and burial was in West Prong Cemetery.

Mr. Warner was an old Texas ranger and a veteran of the Civil War. He was born in Canada, April 4, 1844, and came to Texas about sixty years ago. In the early days he resided in Comanche county where he helped to drive the Indians from the frontier. About twenty-five years ago he moved to this county and had resided in the Medina community ever since. Besides his wife, Mr. Warner is survived by four step-children: Tone Fine of Kerrville, Nat Fine, of Wingate, Bert Fine of Somerset and Mrs. T. H. Davis of Medina. He was a member of the Baptist church for sixty-three years, and was a highly respected and law-abiding citizen.

The New Era extends sympathy and condolence to the bereaved family in this hour of sorrow.

Will Build Bridge.

Joe G. Callahan, the energetic highway foreman, informs us that plans are under way for the construction of a stone or concrete bridge across the draw near Dr. Rappold's office. The bridge will be similar to the one constructed sometime ago near the ice factory.

W. L. Fries and son, Ralph, were in from the ranch Tuesday.

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Frontier Times for April.

The April number of Frontier Times, Bandera's growing monthly magazine, was issued from the press last Monday and mailed out to its subscribers. This number contains the following sketches: "A Cattle Drive from Texas to Dakota," by Samuel Dunn Houston; "Interesting Bits of History," by Calhoun McCuteheon; "Beef Gathering in '71 Was Thrilling," by Capt. James B. Gillett; "Sherard's Cave in Burnet County," by Mary Johnson Posey; "Scouting on the Frontier," by Capt. John M. Elkins; "Adventures and Romance Near Home," by W. P. Webb of the University of Texas; "History of San Bass and His Gang," a serial; "When Birchfield Cussed and Roared," "The Hopi Snake Dance," "Days of Peril on the Clear Fork," by J. J. Bragg. Frontier Times is endorsed by leading schools, colleges and universities, and is read by some of the most prominent citizens of the United States, among them being Col. E. M. House, H. Clay Pierce, and others.

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Married Saturday.

Mr. Alex Engel and Miss Annie Habenicht were quietly married on Saturday, March 13, at 5 o'clock p. m., at St. John's Lutheran church in San Antonio, Rev. Arnold Wolff officiating. The attendants were Miss Martha Habenicht, the bride's sister, and Mr. Benno Engel, the groom's brother. The bride wore a dress of tan crepe de chine and ashes of roses, with hat and shoes to match. The groom wore a navy blue serge suit. The maid of honor wore a dress of pink crepe de chine; the best man wore a powder blue suit.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Habenicht of Bandera, and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Engel, H. W. Ruebsahn, Benno Engel, Misses Sophie and Viola Engel of Luckenbach, and the Habenicht family.

The young couple will reside in San Antonio in their new bungalow home at 711 East Evergreen Street. Mr. Engel is connected with a wholesale grocery firm in the Alamo City, a position which he has held for the past six years.

The New Era joins in extending congratulations and best wishes to the newlyweds.

Married Sunday.

Mr. Charles Johnston and Miss Allie Ruth Barnes were quietly married last Sunday at the home of the bride near Bandera, Judge J. J. Eames officiating. Only members of the family of the bride and groom were present to witness the ceremony. The groom is the son of F. M. Johnston, and an industrious young man of excellent character. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. F. D. Barnes, and is a young lady of charming personality and high ideals. The New Era joins their many friends in wishing the newly married pair much happiness through life.

Miss Katherine McBryde of Las Vegas, New Mexico, was the guest of Mrs. Mark McBryde a few days this week.

Chas. Schmidt and family, of Comfort, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schoenert last Friday and Saturday. Mr. Schmidt called and spent an hour with the New Era editor Saturday.

Bandera Fiddlers in Contest.

Among the old time fiddlers who played in the fiddling championship derby over the radio, WCAR broadcasting from San Antonio last week, were several Bandera county citizens, Elmo Newcomer, Bob Mayfield, and J. E. Browning. The Denton brothers, J. J. and Jeff, of Bandera, were known to all of our people, were also in the contest. Sam S. Carter of San Antonio won first prize, and Lake Porter of Falfurrias, won second prize.

Married Thursday.

We are informed that Miss Cornelia Richards and Mr. Charlie Burton were married at Uvalde last Thursday. The bride is a popular Bandera county girl who has been teaching school at Leakey the past two years. She is a niece of W. L. Fries of near Medina. The groom is a prominent young rancheman of Real county. The New Era extends congratulations and best wishes.

Gets Contract on Jail.

C. H. Brient, former Bandera county citizen, has been awarded the contract for a two-story addition and general remodeling of Bexar county's jail in San Antonio, for $89,892.

Auto Wreck.

While going to San Antonio last Saturday night the automobile driven by Howard Eckhart broke a front spring which locked a wheel and the machine turned over. Marvin Hunter, Jr., and Howard Eckhart, Miss Ruth Thalmann has a lacerated lip, but the other members of the party escaped uninjured. The automobile needs a new top and a new windshield. Passing motorists picked the young folks up and brought them home, and Howard and Marvin went back and got the car and drove in the damaged car. The accident occurred in Medina county.

Card of Thanks.

We are grateful to everyone who rendered assistance and kindness during the last illness and death of our beloved husband, father, son, and brother, Frank D. Barnes, and for the beautiful floral offerings. In our great sorrow over the loss of this dear one the many acts of kindness and love are a consolation to us.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Stokes spoke a trip to Kerrville Tuesday.

LIMA LINES.

A good rain fell here last week. James Ewen is staying with D. D. Reese family. Mr. Reese is home Monday. James will work for Mr. Reese this year.

Fritz and Dick Hinds came one Monday, from shearing outs on the West Prong.

Sam Haggerton went down in Bandera county last week, where he purchased a place. He will move his family there soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nickel of Utopia visited relatives and friends here Saturday afternoon.

Among those they visited were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips, Mrs. Nellie Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reese.

The road work in this community is going on fine. Commissioner Morris is certainly doing some fine work. We prize him very much for what he is doing for this community.

Miss Sadie Miller was a guest of Lee Miller's home Sunday.

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Few men have lived who were the equal of W. C. Brann in making vigorous yet artistic use of the English language. While he did not always live up to the Bible code, he had no patience with the young infidel who spouted against the Bible. Once Brann wrote an article under the title of "Humbugs," in which he handled the young infidel as follows:

"About the time a youngster feels the irresistible impulse to make a fool of himself whenever a female smiles upon him, whenever he's worked that critical stage in life's journey when he imagines he knows more than his father, he begins to doubt the religion of his mother. He shrewdly asks his Sunday School teacher why made God; demonstrates by the aid of natural history that a large whale could in no wise swallow a prophet—that if the whale did succeed in relegating a man to its internal economy it were impossible for the man to slosh around for three days and nights in gastric juices without coming out much the worse for wear. The young fellow attempts to rip up religion by the roots and reform the world while you wait, but he soon learns that he's got a government contract on his hands—that the man who can drive the Deity out of the hearts and homes of this land can make a fortune turning artesian wells inside out and peddling them for telegraph poles. You can't do it sonny. Religion is the backbone of the body social, sometimes it's as unbending as a boarding house biscuit and sometimes it's a bad quality of gutta percha; but we couldn't get very far without it. Most youths have passed through a period of doubt and denial—catch the infidel fumes as they do the measles and mumps; but they eventually learn that the fear of God is the beginning of wisdom.

An atheist once solemnly assured me that he couldn't possibly believe anything he could not prove; but when I ask him what made him take such a lively interest in the welfare of his wife's children he became quite angry. Figure up how many of the things you believe that you can prove, and you will find that you have got to do a credit business or go into intellectual bankruptcy."

Thrones.

The press recently has been full of news about Carlo of Roumania and his leaving the throne because of its restrictions. Whatever we many say of Carlo's morality or character and of his having two or three different kinds of wives, the fact remains that he renounced the throne because he preferred liberty to do as he pleased. Whether he did right or wrong with his liberty is another question.

It calls attention to the fact that members of royal families are under severe obligations. All is not freedom with them. Convention requires that they marry in certain circles and observe certain regulations. The king is not the freest man in the kingdom as many suppose, and there are many high fences about his privilege to do as he pleases. In fact his liberty is severely confined.

But after all, is a king any worse off than many of the rest of us? Do we not all of us find ourselves in certain positions where we are required to do things that we do not want to do?

Take the matter of position in life, for instance. How many a poor slave there is to his supposed status!

Many a man when he tries to save, to live within his means, and to put something by for a rainy day, is compelled to live up to all he earns and even to borrow money on his future prospects in order that he may keep up with the Smiths.

Often men ride in automobiles which they cannot afford under the impression that the make of automobile determines their social and business standing.

Women wear clothes beyond their means and dress their children in expensive finery simply to keep up appearances when they cannot really afford such expenses.

In the matter of riches it is well known that wealth does not bring comfort always. There are rich men who long for the simple habits of the earlier days, who would like to sit in their sock feet by the kitchen stove and smoke a pipe, while they are compelled to smoke cigarrettes in the salon with their high society friends.

James Whitcomb Riley describes an Indiana farmer who went to visit his old friend who had grown rich and lived in Washington. The two sat out on the back porch and chatted. The farmer's conclusion after talking with his friend was, "There's nothing more pathetic ker than just bein' rich."

In the same way holding office often forces men into a life of a kind they do not like, and being a member of one church limits one's friends, which would like to overlap all boundaries.

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Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof;

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter, Minors.

Mrs. Callie Carpenter has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Estate of said Minors, William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April A. A. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, March 16th. A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER, Deputy.

Quite a number of subscriptions to the New Era are expiring this month. Notice the date opposite your name on the margin of your paper and if you are one of the number whose time has expired we kindly ask you to renew promptly.

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If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Pimples, Ringworm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

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Buy what you want to Sell, and Sell what you want to Buy
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Anna May Kalka, Deceased, A. F. Kalka has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs Anna May Kalka, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 8th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas,

To all Persons interested in the estate of H. L. Atkins, Deceased, Nancy Elizabeth Atkins has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the probate of the last Will and Testament of said H. L. Atkins, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary of the Estate of said H. L. Atkins, Deceased which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

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MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, March 26th 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

NOTICE.

My three pastures (formerly J. H. Dean pasture) are posted against hunting with dogs or firearms, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein. — ELDEN FRIES. 1yrp

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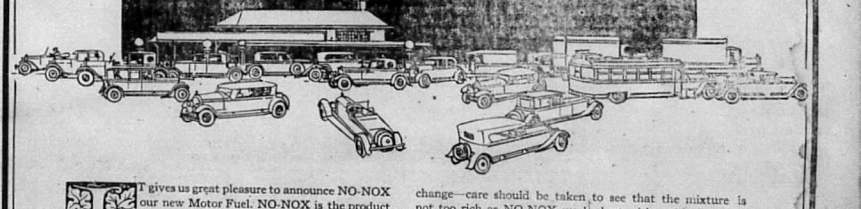

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Shaving and Hair Cutting
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NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences. —Hansen Rasch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

K. K. K.

Bandera Klan, No. 335, meets first and third Friday nights at Wright Hall. All visiting Klansmen cordially invited. 83tf

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"Turkey in the Straw."

Is a great old tune and everybody knows it. We do a general line of repairing, blacksmithing, automobile repairing, sewing machine work, everything. Tell us your troubles—we'll listen, and can help you.—R. M. Bowery & Son.

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Tires, Tubes and Automobile Accessories
GAS AND OIL
I have the agency for Ford cars in this locality and will be pleased to talk Ford talk to you.
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We have a few of the improved Touring Cars and Trucks on hand for immediate delivery.

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Cold Drinks, Fine Candies, Cigars, Fishing Tackle

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Saturday Night, March 20

Old Time Dance

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Saturday Night April 10th

Effective NOW!

Tax Reduction of 2 per cent will be absorbed by us on all

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Cars, which Normally does Not Berome effective until Midnight, March 28th.

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Landau (Balloons)	889.33
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Its easy to pay for a Chevrolet.

Kuehne Hardware Co.

Boerne, Texas.

FRANK MANSFIELD

Full line of Easter Candies at the O. S. T. Confectionery.

Chas. Hansen, Jr., is here from Des Moines, looking after his ranch interests.

W. F. Rippey and daughter, Miss Susie May, were here from Johnson City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W Whitley were in from their ranch on Middle Verde Monday, shopping.

Latest styles in ladies' hats, and prices as low as anywhere.—Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Frank Mansfield last Saturday delivered a new Chevrolet automobile to E. H. Sewall of the Pecan Valley ranch.

B. H. Stokes merchant at Medina, was seriously ill last Sunday, but we are pleased to learn that he is very much improved.

Miss Ida Pepper, who has been teaching school at Brucketville, returned home last week, her school having closed for the term.

Mrs. J. H. Poppell, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson, has returned to her home at Sutherland Springs.

Mrs. Felix Newcomer, of Pipe Creek, who recently underwent an operation in a San Antonio hospital, is making excellent recovery and was able to return home last Friday.

E. C. Clabaugh and family, who have resided on the Fairview ranch near Pipe Creek for the past two years, have moved to Kerrville. Mr. Brockman, owner of Fairview ranch, will move here from Austin in a few days and reside on the ranch.

In giving the names of the surviving relatves of F. D. Barnes last week, the New Era failed to mention Mr. Barnes' aged mother, Mrs H. C. S. Barnes, who is now in her ninety-sixth year. She has made her home with her son for many years, and is deeply grieved over his death. Mr. Barnes is also survived by three grandchildren, DeWitt, Olga and Carrie Ruth Liebold.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert A. Hicks were in from Tarpley Saturday, shopping. Delbert called to order the New Era sent to his address for the next year, and informed us that his new residence on his ranch was completed a few days ago, and he is now occupying it with his bonnie bride.

R. N. Padgett was over from Tarpley Saturday with his mohair clip for the warehouse. He informs us that his goats and sheep are doing fine, and he will have some good exhibits at the fair. He will also show some of his registered stock at Camp Wood. Mr. Padgett ordered the New Era sent to his uncle, B. N. Means, Tinsman, Arkansas, as well as renewing his own subscription.

Small refrigerator for sale. See T. S. Dennis.

Genial Sam Smith was down from Medina last Thursday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Claude Smith, of Nebraska, was here Sunday on a visit to his brother, Ned W. Smith, and family.

Mrs. W. E. Mansfield spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Jonathan Newcomer, at Pipe Creek.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Boren and Miss Thelma Richards came in from Leakey yesterday on a visit to W. L. Fries and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kimbrel, of San Antonio, were guests of Mrs. Kimbrel's brother, Ned W. Smith, and family last Sunday.

M. R. Thalmann spent several days at San Antonio and Kerrville last week, securing advertising for the Bandera County Fair catalogue.

Tom M. Stevens was in from his runch on Bandera Creek last Saturday, and dropped in to see us. Uncle Tom and his wife recently moved back to their ranch after living in town several months.

Ike Clark was in from Tarpley last Thursday and besides renewing his own subscription to the little old home paper, he ordered it to continue its weekly visits to his daughter, Mrs. M. M. Caudle, at Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billings and children returned from San Antonio Sunday where they spent a couple of weeks. While there Mr. Billings underwent a surgical operation, and we are pleased to know he has about recovered.

Mrs. Hutsell and sons, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. F. Steiner, came up from San Antonio Friday and spent the night in Bandera. They visited the New Era office Saturday and Mrs. Steiner ordered Frontier Times sent to her address.

J. I. Lackey, of Port Arthur, was here last week making a deal for the Baxter farm on Mason Creek. While in the city Mr. Lackey called at the New Era office and informed us that he would move up from Port Arthur within the next week or two.

Among the visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings last week-end were two of Mrs. Billing's aunts, Mrs. Wm. H. Nichols of Rocksprings and Mrs. Annie McDonald of Kerrville, who were accompanied by Mrs. Tom Nichols, Carl Nichols and Misses Clara atnd Iola Mc-Donald, all of Kerrville.

Henry Lane, who has been in a hospital at San Antonio for the past six weeks, was brought home last Saturday and his many friends will be glad to learn that he is steadily recovering from the injuries he received when he was accidently shot last month. His leg was amputated some three weeks ago, and is healing nicely.

R. L. Dudson, the genial highway division superintendent, was a visitor at our office last Saturday, and said he had just been over that fine road from Kerrville to Bandera, through Medina City, and says it is one of the most picturesque drives in this whole region. He predicts that thousands of tourists and summer vacationists will use this route during the summer months.

John H. Giles, of the Texas Commercial College, of San Antonio was here Saturday in the interest of that splendid school. He called at the New Era office and contracted for advertising space in this paper. This college is gaining in popularity all of the time, and any young man or woman who contemplates taking a business course should write for literature. Watch for advertising in the New Era.

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WANT COLUMN

Want ads are 1 cent per word each insertion, cash with order.

STAMPS WANTED—You may have old stamps on envelops that are worth real money! I want to buy them on the envelopes. Write me what you have. Address G, care New Era, Bandera, Texas.

TURKEN EGGS for sale. $5.00 per setting of 13. Number limited, so you will have to hurry!—Mrs. E. M. Dowty.

FOR SALE—Baby Chicks from high quality and bred up flocks, using pedigreed cockrels.—Kerrville Chick Hatchery.

SELECTED pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs, $1.00 per setting of 15.—Mrs. V. F Brewer.

1919 FORD car for sale at a bargain. New tires, all in good condition. See Joseph Keller.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders-Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

FOR SALE—100 Muttons, twos and threes, at $7.00 per head, with wool on. Life and Galley stock; good shearers.—G. D. Cox.

WANTED—Man with car to sell complete line quality Auto Tires and Tubes. Exclusive Territory. Experience not necessary. Salary $300.00 per month. Milestone Rubber Company, East Liverpool, Ohio.

FOR SALE—Two young Jersey cows, just fresh, with young calves. $55 each.—Roy Chipman. 21c

FOR SALE—Nice library table for $6.00 cash, at the Shoe Shop.—C. W. Davis.

FIELD SEEDS—well recleaned, tested and tagged, freight paid your station in hundred pound lots: Redtop, Amber, Orange and Seeded Ribbon Cane $3.25; Yellow Milo, White Kaffir and Red Kaffir $2.50; Hegari and Darso $3.00; B. G and White Wonder Millet and Sudan $4.00; Sure Cropper and Mexican June Corn, $2.00 bushel. Prices subject to change. Order now. Car lot prices on Maize and Kafir Heads and Snap Corn on request. Mention this add when ordering.—PANHANDLE SEED CO., Amarillo, Texas

WANT SMALL FARM—Have a party with three acres for suburban home, six room house, plenty of fruit shrubbery, truck farm. All under irrigation from artesian wells, two blocks from tarviated highway, and on good graveled street; 2 blocks from brick school, one mile outside of city limits. Clear. Party wants to exchange for small ranch, river frontage with fair improvements. Also have other parties desiring to trade San Antonio property for Bandera county ranch. Would like to hear from owners. I used to live in Bandera County, as many readers will remember, and know the country pretty well. Will be glad to help any one desiring to trade their ranch or farm for San Antonio property.—J. E. Johnson, 328 Navarro Street, San Antonio, Texas.

George Dickson, the obliging Tarpley postmaster, left last Friday for Fort Worth to visit his daughter, Mrs. Hester. His vacation will extend over a period of a week or two.

Mr and Mrs. Joe G. Callahan, of Pipe Creek, were visitors at the New Era office Friday. They were returning from a trip to Kerrville, over the new road via Medina, where Mr. Callahan is in charge of the maintenance work. Mrs. Callahan says it is a most delightful drive and gives the traveler a view of the most picturesque scenery of the state.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our beloved Husband and father.

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Windmills and Plumbing

CHEVROLET

CARS

For Economical Transportatio

KUEHNE HARDWARE CO.

BOERNE, TEXAS

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DRIVE-IN FILLING STATION

"MOTOPOWER" Gasoline at no additional cost. The finest of Lubricating Oils. Quick efficient service. Ladies' Rest Room. Ice Water. Public Free Telephon. Air Scale Service. Other conveni nces.

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J. H. BRUCE

Dry Goods and Groceries

Lowest Prices Made for Cash. Highest Market Price Paid for Country Produce. See me for New and Up-to-date, Clean and Sanitary Groceries.

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Finds us in better position than ever before to serve you with the best Drugs, Toilet Articles, Confections, Etc., and we invite your patronage throughout the new year.

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MEDINA.

Prof. W. O. Hatfield and his mother, Mrs. Wm Hatfield, spent last week-end in San Antonio, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Livingstone visited Mr. and Mrs. Josie Justice this week.

Rev. David Griffin and son, Rev. Emanuel Griffin, of Hunt preached here Sunday.

L. D. Shuptrine went to San Antonio Tuesday to have his eyes treated.

Saturday night Miss Sylva Keese was married to T. R. Hinds at Medina by Rev. F. M. Burkelew. Miss Keese is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Keese. Mr Hinds is the son of Mr and Mrs. George Hinds. We wish for these young people a long and happy life together.

On the 18th a very pleasant surprise was given Mrs. G. W. Banta at the home of her son, Chas. Banta, the occasion being Mrs. Banta's birthday. A number of nice and useful gifts were presented to Mrs. Banta. The afternoon was spent very pleasantly. Mrs. Becker and Mrs. Harris gave readings and Mrs. David Tallman gave a humorous sermon. Refreshments of salad, cake and lemonade were served.

The following guests were present: Mrs. Koulter, Mrs. E. J. Banta, Mrs. Orville Stokes, Mrs. J. E. Becker, Mrs. G. W. Harris, Mrs Pitt Baker, Mrs. David Tallman, Mrs. E. Greer, Miss Mimi Mero, Mrs. M. D. Kelley, Mrs. J. L. Akin, Mrs. Ed Bauerlein, Mrs J. C. Collins, Mrs. L. Freeman, Mrs. Ray Davis, Mrs. F. P. Layten, Mrs. Effie Tallman, Mrs. G. W. Banta,. Mrs. Chas. Banta, and Mrs. Wm. Hatfield.

All expressed themselves as having a pleasant time and wished Mrs. Banta many more birthdays. The following poem, prepared by her children, was read:

March eighteenth, eighteen hundred forty-eight
Was the birthday of our Mother.
The years since then are seventy-eight,
This March eighteenth doth cover.

This March eighteenth more than ever
We, her children, feel disposed
To cherish the memory of her endeavor
When sharing the tasks that love imposed.

This March eighteenth we all unite
In telling her our love is rife,
In asking the Lord to shed His light
And give her many more years of life.

March eighteenth nineteen hundred twenty six
Is remembered by her many friends.
Who meet to show by capricious tricks
Their friendship true with steady trend

This March eighteenth you celebrate
Indeed with host of wishes tender,
Response, dear friends we formulate
In this, our heartfelt thanks are rendered.

The County Meet.

Preparations are being made for the holding of the County Interscholastic Meet at Medina on Friday and Saturday, April 2 and 3.

Fire Meeting.

A meeting is called for next Monday night, March 29th, at the Cox Opera House, 8 p. m. for the purpose of organizing a volunteer fire brigade. All citizens interested in this matter are urged to attend, and are especially asked to be there on time, as this is a very important meeting Everybody invited.

Ordered New Thresaher.

E. H. Sewall, of the Pecan Valley Ranch, requests us to announce that he has ordered a new thresher, which will arrive in time for the grain crop, and he will do threshing this season.

"Can you?"

He said:
"I can beat life insurance, because I can invest my money to better advantage than a Life Insurance Company can do for me."

I replied:
"Well, maybe you can—
If you can save it,
If, having saved it, you invest it, your investment proves profitable, and last but not least,
If you live long enough."

Four "ifs" stand between you and success in your efforts to "beat" life insurance.

Even if we do admit that you can overcome the first three "ifs"—how about the last one—if you live longer enough?

Nothing is more certain than death. But nothing is more uncertain than the hour of its coming.

"You can't"

THE BANKERS RESERVE LIFE CO.
Home Office, Omaha, Nebraska
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FLETCHER & FLETCHER
214 Gunter Building
San Antonio, Texas.

A GOOD WAY
To Market Your

The King-Thomas Players.

By far the best entertainment that has been given Bandera people for a long time is being furnished by the King-Thomas Players, performing at the Cox Opera House this week. This is strictly a high class, clean, moral concert troupe, and the plays that have been given already this week were pleasing and elevating in their character, and quite different from some of the "barn-storm" affairs that seem to have picked on Bandera as the place to reap a harvest of suckers.

We are always glad to welcome such players as the King-Thomas troupe, every member of which is of good character and morals. Last Monday night "The Country Boy" was presented in a most pleasing way. In this play Lois Willis, Ceeyl Scott, Cody Thomas, Earl Thomas, Eddie Hamilton and Mrs. Susie Thomas delighted the audience with splendid impersonations of the various characters.

On Tuesday night "The Man, the Maid and the Millionaire" was presented by the same actors and included Mr. Lloyd Sauns. This was another highly pleasing and interesting play indeed, and well worth the admission price.

Last night "Wanted a Wife" held the boards and was enjoyed to the fullest extent.

Tonight "The Bad Man," and Friday night the touching play, "Silver Threads Among the Gold," will be given, followed Saturday night by "Hal of the Hills."

All are winners, and seem to grow better each night, and the increasing crowds indicate that Bandera appreciates high class entertainers. Orchestra music is furnished by Messrs Cody Thomas, Earl Thomas and Lloyd Thomas.

The troupe will be here for the remainder of the week, and if you have not yet attended the performances you are certainly missing a treat. Go out tonight and we are sure you will not miss the remaining performances this week.

Grandmother Dead.

Mrs. M. M. Fitzgerald is in receipt of the sad news of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Moore, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. S. Gillespie in El Paso last Monday. Mrs. Moore was ninety-one years old, and had lived in Texas most of her life.

Judges Selected.

The judges for the declamation, extemporaneous speeches, and debate, in the County Interscholastic Meet at Medina April 2nd and 3rd, have been selected. They are Messrs. Dolan, Delaney and Bandera.

Married Saturday.

Miss Sylva Keese and Dick Hinds were quietly married at Medina last Saturday, Rev. F. M. Burkelew performing the ceremony. This wedding was quite a surprise to the many friends of the bride and groom, and when the news went abroad that the marriage had taken place they were the recipients of congratulations and best wishes from everyone who could reach them. The couple departed immediately for San Antonio where they will spend a while.

The New Era joins in wishing them all the joy and happiness that can be found in the wedded state. We feel a great degree of interest in the future of the bride inasmuch as she has been our faithful and energetic representative to send in the news from the Lima region each week. She is an accomplished young lady, very pleasing manners and comes of an excellent family, being the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese of Lima. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Hinds of Lima, and was extremely fortunate in winning as his bride one of the best girls in the county.

Day and Night Service.

Bernard Duke, manager of the Bandera Independent Telephone System, has made arrangements whereby all long-distance calls can now be handled satisfactorily day or night. For several years it has been impossible to put calls through over certain lines which connect with his system after nine o'clock at night. This inability has now been removed and through connection will be given at any hour of the night.

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

Character, ability and industry have an important bearing on success and has the prestige accorded by one's bank associations.

Our clients have found our interest in their financial problems of great assistance.

The First State Bank

Resume Dipping April 1.

Preparations are going forward to resume dipping operations throughout the county on April 1st. At a meeting of the county commissioners held yesterday it was ordered that the county co-operate in the work as far as financially able, and it is hoped that all owners of livestock will co-operate to the extent that they will regularly bring their stock to the vat and dip as the law requires. By a united effort on the part of the people in meeting the dipping regulations Bandera county can be cleaned within a few more months. The state has been very liberal in assisting in this work, by meeting the expenses of the clean-up campaign inaugurated some months ago, and suspended short time ago.

Sister Critically Ill.

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Gossett went to San Antonio last Thursday to be with Mrs Gossett's sister, Mrs. Ruth Haelbig who underwent a very serious operation for appendicitis at the Nix Hospital. Mrs. Haelbig is reported as getting along nicely at this writing.

Your Bank Can Help

Why is it that some individuals and firms can readily obtain money from a bank on unsecured notes while others cannot obtain loans at all—except, perhaps, by pledging ample collateral security?

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Hardin Atkins Married.

Hardin Louis Atkins and Miss Elizabeth Buford Beasley were married at the home of the bride in Gourdin, South Carolina, last Thursday, according to word received here by Mrs. H. L. Atkins, Sr., mother of the groom. The newly married pair will reside in Colorado, Texas, where Mr. Atkins has a good position. The groom is a son of Bandera, and has been raised here. He is a son of the late lamented Rev. H. L. Atkins, and is an industrious young man who is destined to make his mark in the world. The bride is a member of a highly esteemed and respected family of Gourdin, being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Marvin Beasley of that place. The New Era extends congratulations and best wishes.

School Trustee Election.

Elections will be held in Bandera county April 3rd for school trustees. Two members of the Bandera board are to be elected Comptroller Collins at this year. The present board has served faithfully and satisfactorily all around the New Era is hopeful that they will be retained.

The law now requires that any person desiring to have his name placed on the official ballot as a candidate for the office of trustee shall at least ten days before the election file a written request with the county judge and "no candidate shall have his name printed on said ballot unless he has complied with the provisions of this section; provided that five or more resident qualified voters in the district may request that certain names be printed." The law specifically provides that all ballots for the election of school trustees in school districts having fewer than 500 scholastics, shall be printed in black ink on white paper.

T. S. Dennis has added a new porch to his residence and is otherwise improving the property. Mr. Dennis is going to have one of the prettiest homes in Bandera.

Important Well.

Henderson and Holden's gas well in Medina County south of the Ina field was blown out between the 8-inch casing and the 10-inch and had to be opened again. It bridged over considerably so that the flow could not be gotten back but is reported again making gas and additional equipment has been ordered for handling the well. J. Henderson of Oklahoma, one of the owners of the well who came in the next day after the gas was encountered is still in the city staying at the home of E. Lee, waiting to see the well completed.

The well is said to be fully as big as the estimates made on it and one report is that after the gate valve had been placed on it that it gauged a few hundred feet less than 10,000,000 cubic feet and that the gas is dry. Depth of the well is 903 feet and it is significant in connection with the big salt water well J. K. Oil drilled by that company on the tract a mile or so south.

The Ina field is about a mile to the north, and the discovery well of that area was drilled on the west bank of the Hondo River. The new gas well down the river about a mile and also on the east bank of the river and the B. J. K. well is also another mile down and on the same side of the river. The W. C. McBride, Inc., drilled a well in the north of the gas more than a year ago and got quite a showing of oil. It looked for a time like a sure enough well for production in the Ina field and the gas in the Henderson & Holden well and salt water in the B. J. K. well is significant in attracting to that part Medina County a good deal of study. It all leads to the supposition that there ought to be oil field somewhere in that general area of Medina County.—Antonio Express.

Mrs. John Hunt and daughter Miss Lillie Belle, and Mr. Mrs. L. B. Jones, of near Bandera Pass, were in the city Monda

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

Mrs. Rebecca J. Fisher, known throughout the state as "the Mother of Texas," died at her home in Austin last Sunday.

The political pot is beginning to boil. While no candidates have yet announced for office in this county there is a lot of "still hunting" going on, and we look for some open declarations soon.

The catalogue for the Sixth Annual Bandera County Fair will be in the hands of the printer in a few days, and will be issued within a very short time. M. R. Thalmann has the catalogue in hand and all who desire advertising space therein should communicate with him at once, if they have not already turned in copy for their advertisements. The premium list and for this years catalogue is large and should induce many to offer exhibits in the fair.

Henry Ford is going to be invited to come to Bandera to the reunion of the Old Settlers, July 2nd and 3rd, this year. Mr. Ford is quite enthusiastic over old time fiddling, and we want him to hear Bob Mayfield, Tom Gray, J. E. Browning, the Denton Brothers, Uncle Andy Jones, Charlie Schmidtke, Will Maass, John Adams, and other old time fiddlers yank music from the festive cat-gut. We are going to try to get Mr. Ford to offer a new Ford Sedan for the best rendition of "Cotton-Eyed Joe."

In this issue of the New Era we publish a list of prizes to be given for displays of school work at the County Fair to be held here in August. It is desired that each school in the county enter exhibits so as to create a greater interest in schoolastic affairs. Cash prizes are offered for different kinds of work in the different grades. Read the list.

The time for the Bandera County Old Settlers' Reunion draws on space. The 2nd and 3rd of July will be here almost before you realize it. This year an elaborate program is being prepared for the entertainment of the old settlers and the thousands of visitors expected. Write and tell your kinfolks to come and spend the best time of their life. Don't miss it.

Now that generous rains have fallen, and good crops seem assured, every Bandera county farmer should begin preparations to have an exhibit of his products at the Bandera County Fair, to be held in August. This year thousands of people from other sections of the state will attend our fair, and we will want them to see what Bandera county can raise. The livestock exhibit is going to be splendid, and the agricultural exhibits should be unsurpassed.

One of the usual features of our Old Settlers' reunion is the old fiddlers' contest. There promises to be quite a number of entrees in this contest this year, and we will welcome any old fiddler who wishes to participate. But let it be known from the beginning, each fiddler in this years's contest must be over fifty years old and must reside in Bandera or some adjoining county. Suitable prizes will be given, and judges will be selected by the contestants.

Roast Meats for Reunion.

W. E. Mansfield last week made a deal with R. J. Cooke of Ozona for the installation of a patent meat barbecuing system at Mansfield Park in time for the Bandera County Old Settlers' reunion, which is to be held July 2nd and 3rd. This barbecuing system is said to be the best that has ever been used, in that it cooks the meat in such a way as to retain all of the juices and flavor, and cooks it uniformly brown. Mr. Mansfield is arranging to feed a crowd of 10,000 people daily during the reunion, and the installation of this barbecuing system means that the meats which will be distributed to the immense crowds will be clean and sanitary, free from dust and dirt, because the cooked meats will be handled in compartments that have been screened from flies and other insects. Wherever the R. J. Cooke system has been installed it has given the most satisfactory results, and people highly praise the meats barbecued by this system.

Mr. Charlie Baren and Miss Cornelia Richards were married in Uvalde March 11th. Miss Richards is a popular young lady of Bandera, and for the past five years has been a member of the faculty in the public school here and her charming personality has won her a host of friends. Mr. Baren is one of Leakey's most popular young men and a very worthy boy whose many friends join in wishing for him and Mrs. Baren all the happiness that life can bestow. They are now at home to their many friends at the ranch on Little Dry Frio.—Leakey Correspondent in Camp Wood Crony.

Advertising Fans.

The New Era has a line of advertising fans, and will be pleased to submit samples to merchants and business men who use this kind of advertising. Have your fans printed at home and save money.

Oil Field Extended.

Oil was struck late Thursday afternoon at a depth of 525 feet in the Townley-Kittle well, drilled on the R. W. Richter farm some three and a half miles west and a little north of the Johnson-Taylor wells. This extends Hondo's proven oil field that much further of the west and would seem to indicate that a long string of derricks will adorn the low ridge southwest of town in the very near future.

The oil struck is of good quality and is accompanied by considerable gas. The promoters are confident a pay-strata has been opened up, but of course the pump alone can determine its capacity as a producer. Developments in that particular will be awaited with much interest.—Horalo Anvil Herald.

Col. John C. Coolidge, father of President Calvin Coolidge, died at his home near Plymouth, Vermont, last Thursday.

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Is a great old tune and everybody knows it. We do a general line of repairing, blacksmithing, automobile repairing, sewing machine work, everything. Tell us your troubles—we'll listen, and can help you.—E. M. Dowty & Son.

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Celebrates Birthday.

On Sunday, March 14, H. C. Hermes, Sr., of the Tarpley community, celebrated his birthday at which time his children gathered at the parental home and gave him a delightful surprise. Mrs. H. J. Hermes, Jr., and Mrs. John Ryle baked the birthday cake, which was composed of a few large layers, then a few smaller layers, and topped with layers still smaller. It was of pink and white, and weighed twelve and a half pounds. Pretty candles were arranged around the big cake. A fine time was enjoyed and everyone present took occasion to wish Mr. Hermes many more such happy birthdays. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hermes, Sr., Mr and Mrs. Henry Hermes, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryle and children, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Hermes and and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Marquis and little daughter, Ernest, Clarence, Oscar, Augustine, and Cleophas Hermes, Miss Vielp Hermes, Grandma Marquis, Mrs. John Graham and children, Mrs. Turner and children, Jean and Boyd Turner, and Ethel and Mary Turner.

School Work in the County Fair.

Following is the list of prizes to be awarded in the County Fair for school work, prizes to go to the school.

For the best display of Crayon Work from first, second, third and fourth grades, best in each grade, 75c and 50c.

Display Posters from first, second, third and fourth grades, best in each grade, 75c and 50c.

Display Pencil Drawing from fifth, sixth and seventh grades, best in each grade, 75c and 50c.

Display Water Colors from fifth, sixth and seventh grades, best in each grade, 75c and 50c.

Collections from school all grades from first to seventh, including seventh.

Illustrated work, such as poems and prose, prizes $1.00 and 50c.

Collection of Nature Study Booklets, $1.00 and 50c.

Collection of Spelling Pads, prizes 75c and 50c.

Product Map of Texas, prizes $1.00 and 50c.

Display Handmade Baskets, prizes $1.00 and 50c.

Complete Map of United States by sixth and seventh grades, 75c and 50c.

Complete Map of Texas by fourth and fifth grade, 75c and 50c.

Penmanship prize, to go to pupil, all grades first to seventh, including seventh, first, 50c, and second 25c, in each grade.

High School—Penmanship, 50c and 25c. Pearl Drawing, 50c and 25c. Original Poem, 20 lines, $1.00 and 50c.

Best Biography of a Bandera County Citizen, by school children, first prize $1.25; second prize, 75c. This prize given by Frontier Times.

The splendid rains which have visited this section during the past three or four weeks have made everybody feel better and put everything in excellent condition. We can look forward hopefully to "Good Times in Old Bandera."

Quite a number of subscriptions to the New Era are expiring this month. Notice the date opposite your name on the margin of your paper and if you are one of the number whose time has expired we kindly ask you to renew promptly.

Snap Shots.

The first duty of a man is to do his duty first.

Every henpecked man needs a dog to criticize.

Some people are so narrow that they can hide beyond their own viewpoints.

One man's hell often occupies the same territory as another man's heaven.

We gravely pronounce individuals dead when no mortal knows what death is.

Nurse a grouch and it will soon grow strong enough to run off all your friends.

Occasionally a small boy tries to keep clean so that he won't have to be washed.

None are so blind as to be unable to see that the other fellow always gets the best job.

What a pity it is that people who worry over trifles haven't something worth while to worry them!

We can hardly wait for spring. We want to see a fat man try to do the Charleston in a bathing suit.

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Fare—Car leaves 7:30 a. m. $2.00; Round Trip, $3.50

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

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Anna May Kalka, Deceased, A. F. Kalka has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. Anna May Kalka, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary on which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 8th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD Deputy

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION. FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas,

To all Persons interested in the estate of H. L. Atkins, Deceased, Nancy Elizabeth Atkins has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the probate of the last Will and Testament of said H. L. Atkins, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary of the Estate of said H. L. Atkins, Deceased which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 20th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy

Notice of Application for Letters —Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter, Mrs. Callie Carpenter has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Estate of said Minors, William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, March 16th. A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE.
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER, Deputy.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Nellie Finney Whisenhunt, a minor, Mrs. Clara A. Finney has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of the said Nellie Finney Whisenhunt, minor, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minor may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the Estate of Frank D. Barnes, Deceased, Emma T. Barnes has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Frank D. Barnes, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 19th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, March 26th 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

NOTICE.

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Real Frontier Times.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Stevens visited San Antonio Saturday.

R. F. Power has given his residence a neat coat of paint.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fitzgerald, Jr., March 18, a girl.

Small refrigerator for sale. See P. S. Dennis.

Mrs. G. T. Mitchell, of Medina, is reported to be quite ill.

G. Hicks, of Tarpley, was a visitor in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal S. Hadgepeth went to San Antonio Monday.

C. B. Corley made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

Ned W. Smith is spending a few days in San Antonio this week.

J. J. Leighton and Capt. Thos. P. Grant were over from Tarpley last Thursday on business.

Ben Gebles and family, of West Verde, were visitors in the city Monday.

Lucius Hicks and bright little daughter, Dorothy, were over from Tarpley Saturday.

Tonight, at Cox Opera House, the King-Thomas Players present "The Bad Man." Don't miss it.

Mrs. and Mrs. Earl Weed, of near Medina, were visiting friends here Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Allen and children, of Taft, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Arnold last Friday.

Misses Helen and Thelma Durst, of San Antonio, were guests of Miss Rachel Hunter Sunday.

E. E. Peters was here from San Antonio Tuesday, and called to advance his New Era subscription duties.

Drs. John H. Ennis and J. O. Butler, of the meeting of the Bexar District Medical Society held at Kerrville last Thursday.

Frank Jennings went back to San Antonio Tuesday for treatment following an operation he underwent a few weeks ago.

Stanley Reese was down from Rocky Creek Monday and paid the New Era office an appreciated visit.

Miss A. Willey, a trained nurse in the Santa Rosa Hospital, San Antonio, is visiting at Kerrville for [illegible] for acute and chronic [illegible].

L. A. [illegible] Mrs. J. O. Butler.

[illegible] McMain, the well known [illegible] was over from Center Point Saturday and called at the New Era office to enroll as a subscriber.

Miss Jennie Kirkland, one of the efficient teachers in Medina High School, was a visitor in Bandera last Saturday.

Tomorrow night at the Cox Opera House is the big feature play, "Silver Threads Among the Gold." King-Thomas Players, 25c and 50c.

Uncle Tom Lawson is now an inmate of the Confederate Home at Austin, having been admitted to that institution several days ago.

J. M. Newcomer, former Bandera citizen, who is now living in Breckenridge, Texas, orders the little old home paper sent to his address.

A delightful surprise birthday dinner was given Allie Thallman on Saturday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thallman, on Middle Verde.

W. H. Fitzgerald has returned from a visit to his daughter, Mrs Boothe, at Sweetwater, and is spending a few days in San Antonio. He will return home Sunday.

Miss Mattie Jones went to Yates last Friday, to visit her son, W. C. Jones, and wife. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones, and they returned Monday.

Mrs. Joe G. Callahan, of Pipe Creek, sent the New Era editor a fine lot of turnips and greens last Friday, for which we are very grateful. This editor is rather foolish about garden "sass," and the greens filled a long felt want.

Prof. H. L. McDonald brought us a fine head of lettuce last Saturday, which was raised in his garden. It was of extra large size and proves that any garden truck can be successfully grown here with little effort. We appreciate Prof. McDonald's kind remembrance.

R. H. Fletcher and daughter, Miss Mabel Louise, were here from San Antonio Tuesday and were guests of his brother, W. B. Fletcher, and family. Mr. Fletcher represents leading insurance companies, and while here he inserted some advertising.

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TURKEN EGGS for sale, $5.00 per setting of 13. Number limited, so you will have to hurry.—Mrs. E. M. Dowty.

FOR SALE—Baby Chicks from high quality and bred-up flocks, using pedigreed cockrels.—Kerrville Chick Hatchery.

SELECTED pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs, $1.00 per setting of 15.—Mrs. V. P. Brewer.

1919 FORD car, for sale at a bargain. New tires, all in good condition. See Joseph Keller.

FOR SALE—150 Muttons, tyos and threes, at $7.00 per head, with wool on. Lile and Gulley stock.—good shearers.—G. D. Coy.

FOR SALE—Used planter, cultivator, hack, disc harrow, cultivator, etc. At the Baxter ranch. —2tp.

LOST—One bay horse about six years old, and one black mare about seven years old. Both work animals. Last seen on Kerrville road. If you know of their whereabouts please notify H. W. Goodenough, Bandera.

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MEDINA.

Newt Nance, of Arizona, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sewall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bennet and baby have moved to Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bonnet and children and Dan Whit went to Leander to attend the funeral of Mr. Whit's uncle.

Mr. Fletcher went to San Antonio to visit his daughter, Mrs. Oge, who under went an operation and is very sick.

Prof. W. O. Hatfield and mother went to Kerrville Saturday.

R. L. Mayfield, Floyd Mayfield and Charlie Shelton Akin, made a trip to San Antonio last week.

Mr. Newcomer and Mrs. J. E. Browning have returned from a visit to Austin.

Mrs. Henry Lewis, Mrs. John Hodges and Mrs. John Lambert, of Bandera, were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Julian Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wyatt and son, of Mason Creek, were here Saturday to attend Mrs. Julian's funeral.

Last Friday Mrs. Jane Julian died suddenly while visiting a neighbor. She is Mr. J. C. Gallant's aunt and was living with Mr. and Mrs. Gallant. Mrs. Julian had been in ill health quite a while. She has been living in our community a number of years. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon by Rev. W. H. Price. We extend condolence and sympathy to those in grief.

Miss Katherine McBryde is visiting her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McBryde.

Mrs. George Tait, who has been very ill, was carried to San Antonio Sunday.

The Bandera County Interscholastic League Meet will be held here Friday and Saturday April 2nd and 3rd. We expect a large crowd. Dinner will be served. We hope everyone will have a good time. J. W. Mickle famous violinist of San Antonio, and Charles Walker will furnish some good music at the Meet.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boren visited Lee Pries and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pitt Baker's baby has been very sick.

Recovers From Injury.

Mrs. R. A. Chipman received word this week that her son, John R. Chipman, who recently injured his foot while working at Moorings-port, Louisiana, has recovered and is again filling his position there. The young man writes that he expects to get a short vacation this summer and will spend it with homefolks here.

TUFF TOPICS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Frame and two sons, of Menard, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sutherland. They left Saturday morning for California. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Frame went with them.

Richard and Olan Adams were guests of Preston Love Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Wallace spent Friday night with Mrs. Joe Sutherland.

Jesse Adams spent a few days with his parents last week.

Mrs. Joe Sutherland and children, and Gladys and Mildred Sutherland spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Charlie Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliff Adams are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Adams.

Carl P. Wheeler and son, Preston, made a business trip to Bandera Saturday.

There will be services at the Riverside Baptist church every second Sunday.

Erection of Monument Soon.

The monument to the Bandera county soldier boys who lost their lives in the World War, which is to be placed on the court house square, will soon be ready for delivery from the granite works in San Antonio, and it is expected to be in place and ready for unveiling some time in April.

Read Frontier Times.

"Can you?"

He said:
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I replied:
"Well, maybe you can—
If you can save it.
If, having saved it, you invest it, your investment proves profitable; and last but not least,
If you live long enough."
Four "ifs" and between you and success in your efforts to "beat" life insurance.
Even if we do admit that you can overcome the first three "ifs"—how about the last one—if you live longe enough?
Nothing is more certain than death. But nothing is more uncertain than the hour of its coming.

"You can't"

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214 Gunter Building
San Antonio, Texas.

Father Died.

Judge Herman Harper received a telegram Saturday announcing the death of his father, Frank Harper, at Bartow, Florida, on March 27. Mr. Harper had been confined to his bed for several months, and his death was not unexpected. He was 98 years old, and was an old time Texan. In 1889 he settled in Gillespie county and started the town of Harper. A few years ago he moved to Florida with his son, Walter Harper, and had lived there until his death.

We regret to chronicle the passing of this good man, for we knew him well, and knew him to be of that sturdy type which blazed the way for civilization. He suffered all of the hardships and struggles incident to frontier life, having lived in Texas most of his life, and during a period when strong men of character were needed. He leaves to posterity the record of a good name, honored and revered by all who knew him.

Putting in Concrete Bridge.

A concrete bridge is being constructed by the State Highway department on Main Street near Dr. Rappold's office, the work being done under way. All traffic going out of town to the west and north is being routed out on Eleventh Street. The new bridge will be quite attractive and has been needed for a long time.

Postmaster George L. Dickson, of Tarpley was here Monday, returning home from a visit to Fort Worth.

SAN ANTONIO NATIONAL BANK HELD UP TUESDAY.

Four Bandits Stage Bold Day-light Robbery in Heart of City.

Forcing bank officials, employes and customers kneel at the point of sawed off shotguns, bandits at noon Tuesday ransacked the San Antonio National Bank, on West Commerce street, near the ice-reaction of Navarro and escaped with $19,139.

Four men with shotguns and handkerchiefs covering the lower portions of their faces, entered the bank at 12:30 o'clock while it was crowded.

Aiming their shotguns in every direction, they ordered the officials and customers to kneel. Some of the employees they forced into the vaults.

Scooping up what cash was on the teller's counter and getting some from the vaults, excited spectators said, they quickly made a dash for the rear door.

Bank officials estimate amount of loot taken at $19,129.

The bandits made good their escape.

Two of the four men who held up the bank are known to Bexar county officials. The two have been in the bank robbing business long enough to have their pictures widely distributed in police rogues' galleries. Their photographs in the sheriff's collection were positively identified Tuesday afternoon by officials of the robbed bank as being the pictures of two in the gang.

The men suspected are known

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

Character, ability and industry have an important bearing on success; so has the prestige accorded by one's bank associations.

Our clients have found our interest in their financial problems of great assistance.

The First State Bank

Enjoyed Pic Nic Dinner.

Last Sunday Colonel and Mrs. J. A. Head, Mrs. Mattie Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones went over to the Twin Springs near Camp Verde and enjoyed a delightful pic nic dinner, returning in the afternoon.

Window Broken.

One of the plate glass windows in J. H. Bruns store was smashed last Saturday night, and several bananas were taken from a bunch that hung inside the window. Sheriff Henry Stevens immediately got busy on the case and some interesting developments are expected.

Aged Lady Dies Suddenly

Mrs. Jane Julian, aged 79, died suddenly last Friday at the home of her nephew, J. C. Gallant, at Medina. Mrs. Julian had lived at Medina for about thirteen years. She was born in Alabama in 1847, and came to Texas many years ago, settling at Kennard, in Houston county, where she resided until she came to this county. She was a life-long member of the Baptist church. Surviving are several nephews and one niece in Houston county, and one nephew in Comanche county.

Burial took place at the West Prong cemetery last Saturday, the funeral being conducted by Rev. W. H. Price.

to have original records of their all during the month of May, the most destructive of which roll be felt in that territory ploing the west side of the Medina river. Would suggest that farmers take out hail insurance at this season, for they are likely the next. Fruit has been slightly damaged by recent cold. A little more damage by cold in prospect, but I think it will be slight, and perhaps will help it be given enough to do any damage. I do not expect heavy frost in April.

There is going to be some clear activity in oil circles. Remember I told you in one of my former lookreasts that a gusher would be brought in in a nearby county?

The developments in Medina county are bearing out my predictions. Bandera county is in severe for some of this development. during forecast, also, a great building era throughout this region. During the next two or three years bandsood crops this year, with good ships of wool and mohair, will make times prosperous and everybody happy.

"Turkey in the Straw."

Is a great old tune and everybody knows it. We do a general line of repairing, including automobile repairing, sewing machine work, everything. Tell us, we'll do it. Drop in sight into handbags.

Mrs. John R. Pierce, a clerk in the robbers entered. A swift glance showed what was taking place and she fled toward the vault.

"Stop," one of the bandits ordered, "or I will blow you to pieces."

The woman took two more steps and paused in front of the vault door. She knew that under a mat in front of the door was an electric button which would sound an emergency burglar alarm at a private detectives' agency. Terribly frightened, as she afterward admitted, Mrs. Pierce watched the bandits loot the bank and kept one eye on the front door expecting the detectives to rush in and the shooting start.

After taking all the money in sight the bandits rushed toward the rear of the building and had hardly disappeared through the back door before the officers came in the front and asked what the trouble was.

Crockett Street in rear of the bank was almost deserted except for parked cars and a few laborers who were working on the new Aztec Theater.

Laborers told officers there were four men and a woman in the party. The woman waited in a small automobile and when the four men walked rapidly out of the rear entrance she had the motor running. The men sprang into the car and it sped east on Crockett Street. The car turned south on Navarro Street and was lost to sight.

The workmen told the officers they only casually observed the automobile and did not take the license number. It did not appear to travel at an excessive rate of speed in leaving, they said.

So sure that the bandits would that passers by in front did not suspect anything wrong. J. S. McNeal, who entered the bank on business, found himself confronted with a bandit armed with a shot gun and was forced to stand against the wall.

L. Herff, president of the bank, returned from lunch just in time to witness the getaway.

He walked in and was in charge by a robber who stood him to the rear and him under guard.

Close Engagement.

King-Thomas Players their week's engagement Saturday night and left San Antonio where they will next in one of the play-houses that city for a season. The Thomas Players made a with our people and will return to Bandera they will data even a hearty reception.

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LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Fellers and son, Robert, and daughter Mrs. Texas Pearl and infant, also James Hinds of Fredericksburg, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hinds of Medina were visitors at the home of G. G. Hinds Sunday.

Mrs. Val Click and daughters, She Evelyn and Ruby, died at the home of Mrs. Zula Miller Sunday.

The Lima school is preparing for the County Meet at Medina, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips, Joyce and Harold were Medina visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebach, of San Antonio visited Mrs. Stendebach's parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale, and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Seale were guests of Mr and Mrs. Addy Reed Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hillman were visitors in this district Sunday. Mrs. Hillman is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese.

Everyone enjoyed the singing at Mr. Val Click's Sunday night.

Lima Mothers' Club.

The Mother's Club met Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. N. Mayberry. The committees of the old by-laws were read and approved. The following officers were elected: Mrs. O. D. Keese, president; Mrs. T. H. Phillips, vice-president; Mrs. S. A. Keese and Mrs. Vic Seale, vice-president; Mrs. N. N. Mayberry, secretary and reporter; Mrs. G. G. Hinds, treasurer.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at Mrs. Val Click's, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 April 24. Every mother in the district is urged to be present at every meeting.

After the meeting Mrs. Mayberry served delicious refreshments of cake and cocoa to all present.

Fire Brigade.

The meeting called for last Monday night for the purpose of organizing a fire brigade in Bandera, did not materialize, probably due to the inclement weather. The meeting will be held at Fox Hall on next Tuesday night, at which time it is hoped that every man who will assist in a volunteer fire brigade will be present. That Bandera needs some protection against fire is well known and every citizen should stand ready to do what he can to combat this constant menace. Don't forget the meeting next Tuesday night, and be on hand.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

People Will Talk.

Yes, people will talk, the saying is true,
They talk about me and they talk about you.
If we go to the opera, someone will say
We should go to church and learn to pray;
If we go to church and offer up prayer,
They say we are hypocrites and putting on airs;
If we are rich, they call us a thief;
Scoff at our sorrows and laugh at our grief;
If we are poor, they say that we shirk;
We are always lazy and never would work.

They talk of our prospects, they talk of our past;
And if we are happy they say it can't last.
They talk of our loved ones, they talk of our foes;
They talk of our follies, they talk of our woes;
They talk of our joys, they talk of our fears;
They talk of our smiles, they talk of our tears;
They talk if we're single, they talk it we wed;
They talk of us living, and they talk of us dead.
Tho' we live like angels, with circumspect walk.
Our efforts are useless, for people will talk.

Next Saturday is school trustee election day. Don't fail to go out and vote for trustees. Two members of the Bandera board are to be elected.

An effort will be made to bring John Lane to the reunion of the Old Settlers of Bandera County, to be held on July 2nd and 3rd. Captain Lane is well advanced in years, but can still "rank read" music from a fiddle. He lives near Voca in McCulloch county at this time. Many of our old timers danced to the fiddling of John Lane fifty years ago. We hope to have the pleasure of greeting the old musician in July.

An old time fiddler asked us the other day if he would be allowed to play "Bonaparte's Retreat" in the old fiddlers' contest at the Old Settlers' Reunion to be held here in July. Sure, man! Contestants, who must be over fifty years old, can play tunes of their own selection in the old fiddlers' contest, whether the tune is listed or not, just so it is old time music. In a short time we will publish a list of old time tunes from which fiddlers may make selections if they wish, or they can play anything of their own selection.

The New Era is constantly striving to publish all of the news of Bandera and Bandera county. Sometimes we overlook important items, but it is not intentional. The other day a man was overheard to remark, "The New Era failed to mention my visitor." We did not know he had a visitor until the said visitor had returned home two weeks before, and then the item was ancient history. We appreciate the kindness of those who phone or send us the names of their visitors, and if you have an idea that we do not want to publish them you are mistaken. Just try sending in items that are of general interest to the public and see how we publish them.

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County Interscholastic Meet.

The Bandera County Interscholastic League Meet will be held at Medina Friday and Saturday. Following is the program as arranged for the two days. Next week we hope to be able to publish the decisions and results of the Meet.

Friday, Beginning at 10 A. M.

Spelling.
Music Memory.
Girls' Tennis.
120 Yards High Hurdle.
100 Yards Dash.
One Mile Run.
Junior 50 Yards Dash.
220 Yards Low Hurdle.

Noon—12 to 1 P. M.

Arithmetic.
Essay Writing.
Boys Indoor Baseball.
Pole Vault.
12-Pound Shot Put.
Discus Throw.
Running High Jump.
Running Broad Jump.
Javelin Throw.
Declamation.
Extemporaneous Speech.
Debates.

Saturday, Beginning at 10 A. M.

Boys Tennis.
Volley Ball.
Girls' Indoor Baseball.

Noon—12 to 1 P. M.

Juniors 100 Yards Dash.
Seniors 440 Yards Dash.
Juniors 440 Yards Dash.
Seniors 220 Yards Dash.
Juniors Running High Jump.
Seniors 880 Yards Run.
Juniors Running Broad Jump.
Seniors One Mile Relay.
Juniors Pull Up, Chinning Bar.

Medina County Very Active.

With wells drilling and located numbering thirty-one, Medina County is the scene of greatest oil activity in Southwest Texas outside of the Miranda and allied fields embraced in Webb, Zapata, Jim Hogg and Duval Counties.

Of the Medina oil territory the Hondo field has one producer, the Taylor No. 1, discovery well, pumping in steel storage. The Ina field consists of five producing wells purchased by Magnolia Petroleum Company from the Ina Oil Company, four producers of the Golden West Oil Company and one drilling, two producers of Eastham & Tarver, and one producer and one drilling wel of the Ina Company.

Among the new Medina tests the Alamo Drilling and Leasing Company is starting one on the Louis Gaff farm north of the Ina field and another west of Noonan, the latter to go to the Edwards lime. Joe Walsh is drilling at 380 three miles southwest of D'Hanis and has erected derrick for another wildcat test a few miles south of the Ina filed. The Ina Company, discoverers of that field, is erecting derrick for a wildcat test on the Finger farm, six miles south of D'Hanis.

Knox, Barlow et el. are rigging up on the Howard farm two and one-half miles southeast of the Henderson & Holden gasser, south of Ina. Cecil Switzer of Shawnee, Okla., who recently took over the Zerr farm test east of D'Hanis, at 1,112 feet, has tools back cleaning out the hole. This had been shut down a year.

Various other concerns are drilling or about to drill in different parts of the country, including the Grayburg Oil Company, Plateau Oil Company, California-Medina and others.

Around the Taylor No. 1, four miles south of Hondo, which came in a few weeks ago at 356 feet, all drilling, the Medina Oil Company, are below 400 feet in the No. 2 Taylor, which made a small well at 315 and is being deepened. Several other operations are under way in this field and in the Ina field.

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KERRVILLE

Does it ever occur to you how much in need of some system of fire protection Bandera stands today?

A "hog-calling contest" for men and a "cow-calling contest" for women will be among the features of the Old Settlers' Reunion to be held here in July. Liberal prizes will be offered to the old timer who can call hogs the best and to the pioneer woman who can call the cows home.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24th, 1912.

Of the Bandera New Era, published weekly at Bandera, Texas, for April 1, 1926.

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA.

A delightful birthday dance was given Alice Thalman on Saturday night at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Thalman on Middle Verde.

W. H. Fitzgerald has returned from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Bolton, at Sweetwater, and is spending a few days in San Antonio. He will return home Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Jones went to Yates last Friday, to visit her son, W. C. Jones, and wife. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones, and they turned Monday.

Mrs. Joe G. Callahan, of Pipe Creek, sent the New Era editor a fine lot of turnips and greens last Friday, for which we are very grateful. The editor is rather fond of garden "sass," and the greens filled a long felt want.

Prof. L. L. McDonald brought us a fine head of lettuce last Saturday, which was raised in his garden. It was of extra large size and proves that any garden stuff can be successfully grown here with little effort. We appreciate Prof. McDonald's kind remembrance.

J. R. Fleisher and daughter Miss Margie Lenore, were here from San Antonio Tuesday and were guests of his brother, W. H. and family.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

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Notice of Application for Letters Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the welfare of William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter, Mrs. Callie Carpenter, has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Estate of said Misses, William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, Marach 16th. A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE.
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER, Deputy.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Nellie Finney Whisenhunt, a minor, Mrs. Clara A. Finney has filed suit in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of the said Nellie Finney Whisenhunt, minor, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minor may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 20th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

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6. Accidental dismemberment;
   (a) the Principal Sum is paid for loss of both hands, both feet, both eyes, or one hand and one foot.
   (b) half the Principal Sum is paid for loss of one hand or one foot.
   (c) one-third the Principal Sum is paid for loss of one eye.

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1. House confinement; full indemnity for life.
2. Non-confining illness; full indemnity up to six months.
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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Frank D. Barnes, Deceased, Emma T. Barnes has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Frank D. Barnes, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 19th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

Advertising Fans.

The New Era has a line of advertising fans, and will be pleased to submit samples to merchants and business men who use this kind of advertising. Have your fans printed at home and save money.

April is upon us. Slight cool wave about Easter. More rain this month, some hail. Heavy hail during the month of May, the most destructive of which will be felt in that territory along the west side of the Medina river. Would suggest that farmers take out hail insurance this season, for they are likely to need it. Fruit has been slightly damaged by recent cold. A little more damage by cold in prospect, but I think it will be slight, and perhaps will not be severe enough to do any damage. I do not expect heavy frost in April.

There is going to be some activity in oil circles. Remember I told you in one of my former forecasts that a gusher would be brought in in a nearby county! The developments in Medina county are bearing out my predictions. Bandera county is in line for some of this development. I forecast, also, a great building era throughout this region during the next two or three years. Good crops this year, with good clips of wool and mohair, will make times prosperous and everybody happy.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, April 23rd at 8 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

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EARLY SYMPTOMS—Nervousness, stomach trouble, dyspepsia, shortness of breath, Burning Feet, indigestion, brown or rough skin, tingling sensations, weakening spells, diarrhoea, loss of sleep, loss of weight, dizziness, soreness of head, general weakness with loss of appetite.

If you do not have all these symptoms you may have some of them and should get the FREE BOOKLET, "THE STORY OF PELLAGRA," that explains. My treatment differs from all others and I am licensed by the State Health Department, physicians and druggists have taken my treatment. Write for Questionaire and FREE Booklet.

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My three pastures (formerly J. H. Dean pasture) are posted against hunting with dogs or firearms, trapping or otherwise trespassing thereon. — ELDEN PRIES. 1yrp

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Saturday Night April 10th

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Wanted.

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Quite a number of subscriptions to the New Era are expiring this month. Notice the date opposite your name on the margin of your paper and if you are one of the number whose time has expired we kindly ask you to renew promptly.

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Omaha, Nebraska

Financial Statement, December 31, 1925.

Resources.		Liabilities	
State, County, Municipal and School Bonds	$10,276,094.21	NetLegal Reserv	$13,689,007.00
First Mortgages on Real Estate	1,335,700.00	Dividends Left with Company	464,544.14
Loans on Policy Holders	3,229,390.20	Death Claims Reported, no proof	108,233.75
Real Estate	793,216.24	Unearned Interest, Premiums paid in advance and other items	359,128.81
Renewal Premium Notes	375,448.29	Capital Stock, Paid up	100,000.00
Cash in Office	160.36		
Cash in Banks	514,135.81		
Accrued Interest on Securities	136,741.33	Policy Dividends Calculated for 1926	619,123.73
Premiums in Process of Collection	184,240.97	Unassigned Surplus	1,242,190.61
Total	$16,582,227.06	Total	$16,582,227.06

FLETCHER & FLETCHER

214 Gunter Bldg. San Antonio, Texas.

Small refrigerator for sale. See T. S. Dennis.

Another fine rain Monday night, with some hail.

Judge J. A. Eames transacted business in San Antonio Monday.

Tuesday's cold wave damaged the fruit crop and gardens to some extent.

Lucius Hicks and J. J. Leighton were over from Tarpley Monday on business.

Lumber is arriving for an addition to the new home of Clint Chenault near Medina.

Col. J. A. Hend returned Thursday from a few days visit to friends in San Antonio.

Mrs. Mary Carmichael left Monday for Many, Louisiana, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal S. Hudspeth have moved to San Antonio, where Mr. Hudspeth has secured a position.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Lary and children, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Mazurek Sunday.

Chas. A. Quist, of Austin, is the new game warden for this county. Mr. Quist arrived last week, and has assumed his duties here.

J. R. Pryor, Will Hays and Harold Hays went to the Hondo oil field last week and will work with E. T. Peters' drill there.

Hon. Joe G. Montague, district attorney of Fort Stockton, was here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, last Thursday.

W. D. Smith, the photographer accompanied the New Era editor home from San Antonio Sunday. He returned to that city Sunday night.

Tom North informs us that the engine for the electric plant to be installed in Bandera has been shipped, and he is expecting its arrival most any day.

Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, Miss Margaret Montague, Mrs. Rose Gardiner, Miss Margaret Montague and Mrs. Theodore Poetert, spent Monday in San Antonio.

Melvin Dyer will pass in town Monday going to Kerrville to in charge to assist the battle against cholera. Next week we propose to a household corp this school.

Messrs. L. J. Banta and O. O. Adams, of Medina are local agents for the Bankers Reserve Life Co., advertised elsewhere in this issue.

Jake Short, who is attending at the Southwestern University at Georgetown, spent several days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Short. He returned to Georgetown Monday.

Mrs. George Tait, of Medina, was taken to San Antonio last Sunday, where she will undergo treatment at a hospital. Her many friends hope she will soon be well again.

Boyd Stevens, who has been employed at Bisbee, Arizona, for the past several months, arrived home Saturday and will remain here. Mrs. Stevens and infant returned from Bisbee in December.

Miss Agatha Mazurek and brother, Anthony, came up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Mazurek. Miss Agatha is attending a training school in San Antonio.

W. E. Ruge has installed another pumping system at his filling station to dispense the No-Nox Motor Fuel which is being advertised in the New Era, and which is distributed under the supervision of L. A. McMain the Cone Car Co. agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Villemain came up from Pipe Creek Monday. Mr. Villemain informed us that everything is lovely and the goose hangs high. Says their school is progressing nicely, and the census reveals that there are now 65 scholastics in that district.

L. R. Watkins, district manager of the Security Benefit Association, accompanied by Mrs. Terry, special organizer, came up to Bandera last Thursday and spent a short while in the city. They will return this week and take steps toward organizing a local council of this increasingly popular society.

J. R. Burns, the hustling Tarpley merchant, was a business visitor in the city last Thursday and gave us an order for some printing for his establishment. Mr. Burns is offering a discount of five per cent on all cash purchases made at his store. In this issue of the New Era, appears a coupon which has a cash value at his store. Cut it out and present it when making your purchases.

WANT COLUMN

Want ads are 1 cent per word each insertion, cash with order.

TURKEN EGGS for sale. $5.00 per setting of 13. Number limited, so you will have to hurry.—Mrs. M. Dowty.

FOR SALE—Baby Chicks from high quality and bred-to-lay flocks, using pedigreed cockrels.—Kerrville Chick Hatchery.

SELECTED pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs, $1.00 per setting of 15.—Mrs. V. F. Brewer.

1919 FORD car for sale at a bargain. New tires, all in good condition. See Joseph Keller.

FOR SALE—100 Muttons, twos and threes, at $7.00 per head, with wool on. Lile and Gulley stock; good shearers.—G. D. Cox.

FOR SALE—Used planter, cultivator, hack, disc harrow, cultivator, etc. At the Baxter ranch.

FOR SALE—New portable wood saw rig, built for heavy work. Has large fly-wheel. For saw with 15-inch hole. Price without saw $25.00.—P. A. Pue, Medina, Texas.

Julius Becker, of San Antonio, was here several days this week, buying cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Newcomer and children were up from Pipe Creek Tuesday, and paid the New Era an appreciated visit.

Mrs. Chas. Montague, Mrs. Frank M. Montague, Mrs. Rose Gardiner, and Miss Margaret Montague, visited friends in San Antonio one day last week.

"The Authentic History of Sam Bass and His Gang" has been issued in pamphlet form, and can now be obtained from Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas. Price $1.00 per copy.

Carl A. Scott and John H. Giles, of the Texas Commercial College of San Antonio, were business visitors in Bandera Tuesday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Laurence Stein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stein, who underwent an operation for appendicitis one day last week, is making good recovery at a hospital in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard de Montel and little daughter, of near Camp Verde, were visitors in Bandera Sturday. They called at the New Era office and Mr. de Montel renewed his subscription to the little old home paper.

Captain Leopold Haby and son, Arnold, were up from Medina Lake Saturday and paid this office an appreciated visit. Captain Haby brought us a generous supply of fine lettuce from his garden, for which we are grateful.

Notice of Application for Letters Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Rhea Mansfield, Robert Lee Mansfield, and Coy Herman Mansfield, minors, Minnie Mansfield has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for Letters of Guardianship of the estate of the said minors, Rhea Mansfield, Robert Lee Mansfield and Coy Herman Mansfield, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the Town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 31st day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE

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This Week.
72-in. Bleached Peppercll Muslin, 65c yd
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MEDINA.

George Tait has returned San Antonio. We are she is much better.

and Mrs. R. H. Brookshad Mrs. and Mrs. Bob several days this week.

Schill Akin and Lenval have gone to visit relatives daughter and in Louisiana.

W. Mickle of San Antonio last week-end with Mr. and Charles Walker.

and Mrs. Lonnie Freeman going to Dryden, Texas.

large crowd attended the by Meet. Everyone seem have an enjoyable time ra won the cup.

day April 9, the P. T. A meet at the school house members are requested to be present. New officers will be elected.

urday, April 17, at the there will be R. T. A. will an entertainment, admission nts and 25 cents.

rlie Walker and family are ng to the Hudspeth Ranch ing Mr. Jon Findley will three weeks at the Hudspeth

n, Paul and Luke Robert visited their uncle, Bill Mcn and family last week-end.

LIMA LINES.

gene Hinds of Burnett, and Mrs. Walter Sellers of erick-burg, were here to at- the County Meet Friday and day.

ery one enjoys the music much last Saturday night, ered by John Mickle, Brice band, Charlie Walker and Mr. Mickle.

lives in San Antonio, former- ed here and he is the favor- fiddler of all who know

Mr. and Mrs. Mickle re- ed to San Antonio Sunday, and Mrs. Dick Hinds were s of Mr. and Mrs. Ben son Sunday.

Shipman, who has sick and unable to come to l the past week, is some r.

school election was held Saturday. The new trustees ed were G. G. Hinds and y Reed.

and Mrs. John Hinds of ina were visitors in this com- ity Sunday.

inging was enjoyed at Louis's Sunday night.

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Fire Brigade Organized.

The meeting held at Cox Hall last Tuesday night for the purpose of organizing a fire brigade in Bandera, proved to be quite an enthusiastic affair. A brigade was organized with about twenty members, and others are expected to join. F. Tait clearly stated the purpose of the meeting; J. M. Hunter presided as chairman and I. E. Adamietz as secretary. It was decided to take steps at once toward raising about $750 for the purchase of fire-fighting equipment, Messrs. Frank Billings, I. E. Adamietz, M. Boyle, F. Tait and Lee Risinger being appointed as a committee to secure subscriptions for this purpose.

It was decided to select a fire marshall, make a map of the town, and offer an arson reward, in compliance with the Florida laws of the State Fire and Insurance Board, in order to obtain the reduction of 15 per cent in insurance rating offered by the board. W. E. Ruge was appointed fire marshall, and will also serve as chief of the newly organized brigade. Frank Billings was elected assistant fire chief. At other meeting is to be held at Cox Hall next Monday night, to receive the report of the committee named, and take further steps toward perfecting the organization. It is desired that every citizen in Bandera be present at the meeting. You may not be interested in such an organization, but you should be. If a fire should break out tonight you would undoubtedly want to help put it out. The organization of this brigade is for the purpose of systematically combating the fire demon, which is a menace to every property holder in the town.

To secure a reduction of fifteen per cent in our insurance rating it is necessary to meet the requirements of the State Board, and to meet these requirements we must have a fire fighting and an arson reward. Bandera is absolutely without adequate fire protection at the present time, which accounts for our insurance rates being almost prohibitive. Every business firm will be called upon this week to contribute to the purchase of the fire fighting apparatus, which is a chemical affair consisting of two tanks sixty gallons capacity each, mounted on wheels, about 10 feet of hose, etc. The fifteen per cent reduction in insurance rates will soon repay the amount of your subscription to the fund for purchasing this equipment.

Be sure to attend the meeting Monday night at the Cox Hall.

Do you read Frontier Times?

A GOOD WAY
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Bandera County Ranchmen
and Farmers Association

Mrs. J. G. Letcher Dies.

Mrs. Josephine Burrell Letcher died at her home near Pipe Creek last night after a short illness. Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev Father P. J. Boivin, with interment in the Catholic cemetery at Bandera.

Deceased was 57 years of age, and is survived by her husband, J. G. Letcher, and five children, Raymond Letcher of Medina Lake, Ellis Letcher of Pipe Creek, Mrs. Edwina Boyle of Crystal City, Mrs. Maxwell Tobin of Castroville, and Miss Ena Letcher of Pipe Creek. Mrs. Letcher was a native of Castroville, Texas. She was married to J. G. Letcher on March 22, 1889, and had resided in this section all of her life. She was a devoted wife and mother, kind friend and generous neighbor, a devout Catholic, and loved and esteemed by all who knew her. The New Era deeply sympathizes with the bereaved husband and children in their great sorrow.

For Commissioner.

J. V. Porter announces this week as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4. Mr. Porter has served faithfully in this capacity during the past two years, and has been quite active in the work of road building in his precinct, and looks after its affairs. If re-elected he will continue to serve his constituents in the same efficient manner as he has in the past.

Will Ellebracht, the well known machinery salesman, was here from San Antonio last Thursday.

County Meet.

The Bandera County Interscholastic League Meet, which was held at Medina last Friday and Saturday, was fine from every standpoint, the literary and track events being especially interesting this year. We have been unable to secure a full report of the various events in time for publication in this week's New Era, but we hope to give a complete report in our next issue. The following totals give Bandera a lead over Medina.

Individual points junior track: Medina, 17; Bandera, 43.

Individual points senior track: Medina 55; Bandera 87.

Points for all around championship:

Medina—Athletes 25, literary 55; total 140 points.

Bandera—Athletes 80, literary 70; total 150 points.

Editor's Niece Married.

Miss Willie Mae Bickenbach, the New Era editor's niece, and Mr. Dick Beasley were married in Mason March 30th, Rev. J. J. Ray, pastor of the Christian church in that city officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bickenbach of Mason, and has been telephone operator in the Mason exchange for the past three years. She was born in Bandera several times and has quite a number of friends here. The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs. D. Beasley of Junction, and holds a position as rick inspector in Mason county, under the State Livestock Sanitary Board. The New Era extends congratulations to these worthy young people.

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

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Our clients have found our interest in their financial problems of great assistance.

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Sends Us a Bousnel.

Mrs. A. Halamuda sent the New Era a beautiful bouquet of flowers from her flower garden yesterday. It included pretty red and white roses, queen's crowns, and orange and lemon poppies, which Col. Halamuda says he has christened Bandera poppies because they go to sleep at 4 p. m. and awake at 8 a.m. Colonel and Mrs. Halamuda raise many different kinds of flowers, at their home northwest of town, and their friends are always welcome to come out and see their great variety. The New Era certainly appreciates the bouquet which was sent in, for we would rather have the flowers while we are living than to get them when we are dead.

Boy Dies With Croup.

Harley, the 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Lancaster died last night after an illness of only a few hours supposedly of membraneous croup. The funeral will be conducted this afternoon, with burial in Bandera cemetery. The New Era deeply sympathizes with Mr. and Mrs. Joiner in the great sorrow that has suddenly descended upon them.

Building Deer Proof Fence.

Dan Auld, of Leakey, was here the first of the week for supplies and to build eighteen miles of deer proof fence on the Auld ranch in the Leakey country. Mr. Auld has been in the sheep business for many years, and has found that a deer proof fence is the only way to keep the sheep from being killed by dogs.

Brucks Appointed District Judge.

Hon. L. J. Brucks, of Hondo, was appointed District Judge of this district by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson on Tuesday, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Judge R. H. Burney. A petition was circulated here Saturday by W. S. Eldridge and was numerously signed asking that Mr. Brucks be appointed. On last Sunday afternoon members of the bar held a meeting in Kerrville and decided to recommend the appointment. Judge Brucks is well known throughout the district, having served for several terms as district attorney, and was a candidate in the last campaign for the district judgeship. He is eminently qualified for the position, and his appointment is the place meets with general satisfaction. He enters upon his duties at once.

An entertainment is being arranged for the winners in the County Meet, to take place at the High School auditorium tomorrow night under auspices of the Parent Teachers' Association. An interesting program is being prepared.

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Friend Godkin Has a Birthday.

Our good friend, Walter Godkin, of the Spicewood Springs ranch had a birthday April 4th, but he won't tell us his age. Says it's been so long since he had a celebration of that kind that he has forgotten just how young he is. But nevertheless, a number of his friends did not forget his birthday, and a crowd of them came out from San Antonio, bringing along some musicians, and celebrated in great style. A sumptuous dinner, dancing, base ball, and other games were among the features of the happy occasion. Among those present from San Antonio were Miss Rodriguez, Miss Clementine Rodriguez, Henry Carlock, Mrs. Eva Smith, Miss Constancia Reimath, Manuel Salazar, Francisco Morales, Rudolph Gomez, Miss Libradia, Miss Martinez and Miss Angela Villareal.

Picture Show Friday Night.

John Hammond, manager of the Center Point and Comfort Theaters, has taken charge of the Bandera Theater, and will open same next Friday night with a big feature picture, "The Top of the World," featuring Anna Q. Nilsson, James Kirkwood, Raymond Hatton and Sheldon Lewis. Remember the date, Friday night, April 9th.

On Friday night, April 16th, will be shown Zane Grey's adventure masterpiece, "Wanderer of the Wasteland," produced entirely in colors.

Mr. Hammond is an energetic and experienced manager of pictures and is fully alive to the most popular and desirable pictures. We are glad he has taken over the Bandera Theater, for it insures our people of the best in the motion picture line.

School Trustees.

In the school trustee elections held in various school districts over the county last Saturday the following boards were elected:

At Bandera Dr. John H. Erwin and W. W. Davis were re-elected; John F. Langford holds over.

At Medina the members elected were J. R. Davis, David Tallman, Ernest Justice.

At Pipe Creek the members elected were W. F. Buck, Gus Holder, H. Rohrock.

At Winans' Creek, F. A. Masters and R. B. Fries.

At Tarpley G. Hicks, and John Tyra, new members.

Vic Stevens and Robt. Hubble were elected new board of trustees for Myrtle Creek school in the election last Saturday. W. E Schoenert is the hold-over member of the board.

J. W. Evans Dead.

John Wesley Evans, formerly a citizen of this county, but for the past two years a resident of Kerrville, died in that city Tuesday, April 6th, after an illness of several weeks. The remains were brought to Bandera for interment, the funeral to be conducted this morning by Elder Mansell of the Church of Christ of Kerrville.

J. W. Evans was born in Alabama, December 7th, 1850, and came to Texas many years ago. He lived in Bandera county for 32 years, and was well known and highly esteemed by all of our people. His first wife was Miss Mary McCarty of Hico. She died at Stidmore, Texas, some years ago. The children born to this union, who are still living, are Gordon and Ike Evans of Bandera, Bob Evans of Alvin, Oscar Evans of Sabinal, Mrs. Wilkins and Mrs. Lacey of Houston, Walter Evans of Alvin. In 1921 Mr. Evans was married to Miss Ada Butcher, of Weston, West Virginia, who also survives. All of the children were at the bedside during Mr. Evans last illness. One sister, Mrs. Starley, of Duffo, Texas, survives.

Realizing that the end was approaching, Mr. Evans arranged his affairs, and made request that Elder Mansell of the Church of Christ, and Bob Hubble been a life-long member, conduct his funeral, and that W. R. Fletcher, J. W. Short, Frank Langford, Lee Risinger, Herman Harper and W. C. Davenport, Sr., act as pall bearers. It was also his request that he be buried at Bandera.

To the sorrowing children and grief-stricken wife the New Era extends condolence and sympathy.

Gravel Haulers Wanted.

The Mansfield Committee wants some one to haul six cubic yards of gravel, to be used in building base for the monument to our Bandera county soldier boys. See A. L. Mansfield at once.

Now somebody ought to volunteer to do this work without charge, and if some patriotic citizen will do so, it will be greatly appreciated. In any event, please communicate with Judge Mansfield.

Schreiner Sells Mohair.

Last week the Chas. Schreiner Co. of Kerrville sold to Draper & Co. of Philadelphia, 400,000 pounds of spring mohair at 37 and 38 cents, with a 10 cent raise on kid hair. Bids were rejected on 200,000 pounds of other holdings by the Schreiner Company.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

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The Bandera County Interscholastic League Meet, held at Medina last Friday and Saturday, was one of the most successful meets and commendable meets ever held in this county. We regret that we have been unable to get a full report of all of the events for publication in this week's New Era, but we have the promise that all of the totals will be ready for publication in our next issue. The track events, the indoor baseball, volley ball, tennis, declamation, extemporaneous speech, etc., were all good, and the large crowds in attendance each day, of the meet from all over the county indicated that the people are really interested in scholastic matters.

The dangerous curve on the Medina road, in front of the place occupied by Lee Mansfield, has been eliminated by straightening the road and cutting down a hill at that point. For a long time that particular spot has been a dangerous menace to human life, and some fatal accidents have happened there, but by straightening the road and giving an unobstructed view for quite a distance the road is now made safe for motor traffic. The idea of removing this danger was conceived and put into execution by Frank Mansfield while at work with a road crew recently done on the Bandera end of the Medina road.

All of the Hill Country mourns the death of Judge R. H. Burney, which occurred at Uvalde last Thursday. For almost three-quarters of a century Judge Burney had lived in this section, and for the past twenty-two years he had served as district judge. He was a self-made man, and had a host of friends all over the district. We attended his funeral at Kerrville last Sunday, and as we listened to the many good things said about him in the funeral discourse and at the cemetery, we felt that his life had been one of good deeds and service to his fellowman. He had reached the age of 72 years, and these years were full of service. We will cherish the memory of Judge R. H. Burney, for he was our friend. We will miss his kindly greeting, his warm handclasp and his cheerful smiles. On the bench and in private life he was always the same courteous, polished gentleman, possessed of all of the noble attributes and generous impulses of the best type of citizen. Peace to his great soul.

The citizens of Tarpley are clamoring for a first class road from Bandera through their community to Leakey. They should have it. During the past year or two the people of that community have done considerable road work, but there is much to be done yet, and we hope the time will soon come when a road of the first class will be a reality.

What we can't understand is why a girl will venture on the street with nothing save a thin layer of chiffon to shield her legs from the wintry winds and then go home and raise cain with the servant for letting the fire burn low in her room.

In New York, it costs $21,000 to polish the cuspidors in one building last year. The advice to aim high isn't always so good, track.

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A Delightful Drive.

Last Sunday, in company with W. D. Smithers and N. H. Rose of San Antonio, we journeyed to Kerrville over that new highway known as Trail Loop No. 10, through Medina, out by the mouth of Wallace Creek across the Mountain to the fastest growing city in Southwest Texas. We knew this route was the scenic portion of the country, but we had no idea of the pristine charm and allurement of the wonderful scenery which abounds along that highway, and as we wended our way over a smooth road through enchanting canyons, up shaded mountainsides, across rippling streamlets, and through mountain passes, we realized that we now have one of the most delightful drives to attract the tourist that to be found in all Texas. The scenery is as grand as Colorado or California offers, and when it becomes generally known to the traveling public, which in time it will be, thousands of sightseers, tourists and vacationists will choose this route from San Antonio to Kerrville. The distance from Bandera to Kerrville over this route is forty miles, and in a Dodge car we made the trip in one hour and thirty-two minutes. We motored from Kerrville over the old route through Bandera Pass, a distance of twenty-five miles, in one hour and thirty minutes, and found the road from Camp Verde to Bandera in very bad shape. However, this road is soon to be put in good shape also, which will give us two good roads to Kerrville, but the Trail Loop route through Medina, though the greater distance, will be the most favored on account of the scenic beauty.

And all of this brings on a little retrospective meditation. About two years ago the people of Medina community decided to reach out for better roads. A bond issue of only $25,000 was voted to build a road from Wiman's Creek to the Kerr county line, it being understood at the time that Bandera was to build the road from this town to Wiman's Creek and Kerr county would take care of the work from the county line to Kerrville. There were all sorts of argument against the project, but those Medina people went right ahead and built their portion of the road, Commissioner R. L. Morris doing the best piece of work we have ever seen done for that amount of money on an almost impassable roadway. Kerr county came across with her share of the work in a handsome manner, while Bandera was a big disappointment, but finally by individual subscriptions and some assistance from the county we built our end of the road, the work being done by Frank Mansfield and Commissioner Anton Pyka and their crews, with the result that today Medina's dream of a first class highway is a finished reality, and every citizen who travels over it is proud of this wonderful achievement. The road has been designated as a State Highway, through the efforts of Senator Julius Real of Kerrville, and is now being maintained by the State. Thus we see what can be accomplished by united effort. Bandera county has many other roads which need just such united action to put them in first class condition, and it can be done and will be done if the people will work together to that end.

Be persistent in one thing. The world has no use for the man who proceeds by fits and starts and who is always jumping the track.

Judge Burney Died at Uvalde.

Funeral of the late District Judge R. H. Burney, whose death occurred from pneumonia at North Uvalde last Thursday night, was held at the First Presbyterian church in Kerrville last Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. T. Dickey conducting the services. Burial was under Masonic auspices.

Known affectionately for many years as the "Judge of the Hill Country," Judge Burney was one of the notable figures on the district bench in Texas. He was born October 22, 1854, in McNary County, Tenn., and in 1856 came to Texas with his father Judge H. M. Burney and settled in Kerrville which was his home for 70 years. His boyhood years were marked by the hardships common to Texas pioneers. His first schooling was in a log schoolhouse, and to get a higher education he enlisted in the Texas Rangers to earn money for his tuition. In 1875, at 21, he had saved enough money to enter Southwestern University at Georgetown and in 1878 he entered the law department of Vanderbilt University from which he was graduated in 1879 with a degree of Bachelor of Laws. He did the work of a two-year course in one year. The same year Southwestern University gave him his degree of Master of Arts.

For a short time the young law graduate practiced in Georgetown, Texas, but in 1880 he returned to Kerrville. In 1886 he was elected State senator from the 28th district and re-elected in 1890. The district at that time was the largest in the State, extending west to El Paso, and Judge Burney was nominated both times without opposition. In the senate of the 20th Legislature he was chairman of the joint committee which investigated the Comptroller's office and drafted the laws designed to prevent fraudulent returns by tax collectors still in effect. Judge Burney also was chairman of the senate committee on education, a strong supporter of the University of Texas, and author of the act creating the State Geological Department.

He was considered an authority on public school lands and was a member of the conference committee which formulated the State policy for sale of these lands. Also he was a member of the committee which drafted the Judicial articles in the Constitution of Texas.

In 1904 he was appointed judge of the 38th Judicial district by Governor Lanham and held that office by re-election since that time.

In the more than 20 years he was on the district bench his reputation as a trial judge was known throughout the State, his rulings being characterized by fearlessness of public sentiment or local feeling in many criminal cases where personal courage of high order was needed. Judge Burney won a reputation for independence of thought and sterling honesty which made him universally respected not on the bench and as a citizen. His wife, who was Miss Mattie Prather of Palestine, died in 1913. Children of Judge Burney living are Henry P. Burney and Ivy H. Burney of San Antonio and Miss Vela Burney of Kerrville.

Judge Burney was one of nine sons in the remarkable family of the late Judge H. M. Burney of Kerrville who came to Kerr county in 1856. The elder Judge Burney was a ranchman, farmer and dealt in many kinds of supplies. He sold the U. S. Government the shingles used in building quarters for troops at Fort Belknap. He had the first steam sawmill in Kerr County and for many years the principal industry of Kerrville was making cypress shingles from the cypress trees which lined the Guadalupe. He sold lumber used to build quarters for troops on the Rio Grande which was hauled by Mexicans in carts hundreds of miles across Southwest Texas. In his later years, the elder Judge Burney was president of the First National Bank of Center Point.

Judge Burney's death is the first break in the circle of the nine sons of the H. M. Burney family, the eight brothers being I. H. Burney of Ft. Worth, many years attorney for the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas, but retired from active practice for several years; J. G. Burney of Lyton Springs, W. W. Burney of Center Point, William, Lee, John W. and Mack Burney, who are Kerr County farmers and stock raisers, and P. C. Burney, electrical engineer of Alpine.

Bandera Warehouse Directors Re-Elected.

Bandera.—The annual meeting of the Bandera Ranchmen & Farmers' Association was held at the association's warehouse Saturday. More than 50 members were present. Fred Thalmann, manager, gave a report of the association's business, after which the following directors were re-elected: W. E. Russell, R. D. Kutzer, T. E. Whisenhunt, R. D. Harrison, R. N. Padgett, W. R. Thomason, and Fred Thalmann, manager.

The secretary's report shows the association having a surplus of cash on hand of about $3,000. A 10 per cent dividend was declared for the first of the year. During 1925, the association handled 195,000 pounds of mohair and 250,000 pounds of wool. The combined clips of the year's business represented a distribution to the growers of about $200,000 during the past year.

The above report brings to mind the fact that the business men, farmers and ranchmen of Bandera County have been operating a successful wool and mohair selling organization in Bandera for several years.

For several years, occasionally and recently very frequently, Bandera men have mentioned to The Eagle management, the desirability of a large warehouse at Junction for storing wool and mohair clips. Merchants have also mentioned this matter, and it seems that there are many good reasons why a warehouse here would benefit producers and we can see no reason why it should not be done. Rocksprings also has one or two such warehouses, and apparently are getting satisfactory results.—Junction Eagle.

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You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date hereof in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be posted at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Willie Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter, Mrs. Callie Carpenter has filed in the County Court of said Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Estate of said Minors, William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the 3rd Monday in April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 19th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE

Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

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The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Nellie Finney Whisenhunt, a minor. Mrs. Clara B. Finney has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of the said Nellie Finney Whisenhunt, minor, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minor may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 20th day of March A. D. 1926.

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Weslie Haby has taken the agency for the San Antonio Evening Light, and will deliver it to your home promptly. He solicits your subscription.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Frank D. Barnes, Deceased, Emma T. Barnes has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Frank D. Barnes, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 19th day of March A. D. 1926.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Robert Lee Mansfield, Herman Mansfield, minors, Minnie Mansfield has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for Letters of Guardianship of the estate of the said minors, Rhea Mansfield, Robert Lee Mansfield and Herman Mansfield, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

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Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 31st day of March A. D. 1926.

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Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy

The New Era has a 3 h. p. Dempster gasoline engine for sale, cheap.

Sham Battle at Bandera Pass

For the first time since the early days of the World War Kerrville will be the bivouac point of the United States Army when more than 6,000 officers and men of the famous fighting Second Division camp here on the objective of their annual hike, under plans now being completed at Fort Sam Houston.

The division, under command of Brig. Gen. Paul B. Malone, is scheduled to spend two nights and a day encamped in Westland Place, addition, with division field headquarters and officers' quarters in the Tourist Park. The troops will arrive via the Bandera Road May 22 and will break camp the morning of May 24.

Complete details of the route were arranged by a reconnaissance party, headed by Capt. E. O. Schaffer, Quartermaster Corps, who came over the route last week, studying the situation of roads and coordinating and co-operating the movements of the troops along the line of march and arranging for camping places.

Leaving Camp Stanley on May 19, the division will march in two columns to Boerne, where camp will be pitched at the same point as last year on the hike to Fredericksburg. During there, the west column will move over the Bandera Road to Pipe Creek and from there to Bandera.

The East Column will march from Boerne to Comfort, Thence to Center Point, and from there to Camp Verde. The two columns are scheduled to meet in Bandera Pass where a mimic tactical maneuver simulating actual warfare will be staged as a part of the training work of the troops.

The simulated engagement in Bandera Pass will be attended by all the thrills and maneuvers of actual warfare with the exception of the dead and wounded. Artillery will roar, machine guns will bark their staccato songs, and rifles will crack realistically, while overhead a number of airplanes will dart hither and yon, reconnoitering and spotting the movements of the troops, relaying the information to the ground by radio telephone.

At the conclusion of this "battle" between the Red and Blue armies, the division will march on as a single unit to Kerrville, the leading troops reaching the city some time Saturday morning, and the last trekking into camp late Saturday afternoon. The late comers will rest Sunday and begin their return march to Fort Sam Houston Monday morning, May 24, reaching the post the following Saturday. The two columns will reserve their routings on the return hike.

The entire hike will be made under simulated war conditions, with field headquarters of company, regiment, brigade and division operated in the same manner as during the strenuous campaigns in France in 1917 and 1918.

For many residents of Kerrville and the Hill Country, it will be the first opportunity to witness the maneuvers of such a body of troops in the field, and will give a magnitude of a comparatively slight inkling of the coordinating and co-operating movements of more than 6,000 men and thousands of animals and motor vehicles.

The entire division will be supplied by motor truck and railhead from Fort Sam Houston as a base, and complete communication with the base will be maintained by radio telegraph and carrier telephone, airplane and carrier pigeon. All public or troop, however widely scattered, are kept in close communication by radio and airplane.

The Second Division was engaged in the fighting in the Meuse-Argonne, Chateau-Thierry, and several other battles in the thickest of the fighting overseas, and its losses in killed and wounded were among the heaviest of the American Expeditionary Forces.

It is now the only full division in active service in the regular army. Two brigades of infantry and one of artillery, in addition to the supply and ammunition trains, signal and medical corps organizations, engineering regiment, and other supporting organizations, are its components.

The annual practice marches of the division, for field training and maneuvers, involve the largest movement of troops in the United States since the World War.—Kerrville Hill View Times.

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Obituary.

Mrs. Mary Jane Gallant Julian was born in Tuscaloosa County, Alabama, Jan. 27, 1847. Died at Medina, Texas, March 26, 1926. She was the last to go out of a family of thirteen children. Was converted and joined the Mission-ary Baptist Church at Leonard; Texas and was Baptised by Rev. R. E. Watson. Her husband, G. W. Julian died several years ago, and since his death she has lived with her nephew and niece, Bangee Gallant and wife. These good people did all they could to make life comfortable and happy to her. Their devotion to her was beautiful. The little church at Medina will miss her, but our loss is her gain. The Bible was the one book with her, and she loved it and in its teachings, and said it gave her great comfort. Four nephews and one niece live to mourn her death, J. Gallant, Medina, M. F. Gallant Kennard, Texas, R. H. Gallant, Crockett, Texas, R. H. Winters, Mrs. Ada Curry Kennard, Texas.

Well done, can be said of this servant of God who worked for Him here and now reigns with Him in glory. Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth; yea, saith the spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them.

Her Pastor.
W. H. PRICE.

Fiesta San Jacinto.

San Antonio, Texas, April 6—Fiesta San Jalinto officials announced following a conference of the chairmen of all committees, that due to the greatly increased number of events and the magnitude of three additional features, which have been added to this year's program, that the Fiesta will open on April 18th and continue through Saturday the 24th.

The Spirit of the Fiesta, a colossal military opera, under the auspices of the 2nd Division staged in the Stadium at Fort Sam Houston will be the opening event of the week. The book, ground for the elaborate setting of the production is laid in France during the World War. A typical French village is now under the process of construction at one end of the huge arena, to be attacked and defended by soldiers and officers of the regular army, 2nd Division in actual battle, using the modern methods of warfare. Opera stars, school children, military bands and special features are already holding rehearsals under the direction of a former motion picture director, brought to Fort Sam Houston to stage the production.

The Tournament, a beautiful old Pageant, depicting the days of Chivalry, but so planned as to feature the traditional Texas love of horsemanship, will be staged on Tuesday at San Pedro Park. The organization which is directing the incident to the Tournament, also have in charge, the plans for a Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Texas Liberty. It is at the Alamo will be held a memorial service to those who died in this Sacred Shrine.

Fireworks, in which, among other spectacular features will be recreated the Defense of the Alamo, will be held at League Park on the last three nights of the week's program.

The Battle of Flowers Fete and the Coronation of the Queen will take place in San Antonio's mammoth municipal auditorium, and the Battle Parade will be held on Thursday afternoon, and the Annual Battle of Flowers on Friday, the crowning event of San Antonio's civic efforts, is being made more elaborate and beautiful, to conform to the general expansion of this year's Fiesta program.

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Education and Ministers.

In his annual report President Butler of Columbia University declares: "Probably the greatest obstacle to religious faith is the attitude and influence of a very large proportion of the poorly endowed and poorly educated Protestant clergy." Admitting the decline in the number and quality of students for the ministry and the incomplete education of so many of the latter, the Outlook, (New York) nevertheless says:

"Religion is a form of power. It is not knowledge, it is not theory. Millions of ignorant people have been profoundly religious. Throughout the Old Testament the test of religion is not the test of scientific knowledge, or of theology, but of power. It is not what a man thinks about religion that is the best, but what his religion does with his life. If ministers are learned, they may serve as Paul served. If they are grossly ignorant, they will find that ignorance is a bar to the access of the minds of the educated. If they are scholastic, they will find their scholasticism a bar to the minds of the simple and plain. But even the ignorant and even the scholastic can serve if they have the power."

The Outlook does not say whence this power, but obviously it is based on intense conviction and largely consists in all-absorbing, profoundly earnest desire to serve. No matter how incomplete the minister's education may be, if he have such conviction, fire and sustained enthusiasm, he can stir religious feeling among the masses of men. The difficulty is to be looked for in decline of such spirit and zeal rather than in lack of modern education.

Snap Shots.

A curious thing about this world is people who have no right to be cheerful are our cheerful people.

Even if you do save money on tooth brushes and tooth paste, it won't be enough to buy false teeth.

Of course you may slip and break a leg, but one danger lessened by winter is swallowing watermelon seeds.

The trouble with working too much is you have so many more things about which you probably are mistaken.

Washington forecasts a big cotton weevil crop for 1926. Why can't some scientists teach them to eat weeds?

Various opinion s hook up Satan with silk hands, with dancing feet, with rattling tongues or with the working yeast.

The man who takes a second drink of some bootleg liquor proves that lightning can strike more than once in the same place.

If the magazine ads are to be believed, Congress should discuss pyorrhea, balitosis and how to get rich with your spare time before great national questions.

Advice that is really worth taking usually has to be asked for, and is usually rather expensive, if the fellow at time who gives it is really worth anything. The motto, "No free legal advice," illustrates what we mean. The street car tracks seemed to have met at the same time," says an Atlanta Georgian reporter's version of an accident. Think how little help for the reporter if these two vehicles had met at different times.

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Gus Reinarz was up from Pipe Creek Saturday, and paid this office an appreciated visit. He produced the kale to keep the New Era kaming.

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Harvie Bird, of Hunt, orders the New Era sent to his address one year.

Utopia is preparing to hold a grand barbecue and celebration on July 5th and 6th.

R. B. LeSeurgeon dropped in Saturday to renew his subscription to the little old home paper.

Mrs. C. Y. Billings is spending a few days in San Antonio with her daughter, Mrs. L. L. DeLamure.

W. L. Meyers and R. S. Bryden were down from Bluff Monday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

W. H. Fitzgerald visited his daughter, Mrs. Lee Burney, at Center Point several days this week.

Herbert A. Paine and Walter Epperson, of the Paine Motor Co., were over from Boerne Monday on business.

W. S. Ethridge and I. E. Adamietz attended the funeral of Judge R. H. Burney at Kerrville last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Wright and D. D. Hammond, of San Antonio, wer guests of Judge and Mrs. W. S. Ethridge Sunday.

The patrons and children of the Myrtle Creek school enjoyed a social and Easter egg hunt at their school house last Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Fred Risinger and children and Miss Hugh Mayfield came up from San Antonio to spend Easter with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

George Fee has completed a new dwelling on his ranch on Woman's Creek to take the place of the home recently destroyed by fire.

H. J. Babbitt, who ranches near Pipe Creek, was a visitor in Bandera last Thursday and dropped in to advance his subscription to the New Era.

Mr and Mrs. Tom Boyle arrived from Crystal City yesterday to visit Mrs. Boyle's mother, Mrs. J. G. Letcher, who passed away last night.

W. D. Smithers and N. H. Rose, the photographers, came up from San Antonio Sunday. The editor accompanied them to Kerrville, where we attended the funeral of Judge R. H. Burney.

W. J. Davenport, Sr., went to San Antonio Monday, returning Tuesday. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Davenport, who spent several weeks in San Antonio with their daughters, Mrs. A. P. Carlton and Mrs. D. H. Zook.

The Parent-Teachers' Association of Tarpley held an interesting session at the school house there recently when definite plans were made for an entertainment and barbecue to be given at the close of Tarpley school, April 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Freeman and children left yesterday for Dryden, Texas, where Mr. Freeman has accepted a position on the school faculty. We wish you best wishes go with this excellent family, and we hope they will prosper in their new home.

Col. A. Halamuda informs us that he has a fine almond tree in his home near town which is bearing an abundant crop this year. Almonds should be grown extensively throughout this country, for the tree which he has proves that they will do well here.

It was a piece of malicious mischief on the part of some miscreant last Saturday night who entered the Myrtle Creek school house and turned over three buckets of paint on the floor and knocked out some window lights. If the identity of the chap is discovered he will be made to pay dearly for his "fun."

We are pleased to learn that Kelley S. White of Center Point, is steadily recovering from his recent attack of pneumonia. Mr. for several days, and grave fears were entertained for his recovery. White's condition was critical His many friends in Bandera rejoice to know that he is now out of danger and on the high road to recovery.

Captain J. W. Walker of Medina, informed us Saturday that he had just received a letter from Thos. A. Laxson, who is now an inmate of the Confederate Home in Austin. In which Mr. Laxson stated that he had found there a son of Frank Johnson, a former well known pioneer settler of this county. Young Johnson is an attendant in the Home, and Mr. Laxson says he is receiving tenderest care and attention from

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LOST—Tan and brown brushed wool sweater on school grounds at Medina last Saturday. Finder please notify this office. Reward.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER.

Jeff Gray and family have moved to San Antonio where Mr. Gray has accepted a position.

J. E. Browning was down from Medina Tuesday and called to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mr. and Mrs W. H. Dunne, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stubbs, and Miss Mertilee Powers, of San Antonio, spent Sunday with J. W. Watson and family.

Miss Eratha Garison, who is engaged in home economics at Lamesa, in Dawson county, came in last week on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Garison near Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce L. Hay and children were in from the farm yesterday and called at the New Era office. Mr. Hay renewed his subscription to the little old home paper for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. David Tallman were here from Medina yesterday with a lot of strawberries which found ready sale. Mr. Tallman says he has one-eighth acre in strawberries and the yield is prolific this season.

Frank Kalka and sister, Miss Christina, of San Antonio, spent Easter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kalka. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ed Cormer and children of San Antonio.

We have received an announcement of the birth of a daughter, Juliet Evelyn, to Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Washington, at Blanco, March 28. This will be pleasing news to the many Bandera friends of Rev. and Mrs. Washington, who moved from this city to Blanco several months ago, where Rev. Washington is pastor of the Methodist church.

At the County Meet at Medina last Saturday we ran up against our old friend, Captain J. W. Walker, who was so interested in the track events that he wanted to match a foot race with George Elam. Failing to match the race, Captain Walker handed us the stake-money, a dollar and a half, and told us to send the New Era to S. P. Davis at Van Nuys, California.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to each and every one who helped in any way to replace my losses sustained in the recent fire, and for general aid and relief given.—George Fee.

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Card of Thanks.

The Board of Trustees and members of the Parent-Teachers Association of the Tarpley School wish to express their thanks to those business men who gave their co-operation toward securing stage settings for the school by placing advertisements on the

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Mrs. C. A. Sherrill has returned from a visit to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finney and little girl visited Mrs. Finney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller, near Rocksprings.

Mrs. B. H. Mayfield has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Lee, in San Antonio.

Prof. W. O. Hatfield and his brother, Mrs. Wm. Hatfield, made a trip to Kerrville Saturday.

Lee Fries and family visited in Fredericksburg several days last week.

Mrs. O. P. Baker has returned from a visit to Houston.

Marion LeStourgeon spent last week-end at home.

Mrs. Sara E. Dobler, of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. John Crowley of Abilene visited M. and Mrs. E. H. Sewell last Sunday.

Earl Jones, of Camp Verde, visited Miss Tressie Mayfield at the Sewell home last Sunday.

Bill McMahon and Alfred Walker are visiting Mr. McMahon's brother, Jim McMahon, at Lubbock. Mr. Jim McMahon has recently operated in for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Livingston visited Mr. and Mrs. Josie Justice several days last week.

Mrs. Bob Bruce and children, of San Antonio, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Hatfield visited Mrs. Bill McMahon last Sunday.

The following is the program to be rendered at the school house next Saturday night, April 17:

1. Orchestra music.
2. Monologue by Mrs. Becker.
3. Windmills of Holland.
4. Monologue: "At the Picture Show," by Mrs. Susie Davis.
5. Interpretive song by Inez Grizzelle.
6. Monologue: "Stars and Stripes in Flanders Field," by Mrs. J. C. Collins, Sr.
7. Orchestra music.
8. The Black Vamp.
9. Solo by Mrs. E. H. Sewall.
10. Monologue: "At the Doctor's Office," by Mrs. Mae Pass.
11. Orchestra music.

The Parent-Teachers' Association of Medina met in regular session Friday, April 9th. New officers were elected as follows: Mrs. David Tallman, president; Mrs. Ed Caton, vice-president; Mrs. Jim Mayfield, second vice-president; Miss Annie Kirkland, third vice-president; Mrs. Effie Allman, recording secretary; Mrs. Fred Whisenhunt, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Pitt Baker, treasurer. This organization, the retiring officers in particular, should be commended for the successful year just closed.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris, Mrs. Cosse and Bud Cosse were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Sutherland and daughters, Gladys and Mildred, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sutherland of Tuff visited Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Banta, of Medina, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. O. D. Reese.

Miss Beulah Miller and Robert Fellers were married in Kerrville last Tuesday night. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller of this community and the groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Watt Fellers, who now live at Fredericksburg, but Lima was their home until a few years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Fellers will make their home at Fredericksburg. We wish them all happiness.

Mrs. Joy Tilley and children have moved back to their home on Red Verde.

R. L. Morris made a business trip to Bandera Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey Saturday.

Aged Citizen Dies.

W. F. Leake, aged 82 years, died at his home near Tarpley last Thursday, following a short illness. The remains were taken to Poteet, in Atascosa county, for interment. Deceased is survived by a wife and one son, the latter residing in New York. Mr. Leake has been a citizen of Bandera county for several years, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. The New Era deeply sympathizes with the bereaved widow in her great loss.

Mohair Coming In.

More than 100,000 pounds of spring mohair has been received by the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association, and it is expected that same will be shipped out within a few days. negotiations for its sale now being in progress.

Boerne Gets Blakeney.

Doc Blakeney, of this city, has signed up as pitcher for the Boerne baseball team this season, we understand. Doc is a pitcher of no mean ability, and will prove a valuable addition to the Boerne team.

Good Rains.

Good rains have again fallen throughout Bandera county, insuring a bumper small grain crop and improving the growth of grass on the ranges. Old Bandera county has had plenty of moisture thus far this year, which makes prospects exceedingly bright for all kinds of crops.

Fire Brigade Meeting.

The fire brigade meeting Monday night was quite enthusiastic, and we all feel very much encouraged over the prospects at an early date securing fire-fighting apparatus for Bandera. I. E. Adamietz, chairman of the committee appointed to secure subscriptions to the fund of $750 with which to purchase a chemical apparatus, reported almost $500 raised to date, and expressed his belief that the remainder would be raised by the time of the next meeting. By meeting the requirements of the State Fire Board we will obtain a 15 per cent reduction in our town's fire rating, and if we have a "recognized fire department" a further reduction of 20 per cent. Mr. Adamietz, secretary of the organization, was requested at Monday night's meeting to write the State Board for information as to what constitutes a "recognized fire department," and if it is at all possible Bandera will qualify for the requirements. Bandera county carries around $22,000 insurance on her courthouse property, and the consummation will be a boon to aid in securing these reductions by the procuring of the necessary fire-fighting equipment. A mass meeting will be held at Cox Hall next Tuesday night, at which time it is expected that every citizen will be on hand. In a very short time those who have joined the fire brigade will begin drill work under the direction of Fire Marshall W. E. Ruge and his assistant, Frank Billings.

Mrs. R. E. Power has been quite sick for several days.

Tragedy at Utopia.

The little town of Utopia, just over the line in Uvalde county, was thrown into a high state of excitement last Monday night when it was learned that Mrs. Will Jones, wife of a prominent citizen there, had been murdered by Jim Calvert, a deaf mute, was fatally wounded. At the same time the tragedy occurred Utopia's school building was discovered to be in flames, and soon burned to the ground. It is supposed that the building was fired to attract the attention of the community away from the crime of murder which had been so fully perpetrated. Calvert died Tuesday, and is said to have made a statement in regard to the deplorable affair.

Mrs. W. C. Jones was the daughter of Dr. Clark, and had lived in Utopia for twelve or fifteen years. Besides her husband she is survived by six small children.

Calvert was about forty years old, and unmarried. It is said that he is related to the husband of the murdered woman.

Yesterday's San Antonio Light gives the following account of the tragedy:

Silence and death Tuesday reigned at Utopia, village 22 miles north of Sabinal, with thin spirals of smoke from the embers of the school house sending Utopia's word of a night of tragedy which claimed the lives of two.

Mrs. Will Jones, 23 and a 40-year-old man are dead. Mrs. Jones was shot down, in the presence of her children. The man, who admitted on his death bed that he fired the shot and

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Pipe Creek School to Close.

Commencement exercises for Pipe Creek High School will be held on Wednesday of April 28th instead of April 23rd, as at first planned. The school play, entitled "An Arizona Cowboy," is to be given tomorrow, (Friday) night. Enrollment this year is: Miss Louise Villemain, Mrs. Zelda McKandles, and Webb McKandles.

Pipe Creek school, under the management and efficient teaching of Miss Laura Mae Thetford, principal, Mrs. Felix Newcomer and Miss Ethel Krause, has made excellent progress this term, and patrons are well pleased.

First Game of the Season.

The first baseball game of the season was played on the local diamond last Sunday between the Bandera team and the Crawford Motor Co. team of San Antonio, resulting in victory for the home team by a score of 9 to 8.

Picture Show Tomorrow Night.

"Wanderer of the Wasteland," Zane Grey's masterpiece, will be shown at the Bandera Theatre tomorrow night. Don't miss it.

set the school house on fire, died by his own hand.

Meanwhile relatives of Mrs. Hobart in their way from San Antonio to the scene of the tragedy. They are: Mrs. John Gaddis, Miss Julia Clark and Mrs. Ed Hobart, all of Canadian, Texas, who was visiting here when news of the death was received. Mrs. Gaddis and Mrs. Hobart are sisters-in-law of Mrs. Jones who was the daughter of Dr. D. H. Clark of Robstown.

Returning home about daybreak after his reign of terror, the man shot himself in the abdomen, it was learned. Believing he would not die, he took poison and died several hours later but not until he admitted the crimes, officers said. He gave no motives.

Sudden insanity is believed by Mrs. Matthews of Sabinal, to account for the accused man's actions. After an all-night search, a posse found the man at his home with two bullet wounds in his back.

The firing of the schoolhouse started Utopia's night of tragedy, according to reports reaching San Antonio. During the ex-

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Installing Electric Plant.

The equipment for the new electric light and power plant was moved here from Menard last Thursday and is now being installed in Tom North's ice factory near the New Era office. The business of the Menard plant is owned by the company of West Texas Utilities Co., which has built a high line through all of that region, and in course of time will no doubt include Bandera, but for the present will maintain a local plant here. The engine, dynamo, and other equipment which is now being installed is of sufficient capacity to supply a city of 10,000 population, and is modern in every respect.

For Commissioner.

R. L. Morris announces this week as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, and his announcement will be found in the regular column. Mr. Morris has faithfully served the people as commissioner the past two terms, and has been very active in the matter of road building in his precinct, the best evidence of which is the splendid condition of the roads there. If re-elected he promises to devote his energies in the future, as in the past, to giving his services along these and other lines to the best of his ability with the means at hand.

Getting Ready for Monument.

Several loads of gravel have been hauled to the court house square in preparation for construction of the base for the monument to the Bandera county soldier boys who lost their lives in the World War. The county commissioners in session Monday passed an order providing for the extension of the court yard to enclose the monument. The granite boulder will arrive from the granite quarry in San Antonio in a few days and will be put in place on the square.

The committee needs additional funds to pay for labor and other incidentals, and your donation is needed at this time.

Mrs. Ed Caton Chairman.

In the Bandera County Fair catalogue just issued the name of Mrs. J. W. Cox appears as chairman of the canned goods and vegetable department. This is an error on the part of the printer. Mrs. Ed Caton, of Medina, is chairman of that department this year. Mrs. Cox served faithfully in that capacity during the past few years, and asked to be relieved, with the result that Mrs. Caton was selected and will preside this year.

Fraternal Insurance Society Organizing.

L. R. Watkins, district manager, and Mr. Mansfield, deputy were here from San Antonio last Saturday and took preliminary steps toward organizing a council of the Security Benefit Association here. Enough members were secured to obtain a charter, and Mr. Watkins states that he would return in a few days and secure others. It is expected that formal organization and installation on officers will take place on May 1, at which time the degree team of members of San Antonio council will come and give a public installation. Much interest is being taken in the formation of council here. The Security Benefit Association is fraternal, protective and social in its nature. It now has more than 300,000 members and over 1,000 local councils, and admits both men and women of good moral character, age limit 16 to 55 years. It has a juvenile auxiliary in which children from one year to 16 are admitted. Rates are very reasonable, and cover a wide range. The society operates an Old Folks' and Orphans' Home, and Hospital, and has more than $5,000,000 in its reserve fund.

The organization of a local council should help to promote social activity in Bandera and bring the young people of the community together in a unity of purpose.

Preparing for Big Oat Crop.

The Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association is preparing for a bumper oat crop by purchasing 15,000 bags and 20,000 pounds of binder twine to meet the demand this year. The association will order apout one day of each on the oat crop alone. Ordinarily the sacks sell for about fifteen cents each, and binder twine retails for fifteen cents per pound, thus if the amount of twine and sacking used the Ranchmen & Farmers' Association will spend around $5,000 for these supplies, offering a considerable saving to the shareholders.

Bridge Completed.

The bridge across the draw near Dr. Rappold's office was completed this week, and this part of Main Street will be opened to traffic the first of next week. Highway Foreman Joe G. Callahan says. Mr. Callahan has superintended an excellent piece of work in the construction of this bridge, and it adds considerably to the appearance of the street, as well as being a much needed improvement.

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The installation of an electric light and power plant in Bandera marks the beginning of a new era in this community. It means that power and light can now be secured for all purposes, and heartily welcome the new concern.

Three funerals in one day in Bandera breaks all previous records. Last Thursday occurred the funeral of J. W. Evans, who died at Kerrville then followed the funeral of Mrs. J. G. Letcher, who died at Pipe Creek, and just after sundown the remains of Master Harold Joiner, who died on East Verde, were laid to rest. Thursday was a sad day in Bandera.

The catalogue for the Bandera County Fair was issued this week, and is now ready for distribution. All those who expect to have exhibits at the fair should secure a copy of the catalogue. It can be obtained from M. R. Thalmann, secretary of the fair.

The machinery is being placed, posts will be set and wires strung within a few days, and the first thing you know old Bandera will be illuminated in real style. If you have ever doubted the possibility of Bandera having an electric light plant you can dispel those doubts by going around to Tom Nevin's ice factory and see the new machinery that is being put in. And of course that brings on a little more talk—talk about the possibilities that are opened up by the installation of such a system here. We who have been without electric power all of these years do not realize all that can be done with electric current, but there are many people who will some here to establish industrial and manufacturing enterprises now who would not come before because they could not obtain the electric power needed in their line. We predict that within four or five years power for pumping water, power on farms and ranches, power for canning factories, etc., will be obtained from this central plant in Bandera and it will simply revolutionize the various industries of this section. Take the New Era's needs for instance. Our need for motor power has been steadily growing during the past three years. At first we used a little one and one-half horse-power gasoline engine. When we installed our linotype and later our cylinder press we had to have more power, so we put in a seven horse-power gasoline engine, with the fuel cost increasing all of the time. At the present time our fuel cost is around $30 per month, which is quite an item. Now we are going to install an electric motor which will cut that cost about one-third of what it is at present. And besides we will have electric lights throughout our establishment.

The day of the kerosene lamp in Bandera is passing. At first many of our people will not be disposed to put in electric lights in their homes, perhaps, but in the time all will see the safety, the convenience, and the superiority of the electric bulb over the dangerous, smoky, and cumbersome kerosene lamp, and will use electricity. We're moving forward at last.

Begin now to prepare for the County Fair to be held at Bandera August 26, 27, and 28.

Mansfield to Manage Boerne Reunion.

W. E. Mansfield, who manages the concessions and entertainment features of the Bandera County Old Settlers' reunion, has been employed by the Old Settlers' Association of Kendall county to manage in like manner the reunion at Boerne this year which is to be held on July 17th and 18th. Those Boerne people were fortunate in securing Mr. Mansfield's services to help them put on a desirable two-days' entertainment, for he is eminently fitted to conduct the entertainment to the general satisfaction of all concerned. He is prepared to handle the rodeo feature, having plenty of wild steers and roping stock, and being an experienced barbecue man he will be able to feed the crowds who will attend the reunion. Last year at the Bandera reunion he handled crowds each day estimated at around eight thousand.

The Bandera County Old Settlers' reunion is to be held July 2nd and 3rd, and the Kendall County Old Settlers' reunion is to be held July 17th and 18th. Big crowds are expected to attend each of these reunions, and W. E. Mansfield, with an efficient corps of assistants, will handle those in such a manner that will be most pleasing.

Harold Joiner.

The funeral of Harold Joiner, the thirteen year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Joiner, took place last Thursday evening, interment being made in Bandera cemetery. The funeral was conducted at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Pyle Eckhart, the lad's grandparents, the services being conducted by Minister Rice, of the Bible Students Association, assisted by Rev. Hicks, pastor of the Baptist church and Rev Gossett, pastor of Methodist church. A great concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives attended the funeral. The death of this bright little boy was indeed sad, coming suddenly, almost as a bolt from a clear sky. On Wednesday of last week he suffered an attack of membranous croup, and in just a few hours passed away. He was a child loved by all who knew him, and only a few days before his death had won honors in the County Interscholastic Meet at Medina as an entry from the East Verde school.

The funeral of J. W. Evans, for over thirty years a citizen of this county, who died at Kerrville, was conducted at the Bandera cemetery last Thursday in the presence of a large number of sorrowing friends. Rev. Bowden, pastor of the Kerrville Baptist church, conducted the funeral and paid a beautiful tribute to the life and character of the deceased. Mr. Evans had moved to Kerrville about two years ago, and at the time of his death was engaged in the hotel business there.

A great crowd of sorrowing friends and relatives attended the funeral of Ms. J. G. Letcher of Pipe Creek, which was conducted at the Catholic church in this city last Thursday afternoon by Rev. Father P. J. Boivin, with interment in the Catholic cemetery. Friends and relatives came from Castroville, Medina Lake, San Antonio, and other points to pay the last tribute of respect to this good woman.

Quite a number of subscriptions to the New Era are expiring this month. Notice the date opposite your name on the margin of your paper and if you are one of the number whose time has expired we kindly ask you to renew promptly.

Pipe Creek School Play.

Pipe Creek High School pupils will tomorrow night, Friday, April 16th, present "An Arizona Cowboy," at the Pipe Creek School House, with the following cast of characters:

Farley Gantt, the Cowboy Sheriff—Chester Krause.

Paul Quillian, his partner—Howard Schott.

Duke Blackshear, a stranger from Frisco—Arthur Pickens.

Hezekiah Bugg, a glorious liar—Ernest Wehmeyer.

Yow Kee, a heathen Chinee—Webb McKandles.

Big Elk, a Navajo chief—Murray Reede.

Grizzly Grimm, a cattle thief—Howard Reede.

Margurite Moore, the pretty ranch owner—Louise Villemain.

Mrs. Petunia Harper, from Old Indianny—Rebecca Vawter.

Caroline Blackshear, Duke's sister—Zella McKandles.

Fawn Afraid, an Indian maid—Nettie Krause.

Young Tin, not much of any body—Ernestine Rhorbach.

Synopsis of the Play, Four Acts.

The scene of the play is at Purple Dog, Arizona, a cross roads village boasting several houses and a Pullman hotel. Farley Gantt is elected sheriff by admiring fellow cowboys. While he is away hunting cattle thieves on the plains his partner, Paul, has become infatuated with Ora Belle Blackshear and her brother, Duke, cattle rustlers, causing him to lose his position as pay master of the Double Z Ranch. Miss Margurite Moore, a young college girl, owner of the ranch greatly admires the new sheriff. Love is roughened by the crooked tongue of the Indian girl, Fawn Afraid. Coralie and Duke plan to steal the payroll of the ranch and make a getaway to Frisco. The plan thwarted by Yow Kee, the Chinaman, who overhears their plan. Marguerite refuses to receive Gantt and hires Hezekiah Bugg instead. The Blackshears attack Bugg in a ruse to steal the payroll, but are seen by Young Tin, who saves Paul from going to prison. He tries to assume the guilt to save Coralie on account of his infatuation for her. Gantt finally tells the truth and saves the money. Two months after, the affair between Marguerite and the sheriff has been straightened out. Fawn Afraid confesses that she was lying about her relationship with the sheriff. Duke and Grizzly kidnap Marguerite and carry her off to Mexico. She is rescued by Farley, Paul and Big Elk.

A blackface farce, in one act, "Axin' Her Father," will also furnish plenty of fun. The general public cordially invited. Remember the date, Friday night, April 16th, at Pipe Creek School house.

Notice by Guardian of Application for Mineral Lease of Real Estate of Ward.

IN RE Guardianship of the estate of Melinda Elizabeth McKinney, a person of unsound mind. No. 427.

In County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, Alba Stearns, guardian of the estate of Melinda Elizabeth McKinney, a person of unsound mind, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said ward to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct, of the following described real estate of said ward, to-wit: Five-eighths undivided interest in and to survey No. 379.3, in name of T. M. Stevens, containing 160 acres of land, valued at $800.00.

Also Five-eighths undivided interest in and to Survey No. 120, W. H. Perry, containing 320 acres of land, valued at $1,000.00, both of said surveys lying and being situated in Bandera County, Texas, aggregating a total of 300 acres of land belonging to said ward cut of said named two surveys.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the court house in the town of Bandera, Bandera Coony, Texas on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1926.

ALBA STEARNS,
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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter, Mrs. Callie Carpenter has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Estate of said Minors, William Carpenter, Daisy Bell Carpenter, Marshall Carpenter and Hugh Carpenter which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday, in April A. A. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 16th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER, Deputy.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the welfare of Nellie Finney Whisenhunt, a minor, Mrs. Clara A. Finney has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of the said Nellie Finney Whisenhunt, minor, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minor may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 20th day of March A. D. 1926.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 19th day of March A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

Advertising Fans.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the welfare of Rhea Mansfield, Robert Lee Mansfield, and Coy Herman Mansfield, minors, Minnie Mansfield has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for Letters of Guardianship of the estate of the said minors, Rhea Mansfield, Robert Lee Mansfield and Coy Herman Mansfield, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in April A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the Town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 31st day of March A. D. 1926.

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Girls Tennis (Doubles)—Bandera—Aileen Cash, Selma Jo Mansfield.

Volley Ball—Medina.

Boys' Indoor Baseball—Medina.

Girls' Indoor Baseball—Bandera.

SENIOR TRACK.

120 Yards High Hurdles—Snider King, first place; Harold Mansfield, second place; Charlie Bradshaw, third place; Charlie Reese, fourth place.

100 Yards Dash—Forrest Irving, first place; Hough LeSteurgeon, second place; Tom Adamietz, third place; Burgin Davenport, fourth place.

One Mile Run—Arthur Davenport, first place; Fred Palmer, second place; Leonard Little, third place.

220 Yards Low Hurdles—Forrest Irving, first place; Fred Palmer, second place; Robert Mansfield, third place; Leonard Little, fourth place.

440 Yards Dash—Hough LeSteurgeon, first place; Charlie Langford, second place; Charlie Bradshaw, third place.

One Mile Relay—Harold Mansfield, Burgin Davenport, George Lane, Robert Mansfield, first place.

Pole Vault—Snider King, first place; Forrest Irving, second place; Felix Keller, third place.

12-pound Shot Put—Hough LeSteurgeon, first place; Tom Adamietz, second place; Fred Palmer, third place; Harold Mansfield, fourth place.

Discus Throw—Hough LeSteurgeon, first place; Herman Thalmann, second place; Tom Adamietz, third place; Charlie Bradshaw, fourth place.

Running High Jump—Snider King, first place; Fred Palmer, second place; Burgin Davenport, third place; George Lane and Harold Wagner, tenth place.

Running Broad Jump—Snider King, first place; Forrest Irving, second place; Hough LeSteurgeon, third place; Herman Thalmann, fourth place.

Javelin Throw—Herman Thalmann, first place; Leonard Little, second place; Harold Wagner, third place.

JUNIOR TRACK.

Medina and Bandera.

50 Yards Dash—Raymond Hicks, first; Archie Gallant, second; Harold Mowery, third; Chester Banta, fourth.

100 Yards Dash—Lee Kutzer, first; Raymond Hicks, second; Archie Gallant, third; Chester Banta, fourth.

440 Yards Relay—Leo Kutzer, Eugene Burns, Raymond Hicks, Wayne Moore, first.

Running High Jump—Vernon Vowell, first; Leo Kutzer, second; Raymond Hicks, third; Wayne Moore, fourth.

Running Broad Jump—John McDonald, first; Edgar Hicks, second; E. A. Briggs, Jr., third; Coy Mansfield, fourth.

WINNERS IN TWO TEACHER SCHOOL EVENTS.

Boys' Tennis (singles)—Tuff John Adams.

Boys' Tennis (doubles) —Tuff Olan Shipman.

Girls' Tennis (singles) Tuff Gladys Sutherland.

Girls' Tennis (doubles)—Tuff Ofa Belle Adams, Daisy Zoeller.

Boys' Indoor Baseball—Tuff and will deliver

Girls' Indoor Baseball—Tuff.

SENIOR TRACK.

120 Yards High Hurdles—Richard Adams, first place; Johnnie Adams, first place; Richard Adams, third place; Merlin Tilley, second place; James Ross, fourth place.

220 Yards Low Hurdles—Aylor Adams, first place.

440 Yards Dash—Aylor Adams, first place.

220 Yards Dash—J. Jn. Adams, first place; Oran Shipman, second place.

880 Yards Run—Stephen Adams, first place.

One Mile Relay—John Adams, Aylor Adams, Olan Adams, Richard Adams, first place.

Pole Vault—Olan Adams, first place; Oran Shipman, second place; Merlin Tilley, third place; James Ross, fourth place.

Discus Throw—Merlin Tilley, first place; John Adams, second place.

Running High Jump—Merlin Tilley, first place; Richard Adams, second place; Riley third place; Olate Adams, fourth place.

Running Broad Jump—Merlin Tilley, first place; Richard Adams, second place; Oran Adams, fourth place.

Javelin Throw—John Adams, first place; Olan Shipman, second place.

JUNIOR TRACK.

50 Yards Dash—James Cravey, first place; Lloyd Dean, second place; Floyd Adams, third place; Lloyd Dean, third place; Floyd Adams, fourth place.

100 Yards Dash—James Cravey, first place; Floyd Adams, second place; Lloyd Dean, third place; Lloyd Dean, fourth place; Floyd Adams, fourth place.

440 Yards Relay—James Cravey, Lloyd Dean, Lycurgus McCracken, first place.

Running Broad Jump—Jack Reese, first place; Stanley Pike, second place; Jeff Pike, third place; Floyd Adams, fourth place.

Running High Jump—Stanley Pike, first place; Lycurgus McCracken, second place; Gus Adams, third place; Jack Reese, fourth place.

Up to Tuesday noon, the New Era had been unable to obtain a full and complete report of the winners in the literary and declamatory contests in time for publication in this issue, but same will appear in next issue. We will have to wait until next week to get in the reports.

Hatching Prices Reduced.

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Card of Thanks.

In our great sorrow over the death of our beloved wife and mother, the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown by our friends comes as a balm to soothe and comfort our broken hearts. We sincerely thank them all for every act of kindness and for the beautiful floral offerings.

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Friday Night, April 16th

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Zane Grey's Adventure

Clarence and Oscar Hermes, of Tarpley, were visitors in the city Saturday.

W. E. Mansfield and son, Frank, made a business trip to Boerne Saturday.

S. N. Padgett, of Poteet, was the guest of his brother, R. N. Padgett at Tarpley last Sunday.

Vol Joiner came in from Louisiana last Thursday evening to attend the funeral of his brother, Harold Joiner.

A delightful forty-two party was enjoyed last Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Wyatt on Mason Creek.

Mrs. Robert Brown and son, Dick, of near Rocky Creek, were visitors in the city Monday and paid this office an appreciated call.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eckhart came up from San Antonio last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. Eckhart's nephew, Harold Joiner.

J. V. Porter, of Vanderpool, was here Monday attending the monthly meeting of commissioners' court, of which body he is an energetic member.

Misses Nettie and Rachel Hunter, and Minnie Mae Mansfield, accompanied by Marvin Hunter, Jr., and Russell Irving, went over to Harper Friday, returning Saturday.

Frank Buckus, Clyde Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Fox, Miss Ruth Jones and Miss Vincente Kehoe, all of San Antonio, were here Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buge.

Col. Smith Coffey was over from Tarpley Friday and Saturday visiting his daughter, Mrs. Granville Wright. Col. Coffey called and spent an agreeable half hour with the editor Friday.

Miss Rosa Whitley, who has been spending the past few months in Arkansas, reached home Tuesday and will spend a few days with Mrs. Nettie Hunter, before leaving for California.

Editor Warren Hunter of the Harper Herald, was here Sunday, accompanied by his wife, to visit home folks. They returned to Harper Sunday evening, accompanied by Marvin Hunter, Jr., and Howard Eckhart.

Miss Eva Thallman, who is now dietician in he General Hospital, Boston, Mass., writes her sister, Mrs. Chas. Eckhart of this place, that she will enter the Columbia Institute in New York this summer to prepare for her B. A. degree.

R. N. Padgett was called to San Marcos last week to see his sister, Mrs. Fritz Smith, who suffered a stroke of paralysis one day last week. Mr. Padgett returned here Saturday. He informs us that his sister is in a very serious condition.

Mrs. Alice Bolton and daughter, Mrs. J. E. Chisum, were called to San Antonio by the death of Mrs. Bolton's cousin, George Henfield, which occurred there on Wednesday night of last week. They attended the funeral at Lytle on Thursday, returning home Friday.

Ned W. Smith has resigned his position as chef at the O. S. T. Cafe, and with his family has returned to San Antonio. On account of his health Mr. Smith was compelled to give up his position and go to San Antonio to take treatment at the hands of a specialist. His many friends here hope he will soon be restored to health.

Captain F. J. Dodge, J. A. Luckenbach and W. F. Cole, of Boerne, were here last Thursday, and paid this office an appreciated visit. These gentlemen informed us that the reunion of the old settlers of Kendall county, to be held at Boerne July 17th and 18th, promises to be a great event and full of enjoyment for the old timers as well as the younger generation. Great plans are being made for the entertainment of the large crowds expected. Bandera county will send large delegations each day.

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For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Faris, April 12, a boy.

Miss Sue Carpenter, of Tuff has accepted a position in the O. S. T. Confectionery.

Robert Faris and family are here from Sanco, Coke county, on a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Huffmeyer, of San Antonio, were guests of Chas. Rugh and family last Sunday.

County Commissioner John L. Edwards was up from Pipe Creek Monday attending the monthly meeting of Commissioners' Court.

Miss Laura Duffy came up from San Antonio to attend the funeral of her friend, Mrs. J. G. Letcher, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O'en Davenport of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bilben and John Balten of New Fountain were here last Thursday to attend the funeral of Harold Joiner.

Genial Bob Mayfield was down from Medina last Friday on business. Says he is going to enter the Old Fiddlers' contest at the Old Settlers' Reunion in July, and we're betting he will make the "Unfortunate Pup" tell the cause of all of his distress.

The members of the Parent-Teachers' Association of Tarpley are preparing to give a good program on Friday, April 23rd. This entertainment will be free to all and everyone from far and near are invited. There will also be a barbecue supper at a nominal charge.

Commissioner R. L. Morris was down from Lima Monday attending the monthly meeting of commissioners' court. He informed us that his road crew will immediately do some needed work on the road from Medina to Center Point. He also says he expects to make some needed repairs on the road from Medina to Tuff.

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MEDINA.

r. and Mrs. C. J. Goode visited Goode's sister, Mrs. Emmett h and family last week.

s and Mrs. E. E. Wyatt and and Miss Willis Ivisited Medina ay. They were ahcompanied by Mr Wyatt's mother, Mrs Wyatt. She will visit them a week.

s and Mrs. Louis Curtis have back to Medina.

v. V. F. Brewer and son, David, d Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMahon y night.

s and Mrs G C Klemstein visitatives at Ingram Monday

and Mrs. Felix Newcomer, of Creek, visited Lee Fries and Saturday night.

s Laura Mae Thetford and Noah visited in Mr. Lee Fries Sunday.

and Mrs. Charles Walker rs. C. W. Harris visited in ntonio Sunday and Monday. rris visited her son.

rs. H. H. Mayfield and C. A. Sherrill spent last week- San Antonio. Mrs. Sherrill her son, and Mr. and Mrs. ld visiting their daughter, Raymond Lee and family.

r D. S. Palmer has returned trip to St. Louis.

F. M. Buckelew will de- talk on the streets of Me- Saturday afternoon at 4 . Everybody invited to im.

s reached Bandera yesterday alde had been visited by a tive hail storm Tuesday, fol- y a five inch rain.

to a slight break down our is out of commission for a rs, which accounts for the s's shortage of news.

nd Mrs. A. Meadows spent y in San Antonio.

G. T. Ready, of Texas the guest of her sister, M. Click this week.

A. P. Carlton and infant t to San Antonio last Sat- after spending the week r parents, Mr. and Mrs. avenport, Sr.

nd Mrs. Wm. Clothier, Mrs. Frank Fisher and H. Ford, of San Antonio, ests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Sunday.

"Turkey in the Straw,"
reat old tune and every- own it. We do a general epairing, blacksmithing, le repairing, sewing work, everything. Tell troubles—we'll listen, help you.—E. M. Dowty

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hinds and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hinds and baby, of Bandera, came in on a business trip Sunday.

Val Click and S. A. Keese bought 100 mutton sheep from G. D. Cox of near Bandera.

We were indeed glad to learn that Lucy, the little daugt ter of Mr and Mrs. John McHaney of Fredericksburg, is doing nicely after a serious operation in San Antonio a few days ago. A tack was removed from her lungs. Mr. and Mrs McHaney lived in this community until a few years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese had as their guests Sunday L. J. Keese and children, Miss Lela and Charlie, and Mr and Mrs Oscar Hillman.

Mr and Mrs N. Phillips, Misses Fannie and Faye Phillips and Oran Phillipt, of Coke county, visited their aunt, Mrs. John Reed, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith, of Medina, were guests of Mr and Mrs S. H. Sutton Sunday.

Mrs Joh Adams visited her parents, Mr and Mrs Sutton, Sunday

The young people enjoyed the singing at Robert Brown's Sunday night.

Don't forget the Mothers' Club meeting at the Val Click's Saturday, April 24, at 2:30.

Ice Cream Social.

The ladies of St. Stanislaus Catholic Church will serve ice cream, cake and refreshments in their school building next Sunday, April 25th, from 4:30 to 11 p. m. Everybody cordially invited.—The Committee.

Rams and Sheep For Sale.

I have a choice lot of Delaine-Merino rams for sale at moderate prices. Also have 65 or 75 head of breeding stock, which I will sell in small lots or all together.—Chas. Real, Kerrville, Texas.

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Another Pioneer Passes.

Mrs. Linda Means, for forty-nine years a resident of Bandera County, died last Sunday in Kerrville after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. R. Wheat, pastor of the Kerrville Methodist church, and burial took place there.

Mrs. Means was born November 13, 1851, in Whit county, Texas. City, Mrs. J. P. Freeman of Kerrville, Mrs. C. M. Click of Bandera, and Mrs. W. L. Lumpkin of Sheffield, Alabama. One sister, Mrs. F. A. Means of Asherton, Texas, also survives.

During the many long years which she lived in this county Mrs. Means endeared herself to all with whom she came in contact. She was a true type of the pioneer mother, and was ever ready to respond when called upon in times of sickness or distress. She will be mourned by all of her old neighbors and friends. The New Era extends sympathy and condolence to the bereaved husband and children in their great sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hinds were here from Dorset Monday, and Mr. Hinds dropped in to see his subscription to the New Era. He recently moved from Rocky Creek to Dorset county and says he is very well pleased with his new location.

Public Installation May 1.

Messrs. L. R. Watkins and N. K. Mansfield of San Antonio, were here last Saturday making arrangements for the establishment of a local council of Security Benefit Association. Mr. Watkins informed us that a public installation of officers of the new lodge would be held at Cox Hall on Saturday night, May 1st, to which everybody will be invited. A degree team and members of San Antonio council will attend in a body, about fifty strong, bringing with them the order's San Antonio orchestra. The general public will be invited to attend the ceremonies, which will begin at 8:30. After the ceremonies the members and their friends will enjoy a social dance.

"The Female."

"The Female" is the title of the picture to be shown at Bandera Theater tomorrow, Friday night. Also a good two-reel comedy will be shown. John Hamlyn, manager of the Bandera Theater is giving only Paramount pictures, and of the most pleasing kind. A good crowd was in attendance last Friday night, and, weather permitting, equally as large crowd will be there tomorrow night.

Among the features of the Old Settlers' Reunion, to be held at Bandera July 2nd and 3rd, will be a roping contest for men over fifty years here. There are many of the old boys who rode the range in the early days and who can still twirl a lariat and make a throw that will shame some of the younger fellows.

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Old Settlers' Badges.

Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, secretary of the Bandera County Old Settlers' Association, has received the membership badges for this year, and requests us to announce that members can secure their badges at Mrs. T. S. Dennis' millinery store or at Mrs. M. Hamilton's Cafe. The annual dues are one dollar per member, payment of which should be made to secure the badge. Members of the Association who have resided in Bandera county sixty years or longer are not required to pay any dues, but are entitled to receive a blue badge, which does not change, but is used each year. These honorary members who have misplaced or lost their

Bandera Trims Normoyle.

In the baseball game, played Sunday on the local diamond, the Bandera team trimmed the Camp Normoyle team to the tune of "Five to Thirteen." This is the second game of the season played here, and Bandera claimed victory in each game.

Yesterday's mail from San Antonio was delayed several hours by high water in the Leona and San Geronimo Creeks.

I. E. Adamietz, Frank Billings and Walter Roge went to San Antonio yesterday to inspect the fire fighting equipment contemplated for our new fire brigade.

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Pine Rains.

Old Bandera county has been soaked again. Fine rains have fallen this week throughout this section. Good timesahead.

To Present Play.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will present the play, "Those Husbands of Ours," at the High School auditorium on Friday night, April 30th, for the benefit of the school.

Miss Rosa Whitley left Saturday for Los Angeles, California, after spending a week with friends and relatives here. She will visit her sister, Mrs. Bill Saathoff in Los Angeles for two or three months.

Among the guests at the home of Joe G. Callahan at Pipe Creek last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Godkin, Miss Juanita Godkin, Lee Godkin, Mrs. Pauline Lozano, Aaron and Onga Weed and Charlie Callahan and family.

The play rendered by the Pipe Creek High school last Friday night drew a large crowd and was presented in a very pleasing manner. The title of the play was "An Arizona Cowboy."

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B. Y. P. U. Special Program.

The B. Y. P. U. will render a special program Sunday evening, beginning at 7:45 o'clock. Special features will be a male quartette, violin trio with piano accompaniment, two playlets rendered by the B. Y. P. U. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Offers Premiums in Fair.

Chas. Real, the well known breeder of high-blooded Delaine-Merino sheep and rams, writes from Kerrville that he will offer the following prizes for displays of wool at the Bandera County Fair, to be held August 26th, 27th and 28th:

For fleece or fleeces of wool, first prize, $3.00; second prize, $1.50. Must be Texas product. The only requirement is that the fleeces shown must come off of the bucks and ewes either raised in Texas, or if from imported sheep they must have been here long enough to have grown the fleece exhibited.

Will Attend Folk-Lore Meeting.

The editor of the New Era will attend the annual meeting of the Texas Folk-Lore Society to be held in Austin next Saturday, being a member of that society. Elmo Newcomer and Jess Edwards of Pipe Creek, renowned fiddlers, will also attend the meeting, and will appear on the program to render old time fiddle music and cowboy songs.

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The New Era labors early and late for Bandera county. But please remember that we boost only for those things which are of benefit to our county.

When you write letters to your friends abroad, invite them to come to Bandera to the Old Settlers' Reunion July 2nd and 3rd, and the County Fair August 26, 27, and 28.

Some people have an idea that it's an easy task for an editor to gather and print the news for a weekly paper, and imagine if they were editor of the home paper they would print more news than he gathers, and write it in much better style. Perhaps so. We would like to give some of these individuals a chance to demonstrate their superior ability while we take a vacation for a few months. We're getting weary of the steady grind, and if you think you can give the people a real newsy New Era and keep it up to the present high standard of excellency you are the fellow we are looking for.

Now we're talking about Bandera's prospects. We have much to feel jubilant over. In the first place we have had good rains and crops are growing, cattle are getting fat, the hay and lamb crop is above the average this spring, wool and mohair clips are larger and of better grade, the people in better condition in every way than for a long time, our county's schools are in flourishing condition, many miles of roads have been built which will induce thousands of tourists to visit our county during the summer months, our Old Settlers' reunion will be bigger and better this year, our County Fair will be a revelation to everybody, an electric light and power plant is now being installed in Bandera, drilling for oil will probably be under way within the next few months, candidates are beginning to crop out and watermelon time is coming. The organization of a fire brigade in Bandera and the contemplated purchase of a chemical fire-fighting apparatus, with resulting substantial reductions in our insurance rates as a small thing and will help to encourage other progressive moves. Prosperity will soon be riding on the high crest of the tide of progress that is sweeping this way. Bandera county will be in the swim from now on.

Hon. Walter Fischer, editor and owner of the Riesel Messenger, was found dead seated at his desk in his office Sunday afternoon. He had been ill for several days but had been able to be up and about. Newspaper work is perhaps the only profession in the world where men must work regardless of their own physical illness, which must at all times be kept to themselves and not reflected in their work. Attractive, enticing, always demanding attention and sacrifices, about all the newspaper profession recognizes in the ordinary trend of life is the universal call of Death. Funerals, happinesses, weddings, births, accidents,, successes and failures of others, with no thought of their own well being is in the daily grind of newspaper folks, who find at the last that the years of the span of life has passed before they hardly realize that they have even passed from youth. There is no time for regrets or self pity on the part of the average newspaper man.—Georgetown Sun.

Again we want to call attention to the fact that we now have a good road to San Antonio, and this summer thousands of sightseers and tourists will visit our town. Where one automobile load of visitors came last year, sixteen or twenty automobiles will come this year. The word has gone out that Bandera county offers the most picturesque scenery to be found in all of Texas, and now that that wonderful piece of highway, Trail Loop No. 10, has been completed from Bandera through Medina to Kerrville, there will be a steady stream of vacationists following this route. In anticipation of these things we should make our town attractive. There are a number of old buildings which should be repainted and repaired; some work should be done on our streets; some evidences of civic pride should be displayed.

It seems to be the New Era's gift to look far into the future. Five years ago we made the prediction that better roads were coming, along with better school facilities. We kept talking about these things, to the disgust of some people who did not believe we would ever advance along these lines. But we have advanced, and are still advancing. Now we are predicting that within another five years many of our farmers will turn their attention to truck farming—little five and ten-acre truck patches will be scattered up and down this valley which will be marketing in San Antonio all kinds of vegetables and garden truck produced under irrigation from wells, the water pumped by electricity. We know we have the rich soil to produce any kind of crops, and all it takes is a little energy and a ready market to develop these things. We now have a good road to San Antonio, the ready market; we have plenty of water underground and in the river; and the electric power needed is being installed. The dream of today will be a reality tomorrow.

Frontier Times For May.

The May number of Frontier Times, that growing little monthly magazine published in Bandera by J. Marvin Hunter, was issued from the press last week. It contains: "Early Day Tribes in Central Texas," "Adventures on the Cattle Trail," "Fort Concho in 1870," "Some Recollections of Early Days," "Big Foot Wallace's Fight on the Nueces," "The Old 45 Peacemaker," "Old Amy, the Semi-mule Squaw," "Mrs. Rebecca J. Fisher," "The Passing of a Pioneer," "The Lee-Peacock Feud," "Black Jack, the Outlaw," "A Journey to Fort Griffin in 1876," "Vindication of Jean Laffite," "William Greenwood, a Mason Pioneer," "A Train Robbery Prevented," "Origin of the Alamo Inscription."

Each and every one of the above sketches possess rare historical value, and should be read by all school children who are studying Texas history. Frontier Times is steadily growing, regardless of the fact that it is just a plain, homely little magazine, published in a country town of only 700 population. Less than three years ago it was started without a subscriber. We are printing 2,500 copies of the current issue, and every copy which goes out in some way calls the reader's attention to Bandera.

Advertising Fans.

The New Era has a line of advertising fans, and will be pleased to submit samples to merchants and business men, who use this kind of advertising. Have your fans printed at home and save money.

Terrible Tragedy Occurs at Utopia.

Much has been printed in the papers regarding the awful tragedy that occurred at Utopia Monday night wherein Mrs. Mallell Jones, aged 26, and Jim Calvert, aged 45, are dead and the school building at Utopia destroyed by fire. As near as we can get at the facts, Jim Calvert, who was considered a deaf mute, went to the home of Will E. Jones Monday night. Jones was not at home. Mrs. Jones came to the door in response to the knock and Calvert struck her over the head with a shotgun and while she was on the floor shot her in the body with the same gun. Her five children, the oldest aged ten, were in the house. She lived long enough to tell who had done the deed. A short time after this tragedy the school house of which Calvert was janitor, was fired and burned to the ground. Excitement from this cause evidently delayed help arriving to the stricken woman. Sheriff Matthews was notified and left for Utopia about midnight. He and Jim Calvert, brother of Jim, watched the Calvert home. The doors were locked and not certain if the man wanted were in, so they decided to watch. About daylight they heard a shot in the house. Forcing entrance they found Jim Calvert lying in bed. He had shot himself with a shotgun, evidently the same weapon he had killed Mrs. Jones with. One shot had glanced and torn the flesh on the left side and was not a serious injury. The wounded man, still alive, told them he had fired this shot the night before and had also the watchers heard as fired. Jones drank some iodine. The shot his body just below his breast and caused his death a few hours afterwards. The man gave no reason for his deed.

A young man of Utopia has been placed in jail by the sheriff as it is stated that some writing found in Calvert's possession mentioned his name in connection with Jones. An examining trial will probably be held today.

Jim Calvert had lived at Utopia all his life, his family being among the prominent residents there. He was never considered of a dangerous disposition, willing to joke and be joked. Evidently he had become demented and while in that state committed the deplorable tragedy.—Uvalde Leader-News.

Bank Robber Tried.

Fifteen days from the date of the robbery of the San Antonio National Bank of $19,138, the case of Kenneth Smith, first of six men to be indicted, went to the jury. The jurors retired late Wednesday after a day spent in argument of attorneys in which the prosecution asked the death penalty.

The jury was locked up for the night after four hours' deliberation without a verdict.

Speed marked the progress of the cases from commission of the crime. The bank was robbed at noon March 30. The six men now under indictment were in custody before night and city and county officials began an intensive hunt for evidence. Kenneth Smith, Jack Smith, Otis Yeager, Joe Holbreath, Earl Collins and Elmer Wilkins were held for questioning and later indictments were returned against all. Another man and two women who were held were released.

Indictments were returned April 5, and District Attorney C. M. Chambers asked for an early setting of the cases. On account of the passage of another case set April 12 that date was available and Special Judge O. M. Fitzhugh set the cases down for trial on that date.

The court in order to dispense with the calling of talesmen in case of a small venire being exhausted ordered 750 veniremen summoned. The jury was completed Monday by holding a night session. The State introduced all its evidence Tuesday and a night session was again ordered when the evidence of the defense was completed and both sides closed. The defense offered no testimony except several character witnesses who testified that the reputation of the defendant was good.

With the exception of an identification of Kenneth Smith by T. L. Anderson, cashier of the bank, as one of the robbers the

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found in the defendant's pocket when arrested which it was claimed was a plat of the interior of the bank. This drawing showed the location of a safe, and points of entry to the building were designated. Constable Duke Carver and John Long, investigator for the district attorney, arrested Smith and declared the man fled in an automobile when he saw them. The officers caught him after a chase of several blocks, they said, and placed him under arrest.

A sawed-off shot gun, which officers found in the San Antonio River also played a part in the trial. Jack Smith, a brother to Kenneth, was said to have admitted throwing the gun into the river after he heard of the bank robbery and that sawed-off shot gun had been used by the robbers. Seems as if it would "look bad" if he was found with a gun of that description officers said Jack Smith explained.

Wool and Mohair Specialist.

Frank Grayson, wool and mohair specialist of the Experiment Station, Texas A. & M. College, was in Kerrville and other parts of the county the first of the week on an educational tour in the interests of the wool and mohair growing plant located at College Station.

According to Mr. Grayson, growers may send selective sample fleeces of wool and mohair, to this scouring plant and obtain valuable information for use in building up the standard of their flocks.

In other words, by shipping these fleeces, spring and fall, they may obtain both grade and shrinkage of their wool and mohair.

Several prominent ranchmen were visited by Mr. Grayson, and all were vitally interested in this project. It is hoped that ranchmen of this section generally will take advantage of this opportunity to find out for themselves just how and what extent they can improve their flocks.

The only expense to the grower in this project is for shipping charges on the sample fleeces to College Station, as the wool and mohair is sold at the close of the season and the growers are then paid for the samples sent in according to the grade and quality. The information as to grade and shrinkage is given to the grower immediately after it is graded and scoured.

Mr. Grayson is a practical mill man and has had several years experience both in the mill and as a government wool and mohair grader, and with the equipment on hand at the scouring plant he is in a position to render some real educational service to the sheep and goat men of Texas.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Mr. Grayson spent last Thursday in Bandera and vicinity, and in company with Marcus Thalmann and Frank Mansfield visited quite a number of our ranchmen, who were greatly interested in his plan.

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To be eligible for the examination, an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must reside within the delivery of the post office for which the examination is held, must have resided for at least two years next preceding the examination date, must be in good physical condition, and within the prescribed age limits. Both men and women are admitted.

Under the terms of executive order, the Civil Service Commission will certify to the Postmaster General the names of the highest three qualified eligibles, if as many as three are qualified, and the Postmaster General will select one for nomination by the President. Confirmation by the Senate is the final action.

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When sealed bids for the purchase of the $110,000 bonds were opened by the Court it was found that there were seven bidders for the issue. After checking the matter over carefully, the Commissioners sold the bonds to the Chas. Schreiner Bank and First State Bank of this city, whose joint bid on the issue was pay with accruing interest.

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Frontier Times For May.

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Advertising Fans.

The New Era has a line of advertising fans, and will be pleased to submit samples to merchants and business men who use this kind of advertising. Have your fans printed at home and save money.

Terrible Tragedy Occurs at Utopia.

Much has been printed in the papers regarding the terrible tragedy that occurred at Utopia Monday night wherein Mrs. Maizell Jones, aged 26, and Jim Calvert, aged 45, are dead and the school building at Utopia destroyed by fire. As near as we can get at the facts, Jim Calvert, who was considered a deaf mute, went to the home of Will E. Jones Monday night. Jones was not at home. Mrs. Jones came to the door in response to the knock and Calvert struck her over the head with a shotgun and while she was on the floor shot her in the body with the same gun. Her five children, the oldest aged ten, were in the house. She lived long enough to tell who had done the deed. A short time after this tragedy the school house of which Calvert was janitor, was fired and burned to the ground. Excitement from this cause evidently delayed help arriving to the stricken woman. Sheriff Matthews was notified and left for Utopia about midnight. He and Lynch Calvert, brother of Jim, watched the Calvert home. The doors were locked and not certain if the man wanted was in the house so to watch. About daylight they heard a shot in the house. Forcing entrance they found Jim Calvert lying in bed. He had shot himself with a shotgun, evidently the same weapon he had killed Mrs. Jones with. One shot had glanced and torn the flesh on the left side and was not a serious injury. The wounded man, still alive, told them he had fired this shot the night before and had also shot watchers heard was fired into drank some iodine. The shot his body just below his breast and caused his death a few hours afterwards. The man gave no reason for his deed.

A young man of Utopia has been placed in jail by the sheriff as it is stated that some writing found in Calvert's possession mentioned his name in connection with Jones. An examining trial will probably be held today.

Jim Calvert had lived at Utopia all his life, his family being among the prominent residents there. He was never considered of a dangerous disposition, willing to joke and be joked. Evidently he had become demented and while in that state committed the deplorable tragedy.—Uvalde Leader-News.

Bank Robber Tried.

Fifteen days from the date of the robbery of the San Antonio National Bank of $19,138, the case of Kenneth Smith, first of six men to be indicted, went to the jury. The jurors retired late Wednesday after a day spent in argument of attorneys in which the prosecution asked the death penalty.

The jury was locked up for the night after four hours' deliberation without a verdict.

Speed marked the progress of the cases from commission of the crime. The bank was robbed at noon March 30. The six men now under indictment were in custody before night and city and county officials began an intensive hunt for evidence. Kenneth Smith, Jack Smith, Otis Yeager, Joe Holbrecht, Earl Collins and Elmer Wilkins were held for questioning and later indictments were returned against all. Another man and two women who were held were released.

Indictments were returned April 5, and District Attorney C. M. Chambers asked for an early setting of the cases. On account of the passage of another case set for April 12 that date was available and Special Judge O. M. Pitzhugh sat the cases down for trial on that date.

The court in order to dispense with the calling of talesmen in case of a small venire being exhausted ordered 750 veniremen summoned. The jury was completed Monday by holding a night session. The State introduced all its evidence Tuesday and a night session was again ordered when the evidence of the defense was completed and both sides closed. The defense offered no testimony except several character witnesses who testified that the reputation of the defendant was good.

With the exception of an identification of Kenneth Smith by T. D. Anderson, cashier of the bank, as one of the robbers, the State depended upon circumstantial evidence. Anderson declared he believed Smith to be the man but would not state that he positively identified him.

The State also depended upon a drawing said to have been found in the defendant's pocket when arrested which it was claimed was a plat of the interior of the bank. This drawing showed the location of a safe, and points of entry to the building were designated. Constable Duke Carver and John Long, investigator for the district attorney, arrested Smith and declared the man fled in an automobile when he saw them. The officers caught him after a chase of several blocks, they said, and placed him under arrest.

A sawed-off shot gun, which officers found in the San Antonio River also played a part in the trial. Jack Smith, a brother to Kenneth, was said to have admitted throwing the gun into the river after in front of the bank robbery and that sawed-off shot guns had been used by the robbers. He was afraid it would "look bad" if he was found with a gun of that description officers said Jack Smith explained.

Wool and Mohair Specialist.

Frank Grayson, wool and mohair specialist of the Experiment Station, Texas A. & M. College, was in Kerrville and other parts of the county the first of the week on an educational tour in the interests of the wool and mohair securing plant located at College Station.

According to Mr. Grayson, growers may send selective sample fleeces of wool and mohair, to this securing plant and obtain valuable information for use in building up the standard of their flocks.

In other words, by shipping these fleeces, spring and fall, they may obtain both grade and shrinkage of their wool and mohair.

Several prominent ranchmen were visited by Mr. Grayson, and all were vitally interested in this project. It is hoped that the ranchmen of this section generally will take advantage of this opportunity to find out for themselves just how and to what extent they can improve their flocks.

The only expense to the grower in this project is the shipping charges on the sample fleeces to College Station, as the wool and mohair is sold at the close of the season and the growers are then paid for the samples sent in, according to the grade and quality. The information as to grade and shrinkage is given to the grower immediately after it is graded and secured.

Mr. Grayson is a practical mill man and has had several years experience both in the mills and as a government wool and mohair grader, and with the equipment at hand at the securing plant he is in a position to render some real educational service to the sheep and goat men of Texas.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

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Wonderful as many of Burbank's achievements with vegetable, plant and flower life seem to the layman, the methods by which they were accomplished were not in themselves remarkable. Patience was the chief requisite to his success. Deciding first what he wished to create, remake or improve upon in the vegetable world, he began by carefully selecting robust specimens, allowing them to go to seed, then experimenting with the seeds under widely different conditions of climate, fertilization and nourishment. The product would in turn be submitted to radical changes from its natural elements and the product of this would undergo further experimentation and so the artificial evolution progressed until the final result either met the wizard's requirements or was abandoned as useless.

When experiments with seeds alone were not entirely satisfactorily, grafting upon the seeds or upon fresh young shoots often was employed. It was through a combination of these methods, fortified by his inexhaustable patience, that enabled Burbank to impart delightful odors to naturally illsmelling flowers; to grow gigantic plants from dwarf varieties, and to produce a perfect calla lily only one inch in diameter when full grown. These are but a few of the queer anomalys resulting from the heretofore unheard of liberties he took with nature's vegetation.

Kerr County's New Court House.

Kerr County is not only going to have a new court house add jail, as authorized by the bond issue voted last December, but she is going to finance and build same without outside financial assistance, according to action of the Commissioners' Court in their monthly session held in this city Monday.

When sealed bids for the purchase of the $110,000 bond issue were opened by the Court it was found that there were seven bidders for the issue. After checking the matter over carefully, the Commissioners sold the bonds to the Chas. Schreiner Bank and First State Bank of this city, whose joint bid on the issue was pay with accruing interest.

Two of the seven bids on the issue were higher than that of the local banks, one offering a premium of $20 on the bonds and the other $50. But when it is considered that the sale to an outside concern would necessitate exchange on each bond as it fell due and interest on daily deposits, it is found that the local bonds is the best. To illustrate, if the issue had went to outside investors, it would have taken possibly two months before the bonds would have been approved and the money paid into the county treasury for same, while in the present instance the entire $110,000 was deposited in the county's name early Tuesday morning.

Kerrville is to be congratulated on having banking institutions of such a sound nature that they can advance an issue of this character.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

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Coupe (Balloons)	766.43
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Sedan (Balloons)	868.63
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Charter No. 11814.
Report of Condition of
The First National Bank of Bandera
at Bandera, in the State of Texas, at the close of Business on April 12, 1926

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsements of this bank		$85,294.09
Overdrafts, unsecured		494 11
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc:		800.00
Banking house $5,000; furniture & fixtures $2,389.93		7,389.93
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		6,351 45
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		13,231.68
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	$13,231 68	
Other assets, if any, county warrants		658,35
Total		$114,219.61

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		25,000.00
Undivided profits	$ 612.86	
Reserve for	1,713.41	2,326.27
Less current expense pd.		2,391.00 (RED) 64.73
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve:		
Individual deposits subject to check		26,568.66
State, county or municipal deposits secured by pledge assets of this bank or surety bond		58,642 62
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve	85,211.28	
Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice and postal savings)		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		4,073.06
Total of time deposits subject to reserve	$4,073.06	
Total		$114,219.61

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Bandera
I, A. Meadows, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. MEADOWS, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
E. BUCK
FRANK M. MONTAGUE
W. J. DAVENPORT, SR. Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of April, 1926.
SEAL. J. M. HUNTER, Notary Public.

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Bandera Theater

Friday Night, April 23rd

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The fishing season opens May 1.

Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield is spending this week with friends in San Antonio.

W. D. Smithers, the San Antonio photographer, was the guest of the New Era editor Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Corder and little daughter, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Surber last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Snelling, of San Antonio, were guests of Mrs. Snelling's parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Ike Stevens, last Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Watkins, formerly a teacher in Bandera High School, came up from San Antonio Sunday and spent the day with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, Miss Etta White and Mrs. Thompson were here from San Antonio Friday, guests of Mr. Jones' mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones.

Misses Ernestine and Annie Mae Rohrbach and Nettie Krause, bright young ladies of Pipe Creek, were visitors at the New Era office Monday.

B. H. Stokes, the Medina merchant, and Henry Lewis of the Bandera Independent Telephone System, are spending this week camping on Devil's River, near Del Rio.

A crowd of young folks gave Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart quite a surprise last Thursday night when they went out to the ranch "rousted" the family out of bed and had a most enjoyable dance.

S. O. Durst came over from Junction Sunday on a visit to friends. Mr. Durst who was stationed here for about two years, is now game warden in Kimble county.

Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church, was called to Blanco last Friday to conduct the funeral of Edward Kellum, a young man who died last Thursday.

Mrs. Ruth Haelbig, of San Antonio, is spending awhile with her sister, Mrs. B. J. Gossett, recuperating from a serious operation which she underwent recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rea and two children, of Abernathy, New Mexico, were here several days the past week, guests of Mr. Rea's daughter, Mrs. T. S. Dennis. They were en route to North Carolina on a visit, going through in an automobile.

Mrs. Lawrence Edwards and little son were up from Pipe Creek Monday and brought the New Era some choice lettuce from her garden. Mrs. Edwards says many of the lettuce heads she has raised this spring weighed over a pound, and the crop is abundant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter will go to San Antonio to attend a banquet and entertainment to be given the editors of Southwest Texas by the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce and Fiesta Association Friday evening at the Menger Hotel in that city. A theater party is also included in the invitation to the visiting editors.

ATTENTION.

A savings account if you live; insurance if you die. The Bankers Reserve Life Company. For information communicate with E. J. Banta or Oliff Adams, Medina, Texas. Fletcher & Fletcher, District Managers, San Antonio.

Quite a number of subscriptions to the New Era are expiring this month. Notice the date opposite your name on the margin of your paper and if you are one of the number whose time has expired we kindly ask you to renew promptly.

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WANT COLUMN

Want ads are 1 cent per word each insertion, cash with order.

WANTED—Housekeeper for elderly lady and son.—Mrs. Jacob Reinhard, Kerrville, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY a few good young mittons if priced right.—F. A. Kelley, Medina, Texas.

WANTED—A good Jersey milch cow. Fresh now. Address Jesse Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

SHEEP AND GOATS For Sale—75 high grade nannies and kids; 50 sheep and 28 lambs long wool.—A. B. Vogt, Boerne, Texas.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Commissioner, Preciner No. 4:
J. V. PORTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

O. D. Keese, of Lima, was here Tuesday night.

Mrs. R. A. Chipman spent last week-end with Mrs. Joe G. Callahan at Pipe Creek.

County Court was in session this week. Judge Eames disposed of several probate cases.

Robert Faris and family, who spent last week with relatives here, left Monday for their home at Sanco, Texas.

Mrs. C. Y. Billings has returned from San Antonio where she spent two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. L. L. DeLamure.

No. 677.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK of Bandera

at Bandera, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 12th day of April, 1926, published in the Bandera New Era, a newspaper printed and published at Bandera, State of Texas, on the 22 day of April, 1926.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	$161,126.87
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	14,814.37
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	528.57
Bonds, Stocks, and other securities	3,210.59
Real Estate	1,783.85
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00
Cash on hand	3,216.45
Due from approved reserve agents	23,407.04
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	3,076.96
Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund	4,895.83
Other resources, in transit	6 00
Grand Total	$217,066 53

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$ 20,000.00
Certified Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Other Surplus Funds	1,000.00
Undivided profits net	1,808.17
Individual deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	125,827.53
Individual deposits on which interest is paid or contracted to be paid	447.98
Time Certificates of deposit	24,390.62
Public Funds on deposit	3,592.24
Bills payable	30,000.00
Grand Total	$217,066.53

State of Texas
County of Bandera.

We, J. W. Short, as president, and I. E. Adamietz, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly

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MEDINA.

Mrs. Lula Daniels, of San Antonio and son Melvin Daniels, his wife and two children, visited Mrs. Daniels' sister, Mrs. W. J. Justice, last week.

Will Akin, of Port Arthur, is visiting his brother, J. T. Akin and family, and other relatives.

Judge C. W. Harris has been very sick.

Saturday a number from Medina attended the District Meet at Kerrville. The following are the events that Medina students placed in at the District Meet:

Pole vault—First place, Snyder King.

High jump—First place, Snyder King.

Senior Boy's Declamation—Second place, R. E. Moore.

Junior Girls' Declamation—Third Place, Lorena Lasley.

Last Saturday Rev. F. M. Buckelew made a talk on the street, of Medina his subject being "How and Where found Jesus." It was interesting.

Mrs. J. C. Collins, Jr., has returned from Kerrville. We are glad she was able to come home.

Friday night the P. T. A. gave a picnic in honor of the graduating class.

Council Officers Elected.

Bandera Council Security Benefit Association met and elected officers Monday as follows: J. M. Hunter, president; Howard Eckhart, vice-president; Jeanette Hunter, second vice-president; Roscoe Hayes, financier; Marvin Hunter, Jr., Secretary; Russell Irving, first guard; Forest Irving sentinel; Mrs. J. C. Hamilton, late; Mrs. Frances Ruge, conductress. A public installation of officers will be held at Cox Hall on Saturday night, May 1.

Undergoes Operation.

Miss Helen Rugh was taken to San Antonio Tuesday night for a operation for appendicitis. Her many friends are hopeful that she will soon recover and be restored to health.

"The Thundering Herd."

That great production, "The Thundering Herd," will be shown at the Bandera Theatre tomorrow, Friday, night. Lois Wilson, Jack Holt and Noah Berry appear in this picture, one of the greatest yet made of the Western country. You will be interested from start to finish, so don't miss it. On account of the heavy rains and bad roads between Center Point and Bandera Mr. Hamlyn, the manager of the local theater, could not reach here last Friday night with the film, but will be on hand next Friday night.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. Mack Palmer and children, Miss Zelma and Mr. and Mrs. S. White of Fredericksburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sutton Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Knatcher and daughter, Miss Ona Mae, Wiley Knatcher, E. Cook and Burr Flannigan, of Frechia, visited Mr. Knatcher's sister, Mrs. S. A. Keese, Saturday night. They attended the District Meet at Kerrville and came on over. Mr. and Mrs. Knatcher lived in Bandera County years ago but has lived in Mason county since then.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Pellers and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fellers, of Fredericksburg, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese and children, Clara and Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hinds and children and Frita Hinds, were Kerrville visitors Friday.

O. D. Keese and John Hillman returned to their goat ranch in Comal county Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds and son, Elmer, visited relatives in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Johnson and daughter, Irene and Maggie Lee were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds Saturday night.

T. H. Phillips made a business trip to Bandera Saturday.

The Miners' Club met at Mrs. Val Click's Saturday afternoon and spent a delightful afternoon. Mrs. Click served sandwiches of various kinds and cocoa.

Josie Justice took a truck load of sheep for Ed Hinds to Burnett Saturday. Ed is moving up there.

There will be a school picnic at Honey Creek next Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McHaney and little daughter, of Fredericksburg, spent Sunday with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller returned home with them for a few weeks visit.

Roy, Eugene and Oran Keese attended the District Meet at Kerrville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips and children, Joyce Phillips, and Lucinda Hillman, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Sutherland at Tuff Sunday.

Lucinda Hillman spent Saturday night with Joyce Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hayeraft, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Will Norwood, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norwood and baby, of Tarpley, and Mrs. Eula Bartley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reed Sunday. Mrs. Bartley will spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis visited San Antonio Monday.

BANDERA MOHAIR SELLS AT A FANCY PRICE.

Spring Clip Brings 62c per Pound for Grown Hair and 82c per Pound for Kid Hair.

The spring accumulation of mohair in the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers Association Warehouse, amounting to approximately 100,000 pounds, was shipped out Monday, the accumulation having been sold several weeks ago to C. D. Stiles of Lampasas, representing Winslow & Co. of Boston.

This is probably the best price that has been paid for mohair this season, and for several years. Our gentmen are rejoicing over the handsome deal. The mohair was better in every way this spring, which is encouraging. Due to the fact that most of the goat ranchers have been breeding up their stock during the past several years the quality of the product is rated as among the best markets.

Closely following upon the disposal of the mohair clip will come the spring wool clip, which will amount to more than 150,000 pounds. Sheep shearing is now under way and the wool is being brought to the big warehouse for storage. While indications are that wool prices will be lower this season, is it expected that the quantity and quality of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association is to be congratulated on the splendid sale made.

The Cemetery Association has let the contract for the cleaning and repairing of the cemetery, and the work is now being done.

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

Character, ability and industry have an important bearing on success; so has the prestige accorded by one's bank associations.

Our clients have found our interest in their financial problems of great assistance.

The First State Bank

Preparing for Unveiling

The monument to the Bandera county soldier boys who lost their lives in the World War, will arrive in a few days and will be placed in the public square near the court house. The committee in charge is now arranging for appropriate unveiling ceremonies the exact date of which will be announced later. It is intended to make the ceremonies impressively patriotic, and business firms of the town are requested to decorate their places of business with the national colors. The American Legion Post of Boerne has kindly consented to participate in the ceremonies, and will send a firing squad. Fort Sam Houston will also send representatives, public speakers will also be on hand, and fitting tributes will be paid to our noble boys who made the supreme sacrifice for American ideals and liberty. Quite a number of the business firms of Bandera have purchased large American flags for the occasion.

The Monument Committee has sold nine dozen flags to the different business firms of Bandera, the profit made on the sale of the flags to be used in the purchase of a large flag and pole for the court house square. The Committee will also sell poppies, a few days previous to the unveiling ceremonies, the proceeds of which will go into the general expense fund.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Spring Mohair Nets Over $700,000

The first of this week the last year of the present accumulation of the spring clip of mohair was shipped by the Schreiner Wool & Mohair Commission Company, making a total of 25 cars loaded out of Kerrville since April 1st, between one and two carloads are yet to be shipped, which will be done as soon as same is brought in by the growers.

Including the mohair already shipped and that contracted but not to be brought in, the spring clip in this section of the State amounts to over 1,100,000 pounds. This is the best spring clip this country has ever known, the goats shearing more per head than ever before and all of the fleece of the finest quality.

The Schreiner Wool & Mohair Commission Company has handled this entire 1,100,000 pounds of mohair to J. M. Lea, representing Lea & Company of Boston. At their first sale, early in the last part of March, they obtained 61 cents for the grown and 75 cents for the kid mohair, while the last sale brought 63½ and 80 cents for the kid.

As a result of this mohair industry $700,000 or more will have been turned loose in Kerrville's trade territory, that being the amount the mohair brought.

If the sheep shear out as well as the goats did, the wool accumulated at the warehouse in this city

Your Bank Can Help

Why is it that some individuals and firms can readily obtain money from a bank on unsecured notes while others cannot obtain loans at all—except, perhaps, by pledging ample collateral security?

The people who are able to borrow, save consistently, invest wisely and take their banker into confidence, and thereby quickly establish a credit rating with the bank.

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That highly interesting play, "Those Husbands of Ours," scheduled to be presented at the High School Auditorium by the Parent-Teachers' Association, has been postponed until Saturday night, May 8th. Admission 20c and 35c. The play is one of the most interesting you have ever seen, and will have some very pleasing surprises for those who attend. Following is the cast of characters:

Mrs. Lane—Mrs. J. E. Chisum.
Mrs. Smith—Mrs. Frank Langford.
Mrs. Brown—Mrs. E. Hicks.
Mrs. Shaw—Mrs. L. L. McDonald.
Mrs. White—Mrs. J. H. Erwin.
Mrs. Green—Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.
Mrs. Black—Mrs. Orville Surber.

An outline of the play reveals that ceratin husbands sent their wives away on a vacation, promising to keep everything in good order and to properly behave themselves while there wives were absent. There was much indignation when these good women came home and found everything in disorder, dishes unwashed, beds not made up, and the floor littered with all sorts of trash. Never again will they go off on a vacation trip and leave hubby to take care of things.

Violin solos will be rendered by Miss Jeanette Hunter and Gladia Croisdale, and Miss Selma Grace Mansfield will give a reading, "An Essay on Husbands." This play is being given for the benefit of the school. Don't forget the date, Saturday night, May 8th.

Commencement Exercises.

Preparations are being made for the exercises of Bandera High School, which are to take place next month. The commencement sermon is to be preached at the High School Auditorium on Sunday, May 16th, at 11 a. m., by Rev. R. N. Hicks. The exercises by the Primary and Intermediate department will be held on Tuesday evening, May 18th. The Commencement exercises will take place on Friday evening, May 21. Class address by J. Marvin Hunter. Presentation of business scholarship by L. L. McDonald. Presentation of diplomas by Judge J. A. Eames. The graduates this term are Harold Mansfield, Forrest Irving, Claude Fletcher, Carl Freeman, Evelyn Mansfield, Lora Thallman and Harold Wagner. We understand Miss Fuller will give two recitals in musical program, but we have not learned exact date of these programs.

Mrs. Amanda Gordon.

Mrs. Amanda J. Gordon, a highly respected and esteemed resident of the Rocky Creek community, died last Monday at the home of her son, Allen Gordon, after an illness of several weeks. The funeral was conducted at the Means cemetery on Tuesday by J. E. Browning and F. M. Buckelew. Mrs. Gordon was born February 28, 1866, and spent most of her life in Bandera county. In 1881 she was married to J. T. Hill, and to this union three children were born, two of whom are living, Bud Hill of Rocky Creek, Mrs. Verna Buck, of Port Arthur. Mr. Hill died in July, 1889. In 1891 she was married to R. G. Gordon, and three children were born to this marriage, being Allen Gordon of Rocky Creek, Mrs. Verna Buckelew of Eola, and Mrs. Sam Slaughter of San Antonio. Besides these she leaves her own children to occupy places of usefulness Mrs. Gordon raised three orphan grandchildren. All the children and grandchildren were present at the funeral. One brother and two sisters also survive, being Bud Hough, Mrs. George Barker and Mrs. Chamberlain, all of Bluff. She was a life-long member of the Church of Christ, and faithfully served her Master for nearly daily walk. For her there is a crown of righteousness, the reward of those who love and serve Him. Hers was a Christian character of unusual beauty and perfection. She was a blessing to all the people around her, ministering to the needs of the needy, and sharing in the joys and sorrows of everyone with an understanding sympathy. To the bereaved children we extend condolence.

Our Birthday Today.

Today the New Era enters upon the seventh month of its existence under the present name. The little old home paper is the successor of the old Bandera Enterprise which was established in 1880—forty-six years ago. For almost a half century the old home paper has been carrying its message of good cheer into the homes of Bandera county people, and we hope it will be doing the same thing fifty years hence.

Undergoes An Operation.

Carl Bush, of Laxson's Creek, underwent an operation for appendicitis at a hospital in Kerrville last Sunday morning, and is making good recovery, which will be pleasing news to his many friends, and we hope he will soon be fully restored. He was accompanied to Kerrville by his father, C. W. Bush, Dr. Butler and Arthur Pue.

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No Sherman anti-trust law ever will be invoked to break up a combine of loyal, forward-looking, clear-minded men and women co-operating to put their town on the map and keep it there.

Damage to the Bandera-San Antonio Highway by the floods of last week was slight. The road-bed being washed out in only a few places. The San Geronimo and Helotes Creeks were higher than for forty years. Fields along the route were badly washed in places.

The New Era editor, wife and daughter, Miss Rachel Hunter, and our cousin, Miss Will E. Hunter of San Antonio, attended the banquet given the editors of Southwest Texas at the Menger Hotel in San Antonio last Friday night by the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce and the San Jacinto Fiesta Association. We fully enjoyed the banquet, and had the pleasure of meeting there S. D. Chestnut of the Kenedy Advance, Mr. and Mrs. Bridges of the Seguin Gazette, and Mrs. Merl of the Dilley Herald, H. P. Hornby of the Uvalde Leader-News, Sam Fore of the Floresville Chronicle-Journal, Mr. and Mrs. Tufts of the Lancaster Herald, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Suiter of the Kerrville Mountain Sun, and others of the fourth estate. After the banquet the editors and their wives were guests of the Palace Theater management at a theater party. Fred Henderson, Tom Ethridge, C. C. Wolfe and Ed Kifer of the Chamber of Commerce and Jack Kelly of the Fiesta Association were in charge of the arrangements and made the editors feel that it was good to be there. Only the together has been made an annual event and will take place again during the next Fiesta.

We have been off on a jaunt. If the New Era does not come up to its standard of excellence this week that is one of the reasons. The editor in company with his wife and daughter, Miss Rachel, and MissAbley Stevens went to San Antonio last Friday. That night after the editors' banquet, Rachel and the writer went over to Southton to attend the meeting of the Texas Folk-Lore Society, and we did not get home until Monday afternoon. We had a wonderful time. At each session of day we were guests at luncheon of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Dobie at their delightful home in that city. In the afternoon (Sunday) the Folk-Lore Society held a most interesting session, followed by a subscription supper at the University Cafeteria. After supper a good program was rendered in the University Y. M. C. A. auditorium, at which time Elmo Scott Watenon and Jim Bob Tinsley of Bandera rendered old time fiddling and gave some old time cowboy songs. The hall was packed to its seating capacity, and when several couples appeared on the stage and danced the old time square dances to the music furnished by the Bandera boys, the crowd loudly cheered and all seemed to enjoy the occasion very much. Sunday noon the editor party was the guest of Dean T. U. Taylor of the engineering department of the University at lunch, while Rachel was the guest of Misses Mattie Mae and Ethel Maude Newcomer, two ambitious Medina girls who are attending the University. We enjoyed every minute of the time we spent in Austin, and we hope to go again before a great while.

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The Banditti.

Brownwood Bulletin: "Week-end" robberies and burglaries are becoming quite common and apparently popular diversions in Texas. The fact that in many instances women have been taking prominent part in the week-end parties makes them partake somewhat of the nature of social functions.

The robbers do their robbing in order to live without working and in society of women whose morals are on a par with those of their robber friends. Liquor and ladies are the bandit's main attractions. He likes to pose before his dulcinea as a gent of courage and skill, and he is liberal in dividing with the fair one who for the moment strikes his fancy. But he is nomadic in residence. After one or two jobs in one community he moves on to another, and seldom cares to incumber himself with the charmer whose charms have become too familiar. Usually he has professional friends, and they and their charmers form a sort of social group. That is the life that makes a bandit be a bandit. But it is nearly always his undoing. For the police are wise to the ways of the underworld, and through the lips of a discarded favorite often come words of direction that lead to clues and captures. The bandit doesn't benefit long. He spends a good deal of time in jail, sometimes nursing wounds, always seeing the penitentiary in his dreams. It is a life of hardship, for all his social evenings with birds of his own feather. Many robberies are committed by robbers who simply need money for those who live on them, by blackmail or somehow else, and after one falls easy into the toils of the law he is hardworked thereafter to keep his necessary expenses paid. No robber gets rich, because every haul, large or small, entails unexpected expenses. Gerald Chapman, the bean ideal of all the lesser bandits, had $4,500 left when him last series of trials began. Yet he was the most successful of all the robber tribe. He was in on big hauls, but he died without a dollar and in debt to his lawyers. He was not a smart man, as edged. He was a fool. All bandits are fools. If they weren't fools they wouldn't be bandits.—Dallas News.

Mix a little cooperation with unselfishness, sweeten it with civic pride, throw in a dash of common sense, stir it with leadership, roll it in persistency, flavor it with optimism, bake it with enthusiasm, and the result is community success. Community spirit can make anything happen within the realm of community possibility. It is its own force. Once you get a fellow inoculated with it, you have transformed a passive or potential liability into a civic asset. It is what the University Cafeteria affair supplies per a good program was rendered in the University Y. M. C. A. auditorium, at which time Elmo Scott Newcomer and Jim Bob Tinsley of Bandera rendered old time fiddling and gave some old time cowboy songs. The hall was packed to its seating capacity, and when several couples appeared on the stage and danced the old time square dances to the music furnished by the Bandera boys, the crowd loudly cheered and all seemed to enjoy the occasion very much. Sunday noon the editor party was the guest of Dean T. U. Taylor of the engineering department of the University at lunch, while Rachel was the guest of Misses Mattie Mae and Ethel Maude Newcomer, two ambitious Medina girls who are attending the University. We enjoyed every minute of the time we spent in Austin, and we hope to go again before a great while.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon J. D. Logsdon by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published therein, to-wit: The last issue published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein but if not, then in any newspaper published in the thirty-eighth judicial district but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden in the court house thereof, in Bandera, on the fourth Monday in May, 1926, the same being the 24th day of May, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1926, in a suit, numbered in the docket of said court No. 1006, wherein Treva Logsdon is plaintiff and J. D. Logsdon is defendant, said petition alleging that plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant on or about the 21st day of September, A. D. 1921, at Tulsa, Tulsa County, Okla., that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 15th day of December A. D. 1924, when, by reason of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages of defendant towards plaintiff such as to render their living together insupportable, she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, which they have ever since and have not lived together as husband and wife. That plaintiff during the time she lived and cohabited with defendant has conducted herself with propriety and managed the household affairs of her husband with prudence and economy, and at all times treated her husband with kindness and forbearance. Plaintiff prays that defendant be cited as required by law; for judgment, dissolving the marriage relations, for costs of suit and for other and further relief, special and general in law and in equity.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the County of Bandera, this the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE Dist. Clerk
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy

Issued this 23rd day of April, A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk of District Court of Bandera County.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

Neighborhoods grow into villages, villages into towns, and towns into cities as a result of cooperation, which means people working together for a common purpose. Lower Manhattan, that part of New York City where Wall Street deals its fabulous wealth, was laid out by cows tramping paths across the field. Cooperation has built there the most magnificent skyline of brick and stone and steel that the world affords. In the last five years Miami Beach has jumped from a population of 600 into 40 figures. Circumstances you say, is the answer. But without cooperation riding on the crest of the wave, no community could gather its forces and capital and on its resources in a manner as to multiply at such enormous rates. A few decades ago Los Angeles was a small Mexican pueblo whose principal industry was hides, whose harbor was dreaded by sailors, and whose hills were bald and humming birds created a drowsy atmosphere for any one appointed godless who dared to predict its glorious future. These are but illustrations. Big cities are taken because they afford examples of cooperation in a big way. They were all small once. Cooperation built them all!

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From Range and Field.

Once upon a time a young cowboy of 24 years, with $25,000 in gold stowed away in a money belt around his waist, set out from San Antonio for a horseback ride of more than 100 miles, and he set out believing that a small group of semi-bandits would be patrolling the roads along which he would travel, doing said patroling with the intent of depriving him of his guerdon.

This occurred about April 1, 1873. The ride began at nightfall, and the young rider—lightly built, five-foot, five-inches, 120 pounds—rode out of the small town that San Antonio then was, by a circuitous route, before leading into a byroad leading in the general direction of Fort Mason. He would take the highway to Fort Mason, his destination, for along that road he believed there was danger for him. Possibly there was danger along the byways, also, but the chance had to be taken.

The young man was a cattle buyer, and he was taking the gold to Fort Mason, where now stands the city of Mason. With the gold he was to pay for a string of cattle which had been contracted for in February preceeding, and for which a goodly sum of money had been put up as a forfeit. Since the young man, and a brother operating with him had contacted for the cattle, prices had advanced approximately $10 per head, as the buyers stood to make a splendid profit on the speculation—if the rider ever got to Fort Mason with the money to pay for the cattle.

One half of the money the young man was carrying was borrowed. If that money was not received from his possesion never to return, the lad and his brother were automatically bankrupt. Likewise, they would lose their chance to make the "killing" that was their right on their speculation, by reason of not being able to get possession of the cattle at the contract price and sell them at the market price to which they had ascended. Added to these perils was the fact that the young rider felt quite certain an attempt would be made to rob him enroute, one may perceive that the youth had a task that sat heavily upon him.

The lone cowboy that rode all night to the northwest of San Antonio, guiding his course by the stars and being assisted by moon light to find the unfrequented paths and roads, lived 300 miles north of the Alamo city, and was the son of Jess Jim Palo Pinto county. His name was Willie Slaughter, in later life to accumulate a fine, useful fifth and one half. Col. W. B. Slaughetr of San Antonio, where he now lives. He was born to the cattle ranges, and twice already had driven cattle up the trail to Kansas markets. The brother operating with him was J. B., four years older.

Letters of introduction and bank checks were familiar in those days as now, and you may at this point begin to wonder why this riding through the night with $25,000 in gold. Here is the story. When the Slaughter brothers appeared in the Fort Mason country on a mission for the cattle for which they had contracted two months previously, the sellers of the cattle were soliciting to avoid delivery, for they can would themselves market the cattle for the higher price to which the market had ascended. By evading delivery, the holders of the cattle could sell in the market at a profit of $15,000 on the string of approximately 1,500 cattle. "Why not evade," they said to each other?

The Slaughter brothers had contracted for the cattle at $16 per head, and were the sellers to had put them up to $28. The owners would evade delivery if there was a chance. "Many men have made fortunes by such tactics, and, despite the maxims in the copy books, have lived to ripe old ages and enjoyed good health in the meantime. The young buyers were flushed with success. Had they not played in luck? Was it not a good year? Of course, the price of cattle might drop before the boys got them to the markets to the north, but things looked safe. Accordingly they were jubilant.

"We are ready to receive the cattle," they said. "Let's see the money," said the men who were weeping inwardly at the thought of the $10 the head they might have made by having not contracted their cattle for sale too soon. The Slaughters took the sellers before the lone banker of Fort Mason and showed him a letter of credit on a Dallas bank for $50,000. But the Mason banker had only a few hundreds of cash. "Nothing but cash," said the men who fain would themselves rather pocket the $10 than see it go to others from North Texas. "Boys," the Fort Mason banker, a man named Rauck, advised his neighbors, when he read over the contract written, contract between the Slaughter brothers and the Masonites, "I don't see how you can get out of this contract in this way. If I were you in this bank'er give you paper on San Antonio where you can get the cash." But the obstinate ones refused to budge. "Refused to budge is not an original expression.)

Thereupon followed a parley of the Slaughters and the Mason banker. Then the parties who owned the cattle would ride to San Antonio, get the cash, and return to claim delivery of the cattle. When the young man reached San Antonio he went to a banker who was destined to become an outstanding figure in the financial and philanthropic life of the city for whom one of the city's high schools and its most beautiful famous park were to be named. The banker was the late Col. Geo. W. Brackenridge. The young man presented his letter of credit and explained the situation at Ft. Mason. Col. Brackenridge at once set relief measures in motion. He produced the $50,000 in gold, and directed the youth where to go to make a purchase of the best type of money belt, and personally assisted in placing the gold pieces, of $10 and $20 denominations, in the belt.

Also, Col. Brackenridge directed young Slaughter to the horse markets and to where he could buy a saddle. Then he sat down and gave the young man detailed instructions about the by-roads and trails leading out of San Antonio and across the country in the direction which the young man would travel.

The young man rode into San Antonio from Fort Mason on the stage that ran to and fro between San Antonio and San Angelo in those days, but he rode out of San Antonio on a humpbacked, unpretentious mustang pony that cost him $15, using a dilapidated saddle that cost him $5. And he headed for a certain ranch on the headwaters of the Llano river.

Though the young man expected certain gentlemen to waylay him somewhere on the road for the kindly purpose of depriving him of his gold, he did not expect the waylayers to find him on the highway! As far as he was concerned, the gentlemen of the highway and the roads acquiring coin, might have their vigil along the roadside all night! There was a great lot of territory to cover on the highway, and the young man proposed to traverse that territory! And he did. Still, it may as well be remarked that the youth who fain would relieve him on his weary load—the gold weighed 304 pounds—were men who knew every cow-trail and deer-crossing in the country and might well be supposed to have sense enough to deploy right and left! Those days when a dollar was really worth something, quite a number of fellows might well afford to divide $25,000 among themselves. We shall see.

Meanwhile the brother left at Fort Mason was not occupying a position any too pleasant. For one thing, he heard rumors that certain gentry of the country side planned to hold up the stage on its return with the youngster's money. Also, they would maintain a sort of blockade, to see that the young man did not in any other wise enter town with our first being considerably molested.

The young man carrying the coin had picked a tough and wiry cayuse, and the lack of fine appearance was the thing he lacked immensely. His beard grew while he was coming down in the stage coach, and it grew some on the trail to Kansas markets.

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Meanwhile the brother left at Fort Mason was not occupying a position any too pleasant. For one thing, he heard rumors that certain gentry of the country side planned to hold up the stage on its return with the youngster's money. Also, they would maintain a sort of blockade, to see that the young man did not in any other wise enter town with our first being considerably molested.

The young man carrying the coin had picked a tough and wiry cayuse, and the lack of fine appearance was the thing he lacked immensely. His beard grew while he was coming down in the stage coach, and it grew some on the trail to Kansas markets.

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Ickabarg.

Ickabarg were left several miles to the east as he journeyed through the first night the next rode safely, and at the same time the brother left at Fort Mason slumbered none. He was taking no sort of a chance. At daylight Willie Slaughter rode his horse into a secluded glade, where he staked it out to graze on the luxuriant grass, and then went a hundred yards into a dense thicket where he slept until three p. m. Cautiously he went out, watered his pony at a stream, restaked it, and went back into his thicket for another slumber the night he was not on his way. The brother had slept some that day, too.

The second night—it was moonlight time—the solitary horseman rode as he had the night before, briskly, galloping part time, and "gaiting" along at a lively trot the rest of the time. "That pony had every known gait," said Col. Slaughter recently. About every 15 miles Slaughter dismounted and smoked, before he would mount and allow the pony to graze a bit. This for only 10 minutes or so, and the journey would be resumed.

Meanwhile, at Fort Mason, the brother was not sleeping.

About the fellows whose palms itched to the excess that gold will itch.

Nobody knows exactly. Somewhere along the line, Fort Mason, the stage was met by a couple of men, who asked about the passengers, remarking that they were expecting a friend most any day, now. How many outside by-ways were watched, there is no record.

At 10 o'clock on the morning after the second night out, young Slaughter made the goal safely, and rode into Fort Mason from any expected direction. He had crossed the Llano river eight or 10 miles up from the highway by which he had come, and had come down into the waiting arms of his brother and the banker Rauck, from the northwest. The brother may have been expecting him from that direction, but he had never once looked in that direction. And straightway there was a great fallow, as he saw their schemes fade as the morning mist before the ardent sun.

"What you fellows going to do with all this cash, now that you've got it," queried the banker of the new possessors of the gold. "Going to drive it here with you," they replied. "Not on your life," quoth the banker, "You can't leave that kind of money in my place! I wasn't prepared to keep that much money around here and don't need that much, anyway." When the young duet after scratching their heads into the distance, the new owners of the gold sadly, faced about and brought it back to San Antonio.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S. on Friday night, May 21st, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

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Quite a number of subscriptions to the New Era are expiring this month. Notice the date opposite your name on the slip. If you are one of the number whose time has expired we kindly ask you to renew promptly.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

NOTICE.

and am now prepared to do your work, plumbing work, and manufacturing galvanized tanks. You can phone me at home, or leave orders at Ruge's Garage. Your patronage will be appreciated.—R. E. Blunt.

Mrs. C. H. Mansfield has returned from a visit to relatives in Arizona.

The baseball game played here last Sunday between the Lone Star Ice team of San Antonio and the Bandera Invincibles resulted in victory for Bandera by a score of 14 to 7.

Read Frontier Times.

Bandera Theater

Friday Night, April 30th

"The Thundering Herd"

Also a Two Reel Comedy

Baseball Dance.

The Bandera Baseball Club will give a dance at Cox Hall on Monday night, May 3rd, for the purpose of raising funds with which to purchase uniforms and equipment. You are cordially invited to attend and bring your friends with you, and thus help the boys in their undertaking.

A. Halamuda visited San Antonio, Monday.

Mrs. H. C. S. Barnes has been seriously ill the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thalmann visited San Antonio last Friday.

Col. J. A. Head made a business trip to San Antonio yesterday.

H. A. Palmie was over from Bourne Friday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

R. N. Padgett and son, Jesse, were over from Tarpley Saturday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

H. E. Pickens, of Pipe Creek was in town Friday and dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats at prices lower than San Antonio. New line just received.—Mrs. T. B. Dennis.

Rev. F. M. Buckelew will deliver a talk on the streets of Bandera at 4 o'clock next Saturday afternoon. You are invited to hear him.

Mrs. Chas. Montague and daughters, Mrs. Rose Gardiner and Miss Margaret Montague, accompanied by Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, visited San Antonio Sunday.

Dr. John H. Erwin returned Friday from Dallas where he attended the convention of the State Medical Association. He visited relatives in North Texas while away.

J. W. Hamilton, formerly a citizen of this county, for many years, but now living at Carlsbad, New Mexico, sends in his renewal subscription to the little old home paper.

W. D. Smithers came up from San Antonio Sunday, accompanied by Misses Ruth and Mae Monroe of Fredericksburg, who visited friends in San Antonio a few days last week.

Mrs. Jos. Greer of San Seba, after spending seeral months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Banks at Medina left Thursday for San Antonio and other points on a visit to relatives.

Mike Arnold, of Fort Worth, spent Monday in the city. He informed us that he will leave next week for Kansas City, where he will go into training under Jack Dempsey, and expects to become a pugilist.

There will be no eleven o'clock service at the Methodist church next Sunday morning, as Rev. B. J. Gossett, the pastor, will go to Medina to fill Rev. M. P. Burton's pulpit. Rev. Burton has gone to Abilene to be present at the bedside of his aged father, who is critically ill.

The Parent-Teachers' Association of Tarpley served barbecue supper and gave an entertainment last night. We acknowledge an invitation to attend but were unable to do so. The proceeds of the delightful function will be used to apply on payment for school piano.

Special Mother's Day services at the Methodist church on Sunday, May 9. The program, which is composed of special songs, recitations and music, will begin at 9:30 a. m., followed by a sermon by Rev. B. J. Gossett at 11 o'clock, the subject of which will be "The Christian Home." A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend these services.

Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Beakley of Melvin, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Chester Evans of Brownwood, were guests of the editor's family Sunday night. Dr. Beakley, who is one of the most prominent physicians in West Texas, was on a short vacation. He plans to return here during the summer and spend several days fishing in the Medina.

WANT COLUMN

Want ads are 1 cent per word each insertion, cash with order.

WANTED—Housekeeper for elderly lady and son.—Mrs. Jacob Reinhard, Kerrville, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY a few good young mattons if priced right.—F. A. Kelley, Medina, Texas.

WANTED—A good Jersey milch cow. Fresh now. Address Jesse Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

SHEEP AND GOATS For Sale—75 high grade nannies and kids; 60 sheep and 25 lambs long wool.—A. B. Vogt, Boerne, Texas.

PORTO RICO POTATO PLANTS—Express, 5000, $12.50, Postpaid; 1000, $2.50; 500, $1.60. Thousands, 1000, $1.90; 500, $1.25. Prompt shipment, count and delivery Guaranteed.—C. B. Sewell, Texas Pioneer Plant Shipper, Pearsall, Texas.

FOR SALE—15 colonies pure bred three-banded Italian Honey Bees, all in 10-frame standard hives. Each colony has a young pedigree queen. They are hustlers and very gentle. Will sell part or all.—Leroy Eckhart.

FOR SALE—Complete Delco system for recharging and rebuilding storage batteries, and lighting. See Robert Holt.

FOR SALE—All of my registered Angora nannies, about 75 or 80 head. For one wishing the best I have what you want and priced right.—E. E. Coughran, Tarpley, Texas.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

Ed Welch was in town yesterday and handed the editor a dollar and a half for which he will receive the New Era a year.

Good showers have again fallen throughout this region this week. These splendid rains are coming with regularity and are of benefit to all crops.

Hayden Mansfield, who has been holding a position on a ranch in Edwards county, returned home Saturday and will remain here.

Miss Frankie Munk spent last week-end in San Antonio. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Fred Ehlinger and Miss Hugh Mayfield, who spent Sunday here.

E. E. Coughran and children spent last Sunday in San Antonio with Mrs. Coughran, who is attending the State Teachers' College there.

Messrs. J. M. Ramsey, C. M. Burkhardt, and others of Ramsey's Austin Nursery, will give a demonstration in pecan and walnut budding at Capt. T. P. Beall's place two miles north of Tarpley on Monday, May 3rd. All owners of pecan and walnut groves, or any one who wishes information regarding trees and tree growing are invited to be present and witness the demonstration. The New Era editor acknowledges a cordial invitation to attend.

About a year ago Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blunt were greatly distressed over the disappearance of their son, Parker Blunt, who had been employed for some time in Wendover, Utah, by Grant's shops. All efforts to locate the young man were unavailing. Their letters were returned, and efforts of officers to find him were without result. After many months of waiting and hoping, Mr. Blunt, the father, went in search of the son, and succeeded in locating him, much to the relief of all of the family, for it was feared that he had met with foul play. It seems that the young man had sustained a broken leg and was sent to a hospital. He had written several letters home, but they failed to reach their destination. Later he went to Oregon, and was under the impression that his parents had moved away from Bandera. Finally he telegraphed to relatives at San Antonio, and things got in communication with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Blunt were greatly relieved to learn that he is well and has a good position now in California.

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MEDINA.

A. E. Smith, of San Antonio, visited his father, W. D. Smith, and family one day last week. He also visited other relatives here.

Last Saturday night the Medina school presented a play "The Valley Farm." It was one of the best plays we have ever had here. Everyone seemed to have enjoyed it. A large crowd was present.

Last Sunday B. H. Stokes and family, and H. W. Vowell and family enjoyed a picnic at Honey Creek.

Rev. Gossett and J. Y. Dowdy attended church here Sunday morning. Rev. Gossett preached a splendid sermon, which was enjoyed very much.

Last Saturday night May 15, a program will be rendered on the Methodist church lawn. Refreshments will be sold. Everyone invited to come and have a good time.

J. C. Collins, Sr., has been seriously ill this week.

Oh, Fi Gosh!

"Old woman, I see by the date opposite my name here that our subscription to the little old home paper is due, but as the editor does not need the money right now I will wait awhile to pay it up for another year."

"Now, old man, you'd better not wait any longer. That subscription expired a month ago, and that editor, poor patient soul, needs that dollar and a half. If you don't think he needs it just you go in and offer it to him, and watch the weary look on his countenance disappear and his eyes light up with joy. When you give an editor a dollar and a half it makes him feel like a millionaire. He has worked for you all year, and you should pay him his wages right now."

"All right. I'll do it today." And he did.

"Those Husbands of Ours," at the High School auditorium Saturday night. Auspices P. T. A.

Ready For Campers.

Virgil McCarthy was up from Medina Lake Monday and placed an order with the New Era for some printed cards for his camp which he has known as "Mc's Camp." This popular camp was formerly known as Warren's Camp, and is provided with all conveniences for a delightful retreat, row boats, motor boats, free bait and other things desirable by fishermen. Virgil says fish are biting fine and campers are already coming in for the season.

Lumber Yard for Bandera.

J. R. Wallace, proprietor of the Center Point Lumber Yard, was here last week and made arrangements for the opening of a lumber yard in this city. We understand the new concern will be located just west of the court house, next to Kalka's Mill. Bandera has been without a lumber yard for the past two years, and we are glad we are now to have this needed establishment. Mr. Wallace is well known to our people and his Center Point yard receives a good patronage from this region. Now that he will establish a yard here it means a great convenience to our people and we bespeak for him an increased patronage.

Grand Matron Here.

Mrs. Cuke Stevenson, of Junction, district deputy grand matron Order of the Eastern Star, visited Bandera Chapter, Tuesday night and Thursday evening. A very instructive and interesting meeting was held. Mrs. Stevenson highly complimented the local chapter for efficient work. While in the city she was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Chisum.

"Those Husbands of Ours," at the High School auditorium Saturday night. Auspices P. T. A.

School Pie Nic.

A school pie nic will be given at Lima school house on next Thursday, May 13, at which time there will be arranged a display of school work such as booklets, baskets, notebooks, etc. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

College Entrance Examinations

College entrance examinations are being given at Bandera High School this week. Claude Fletcher and Harold Wagner, two of the students who will graduate this term, are taking the examinations and expect to make several credits.

Miss Laura Mae Thetford, who was principal of Pipe Creek High School, has returned to her home at Tilden, Texas, and writes for the New Era to continue its weekly visits to her there.

Remember the play, "Those Husbands of Ours," at the High School auditorium next Saturday night. Given by the Parent Teachers' Association.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings spent several days in San Antonio this week and while there Mr. Billings had his tonsils removed.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Security Benefit Installs.

The installation of officers of the new Bandera Council, Security Benefit Association, took place at Cox Hall last Saturday night in the presence of a large crowd. Officials and members of the two San Antonio councils, assisted by the degree team of the Harding Council of that city, conducted the installation of the following officers: President, J. M. Hunter; first vice president, Howard Eckhart; second vice president, Lemuete Hunter; financier, Roscoe Hayes; secretary, Marvin Hunter, Jr.; prelate, Miss Sue Carpenter; sentinel, Russell Irving; guard, Forest Irving; conductor, Mrs. Frances Rogers.

The ceremonies were very pretty and impressive, and the drill work added greatly to the ceremonies. After the installation speeches were made by Brothers Martin and Watkins of San Antonio, who stated the benefits of the association. Dancing then followed, the music being furnished by the orchestra of the San Antonio Council.

Forty or fifty brothers and sisters of the order came up from San Antonio to attend the installation of officers and the inauguration of Bandera Council, and heartily appreciate their coming. Bandera council starts off with a membership of about twenty, with several additions in prospect. The charter will be left open for the next thirty days, and all persons between the ages of 16 and 55 years, of good moral character, and in good health, may join as charter members at a nominal fee.

The Security Benefit Association is protective, fraternal, social, and benevolent in its character. Several forms of insurance certificates are written. Rates are very low. The two councils at San Antonio have over six hundred members each, and still increasing.

The time of meeting for the Bandera council will be announced later.

For Commissioner.

Tom J. Anderwald announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. Mr. Anderwald was born and raised in Bandera and is well known to all of our people. He is well qualified to discharge the duties of the office to which he aspires, and promises if elected to serve to the best of his ability, and give due attention to necessary road work in this precinct. He respectfully asks your vote and support in his race.

Entertainment Saturday Night.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will present that highly amusing and laughable play, "Those Husbands of Ours," at the High School auditorium next Saturday night, May 8th. Admission charges 20 cents and 35 cents. If you want to enjoy yourself you will not fail to attend. The new curtain and stage settings will be used in this play. The funds realized will be used for the school.

Art Exhibit.

Quite a number of the students of the Jose Arpa Art School are here from San Antonio for a few days, painting the picturesque scenery hereabouts. Next Sunday, from 1 to 5 o'clock p. m. the paintings of local scenes will be exhibited at Cox Hall, and a cordial invitation is extended to the general public to view them. No admission charge. The students of this well known school are delighted with the wonderful scenery of this section and find many things here to delight the soul of the artist. Our sylvan dells, our flower-bedecked glades, our fern-embowered river banks, our rippling streams, our majestic hills, our stately cypress groves, all combine to provide scenes of enchantment and rustic charm, which, when transferred to canvas by skilful brush, will delight all who have not been so favored as to behold the real objects. We hope these artists will return to us from time to time. During their short stay they have not found all of the beauties which abound in this glorious region.

Chevrolet Agency.

Frank Mansfield informs us that he has signed a contract for a sub agency for the sale of Chevrolet automobiles, his territory including the whole of Bandera county. Josie Justice of Medina, will work with him in selling and demonstrating these popular automobiles. Mr. Mansfield has been local salesman for Chevrolets for the Kuehne Hardware Co. of Boerne for the past year or two, and has sold quite a number of cars to our people.

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The First State Bank

Bill Longley.

Many of our old timers remember the notorious Bill Longley who was hanged at Giddings many years ago. Longley at one time made his headquarters in this county and while here he killed Lew Sawyer on the Dry Fria. A very interesting sketch of Bill Longley and his wild career will appear in the June issue of Frontier Times, to be issued from this office about the 15th of the present month. The June number of this increasingly popular little magazine promises to be of unusual interest, for it will contain several thrilling sketches pertaining to Southwest Texas. If you are not a subscriber to Frontier Times you ought to be.

Mr. ad Mrs. Hal S. Hudspeth came up from San Antonio yesterday and will spend several days here.

Offers Scholarship.

Draughon's Business College has secured a scholarship to be given to the graduate of Bandera High School who is deemed most worthy to receive it for efficient work done during the past term. This is a business scholarship, and the action on the part of Draughon's in making the offer is appreciated by all friends of education.

Read Frontier Times.

Your Bank Can Help

Why is it that some individuals and firms can readily obtain money from a bank on unsecured notes while others cannot obtain loans at all—except, perhaps, by pledging ample collateral security?

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Be assured that banks want to help you if you are worthy

The First National Bank of Bandera

Bandera Wins Again.

The Bandera Invincibles again defeated the Crawford Motor Co. team in a game of baseball played on the local diamond last Sunday. The score was 4 to 11. This is the second time Crawford Motors has lost to Bandera this season.

Special Session.

Austin, Texas, May 4.—An authoritative statement was made Tuesday that Governor Miriam A. Ferguson will call a special session of the Legislature and call it at once if she can be convinced that it can validate the road bonds. This announcement was made by Senator J. Roy Harding of Kaufman after a conference with Governor Ferguson and her husband in the executive offices Tuesday morning.

"The Governor made it plain to me," Senator Hardin said, "that she will call a session if the eminent lawyers find that the Legislature can validate the bonds. She further said that if such a session is called now or after election she had several matters to submit besides the bond validation. One in particular being a supplemental appropriation for the available school fund to increase the per capita apportionment next year to $15. It is well known that finances in sight indicate that $12 per capita is all that can be expected for the public schools for the session of 1926-27 and the Governor is anxious to see the State apportion $15 for each enumerated child. She will be sure to ask the Legislature to do it if a special session is called."

"The Air Mail."

The Paramount picture, "The Air Mail," which shows tomorrow night at the Bandera Theater, is a rapid-fire, up-to-the-minute melodrama based on the United States Government Air Mail Service, the code of which service is, "Nor snow, nor rain, nor wind, nor night, can stay the pilot in his flight."

Irvin Willat, producer of "North of 36" and "Wanderer of the Wasteland," directed the picture, which was adapted to the screen by James Shelley Hamilton from an original story by Byron Morgan, author of all the Wally Reid automobile tales. Warner Baxter, Billie Dove, Mary Brian and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., have featured roles.

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Mrs. Sul Coffee Dead.

Mrs. Sul Coffey died at her home in Hondo Tuesday morning and was buried at Tarpley yesterday, Rev. G. H. Brown day. The score was 4 to 11. This is the second time Crawford Motors has lost to Bandera this season.

Special Session.

Austin, Texas, May 4.—An authoritative statement was made Tuesday that Governor Miriam A. Ferguson will call a special session of the Legislature and call it at once if she can be convinced that it can validate the road bonds. This announcement was made by Senator J. Roy Harding of Kaufman after a conference with Governor Ferguson and her husband in the executive offices Tuesday morning.

"The Governor made it plain to me," Senator Hardin said, "that she will call a session if the eminent lawyers find that the Legislature can validate the bonds. She further said that if such a session is called now or after election she had several matters to submit besides the bond validation. One in particular being a supplemental appropriation for the available school fund to increase the per capita apportionment next year to $15. It is well known that finances in sight indicate that $12 per capita is all that can be expected for the public schools for the session of 1926-27 and the Governor is anxious to see the State apportion $15 for each enumerated child. She will be sure to ask the Legislature to do it if a special session is called."

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Captain John Lane, the veteran fiddler, writes the New Era from Voca that he wants to attend the reunion of the Old Settlers of Bandera county, to be held here July 2nd and 3rd. He says he is now eighty-five years old, but his good right hand can still wield the bow and he can play, "Sherd Jacket," "Buffalo Gals," "Fisher's Hornpipe" "Cottoneyed Joe," and all of the other old time melodies just as well today as he could fifty years ago. Hundreds of people throughout Llano, Mason, Gillespie, Menard, McCulloch, Kimble, and Kerr counties, "swung corners" and danced to old John Lane's fiddling in the early days during their youth. They are old men and women now, and some of them have grandchildren and great grandchildren who will dance to the music of John Lane's fiddle that will come to the Old Settlers' reunion. This old veteran has been fiddling for 70 years. He has seen the frontier wrested from the Indians and the wilderness made to blossom as the rose. He has fiddled for dances in frontier cabins where the floor was of dirt, and for want of room the dancers went to the front yard; he has furnished music for many a frontier wedding, and has played the funeral dirge for many an old frontiersman who had passed on to the happy hunting ground, where there is no traveler returns; he has delighted thousands with his wonderful playing, and when he takes his seat on the old fiddler's platform at our reunion, tunes his beloved old fiddle, and then begins to draw the bow across the strings, old legs, that have been lame and feeble for many years are going to limber up and come to life, and before he will have finished "Uncle Jack Grove" those old fellows who "quit dancing" forty years ago will have their old sweethearts on the floor and will be nimbly capering to the rythm of old John's inspiring music. He does not play the modern jazz stuff, erroneously called music, nor does he know anything about the Charleston, but if you want a jig or a hoe-down, a quilting waltz, a polka, schottische, or the old square dance music, you can bet your last dollar that John Lane can furnish it, and that old fiddle in such a manner that even the most devout old Methodist, Baptist or staid Presbyterian will be tempted to respond to the sensation that awakens in his pedal extremities. And can there be any harm in that?

If you have not secured a copy of the Bandera County Hair catalogue you should send a request to M. E. Whitmarsh, the secretary, and get one immediately. The catalogue gives the list of prizes offered in the different departments, and rules and regulations for exhibitors. Every farmer and stockman should be prepared to exhibit at the fair this year their live stock and farm products. And also the different schools of the county should show their work, and the homeseives should have displays. We believe the forthcoming fair, to be held August 26, 27 and 28, will be the best we have ever had, and if everybody will take an interest the results obtained will be far reaching and most satisfactory.

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At this time last year our farmers and ranchmen were praying for rain. It was dry, very dry, and crops and the range suffered; in fact, most of the crops last year failed for lack of moisture. This spring conditions are just the reverse. We have had an abundance of rain, and even at this writing (Tuesday morning) heavy rains are falling over the country. All crops are growing rank, and the farmer is wondering how he is going to get rid of the weeds that threaten to take his crops. Small grain is heavy, corn is growing rapidly, and the other crops promise a bountiful yield—if the rainfall is not too great. Some have expressed their apprehension that the oat crop will be ruined if the rains keep on coming, as they have during the past month or so. Man has no control over the weather, so we must take it as it comes, and we should be thankful for even a superabundance of rain. It is better to have too much moisture than not enough.

Great preparations are being made for the unveiling of the monument to the heroic Bandera boys who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War. The monument is now ready for delivery, and will be put in place on the court house square as soon as the base has been constructed to receive it. Every citizen should get ready to participate in the unveiling ceremonies, and to aid the committee in every way to make the occasion one of sacred observance. The monument committee has gone to considerable pains to arrange a fitting program. Details of which will be duly announced in the New Era, and should have the full co-operation and assistance of every patriotic, liberty-loving citizens of the county. Those heroic boys died for us—they gave their lives in the awful war for the perpetuation of American principles. Their names should be emblazoned in letters of gold on that simple granite monument which is to be erected to their memory. That monument will stand for years to proclaim to oncoming generations that the mothers and fathers of Bandera county gave their sons, and those sons gave up their lives on the altar of freedom. Shall we forget? We shall not forget.

The New Era strives at all times to give its readers all of the news of the county. We know we often fall short of our aim and purpose. But our intentions are good just the same. You can help us by sending in news at any time. When you have visitors do not hesitate to telephone us about them, or write their names on a slip of paper and send them in.

Already the summer visitors are beginning to pour into this delightful region. During the past week many fishing parties have come to camp along the banks of the beautiful Medina. The rains of the early part of the week has temporarily checked the influx, but with the coming of warm, sunshine days the crowds will increase. It's a treat to spend a few day's outing in the Hill Country.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

Advertising Fans.

The New Era has a line of advertising fans, and will be pleased to submit samples to merchants and business men who use this kind of advertising. Have your fans printed at home and save money.

There's going to be a pie-eating contest at the Old Settlers' reunion. Each contestant will be allowed to eat a whole pie and the fastest eater will get a sack of flour. Men over forty years old will be in the contest. Now, if you think you can eat a pie quicker than anybody else, just notify the editor of the New Era and you will be listed as a contestant. Form your pie-eating will be presided. Let us know your favorite pie, in time to provide the kind you prefer. All pies will be of the same kind, the majority of the contestants making the selection. Now we know of several pie fanciers in this community who ought to get in that contest. Take Joe Chisum and Ed Mansfield for instance. They seem to have a penchant for devouring cherry pies, and when they set teeth into the bulky pastry it seems to suddenly evaporate. There's Dave Seale, up on Rocky Creek, who thinks pumpkin pie should be classed as food for the gods. It's a rare pleasure to witness the enjoyment he gets out of a mince pie held up before his gaze and he is invited to come up and get it, for Seale will scatter everything else and closes in on that pie. As Jack Anderson has already entered the beauty contest, he will be barred from entering the pie contest, but if he sees an array of tempting lemon pies on the rostrum at the reunion he will be sorely tempted to "get out of the word "go" is given. Jack says that if there is anything he likes better than lemon pie it is more lemon pie. Joe Callicott and Gus Reinarz of Pipe Creek are two more pie professors, whose awful war for the perpetuation of American principles. Their names should be emblazoned in letters of gold on that simple granite monument which is to be erected to their memory. That monument will stand for years to proclaim to oncoming generations that the mothers and fathers of Bandera county gave their sons, and those sons gave up their lives on the altar of freedom. Shall we forget? We shall not forget.

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People do not have to go to California or Colorado for picturesque mountain scenery. Bandera county offers just as good as can be found anywhere.

Center Point Depot Safe Looted.

Though it is believed that burglars early Monday morning planned a wholesale looting of the safes of Center Point, 45 miles north of San Antonio, they were forced to flee after robbing the safe in the Southern Pacific Railroad station of $50.

An attempt to force an entrance into the Center Point Mercantile Company was frustrated when the thieves fled at the approach of a night watchman, according to Tom Stacy, detective for the railroad who is investigating the looting of the company safe.

The thieves, it was reported to him, knocked the combination from the strong box to commit the robbery.

He left with Detective Owen Kilday before noon Monday for Center Point in an attempt to obtain finger prints which might lead to the identity of the robbers.—San Antonio Light.

A Cat With Whiskers.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. D. Logsdon by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the thirty-eighth judicial district but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Bandera, on the fourth Monday in May, 1926, the same being the 24th day of May, 1926, then and there to answer the petition filed in said court on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1926, in a suit, numbered in the docket of said court No. 1006, wherein Vera Logsdon is plaintiff and J. D. Logsdon is defendant, said petition alleging that plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant on or about the 21st day of September, A. D. 1924, at Tulsa, Tulsa County, Okla., that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 15th day of December A. D. 1924, when, by reason of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages of defendant towards plaintiff of such a nature as to render their living together insupportable, she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. That plaintiff during the time she lived and cohabited with defendant, conducted herself with propriety and managed the household affairs of her husband with prudence and economy, and at all times treated her husband with kindness and forbearance. Plaintiff prays that defendant be cited as required by law, for judgment, dissolving the marriage relations, for costs of suit and for other and further relief, general and special in law and in equity.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the town of Bandera, this the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE Dist. Clerk
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

Issued this 23rd day of April, A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk of District Court of Bandera County.
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Bells Evening Light.

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A strange new serum imported from Brazil where it has been used by the natives for years, was to the hospital by Colonel Martin L. Crimmins, U. S. A., retired, who read of the boy's plight in The Light and immediately offered the disposal of hospital authorities a quantity of the new serum which is at present very scarce in the United States.

The serum was injected into the boy's spine Friday night after his entire leg had turned black after three days of suffering. Signs of improvement were evident Saturday and the boy is reported recovering.

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Young Fox lives in San Antonio. He went to Alice a few days ago to chop cotton. The rattler bit him above the ankle and three days later Fox's leg was brought to the hospital.

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The anti-ecrotalus serum used in treating the youth was brought to San Antonio from Rio de Janeiro by Colonel Crimmins, who received it from Doctor Raymond Lee Ditmars of the New York Zoological park.

It was part of a supply of 50 ampules secured by Doctor Ditmars from the famous snake farm of Dr. Vidal Brecfi, Sao Paulo, Brazil.

The serum is secured by inoculating a horse with small amounts of rattlesnake venom until it can stand 2000 times the original dose. Blood is then taken from a vein in the neck of the horse and the serum separated from it.

Each ampule contains 60 cubic centimeters of the serum. A dose for an adult is 30 cubic centimeters, and a second and third dose is necessary on successive days to insure against a relapse, Colonel Crimmins stated. —San Antonio Light.

Discourse.

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Our Country.

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By E. W. Cramack of Tennessee—"I am proud to be a champion of such a people. I speak for a state—a state as native south. A land that has known sorrow, a land that has broken the ashen crust and moistened it with tears; a land scarred and riven by the plowshare of war, and billowed with graves of her dead, but a land of legend, a land of song, a land of beloved heroic memories. To that land every drop of my blood, every fiber of my being, every pulsation of my heart is consecrated forever. I was born of her womb, I was nurtured at her breast, and when my last hour shall come, I pray God that I may be pillowed upon her bosom and rocked to sleep within her encircling arms."

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Battle Snake Serum.

Francisco Pena, 12-year-old boy, given up by physicians when brought to the Robert B. Green hospital after suffering three days from a rattlesnake bite, will live.

A strange new serum imported from Brazil, which it has been used by the natives, was brought to the hospital by Colonel Martin L. Crimmins, U. S. A., retired, who read of the boy's plight in The Light and immediately placed at the disposal of hospital authorities a quantity of the new serum which is at present very scarce in the United States.

The serum was injected into the boy's spine Friday night after his entire leg had turned black after three days of suffering. Signs of improvement were evident Saturday and the boy is reported recovering.

The serum was furnished El Paso physicians several weeks ago by Colonel Crimmins and another boy's life was saved.

Young Pena lives in San Antonio. He went to Alice a few days ago to chop cotton. The rattler bit him above the ankle and three days elapsed before he was brought to the hospital.

Colonel Crimmins, knowing of the value of the serum in the advanced stage of poisoning, took the serum to the hospital.

The anti-crotalus serum used in treating the youth was brought to San Antonio last January by Colonel Crimmins, who secured it from Doctor Raymond Lee Ditmars of the New York Zoological park.

It was part of a supply of 50 ampules secured by Doctor Ditmars from the famous snake farm of Dr. Vidal Breffil, Sao Paulo, Brazil.

The serum is secured by inoculating a horse with small amounts of rattlesnake venom until it can stand 2000 times the original dose. Blood is then taken from a vein in the neck of the horse and the serum separated from it.

Each ampule contains 60 cubic centimeters of the serum, enough dose for an adult is 30 cubic centimeters, and a second and third dose is necessary on successive days to insure against a relapse, Colonel Crimmins stated. —San Antonio Light.

Discourse.

Savoy Star: Though it be but an humble cottage, there is nothing like a home of your own. When adversity comes, as it surely will sooner or later, it must be a comfortable feeling to look the world in the face and know that you have a place free from incumbrance and no rent bills due. Why shouldn't every young couple strive early in life to own a home?

There is no such thing as an humble home, if it is occupied by those who own it. John Howard Payne wrote a lovely song about home, observing in the course of sentiment that home is beautiful be it ever so humble. But why should a home be any humbler than its occupants, and, why should the occupants be humble? To be humble means to be lowly, submissive. But who wants to be that way, or have that kind of a home? Humble doesn't mean modest. One can be modest and yet retain a sense of personal worth, but one can't be humble and feel like anything above the worm level. Certainly a shack home may be ugly, ill-conditioned and an insecure castle, but if it suits its owner it isn't humble. The owner, for his part, may be a fair match for his house in outward aspect, but if his self suits himself he is under no obligation to be humble. Arrogance, the antithesis of humbleness, is no more admirable that its antithetic. An arrogant man is an upstart as a rule, and becomes arrogant through practicing a demeanor which he hopes will deceive those whom he contacts as to his true value. Between arrogance and humbleness is restraint, and restraint is the quality that teaches us to modify our importance on one side and unimportance on the other. Restraint is what Mr. Franklin had in mind when he advised one to be neither a borrower nor lender, and what the philosopher felt when he asked Providence to allot him neither poverty nor riches. Still, a home that isn't humble may look like the dickens —Dallas News.

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"The Air Mail."

The Paramount picture, "The Air Mail," which shows tomorrow night at the Bandera Theater, is a rapid-fire, up-to-the-minute melodrama, based on the United States Government Air Mail Service, the code of which service is, "Nor snow, nor rain, nor wind, nor night, can stay the pilot in his flight."

Irvin Willat, producer of "North of 36" and "Wanderer of the Wasteland," directed the picture, which was adapted to the screen by James Shelley Hamilton from an original story by Byron Morgan, author of all the Wally Reid automobile tales. Warner Baxter, Billie Dove, Mary Brian and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., have featured roles.

"The Air Mail" deals with a band of crooks who prey upon government air mailmen, making away with valuable hauls. As the picture opens we see Baxter, as Russ Kane, exhibiting a war medal awarded for heroic conduct in the air service during the World War. He is given a pilot's job and, once outside, passes over the medal to a pal. He had just borrowed it for the occasion. His real purpose in becoming a pilot is to rob the mails.

One day the pilot on the Frisco to Reno run arrives during a terrific storm, almost dead from cold and exposure. He is glad that Russ is to be the man to carry the mail on and lapses into unconsciousness as Kane takes off. He goes through with the mail hat is greeted by his partner-in-crime, Speck, who has news of a big haul.

This sort of thing, however has lost all its old glamor for Kane since he has fallen in love and seen a fellow pilot give his life in the service. He's through But the crooks won't have it. They won't believe he's quitting. They think he is double-crossing them for the girl (Billie Dove) and go after his scalp. There is a battle royal both in the clouds and on terra firma, resulting in the breaking up of the rival bandit gangs and capture of the leaders.

Young Fairbanks furnishes a real thrill in the picture when he leaps from Baxter's lunging plane with the precious mail packet.

George Irving, Guy Oliver, Dick Tucker, Lee Shumay and Lloyd Whitlock are a few of the popular players who appear in the supporting cast of the picture, which shows at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night.

The Jena, Louisiana, Times has the following to say about a former Bandera mother, Mrs. J. A. Hudspeth, who recently celebrated her 82nd birthday:

Mrs. J. A. Hudspeth was the recipient of a surprize birthday party last Saturday on the occasion of her Eighty Second anniversary. The following friends participated in making the day a most pleasant one for the octogenarian, who still enjoys the best of health: Mesdames L. M. Brown, Q. R. Hudson, G. N. Russell, R. W. Stephenson, Amy Price, H. S. Hudspeth and Miss Minnie Hudspeth. Mrs. Hudspeth received many beautiful and useful gifts from her Jena friends, as well as those from Texas, where she formerly resided.

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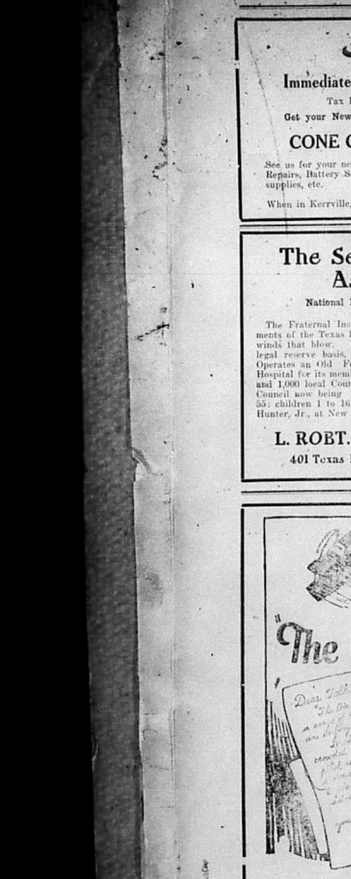

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Friday Night, May 7th

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N. H. Rose and W. D. Smithers, the photographers, were up from San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Closum and children, and G. Walton visited in San Antonio Friday, returning Saturday.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats at prices lower than San Antonio. New line just received.—Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Appropriate candies for Mother's Day at the O. S. T. Confectionery. Don't forget mother next Sunday, May 9th.

Clinton Risinger, who has been in Arizona the past year or so, arrived last Thursday to join his wife and baby who returned from Arizona several months ago.

V. H. Hodges was up from Pipe Creek community Friday and paid us an appreciated visit. He renewed his subscription to the little old home paper for another year.

Captain John Olliff was in from East Verde last Saturday and said the people of his neck o' the woods are mighty well pleased with the successful term of their school, which closed last week.

Frank J. Heinen, who is farming out on Myrtle Creek, was in town Friday and handed us a dollar and a half to keep the little old home paper coming. Says his crop is doing well and he hopes to have a good yield this season.

J. N. Hodges, former citizen of Bandera county, but now a successful merchant of Junction, sends in his renewal subscription to the little old home paper. Mr. Hodges' many friends here hope to see him at the Old Settlers' reunion in July.

Wilson's Creek school, taught by Mrs. A. A. Meadows, closed yesterday with a delightful program and pie sup. Mrs. Meadows has successfully taught this school several terms and her work is highly praised by the school patrons.

Robert Holt has purchased a new Chevrolet truck from the Kuehne Hardware Co. of Boerne, the sale being made by Frank Mansfield, local salesman. Robert is mighty proud of his new truck and will use it in hauling freight to and from San Antonio. He solicits a share of your business.

W. F. Rippy, who moved from this county to near Johnson City a year or two ago, writes us that he has leased a good place just over the line in Hayes county, and requests us to send his New Era to Mr. Sharp in the future. This good man and his excellent family have a host of friends here who wish them prosperity in their new location.

East Verde school closed last Friday. A program had been arranged but owing to the inclemency of the weather it could not be carried out. Bennie Fleenor, who successfully taught the East Verde school, has gone to Midland to spend awhile with homefolks. The patrons of the East Verde school highly praise this young man's work in their community.

Prof. L. L. McDonald took his aged father A. J. McDonald, to Wilson county last Saturday, where he will visit his daughter Mrs. J. R. Cox, near Sutherland Springs. Grandpa McDonald has been a sufferer from asthma for the past several months, and it is hoped by his many friends here that the change of climate will be of permanent benefit to him.

Col. J. A. Head leaves Saturday for an extended visit to relatives and old friends in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Louisiana. He will be absent about two months, and during the time he will visit his sons, Homer Head at Oklahoma, and Herbert Head at Columbus, Kansas, and his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Longford in Mooringsport, La., and as he returns home he will spend awhile with his daughters, Mrs J. E. Holt and Mrs. Eugene Black at Orlando, Texas.

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R. L. MORRIS.

The Medina river was on a six-foot rise Tuesday.

Rev. R. N. Hicks spent last Sunday at Moody, Texas.

Judge W. S. Ethridge is attending court at Leakey this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olliff Adams and infant, of Tuff, were here last Friday, returning from a visit to San Antonio.

"Those Husbands of Ours," at the High School auditorium Saturday night. Auspices P. T. A.

The dance given at Cox Hall Monday night by the Bandera Baseball club, was an enjoyable affair. The dance was given for the purpose of raising funds with which to purchase uniforms and equipment for the baseball club.

Rev. and Mrs. R. N. Hicks and children will leave in a few days for Pittsburg, Texas, to attend a family reunion, after which Mrs. Hicks will go to Spencer, Iowa, to visit her mother. She will be absent about three months.

While leading a milk cow Monday evening Frank Billings became entangled in the rope and was thrown heavily to the ground. He sustained a slight concussion which rendered him unconscious for several hours, but he was not seriously hurt. He was able to be at his place in the drug store Tuesday.

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Bandera Theater

Friday Night, May 7th

NOTICE.

I have returned to Bandera and am now prepared to do your tin work, plumbing work, and manufacturing galvanized tanks. You can come me at home, or leave orders at Ruge's Garage. Your patronage will be appreciated.—R. E. Blunt.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

Quite a number of subscriptions to the New Era are expiring this month. Notice the date opposite your name on the margin of your paper and if you are one of the number whose time has expired we kindly ask you to renew promptly.

Gasoline Engine For Sale.

The New Era has a 7-horse-power Stickney gasoline engine for sale at a bargain. You'll have to hurry if you want it.

"The most valuable thing a man can leave his children is their Mother's time"—

A Life insurance estate accomplishes this purpose, and guarantees the protection of the man when he is old.

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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Clark, Jr., April 11, a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Canute Rodriguez, May 1, a girl.

N. H. Rose and W. D. Smitters, the photographers, were up from San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chisum and children, and G. Walton visited in San Antonio Friday, returning Saturday.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats at prices lower than San Antonio. New line just received.—Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Appropriate "candies" for Mother's Day at the O. S. T. Confectionery. Don't forget mother next Sunday, May 9th.

Clinton Risinger, who has been in Arizona the past year or so, arrived last Thursday to join his wife and baby who returned from Arizona several months ago.

V. B. Hodges was up from Pipe Creek community Friday and paid us an appreciated visit. He renewed his subscription to the old home paper for another year.

Captain John Olliff was in from East Verde last Saturday and called and handed us a dollar and a half to keep the little old home paper coming. Says he is very busy doing well and he hopes to have a good yield this season.

J. N. Hodges, former citizen of Bandera county, but now a successful merchant of Junction, sends in his renewal subscription to the Bandera county paper. Mr. Hodges' many friends here hope to see him at the Old Settlers' reunion in July.

Winn's Creek school, taught by Mrs. A. Meadows, closed yesterday with a delightful program and pic nic. Mrs. Meadows has successfully taught this school several terms and her work is highly praised by the school patrons.

Robert Holt has purchased a new Chevrolet truck from the Kuehne Hardware Co. of Boerne, the sale being made by Frank Mansfield, local salesman. Robert is mighty proud of his new truck and will use it in hauling freight to and from San Antonio. He solicits a share of your business.

W. F. Rippy, who moved from this county to near Johnson City a year or two ago, writes us that he has found a good place just over the line in Hayes county, and requests us to send his New Era to Mt. Sharp in the future. This good man and his excellent family have a host of friends here who wish them prosperity in their new location.

East Verde school closed last Friday. A program had been arranged but owing to the inclemency of the weather had to be carried out. Bennie Fleenor, who successfully taught the East Verde school, has gone to Midland to spend a while with home folks. The patrons of the East Verde school highly praise this young man's work in their community.

Prof L. L. McDonald took his aged father A. J. McDonald, to Wilson county last Saturday, where he will visit his daughter Mrs. J. R. Cox, near Sutherland Springs. Grandpa McDonald has been a sufferer from asthma for the past several months, and it is hoped by his many friends here that the change of climate will be of permanent benefit to him.

Col. J. A. Head leaves Saturday for an extended visit to relatives and old friends in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Louisiana. He will be absent about two months, and during the time he will visit his sons, Homer Head in Perry, Oklahoma, and Herbert Head at Columbus, Kansas, and his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Langford in Morningport, La., and as he returns home he will spend awhile with his daughters, Mrs J. E. Holt and Mrs. Eugene Black at Ganado, Texas.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

WANT COLUMN

Want ads are 1 cent per word each insertion; cash with order.

WANTED—Housekeeper for elderly lady and son.—Mrs. Jeeph Reinhard, Kerrville, Texas.

WANTED TO BUY a few good young muttons if priced right.—F. A. Kelley, Medina, Texas.

WANTED—A good Jersey milch cow. Fresh now. Address Jesse Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

PORTO RICO POTATO PLANTS —Express, 5000, $12.50, Postpaid; 1000, $2.50; 500, $1.60. Tomatoes, 1000, $1.90; 500, $1.25. Prompt shipment, count and delivery Guaranteed.—C. B. Sewell, Texas Pioneer Plant Shipper, Pearsall, Texas.

FOR SALE—15 colonies pure bred three-banded Italian Honey Bees, all in 10-frame standard hives. Each colony has a young pedigree queen. They are hustlers and very gentle. Will sell part or all.—Leroy Eckhart.

FOR SALE—Complete Delco system for recharging and rebuilding storage batteries, and lighting. See Robert Holt.

FOR SALE—All of my register. ed Angora nannies, about 75 or so head. For one wishing the best I have what you want and reasonable.—E. E. Coughran Tarpley, Texas. 2tp

FOR SALE CHEAP—American Milk Separator, in first class condition. Inquire at B. F. Langford & Son's Hardware Store.

MILK COOLERS, hand made, at Mrs. George A. Medina, and J. F. Tait's shop in Bandera. Come and see them. 4tp

FOR SALE—Fifty White Leghorn year-old pullets, good layers. Fertile strain. Price $1.00 each. Will sell altogether or separately. Also 75 Rhode Island baby chicks, eight weeks old. Pure-bred. Price $20.00 per hundred. Be lot it taken at once. Apply to Mrs. R. N. Hicks, at the Baptist parsonage.

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TOM J. ANDERWALD.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

The Medina river was on a six-foot rise Tuesday.

Rev. R. N. Hicks spent last Sunday at Moody, Texas.

Judge W. S. Ethridge is attending court at Leakey this week

Mr. and Mrs. Olliff Adams and infant, of Tuff, were here last Friday, returning from a visit to San Antonio.

"Those Husbands of Ours," at the High School auditorium Saturday night. Auspices P. T. A.

The dance given at Cox Hall Monday night by the Bandera Baseball club, was an enjoyable affair. A nice dance was given for the purpose of raising funds with which to purchase uniforms and equipment for the baseball club.

Rev. and Mrs. R. N. Hicks and children will leave in a few days for Pittsburg, Texas, to attend a family reunion, after which Mrs. Hicks will go to Spencer, Iowa, to visit her mother. She will be absent about three months.

While leading a milk cow Monday evening Frank Billings became entangled in the rope and was thrown heavily to the ground. He sustained a slight concussion which rendered him unconscious for several hours, but he was not seriously hurt. He was able to be at his place in the drug store Tuesday.

"The Life of John Wesley Hardin," reprinted from the original. Price $1.00, postpaid. Address Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

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or other poultry insects? Feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE to your chickens and insure hen houses thoroughly with MARTIN'S ROOST PAINT to kill and keep away insects. Ask Billings & Son.

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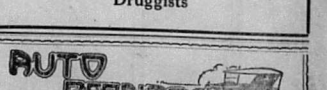

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MEDINA.

Miss Beulah Smith has gone to Winter Point to attend Conference. She will return home Friday.

Mrs. J. H. Autrey and daughter, Miss Jewell and Mrs. Robert Brown and family have gone to Gonzales to visit relatives and friends.

Friday night a pic nic was enjoyed at the West Prong bridge. Those present were Misses Florence, Margaret and Armintie Pries, Susie, Adelle and Leta Davis, Fern Banta and Velma Wyatt. Sandwiches and ice tea were served.

Miss Ruth Parson spent the week-end with Miss Mary McMahon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hatfield and son, Marvin, Mrs. M. D. Kelley and Miss Velma Wyatt went to San Antonio to the Primitive Baptist Meeting Sunday. A nice dinner was served at the San Pedro Park.

Mrs. Mabel Lackey spent the week-end with Mrs. Mae Pass of Kerrville.

The P. T. A. will meet at the school house Friday at 3 p. m. All members are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adams and son, Henry Marvin, made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Olliff and Jesse Adams have gone to the Llano on a fishing trip.

Will C. Baker Very Low.

Will C. Baker, of Bluff, under went a second operation at a hospital in San Antonio, and is reported to be very low. His many friends are hopeful that Mr. Baker will soon be restored and on the road to recovery.

Awarded Scholarships.

The following graduates of Bandera High School have been awarded business scholarships in Draughon's Business College, Texas Commercial College and the Alamo City Business College at San Antonio respectively: Harold Wagner, Carl Freeman and Harold Mansfield. We understand each of these young men will attend the college in which they were awarded the scholarship.

Mrs L. L. DeLamure and infant are here from San Antonio, spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y Billings

Miss Helen Bock, of Yorktown, sends in her renewal subscription to the New Era. Miss Bock often visited Bandera and has many friends here who are always glad to see her when she comes.

PIPE CREEK.

Mrs. H. O. McRae of Hurley, New Mexico, and Mrs. May McRae of Tucumcari, New Mexico, are here on an extended visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards.

Mrs. Margaret Hoffman, of San Antonio, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards Saturday night and Sunday, coming up to be with her friends, Mesdames H. O. and May McRae during their visit here.

Alfred Reinarz is building a large barn on his premises to take care of the bumper oat crop he is going to harvest this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Downum and children, of Sayers, Texas, visited Mrs. Downum's sister, Mrs. Elmer Edwards Saturday night and Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs C. A. Duke and children of San Antonio.

An enjoyable dance was given Saturday night at the home of William Schneider on the Webster ranch.

Play at Auditorium.

The play presented at the High School Auditorium last Saturday night by the Parent-Teachers' Association, was one of the most laughable and amusing plays given for some time. The title of the play was "Those Husbands of Ours," and the way "those husbands" were handled, verbally, was a caution. Appearing in the cast were Mrs. John H. Erwin, Mrs Frank Langford, Mrs E. Hicks, Mrs. J. E. Chisum, Mrs A. L. Mansfield Mrs L. L. McDonald, and Mrs Orville Surber. The proceeds of the play will be used for the benefit of the school.

Dance May 19th and 22nd.

James Cox announces dances at Cox Hall for next Wednesday night, May 19th, and for Saturday night May 22nd. The first will be for the visiting troops who are expected to be encamped here just before the sham battle, and the Saturday night dance is for the Bandera baseball club.

District court convenes in Bandera on Monday, May 24th.

Lon Elam has purchased a new Chevrolet touring car from Frank Mansfield, the local salesman.

Miss Jennie Powell, of Center Point, was the guest of Judge and Mrs. Eames several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Paris left yesterday for Sanco, Coke county, where Mr. Paris has accepted a position on a ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Larnie, of San Antonio, are spending a few days with friends here and fishing on the Medina river.

Military Band for Unveiling

Dr. John H. Erwin went to San Antonio Monday, and while there he called on General Malone, commanding officer at Fort Sam Houston, and received the assurance that one of the military bands of the fort will be sent to Bandera to participate in the ceremonies at the unveiling of the monument to the Bandera county boys who gave their lives in the World War. An army chaplain will also be sent from Fort Sam Houston.

Plans are going steadily forward for the placing of the monument on our court house square the latter part of this week or the early part of next week. The beautiful granite monument is expected to arrive this week. It has been decided to hold the unveiling ceremonies on Sunday, May 23rd, and the committee will meet this week to complete the program. Every member of the committee is urged to attend the meeting, as steps will be taken to complete all of the arrangements in regard to the ceremonies which will be of patriotic and sacred nature. Boerne Post of the American Legion will send a firing squad and delegation, and the Boerne Boy Scouts will come in a body to practice in the ceremonies. Hon. Brian Montague, of Del Rio, will deliver the unveiling address, and there will probably be other speakers of note. A parade will also probably be arranged, headed by the military band from Fort Sam Houston, and in this parade will march the school children of Bandera county, as well as all patriotic citizens.

All ex-service men in this or any other county are invited to participate in the ceremonies, in their uniforms or without.

It is hoped that all of the business houses will be decorated in the national colors for the occasion. The red, white and blue bunting can be purchased in any quantity at M. Boyle's store, if order is placed in time. Don't wait until the last moment to decorate your residence or your dwelling. Let's make this the greatest event that has ever taken place in Bandera.

Old Citizen Dies.

John Turner, aged 64 years, died at his home at Tarpley last Sunday and was buried in the Dial cemetery on Monday, the funeral being conducted by Captain T. P. Grant. Deceased had resided in the county about thirty-five years, and was a quiet, peaceable, citizen. He is survived by his wife, who has the sympathy of all in this time of great sorrow.

Auto Collision.

A Chevrolet car driven by Miss Ruth Whitley and a Ford coupe driven by Mrs. Frances Ruge collided at the First State Bank corner last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Ruge's coupe was overturned and pretty badly damaged, and she sustained painful bruises, but we trust not of a serious nature.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elam and son, Clyde, were here from West Prong Monday.

Bandera Loses McDonald.

Prof. L. L McDonald, who has been superintendent of Bandera High School the past two terms, has accepted a similar position in the Christine High School for next term Mrs. McDonald, who has been a teacher of primary grades, is also given a similar position n the Christine school. Before coming to Bandera Mr. and Mrs. McDonald taught for five or six years in the High School at Christine, and when they leave Bandera it will be to them like going back home to return to Christine. We very much regret to lose them, not only from our social circles as well. They are excellent people, and during their residence here have endeared themselves to all of us. We know our school has been greatly improved under Prof. McDonald's efficient management, and the results of his painstaking efforts to advance the interests of the school are apparent on every hand. We understand that the Christine positions for Mr. and Mrs. McDonald pays about $600 more salary than our school pays them, which, as well as going back to where environments will be just as congenial, is inducement enough to draw them away from us.

Collar Bone Broken.

Mrs. Edgar Deskin is suffering from injuries received Sunday evening when she stepped from an automobile which was backing down hill. She was thrown heavily to the ground and besides receiving painful bruises her collar bone was also broken.

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

Character, ability and industry have an important bearing on success; so has the prestige accorded by one's bank associations.

Our clients have found our interest in their financial problems of great assistance.

The First State Bank

Married.

News has just reached us of the marriage of Miss Irene Bock, daughter of Mrs. Biddie Grubert, which occurred in Kerrville a few days ago, Judge Wallace officiating. The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bock, of Bluff, and is highly esteemed and loved by everyone. The groom is an industrious young man and well liked by all who know him. The young couple will reside in Kerrville where Mr. Grubert has a position. The New Era extends congratulations and best wishes.

Epworth League.

A very interesting program will be given by the Epworth League at the Methodist church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all young people to attend. The subject will be, "How to Run in Life's Race."

Your Bank Can Help.

Why is it that some individuals and firms can readily obtain money from a bank on unsecured notes while others cannot obtain loans at all—except, perhaps, by pledging ample collateral security?

The people who are able to borrow, save consistently, invest wisely and take their banker into confidence, and thereby quickly establish a credit rating with the bank.

Be assured that banks want to help you if you are worthy

The First National Bank of Bandera

WINAN'S CREEK.

Miss Grace Duke, who taught at Hunt, is spending her vacation at home.

Mrs. Minor Wilkes, who spent the past three months with her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Moravietz, left last week to join her husband in Fort Worth.

J. B. McNaughton spent the week-end with his mother in San Marcos.

J. H. Surber is repainting and otherwise repairing his home preparatory to moving back at the close of school in Bandera.

"Changing Husbands."

That's the title of the picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow (Friday) night. This is a good picture and you will enjoy it. Raymond Griffith and Leatrice Joyce are the stars. A good two-reel comedy will also be shown. You'll get your money's worth, don't miss it.

Bandera Wins Again.

In the baseball game play here last Sunday between Bandera and Camp Normoyle, the Bandera Invincibles waltzed off to victory by a score of 9 to 5.

Hail Does Damage.

Considerable damage was done by a hail storm, which struck a section of the Mason Creek community last Tuesday night. Crops belonging to Ewell Wyatt, Dale Dean, H. E. Banks and others were partially destroyed. The hail covered only a narrow strip of territory, but wrought havoc it its course.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague are visiting his brother, Joe B. Montague at Fort Stockton this week and attending the annual meeting of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Backhaus, of Pipe Creek, were visitors at the New Era sanctum Friday. While here Mrs. Backhaus renewed the News Era subscription of her father-in-law, Mr. Mc Backhaus.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Paris and children were down from Medina to attend the funeral and paid this office an appreciated visit. Mr. Paris reports some hail at his place Tuesday night which damaged his corn to some extent.

Rev. I. V Garison and family arrived from Pecos City the first of the week on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Garison, near Medina. Rev Garison in company with Rev R. N. Hicks, has gone to Houston to attend the Southern Baptist Convention, which is in session there.

The Art Exhibit.

The exhibition of pictures of local scenes, painted by the students of the Joe Arpa School of Art, from 1 to 5 o'clock last Sunday at the Wright Hall, was viewed by several hundred people, many coming in from Medina, Tarpley, Pipe Creek, and other sections of the county. Delicious punch was served to the exhibition visitors. Quite an array of paintings, including a number of portraits, painted since the students came here the first of last week, were arranged for exhibition, and it was a rare treat to Bandera people to spend the afternoon in viewing them. Among those of the Art School who are here, and whose work was exhibited, are Senor Joe Arpa, head of the school, of Spain; Senor Quinn Scobee and Gonzalez, instructor of drawing, also of Spain; Mrs. Clara C. Pantoust, Mrs. Clifton H. Tupper, Mrs. Clara Gordon, Mrs. Thomas H. Petty, Miss Doris Wofford, Mrs. Camille Neighbors, Mrs. Florence Coleman, Mrs. L. M. Lamar, Mrs. W. D. Walker, Miss Nell Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sterne, Mrs. Colin Mrs. J. T. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McFadden, Mr. and Mrs. T. M West, Mrs. Hill, Carl Hoppe, John Enser, Gilbert Newman, John Philippine, Miss Rose Horpham, all of San Antonio; Mrs. Sam Crowther of San Angelo; Mrs. A. J. Bell, Miss Emily Langham, Mrs. F. B. West, and Mrs. Virgie Lowenstein, all of Houston; Miss Mary Hornby of Uvalde; Mrs. R. K. Nixon and Mrs. T. H. Nixon of Charlotte; and Mrs. Embree of El Paso. And we must not forget to mention, "Goofie," the mascot.

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During the past two weeks Bandera has been in a buzz of activity. Our town is entertaining the Jose Arpa art students from San Antonio, who are here on their annual out-door painting expedition. Thirty-five or forty of these artists are painting the beauties of our favored region, and are simply delighted with the wonderful scenery that abounds here. Bandera extends the glad hand of welcome to each and every one of them, and we trust their two weeks stay has been made pleasant. Our people have opened wide the doors of their homes to the visitors, they have participated in our social activities, and we believe every one of them has been made to feel perfectly at home. This is as it should be. When they leave Bandera they will carry with them the most kindly feelings for us, and will return whenever opportunity offers.

The great sham battle is to take place at Bandera Pass next week, the exact date of which we understand is to be on Friday, May 21st, beginning at 2 o'clock in the morning. Six thousand troops from Fort Sam Houston will be engaged in the battle, three thousand to be encamped at Camp Verde, and three thousand to come to Bandera from Boerne and encamp on the Loop here on the 20th. Machine guns, artillery, infantry, cavalry and airplanes will participate in the battle, which will be conducted just as if it was a real battle during a war campaign.

Bandera High School closes next week. This has been a most successful term, and patrons and friends of the school are well pleased with the advancement made. The teachers have done their duty, and the pupils have worked hard to make their grades, and performed efficient work. There has been less friction in our school, and more interest manifested than for many years. The eleventh grade work was given this year, and inasmuch as those who graduated from the tenth grade last year are the graduates from the eleventh this year, with the exception of one student, Harold Wagner, it was decided by the class to have only simple commencement exercises, which take place on Friday night, May 21st at the High School auditorium. No printed invitations will be sent out, but the public generally is invited to attend the commencement exercises. The graduates are Claude Fletcher, Harold Wagner, Harold Mansfield, Carl Freeman, Forest Irving, Miss Lora Thallman and Miss Evelyn Mansfield. All of these young people were in the 1925 class, graduating from the tenth grade, except Harold Wagner, who did not attend school here last year.

The unveiling of the monument to our Bandera county boys who lost their lives in the World War will take place on Sunday May 23rd, on the court house square. Hon. Brady Montague, a Bandera county raised boy, and a World War veteran, has been selected to make the unveiling address. An appropriate patriotic program is being arranged, details of which will be announced in due time.

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Ed Mansfield says he is going to get right in the middle of the pie-eating contest at the Old Settlers' Reunion. John Ross says he would be glad to enter the contest, but fears he will be handicapped by whiskers. George Dickson, the Tarpley postmaster, who holds a record for eating chocolate pies, is ready to enter, and after the main contest is over he is going to challenge Joe Callahan to a private pie-eating contest, the pies of course to be built of chicken and plenty of it. Reports reaching this office are to the effect that every old timer up on West Prong is determined to enter the contest and headed by George Elam and Eli Loyd, the delegation proposes to show the crowd that Bandera has not the only real pie-eaters in the country. We have decided to allow as many as twelve old timers to get in the game, instead of four as was announced last week. But we'll have to draw the limit, or the Old Settlers' Association will go bankrupt in trying to supply pies for the gourmands.

Another feature on the program for the Old Settlers' Reunion, to be held at Bandera July 2nd and 3rd, will be an apple-eating contest for young men and a milk-sucking contest for young ladies, ages between 16 and 25. An apple will be suspended by a string, the boys' hands will be tied behind their back, and they will have to eat the apple without breaking the string. In the milk-sucking contest a bottle of milk with a nipple will be given each girl and the one who sucks the milk out of the bottle in the quickest time will be given a prize. Other contests will be provided too, for the entertainment of the crowds.

The Sham Battle.

A telegram to Sergeant W. F. Byrne, care of the Chamber of Commerce from 1st Lieutenant John B. Hess, Fort Sam Houston, states that the Battle of Bandera Pass, (1926 version) will start Friday May 21st at two o'clock in the morning. Many Kerrville citizens are eagerly looking forward to this opportunity of seeing our soldiers in action under simulated war time conditions. Doubtless many will prepare for the coming of this event just as carefully and greet it just as enthusiastically as the fishermen did the first day of the open season. Numbers of The Hill Country citizenry will be afforded their first, and possibly their only opportunity to behold a sham battle on such a large scale. We predict that this battle will be a revelation to some and a disappointment to others. Some will behold it as through a glass, darkly, not being able to interpret any of the movements. Just like the young lady who went to the baseball game and said it was unreasonable in the umpire to call that a foul ball when she could see that it was perfectly new and had never even touched the ground. But even though unable to appreciate the finer military points of the game, it will doubtless be a spectacle worth while to all. The movement of troops will l begin from San Antonio May 16th. They will leave Camp Stanley on the camp at Boerne that night, morning of May 17th and will After the strenuous day of the battle at Bandera Pass they will march to Kerrville, and it is expected that they will reach here Saturday afternoon, May 22nd.—Kerrville Hill View Times.

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R. E. Willis was on the sick list for a week, but is able to be up now.

Mrs. Fabian Hicks is now at home, and much improved since a two weeks stay in the hospital in Hondo.

Miss Stella Mae Willis is home for a few days. She has just finished her school on Mason Creek, and will soon go to San Marcos for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Burns, of Utopia, were guests of Dick Burns, of Hondo.

L. Hicks and little daughter, Dorothy, made a flying trip to Kerrville and Comfort Friday.

The Parent-Teachers Association gave a splendid program at the school last week. They played to a full house, and have been asked to repeat the program or have another this summer. A large number of guests came from Hondo.

Tom P. Grant entertained a large crowd at a pecan budding and grafting demonstration. He had as his guest Mr. Ramey, Nursery of Austin, who worked faithfully all day, teaching the men, women and children. This pecan demonstration, we are sure, has been of great benefit to our community, opening the eyes of the people to the possibilities of pecan culture. Several hundred lunch were served to the guests. We were invited to a barbecue dinner, but Captain and Mrs. Grant spoiled the things by halves. It was a banquet in the biggest sense of the word.

Mother's day was observed with an appropriate program at the Methodist church Sunday. Mrs. Annie E. Brown, in her eighty-ninth year, being the oldest mother present.

John Ryle is collecting funds with which to lay a concrete slab across Williams Creek at the Padgett Crossing. This crossing is impassible in rainy seasons and Mr. Ryle is certainly to be commended for trying to better conditions. He is making a good start as road overseer.

We are waiting with interest the unveiling of our "Heroes' Monument." We should appreciate the efforts of our editor in having this done. We know it would help keep easy, yet a nation who would its heroes forget, is a nation without a future."

Reporter.

Application for Order.

In re Estate of Rhea Mansfield et al Minors

In the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

Notice is hereby given that I Minnie Mansfield, guardian of the estates of Rhea Mansfield, Robert Lee Mansfield, and Coy Herman Mansfield, Minors, have this day filed my application in the above titled, and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of the estates of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as court may order, said direct on the below described realestate belonging to the estates of said wards to-wit:

All of the survey No. 106 in the name of Jose Angel Chirino Survey in Bandera County, Texas, being the same land conveyed to C. H. Mansfield by C. C. Auld, Feb 21st, 1903, by deed recorded in volume R page 100 deed records of Bandera County, Texas.

The above application will be heard by the County Judge at the court house in the town of Bandera, Texas on the 15th day of May, 1926.

MINNIE MANSFIELD,
Guardian of the estates of Rhea Mansfield, Robert Lee Mansfield, and Coy Herman Mansfield.

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My three pastures (formerly J. H. Dean pasture) are posted against hunting with dogs or firearms, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein.—ELDEN FRIES. 1yrp

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. D. Logsdon by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the thirty-eighth judicial district but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Bandera, on the fourth Monday in May, 1926, the same being the 24th day of May, 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1926, in a suit, numbered in the docket of said court No. 1086, wherein Treva Logsdon is plaintiff and J. D. Logsdon is defendant, said petition alleging that plaintiff was duly married to defendant on or about the 21st day of September, A. D. 1924, at Tulsa, Tulsa County, Okla., that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 15th day of December, A. D. 1924, when, by reason of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages of defendant towards plaintiff of such a nature as to render their living together insupportable, was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. That plaintiff during the time she lived and cohabited with defendant, conducted herself with propriety and managed the household affairs of her husband with prudence and economy, and at all times treated her husband with kindness and forbearance. Plaintiff prays that defendant be cited as required by law, for judgment, dissolving the marriage relations, for costs of suit and for other and further relief, special and general in law and in equity.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the Town of Bandera, this the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE Dist. Clerk.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

Issued this 23rd day of April, A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk of District Court of Bandera County.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy.

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To Treat Rattlesnake Bite.

Col. M. L. Crimmins, of Fort Sam Houston, writes us a very interesting letter in which he tells how to treat rattlesnake bites. Col. Crimmins says the New York Zoological Park gets only fifty ampules of anti-crotalus serum each year from Brazil for the entire United States, and everybody should be familiar with the first aid treatment, which is most effective when used without delay. He says:

"If we could get our school teachers to instruct their pupils in first aid and have the things necessary kept on hand at every school, we could surely save much suffering and some lives. All they would need would be one grain of potassium permanganate, a soda pop bottle of water, six ounces, a section of an old inner tube one inch wide, and a clean safety razor blade. One grain of potassium permanganate to six ounces makes about 1 in 3000, the proper strength of the solution. As this solution does not keep long it is best to make it as used. The one grain tablet could be imbedded in the top of the cork of the bottle of water and sealed with wax or court plaster, and these instructions should be printed about the bottle, and a stout rubber band around the bottle also. When this treatment has been given right away no symptoms as a result of the bite developed, as the poison was destroyed before it was absorbed. And delay is followed by painful symptoms and a long delay, say of over two hours, may result in death, if bitten when the poison may be rapidly absorbed. The system can eliminate the poison if it is absorbed slowly. It is eliminated through the kidneys and a diuretic should be used and large quantities of water taken with some saline purgative. The patient should be given as much rest as possible, as worry or excitement is especially dangerous at this time. I hope you will have some of the first aid at your office and that others will follow suit. To forewarned is to be forearmed, and by giving this matter publicity you will be doing a great benefit to humanity."

Colonel Crimmins, who has traveled extensively over West Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, and California, engaged in archeological research work, has devoted much time to the study of snakes and their venom, and has interested himself in securing anti-crotalus serum from Brazil for use of Brazil, mention of which was made in the New Era last week. He gives the following instructions for first aid treatment:

"Immediately after the bite, tie a tourniquet—a piece of rubber inner tube makes the best possible tourniquet—about the limb, between the bite and the heart, to prevent the poison being carried by the veins of the system. At the end of twenty minutes release the tourniquet for two seconds and then tighten it again for twenty minutes and if no bad symptoms develop take the tourniquet off.

"Make a cross cut incision over the bite, about a third of an inch deep or as deep as the bite and about an inch each way. The flow of the blood will wash out some of the poison and keep it from being absorbed. Apply a solution of potassium permanganate, 1 to 3000, and wash the bite with it. This oxidizes the poison. If a hypodermic syringe is available inject the potassium permanganate solution into the flesh about an inch from the bite, and have the needle shoved toward the wound so the solution exudes through the bite and washes it out. Remove any loose fang that may be left in the bite. Go to the nearest doctor, as heart stimulants or other treatments may be needed."

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Mrs. W. B. Cowley, of Pearsall, spent this week in Bandera.

Eli Mansfield and son, Frank, made a business trip to Boerne last Friday.

Col. Upton Lorentz and Miss Mimi Meerz were here from Medina Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hicks were here from Tarpley last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Mrs. Birkhead and Miss Morrow came over from Utley Sunday to see the art exhibit.

L. S. Schott, a good citizen of the San Geronimo region, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. A. V. Pue, who underwent a serious operation at Kerrville yesterday, is reported to be resting well this morning.

R. L. Watkins and N. E. Mansfield, of San Antonio, came up Saturday in the interest of the Security Benefit Association.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Trimmed Hats at prices lower than San Antonio. New line just received.—Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Mrs. Edwin Dahse and twin girls, and Miss Clara Mansfield, are here from Austin to visit their parents, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

Ross Briggs, who is attending the University of Texas, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Briggs, near Medina.

Joe Villemain, accompanied by his pretty daughter, Miss Elsie, and Arthur Pickens, were up from Pipe Creek last Friday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Marvin Thalmann is spending this week in Camp Wood and Uvalde, where he is superintending the printing of the catalogue for the United Goat and Sheep Breeders Association.

P. W. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker, and Mrs. J. F. Browning were here from Medina last Sunday to see the exhibition of Bandera scenes painted by the students of the Jose Arpa School of Art.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H Bruce and daughter, Miss Minnie, spent Tuesday in San Antonio. They went to take Emil Price, who was called there by the death of his mother, which occurred Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Batts have received word from their daughter, Miss Leona, who is attending the Incarnate Word College in San Antonio that that institution won the city championship in basket ball on April 27.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Pue and Miss Annie de Montel went to Jourdanton last Thursday, returning Sunday. While there they visited Frank de Montel, who has a position with the Jourdanton Electric Light & Power Co.

Mrs. Norman McLeod and Mrs. A. V. Beck, of San Antonio, spent last week with their parents, Mr and Mrs. G. Hicks, at the ranch near Tarpley. Mr. McLeod and Mr. Beck came after them and they returned home last Sunday.

R. L. Whitehead and Tom Fitzhugh went to San Antonio Tuesday to attend a reception given by Captain Butler and Lieutenant Ignacere, who are being transferred to Langley Flying Field, Virginia. Captain Butler visited Mr. Whitehead and other friends at Medina several times during his stay in San Antonio.

T H Phillips, of Lima, was here last Thursday, returning home from San Antonio, where he had visited his daughter, Mrs J. N. Cooke. He dropped in to get full particulars of that pie-eating contest which is to be staged at the Old Settlers' reunion. Says he is not figuring on entering the contest himself, but he expects to back Dave Seale to the limit against all comers.

Mrs. Chas. Montague went to San Antonio last week and spent several days there. While in that city she attended a banquet given by the Children of Mary, of which society she is a member. Mrs. Montague remained in San Antonio over Sunday and, while there her son, Hon. Brian Montague of Del Rio, visited her on Mother's Day. Her daughters, Mrs. Rose Gardiner and Miss Margaret Montague, were also there on Mother's Day and brought her home Monday.

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Mrs. E. J. Banta, of Medina is the guest of Mrs. M. E. Faris.

Miss Adelaide Hakeney of Kartes City, spent several days here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Garison were over from Tarpley Sunday to view the art exhibit.

A. V. Pue and sister-in-law, Miss Annie de Montel were visitors to the city Monday.

Captain A. A. Parker spent several days in San Antonio last week. He returned Monday.

Mrs. Elmer Edwards and bright little children, Milton and Norma, of Pipe Creek were visitors in the city Monday.

Mrs. H. L. Carpenter and daughter, Miss Daisy Belle, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis were here from West Prong last Friday.

Mrs W. J. Davenport, Sr., Burgin Davenport, Little Miss Lucy Ellen Davenport, and Mrs. Alice Bolton spent Saturday in San Antonio.

John Ross is having his dwelling below town painted. Ben Schwenk is doing the work. Mr. Ross says Ben is making the old house look like new.

The class play, entitled "Safety First," is to be given at the High School auditorium next Thursday night, May 20. We hope to give the cast of characters in next issue.

Eat During Court.

Mrs. M. E. Faris, manager of the O. S. T Cafe, announces that she will run a special meals during court week at 40 cents each. Good home cooking, and a delightful place to eat.

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MEDINA.

Mrs. C. D. Wyatt went to San Antonio with Rev. M. P. Burton to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Means

Mrs. A. V. Pue underwent a serious operation in the Kerrville hospital May 12. At last report she was doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Caton have returned from a visit to Mr and Mrs Orville Keese, near June.

Mrs John Langford and children of Bandera, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shuptrine, last week.

Mrs. Jim Coulter has been sick quite awhile, but is some better at present.

Next Sunday there will be a Sunday School day program at the Methodist church, at eleven o'clock. Everyone invited.

Next Saturday night there will be a program on the Methodist church lawn. Refreshments will be sold. Come and have a good time. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lackey, of Port Arthur, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. B. H. Lee and children, of San Antonio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Mayfield.

The P. T. A. met Friday afternoon at the school house. It was decided to meet during the summer at the homes. The first of these social meetings will be with Mrs. Ida Tallman the second Friday in June.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M Moffett, May 16, a baby girl.

Last Saturday Mr. J. C. Collins Sr. died at his home in Medina, after an illness of about two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Collins lived in our community for a long time. They moved to San Antonio and stayed a number of years, but moved back this year. Surviving are Mrs. Jim Mayfield, Mrs. Ed Bauerlein and Charlston Collins of Medina; Mrs Geneva Leeck, of Kerrville; Pascal Collins, Medina, and Mrs. Barbara Roland. The funeral services were held Saturday afternoon, a large crowd being present. Services were conducted by a Presbyterian minister from Kerrville and the Masonic fraternity. We extend condolences and sympathy to these dear friends.

After the funeral Mrs. J. C. Collins went to Mexia to attend the funeral of her brother Dr. Frank Peyton, who died Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fee and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Brook Banta at San Antonio Sunday.

A birthday party was given in honor of Miss Marguerite Johnston's ninth birthday on Friday May 14, at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnston. The afternoon was spent in playing games. Refreshments of ice cream lemonade and cake were served. Those present were: Misses Marguerite and Florence Pries, Mary Ella Whitehead, Leora Bauerlein, Arminite Pries, Vera Bauerlein, Lettia Ray Davis, Nan Moore, Eula Baker, Era Grace Whitehead, Joe Lewis Davis, David James, Junior Walker, Junior Johnston, Lorena Lackey, Clifton Lackey, Thomas Coleman, Marguerite Johnston.

LIMA LINES.

O. D. Keese came home from his goat ranch Friday returning Saturday with his family for a few days.

Jim Sutton, of San Antonio, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sutton.

Alec and Eli Hillman went to their goat ranch near Blanco Saturday.

Grandma Austin has been very ill the past few days.

John Dale Will Austin and their families are moving up on one of G. G. Hinds' places. Dan Reed and his wife will move into Mr. Dale's house as he has bought the place.

The farmers are busy plowing and preparing for reaping. Wyly Reed has bought a new reaper.

Eli Hillman and sister, Miss Ruby, motored to San Antonio one day last week.

A very large crowd attended the picnic supper and program at Lima last Thursday night.

We are very glad to hear Mr. Will Baker of Bluff, is improving since undergoing an operation and hope he will soon be able to come home from San Antonio.

Val Click and S. A. Keese attended the funeral of Grandpa Crider at Ingram Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and and children were guests in Ben Johnsons home Sunday.

Watt Fellers and son Walter of Fredericksburg came over last Wednesday and brought Mrs Robert Fellers, who will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs Joe Sutherland and two children and Misses Gladys and Mildred Sutherland were guests in John Phillips' home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs.Ben Johnson had as their guests Mr and Mrs. John Hinds and children Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S Palmer were guests of Mr and Mrs. Geo. Hinds Sunday.

Buy poppies from the ladies and help the monument fund.

Barbecue Supper and Rodeo.

W. E. Mansfield complimented the students of the Jose Arpa School of Art with a delightful rodeo and barbecue supper last Saturday evening at Mansfield Park. The artists greatly enjoyed Mr. Mansfield's hospitality and appreciated the entertainment furnished for them. Some thirty-five or forty of these students spent two weeks here, with Senor Arpa, painting the picturesque scenery of Bandera and, and in appreciation of the coming of these visitors Mr. Mansfield felt that Bandera should make their stay as enjoyable and interesting as possible. Several good riders were on hand to entertain the crowd with exhibitions or riding and roping, and when the barbecue supper was served it was the crowning feature of the enjoyable occasion All of the students returned to their respective homes Sunday, and Senor Arpa announced before departing that they would be with us again next year.

Commencement Tomorrow Night.

The commencement exercises will be held at the High School auditorium tomorrow night. The baccalaureate sermon was preached at the auditorium last Sunday morning by Rev. R. N. Hicks, and the class play will take place tonight.

Undergoes Operation.

Mrs. Delbert Hicks, of Tarpley, was taken to San Antonio last Friday and underwent an operation at a hospital there for acute appendicitis. She is reported to be making good recovery, and her many friends hope she will soon be able to return home.

New Bus Line.

Will Gray informs us that, starting next Monday, he will inaugurate a new bus service between Medina and San Antonio, via Bandera. He will maintain the following schedule: Leave Medina daily at 7:30 a. m. Reach Bandera at 8:30 a. m. Leave Bandera 8:30 a. m. Reach San Antonio at 10:30 a. m. Leave San Antonio at 3 p. m. Reach Bandera at 4:45, and arrive at Medina at 5:45 p. m.

This schedule will give the people of Medina and Bandera the advantage of going to San Antonio, transacting their business there and returning home the same day. Mr. Gray is an experienced bus and service car driver, and will render excellent service to his patrons.

Popular Copule to Wed.

Miss Ellen Thalmann, daughter of Mrs. Louise Thalmann is to be married to Mr. Thomas Hammond at the Methodist church in Bandera on Thursday June 3rd, Rev. B. J. Gossett, the pastor, to officiate. Miss Thalmann has been teaching in the San Antonio city schools the past three years, and Mr. Hammond is instructor in the Schreiner Institute at Kerrville. Both bride and groom were raised in Bandera county.

Picture Show Friday Night.

"The Code of the West," one of Zane Grey's best stories, will be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night, featuring Owen Moore, Constance Bennett, Mabel Ballin, Charles Ogle and David Butler. It is a Paramount picture, which means that it is the best.

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Class Play Tonight.

The graduating class of Bandera High School will present their play, "Safety First," at the school auditorium tonight. It is a very laughable comedy in three acts, and will keep the audience interested from start to finish. The cast of characters will be found elsewhere in this issue of the New Era.

Miss Fuller's Recital.

Miss Ione Fuller's music class gave a pleasing recital at the High School auditorium last night, to a good crowd. The pupils show excellent progress under Miss Fuller's training and management.

Showered Bride-to-Be.

Mrs. Fred Thalmann gave a bridal shower at her home yesterday, honoring Miss Lois Miller, whose marriage to Mr. Ernest Carmichael will take place early next month. Quite a crowd of friends attended the "shower" and many beautiful and useful articles were offered. Refreshments were served to the guests.

"Christian Citizenship."

The Epworth League meets next Sunday at 7:15 p. m. The subject to be discussed is "Christian Citizenship." Special music. Miss Marie McDonald is leader. Everybody come and bring someone else with you. These meetings are well attended and your presence will be an encouragement to the leaders.

Former Bandera Citizen Dies.

J. P. Crider, a former citizen of Bandera county, died May 15th at the home of his daughter near Boerne, and was buried at Ingram, Texas, last Sunday. Joseph Crider was born December 4th, 1841, being at the time of his death in his eighty-fifth year. He was the father of thirteen children, ten of whom are still living, two of his daughters being Mrs. John Buckelew and Mrs Will Baker of Bluff. He was a faithful member of the Church of Christ for sixty-two years, and was always ready to give a scriptural reason for the hope that pointed him to heaven. He served as an elder in the Church for several years in Blanco county and was beloved by all who knew him. More than 100 grandchildren and great grandchildren as well as hundreds of friends all over this section mourn the passing of this grand old patriach. Peace to his great soul.

Bridal Shower.

Mrs. A. Meadows and Mrs. C. F. Mansfield were hostesses at a linen shower last Friday, at the former's home, honoring Miss Clara Mansfield of Austin, whose marriage to Mr C. N. Hausb of Laredo is announced to take place early in June. Many dainty and useful articles were offered. Refreshments were served.

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Why is it that some individuals and firms can readily obtain money from a bank on unsecured notes while others cannot obtain loans at all—except, perhaps, by pledging ample collateral security?

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For Sheriff.

Henry Stevens announces this week as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Bandera county. Mr. Stevens has made a good official during the time he has been sheriff and tax collector of our county, and has faithfully discharged the duties of the office. He now asks the voters for another term, assuring them that if he is again elected he will be just as fair and impartial in the discharge of these duties in the future as he has been in the past. He will fully appreciate all favors shown.

Bandera Loses.

Bandera Invincibles went down in defeat before the Utopia Sluggers last Sunday in the baseball game played on the local diamond. The game was hotly contested, and when it was over the score stood 5 to 3. Bandera has been taking all of the victories this season, but found a formidable adversary in Utopia.

Entertainment Tuesday Night.

The primary and intermediate department of Bandera High School gave quite an interesting and enjoyable entertainment at the high school auditorium Tuesday night. The program was arranged and directed by Mrs. Little and Mrs. McDonald, the teachers, and was carried out in a highly satisfactory manner.

Birthday Surprise.

Last Thursday Charlie Meadows rounded out a full half century of his existence on this mundane sphere, but he did not dream that many of his friends knew of the event. Thursday night he happened to step to the door and was surprised to discover the approach of automobiles from every direction. A big crowd of his friends were gathering to extend to him best wishes for many more years of usefulness. A jolly time was had until a late hour, and genial Charlie feels that it was about the happiest time, next to his wedding day, that he has had in all of those fifty years.

Mrs. H. Mansfield and Mrs. Wiley Meadows baked a large birthday cake, with candles arranged, placed it on the dining table. After having lighted the candles, a happy birthday chorus was sung by the guests, after which Mr. Meadows blew out the candles. Violin selections were rendered by Messrs. Wiley and Chas. Mashous. Refreshments of cake and cream were served to about 50 guests. They made their departure at a late hour, declaring they had had a most delightful time.

Deal Consumated.

The deal which has been pending for some time between Paul Baxter and J. J. Lackey, where by the latter buys the former's 320-acre farm and ranch on Mason Creek, was closed this week, through the Ethridge Real Estate Co. Mr. Lackey will arrive in a few days from Port Arthur, and occupy the place. Mr. Baxter has purchased a small place near Fredericksburg and will move there at once.

St. Joseph's School to Close.

St. Joseph's parochial school will close tomorrow, Friday, after a very successful nine months term. The following young people graduate from this school this term: Valentine Kalka, Rufus Haby, Lawrence Stein, Benno Stein, and Adela Jenschke.

Mrs. Weldon Injured.

Mrs. M. T. Weldon, aged 86 years, sustained a fractured hip yesterday afternoon when a chair in which she was seated overturned and she was thrown to the floor. Her injury is quite serious, but her many friends are hopeful that she will soon recover.

Family Reunion.

A very happy family reunion took place at the home of Mrs. Tom Moravietz last Sunday, when quite a number of her children and friends gathered to spend the day with her. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kolodzej and Mr. and Mrs. Christian Pioch of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moravietz, Rosalie Moravietz, Boyd Moravietz, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moravietz and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kowalik and baby and Mrs. Alex Haiduk, all of Falls City, Mr and Mrs. S. J. Wasser of Bisbee, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moravietz, Miss Edna Fischer, and Mrs. Fischer, all of Bandera. All of Grandma Moravietz's children were present except one son and a daughter of Hobson, who could not be here. The aged mother has been quite ill for the past three or four months, and the coming of her children was a great boon to her. A splendid dinner was served, and all had a most enjoyable time. Mr. and Mrs. Wasser returned to their home in Arizona after spending about three weeks here.

Miss Mary Hornby, of Uvalde, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Chisum last Thursday.

Mrs. John Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Frazier were here from Tarpley yesterday.

Wear a poppy next Sunday.

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Our Heroic Dead

Next Sunday we unveil the monument to our Bandera county heroes who gave their lives in the great World War that American ideals and freedom might be preserved. Here are the names of the immortal twenty-three, and these names appear on the monument:

LESLIE BOWNDS.
ERNEST DELVADO.
SAM CLARK.
OSCAR HABY
JAMES POCVADO.
ERLE PALMER.
LOWELL PATTERSON
RAYMOND ECKHART.
ELMER SCHUMAKER.
TWINE L. WOOD.
EDDIE BURLESON.
ROY HINDS.
CARL A. MEBO
HERMAN REIMER.
FRED HAMMOND.
NEWT. PETTY.
NATHAN BAKER.
CHARLIE EVANS.
ARTHUR PADGETT.
HENRY LOESSBERG.
JOHN V. KALKA.
BLAKE DAVIS.
WADE PIERCE.

A beautiful granite shaft, or slab, eight feet above its base, now stands erected to the memory of these heroic boys, placed on the Court House square by the patriotic and liberty-loving men and women of Bandera county as a tribute to their love of American heroism, and as a reminder that "We Shall Not Forget." And next Sunday October 3rd, in the midst of appropriate ceremonies, will lift the veil that today seems this monument that it may silently proclaim to all the world the glorious deeds of those who died for us. Every man, woman and child in Bandera is proud of that monument and the Era feels sure the sentiment of everyone when we say that to Mrs. Charles Eckhart, Miss Margaret Montague, J. W. Short, A. L. Mansfield and W. R. Fletcher, the committee, belongs much credit for successfully carrying out the plans for the erection of the monument.

Every citizen of the county who can conveniently do so should attend and participate in these ceremonies next Sunday.

An Old Time Printer

Last Saturday afternoon there blew into the New Era office one of a species of the fast disappearing fellow-craftsmen, an old time tramp printer. Some thirty years ago we met Frank Hickham at Llano and sent him to Mason to take a position in the old Mason Herald Office. He remained there about one month and suddenly disappeared—faded away between two days—and his whereabouts remained a mystery until the other day, when after a lapse of thirty years Mr. Hickham "dropped in" on us. He is now eighty years old, but is still as lively as a cricket, and only tarried long enough to swap greetings. When we insisted that he stay with us a day or two he declined, with the statement that he would have to be on his way, for he had heard of a job over at Baton Rouge, La., and he was afraid Wandering Willie Waterhouse of Walla Walla, Washington, would get there first.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription is due. We hope all will renew promptly.

Unveiling Ceremonies

The unveiling of the monument erected by the memory of the Bandera county boys who lost their lives in the World War will take place next Sunday, May 23rd, on the Court House square. The monument arrived Saturday and was passed on the base. It is a beautiful monument of gray granite, without a flaw, from the Llano county granite fields, and was designed and supplied by E. P. Warren of the San Antonio Marble and Granite Co. The Monument Committee held a meeting last Sunday afternoon and arranged the program for the unveiling ceremonies as follows.

Parade—Starts from High School building promptly at 2 o'clock p. m. and will be in the following formation: Headed by Sheriff Henry, Stevens as marshall of the day. Then comes a military band from Fort Sam Houston, World War Veterans, Boy Scouts and school children, followed by citizens in autos and other vehicles. The route taken by the Parade will be from the High School building along the Medina road to Main street, by the Methodist parsonage, turning into Cedar Street at the Butler residence, where the children from that section will fall in line just ahead of the automobiles. Proceeding down Cedar Street to the corner of Everett and the First State Bank, the parade will then follow Eleventh Street to Cypress, then down Cypress one block to Main and then to Main Street to the Court House where the unveiling is to take place. Arriving there all automobiles will be parked in the shade at a distance. Besides Sheriff Stevens, the following young men will act as marshalls: Howard Eckhart and Earl Mansfield.

After the invocation by an army chaplain from Fort Sam Houston, Miss Myrtle Montague will unmask the monument, during which the Joe Bartlett Post American Legion firing squad will fire a salute and the American flag is raised on its staff. Hon. Beah Montague, of Del Rio, a Bandera county boy who has won distinction will be the orator of the occasion and will deliver the memorial address. A bevy of flower girls, twenty-three in number, bearing wreaths and baskets of flowers, will march to the monument and as Mr. Montague names each of the fallen heroes a flower girl will deposit evergreen wreaths on the base of the monument. When Mr. Montague has finished speaking taps will be sounded, and the unveiling is over.

Mayor Hunter was selected by the committee as master of ceremonies.

A reception committee headed by Mrs. Charles Eckhart as chairman, and composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fletcher, Mrs. A. L. Mansfield, Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Bigler, Mrs. J. Marvin Hunter, Mrs. Rose Gardiner, Mrs. W. J. Montague, Mrs. Ed Mansfield and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bruce, Mrs. A. Meadows, Judge and Mrs. J. A. Eaves, Dr. and Mrs. Ed Erwin, will receive after the visitors from Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Boerne and other places, who will attend and participate in the ceremonies. It is the request of the monument committee that every lady in the country consider herself a member of this reception committee. It was at first intended to publish the names of all who should serve but inasmuch as the list would be so long it is thought the better method is taken to ask every lady in the county to consider herself a member of that committee, and to assist in every way possible to extend to our visitors every courtesy.

It is desired that every ex-service man in the county be present, and that all ex-service men who are in Bandera on that date participate in the ceremonies.

Remember the hour, 2 o'clock p. m. next Sunday, and assemble at the school building promptly in order that no delay will be experienced in the formation of the parade.

We understand all of the business houses will be draped in the national colors on that particular occasion, and that most of the merchants of the town have purchased large American flags to display on that day. The Monument Committee has ordered several hundred poppies to sell at ten cents each, the funds derived therefrom to be used in defraying incidental expenses. We do not know just how much money is on hand for this purpose at this time, but with the sale of poppies and flags, it is believed there will be enough to defray the expenses. After the monument has been paid for, and all of the work incident to its erection has been paid for, and all of the funds on hand disposed of, a statement will be published and those who contributed will be given an opportunity to see it.

Celebrate Golden Wedding

The Vanderpool correspondent to the Uvalde Leader-News sent in last week's issue:

"Last night there was a grand event which brought many guests, and which will long be remembered by the people of Vanderpool. Hand in hand, they have journeyed half the land in sand they are still happy and gay. Fifty years with the undying love of faithfulness and devotion. What a beautiful picture it was to witness the bride and bridegroom on May 9, 1926 in wait in heart, the bride in white and the groom in his full regalia, as they stood before the preacher. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Bean have seven fine children, a dear old hearts come to gather around them, to offer their congratulations and their affections which like fine wine, has but improved with age. Their children and a goodly number of their relatives and friends assembled to felicitate them upon the golden jubilee of their married life. We wish them many long years yet before they shall celebrate their diamond wedding, and when the golden jewels are put in a golden urn, and their sunset may be golden, was our silent sentiment.

A Pioneer Mother Called Home

The New Era regrets to chronicle the death of another pioneer mother, Mrs. Martha Jane Hodges, at Lexington, Texas, April 24th, 1926. Mrs. Jump lived in this county many years, and was a sister of Franklin Hodges of Pipe Creek. The news of Mrs. Jump's death will be painful to her many old friends in this county. The following obituary appeared in an Oklahoma paper at the time of her death, and it was shipped over and sent to us:

"Mrs. M. C. Hodges Jump was born in Missouri, January 20th, 1840, and departed this life April 24th, 1926, at the age of 3 months and 4 days. She professed a hope in Christ when a young woman and united to the Methodist church. In later years she united with the Later Day Saints, where her membership remained until the time of her death. She was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. J. W. Jump at the age of 17. To this union 11 children were born, 7 boys and 4 girls. Her husband departed this life 15 years ago, also she had lost two of her boys. She leaves two boys and two daughters. Those present at the funeral Mrs. J. W. Ballantyne of Lexington, Okla., with whom she has made her home since the death of her husband. Also Mrs. T. A. Ezell, of Sweet Water, Texas. In addition to her immediate family she leaves one brother, two sisters, a number of grandchildren and a host of friends to mourn her loss. The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh. Blessed be the name of the Lord. Funeral conducted by Rev. J. H. Gardner of Lexington, Okla., April 26, 1926, at the home of J. W. Ballantyne."

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. D. Logsdon by making publication of this citation once in each week for a period of ten days previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the County of Bandera, which is nearest to said county seat; but if there be no newspaper published in said county, then in a newspaper published in the nearest county to said county to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at Bandera, on the fourth Monday in May, 1926, the same being the 24th day of May, 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1926, in a suit, numbered in the docket of said court No. 3225, wherein Texta Logsdon is plaintiff and J. D. Logsdon is defendant, said petition alleging that plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant on or about the 21st day of September, A. D. 1924, at Tulsa, Tulsa County, Texas, that they lived together as husband and wife until on or about the 15th day of December A. D. 1925, when by reason of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages of defendant towards plaintiff of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable, she was forced and compelled to permanently abandon him, since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife. That plaintiff during the time she lived and cohabited with defendant, conducted herself with propriety and managed the household affairs of her husband with care, economy and economy. That defendant has treated plaintiff with unkindness and forbearance. Plaintiff prays that defendant be cited as required by law to appear and show cause why the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant should not be dissolved, and for general relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first Monday in May, 1926, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the town of Bandera, this the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Dist. Clerk
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy

Issued this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk of District Court of Bandera County.
By A. L. MANSFIELD, Deputy

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I have several second hand Ford touring cars for sale, 1924 and 1925 models, all at bargain prices. See me at once.—Frank Mansfield.

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The man who snores does not realize the how much he disturbs his bedfellow who is trying to get a little sleep. We cannot fix your snoring apparatus, but we can repair any other kind of machinery. Give us a trial.—R. M. Dowdy & Son, the blacksmiths.

Polled Herefords.

Still have 20 registered and high grade Hereford bulls for sale, from one to two years old. Write or phone John P. Classen, Bergheim, Texas. Phone Schertz.

Estray Notice.

Notice is hereby made at the second Thursday in the old Schutz Ranch on the San Antonio road. Has been here about three months. Branded left thigh, dewlap and left flank. Has some white about shoulder, about three years old. Fairly gentle. Owner may have same by paying all accrued charges, otherwise I will estray said animal according to law.—A. A. Schutz, Helotes, Texas. 2m

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I have a choice lot of Delaine Merino rams for sale at moderate prices. Also have 65 or 75 head of breeding stock, which I will sell in small lots or all together.—Chas. Real, Kerrville, Texas.

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or other poultry insects? Feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE to your chickens and inside the house, thoroughly wash with TIN'S ROOST PAINT to kill and keep away insects. Ask Billings & Son.

Affidavit of Commissioners Court To Examination of County Cash and Assets.

The State of Texas.
Bandera County.

In Commissioners' Court May term, 1926.

Before me, Mark McBryde, Clerk of the Court in and for said County, personally appeared the Members of the Commissioners' Court, whose names are below inscribed, who upon their oaths, do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the 40th Legislature, have been fully complied with by the County Treasurer of said county, for the quarter ending May 8th, 1926, and held by her in office, and that she has fully exhibited and counted by them at this term of said court; and that the amount of money in the hands of said Treasurer are as follows, to-wit:

Total amount of cash in the various Funds belonging to the county, twenty-seven thousand seven hundred eighty-five dollars, thirty-eight cents ($27,785.38).

J. A. EAMES,
County Judge, Bandera Co.
ANTON PYKA,
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.
R. L. ADKINS,
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.
J. L. EDWARDS,
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.
J. V. CARTER,
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of May, 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
County Clerk, Bandera Co.
By A. L. MANSFIELD Deputy.

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Sham Battle at Bandera Pass.

The great sham battle at Bandera Pass, to be staged by the entire Second Division from Fort Sam Houston, is to take place tomorrow, beginning at 2 o'clock in the morning. Six thousand troops will participate, half of the number going by way of Boerne and Center Point to Camp Verde and take position at the Bandera Pass, and start their drive to Bandera yesterday, and after resting here last night, today will march out to Bandera Pass, to get supplies and troops in position for the problems to be worked out tomorrow. As stated above, the sham battle proper is scheduled to begin at 2 o'clock in the morning, and will continue throughout the entire day.

The troops arrived yesterday and went into camp on The Leap, adjacent to the town. After the battle the entire division will hike to Kerrville, where they will camp until next Monday, when the division will again be divided and march back to Fort Sam Houston, but the troops that composed the east column will then be formed into the west column and the men who came out as the west column will return by the eastward route. This change is made so that no troops will traverse the same route twice during the entire trip.

On the return trip the east column will camp as follows: May 24th, Camp Verde; May 25th, Bandera; "The Loop;" May 26th, Pipe Creek, Bandera Road; May 27th, San Geronimo; May 28th, Braun and Nixon Junction; May 29th, Fort Sam Houston.

The west column will camp as follows: May 24th, Center Point; May 25th, Comfort; May 26th, Boerne Fair Grounds; May 27th, Camp Stanley; May 28, Nine Mile Hill; May 29th Fort Sam Houston.

But two bands will accompany the Division on the field hike, the other four bands remaining at Fort Sam Houston, where they will be used in giving a series of concerts and radio programs. One band will accompany each column during the maneuvers, and both will be available and will give concerts while the troops are encamped at Kerrville and Camp Verde. Whether or not the soldiated or give individual concerts is not known at this time.

The Second Division is composed of regiments of infantry and artillery that carried a big share of the load of making the world safe for democracy during the World War. Included in the organization of the Division are the Third Infantry Brigade, composed of the First and 20th Infantry; the Second Field Artillery, composed of the 12th and 15th Field Artillery; the Second Engineers; the Second Medical Regiment, together with ammunition and supply trains.

The Kerrville Mountain Sun, in giving some of the history of some of the organizations making up the Second Division, says:

The organizations making up the personnel of the Second Division are units famous in the history of this country, both during the World War and also in other wars this country has engaged in. Possibly the most famous of these outfits is the First U. S. Infantry.

The First Infantry is the oldest organization in the military service of the United States, it being organized as a regiment September 29, 1789, to be known as the Regiment of Infantry.

Its records, however, date back to June 3, 1784, as companies existing at that time were mustered into the Regiment without change of personnel. The headquarters and several companies at the time of organization were at Fort Washington, the present site of Cincinnati. Other companies held smaller posts along the Ohio River.

Much time was spent in operating against the Indians, the Regiment either avoiding trouble or answering it with musketry when peaceful methods failed. The settlement of this country is due largely to the First Infantry, which afforded protection to the pioneers, who formed the vanguard of civilization from Ohio to the West.

When Congress increased the Army in 1791, the regiment became known as the First Infantry without change of organization or personnel.

As civilization marched westward, it was led from post to post by the First Infantry until just before the War of 1812, the regiment was stationed at Detroit and Fort Dearborn, now Chicago. Men who were later to become noted explorers and statesmen were included at that time in the roster of the First.

Capt. William Henry Harrison, later to reach the presidential chair, partially by virtue of his splendid army record gained in the First, was one.

Another, destined to become a famous character, was Capt. Meriwether Lewis. It was Captain Lewis, who with 20 enlisted men of the First and with other now famous explorers, guided the Lewis and Clark Expedition to the Pacific Northwest.

Lieut. Zebulum M. Pike, leader of the historic expedition which lifted the veil of mysteries which shrouded the Rocky Mountains and the Rio Grande Valley, thus paving the way for settlement of this valuable territory, was another of the heroes of the First Infantry.

Col. Zachary Taylor, who served with the First Infantry in the later years, was elected President.

Jefferson Davis, who later became President of the Confederacy, had been a first lieutenant in the same organization.

To name all who rose to heights of eminence, following their career with the First, would be impossible without volumes of space.

The First Infantry served with distinction throughout the War of 1812; helped subdue the Seminole Indians in Florida in, 1837; in the Mexican War, the regiment was the first to enter Mexico and one of the last to leave, taking a prominent part in the capture of Monterey and in the siege of Vera Cruz; took an active part in the Civil War, engaging in the Second Battle of Bull Run, Shepardstown, Fredericksburg, Liberty, Springfield, Wilson's Creek, siege of New Madrid, Harrisburg, Corinth, and Vicksburg; served throughout the Spanish-American War, fighting the first skirmish and in the battles of El Caney, San Juan Hill and others; was part of the Army of Occupation in Cuba and later in the Philippine Islands; stationed at Honolulu during the World War, guarding Government plants and spying German spies; has been stationed at Camp Travis since October 13, 1920, doing garrison and camp duties.

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"Safety First" Class Play at Bandera High School Auditorium

Thursday Night, May 20, 1926

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HAROLD WAGNER
Jerry Arnold ..... An Unsuccessful Fixer
CLAUDE FLETCHER
Mr. McNutt ..... A Defective Detective
HAROLD MANSFIELD
Elmer Flannel ..... Awfully Shrinking
FOREST IRVING
Abou Ben Mocha ..... A Turk from Turkey
CARL FREEMAN
Mabel Montgomery ..... Jack's Wife, Pity Her!
EVELYN MANSFIELD
Virginia Bridger ..... Her Young Sister
RUTH THALMANN
Mrs. Barrington-Bridger ..... Their Mamma
LORA THALLMAN
Zuleika ..... A Tender Turkish Maiden
THELMA SURDER
Mary Ann O'Finnerty ..... An Irish Cook Lady
RACHEL HUNTER

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Time of Playing—Two Hours and Fifteen Minutes

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Act II. Same scene, a month later. What happened to Jack and Jerry.

Act. III. Mrs. Bridger's garden. Three weeks later. What Happened to Mary Ann.

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice, Mrs. Crist Lackey and children spent a week at Crystal City with Mr. and Mrs. Whitson Justice. Mrs. Lackey went from there to Port Arthur.

Saturday May 22, Rev. M. P. Burton was married to Miss Alice Stein, in San Antonio. We wish for this happy pair a long and useful life together.

Mrs. C. A. Sherrill is visiting her daughter in Houston.

Misses Archie Mitchell, Jewel Autry, Irene Adams and Erahl Garrison, Messrs. Paul Garrison, Will Hatfield and Roscoe Pike enjoyed a fishing trip at the Medina Lake Thursday and Friday.

Miss Leah Coulter spent the week-end with Miss Eunice Smith in Kerrville.

Miss Abbie Brashear is visiting Mrs. Herbert Puckey at Del Rio this week.

Mrs. L. D. Shuptrine, Johnnie Shuptrine and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gallant went to Uvalde last Friday to visit Mrs. Foster Stevens, who is seriously ill, but is some better at this writing. Mrs. Stevens is Mrs. L. D. Shuptrine's youngest daughter.

Last Monday afternoon Louis D. Curtis, the 16-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis D. Curtis, while at play he and his little sister, Marie, being used to playing with an old oil can climbed to the top of a table, got the oil can that contained quite a bit of oil, poured out some in a cup and the little boy drank a large portion. He only lived about six and one half hours and suffered very much during this time. We extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4.

G. M. Foster, of Vanderpool, announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4. Mr. Foster is qualified to discharge the duties of that office and if he is elected he will be painstaking and careful to look after the interests of the county. He has lived in the Vanderpool region for forty years, is well and favorably known to all of the voters and respectfully solicits their support and influence in the race.

Memorial Services at Boerne.

Memorial Day will be fittingly observed at Boerne next Sunday, when it is planned to conduct memorial services at the cemetery there, in which veterans of the Civil War, Spanish-American War, and the World War will participate. Quite a number of Bandera people are arranging to attend the ceremonies.

Mrs. Dave Watson Dead.

L. B. Keese, of Medina, received a telegram Monday announcing the death of his sister, Mrs. Mattie Watson at Los Adimas, Colorado. Her death was due to heart trouble and pneumonia. The remains were shipped to Medina, and will arrive there this morning, and burial will take place at the Goodman cemetery.

Mrs. Watson was about fifty years old. She lived at Medina many years, but left there a few years ago and for some time resided in the western states. Besides her husband, Dave Watson, and one daughter, Mrs. Piggott, she is survived by several brothers and sisters, L. B. Keese, W. G. Keese, O. D. Keese, Mrs. D. B. Seale and Mrs. Gus Pinney, all of Medina.

Home Destroyed by Fire.

The home of J. M. Moffett at Medina was totally destroyed by fire last Tuesday afternoon, including all of the household furnishings. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a defect in the flue. The house, which was a large and commodious building, occupied a beautiful location on an eminence across the river from Medina. We understand the loss is partially covered by insurance.

Bandera Wins Again.

Bandera Invincibles won the victory by a score of 6 to 5 when bats were crossed with the Center Point baseball team on the local diamond last Sunday. The Bandera team goes to Boerne next Sunday to play the Boerne boys.

Curtain in Place.

The beautiful curtain and stage setting for the High School auditorium arrived last Thursday and was put in place in time for the class play Thursday night, The Parent-Teacher Association is to be commended for securing the needed equipment.

John McNaughton and little son were in from Hicks' Creek Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Hammond and son, Sidney, of Medina, attended the monument unveiling here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Browning and Joe Newcomer came down from Medina Sunday to witness the unveiling ceremonies.

T. W. Turner, of Helotes, was an appreciated visitor at the New Era office yesterday. Mr. Turner says he will be here to attend the old settlers' reunion in July.

The Monument Unveiled.

Simple, but impressive ceremonies last Sunday marked the unveiling of the monument to the twenty-three Bandera county boys who lost their lives in the World War. Fully three thousand people gathered from all parts of the county to witness the unveiling. The parade formed at the high school building at 2 o'clock and, headed by Sheriff Henry Stevens as marshal of the day, marched through the streets to the court house square where stands the monument. In the parade came the flag bearer and escort, furnished by the Joe Borland Post American Legion of Boerne, then four World War veterans bearing wreaths of evergreen, then the 21st Infantry Band of nineteen pieces from Fort Sam Houston, then a half hundred ex-service men, then the firing squad from the Joe Borland Post, then the school children of Bandera High School, Winan's Creek school, and when the parade reached the court house square the children of St. Joseph's parochial school, who had marched up and were waiting, fell into line. After the school children came the many automobiles carrying citizens of the town and county.

When the parade reached the court house square the children were formed in a hollow square and stood at attention. J. Marvin Hunter, master of ceremonies, announced the program which was as follows:

Invocation by Chaplain Braisted of Fort Sam Houston.

Flag Raising and salute. The flag was raised by Dee Chipman and Fred Mansfield, who were in the army and navy in the great war. As the flag was being raised the band played "The Star Spangled Banner."

Hon. Brian Montague, a Bandera county raised boy, son of Mrs. Chas. Montague, and himself a World War veteran, delivered the memorial address. Mr. Montague knew most of the boys to whose memory this monument was erected, and he spoke tenderly and feelingly of the sacrifice they had made, and the patriotism of the true American boys in that great conflict. His address was full of pathos and tenderness and touched a responsive chord in the hearts of every one within the sound of his voice. As he called each name on the monument little girls dressed in white tenderly laid evergreen wreaths at the base of the monument. The little girls who placed these wreaths were: Margaret Davenport, Blanche Adamietz, Loy Ellen Davenport, Lorna Coughran, Edith North, Lucile Gray, Elsie Lee Fox, Willa Brooks Hicks, Eva Gossett, Dorothy Eckhart, Cleo Thallman, Maurine White, Evelyn Stevens, Luella Hanselman, Mary Pyka, Argie Postert, Susan Kalka, Evelyn Pyka, Lela Thalmann, Mary Ellen Anderwald, Argie Maureen Fay Burns, Bessie Ruth Schmidtke.

Standing at the four corners of the monument were four ex-service men, R. Lee Walker, William Hagar, William Anderwald and Homer Stevens, with a Red Cross nurse, Mrs. Frank M. Montague, standing silently, and reverently in the shadow of the great slab whereon was graven the names of the fallen heroes.

Miss Myra Jennette Hunter then removed the veil from the monument and displayed to the great throng the memorial to our heroic dead. At the top of the stone appears two flags, and the following names:

LESLIE BOWNDS.
ERNEST POLVADO.
SAM CLARK.
OSCAR BABY.
JAMES POLVADO.
ERLE PALMER.
LOWELL PATTERSON.
RAYMOND ECKHART.
ELMER SCHUMAKER.
TWIGG L. WOOD.
EDDIE BURLESON.
ROY HINDS.
CARL A. MERO.
HENRY BAUMER.
FRED HAMMOND.
NEWT PETTY.
NATHAN BAKER.
CHARLIE EVANS.
ARTHUR PADGETT.
HENRY LOESSBERG.
JOHN V. KALKA.
BLAKE DAVIS.
WADE PIERCE.

Under these names appears the inscription, "Greater Love Hath No Man Than This, That He Lay Down His Life for His Friends."

Following the uncovering of the monument a silence of one minute was enjoined throughout the assembly in memory of the boys who made the supreme sacrifice.

The band then played "America," which was followed by the benediction by Chaplain Braisted.

Three volleys were then fired by the Boerne Firing Squad, after which came "Taps," by the bugler.

Taken all in all, this was a most solemn and patriotic occasion. In the troublous days of 1917, when the whole world was ablaze with military activity, Bandera county called out her boys to go forth to battle for liberty. We did not know, we could not see who or how many of our precious boys would never return to us. Our mothers and fathers gave, and in the giving murmured not. Little did we think that twenty-three of these noble boys would make the supreme sacrifice. But the same patriotic spirit which has ever dwelt in the breasts of the true American parent, consoled and comforted the broken hearts when the names of our boys were found in the "killed in action" as the lists began to come in. Oh, that awful war, that hell that sprang out of the ambition of a tyrant's cruel soul! Today, with bowed heads, we do honor to those boys who went "over there." They won the war, at awful cost, but they did it and their names will be honored through the ages. Every passer-by who beholds that beautiful monument will be inspired by the lofty courage of our boys, and oncoming generations will keep green the memory of the sacrifice they have made. To them this monument was erected in love and veneration.

Hardin Tobin, of Hunt, was a visitor in the city Sunday.

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Uncle Jim Miller Dead.

J. W. Miller, a highly respected and esteemed citizen residing near Utopia, died last Saturday, and was buried Sunday. Mr. Miller was about 70 years old, and had resided in that section many years. He was an uncle to Miss Lois Miller, who taught in Bandera High School. Mr. Miller was a bachelor and lived alone. He had been in poor health for some time, but his condition was not regarded serious. His passing is deeply regretted by all who knew him.

Died From Poisoning

T. L. Hollowell, aged 57, died early last Thursday morning from strychnine poisoning, whether intentionally self-administered or taken by mistake is unknown. Drs. Butler and Erwin were called soon after his condition was discovered, but the deadly poison had done its work, and he died within a very short time.

Mr. Hollowell came to Bandera with his family only a short time ago, and rented the Cravey place on Bandera Creek. He is survived by his wife and ten children, who have the sympathy of the entire community. Rev. R. J. Gossett and R. N. Hicks conducted the funeral services at the home last Saturday evening, and the body was then shipped to Russellville, Arkansas, the old home of the deceased, for burial.

Little Child Drinks Kerosene

The 16-months-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Curtis of Medina died Monday night from drinking kerosene. It seems that Monday afternoon, while the child's mother was temporarily out of the room, another little child about three years old, got hold of the kerosene in a cup, probably thinking it was water. The baby's screams brought the mother to see what was the matter, and a physician was promptly summoned, and all that medical skill could suggest was done to save the little one but without avail. The mother is prostrated with grief over the tragedy.

A Narrow Escape.

Lula, the twelve year old Neal had a narrow escape from serious injury Tuesday when her dress caught on a revolving shaft in the ice factory. The little miss was carried around the shaft several times before W. D. Leonard, the colored fireman, could release her. Her clothing was stripped from her body, and a nice new dress ruined, but she miraculously escaped the slight est injury.

District Court.

District court convened in Bandera Monday, with Judge L. J. Brueks on the bench. The grand jury was empaneled and after receiving the judge's charge immediately entered upon its investigations. Composing the grand jury are R. S. Smith, foreman; W. R. Fletcher, W. M. Wallace, C. H. Moore, C. B. Corley, A. V. Pue, L. Hicks, R. S. Harper, Taylor Burns, Tom McBryde, Otto Weltner, C. B. McClows. The bailiffs are Johnnie Anderwald, Ben Faris and Gervis Carmichael.

One divorce case was heard Tuesday, Mrs. Treva Logsdon vs. J. D. Logsdon; divorce granted.

The petit jury was empaneled Tuesday morning, and later released until Thursday morning.

The grand jury adjourned yesterday after finding two bills, one for assault and battery and one for theft of hogs.

Mrs. Alex Haby Dead

The San Antonio Express of last Thursday reports the death of Mrs. Alex Haby of Rio Medina, in the 54th year of her age. Mrs. Haby was a sister to Charles Schott of near Pipe Creek. She leaves seven children, besides her husband, several brothers, two sisters, and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her death. The New Era extends condolence and sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Ed Zinsmeister Dead.

Ed Zinsmeister, aged 72, died at Castroville May 16, after a long illness. He was a brother to Henry Zinsmeister of this county, and was known to many of our people. Our sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones.

George C. Miller, of Marathon, arrived yesterday on a visit to his brother, J. A. Miller. He will spend several days here.

Miss Laura Duffy, Miss Victoria Montague, and Mrs. A. P. Beckers were here from San Antonio Sunday for the unveiling ceremonies.

Mrs. H. L. Carpenter, Misses Sue and Daisy Belle Carpenter, and R. B. Carpenter, of West Prong, and Misses Daisy and Pauline Pue of Medina, were here Sunday for the unveiling.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Whisenhunt and Mrs. Kate Whisenhunt, were here from Laxson's Creek Sunday to attend the unveiling of the heroes' monument.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Stein and pretty little daughter were in from Mason Cfeek yesterday and visited the New Era office. Mr. Stein renewed his subscription to the little old home paper.

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A bumper oat crop is being harvested in Bandera.

Let's not forget to make preparations now for the County Fair which is to be held from August 20, 21 and 22. This year's fair should be the largest and best we have ever held.

The next thing on the program for the big reunion of the Old Settlers of Bandera county will be held July 2nd and 3rd. Every body is coming to the big reunion.

In referring to the visit of the writers to Bandera the early part of the last week the San Antonio Express stated that the writers first time Bandera's beauties have been placed on canvas. This is an error. Both Mr. Taylor and Julian Onderdonk, both famous artists as well as local amateurs, have painted scenes of Bandera, which is known to have no place in Texas of lovelier scenery and in public buildings in different parts of the country Bandera's glorious charms and beauty will tempt the artist and many scenes which were painted by the pencil of Leon Arpa will help to tell the noble world of our picturesque region.

The monument to our Bandera county boys who gave their lives in their country's cause in the World War is now a reality. It was unveiled last Monday with solemn and appropriate ceremonies. A large crowd of man and woman in Bandera is proud of that beautiful monument. Much that patriotic committee, the New Era has labored long and unceasingly for the erection of this monument to our heroic dead, and now that the closing task is finished, the monument stands as a silent sentinel over all our public square. But the New Era's work is not finished. We want to see the spot chosen for the location of this monument converted into a beautiful park surrounded by substantial iron fence. Let's plant shade and ornamental trees, flowers, an shrubbery there, and make that a real beauty spot. If you are with us in this undertaking put say the word.

When Hon. Brian Montague of Del Rio ascended the platform last Sunday afternoon to deliver the memorial address at the unveiling of the monument to Bandera county's heroic soldier boys who gave their lives in the great World War, we knew there would fall from his lips a message of consolation to the heavy hearts there, a tribute to the lofty patriotism and courage of the immortal twenty-three, and an eloquent plea for true Americanism. And we were not disappointed. His address was all of that, and more. It was one of the most stirring and patriotic speeches ever made in this county, full of reverence, obedience, gratitude, veneration, love of country, respect for the flag, home and people, touchingly sympathetic, full of pathos and tenderness. It was a gem of sound reasoning, a tribute to fallen comrades by a Bandera boy who went "over there" and shared the awful conflict in which our heroes lost their lives. Only expressions of praise and gratitude of Mr. Montague's stirring speech have been heard on all sides.

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THANKS

To every individual and firm of Bandera county and elsewhere, who contributed toward the Soldier Monument Fund, to Mr. F. P. Warren for the handsome monument to the city of San Antonio for transporting the monument from that city to Bandera, free of charge to everyone who contributed free labor, wagons, teams and trucks for the building of the foundation and base of the monument, to those who prepared the grounds for the dedication ceremony in Shelton Stevens and his four marshals for conducting the parade to the Chapman and Military Band of Fort Sam Houston, to our own splendid ex-service men, to the American Legion of Bandera county, to every school child, to every citizen, waking and in turn, to every little flower girl, to the soldiers at the flag and monument, to the nurse to Miss Hunter, to Mr. Hunter to every one who assisted with the sale of poppies at Medina, Tarpley and Bandera, but most especially to every Gold Star Father and Mother, we take this method of thanking you and assuring you of our sincere appreciation.

Gratefully,

THE COMMITTEE.

Commencement Exercises.

The graduation exercises at Bandera High School last Friday night were very prettily carried out in the following order:

Invocation, by Rev. Hicks.
Class Song, by the Glee Club.
Salutation, Claude Fletcher.
Valedictory, Miss Evelyn Manning.
Piano Solo, Miss Lois Fletcher.
Vocal solo, Mrs. R. N. Hicks.
Goodbye Song, Glee Club.
Remarks by Prof. McDonald.
Benediction, Rev. Gossett.

Immediately following the program, two pretty little flower girls, Lay Ellen Davenport and Willa Brooks Hicks, carried to the graduates beautiful bouquets of flowers. The graduates in this year's class were Claude Fletcher, Harold Wagner, Harold Mansfield, Carl Freeman, Forest Ivey, Miss Evelyn Mansfield and Miss Lora Thallman.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.

Herman Harper of this city announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. Mr. Harper is now serving as Justice of the Peace of this precinct, having been appointed to that office some time ago. He is well known to all of the voters, and if elected to the office to which he aspires he will make a good commissioner. He possesses the qualifications necessary to fill that office, is painstaking and careful, and will appreciate your vote and good will in the coming November election.

Expression of Gratitude.

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The storm battle which was to take place at Bandera Pass last Friday, did not take place in the pass, as it had been rumored, but resulted only in skirmishing and maneuvers, in the vicinity of the Cheney and Stevens places two or three miles this side of Bandera. There was quite a crowd of people from all sections of the county gathered at Bandera Pass to observe the maneuvers, many of whom were disappointed "big fight" did not come off according to their expectations. But it was worth all the trouble to get there and see what little we had, to see the big army of six thousand men march through Bandera Pass on their way to camp, and Mr. Kerrville over the crossing accident occurred in the Pass, when an ambulance was overturned, and one private was so seriously injured, it is reported that he has since died from his injuries.

The army, who marched to Kerrville by way of Boerne and Comfort last week, 1,000 in number, came over to Bandera Thursday, arriving Thursday afternoon there. The 2,000 troops encamped here and Thursday went on to participate in the battle at Fredericksburg, Kerrville, and returned to Fort Sam Houston by way of Comfort and Boerne.

While in Bandera these troops were orderly and seemed to greatly enjoy themselves in our city.

Entertainment at St. Joseph's School.

A delightful entertainment was given at the St. Joseph's school auditorium last Friday night, marking the close of the term of that school. An interesting program of dialogues, recitations and music was rendered in a most pleasing manner, and the large audience was delighted with the entire program.

The Class Play.

One of the best arranged and properly presented plays a Bandera audience has been delighted with for some time was the class play, "Safety First," at the High School auditorium last Thursday night. A good house greeted the players, and the play which go to the Parent-Teachers' Association, amounted to about $40. Those who took part were Harold Wagner, Claude Fletcher, Harold Mansfield, Forest Ivey, Carl Freeman, Misses Evelyn Mansfield, Ruth Thallman, Lora Thallman, Thelma Surber and Rachel Hunter. The slender Turkish maiden and the Irish Cook Lady, Misses Thelma Surber and Rachel Hunter respectively, made decided hits with the audience, as did Harold Wagner and Claude Fletcher, the pranksters whose thirty-day vacation in Florida was in question. Everybody immensely enjoyed the play.

For County Treasurer.

Mrs. John F. Hodges announces this week as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Bandera County. Mrs. Hodges has faithfully discharged the duties of that office for several terms, and her work has been highly satisfactory to the public generally. She is always at her post of duty, her books are kept in the best order, and if there has ever been a complaint as to her service the New Era has not heard it. She asks another term at the hands of the voters, and if elected will continue to serve as in the past, efficiently and satisfactorily.

"The Little French Girl."

Above is the title of the picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow, Friday, night. In "The Little French Girl" appears Bette Bronson, who starred in "Peter Pan," which made such a decided hit with San Antonio theater-goers a few months ago. Don't miss this pleasing pictures.—Usual prices.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Freeman were here from Mountain Home a few days the past week, guests of the editor's family. Pomp says there is nothing under the sun that can keep him from entering the pie eating contest at the old settler's reunion. He guarantees to hold a pie in each hand, eat both at the same time, and finish the delicious task before Jack Anderson or George Elam can get started.

Miss Ferne Burris, of San Antonio, spent several days the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper.

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I am a candidate for election to fill the unexpired term, and will be nominated in the primaries of the Democratic primary election on July 24, 1920.

Realizing the time is short and the opportunity so limited that it will scarcely be possible for me to demonstrate that I can satisfactorily fill the office, I ask for your votes. However, having been appointed, I feel that I am entitled to be elected to the office of District Judge, and I am going to vindicate the judgment and good opinion of the many friends who so generously endorsed me and secured the appointment for me.

I am making an earnest effort to measure up to the expectations of my friends, and I feel I can safely assure you that it will not be due to lack of an earnest and honest endeavor on my part if I fail in my capacity of presiding, and whatever of ability I may possess, will be unreservedly dedicated and unstintingly devoted to a faithful and conscientious discharge of the duties of the high office which I have the honor to fill through the kindness of the people, to the end that I may prove myself worthy of the confidence they reposed in me when they asked for my appointment. I respectfully solicit your vote and support.

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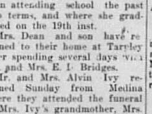

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Mrs. Jessie E. (Dolley) Austin died at her home near Lima last Friday night at 9 o'clock, after an illness of several months. She was born February 19, 1855, being at the time of her death 71 years old. In 1872 she was married to J. G. Austin at Lampasas, Texas, and to this union nine children were born, five of whom are still living, and all were present at her bedside when the end came, Mrs. Lola Dale, Mrs. Ethel Sutton, W. G. Austin, J. W. Austin, all of Lima, and W. H. Austin of Twin Sisters, Texas. She had 17 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. For more than two years Grandma Austin has been paralyzed and unable to walk, but she was ever patient and bore her suffering with fortitude and uncomplainingly. Some years ago she came to Bandera county with her husband and children from Bergheim, Texas, and during her residence here made many friends. Some twenty nine years ago the New Era editor first met this good mother and for awhile was a boarder in her home. We knew her to be a woman possessed of those queenly graces which make home-life attractive, and we observed that she was kind and loving to her children and a devoted wife and helpmeet to her husband. She was a true Christian mother.

The funeral services were conducted at the Helms Cemetery near Lima last Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, by X. N. Mayberry., in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

We extend sympathy and condolence to the bereaved husband and children in this hour of great sorrow.

Boosting Bandera.

Last Sunday's San Antonio Express contained a whole page of pictures showing some of Bandera's picturesque scenery. And the Express had the following to say:

"The Mormons settled Bandera and for three quarters of a century their descendants, augmented by other American pioneers and a colony of Polish farmers, have been living undisturbed in one of Texas' beauty spots.

"Less than 50 miles from San Antonio, the county seat, Bandera, is known to comparatively few San Antonians because the county has no railroads and until about three years ago was more inaccessible than counties hundreds of miles away. Three miles of bad road made a barrier across which only those who had urgent business in Bandera cared to cross. Meantime automobiles and paved roads in other directions started San Antonians traveling to other beauty spots so that even now, when it is possible to drive from San Antonio to Bandera in an hour and a half, there are still few visitors.

"This year Bandera, which has been free from invasions of tourists, had another kind of invasion which interested the citizens immensely. The art class of Jose Arpa, Spanish painter who makes San Antonio his home went to Bandera county for two weeks and every day scattered out over the hills and valleys sketching landscapes which add to beauty those to be found elsewhere in America.

"For the first time Bandera's beauties have been placed on canvas, but only some of them, for the Bandera hills have a beauty for every season of the year and change in attractiveness from day to day.

"Hills, clouds, trees, water, herds of sheep and goats, old stone and rail fences, buildings which were started more than half a century ago—there is a wealth of paintable material in Bandera county which kept the artists busy every minute of daylight.

"Nowhere else in Texas at this particular season are the skies bluer and clouds more attractive. Jose Arpa, instructor of the class, made many sketches and finished paintings developed from his visit will be exhibited by him over the country.

"Hospitable citizens of Bandera made the artists welcome and on the closing day of the camp, gave a rodeo and barbecue dinner in their guests. The work of the artists during the camp was exhibited in a hall in Bandera."

Mr. and Mrs. Richard de Montel of Camp Verde, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee de Montel of Mason Creek, were in the city Sunday for the unveiling ceremonies.

Report comes from Rocky Creek region that Davy Scale is feeding on boiled custard every day in order to get in good practice to gobble pie at the old settler's reunion.

Court Stenographer Rolla Taylor is here from San Antonio this week. Mr. Taylor informs us that the Artists' Guild, of which he is director, will hold its summer encampment at Leon Springs from June 1st to 15th.

The Medina-Bandera-San Antonio Bus Line made its initial run last Monday, and will maintain the following schedule: Leave Medina at 7:30 a. m., leave Bandera at 8:30 a. m., reach San Antonio at 10:30 a. m. Returning the bus leaves San Antonio at 3 p. m., reaches Bandera at 4:45 p. m., and arrives at Medina at 5:45 p. m. Manager Will Gray will give excellent service to patrons of the new line. Dock Curtis of Medina is driver.

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VANDERPOOL

Rev. G. H. Brown and Mr. Barnes of Utopia were up Sunday. The minister brought us two splendid messages. Large and attentive crowds were present at both services. The church has set the date for the Baptist revival to begin on Friday night before the fourth Sunday in July, to be conducted by Rev. J. M. Watson of the Second Avenue Baptist church of Dallas. Rev. G. H. Brown will be with us too. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Choir practice at J. P. Casparis' home Sunday evening was well attended.

Harvesting is in full blast here. Crops of all kinds are looking fine.

Arthur Bridges, J. M. Bridges, J. S. Cooley and Alvin Cooley came in the first of last week from an extended trip to the western portion of the state. They were accompanied by Miss Clara Norman, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lynn Cooley of Comstock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bridges returned last week-end from San Antonio where he had had an X-Ray examination, which showed it was unnecessary to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Misses Roberta Thompson and Opal Clayton are home since the closing of the Sabinal school.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Massey and Mrs. Raymond Massey came in last week from a several days' stay with relatives at Goree, Seymour, Fort Worth, and other points. They were accompanied home by Mr. Massey's father, W. Massey, of Roaring Springs, Motley county.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Love attended the "sham battle" at Bandera Pass Friday. They went on over to Kerrville, accompanied by Jeff Love, to visit their mother, Mrs. R. E. Love, who has been quite ill.

Mrs. J. T. Maddux and three other ladies, of LaPryor, were guests in the J. P. Casaris home Friday. Mrs. L. A. Casparis and little son accompanied them home.

W. T. Murphy is in Birmingham, Alabama, attending the Confederate reunion.

Miss Carrie Ivy, one of Vanderpool's most popular young ladies, will arrive home this week from Sanderson, where she has been attending school the past two terms, and where she graduated on the 19th inst.

Mrs. Dean and son have returned to their home at Tarpley after spending several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ivy returned Sunday from Medina where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Ivy's grandmother, Mrs. Austin. Condolence is extended to the bereaved in this dark hour.

Jim Avart, of the Frio, was in Vanderpool Sunday.

Two new cars in the community lately. O. M. Clayton is the purchaser of a 1926 Ford touring car, and Bob Tant has a new 1926 Ford roadster. Also A. E. O. Ott and A. W. Clayton have purchased a new McCormick binder, and the reaper is being driven with their Fordson tractor in the grain fields.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Newcomer were here from Pipe Creek Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Willis and son, Ben, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leighton and children were here from Tarpley Sunday.

Captain S. W. Walker and son, Lee Walker, came over from Lawson's Creek Sunday for the unveiling of the monument.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Backhaus and children visited relatives at Westmore last Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. C. A. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed, Mrs. E. J. Coone and O. W. Coone, of Lima, were here for the unveiling ceremonies last Sunday.

Mrs. Louis J. Criswell, of San Antonio, was the guest of Mrs. Lee Mansfield a few days last week. Mr. Criswell came after her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hermes, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hermes, Jr., with their families, were here from Tarpley last Sunday for the unveiling ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Coffey, of Comstock, came in last Thursday, called here by the critical condition of Mrs. Coffey's aged mother, Mrs. M. T. Weldon, who fell and fractured her hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter came over from Tarpley last Thursday and spent a few days with home folks. Mrs. Frank Landers, of Hunter, accompanied them to Harper Sunday, returning home Monday.

Mrs. Bryan Autrey, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Finke, left Tuesday for her home at Gonzales. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Bernice Mae Mansfield, who will spend a few days there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Finke and children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schaumer, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kruger and brother and family, Villemaine, all of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Backhaus and Mr. and Mrs. J. Backhaus at Pipe Creek last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Knox and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Warren, of San Antonio, were here for the unveiling Sunday. Mr. Knox was assistant superintendent of the San Antonio city schools, and Warren is one of the boys who furnished the monument when he stands on our court house square.

Col. H. J. Graham, of Boerne, was among the visitors last Sunday. He was here for the unveiling of the monument to our Bandera boys who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War. Mr. Graham erected a similar monument to Kendall county's heroic dead a year or two ago, the monument now standing in Boerne.

Messrs. Ed Stewart and L. H. Baldwin, of Llano, were here last Sunday to attend the unveiling of the monument to the Bandera county soldier boys. The beautiful granite slab which now rests on our public square came from the Llano quarries, owned by these gentlemen, and they came to get acquainted with the people who placed it as a memorial to heroes.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Delbridge, of Edinburg, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Buck of Pipe Creek this week. These good people were residents of this section at one time, moving to the Rio Grande valley about twelve years ago. The company with Mr. Buck, Mr. Delbridge called at the New Era sanctum Monday and informed us that they were greatly enjoying their visit to this favored region.

Veteran Amasa Clark and his good wife occupied front seats at the unveiling of the monument to our soldier boys last Sunday. Veteran Clark is patriotic to the core; he served in the Mexican War and Confederate South, he gave his sons and grandsons to serve in the World War; one of his grandsons made the supreme sacrifice and his name appears on that monument. Hon. Press Montague, in his speech, paid a glowing tribute to this grand old man.

Miss Emily "Ruth" Rambie, a popular Bandera girl, and Miss Emma Ruth Buckner, former Bandera girl, were presented in recital by the Pine Art Department of the San Marcos Academy at San Marcos last Tuesday evening. These young ladies are diploma pupils of Rudolf Rieger. Appearing also in recital was Miss Fay Stoker, certificate pupil of Mrs. A. L. Ingram. The many Bandera friends of these young ladies are delighted with the progress they are making in their music studies.

Dead Frontier Times.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice were here from Medina Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale, of Rocky Creek, were here last Sunday.

Judge Wallace, of Kerrville, was attending district court here this week.

Judge and Mrs. C. W. Harris were down from Medina Sunday attending the unveiling.

Miss Mary Franklin, of Christine, was the guest of Miss Mary McDonald last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Garison were here from Medina Sunday to attend the unveiling.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hicks and little daughter, Dorothy, were over from Tarpley Sunday.

Marvin Hunter, Jr., spent several days at Harper this week with his brother, Warren Hunter.

Postmaster George Dodson, J. R. Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon, of Lima, were here from Tarpley Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Hinds and children, of Medina, were among those who came to the monument unveiling.

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The Epworth League meets at the usual hour next Sunday evening. Miss Grace Hayes is the leader. The subject for his talk is "The Seven Hungers of Man." After the devotional services a short playlet will be given by some of the Leaguers. Everybody is cordially invited to attend the meeting. They are interesting as well as instructive.

Mrs. Mark McBryde, Misses Katherine and Elizabeth McBryde, Mrs. H. G. Johnson and Mrs. Ruth Darrow went to Center Point Monday to attend the commencement exercises of Center Point High School Monday night. They report a very interesting program, in which thirteen graduates participated, among whom was Olin Cavitt, a nephew of Mrs. McBryde.

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J. A. Miller has been quite ill at his home near town, but is now improving. We very much regret that Mr. Miller was unable to attend the unveiling ceremonies last Sunday as he had expected to do. Mr. and Mrs. Miller and their daughter, Miss Minnie Miller have taken an active interest in the movement to erect this monument from the time it first started, and we are sure the disappointment over being unable to attend is very keen. However, we hope Mr. Miller's condition will continue to improve and that he will soon be able to get about.

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Miss Coughran Returns.

Miss Stella Coughran has returned from Marfa, where she taught last term in the Marfa High School. She informs us that she has been employed in the same capacity next term, but will spend her vacation with home folks here.

The Epworth League will meet next Sunday evening at 7:15. Oscar Perner is leader. The League will discuss the story of a heroic queen who saved her people from disaster. You are invited to join in the services. The League needs you and you need the League.

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District Court.

District court adjourned Tuesday. Following are the proceedings since our last week's report:

Martha L. Boultinghouse vs. Robert High Thompson, et al; suit for $20,000 damages for personal injuries. Jury gave plaintiff verdict for $238.79 against Robert High Thompson, Louis Foster, John Casparis, Henry Schemmelpfenig and Oscar Clayton. Motion for new trial overruled, and counsel for plaintiff gave notice of appeal.

Isabel Fries vs. Elden Fries; divorce; judgment by default, and plaintiff's maiden name, Isabel Cox, restored.

Exparte Anita Obiedo, disabilities as a minor removed.

State vs. Pat Forrest, aggravated assault; plea of guilty, and fined $25 and costs.

State vs. Fritz Hinds, Dick Hinds, Tom Finney, and Dwight Kirkland; theft of hogs and malicious mischief. Continued.

State vs. John Mazurek, assault; continued.

State vs. Henry Turner, transporting liquor; dismissed.

A. Meniers, R. G. Thompson and Walter Rees appointed jury commissioners.

To Organize Amusement Club.

There will be a meeting at the Crockett school house near Tuff next Saturday at 2 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of organizing an educational and entertainment club. Everybody invited to come prepared for games of all kinds.

Millard Hand, who is connected with the city fire department at Abilene, is here on a visit to his sister, Miss Nina Belle Hand, and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Mansfield-Housh.

A quiet home wedding took place at the home of Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield Monday evening, when their daughter, Miss Clara Belle Mansfield, was united in marriage to Mr. C. N. Housh of Laredo, Texas, Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Only the immediate family were present to witness the ceremony. The newly married pair left immediately for a honeymoon trip to Canada, California, Oregon, and other western states, and will be absent several weeks, after which they will return to Laredo to reside.

The bride is a most excellent young lady, and quite popular among a large circle of friends. The groom is a geologist by profession, and holds a good position with a leading oil concern operating in Texas and Mexico. The "New Era joins" in congratulations and good wishes for a long and happy life for Mr. and Mrs. Housh.

Married Monday.

Mr. Loy Hyde and Miss Blanche Hill were happily married at the court house last Monday afternoon, Judge Wallace officiating. The groom is an energetic young man of Mountain Home, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hill, who reside above Medina. She is an excellent young lady and highly esteemed. The newly married pair will reside at Mountain Home. The New Era joins their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hyde much happiness and prosperity through life.

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Damage Suit Tried.

The Boultinghouse case was tried in the district court last Friday and Saturday. This is the case wherein Mrs. Martha L. Boultinghouse is seeking damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained when an automobile in which she was riding came in contact with a cable stretched across a road. She asked for $20,000 damages. Robert High Thompson, Louis Foster, John Casparis, Henry Schemmelpfenig, and Oscar Clayton were named as defendants in the suit.

The accident in which the plaintiff's injuries were received, it is said, occurred at the Vandepool school house, the cable being used while some repair work was being done on the building last year. The jury brought in a verdict awarding the plaintiff $238.79 as damages. Notice of appeal was given by attorneys for the plaintiff.

Delightful Party.

Gegrge Lane entertained a large number of his friends with a delightful party last Thursday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane, near town. Delicious refreshments were served, and a fine time was had by everyone who attended.

Miss Righ Returns.

Miss Helen Rugh has returned from San Antonio where she recently underwent an operation. Her many friends will be delighted to know she has made good recovery.

Married Saturday Night.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of R. E. Buck, at Pipe Creek, last Saturday night, when Miss Hattie Rotge and Miss Harriet Newcomer were united in the bonds of matrimony. R. E. Buck, Justice of the Peace, performing the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. John Newcomer of Pipe Creek and is a highly respected young lady. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rotge of Kerrville, is an industrious young man, and has for several years been employed at the Legion, where he holds a responsible position. He is worthy of the charming bride he has won for his life partner. The happy pair left on Sunday for Kerrville, where they will make their home. Their many friends wish for them a long and happy life.

Bitten by a Rattlesnake.

Elmer Watson, a young man whose home is at Boerne, was bitten by a large rattlesnake last Monday, while he was working in the harvest fields on the C. Anderson ranch below Pipe Creek. First aid treatment was promptly given, and Dr. Butler was summoned and administered antidotes, and the young man is now making good recovery.

Bandera Defeated.

The Bandera baseball team went over to Boerne Sunday to play ball. In the ninth inning, when the game was called off the score stood 11 to 4, in favor of Boerne.

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Center Point Chapter Entertains.

The Center Point Chapter of the Eastern Star entertained a number of friends from other towns in Center Point last Saturday night. Among those attending from Bandera and Medina were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dixson, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr., Mrs. Janet Currie; Mrs. John F. Hodges, Mrs. Alice Bolton, Mrs. Mark McBryde, all of Bandera; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sewall, Mrs. F. Whisenhunt and Mrs. C. W. Harris, of Medina.

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P. T. A. Election.

It is desired that every member of the Parent-Teachers' Association attend the regular meeting to be held at the school building tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. The election of officers of the association will take place, and there will be other important business to come before the meeting.

Happily Situated.

Last Thursday we had the pleasure of spending a short while with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baxter near Fredericksburg. We found these good people comfortably domiciled in the home they recently bought there, and very much pleased with their surroundings. They sold their home on Mason Creek some time ago to Mr. C. C. Lackey of Port Arthur, and moved to Fredericksburg to be near their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Keller, in the hope that the change would be beneficial to Mr. Baxter's health. He feels very much improved since moving there, and we sincerely hope the relief will be permanent and that he will fully recover.

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San Antonio, were visiting F. J. McCarthy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Newcomer made a business trip to San Antonio Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shan Ross and son, Mrs. Percy Abbie, Mrs. W. W. Meadows and daughter, Mrs. Swartz, all of San Antonio, were guests of W. R. Thomason and L. J. Edwards Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Reinarz and Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap attended church in Bandera Sunday.

James Rutherford, of Eagle ..., was a guest of George White and family Sunday.

Messrs. H. O. and W. T. Mecray are spending a few days in San Antonio.

Mr. Buchman and wife, of Austin, are now located in their new home known as the Fairview Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Hargrave and two bright little daughters, Florine and Maxine, visited friends in Boerne Saturday.

Master J. B. George, of San Antonio, is spending awhile with his brother, Gean George and family.

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Miss Coughran Returns.

Miss Stella Coughran has returned from Marfa, where she taught last term in the Marfa High School. She informs us that she has been employed in the same capacity next term, but will spend her vacation with home-folks here.

The Epworth League will meet next Sunday evening at 7:15. Oscar Perner is leader. The League will discuss the story of a heroic queen who saved her people from disaster. You are invited to join in the services. The League needs you and you need the League.

New hats for the ladies, latest styles, at Mrs. Dennis'.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Reece Forest, May 27, a nine-pound boy.

Fords! Fords!!

I have several second hand Ford touring cars for sale, 1924 and 1925 models, all at bargain prices. See me at once.—Frank Mansfield.

District Court.

District court adjourned Tuesday. Following are the proceedings since our last week's report:

Martha L. Boultinghouse vs. Robert High Thompson, et al, suit for $20,000 damages for personal injuries. Jury gave plaintiff verdict for $258.79 against Robert High Thompson, Louis Foster, John Casparis, Henry Schemmelpfenig and Oscar Clayton. Motion for new trial overruled, and counsel for plaintiff gave notice of appeal.

Isabel Fries vs. Elden Fries; divorce. Judgment by default, and plaintiff's maiden name, Isabel Cox, restored.

Exparte Anita Obiedo, disabilities as a minor removed.

State vs. Pat Forrest, aggravated assault; plea of guilty, and fined $25 and costs.

State vs. Fritz Hinds, Dick Hinds, Tom Finney, and Dwight Kirkland; theft of hogs and malicious mischief. Continued.

State vs. John Mazurek, assault; continued.

State vs. Henry Turner, transporting liquor; dismissed.

A. Meadows, R. G. Thompson and Walter Rees appointed jury commissioners.

To Organize Amusement Club.

There will be a meeting at the Crockett school house near Taff next Saturday at 2 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of organizing an educational and entertainment club. Everybody is itted to come prepared for games of all kinds.

Millard Haud, who is connected with the city fire department at Abilene, is here on a visit to his sister, Miss Nina Belle Hand, and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Mansfield-Housh.

A quiet home wedding took place at the home of Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield Monday evening, when their daughter, Miss Clara Belle Mansfield, was united in marriage to Mr. C. N. Housh of Laredo, Texas, Rev. R. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Only the immediate family were present to witness the ceremony. The newly married pair left immediately for a honeymoon trip to Canada, California, Oregon, and other western states, and will be absent several weeks, after which they will return to Laredo to reside.

The bride is a most excellent young lady, and quite popular here. She has been holding a responsible position in Austin for the past two years. The groom is a geologist by profession, and holds a good position with a leading oil concern operating in Texas and Mexico. The New Era joins in congratulations and good wishes for a long and happy life for Mr. and Mrs. Housh.

Married Monday.

Mr. Loy Hyde and Miss Blanche Hill were happily married at the court house last Monday morning, Judge J. A. Eames officiating. The groom is an energetic young man of Mountain Home, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hill, who reside above Medina. She is an excellent young lady and highly esteemed. The newly married pair will reside at Mountain Home. The New Era joins their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hyde much happiness and prosperity through life.

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Damage Suit Tried.

The Boultinghouse case was tried in the district court last Friday and Saturday. This is the case wherein Mrs. Martha L. Boultinghouse is seeking damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained when an automobile in which she was riding came in contact with a cable wire stretched across a road. She asked for $20,000 damages. Robert High Thompson, Louis Foster, John Casparis, Henry Schemmelpfeniz, and Oscar Clayton were named as defendants in the suit.

The accident in which the plaintiff's injuries were received, it is said, occurred at the Vandepool school house, the cable being used while some repair work was being done on the building last year. The jury brought in a verdict awarding the plaintiff $258.79 as damages. Notice of appeal was given by attorneys for the plaintiff.

Delightful Party.

George Lane entertained a large number of his friends with a delightful party last Thursday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane, near town. Delicious refreshments were served, and a fine time was had by everyone who attended.

Miss Rugh Returns.

Miss Helen Rugh has returned from San Antonio where she recently underwent an operation. Her many friends will be delighted to know she has made good recovery.

Married Saturday Night.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of R. E. Buck, at Pipe Creek, last Saturday night, when Mr. Albert Rotge and Miss Harriet Newcomer were united in the bonds of matrimony, R. E. Buck, Justice of the Peace, performing the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. John Newcomer of Pipe Creek and is a highly respected young lady. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rotge of Kerrville, is an industrious young man, and has for several years been employed at Legion, where he holds a responsible position. He is worthy of the charming bride he has won for his life partner. The happy pair left on Sunday for Kerrville where they will make their home. Their many friends wish for them a long and happy life.

Bitten by a Rattlesnake.

Ernest Walsh, a young man whose home is at Boerne, was bitten by a large rattlesnake last Monday, while he was working in the harvest fields on the C. Anderson ranch below Pipe Creek. First aid treatment was promptly given, and Dr. Butler was summoned and administered antidotes, and the young man is now making good recovery.

Bandera Defeated.

The Bandera baseball team went over to Boerne Sunday to play ball. In the ninth inning when the game was called off the score stood 11 to, 4, in favor of Boerne.

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Center Point Chapter Entertains.

The Center Point Chapter of the Eastern Star entertained a number of friends from other towns in Center Point last Saturday night. Among those attending from Bandera and Medina were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chisum, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr., Mrs. Janet Currie; Mrs. John F. D. Hodges, Mrs. Alice Bolton, Mrs. Mark McBryde, all of Bandera; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sewall, Mrs. F. Whisenhunt and Mrs. C. W. Harris, of Medina.

Free Vacation.

Uncle Sam offers every healthy boy, between the ages of 17 and 25, a month's vacation absolutely free. The best of food, clean athletic sports, instruction in the use of the rifle, etc. Attendance at these C. M. T. Camps does not in any way obligate you to future army service. This camp will be held at Ft. San Houston, San Antonio, from July 6th to August 4th. Uniform and all equipment furnished free and your transportation to and from camp is paid. At the end of your month's training you will enjoy home a better man physically and mentally.—Let's go. For full information see Dr. J. H. Erwin.

P. T. A. Election.

It is desired that every member of the Parent-Teachers' Association attend the regular meeting to be held at the school building tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. The election of officers of this association will take place, and there will be other important business to come before the meeting.

Happily Situated.

Last Thursday we had the pleasure of spending a short while with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baxter near Fredericksburg. We found these good people comfortably domiciled in the home they recently bought there, and very much pleased with their surroundings. They sold their home on Mason Creek some time ago to Mr. C. C. Lackey of Port Arthur, and moved to Fredericksburg to be near their daughter, Mrs. Alfred Keller, in the hope that the change would be beneficial to Mr. Baxter's health. He feels very much improved since moving there, and we sincerely hope the relief will be permanent and that he will fully recover.

Card of Thanks.

We sincerely thank our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness and sympathy in our sorrow over the death of our little child, Katherine. These acts of kindness will never be forgotten.—D. Dugos and Family.

PIPE CREEK LOCALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bean, of San Antonio, are visiting F. J. McCarthy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Newcomer made a business trip to San Antonio Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shan Ross and son, Mrs. Percy Abbie, Mrs. W. D. Meadows and daughter, Mrs. Swartz, all of San Antonio, were guests of W. H. Thomason and L. J. Edwards Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Reinarz and Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap attended church in Bandera Sunday.

James Rutherford, of Eagle ..., was a guest of George White and family Sunday.

Messrs. H. O. and W. T. McCray are spending a few days in San Antonio.

Mr. Bohman and wife, of Austin, are now located in their new home known as the Fairview Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Hargrave and two bright little daughters, Florine and Maxine, visited friends in Boerne Saturday.

Master J. B. George, of San Antonio, is spending awhile with his brother, Gean George and family.

We are glad to learn Mrs. Edgar Pickers is up again, after several days of illness.

Mr. Rotge of Kerrville and Miss Harriett Newcomer were married Sunday by our Justice of the Peace, Robert Buck.

We are very sorry to learn of Elmer Watkins of Boerne getting rattle snake bit Monday while working in the harvest field for Mr. Wallace. But he is getting along nicely at present.

Elder and Mrs. D. S. Palmer, of Medina, were pleasant visitors in the home of Q. C. Hedges Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCarthy were up from the Lake Monday, visiting his parents.

$10 REWARD

Lost, about two weeks ago blue spotted hound with black head, ear torn out on right front leg, small X brand on right side. $10 reward for information leading to finding of same, Phone Travis 8819, or write G. W. Holekamp, 515 Houston Bldg. San Antonio, Texas. 2tc.

Will Baker Recovering.

Will M. Baker, who has been in a San Antonio hospital the past six or eight weeks, and underwent two serious operations, writes the New Era that he is now improving fast and hopes to soon be with his family and friends. This is indeed pleasing news, as Mr. Baker was very low for a time and his recovery was doubtful. His home is near Bluff.

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The Old Fiddlers' Contest will be held at the Old Settlers' Reunion at 8:30 o'clock on the night of ... Contestants must be over fifty years old and will be required to play three old fashioned tunes of their own choice.

Suitable prizes will be given, Judges will be selected by the contestants just before contest starts. The following tunes are suggested from which to make selections:

Turkey in the Straw.
Money Musk.
Natchez Under the Hill.
Marching Through Georgia.
Leather Breeches.
Hard Shell Baptist.
Old Zip Coon.
Arkansas Traveler.
Rabbit in the Pea Patch.
Fisher's Hornpipe.
Soldier's Joy.
Waggoner.
Portland Fancy.
Lafayette.
Molly Put the Kettle On.
Turkey in the Straw.
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Suitable prizes will be given. Judges will be selected by the contestants just before starts. The following tunes are suggested from which to make selections:

Cottonwood Jim
Wagner
Forked Deer
Soldier's Joy
Molly Put the Kettle On
Turkey in the Straw
Come Along Sam
Natchez Under the Hill
Marching Through Georgia
Leather Britches
Big Wheeler
Bile Them Cabbage Down
Arkansas Traveler
Dance at Neal's in the Hollow
Hell Among the Yearlings
Fire on the Mountain
Sally Goodin
Rickett's Hornpipe
Money Musk
Devil's Dream
Hamilton's Reel
Money Musk
Sweet Marie
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Over the Waves
Home Sweet Home
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LEGAL NOTICE

In Re Estate of Hosea Mansfield et al, No. 431

In County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

Notice is hereby given that I, Minnie Mansfield, guardian of the estate of Mansfield Robert Lee Mansfield, and Herman Mansfield Minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the Hon. Judge of Bandera County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of said estate to sell and to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order, and direct on the below described real estate belonging to the estate of said wards, to wit:

First Tract: 320 acres, being Survey No. 1105, originally granted to W. H. Davenport Assignee of E. L. & R. R. R. Co. by Letter Patent No. 14, Vol. 102, containing 320 acres, less and except, 133 acres out of the S. E. Corner of said Survey No. 1109, sold to Lawrence Sacks by deed dated April 22, 1926, recorded in Vol. X, on pages 253 to 255, of the Deed Records of Bandera County, Texas, to which reference is here made.

Fourth Tract: 160 acres, being Survey No. 2119, originally granted to Jacob Dysert, Assignee of E. Paso Irrigation Co. by Letter Patent No. 121, Vol. 28.

Fifth Tract: 160 acres, being Survey No. 1105.1, Patent No. 437 Vol. 36, Patent dated Sept 2nd, 1908, and issued to George Pickard.

Sixth Tract: 160 acres, being the North ½ of Section No. 1110, Cert. No. 1526, grantee E. L. & R. R. R. Co., been pooled for free school land and purchased and fully paid for, and patented to G. H. Pickard and William Fest August 11th, 1914, by Patent No. 12, Vol. 47.

Seventh Tract: 160 acres, being the N. W. ¼ of Section 1104, Cert. 84, G. B. & C. N. G. Ry. Co. on the waters of Indian Creek, a tributary of Medina River, Patent No. 23, Vol. Four A. Issued September 22, 1919.

Eighth Tract: 160 acres being the S. E. ¼ Section 1104, Cert. 84, G. B. & C. N. G. Ry. Co. on the waters of Indian Creek, Patent No. 402, Vol. Four A. Issued November 20, 1919.

Ninth Tract: 45½ acres of land out of Survey No. 61, Abst. No. 1, Certificate No. 4605, in name of H. Arnold, being same land willed to C. H. Mansfield by Laura Mansfield by will dated Sept. 1st 1924, recorded in Vol. 37, on pages 504-505, Bandera County Probate Minutes.

Tenth Tract: Survey No. 1094, of 320 acres, Abstract No. 1, patented to Lafayette Frink, Patent No. 432 Vol. 22, Certificate No. 4th 1874.

Eleventh Tract: 42.3 acres out of Survey No. 61, Abst. No. 1, Certificate No. 4605, patented to Hosea Arnold March 17th, 1847, by Letter Patent No. 720, Vol. 6, described by metes and bounds as follows, to wit: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Survey No. 61, a stake in the West line of Survey No. 62, for the Northeast corner hereof; Thence S. 45 W. 127 vrs. to a stake for corner; Thence N. 45 W. 111 vrs. to a stake for corner; Thence N. 45 E. 127 vrs. to a stake in the East line of said Survey No. 61, for corner; Thence S. 45 E. 111 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Twelfth Tract: 99 acres more or less out of Survey No. 61, and 62 Holly Arnold and beginning at a stone mound from which a 14 in. Elm S. 74½ W. 50½ vrs. Thence N. 45 W. 127 vrs. to a rk md. from which a L. O. 14" brs. S. 74½ W. 63 2/3 vrs. Thence N. 45 E. 129 vrs. to a rk md. on the bank of Doe Creek. Thence S. 88 E. 190 vrs. to a rk. Thence S. 45 W. 177 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Thirteenth Tract: 50 acres of land more or less, being a part of upper half of Survey No. 61, originally granted to Holly Arnold, situated on the N. E. side of Medina River about 45 miles W. of the City of San Antonio. Beginning at the S. E. Corner of Survey made for Ignatz Cebula via a stone mound from which a post oak marked X 14 inch. in dia. brs. N. 32.5 vrs. Thence N. 45 W. vrs. passing a stone mound from which a post Oak 2 ft. in dia. marked X brs. S. 2½ W. 1½ vrs. to a point on the N. W. Boundary line of Survey No. 61, Thence with said line N. 45 E. 294 vrs. to a stake and stone mound in the prarie 95 vrs. to a stone mound for S. E. corner from which a Post Oak marked X 18 inch dia. brs. S. 81½ W. 27 vrs. Thence S. 45 W 294 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Fourteenth Tract: In Bandera County, Texas, and being a part of Survey No. 62, originally granted Holly Arnold and containing by estimation two acres. Beginning on the lower line of said Survey at the North West Corner of 50 acres tract out of Survey 61 owned by said Joe Moravietz. Thence N. 45 W. about 52 vrs to line of a 200 acre tract sold by T. C. Rine and now owned by A. Mansfield. Thence S 45 W to the S W Corner of said 200 acre tract, a rock mound from which a B. J. 18 brs N. 87 W. 55 vrs, Thence S. 45 E. about 52 vs to the lower line of said Survey No. 62 and upper line of No. 61 and being also the line of Moravietz 50 acres. Thence with said line N. 45 E. to the beginning.

The above application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in the town of Bandera, Texas, on the 8th day of June, A. D. 1926.

MINNIE MANSFIELD.
Guardian of the Estate of Mansfield, Robert Lee Mansfield, and Coy Herman Mansfield, Minors.

Mrs. J. W. Short and son, Lee, visited San Antonio last Tuesday.

Mrs. R. E. Hunt is spending several days in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Monk are back from a visit to San Antonio.

Homer Mansfield came home from Junction Sunday to spend a few days.

Mrs. Joel Gray of San Antonio spent Friday and Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Pete Pyka.

Miss Sophie Grimm, Mansfield, is the guest for August Schmidt and family.

Mrs. Eunice Young and her daughter are here from Dallas visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

A. F. Williamson was in Kerrville Tuesday last. Mrs. Williamson and Mrs. Tarpley had luncheon with Mrs. Williamson's mother, Mrs. Ed Schreiner.

Mrs. Alice Bellinger and grandson, Harold Wagner, Tuesday for a visit with relatives.

Charles Graves and Sergeant Smith of San Houston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kibbe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kibbe and grandson, Harold Wagner, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schreiner Sunday

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List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31st, 1926, for Taxes of 1925, in Bandera County

REPORTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER FIFTEEN, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES OF 1911.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA.

I, Henry Stevens, Tax Collector of said County; do hereby certify that the land and lots listed below and assessed on the tax rolls of said County for the year 1925, are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and that there was no personal property for seizure and sale as required by Article 7692, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, and therefore I am entitled to credit for the taxes shown and herien reported delinquent.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

COUNTY OF BANDERA. In the Commissioners Court: We Certify that we have examined the following three pages of Collector's report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Bandera County, for the year 1925, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and find the same correct, and that Henry Stevens, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes shown thereon. Given in open Court this 11th day of May, A. D., 1926.

J. A. EAMES, County Judge.
A. PYKA.
R. L. MORRIS.
J. L. EDWARDS.
J. V. PORTER.
County Commissioners of Said County

Owner	Abst	Cert	Sur.	Original Grantee	Acres	City or Town	St. Tax	Co. Tax	Total
Buckelew, F. M.						Medina, Lt. 1 Bel. Ad.	$ 1.53	$ 2.87	$ 4.40
Caffall, F. R. & Ida						Bandera, 69 to 70 Range 14			
Caffall, F. R. & Ida						Bandera, 73 to 80 Range 14	9.41	16.30	25.71
Click, C. M. & A. J.	220		35	Wm. Kelley	96.4				
Click, C. M. & A. J.	327		34	M.G. de los Santos	132.3		17.95	21.42	39.37
Cooksey, Jeff Jr, Est.	914		38	J.A. Grant	80				
Cooksey, Jeff Jr, Est.	1175		38	R. Fisher	80		2.55	2.61	5.16
Curtis, T. N. & Ella	92	4019	71	A. Curvier	5		10.71	17.35	28.06
Davenport, M. & B.	133	5	1263	E. P. I. Co.	160				
Davenport, M. & B.	1588		6	M. Davenport	320				
Davenport, M. & B.	190		1262	J. Hughes	148		29.15	32.33	61.48
Harris, J. T.	1076		325	1.A. J. Crockett	160				
Harris, J. T.	505		322	1.A. J. Crockett	4		5.08	12.87	17.95
Johnson, Wm. & Essie	370	722	324	8. B. Talley	65				
Johnson, Wm. & Essie	156		313	M. M. Gurrera	20		12.53	13.05	25.58
Light, R. H. & May	2210	1830	38	J. R. George	80				
Light, R. H. & May	2225	1830	38	R. H. Light	80		7.74	11.92	19.71
Mayfield, Hughey M.						Medina, 6 and 7 Bkr, Ad.	3.34	3.47	6.81
Miller, Mrs. Jess	260	700	168	E. A. Martin	20		3.43	4.43	7.86
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	348	716	314	P. Salinas	101				
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	131	1597	317	G. Esparza	52				
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	349	716	316	P. Salinas	148		23.46	26.74	50.20
Pepper, J. M. & Aura	1431	438	508	C. C. Reed	139.1				
Pepper, J. M. & Aura	804		308	1.J. F. Hodges	50		15.66	27.47	43.13
Saathoff, M. L. & Jane	154	126	497	A. Gomez	2½				
Saathoff, M. L. & Jane	154	126	497	A. Gomez	2.10				
Saathoff, M. L. & Jane	154	126	497	A. Gomez	1.14		23.74	25.17	48.91
Sutton, S. H.	260	700	168	E. A. Martin	70		4.65	10.89	15.54
Thomas, O. W.	130	1597	315	G. Esparza	100		10.58	19.93	30.51
White, G. A. & Mae	1340		250	1.W. H. White	60		8.22	5.97	14.19
White, W. H. Hrs.	1340		250	1.W. H. White	100		8.13	8.98	17.11
Lamb, E. R.	46	23	155	J. B. Brown	229.7		13.98	26.58	37.56
Lewis, Patent Co.						Lake Medina Highlands, 20 7 and 8	.85	.77	1.62
Miller, J. Y.	92	4019	71	A. Curvier	100		10.24	17.42	27.66
Oatman, C. S.	958		2020	B. F. Oatman	110				
Oatman, C. S.	1440	126	12	A. J. Champion	120		4.92	7.34	12.26
Oatman, M. A. Mrs. Hrs.	958		2020	B. F. Oatman	45		1.69	2.53	4.22
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	130	1597	315	G. Esparza	40				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	1246		46	1.W. A. Sheppard	23				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	517	322	45	C.C. S.D. R.G. N.G	57.7				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	2072		323	1.W. B. Baker	21.1				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	1338		323	J. D. Rankin	80				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	367	838	143	J. Tanner	26.2		10.16	19.14	29.30
Banks, Jno O.	2300		3004	H. C. Wynn	101		1.19	1.50	2.69
Barham, Chas. F.	2421	3794	300	D. V. Brooks	235		3.12	4.76	7.88
Bland & Laree	2389	737	328	J. C. Thompson	44				
Bland & Laree						Bandera, 1 to 8, Range 2	1.35	1.87	3.22
Bourland, Claud	1765		234	J. B. Spettle	3		3.64	3.31	6.95
Bruce, R. W.	76	19	72	I. S. de Cologne	1.½		5.08	9.58	14.66
Christopher, Mrs. T. E.	2460	245	494	T. E. Christopher	99.6		1.10	1.40	2.50
Elliott, John Deed	3420	353	83	G. H. Baxter	700		7.19	12.04	19.23
Ezell, T. A.	1227	258	190	1.P. L. Mudd	149		1.53	1.92	3.45
Fellows, J. L.	260	700	168	E. A. Martin	100		2.54	5.94	8.48
Felthouse, F. W.	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		4.24	3.85	8.09
Goldman, Francis	2305	2606	84	A. W. Clark	164.4		5.08	6.47	11.35
Harris, G. W.	2306		922	W. P. Conley	320		3.82	5.44	9.26
Haby, Anna & Brotz	142	316	936	J. Franco	34		1.69	2.80	4.49
Hand, John	154	126	496	A. Gomez	1.½		3.05	3.24	6.29
Harrison & Riverell	2440		240	G. Hinds	129		4.24	7.97	12.21
Hohnberger, Wm.	154	126	497	A. Gomez	2		.42	.44	.86
Jackson, E. S. Deed,						Medina, 1 Reed Ad.	.34	.64	.98
Jones, Casey	2381		285	1.L. Haby	9.39				
Jones, Casey	528		285	1.Warren Davis	1.61		6.78	6.16	12.94
Little, Mrs. J. L.	481	1090	297	A.B. & M.	80				
Little, Mrs. J. L.	482	1090	299	A.B. & M.	80				
Little, Mrs. J. L.	503	5	801	L.I. & A. A.	80				
Little, Mrs. J. L.	606		280	1.W. H. Norton	40		3.55	3.93	7.48
Lukinbaugh, Mrs. D.						Medina, 1 Reed Ad.	2.03	3.83	5.86
Miller, Geo.	227	407	351	H. W. Karnes	80		2.54	2.80	5.34
McAllister, w. W.	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	4		2.12	1.94	4.06
McCarthy, Wm. D.	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		4.24	3.85	8.09
McDonald, I. Hrs.	210	120	937	A. Jamie	117		14.40	21.88	36.28
Neal, Jack	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2				
Neal, Jack	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	1.38		10.59	9.63	20.22
Noonan, Thos. E.						Bandera, 62, 63 Range 11	11.01	19.31	30.32
OBrien, Peter & Paul	1738		312	D. & W. Ry. Co.	17		.25	.09	.34
Petterman, W. R.						Bandera, 39 and 40, Rang 6	.08	.16	.25
Philippus, Emil	490		350	1.J. W. Beekman	160				
Philippus, Emil	1511	228	24	P. Anderson	320				
Philippus, Emil	1510	83	22	F. Anderson	320				
Philippus, Emil	1509	382	746	P. Anderson	320		17.11	18.89	36.00
Pue, Mrs. Mary	94	3841	65	Jno Coke	100		7.12	8.78	15.90
Quota, Frank						Bandera, 41 & 42 Range 6			
Quota, Frank						Bandera, 43 & 44 Range 6			
Quota, Frank						Bandera, 41, Range 9	.85	1.48	2.33
Stauffeur, F. F.	263	82	285	J. A. Martinez	43.100		8.47	7.70	16.17
Surrenden, A. F.	1265		234	J. B. Spettle	1.17		.93	.85	1.78
Wooten, C. H. & M. D.	2560	1230	1720	R. A. Nicklason	457.4		5.08	7.26	12.34
Wroten, Hundley.	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		3.82	3.47	7.29
Yates, Don	2392	2790	310	E. R. Barrow	400		5.08	7.72	12.80
Unknown	14	1321	1	A. B. & M.	53		.50	.75	1.26
Unknown	910		707	Gonzales	51		.59	.86	1.45
Unknown	1026	1230	1719	H. E. & W. T. Ry	317		3.39	4.84	8.23
Unknown	1151	1659	1729	T. & S.L. Ry Co.	180		1.95	2.78	4.73
Unknown	1239	47	8	A. Real	69		.68	1.01	1.69
Unknown	1270	3812	130	G.C. & S.F. Ry.	60		.70	1.10	1.80
Unknown	1753	1321	2	Julius Real	70		.85	1.26	2.11
Unknown	2258	2625	122	N. A. Dawson	320		3.82	4.71	8.53
Unknown	2365		326	C. C. McDonald	243		2.54	3.04	5.58
Unknown	2444		552	A. Sprangleberry	245.1		2.54	3.20	5.74

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, June 25th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

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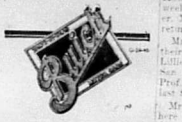

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Ewes and Rams.

John I. Liles of Collins, Ohio, will be in Kerrville June 25th with about 80 young ewes and 25 rams, all Liles and Cook ewes. Remember the date, and if you want the best Delaine-Merino stock you can get it from Mr. Liles.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to everybody who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement over the death of our beloved husband and father, T. L. Hollowell, and for all acts of kindness shown us. MRS. M. C. HOLLOWELL AND CHILDREN.

Floyd Hamilton, Miss Maida Hamilton, Miss Fern Hay, and Mrs. Bob Surber visited Boerne Comfort and Center Point last Saturday.

CANDIES

Penny candies and bar candies now on sale through June. When you purchase five bars for 25 cents you will get one bar free. With purchases of fifty pieces of penny candies you will get ten free, any kind. At the O. S. T. Confectionery.

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Frontier Times Next Week.

The July number of Frontier Times will be issued from this office next week. You will be interested in the contents of this little magazine, which includes the following: "Adventures on the Old Cattle Trail," "Riding the Range with the Rangers," "The Salt Creek Fight," "Lige Bevins' Gang Exterminated," "Was Longley Killed by Hanging!" "Seco Smith, a Bandera Pioneer," "Some Camp Verde History," "Life and Adventures of Ben Thompson," "Old Fort Inge," "Vanmeter Tells of Early Days," "King Fisher, a Noted Character," "When General Sherman Escaped," "The Pound-ing of Bandera." This number alone will be worth the annual subscription price of Frontier Times. You ought to take it for your children to read. During the next thirty days we will accept subscriptions to our two publications, The New Era and the Frontier Times, together, for only $2.50. This offer is for only thirty days however.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Carlton were up from San Antonio Sunday.

Dr. J. B Birt and wife, of Harper, were here Tuesday on a visit.

Miss Thora Elam, who has been attending school in Fort Worth, is here to spend the summer with her father, G. L. Elam.

Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield returned Sunday from a delightful visit to her sister, Mrs. Bryan Antwey, at Gonzales.

The New Era family will move again this week. This time we move to the residence just vacated by Prof. L. L. McDonald and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sam Jones, of Mooreville, Texas, were here last week, visiting Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. Louise Thalmann. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Little and their son and daughter, Fred Little and Miss Florence Little, of Bandera, were here Tuesday to see Prof. and Mrs. L. L. McDonald last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Dinn were here from Hebronville a few days ago on a visit to relatives and friends. Mrs. Dinn was formerly Miss Allie Langford, and was raised here.

Mrs. W. C. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Ned W. Smith and children, Mrs. S. H. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. F. Ford Fisher, and Doc Brooks, all of San Antonio, were here to see B. F. Fairs and family this week.

A young man named Kreuger, working on the Schoele farm, sustained a broken collar bone and painful bruises Tuesday when a horse fell with him. He is getting along very well at this writing.

J. W. Robison and children, Mrs. Leo Barron, R. J. Robison, Kermit Robison and Miss Margaret Robison, are here from Port Arthur on a visit to his brother, R. A. Robison, and sister, Mrs. R. N. Padgett, of Tarpley.

The still-born babe of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Donald was buried Thursday. Mrs. Donald has been critically ill and the services of a trained nurse were secured for her. We are pleased to report that she is now getting along very well.

W. R. Caruthers, of Somerset, spent several days here last week visiting with the Medina. Mr. Caruthers visited Bandera some forty-five years ago, and has not forgotten the fine time he had here then. He called at our office Saturday and enrolled as a subscriber to the New Era.

L. R. Watkins, district manager of the Security Benefit Association, was here last Thursday from San Antonio, and also visited Medina where he is securing members for the order. He has already secured enough for a charter for a lodge at Medina and will get many more. Doc Watkins represents an excellent order and one which everybody should join.

Mrs. B. F. Fairs has been quite ill the past few days, but is now improving. Her daughters, Mrs. S. H. Ford, Mrs. F. M. Fisher and Mrs. Ned W. Smith, of San Antonio, have been with her most of the time. Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Smith have returned to San Antonio but Mrs. Fisher will remain several days longer, and will take her home with her for awhile.

The New Era editor and daughter, Miss Myra Jeonette Hunter, are attending the meeting of the Texas Press Association at San Antonio this week. The convention will be in session today, tomorrow and Saturday. A splendid program has been arranged for the entertainment of the editors of the state which includes dinners, banquets, sightseeing trips over the bay, a big fish fry at Medina Lake, and a trip to the Rio Grande Valley.

Prof. L. L. McDonald and family left this week for Christine, where they will reside, and where Mr. and Mrs. McDonald will teach in the Christine High School next term. We regret to lose this excellent family from our midst, for during the two years they have lived in Bandera they have endeared themselves to our people. Both Mr. and Mrs. McDonald held positions in Bandera High School, as superintendent and assistant, respectively, and gave entire satisfaction in their work. The places were offered to them again, but better salaries were offered them at Christine, where they taught before coming to Bandera. The good wishes of all of our people go with them.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK MBBRYDE.

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For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

New hats for the ladies, latest styles, at Mrs. Dennis'.

Miss Stella Pyka has returned from a visit to friends in San Antonio.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stewart, at Utopia, June 1, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns of Uvalde, spent a few days with friends at Tarpley last week.

Mrs. Andrew Pyka and child drove up from San Antonio Sunday with friends in San Antonio.

Mrs. R. N. Padgett of Tarpley is spending awhile with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Stewart, at Utopia.

Arthur Hayes, of Long Beach, California, is here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes.

Mrs. G. Hicks, of Tarpley, spent several days here this week with her daughter, Mrs. Leo Barron.

Leave small things and come to Epworth League next Sunday evening. Hear about the greatest thing in the world. Miss Lorena Mueller is leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Newcomer, of Pipe Creek, had as their week end guests, Mrs. Leo Barron and son, and Miss Margaret Robison, of Port Arthur.

Ted Munk came in Tuesday and carried his sisters, Miss Frankie Munk and Miss Hugh Mayfield, to Hondo to visit their mother a few days.

The P. T. A. will meet at the high school auditorium tomorrow at 3 p. m. Important business to be transacted. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Joe Postert and children spent Saturday and Sunday in San Antonio. She was accompanied home by her son, Edward, who has been attending school there.

Jimmie, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pyka, fell and broke his arm last Thursday while playing in the yard. The fracture was set and he is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. King of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, are spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Schmidtke. Mr. King is manager of the Woolworth store in Bartlesville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross and Virgil Port, of Yoakum, were guests of Mr. Ross' father, John H. Ross, a few days the past week. A delightful dance was given at the Ross home Tuesday night in their honor. They returned to Yoakum yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Dinn went to San Antonio Friday and returned Sunday night. Joe Frank Golibart, a cousin of Mrs. Dinn returned here with them and will spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Dinn.—Hebronville Enterprise.

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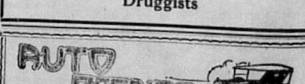

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Mrs. A. J. Varner of San Antonio spent two weeks with her brothers, George and Dick Johnston. On Sunday her daughter, Miss Melba Varner and Mr. Magnus Lindsay of San Antonio, came here, and went on a picnic at Cold Springs on the Medina river with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Johnston and family, Dr. and Mrs. Sherrill, Mr. and Mrs. House, Mr. Fuller, Mrs. E. H. Sewall and children.

The P. T. A. met Friday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. David Tallman. After the business session a social hour and music were enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Mesdames Ernest Justice, R. R. Le Stourgeon, J. E. Browning, Pitt Baker, Effie Tallman, Becker, Ed Bauerlein, Marvin Akin, Jim Mayfield, Emma Hammond, Walter Rees, Fred Whisenhunt and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ernest Justice on July 9th, at 3 p. m.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mrs. J. M. Moffett last Thursday at Mrs. H. D. Kelly's home. A number of nice and useful presents were received. Refreshments of cake and lemonade were served.

Mrs. Anna Flowers and children of Pharr, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Garison.

Mr. and Mrs. Darbey and family of San Antonio are visiting Mrs. Darbey's cousin, Mrs. Wm. Hattield, and family.

In Honor of Miss Ford.

Misses Ione and Theda Fuller entertained a number of friends at the Riverside Inn Tuesday night in honor of Miss Nona Ford, of San Antonio, who is their guest. Dancing was enjoyed, and refreshments were served, and all were delightfully entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom North went to San Antonio Sunday. Their daughters, Lula and Edith spent a few days there with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert North.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. Dora Gipson, of California, visited her sister, Mrs. O. D. Keese, a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale and son visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds Sunday.

O. D. Keese returned to his goat ranch in Comal county Sunday.

Miss Vivian Keese spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Hinds.

Ben Johnson began threshing oats Monday at Medina for P. Baker.

Eli Hillman motored to San Antonio Satuday.

Having a Fine Time.

A short letter from Col. J. A. Head, Hattiesburg, Miss., Central, Kansas, June 11th, says he is having the finest kind of a time visiting old friends and relatives. He has been in Missouri, and Oklahoma, and will go on to Moorings port, La. Says he has not made all of the roads yet, but hopes to do so before coming home a month hence.

Getting Ready for Reunion.

Ed Mansfield is about the busiest man in all these diggings these days, notwithstanding some other folks are busy too in harvesting and threshing the big oat crop. Mr. Mansfield is getting his premises in shape for the big reunion the Old Settlers of Bandera county will hold at Mansfield Park July 2nd and 3rd. He is having the ground cleared and comfortable seats provided for the people. Large platforms are to be constructed for dancing and other purposes, the rodeo grounds are being arranged for all of the sports that are to take place. Ice water will be provided, too, and the big barbecue to be enjoyed each day will be in charge of expert barbecue artists. If last year's reunion was a big success this year's reunion will be a bigger success, and Mr. Mansfield is leaving no stone unturned to bring it about.

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Bitten by a Rattlesnake.

Elmer Heinen, the fifteen-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Heinen, who live on the Lytle place near Bandera Pass, was bitten by a large rattlesnake on Wednesday evening of last week, and for a time was in a serious condition. He is now out of danger and getting along nicely. This makes the third person to be bitten by a rattlesnake in this county within the past three weeks.

Undergoes Operation.

Miss Luetba Stevens was taken to a hospital in San Antonio last Sunday evening where she underwent an operation for an acute attack of appendicitis. She withstood the operation well, and is now on the high road to recovery.

Jesse Kutzer Injured.

Jesse Kutzer and sister, Miss Ruth spent last Saturday in San Antonio. While there they visited a swimming pool and Jesse cut his foot on a piece of sharp tin, making an ugly wound. For a time it was feared lock-jaw would result, but he is getting along nicely now.

Picture Show Tomorrow Night.

The picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater Friday night is a Paramount feature, "Adventure," by Jack London. You will enjoy this great picture, don't miss it.

New Lodge at Medina.

District Manager, L. R. Watkins, of the Security Benefit Association, was here last week, and informs us that he has secured quite a flattering list of members for the new Security Benefit Council at Medina. He informs us that he will be in Medina this week and will complete the organization Saturday night, June 26th, and install the officers of the new council. With a new council in Bandera and a new council at Medina the Security Benefit members should have a royal good time in this section.

Woman Will Bull-dog Steer.

One of the features of the Old Settlers' Reunion, to be held at Bandera July 2nd and 3rd, will be the bull-dogging of a fractious steer, each day, by Mrs. L. L. Davis of Sonora. Mrs. Davis will make the leap from a speeding Chevrolet automobile and will throw the steer each time. She will also ride some of the wild steers in the rodeo. Mrs. Davis is one of the most daring cowgirls of the West, and will entertain the spectators with her thrilling feats.

Kicked by a Mule.

Dwight Kirkland of Medina, was painfully injured Tuesday when he was kicked in the face by a fractious mule. His face was considerably bruised and several teeth were knocked out by the mule's hoof.

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

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The First State Bank

For Law Enforcement.

The convention of the Texas Press Association at San Antonio last week went on record as favoring respect for and enforcement of these laws. When the weekly newspapers of Texas stand squarely behind a proposition it is usually brought to pass.

Attending Freighters' Reunion.

Veteran and Mrs. Amasa Clark went to San Antonio Friday to attend the reunion of the Pioneer Freighters' Association held in San Pedro Park in that city. Veteran Clark was scheduled to ride in a buckboard in the parade.

Ike Evans has purchased Pete Anderwald's meat market near the City Hotel.

Jake Short, who has been attending the South-western University at Georgetown, is at home on his vacation.

Arthur Hayes, of Los Angeles, California, has been here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes, left Friday for Tampico, Mexico.

A. A. Jeffers and little daughter, Ethel Mae, were in town yesterday and called at the New Era office to take a new lease on the little old home paper, and also to subscribe for Frontier Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Schmidtke, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. King and Leslie Schmidtke went to Utopia last Friday to visit Mrs. Schmidtke's aged mother, Mrs. J. J. Bandy, who has been quite ill. We are pleased to report Mrs. Bandy improving.

Prizes in Old Fiddlers' Contest.

The old fiddlers' contest at the reunion of the old settlers of Bandera County, July 2nd and 3rd, promises to be bigger than ever this year. The prizes offered are: First prize, a gold watch; second prize, open face watch; third prize, gold cuff links; fourth prize, box of cigars. Other prizes will include a bale of smoking tobacco, boxes of Prince Albert smoking tobacco and cob pipes, etc. Among the contestants will probably be Bob and Bruce Mayfield of Medina, the Owens brothers of Kerrville, John B. Lane of Voca, Will Maass, Tom Gray, Uncle Andy Jones, Charlie Schmidtke, Chas. Eckhart, of Bandera, John Adams of Tuff, Mr. Reavis of Vanderpool, and other noted knights of the bow. All contestants must be over fifty years old, and must play three tunes of their own selection. Now there may be some mentioned in this list who think they are not fifty years old, but we are guessing they are eligible.

For Your Convenience.

The New Era and Frontier Times will have a headquarters location near the main platform at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 2nd and 3rd, where you can pay your subscription to the little old home paper and to Frontier Times. This will be established for your convenience, and if you are in arrears on either publication you can make settlement there.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wallace and son and Miss Katherine Knight, of San Antonio, spent Sunday with Chas. Rugh and family.

Your Bank Can Help

Why is it that some individuals and firms can readily obtain money from a bank on unsecured notes while others cannot obtain loans at all—except, perhaps, by pledging ample collateral security?

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Buying More Land.

C. H. Briant and pretty little daughter, Miss Florence, were here from San Antonio Monday, and paid this office an appreciated visit. Mr. Briant informs us that he has just closed a deal with Blas Torres for 320 acres of land adjoining his ranch on Privilege Creek.

Epworth League Notice.

At the League service next Sunday evening Miss Helen Rugh will be leader. The subject is "The Transformed Sabbath and How to Keep It." The League desires the co-operation of the young people and older ones as well by attending the meetings.

Bandera Loses.

In the baseball game played here last Sunday between the Crawford Motors Co. team of San Antonio and the Bandera Invincibles the Bandera team was defeated by a score of 8 to 1.

Mrs. Leslie Hostess.

The Book-Lovers' Group of the Woman's Club met in final session in the club house in Camden Street the past week with Mrs. W. R. Sinclair and Mrs. R. F. Leslie as hostesses. Mrs. Sinclair told of the Taena-Aries plebiscite and gave a graphic description of the geographical situation as now exists in South America. Mrs. Leslie gave the story of "Padlocked" (Reis-kind), in a clear, comprehensive manner. Mrs. H. L. Hotchkiss, a guest, made a few remarks about woman's interest in civic affairs and in government. Several interesting political questions were discussed. Roses and larkspur in a silver basket veiled in pink malline and garlands of sweet peas in pastel shades formed an attractive centerpiece. Tall pink tapers and pink and green mints completed the color scheme. — San Antonio Evening News.

New Bus Line Popular.

Will Gray's new bus line from Medina via Bandera to San Antonio is growing in popular favor every day, due to the fact that Mr. Gray is giving splendid service and maintains a schedule which is convenient for people in Bandera and Medina to go to San Antonio, transact their business there and return the same day. The bus leaves Medina at 7:30 a. m., Bandera at 8:30 a. m., and reaches San Antonio at 10:45 a. m. The bus leaves San Antonio at 3 p. m. every day, except Saturday, when it leaves at 5 p. m. The Sunday schedule is the same as the week day schedule.

Dance at Medina.

Henry Adams is advertising a grand ball to be given at his home in Medina next Saturday night. Foster's Collegians, an eight-piece orchestra from San Antonio, will furnish the music. A concert will be given by this band on the streets of Medina Saturday afternoon.

Get Your Badge.

The Old Settlers' Reunion is only two weeks distant. If you have not yet paid your dues and secured your badge you should attend to it at once and not wait until the last minute. The badges are at Mrs. M. Hamilton's Cafe and Mrs. Dennis' Millinery store.

An Error Corrected.

In the write-up of the Thalmann-Hammond wedding, in last week's issue of the New Era, the name of Emogene Hammond appeared as one of the little flower girls. This was an error. The name should have been Emogene Canafax, the pretty little daughter of Mrs. J. T. Canafax. The New Era gladly makes the correction.

Leave for Home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. King left Monday for their home at Bartlesville, Oklahoma, after a delightful visit to Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Schmidtke. While here they visited Kerrville, Utopia and San Antonio.

How to Find a Buyer.

If you have an old sewing machine, an old stove, a few chairs, a pig, some chickens, an automobile, a saddle, or anything else to sell, a 25-cent want ad in the New Era will help you make a sale. Try it and be convinced.

Coming to Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rippy, of Mt. Sharp, were here yesterday and Mr. Rippy informs us that he has pasturage for goats, sheep and cattle at his place sixteen miles from Blanco, with plenty of grass and water, and anyone wanting pasturage will do well to communicate with him. He says he and his family will attend the reunion of the old settlers of Bandera county July 2nd and 3rd.

Off on a Visit.

R. A. Chipman left last Saturday for Mooringsport, La., on an extended visit. While away he will also visit his son, W. M. Chipman, at Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

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K. K. K.

Bandera Klan, No. 325, meets first and third Friday nights at Wright Hall. All visiting Klansmen cordially invited. 8tf

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BOTH PHONES — BANDERA, TEXAS

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31st, 1926, for Taxes of 1925, in Bandera County

REPORTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER FIFTEEN, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES OF 1911.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
COUNTY OF BANDERA.

I, Henry Stevens, Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the land and lots listed below and assessed on the tax rolls of said County for the year 1925, are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and that there was no personal property for "seizure and sale" as required by Article 7692, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, and therefore I am entitled to credit for the taxes shown and herein reported delinquent.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
COUNTY OF BANDERA.

In the Commissioners Court: We Certify that we have examined the following three pages of Collector's report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Bandera County, for the year 1925, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and find the same correct, and that Henry Stevens, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes shown thereon. Given in open Court this 11th day of May, A. D., 1926.

J. A. EAMES, County Judge.
A. RYKA.
R. L. MORRIS.
J. L. EDWARDS.
J. V. PORTER.
County Commissioners of Said County

Owner	Abst	Cert	Sur.	Original Grantee	Acres	City or Town	St. Tax	Co Tax	Total
Bockelew, F. M.						Medina, Lt. 1 Bel. Ad.	$ 1.53	$ 2.87	$ 4.40
Cattell, E. R. & Ida						Bandera, 69 to 70 Range 14			
Cattell, E. R. & Ida						Bandera, 73 to 80 Range 14	9.41	16.30	25.71
Click, C. M. & A. J.	220		35	Wm. Kelley	96.4				
Click, C. M. & A. J.	321		31	M.G. de los Santos	132.9		17.95	21.42	39.37
Click, C. M. & A. J.	911		38	Z.A. Grant	89				
Cooksey, Jeff Jr. Est.	1175		38	4.6 Fisher	80		2.55	2.61	5.16
Cooksey, Jeff Jr. Est.	924	4019	24	A. Carvier	5		10.71	17.35	28.06
Curtis, F. N. & Ella	1135		5	1263 E. P. L. Co.	160				
Davenport, M. & B.	1308		6	M. Davenport	320				
Davenport, M. & B.	190		1	1282 J. Hughes	148		29.15	32.33	61.48
Davenport, M. & B.	1046		22	A.A. Crockett	160				
Harris, G. T.	305		3	22 I.A. J. Crockett	4		5.08	12.87	17.95
Jackson, Wm. & Essie	970	122	22	A.B. R. Talley	65				
Johnson, Wm. & Essie	1064		3	1281 M. Guerra	20		12.53	13.05	25.58
Kelly, Mrs. Ida	2278	1803	40	J. R. Hodges	53				
Lamb, R. H. & May	2424	1800	36	R. H. Light	80		7.74	11.92	19.71
Lamb, R. H. & May						Medina, 6 and 7 Bkr, Ad.	3.34	3.47	6.81
Maxwell, Rodney M.							3.43	4.43	7.86
Miller, Mrs. Jess	200	200	166	A. Martin	200				
Morrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	1300	710	3414	Salinas	101				
Morrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	1411	1097	3170	Esparza	92		23.46	26.74	50.20
Morrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	1447	710	3414	Salinas	148				
Pepper, J. M. & Anna	1441	348	3360	C. Reed	1693		15.66	27.47	43.13
Pepper, J. M. & Anna	941		3	J. F. Hodges	50				
Sandoff, M. L. & Jane	1144	1220	490	A. Gomez	74				
Sandoff, M. L. & Jane	1145	1220	490	A. Gomez	2410		23.74	25.17	48.91
Sandoff, M. L. & Jane	1145	1220	490	A. Gomez	174		4.65	10.89	15.54
Sutton, S. D.	2503	1220	1868	A. Martin	2		10.58	19.93	30.51
Thomas, G. W.	1301	1097	3150	Esparza	100		8.22	5.97	14.19
White, G. A. & Mae	1340		2901	W. H. White	60		8.13	8.98	17.11
White, W. H. Hrs.	1340		2901	W. H. White	100		13.98	26.58	37.56
Lamb, R. H.			3	1303 H. Brown	2281		.85	.77	1.62
Lewis, Pierce Co.						Lake Medina Highlands, 20 7 and 8	10.24	17.42	27.66
Miller, J. Y.	924	4019	71	A. Carvier	100				
Oatman, C. S.	807		2220	F. Oatman	110				
Oatman, C. S.	1284	1097	3152	J. Champion	126		4.92	7.34	12.26
Oatman, M. A. Mrs. Hrs.	1458		2202	H. F. Oatman	15		1.69	2.53	4.22
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	1284	1097	3150	G. Esparza	40				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	1506		66	I.W. A. Sheppard	23				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	1247	387	1570	C. B. H. & G.N.O.	54.7				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	2042		2214	I.W. B. Baker	21.1				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	1458		3223	D. Rankin	80		10.16	19.14	29.30
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	367	638	1453	J. Tanner	20.2		1.19	1.50	2.69
Banks, Jno. O.	2227	1791	3201	H. C. Wynn	101		3.12	4.76	7.88
Barham, Chas. E.	2280	705	3283	J. C. Thompson	44				
Bland & Lacey						Bandera, 1 to 8, Range 2	1.35	1.87	3.22
Bland & Lacey	1705		2334	J. B. Spettle	3		3.64	3.31	6.95
Bowen, Gaud	76	19	721	S. de Cologne	1.1		5.08	9.58	14.66
Brown, R. W.	2104	247	1917	E. Christopher	99.6		1.10	1.40	2.50
Cartwright, Mrs. T. E.	2128	255	870	H. Barker	700		7.19	12.04	19.23
Elliott, John Deel	1227	1097	3161	F. L. Wynn	141		1.53	1.92	3.45
Ezell, T. A.	200	700	168	E. A. Martin	100		2.54	5.94	8.48
Fellows, T. L.	31	31	287	H.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		4.24	3.85	8.09
Fellowes, F. W.	2232	2268	84	A. W. Clark	164.4		5.08	6.47	11.55
Goldman, Francis	2190		922	W. P. Cowsley	328		3.82	5.44	9.26
Harris, G. W.	125	316	936	J. Francis	54		1.69	2.80	4.49
Haby, Anne & Bentz	154	128	496	A. Gomez	1.1		3.05	3.24	6.29
Hand, Adolph	2140		246	G. Hinds	129		4.24	7.97	12.21
Harrison & Rivercll	134	128	497	A. Gomez	2		.42	.44	.86
Hohenberger, Wm.						Medina, 1 Reed Ad.	.34	.64	.98
Jackson, E. S. Devd.	2081		285	I.L. Haly	9.38				
Jones, Casey	925		234	Warren Davis	1.61		6.78	6.16	12.94
Little, Mrs. J. L.	487	1099	237	A.B. & M.	80				
Little, Mrs. J. L.	482	1099	239	A.B. & M.	80				
Little, Mrs. J. L.	305	3	80	I.L. & A. A.	80				
Little, Mrs. J. L.	606		240	I.W. H. Norton	30				
Little, Mrs. J. L.						Medina, 1 Reed Ad.	3.55	3.93	7.48
Linkinbaugh, Mrs. D.	227	107	231	H. W. Karnes	80		2.03	3.83	5.86
Miller, Geo.	51	31	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	4		2.54	2.80	5.34
McAllister, W. W.	51	31	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		2.12	1.94	4.06
McCarthy, Wm. D.	51	31	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		4.24	3.85	8.09
McDonald, L. Hrs.	210	129	937	A. Jamie	117		14.40	21.88	36.28
Neal, Jack	51	31	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2				
Neal, Jack	51	31	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	1.38		10.59	9.63	20.22
Noonan, Thos. E.						Bandera, 62, 63 Range 11	11.01	19.31	30.32
Noonan, Thos. E.	1758		312	D. & S.W. Ry. Co.	17		.25	.29	.54
O'Brien, Peter & Paul						Bandera, 39 and 40, Range 6	.08	.16	.25
Patterman, W. R.	400		3561	J. W. Beckman	160				
Phillippus, Emil	1511	228	242	F. Anderson	320				
Phillippus, Emil	1510	88	222	F. Anderson	320				
Phillippus, Emil	1509	1097	240	F. Anderson	320		17.11	18.89	36.00
Phillippus, Emil	94	3841	65	Jno. Coke	100		7.12	8.78	15.90
Poe, Mrs. Mary						Bandera, 41 & 42 Range 6			
Quoto, Frank						Bandera, 43 & 44 Range 6			
Quoto, Frank						Bandera, 41, Range 9	.85	1.48	2.33
Quoto, Frank	263	82	285	J. A. Martinez	43.100		8.47	7.70	16.17
Standfer, F. F.	1263		231	I. B. Spettle	1.17		.93	.85	1.78
Surrendo, A. F.	2350	1230	1720	R. A. Nicholson	457.4		5.08	7.26	12.34
Wooten, G. H. & M. D.	51	31	287	B.B. & C.N.G.	2		3.82	3.47	7.29
Wroten, Hundley	2392	2790	310	E. R. Barrow	400		5.08	7.72	12.80
Yates, Don	1410	21	1A	B. & M.	53		.50	.76	1.26
Unknown	910		70	T. Gonzales	51		.59	.86	1.45
Unknown	1025	1230	1719	H. E. & W. T. Ry.	317		3.39	4.84	8.23
Unknown	1150	1650	1720	T. & S.L. Ry Co.	180		1.95	2.78	4.73
Unknown	1239	47	8	A. Real	69		.68	1.01	1.69
Unknown	1270	3812	15	G.C. & S.F. Ry	60		.70	1.10	1.80
Unknown	1753	1321	2	Julius Real	70		.85	1.26	2.11
Unknown	2258	3625	122	N. Dawson	320		3.82	4.71	8.53
Unknown	2365		226	C. McDonald	243		2.54	3.04	5.58
Unknown	2444		552	A. Sprangleberg	245.1		2.54	3.20	5.74

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, June 25th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Pearl Chisum, worthy matron; Mrs. Bettye McBryde, Secretary.

NOTICE.

My three pastures (formerly J. H. Dean pasture) are posted against hunting with dogs or firearms, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein.—ELDER FRIES. 1p7p

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

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the county of Bandera, State of Texas, and you of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the county of Bandera, State of Texas, and you of not less than one year preceding the date of this writ, to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof; each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the estate of Augustus S. Leake, Deceased.

Mary Catherine Leake has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Augustus S. Leake, Deceased, filed with in the said application, and for Letters Testamentary thereon, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of July commencing the Third Monday thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 2nd day of June A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS — GUARDIANSHIP.

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To All Persons interested in the welfare of Roma N. Jones, Bertha M. Jones, has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of said Roma N. Jones, a minor, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the Town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of are invited to appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, But have you before said Court, this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera, this the 21st day of June A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

Elsie Lee Faris accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ned W. Smith to Bandera last Saturday, returning Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Faris.

Miss Isabel Adamietz returned last Saturday from Medina where she has been the past five months taking a course with her daughters, Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. Susie Davis, and Mrs. Ford.

GRAND BALL

At Henry Adams' Place in

Medina

Saturday Night, June 19

Music by

Foster's Collegians

An Orchestra of Eight Pieces

On Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, the Orchestra will give a concert on street

Bandera Theater

Friday Night, June 18th

JACK LONDON'S

Adventure

It's a Paramount

Mrs. Virgil McCarthy is spending this week in San Antinio.

Mrs. Herschell Lewis, of Uvalde, is here on a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows and Rev. Hicks made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Miss Celia Blakeney, of San Antonio, is the guest of Mrs. Anton Pyka for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley S. White and children, of Center Point, were visitors in the city Monday.

Frank Billings is attending the meeting of the Texas Retail Druggists Association at Dallas this week.

The hum of the thresher is heard on all sides. Bandera county's oat crop is abundant this year.

Miss Glayda Crosidale went to Austin last Thursday to spend a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Ola Crosidale.

James Boyle, who has been attending school in San Antonio, is here to spend a month with his uncle, Mack Boyle.

Mrs. R. A. Chipman and son, Monty, returned Saturday from San Antonio, where they spent several days last week.

Aunt Delia Richards writes us from Medina that she is going to San Antonio on a visit to friends, and will be absent for some time.

E. J. Herrera dropped in Monday to order the New Era sent to his brother-in-law, Antonio Enriquez, at Comfort, Texas, for a year.

T. J. Thornton, of the International Bible Students' Association, will speak at the court house Friday night. You are invited to hear him.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Towers and two daughters, Misses Bonnie and Olivia, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Odd Lane last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Parsons, of East Verde, were visitors at the New Era sanctum Monday, and Mr. Parsons advanced his subscription figures to January 11, 1928.

Mrs. J. W. Short delightfully entertained a number of her friends with a forty-two party on Wednesday evening of last week at her home in honor of her daughter, Miss Laura Duffy is here from San Antonio for an extended visit. Miss Duffy's many friends always rejoice when she comes back home to Bandera, even for a brief visit.

George T. Swail, who recently graduated from the Central High School in Houston, is here to spend his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Anton Pyka. The young man will enter the Texas University this fall.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

District Manager L. R. Watkins and daughter, Miss Frankie, of San Antonio, were here yesterday en route to Medina and Harper, where Mr. Watkins is organizing counseils of the Security Benefit Association.

Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Myers and son, Gerald, of Wolfson, were here Saturday on a visit to Mrs. Myers' sister, Mrs. H. Fitzgerald. Rev. and Mrs. Myers went on to Kerrville to attend the encampment there, while Gerald remained here for the summer.

For roofing, guttering, tanks, milk coolers, tin work and plumbing, telephone me at my shop. Prompt and satisfactory work. J. E. Blunt.

The following item was sent in from Privilege: Mr. and Mrs. Anton Skrobanek and family left last week for their Hillingdon Ranch at Comfort, where they will make their home. Quite a number of relatives and friends were over to bid them farewell. We regret to lose these good people from our community, but hope they will come back some day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge:
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J. W. FOSTER.
G. M. FOSTER.

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R. L. MORRIS.

Clarence Curl and family are here from Marfa for a few weeks.

Valentine Kalka and Clements Dugos have gone to White Deer, to accept employment.

Miss Nora Ford of San Antonio, is the guest of the Misses Fuller for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Coughran are spending a few days at Nixon with Mrs. Coughran's mother.

W. E. Mansfield, Ben Jurecka and Louis Jurecki made a business trip to San Antonio yesterday.

R. N. Padgett and R. A. Robson were over from Tarpley Monday to bring their wool clip to the warehouse here.

Mrs. Jas. W. Evans and little son, of San Antonio, spent a few days here this week with her parents, Veteran and Mrs. Amasa Clark.

J. H. Bruce was seriously ill Sunday, but was so far recovered as to be at the store on Monday. You can't keep a good man down.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hay and daughter, Miss Lois, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Leslie and son, A. C., Jr., and Paul Leslie, were here from San Antonio Sunday.

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CANDIES.

Penny candies and bar candies now on sale through June. When you purchase five bars for 25 cents you will get one bar free. With purchase of five pieces of penny candies you will get two free, any kind. At the O. S. T. Confectionery.

WANT COLUMN

PASTURAGE—I have pasturage for 500 goats, or 250 sheep, and for 50 cattle, or 100 cattle, at my place at Mount Sharp, just over the line in Hayes county, 16 miles from Blanco. Good range with plenty of grass and water. Price reasonable.—W. F. Rippy, Mt. Sharp, Texas.

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FOR SALE—75 ewes, 75 lambs. Price $8 for ewes, and $5 for lambs.—Roy Chipman.

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Picture Show Friday Night.

The stirring Thomas Meighan picture, "Old Home Week," will be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night. It is full of human interest, and will please you. Don't miss it.

Morning Bus Taken Off.

W. A. Gray requests us to announce that, until after July 1st, he will discontinue the morning bus service to San Antonio. He hopes to resume the service after the first of the month, when he will be able to devote his personal attention to the business.

More new watches and clocks at T. S. Dennis' Jewelry Store.

Delighted Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dosier, and children of Somerset, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haas of Three Rivers, and Mr. Joe Smith of Somerset, were in Bandera yesterday morning and tarried awhile at the New Era office. They had been visiting Captain Seco Smith and wife at Medina and were returning home. They expect to return to this delightful region some other time soon when they hope to remain longer.

T. S. Dennis visited San Antonio last Tuesday.

Bitten by Snake.

Mrs. K. K. Stokes, of Medina, has been quite ill the past few days as a result of a supposed copperhead snake bite, which she received Wednesday night of last week when she stepped out into her yard. She felt a sharp sting and hurrying into the house she applied such remedies as she had at hand until medical treatment was obtained. She is getting along nicely now, and will soon be fully recovered.

To Go On Sight-Seeing Trip.

Miss Emma Hodges leaves this week for Birmingham, Alabama, where she will join the Elliott Tour for a sight-seeing trip to Savanah, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, New York, Albany, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Canada, and back via Detroit and Cincinnati. The journey will include steamer trips on the Atlantic, around Manhattan Island, on the Hudson River, and across Lake Ontario. Miss Emma will be absent several weeks.

Oat Crop Large.

Due to the large oat crop just harvested in this county the price has declined to around 28 cents per bushel. Not many farmers are selling at this low price, but prefer to feed the grain to their own stock. Oats hogs will bring the grower better than fifty cents per bushel in the long run. Raise more hogs.

Bandera Wool Sale.

The Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers' Association this week sold its accumulation of wool, eight and twelve months clip to J. N. Reeves, representing Draper & Co. of Boston, at 27 cents to 35 cents per pound, in other words 135,000 pounds of eight months wool brought 27 cents per pound, and 25,000 pounds of twelve months wool brought 35 cents per pound. In view of the general decline in wool prices during the past three weeks, this is considered a satisfactory price, and better than storing longer or shipping on consignment.

Manager Fred Thalmann informs us that during the past twelve months the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association has handled over 500,000 pounds of wool and mohair for the sheep and goat raisers of this county, these products representing more than a quarter of a million dollars in value, which has been put in circulation through the co-operative efforts of the association.

The wool sold this week will be shipped to Boston from Center Point early next week.

Fine Rains.

Splendid rains have fallen throughout the county during the past week, coming at a time when a big oat crop has just been harvested, and proving of special benefit to corn which is now ripening.

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

Character, ability and industry have an important bearing on success; so has the prestige accorded by one's bank associations.

Our clients have found our interest in their financial problems of great assistance.

The First State Bank

An Escaped Lunatic.

One of the inmates of the Southwestern Insane Asylum at San Antonio escaped from that institution last Sunday night and hired a service car to bring him to Bandera. When he arrived here he told the service car driver that Sheriff Henry Stevens would pay the bill, as he had no money. He then went to different places in town making purchases, and in each instance giving Sheriff Stevens as his custodian. When Sheriff Stevens took him in tow the asylum authorities were notified and sent an attendant after him.

Business Scholarship.

The New Era has a scholarship in a leading business college in San Antonio for sale. Any boy or girl contemplating taking a business course will do well to see us immediately.

In Signal Department.

Roy E. Richards, a former Bandera county boy, writes that he is now in the signal department of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad, at Little Rock, Arkansas, and wants the New Era to keep coming to him there.

W. S. Ethridge made a business trip to San Antonio yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker, of Medina, pasted through town yesterday on their way to San Antonio.

Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church, spent several days at Pearsall this week with his father, who has been quite ill.

Will Install Officers.

A public installation of the officers of the newly organized council of the Security Benefit Association of Medina will be held there next Saturday night. Some forty or fifty members of the order will come up from San Antonio, and a number of the members of the Bandera Council will also attend. The installation will take place in the new Adams Hall, and will be free to the public. Medina Council was but recently organized by L. R. Watkins, the district manager.

Benefits Corn.

The following report comes from Camp Verde: With a total precipitation of one inch a slow rain fell throughout Friday night on Camp Verde Creek. The moisture came at a time when corn and gardens needed it badly.

Taught a Good School.

Prof. J. F. Fouts, who successfully taught a private school at Spicewood Springs ranch, this past eight months, has returned to his home in San Antonio. Prof. Fouts rendered good service in the school work there and his pupils made good advancement.

To Take Photos.

N. H. Rose, the well known photographer, will come up from San Antonio next week and be here during the Old Settlers' reunion to make photographs of the old settlers. While he is here he will also make photographs for the general public, and if you want your picture taken you should take advantage of this opportunity to get first class work done.

OAT SACKS and Binder Twine

Get ready for a bumper crop of oats. Prospects are excellent for a splendid yield this spring. Buy your Oat Sacks and Binder Twine from us. We can supply you with any quantity, as we have made preparations to meet the demands of the coming crop.

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Family Reunion.

A happy family reunion took place in San Antonio last Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Power met several of their children and families three. A fine dinner was enjoyed. Among those at the reunion were Mrs. Power's brother, J. G. Smith and family of Yoakum, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Caffal and children of Yoakum, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cortez and family of Bandera, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Power of Bandera, and Mr. Power's brother, San Power, of Estelline, Texas.

In Serious Condition.

Jessie Kutzer is in a serious condition as a result of cutting his foot on a piece of tin while bathing in Roosevelt Park, San Antonio, a few days ago. Blood poison developed and he was taken to Comfort for treatment by Dr. Jones, and his condition has been such as to cause much uneasiness. At this writing, Tuesday, we learn that his condition shows slight improvement, but amputation of his foot may become necessary.

Buys Medina Garage.

Messrs. B. H. and L. C. Stokes have purchased the Medina Garage from Charles and Alfred Walker, and take possession this week. Chas. Walker was in Bandera last Friday and informed the New Era that he and his family will shortly move to San Antonio where he has a position offered him.

Goose Hangs High at Tarpley.

J. R. Burns and Eb Holt were over from Tarpley Monday, rejoicing over the splendid rains which have fallen in that portion of the country during the past few days. Mr. Burns informs us that the corn crop is made, and the small grain crop was abundant this season.

Alba Storms, of the Mason Creek community, was here yesterday enroute to San Antonio.

Mrs. L. C. Rankin, of San Antonio, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Tait of this city for a few weeks.

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TUFF TIMES.

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A. W. Zumwalt and J. E. Pike made a business trip to San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Massey, of Vanderpool, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sackfield, of Uvalde, visited Mrs. Massey's and Mrs. Sackfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt.

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Ed Evans and Miss Hettie Light spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Evans of Lima.

Mrs. Carl Webber has been spending the last few days with her mother who has been very ill.

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Visiting in Austin.

Aunt Adelia Richards writes us from Austin that she is spending awhile with Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Knight of that city, and having a splendid time. Mr. and Mrs. Knight formerly resided at Medina and are kindly remembered by all of our people.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Risinger and children were up from San Antonio to spend last week with Mrs. Risinger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait. They returned home Sunday but their little daughter, Patsy, remained here to spend several weeks with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young and baby were here from Helotes one day last week, visiting Mrs. Mattie Jones. Grandma Jones accompanied them to Kerrville, returning home the same day.

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At a regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association, the following officers were elected: Mrs. A. L. Mansfield, president; Mrs. J. E. Chisum, first vice-president; Mrs. J. H. Erwin, second vice-president; Mrs. John Bruce, third vice-president; Mrs. B. F. Langford, secretary; Mrs. Minnie Mansfield, treasurer.

Picture Show Friday Night.

That stirring Thomas Meighan picture, "Old Home Week," will be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night. It is full of human interest, and will please you. Don't miss it.

Morning Bus Taken Off.

W. A. Gray requests us to announce that, until after July 1st, he will operate the morning bus service to San Antonio. He hopes to resume the service after the first of the month, when he will be able to devote his personal attention to the business.

More new watches and clocks at T. S. Dennis' Jewelry Store.

Delighted Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dosier, and children of Somerset, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haas of Three Rivers, and Mr. Joe Smith of Somerset, were in Bandera yesterday morning and tarried awhile at the New Era office. They had been visiting Captain Seco Smith and wife at Medina and were returning home. They expect to return to this delightful region some other time soon when they hope to remain longer.

T. S. Dennis visited San Antonio last Tuesday.

OAT SACKS and Binder Twine

Get ready for a bumper crop of oats. Prospects are excellent for a splendid yield this year. Buy your Oat Sacks and Binder Twine from us. We can supply you with any quantity, as we have made preparations to meet the demands of the coming crop.

Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers Association
Organized and Operated by the Growers for the Growers

Bitten by Snake.

Mrs. K. K. Stokes, of Medina, has been quite ill the past few days as a result of a supposed copperhead snake bite, which she received Wednesday night of last week when she stepped out into her yard. She felt a sharp sting and hurrying into the house she applied such remedies as she had at hand until medical treatment was obtained. She is getting along nicely now, and will soon be fully recovered.

To Go On Sight-Seeing Trip.

Miss Emma Hodges leaves this week for Birmingham, Alabama, where she will join the Elliott Tour for a sight-seeing trip to Savanah, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, New York, Albany, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Canada, and back via Detroit and Cincinnati. The journey will include steamer trips on the Atlantic, around Manhattan Island, on the Hudson River, and across Lake Ontario. Miss Emma will be absent several weeks.

Oat Crop Large.

Due to the large oat crop just harvested in this county the price has declined to around 28 cents per bushel. Not many farmers are selling at this low price, but prefer to feed the grain to their own stock. Oats fed to hogs will bring the grower better than fifty cents per bushel in the long run. Raise more hogs.

An Escaped Lunatic.

One of the inmates of the Southwestern Insane Asylum at San Antonio escaped from that institution last Sunday night and hired a service car to bring him to Bandera. When he arrived here he told the service car driver that Sheriff Henry Stevens would pay the bill, as he had no money. He then went to different places in town making purchases, and in each instance giving Sheriff Stevens as his custodian. When Sheriff Stevens took him in tow the asylum authorities were notified and sent an attendant after him.

Business Scholarship.

The New Era has a scholarship in a leading business college in San Antonio for sale. Any boy or girl contemplating taking a business course will do well to see us immediately.

In Signal Department.

Roy E. Richards, a former Bandera county boy, writes that he is now in the signal department of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad, at Little Rock, Arkansas, and wants the New Era to keep coming to him there.

W. S. Ethridge made a business trip to San Antonio yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker, of Medina, passed through town yesterday on their way to San Antonio.

Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church, spent several days at Pearsall this week with his father, who has been quite ill.

Bandera Wool Sale.

The Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association this week sold its accumulation of wool, eight and twelve months clip to J. N. Reeves, representing Draper & Co. of Boston, at 27 cents to 35 cents per pound, in other words 135,000 pounds of eight months wool brought 27 cents per pound, and 25,000 pounds of twelve months wool brought 35 cents per pound. In view of the general decline in wool prices during the past three weeks, this is considered a satisfactory price, and better than storing longer or shipping on consignment.

Manager Fred Thalmann informs us that during the past twelve months the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association has handled over 500,000 pounds of wool and mohair for the sheep and goat raisers of this county, these products representing more than a quarter of a million dollars in value, which has been put in circulation through the co-operative efforts of the association.

The wool sold this week will be shipped to Boston from Center Point early next week.

Fine Rains.

Splendid rains have fallen throughout the county during the past week, coming at a time when a big oat crop has just been harvested, and proving of especial benefit to corn which is now ripening.

Will Install Officers.

A public installation of the officers of the newly organized council of the Security Benefit Association at Medina will be held there next, Saturday night. Some forty or fifty members of the order will come up from San Antonio, and a number of the members of the Bandera Council will also attend. The installation will take place in the new Adams Hall and will be free to the public. Medina Council was but recently organized by L. R. Watkins, the district manager.

Benefits Corn.

The following report comes from Camp Verde: With a total precipitation of one inch a slow rain fell throughout Friday night on Camp Verde Creek. The moisture came at a time when corn and gardens needed it badly.

Taught a Good School.

Prof. J. J. P. Fouts, who successfully taught a private school at Spicewood Springs ranch, this past eight months, has returned to his home in San Antonio. Prof. Fouts rendered good service in the school work there and his pupils made good advancement.

To Take Photos.

N. H. Rose, the well known photographer, will come up from San Antonio next week and be here during the Old Settlers' reunion to make photographs of the old settlers. While he is here he will also make photographs for the general public, and if you want your picture taken you should take advantage of this opportunity to get first class work done.

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

Character, ability and industry have an important bearing on success; so has the prestige accorded by one's bank associations.

Our clients have found our interest in their financial problems of great assistance.

The First State Bank

Your Bank Can Help

Why is it that some individuals and firms can readily obtain money from a bank on unsecured notes while others cannot obtain loans at all—except, perhaps, by pledging ample collateral security?

The people who are able to borrow, save consistently, invest wisely and take their banker into confidence and thereby quickly establish a credit rating with the bank.

Be assured that banks want to help you if you are worthy

The First National Bank of Bandera

Family Reunion.

A happy family reunion took place in San Antonio last Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Power met several of their children and families three. A fine dinner was enjoyed. Among those at the reunion were Mrs. Power's brother, J. G. Smith and family of Yoakum, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Caffal and children of Yoakum, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Corley and family of Bandera, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Power of Bandera, and Mr. Power's brother, Sam Power, of Estelline, Texas.

In Serious Condition.

Jesse Kutzer is in a serious condition as a result of cutting his foot on a piece of tin while bathing in Roosevelt Park, San Antonio, a few days ago. Blood poison developed and he was taken to Comfort for treatment by Dr. Jones, and his condition has been such as to cause much uneasiness. At this writing, Tuesday, we learn that his condition shows slight improvement, but amputation of his foot may become necessary.

Buys Medina Garage.

Messrs. B. H. and L. C. Stokes have purchased the Medina Garage from Charles and Alfred Walker, and take possession this week. Chas. Walker was in Bandera last Friday and informed the New Era that he and his family will shortly move to San Antonio where he has a position offered him.

Goose Hangs High at Tarpley.

J. R. Burns and Eb Holt were over from Tarpley Monday, rejoicing over the splendid rains which have fallen in that portion of the country during the past few days. Mr. Burns informs us that the corn crop is made, and the small grain crop was abundant this season.

Alba Storms, of the Mason Creek community, was here yesterday enroute to San Antonio.

Mrs. L. C. Rankin, of San Antonio, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Tait of this city for a few weeks.

Judge J. D. Guinn, of San Antonio, is spending a delightful vacation in Bandera, as is also Neil Johnston of San Antonio.

Get your membership badge for the Old Settlers' reunion at Mrs. Hamilton's cafe, or at Mrs. Dennis' millinery store.

C. Y. Billings is spending a few days with relatives and friends at Ingram this week.

TUFF TIMES.

Mr. and Mrs. Orie Brown, of San Antonio, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs O. L. Adams the past two weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Adams, of San Antonio, visited Mr. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Adams last Sunday.

J. W. Zumwalt and J. E. Pike made a business trip to San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Massey, of Vanderpool, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sandleben of Uvalde, visited Mrs. Massey's and Mrs. Sacntleben's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt.

Miss Gladys Sutherland is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Phillips at Limal.

Ed Evans and Miss Bertie Light spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Evans of Lima.

Mrs. Carl Wheeler has been spending the past few days with her mother who has been very ill.

Miss Sadie Adams, who is attending school in San Antonio, spent the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Adams. She returned to San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Pike has been suffering with an attack of rheumatism, but is now much better.

G. W. Anderson made a business trip to Medina Saturday.

The meeting of the Educational and Amusement Club held here Saturday was enjoyed by everybody who attended.

W. E. Loyd and J. W. Zumwalt made a business trip to Medina Thursday.

Three inches of rain fell here Friday night, and we think it insures the crops.

Visiting in Austin.

Aunt Adelia Richards writes us from Austin that she is spending awhile with Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Knight of that city, and having a splendid time. Mr. and Mrs. Knight formerly resided at Medina and are kindly remembered by all of our people.

Mr. and Mrs. Prod Risinger and children were up from San Antonio last week with Mrs. Risinger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tait. They returned Mrs. Risinger home but their little daughter, Patsy, remained here to spend several weeks with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young and baby were here from Helotes one day last week, visiting Mrs. Mattie Jones. Grandma Jones accompanied them to Kerrville, returning home the same day.

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Wallace Bros. Old Stand
CENTER POINT, TEXAS
Complete Line of
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The Era and Frontiersman was established in 1880 by Capt. Thos. Potter, and has been published continuously since that time, except for a short period during the World War. Both owned by the Potter family, and both have been published by the same man for more than 40 years. Take it all in all, Bandera county has been mighty good to the Potter family, and they have tried to help you make a living and be contented.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires, and you should renew promptly.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

No. 10.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing for taxation of school lands owned by counties.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding after Section 6 thereof 6a, which shall read as follows:

Section 6a. Counties or organized school districts, and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the following: "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which prohibits the Legislature to create special school districts."

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 3. That the sum of two thousand ($2,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved April 4, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
A Correct Copy.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A Resolution proposing an amendment to Art. 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Section 6 thereof, the provision against pledge Legislature to create

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Article 7 of the Constitution be changed as to read as follows:

Section 6. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State Occupation taxes and poll tax shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools, and all funds and lands now belonging to and which may hereafter be given or granted to the several counties for educational purposes, and all the proceeds of sales thereof, and all the proceeds of sales of lands which may revert to the State from any county, by the operation of the Statutes now in force concerning the same, and all funds arising from the sale or lease of the unappropriated public free school lands, and all moneys that may be paid as an equivalent for exemption from military service, and all property that may come to the State by escheat or forfeiture, and one-half of the annual revenue derived from the State Occupation taxes and poll tax, and all taxes that may be levied and collected for the benefit of the public free schools, shall be and constitute a perpetual fund for the benefit of the public free schools of the State, and the same shall be appropriated to the several counties according to the scholastic population in the same, and in such manner as may be prescribed by law, and shall be distributed to the several counties at such times as may be prescribed by law; and no law shall ever be passed diverting said fund to any other use than the free public schools; but the Legislature may authorize the sale of any of the lands belonging to the public free school fund, and invest the proceeds of such sales in bonds of the United States, or of this State, or counties of this State, or such other bonds as may be prescribed by law, and the interest arising from such investments, together with the taxes herein provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall be applied to the support of said schools; and no other appropriation shall ever be made from said fund, nor shall the principal of said fund ever be diminished by appropriation, but shall remain the permanent school fund; and the Legislature shall make all needful provisions by law for the protection and preservation of said fund.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agricultural, mineral or grazing school land owned by any county, to the same extent as land privately owned," and "Against the amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county, to the same extent as land privately owned."

Section 3. Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the amendment properly published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election to be paid by the State.

Approved, April 4, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
A Correct Copy.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

No. 9.

A Joint Resolution relating to the Constitution of the State of Texas, abolishing the office of Public Weigher, providing for the election, management and control of same, and authorizing the Legislature to provide by law for the compensation of such officers.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 2. The above constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment providing for the abolishing of the office of Public Weigher, and authorizing the Board of Prison Commissioners to appoint Weighers," and "Against the amendment providing for the abolishing of the office of Public Weigher, and authorizing the Board of Prison Commissioners to appoint Weighers." Those voting for the amendment shall erase or scratch out the word "Against" on their ballot the words "For" and those voting against the amendment shall erase or scratch out the words "For" on their ballot.

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by law.

Approved April 4, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
A Correct Copy.

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KERRVILLE, TEXAS
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You aspire to a good position and success? If so, learn to do that which business requires; qualify in Bookkeeping, Accounting, Shorthand, Typewriting and the fundamental English subjects. No school is better prepared to train you than Draughon's.
A tree is known by its fruit. We have made unparalleled progress with the test of time. Let us by the success of our graduates. Business men everywhere know and recommend us. Come on and PLACE YOU IN A GOOD POSITION. Sign below NOW, and return for our free illustrated book—"FOUNDATION FOR SUCCESS." It contains a message for you.
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Section 6a. Counties or organized school districts, and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the following: "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which prohibits the Legislature to create special school districts."

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue and enlisted men of the National Guard of the State, and enlisted men of the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, unless otherwise specially provided herein. Provided, that nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to prohibit an officer, or enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, officer or enlisted man of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States or an enlisted man of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States from holding in conjunction with such office any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States.

Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment providing officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States," and "Against the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on its proposed amendment.

Section 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary Proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved March 16, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof; NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. M. A. Fitzgerald, Deceased, W. H. Fitzgerald, has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. M. A. Fitzgerald Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July, A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 2nd day of June A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Clerk
County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER, Deputy.

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For Prices and Terms see Lee Risinger, Bandera
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Highest Prices Paid for Wool and Mohair

Rams and Sheep For Sale.

I have a choice lot of Delaine-Merino rams for sale at moderate prices.—Chas. Real, Kerrville, Texas.

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J. M. Hettie, Editor

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the estate of Augustus S. Leake, Deceased, Mary Catherine Leake has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Augustus S. Leake, Deceased, filed with said application and said Last Will and Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, Bandera, when time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 2nd day of June A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy

Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS — GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To All Persons interested in the welfare of Roma N. Jones, Mrs. Bertha M. Jones, has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Estate of Roma N. Jones, a minor, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the Town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minor may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, But have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 11th A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To All Persons interested in the welfare of Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, Mrs. Dovie Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, But have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 19th A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

The Man Who Snores.

The man who snores does not realize the how much he disturbs his bed-fellow who is trying to get needed sleep. We cannot fix your snoring apparatus, but we can repair any other kind of machinery. Give us a trial.—E. M. Dowty & Son, the blacksmiths.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Bandera Theater

Friday Night, June 25th

Thos. Meighan's

"Old Home Week"

It's a Paramount

W. S. Ethridge made a business trip to Boerne Monday.

Miss Mary E. Knight, of San Antonio, is here to spend the summer with her uncle, Chas. Rugg, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Caffal and children, of Yoakum are here on a visit to Mrs. Caffal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Power.

Mr. and Mrs Alex Engle, of San Antonio, spent Sunday with Mrs. Engle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

Edith, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom North, was quite ill last week, but has now fully recovered.

Mrs. M. Tronson and son, Henry of San Antonio, were guests of her brother, Ed Postert, and family last Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Bolton and grandson, Harold Wagner, were up from San Antonio Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chisum.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Carlton and infant son, here from San Antonio Sunday visiting Mrs. Carlton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Claibourne Davenport, and Misses Evelyn Davenport and Inez Rose returned Friday from Laguna, where they have been for some time.

Mrs. A. P. Kehoe, formerly of this city, but now residing in San Antonio, will leave in a few days for Glendale, California, to spend the summer with relatives.

R. T. Holcomb was down from Medina Lost Friday and dropped in to see the New Era force. Mr. Holcomb is selling the Moorman stock remedies, and has an ad in this issue.

Veteran and Mrs. Amasa Clark brought the New Era family some extra large figs and choice pears last Saturday, for which we are grateful. Their fruit crop is good this year.

W. S. Hinds and three of his sons were here from Burnet last Thursday buying goats. Mr. Hinds dropped in to see the New Era and while here said sheep are fine in his section this year.

Little Jackie Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stevens, came up from San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Stein to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stein and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker, Miss Clara Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, of Kerrville, were here Sunday on their way to Medina Lake for a day's outing. Mr. Walker is interested in the Cone Car Co. at Kerrville.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange Clark went to San Antonio Saturday to visit Mrs. Clark's sister, Mrs. Cecil Wells of Charlotte, who is in a San Antonio hospital recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. White and sons, of Center Point, and Mr. A. N. Prince of Sweetwater, paid this office an appreciated visit last Thursday. They were on their way to Medina Lake for an outing.

Miss Sedie Hatfield of Medina, who is attending a university in New York City, writes that she enjoys the weekly visits of the little old home paper.

Mrs. Charles Decker and children, of San Antonio, were guests of Creed Whitehead and other relatives at Medina last week. Mrs. Decker was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. E. J. Coleman, who will spend awhile with her. They will also visit Corpus Christi next week.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge:
J. A. EAMES.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN F. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

J. M. Moffett and little son were down from Medina Monday on business.

Sam Power, of Estelline, Texas, is spending a few weeks with his brother, R. F. Power, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sewall and sons were here from their Pecan Valley ranch Saturday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chisum.

The Woman's Missionary Society has recently received a large order of Mrs. Anita Wade's Extracts, which are now on sale at Mrs. Hamilton's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stein, who spent the past two weeks here with homefolks, have returned to San Antonio, accompanied by Mrs. Stein's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stein, who spent a day or two there.

R. E. Klockman, furniture dealer and funeral director of Weimer, Texas, was the guest of Otto Weltner and family at Camp Verde last week. Mr. Klockman is a brother to Mrs. Weltner.

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Clean Sweep and Growfast Mineral for Sheep and Goats kills stomach and tape worms and keeps the animals healthy. R. T. Holcomb, Medina, Texas, is salesman for Bandera, Kerr, Uvalde, and Medina counties. Independent Telephone.

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Penny candies and bar candies now on sale through Dyke. When you purchase five bars for 25 cents you will get one bar free. With purchases of fifty pieces of penny candies you will get ten free, any kind. At the O. S. T. Confectionery.

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MEDINA.

Rev. and Mrs. M. P. Burton have returned from Georgetown where Rev. Burton attended summer school for ministers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Jaes Hill is visiting her parents and other relatives here.

Mrs. Morgan Daniels, of Victoria, is visiting her father, Jim Porter.

Walker, and brother Lee Walker.

Miss Eunice Banta, of Ardmore, Okla., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Banta, and other relatives.

Mrs. Valleau and son of San Deigo, California, have returned home after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Banta and other relatives here.

Miss Emma Ruth Buckner of San Marcos is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Trussell and son, of Kingsville, visited Mrs. Trussell's sister, Mrs. P. D. Layton, and husband.

Mrs. J. E. Becker left Wednesday for Belvedere, Illinois.

Mrs. J. L. Burris, of Stockdale, visited his cousin Mrs. Wm. Hatfield and family.

F. A. Kelly and family attended a family reunion at Don Carlos last week.

Wm. Allison and two daughters, of Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Sieger, of San Antonio, and Mrs. Lola Daniel spent last week-end with Mrs. Daniel's sister Mrs. W. J. Justiech and husband.

Wilson Allen and baby are visiting friends and camping for his wife's health.

Last Saturday a very pleasant birthday surprise was given Mrs. Pitt Baker at her home. Refreshments of cake and ice tea were served to the following guests: Mrs. Wm. Hatfield, Mrs. C. W. Harris, Mrs. Walter Powell, Mrs. D. Whitehead, Mrs. Frank Whitehead, Mrs. J. C. Collins, Mrs. Ed. Banerjee, Mrs. Slinsky, Mrs. Doe Stokes, Mrs. Jim Mayfield. All spent a very pleasant afternoon, wishing Mrs. Baker many more birthdays. The gifts were very nice and useful.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brazil and baby, of Brownwood, are guests of Mrs. Brazil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

Mrs. Sammie Johnson, who spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Joe G. Callahan of Pipe Creek, left Monday for her home in San Antonio.

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At any season, but when you need any kind of repairing done, autos, sawing machines, wind mills, blacksmithing, call on E. M. Dowty & Son. We know how, and we do satisfactory work.

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Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers Association
Organized and Operated by the Growers for the Growers

Delightful Birthday Celebration.

A double birthday celebration was held at the home of W. J. Mass last Saturday night, the occasion being in celebration of the birthday anniversary of both Mr. and Mrs. Pete Anderwald. A delicious meal was served and dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. A fine time is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderwald's birthdays happen to fall on the same day, June 25th, and the three event which gathered at the Mass home honored Mrs. Anderwald's father, W. J. Mass, gave testimony of the high esteem in which this couple is held by their friends. When the hour arrived to serve, Mr. and Mrs. Anderwald were surrounded by the crowd and walked to the center of the room, the former carrying the huge birthday cake with lighted candles, and all joined hands and before blowing out the candles each person made a wish, the chief wish being that the couple would have many more birthdays together and be with their friends that surrounded them. The cake was a snow white coconut cake trimmed with fruit and bergamot blossoms. Refreshments of cake, coffee and lemonade were served to about seventy-five guests, who departed at a late hour declaring they had a most delightful time. Mr. and Mrs. Anderwald received many beautiful and useful presents for which they are very grateful to their friends.

Bandera Loses Again.

In the baseball game played on the local diamond last Sunday between Bandera and Center Point, the latter team won by a score of 8 to 4. A distinct between the umpire and one of the home team furnished some excitement.

The Misses Fuller gave a delightful social dance at the Riverside Inn last Thursday night, honoring Miss Jewel Langford. Quite a large crowd was present and all enjoyed themselves.

Pat Faust was over from Comfort yesterday on business. He says quite a number of the people from his town will attend the Old Settlers' reunion.

Kerrville is to hold a big free barbecue at the Old Rees Homestead on Monday, July 5th.

Mrs. Ruth Haelbig, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. J. Gossett, for several months and recuperating from the effects of a serious operation, departed yesterday for her home in San Antonio.

Officers Installed.

The installation of the officers of the new lodge, Mountain Council Security Benefit Association was held at the lodge hall at Medina last Saturday night in the presence of a large crowd. Music was furnished by Mrs. F. P. Layton and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walker. District Manager L. R. Watkins of San Antonio, who organized the new council, was in charge of the installation ceremonies, with J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera acting as national president at the installation. The new council starts off with a membership of thirty, with a number of other new members in prospect. Dr. Sherrill was installed as president; Mrs. R. A. Moore, second vice-president; Mrs. Susie Davis, secretary; Mrs. C. A. Sherrill, prelate; Mrs. Henry Burns, conductor, Clarence Allen, sentinel; Bascom Johnston, outer guard; Mrs. Ray Davis, financier.

Members of the San Antonio degree team who came up to attend the installation were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cole, Mrs. Meta Schuler, Georgia Stall, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Dearth, Miss Frances Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Klatt, Mrs. N. E. Mansfield, O. C. Fort, Miss Carl Bagley, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Watkins, Miss Frankie Watkins, Miss Clementine Waltz and Frank Daniels. Telegrams were sent from Bandera to the installation were Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Hunter,

Forging to the Front

Every man in business wants to be successful. It is necessary, imperative, that he should; for unless he is, both he and community lose.

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Howard Eckhart, Marvin Hunter Jr., Misses Nettie and Rachel Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rogers, Martin E. Rogers, Miss Will E. Hunter, Master Harold Ford.

The new council will hold a meeting on Wednesday night of next week.

To Come in a Body.

The old settlers of Kendall county will come over in a body tomorrow to attend the reunion of the old settlers of Bandera county. The Kendall county folks have organized an old settlers' association and will hold their first reunion at Boerne July 17th and 18th.

Card of Thanks.

I have sold my meat market to Mr. Ike Evans, and take this means of thanking all who gave me their patronage during the several years I was engaged in business. I won't forget my friends. Just call on me.—P. C. Anderwald.

Miss Ruth Davenport was the honoree of a lovely party given at the Riverside Inn last Tuesday evening. The sub debs were all out, lunch was served, and many games were enjoyed.

R. A. Chipman returned Monday from a visit to Arkansas and Louisiana. He was accompanied home by his son, John R. Chipman, of Mooringsport, La., who will attend the Old Settlers' Reunion.

W. la Pries and pretty little daughter, Armonite, and Master Eldred Richards, were visitors at this office last Thursday, when Mr. Pries renewed his subscription to the little old home paper and to Frontier Times.

Quilting Contest.

The quilting contest at the Old Settlers' Reunion will start Friday at 3 p. m., and will continue for one hour, when a decision will be taken until Saturday morning at 10:30 to finish the quilt. Ladies over sixty years old may enter this contest, which will be in charge of Mrs. Charles Eckhart, and will be held under the shed on the reunion grounds. The quilt will be auctioned off on Saturday and the proceeds thus obtained from its sale will be given as prize money to the three best quilters. Ladies who expect to enter the contest are requested to bring their own thimbles.

About the Pictures.

A large group photo of the old settlers of Bandera county will be taken on the reunion grounds tomorrow afternoon at 4:30, and again Saturday afternoon at 4:30. It is desired that every old settler of this county be in each group, whether they belong to the Old Settlers' Association or not. Remember the hour and be near the Old Settlers' platform.

Service Car to Reunion Grounds.

W. A. Gray will run a service car from town to the Mansfield Park during the reunion for the convenience of all who want to be transported to and from the grounds. Continuous service will be maintained for the full time.

Wool Shipped.

The shipping of the accumulation of wool by the Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers Association started Monday. Every available truck was pressed into service to transport the wool, around 150,000 pounds, to Center Point from whence it was sent by rail to the purchasers in Boston.

Elias Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Peters, is here from San Antonio on a visit to relatives.

Marshall Johnston, the well known superintendent of the San Antonio City Schools, spent a few days in Bandera this week.

Mrs. Nicie Lewis, who has been spending the past several months with her son, Jim Lewis, in Arkansas, arrived home last week.

Death Drops Worm Medicine and Nofty will kill the worms and keep the flies away. They are guaranteed. For sale by J. H. Bruce.

Herbert Chipman and family arrived from Mooringsport, La., to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion, and visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Alta Stanard and daughters, Misses Cleora and Floy, arrived from Pampa yesterday to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion and to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dabse and children of Austin, and Roy Mansield of San Antonio are here to attend the reunion and to visit their parents, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

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Arm Broken.

Johnnie Newcomer of Pipe Creek, suffered a broken arm last Sunday while cranking a Ford car. The fracture was set promptly and the young man is getting along nicely.

Picture Show Tomorrow Night.

The picture at the Bandera Theater Friday night will be "Brown of Harvard," featuring Jack Pickford and Mary Bryan. Also a good two-reel comedy will be shown.

Paralytic Stroke.

Calvin Callahan, of Pipe Creek, was taken to San Antonio last Monday for treatment. He suffered a paralytic stroke in one of his lower limbs, but is now getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter will arrive from Harper today to attend the reunion.

Jack Hamilton and family, of Austin, are expected to arrive today to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion.

Misses Rachel Hunter and Thelma Sarber, accompanied by Marvin Hunter, Jr., went to San Antonio Monday.

Addison Buckner and sister, Miss Emma Ruth, are here from San Marcos, visiting old friends and to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion.

Miss Clementina Rodriguez, of San Antonio, was the guest of Miss Juanita Golkin at Spicewood Springs Ranch a few days last week.

Mrs. Joe Mincar, of San Antonio, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe G. Callahan of Pipe Creek, and will attend the Old Settlers' Reunion.

Mrs. G. W. Isbell and children are here from San Antonio to spend six weeks vacation. They are domiciled at the home of M. E. Faris.

Louis Loyd, a bright lad of Nederland, Texas, arrived Monday on his way to Tuff to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Loyd.

Dr. John H. Erwin goes to Fort Sam Houston this week for two weeks service as reserve officer in the Citizens' Military Training Camp.

We want the names of your visitors during the reunion. Write these names on a slip of paper and hand to us during the reunion or send to New Era Office.

TUFF TIMES

Miss Judith Thompson of San Antonio is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. L. Carpenter.

Miss Gladys Sutherland has returned home. She has been visiting her sister of Lima, Mrs. John Phillips.

J. W. Zumwalt and George Allsup made a business trip to Medina Monday.

Miss Martha Watrous visited Miss Mildred Sutherland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Loyd visited G. W. Anderson and family last week.

Mr. Nance, of Medina bought a bunch of cattle from W. E. Loyd last week.

Gus Love, who works on a ranch in Sutton county, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Love, of Vanderpool.

Mrs. Alcia Loyd, of Menard, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. O. Love, and sister, Mrs. A. J. Anderson.

J. W. Zumwalt and family and Misses Zona and Jewel Light, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Sutherland Sunday.

Ellen Elam of Galveston is here on his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Elam.

Louis Loyd of Nederland is here visiting relatives and friends.

For Tax Assessor.

J. R. Chisum announces in this issue of the New Era as a candidate for reelection to the office of Tax Assessor of Bandera county. Mr. Chisum has served in this capacity a number of terms and his work has been so efficient and satisfactory to the people that anything we might say in reference to his ability would be just that everybody knows and is therefore unnecessary for us to tel l our readers that he has made the best tax assessor Bandera county has had in many years, and that he is always painstaking and courteous in the discharge of his duties, all of which is true. If re-elected Mr. Chisum will continue to serve to the best of his ability, which means that he will fill the office to the satisfaction of the people.

The oat crop is turning out even beyond expectation. It is now estimated that the crop will average from fifty to eighty-five bushels to the acre.

Miss Velma Ruth Laxson, of Beaumont, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Laxson.

Mr. and Mrs. Pomp Freeman, of Mountain Home, are here for the reunion.

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BOTH PHONES BANDERA, TEXAS

Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—GREETING:

You are hereby Commanded to raise the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To All Persons interested in the welfare of Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, Mrs. Dovie Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, at the town of Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not. But have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 19th A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

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List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31st, 1926, for Taxes of 1925, in Bandera County

REPORTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER FIFTEEN, REVISED CIVIL STATUTES OF 1911.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA.

I, Henry Stevens, Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the land and lots listed below and assessed on the tax rolls of said County for the year 1925, are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and that there was no personal property for "seizure and sale" as required by Artlele 7897, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, and therefore I am entitled to credit for the taxes shown and herien reported delinquent.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

COUNTY OF BANDERA. In the Commissioners Court: We Cirtify that we have examined the following three pages of Collector's report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Bandera County, for the year 1925, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and find the same correct, and that Henry Stevens, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes shown thereon.

Given in open Court this 11th day of May, A. D., 1926.

J. A. EAMES, County Judge.
A. PYKA.
R. L. MORRIS.
J. L. EDWARDS.
J. V. PORTER.
County Commissioners of Said County

Owner	Abst	Cert	Sur.	Original Grantee	Acres	City or Town	St. Tax	Co. Tax	Total
Buckelew, F. M.						Medina, Lt. 1 Bel. Ad.	$ 1.53	$ 2.87	$ 4.40
Caffall, F. R & Ida						Bandera, 69 to 70 Range 14			
Caffall, F. R & Ida						Bandera, 73 to 80 Range 14	9.41	16.30	25.71
Clck, C. M. & A. J.	220		35	Wm. Kelley	96.4		17.95	21.42	39.37
Clck, C. M. & A. J.	327		34	M.G. de los Santos	132.3				
Cooksey, Jeff Jr, Est,	914		38	J.A. Grant	80		2.55	2.61	5.16
Cooksey, Jeff Jr, Est,	1175		38	A.H. Fisher	80		10.71	17.35	28.06
Curtis, T. N. & Eliz.	92	4019	71	A. Curvier	5				
Davenport, M. & B.	133	5	1263	E. P. I. Co,	160				
Davenport, M. & B.	1588		6	M. Davenport	320		29.15	32.33	61.48
Davenport, M. & B.	190		1262	J. Hughes	148				
Harris, J. T.	1076		325	1.A. J. Crockett	160		5.08	12.87	17.95
Harris, J. T.	505		322	1.A. J. Crockett	4				
Hagie, C. H. & A.	570	722	324	8. B. Talley	65		12.53	13.05	25.58
Johnson, Wm. & Essie	156		313	M. M. Girrera	20				
Johnson, Wm. & Essie	2210	1830	38	J. R. George	80				
Light, R. H. & May	2221	1830	38	R. H. Light	80		7.74	11.92	19.71
Light, R. H. & May						Medina, 6 and 7 Bkr, Ad.	3.34	3.47	6.81
Mayfield, Hughey M.		700	168	E. A. Martin	20		3.43	4.43	7.86
Miller, Mrs. Jess	348	716	314	P. Salinas	101				
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	131	1597	317	G. Esparza	52		23.46	26.74	50.20
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	349	716	316	P. Salinas	148				
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	1441	438	5084	C. Reed	139.1		15.66	27.47	43.13
Pepper, J. M. & Aura	804		508	1.J. F. Hodges	50				
Pepper, J. M. & Aura	154	126	497	A. Gomez	3				
Saathoff, M. L. & Jane	154	126	497	A. Gomez	2-10		23.74	25.17	48.91
Saathoff, M. L. & Jane	154	126	497	A. Gomez	1.1		4.65	10.89	15.54
Saathoff, M. L. & Jane	260	700	168	E. A. Martin	70		10.58	19.93	30.51
Sutton, S. H.	130	1597	315	G. Esparza	100		8.22	5.97	14.19
Thomas, O. W.	1340		250	1.W. H. White	60		8.13	8.98	17.11
White, G. A. & Mae	1340		250	1.W. H. White	100		13.98	26.58	37.56
White, W. H. Hrs.	46	23	155	J. B. Brown	229.7		.85	.77	1.62
Lamb, E. R.						Lake Medina Highlands, 20 7 and 8	10.24	17.42	27.66
Lewis, Patent Co,	92	4019	71	A. Curvier	100				
Miller, J. Y.	938		2020	B. F. Oatman	110		4.92	7.34	12.26
Oatman, C. S.	1440	126	12	A. J. Champion	120		1.69	2.53	4.22
Oatman, C. S.	958		2020	B. F. Oatman	45				
Oatman, M. A. Mrs. Hrs.	139	1597	315	G. Esparza	40				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	1246		46	1.W. A. Sheppard	23				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	517	322	45	C.C. S.D. R.G. N.G	57.7				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	2072		323	1.W. B. Baker	21.1				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	1338		323	J. D. Rankin	80				
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	367	638	143	J. Tanner	26.2		10.16	19.14	29.30
Babb, Mrs. B. M.	2300		5004	H. C. Wynn	101		1.19	1.50	2.69
Banks, Jno O.	2421	2794	300	D. V. Brooks	235		3.12	4.76	7.88
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Bourland, Claud	76	19	72	I. S. de Cologne	1.1/2		5.08	9.58	14.66
Bruce, R. W.	2460	245	494	T. E. Christopher	99.6		1.10	1.40	2.50
Christopher, Mrs. T. E.	3420	355	85	H. Baxter	200		7.19	12.04	19.23
Elliott, John Decd.	1227	258	190	1.F. L. Mudd	149		1.53	1.92	3.45
Ezell, T. A.	260	700	168	E. A. Martin	100		2.54	5.94	8.48
Fellows, J. L.	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		4.24	3.85	8.09
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Harrison & Riverell	154	126	497	A. Gomez	2		.42	.44	.86
Holmberger, Wm.						Medina, 1 Reed Ad.	.34	.64	.98
Jackson, E. S. Deed,	2381		283	1.L. Haby	9.39				
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Lukinbaugh, Mrs. D.						Medina, 1 Reed Ad.	3.55	3.93	7.48
Miller, Geo.	227	407	351	H. W. Karnes	80		2.03	3.83	5.86
McAllister, w. W.	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	4		2.54	2.80	5.34
McCarthy, Wm. D.	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		2.12	1.94	4.06
McDonald, I. Hrs.	210	120	937	A. Jamie	117		4.24	3.85	8.09
Neal, Jack	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		14.40	21.88	36.28
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Petterman, W. R.	490		350	1.J. W. Beckman	160		.25	.09	.54
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Pue, Mrs. Mary	94	3841	65	Jno Coke	100		7.12	8.78	15.90
Quota, Frank						Bandera, 41 & 42 Range 6			
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Surrenden, A. F.	1265		234	J. B. Spettle	1.17		.33	.85	1.78
Wooten, G. H. & M. D.	2350	1230	1720	R. A. Nickleson	457.4		5.08	7.26	12.34
Wooten, Hundley.	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		3.82	3.47	7.29
Yates, Don	2392	2790	310	E. R. Barrow	400		5.08	7.72	12.80
Unknown	14	1321	1	A. B. & M.	53		.50	.76	1.26
Unknown	910		707	Gonzales	701		.59	.86	1.45
Unknown	1026	1230	1719	H. E. & W. T. Ry	317		3.39	4.84	8.23
Unknown	1151	1659	1729	T. & S.L. Ry Co,	180		1.93	2.78	4.73
Unknown	1239	47	8	A. Real	69		.68	1.01	1.69
Unknown	1270	3812	1393	C. & S.F. Ry.	60		.70	1.10	1.80
Unknown	1753	1321	2	Julius Real	70		.85	1.26	2.11
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Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship.

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To All Persons interested in the welfare of Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, Mrs. Dovie Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July A.D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not. But have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 19th A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas
By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA.

I, Henry Stevens, Tax Collector of said County, do hereby certify that the land and lots listed below and assessed on the tax rolls of said County for the year 1925, are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and that there was no personal property for "seizure and sale" as required by Artlele 7692, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, and therefore I am entitled to credit for the taxes shown and herein reported delinquent.

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COUNTY OF BANDERA. In the Commissioners Court: We Certify that we have examined the following three pages of Collector's report of lands and town lots assessed on the Tax Rolls of Bandera County, for the year 1925, which are delinquent for the taxes of 1925, and find the same correct, and that Henry Stevens, Tax Collector, is entitled to credit for the taxes shown thereon.
Given in open Court this 11th day of May, A. D., 1926.

J. A. EAMES, County Judge.
A. PYKA.
R. L. MORRIS.
J. L. EDWARDS.
J. V. PORTER.
County Commissioners of Said County

Owner	Abst Cert	Sur.	Original Grantee	Acres	City or Town	St. Tax	Co Tax	Total
Buckelew, F. M.					Medina, Lt. 1 Bel. Ad	$ 1.53	$ 2.87	$ 4.40
Caffall, F. R & Ida					Bandera, 69 to 70 Range 14			
Caffall, F. R. & Ida					Bandera, 73 to 80 Range 14	9.41	16.30	25.71
	220		35 Wm. Kelley	96.4		17.95	21.42	39.37
Click, C. M. & A. J.	327		34 M.G. de los Santos	132.3				
Click, C. M. & A. J.	914		38 J. A. Grant	80		2.55	2.61	5.16
Cooksey, Jeff Jr, Est.	1175		38 A.R. Fisher	80		10.71	17.35	28.06
Cooksey, Jeff Jr, Est.	92	4019	71 J. B. Currier	5				
Curtis, T. N. & Ella	133	5	1263 E. P. I. Co.	160		29.15	32.33	61.48
Davenport, M. & B.	1588		6 M. Davenport	320				
Davenport, M. & B.	190		1262 J. Hughes	148				
Harris, J. T.	1076		325 I.A. J. Crockett	160		5.08	12.87	17.95
Haggis, J. H.	505		322 I.A. J. Crockett	4				
Johnson, Wm. & Essie	370	722	324 S. B. Talley	65		12.53	13.05	25.58
Johnson, Wm. & Essie	156		313 M. M. Gutrera	20				
Light, R. H. & May	2212	1830	38 H. R. Griggs	80				
Light, R. H. & May	2221	1830	38 R. H. Light	80				
Mayfield, Hughey M		60	168 E. A. Martin	20	Medina, 6 and 7 Blk, Ad	7.74	11.92	19.71
Miller, Mrs. Jess	348	715	314 P. Salinas	101		3.34	3.47	6.81
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	131	1597	317 G. Esparza	52		3.43	4.43	7.86
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	349	716	316 P. Salinas	148				
Murrah, L. H. & Mrs. L. H.	1431	438	508 A. C. Reed	139.1		23.46	26.74	50.20
Pepper, J. M. & Aura	894		308 J. C. Bridges	50				
Pepper, J. M. & Aura	154	126	497 A. Gomez	3½				
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the estate of Augustus S. Leake, Deceased, Mary Catherine Leake has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Augustus S. Leake, Deceased, bearing date of which said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 2nd day of June A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Clerk
County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—GREETING:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS — GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To All Persons interested in the welfare of Roma N. Jones, Mrs. Bertha D. Jones, has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Estate of Roma N. Jones, a minor, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the Town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of the said minor may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, But have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 11th A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

Your insurance solicited. You are insured 100 per cent from date of issue in every policy. A policy for every need. Legal reserve insurance at cost. Three standard policies. If you want a doctor you don't wait for a stranger to come in. If you want insurance why not talk to home man? Solid as a rock. Liberty Life Assurance is absolutely safe. Liberty Life Assurance pays if you live, pays if you die.—Joy L. Tilley, Organizer.

Dr. John H. Erwin, who will be at Fort Sam Houston for the next fifteen days, will be at home on Saturday afternoons and Sundays.

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Miss Helen Darst, of San Antonio, is the guest of Miss Rachel Hunter.

Miss Maudie Blackwell, of Rocky Creek, spent last week with friends on East Verde.

Mrs. Felix Knibbe and children are here from Arkansas on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Risinger.

Bertie Johnston and family and C. L. Layne and family, of San Antonio, were visitors in Bandera Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Montague was quite ill several days last week, but we are pleased to report that she has fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross, came in from Arkansas last week for the Old Settlers' Reunion, and to visit his father, John H. Ross, and other relatives.

Be sure to get your Old Settlers' badge before going out to the reunion grounds. This badge entitles you to all privileges of the reunion, and will admit you at the entrance free each day.

Mrs. Mary Carmichael has returned from an enjoyable visit to relatives and friends at Uvalde. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Lewis and children, who are spending several days here.

We are pleased to learn that Jesse Kutzer, who has been in critical condition as a result of blood poison, is very much improved. He is still at Comfort under treatment of a physician there.

Wm. King and Douglas Ware, of Stockdale, were camping at Medina and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnson this week. They expect to attend the old settlers' reunion Friday and Saturday.

Frank Harper, of Sherman, was here this week on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper. Frank recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, and is recuperating while taking a short vacation.

Capt. John Lane, the old time fiddler, will arrive today from Harper to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion. Captain Lane is now eighty-five years old, and is one of the best known fiddlers in Texas. He will participate in the old fiddlers' contest.

Captain Leopold Haby and S. A. Tschirhart, of the Medina Lake region, were in town Friday and paid this office an appreciated visit. Mr. Tschirhart brought us some excellent onions of the Crystal Wax variety, and of very large size, for which he has our thanks.

Will Hamilton and family, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, are expected to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion, and to visit Mr. Hamilton's sister, Mrs. Harriett Chipman. It has been many years since Mr. Hamilton left Bandera and the many old friends of the family will be glad to greet him again.

Our cousin, Miss Will E. Hunter, accompanied by her protege, Master Harold Ford, came up from San Antonio last Thursday and spent several days with us, returning home Monday. Miss Hunter, who is the San Antonio representative of the Spiritella Corset Co., will leave in a few days for Oklahoma to visit one of her sisters, and will be absent two months.

D. O. Tallman, of Medina, was here last Friday and brought us a sample of Hubam Sweet Clover which he raised on his place. This clover is excellent feed for all kinds of stock and fully as productive as any forage crop. The sample he brought us was about four feet high, and had been planted in March. It is said to be a drouth resisting plant and will produce two or three cuttings in a season.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rogers and son, Martin, came over from Mason Saturday to visit the editor's family. They returned home Monday. Mr. Rogers is a brother to Mrs. Hunter. This was his first visit to Bandera in about forty-five years, but he was able to find a number of familiar landmarks here. We enjoyed their visit very much and hope they will come again soon.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge:
J. A. EAMES.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN F. HODGES

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. I. MORRIS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Risinger, June 28, a girl.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark, June 25, a boy.

Mrs. George Hay accompanied Mrs. Herschell Lewis to Uvalde last week to spend several days there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carmichael went up to Utopia last week to be at the bedside of Mrs. Carmichael's mother, Mrs. Miller, who was seriously ill.

Messrs. W. P. Carr, W. R. Lloyd and J. S. Eberside, of Kerrville, were here Saturday evening for a big barbecue to be held at Kerrville next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hoffer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ed and children of Goliad, were here a few days last week visiting Mr. Batto and family. Mr. Hoffer is a cousin to Mrs. Batto.

Adlif Batto, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Batto of Bandera, writes his parents that he has been promoted to department manager of the Lincoln Motor Co. in Chicago. The young man has been holding a position in a repair department there for the past year or two.

Uncle Tom Laxson came in from the Confederate Home at Austin to spend several days with homefolks and to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion. He informs us that he is comfortably situated in the Home, and is well pleased with the attention and consideration he receives there.

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MEDINA.

Mrs. A. J. Flowers and children of Pharr, have returned home after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Garrison.

Addison Buckner was accompanied to San Marcos by his cousin, Miss Fern Mayfield, who will visit there awhile.

Miss Lela Mae Johnson is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. L. Faris and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mayfield and daughter, Miss Donna, are here from Lampasas, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker have moved to San Antonio.

John Robertson and daughters, Misses Vivian and Mina, of Fredericksburg, visited Mr. Wm. McMahon and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Stevens of Uvalde spent several days with Mrs. Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shuptrine.

Mrs. F. H. Coleman, of Kingsville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. P. Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and daughter Myrtle, Mrs. G. L. Flora and Miss Ottie Hoffman, of San Antonio, visited W. D. Smith and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adams and son visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Freeman and children spent last Thursday night with Mrs. Judith Baker. They were on their way to the Old Settlers' Reunion.

Mrs. Mrs. Sam Adams visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. C. D. Wyatt and Mrs. Judith Baker. She came up Sunday with Olif Adams and family.

Misses Lela and Jewett Thompson visited their sister, Mrs. Geo. Tait.

A Baptist meeting will begin here Friday night July 9. Rev. Igal of San Antonio will do the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boren and brother, Damon Boren, of Leakey, visited Lee Pries and family.

Herman Allen and sister, Mildred, from San Marcos, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Allen.

Married Monday.

Floyd Hamilton and Miss Nina Belle Hand surprised their many friends by going over to Boerne and getting married last Monday. These are worthy young people of our community and have a host of friends. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, and was raised here. The bride is a niece to T. S. Dennis of this city and has made her home here the past two years. She is an excellent young lady of charming personality. The New Era joins in congratulations and best wishes.

Road Hog Does Damage.

A heavy car going at a high speed jammed into a Dodge roadster driven by W. D. Smithers, San Antonio photographier, down on the San Antonio road last Saturday evening and demolished a trunk containing several cameras and other photographic equipment. The road hog did not stop, but continued on in the direction of Bandera. The cameras were smashed to pieces, and Mr. Smithers' loss will amount to several hundred dollars. Fortunately, Mr. Smithers and Mr. Davis, a reporter for the San Antonio Light, escaped injury.

Sells a Good Book.

Hal S. Hudspeth is now selling the popular book, "The Trail Drivers' of Texas," compiled and published under direction of George W. Saunders, president of the Old Time Trail Drivers' Association. The book was first published in two volumes and sold for $7.00 per volume, but has recently been republished in one large volume of nearly 1,000 pages by the Cokesbury Press of Nashville, Tennessee. The book contains an authentic history of the cattle trail days, the narratives of the old trail drivers being full of interest to every person interested in the history of Texas. The new volume sells at $3.00 and is worth every cent of the price. Send your order to Mr. Hal S. Hudspeth, Bandera, Texas.

To Undergo An Operation.

Mrs. W. H. Whitehead, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Willie Mae Whitehead, and Miss Frankie Cox of Dallas, called at the New Era yesterday to order the little old home paper sent to her at Port Arthur. Mrs White-head informed us that she would go to the hospital in San Antonio for a minor operation tomorrow. Her many friends hope she will make good recovery.

Ladies Judge Contest.

The judges in the old fiddlers contest at the reunion were Mrs. Mattie Jones, Mrs. Harriet Chipman and Mrs. Mina Gibbons. This is the first time an old fiddlers' contest here has been judged by the ladies, but their decision was rendered as satisfactorily as any men could have rendered it.

Bandera Won Again.

In the game of baseball played on the local diamond last Sunday between the Second Division team from Fort Sam Houston and Bandera Invincibles, the home team won by a score of 9 to 5.

Married Thursday.

Homer Mansfield and Miss Lillie Ramsey were married at Kerrville last Thursday, and came over to Bandera on their honeymoon. The groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mansfield, and was born and raised in Bandera, where he has many friends. He is a splendid young man of good habits and quiet manners, and will prove a good husband. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey of near Junction, is an excellent young lady, and highly esteemed by all who know her. They will make their home on the Pete Ragen farm near Center Point. The New Era joins in congratulations and best wishes for their happiness and prosperity.

Bus Service On Again.

Will Gray has resumed his bus service from San Antonio to Bandera, maintaining the same schedule and rates as a few weeks ago. Mr. Gray will give his personal attention to the business.

Will Hold Primary.

County Chairman W. R. Fletcher informs us that the democratic party in this county will endeavor to hold a primary election on July 24th. Only names of candidates for state and district offices will appear on the ballot, as our county candidates are running through to the general election in November.

Old Setlers Re-Elect Officers.

At the business meeting of the Bandera County Old Settlers' Association, held last Saturday, all of the old officers were re-elected, as follows: J. E. Browning, president; Gus Reinarz, vice-president; Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, secretary-treasurer. The executive committe includes Mrs. Mattie Jones, Mrs. U. H. Mansfield, Ernest Kindla, W. E. Mansfield, and J. M. Hunter. It was the sense of the meeting that some steps should be taken to reduce the membership dues from one dollar to fifty cents per annum, and a vote was taken in the matter. It now remains for the executive committee to sum up and ascertain if the proposed reduction will materially affect the organization and will be sufficient to meet the financial requirements of the association. It is found by the committee that such a reduction is unwise it will not be made.

Baptist Meeting.

The meeting at the Baptist church in Bandera begins on July 25th. Rev. R. L. Powell, of San Marcos will do the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shanklin, Mrs. W. J. Cleveland, Joe Cleveland and Misses Bell Kucharczyk and Margaret Mahaffey of Gonzales who are visiting relatives here, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderwald.

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Splendid Rodeo Feature.

The rodeo feature at the old settlers' reunion, arranged and conducted by W. E. Mansfield on each day of the reunion, kept the big crowd interested and was highly praised by all who witnessed it. Roping and riding of steers, and bull-dogging furnished plenty of sport and excitement, the chief attraction being the bull-dogging of a steer from the running board of a speeding Chevrolet automobile, which act was performed by Mrs. L. L. Davis. Roping of a number of Spanish goats proved so easy for the ropers because these goats were swift runners and hard to catch. Mr. Mansfield will take his rodeo stock and riders to Boerne to the Old Settlers' Reunion to be held there July 17th and 18th.

Ford Demonstration.

Walter Epperson, of the Paine Motor Co. of Boerne, was here last Friday and Saturday giving a demonstration of the new Ford cars. Another substantial reduction has recently been made in the price of Fords, the reduction amounting to about $45 per car, and they are fully equipped with balloon tires, etc.

Fords Selling Fast.

Herbert A. Paine, of the Paine Motor Co., was over from Boerne last Thursday to deliver a new Ford touring car to a Bandera purchaser. Mr. Paine reports considerable activity in Ford sales since the last reduction in price, and that many sales are being made in this county and in Kendall county. The reduction averages $45 per car, the new Fords being standard equipment with baloon tires, etc.

Run Over by Auto.

Lawrence, the thirteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Pue, was run over by an automobile on the reunion grounds last Saturday, but fortunately escaped serious injury. He was painfully bruised about the body, and at first was thought to be hurt internally, but is all right now.

Camp Meeting.

An old time camp meeting, the preaching to be done under a brush arbor, will be conducted by the Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints, beginning on July 16 and closing July 25th. The arbor will be located on the Loop, near the river, at Bandera. Elder J. Chas. May, of Kerrville City, and other prominent speakers will be heard. Everybody invited.

Gashed With Hog Tusk.

Ben Gerdes and children, Miss Evelyn, Stanley and Lester, were in from East Verde yesterday. Mr. Gerdes came in for treatment for an ugly wound on the arm caused by a vicious hog. The animal's tusks ripped an ugly gash which required seven stitches to close.

Aleen Making Good.

Miss Aleen Stevens, former linotype operator in the New Era office, came up to visit home folks over Sunday. She has been holding a position as linotype operator on the Pleasanton Express, and has been making good there. Miss Aleen is an excellent girl, and we valued her services most highly. It is quite possible that she will accept a good position in San Antonio which has been offered her.

Arm Broken.

"Oklahoma Slim," a young man who rode in the rodeo at Mansfield Park during the Old Settlers' reunion, was thrown by a wild steer last Friday afternoon and sustained a broken arm, which required him unable to give further performance. It is the regret of the crowds who admired his daring feats of riding.

Fourth of July Visitors.

Among the visitors at the home of Captain and Mrs. Ben Batto last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mandry and children, Mrs. Mary Underhill, Mrs. Hartwell, Ed Pytel, Paul Hehn, Mr. Dorsey, all of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ziegenbalg and family of Hondo, and Cooper Batto of Lattimore. The party enjoyed a splendid Fourth of July dinner given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Batto, Mrs. Hartwell, who is a specialist in the treatment of cancer, visited and cured Captain Batto of this dread affliction some time ago, removing the cancer completely, and her presence in the party added much to the pleasure of Captain and Mrs. Batto on this occasion.

Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderwald entertained with a family reunion supper Monday night in honor of their relatives from Gonzales, who are spending the week here. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shanklin, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cleveland and son Joe, Misses Bell Kucharczyk and Margaret Mahaffey, all of Gonzales, Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Abois and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderwald and son Raymond, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderwald and family. The supper was a very much enjoyed as there was plenty of fried chicken, salads and cakes and everything, and all went away happy.

Enters Upon Mail Contract.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nobles have left from San Antonio, and Monday and paid this office an appreciated visit. Mr. Nobles is the new contractor for the Bandera San Antonio mail line, and entered upon his duties last Thursday. He has a large Chevrolet truck built for carrying passengers, mail and baggage, and will make regular schedule time. Mr. Nobles has an ad in the New Era, giving the schedule and fare on the mail line, and will appreciate your patronage and will give careful attention to all business entrusted to his care.

Mrs. J. E. Calhaun was here from San Antonio to attend the reunion.

Underwent Operation.

Miss Ruby Barnett, formerly Miss Ruby Langford of this city, recently underwent a serious operation at Del Rio. Her many friends here will be glad to know she is getting along nicely. Her mother, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr., will leave soon for Del Rio next week to visit her.

Visitors at Moravietz Home.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moravietz during last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moravietz, Rosa Lee Moravietz, Alois Moravietz, Frank Moravietz, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kowalik and son, Mrs. Elben Kowalik and son, Virgil Kowalik and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moravietz and children of Helson; Mrs. Anton Kolodziej, Miss Celia Kolodziej, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Pieper, Miss Eugenia Ploch, E. J. Degen, Major Mack, and Mrs. Frances Dureczki, all of San Antonio. A delightful family reunion was held.

The Chevrolet Most Popular

Mrs. L. L. Davis has been building quite a reputation for some time from different makes of automobiles, and she finds the Chevrolet the most satisfactory in her performances. It gets off faster, turns shorter, hugs ground closer, and in fact is the best car on the market for this line of work. She wishes to thank Mr. Frank H. Mansfield, local salesman, for courtesies shown during the rodeo at the Bandera Old Settlers' Reunion, and takes pleasure in recommending the Chevrolet car to any one who wants a car for any purpose, riding or bull-dogging.

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Photos of the Old Settlers.

N. H. Rose made some excellent circuit pictures of the old settlers at the reunion last Friday and Saturday, and can show how be seen at the New Era office. The pictures are 8x10 inches in size and will be sold at $1.00 each. Please place your order early as only a limited number will be made. Only a dollar to N. H. Rose, Box 1465, San Antonio, or order from the New Era.

Hon. 58, of the Constituting the Board commissioners."

The Governor of hereby directed to ecessary proclamation ection and have the hed as required by

The sum of $5,000.00 thereof as may be hereby appropriat- funds in the Treas- State, and not other- riated, to pay the such publication and

April 4, 1925.
RIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
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AMENDMENT TO ONSTITUTION.
INT RESOLUTION

tion proposing an to Art. 7, of the of the State of hanging Section 3, the provision author- gislature to create icts and making an n therefor.

d by the Legislature te of Texas:

That Section 3, the Constitution be s to read as follows: w Section.)

1. One-fourth of the ved from the State axes and poll tax r on every inhabit- State, between the enty-one and sixty be set apart annual- enefit of the public and in addition shall be levied an annual ad val- tax of such an to exceed thirty- the one hundred dars valuation, as ailable school fund all other sources, cient to maintain the public schools for a period of not months in each shall be the duty of ard of Education to efficient amount out ix to provide free r the use of chil- ng the public free in State; provided, t should the limit erein named be in- deficit may be met tion from the gen- the State and the way also provide tion of school dis- eral laws; and all districts may em- of two or more t the Legislature rized to pass laws ment and collection l said districts and ement and control school or schools cts, whether such composed of terri- within a county or o or more counties, slature may author- ional ad valorem ied and collected ool districts here- or hereafter form- further maintenance schools, and for the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one (1.00) dollar on one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting a separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1926, at which election all those favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. That the sum of two thousand ($2,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
(A Correct Copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 and Section 40 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit officers of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States to hold public office in Texas.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 33 of Artille 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States."

Section 2. That Section 40 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to be amended so as to read as follows:

"No person shall hold or exercise, at the same time, more than one civil office of emolument except that of Justice of the Peace, County Commissioner, Notary Public and Postmaster, officer of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United Sates, unless otherwise specially provided herein. Provided, that nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to prohibit an officer, or enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, or an officer in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, or an enlisted man in the Organized Reserves of the United States from holding in conjunction with such office any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States.

Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps, of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States," and:

"Against the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Section 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary Proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved March 16, 1925.
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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

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It was a rare treat to many of our old timers to hear Captain John Lane, who is now past the 80th year of his age, play the old time tunes on his old fiddle at the old settlers' reunion last Friday and Saturday. There are men and women living throughout this section whose grandfathers and grandmothers danced to John Lane's fiddling in their youthful days. The old veteran is still exacts active and can fetch music from a fiddle in such a way that, as one man expressed it, "would cause a dead man, if he had not been dead over two days, to wiggle his toes."

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford, Ben Ellis, Joe Benton and daughter, were here from Menard to attend the reunion. Mr. Benton lived in this county many years ago, and his old friends, of whom there is a host, were glad to see him once more. The editor has known Mr. and Mrs. Bradford and Mr. Ellis for forty years, and we were mighty glad to see them once more and to know that the years have dealt kindly with them. Their children are now grown and are occupying places of influence in the state and are honored and esteemed wherever they live.

Capt. Seco Smith's many friends were glad to greet him at the reunion last Friday. Captain Smith, who is now in his 91st year, is getting quite feeble, but his mind is clear and he talks very interestingly of early day events.

Captain and Mrs. Eli Loyd of the Divide region, were here for the old settlers' reunion. Captain Loyd was a participant in the noted battle of Packsaddle Mountain and received wounds in that fight with the Indians. He and his good wife recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, and are now receiving the good wishes and congratulations from many friends.

Captain J. W. Walker, of Laxson's Creek, was in attendance at the old settlers' reunion, and had the pleasure of mingling with many old time friends there. Captain Walker has resided in Bandera county many long years, and has had a part in the development of the county and changing it from a wilderness to the garden spot it is of today. He has the distinction of having herded the government camels kept at Camp Verde in the early sixties, and now has in his possession a bell worn by the leader of the camel herd.

Another reunion of the old settlers of Bandera county has passed into history. For the third time old settlers have come together to meet and greet each other and to talk over the old days of long ago. It was a great gathering and will be remembered by those who were there. The old time dancing, the old time music, the log calling contest, the milk-soaking contest, the cow calling contest, the pie-eating contest, the riding and roping, the quilting party, all combined to furnish plenty of amusement and sport for the old folks and young folks too. Now that the reunion is over, we are all going to buckle down to make the Bandera County Fair, to be held August 26, 27 and 28, another successful undertaking.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thallman were over from Hondo to attend the reunion.

M. F. Smart and family came over from Utopia to attend the old settlers' reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Dees and bright little daughter were here from San Antonio, for the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Drake of Corning, California, came to attend the big reunion and to greet their old friends in this county.

C. T. Harmon and niece, Mrs. Hodges, were here from San Antonio to attend the reunion and said they had the finest kind of a time.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haas, of Hondo, were among the visitors at the reunion, and had the opportunity of greeting hundreds of their old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Buell came up from San Antonio to mingle with their many old friends at the reunion, and they enjoyed every moment of the time.

Col. John Hopkins, the nimblest of the nimble, came up from San Antonio Saturday to attend the reunion and never missed a set on the old folks' dance platform.

Capt. Billy Krempkau and B. F. Schmidt, representing the Pioneer Freighters' Association, were here from San Antonio to enjoy the big reunion of our old settlers last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stanley and children, of Mullin, Texas, were here last week on a visit to their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Rawls of Camp Verde, and to attend the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Zeigenbalg and children, of Hondo, were here to attend the reunion. Mr. Zeigenbalg is an enthusiastic reader of Frontier Times, and says he would not be without the little magazine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Milam of the Diversion Dam, and Misses Lutilda and Katie Lee Rose of San Antonio, were here for the reunion. The New Era editor and Mrs. Milam "grew up" together at Menardville, when she was Miss Martha Rose, and one of the best girls in all the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Freeman and children, of Mountain Home, were here to attend the reunion. It has been twelve years since they left Bandera county, most of which time they spent in the Panhandle. They were glad to see so many of their old friends and while here they were warmly greeted.

Dean T. U. Taylor, of the Engineering Department of the University of Texas came to attend the reunion of Bandera county settlers. Dean Taylor found much pleasure and enjoyment in the old time dances and on Friday evening he directed the old time Parker County Square Dance which was put on for his especial benefit. We were indeed glad to have him with us, and we are sure he will come again.

Col. J. A. Head returned Monday from an extended trip through Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas, where he visited friends and relatives. He was absent about six weeks. He was accompanied home by his little granddaughter, Hazel Lee Head, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Head, who will spend a few months here.

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The Old-Settlers' Reunion

They came from all parts to attend the third reunion of the old settlers' association of Bandera county, held at Bandera on last Friday and Saturday, the first day the crowd reached 2,500, but the last day fully 5,000 people thronged the streets and made it necessary for the old friends, the pioneers of Bandera county, that the threshing machines were in full swing in the county, many people have come were having to work on the harvest crews. Although there were not as large a crowd as on the first day, the reunion was a source of enjoyment and pleasure to all who came was just as much as it has been pronounced one of the best reunions ever held in Bandera county.

The reunion was formally opened the day morning with an address of welcome by J. M. Hunter, editor of the Bandera Courier, and the response was delivered by Judge J. A. Harris. Dinner was served at the noon hour and consisted of all the delicacies of the season, meats, bread, cakes, pies, etc. After dinner a short program was rendered by the children, after which a ball game between two teams of men over sixty years of age was held, and resulted in a victory for the team captained by J. A. Laxson. Valuable prizes were entered in the game, and Captain Laxson was voted the most popular man in the game and was awarded a handsome gold watch, consisting of striped candy. Mrs. Ella Hicks was awarded the booby prize, consisting of followed the ball game with a beautiful doll. The girls over six years of age, and Mrs. Ella Hicks was awarded a pretty box of candy for the prettiest girl in the crowd. Miss Ella Hicks was awarded a large box of candy for being second in the contest.

Friday night another contest was held, being, Will Mayfield, Jr., Reavis, Charlie Ed and Charlie Ed Hicks. The latter was accompanied by his pretty wife. The old time dances were pleased the audience, and forth much applause was awarded first prize; a watch, and Tom Lane was given third place; a knife, fifth place; a 45-year-old fiddle from the contestant fact that he won the first prize of this county. Lane, was called upon to play and played a number of selections and a good many others, and a jazz band furnished music.

On Saturday the pie-eating contest was held. Entered in this contest were Potter of Bandera, Williams of Tuff, and Chas. Eckhart of Middle Verde. Lemon pies, baked by Mrs. M. E. Faris, were provided, and the way in which those pie-eaters gulped them down brought forth shouts of encouragement and great laughter. Andy Potter finished his pie in the quickest time, and was awarded the prize.

Following the pie-eating came the milk-sucking contest. It was intended that four young ladies should perform in this contest, but volunteers were lacking, so two little boys and two little girls were secured to suck the milk from bottles through a nipple. Little Miss Aileen Holt was awarded first prize.

Fine barbecue dinner came next on the program.

At 2:30 p. m. a jig dance for boys was witnessed. Only one proceed his appreciation for the boy entered this contest, Clinton Seathoff, who delighted the crowd with his dancing. Next came the jig dance for men over forty-five years old. Several entered in this contest, among them being Capt. John J. Jacobs, W. G. Davis, Bandera; John Hopkins and Will Maass, and Luke Gray. First prize was awarded to Captain Jacobs.

At 3:30 Saturday the hog calling contest was held. Entered in this contest were Col. George W. Saunders of San Antonio, Andy Potter of Boerne, and Pomp Freeman of Mountain Home. Colonel Saunders was awarded the prize for best calling, a pound ping of Horseshoe

Quilting Party.

The old folks quilting party at the reunion of the old settlers' Bandera county, conducted last Friday and Saturday, attracted much attention and interest. A call quilt, the quilt possessing the most beautiful quilting designs and head of Medina, for Mr. White-sold at auction for $11.00 to Mrs. George W. Saunders of San Antonio.

Baptist Workers' Conference.

Arrangements have been arranged for the Baptist Workers' conference, to be held at Bandera, on August 2nd to 6th, inclusive. Rev. Ignatio Kindle, who holds a position in the Y. M. C. A. work in San Antonio, is also expected to be present and deliver addresses during the conference. Rev. Kindle is a son of Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Kindle, of Bandera.

Glenn Thompson, of Pleasanton, and Miss Barker came over from Harper for the reunion. Miss Barker is a sister of Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Stockard and children, and Mrs. Stockard's sister, Miss Lucile Sutton, of San Antonio, motored to Bandera last week to attend the reunion.

Mrs. Alice Durst and daughter, Miss Helen and Thelma, and Mrs. Tula Callahan, and Dr. J. Lockhart, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe G. Callahan during the reunion at Bandera.

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Harvey Carpenter of Brawley, California, visiting his mother, Mrs. H. L. Carpenter.

D. S. Palmer, of Tuff, has traded his ranch to Robert Whitesell, of Medina, for Mr. White-sell's residence property in Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Winans and children, of Bandera, and Mrs. Winans' brother, J. W. Zumwalt, of Bandera, motored to Tuff on Sunday last and visited with the Zumwalt family.

Mrs. Lottie Stutts, of San Antonio, is here visiting her brother, W. Anderson, this week.

Mrs. Ben Zumwalt and children, of Bandera, spent Thursday last with Mrs. Zumwalt's father, J. W. Zumwalt, at Tuff.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lloyd, of Bandera, were here last Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt and children, of Bandera, and Mrs. Ben Zumwalt and children, of Bandera, were guests of J. W. Zumwalt at Tuff on Sunday last.

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Outing Party.

Mrs. Nettie Johnson and Mrs. Worth Moore Thursday last.

Mrs. Bob Thompson, Miss Lucile Thompson, Miss Ina Adams, Messrs. Harvey Carpenter, Elmo Adams, Gene Adams, Bob Harvey Carpenter and Bennie Brown motored to Bandera on Friday last and had a delightful outing. They report lots of fish and fun.

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Notice of Application for Letters of Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—GREETING:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of this notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To All Persons Interested in the welfare of Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, Mrs. Bonnie Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, the First Monday in July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Hereof fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 19th A. D. 1926.

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Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing for the taxation of school lands owned by counties.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended by adding after Section 6 thereof 6a, which shall read as follows:

Section 6a. All agriculture or grazing school land mentioned in Section 6 of this Article owned by any county shall be subject to taxation except for State purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D., 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county to the same extent as land privately owned."

Section 2. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved, April 4, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG, Secretary of State.

(A Correct Copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A Joint Resolution relating to the amending of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners; providing for the management and supervision and management of the Prison System, under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16, Section 58 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 58. The Legislature shall have full power and authority to provide by law for the management and control of the Prison System of Texas; and to this end shall have power and authority to place the Prison System under the supervision, management and control of such trained and experienced officer, or officers, as the Legislature may from time to time provide for by law.

Section 2. The above Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held November 3, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners." And all those opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "Against the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners."

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by law.

Section 4. The sum of $5,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved, April 4, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG, Secretary of State.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A Resolution proposing an amendment to Art. 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Section 3, eliminating the provision authorizing the Legislature to create special districts and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution be so changed as to read as follows:

(Creating new Section.)

"Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State Occupation taxes and poll tax of one dollar on every inhabitant of the State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount not to exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred ($100.00) dollars valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of the State, provided, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the State and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general laws; and all such school districts may embrace parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature is authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of public free schools, and for the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one (1.00) dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of taxation to be assessed herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State authorizing and terminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts."

Sec. 3. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts."

Sec. 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary Proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved March 16, 1925.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 and Section 40 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit officers of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States to hold public office in Texas.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 33 of Artille 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"The accounting officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States; except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States."

Section 2. That Section 40 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"No person shall hold or exercise, at the same time, more than one civil office of emolument except that of Justice of the Peace, County Commissioner, Notary Public and Postmaster, officer of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, unless otherwise specially provided herein. Provided, that nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to prohibit an officer, or enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, or an officer in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, or an enlisted man in the Organized Reserves of the United States from holding in conjunction with such office any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States.

Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States," and:

"Against the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Section 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary Proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved March 16, 1925.

EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG, Secretary of State.

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MEDINA-BANDERA-SAN ANTONIO

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W. A. GRAY, Proprietor

Leaves Medina at 7:30 a. m., Leaves Bandera at 8:30 a. m., Arrives San Antonio at 10:30 a. m. Leaves San Antonio at 3 p. m., arrives Bandera at 4:45 p. m., arrives at Medina at 5:45 p. m.

Fare Medina to San Antonio, $2.75; Round Trip $4.75.
Fare Bandera to San Antonio, $2.50; Round Trip $3.50.

Notice of Application for Letters of Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—GREETING:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of this notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To All Persons Interested in the welfare of Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, Mrs. Bonnie Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, the First Monday in July A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Hereof fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 19th A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE

Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal profit for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences.—Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

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or other poultry insects! Feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE to your chickens and inside hen will be healthy with MARTIN'S ROOST PAINT to kill and keep away insects. Ask Billings & Son.

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For roofing, guttering, tanks, milk coolers, tin work and plumbing, telephone me at my home. Prompt and satisfactory work.—R. E. Blunt.

Supplement to The Bandera New Era, July 8, 1926

Arthur Keller is here from Dallas on a visit to homefolks.

Frank de Montel was here from Jourdanton to attend the reunion.

W. S. Field and son were here from Macdonna to attend the old days reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson, of Idaho Bluff, were greeting their friends at the reunion.

Ignatius Kindle, who holds a dean position in a law office in San Antonio, is spending the week with at the Bar-O ranch with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest city tomorrow and Sat- Kindle.

Glenn Meadows, O. E. Meadows, Mrs. Walter Meadows and Mrs. Alice Barker came in from Harper to attend the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stockard and children and Mrs. J. E. Cox and baby, Lillian, were here from San Saba last week attending Joseph Keller and family.

Mrs. Alice Durst and daughter, Miss Helen and Wallace, grandson, and Mr. Durst, of San Antonio, were guests of the Callahan family.

Mrs. J. W. Callahan, Mrs. Tola Callahan, and Dr. J. Hall, of San Houston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe G. Callahan and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cox, during the reunion at Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sanders, Mrs. Dan Sanders and Mrs. Decrow, of Pleasanton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maggitt, and Harold Green Edwards, during the reunion. Mrs. Sanders is a sister of Mrs. Maggitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whitehead and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stockard and family last Monday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kindle and family.

H. Bow, the photographer, is here from San Antonio, was here during the reunion and made group pictures and other pictures. He was here Friday and Saturday. These pictures are now on sale and can be had by calling at the New Era office or will be delivered to you at your home.

Thresh Your Oats

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To All Persons interested in the welfare of Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Rino Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, Mrs. Dovie Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Rino Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not. But have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 19th A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing for taxation of school lands owned by counties.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended by adding after Section 6 thereof 6a, which shall read as follows:

Section 6a. All agriculture or grazing school land mentioned in Section 6 of this Article owned by any county shall be subject to taxation except for State purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D., 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county, to the same extent as land privately owned" and "Against the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school lands owned by any county to the same extent as land privately owned.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of proper appropriation made by law.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
(A Correct Copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A Joint Resolution relating to the amending of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners; providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System, under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16, Section 58 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 58. The Legislature shall have full power and authority to provide by law for the management and control of the Prison System of Texas; and to this end shall have power and authority to place the Prison System under the supervision, management and control of such trained and experienced officer, or officers, as the Legislature may from time to time provide for by law.

Section 2. The above Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held November 3, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "For the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners." And all those opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "Against the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners."

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by law.

Section 4. The sum of $5,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the funds in the Treasury of the State, and not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
(A Correct Copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A Resolution proposing an amendment to Art. 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Section 3, eliminating the provision authorizing the Legislature to create special districts and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution be so changed as to read as follows: (creating new Section.)

"Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State Occupation taxes and poll tax of one dollar on every inhabitant of the State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount not to exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred ($100.00) dollars valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources, will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount out of the said tax to provide free text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this State; provided, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient the deficit may be met by appropriation from the general funds of the State and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general laws, and all such school districts may embrace parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties, and the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts heretofore formed or hereafter created, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and for the erection and equipment of school buildings therein; provided that a majority of the qualified property tax paying votars of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose, shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one (1.00) dollar on the hundred dollar valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school district tax herein authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, nor to independent or common school districts created by general or special law."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at the first Monday in November, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "For the amendment to the Section of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballot the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts."

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. That the sum of two thousand ($2,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved April 4, 1925.
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Secretary of State.
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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

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Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States," and:

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 665, O. E. S., Friday night, July 23rd, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

TUFF TIMES

Harvey Carpenter of Brawley, California is visiting his mother, Mrs. H. L. Carpenter.

D. S. Palmer, of Tuff has traded his ranch to Robert White, of Medina, for Mr. White's quilt of good proportions and head of Medina for Mr. White's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Winans and three children visited his cousin, Mrs. O. W. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. W. Zumwalt this week.

Mrs. Lottie Stutts, of San Antonio, has been visiting her brother, W. W. Anderson, this week.

J. W. Zumwalt started on his trip to Colorado this week. He expects to be gone about three weeks.

Quilting Party.

The old folks quilting party at the reunion of the old settlers' Bandera county, conducted last Friday and Saturday, attracted much attention and interest. A cedi his ranch to Robert White- quilt of good proportions and head of Medina, for Mr. White's farm.

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Baptist Workers' Conference.

An interesting program has been arranged for the Baptist workers' conference to be held at Bandera this week, beginning with this evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Hall, of Kerrville, will preach the opening sermon tonight. Tomorrow morning Rev. Mr. Hall will preach at 11 o'clock and Rev. Mr. Hall at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Hall will preach at 11 o'clock and Rev. Mr. Hall at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Hall will preach at 11 o'clock and Rev. Mr. Hall at 8:30 o'clock.

Making Highway Maps.

T. J. Rock, of the Rock Map Co. of Houston, spent the past two weeks in Bandera county, engaged in making new highway maps of this county. Col. Rock called at this office while here and we found him to be a very pleasant, affable gentleman. He is traveling in his special make automobile, which is fitted up as a comfortable home. The map he is making of this county will show the highways, roads, streams, inlets, lakes, hamlets and abstract numbers. He expressed his appreciation for the valuable assistance rendered him by Tax Assessor J. E. Chisum and others, and says he will have this map ready for the market soon. Mr. Rock is delighted with this picturesque region and said it would be a fine thing if we had here a State Park and Game Preserve, predicting that if we should establish such that in a very few years we would have one of the best hunting and fishing regions in the state, as well as a spot which would be visited by thousands of people annually.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stockard were visiting Mrs. Medina last week.

Mrs. Ernest Whitehead

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

FIRST STATE BANK

At Bandera, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1926, published in the Bandera New Era, a newspaper printed and published at Bandera, on the 8th day of July, 1926.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	$167,338.15	Capital Stock	$ 20,000.00
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	1500.00	Certified Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	871.44	Other Surplus Funds	1,000.00
Bonds, Stocks, and other securities	17,118.39	Undivided profits, net	811.20
Real Estate	1,783.85	Individual deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	168,931.75
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00	Individual Deposits on which interest is paid or contracted to be paid	447.98
Cash on hand	4,661.33	Time Certificates of deposit	28,463.50
Due from approved reserve agents	57,677.97	Public Funds on deposit	2,285.06
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	3,076.96	Bills payable	29,840.00
Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund	6,338.60		
Other resources, in transit	412.80		
Total	$261,779.49	Total	$261,779.49

State of Texas
County of Bandera.

We, J. W. Short, as president and I. E. Adamietz, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:
GRANVILLE WRIGHT.
H. E. RAMBIE.
MRS. C. H. MANSFIELD.

J. W. SHORT, President.
I. E. ADAMIETZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, A. D. 1926.

J. M. HUNTER.
Notary Public Bandera Co. Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davenport and daughter, Miss Josephine, are here from Beaumont on a visit to his mother, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr.

George Langford and family spent Sunday with Mr. Kenedy and Lima, spent several days with his mother, Mrs. B. F. Langford, attended the old settlers' reunion.

Mrs. Mary Kelley of San Antonio, and Mrs. C. A. Reed of Lima, spent several days with Mrs. H. Chipman last week, and attended the old settlers' reunion.

Captain Chas. de Montel and daughters were over from Camp Verde to attend the reunion. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Faris and children, and Gradon Faris came Monday and greatly enjoyed the big meeting with his old short visit to relatives and friends.

Charter No. 11814.
Report of Condition of

The First National Bank of Bandera

at Bandera, in the State of Texas, at the close of Business on June 30, 1926

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts, including Rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsements of this bank		491,385.54
Overdrafts, unsecured		589.76
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc		800.00
Banking house $5,000; furniture & fixtures $2,389.93		7,389.93
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		5,457.65
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		6,018.95
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		492.00
Other assets, if any, county warrants		801.87
Total		$112,935.70

LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in		25,000.00
Undivided profits	$ 612.86	
Reserve for Int.	3,281.56	3,894.42
Less current interest pd.		3,129.17
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve		764.63
Individual deposits subject to check		26,401.03
State, county or municipal deposits secured by pledge assets of this bank or surety bond		51,877.52
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve	78,278.55	
Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice and postal savings)		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		3,892.50
Total of time deposits subject to reserve	3,892.50	
Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts		5,000.00
Total		$112,935.70

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Bandera

I, A. Meadows, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. MEADOWS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1926.

J. M. HUNTER
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
R. BUCK
W. J. DAVENPORT, Sr.
WALTER MEADOWS
Directors.

Jim Moore, of Ozona, was here for the reunion.

H. F. Petty and family were over from Fredericksburg, attending the reunion.

Miss Thelma Darst, of San Antonio, was the guest of Miss Rachel Hunter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young, of Helotes, were here Saturday to attend the big celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Harris came up from San Antonio for the reunion and to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Gray and children were here from Center Point for the old settlers' reunion.

Miss Helen Darst, who spent last week with Miss Rachel Hunter, returned to her home at San Antonio Saturday night.

Mrs. Leslie B. Ankerson, of San Antonio, is visiting Misses Daisy and Pauline Pue at Medina for a few days.

Sam Jones and family came up from San Antonio to attend the old settlers' reunion and to visit his mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones.

Mrs. John L. Jones, of Junction, was the guest of her brother, Henry Stevens, and other relatives last week, and attended the old settlers' reunion.

Mrs. Mica Gibbons and children, of San Antonio, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones a few days last week, and attended the old settlers' reunion.

Mrs. Paul Jackson, of Odessa, and Mrs. J. N. Coose of San Antonio, were here for the reunion and are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips at Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Stevens had as visitors during the reunion their daughter, Mrs. Neil Roueche and grand daughter, little Bobbie Joe Wytte of Sonora and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross of Norfleet, Arkansas.

Among those who came over from Boerne to attend the old settlers' reunion were Captain F. J. Dodge, Editor and Mrs. W. G. Davis, Joe Dienger, Capt. Luckenbach, Adolph Auman, H. A. Palmie, W. F. Kuehne, Andy Potter, and others.

Misses Victoria Brewer and Winnie Cooper, teachers in the London High School, were here to attend the reunion and visit friends. We were delighted to have these charming young ladies with us, for we have known Miss Victoria since she was a wee lassie in pinafores.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones, of Yates, were here for the reunion and to visit Mr. Jones' mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones. Bill says he would not miss a reunion of the old settlers of this country under any circumstances, for he was raised in this county and knows all of the people.

Colonel and Mrs. George W. Saunders came up from San Antonio to attend the reunion of the old settlers. Col. Saunders was the purchaser of the handsome quilt which was quilted by the pioneer ladies of Bandera county on the grounds last Friday and Saturday, and which was sold at auction.

L. N. Coffey was here from Comstock last week-end to attend the old settlers' reunion. Mrs. Coffey has been with her mother, Mrs. M. T. Welbon for the past month, or since the distressing accident which befell this venerable lady when she sustained a broken limb, and has since been in serious condition.

Mrs. Searborough and daughter, Miss Frances Searborough, of San Antonio, came up to attend the Old Settlers' reunion, and were delighted with the way Bandera entertains her visitors. Miss Searborough is an instructor in St. Mary's Hall in San Antonio, and while here she found much local history to interest her. She and her mother declare they are coming to Bandera whenever opportunity offers.

Captain John Lane, the old fiddler, accompanied by Uncle Bill McCaleb and Seth Whetstone, came over from Noxville to attend the old settlers' reunion. Captain Lane furnished old time fiddle music for the entertainment of the crowds and was the center of attraction while here. We have known him from many years, and we have known Uncle Bill McCaleb almost since he was a young sprout. Knew him at London, in Kimble county, when folks dispensed the real old time West Texas hospitality and loved their neighbors according to the Biblical injunction.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge:
J. A. RAMES.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. R. CHISUM

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN F. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON PYKA

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

Ham Chipman and family were here from Sonora last week.

Mr. Lewis and son, Bermin, were here from Harper for the reunion.

Perry Pulliam, of San Antonio, was the guest of R. F. Faris during the reunion.

Mrs. C. C. Burris and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper.

Walter Evans and family, of Alvin, are here on a visit to his brother, Gordon Evans and family.

Will Goodenough, who has been sojourning at Tynan, Texas, the past several months, has returned here to remain.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moritz, of Karnes City, visited Mrs. Louis Adamietz and other relatives here the past week.

Chas. Holt of Big City, Texas, and D. W. Moore of Gasada were here Monday on a visit to their grandfather, Col. J. A. Head.

Rolla S. Taylor, the well known scenic painter, spent several days here the past week, painting some of Bandera county's beauty spots.

Messrs. A. E. Frick, C. H. Frick, Mrs. Mary Frick, and Mrs. Al E. Richey, of San Antonio, were here this week, outing on the river and visiting old friends.

Marion Winans and little sons, of San Antonio, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Briggs of Medina the past week. Mr. Winans is a cousin to Mrs. Briggs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rogers and daughter, Miss Louise, of Menard were guests of the editor's family Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Rogers is a brother to Mrs. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Methvin, Miss Marie Murphy and Miss Victoria Montague, of San Antonio, were guests of Miss Victoria's mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Breit, Mr. and Mrs. William Breit and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Villemain and Captain Breit, came up from San Antonio Monday to spend a day outing on the river.

Veteran Amasa Clark has been quite sick the past several days, but seems to be improving now. He was able to attend the reunion only one day, and then did not get to stay long enough to greet many of his old friends.

T. H. Phillips orders the New Era sent to his old friend, Isaac Coose, at Carlsbad, New Mexico. Mr. Coose strayed off into New Mexico many years ago and Mr. Phillips thinks he will appreciate the news each week from the old home.

Adolph Huffmeyer's old time friends were glad to see him at the reunion last Friday and Saturday. Accompanying Mr. Huffmeyer up from San Antonio were F. V. Huffmeyer, Mrs. Ivy Rugh, Bass, and Freddie Huffmeyer Jr. Freddie will remain here a few weeks with the family of Chas. Rugh.

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MEDINA.

Miss Pearl Garner, Horace Garner, and Misses Eddie Grace and Mabel Boston, of Mason H. were the guests of Miss Leora Bauerlein last week.

Mrs. Alta Standard and children of Pampa Texas, were visiting relatives here last week.

Miss Vennie Mayfield is visiting her father, R. L. Mayfield and family.

Esta Moffett visited his cousins, Enoch and Marion Moffett, last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman at San Antonio July 10, a baby boy.

Lee Fires and family are visiting at Leakey.

Mrs. Roy Whitehead underwent a serious operation at Kerrville, July 10. She is doing very well at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Whitehead are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Barnes and children visited Mrs. Barnes' sister, Mrs. J. M. Moffett, and family a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Shelley and Mr. Shelley's father, of Corpus Christi, visited Mrs. Shelley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Obieske are visiting Mr. Obeiske's sister, Mrs. Ernest Adams, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, son Chris, and daughter, Miss Mabel, of Raymondville, visited at the homes of David Tallman and mother on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Miss Mabel remained with Mrs. Tallman, where she expects to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baylor, of San Antonio, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Tallman.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Charles Meadows entertained quite a number of young folks last Sunday with a birthday party in honor of Miss Eunice Surber of this city. A splendid dinner was served at noon, and all present had a most enjoyable time. The center piece was a pretty Japanese parasol in a large vase, with shades around. Miss Eunice says it is the prettiest parasol she ever saw and it was just what she wanted. She received many other nice presents also.

Precinct Convention.

Lee Risinger, chairman of the Republican Party, requests us to announce that a precinct convention will be held at his office in Bandera, July 24th, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention. Republicans will please keep this in mind and attend the convention.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagner and J. N. Coose visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Phillips Sunday. Mrs. J. N. Coose and sons returned home with Mr. Coose after a few weeks visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Phillips.

Mrs. O. D. Keese and daughters, Clara and Mrs. Dick Hinds were Medina visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buckelew and children, of Bluff, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Val Dirk Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Palmer were over from Fredericksburg Monday.

Allen and Lee Miller, S. A. Keese, Andy Reed and R. L. Morris were Bandera visitors Monday.

Eli Hillman motored to San Antonio Saturday evening.

Allen and Lewis Keese are spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. Oscar Hillman.

Mrs. John Reed is very sick. We hope she will soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hinds and sons visited relatives here Sunday.

O. D. Keese bought a bunch of goats from H. B. Nance.

Died Monday.

Mrs. Annie Anderwald, beloved wife of John W. Anderwald of this city, died at a hospital in San Antonio last Monday, following an operation. Before marriage deceased was Miss Annie Jureczki, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jureczki, and at the time of her death she was 53 years old. Besides her husband, she is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Susan Kalka of Bandera, Mrs. Frances Otens, Mrs. Barbra Pettis and Mrs. Nellie Stacy, all of San Antonio; and three sons, Jerome Anderwald of San Antonio, Mark and George Anderwald of Bandera.

The remains were brought to Bandera and interment was made in the Catholic cemetery Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. P. J. Boivin conducting the funeral.

Mrs. Anderwald was a good wife and mother, and was loved by all who knew her. The New Era extends condolence and sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Hero on His Vacation.

Chas. Fagan of Rahway, New Jersey, arrived Monday to spend a few weeks here. This is Mr. Fagan's second visit to Bandera he having spent a vacation here in 1921, and was so delighted with this region that he then planned to return some day. His uncle, Christopher Fagan, was an early settler of this county, and at one time owned a saw mill near the head of the Medina river.

Enjoyed Pic Nic Dinner.

An enjoyable pic nic dinner was spread last Sunday near Dripping Springs. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamilton of Carlsbad, New Mexico, Carroll Hamilton and family of Abilene, Jack Hamilton of Austin, Jess Chipman and family of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oliff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joy L. Talley and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed, Mrs. Howe, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whitley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. August Whitley, R. G. Surber and family, Mrs. H. Chipman, Mrs. M. Hamilton, Roy Chipman and family, Dee Chipman, Leonard Hamilton, Edith Tilley, Velma Lasson, Evelyn Davenport.

John Ross Gives Barbecue.

John H. Ross gave a barbecue at his home last Sunday night in honor of his children, who came to visit him. A regular feast was enjoyed, and among those who partook of it were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elam of San Antonio, Tom Elam of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ross of Yoakum, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Claiborne Davenport, Miss Inez Ross, Clyde Ross, and friend John himself.

Will Speak for Ferguson

Judge Luther Bickett, of San Antonio, will speak at Cox Hall tonight in the interest of the candidacy of Governor Miram A. Ferguson. Judge Bickett will explain many matters concerning the administration of Gov. Ferguson, particularly the highway confrovery and the pardoning of convicts. Everybody invited to attend the meeting at Cox Hall tonight and hear him. Ladies especially invited.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2

John L. Edwards announces this week as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2. Mr. Edwards has faithfully discharged the duties of county commissioner for several terms, and has given general satisfaction. He is a man well-fitted and qualified for the place he holds, and his many friends, not only in his own precinct, but throughout the county, are pleased to know that he has consented to run for another term. Mr. Edwards says if he is re-elected he will continue to do his best for the county's interests, and greatly appreciates the confidence reposed in him.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weltner returned to Camp Verde last Friday after spending two weeks visiting relatives and friends in Medina county.

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Married Saturday.

August Whitley and Miss Isabel Cox were married at Boerne last Saturday, Judge Phillip officiating. The young couple are both well and favorably known here, the groom being the son of Mr. W. W. Whitley and the bride the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox. The New Era joins their many friends in wishing them happiness and prosperity through life.

Bandera Boy Forging Ahead.

It always makes us feel good when we hear of a Bandera boy or girl, who has gone forth to battle for an education or to assume a responsible position where grit and energy is required, succeeding in their undertaking Now word comes that Victor Thalmann, who is now in his second year at A. & M. College at College Station, has just made second highest record in the sophomore class of 1926 in A. & M. He is taking a four years course in agriculture, and we predict that he will finish with flying colors.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1.

F. R. Caffall announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1. Mr. Caffall has the qualifications and ability to make an efficient commissioner and in entering this race he does so with the determination that, if elected, he will serve to the very best of his ability. He has lived in Bandera county 26 years, and has filled several positions of trust, having been postmaster and also Justice of the Peace at Tarpley for a number of years. He will appreciate your support and vote at the polls in November.

Supper on the River.

Friday afternoon quite a number of relatives met at the Hay Crossing and enjoyed a pic nic supper. Some of the Hamilton families of Carlsbad, New Mexico, and of Jack Hamilton of Austin, who were here on a visit. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamilton and children, Jack Hamilton, Mrs. Harriet Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lasson, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman, Mrs. Mina Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton, Mrs. G. G. Surber, Misses Madie Hamilton, Lorene Surber and Velma Lasson, Dee Chipman, Leonard Hamilton, Howard Surber and Gradon Davis.

Baptist Meeting.

The meeting at the Baptist church in Bandera begins on July 25th. Dr. R. L. Powell, of San Marcos will do the preaching.

Prospecting in Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Montgomery and children of San Angelo, were here Tuesday, prospecting for a location. They were very much pleased with our beautiful hill country and will probably return here shortly to locate.

Grand Ball at Medina.

F. P. Layton and Henry Adams were down from Medina yesterday and paid this office an appreciated visit. Mr. Adams announces a grand ball to be given at Adams' Hall in Medina on the night of July 24th, and he invites everybody to come and have a good time. Foster's Collegians, a popular band from San Antonio, will furnish the music.

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3,000 To Attend Short Course

C. H. Alvord, director of the extension department of Texas A. & M. and corps of assistants, district agents and other lecturers arrived in San Antonio Tuesday night and all machinery was in readiness for the opening of the annual summer short course at Medina-Garrett ranch at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

The advance guard of approximately 3,000 farmers of Bexar and 15 other Southwest Texas counties had begun to arrive Tuesday morning at the ranch, 18 miles west of San Antonio. County agents from other counties accompanied by their boys and girls' clubs, were the first to arrive and were sent on the camp site.

Although cloudy weather with some rain prevailed Tuesday with prospects of more rain Wednesday a large attendance at the short course is expected. Fred W. Malley said Tuesday: The road from San Antonio to the camp is good, the Castroville Road being paved and the two miles of dirt road from Castroville Road to the camp site has been put in good condition for the school.

Among the specialists who arrived Tuesday to lecture during the three-day session were D. F. Irving, poultry specialist; E. J. Miller, soil improvement; C. W. Barnes, cattle expert; V. R. Glazener, poultry expert; S. C. Evans, boys' club work; A. L. Ward, swine husbandman; J. L. Thomas, dairy expert; E. R. Reppert, entomologist.

An feature of the school this year, Malley said Tuesday, will be the large number of club boys and girls taking part in the school. Delegations have already arrived from DeWitt, Guadalupe, Llano, Kerr, Jim Wells, Gonzales, Blanco, Uvalde, Bee, Bastrop, Wilson, Medina, Victoria, Travis, Burnet and Bexar counties.

The women's classes will get two hours work and one hour recreation Wednesday afternoon. A. P. Swallow will lecture at 3 o'clock on the fall garden. At 4 o'clock Miss Lolo Blair will talk on bargains in foods.

The program for the girls will be scoring bread at 3 o'clock under the tutelage of Miss Blair. At 4 o'clock they will go for an hour's swim while the club boys play games.

At 5 o'clock the club boys will have the coach for one hour. The 6 o'clock period for the club boys will be devoted to organization under S. C. Evans.

In the men's branch a series of six lectures will be given during the first two hours. E. A. Miller will lead off with a discussion of practical soil problems. V. R. Glazener will talk on profitable poultry keeping. G. W. Barnes will lecture on general aspects of the beef cattle industry.

A. P. Swallow will talk on tree troubles at 4 o'clock. He will be followed by V. R. Glazener, who will discuss grading and marketing eggs. G. W. Barnes will talk on kinds of beef cattle production as the final lecture of the day. The men's class will close the first day program with a horseshoe pitching contest.—San Antonio Express, Tuesday.

Preparing for Big Reunion.

Boerne is making preparations to entertain an immense crowd, which is expected to attend the reunion of the Old Settlers of Kendall county next Saturday and Sunday. The reunion is to be held at the Boerne fair grounds, where all kinds of entertainment will be provided, including a big rodeo and fine barbecue dinner each day. W. E. Hardin, of Bandera, will be in charge of the sports events, and quite a number of Bandera cowboys will ride steers and bucking broncs. Large delegations of San Antonio people are expected to attend, as well as delegations from Comfort, Center Branch, Bandera and other places. A big time is promised all.

Frontier Times for August.

Frontier Times for August will be ready for mailing to subscribers about next Monday. The August issue of this magazine will contain forty-eight pages of real good historical sketches from start to finish. The table of contents follows: Dares Fire Hot Arrows; "An Emigrant's Vengeance," "The Battle of Antelope Hills," "Old Frontier Scenes on Long Ago," "Reminiscences of a Pioneer," "Old Fort Duncan," "Life of Ben Thompson," "The Seven Wells of West Texas," "A Fight in the Big Bend," "Hanging of John Slimp," "Last Raid of the Comanches," "Negro Mother Murders Her Child," "Last Slave in Bandera County," "The Passing of Mrs. Eliza Ware Fenley," "Location of Some Frontier Posts," "Helped to Name Red River," and other thrilling sketches of the old frontier. While the little magazine is published at Bandera, it is not of a local nature, and its contents deal with various sections of the state, and its circulation extends all over the United States. Its subscription price is $1.50 per year.

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The County Fair is coming on. The fair this year should be the best ever held, due to the fact that our crops are splendid this season, an abundance of everything being raised. We look for a large crowd to be in attendance from all parts of the county, and agricultural and live stock exhibits to be worth seeing. Also in the various ladies department, the jams, preserves, pickles and the canned fruits exhibited will be found much of interest to all who visit the fair. The dates are August 26, 27 and 28.

The banks of the Medina river, from the lake to its source, are becoming a favorite resort and tourists and home folks who live on its banks have come to our editorial office to complain of the boys making so much noise with their bathing suits. The depth of water is just right for gentle breezes to ripple and for swimming in the early morning and evening, and the shade and nature under the trees is delightful, while the sand is marvelously clean. Why not go down this way. To the editor it seems a rare boon, and to the boys it is a joy forever.

During the past week we have had here on July 2nd and 3rd a number of cattle buyers, and it is a matter of common comment that considerable interest was taken in the sale of the old settlers' stock. H. E. Bowman was the best purchaser and most liberal in attendance. The following remarks are being handled by the evangelist in this meeting. Subjects: "Salvation Through Recovery." "Can a Believer in Christ Go to N. H. Rose, for $15, San Antonio Hell?" "Saved from Blood by Blood."

Holding Revival at Medina

EVANGELIST R. T. DEEL

Evangelist R. T. Deel, of San Antonio, began a revival meeting at the Baptist church in Medina last Friday night, and is holding able preaching. Rev. Deel is a forceful speaker and good crowds are coming out to hear him. The following subjects are being handled by the evangelist in this meeting:

"The Biggest Hypocrite I Know."

"The Unpardonable Sin."

"Messages of the Dying Thief."

"Face to Face with Christ."

The public generally is invited to attend these services. Come and enjoy a real spiritual treat.

Rev. Deel recently conducted a good meeting with the First Baptist church in San Antonio. He has held meetings at various places with good results.

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Camp Meeting.

An old time camp meeting, the preaching to be done under a brush arbor, will be conducted by the Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints, beginning on July 16 and closing July 26th. The arbor will be located on the Loop, near the river, at Bandera. Elder J. Chas. May, of Kansas City, and other prominent speakers will be heard. Everybody invited.

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Read Frontier Times.

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Mr. Editor—Allow me to make a statement in regard to the coming election. Under our democratic form of government it is a sacred duty of every citizen, to go to the polls and vote for all officers, from constable up, otherwise you may not be assured that all the rascals will be on hand, and if you sleep on your rights and don't vote you are helping to elect unfavorable men to office, then you have no kick coming. Of course women have a right to vote, but as they are not, but permit me to express my humble opinion in regard to women. I think that a good woman is the best thing in the world, but a bad woman is the meanest thing. Be careful how you vote.—Respectfully,

PAUL BAXTER,
Fredericksburg, Texas.

Many of our people will attend the Old Settlers' Reunion at Boerne Saturday and Sunday. This is the first reunion to be held by the old settlers of Kendall county since they organized the association last year. A splendid program has been arranged, with a good barbecue each day, and it is expected that a large crowd will be in attendance. El Mansfield, of Bandera, has charge of the sports features and of the big barbecue, and we know the multitude will be fed and entertained, besides the enjoyment the old folks will get from meeting their friends of days and years gone by. We can't miss it.

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Prof. G. A. Dibrell, who was principal of the Bandera High School for several terms a few years ago, sends in his renewal subscription to the New Era from Stockdale. Prof. Dibrell has many friends here, and the little old home paper keeps him informed of their comings and goings.

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Notice of Application for Letters—Guardianship.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—GREETING:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To All Persons interested in the welfare of Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark and Loyed Clark, minors, Mrs. Dovie Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship of the Alice Clark, Joseph Clark, Claudien Clark, Elmo Clark, and Loyed Clark, minors, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the Third Monday in July A. D. 1926, at the Court House of said county, in the town of Bandera at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such minors may appear and contest such application should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, But have you then and there before said Court this writ with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, June 19th A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER Deputy.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing for taxation of school lands owned by counties.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be amended by adding after Section 6 thereof the following additional Section to read as follows:

All agriculture or grazing school land mentioned in Section 6 of this Article owned by any county shall be subject to taxation except for State purposes to the same extent as lands privately owned.

The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following: "For the constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county in the same manner as land privately owned."

"Against the Constitutional amendment providing for taxation of all agriculture or grazing school land owned by any county in the same manner as land privately owned."

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for said amendment shall be paid out of the proper appropriation made by law.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A Joint Resolution relating to the amending of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners; providing for the supervision and management of the Prison System, under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 58. The Legislature shall have full power and authority to provide by law for the management and control of the Prison System of Texas; and to this end shall have power and authority to place the Prison System under the supervision, management and control of such trained and experienced officer, or officers, as the Legislature may from time to time provide for by law.

Section 2. The above Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held November 3, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "For the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners." And all those opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words "Against the amendment of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners."

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

A Resolution proposing an amendment to Art. 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by changing Section 3, eliminating the provision authorizing the Legislature to create special districts and making an appropriation therefor.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 3, Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be changed as to read as follows, creating new Section 3:

"Section 3. One-fourth of the revenue derived from the State occupation taxes and poll tax of one dollar on every inhabitant of the State, between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, shall be set apart annually for the benefit of the public free schools; and in addition thereto, there shall be levied and collected an annual ad valorem State tax of such an amount not to exceed fifty cents on the one hundred ($100.00) dollars valuation, as with the available school fund arising from all other sources will be sufficient to maintain and support the public schools of this State for a period of not less than six months in each year, and it shall be the duty of the State Board of Education to set aside a sufficient amount of the said tax to pay the per capita text books for the use of children attending the public free schools of this State; provided, however, that should the limit of taxation herein named be insufficient the deficit may be met by appropriation from the General Revenue of the State and the Legislature may also provide for the formation of school districts by general laws and such large districts may contain parts or two or more counties, and the Legislature shall be authorized to pass laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in all said districts and for the management and control of the public school or schools of such districts, whether such districts are composed of territory wholly within a county or in parts of two or more counties. The Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within all school districts hereafter formed or hereafter formed, for the further maintenance of public free schools, and for the erection and equipment of school houses in such districts, and all property tax paying voters of the district voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax not to exceed in any one year one (1.00) dollar on the hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such district, but the limitation upon the amount of school taxes that may be authorized shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns constituting separate and independent school districts, or to independent or common school districts created by general or special law.

Section 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1926, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "For the amendment to the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to create special school districts," and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas eliminating the provision which authorizes the Legislature to create special school districts."

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Section 4. That the sum of two thousand ($2,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Approved, April 4, 1925.
EMMA GRIGSBY MEHARG,
Secretary of State.
(A Correct Copy.)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas so as to hereafter read as follows:

"The accounting officers of Texas shall neither draw nor pass a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, appointee, who holds any office of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States, except as prescribed by the Constitution. Provided, this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve and the Organized Reserves of the United States."

Section 2. That Section 40 of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas to be amended so as to read as follows:

"No person shall hold or exercise, at the same time, more than one civil office of emolument except that of Justice of the Peace, Commissioner, Notary Public and Postmaster, officer of the National Guard, officer of the National Guard Reserve, officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard Reserve and the Organized Reserves of the United States."

Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in November A. D. 1926, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States, and:

"Against the Constitutional amendment permitting officers and enlisted men of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, and officers of the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the Organized Reserves of the United States, to hold other offices or positions of honor, trust or profit under this State or the United States, and

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George Lane has gone to San Antonio to enter a barber college.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Kindla, Saturday, July 10, a girl.

The county commissioners met in usual monthly session Monday.

Charles Stein, of San Antonio, sends his subscription renewal to the New Era.

R. L. Duke and family, of Little Creek, were here last week, guests of his brother, I. I. Duke, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Potter were guests of Mrs. Potter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderwald last Sunday.

A. Bock, P. Bock and Misses Mary and Helen Bock all of Yorktown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderwald last Sunday.

Rev. Merrill, pastor of the Baptist church at Kerrville, was here last Friday and Saturday attending the Baptist Workers' Conference.

W. E. Mansfield spent several days at Bourne this week, where he is arranging for the big reunion to be held there next Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moravietz and children of Hobson, Mrs. Tom Moravietz, and Miss Edna Fisher, guests of Mrs. Gabe Anderwald Sunday.

Visitors at the home of Otto Weltner near Camp Verde, last week were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grollimund of Comfort and Mrs. E. A. Parsons and son Lloyd of Hondo.

Mrs. Harriett Chipman has received the sad news of the death of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Buck, which occurred at Ashland, Nebraska, July 8th.

Mrs. Felix Knibbe and children left last week for their home in Norphlet, Arkansas, after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Risinger, and other relatives.

Mrs. A. W. Hutsell and two little sons, of San Antonio, are spending a few days at the City Hotel. Mrs. Hutsell is a regular summer visitor here and her friends are always glad to welcome her to Bandera.

Mrs. E. M. Dowty and son, J. Y., returned Tuesday from Ozona and Rocksprings. While away they visited Mrs. Dowty's brother, J. Y. Miller near Rocksprings, and also attended a big celebration at Ozona on July 2nd and 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamilton departed last Tuesday for their home at Carlsbad, New Mexico, after an enjoyable visit to relatives and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton have been away from old Bandera county many years, and came to attend the Old Settlers' reunion. They expect to come back again soon.

Capt. A. Halamuda brought us some fine peaches yesterday, of the J. H. Hale variety, which he raised on his place near town. The Hale peach is of large size and excellent flavor, and Capt. Halamuda is quite enthusiastic over it. He informs us that his grape crop is also abundant this season. He grows a variety of grapes, chiefly the Rockport vine.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dean, July 10, a boy.

Andy Reed was down from Lima Monday, and paid us an appreciated visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ambrose, of San Antonio, were visitors in the city Friday.

Jack Hamilton, of Austin, spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. Harriet Chipman.

J. E. Chisum and family are attending the Baptist encampment at Alto Frio this week.

Miss Lorene Surber, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Newton White in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Langford and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton spent a few days fishing at Medina Lake this week.

Little Miss Edith Whitley, who spent several months in Los Angeles, California, with her sister, Mrs. Bill Southoff, returned home last Thursday.

Rev. A. G. Hartwig, pastor of the Church of God in San Antonio, accompanied by Mrs. Hartwig and daughter, Miss Lola, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Denmon Monday.

Mrs. Eunice Young and infant daughter, Naomi, came over from Fredericksburg Monday and will spend several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Larnie and children, and Miss Mattie Jackson came up from San Antonio last Saturday to visit friends and relatives near Lima for a few days.

M. R. Thalmann and son, Roy, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wiseman are attending the Medina Short Course and stock show at the Medina Hereford ranch near Castroville this week.

The New Era printed the ballots for the democratic primary election to be held in this county July 24th. The ballots are being prepared to send out to the various voting precincts by County Chairman W. R. Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rost of Yorktown, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens of San Antonio, spent several days here this week with John H. Ross and other relatives. While here Charlie called and enrolled as a subscriber to the little old home paper.

Mrs. Alta Stanard and children, Warren, Cleera and Ploy, left last Saturday for Austin, where they will visit a few days before returning to their home at Pampa. They were accompanied to Austin by Mrs. Marvin Hunter, Jr.

Uncle Dick Sullivan, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Mary, came up from San Antonio Monday, and stopped in to see us for a few minutes. Uncle Dick lives at San Saba, where he has been engaged in the hardware business for many years. They were on their way to Medina where they will visit his daughters, Mrs. R. A. Moore and Mrs. R. T. Holcomb.

Forty-seven years ago Rev. J. S. Moore lived in Bandera. He now lives at Brady. Last week he came back to the old home town on a visit to his cousin, Mrs. J. A. Head, and had a most delightful visit. Many changes have taken place since Rev. Moore lived here, but there are still many old friends here who were glad to see him again. He was accompanied to Bandera by one daughter, a daughter-in-law and a grand-daughter from San Antonio.

Report comes of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman, at San Antonio on Saturday, July 10. The young man has been named John Avery, after his grandparents, John Hillman and Avery Tobey. The New Era rejoices to know that the mother and babe are getting along nicely, but we are somewhat alarmed over Ted's condition. It is said that he has developed a mania for buying baby carriages, and wanted to buy the whole assortment of a big furniture house in the Alamo City.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge:
J. A. EAMES.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN F. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
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HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON PYKA
F. R. CAFFALL.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Heinen, July 8, a girl.

Eli Hillman, of Lima, was here Monday, returning from a visit to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mumaw and daughters of Beasley, Texas, are here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billings.

Ed Cverner and family and Miss Christine Kalka, of San Antonio, were guests of J. F. Kalka and family last Sunday.

Adolph Bock and son, Phillip, and Misses Helen and Mary Bock, of Yorktown, were guests of J. F. Kalka and family last week-end.

Mrs. Mary Kelley, who is spending the summer at the Reed ranch above Medina, visited Mrs. Charles de Montel at Camp Verde last week.

Miss Ruth Whitley left last Friday for Los Angeles, California, to join her sister, Miss Rosa Whitley, who has been there the past few months.

R. L. Thorn, of Port Arthur, writes: "Enclosed you will find check for $1.50, for which please continue forwarding your New Era for another year." We love to get the news from home. We enjoyed the Old Settlers' Reunion."

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White and daughter, Miss Anita, and Mrs. D. D. Smith and daughter, Miss Oda, all of San Antonio, passed through Bandera last Saturday en route to the Reed ranch, five miles north of Medina. Mrs. White and Mrs. Smith are sisters-in-law of Mrs. A. Reed.

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MEDINA.

Wyatt Means, of San Antonio, is visiting relatives here this week, having a real good time hunting and fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Brook Banta, of San Antonio, are visiting relatives here.

Ed Rambie visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Browning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hicks and sons Raymond and Walton, and Miss Estelle Harris of Bandera attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Meadows attended church here Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Tallman.

The P. T. A. met at Mrs. Ernest Justice's Friday, July 9. After a short business session an interesting hour was spent socially. Delicious ice-cream and cake were served. Those present were: Mrs. Ed Caton, Mrs. E. H. Sewall, Mrs. Walter Rees, Mrs. Wm. Hatfield, Mrs. O. P. Baker, Mrs. Pitt Baker, Mrs. J. E. Browning, Mrs. Alta Stanard, Mrs. David Tallman, Mrs. Ed Bauerlein, Miss Faye Rees, Mrs. B. R. LeStourgeon, and Mrs. Ernest Justice. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Pitt Baker August 13.

A call meeting of the P. T. A. will meet at the school house Friday July 23, at 3 p. m. all members are requested to be present.

Miss Vennie Mayfield returned to San Antonio Sunday after a two weeks visit to relatives here.

Don't forget the concert at the Methodist church Friday night, July 23.

Mr. Coulter is erecting a new building in Medina which will be occupied by Linzie Maass with an up-to-date barber shop.

Coming to Medina.

Miss Melba Sawyers, of Globe, Arizona, will give a concert at the Methodist church in Medina Friday night, July 23rd. Piano and violin numbers, songs and dramatic readings. Admission 25 cents and 15 cents.

Undergoes An Operation.

Vii Stevens, who lives on Mason Creek, underwent an operation at a hospital in San Antonio last Thursday for an acute attack of appendicitis. He is reported to be getting along nicely and his many friends hope he will soon be able to leave the hospital.

Bandera Loses.

In a game of baseball played on the local diamond last Sunday between the Bandera and Kelly Field teams, the latter won by a score of 9 to 3.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. John McHaney and daughters, of Fredericksburg, came over Sunday to visit relatives. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds were Medina visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Miller came over from Morris Ranch Tuesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and little daughters went to Bandera Tuesday.

Mrs. Zula Miller and daughters, Inez and Sadie, spent a few days at Fredericksburg last week.

Little Warren Morris is spending a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. D. B. Seale.

We are very glad to report Mrs. Hollis Smith improving.

Elder Young of Haskell county, will begin a meeting for the Church of Christ at the mouth of Rocky August 1. Everybody invited.

Val Click is building a house for Marion Moffett of Medina.

TUFF TIMES

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Palmer visited in the home of J. W. Camwalt this week.

Mrs. Raymond Massey, of Vandercpool, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Loyd and little daughter, Modeline, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt and family, and Mrs. Raymond Massey were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sutherland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Anderson and family attended the Boerne reunion last Saturday and Sunday.

Change of Schedule.

W. A. Gray, who operates the bus line from Medina, through Bandera, to San Antonio, announces the following change of schedule:

Leaves San Antonio daily at 7:30 a. m.

Arrives Bandera 9:45 a. m.

Arrives Medina 10:45 a. m.

Leaves Medina at 12, noon.

Leaves Pandera at 12:45 p. m.

Arrives San Antonio 2:45 p. m.

On Saturdays the bus leaves San Antonio at 5:30 p. m.

On Sundays the bus leaves Medina 3:30 p. m., and Bandera 4:30 p. m.

W. R. Fletcher made a trip to Utopia yesterday, and was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Bryant of Taft, California, who will spend several days here.

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Republican Primary.

The Republican Party will hold a primary election in each precinct in this county next Saturday, according to Lee Risinger, the county chairman, who informed the New Era this morning that under the law it would be required to hold the election. Ballots are being printed today and will be ready for use. The Bandera primary will be held at Mr. Risinger's office.

Bitten by a Rattlesnake.

Mrs. Mack Cooperdier, residing near Medina, was in a serious condition last Saturday night as a result of being bitten on the ankle by a large rattlesnake. She went out in the yard late in the evening to feed her chickens and the reptile struck her before she saw it. First aid treatment was promptly given, but she steadily grew worse, and for a time it was thought she would die. Colonel M. L. Crumbie, of San Antonio, was reached by telephone, and sent some of the anti-crotalus serum, which results in Medina in the early hours of Sunday morning, and was promptly administered, with the result that Mrs. Coorperdier is today rallied and was considered out of danger within an hour after taking the serum.

This is the fifth person to be bitten in this county by rattlesnakes during this summer. This is the first instance where the anti-crotalus serum has been ob-

Speaks for Ferguson.

Hon. Luther H. Hickett, of San Antonio, spoke at Cox Hall last Thursday night in the interest of the candidacy of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. Judge Hickett was introduced by Elder D. H. Palmer, who, in the introduction, stated that he was going to support Mrs. Ferguson himself, and was happy to introduce the gentleman who was to speak in her behalf. About a hundred were present in the hall to hear the address, many of them coming from different parts of the county. Lima, Medina, Tarpley and Pipe Creek communities being represented. Judge Hickett made a splendid address, and highly praised James E. Ferguson, the husband of the Governor candidate. He called attention to many benefits he claimed had come from the administration. The speaker devoted much time to the state road question, and the part Mrs. Ferguson would be allowed to have in the matter. He also spoke of the state now sending to the legislature a bill making her ineligible to hold another term of office. The speaker was loudly applauded at six different times during his address, and his remarks were well received by all present.

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Gained Weight.

Mrs. Ike Evans, who has been confined to her home for several weeks, is reported as gaining in weight and strength. Mrs. Evans has been afflicted with a severe case of rheumatism, and has been under the treatment of a physician. She has now gained 15 pounds in weight, and is able to be up and around the house. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she is improving.

Meat Market Moved.

Ike Evans has moved his meat market to the old market stand, next door to C. B. Corley's grocery, and is ready to serve the public with choice meats of all kinds. He informs us that he will soon be prepared to supply barbecued meats and sausage, and will appreciate your patronage. See his ad in this issue.

Infant Died.

The day old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blum died Monday at San Antonio and the remains were brought to Bandera for burial early Tuesday morning. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Barnes here deeply sympathize with them in their sorrow.

Baby Clinic at the Fair.

A baby clinic will be held on the last two days of the County Fair, August 27th and 28th. Arrangements are being made to secure the services of a baby specialist, possibly Dr. Ray Harper, of San Antonio, and it is desired that the mothers of the county bring in their babies on those two dates.

Henry Lane spent several days in San Antonio last week, while Mrs. Lane was visiting friends at Hondo.

Summer Hats, while they last at half price, at Mrs. T. S. Denmis' Millinery Store.

Meeting at Rocky Creek.

Elder Yeates, of Hondo, will begin a meeting for the Church of Christ, at the mouth of Rocky Creek, Saturday night, July 31st, to continue two weeks or longer. Elder Yeates is a strong gospel preacher, and will no doubt do good work in a convincing manner. Everybody invited to come.

Comparison Satisfactory.

In connection with wool and mohair from Turkey, Australia and South Africa, the wool and mohair on sheep and goats from A. & M. Short Course at the Medina Hereford Ranch last week. Experts claim that Bandera county produces wool and mohair that will rival any country.

Given Birthday Surprise.

Last Sunday was Mrs. Bonnie Dugos' birthday, but as Bonnie was away from home on that date, her many associations to celebrate her anniversary. Her friends did not forget her however, and Sunday afternoon several of them came in, bringing ice cream, fruit, and other delicious eatables, and made merry on the happy occasion. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderwald, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderwald and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderwald and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adamietz and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Constant Dugos.

Miss Leona Batto, who has been attending college in San Antonio, returned home Saturday and will remain during the remainder of the summer.

Speaks Here Tonight.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, candidate for Attorney General, will speak in the court house in Bandera tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. Mr. Satterwhite is a fine speaker, and a large crowd should be present to hear him.

Republican Rally.

There will be a Republican rally at the court house in Bandera next Saturday night, July 31st, at 8 o'clock. Speakers will be present from Kerrville and other points. Everybody invited to be present.

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Baptist Meeting.

The pastor received word on Sunday at the Baptist church in this city, Rev. R. L. Proffitt of San Marcos will do the preaching. The night services will be held at the church, and will be held in front of the church if room can be provided. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the meeting and to join in the worship.

Quite a Musician.

Alvin, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Stein is quite a musician for his tender years. The little fellow was presented with a set of accordion by his father, and in order to receive it he had to learn to play it. He has learned quite rapidly on the instrument.

Smoke House Destroyed.

The smoke house belonging to Mrs. Wonnie's Creek, was destroyed by fire last Sunday morning about nine o'clock. The building would also be destroyed, but by energy and good work on the part of the ladies and automobile men of Bandera the house was finally emptied. It is not known how the fire originated.

Bank Closed Saturday.

The First National Bank will be closed next Saturday, July 24th, on account of primary election day, it being a holiday.

Reunion Photos Here.

The large circuit photos made at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 2nd and 3rd, have arrived and are ready for delivery to those who placed their order, and also for sale to those who may want them. The price is one dollar each. You can get them at the New Era office.

Bandera Plays Harper.

The Bandera baseball team went to Harper yesterday to play against the Harper team at the big barbecue there.

Anthrax Quarantine, Bandera County:

To Whom It May Concern:

Effective on and after July 15, 1926.

The Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas has ascertained by proper inspection conducted by its agents and authorized representatives that the contagious and infectious disease of live stock known as anthrax, and the agency of transmission thereof, exists among live stock located on premises within the following described district in Bandera County, Texas:

Beginning at a point where the Sabinal River crosses the Bandera-Uvalde County line thence in a northernly direction along said river to a point where the Vanderpool Utopia road first crosses the Sabinal River south of Vanderpool, thence northwest along the Bandera County west line, thence in a southernly direction along the Bandera County line to the southwest corner of Bandera County, thence east along the Bandera County line to the point of beginning.

Therefore, all cattle, horses, mules, asses, sheep, goats, hogs and all premises in the above described district in Bandera county, Texas, except on written permit issued by an authorized veterinary inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas.

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At Boerne one of the features of the old settlers' reunion was a jig in which four men and one lady engaged. Editor W. G. Davis of the Boerne Star was awarded first prize for being the best jig dancer. Editor Davis "shakes a leg" when it comes to any kind of dancing, and in that contest the other night he was right there with the shaking.

Those who attended the A. & M. Short Course at the Medina Hereford Ranch on the San Antonio and Castroville road, last week, returned home very much pleased with the program rendered there. They say it is the finest school of instruction and exhibit of ranch and farm products ever put on in the state, and all expect to go there again next year.

Texas Surpasses Them All

In my more than 40 years career as a printer and newspaper man I have traveled over a large portion of this country—from the ice bound cities of far away Canada to the sun kissed shores of Florida; from the most east and unassuming foothills of the Alleghenies to the lofty mountain peaks of the Rockies; from the Lakes to the Gulf, and across the Rio Grande and far into sunny Montezuma Land.

I have seen the majestic, snow-capped mountains of North America and far below the peaceful homes brightening the valleys rich in nature's golden harvest. Have seen the broad acres of corn, oats and wheat of the grain belt, the snowy cotton fields of the South, the fruit and truck lands of California and Florida, the sugar plantations of Louisiana; the vast pine forests of Wisconsin and the broad prairies of the cattle states; have admired the Blooded race horses of Kentucky and petted the Lilliputian cow ponies of Arizona; have crossed the "Father of Waters" from its head to its mouth and fished in the mountain streams of Kentucky and Tennessee that add their waters to it as it flows on to the sea. Yea, have visited many an oasis in this broad land, but right here in Texas we have all of that—and more.

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Here we have the mountains (minus the snow) and the peaceful valleys, the fertile fields and the cattle ranches, the rippling streams alive with game fish, and the distinction of having no two governors. But we are going to swap both them off for one he-man in a few weeks.

Here I often stood at eventide and watched the sun sink to rest behind the distant mountains of Mexico, while the moon, peeped out from the foothills of Texas to light the sleeping world, and as tired day sank in the arms of restful night the cool Gulf breeze came to fan the atmosphere and make sweet slumber possible.

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Anti-Crotalus Serum.

Much has been said in the newspapers during the past three or four months about the anti-crotalus serum now being introduced in the United States for treatment for rattlesnake bite, but little interest seemed to be taken in the Hill Country until the past few days, when the importance and the reliability of this newly discovered serum was brought directly home to our people, when Mrs. Mack Coorpender of Medina was given the treatment. Mrs. Coorpender was bitten by a large rattlesnake last Saturday evening, and was in a critical condition; her life was despired of in fact. A quantity of the serum was obtained from Colonel M. L. Crimmins of San Antonio, who had secured the serum from the laboratory in Brazil, and within an hour after the serum was administered to Mrs. Coorpender, she was resting easy and considered out of danger.

It was the editor's happy privilege to meet Dr. do Amaral, of the Brazilian Institute, in San San Antonio a short time ago, and in company with him and Col. M. L. Crimmins, we went out to a farm south of San Antonio and witnessed the capture of some rattlesnakes, which Dr. do Amaral desired for the purpose of demonstrating to the Scientific Society in San Antonio just how the rattlesnake venom was extracted, or "milked" from the snake. The manner in which this venom is made to yield the serum is as follows: The venom is secured and placed in glass containers and kept at the proper temperature. A horse is gradually inoculated with the venom from day to day until he receives 2,000 units and thus becomes immune. Then a quantity of blood is taken from the horse and the serum is extracted from this blood, and with certain treatment is ready for use. Usually three injections of the serum, one each day, is given the patient, resulting in absolute cure of any rattlesnake bite.

Dr. do Amaral remained in San Antonio several days, and with Colonel Crimmins, he visited Floresville and other places and arranged for the capture of many rattlesnakes, securing a great quantity of venom which will be used in a laboratory in Philidelphia which will open September 1, the second laboratory of its kind in the world, the other being conducted by Dr. Brazel in Brazil under the direction of the Brazilian government. We understood Dr. do Amaral to say that of the thousands of cases of rattlesnake bites treated there with the anti-crotalus serum not one had resulted fatally. It is by far the greatest discovery in medical science, and in our opinion really surpasses the Pasteur treatment. To our good friend, Col M. L. Crimmins, belongs much credit and the saving of several lives already in this state for having become interested in the great discovery and bringing Dr. do Amaral to the United States for the purpose of manufacturing or producing it here where it will soon be available in cases of snake bite in any community.

Silver Anniversary Celebrated by Liberty Life Assurance Society.

Celebrating their 25 years of service to humanity the Liberty Life Assurance Society and its members all over the United States are celebrating for two weeks, July 12th to 24th inclusive, by each member endeavoring to get one new member and to write a million dollars of business in two weeks. Joy L. Tilley is their district manager for this territory.

The Boerne Reunion.

The reunion of the old settlers of Kendall county, which was held at Boerne last Saturday and Sunday, was without doubt one of the most enjoyable affairs ever held in that city, and on every hand we hear praises and expressions of gratitude from the pioneer citizens for the manner in which it was handled by the officials of the Kendall County Old Settlers' Association and particularly of the untiring and unceasing labors of Capt. F. J. Dodge who directed the program and worked so hard to make it an occasion of pleasure and enjoyment for the old folks.

A parade of the old settlers took place Saturday morning and then the crowd went out to the fair grounds, where at noon a big barbecue dinner was served.

Immediately after noon a highly interesting and exciting rodeo was staged by Ed Mansfield and his cowboys from Bandera, which was viewed from the grandstand. Steer riding, roping and bull-dogging were the principal features, one of the stunts being the bull dogging of a steer from a speeding automobile, by Mr. L. L. Davis.

After the rodeo the crowd assembled at the hall on the fair grounds where Mayor Davis of Boerne delivered an address of welcome in his happy, pleasing way. Mayor Davis was followed by J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera, who spoke to the old settlers. Following the speaking came a beauty contest for men, the winner in this contest being Col. Miles Funkenbusch, who was voted to be the best looking man in Kendall county. Next came the beauty contest for girls over sixty-five years old, in which Mrs. Lex was unanimously voted to be the best looking girl. Dancing started after these contests and was kept up until a late hour, a special platform being provided for the old folks.

In the fiddlers' contest Saturday night, Sidek Adams and Elmo Newcomer were declared winners of the first and second prizes, respectively.

A larger crowd was on hand Sunday to enjoy the reunion of the old settlers. A fine barbecue dinner was served, with plenty of good meat, bread, pickles and coffee for all. After dinner the rodeo was again staged by Mr. Mansfield and his cowboys, following which came the address of Col. Geo. W. Saunders, president of the Old Time Trail Drivers' Association, of San Antonio. Next came the pie eating contest in which four men participated, Andy Potter, the champion pie-eater of the state of two pies while the other contestants were getting away with one. Charlie Eckhart of Bandera had tried twice to take this championship away from Potter, but seems to fall further behind each time. Potter was unanimously declared to be the winner.

Dancing was started and fully enjoyed by hundreds of the old people, the old dance hall being rule with old time fiddle music furnished by Elmo Newcomer and his fiddlesome fiddlers from Pipe Creek.

A horseshoe pitching contest on Sunday was won by Charlie Eckhart and Caleb Gray of Bandera.

A jig dancing contest was was staged Sunday night in which a number of gentlemen and one lady participated. Will Maass, of Bandera, was a popular favorite in this contest. Editor W. G. Davis of the Boerne Star, was awarded the prize for being the best jig dancer, and Mrs. Bowles of San Antonio was awarded second prize.

The first reunion of the Old Settlers of Kendall county passed into history. It was a notable event in the present-day affairs of our neighboring town, and so successful and pleasurable was it that we are sure that the reunion next year will witness the greatest gathering of the old pioneers ever brought together in this section of the state.

Reunion Photos Here.

The large group picture photos made at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 2nd and 3rd, have arrived and are ready for delivery to those who placed their order, and also for sale to those who may want them. The price is one dollar each. You can get them at the New Era office.

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Minister Kills a Man.

Fort Worth, Tex., July 17.—Claiming self-defense, Rev. J. Frank Norris, fundamentalist and revivalist, shot and killed D. E. Chipps, 50, well-to-do lumberman in the office of First Baptist church here at 5 p. m. Sunday.

Norris surrendered to county authorities and furnished $10,000 bond signed by 30 members of his congregation, reputed to be worth more than $1,000,000.

Norris acted that Chipps came to his office protesting against statements the revivalist had made in his sermons and repeated in The Searchlight, organ of Norris' church, about Mayor H. Meacham. The minister stated that he had tried to "avoid trouble" and insisted that it was necessary to defend himself.

Mayor Meacham in a statement said that Chipps had visited his office at City Hall about 3:30 just before the mayor left for the ball game, but that he could recall nothing Chipps had said which might have been interpreted to fore shadow his visit to Norris' office.

City Detective Bush stated that he searched Chipps' body and that he was unarmed.

"I could not find any pistol or any weapon upon his person," Bush said. "He had not been moved before I searched him. I found no pistol in the room except the one used in the shooting and it was empty. Someone had thrown out the empty shells."

L. H. Nutt, auditor of the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, was the only eye-witness to the shooting. He was with Norris in the study when Chipps came in. Nutt said that Chipps just before the shooting made threats against the pastor. His statement in substance substantiated Norris' story. Nutt was among the persons to sign Norris' bond.

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Rev. R. L. Powell who will begin a revival meeting at the Bandera Baptist Church next Sunday, July 25, and run through the week. He is Pastor of the First Baptist Church of San Marcos and one of the outstanding young preachers of the Denomination. The night services will begin at 8:15 each evening and will be held out doors in front of the church building. Comfortable chair seats have been provided. An invitation is extended to everybody, of whatever faith, to come and worship with us.

Attempted Holdup.

Launching a new method in modern highway robbing, two horsemen Sunday night charged their steeds into the automobiles of 15 motorists to force them to stop on a mountain ridge seven miles northwest of Boerne on the Old Spanish Trail Sunday night, and attempted to rob the occupants of the cars at the point of pistols.

A 35-year-old negro was in custody of Kendall county authorities Sunday night, and the name of his white companion in the attempted highway robberies is known to the officers, according to reports from Boerne.

After unsuccessful attempts were made to rob six motorists, two automobiles driven by H. Zedler of Boerne and a Mr. Burke of Fredericksburg, were forced to the side of the road by the charging horses of the armed men, they told officers. Zedler and Burke both resisted and escaped the pair without the loss of any valuables.

Accompanying Zedler were his wife and children and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Cupples of San Antonio. Burke was accompanied by his wife and one child.

According to the story told by Zeddler and Burke and other motorists, the negro led the charge in forcing his mount into and upon the automobiles, while his companion kept their victims covered. Both men were armed with heavy revolvers, they said, and had a third pony as a lead horse.

The negro charged his horse upon the Burke sedan, considerably denting the fore part of the car and leaving the imprint of hoofs in one side of the hood, Burke said. Commanding Burke to hand over his valuables, the negro reached for the arm of Mrs. Burke and attempted to pull her from the car when he was told they had nothing of value with them.

Mrs. Burke struggled from his grasp and almost collapsed in the car.

Twelve other motorists reported encountering the two horsemen. Six automobiles they had tried to stop were halted at a filling station on the branch of the U. S. 7, and the Fredericksburg Road, less than half a mile beyond the scene of the attempted holdups, and Boerne officers were notified of their operations.

The scene of the attempted holdups is in a sparsely settled section of the hills and mountains, where the highway crosses a ridge between two mountains after winding around the foot of a mountain with considerable underbrush along the side of the road. The road can be seen for some distance in both directions from the top of the ridge where the highwaymen staged their operations.

The negro was caught by Kendall County officers near the scene of the holdups, but no gun was found on him. He is said to have been under the influence of liquor at the time of his arrest. After considerable grilling by the officers, he gave the name of his white companion. The negro is said to be a ranch worker living in the vicinity of Boerne. Sheriff's officers refused to disclose the name of the other man.

The tactics followed by the bandits Sunday night are somewhat of a departure from the methods used by present day highway men. Motorists who reported encountering them declared the men acted as if they innocently were barring the road, causing auto drivers to slow down to pass them.

Instead of permitting the cars to pass them the horsemen are said to have forced their victims to a stop by charging their mounts into the automobiles. The negro took the lead in charging the cars, with his companion remaining in the background and keeping a sharp lookout on the road in both directions, in addition to covering occupants of cars stopped.

Several instances were reported in which two or more automobiles were stopped at one time, the cars traveling close together coming upon the scene and also being stopped.

No losses of money or valuables were reported up to late Sunday night, although demands were made for them by the horsemen, who are said to have permitted their victims to proceed after being convinced they had nothing of value.

Zedler and Burke were traveling together for a short drive up the highway, the Burkes being on their way to their home at Fredericksburg. Neither was armed, they said.—San Antonio Express.

Rams and Sheep For Sale.

I have a choice lot of Delaine-Merino rams for sale at moderate prices.—Chas. Real, Kerrville, Texas.

If you have an old sewing machine, an oil stove, a few chairs, a pig, some chickens, an automobile, a saddle, or anything you wish to sell, a 25-cent want ad in the New Era will help you make a sale. Try it and be convinced.

Frontier Times for August.

Frontier Times for August contain forty-eight pages of real good historical sketches from start to finish. The table of contents includes the following articles: "An Emigrant's Vengeance," "The Battle of Antelope Hills," "Old Frontier Events of Long Ago," "Reminiscences of a Pioneer," "Old Fort Duncan," "Life of Ben Thompson," "The Seven Wells of West Texas," "A Fight in the Big Bend," "Hanging of John Slaughter," "Last Indian Campanches," "Negro Mother Murders Her Child," "Let's Save the Texas Longhorn," "The Passing of Mrs. Eliza Ware Fenley," "Location of Some Frontier Posts," "Helped to Tame Red Men," and other thrilling sketches of the old Frontier. While the little magazine is published at Bandera, it is not of a local nature, but its contents deal with various sections of the state, and its circulation extends all over the United States. Its subscription price is $1.50 per year.

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Books and Bibles.

We have for sale several Delaine Merino Bucks and Angora Billies, all registered stock. Reasonable prices. R. L. Padgett & Sons, Tarpley, Texas.

Allen Graham was here from Leakey Tuesday on business. He has recently sold out his ranch interests in the Nueta country, and we understand he will soon move to Hondo county, where he has acquired a ranch.

Mrs. Fred Barr, F. J. Barr, Miss Frances Barr and Mrs. Johanna Brosius, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crist of Pipe Creek last week end. In company with Mrs. Crist they paid the Sun Era office an appreciated visit Saturday.

The Paine Motor Co. of Boerne reports the following sales of Ford cars to Bandera county people within the past two weeks: Tom Crist of Pipe Creek, John Mellee of Pipe Creek, Miss Mary Fellows of Bandera, Paul Laskowski, Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart were in Tuesday from their ranch on Middle Verde, and brought us a generous supply of luscious peaches of extra large size. We fully appreciate their kindly remembrance and are under renewed obligations to them. These were the largest and best peaches we have ever seen in this county. Mr. Eckhart's peach crop was good this season, and he also has a large pear and apple crop.

The Campmeeting

There is at the present time a camp meeting of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints being held on the west side of the town of Bandera. This meeting has several distinctive features. First of all the people believe in God, one and only God, who is creator and ruler of all things. In His Son, Jesus Christ, and in the Holy Ghost. They also believe in living tolerant of others, and therefore do not ask for a preference; they simply ask that they be left to worship God according to the dictates of their own conscience. They are anxious to have the people become acquainted with their message for so they feel that there is nothing to be afraid of, for the truth will stand the test under every circumstance.

They are in no way connected with the Mormon church in fact they have done more than the rest of the churches put together to counteract the evils of polygamy and other evils that were taught in Utah in years past. Two people have been present in all their positions for the past that only as men learn to become Christlike are they able to share the blessings of eternity.

At this meeting they have three ministers from Missouri and they are all able speakers. They have good singing and those who have been in attendance at the meetings are feeling abundantly repaid for their effort in going to the meetings. After the sermons each night they have a little community singing conducted by J. Charles May, who is one of the ministers from Missouri. May has spent several years in the South Sea Islands as a missionary. Vanderwood and Winegar have both spent several years each in the Utah mission and have there combatted the evil teachings of the people of the west. So when these men speak of the differences in their belief, as contrasted with the Mormons which sometimes confuse people, they speak with authority for they know. Every person who has heard the message these men have delivered have been benefitted thereby.

Without question this meeting has been a blessing to this community, and we feel sure that the work that is being done here will be of value to the neighborhood. They invite people to hold to all the good they already have but to get all the good they can from every other source. Their efforts are fair and honorable.

One Who Was in Attendance.

Miss Emma Hodges returns this week from an extended trip through various states and into Canada, which she made with a sight-seeing party. She has been absent six weeks.

Mrs. Ollie Tope and children, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane a few days this week. Her two little sons, Erwin and Milton, remained here for a visit of several weeks.

Among the Bandera cowboys who participated in the rodeo at Boerne last Saturday and Sunday, and pleased the spectators were slick Jones, Leslie Short, John Stevens, Billie Burns, Rhea Mansfield, Louie Taylor, Warren Davenport, Lark Langford, David Pepper, Frank Langford, Hayden Mansfield, Bruce Mansfield, Frank Mansfield, L. L. Davis and Mrs. L. L. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis and Dallas Bland went to Kerrville Monday.

Mrs. Otto Joplin and son, Walter, visited friends in San Antonio Sunday.

Dallas Bland, of Abilene, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Postmaster E. J. Bastin was down from Medina Tuesday and paid the office an appreciated visit.

Mrs. J. N. Evans came to Camp San Antonio Saturday to spend a few weeks with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Barber and children, of Turpley, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ferner Sunday.

Miss Eleanor Bland, who spent the past three weeks with relatives in San Antonio, returned to Bandera.

Leonard Barber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barber, is at the Citizen's Military Training Camp, at San Antonio.

Mrs. A. Proudfoot, of San Antonio, spent several days last week with Mrs. Jim Barber on Hicks Creek.

Mrs. John F. Hodges spent several days in San Antonio last week with her daughter, Mrs. Wallace.

Mrs. Gid Lane returned Thursday from San Antonio, where she had spent several days with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam O. Bryant, of Tall California, came in last week on a visit to relatives at Utopia and Bandera.

Mrs. E. E. Coughran, of Tarpley, who has been in attendance Summer Normal at San Marcos, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Heed went to San Antonio Monday, called there by the illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. George Barnes.

Miss Louise Willy, of Orange, Texas, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler for a few weeks.

Elder D. S. Palmer attended the barbecue at Harper yesterday and delivered an address in the interest of the candidacy of "Ma" Ferguson.

Misses Amelia and Mary Perez, of San Antonio, were guests of Miss Juanita Garklin at the Sycamore Springs ranch the past two weeks.

Dr. John H. Erwin returned Saturday from San Antonio where he spent two weeks as a reserve officer in the Citizen's Military Training Camp.

Sunday visitors at the Otto Weltzer ranch, near Pipe Creek, were Mrs. Flora Wallrath and sons, Otto and Carlos, and Mr. E. Bernard, all from San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and bright little daughters, Irene Fay and Maggie Lee Johnson, were here from near Lima Tuesday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Report comes of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Guy S. Lemke at San Antonio, June 27th. Mr. and Mrs. Rambie are former residents of Bandera, but now live at Sabinal. The young man has been named Guy S., Jr.

Claude Fletcher left last Friday for San Marcos, to take a preparatory college course, and later he will probably enter A. & M. College. Claude is an ambitious young man and his many friends will watch with interest his advancement in college work.

Miss Edna Pentecost left Tuesday for Austin to re-enter the State University, after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. F. A. Masters of Wman's Creek. Miss Pentecost spent awhile with friends at Alpine and at Alto Frio during her vacation.

Colonel and Mrs. George W. Saunders, of San Antonio, attended the old settlers' reunion at Boerne last Saturday night and Sunday, and Colonel Saunders was called on to address the old settlers on Sunday afternoon, which was fully appreciated by all the old timers.

In the fiddlers contest at the old settler's reunion at Boerne last Saturday Elmo Newcomer, Andrew (Slick) Jones, Louis Zinsmeister, Henry Davis, Ed Whitworth and Jess Edwards participated. The judges had great difficulty in deciding between Elmo Newcomer and Slick Jones as to which one of these boys was the best player. Both are Bandera county cowboys, and they wield a nimble bow. After calling them back for several times to play tunes over, it was decided that Slick Jones was entitled to first prize, a gold watch.

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For Justice of the Peace
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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hogue of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Farr Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mansfield and [illegible] were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Mansfield Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mansfield spent the week end with relatives at Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Mansfield went to Harper Tuesday to attend the barbecue and dance given in honor of Governor Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mansfield and two sons, Hugh and Bill, will go to Harper Tuesday to attend the barbecue and dance given in honor of Governor Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson, of Harper, were in Bandera last week and informed us that they attended a splendid barbecue given at the Thompson ranch on the Center Point road Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Sr., Burgin Davenport, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarborne Davenport left Monday for a visit to relatives in Tennessee. They will travel by auto, and expect to be absent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Berger and children, of San Antonio, were guests of Mrs. Berger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kinsle, several days this week. They came up to be present at the christening of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. John Kinsle, which took place at the Catholic church last Sunday.

We very much appreciated a visit last Thursday from G. S. Cone, owner of the Cone Car Company of Kerrville, and G. M. Ludwig of Falfurrias. These gentlemen came over to Bandera on a business and pleasure trip and expressed themselves as very much pleased with our delightful region. Mr. Cone is the Ford dealer at Kerrville and reports good sales during the past few months.

Captain W. H. Wentworth and his three sons, R. C. Wentworth, W. E. Wentworth, of San Antonio, and G. C. Wentworth of Houston, with their families, were here camping on the river last week, and enjoying a most delightful outing. Captain Wentworth, who is an old frontiersman, called at this office with his three sons, and said he hoped to come back to Bandera some day and make a longer stay.

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Mrs. E. A. Briggs and daughter, Geneva, made a trip to San Antonio last week.

Mrs. Will Norwood and son, Lonie, and Miss Leora Baucrlein spent a week at Mason visiting relatives and friends.

Raymond Briggs, of Dilly, has returned home after a visit to E. A. Briggs and family.

Miss Stein, who lives near Corpus Christi, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. P. Burton.

Mrs. Tom Light was operated on at Kerrville July 26. At last report she was doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mayfield and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Humphreys and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer and daughter, of Globe, Arizona, and Mrs. Sawyer's father, N. B. Patterson and daughter, Miss Christol, is visiting her sister, and also visited R. L. Patterson at Floresville.

Mrs. Lucille Ames and daughter, Emily Frances, of Sacramento, California, are visiting Mrs. Ames' mother, Mrs. N. L. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter, of Rocksprings, are visiting Mrs. H. L. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Graham, of Hot Springs, New Mexico, visited Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey and other relatives here.

Mrs. Ted Hillman and baby are visiting relatives here.

Will Miller Dead.

Will A. Miller, a well known citizen of the Utopia region, died at a hospital in San Antonio last Sunday, following an operation for appendicitis. Deceased was fifty-four years old and is survived by his wife and three children, Elmer W. Miller, Marybel and Inez Miller. He was a nephew to Chas. Rugh of this city, and an uncle to Mrs. J. G. Carmichael. Funeral was conducted Monday afternoon and interment was made in the old Waresville Cemetery.

William Ambrose Miller was raised in the western part of this county, and had engaged in ranching as the best the greater part of his life. He was known to all of our older citizens, and was held in high esteem throughout this region. The New Era joins in extending condolence and sympathy to the bereaved family.

Elected County Chairman.

In the primaries last Saturday W. R. Fletcher was elected County Chairman of the Democratic Primary, and Lee Risinger was elected County Chairman of the Republican Party.

LIMA LINES.

O. D. Keese and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hinds made a trip to Hondo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips, accompanied by their daughters, Miss Joyce and Mrs. Paul Jackson and two little daughters, left for El Paso Sunday. From there Mrs. Jackson will go on to her home near Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Will Tobey, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Graham and children of Hot Springs, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hillman, Mrs. and Ted Hillman and infant, Mrs. Henry Walker and children of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yoast of Port Arthur and Jim Sitton of San Antonio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and daughter, Miss Ola Belle, and sons, Richard and Johnnie Duff, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sutton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Keese.

Mr. and Mrs. Clik Mc. and Mrs. Jack Click of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Val Click Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller and sister, Miss Frances, came over from Fredericksburg Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller returned home with them after a few days visit to relatives at Fredericksburg.

O. A. Keese, of Fredonia, is here on a two weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Soule Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Walker and children and Mrs. Ted Hillman of San Antonio are here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Hillman and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds and children were Kerrville visitors last Sunday.

The Baby Clinic.

The baby clinic at the County Fair, to be held on the last two days of the fair, promises to be quite an interesting feature. The services of a baby specialist will be secured to pass upon the physical fitness of all children entered, whose ages will run to six or seven years. It is desired that all mothers in the community enter their children within those ages in this clinic.

Street Grading.

Joe G. Callahan's highway crew is doing some fine work in Bandera this week, grading the streets traversed by the State Highway.

Governor to be Asked to Resign.

Austin, Texas, July 27.—Many of the county Democratic conventions to be held next Saturday to canvass county primary election returns and certify them to the State Democratic executive committee, which is to meet at Dallas, August 9, are expected to adopt resolutions demanding that Governor Miriam A. Ferguson resign in accordance with the terms of the prelection agreement she made with Attorney General Dan Moody. It was said Tuesday that such resolutions would be offered at the Travis County convention to be held here.

It was learned that Attorney General Moody, who regards the Governor's announcement that she will resign after the special session of the Legislature as not a compliance with the election bet, will not leave Austin for a rest until after next Saturday's county convention here. He probably will attend the conventions.

No statement with reference to the reported move for an impeachment session of the Legislature to be held before the session called by the Governor has been issued here. There are some, however, who believe that unless the Governor resigns immediately the early session of the Legislature should be called.

Read Frontier Times

Election Returns.

Dallas, Tex., July 26.—Dan Moody Monday night gradually relinquished his small majority over the five candidates for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in Saturday's primary and at 9 p. m. lacked 3,124 votes of having the required 51 per cent necessary to make a run-off primary unnecessary. The vote at that hour stood: Moody, 373,174; Ferguson, 259,403; Davidson, 111,813; Zimmerman 2,-322, Johnston, 1,701; Wilmans 1,328.

This represented returns from 246 out of 252 counties, with 104 complete. The total vote on these returns was 750,071, which is at least 50,000 votes above the election bureau's prediction of interest in Moody's majority and the prospects of a run-off to determine the gubernatorial nomination after Governor Ferguson announced she would retire from the race, making a run-off unnecessary.

A run-off will be necessary, however, in the Attorney General's and the Treasurer's races.

All incumbent Democratic Congressmen appeared to have been renominated. The only Republican Congressman, Harry M. Wurzbach of Seguin, has been renominated over his opponent, Fred Knetsch. Knetsch was backed by the "regular" faction led by National Committeeman R. B. Creager, who was fighting Wurzbach.

A run-off will be unnecessary for the Republicans, since they did not have more than two candidates for any office.

Moody's Republican opponent will be Col. H. H. Haines of Houston, who defeated R. P. Scott of Corpus Christi. Returns from 118 counties, including 71 complete, gave Haines 6,991 and Scott 5,586. The Republicans polled about 10,000 votes, which their officials explained was only a small fraction of the Republican vote which will be registered in the general election. In the last election 300,000 votes were cast for Dr. George Butte, Republican candidate for Governor.

Saturday's Primaries.

Democratic primaries were held at several places in Bandera county last Saturday. Following is the vote in the governor's race at each voting place—where primary was held:

Bandera—Moody, 99, Ferguson, 66; Davidson 15.

Medina—Moody, 76; Ferguson, 13; Davidson, 10.

Pipe Creek—Moody, 14; Ferguson, 25; Davidson 2.

Tarpley—Moody, 42; Ferguson, 4; Davidson, 4.

Vanderpool—Moody, 24; Ferguson, 21; Davidson, 5.

Taylor—Moody, 19; Ferguson, 5; Davidson, 23.

Privilege—Moody, 0; Ferguson, 11; Davidson, 1.

Totals—Moody, 275; Ferguson, 145; Davidson, 57.

In the race for Superintendent of Public Instruction, Marrs led the ticket in this county, his total vote being 224.

Confirmation Fight Looming.

Austin, Texas, July 27.—It became definitely known today that a determined fight will be made against the confirmation of certain of the Ferguson recess appointees when same are sent to the Senate when that body meets. The contest will be focused on the two and possibly three members of the Highway Commission as well as on certain members of the State Textbook Commission who voted for the boiling contract awarded the American Book Company.

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Mrs. Will Norwood and son, Louie, and Miss Leora Bauerlein spent a week at Mason visiting relatives and friends.

Raymond Briggs of Dilley, has returned home after a visit to E. A. Briggs and family.

Miss Stein, who lives near Corpus Christi, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. P. Barton.

Mrs. Tom Light was operated on at Kerrville July 22. Last report she was doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mayfield and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Humphreys and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer and daughter of Globe, Arizona, and Mrs. Sawyer's father, N. M. Patterson, and daughter, Miss Clarissie, made a trip to the coast and also visited C. L. Patterson of Floresville.

Mrs. Lucille Ames and daughter, Emily Frances, of Sacramento, California, are visiting Mrs. Ames' mother, Mrs. H. L. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter, of Rocksprings, are visiting Mrs. H. L. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Graham, of Hot Springs, New Mexico, visited Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Tobey and other relatives here.

Mrs. Ted Hillman and baby are visiting relatives here.

Will Miller Dead.

Will A. Miller, a well known citizen of the Utopia region, died at a hospital in San Antonio last Sunday, following an operation for appendicitis. Deceased was fifty-four years old and is survived by his wife and three children, Elliot W. Miller, Marybel and Inez Miller. He was a nephew to Chas. Rogle of this city, and an uncle to Mrs. J. G. Carmichael. Funeral was conducted Monday afternoon and interment was made in the old Waresville Cemetery.

William Ambrose Miller was raised in the western part of this county, and had engaged in ranching on the Seco the greater part of his life. He was known to all of our older citizens, and was held in high esteem throughout this region. The New Era joins in extending condolence and sympathy to the bereaved family.

Elected County Chairman.

In the primaries last Saturday W. R. Fletcher was elected County Chairman of the Democratic Primary, and Lee Rich singer was elected County Chairman of the Republican Party.

LIMA LINES.

O. D. Keese and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hinds made a trip to the coast ranch near Blanco last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips, accompanied by their daughters, Miss Dovie and Mrs. Paul Jackson and two little daughters, left for El Paso Sunday. From there Mrs. Jackson will go to her home at Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tober, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Graham and children of Hot Springs, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hillman, Mrs. Ted Hillman and infant, Mrs. Henry Walker and children of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yoast of Port Arthur, and Jim Sutton of San Antonio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton and other relatives here.

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Miss Ethel and sister, Miss Frances, came over from Fredericksburg Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller returned home with them after several days visit to relatives at Fredericksburg.

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The Baby Clinic.

The baby clinic at the County Fair, to be held on the last two days of the fair, promises to be quite an interesting feature. The services of a baby specialist will be secured to pass upon the physical fitness of all children entered. Whose ages will run to six or seven years. It is desired that all mothers in the community enter their children within those ages in this clinic.

Street Grading.

Joe G. Callahan's highway crew is doing some fine work in Bandera this week, grading the streets traversed by the State Highway.

Governor to be Asked to Resign.

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It was said Tuesday that such resolutions would be offered at the Travis County convention to be held here.

It was learned that Attorney General Moody, who regards the Governor's announcement that she will resign after the special session of the Legislature as not a compliance with the election bet, will not leave Austin for a rest until after next Saturday's county convention here. He probably will attend the convention.

No statement with reference to the reported move for an impeachment session of the Legislature to be held before the session called by the Governor has been issued here. There are some, however, who believe that unless the Governor resigns an immediately early session of the Legislature should be called.

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Election Returns.

Dallas, Tex., July 26.—Dan Moody Monday night gradually relinquished his small majority over the five candidates for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in Saturday's primary and at 9 p. m. lacked 3,124 votes of having the required 51 per cent necessary to make a run-off primary unnecessary. The vote at that hour stood: Moody, 373,171; Ferguson, 259,403; Davidson, 111,813; Zimmerman 2, 322; Johnston, 1,701; Wilmans, 1,328.

This represented returns from 246 out of 252 counties, with 104 complete. The total vote on these returns was 750,971, which is at least 50,000 votes above the election bureau's prediction of the total.

Interest in Moody's majority and the prospects of a run-off to determine the gubernatorial nominee centered after Governor Ferguson announced she would retire from the race, making a run-off necessary.

A run-off will be necessary, however, in the Attorney General's and the Treasurer's races.

All incumbent Democratic Congressmen appeared to have been renominated. The only Republican Congressman, Harry M. Wurzbach of San Antonio, has been renominated over his opponent, Fred Knetsch. Knetsch was backed by the "regular" faction led by National Committeman R. B. Creager, who was fighting Wurzbach.

A run-off will be unnecessary for the Republicans, since they have more than two candidates for any office.

Moody's Republican opponent will be Col. H. H. Haines of Houston, who defeated E. P. Scott of Corpus Christi. Returns from 118 counties, including 71 complete, gave Haines 6,991 and Scott 4,156. The Republicans polled about 10,000 votes, which their officials explained was only a small fraction of the Republican vote which will be registered in the general election. In the last election 200,000 votes were cast for Dr. George Butte, Republican candidate for Governor.

Saturday's Primaries.

Democratic primaries were held at several places in Bandera county on Saturday. Following is the vote in the governor's race at each voting place—where primary was held:

Bandera—Moody, 99; Ferguson, 66; Davidson 15.

Medina—Moody, 76; Ferguson, 13; Davidson, 10.

Pipe Creek—Moody, 14; Ferguson, 25; Davidson 2.

Tarpley—Moody, 42; Ferguson, 4; Davidson, 4.

Vanderpool—Moody, 24; Ferguson, 21; Davidson, 5.

Taylor—Moody, 19; Ferguson, 5; Davidson, 23.

Privilege—Moody, 0; Ferguson, 11; Davidson, 1.

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Entertainment features will be a and it will be these big days of fun and amusement as well as instructive features which are always given.

One lady who is interested in the exhibits especially urges that parents have their children put in exhibits in the children's department. The children at today will be the people who will have charge of such things in a very few years and they should be encouraged to take part in the fairs.

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The election is over, and "Dan's the Man."

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Show is to be Held.

The show and sale of the Uvalde Goat & Sheep Raisers Association will be held in Camp Wood August 4, 5 and 6. This ten days, including transportation to and from home, is the county contest. Several applications have already been received. Any information desired about the camp may be had by writing John C. Campbell, Acting Scout Executive, Uvalde, Texas.

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Gov. Ferguson Agrees To Resign

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This announcement came after a day of uncertainty, conferences and much speculation as to what the governor would do in the event Moody failed to sponse to her loss of the wager made in Moody in resign if she did not receive the co-operation of all in Saturday's primary election.

Her answer came unexpectedly and after a long conference had been held with United States Senator Earle B. Mayfield, W. W. Bailey of Dallas, and others.

It was known that Bailey advised that the best course for the governor was to resign and so make Lieut. Governor Barry Miller Governor. This was no surprise and no doubt Miller will be interested in the announcement.

Governor Ferguson's letter to Miller follows:

"Dear Governor Miller: I have decided to resign the office of governor, effective on and after July 15, 1925.

"Thanking you for your courtesies to others in Austin in that way I have had the honor to be the governor of Texas, I am,

"Yours very truly,

"Miriam A. Ferguson."

"They Didn't Have Time"

Monday — 15:41 to Mother: "This is my day off, so I'll take the old car and let's spend a day in the woods. We haven't all been out in months away from the worry and worry of modern life. You and I could sit in the shade and play bands and dream dreams like we did when we were young and our cheeks were painted with the blush of youth and promise, and your locks were gray and brown instead of fine and grey. The children can roll on the grass, call shoulds bugs and go high and low for hours again in the grapevine swing."

Mother's Answer: "I haven't time. I have to go to the club this afternoon and on the program committee, and besides I have to make a talk on 'Why a Good Society is Always Make on Ideal Hillcrest.'

Father—Mother to Dad: "Can you miss the smoker tonight? We have a good program by the Y. M. C. A. boys over radio. There is a short version on 'Keep the Home Fires Burning.' Tom and Jess have agreed to play some of those old time selections on the fiddle and guitar. I used to play the fiddle to some extent."

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Discourse.

Mineral Wells Index: It doesn't pay to sport over the heads of people you are talking with. A very erudite young man in Mineral Wells told a young lady that he thought she was exceedingly beautiful. She blushed modestly, looked down at her revealing shirt, became indignant and went home.

We believe all of it except where you say the young lady blushed. Young ladies don't blush at only things which their maidens tell them to blush at. They don't blush of their own accord, but only as they are instructed on assignment, as it were. Therefore when the Mineral Wells young man told the young lady she was exceedingly leggard then it isn't at all likely that her mother had told her to blush at such a remark. A mother can tell her daughter everything, and the confession of legardness is purely one thing the old lady would not be shocked by. If the young man had remarked that he considered the young lady exceedingly unconscious she might have blushed in duty to maternal accountability. Limbs are still regarded in our best circles as unmentionable, save discussion on such days when the thermometer registers 100 degrees in the shade. Therefore, we do not consider the exhibition of the knee limb as anything more than the usual display of the head of hair. Young man, in speaking over the head of your companion, be sure to speak in terms of endearment. That is the safest course to pursue in one's failure to agree on any of his friends by appointment. He can also high-hat her and thereby bring down the house. Press in Dallas News.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly when due.

BLUE BUGS.

of other poultry insects! Feed MARTIN'S POULTRY TONE to chickens and inside her lessens thoroughly with MARTIN'S ROOST PAINT to kill and keep away insects. Ask Billings Store.

Menard Baptist Encampment August 6th to 16th.

The Encampment ground is situated one-half mile west of the business center of Menard, Texas, on the south banks of the beautiful San Saba River, and directly opposite the historic ruins of the old Spanish Mission. On these grounds is to be found one of the most beautiful and shady parks in Texas. The park is beautifully set with pecan timber and along the banks of the San Saba River fishing is fine and boating may be enjoyed too. Bathing pools for both women and men are arranged.

We are proud to present to the people of this section one of the best tabernacles and camping arrangements in Texas which serves splendidly every way. We extend to all people of all faiths a very cordial invitation to come and camp during the entire ten days.

Our aim is Inspirational, Educational and Evangelistic accomplishments. We have secured for this year's Encampment an ardent faculty for the B. Y. P. U. Sunday School, and W. M. U. Dr. W. R. Davis will teach studies in Galatians. Mr. T. B. Ames will have charge of land sports in the afternoon. This feature will be an interesting one.

All the afternoon will be given over to recreation. There will be plenty of room for all. Each person's kind of recreation. We have between forty and fifty acres which stretches for half a mile along the banks of the San Saba River.

Dr. L. R. Scarborough of Ft. Worth Baptist Seminary is to be with us again this year and will lead us in the Evangelistic efforts. Mr. E. L. Carnett of the Gospel Music Department of the Ft. Worth Seminary will be associated with Dr. Scarborough and will lead in song services. Those men need no introduction to the people of Texas. Their works have proven them. We have a number of prominent Texas laymen who will give addresses. Besides beloved Secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, Dr. F. S. Groner, will also be with us. Some of the speakers will not be here are: Dr. E. Godbold; Dr. J. M. Carroll; Dr. T. C. Gardner, Dr. J. C. Hardy and W. A. Harrell. A number of representatives from our Colleges and Universities will be here. The following colleges and universities will likely be represented: Simmons University, Baylor University, Carroll College, San Marcos Baptist Academy, Baylor College for Women, Howard Payne College, Etc.

The people of Menard, all faiths and no faiths, join in cordially inviting all the people of all Texas to come and be with us during the ten days Encampment. A rate will be on the ground as other receipts. If you have a tent, out, stove etc. load them in and come. If you desire either or all of the above kindly A. L. Dopling, Menard, Texas at least five days ahead of time and they will be secured for you.

Bring your musical instruments, and come with heart preparation and join with us in making this 1926 year's Encampment one to be remembered by for who attend.

For further information write J. W. Arnspiger, President Menard Encampment, Menard, Texas.

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KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Report of Meeting.

At a called meeting of United National and Sheep Raisers Association at the Stevenson Hotel, July 20, 1926, the matter of having one show on selected time, August 4, 5, 6, was discussed and it was the sense of the meeting to invite certain mohair manufacturers to attend our Camp Wood meeting for the purpose of conferring with breeders as to qualities of mohair required for their different lines of fabrics, especially since we are just now listing out our score cards for the first time. Mr. Landrum was requested to write Mr. George Emery of Sanford Mills, inviting him to attend our meeting.

M. D. Taylor was requested to have Lee Wallace invite the Mass. Mohair Plush Co. to send a man for this purpose.

Mr. Davis introduced correspondence from S. A. Buchanan Santa Cruz, California, asking goat men to scell a non-shedding shoe Kids at a price of $8.00 delivered for boy and girl club. Those agreeing to furnish Kids were: Sam Cooper, Bob Davis, Dr. Nipper, F. O. Landrum, G. A. Barner, M. D. Taylor, Robbins & Thompson, J. A. Ward & Son, B. M. Holbert:

Motion made, seconded and carried that Bob Davis be appointed judge of C type goats.

Motion made, seconded, and carried that F. O. Landrum be made judge of B type goats.

The Secretary is instructed to notify all members within the quarantine district to obtain permits from State Veterinarian for moving goats and sheep to Camp Wood.

F. O. LANDRUM
Sec. Pro. Tem.

A Telephone Call.

Most every person is prompt to answer the ring of the telephone bell. The very idea of having one has a personal message to be delivered only to arouses curiosity and intrigues the interest.

Has it ever occurred to the average person that back of every advertisement in this paper is some one with a personal message for everyone who reads it.

More often than not these advertisements were written with some individual in mind.

It is impossible for merchants to give their customers a ring about their goods or their services. So they pay us for the commission of calling these things to the attention of prospective customers.

The person who does not give an advertisement the same attention as given a phone call is making a mistake. Advertisements help everyone economize and keep posted on news of vital interest to themselves and their pocketbooks.

Don't lay aside this paper without reading the advertisements. They are personal calls for all who read them.

Sells a Good Book.

Hal S. Hudspeth is now selling the popular book, "The Trail Drivers' of Texas," compiled and edited by J. Marvin Hunter and published under direction of George W. Saunders, president of the Old Time Trail Drivers' Association. The book was first published in two volumes and sold for $4.00 per volume, but has recently been republished in one large volume of nearly 1000 pages by the Cokesbury Press of Nashville, Tennessee. The book contains an authentic history of the cattle trail days, the narratives of the old trail drivers being full of interest to every person interested in the history of Texas. The new volume sells at $5.00 and is worth every cent of the price. Send your order to Mr. Hal S. Hudspeth, Bandera, Texas.

Anthrax Quarantine, Bandera County:

To Whom It May Concern:

Effective on and after July 15, 1926.

The Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas has ascertained by proper inspection conducted by its authorized representatives that the contagious and infectious disease of live stock known as anthrax, and the agency of transmission thereof, exists among live stock located on premises within the following described district in Bandera County, Texas.

Beginning at a point where the Sabinal River crosses the Bandera-Uvalde County line thence in a northerly direction along said river to a point where the Vanderpool-Utopia road first crosses the Sabinal River south of Vanderpool, thence northwest along the Bandera County west line, thence in a southerly direction along the Bandera County west line to the southwest corner of Bandera County, thence east along the Bandera County south line to point of beginning.

Therefore, all cattle, horses, mules, asses, sheep, goats, hogs and all premises in the above described district in Bandera county, Texas, are hereby quarantined, and all persons, firms or corporations are hereby forbidden to move in any manner any of the above mentioned livestock from, into or within the above described district in Bandera County, Texas, except on written permit issued by an authorized veterinary inspector of the Live Stock Sanitary Commission of Texas.

Witness our hands this the 15th day of July A. D. 1926

LIVE STOCK SANITARY COMMISSION OF TEXAS
By Leo Callan
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Commissioners.

Rams and Sheep For Sale.

I have a choice lot of Delaine-Merino rams for sale at moderate prices.—Chas. Real, Kerrville, Texas.

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When in San Antonio make our Service Station your headquarters. Free parking space. Open until 3 a. m.—Herpel-Gillespie, By the Alamo. 720 East Houston Street.

Bucks and Billies.

We have for sale several Delaine-Merino Bucks and Angora Billies, all registered stock, reasonable prices.—R. N. Padgett & Sons, Tarpley.

Come and See Them.

I have another 1926 Model Chevrolet Roadster for sale. It has balloon tires and a new spare, and is as good as new. Will sell for $485. I will be glad to show it to you. I also have one 1924 Model Chevrolet Touring Car which I will sell for $175.00, and one 1923 Model Ford Roadster with balloon tires for $180.00. Also have one 1923 Model Ford Coupe, with motor, body and skid-light new, ignition lock steering wheel, new cowl, starter and battery and good rubber, for $150.00.—Frank Mansfield, Chevrolet Salesman.

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Given by P. T. A. for benefit of school. Big Time. Plenty of Amusement. Everybody come. Center Point, Texas, July 31st.

Thunder and Lightning.

Sometimes disturbs the sleeping population. Remember we handle automobile insurance, repair cars, sewing machines, do a general jobe&smithing business, and guarantee satisfaction. Bring your work to us.—E. M. Dority & Son, Bandera.

Ranch for Sale.

I have a 200-acre ranch, well improved, for sale at $7.50 per acre. 25 acres in cultivation. One-third cash, balance on terms to suit.—R. Burns, Tarpley.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

Change of Schedule.

W. A. Gray, who operates the bus line from Medina, through Bandera, to San Antonio, announces the following change of schedule:

Leaves San Antonio daily at 7:30 a. m.

Arrives Bandera 9:45 a. m.

Arrives Medina 10:45 a. m.

Leaves Medina at 12 noon.

Leaves Bandera at 12:45 p. m.

Arrives San Antonio 2:45 p. m.

On Saturdays the bus leaves San Antonio at 5:30 p. m.

On Sundays the bus leaves Medina 3:30 p. m., and Bandera 4:30 p. m.

Plow and Tractor Demonstration.

I represent the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co., and wish to announce that I will give a demonstration of Case Tractor and Plow at the barbecue to be held at Ernest Adams' place above Medina August 7th. Anyone else wishing to demonstrate the implements they sell are at liberty to do so at this barbecue. —Robert Brown.

Many of our people will attend the rodeo to be given by the P. T. A. at Center Point next Saturday, for the benefit of the school. Several good riders from Bandera and Mason Creek have entered, and the affair promises plenty of amusement for all spectators.

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A delightful social dance was given at the home of Henry Adamietz last Sunday night.

Mrs. O. C. Herbideb and children, of San Antonio, are spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Posteer.

Eli Holt was over from Tarpley Monday and dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era and also to Frontier Times.

Mrs. Will Turner and infant, of Columbus, Kansas, arrived a few days ago to spend several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Posteer.

In a recent game on the local diamond Last Sunday, Bandera team was again defeated by the Kelly Field baseball team, the score being 10 to 4.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Graham, of Hot Springs, New Mexico, are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tubey, at Medina.

Captain Chas. de Montel, accompanied by his talented daughters, Misses Ollie and Annie de Montel, and nephew, Charlie Arnold, were here from Camp Verde Monday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Summer Hats, while they last at half price, at Mrs. T. S. Dennis' Millinery Store.

Mrs. Tod Hillman and infant and Mrs. M. L. Walker and children came up from San Antonio last Sunday to spend a few days with relatives at Medina. Mr. Hillman will join them in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Maas and children returned Tuesday from a week's visit to relatives at Charlotte and San Antonio. They report a most pleasant visit, and said they had all the watermelons they could eat while away.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burda, and children Edward, Jr., and Eleanor, of San Antonio, accompanied by their sister Miss Sophie Kush and their niece, Miss Estelle Southworth, visited our genial townsman Chas. T. Johnson last Sunday and report having had a delightful time.

Misses Minnie Mae Mansfield, Myra Jeanette Hunter and Thelma Surber started to Kerrville last Friday, but on account of high water in the creeks they turned back at Camp Verde and went to Medina, where they found the Medina river up and were forced to stay there over night. Mrs. J. C. Collins kindly shared with them the hospitality of her home, and the girls returned to Bandera the next day.

L. R. Watkins, district manager of the Security Benefit Association, was here from San Antonio yesterday, en route to Medina. He was accompanied by James H. Reeves, of Missouri, who is temporarily sojourning in San Antonio. Mr. Moore is delighted with Texas, especially this picturesque and delightful portion of the state, and will likely locate in the Hill Country.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lewis, July 27, a boy.

Miss Glayda Croisdale has returned from a month's visit to friends at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mills have returned to Alfred after spending several months here.

Hayden Mansfield left last Friday for Brady, where he will accept a position on a ranch.

An enjoyable B. Y. P. U. social was given for the young folks at the Baptist church last Saturday night.

Mrs. C. C. Borris, of San Antonio, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hay and children were in the city Friday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Mrs. Ott Croisdale, of Austin, was here a few days the past week, visiting relatives and attending the Saints' Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brazil and baby left Monday for their home in Beeville, after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

Prof. Joy L. Tilley went to Christine Tuesday to make arrangements to move there. Prof. Tilley has accepted a position in the Christine High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller, of San Antonio, after spending the week-end with Gray Adamietz house, attending The Saints' Reunion on the river, left for their home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter were over from Harper to spend last week-end. They returned home Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Hunter's brothers, Otho and Worth Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Hill and children, Henry Brooks and Jake Earl Hill, Miss Powell, and Howard L. Smith, all of Dallas.

Mrs. W. E. Hutzell and two sons, Herford and Bobbie, left for their home in San Antonio Thursday accompanied by Mrs. Carl Adamietz, who will be their guest for several days.

Chas. E. Schmidtke has placed us under renewed obligations for his big bringing in a generous lot of finest apples and peaches from his orchard last Saturday. The fruit was of unusually large size and very delicious.

Dr. A. A. Daniell, after spending ten days with his wife and young son, Joe, who are here for Mrs. Daniell's health, returned to his home in Alexandria, La., Friday, accompanied by Master Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Jackson and children, of San Antonio spent last week here attending the Saints' Reunion. Mr. Jackson lived in this county many years ago, and many friends here were glad to see him and his family at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buttrill, of Port Arthur, spent several days last week with Mrs. Buttrill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper. While here they, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Harper, went to Boss Stunt, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leinweber and enjoy a picnic there.

Jesse Kutzer, who has been under treatment at Comfort for the past month, for blood poison occasioned by gashing his foot on a piece of tin, was brought home last Saturday and is getting along nicely, but has to use crutches, to get about with. Jesse had a close call, and for a time his life hung in the balance. His friends rejoice that he is now out of danger.

The New Era was kindly remembered this week by Mrs. Joe Posteer, who brought us a generous gift of chinese peaches and tomatoes. Mrs. Posteer informed us that while their crop was not so large this season they had gathered enough for home consumption and she had canned about twelve bushels, besides dividing with some of her children. The peaches are of the large Elberta kind, and very delicious. We thank the good lady for bringing us the fruit.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge:
J. A. EAMES

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. R. CHISUM

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN P. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON PYKA
F. R. CAFFALL.
R. C. BOALES.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

W. H. Hutzell was the week-end guest of his family at the city Hotel.

Mrs. Spangler and two sons, of San Antonio, are spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Abel J. Kerr.

J. A. Seessomer was up from Pipe Creek yesterday and called to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mrs. H. C. Wright is the guest of Mrs. Gray this week. We are glad to know she is improving in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bandard and family, of San Antonio, spent the week-end as guests of the Adamietz and Ruge families.

On Thursday Evening Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge entertained with a bridge dinner and dance in honor of their house guests of Dallas.

Mrs. Tom Gray and three children, T. J. Jr., Joe and Lucille, were guests of Jeff Gray and family in San Antonio over the week-end.

Olliff Adams, representing the Bankers Reserve Life Insurance Co. of Omaha, Neb., through Fletcher & Fletcher Agency of San Antonio, will make his headquarters in Bandera during the next few months and will be quite active in writing insurance for our people. This young man is a hustler and we hope he will meet success on every hand.

Epworth League.

The Epworth League will meet Sunday evening, 7:30 next Sunday evening for a short devotional meeting. Miss Ola Eckhart will be the leader. The subject is "A Lesson from Ruth and Boaz." Other appropriate program of music and recitations has been arranged. All Leaguers are asked to be on hand. Visitors are welcome.

Republican County Convention

The Republican County Convention will be held at Lee Singer's office next Saturday afternoon. All party members are urged to attend.

Meeting at Rocky Creek.

Elder Young, of Haskell, will begin a meeting for the Church of Christ, at the mouth of Rocky Creek on Saturday night, July 31st, to continue ten days or longer. Elder Young is a splendid speaker and will present the Bible truths in a convincing manner. Everybody invited to come.

WANT COLUMN

FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms for rent at my home.—Mrs. H. H. Carmichael. 1mc

FOR SALE—Three Delaine-Merino Rams, good grade, at a bargain. See John B. Atkins. 2tp

FOR SALE—Good Jersey cow, fresh, with young calf. Splendid milker.—B. F. Faris, Independent phone. 2tp

LOST—Somewhere in Bandera or at Reunion grounds, an old fashioned pepper-box pistol, with four barrels. Valued only as a relic. Finder please return to Judge J. A. Eames, or the New Era, for reward.

FOR SALE—Some good Jersey milk cows. Some now milking. Will trade for mutton.—E. E. Coughran, Tarpley, Texas. 2tp

FOR SALE—Three gentle work mules. See W. H. Fitzgerald.

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Meeting Closed.

The meeting at the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. R. L. Powell of San Marcos, closed last Sunday night, with several additions to the Baptist church by letter and by baptism. The baptising will take place next Sunday afternoon. Rev. Powell is an able preacher and delivered some eloquent sermons in this meeting. The church was greatly revived and benefitted, and everyone who heard the preaching was well pleased with the kindly manner in which the speaker presented his arguments. Accompanied by his wife, Rev. Powell left Monday for his home at San Marcos.

For County Judge.

A. L. Mansfield announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Bandera county. Mr. Mansfield is well known to the voters of the county, and has served in this capacity with much credit and ability. He takes active interest in everything that is for the good of the county at large, and if elected he will discharge the duties of the office in a satisfactory and efficient manner. He has proven that he possesses the qualifications to fill the office, and will look after the affairs of the county. Judge Mansfield will appreciate your vote and support at the polls in November.

Recital Next Tuesday Night.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will present the Thomason Trio in recital at the High School Auditorium on Tuesday night, August 10th. This recital promises our people entertainments of the very highest class, and we are sure will draw a large attendance. Mrs. English, the director, is one of the best known teachers of Expression and Dramatic Art in the South. Mrs. Guy S. Rambie, a former teacher here was one of Mrs. English's pupils. In the recital to be given Tuesday night a very pleasing program will be rendered, and Little Miss Patsy Risinger will appear in a pleasing role. If you fail to attend this recital you will miss the best that has been presented in Bandera. Admission 25c and 50c.

Good Road Work.

Commissioner Anton Pyka has a crew at work on the Center Point Road and is doing some splendid road building near Bandera Pass and in the vicinity of the Myrtle Creek school house. There are several stretches of this road which for a long time have caused the expenditure of more profanity than any other bad grade and skillful hands Mr. Pyka is putting these places in good shape for travel.

MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Billingsly and children, Mrs. Billingsly's parents, and Paul Billingsly visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adams last week.

J. T. Humphreys and family of Toyo, Texas, visited Mr. Humphrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Humphreys, last week. Mr. Humphreys had not seen his parents in twenty-one years.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Whitehead and little girl returned to their home at Port Arthur, accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Autry and Miss Jewel Autry.

Mrs. Roy Whitehead has returned from the hospital in Kerrville and is doing very well at present.

Mrs. Virginia Decker and daughter, Miss Virginia Ford, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chiodo and children of San Antonio visited Mrs. E. J. Coleman and Mrs. Roy Whitehead and family last Sunday.

Henry Sutherland of Colorado, is visiting Mrs. E. J. Coleman and Mr. Roy Whitehead and family and other relatives here.

Tuesday night a chicken fry was given by Misses Ruby and Jessie Hay. Those present were: Misses Eunice Smith, Fern Banta, Florence Fries, Marguerite Fries, Viola Stokes, Thelma Richards, Mrs. Whitson Justice, Mabel Nelson, Inez Frizzell, Bill Joe Freeman, Leah Chiodo, Ruby Jessie, Ruby and Hazel Hay, Messrs. Chili Patterson, Speck Benton, Bert Morgan, Tommie Beaver, Lee Walker, Neal Coulter, Whitson Justice, Charlie Akin, Bascom Johnson, Lindsey Maas, Finas Collins, and Austin Smith. Everyone enjoyed the evening very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Lightsey, of Eden, visited Mrs. Lightsey's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Sherrill, last week.

P. T. A. Meeting.

There will be a very important meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association at the High school auditorium tomorrow, Friday, at 3:30 p. m. Every member is urged to attend the meeting.

Undergoes Operation.

Mrs. Otto Marquis, of Tarpley, was taken to San Antonio last Thursday suffering with an acute attack of appendicitis. She underwent an operation at a hospital there, and her many friends hope she will soon recover.

You can make some money by using your spare time. A good business to turn over to the right party.—Joy L. Tilley, Organizer, Liberty Life Assurance Society.

LIMA LINES.

Ted Hillman came up from Mirando Sunday. Mrs. Hillman and baby and sister, Miss Ruby, returned to Mirando with him. Thomas Keese and Alex Hillman also went to Mirando to work in the oil fields.

Mrs. T. H. Phillips spent several days with her niece, Mrs. Will Council, at Kerrville, who has been very ill with pneumonia, but is very glad to report her improving.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hinds, and son, Elmer, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hinds went to Fredericksburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kneese and baby, of Fredericksburg, spent a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton enjoyed a family reunion at their home last Thursday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yoast of Port Arthur, Jim Sutton of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and family of Tuff, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sutton and family of Henry Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Will Sutton and family, and Mrs. Tula Miller and daughters of Lima. Mr. and Mrs. Yoast and Jim Sutton returned to their homes Friday.

R. L. Morris, T. H. Phillips and John Hillman were Bandera visitors Monday.

The meeting held by Brother Young of Haskell county, at the mouth of Rocky Creek, is progressing nicely. The attendance is good. Services each night at 8:30. Sunday at 11 a. m., 2:30 and 8:30 p. m. Every body come and enjoy the splendid bible lessons.

Mrs. Val Click and daughters, Sue Evelyn and Ruby, motored to Fredericksburg last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Larnie and children, of San Antonio, came up to visit friends and attend the meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Batts royally entertained the young folks last Saturday evening with a delicious ice cream and watermelon feast.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Varner and daughters are here from Valentine.

George C. Riley, Henry Riley and son, George Jr., were over from Tarpley yesterday.

Rufus Bishop, who has been in the Citizens' Military Training Camp at San Antonio the past month, is expected home this week.

P. E. Whisenhunt was in from the ranch yesterday and informed us that he would show some of his good sheep and goats at the Bandera, Fredericksburg and Boerne fairs.

WINAN'S CREEK.

Bernard Duke spent a few days last week with his uncle, R. L. Duke and family near Utopia.

Mrs. Henry Bausch has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Hohenberger of Fredericksburg.

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For Sheriff and Tax Collector.

Elvins Hicks announces this week as a candidate for the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector of Bandera County. Mr. Hicks needs no introduction at our hands. He was born and raised in this county, is a gentleman of unquestioned integrity, and fully qualified to discharge the duties of the office to which he aspires. He will appreciate your support and vote at the polls in November. We are sure if he is elected he will make a competent and efficient official and will keep the peace unturned and enforce the laws as much as lies in his power to do so.

For County and District Clerk.

Bernard E. Duke announces this week as a candidate for County and District Clerk. Bernard is a Bandera county raised young man, and is well and favorably known through the county. He possesses the ability and is well fitted for the official and if he is elected he will discharge the duties of the office in an efficient and satisfactory manner. He had some experience in this line, having served as deputy clerk under Mark McBryde for a while. He solicits your vote and support in the coming November election and will greatly appreciate any favors shown him in the race.

Mrs. M. E. Fryckburg and daughters, Misses Donna, Holice and Elinor, came up from San Antonio and spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Perner, of Cleveland, Ohio, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Perner at their ranch home. Mr. Perner is a cousin to Wm. Perner. This is their first trip to Texas and they were well pleased with the climate and scenery here.

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TUFF TIMES

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Adams were visiting in San Antonio last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White-head have moved up to the place which they purchased from D. S. Palmer.

Mrs. J. E. Pike had as her guest last week her mother, Mrs. R. E. Love of Kerrville, her sister, Mrs. Alfred Irvin and daughter, Geneva of Edna, California, and her brother, P. O. Love of Mill Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Batterlein.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Pike.

Daisy and Annie Zumwalt spent awhile in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lucile Ames, of Sacramento, Calif., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Callie Carpenter. Harvey Carpenter has gone back to his job at Brawley, California.

Coen Sutherland returned home Monday from Goldthwaite where he has been working for quite awhile.

Mrs. Dee Anderson, Joe Sutherland and Henry Zumwalt came in last Saturday. They have been working with the threshers at Robert Brown's.

George Allsup and two boys, Alvin and Lonie, visited John Adams one day this week.

Miss Martha Watrous visited Misses Gladys and Mildred Sutherland last Sunday evening.

It's Grandpa Ethridge.

For the past several days we have noticed Judge W. S. Ethridge going quietly, and could not imagine the cause. His good wife returned from San Antonio last Thursday after spending two weeks in that city and of the truth leaked out. Judge Ethridge is a grandpa. Born, on July 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Wright of San Antonio, a girl. The little miss has been named Arenia Blanche, after her grandparents, Mrs. Arenia Wright and Mrs. Blanche Ethridge. Before marriage Mrs. Wright was Miss Pauline Ethridge, a popular Bandera girl, and many friends here will rejoice to know that the young mother and babe are doing nicely. There are hopes that Judge Ethridge will eventually recover his equilibrium.

Kerrville Gets Next Convention.

At the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention held in Del Rio last week it was voted to hold the meeting next year at Kerrville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge and Mrs. Daniell visited San Antonio Sunday afternoon.

TARPLEY.

Miss Erma Mesch returned to San Antonio Sunday after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mesch.

Miss Jones, of San Antonio, is spending several weeks with Miss Wanda Hohneberger.

Mrs. A. Burns made a business trip to San Antonio last Thursday.

Mrs. D. A. Hicks has returned from Sabinal where she has been sick quite awhile. She is doing better now, and we hope she will be up soon.

Mrs. Love, of Vanderpool, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. D. A. Hicks.

Mrs. Felix Newcomer, of Pipe Creek, came over to spend a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. R. N. Padgett has gone on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Monroe, at Tioga.

A delightful ice cream party was enjoyed by the young folks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hay last Friday.

J. W. Glass made a business trip to San Antonio last week.

Mr. Alston, of Medina, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Jim Gloss.

Mrs. Gerald Smith, of San Marcos, visiting her brother, R. N. Padgett.

Oscar Coughran will soon move to his new home.

The Misses Jones, of San Antonio, were here Sunday.

The singing at the Baptist church was enjoyed by all.

Harrel Usher and W. P. Allison made a flying trip to Hondo Monday.

A delightful farewell dance was given for Miss Erma Mesch at her home last Saturday night. Over a hundred young and old folks were present, and the old fancy dances were enjoyed, and a late four supper was served.

W. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. McGovern of San Antonio and Mrs. Newman and Mr. Peters, of Hondo, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cravey last Sunday.

Rodeo at Center Point.

Quite a number of Bandera folks went over to Center Point last Saturday to attend a rodeo given under the auspices of the Center Point Parent-Teachers' Association. A good barbecue dinner was also served. Some splendid riding and roping was done by the cowboys, some of them were from Bandera, and the only unpleasant feature of the day's entertainment was the showers of rain which interfered somewhat with the program.

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The San Antonio Express never loses an opportunity to say a good word for Bandera, and our people should appreciate what that excellent daily is doing for this section of the country. In Monday's "Think" column on first page of the Express the following item appeared:

"Bandera citizens are eager to assist Alamo Council, Boy Scouts of America in establishing an annual encampment somewhere in that favored belt where the Medina winds between cypress trees and where every mountain top seems to be a giant sentinel guarding an enchanted land. Since the San Antonio-Bandera road was made possible at all seasons that sequestered spot only a few far-away is easily reached. There is no prettier country and every Scout would find delight there."

The County Fair will soon be at hand. Only a few more days and it will have passed into history at the best fair we have ever held. August 26, 27 and 28 are the dates. And great preparations are going on to make the exhibits this year excel those in every way. Products of the farm, canned fruits and vegetables, grain, livestock, fancy needlework, school work and everything that enters into the industrial life of the community will be shown to the best advantage. Bandera has always had a good fair, and with the splendid crops in sight this year it is confidently believed that this year's fair will be the best yet. The amusement and entertainment features will not be neglected, either. Exciting races will take place each day, and the best bands and orchestras will participate, and a large platform will be provided for old and young to dance to. Good music will be furnished, there will be carnival attractions galore, and lunch and barbecue stands will supply the crowds with food, while soft drink stands will quench the thirst of the multitude. The fair will be held at Mansfield Park, just west of the city. Don't forget the date, three days, August 26, 27 and 28. The admission charge each day will be only fifty cents.

The New Era wants to see our court house premises enclosed with a neat iron fence, and a public park laid out and all kinds of shade and ornamental trees planted, with cement walks leading over the grounds. Bandera ought to have a park surrounding that beautiful monument recently erected to our fallen heroes of the World War. Within a very short time we hope to have worked out a plan to submit to the people whereby Bandera can secure the park and court yard improvements mentioned above, and in which we are sure every citizen of the county will be interested.

A Boy Scout Camp is to be held at "Camp Del Rio" August 12-21. All boys 12 years of age and over are eligible, whether they are Scouts or not. The camp is located ten miles from Del Rio, on Devil's River. The boys will be under expert supervision and training. The fee for the ten days, including transportation to and from home, is $5.00. Several applications have already been received. Any information desired about the camp may be had by writing John C. Campbell, Acting Scout Executive, Uvalde, Texas.

Trip to London.

Last Thursday the New Era editor accompanied by his daughters, Misses Jennette and Rachel Hunter, made a trip to London, in Kimble county, returning Friday afternoon. We had not visited London in almost twenty years, and were delighted to find many great improvements and wonderful changes had occurred there. We were also delighted to find many of our old friends still there, who gave us a royal welcome. Before leaving London we visited the public school building, and the Willis Mound Echoes he has ever seen. [illegible]

Prowling Among the Mounds.

Last Saturday in company with Misses Roy Baldwin and W. D. Hensley of the State University, we went over to Tarpley to investigate Indian mounds, one of which was located on the premises of R. E. Willis. On Sunday morning we went on up to the Elkins Ranch, accepted by Eb Elder to see a mound there, but we were not able to locate it. Mr. Elder, who is a veteran in [illegible] history, says the Willis Mound is the largest he has ever seen, and [illegible]

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We are proud to present to the people of this section one of the best tabernacles and camping arrangements in Texas. We have secured for this year's encampment Dr. J. M. Dyess as our leader in all music and singing. Dr. Dyess will be remembered as the leader of the singing at the Bandera Encampment last year. He will have charge of the [illegible]

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Dr. L. L. Scarborough of Fort Worth Baptist Seminary is to be with us from the 9th to the 16th to lead us in the Encampment hours. Mr. H. L. Caldwell of the Sunday Music Department of the Fort Worth Seminary will be with us to lead the singing. Mr. Scarborough and will lead in song services. These men need no introduction to our people. They are among the best Christian men in Texas. We have a number of prominent workers who will give addresses. Among these will be Dr. Geo. W. Truett, Baptist General Superintendent of Texas, Dr. J. W. Crowder, who will also be with us. Some of the speakers who will be here are: Dr. E. Godbold; Dr. J. M. Carroll; Dr. T. C. Gilland; Dr. J. C. Hardy and W. A. Harrell. A number of prominent ladies from our Colleges and Universities will be here. The following colleges and universities will likely be represented: Simmons University, Baylor University, Carrell College, San Marcos Baptist Academy, Howard College, Belton; Hardin Payne College, Etc.

The people of Menard, all of us and no faith, join in extending an invitation to the people of all Texas to come and be with us during the ten days Encampment. A cafe will be on the grounds as well as other conveniences. If you have a tent, cot, stove, etc. load them in and come. If you desire either of these please notify A. L. Jordan, Menard, Texas at least three days ahead of time and they will be secured for you.

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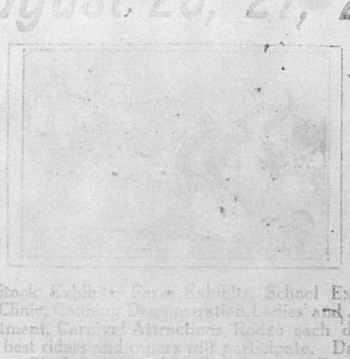

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Otto Stein will thresh cane seed at his place on Wednesday, August 11, on the old Jack ranch. Remember the date and bring your cane to be threshed.

Plow and Tractor Demonstration

I represent the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co., and wish to announce that I will give a demonstration of the Tractor and Plow at Medina, Saturday, August 7th. You are invited to witness this demonstration.—Robert Bowne.

Rams For Sale.

I have a bunch of good rams for sale, some registered and some graded. All yearlings. Can be seen at my ranch any time.—F. E. Whisenhunt. Agstf

Mrs. Kauser, of Dillie, is a guest at the City Hotel for a month.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

Liberty Life Assurance Society's Silver Anniversary Week was a great success. Thank you, members.—Joy L. Tilley, Organizer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Smith and Joe Drake, of San Antonio, were guests of C. F. Faris and family Sunday.

Mrs. R. N. Hicks and children returned Monday from a visit to relatives in Iowa. They were absent about six weeks, and were accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Carroll, who will spend several months here.

Sheriff Stevens was "held up" while coming in from San Antonio last Sunday, it is said. But the genial sheriff went back and arrested a young man on the road and brought him to town and lodged him in jail. Monday he plead guilty to disturbing the peace and was fined $25 and costs.

The Epworth will meet at 7:30 next Sunday evening, with Burgin Davenport as leader. The subject is, "The Grace of Humility." Several Leaguers will discuss humility as it was revealed by Jesus Christ. Get in the habit of going to League on Sunday evening and let's show our loyalty to our League by attending its services.

Life insurance is an absolute necessity. Our plan is right, just and fair. See Joy L. Tilley, our district organizer, Liberty Life Assurance Society. pays if you live, pays if you die.

Grand Ball

At Adams Hall in Medina

Saturday Nite

Aug. 7

Music by FOSTER'S COLLEGIANS

Everybody Come!

Miss Marie McDonald, of Christine, is visiting Miss Thelma Surber for a few days.

The United Goat and Sheep Raisers show and sale started at Camp Wood yesterday.

Ray Hay, of Sonora, was here last week on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hay.

Summer Hats, while they last at half price, at Mrs. T. S. Dennis' Millinery Store.

Mrs. J. M. Sorrell and sons, of Pearsall, were here one day last week visiting her brother, Rev. B. J. Gossett, and family. They were en route to Kerrville.

Mrs. W. S. Ethridge returned last Thursday from San Antonio, where she spent two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Ira L. Wright, and her mother, Mrs. Mary Drake of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerdes of the West Verde, were in town Tuesday, accompanied by their sons, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Stieg, of Hondo. They paid the New Era office an appreciated call while in the city.

Mrs. Chas. Decker and daughter, Miss Virginia Ford, came up from San Antonio Saturday to visit her mother, Mrs. E. J. Coleman at Medina. Robert Ford and Mrs. Ruth Whitehead returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis are attending a big camp-meeting of the Church of God at Eastland this week. During their absence Hal S. Hudspeth has charge of the jewelry store and will sell you a watch or fix anything from a threshing machine to a windmill.

Dances

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F. P. Layton and Master Thomas Colemhi were down from Medina Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks, of Tarpley, visited their daughters in San Antonio this week.

Regular services at the Methodist church Sunday. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 8:30 p. m.

R. L. Morris, J. C. Hillman and T. H. Phillips were down from Lima Monday on business.

Mrs. Emery Chaffin, of Nixon, is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Richards, near Medina.

Sheriff Henry Stevens went to San Antonio Sunday after his wife, who spent several days there with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Postert spent a few days with relatives at Corpus Christi last week, returning home Sunday.

In the baseball game played here last Sunday, the Bandera team beat a Camp Normoyle team by a score of 8 to 0.

The Methodist meeting will begin on Friday night, September 3rd, and will be conducted by Rev. C. E. Wheat of Kerrville.

Mrs. John A. Head returned Sunday from San Antonio where she spent two weeks with her son, George Barnes, and family.

Miss Marguerite Schoenert, of San Antonio, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schoenert on Myrtle Creek, last week.

George Postert and family of Hart, Texas, spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Postert of Bandera. They returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Carlton and infant are here from San Antonio to spend awhile. Mr. Carlton is thinking of teaching a violin class here again.

W. E. Mansfield, M. R. Thalmann, I. F. Adamietz and W. C. Hall went to Camp Wood yesterday to attend the United Goat and Sheep Raisers' show and sale.

W. M. Fudge, of Atlanta, Ga., representing the Mergenthaler Linotype Co., was a visitor in Bandera Monday, and was delighted with this wonderful region.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hermes and children, Raymond and Mildred, were here from Yoakum this week, visiting the families of Will Batts of Bandera and H. J. Hermes, Sr., of Tarpley.

Mrs. W. H. Allen and two daughters, Misses Mary and Minnie Allen, arrived from San Antonio Tuesday to spend several weeks here. They have secured apartments at the home of Ed Coughran.

Mrs. B. J. Gossett gave a surprise birthday dinner last Monday in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Miss Mary North. A number of the bright little girl's friends were invited and a merry time was enjoyed. Mrs. Gossett, Friday, returned from a trip to Galveston, where he saw all kinds of wonderful sights. Freddie accompanied his mother, Mrs. Bessie White of San Antonio, to the coast town and spent ten days there.

Clarence Young of Helotes and Herbert Meurer of Medina were visitors at the New Era office yesterday. Mr. Mears and wife, and his mother, Mrs. J. W. Mears, of Miss Ana last week, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Young this week.

Ollift Adams was here from Medina Monday and showed us several specimens of stone arrow heads and spear heads which he had found in the vicinity of Tuff. All were in splendid condition and one in particular was the finest specimen of the stone spearhead we have ever seen.

Tom North and daughter, Lula, left on San Antonio Monday afternoon to visit Mrs. North and Edith. We are pleased to learn that Edith is recovering from the operation she suffered went last week and will soon be moved from the hospital to a private home.

E. J. Pennell and C. R. Billings, of Nixon, were here a few days this week. They returned home Tuesday accompanied by R. L. Billings, who spent the past two weeks with his sister, Mrs. Ed Coughran. Mr. Pennell is engaged in the real estate business at Nixon, and while in our city he called and inserted an advertisement in the New Era asking for land listings. He has frequent calls for farm and ranch property in this section, and if you want to sell he may find a buyer for you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge:
J. A. EAMES.
A. L. MANSFIELD.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.
BERNARD E. DUKE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.
ELVIUS HICKS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN F. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON PYKA
F. R. CAFFALL.
R. C. BOALES.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. FOSTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

L. F. Merk of Dilley, was here last Saturday.

John Hinds and little son were here from Medina last Monday.

Drs. A. C. and Edwin Sevier were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hugo.

Mrs. Dora Fagan, of San Antonio, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Gilbert.

Mrs. O. C. Hershelt and children, who spent the past month here with relatives, left Friday for their home in San Antonio.

The barbecue which was scheduled to take place above Medina next Saturday, has been postponed indefinitely we understand.

Dr. Edwards of Mexico City, with his father and mother of Kingsville, Texas, are here to spend a month for Mrs. Edwards' health.

Ernest and Stewart Haby, accompanied by Miss Valeria Nowpski of Yoakum, came up from San Antonio and spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Henry Haby.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church presents the Thomason Trio in recital at the Bandera High School Auditorium Tuesday night August 10. Admission 25c and 50c.

Chas. L. Fagan, who spent the past three weeks here, departed Tuesday for his home at Rahway, New Jersey, from whence he will sail shortly for South America where he is in the United States service as a wireless operator. Mr. Fagan greatly enjoyed his visit to Bandera and we were very glad to have him with us. He seems to belong to this section, and during his sojourn here he made many friends who will be here to welcome him when he comes again.

Real Estate Wanted.

I desire to secure a listing of Bandera county ranch and farm lands, and am in the real estate business at Nixon and have frequent calls for Bandera county lands.—E. J. Pennell, Real Estate and Loans, Nixon, Texas.

Much interesting testimony taken in the case wherein Frank M. Montague is charged with failing and refusing to dip his cattle. The case was called for yesterday, but was continued until Saturday. Mr. Montague has employed able counsel and will fight the case through the courts.

WANT COLUMN

GOOD PEARS for sale at my place on Indian Creek. Come and get them.—J. S. Burns.

LOST—Wrist watch, solid gold, on San Antonio road July 29.—Finder please return to Mrs. J. B. Holt, Bandera.

FOR SALE—Three gentle work mules. See W. H. Fitzgerald.

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MEDINA.

Jim McMahon is visiting his sister, Mrs. C. B. Robertson, at Fredericksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kelly and family, of Houston, are visiting Mr. Kelly's mother, Mrs. M. D. Kelly, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Long and baby of Port Arthur, are visiting Mrs. Long's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Whitehead.

Mrs. Myrl Vawter and children, of San Antonio, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Vowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitson Justice and Miss Billie Joe Freeman, of Crystal City, are visiting Mr. Justice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Skinner of Port Arthur, are visiting Mrs. Skinner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

A picnic was given by the Methodist Sunday school last Friday afternoon. Everyone enjoyed the occasion very much.

W. A. Carlisle, of Lake Dallas, was the guest of Rev. B. J. Gossett this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Weltner, of Camp Verde, visited relatives in San Antonio and Alice last week.

Miss Katherine McBryde, who has been attending the San Marcos Normal, has returned home.

Herbert Dienger of Boerne and Miss Dannie Banfi of Waring were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Weltner at Camp Verde one day last week.

Mrs. E. H. Ruge and daughter, Miss Johanna, are here from Little Rock, Arkansas, on a visit to the son and brother, Walter K. Ruge.

J. W. Leathers, wife and two daughters, Ruth and Jewel, of Mission, and Miss Lucile and Blake Richardson of Stockdale, are visiting J. W. Watson and family.

Herbert A. Paine, owner of the Paine Motor Co., was over from Boerne Tuesday and paid this office an appreciated visit. Mr. Paine informs us that several automobiles are to be given away at the Boerne Fair next month, and his firm is giving coupons in the contests. Customers are asked to call for these coupons when making purchases.

You can make some money by using your spare time. A good business to turn over to the right party.—Joy L. Tilley, Organizer, Liberty Life Assurance Society.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hinds have moved to Comstock where they will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson moved them out there.

Mrs. S. A. Keese and children left Monday for a few days visit in Del Rio, the guests of Mrs. T. M. Knatchbl, and other relatives at Fredonia.

Mrs. W. Banta of Medina is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. O. D. Keese.

Avery Graham, of Hot Springs, New Mexico, is spending a few days with his cousin, Eugene Keese.

The meeting held by Brother Young at Rocky Creek closed Sunday night. There were several additions to the church.

Brother L. D. Ferguson of Bear Valley filled a meeting at Lima next Friday night. Everybody come and hear the Gospel preached in a simple manner as Brother Ferguson He lived here many years ago and is remembered by many old friends.

Teachers' Institute at Kerrville.

The teachers of Bandera county will attend the Hill Country Institute at Kerrville, which will be held September 6 to 10, inclusive, instead of attending the Institute at San Antonio, as has formerly been done. Judge J. A. Eames, our County Superintendent, says it is compulsory that teachers attend the Institute and he will insist that they do so.

Reunion Photos Here.

The large circuit photos made at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 2nd and 3rd, have arrived and are ready for delivery to those who placed orders, and also for sale to those who may want them. The price is one dollar each. You can get them at the New Era office.

Claude Fletcher, who is taking a preliminary course in San Marcos College, came home last Saturday.

Miss Mina McCurdy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCurdy of Lubbock, Texas, is visiting friends and relatives here and at Kerrville. She expects to remain until the first of September.

F. M. Duncan of Sutherland Springs, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Dick Hoke and children, Thelma, Margaret and Lillian Hoke, of Somerset, are here on a visit to Mrs. Mattie Jones. Mr. Duncan lived here for many years and is well known to all of the old timers, who are glad to greet him again.

Must Be in Run-off.

The battle for the Democratic nomination for governor of Texas is to be fought all over again between Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and Attorney General Dan Moody.

In the midst of threats of court action to disqualify Moody and followed by a heated speech by Moody, the Democratic State executive committee Monday certified the names of Mrs. Ferguson and Moody to go on the ballot for the run-off primary August 28.

The committee action followed shortly after an official canvass of the July primary vote by a sub-committe, which showed that Moody lacked 1,770 votes of having a majority over all candidates. Under the Texas election law the executive committee must certify the names of the two highest candidates for a run-off where the returns do not show a majority for any candidate.

Accepts Position at Harper.

Miss Grace Duke has been employed as teacher in the Harper High School. That Harper school board was fortunate in securing the services of this excellent young lady, as she is a teacher of ability and will give good satisfaction in the school at that place.

Celebrates 85th Birthday.

Mrs. F. L. Hicks celebrated her 85th birthday Tuesday at her home on Hicks' Creek. All of her children and many grandchildren and great grandchildren were present to extend best wishes to the dear old mother. A fine dinner was served to all of the guests, and the day passed very pleasantly. Mrs. Hicks came to this county 71 years ago and has lived here ever since, having with her husband, now deceased, had a great part in the development of this county. She has raised a large family of sons and daughters who are now among the prominent and highly respected citizens of the county, and her kind helped to build the splendid civilization which we of this generation today enjoy. May God bless Mrs. Hicks and spare her for many years and spare them to bless us with their presence for many more years.

The County Commissioners' Court convened in regular session last Monday, with all members of the board present.

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In Durance Vile.

Two young boys are languishing in jail here as a result of getting drunk on home brew, which they claim they made themselves. They were fined by Justice of the Peace Harper, $10 and costs each, and have failed to pay their fines. It is estimated that the county will in the future use its "boarders" in working the roads.

Moves to Christine.

Prof. Joy L. Tilley and family moved to Christine this week, where Prof. Tilley will teach in the Christine High School the coming term. Their many friends wish this good family well in their new home, and we venture the prediction that Mr. Tilley will give those Christine school patrons good satisfaction in the school work. He is an excellent instructor and has had many years teaching experience.

Epworth League.

The Epworth League will meet for their usual devotional services next Sunday evening, with B. C. Pfeenor as leader. A cordial invitation is extended to all to meet with the Leaguers. The subject to be discussed is "The Character of God."

Prof. Joy L. Tilley.

The Baby Clinic.

The baby clinic at the County Fair, to be held on the last two days of the fair, promises to be quite an interesting feature. The services of a baby specialig will be secured to pass upon the physical fitness of all children entered, whose ages will run to six or seven years. It is desired that all mothers in the community enter their children within those ages in this clinic.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Teachers of Six Counties to Attend Institute.

More than 250 teachers from the counties of Bandera, Kerr, Kimble, Gillespie, Mason and Real will attend the Hill Country Institute to be held in Kerrville September 6-10, according to Supt. Raymond A. Franklin of the Kerrville Public Schools, who is director of the institute. Under an arrangement made with Pres. J. J. Delaney of Schreiner Institute, the business sessions of the Hill Country Institute will be held in the Schreiner administration building, and the dormitories as well as cottages at the Westmoreland Presbyterian Encampment grounds will be thrown open to provide facilities for the visiting teachers during their stay here, Superintendent Franklin announced.

The Board of Directors of the teachers' institute is composed of the county judges of the six counties named and the superintendents of the schools at Bandera, Kerrville, Junction, Fredericksburg and Mason.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

For County Commissioner.

Kasper Dugos announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1. Mr. Dugos is well known to all of the voters. He has served in former years as commissioner, and gave general satisfaction. Mr. Dugos, in entering this race, does so at the solicitation of many friends and if he is elected he will discharge the duties of the office in a painstaking and efficient manner. He will appreciate your support and vote at the polls in November election.

Duane Rugh is in San Antonio for a visit to relatives.

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Recital Tuesday Night.

The Thomason Trio, of San Antonio, gave a recital at the High School Auditorium Tuesday night, under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church. These artists in expression and dramatic art delighted all who were present, and each number was heartily applauded. They are high class entertainers, and it is regrettable the attendance Tuesday evening was not greater. The program was made up of readings, vocal and instrumental selections. Little Miss Patsy Billings, a cute pupil, appeared on the program in reading and instrumental solo. We hope the Thomason Trio will visit Bandera again.

Married Tuesday.

Edward Clark and Miss Essie Flannary were married at the court house Tuesday afternoon, Judge J. A. Eames officiating. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Clark of Tarpley, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. A. A. Flannary of Indian Creek. Both are worthy young people, and the New Era wishes for them much joy and happiness through life.

B. Y. P. U. Class Work.

This has been a great week for the Baptist young people of Bandera. Miss Bill Morgan, B. Y. P. U. worker for the Medina River Baptist Association, has been directing the classes being held each night at the Baptist church. Miss Morgan is being assisted by Miss Dockery and Rev. Verna Brock of San Antonio. Dr. I. E. Gates, accompanied by his wife, was here from San Antonio and delivered an inspirational talk Tuesday night. Last night was "stunt night," and tonight Rev. Henderson, the associational missionary, will deliver an inspirational talk. Rev. McClellan, pastor of the Beacon Hill Baptist church in San Antonio, will deliver the talk Friday night.

Good attendance has marked each evening's program, there being about sixty-five in the classes Tuesday night. Refreshments are served and various forms of amusement are provided for the young folks. Everybody invited to come and enjoy themselves, and participate in the class work.

House Caught Fire.

The dwelling of Dan Buck in some manner caught on fire yesterday afternoon, and for a time its destruction was threatened, but prompt action soon extinguished the flames. Only slight damage was sustained.

TARPLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beales of Tarpley.

Mrs. Joe Leighton has been quite ill.

Vernon Sparks has returned home after spending several days in Bandera.

Mrs. Sparks has returned from Miami, Arizona.

Mrs. Otto Marquis, who recently underwent an operation at a San Antonio hospital, is doing fine, and we hope she will be able to return home soon.

Emmett Holt and family, of Welda, Kansas, is visiting his brother, L. H. Holt and family.

Mrs. Graves, of Bandera, is spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Ike Evans spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, of Cleburne, were camping in College Heights last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cravey of Tarpley, and Mrs. Graves of Bandera made a trip to Hondo last Friday.

Sol Ceffey, of Hondo, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and bright little daughter, Mildred, are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hicks.

Elvius Hicks, candidate for sheriff, was seen on the streets of Tarpley Saturday.

W. D. Glass is making room for a new dwelling in Tarpley. Watch Tarpley grow.

Lee Fries was here on business Saturday.

Bob Robison has returned from an extended visit to Coryell county. He was accompanied home by Mr. Lavejoy.

Kelley Alston has returned to San Antonio after spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Jim Glass.

Last Sunday morning Mr. Addison Billings and Miss Alice Billings were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, at Piery, Rev. J. A. Boatman officiating. The groom is a well known young man of Tarpley and highly esteemed by all. The bride is the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Watson. She is a sweet little girl and loved by all who know her. Mrs. Billing went down for the wedding and accompanied the bride and groom home. Arriving at home the newly married pair were heartily welcomed by the following friends and relatives: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Billings, Mr. and Mrs. John Tyra and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass, Oscar Tyra, Kelly Alston and W. D. Alston. Everyone wishes Mr. and Mrs. Billings a long, happy and prosperous life.

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Kerrville, Fredericksburg, Mason, Junction, Boerne, Comfort and other towns have recently secured high line electric power service, through the coming into those towns, of the West Texas Utilities Company, a great corporation which has purchased the local electric power plants. Bandera is still hopeful that a high line will be run through here to Bonds and other towns to the south of us. We need electric power, and we believe we will get it before many more months pass. Most significant is the fact that a fifty-year franchise was granted by our county commissioners a short time ago, and some of the machinery was brought to Bandera and put in place. Now, we understand, a high line survey is being made from Comfort to Bandera, and in this direction from the day when our town will have electric lights and power, and ranches and farms for many miles will get electric current.

The County Fair will be held at Bandera August 25, 27, 28, at Mansfield Park. From reports that are coming in to the New Era office many displays of farm products and live stock will be brought in, as well as various other exhibits. The schools, particularly, will have exhibits which will be most interesting. Then, also, the amusement features and carnival attractions will provide plenty of entertainment for the large crowds expected to be in attendance each day. This year's fair promises to be the best we have ever held.

Frontier Times for September will be issued from this office this week. This number completes the third volume of this interesting little magazine starting three years ago without a subscriber, Frontier Times has grown to be a nationally known publication, and is still growing. Few people realize that what it contains to Bandera matter is more than an occasional historical sketch pertaining to this county; it is helping to put Bandera on the map and people all over the United States are learning through Frontier Times of Bandera's existence. The September number will contain the following stories: "The Irish Pioneers of Texas," "Fighting with Sibley in New Mexico," Bigfoot Coffey, Early Day Ranchman," "Life of Ben Thompson," "Finds Sister After Sixty Years," "Daring Feat of Three Texas Boys," "Helped to Tame Bad Men," "James Dunn, the Gallant Ranger," "First Account of Custer Massacre," "The Hunters' Last Stand," "A Foul Murder in Mason County," "An Arizona Tragedy." Every story listed above is full of thrills that will interest you.

Watching the Outcome.

Much interest is being taken in the charges which have been preferred against Frank M. Montague, for "failure and refusing to dip his cattle." The case was to have been heard in court last Saturday, but was continued. Mr. Montague is very anxious for the case to come to trial, as he feels that he is entirely within his rights. He says he has never refused to dip his stock, but he wants the State Livestock Sanitary Board to assume responsibility for any damage to the stock resulting from dipping. He has had some of his cattle injured, and others have had cattle injured and had some losses which it is claimed resulted from dipping, and naturally it is desired that the courts decide who is responsible and if damages should be awarded where injury is sustained. For the past five years or longer the tick eradication movement has been under way in Bandera county, and during that time we have heard a great many complaints over the restrictions that have been placed upon our stockraisers for the purpose of "cleaning up" the county. We have felt that the "cleaning up" was a good thing and have been hopeful that it would soon be accomplished and Bandera county given a clean bill of health and placed above the quarantine line. But we seem about as far from the goal now as we were when we started in. The county spent all of its available funds in the eradication work the first or three years of the movement, and then went in debt to buy dip, and we are still paying for it, and will be paying for it for some time to come. Last year the State generously came to our rescue, and is now furnishing the dip and paying the inspectors, and it seems that we should have no kick in the matter, and we know of none except in the cases of burning and injuring stock. This should be easily remedied. If our State legislature would enact a law providing that every inspector be placed under bond, it would give stockmen whose cattle are injured through dipping some recourse and he could recover damages for injuries thus sustained. But the Legislature is not going to pass such a law, so we are not holding out such hopes. It remains for the courts to decide what redress, if any, an individual who loses his stock or is damaged by dipping. The Montague case, we understand, is to be fought through all the courts if necessary, and the outcome will be watched with much interest by the people, not only of this county, but by stockmen all over the state.

Later—The Montague case was dismissed yesterday on motion of State's prosecuting attorney, for the following reasons: "Leo Callan, chairman of the State Livestock Sanitary Board, had entered into an agreement with Frank M. Montague that he, Montague, was not to be released from dipping until sometime in September, 1926."

Hunter Discovers Relics

J. Marvin Hunter, prominent Texas historian, and editor of the Bandera New Era and Frontier Times, was a fraternal caller at our office Monday. Mr. Hunter was just returning from an excursion into the territory adjacent to Junction, and brought back with him a pocketful of relics of some former civilization. These he got from a hill near London, which hill Mr. Hunter is convinced is a mound. He showed us several fragments of clay tablets, with some kind of symbols or figures on them, and also several similarly formed pieces of glass, some of which have symbols in the.—Hill View Times, Kerrville.

Change of Schedule.

W. A. Gray, who operates the bus line from Medina, through Bandera, to San Antonio, announces the following change of schedule:

Leaves San Antonio daily at 7:30 a. m.
Arrives Bandera 9:45 a. m.
Arrives Medina 10:45 a. m.
Leaves Medina at 12, noon.
Leaves Bandera at 12:45 p. m
Arrives San Antonio 2:45 p. m.
On Saturdays the bus leaves San Antonio at 5:30 p. m.
On Sundays the bus leaves Medina 3:30 p. m., and Bandera 4:30 p. m.

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AN ACT TO CREATE ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 2 IN BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS; VALIDATING AND APPROVING ALL ORDERS MADE BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR FURTHER PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR FURTHER PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR FURTHER PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR FURTHER PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR FURTHER PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR FURTHER PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR FURTHER PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR FURTHER PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTIFIED COPIES THEREOF, AND CONSTITUTING SUCH ORDERS LEGAL EVIDENCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

DATED this the 9th day of August, 1926.

J. A. EAMES, County Judge, Bandera County, Texas.

Bandera is going to have some good streets, for Callahan's crew of highway workers are now engaged in grading and gravelling the State Highway which passes through town, and in order to put the streets traversed by the highway in proper shape Elmer Brown last week placed a subscription list and raised $162.50, which will be supplemented by a like amount from the State, and the work is being done under State supervision. Main Street, which has always been more or less rough in places, is being graded and gravelled, the culverts are to be safe-guarded with stone walls on each side, and other necessary work is being done. Mr. Callahan is enthusiastic over this piece of work and when it is finished the town and county will certainly owe him a vote of thanks.

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Crops are reported to be excellent in Gillespie county and the agricultural displays, as well as the stock, sheep, goats and poultry exhibits, promise to be much larger and of finer grade than in former years.

The entertainment program is interesting and instructive and will no doubt please all those attend the Fair. Thorobred horses from Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico have been in training at the Fair Grounds for months and the races promise unusual rivalry. A ball game will take place every afternoon between the Fredericksburg Giants and a fast visiting team. Polo games are matched for Friday and Sunday, the first and last day of the Fair, and while this game is not generally understood, it is a clean sport, easy to grasp, and is certain to please the visitors. The Fredericksburg, Concert Band will furnish music, but several large band organizations from other cities have been invited and are expected to assist in entertaining the Fair visitors.

A grand display of fireworks conducted by an expert from Kansas City will take place every night.

We call our readers attention to the advertisement in this issue. Everybody is invited to spend the three Fair days in Fredericksburg, and their hospitality, together with their art of knowing how to put occasions of this kind over big, it is presumed that many of our people will go there.

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I have a choice lot of Delaine Merino rams for sale at moderate prices.—Chas. Real, Kerrville Texas.

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Affidavit of Commissioners Court To Examination of County Cash and Assets.

The State of Texas.
Bandera County.

In Commissioners' Court August term, 1926.

Before me, Mark McBryde, Clerk of the Court in and for said County, personally appeared the Members of the Commissioners' Court, whose names are below inscribed, who upon their oaths, do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter I, Title XXV of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the 41st Legislature, and was delighted to see them

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kindla spent last Sunday in San Antonio with their daughter, Mrs. A. E. Burger, and family. Several of their children gathered there on that day, and an enjoyable time was spent in the Alamo City.

Rams For Sale.

I have a bunch of good rams for sale, some registered and some grades. All yearlings. Can be seen at my ranch any time.—F. E. Whisenhunt. Agt

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Miss Mary Knight left Thursday for Dilley, where she has accepted a position.

Summer Hats, while they last at half price, at Mrs. T. S. Dennis' Millinery Store.

Henry A. Huffmeyer, of San Marcos, is here visiting Chas. Rugh and family for a week.

Mrs. H. L. Atkins left Friday for Marlowe, Okla., on a visit to her brother and two nieces. She will be absent two weeks.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

Royce Risinger and family, who spent a couple of weeks with relatives here left Sunday for their home in San Antonio.

Mrs. L. L. DeLaunay and infant came up from San Antonio last Saturday and spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Y. Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange Clark leave tomorrow for Charlotte on a visit to relatives.

Harold Vagner came up from San Antonio and spent last week end with friends in Bandera.

B. R. L. Stourgeon and Mr. Medford passed up from San Antonio Monday, on their way to Medina.

Mrs. Fred Risinger and children were here from San Antonio this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hicks and pretty little daughter, Dorothy, were over from Tarpley Tuesday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Miss Helen Rugh and brother, Jimmie, in company with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Couser and Mrs. Stout of Dilley, visited Kerrville last Thursday.

Miss Thelma Surber entertained a number of her friends with a swimming party and chicken roast last Saturday night at the Thalmann Crossing.

Frank Mansfield went to Gonzales last week to deliver a new Chevrolet Coach to Mrs. W. R. Autry, who had purchased it through his sales egency.

Mrs. John C. Surber, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Surber and Emmett Bishop, of Mason, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Surber of this city.

Mrs. A. B. Frix and children, of Craig, Colorado, accompanied by Mrs. Frix's mother, Mrs. W. E. Henley of San Antonio, were recent visitors at the Otto Weltner ranch near Camp Verde.

On Wednesday of last week Mrs. Mattie Jones enjoyed a visit from her former neighbor, Mrs. G. Varner and daughter of Valentine, and was delighted

Mrs. Tom North and little daughter, Edith, came up from San Antonio Monday evening. Edith is making good recovery from the operation she recently underwent for appendicitis, and we hope will soon be entirely well. Mr. North and Miss Lula went to San Antonio to bring them home.

Elder L. D. Ferguson, of Pear Valley, will begin a meeting for the Church of Christ at this place tomorrow (Friday) night, to continue several days. Elder Ferguson, who formerly lived in this county, is an able preacher and presents the great Bible truths in a most convincing manner. Everybody invited to attend the meeting.

Little Miss Hazel Lee Head brought the New Era editor a basket of delicious grapes last Thursday, which she gathered from the vineyard of her grandfather, Col. J. A. Head. Hazel Lee is a bright little miss who is here from Tulsa, Oklahoma, on a summer visit to her grandparents, and she has adopted this city as her next best friend. We appreciate the little lady's gift and very much enjoyed eating the fine grapes.

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For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM

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MRS. JOHN F. HODGES.

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For Commissioner, Pree. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

Paul Atkins returned last week from Ft. Sam Houston, where he spent a month in the Citizens Military Training Camp.

The J. I. Case Tractor and Plow demonstration given by Robert Brown at Medina last Saturday was a complete success in every way. Those who witnessed the demonstration were highly pleased with the performance of the Case plow and tractor.

Quite a party of relatives of the Surber family went to Medina Dam last Saturday and spent the day there. They were Mrs. John C. Surber, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Surber, and Emmett Bishop of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Surber, Howard Surber, Eunice Surber and Lorene Surber.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter and daughters, Misses Adlene and Rachel, attended the meeting of the Church of Christ at Rocky Creek last Sunday. Elder Young, Baptist preacher, preached splendid sermons morning and evening. A fine dinner was enjoyed in the shady grove. A large crowd was present at each service. The meeting closed Sunday night, with several additions to the church.

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Mrs. L. C. Ingram and four children, and Mrs. Para Harris and son, Ray, of Houston, are visiting Mrs. O. P. Baker and Mr. Pitt Baker and family.

H. Baker and family, of Houston, spent last week-end with his mother, Mrs. O. P. Baker.

Miss Bettie Forest is spending a week at home.

E. H. Sewall and family have returned from a visit to relatives at Shreveport, Louisiana.

Mrs. Judith Baker spent several days in San Antonio with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Means. She went down with Odie Adams.

E. E. Wyatt and family visited relatives in Medina Sunday.

J. H. Manning and family are visiting here.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Shuptrine, August 14, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Swinney of Duvant, Okla., are visiting Bob Watson and family and his father, Mr. Watson.

Misses Ethel Maude and Joyce Newcomer are spending their vacation here.

Joe Harvey Newcomer spent several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hatfield, Mrs. M. D. Kelly and J. M. Moffett attended church at Stockdale Sunday.

Miss Gladys Bauerlein was operated on at Kerrville last week for appendicitis. She is doing very well at present.

Mrs. H. L. Carpenter and children have moved to Medina. They will operate the Independent telephone exchange.

Mrs. Pitt Baker and Mrs. Ed Bauerlein were hostess to the P. T. A. Friday afternoon at the home of the former. The guests gathered on the lawn where a short business session was held, after which a social hour and delicious punch and cake were enjoyed. Present were Mesdames David Tallman, J. E. Browning, O. P. Baker, Effie Tallman, J. C. Collins, Gourley, Ernest Justice, L. C. Ingram, Roy Harris, Bert Le Stourgeon, Jim Mayfield, H. House, Walter Rees, Emma Hammond, Bessie Canafax, Pitt Baker, Ed Bauerlein, Fred Whisenhunt, and Ed Caton.

J. F. Davis and family are visiting Mrs. Davis' father, Henry Bonnet.

Jim McMahon has returned to his home at Lubbock after a long visit to his brother, Bill McMahon, and family.

Hundreds of people will come from San Antonio, Comfort, Kerrville, Boerne, Hondo, Sabinal, Uvalde, and other towns next week to attend the Bandera fair. Meet your friends there. Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese received news Monday afternoon that their daughter Mrs. Dick Hinds was to undergo an operation for appendicitis Tuesday at Del Rio. News was received later that she was doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Keese left immediately to be with her. We hope she will soon recover.

J. N. Cease and Jack Cease were up from San Antonio Saturday. Mr. N. Cease went on and returned with them after a few days visit to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Miller and family motored to and from Fredericksburg last Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Keese.

Mrs. Bob Dick Evans went to Hondo for a few days visit.

Mrs. Bob Whitehead and daughter, Miss Willie Mae, of Port Arthur, and Miss Jones of San Antonio, visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans have moved over on Elm Creek.

Mrs. S. A. Keese and children returned Sunday from a visit to Rocky Creek where they found her brother, Tom Knatcher, was in San Antonio having his eye treated. He was some better at last report. Mr. Knatcher has suffered greatly with his eyes for years. We hope he will soon recover.

The Meeting at Lima held by Brother L. D. Ferguson is progressing nicely. Every one come and enjoy the gospel sermons he is delivering. Services each night and Sunday at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8:30 p. m.

Rescued by Young Lady.

Albert K. Smith and daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Patricia Huth, Miss Bessie Nelson, and Miss Elsa Siebolt of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Bebel and daughters, Misses Saurette, Babette and Antonette and Mrs. Jos. Honore of Houston, composed a jolly party who spent several days in Bandera last week. Only one happening occurred to mar the pleasures of the party and that was when Miss Elsa Siebolt became near drowning while in swimming one day, but due to the presence of mind and good swimming of one of the young ladies they were rescued and brought safely to the bank of the river.

Postmaster E. J. Banta and children, Chester and Reba, were here from Medina Tuesday and visited the New Era office to renew Chester's subscription to Frontier Times. Mr. Banta came down to receive a new model 1927 Ford from Lee Risinger.

Barbecue at Medina Saturday.

The Medina Council, Security Benefit Association, will give a grand barbecue at Medina next Saturday, August 21st, with a very interesting program of speeches, games, contests, music, etc. Prizes will be offered for the youngest baby, and for the oldest woman, for the oldest man, for the largest family in attendance. There will be plenty to eat, and the admission price of twenty-five cents includes the dinner and everything. That Medina council is certainly a live one. It is steadily growing in membership, due to the activities of the district manager, L. R. Watkins, and his co-workers at Medina. If you want to have a good time, be sure to attend the barbecue next Saturday.

The New Era has been requested to state that the dance, which is announced on the circulars advertising this barbecue, is not sponsored by the Medina Council, and has no connection whatever with the program arranged for the barbecue.

Notice to Teachers.

All Bandera County Teachers will be required to attend the Hill Country Institute at Kerrville, Texas, September 6-10 inclusive.

L. A. EAMES,
County Superintendent

293 Convicts Given Clemency.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 17.—Although few clemency proclamations have been announced by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson since June 1, records in the office of the Secretary of State show that since June 1, 1926, 54 full pardons, 36 conditional pardons, and 50 restorations of citizenship have been granted. Three conditional pardons have been revoked.

The Governor has also issued, the records in the Secretary of State's office show, 153 proclamations granting furloughs, paroles and extensions of furloughs to convicts in the Texas penitentiary and remitting jail sentences and fines and bonds. In addition to the pardon and restoration proclamations, the Governor issued 164 proclamations, since June 1. Eight were for special elections, one was a sanitary livestock commission order, one was for a special session of the 39th Legislature called for September 13, and another was for the issuance of Independence Day, July 4, and the remainder were for the aforementioned furloughs and paroles.

Miss Ruth Thalmann, who holds a position in the State Hospital at San Antonio, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr and Mrs. M. R. Thalmann.

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Married Saturday.

Eldon Fries and Miss Isabel Adamietz were quietly married in San Antonio last Saturday, Justice of the Peace Anton Adam officiating. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Fries of Winan's Creek, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Adamietz of near Bandera. Both are well known here, and are now receiving the congratulations of their many friends. The Ney Era joins in wishing them much joy and happiness through life.

Finger Amputated.

Little Miss Reba Banta, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. E. J. Banta, of Medina, sustained a painful injury Monday when she mashed one of her fingers with a large stone. The injury was of such a nature that the first joint of the little girl's finger had to be amputated.

Infant Died.

Mrs. Harriet Chipman is in receipt of the sad news of the death of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Buck, of near Utan, Nebraska. The little child died early in August after a brief illness. Another child of Mr. and Mrs. Buck died about two months ago, and now they are bowed with a second affliction. Mr. Buck's friends here deeply sympathize with them in their sorrow.

Revival Meeting.

The revival meeting will begin at the Methodist church on Sunday, August 29th. Rev. C. E. Wheat, of Kerrville, will conduct the meeting, assisted by the pastor, Rev. B. J. Gossett. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend these services and co-operate in the meeting.

Appointed Postmaster.

Word was received Tuesday of the appointment of Fred Mansfield as postmaster at Bandera. The news is pleasing to the many friends of Mr. Mansfield, and we are sure he will make an accommodating and efficient postmaster. Mrs. Frances Ruge has served as postmaster here for several years and has ably conducted the office in a painstaking, efficient and obliging manner, and she retires from the office with the assurance that she has faithfully performed the duties that were incumbent upon her.

For Justice of the Peace.

J. A. Brown announces this week as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1. Mr. Brown has lived here many years, and is known to all of the voters of the precinct. He is fully qualified to discharge the duties of the office he is seeking and if elected he will have no favorites but will treat all alike, and enforce the law to the best of his ability. He will appreciate your support and vote at the polls in the November election.

For Commissioner.

J. R. Price announces this week as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. Mr. Price needs no introduction by the New Era. He has lived here many years, is well and favorably known to all the voters, and if he is elected he will make an efficient and competent county commissioner, because he possesses the necessary qualifications to discharge the duties of the office to which he aspires. He will appreciate your support and vote at the polls in November.

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TARPLEY.

Mrs. A. O. Brock, of San Antonio, and Mrs. Lee Mansfield of Bandera, visited parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks, last week.

Dick Mills, of Rio Frio, was the guest of R. C. Boales and family last week.

Allen Graham and son, Archie, of Leakey, were visiting friends in Tarpley Monday.

Bernard Duke of Bandera, candidate for county clerk, was in Tarpley Monday.

George Dibbles, our postmaster, has been very sick, but is better at this writing.

Lee Smith, of Ward Creek, was seen on our streets Monday.

Dr. McBeth, of Utopia, was called to see Mr. Dickson Monday.

Mrs. Felix Newcomer is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Padgett.

R. N. Padgett made a business trip to Medina this week.

J. B. Purvis and son, Milton, made a business trip to Hondo on Wednesday.

We regret to hear of the serious illness of S. L. Padgett at Poteet. R. N. Padgett went to see him last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Wheeler and children, Laura, Eulalie, Pearl and Annie, of San Antonio visited Mr. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass Tuesday. From here they will go to Bandera to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ed Foster.

L. Hicks made a business trip to Bandera Tuesday.

Joe Bill Davenport was on our streets this week.

M. L. Southoff made a business trip to San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Billings visited in Hondo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Magovern and little son and Mr. and Mrs. Dial and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse at San Antonio last Sunday after spending several days camping on Mr. Smith's place.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Clark, and family, and Mrs. Frank Singleton are spending the week with relatives at Kerrville.

W. P. Alston returned to Medina last Thursday after spending several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Ike Evans, at Bandera.

Mrs. Foster has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Ike Evans, at Bandera.

Bring in Your Relics!

A display of relics and curios will be made at the County Fair next week. Show cases have been obtained, and everybody who has relics of early days or curios of any kind are urged to bring them in for the fair.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

The New Era has taken but little stock in the campaign for governor. But on Saturday August 28th, we are going to go to the polls and cast our vote for Dan Moody, a clean young man who beat "Ma" Ferguson more than 100,000 votes in the recent primary. At times during the heat several years we have felt that perhaps Jim Ferguson had not been given a "square deal," and it being our nature to always "take up for the under dog in the fight," we have been inclined to believe many things said about Jim were not true. But in the light of events which have come to pass in this campaign we are fully satisfied that Ferguson should be relegated to the realms of inocuous desuetude, there to remain forever. At the outset Mrs. Ferguson stated that she wanted only one term as governor of Texas to "vindicate Jim." The people gave her that term. Then she decided to run for a second term, and in the race she offered to wager that great thing which the people of Texas gave to her, and challenged Dan Moody that if he beat her even one vote in the recent primary she would immediately resign. Her challenge was accepted and Dan Moody beat her more than 100,000 votes. Did she immediately resign? She did not. But instead she goes into the run-off with the fond hope that she will beat the choice of the people, the very people who placed her in the governor's chair. The Fergusons have lost the confidence of the Texas people, and the hope they cherish today is certain to be shattered at the polls on August 28th.

No, neighbor, the New Era is not tearing its shirt over the governor's race. We have had our say. You can vote as you please. You gave you intelligence and we give you credit for knowing how to use that intelligence when you go to the polls to vote. We are not trying to change anybody's opinion, nor we don't expect anybody to try to change ours. We are going to vote for Dan Moody for we think he is a clean man, and fully competent to be our state's chief executive.

In Bandera county more interest is being manifested in the race for county commissioner of Precinct No. 1 than in the run-off between Dan Moody and "Ma" Ferguson. We are all pretty confident who will be the next governor of Texas, but the Lord only knows who will be our next county commissioner in Precinct No. 1. Only eight good and true men have announced for this office, and each one of the eight is confident that he will get the largest vote in November election, while the observant citizen can only stand and wonder who. We wonder how many of these eight candidates for county commissioner of Precinct No. 1 favor the location of a public park on our court house square to be maintained by the county? We would like an expression from each candidate on this matter, for it is an important question. Bandera should have a park, a beauty spot in the midst of which would be our heroes' monument and our court house, where flowers would be kept blooming, where graveled walks would lead to inviting retreats, where shadetrees will provide shade, and benches and settees will afford a resting place for those who visit our park. Our county commissioners can make it possible for us to have such a park.

Do you read Frontier Times?

"All's set" for the Bandera County Fair, which opens next Thursday morning and continues for three days. This year the fair promises to be the best we have ever held, and the attendance is expected to be large each day. An additional exhibit hall has been built to house the increased number of products which will be brought to the fair for display, the various committees are active in making their preparations to handle their work, and the sheep and goat men are grooming their stuff for the show. It is said that one goatman carried his best nannies to a beauty specialist in San Antonio and gave each of them permanent waves of various styles, Marcels, and Ringlets, while another exhibitor purchased a gross of a well known "hair oil" with which to beautify his grand champion ram. We are going to have a jimdandy fair this year, folks, with all of the fair trimmings, and we're expecting you to be here.

Bandera stands a good chance to get high line electrical service. Surveyors are now in the field running a line from Comfort to this town. But we do not know of a man or set of men here trying to get the high line to come into Bandera. Better wake up, folks.

Bandera now has good roads leading to San Antonio and to Kerrville. In fact our highway affords the most scenic and delightful drive all of the way from San Antonio, through Bandera, to Kerrville. What are we doing to induce pleasure-seekers, vacationists and tourists to come to our town? Absolutely nothing. We are just sitting here, waiting for "something to turn up," and we have been waiting for that very thing for a long time. If anything "turns up" we've got to turn it up. A united effort will move boulders.

About the most contemptible, low-down, pusillanimous trick that has ever been tried on unsuspecting motorists was the stretching of a wire cable across a road on the Jack ranch last Monday night, which endangered the lives of any who chanced to pass that way. Luckily nobody passed Monday night, but on Tuesday as H. E. Rambie and his daughters were coming to town their car ran into the cable and if a post to which it was attached had not given away serious damage would have resulted. His windshield was broken and flying glass struck the occupants of the automobile. An investigation is under way to determine who placed the cable across the road, and why it was done.

Visit to Davenport Ranch.

Last Sunday the New Era editor had the pleasure of making a visit to the John Davenport Ranch on Mason Creek. Accompanying us were Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schattenberg, Miss Ellen D. Schulz and Roy W. Quillian, of San Antonio. Mrs. Davenport extended to us the hospitality of her delightful home, and showed us her collection of relics and curios which she has gathered for many years, and which includes many articles, stone arrowheads, stone axes, Indian tomahawk, oven shoes, beads, knives, and many other things too numerous to mention. We inspected a prehistoric mound near her home and found a few relics of pottery, which was added to the collection. Mrs. Dillon is well versed in ethnology and anthropology, and has opened quite a number of mounds near the coast. Miss Schulz is interested in the flora and fauna of this section and found much here to delight her. She has written several books on botany which have reached wide circulation. She is now director of the White Memorial Museum in San Antonio, and is collecting specimens of natural history to place therein. The Attwater collection is the first unit acquired for the nucleus of the permanent natural history exhibition and has been moved into quarters in the municipal auditorium in San Antonio, where three central rooms are completed for occupancy.

We very much enjoyed the visit of these folks, and all of us enjoyed the visit to the Davenport ranch. Miss Schulz assured the editor that they would return to Bandera before long to make further research along the lines mentioned above.

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Prowling Among the Mounds.

The following news bulletin was sent out to the various newspapers of the state last week by the publicity bureau of the University of Texas:

Austin, Texas, Aug. 9—Further evidence that Texas is a rich and practically untouched field for research by the ethnologist and anthropologist is had by the published dispatch from Washington that H. B. Collins, Jr., assistant curator of ethnology of smyt 1 fia' ellNseaontainmuh the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C., recently explored a number of ancient mounds along the Gulf Coast, extending east from Galveston Bay, and that he obtained from them skeletons, jewels, ornaments, implements, battle-axes and arrows. What is more to the point, so far as the people of Texas are concerned, is that these valuable relics of a prehistoric race were taken out of the state. The need of a State museum for exhibiting and preserving such collections is becoming more and more urgent as the research into these mounds continues, it is stated by persons who are deeply interested in such discoveries.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that Roy Bedichek, director of the Interscholastic League Bureau of the University of Texas, recently made a week-end trip into the hills of Bandera County for the special purpose of investigating an Indian mound or "kitchen midden," which was brought to his attention by J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera, editor and publisher of Frontier Times. Both Bedichek and Hunter are much interested in the study of the life and customs of the primitive people who lived in Texas prior to the coming of the white man. They have personally made extensive investigations of Indian mounds in various parts of the State. At Bandera, Mr. Bedichek was joined by Mr. Hunter and they proceeded over a rough mountain road to a point near Tarpley, about 15 miles west of Bandera. They met with no difficulty in finding the mound and it proved to be one of the largest ever discovered in Texas, according to Mr. Bedichek. Beyond establishing beyond a doubt its identity as a "kitchen midden" of remarkable magnitude and possible scientific interest, nothing was done by the visitors on this preliminary trip to uncover its contents. They hope that this may be done in a systematic way at some later time.

Mr. Hunter is regarded by persons who are interested in the unwritten and unpublished history of Texas as doing a work of inestimable value in collecting and preserving records dealing with past events that have a bearing on the life and work of pioneer settlers. These rare chronicles find a public outlet through the Frontier Times which was established by Mr. Hunter at Bandera several years ago.

Reunion Photos Here.

The large circuit photos made at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 2nd and 3rd, have arrived and are ready for delivery to those who placed their order, and also for sale to those who may want them. The price is one dollar each. You can get them at the New Era office.

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Real Estate Wanted.

I desire to secure a listing of Bandera county ranch and farm lands. I am in the real estate business at Nixon and have frequent calls for Bandera county lands.—E. J. Pennell, Real Estate and Loans, Nixon, Texas.

Sells a Good Book.

Hal S. Hudspeth is now selling the popular book, "The Trail Drivers' of Texas," compiled and edited by J. Marvin Hunter and published under direction of George W. Saunders, president of the Old Time Trail Drivers' Association. The book was first published in two volumes and sold for $5.00 per volume, but has recently been republished in one large volume of nearly 1,000 pages by the Cokesbury Press of Nashville, Tennessee. The book contains an authentic history of the cattle trail days, the narratives of the old trail drivers being full of interest to every person interested in the history of Texas. The new volume sells at $5.00 and is worth every cent of the price. Send your order to Mr. Hal S. Hudspeth, Bandera, Texas.

Change of Schedule.

W. A. Gray, who operates the bus line from Medina, through Bandera, to San Antonio, announces the following change of schedule:

Leaves San Antonio daily at 7:30 a. m.
Arrives Bandera 9:45 a. m.
Arrives Medina 10:45 a. m.
Leaves Medina at 12, noon.
Leaves Bandera at 12:45 p. m
Arrives San Antonio 2:45 p. m.

On Saturdays the bus leaves San Antonio at 5:30 p. m.

On Sundays the bus leaves Medina 3:30 p. m., and Bandera 4:30 p. m.

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No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences. —Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

If you have an old sewing machine, an oil stove, a few chairs, a pig, some chickens, an automobile, a saddle, or anything you want to sell, a 25-cent want ad in the New Era will help you make a sale. Try it and be convinced.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all property owners and to all interested parties that at the FIRST CALLED SESSION of the THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, to be convened in the City of Austin, Texas, on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1926, there will be introduced a bill in respect to ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 OF BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS, and the substance of such proposed law is as follows:

AN ACT TO CREATE ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 1 IN BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS; VALIDATING AND APPROVING ALL ORDERS MADE BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR THEIR PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT OF SAID ROAD DISTRICT, BONDS AND TAXES, OR CERTIFIED COPIES THEREOF, AND CONSTITUTING SUCH ORDERS LEGAL EVIDENCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

DATED this the 9th day of August, 1926.

J. A. EAMES, County Judge, Bandera County, Texas.

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AN ACT TO CREATE ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 2 IN BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS; VALIDATING AND APPROVING ALL ORDERS MADE BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR THEIR PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT OF SAID ROAD DISTRICT, BONDS AND TAXES, OR CERTIFIED COPIES THEREOF, AND CONSTITUTING SUCH ORDERS LEGAL EVIDENCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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NOTICE

I represent the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co., and would like to figure with you on power machinery, plows, tractors, etc.—Robert Brown, Medina, Texas.

Alba Stokes, of Mason Creek, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Jake and Irvin Rossman, of San Antonio, were guests of Mrs. J. B. Holt and family Sunday.

Meet your friends at the Bandera Fair, August 26th, 27th, and 28th, at Mansfield Park.

The New Era office will probably be closed next Saturday. We are going to the Fredericksburg fair.

Mrs. Jim Gibbs was over from Tarpley last Saturday, and favored the New Era office with an appreciated visit.

George Barnes of San Antonio, formerly of Bandera, has accepted a position as assistant superintendent for a big mining company operating in Mexico, near Eagle Pass. Mr. Barnes' many friends here rejoice to know that he was selected for this position over many applicants, and all wish him and his family health and happiness in the Mexican republic.

Frontier Times

Frontier History, Border Tragedy and Pioneer Achievement

W. E. Mansfield and son, Bill, went to Boerne and Comfort yesterday on business.

Among the visitors at the New Era sanctum last Saturday were Mrs. George Elam and daughter, Miss Pearl, of Tuff. Mrs. Lon Elam, George Elam, Jr., Mrs. H. Mecom and son John Mecom.

R. N. Padgett goes over to Fredericksburg this week to attend the fair there and show some of his splendid registered goats and sheep. Mr. Padgett always captures blue ribbons wherever he shows his stuff.

R. E. Holt and family of Wichita, Kansas, Joe Holt and family, Roy Chipman and family of Bandera, E. H. Holt and family and S. C. Fitzgerald and family of Tarpley, camped on the Medina river one night last week and had a very enjoyable time. They caught plenty of fish.

E. Ricks, the hobby horse man, was here Monday, arranging to move his merry-go-round here for the fair. He informs us that after the fair is over he will bring the merry-go-round to town for the enjoyment of the children and remain here several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper attended a barbecue at Hunt last Saturday. Mr. Harper says it was one of the most delightful gatherings he has attended in a long time, and that the barbecued meats served to crowd were cooked to a "queen's taste."

Dr. and Mrs. S. H. C. Burgin of San Antonio and Mrs. R. H. Creager of Kerrville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Sr., last Friday. They are spending a vacation at Kerrville and motored over to Bandera for a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. Davenport.

Harm Gerdes and children, Miss Rosa and Booty, of Quihi, and Ben Gerdes and daughter, Miss Hazel, of West Verde, were in town yesterday and paid this office an appreciated visit. Miss Rosa Gerdes has a responsible position with the San Antonio Telephone Co., and is spending a short vacation with her home folks.

Col. George A. Hay, the West Prong ranchman, was here yesterday, having with him his fine South African buck which has been in charge of August Mangold of near Tarpley for the past few months. Col. Hay says he will attend the Fredericksburg fair this week and will show some of his fine registered goats, which means more premiums for Bandera county stock.

The improvement of the street leading into town from San Antonio, and of Main Street, goes merrily on. These streets properly belong to the State Highway which passes through Bandera, and the work is being done under State supervision and Highway Foreman Joe G. Callahan's crew. A stone wall is being built along the street near the ice factory to prevent cars from going into the ravine, and considerable grading is being done to reduce the hill at this point. On Main Street, where it crosses the ravine the approaches to the new culvert there are to be protected by a wall also.

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Col. J. A. Head made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. T. S. Dennis was on the sick list this week, but is now able to be up.

Miss Effie McKeen, of San Antonio, was the guest of Miss Minnie Bruce this week.

J. R. Fletcher was here from San Antonio yesterday, the guest of his brother, W. R. Fletcher.

B. F. Langford was quite sick several days this week, but we are glad to learn he is improving.

Mrs. Mary Mueller and two sons, of Mason, were here Tuesday en route to Yancy on a visit.

Monty Chipman returned Thursday from a month's visit to relatives and friends at Mooringsport, La.

The Bandera County Fair opens next Thursday, and will continue for three days. Don't miss it.

In a baseball game played here Sunday the Bandera team won over a Kelly Field team by a score of 6 to 4.

Mrs. W. L. Riggs and children, of Mason, were here this week on a visit to her father, R. A. Chipman, and family.

Misses Allen Cash and Evelyn Mansfield are spending this week in San Antonio visiting Miss Tommie Grace Mansfield.

Miss Minnie Bruce entertained a number of friends last night with a delightful party in honor of her guest, Miss Effie McKeen.

Mrs. Jack Olliff and Edith Olliff returned this week from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Olliff at Mountain Home.

Kenneth Crammon and Gwinn Granbury of Houston, spent a delightful vacation at the E. Buck ranch home last week.

Mrs. H. Mecom and son, John Mecom, were here from Houston last Saturday on a visit to her uncle, George Elam, and family near Tuff.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and children were here from San Antonio yesterday to attend the funeral of John Gibbons.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

R. T. Holcomb was here from Medina Monday and brought us some specimens of fine corn which he raised this year. The ears are of large size and full of kernels, and the yield was bountiful, Mr. Holcomb says.

Mrs. L. Welch and brother, W. F. Hester, were here from San Antonio Saturday and paid the New Era office an appreciated visit. Mr. Hester enrolled as a subscriber to the New Era and also to Frontier Times.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, of Harper, were here last Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings. They were returning home from a visit to San Antonio. Mr. Morris is cashier of the First State Bank at Harper.

Robert Cosgrove came in last week from Phoenix, Arizona, to join his wife, who arrived about two months ago. They have been absent about four years, but Robert informs us that they have come back to Bandera to stay, for there's no place like the old home.

Lucius Hicks was over from Tarpley Tuesday, sizing up the situation in regard to entering the race for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. Said he had decided to wait until the number of entries reaches twelve and then he would toss his hat in the ring to make a lucky number.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Langford and children are here from Mooringsport, La., on a visit to relatives. They arrived in their automobile last Thursday, making the trip of 500 miles in two days, and will remain here until about September 1. Mr. Langford has a good position in Mooringsport, and says they are well satisfied there.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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A. L. MANSFIELD.

For County and District Clerk:
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BERNARD E. DUKE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.
ELVIUS HICKS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM

For County-Treasurer
MRS. JOHN P. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON PYKA
F. R. CAFFALL.
R. C. BOALES.
KASPER DUGOS.
Chas. L. SCHMIDTKE, Jr.
J. R. PRICE.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
J. A. BROWN.

An enjoyable dance was given at the home of E. F. Kindla last Sunday night.

Joe J. Leighton, of Tarpley, was a business visitor in the city last Friday.

Mrs. Susie Holt and children, of Ballinger, are here on a visit to Mrs. J. B. Holt and other relatives.

Mrs. R. B. Gossett, of San Antonio, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Gossett of this city.

W. H. Fitzgerald went to San Antonio last week to spend a few days with his daughters there.

Miss Hollyee Fryckburg, of San Antonio, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White last Thursday.

Master Earl Gossett left yesterday for Pearsall to spend a month with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Gossett.

Little Misses Maggie and Lunette Chipman are here from San Antonio to spend the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman.

The Misses Fuller gave a delightful party at the Riverside Inn Tuesday night in honor of Miss Lucille Langford. A large crowd was present to enjoy the social.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Mrs. John L. Jones, Tom Jones, of Junction, and Mrs. Lillie Smith of Mason, were here to attend the funeral of John Gibbons yesterday.

Dale Dean was in from Mason Creek Saturday and brought us a generous supply of good old home-made sorghum, which was duly appreciated. Mr. Dean is an artist when it comes to making sorghum.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlap, of near Pipe Creek, were visitors in the city Tuesday. They called at the New Era office and advanced their subscription to the old home paper and also Frontier Times.

Mrs. D. A. Nance and children, of near Medina, were visitors in Bandera Tuesday. While here Mrs. Nance called at this office and ordered Frontier Times sent to Mrs. T. J. Bailey at Junction, Texas.

Miss Marie McDonald left last Thursday for her home at Christine after spending several days here with friends. She was accompanied home by Miss Thelma Barber, who will visit her for a week or more.

Report comes that Elder Ferguson, of Pear Valley is doing some splendid preaching in the meeting being held for the Church of Christ at Lima. Elder Ferguson formerly lived in this county and is well known to many of the old timers.

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1927 Chevrolets.

The 1927 Model Chevrolet came out the first of August and with a few improvements over the 1926 model, they represent the finest car that Chevrolet has ever produced. We have two shipments on the road which will be in Boerne in a few days, and I will advise you to put our order in early if you want one right away, for most of them are sold and I will be hard to get for awhile. The prices are practically the same on all of the passenger cars as they were on the 1926 model, but the price of the ton truck dropped $35.00, and the half-ton truck price dropped $50.00. Do your hauling by truck.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dahse and little daughters, Cleo Margaret and Tommie Jeanne, of San Antonio, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

Stockholders' Notice.

Stockholders of the Medina Rural Telephone Co. are hereby notified that everyone is expected to get out on the lines on September 1st to straighten up lines, or pay in two dollars to be used to hire some one for that purpose. By order of the Board of Directors.

To My Friends and Old Customers

All indications are that this fall will be the time to plant fruit trees. While I can't canvas the county as I did for many years I am still authorized agent for F. F. Ramsey & Son, the oldest and largest nursery in Texas. See me or write me. I will appreciate your orders.

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WANT COLUMN

GOOD PEARS for sale at my place on Indian Creek. Come and get them.—J. S. Burns.

LOST—Wrist watch, solid gold, on San Antonio road July 29.—Finder please return to Mrs. J. B. Holt, Bandera.

FOR SALE—Three gentle work mules. See W. H. Fitzgerald.

FOR TRADE—1924 Ford Truck, in good condition, good rubber, for sheep, goats, or wagon and team.—J. I. Lackey, at the old Baxter Ranch on Mason Creek.

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MERRY-GO-ROUND —Will sell Merry-Go-Round, which will be run at the Bandera Fair grounds, or will take in partner on trial if he intends to buy the machine. See me at the Fair.—E. Ricks, Bandera, Texas.

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We have for sale several Delaine-Merino Bucks and Angora Billies, all registered stock. Reasonable prices. —R. N. Padgett & Sons, Tarpley, Texas.

Rams For Sale.

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Severed An Artery.

Tom Adamietz, who works on the Hanson Ranch, had the misfortune to cut his foot with an axe Tuesday, severing an artery. He was brought to town for medical attention, and is doing nicely.

Arm Fractured.

H. Zumberg, of Red Bluff, fractured his arm while cranking a tractor one day last week. He is getting along nicely at this writing.

Fell Upon An Axe.

R. S. Davenport fell upon an axe Saturday and cut a deep gash in the palm of his hand, which required several stitches to close.

Child Breaks Arm.

The two year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhart, of Somerset, had the misfortune to break its arm at the elbow Saturday night while visiting at the ranch of August Weyel Pipe Creek.

Undergoes An Operation.

Miss Jade Heinen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Heinen, underwent an operation at a San Antonio Hospital last Sunday for appendicitis. She is making good recovery.

Revival Meeting.

The revival meeting will begin at the Methodist church on Sunday, August 29th. Rev. C. E. Wheat, of Kerrville, will conduct the meeting.

When Opportunity Knocks at Your Door

How many men have been forced to pass up real opportunities on account of financial unpreparedness? Begin now to prepare yourself for YOUR opportunity. Start a Bank account—add to it systematically—draw interest on it—and then you will be able to grasp that opportunity when it comes to YOU.

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WILL A. GRAY FOULLY MURDERED NEAR MEDINA SUNDAY

Tragedy on the Road Witnessed by a Man and Woman, Who Were Unable to Prevent the Horrible Crime.

Beaten and Stamped to Death, Then a Heavy Automobile Runs Over Body. Sheriff's Action Prevents Lynching.

Will A. Gray, well known bus driver, was foully murdered last Sunday near Medina, at the intersection of the Medina-Bandera and Center Point roads, near the old Curtis place. Pat Forrest, a young man living near Medina was arrested by Sheriff Henry Stevens and Deputy Milton Faris, charged with the crime. Forrest was brought to Bandera and placed in jail, but when threats of mob violence became rife Sheriff Stevens and Deputy Faris took the prisoner to San Antonio where he was placed in the Bexar county jail for safekeeping.

The first intimation that a crime was being committed was discovered by Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Frerichs, of Hondo, who were coming from Medina to Bandera. Just ahead of them was an automobile, and when it turned off on the Center Point road and stopped Mr. Frerichs said he saw one man beating another, and he got out of his car and attempted to interfere, but was driven back and told to go on. He gave the alarm and Sheriff Stevens and Deputy Faris hastened to the scene, where they found Gray dead.

Particulars of the murder are difficult to obtain, but it seems that Gray and Forrest, who had been together in Mr. Gray's bus for some time, were in Medina somewhere about the noon hour or shortly afterward. Forrest was driving and Gray was laying on the seat of the car, apparently asleep, or in an insensible condition. It is said that Forrest told friends in Medina that he was going to drive the bus to San Antonio. This bus has been making regular daily trips to and from San Antonio, and it was about the hour for it to leave Medina. The pair left Medina, and about the time they left Mr. and Mrs. Frerichs, of Hondo, who were passing through en route home, fell in behind the Gray bus and came on down the road as far as the Sam Smith place, when the bus turned off on the Center Point road. Frerichs says when he alighted and started toward the man, whom he testified was Forrest, that Forrest advanced toward him with his left hand in his coat pocket, cursing him. Frerichs says he drew his car and he and his wife drove away. He says that a bottle was thrown at him and broke on his car near where his wife sat at the wheel.

Hastily giving the alarm, Frerichs returned to the scene of the crime, and a crowd quickly gathered. The body of Gray was found lying at the side of the road, across a ditch. It had been placed across this ditch and the body had been run over in such a manner as to cause the two side wheels to pass over the small of the back and the body lay nearly in the ditch and the head on the embankment. The bus was gone. As soon as Dr. J. O. Butler, who had been hastily summoned, arrived an autopsy was held, and it was found that Gray had been most brutally and fiendishly murdered. The body lay on the ground covered with blood and dust. One eyeball protruded from its socket, while the other was entirely missing. The skull on the right temple and around the right eye had been crushed and broken in, and the brain was exposed through a gaping hole, while on the left side of the head around the left eye and temple a similar jagged hole was found, and the skull there was broken into fragments and crushed. Between the eyes and on the forehead the skull had likewise been broken, the right cheek bone was crushed and a gaping hole was there. The jaw was broken, the teeth of the victim had been knocked in and the jawbone fractured. Several cuts and bruises were at top of the head, and several bruises were on the back. The left collarbone was also fractured. Where the car wheels had passed over the small of the back were dark bruises, and while the backbone was not broken, Dr. Butler is of the opinion that the spinal cord was severed by the impact of the heavy car. It was a most revolting sight, and while the body was being examined in the presence of the officers, Forrest was seen approaching in Gray's car, coming from his home, which is over up to the gate, and within about seventy-five feet of where the body lay, Sheriff Stevens and Deputy Faris took him in custody. He made no resistance, and upon being searched was found to be unarmed.

Forrest was brought to Bandera and placed in jail, and the mangled remains of Will Gray were brought to the home of his brother, Tom Gray, in Bandera and prepared for burial. Within a short time a crowd collected and feeling ran high against the prisoner, so Sheriff Stevens conveyed him to San Antonio.

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Arm Fractured.

H. Zumberg, of Red Bluff, fractured his arm while cranking a tractor one day last week. He is getting along nicely at this writing.

Fell Upon An Axe.

R. S. Davenport fell upon an axe Sunday and cut a deep gash in the palm of his hand, which required several stitches to close.

Child Breaks Arm.

The two year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Reinhart, of Somerset, had the misfortune to break its arm at the elbow Saturday night while visiting at the ranch of August Weyel, Pipe Creek.

Undergoes An Operation.

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Revival Meeting.

The revival meeting will begin at the Methodist church on Sunday, August 29th. Rev. C. E. Wheat, of Kerrville, will conduct the meeting.

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WILL A. GRAY FOULLY MURDERED NEAR MEDINA SUNDAY

Tragedy on the Road Witnessed by a Man and Woman, Who Were Unable to Prevent the Horrible Crime.

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The first intimation that a crime was being committed was discovered by Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Frericks, of Hondo, who were coming from Medina to Bandera. Just ahead of them was an automobile, and when it turned off on the Center Point road and stopped Mr Frericks said he saw one man beating another, and he got out of his car and attempted to interfere, but was driven back and told to go on. He gave the alarm and Sheriff Stevens and Deputy Faris hastened to the scene, where they found Gray dead.

Particulars of the murder are difficult to obtain, but it seems that Gray and Forrest, who had been together in Mr. Gray's bus for some time, were in Medina somewhere about the noon hour or shortly afterward. Forrest was driving and Gray was laying on the seat of the car, apparently asleep, or in an insensible condition. It is said that Forrest told friends in Medina that he was going to drive the bus to San Antonio. This bus has been making regular daily trips to and from San Antonio, and it was about the hour for it to leave Medina. The pair left Medina, and about the time they left Mr. and Mrs. Frericks, of Hondo, who were passing Gray's car en route home, fell in behind the Gray bus and came on down the road as far as the Sam Smith place, when the bus turned off on the Center Point road. Frericks says when he alighted and started toward the man, whom he testified was Forrest, that Forrest advanced toward him with his left hand in his coat pocket, cursing him. Frericks says he retreated to his car and he and his wife drove away. He says that a bottle was thrown at him and broke on his car near where his wife sat at the wheel.

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A murder most foul has been committed in our county, and naturally our citizens are wrought up over it. When the news spread last Sunday of the murder of Will Gray, a quiet, peaceable man, and his mangled and bruised remains were brought in, the public mind became inflamed and for awhile there were threats of lynching but Sheriff Stevens quickly took steps to prevent such an occurrence. We do not believe there is a man in Bandera county who would participate in a lynching bee if he thought or had the assurance that apprehension of the murderer and speedily meting out justice to a murderer or a rapist. We have talked to many men from different parts of the county, and they all seem disposed to let the law take its course, but invariably there advance the argument that the ends of justice are so often defeated by deliberate delays, legal technicalities, court proceedings, and many other intricacies which render it almost impossible to get convictions. Hundreds of times we have heard the remark, "If a man has the money he can beat any case in court." Now, that is not literally true, but it goes a long way. Certainly we would rather see ten guilty men escape than for one innocent man to be punished, as the lawyers tell the juries, but there is a chance for all of them to escape. Something is wrong, somewhere. Murder seems to be on the increase, and we believe it is due to lax enforcement of law, and utter disregard of the law, or too much law, or something. It is this fear that the law will not punish the culprit that causes mob violence, lynchings and the like. We hope the day will never come when the fair name of Bandera county will be blackened by a lynching.

Next Saturday is the day for the run-off primary. Do not feel over-confident that Dan Moody will win. We believe Daniel will be our next governor, all right, but we are going to the polls and help to swell his majority as much as possible. Let every voter do likewise.

Bandera's sixth annual fair is in full swing today. We have visited other fairs throughout this part of Texas, and we believe our fair will equal the best of them and in many instances surpass some of them. We'll tell you all about our fair next week.

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Mrs. L. B. Langford Dead.

Last Friday morning Mrs. L. B. Langford, aged seventy years, heard the summons from her Lord and Master to "come up higher," and closed her eyes in everlasting sleep. The end came peacefully and quietly, after an an illness of only a few hours following a stroke of paralysis which had occurred the evening before. The funeral was completed at the old home of deceased on Saturday morning by Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church, with interment in the Bandera Cemetery.

Grandma Langford, as she was lovingly called by all who knew her, was born at Seguin, Texas, May 28, 1856. Her maiden name was Elizabeth J. Bird. She was married to L. B. Langford on March 14, 1872 at Bandera. To this union eight children were born, of whom five are living. Her husband, "Uncle Berry" Langford, died March 7, 1914. The living children are B. F. Langford of Bandera, Dr. W. L. Langford of Sherwood, Allie B. Langford of Mooringsport, La., Joy B. Langford and Mrs. Leah M. Peters of San Antonio. One sister, Mrs. Hettie Welsh, of Kytle, also survives her.

Grandma Langford, many years ago united with the Methodist church and remained a consistent, devout member until her death. During the more than half a century she lived in Bandera she became widely known and was loved for her kindness of heart, her charity, and her lofty ideals, and was of that true type of mother which was so much needed while our splendid civilization was in the building. She was truly a pioneer and did full well her part in sowing the seeds of christianity and morality in the community in which she was spared to live to see grow and prosper and be taken up by her descendants. Her children and grandchildren. Her life has been a long and useful one and in her passing the community has lost a most worthy citizen whose example is a living substone for the guidance of future generations. All hearts are sad at her going, and all will miss her cheering words, her kindly smile and her comforting sympathy and admonition as readily given to those about her.

To the bereaved children, and grandchildren, and to the aged sister who survives, the New Era extends condolence and sympathy.

Mrs. Jim Ike Jones Dead.

News was received here this week of the death of Mrs. Jim Ike Jones at Parker Canyon, Arizona, a few days ago. Mrs. Jones formerly lived in Bandera county, and was known to all of our older citizens. Before marriage she was Miss Mollie Weaver, and was a sister to Sam and Pete Weaver, both of whom have been dead several years. At the time of her death, Mrs. Jones was sixty-nine years old.

Married Sunday.

Miss Viola Stokes, of Medina, and Mr. Foster Hoaland of Comfort last Sunday afternoon. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Stokes of Medina, and the groom is an industrious young man of Center Point. The New Era joins in congratulations and best wishes.

The Security Benefit Barbecue.

A good crowd attended the barbecue at Medina last Saturday, given by the Medina County Security Benefit Association. A good program was put on, and the dinner was fine. The new council there is steadily growing in membership and promises other social events in the near future.

Old Settlers' Dance at Fair.

The exhibit hall will be cleared and an old settlers' dance will take place at the County Fair Saturday night. Old time fiddle music and old time dances only will be enjoyed.

Stockholders' Notice.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stokes, of Medina, was visiting Mrs. Jim Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Silvers has moved to their ranch home.

Ernest Isley was in our burg Thursday transacting business.

Dr. Dickson and son, of Fort Worth, are doing some work in Tarpley.

Bob Padgett went to Hondo last week with a load of good cattle.

Miss Eddy Mae Poerner, of San Antonio, is spending a few days with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Billings spent the week-end in Bigy, visiting Mrs. Billing's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watson.

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A surprise party was given at the home of J. B. Purvis Wednesday of last week in honor of his 57th birthday. Forty-two and other games were enjoyed by all. Delicious cake, ice tea and lemonade was served through the evening. The guests departed at a late hour, all reporting a good time.

Mr. Dickson, our postmaster, has gone to Fort Worth to spend awhile with his daughter.

Alfred Santhoff, of San Antonio spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Santhoff.

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Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all who kindly assisted during the great sorrow which has descended upon us in the death of our beloved mother, and for the many beautiful floral offerings. May God bless all of these dear friends.

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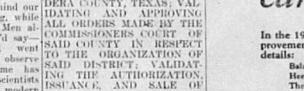

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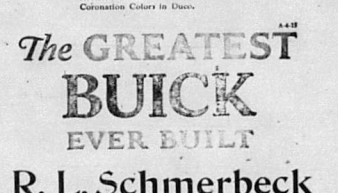

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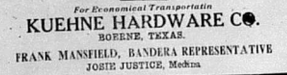

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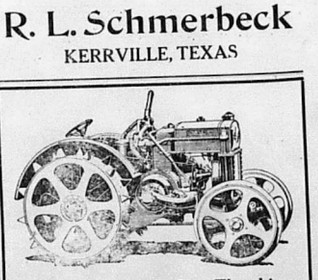

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AN ACT TO CREATE ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 3 IN BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS; VALIDATING AND APPROVING ALL ORDERS MADE BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT. VALIDATING, ISSUANCE AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF, AND PROVIDING FOR THEIR PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT OF SAID ROAD DISTRICT, BONDS AND TAXES, OR CERTIFIED COPIES THEREOF, AND CONSTITUTING SUCH ORDERS LEGAL EVIDENCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

DATED this the 9th day of August, 1926.

J. A. EAMES, County Judge, Bandera County, Texas.

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MEDINA.

Mrs. J. P. Akin is visiting her brother, George Lindsey, at Del Rio.

Rev. Wheeler, of Center Point, is conducting a revival meeting at the Methodist church.

Mrs. I. L. Gilbert is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Burak Fagan, who recently underwent a serious operation in San Antonio.

Miss Sadie Hatfield has returned from New York, where she attended school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hatfield have returned from their bridal tour. They went through nine different states, visiting and sight-seeing, and report a very pleasant trip and a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Justice and children have returned from a visit to Boerne and Kendalia. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Justice's mother, Mrs. Gourley, who lives at Boerne.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkerson and daughter, Sewall, of Bandera, La visited Mrs. Wilkerson's brother, C. H. Sewall and family.

Mrs. Johnnie Shuptrine was carried to a Kerrville hospital yesterday.

Mirandy's Minstrels.

The parent-Teachers' Association will present Mirandy Minstrels at the High School Auditorium tomorrow, Friday, night in a very laughable and amusing play, "Mrs. Black's Tank Tea." The public cordially invited to attend. Admission charge 25c and 35c.

Mrs. M. E. Faris entertained with a dance at the Riverside Inn Tuesday night, in honor of her daughter, Miss Cecil. A nice crowd was present, including friends from San Antonio and Houston.

A very delightful family reunion was held last Sunday at the Ranger Crossing, when members of the Holt family gathered to enjoy a barbecued and picnic dinner. About seventy-five persons were present, among them being J. W. Holt, Rev. Chipman and family, Eli Holt and family, Joe Holt and family, W. H. Bush and wife, Carl Bush, Mrs. Jodie O'Leary and children, Mrs. Susie Holt and children, Mrs. Knight and baby, Mrs. J. B. Holt and children, Mrs. Tiny Schelper and baby, G. C. Riley and family.

LIMA LINES.

We are very glad to know that Mrs. Dick Hinds is improving from the operation of appendicitis, which she underwent at Del Rio Tuesday. Her mother, Mrs. O. D. Keese, and little sister, Mary, returned home Sunday.

The gas tank reached W. G. Keese Tuesday that his brother, Tom Keese, of Detroit, Mich., died at nine o'clock Aug. 21st, 2126.

Mr. Keese lived here many years ago and had lived in the west a great many years until his wife, went to Detroit. Mrs. Keese had been in very bad health for years, having been stricken with paralysis. Surviving him is his wife, one son, Brook Keese, and one daughter, Mrs. Bessie Banta, all of Detroit, Michigan; three brothers, W. G. Keese, O. D. Keese and L. H. Keese; two sisters, Mrs. D. B. Scale and Mrs. Gus Finney, all of Medina. Mr. Keese was a member of the Church of Christ, and a man loved by all who knew him.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds and son, Elmer, went to the fair at Fredericksburg last week.

The meeting closed Sunday night with one addition. Brother Ferguson and his little daughter, Faye, accompanied by Misses Ida Reed and Mrs. Kelly of Lima and Mrs. Clara Walker of Kerrville left for Pear Valley Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Hankinson and little child, and Davie Miller of Fredericksburg visited and brought Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller, who had gone over for the fair.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Mayberry August 22, a boy.

Kendall County Fair.

The Kendall County Fair will be held in Boerne September 3, and 5. As usual, this fair will be of the best order, with agricultural exhibits, live stock exhibits, ladies' work, horse races, baseball games, etc. A twenty piece concert band will furnish music, and there will be several attractions galore. Many of our Bandera people will attend the Kendall county fair.

To The People of Bandera County.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Judge of Bandera County, subject to the ensuing general election in November. All of the consideration and support given will be greatly appreciated, and if elected I shall give all of my time and thought to the duties of the office, and to the betterment and upbuilding of the community and county as a whole.

JOHN S. ATKINS

Oh, Boy! What a Fair at
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KENDALL COUNTY FAIR
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Beef, Pork, Bacon, Sausage, Etc.
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MAIN STREET — NEXT DOOR TO CORLEY'S GROCERY

J. R. Burns was over from Tarpley on business Monday.

Ed Bashoff, of Yorktown, is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. F. R. Caffal.

Mrs. Virgil McCarthy was in the city Saturday, the guest of Mrs. W. S. Ethridge.

Misses Luella Stevens and Vida Jones attended the fair at Fredericksburg last Sunday.

Mrs. E. Hammond and Mrs. J. T. Caparo, and little daughter, were here from Medina Friday.

Mrs. Mollie Stokes, of Port Arthur, is spending awhile with her son-in-law, Mrs. M. E. Faris.

Herbert Worthy, prominent druggist of San Antonio spent Thursday at the home of Otto Wellberg, near Camp Verde.

Mrs. Hedia Webb, of Lytle came to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. I. B. Langford last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Newcomer and G. L. Vardee were up from Pipe Creek Sunday to attend the funeral of Will Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bills, of Houston, spent Sunday to spend a week with Mrs. Bills' father, Charles Bugh, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Billings and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. DeLaunay returned last Friday from Rockport, where they spent several days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Peters and children came up from San Antonio Friday night to be here for the funeral of Mrs. Peters' mother, Mrs. I. B. Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lipscomb and daughter, Miss Arline, spent Friday night and Saturday here, visiting Mrs. Lipscomb's mother, Mrs. Mollie Stokes, and Mrs. M. E. Faris.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Dunn and infant came up from Hebron the last Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Dunn's grandmother, Mrs. I. B. Langford.

Mrs. Lizzie Dunn and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Fredericksburg, came up on a visit to Mrs. Amos Clark and family Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mertens were in Austin Saturday, returning home on Sunday. They spent Saturday night in San Marcos with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pearce of West Virginia arrived on Camp Verde Thursday and will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wellberg. They attended the Fredericksburg fair Friday.

Mrs. Leona Autrey and little son, Mansfield, Jr., of Mansfield, arrived from Gonzales last Saturday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mansfield.

W. E. Whisenhunt, David Dresser and George A. Hay were in charge of sheep and goat exhibits at the Fredericksburg fair last week. We also saw a number of ribbon premiums credited to their pens.

Mrs. H. L. Atkins, Sr., returned Friday from a visit to her brother, S. G. Whitaker, at Mercedes. She was accompanied by Mrs. Whitaker, who will visit relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Matthews and daughter, Miss Lois of Beaumont, Mrs. E. Langford of San Antonio, E. P. Langford, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. August Whitley, Preston Langford, Monroe Langford and John Langford composed a party that spent several days last week fishing at Medina Lake, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Cox.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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A. L. MANSFIELD.
JOHN S. ATKINS.
For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.
BERNARD E. DUKE.
For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.
ELVIUS HICKS.
For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM
For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN P. HODGES.
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON PYKA.
F. R. CAFFALL.
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KASPER DUOS.
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J. R. PRICE.
For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.
For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
J. A. BROWN.

Miss Thelma Miller, of Utopia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. G. Carmichael this week.

George Lane, who is attending a barber college in San Antonio, spent a few days with homefolks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Gray came up from San Antonio to attend the funeral Monday of Mr. Gray's uncle, Will Gray.

A. H. Thompson and Louis Altman came up from San Antonio Tuesday to visit their families, who are sojourning for season in Bandera. The gentlemen returned yesterday.

Cohen Langford, of Goose Creek, arrived Friday night, called home by the death of his grandfather, Mrs. I. B. Langford. He remained here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Langford.

W. E. Mansfield, Bruce Mansfield, Howard Eckhart, Leslie Short, Sligh Jones, John Stevens, Gus Bausch, Henry Bausch and family, Marvin Hunter, Jr., and the New Era editor were among those from Bandera who attended the Fredericksburg Fair last Sunday.

Ed Thomas and family, of Oklahoma, spent last week with his sister, Mrs. C. H. Mansfield. While here several members of Mr. Thomas' family suffered with ptomaine poisoning caused by eating some barbecued meat, and were quite ill for several days. We are pleased to report that all have fully recovered.

Col. J. A. Polvado and sons, George and A. A. Polvado, of Vanderpool, was transacting business in Bandera last Saturday. Col. Polvado is a Confederate veteran and is now in his eighty-fifth year. He is enjoying good health and is quite hearty. His many friends here were glad to see him Saturday.

Among the visitors at the Rosewood Springs ranch last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Brashe and little daughter, Mrs. Concha Gonzales and little daughter, Miss Amelia Perez and sister, Miss Lane Rodriguez, Rudolf Gomez, Pete Salazar, and Leo Gosikin. A splendid dinner was served by Mrs. Walter Gosikin, and swimming was enjoyed after dinner.

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Mrs. Harriett Chipman left Sunday for Sonora to spend a month with her son, Ham Chipman, and family. She informed us before leaving that Mrs. Ham Chipman underwent a serious operation at a hospital in San Angelo one day last week, but is steadily improving.

F. M. Davis, of the Hondo Anvil-Herald, was here Monday accompanied by Mrs. H. E. Haas. Miss Irene Haas, and Miss Annie de Montel, also of Hondo. They were on their way to Camp Verde to visit Mrs. Haas' brother, Captain Chas. de Montel, and family. They paid this office an appreciated call and Mr. Davis informed us that his parents, Editor and Mrs. Fletcher Davis had just returned from a month's visit to the old home in Mississippi.

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New Fall Felt Hats just arrived at Mrs. Dennis' Millinery Store.

Dan Bugh has been appointed game warden for the Bandera section.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague attended the fair at Fredericksburg last Sunday.

Charlie Bugh, Jr., has returned from Houston, where he has been for some time.

Adrien Tores, of San Marcos, is spending a few days at the H. E. Bandin ranch on Mason creek.

Isaac Rhodes, of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, arrived Tuesday on a visit to his uncle, Veteran Amass Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hicks and little daughter, Dorothy, returned yesterday from a trip to Brownsville, Matamoras, Laredo, and other Rio Grande Valley points.

Frank Mansfield, the local Chevrolet salesman this week sold a 1927 model Chevrolet touring car to Mrs. C. H. Mansfield.

Dr. Will Langford of Sherwood and Ivy H. Langford of San Antonio arrived Friday night, called here by the death of their mother, Mrs. I. B. Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Matthews and daughter, Miss Lois, of Beaumont, were here last week visiting Mrs. Matthews' sister, Mrs. J. W. Cox, and her brothers, John and Edwin Langford, and other relatives.

Cohen and Oneil Langford, and Elias Peters caught a 43-pound catfish on a trot-line in the river below town Monday night. They were displaying the big fellow to their friends Tuesday morning and feel mighty proud of their catch.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter came over from Harper Friday in response to a message announcing the death of Mrs. Hunter's grandmother, Mrs. I. B. Langford. They returned home Sunday night, accompanied by Cohen Langford and Miss Glayda Croisdale.

Robert Brown, who lives above Medina, was in town Monday and dropped in to see us. Mr. Brown has the agency for J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co., and can sell you tractors, plows and other machinery manufactured by the J. I. Case Co. See his advertisement in another column.

WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—Stewart Power Shearing Plant, very latest takedown model, same as new. Two drops complete with combs and cutters. Weighs only 300 pounds; can be moved in 20 minutes.—Leroy Eckhart. 2p-2tp-2tc

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE—Full blood Rhode Island Red pullets, 3½ each. Also a few choice cockerels at $1.00 each.—Mrs. D. O. Tallman, Medina, Texas. 2tc

MERRY-GO-ROUND —Will sell Merry-Go-Round, which will be run at the Bandera Fair grounds, cheap. Title in partner on the job, he intends to be manager.—See me at the fair.—E. Ricks, Bandera, Texas.

FOR SALE—Used Delco Lighting Plant, and a used Harley Davidson Motorcycle.—L. A. Faust, Comfort, Texas.

LOST—Horseshoe brand fire on hip, 3-4ri, between Bandera and Medina. Finder please notify H. W. Feit, 214 S. Monumental St., San Antonio.

FOR SALE—100 high bred Angora nannies, with kids on. Priced right.—Leroy Eckhart

RANCH FOR SALE—500 acres, 45 in cultivation, good house, good pens, partly goat proof fence, good title. $2,000 will loan long time. Plenty of water for all purposes, irrigation, etc. Good springs and well. Will sell reasonable. Also 30 head of stock cattle, and five horses—J. H. Tillotson, Utopia, Texas.

Trresh Cane Seed.

I will thresh cane seed at my home on Friday and Saturday, September 3rd and 4th.—Frank Mansfield.

Cemetery Clean-up.

There will be a cleaning of the Goodman Cemetery, near Medina, tomorrow, Friday, morning. Everybody in that neighborhood requested to help.

GENUINE FORD SERVICE.
When in **San Antonio** make our **Service Station** your headquarters. **Free parking space.** Open until 3 a. m.—**Herpel-Gillespie, By the Alamo, 720 East Houston Street.**

Miss Katherine L. Knight is here from San Antonio for a week's visit to her cousin, Miss Helen Bugh.

BULLETIN

Mirandy's Minstrels will give their performance at the High School Auditorium on Saturday night, September 11. Several new numbers added. Admission 20c and 35c.

The Bandera New Era

The Bandera Enterprise Established 1880

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BULLETIN

Several candidates for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 have expressed themselves in favor of a public park and ornamental fence around the court house.

ELEVENTH YEAR—No. 19

BANDERA, BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS, THUASDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1926.

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Young Man Stabbed.

Walter Stein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stein, was stabbed in the shoulder Saturday night at the fair, and for awhile was thought to be seriously injured. Dr. Butler was called and dressed the wound, and says the young man will soon be well unless blood poison should result. No arrest has been made in connection with the affair,

All Rams and Billies Sold.

R. N. Padgett informs us that he has sold all of the rams and billies he advertised in the New Era, and requests us to extend his thanks to his patrons and inform them that he will have more good stuff for them next season.

Dan's the Man.

We want to introduce you to Dan Moody, the next governor of Texas. Daniel ran off and left "Ma" Ferguson in the primary last Saturday. Moody he was more than 200,000 votes ahead of her and we lost count. In Bandera county the vote was as follows: For Governor—Moody, 426; Mrs. Ferguson, 156. For Attorney General —Pollard, 326; Allred, 170. For Treasurer —Hatcher, 230; Ball, 211.

Revival in Progress.

The meeting in progress at the Methodist church is drawing fair-sized crowds. Rev. C. E. Wheat of Kerrville is doing the preaching. You are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

When Opportunity Knocks at Your Door

How many men have been forced to pass up real opportunities on account of financial unpreparedness? Begin now to prepare yourself for YOUR opportunity. Start a Bank account—add to it systematically—draw interest on it—and then you will be able to grasp that opportunity when it comes to YOU.

The First National Bank of Bandera

THE BANDERA COUNTY FAIR WAS A COMPLETE SUCCESS

Exhibits Were Good in All Departments and Everybody Pleased With Display.

Bandera County's Sixth Annual Fair closed Saturday evening, after being open for three days. The first day he attendance was slim, the second day the rain kept the people away, but on Saturday, the third day, the crowds flocked in from everywhere and by noon of that day fully 1,000 people were on the grounds.

The displays in the various departments were splendid and attracted the attention of all visitors. We believe there was the greatest variety of agricultural products at this year's fair that has ever been shown in this part of Texas. It seems that everything that can be produced on a farm or ranch was brought in for exhibition, and in the live-stock department the showing of sheep and goats, and poultry was exceptionally good. In the ladies' department all sorts of needlework, fancy work and culinary displays delighted the people who saw them. The baby clinic, arranged for the mothers of the county, was a splendid feature. Public health nurses and baby specialists directed the clinic, and a very interesting lecture by Dr. Mary Harper of San Antonio helped to make the clinic a complete success.

The merry-go-round was there for the children, while all sorts of carnival concessions furnished amusement for the crowd. The rodeo staged by Ed Mans field, in which many expert riders participated, was also good, and a dance platform was filled each night with happy dancers.

On Saturday night an old folks' dance was enjoyed in the exhibit hall.

Altogether it was a very successful fair, and should cause the people of Bandera county to realize that we can have just as good, if not better, fair than anybody.

List of Premiums Will Be Published in the Bandera New Era Next Week.

The school displays, the exhibition of relics, the farm displays, the paintings shown, the handiwork of individuals, the various novelties, and the pot plants and flowers, all combined to make the large exhibit hall a place of interest to all the visitors.

Premiums list next week.

Brian Montague Married.

Brian Montague, well known Del Rio attorney, was married in San Antonio last Friday morning to Miss Eva L. Sweet of Fort Worth, Rev. Robert Mayl performing the ceremony at St. Mark's rectory. The bride and groom left immediately for Mexico City on a bridal trip. The groom is the son of Mrs. Charles Montague of Bandera, and was raised in this city. For the past several years he has practiced law in West Texas and is recognized as one of the leading attorneys of that part of the state. For some time he was district attorney, with headquarters at Alpine, resigning that office to engage in law practice at Del Rio.

The bride, whose home is at Fort Worth, was for four years in the faculty of the Sul Ross Teachers' College at Alpine. She is a young lady of splendid attainments, and the New Era joins in congratulations and best wishes.

Charbon Anthrax Appears.

Charbon anthrax has appeared among stock on the West Prong, it is said. Dr. John H. Erwin visited that region last Sunday to investigate the outbreak and deemed the situation of such a serious nature that he at once established a quarantine. A veterinarian is now vaccinating stock for ranchmen in that section.

Able to Get About.

Jesse Kutzer's many friends were glad to see him at the fair last Saturday. Jesse is able to get about on crutches and immensely enjoyed being with the crowd. He sustained an injury to his foot about two months ago when he gashed it with a piece of tin at a bathing pool in San Antonio. Blood poison resulted and for a time the young man's life was despaired of, and he came near losing his foot. He is steadily improving now, and we hope will soon be able to discard the crutches.

Undergoes An Operation.

Miss Norma Bausch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bausch of Winan's Creek, was taken to Kerrville Sunday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely.

Foot Broken.

John Reitzer, who lives at Sabinco, suffered a broken foot one day last week when his horse slipped and fell with him. Mr. Reitzer formerly lived here, and his friends regret to hear of his misfortune.

Married.

George Maass and Mrs. Treva Logsdon were quietly married in San Antonio on Tuesday of last week, Justice of the Peace Boltz officiating. The happy couple will make their home on the ranch of the groom's father, Will Maass, on Middle Verde. The New Era joins their many friends in extending congratulations and best wishes for a long life of happiness for Mr. and Mrs. Maass.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burney, of Center Point, were here Saturday, attending the fair and visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Burney recently returned from an automobile trip to Colorado, New Mexico, and other states, and as they came home they stopped over to attend the Boys camp-meeting in the Davis Mountains near Marfa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Heinsath were up from Pipe Creek to attend the fair on Saturday, and while here they subscribed for the little old home paper.

The Forrest Case.

There has been no new developments in the case of Pat Forrest, who is confined in the Bexar county jail charged with the murder of Will a Gray near Medina on Sunday, August 22. Forrest has made no move toward asking for bond, and if counsel has been employed we have not heard of it.

A Delightful Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Hunter spent Sunday at the delightful ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hicks, above Tarpley. Other guests there were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sartleben and children, Donald Neal and Aubrey, and Miss Vivian Roberts of San Antonio. Mrs. Sartleben is Mrs. Hicks' sister. A fine dinner was served at the noon hour, and in the afternoon we prowled around the Indian mounds, a few of which are near the home. Miss Roberts is a teacher in the San Antonio schools, and for several years has been teaching at Harlandale.

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Young Man Killed by An Elevator at Boerne on Last Thursday

One of the largest funerals ever held in Boerne was that of Selmont Ogden Adler, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Adler, who was accidently killed Tuesday of last week in the department store owned by his father when an elevator fell, crushing him.

Practically all the citizens of Southern Kendall County attended the funeral and the burial lot was entirely covered with flowers. The Rev. George Belsey, rector of the Episcopal church of which Selmont was a member, conducted the services, and the Boy Scouts also participated. At the end of the service a Scout trumpeter sounded "taps," which was echoed by another bugler in the distant part of the cemetery.

Young Adler's death occurred while he was working as a helper in his father's store. With two young companions he undertook to move a consignment of sugar from the basement to the first floor, using a hand elevator. When the elevator was half way up a rope broke and the load fell on the boy who was in the basement.

He was one of the most popular boys in Boerne because of his unfailing courtesy and friendliness, and he was a universal favorite in the Boerne high school where he was a student. On his mother's side he was a descendant of the late George Witte of San Antonio, his grandmother being Mrs. Dick Thomas of San Antonio. He was a grand nephew of Charles Kline, widely known pioneer jeweler in San Antonio.

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Mirandy's Minstrels Entertain Large Crowd at High School Auditorium

Mirandy's Minstrels, presented H. Erwin, Mrs. R. N. Hicks, Miss at the High School Auditorium Margaret Montague, Miss Minlast Friday night by the Parent-nie Mae Mansfield, Mrs. W. J. Teachers' Association, made Davenport, Jr., Miss Daisy Poe, quite a hit with the large audi- Miss Pauline Poe, Miss Thelma ence which was present to greet Miller, Mrs. A. L. Mansfield, them. "Mrs. Black's Pink Tea," Miss Eunice Surber, Miss Evelyn a very laughable comedy was Mansfield, Miss Ruth Davenport, given, old plantation melodies and two of Rev. R. N. Hicks were sung, and the program was children, as pickininnies. Mrs. interspersed with jokes. The G. Carmichael directed the ladies realized a neat sum which singing, while Miss Beatrice will be used toward making Mansfield, with violin, and the some repairs on the school build- Misses Poe with guitars, furnishing. The stairway which leads ed the music.

up into the center of the auditorium is to be removed and a stairway will be built on the outside, and other improvements will be made. The ladies taking part in the minstrel were Mrs. J.

Mirandy's Minstrels will be repeated at the High School Auditorium on Saturday night, September 11, usual prices.

"Mrs. Black's Pink Tea"

TARPLEY.

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Moves to the Plains.

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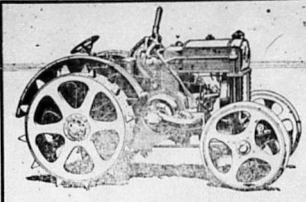

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Galli-Curci Swayed by the Seer of Sweden

Amelita Galli-Curci Florence W. Barron, Clarence W. Barron

Prima Donna Gives Wonderful Interpretation of the Writings of Emanuel Swedenborg—

HENRY FORD'S Dearborn Independent publishes a remarkable article on Galli-Curci and Emanuel Swedenborg, by Clarence W. Barron of the Wall Street Journal, the world's famous financial authority.

Mr. Barron declares that Galli-Curci has the most wonderful brain he has ever met or heard of in a woman, although she is much more "a true woman with a life and soul of affection for all that is ennobling and uplifting in the family and in color, form, and music."

Mr. Barron is chairman of the Reich Trustees, who acting under the will of Lydia S. Rotch of New Bedford, Mass., began in 1873 a modern translation of the Theological Works which Emanuel Swedenborg wrote and published in the Latin tongue, and deposited in the libraries of the world 150 years ago.

This work was completed and published by the Houghton Mifflin Co. in 23 volumes in 1907.

About three years ago there appeared in a Cleveland paper a paragraph that among her other accomplishments Galli-Curci had read all the Theological Writings of Emanuel Swedenborg. The claim seemed so absurd to Mr. Barron that he thought it might be easily punctured by a simple inquiry as to the edition.

The Bible a Greater Work Than Ever

To Mr. Barron's direct inquiry Madame Galli-Curci promptly replied: "Yes, I have read in the past year the complete Swedenborg Works, in fact in the Standard Edition of the Houghton Mifflin Co. that I have.

"I can say certainly that the Bible to me is a greater work than it was before."

Mr. Barron says: "My astonishment was intensified. Familiar over many years with Swedenborg's general theological writings, I had set out to read the entire thirty-two volumes preparatory to an advertising campaign for the sale of this edition. Reading a few pages each day I finished my self-imposed task in fifteen years. I shall probably finish a second reading, at my present rate of progress, in perhaps ten years. Was Swedenborg's writings intelligently read them within a year!"

Swedenborg's Writings

Mr. Barron continues: "As an economic writing, the paper, ink, type, weights, measures, coinages and currencies, Swedenborg is easily consulted. As an engineering treatise on ships overland he is easily visualized. As a government official in the great metallurgy of Sweden, writing practical books on mining and smelting, declared to be the foundation of modern metallurgy, he is of interest in the encyclopedia of scientific history. As the writer of volumes—original studies in search for the human soul—he is not without human interest.

"But when one comes to the realm of the unseen, where there is neither time nor space upon which to rest mental conceptions, few may enter into the fullness of the revelation which has come into the libraries of the world through Emanuel Swedenborg.

"Think of twenty modern-sized volumes, originally written in the Latin tongue and unfolding from the Hebrew of 'Genesis' and 'Exodus' the internal or spiritual sense that lies beneath the letter. Annex a dozen more similar volumes that not only expound the Apocalypse but the whole book of 'Revelation' as conveyor of a tremendous truth of universal application throughout invisible degrees of creation and life, but also illumine all the problems of sex as presented throughout the universe from the union of the love and wisdom in the divine down to sex crystallization in the mineral kingdom; include the deepest of all works ever written originally in the original Latin, 'Angelic Wisdom Concerning the Divine Love and the Divine Wisdom.'

Then answer to yourself the number of years that ought to be required to master these volumes."

Mean More Than Any Other Books

Mr. Barron, still credulous, continued his correspondence with Madame Galli-Curci for some months. He learned that soon after she lost her dear mother she had sought the Writings of Swedenborg in a desire to know more about the other world whence her mother had gone. She spent the entire summer vacation studying Swedenborg's Works, and declared: "They have meant, and mean more to me than anything else I have ever read."

When Galli-Curci returned from California Mr. Barron motored up into the Catskills to her beautiful Italian palace, and in an afternoon with her and her husband, Mr. Homer Samuels, he was convinced that Galli-Curci had read and devoured Swedenborg in a briefer period than anybody had ever done before.

Also in his interview Mr. Barron says:

"Hours flew like minutes. I wasn't the questioner. Mr. and Mrs. Samuels were at me with the sharpest and deepest questions. They seemed in perfect harmony mentally and spiritually, as in their work in music.

Wanted to Learn

"She wanted to know about the 'Grand Man'. I told her it would be easier to comprehend it if she would forego the idea of time and space and consider, as Swedenborg says in 'The Apocalypse Explained,' that every sphere in the heavens corresponds with and is part of the human body and helps to sustain it. Therefore the heavens have the organization of the 'Grand Man,' but we need not think of shape or figure.

"'Yes,' exclaimed her husband, 'I see it; it is organization.' I explained, that Swedenborg in the likewise connected with every society of the heavens, and how the world within us is in correspondence in one grand poem and song of creation, man in the image of his Maker and knit through the heavens, from which he has life in every organ of his body.

Swedenborg's 32 Volumes Read in a Single Summer

"'Now I understand,' she said, and asked me for explanation of other things. Her intelligent questions, as well as her statements, left no manner of doubt that Galli-Curci had performed the stupendous feat of reading the thirty-two volumes of Swedenborg in a single summer season. She declared 'Heaven and Hell' a very attractive and popular title and concerned about which people are most eager to know; but it is not one of Swedenborg's great works, although it makes a good popular and introductory work."

A Help in Her Work

Galli-Curci understands the writings of Swedenborg even better than her husband, because she applies them into practice in the broadest life of loving helpfulness.

She said that Swedenborg had helped her in her work. She had no longer to think of herself but of her audiences, and let the music flow through her: regard herself just a medium for life to pour through. She was free from self and for her audience, and singing was no effort for her.

All Fear Vanishes

"The more you do—the more you give forth—the more life and energy is poured into you, and you are stronger and not weaker for the doing, the working and the singing. I always feel stronger; I am not exhausted at all by my singing. Swedenborg shows the reason and how life comes in as you pour it forth usefully to others. You don't have to fret, worry or fret. You know it is not you but that it is just being done through you."

Speaking further of the help Swedenborg had been to her in her work she said: "One gets so much more confidence. The other world and the one life, real companionship of life, becomes reality and all fear and worry vanish."

San Antonio Light

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

Trail Drivers Monument.

The 2,000 members of the Old Trail Drivers' Association will concern themselves principally with raising about $75,000 to complete their monument in San Antonio when they come together in their annual reunion October 7, George W. Saunders, president said Friday.

The move to build the monument was given concrete expression when the association met in San Antonio in 1925 and authorized a contract for its erection at a cost of $100,000. The contract was let to Gutzon Borglum, whose model has been approved by the committee. About $20,000 has been raised.

San Antonio business men are pledged through the Chamber of Commerce to raise $50,000, to be matched by a like amount raised throughout the State. Walter Schreiner is general chairman of the San Antonio committee.

Saunders said Friday that the largest attendance in the history of the organization is expected. The three-day session last year drew more than 1,500 delegates, Saunders said. The program will be completed about September 15. —San Antonio Light.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all property owners and to all interested parties that at the FIRST CALLED SESSION of the THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, to be convened in the City of Austin, Texas, on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1926, there will be introduced a bill in respect to ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2 OF BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS, and the substance of such proposed law is as follows:

AN ACT TO CREATE ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 2 IN BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS; VALIDATING AND APPROVING ALL ORDERS MADE BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF; AND PROVIDING FOR THEIR PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF, AND PROVIDING FOR THEIR PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT OF SAID ROAD DISTRICT, BONDS AND TAXES, OR CERTIFIED COPIES THEREOF AND CONSTITUTING SUCH ORDERS LEGAL EVIDENCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

DATED this the 9th day of August, 1926.

J. A. EAMES, County Judge, Bandera County, Texas.

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AN ACT TO CREATE ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 2-A IN BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS; VALIDATING AND APPROVING ALL ORDERS MADE BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT TO THE ORGANIZATION OF SAID DISTRICT; VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION, ISSUANCE, AND SALE OF CERTAIN ROAD BONDS THEREOF, AND PROVIDING FOR THEIR PAYMENT BY THE ANNUAL LEVY, ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID ROAD DISTRICT; APPROVING AND VALIDATING ALL ORDERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SAID COUNTY IN RESPECT OF SAID ROAD DISTRICT, BONDS AND TAXES, OR CERTIFIED COPIES THEREOF AND CONSTITUTING SUCH ORDERS LEGAL EVIDENCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Miller and daughter, Laura Dee, of Rocksprings, visited their daughter, Mrs. Tom Finney, and family last week.

Oscar Smith and family of Port Arthur, visited his father, Sam Smith and other relatives here.

Eugene Oliver, wife and son of Livingstone, are visiting Mrs. Oliver's mother, Mrs. O. P. Baker, and her brother, Pitt Baker and family.

Archibald Briggs has returned from Austin, where he attended the University.

Gordon Knight, of Austin, is visiting friends here.

G. W. Banta has returned from a visit to San Saba.

Mrs. Charlie Baker and two children of Port Arthur, are visiting her mother, Mrs. C. D. Wyatt, and her sister, Mrs. Judith Baker.

Miss Sadie Hatfield, has gone to Grosbeck to take work as county demonstrator of Limestone county.

Last Sunday morning about six o'clock, Mrs. Thomas died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. N. Curtis. Mrs. Thomas who was over sixty years old, had been sick only a few days. She leaves four children, Mrs. T. N. Curtis, Judson Thomas, Will Thomas, and E. C. Thomas.

Funeral services were held Monday morning. We extend sympathy and confidence to these bereaved friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams and family are visiting Mrs. Adam's mother, Mrs. M. D. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed and children, of Lima, attended the County Fair Saturday.

Judge W. S. Ethridge and Tom Gray made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Vollmering were over from Tarpley Saturday to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Langford spent last Thursday at Harper with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter.

Hornell's bacon, by the side 29 cents a pound, each Saturday only, at Adams & Adams' store, Medina.

Jim Sorber and children, Leonard and Reed, and Mrs. Orville Surber returned Monday from a visit to relatives in Moore county.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fredrickson and children, of North Pleasanton, spent Monday with Mrs. Fredrickson's mother, Mrs. H. L. Atkins.

Miss Elna Pentecost, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. A. Masters, left Monday for Oakville on a visit. Miss Pentecost will teach in the Austin city schools this year.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. John McHaney and children, of Fredericksburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Click and family, of Bandera, visited Mr. and Mrs. Val Click Sunday.

Miss Joyce Phillipe who has been spending a few days in San Antonio with relatives returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayeraft and Miss Turner, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ida Sutton is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Sadie Miller.

Mrs. Rod Reese and daughters, Misses Lela and Annie, visited in S. A. Reese home Monday.

Mrs. Daisy O'Larnie and children, of San Antonio, visited friends and relatives here last week.

H. L. Morris has bought a 1927 Ford touring car.

Mrs. C. O. Reese and children, Howell and Clara, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Banta at Medina.

Richard Adams, of Taft, is spending a few days with his cousin, Zula Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebach of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Reed.

Mrs. Dee Reed has almost completed a new dwelling on his store.

J. W. Miller and family, of near Rocksprings, was here last week visiting his sister, Mrs. E. E. Dowdy, and other relatives.

Bryan Autrey came up from Gonzales Saturday for the fair. He was accompanied home Sunday by his wife and little son, Mansfield.

Mrs. Walter L. Boothe and son, of Sweetwater, was here last Thursday on a visit to her father, W. H. Fitzgerald and other relatives.

Senator and Mrs. Julius Real and Mr. and Mrs. Nuenhoffer and children, were over from Kerrville Saturday to attend our County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McNeath, of San Antonio, were here last week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Masters and attending the fair.

Miss Aleen Stevens, who has been holding a position at Yoakum, returned home last week, and has been seriously ill with influenza. We hope she will soon be well again.

Mrs. Alice Bolton and grandson, Harold Wagner, came up from San Antonio to attend the County Fair Saturday, and while here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Chisum.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sanderford of San Antonio, attended the County Fair on Saturday. Mr. Sanderford owns the Bar-S ranch on West Verde and spends most of his time there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor and children, of near Camp Verde attended the fair last Friday. Mr. Taylor is recognized as the best dry land farmer in this region, and always grows the best truck. He renewed his subscription to the New Era while here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson, of Tuff, were here for the County Fair last Saturday. Mr. Anderson says there is some charbon in his section and steps are being taken to prevent a spread of the disease.

Charlie Smith, of Melvin, spent several days here last week visiting his aunt, Mrs. Amasa Clark, Sr. Charlie was partly raised in this county, and had been away for many years, but he found quite a number of his old friends here to welcome him.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Loyd and children, of Port Arthur, were here Tuesday enroute home from a visit to relatives at Bluff. They stopped at the New Era office to renew their subscription to the little old home paper, and Mr. Loyd also subscribed for Frontier times.

D. B. Seale, of Rocky Creek, attended the County Fair Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Montague spent several days in San Antonio last week.

Captain Geo. P. Grant was over from Tarpley Monday on business.

Frank Tampke, of Utopia, was a visitor at the County Fair last Saturday.

15 pounds sugar for $1.00 cash, Saturday only, at Adams & Adams' store, Medina.

District Attorney Joe G. Montague, of Fort Stockton, visited homefolks here last Friday.

Marvin Akin and family were here from Medina last Thursday to attend the County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Briant and children came up from San Antonio Saturday to attend the fair.

Mrs. Della Hunt, of Conroe, is here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Julia Meadows, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberts, of Harper, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper last Thursday.

Rev. J. L. Stutt of Blooming Grove, Texas, was here Thursday, the guest of Judge and Mrs. J. A. Stutt.

Oscar Heinen and nephew, Reese Heinen, went to Port Arthur this week on a business and pleasure trip.

Miss Stella Mae Willis, who has been attending school at San Marcos, returned to her home at Tarpley last Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Kirkland and Mrs. Ed Caton, of Medina, were here to assist in the work of the County Fair last week.

Misses Elsie Schoele and Ruth Walker, of Center Point, were visiting friends here and attending the fair last Saturday.

Oscar Smith, of Port Arthur, left last Saturday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith of near Medina.

New Fall Felt Hats, just arrived at Mrs. Dennis' Millinery Store.

Mrs. Alton Phillips has been very sick but we are glad to report her improving.

The Lima school will begin Sept. 11.

Rev. Courtney, a Christian minister of San Antonio, will preach at the Lima school house next Tuesday night. A cordial invitation extended to all to attend.

Mrs. Quarry, of San Antonio, assisted by twenty girls, will give a program at the Lima school house next Wednesday night. Everybody invited to attend. No admission charge will be made.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller, of Utopia, were here several days this week visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. G. Carmichael and other relatives.

League Notice.

Senior League programs are interesting and we invite you out next Sunday. Subject, "Ways of Doing the Lord's Work." Leader, Mrs. Oscar Perner.

To the Voters.

Section 40 of Art. XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas provides that "No person shall hold office of emolument, except that of Justice of the Peace, County Commissioner, Notary Public and Postmaster, unless otherwise specially provided herein."

(Political advertisement)

W. F. Kuehne, of Boerne, was here for the fair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mansfield were over from Comfort for the fair.

W. M. McDowell and wife, Bill D. Mashburn, of Medina, were seen at the fair Saturday.

Mrs. Lela Clark, of Utopia, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. R. Thalmann last week-end.

Free demonstration of Libby's products all day Saturday, at Adams & Adams' store, Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips and children, of Lima, were seen at the County Fair on Saturday.

Mrs. J. T. Stevens, and Mrs. E. Hammond, of near Medina, attended the County Fair on Saturday.

Frank Hodges is up from San Antonio to spend the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Reinarz and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reinarz, of Pipe Creek, were at the County Fair last Saturday.

Miss Lillian Mahana, of Dallas, who spent ten days with Mrs. E. E. Heinrath at Pipe Creek, left last Thursday for her home.

R. C. Mills and two children, Lear and Lorene, of the Utopia section, was the guest of his brother-in-law, J. E. Chisum, last week.

Brown Stokes of Medina and Sylvester Mazurek of Utopia have purchased new Ford touring cars through the Lee Risinger agency.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schoener, and sons, of San Antonio, spent several days last week with Mrs. Schoenert's mother, Mrs. Reitzer on East Verde.

Miss Mildred Watson left Saturday for San Antonio to visit her sister, Mrs. C. L. Bowie, and will visit Corpus Christi and Rockport while away.

Rev. Chas. H. Heinrath, pastor of the First Baptist church at Beaumont, Conn., spent a day last week with his uncle, E. J. Heinrath, near Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Langford and children left last Saturday for their home at Mooringsport, La., after spending two weeks here with friends and relatives.

J. L. Lackey was in from Mason creek Tuesday and told us to stop the ad he was running offering a Ford truck for sale. He disposed of it shortly after inserting the ad.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davenport, of Mason Creek, attended the County Fair Saturday. Mrs. Davenport had an exhibition quite a number of Indian relics and curios which attracted much attention.

Miss Vivian Keese, one of the teachers in the Lima school, was here to attend the County Fair. Miss Vivian takes much interest in 4-H work and arranged a splendid exhibit of Lima school work for display.

Alba Storms and children, Miss Katherine, Lewis and Jack Storms, of Moore, Stanton Creek Tuesday, and Miss Katherine called to renew their subscription to the New Era and also to Frontier Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Chipman, who spent the past month with friends and relatives here, leave Wednesday for their home in Mooringsport, La., They will be accompanied by Mrs. Emil Rugh and little daughter, Louise, who will be seen visiting relatives here for a month.

Mrs. George Hudspeth and son, Harry, were here from Dallas last Thursday visiting old friends. They were en route to Beeville, and were accompanied to Bandera by Mrs. Adolph Huff, sister of San Antonio. Mrs. Hudspeth formerly lived in Bandera, but has resided in Dallas for many years.

Mrs. Asa W. Evans and Mrs. John L. Hill, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Clark last Sunday, entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Christensen and two children, Andrew and Lucille, and their cousins, Charlie Smith of Melvin and Isaac Rhodes of Kingfisher, Oklahoma.

A nice dinner was enjoyed by all who were there.

Dr. Mary Harper, Miss Carrol King, Miss Caffery, Mrs. Henricits Ablard and Miss Abbie Anderson, of San Antonio, were guests of Mrs. Frank M. Moore one Saturday night. The two last named ladies are public health nurses, and Miss Harper is the well known baby specialist of San Antonio. They conducted the baby clinic at the County Fair Friday and Saturday, and were assisted by Dr. Chas. Boehs, eminent specialist in eye, ear, nose and throat troubles.

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Wilson's Dryer.

Bud Colvin of Montell was in Bandera yesterday arranging to place the preparation known as Wilson's Dryer on sale here with Billings & Son and W. J. Davenport. Describing this screw worm preventative, W. F. Wilson, manufacturer, says:

"I have been in the stock business for thirty years and have handled all classes of stock. During these years, I have experimented with stock dips, and various kinds for the reduction of the percentage of stock loss Screw Worms. At last, I have discovered a powder for use on all cuts and wounds, which is both a preventative and a healer. I have used this powder on cattle, sheep, goats and even dogs, with complete success. It will thoroughly dry any cut or fresh wound in four hours. It will stop bleeding and heal swelling. It will positively not injure the fleece of any sheep or goat, does not leave any oil or dirt and does not discolor the hair. I have used this powder at my shearing machine, dusting it on fresh cuts, and have had no cases of Screw Worms after application. This powder saves both time and money, as it completely eliminates the necessity of keeping cut goats and sheep in a trap for several weeks for the purpose of treating them every day for screw worms. I have worked on the old theory that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, and can attest the truth of that statement. This powder will not only prevent screw worms, but will heal a case of screw worms. You can Kill the worm with any worm killer on the market, and then apply this powder which will heal and dry the wound and prevent any more worms from appearing in the sore.

This powder is put up in a handy sifter box, easy to carry in the pocket. It is known as WILSON'S DRYER and can be bought at Billings & Son's Drug Store, or from W. J. Davenport, Sr., or mailed direct on your order from W. F. Wilson, Montell, Texas."

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LOST —Female hound, white, with lemon spots. Branded 79 on left shoulder. $2.50 reward for information leading to recovery.—R. A. Robison, Tarpley, Texas. 2tp

FOR SALE—Heavy mackinew overcoat, gray with blanket lining. Lost between Bluff and Medina. Finder please notify F. M. Buckner, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Registered Angora Billies. Can be seen at the Booker Davenport Ranch.—G. L. Elam.

FOR SALE—The Luke Maurer residence in Bandera. Price $1400. Payment down, and balance on time, 6 per cent interest. See Ethridge Real Estate Co. or inquire at New Era office.

WANTED—Girl to do housework and be companion to elderly lady, who will be alone most of the time. Apply to Mrs. V. F. Brewer. Applicant may attend school.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red Roosters, Harrison strain, at $1. each. Worth $2.50. Come see them.—A. Halamuda. 2t

Fresh from the Press.

That shoemaker is still in Bandera and Davis is the man to repair your shoes and boots. Some harness work and sewing auto tops and patching them. Try and see Davis before you get wet and have that top sewed up. Shoes ordered if you want them. Davis is the man that does these things. Come and see him. Thank you.

Thresh Cane Seed.

I will thresh cane seed at my home on Friday and Saturday, September 3rd and 4th.—Frank Mansfield.

BULLETIN

Miranda's Minstrels will repeat their performance at the High School Auditorium on Saturday night, September 11. Several new numbers added. Admission 15c and 25c.

The Bandera New Era

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BULLETIN

Bandera High School opens next Monday, September 14. Start the children in on the first day and keep them in school throughout the whole term.

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Veteran Amasa Clark Honored

Veteran Amasa Clark was given quite an ovation at San Antonio last Friday by Army officers, city and county officials and the Pioneer Freighters' Association, on the occasion of his 101st birthday. Luncheons, and various forms of entertainment were provided for the old veteran, who reports to us that he enjoyed every moment of the time, and asks us to extend his thanks to the citizens of San Antonio, to the Pioneer Freighters' Association and to Wm. B. Krempkau, secretary of the association, his sincere thanks for the splendid ovation given him. Mrs. Clark and several of his children went to San Antonio with him, as well as his nephew, Isaac Rhoades of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, who is now on a visit.

A monster birthday cake, decorated with 101 candles, and appropriately inscribed, was presented to Mr. Clark at the Pioneer Freighters' Association, and was brought to Bandera where it was put on display at Billings' Drug Store and a visitor magnet there for several days. On Tuesday the cake was cut at a dinner given at the Clark home, and a piece sent to each of Mr. Clark's grandchild, as well as the children of Mr. Clark. Candles were supplied in the race.

Utopia Citizen Died Monday

Joe Patton, a well known citizen of Utopia, died at San Antonio Monday, following an operation for appendicitis. Deceased was about 45 years old, and leaves a wife and several children. He had resided at Utopia for many years and for some time was employed by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a tick inspector. Burial took place at Utopia on Tuesday.

For Justice of the Peace.

The announcement of H. Harper for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, appears in this issue of the New Era. Mr. Harper is also a candidate for Commissioner of this precinct. As to his eligibility to hold both offices, should he be elected to both, reference is made to Section 40 of Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, which provides that one person may hold both offices. Mr. Harper is now serving as Justice of the Peace, having been appointed to that office several months ago by the commissioners court, and immediately discharged the duties of that office, and if elected in November will continue to serve in the best interests of the people. He will appreciate your vote and support in the race.

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How many men have been forced to pass up real opportunities on account of financial unpreparedness? Begin now to prepare yourself for YOUR opportunity. Start a Bank account—add to it systematically—draw interest on it—and then you will be able to grasp that opportunity when it comes to YOU.

The First National Bank of Bandera

R. A. Chipman Hurt in a Fall

R. A. Chipman has about recovered from the effects of a fall at his home on the day last week, when he sustained severe bruises about the head. He was standing on a high chair removing wasp nests from under his porch when the chair tilted and he was thrown to the ground. Several gashes were cut in his scalp and for awhile he was quite sick from the effects of the fall.

Drilling a Well.

C. C. White is drilling a well for Bernard Duke at the Independent central telephone office near the court house. Mr. White recently finished a well on the property of Mack Boyle, securing a fine supply of water at a depth of about 400 feet.

George Jane and Jake Short are spending a few days in San Antonio this week.

Minstrels Again Saturday Night

Miranda's Minstrels, in a return performance at the High School Auditorium next Saturday night, will present "Mrs. Black's Pink Tea," a very laughable comedy, interspersed with jokes and plantation melodies. Several new numbers have been added, and the admission price reduced to 15c and 25c. This is being given again upon request of many who failed to see it when played here August 28th. The show is being presented under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association.

Tonsils and Adenoids Removed

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billings and children are at Beasley this week visiting Mrs. Billings' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Munaw. Their little son, Frank, had his tonsils and adenoids removed by a surgeon at Beasley last Friday, and is getting along nicely.

Leg Broken in Auto Collision

We regretted to learn of the serious accident which befell Mr. Theo W. Friedrich, secretary of Josko Bros. Co., in San Antonio recently when he sustained a broken leg in an automobile collision on the streets there. It had been arranged that Mr. Friedrich, Col. M. L. Crimmins, Mr. Harnish and the New Era editor were to make a trip to the hills in Kimble county to inspect some Indian mounds, but the accident coming only three or four days before we were to start, our trip was postponed to a later date. We hope Mr. Friedrich will soon recover from his injuries.

A Correction.

In mentioning the marriage last week of Brian Montague and Miss Eva Sweet at San Antonio, the New Era inadvertently stated that the ceremony was performed at St. Mark's rectory, when we should have said the marriage took place at St. Mary's rectory, where Father Mayl performed it. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the Menger Hotel, immediately after which the newly wedded pair departed for Mexico City on a bridal trip.

Aunt Died.

J. W. Batto and daughter, Miss Alvina, went to D'Hanis last Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Batto's aunt, Mrs. Louise Batto, who died Thursday.

Revival Closed Sunday Night

The meeting at the Methodist church, conducted by Rev. C. E. Wheat of Kerrville, closed Sunday night with three additions to the church. Rev. Wheat preached some splendid sermons and the Methodist church membership was somewhat strengthened and benefitted by his work in the meeting.

Editor Eats Chicken.

Editors, like preachers, delight to feast on fried chicken. Last Sunday at the Boerne fair we ran onto a bunch of newspaper editors getting after dinner was to be served and Mrs. Anderwald is there, she can just count on an editor for company at dinner.

Read the Bulletins.

There's something of interest to you each week in the bulletins which appear on each side of the New Era heading on this page. Read the bulletins.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris and daughter, Miss Iris returned Monday from a visit to relatives and friends at Eden, Ballinger, Sance, and Blackwell. They were absent several days.

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also sent out as souvenirs of the old veteran's birthday. Mr. Clark is still quite active despite the burden of years which rest upon him, and we hope he will be spared to dwell among us for many more years.

Bandera Folks at Boerne Fair

The New Era editor attended the Boerne fair last Sunday. We saw quite a number of Bandera folks out there, among them being Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Anderwald and children, Mrs. J. N. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Evans, Mrs. J. H. Bruce and daughters, Misses Minnie and Aileen, Hubert Bruce, Misses Nettie and Rachel Hunter, Miss Ruth Kutzer, Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield, W. E. Mansfield and family, Mrs. Bill Bill, Mr. Marvin Hunter, Jr., Frank Hodges, Ben Jureczki, Alex Kalka, Alex Laskowski, Miss Frances Pyka, Walter Brown, Emma Ida and Stella Pyka, Mrs. J. B. Holt and children, Bob Gray, Gus Bausch, Richard Schladoer, Mary and Darthy Angelina Pyka, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Klemstein, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ruge, Mr. and Mrs. Milam Faris and children, Miss Martha Adamietz, Ben Pyka, Mr. and Mrs. John Dugosh, Miss Hedwig Adamietz, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Blakeney, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Elam, Miss Thora Elam and Miss Judith Thompson went to Boerne to attend the fair Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Lee White, of Wimberley, Texas, is a new subscriber to the little old home paper.

St. Joseph's School Opens.

St. Joseph's School opened at the parochial school building Tuesday morning for a nine months' term. Several teachers are employed in this school and it is steadily growing.

Incipient Blaze at the Postoffice

A burning cigarette thrown into some waste against the wall of the postoffice last Thursday came near causing a conflagration. When discovered the fire was gaining headway between the front walls of the postoffice, the building in which is located being a frame structure. Postmaster Fred Mayl, aided with the assistance of others, soon extinguished the blaze.

Organizes Council at Harper

L. R. Watkins, district manager of the Security Benefit Association, was here from San Antonio last Saturday and paid us a brief visit. He informs us that he has just organized a live council at Harper, where installation ceremonies will take place tonight.

Kelley Hartmann and Mel Davis, two popular young San Antonio swains, spent Monday in Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes and children and Norman Hayes, of Houston, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes.

Rev. J. W. Childers and sons, of Jourdanton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes this week.

Let me sell you a house and lot.—Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man.

School to Open Next Monday

Bandera High School will open next Monday, September 14th. The faculty will be composed of the following: A. B. Bragg, superintendent; Jack Emerson, principal; Miss Lucille Mellville, Miss Ilene Cupp, Bill Moss, E. B. Little, assistants; Miss Fuller, instructor in music.

Undergoes Operation.

Mrs. Gid Lane was called to San Antonio Monday by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Ivy Towers, who underwent an operation for appendicitis last Sunday. We hope the young lady will soon recover.

Tonsils and Adenoids Removed

Mrs. George Hall took her little daughter, Marjorie, to San Antonio last week and had her tonsils and adenoids removed. The pretty little girl is getting along recovery we understand.

Veteran Invited to Fort Snelling

The New Era editor received a telegram last Friday from the Commanding Officer at Fort Snelling, Minnesota, asking that we bring Veteran Clark to Fort Snelling as honorary guest of honor at the annual reunion of the infantry at their Regimental Day celebration September 21st, all expenses paid. Unfortunately Clark's health would be about as attractive for him to undertake such a long trip. He is the oldest living member of the regiment having been a member of that company during the Mexican War.

Appreciates the Home Paper.

Mrs. Katherine Fredericksen, nee Miss Katherine Atkins, of North Pleasanton, Texas, writes in her renewal to the New Era, and says, "I enjoy the paper so much and am always interested in the happenings of Bandera. I'm so glad to note that so many improvements are taking place there. I am sure as more people find out about the wonderfully beautiful scenery in and around Bandera the town will enlarge and become more of a resort than ever."

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Kelley of Medina, September 5, a 12 pound boy.

Herman Williams, who spent a few days with his uncle, Ben Gray and family last week, has returned to his home at Greenville, Texas.

Former Bandera Citizen Dead

The many friends of the family in the Hill Country will be grieved to learn of the death of Sidney Street Hudspeth, 57, which occurred on August 29, at his home in Los Angeles.

Deceased was the son of Mr. J. A. Hudspeth and a brother of Mrs. J. M. Hamilton and Miss Ruth Hudspeth, well known Bandera residents, who moved to Austin and Louisiana several months ago.

Mr. Hudspeth was a veteran newspaper man and learned the printing trade on the old Bandera Enterprise in the early days of the times of his death he was publisher of the Jena Times and city clerk of his home town.

He is survived by his widow and small son in addition to a number of relatives in this section. Interment was made at Boerne-Kerrville Mountain Side.

Good Meetings Closed at Tuff

A series of meetings which has been in progress the last ten days at the Tuff school house closed Sunday night with a large crowd. A very fine interest was shown all through the meeting. Daily meetings with dinner on the ground, were enjoyed by all both Sundays. The services were conducted by Elder H. E. Winegeart, of Independence, Missouri. Many will remember that Elder Winegeart was one of the speakers at the big tent meeting held at Bandera in July. He will speak at Tuff again Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Baptismal services were held Sunday afternoon.

Tonsils Removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bates took their son, Charlie, to Comfort last Sunday to have his tonsils removed. The operation was performed by a surgeon there and the young man is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Bates returned here Monday afternoon.

Mrs. B. F. Faris is spending a few days in San Antonio with her daughter, Mrs. Fisher.

Real Estate Wanted.

I desire to secure a listing of Bandera county ranch and farm lands. I am in the real estate business and have several prospect calls for Bandera county lands.—E. J. Pennell, Real Estate and Loans, Nixon, Texas.

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FOR SALE— Stewart Power Shearing Plant, very latest take-down model, same as new. Two drops complete with combs and cutters. Weighs only 200 pounds, can be moved in 20 minutes.— Leroy Eckhart. Ag18 ltp

FOR SALE—100 high bred Angora nannies, with chair on. Priced right.—Leroy Eckhart.

RANCH FOR SALE—500 acres, 45 in cultivation, good house, good pens, partly good fence, good title. 2,000 farm loan here can be assumed. Plenty water for all purposes, irrigation site. Good springs and well. Will sell reasonable. Also 30 head of stock cattle, and five horses.— H. Tillotson, Utopia, Texas.

LOST—Female hound, white with lemon spots. Brindled 70 behind left shoulder. Reward for information leading to recovery.— R. A. Reddon, Tarpley, Texas. 21c

FOR SALE—Registered Angora Billies. Can be seen at Eckhardt-Davenport Ranch.—O. L. Elam.

FOR SALE—The Lake Maggard residence in Bandera. Price $1400. Payment down, and balance on time. See owner or see Kitchen Real Estate Co., inquire at New Era office.

WANTED—Girl to do housework and be companion to elderly lady, who will be home most of the time. Apply to Mrs. F. P. Brewer. Applicant may attend school.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red Roosters, Harrison strain, at $1 each. Worth $2.50. Come and get them. A. Halamuda.

WILL TEACH voice this winter. Reasonable rates. Phone or see Mrs. R. Hicks. 21p

FOR SALE—I still have a few registered Angora Billies for sale. Priced right. Alvie Pue, Medina, Texas.

SEWING WANTED—Let me do your fall and winter sewing. Reasonable charges. Mrs. Percy Pue, Medina, Texas. 1tp

LOST—Between Boerne and Medina lake, straw suitcase containing woman's wearing apparel. Finder please notify Mrs. J. O. Callahan, at Pipe Creek. 21c

BARLEY FOR SALE—Seventy five bushels of good barley for sale, at $1.00 per bushel. Bring your sacks.—W. M. McAllister, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Baled corn top pasture, delivered in feeders.— Roy Chipman 21c

TARPLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rieber have moved to Leona where Mr. Rieber will teach the Leona school.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cratey have returned from Houston where they spent several days.

Misses Theresa and Olga Medlin, who spent several weeks with relatives in San Antonio, have returned home.

Mrs. Ike Evans, of Bandera, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Eagle, this week.

The Methodist meeting began last Saturday night. Everybody invited to come and bring others.

Mrs. Mamie and little daughter, of D'Hanis, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Jeffers.

Miss Clara Purvis left Tuesday for San Antonio to enter a business college.

Misses Iris and Myra Strawn, who have been spending the summer months on their ranch near Tarpley, will return to Hondo this week to enter high school there.

Liberty Life Assurance Society offers you legal reserve life insurance at cost. Every certificate is fully participating. Pays if you live, pays if you die. A good live deputy wanted at Bandera. Write Joy L. Tilley, Organizer, Christine, Texas.

MEDINA.

Mrs. Cruz Lacker and children, of Port Arthur are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice.

Mrs. Viola Howland, of Center Point, spent last week-end with relatives here.

Rev. M. P. Burton and wife are at Tarpley, where Rev. Burton is conducting a meeting.

Saturday quarterly conference was held at the Methodist church.

Rev. Curry, Presiding Elder, preached at the Methodist church Sunday.

Misses Mattie Mae and Joyce Newsom and Mrs. Stiles have returned from Austin.

Bert Morgan has returned to his home at Post, Texas after a visit to his sister, Mrs. Bessie Allen, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hatfield, Miss Mattie Mae Newsome, Miss Catherine McBryde, Mrs. Jennie Kirkland, Miss Thelma Sherrill, Archibald Briggs, and Carlos Gilbert are attending Rev. Justice's meeting at Kerrville this week.

The Medina School opens September 28th.

Misses Marguerite and Arsonia Pries went to Leakey with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boren last week-end came back with Miss Thelma Kirkland and Miss Dee Lee of San Antonio, spent last week-end with Mrs. Pries's parents Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Barnsley and Mrs. Gus Meissner and baby, Marjorie Nell, of Fort Worth are visiting Mrs. Barnsley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris.

Mrs. Charles Bender visited in San Antonio, spent last week-end with Mrs. Bessie Allen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Davis and children, Ira Ebsworth, visited Mr. Davis's sister, Mrs. J. M. Moffett, and family.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Reiber of Tarpley has moved to O. D. Keese's upper place and Mr. Reiber is principal of the Lima school.

Miss Annie Reed and Mrs. Ivey returned from a visit at Deer Valley, to Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ferguson. Mrs. Ferguson and children Orian and Faye accompanied them home, returning Friday.

Mrs. Artie Reed enjoyed a family reunion at Lima last Thursday. Those present were: Mrs. L. D. Ferguson and children of Deer Valley, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker of Bluff, Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and children, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reed and baby, Mrs. Kelley and relatives of San Antonio.

Mrs. Kelley has returned to her home in San Antonio after a visit to Mrs. C. A. Reed.

Mrs. Ellis Sutherland of Taft, spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. John Phillips.

Jack Coose of San Antonio is spending on a short visit to his mother.

Mrs. L. A. Reed has been very sick. We hope she will soon be well.

Mrs. Zula Miller and daughters, Misses Sadie and Inez, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sutton of Honey Creek.

Mrs. Gus Finney, little granddaughter Nell, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finney and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese Saturday night

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hillman August 31, a boy.

James Cox announces a dance at Cox Hall Saturday night, September 18. Music will be furnished by the Five Black O' Diamonds orchestra.

Free Lunches.

Demonstration of Libby's products all day Saturday at J. H. Bruce's Store.

Get your school supplies at Bruce's Store.

Shad Dixon, of San Antonio, spent last Friday at the home of R. A. Chipman.

Miss Zora Mae Price is spending awhile at Alfred, Texas, with Mr and Mrs. Henry Mills.

New Fall Felt Hats, just arrived at Mrs. Dennis' Millinery Store.

Mrs. Henry Haby spent last week-end with friends and relatives in the western part of the county.

J. G. Carmichael has purchased a new model Chevrolet touring car from Frank Mansfield, the local salesman.

Mrs. Joe Gray and little daughter, of San Antonio, were here Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pyka.

A. V. Pue, executive secretary and general manager of Texas from the Dallas office, was here and paid the office an appreciated visit.

R. O. Durst was here from Sabinal Tuesday in business and visiting friends. Everybody is glad to see Sud when he comes to Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gray were guests of Tom Gray and family Sunday.

Arthur Davis has enlisted in the United States Navy, and has gone to San Francisco to report for duty.

Miss Aleen Stevens has recovered from a severe attack of influenza and pneumonia, and is able to be about.

Miss Lora Thallman has accepted a position in the post-office, which is now in charge of Postmaster Fred Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McMahon and children, of Medina, were in the city yesterday. Mr. McMahon says he raised a good barley crop this year and has barley for sale C

Mrs. Will Gray and son, George Gray, wife and baby, came down from Brownwood and spent Saturday night and Sunday with her nephew, Tom Gray and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don H. Biggers of Fredericksburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. White and sons of Center Point, spent several days camping on the Medina last week. They paid the New Era a fraternal visit on Saturday.

Mr. G. T. Simpson, of Batesville, arrived last Saturday on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Tom North. Since his arrival he has been quite sick, but is much improved and we hope he will soon be able to get out. He was accompanied to Bandera by his son, J. A. Simpson and Miss Lucile Hart, who returned to Batesville Sunday.

At the Boerne fair last Sunday we found Mr. and Mrs. D. New camped. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Villemain and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rohrbach and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Pickens and children, all of Pipe Creek, and with them came Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heisler and children of San Antonio, who have been visiting old friends at Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eisenhauer and little son, Roland, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Holbrook and Col. R. P. Bracht, all of San Antonio, spent a few days here the past week camping on the river. They called at this office Monday and Col. Brancht ordered Frontier Times sent to his address. He is very much interested in the history of Texas, as his father was with the German emigrants who came to Texas in 1846.

Rev. Father P. J. Tarradellas, who has been stationed at San Angelo for some time, spent last week with old friends in Bandera. Father Tarradellas was pastor of the Catholic church here for a number of years and his many friends were delighted to see him again. He paid this office an appreciated visit Monday, and gave the editor much encouragement and spoke in flattering terms of Bandera's improvement during the past three or four years.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge:
J. A. BAMES.
A. L. MANSFIELD.
JOHN S. ATKINS.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.
BERNARD E. DUKE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.
ELVIUS HICKS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN F. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON FYKA
F. R. CAFFALL.
R. C. BOALES.
KASPER DUGOS.
Chas. E. SCHMIDTKE, Jr.
J. H. PRUE.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
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TUFF TIMES.

The Latter Day Saints meeting in progress for ten days closed Sunday night with four additions to the church. Elder Winegar, of Independence, Mo., held the meeting.

Willie Zumwalt has returned after an absence of two years, during which time he traveled through most of the western states.

The Crockett school will open Monday, September 18th. The teachers will be Carl Wheeler and Mrs. Susie Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Allen and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt one evening last week.

Mrs. Dock Evans, mother and two children and Miss Lutie Miller of Lima were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allsup Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitehead and daughter spent awhile with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitehead Sunday.

Miss Zora Light, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Ed Evans, returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gimbel and Dr. and Mrs. Payne, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Batte Sunday and Monday.

Robert Brown of Medina, attended the Boerne fair last Sunday.

Fresh from the Press.

That shoe-maker is still in Bandera and Davis is the man to repair your shoes and boots. Some harness work and sewing auto tops and patching them. Try and see Davis before you get wet and save that top sewed up. Shoes ordered if you want them. Davis is the man that does these things. Come and see him. Thank you.

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To the Voters.

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(Political advertisement)

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September 18th

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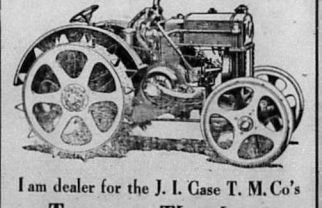

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BULLETIN

The Legislature convened in special session at Austin last Monday. Probe of Highway Department and Pardon Board will be asked in a resolution to be introduced.

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BULLETIN

The Taylor School community will give a pie nic Friday, September 24th. All of the county candidates are urged to attend. A fine time is promised. Don't miss it.

ELEVENTH YEAR—NO. 21

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Wolves Killing Sheep on Verde

Charlie Britsch was in town Saturday and said wolves were doing a great deal of damage on the West Verde. He has lost about twenty sheep and goats within a very short time, and others report losses. An effort is to be made to exterminate the wolves, which are supposed to be two or three old lobos or timber wolves which have drifted into that section.

Stairway Placed on the Outside

One of the stairways which led up into the center of the High School Auditorium has been removed and placed on the outside of the building, which gives more space in the auditorium and helps the looks of things generally. The work was done under the supervision of the Parent-Teacher's Association, and is a great convenience as well as a necessary improvement.

Meeting at Pipe Creek.

Beginning Friday night a ten days meeting will be held at Pipe Creek, Evangelist H. E. Winegar of Independence, Mo., will conduct the meeting. Saturday night he will give an illustrated lecture on the life of Christ. Everybody urged to attend.

Hospitality at Spicewood Ranch

Last Sunday in company with Louis Harnisch and little son, Brentano, the New Era editor spent the day at the delightful home of Col. Walter Godkin at Spicewood Springs ranch, below Pipe Creek, where we were accorded real hospitality. A number of young people were guests in this home on that day and entertained us with vocal and instrumental music, the songs being in English and Spanish, and pretty Little Miss Irene Lozano, six-year-old grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Godkin danced the Charleston. A splendid dinner was prepared and served by Mrs. Godkin, and after dinner we prowled around in search of ancient Indian mounds. It is truly a delight to visit this hospitable home, where every visitor is made to feel glad he is there.

Minstrels Last Saturday Night

Mirandy's Minstrels played a return engagement at the High School Auditorium last Saturday night, the crowd being fully as large as at the first performance. "Mrs. Black's Pink Tea" was again presented, along with several new numbers, plantation melodies, songs and jokes. The ladies making up the cast were all good actors, and pleased the audience with the impersonations. "Mirandy's Minstrels" is sponsored by the Parent-Teachers' Association and the entertainments are given to raise funds for the High School. The Parent-Teachers' Association has a number of the books containing plays, songs, etc., which they will sell to other community organizations or individuals who wish to give like entertainments.

Demonstration Libby Products

A demonstration of Libby products was given at J. H. Bruce's store last Saturday, when free lunches made of various canned goods put up by the Libby company were served to great crowds who thronged the store all day. Mr. Ware, of Corpus Christi, was in charge of demonstration and as soon as the New Era editor and his force of hungry printers entered the store he immediately prepared a lot of sandwiches and set them before us, at the same time telling us all about Libby's products and giving us a lot of literature as to how to prepare all sorts of tempting dishes. We ate, and then ate some more. He did not have to tell us how good the products were, for we were convinced by "the proof of the pudding." At four o'clock "Mirandy's Minstrels" started their parade from Bruce's store, announcing their entertainment at the High School Auditorium that night.

Gin Running.

The Farmers' Gin has turned out about twenty-five bales of cotton to date. Bandera county's cotton crop is usually small, due to the fact that our farmers do not plant much cotton, the number of bales ginned each season at Bandera seldom exceeding 250. The leaf worm has done some damage to the crop here this year.

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Bandera High School Opens

Bandera High School opened Monday morning with good enrollment. A very encouraging and promising start on the school's work was made and we are predicting that the term will be marked as one of the best we have ever had, for the parents and pupils are all interested and there seems to be a determination on the part of all to co-perate and labor for a better school in every way. The faculty this year is made up of teachers of known ability and progessiveness, as follows:

Mr. A. K. Briggs, superintendent. Mr. Briggs is a young man of splendid ability. He was raised at Medina, and was principal of Bandera High School last term.

Mr. C. B. Gilbert, principal. Mr. Gilbert is a young man of sterling character and ability, and was also raised at Medina. He taught with good success at Melon, Texas, last term.

James Emerson, first assistant. Mr. Emerson hails from Marlin, and comes highly recommended. He formerly lived at Kerrville, and is a young man of splendid attainments.

Miss Bess Campbell, assistant. Miss Campbell is from Devine, and has had successful teaching experience. She comes to us well recommended, and we are sure our school board was fortunate in securing her services.

Miss Katherine McBryde, assistant. Miss McBryde was raised at Medina, in this county, and is a teacher of several years experience. She comes with general satisfaction wherever she has taught, and we are glad she was given a place in Bandera High School.

Mrs. E. B. Little, assistant. Mrs. Little's work in our school last term is well known, and we are glad she has been with us the same position this term. She is a teacher of ability, and gives general satisfaction.

Now that we have a splendid faculty and starting off with such excellence prospects for a successful term, we hope the school patronage will give encouragement to the teachers by all times co-operating with them to the end that our school will steadily grow and advance along all lines. Bandera High School has made some good strides during the past two or three years, but there is much to do yet, and the faculty cannot do it all. Let's all pull togeth. er for a bigger and better school.

Married Last Week.

Miss Elsie Haile of Houston and Ernest Adler of Boerne were married on Tuesday of last week at Richmond, Texas. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haile, and is well known in Bandera, having frequently visited relatives and friends here. They will reside in Boerne, where the groom is engaged in business.

Alfred Walker and K. K. Stokes, Medina citizens, were seen in Bandera Monday.

Bandera Now in Bexar District

Walter Jersig, special district deputy game warden, was here from San Antonio yesterday and in company with Dan Kugh paid the New Era a visit. Mr. Jersig informs us that Bandera county has been placed in the San Antonio district, now composed of the counties of Bexar, Bandera, Medina, Atascosa, Frio and Wilson counties, and that steps are being taken to more rigidly protect the game throughout this region. He asks the co-operation of the ranch owners and land-holders in this county, who may lease their lands as hunting reserves, to the end that all game may be protected and propagated. The coming of hundreds of sportsmen from all parts of the state to this region to hunt deer and turkeys is threatening the extinction of wild game, which will certainly be the case within a very few years unless whole hearted co-operation on the part of our citizens with the State Game Department is given.

Adenoids and Tonsils Removed.

Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Gossett took their little daughter, Maurine, to a hospital in San Antonio Monday to have her tonsils and adenoids removed.

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Compiling Book of Frontier History

Judge and Mrs. Carroll McConnell, of Palo Pinto, were in Bandera Tuesday and Judge McConnell called and spent an hour with the New Era editor. He is gathering material for a frontier history of West Texas, and during the past several months has traveled over 25,000 miles getting the experiences of men and women who lived on the frontier in the early days. The history will be published in several volumes and will come from the press some time next year. It will be a wonderful compilation of sketches and narratives of people, accounts of Indian raids, battles, incidents of border life, and everything that helped to make history of the most thrilling kind. We are glad something has undertaken the stupendous task of reseuing from oblivion the record of achievement of our pioneers, and of piecing together the fragments of history which have been scattered about unnoticed for so many years. Judge McConnell is imminently qualified to perform the task to which he has so enthusiastically set himself, and we will await with a great deal of anticipation the bringing out of his book. He went from here to Burnet to pursue his labors.

The social dance given by the Bandera Council Security Benefit Association last Friday night at the Fair Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park, was a very delightful affair, and largely attended by invited friends. Music was furnished by Virgil McCarthy and Gene George. Refreshments of cake and punch were served.

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Mrs. Jack Lloyd Died Monday

Mrs. Jack Lloyd, died at her home at Bluff on Tuesday, after an illness of several weeks. She was the wife of the postmaster and merchant at Bluff, who with nine children, survives her. The children are Dee, Paul, Albert and Hugh Loyd of Port Arthur; Mrs. Lou Morgan of Burkburnett; Mrs. Sarah Carmack of Pioneer, Mrs. Will Keese of Lima Mrs. Lennie Dale, and Miss Mary Loyd of Bluff. All of the children were present at the bedside when she passed away, except Mrs. Dale, who is some where in West Texas and could not be reached.

Funeral services were conducted at the Goodman cemetery yesterday morning by Rev. W. H. Price, in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

Mrs. Lloyd, nee Miss Laura Newsom, was 73 years of age, and came to Bandera county from Karnes county in 1889. She had been a member of the Baptist church for many years, and was a type of the true mother a good neighbor, a firm freind, and was belved by all who knew her. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved husband and children in their great loss.

Look for Meat Under Car Seat

If your Ford car begins to smell bad and you think it has died, better look under the seat and see if there is not a chunk of decayed meat there. Last Saturday Gus Reinarz of Pipe Creek placed a big hunk of beef under somebody's car seat, thinking he was putting it in his brother's car. By this time that meat should be letting its whereabouts become known.

Mrs. Lizzie Welch Married.

Mrs. Lizzie Welch, formerly of Bandera, writes the New Era that she was married on September 4th to Mr. O. W. Turner of Houston, Texas, on above date. The New Era joins in extending congratulations and best wishes to the newly married pair.

Jack Anderson, Lige Pike and John Adams, of Tuff, were here yesterday with cotton for the gin.

Helotes Man Found Dead

Henry Roseneranz, an aged man living near Helotes, was found dead in a pasture near his home last Tuesday. Clarence Young found the body while gathering goats for shearing. No wounds were found on the body, and death is supposed to have resulted from natural causes. Roseneranz was eighty years old, and had resided in that section a number of years.

WINAN'S CREEK.

S. F. Edge, of Kendalia, made a business trip to this community one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Wedgworth, of Arizona, were visiting Mrs. Wedgworth's sisters, Mrs. Gus Klemstein and Mrs Raymond Smith.

Cecil Surber spent last week with his friend, Woodrow Witte, of Camp Verde.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Masters and Miss Ida Pentecost left Saturday for Oakville to visit relatives.

Miss Alta Bratton and brother and cousin, of Mason county, were recent guests of their uncle J. H. Surber, and family. Miss Bratton has been employed to teach the East Verde school.

We are glad to report Miss Norma Bausch able to return home from the hospital in San Antonio where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. L. Fries and family have moved back to their ranch home from Medina. D. R. McCarty and family having moved to Tarpley.

J. A. Gibbens of San Antone, and son, David Gibbens, of Bakersfield, California, former citizens here, visited his neice, Mrs. J. H. Surber, and family one day last week. David's many friends will be pleased to know he was recently married to Miss Isabel Boyd of Philadelphia Pa., at which place they will make their home, going through by motor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McCurdy of Lubbock, recently visited their friends here.

Veteran and Mrs. Amasa Clark are in San Antonio this week where Veteran Clark is taking treatment from an ear specialist for an defective hearing and other ear trouble.

H. D. Boyce, of Glendora, Miss., is here on a visit to his war-time buddy, Orange Clark, for a few days.

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Let's establish a park on the court house square. What are you willing to do toward the creation of a play-ground there?

We congratulate the Comfort News on the installation of a linotype machine. The News under the management of Mrs. George Belsey, is a very interesting and live weekly paper, and now that a linotype has been added to the office equipment noticeable improvement has already been made.

School opened Monday, and all over Texas hundreds of bright eyed, happy little children trudged to the little red school house (perhaps it was red) to take up their studies for the term. In Bandera our high school started off with excellent prospects. We have a splendid faculty of teachers this year, and the boys and girls who are pupils have entered upon their studies with a determination to make greater advancement than ever. Every citizen of the community should be proud of our public school for upon its pillars rests the future of our nation.

The tendency of the times seems to be toward worship of the movie actors. As an indication of this we recall seeing in a San Antonio paper a short time ago that almost two pages were devoted to the death of that moral pervert and matrimonial maniac, movie shiek, Valentino, and in the same news paper a six-inch space was given to mention of the death of President Elliott of Harvard University, a grand old man who has done more for the advancement of morality and better living than 10,000 "movie actors." Valentino gets the plaudits of the multitude now, but in a few years his fame will be forgotten, while President Elliott will be remembered for ages.

Here's the kind of boosting that makes visitors think. Down at on the road to the Medina Lake below Pipe Creek is a little cold drink stand operated by Charlie Godkin just a little shed where ice cold soda pop and buttermilk is dispensed, but the boy is doing a good business with the thirsty passersby. Adorning his little shed are a number of signs, among which is to be found these suggestive placards: "Get Your Kick from the Cow—Drink Buttermilk." "The Buttermilk Which Made Milwaukee Beautious." "Our Drinks Will Cure Moral Turpitude," and here's the best one: "Bandera County, the Play Ground for San Antonio. No Toll Roads." The road on which his dispensary is located has been put in first class condition from where it leaves the Bandera and San Antonio road, and hundreds of people travel it in going to the various camps at Medina Lake. Most of these people come out from San Antonio for recreation and enjoyment, and whenever they read these attractive signs they are made to realize that Bandera county is really calling them. Good roads and a cordial welcome works wonders in bringing people from distant points.

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"There is a Reason"

Why not have a "Trades Day" in Bandera once a month? We think it would be a good feature and help to draw more trade to the firms in this town. A second or third Saturday in each month should be designated as Trades Day, when every body who has anything to trade or sell could bring it and swap with their neighbors. A horse, a pig, a cow, some chickens, an old wagon, buggy, cultivator, plows, automobiles, or anything you have which you want to dispose of, you could bring in and perhaps trade for something else you may want. The merchants could put on specials for that day; one merchant could make a special price on sugar, another a special price on flour, another a special on beans, another on cloth, and so on. Trades Day could be made a bargain day and a great event all around. Let's have a Trades Day in Bandera.

Every election year when the candidates are seeking office, or the office is seeking some good man, it seems there is an epidemic of subscriptionitis. All sorts of subscription lists are put in circulation and the candidates are expected to give early and often. It seems the list and ones where his name has not contributed one dollar, so he puts down for seven and a half won't afford to let that opponent be more liberal than he could be, and so it is five dollars for this and a dollar for that, with ten dollars to a charitable need, and two dollars to a barbecue fund, four dollars and six bits to help build a road, and hundreds of other money-raising lists. By the time he gets through, if he happens to be elected, he has given away a whole lot of the unearned salary of the office. And so it is for all the candidates, the dog tag till he can't dig up any more.

Now it's about time to take steps toward establishing a park on our court house square. The county fair and old settlers' reunion have passed into the "has been hold" class, and the way is cleared for a general campaign of activity to make the public park a reality. Of course the campaign for county offices is on and is to be settled by the general election in November, but this should not interfere with our plans for the park. One thing we want a candidate right here, and that is that the candidates who are running for office will not be asked to donate to a "park fund." If any of them want to contribute voluntarily they may do so, but we are not going to insist that they make a contribution, because it seems when a campaign comes on there are all sorts of subscription lists put in circulation and the candidates are bombarded on all sides. The only thing we are asking candidates at the present time is for an expression of their views regarding this proposed park, particularly the candidates for county commissioner. If elected will these candidates help us create a park on the public square? Speak up gentlemen, and tell the people where you stand on the question.

Gus Varner, a former well known Wilson county citizen, who is now ranching at Valentine, Texas, in the Marfa country spent a day or two of this week with relatives here. He accompanied his son, and daughter as far as San Antonio where they attended the Teachers' Institute. Miss Ola will teach in the Marfa school this term and Noel Varner will teach in the Fairview school near here. —Floresville Chronicle-Journal.

The New Era like all newspapers, comes in for its share of severe criticism by certain people and helps to draw more trade to the firms in this town. A second or third Saturday in each month should be designated as Trades Day, when every body who has anything to trade or sell could bring it and swap with their neighbors. A horse, a pig, a cow, some chickens, an old wagon, buggy, cultivator, plows, automobiles, or anything you have which you want to dispose of, you could bring in and perhaps trade for something else you may want. The merchants could put on specials for that day; one merchant could make a special price on sugar, another a special price on flour, another a special on beans, another on cloth, and so on. Trades Day could be made a bargain day and a great event all around. Let's have a Trades Day in Bandera.

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We do not know what has come over the spirit of the people of Hondo. At one time the Odd Fellows' hall was used jointly by some six or eight active lodges. One by one they demised and now that the Odd Fellows lodge has given up the hopeless struggle for existence the vast hall is tenantless. What the effect on the social life of the community will be remains to be seen. This together with some three or four pasteless churches is a strange community in our boosted community—Hondo Anvil-Herald.

Hondo is no exception to the rule. A similar condition exists in many other towns over the country. There seems to be a slackening of interest in the things that tend to purify the community, while on the other hand the moving picture shows and the dance halls are usually crowded with old and young hellbent on pleasure and going strong. This writer recalls some twenty-five years ago when he belonged to Deming Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F., which met every Monday night, the average attendance was 85 per cent of its membership and some of the members rode horse back eighteen and twenty miles and did not miss a meeting. The three links meant something, and friendship, Love and Truth predominated in the every day affairs of the members of the grand old order.

Frontier Times for October.

Frontier Times for October was issued this week, from the New Era office. The little monthly magazine has completed its third volume and with the October issue enters upon the fourth year of its existence. It comes to us more and more each month as an interesting and popular favor all over the United States. Each month it is full of thrilling tales of Texas, Indian depredations, frontier stories, Texas rangers stories, outlawry, and real Texas history, and those who read a few copies of Frontier Times usually become regular subscribers. The October number contains the following: "Texan Plotted Conquest of California," "Indian Murder of French Merchant," "The Cardiff Giant Fake," "Stampede on the Fort Graham Trail," "5 Virgins in Texas 60 Years Ago," "Indian Fight on Cameron Creek," "The Bravery of Henry Bantman," "A Cougar Fight on Cow Creek," "Life and Adventures of Ben Thompson," "The Story of Old Texas," "More Lore of the Little Pecos," "A Mistaken for Wild Bill," "The Texas Ex-Rangers' Reunion," etc. Frontier Times will be sent to you for only $1 per year. We cannot supply back numbers.

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I desire to secure a listing of Bandera county ranch and farm lands. I am in the real estate business at Nixon and have frequent calls for Bandera county lands.—E. J. Pennell, Real Estate and Loans, Nixon, Texas.

James Cox announces a dance at Cox Hall Saturday night, September 18. Music will be furnished by the Five Black Diamonds orchestra.

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Proposed Amendments

Four constitutional amendments are to be submitted at the regular November election. That you may know what you are being asked to vote upon, here they are:

Whether school lands owned by one county shall be taxed by the county in which it is situated.

Whether the board of prison commissioners shall be abolished and a single executive substituted.

Whether the counties shall be given power to create independent school districts, now holding only by the legislature.

Whether officers of the national guard receive and retain their commissions when called into United States, and enlisted men of such military organizations shall be authorized to hold public office in the State.

The first affects relatively few counties one way or the other. Counties with a three person board of commissioners would benefit as a matter of justice to have relief from the burden of road building and maintenance, bridges and culverts. The second is a matter of economy and responsibility in the handling of prison affairs. It has been tried before, but is worth trying.

Counties ought to have power to create independent school districts if they are local units based on the say so of the taxpayers' representatives.

Should a recent graduate of a military school be eligible to serve public office so long as they are not actively engaged in military duties. Viewed as a public service and should not be penalized.

And yet it is fairly safe to say that all four of the amendments will be defeated.—Denton Record-Chronicle.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, Sept. 17th. 7:30 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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Killed In Bandit Battle

Kansas City, Kansas, Sept. 12.—A 20-year-old Kansas police and suspected bandit men under a sudden fire early Sunday morning, resulted in the death of William Scally, Kansas City, Kans., police chauffeur, and J. Williamson of Columbia, Mo., one of the bandits.

According to the story obtained by the police, Iscal Bisley, 19 and Miss Florence Clark, 24, were sitting in their parked car with the window when two men approached them from the railroad yards. The two men pulled an automobile robe over them and then the police patrol came by, thinking that the two were robbing the couple in the car, stopped to investigate. As the policemen came up to the parked car, Williamson pulled his gun and started shooting. Scally, falling him almost instantly.

Ed J. Wilson, one of the policemen, returned the fire, dropped the assailant in his tracks.

The soldiers in the car were told to pursue bandits and the police headquarters and all police radio broadcasting stations were trying to identify the two men.

Shoot to Kill Orders Given.

Washington, Sept. 12.—A command to "shoot to kill" was sent out Sunday by the Postoffice Department to its army of 22,500 railway mail clerks to protect from bandits, even at the cost of their own lives, the millions of dollars' worth of treasure handled daily in the United States mails.

The command, which applies to the thousands of other postal employees, also constitutes a warning to the underworld that the postal service means war and anyone found attempting to rob the mails may expect a cold lead response and no mercy.

Lace Found on Nuns Traced.

St. Albans, Vt., Sept. 12—Lace found hidden in the clothing of four nuns who were taken off a train at Rutland Saturday has been traced to a shipment landed at Quebec on August 15, customs officials here claimed Sunday night. The nuns, members of three Massachusetts communities are detained under guard at a hotel for hearing Monday afternoon.

Collector Harry G. Whitehill of the Vermont customs district communicated with Montreal and Quebec authorities and later said he learned the lace seized here was all or part of a shipment brought to Quebec on the steamship Empress of Scotland by two passengers. It was valued at 2,500 francs.

Town Submerged by Downpour.

Weslaco, Kan., Sept. 12.—Nearly six feet of rain fell in northwestern Woodson County, was completely submerged following a cloudburst between midnight and 7 o'clock Sunday morning, according to a telephone report from Ronald Fitzgerald, bank cashier, who stood in water up to his waist on the second floor of the tallest building in town to telephone the report to Wichita.

The Neosho River is 15 miles wide at this point, he said, and is 31 feet above normal stage. Thousands of other records of people are clinging to roofs of buildings, he reported, while rescuers in boats and improvised rafts endeavor them to high ground.

Sheriff Foils Robbery.

La Grange, Tex., Sept. 12.—While less than a week two robberies in Texas have been foiled by attempts on the part of sheriffs, two bandits were killed in attempting to rob a bank at Clarksville, Sunday two young men were in jail at La Grange after an unsuccessful attempt to rob C. W. Ehlinger's store at Ehlinger, because Sheriff Albert Beard Saturday night that a robbery might be attempted.

Found Hanging From Cliff.

Comfort, Tex., Sept. 13.—Hanging over a cliff with a rope around his neck and the entire top of his head blown off by a charge of buckshot, the body of Max Fronkratz, 65, who resided near Comfort, was found early Sunday morning.

Despondency over the death of his wife, which occurred Saturday morning, is the cause given for the act. He leaves 10 grown children and many other relatives.

Boy Held For Beating Mother.

Kerrville, Tex., Sept. 13.—Mrs. O. J. Reinhard in serious and in a critical condition in her home here as the result of being clubbed with beatin and mother here Monday afternoon.

Officers said he admitted having whipped his mother after two years regret at having done This is the third time he beaten his mother officers say.

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Brown-Pyka

Elmer Brown and Miss Ida Pyka were quietly married at the Catholic church Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock Rev. Father Boivin officiating. The bride and groom are well known young people of this city and have a host of friends who wish them a happy and prosperous voyage thru life. They left yesterday by auto for a honeymoon trip through the western states.

Miss Lourie Teel, of Devine, is the guest of Miss Bess Campbell. Miss Teel was a teacher in Bandera High School last term and her many friends here extend to her a glad welcome.

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To Pellagra After Three Treatments

Dr. W. C. Hinshaw, Dawson, Texas.

Dear Sir: I had Pellagra five years. I was so weak, had stomach trouble, sore mouth, sore throat, sore tongue, sore hands, sore feet, could not sleep, could not work. I tried many treatments, but got no relief. I saw your testimonials and decided to write you. I took 3 of your treatments and am well and strong. I would advise everybody who has Pellagra to take your treatment. I will be glad to answer any letters.

W. W. FOUST, Hico, Texas, Rt. 1.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this 3rd day of September A. D. 1927.

MARK McBRYDE,

Clerk, County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

By W. H. FLETCHER, Deputy.

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Regular meetin... Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, Sept. 17th, at 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited. Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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BOTH PHONES BANDERA, TEXAS

Two Killed In Bandit Battle

Kansas City, Kans., Sept. 12.—A running battle between police and suspected bandits here under a hail of lead early Sunday morning resulted in the death of William Conley, Kansas City, Kans., police character, and Miss Florence Clark, 23, of Columbia, Mo., and the wounding of two of the bandits.

According to the story obtained by the police, Opal Bisley, 19, and Miss Florence Clark, 23, were sitting in their parked car beneath the viaduct when two men approached them from the railroad yards. The two men stopped up, asked the couple what they were doing there, and then the police patrol came by and thinking that the two men were robbing the couple in the car, stopped to investigate.

As the policemen came up to the parked car, Williamson pulled a gun and started shooting at Conley, killing him almost instantly. Ed J. Wilson, one of the policemen, returned the fire, and the bandits attempted to escape. Given other lay hand and the aid of said Court, at office in Bandera this 3rd day of September A. D. 1926.

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Shoot to Kill Orders Given.

Washington, Sept. 12.—A command to "shoot to kill" was sent out Sunday by the Postoffice Department to its army of 22,500 railway mail clerks to protect from bandits, even at the cost of their own lives, the millions of dollars' worth of registered mail that daily in the United States mails.

The command, which applies to the thousands of other postal employees, also constitutes a warning to the underworld that the postal service means war and anyone found attempting to rob the mails may expect a cold lead reception and no mercy.

Lace Found on Nuns Traced.

St. Albans, Vt., Sept. 12.—Lace found hidden in the clothing of four nuns who were taken off a train at Richford Saturday has been traced to a shipment landed at Quebec on August 15, customs officials here claimed Sunday night. The nuns, members of three Massachusetts communities, are detained under guard at a hotel for hearing Monday afternoon.

Collector Harry G. Whitehill of the Vermont customs district communicated with Montreal and Quebec authorities and later said he believed the lace seized here was all or part of a shipment brought to Quebec on the steamship Empress of Scotland by two Belgians. It was valued at 350,000 francs.

Town Submerged by Downpour.

Wichita, Kan., Sept. 12.—Neosho Falls, a town of 800 population in northeastern Woodson County, was completely submerged following a 14-inch rain between midnight and 7 o'clock Sunday morning, according to a telephonic report from Ronald Fisher, bank cashier, who stood in the water up to his waist on the second floor of the tallest building in town to telephone the report to Wichita.

The Neosho River is 15 miles wide at this point, he said, and is 30 feet above normal stage, exceeding all high water records. People are clinging to roofs of buildings to be rescued, while others in boats and improvised rafts remove them to high ground.

Sheriff Foils Robbery

Granger, Tex., Sept. 12.—Within less than a week two robberies in Texas have been foiled in advance by the alertness of the sheriffs, it was learned here today. Two bandits were killed in attempting to rob a bank in Clarksville, Sunday and two young men were in jail at La Grange after an unsuccessful attempt to rob C. W. Ehlinger's store at Ehlinger, because Sheriff Lewis Beard Saturday night that a robbery might be attempted.

Found Hanging From Cliff.

Comfort, Tex., Sept. 13.—Hanging over a cliff with a rope around his neck and the entire weight of his body cleverly off by a shotgun, the body of Max Dorsett, 65, who resided here for 30 years, was found early Sunday morning. Despondency over the death of his wife, which occurred Sept. 5, is believed to be the cause given by the aged man for the act. He leaves 10 grown children and many other relatives.

Boy Held For Beating Mother

Kerrville, Tex., Sept. 13.—Mrs. O. H. Reinhard in a critical condition and in a critical condition in her home, and her son was in jail charged with beating his mother here Monday afternoon.

Officers said he admitted having whipped his mother and expressed regret at having done so. This is the third time he has beaten his mother officers say.

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Dear Doctor:—I had Pellagra five years. I was terrible, had stomach trouble, sore mouth, chills and fever, skin turned sore turn brown, sore mouth, could not eat or walk, lost weight and was nearly weak. I tried many treatments but no benefit. Your treatments are worth to me more than $1,000.00. I took 2 of your treatments and was cured of Pellagra. I also cured 3 others of Pellagra. I will highly recommend your treatments to every one who needs them. Yours to serve you,
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MEDINA.

The P. T. A. will give a reception for the teachers, pupils and patrons of the school Saturday night, September 18, on the school lawn. Everyone invited.

Fred Palmer has gone to Seguin to attend school.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hatfield Monday night at their home. Quite a number of useful presents were received.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Berenffy and daughter, Mrs. Gus Menzing, left for Corpus Christi last Saturday after a delightful visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris. Mr. and Mrs. Harris accompanied them to Corpus Christi for a week's visit to their son and daughter, there.

A number of Mrs. C. W. Harris' friends tendered her a birthday surprise party on September 8th. She was the recipient of a lot of nice and useful gifts. Refreshments of lemonade and cake were served to the following: Mesdames F. P. Layton, O. W. Livingston, Henry Adams, Pitt Baker, Wm. Hatfield, W. Vowell, Dee Stokes, D. Whitehead, E. H. Sewall, O. H. Berenffy, Ed Bauerlein, R. Whitehead, C. P. Baker, J. Coleman, Wm. McMahon, Slinsky, W. D. Wyatt, Charleston Collins, J. R. Justice, Frank Whitehead, and Gus Menzing. The guests departed after having a very pleasant time, and wishing Mrs. Harris many more birthdays.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. L. A. Reed was taken to a hospital in San Antonio last week. We sincerely hope she will soon be able to return home.

Alex Hillman and Thomas Keese have returned from Mirando where they have been working in the oil fields.

T. H. Phillips and son, Harold, are in San Antonio this week, where Mr. Phillips is attending Federal court.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese Sunday.

The Lima school opened Monday with Mr. Rieber of Tarpley principal, and Miss Vivian Keese assistant.

Fred Cox was here from Center this week. This proposed park, particularly the candidates for county commissioner. If elected will these candidates help us create a park on the public square? Speak gentlemen, and tell the people how you stand on the question.

Gus Varner, a former well known Wilson county citizen, who is now ranching at Valentine, Texas, in the Marfa country, spent a day or two of this week with relatives here. He accompanied his son, and daughter as far as San Antonio where they attended the Teachers' Institute. Miss Ola will teach in the Marfa school this term and Noel Varner will teach in the Fairview school near here.—Floresville Chronicle-Journal.

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FOR SALE—Registered Angora Billies. Can be seen at the Booker Davenport Ranch.—O. L. Elam.

FOR SALE—The Luke Mazurek residence in Bandera. Price $1400. Payment down, and balance on time, 6 per cent interest. See Ethridge Real Estate Co. or inquire at New Era office.

FOR SALE—I still have a few young registered Angora Billies for sale. Priced right.—A. V. Pue, Medina, Texas.

SEWING WANTED—Let me do your fall and winter sewing. Reasonable charges.—Mrs Percy Pue, Medina, Texas.

LOST—Between Boerne and Medina Lake, straw suitcase containing lady's wearing apparel. Finder please notify Mrs. J. C. Callahan, at Pipe Creek. 2tp

BARLEY FOR SALE—Seventy-five bushels of good barley for sale, at $1.00 per bushel.—Bring your sacks.—W. M. McMahon, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Baled oats at 50c per bale, delivered in Bandera.—Roy Chipman. 2tc

FOR SALE—Purebred Rhode Island Red Cockerels, bred from high-grade trapnested egg-producing stock.—Mrs. Oscar W. Porter. 2tp

FOR SALE—Wagon and team, with harness. Priced cheap. See Hillary Manning, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—1925 Model High Speed Ford Truck, steel closed in cab, new battery, good rubber. Just been overhauled. Price $325. See Frank Mansfield.

WE HAVE eight or ten especially fine grade rams for sale at M. R. Thalmann's place near Bandera.—Thalmann Bros. 4tp

LOST—Last Saturday night, a pocket book between ... building and ... on first class condition from where it leaves the Bandera and San Antonio road, and hundreds of people travel it in going to the various camps at Medina Lake. Most of these people come out from San Antonio for recreation and and enjoyment, and wherever they read these attractive signs they are made to realize that Bandera county is really calling them. Good roads and a cordial welcome works wonders in bringing people from distant points.

Get your school supplies at Bruce's Store.

Ashley Rugh left last Sunday for Houlton to accept a position.

Dr. J. O. Butler has purchased a new 1927 Model Ford coupe.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl White of Pipe Creek, September 13, a boy.

New Fall Felt Hats, just arrived at Mrs. Dennis' Millinery Store.

Lucius Hicks, of Tarpley, made a business trip to San Antonio Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Boehme and infant were up from Pipe Creek Tuesday, trading.

Miss Mary Phillips, of Boerne, was the guest of Miss Ruth Thalmann last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Nichols, of Ingram, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks, of Tarpley, were in town Friday and paid the New Era an appreciated visit.

Norman Brock, of San Antonio, who spent several weeks on the G. Hicks ranch near Tarpley, left Friday for College Station to enter A. & M. College.

Mrs. Eunice Young and infant daughter, Naomi, arrived from Alfred, Texas, last week on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

The crocheted lace premium in the fair list last week should have been credited to Mrs. Andrew Pyka instead of Mrs. Anton Pyka.

Mrs. W. E. Mansfield and daughters, Misses Minnie Mae, Luella and Dollie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mansfield near Comfort last Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Pyka and children Evelyn and Virginia, returned Sunday from a visit to relatives and friends in San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

Ed Postert came up from San Antonio and spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Postert. The young man is attending school in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Klemstein were in from Winan's Creek Saturday and called to order the New Era sent to Preston Wedgworth, at Palo Verde, Arizona.

Miss Ruth Thalmann who has been an attendant in the State Hospital at San Antonio the past few months, returned home last Thursday to remain here for the school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Montague of Del Rio, here last Sunday visiting Mr. Montague's mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague. They were returning from their honeymoon trip to Mexico City and other points.

Preston Wedgworth and family, of Palo Verde, Arizona, were here last week visiting Mr. Fight on Mrs. Gus Klemstein and Adolph relatives. They departed home Friday in their new Dodge sedan.

Mrs. J. A. Head returned Thursday from Ganado where he went to take his little granddaughter, Hazel Lee Head, to her mother, Mrs. Homer Head, who came down from Tulsa, Oklahoma, on a visit. Hazel Lee spent several months with her grandparents here.

Mrs. Creed Click and children returned last week from a visit to relatives and friends in San Antonio. While there they participated in the big Labor Day celebration, Mr. Click being marshall of the carpenters' division in the parade, and the children also being in the parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson and Mrs. Yarborough, of San Antonio, were visitors in Bandera last Friday. Mr. Thompson is an employe of the San Antonio Express. His parents lived in Bandera county many years ago, in fact were married in Bandera in 1881. We knew him when he was a linotype operator on the San Angelo Standard some sixteen years ago.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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A. L. MANSFIELD.
JOHN S. ATKINS.

For County and District Clerk:
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BERNARD E. BURK.

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For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
J. A. BROWN.
HERMAN HARPER.

Leslie Harper and Burman Faris were here from Harper last Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Nichols, of Mason, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. C. Y. Billings.

R. A. chipman is the proud possessor of a Ford Sedan, which he purchased this week.

The Paine Motor Co. of Boerne through the Lee Risinger agency last week sold a Ford coupe to Dr. J. O. Butler and Ford touring cars to J. W. Short Dr. J. M. Rappold, T. J. Bauerlein, Charlie Farrer, and Fred Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter came over from Harper last Thursday and spent the week-end with homefolks. They were accompanied home Sunday afternoon by Misses Nettie and Rachel Hunter and Ethel Langford, who returned to Bandera Sunday night.

Miss Lela Keese, of Medina, has accepted a position as teacher of the Eight Mile school on North Llano, and entered upon her duties there last Monday. Miss Lela is an excellent young lady and a splendid teacher, and we are sure the patrons of that school will be well pleased with her services.

Messrs. Gus and Alfred Reinarz were in from Pipe Creek last Saturday evening and Gus decided to take home a choice beef roast for Sunday dinner. He purchased a real juicy one, took it out of the market and put it in a car. But the car did not happen to be the Reinarz car, and now he is wondering who enjoyed his Sunday roast.

Louis Harnisch and son, Brentano, came up from San Antonio last Sunday to spend the day with the New Era editor, and do some ethnological research work. We went down to the Spicewood Springs ranch and found some specimens of stone arrow heads and other interesting things. Mr. Harnisch will return here Saturday and in company with the editor will make a trip to Kimble county.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Patino, Sr., and children, Antonio, Alfonso, and Miss Amelia Patino, of San Antonio, spent last Sunday with Col. and Mrs. Walter Godkin at Spicewood Springs ranch. Louis Heinath was also a guest there at the same time. Mr. Patino is superintendent of the Bowie school in San Antonio, while Miss Amelia Patino is a teacher in the Navarro school in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gibbens and father, J. A. Gibbens, spent last Thursday with their cousin and neice, Mrs. Jim Surber and family of Winan's creek. David's many friends here will be pleased to learn that he was married July 14, in California, to Miss Boyd of Philadelphia. They came from California in their auto, visiting his sister, Mrs. Bud Moore on their way, and are going through to Philadelphia, where they will reside.

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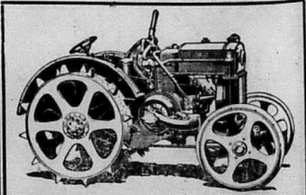

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FOR SALE—Registered Angora Billies; Can be seen at the Booker Davenport Ranch.—G. L. Elam.

FOR SALE—The Luke Mazurek residence in Bandera. Price $1400. Payment down, and balance on R.W., 6 per cent interest. See Ethridge Real Estate Co. or inquire at New Era office.

FOR SALE—I still have a few young registered Angora Billies for sale. Priced right.—A. V. Pue, Medina, Texas.

SEWING WANTED—Let me do your fall and winter sewing. Reasonable charges.—Mrs. Percy Pue, Medina, Texas. 1ms

LOST—Between Boerne and Medina Lake, straw suitcase containing lady's wearing apparel. Finder please notify Mrs. J. G. Callahan, Boerne. 2tp

BARLEY FOR SALE—Seventy-five bushels of good barley for sale, at $1.00 per bushel.—Bring your sacks.—W. M. McMahon, Medina, Texas.

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WE HAVE eight or ten especially fine grade rams for sale at M. R. Thalmann's place near Bandera.—Thalmann Bros.

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The P. T. A. will give a reception for the teachers, pupils and patrons of the school Saturday night, September 18, on the school lawn. Everyone invited.

Fred Palmer has gone to Seguin to attend school.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hatfield Monday night at their home. Quite a number of useful presents were received.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bereuffy and daughter, Mrs. Gus Menzing, left for Corpus Christi last Saturday after a delightful visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris accompanied them to Corpus Christi for a week's visit to their son and daughter, here.

A number of Mrs. C. W. Harris' friends tendered her a birthday surprise party on September 8th. She was the recipient of a lot of nice and useful gifts. Refreshments of lemonade and cake were served to the following: Mesdames F. P. Layton, W. Livingston, Henry Adams, Pitt Baker, Wm. Hatfield, W. Powell, Dan Stokes, D. White-head, E. E. Sewall, O. H. Bereuffy, Ed Bauerlein, R. Whitehead, O. P. Baker, J. Coleman, Wm. McMahon, Slinsky, W. D. Wyatt, Charleston Collins, J. R. Jacobs, Frank Whitehead, and Gus Menzing. The guests departed after having a very pleasant time, and wishing Mrs. Harris many more birthdays.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. L. A. Reed was taken to a hospital in San Antonio last week. We sincerely hope she will soon be able to return home.

Alex Hillman and Thomas Keese have returned from Mirando where they have been working in the oil field.

T. H. Phillips and son, Harold, are in San Antonio this week, where Mr. Phillips is attending Federal court.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Keese Sunday.

The Lima school opened Monday with Mr. Rieber of Tarpley principal, and Miss Vivian Keese assistant.

Fred Cox was here from Center ... prospect park, particularly ... the candidates for county commissioner. If elected will these candidates help us create a park on the public square? Speak up gentlemen, and tell the people where you stand on the question.

Gus Varner, a former well Wilson county citizen, now ... farming at Yale, Texas, in the Marfa country, spent a day or two of this week with relatives here. He accompanied his son, and daughter as far as San Antonio where they attended the Teachers' Institute. Miss Ola will teach in the Marfa school this term and Noel Varner will teach in the Fairview school near here.—Floresville Chronicle.

Get your school supplies at Bruce's Store.

Ashley Rogh left last Sunday for Houston to accept a position.

Dr. J. O. Butler has purchased a new 1927 Model Ford coupe.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl White of Pipe Creek, September 13, a boy.

New Fall Felt Hats, just arrived at Mrs. Dennis' Millinery Store.

Lucius Hicks, of Tarpley, made a business trip to San Antonio Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Boehme and infant were up from Pipe Creek Tuesday, trading.

Miss Mary Phillips, of Boerne, was the guest of Miss Ruth Thalmann last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Nichols, of Ingram, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks, of Tarpley, were in town Friday and paid the New Era an appreciated visit.

Norman Brock, of San Antonio, who spent several weeks on the G. Hicks ranch near Tarpley, left Friday for College Station to enter A. & M. College.

Mrs. Eunice Young and infant daughter, Naomi, arrived from Alfred, Texas, last week on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

The crocheted lace premium in the fair list last week should be credited to Mrs. Andrew Pyka instead of Mrs. Anton Pyka.

Mrs. W. E. Mansfield and daughters, Misses Minnie Mae, Luella and Dollie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mansfield near Comfort last Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Pyka and children Evelyn and Virginia, returned Sunday from a visit to relatives and friends in San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

Ed Postert came up from San Antonio and spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Postert. The young man is attending school in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Klemstein were in from Wiman's Creek Saturday and called to order the New Era sent to Preston Wedgworth, at Palo Verde, Arizona.

Miss Ruth Thalmann who has been an attendant in the State Hospital at San Antonio the past few months, returned home last Thursday to remain here for the school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Montague of Del Rio, here last Sunday visiting Mr. Montague's mother, Mrs. Mary Montague. They were returning from their honeymoon trip to Mexico City and other points.

Preston Wedgworth and family, of Palo Verde, Arizona, were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gus Klemstein and other relatives. They departed for home Friday in their new ... we sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Head returned Thursday from Ganado where he went to take his little granddaughter, Hazel Lee Ogden, to her mother, Mrs. Homer Head, who came down from Tulsa, Oklahoma, on a visit. Hazel Lee spent several months with her grandparents here.

Mrs. Creed Click and children returned last week from a visit to relatives and friends in San Antonio. While there they participated n the big Labor Day celebration, Mr. Click being marshall of the carpenters' division in the parade, and the children also being n the parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson and Mrs. Yarborough, of San Antonio, were visitors in Bandera last Friday. Mr. Thompson is an employe of the San Antonio Express. His parents lived in Bandera county many years ago, in fact were married in Bandera in 1881. We knew him when he was a linotype operator on the San Angelo Standard some sixteen years ago.

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HERMAN HARPER.

Leslie Harper and Burman Faris were here from Harper last Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Nichols, of Mason, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. C. Y. Billings.

R. A. chipman is the proud possessor of a Ford Sedan, which he purchased this week.

The Paine Motor Co. of Boerne through the Lee Risinger agency last week sold a Ford coupe to Dr. J. O. Butler and Ford tour ing cars to J. W. Short Dr. J. M. Rappold, T. J. Bauerlein, Charlie Farrer, and Fred Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter came over from Harper last Thursday and spent the week with Wedgworths. They were accompanied home Sunday afternoon by Misses Nettie and Rachel Hunter and Othel Langford, who returned to Bandera Sunday night.

Miss Lela Keese, of Medina, has accepted a position as teacher of the Eight Mile school on North Llano, and entered upon her duties there last Monday. Miss Lela is an estimable young lady and a splendid teacher, and we are sure the patrons of that school will be well pleased with her services.

Messrs. Gus and Alfred Reinarz were in from Pipe Creek last Saturday evening and Gus decided to take home a choice beef roast for Sunday dinner. He purchased a real juicy one, took it out of the market and put it in a car. But the car did not happen to be the Reinarz car and now he's wondering who enjoyed his Sunday roast.

Louis Harnisch and son, Brenton, came up from San Antonio last Sunday and spent the day with the New Era editor, and discussed some ethnological research work we went down to the Spicewood Springs ranch and found some specimens of stone arrow heads and other interesting things. Mr. Harnisch will return here Saturday and spend Sunday with the editor will make a trip to Kimble county.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Patino, Sr., and children, Antonio, Alfonso, and Miss Amelia Patino, of San Antonio, spent last Sunday with Col. and Mrs. Walter Godkin at Spicewood Springs ranch. Louis Heinsath was also a guest there at the same time. Mr. Patino is superintendent of the Bowie school in San Antonio, while Miss Amelia Patino is a teacher in the Navarro school in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gibbens and father, J. A. Gibbens, spent last Thursday with their cousin and neice, Mrs. Jim Surber and family of Wiman's creek. David's many friends here will be pleased to learn that he was married July 14, in California, to Miss Boyd of Philadelphia. They came from California in their auto, visiting his sister, Mrs. Bud Moore on their way, and are going through to Philadelphia, where they will reside.

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The injured were estimated at 2,000. One hundred and three of the dead have been accounted for and 43 identified. Miami Beach, Miami and vicinity and Fort Lauderdale caught the brunt of the storm. People in that section were in need of food and medical supplies which were being rushed to them from all parts of the State on special trains. Drinking water was being rationed in Miami and other parts of the area.

Water was flowing in the streets of Miami, practically every place of business was said to have been damaged, no drinking water was immediately available and phones and electric lights were out of commission.

Reports from Miami said stores were closed and restaurants were not serving food on account of lack of water, electricity and gas. In response to urgent appeals, doctors, nurses, supplies and water were hurried into Miami from sister cities of Florida.

Accounts placed Miami Beach with the greatest number of dead, the estimate there being 150, and 80 more were said to be in Miami, undertakers being unable to care for them. The property damage in these two places was estimated at from $25,000,000 to $100,000,000.

The storm swept on across Fort Lauderdale, north of Miami, wrecking property which so far has not been estimated and leaving a casualty list placed at 100.

Reports said Moorehaven, 70 miles northwest of Fort Lauderdale, suffered heavily. The dead in Moorehaven and Clewiston was estimated at 140, and one report said bodies were strewn along the road. Another report said that from 35 to 40 white women and children were drowned in the lake region near Moorehaven.

The death toll in Hollywood was placed at 12, 11 at Dania, one at Opa, one at Hialeah and two at Hallendale, all in the vicinity of Miami. Homestead, 40 miles south of Miami, had one death.

Property damage at Palm Beach and West Palm Beach was estimated at $1,000,000 with no loss of life.

While the damage at Hollywood was unestimated, those familiar with that city said in the past two years approximately $40,000,000 worth of building and development had been done and property loss must have been great.

Fuel, water and medical supplies were urgently needed in the stricken cities.

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Mrs. W. Y. Plant Dies at Kerrville

Mrs. Fannie Plant, wife of W. Y. Plant, and for many years a resident of Bandera county, died at her home near Kerrville last Saturday night, after a protracted illness covering several months. The remains were brought to Bandera for interment Sunday, the funeral being conducted at the cemetery by Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church.

Deceased was born in Coryell county, Texas, August 28, 1876, and was married to W. Y. Plant August 15, 1896, moving to Bandera county the following month. She is survived by her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gray, Sr., of Bandera; her husband, W. Y. Plant; six children, Mrs. Edna Chipman of Fredericksburg, Aaron Plant of Kerrville, Mrs. Ollie Crider of Kerrville, Mrs. Velma Cain of Pierson, Mrs. Josie Lackey of Del Rio, Miss Lela Plant and Wesley Plant of Kerrville; four brothers and four sisters, Charlie Gray of Bandera, Luke Gray of Center Point, Alfred Gray of Mico, Mrs Lula Smith of G.liad, Miss Nellie Gray of Bandera, Bob Gray of Bandera, Mrs. Estella Lackey of Mico, and Mrs. Emma Joiner of Bandera.

Mrs. Plant was well known to many of our people, for she lived here for about twenty-five years. She was an excellent woman, a good wife and mother, and her death is mourned by all who knew her. She was a member of the Methodist church from early childhood, and lived her religion in her daily walk. One of a family of nine children, all of whom grew to manhood and womanhood here, she is the first to be called by death. To the aged parents, the bereft husband and children, and the brothers and sisters who are bowed in sorrow over the passing of this good woman the New Era extends condolence and sympathy.

WINANS CREEK.

Our school opened the 13th with Mrs. A. Meadows at the helm which predicts a successful term, this being her fourth year here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Surber's eldest son, Bernice, returned home Saturday after an absence of six years. He says he will remain in Texas for awhile now.

Mrs. George Fee had as her Sunday guests her father, Geo. A. Hay, and family of West Prong, and sister, Mrs. Will Hogan and children of Nevada, who are here to spend the winter with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Masters, accompanied by Misses Edna and Ida Pentecost and brother, B. F. Pentecost and family of Casper, Wyoming, returned Thursday from a visit to their sister, Mrs. J. L. Williams and family at Oakville. Mr. Pentecost, who holds a responsible position with the Burlington Railroad Co. at Casper, left Monday with his family, via Tecumseh, Oklahoma, to visit another brother, Rev. G. E. Pentecost and family. They made the trip by auto from Detroit, Michigan.

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Parent-Teachers Hold Reception

The P. T. A. gave a reception last Saturday night, honoring the teachers employed for this term of school.

A very interesting program was rendered, sponsored by Miss Fuller. Judge J. A. Eames gave the welcoming address and Prof. Gilbert gave the response in behalf of the teachers. Rev. Hicks, Rev. Gossett and Superintendent Briggs each gave a talk. Mrs. Carroll gave several readings and Mr. A. Carlton, Misses Glada Crosslade Jennette Hunter gave several violin numbers.

Refreshments were served to a large number of invited guests.

Early Organization.

Frank M. Montague brought us an old book the other day, in which was kept the minutes of the Bandra County Wool Growers Association, organized in 1888. The old book gives the report of the first and subsequent meetings of the association, and names of the charter members, as well as the officers elected each year. One of the first measures adopted by the organization was a resolution protesting against the Mills Tarrif Bill, then in Congress, which sought to put wool on the free list. The financial report showed the sum of $2.20 collected at the first meeting, and dis-

McDaniel Bitten by a Rattlesnake

Virgil McDaniel, 40, residing on the Hansen ranch, was bitten by a rattlesnake late Tuesday afternoon, while feeding stock. The reptile struck him above the ankle. Dr. J. O. Butler was hastily summoned and promptly administered the potassium permanganate treatment and Mr. McDaniel is getting along nicely. The snake was killed before it could escape.

Mr. McDaniel is the sixth person to be bitten by a rattlesnake in this county this year. No fatalities have resulted. Rattlesnakes seem to be unusually numerous the past few months, not only in Bandera county, but throughout West and South Texas.

The anti-crotalus serum has been given in quite a number of cases in Texas, with splendid results, but only one case in this county has called for it.

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Mrs. Harriett Chipman returned last Friday from a month's visit to her son, Ham Chipman, and family near Sonora. Aunt Harriett says she visited Menard and San Angelo while away, and had a most delightful time.

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BULLETIN

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HURRICANE HITS EAST COAST OF FLORIDA—1,000 LIVES LOST

West Palm Beach, Fla., Sept 19.—A hurricane which came out of the West Indies swept over the lower east coast of Florida Friday and Saturday, causing a death list estimated at over 1,000 persons, destroyed property valued at more than $125,000,000, left 28,000 people homeless and passed into the Gulf of Mexico Sunday night it was sweeping across the Gulf and was expected to hit the coast somewhere between Pensacola and the mouth of the Mississipi River.

The injured were estimated at 2,000. One hundred and three of the dead have been accounted for and 42 identified. Miami Beach, Miami and vicinity and Fort Lauderdale caught the brunt of the storm. People in that section were in need of food and medical supplies which were being rushed to them from all parts of the State on special trains. Drinking water was being rationed in Miami and other parts of the area.

Water was flowing in the streets of Miami, practically every place of business was said to have been damaged, no drinking water was immediately available and phones and electric lights were out of commission.

Reports from Miami said stores were closed and restaurants were not serving food on account of lack of water, electricity and gas. In response to urgent appeals, doctors, nurses, supplies and water were hurried into Miami from sister cities of Florida.

Accounts placed Miami Beach with the greatest number of dead, the estimate of 500 to 750 and 80 more were said to be in Miami, undertakers being unable to care for them. The property damage in these two cities was estimated at from $25,000,000 to $100,000,000.

The storm swept on across Fort Lauderdale, north of Miami, wrecking property which so far has not been estimated and leaving a casualty list placed at 100.

Reports said Moorehaven, 70 miles northwest of Fort Lauderdale, suffered heavily. The dead at Moorehaven and Clewiston was estimated at 100, and one report said bodies were strewn along the road. Another report said that from 35 to 40 white women and children were drowned in the lake region near Moorehaven.

The death toll in Hollywood was placed at 12, 11 at Dania, one at Ojus, one at Hialeah and two at Hallendale, all in the vicinity of Miami, Homestead, 40 miles south of Miami, had one death.

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While the damage at Hollywood was unestimated, those familiar with that city said in the past two years approximately $40,000,000 worth of building and development had been done and the property loss must have been great.

Fuel, water and medical supplies were urgently needed in the stricken cities.

McDaniel Bitten by a Rattlesnake

Virgil McDaniel, 40, residing on the Hansen ranch, was bitten by a rattlesnake late Tuesday afternoon, while feeding stock. The reptile struck him above the ankle. Dr. J. O. Butler was hastily summoned and promptly administered the potassium permanganate treatment and Mr. McDaniel is getting along nicely The snake was killed before it could escape.

Mr. McDaniel is the sixth person to be bitten by a rattlesnake in this county this year. No fatalities have resulted. Rattlesnakes seem to be unusually numerous the past few months, not only in Bandera county, but throughout West and South Texas. The anti-erotalus serum has been given in quite a number of cases in Texas, with splendid results, but only one case in this county has called for it.

TARPLEY.

School opened Monday with Miss Kohel principal and Miss Thelma Richards primary teacher.

Dr. Butler was called over to see Mrs Glass last week. She is doing better now and we are all hoping she will soon be able to be up.

Henry Schmidt has returned from Corpus Christi where he has been quite awhile.

A Babewell dance was given in honor of Henry Schmidt last Saturday night at Mrs. Schmidt's home. Refreshments were served and at 3 late hour all left for home, reporting a splendid time.

Jim Wright is the guest of Mr. and Mrs Henry Cravey this week.

Henry Schmidt and Miss Annie Cravey, Ivy Smith and Miss Neva Silvers went to Hondo last Sunday.

Amie Jeffers has moved his family to Tarpley where they will be close to school.

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Mrs. W. Y. Plant Dies at Kerrville

Mrs. Fannie Plant, wife of W. Y. Plant, and for many years a resident of Bandera county, died at her home near Kerrville last Saturday night, after a protracted illness covering several months. The remains were brought to Bandera for interment Sunday, the funeral being conducted at the cemetery by Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church.

Deceased was born in Coryell county, Texas, August 28, 1876, and was married to W. Y. Plant August 15, 1896, moving to Bandera county the following month. She is survived by her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gray, Sr., of Bandera; her husband, W. Y. Plant; six children, Mrs. Edna Chipman of Fredericksburg, Aaron Plant of Kerrville, Mrs. Ollie Crider of Kerrville, Mrs. Velma Calk of Pierson, Mrs. Josie Lackey of Del Rio, Miss Lela Plant and Wesley Plant of Kerrville; four brothers and four sisters, Charlie Gray of Bandera, Luke Gray of Center Point, Alfred Gray of Mico, Mrs. Lula Smith of G.liad, Miss Nellie Gray of Bandera, Bob Gray of Bandera Mrs. Estella Lackey of Mico, and Mrs. Rena Joiner of Bandera.

Mrs. Plant was well known to many of our people, for she lived here for about twenty-five years. She was an excellent woman, a good wife and mother, and her death is mourned by all who knew her. She was a member of the Methodist church from an early childhood, and lived her religion in her daily walk. Out of a family of nine children, all of whom grew to be grown and womanhood here, she is the first to be called by death. To the aged parents, the husband and children, and the brothers and sisters who are bowed in sorrow over the demise of this good woman, the New Era extends condolence and sympathy.

WINAN'S CREEK.

Our school opened the 13th with Mrs. A. Meadows at the helm which predicts a successful term, this being her fourth year here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Surber's eldest son, Bernice, returned home Saturday after an absence of six years. He says he will remain in Texas for awhile now.

Mrs George Fee had as her Sunday guests her father, Geo. A. Hay, and family of West Prong, and sister, Mrs. Will Hogan and children of Nevada, who are here to spend the winter with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Masters, accompanied by Misses Edna and Ida Pentecost and brother, B. F. Pentecost and family of Casper, Wyoming, returned Thursday from a visit to their sister, Mrs. J. L. Williams and family at Oakville. Mr. Pentecost, who holds a responsible position with the Burlington Railroad Co. at Casper, left Monday with his family, via Tecumseh, Oklahoma, to visit another brother, Rev. G. E. Pentecost and family. They made the trip by auto from Detroit, Michigan.

Will gin Saturday. Bring in your cotton.—Farmers' Gin.

Parent-Teachers Hold Reception

The P. T. A. gave a reception last Saturday night, honoring the teachers employed for this term of school.

A very interesting program was rendered, sponsored by Miss Fuller. Judge J. A. Eames made the welcoming address and Prof. Gilbert gave the response in behalf of the teachers. Rev. Hicks, Rev. Gossett and Superintendent Briggs each gave a talk. Mrs. Carroll gave several readings and Mr. A. Carlton, Misses Glada Croisdale Jennette Hunter gave several violin numbers.

Refreshments were served to a large number of invited guests.

Early Organization.

Frank M. Montague brought us an old book the other day, in which was kept the minutes of the Bandera County Wool Growers Association, organized in 1888. The old book gives the report of the first and subsequent meetings of the association, and names of the charter members, as well as number of sheep owned by each. One of the first measures adopted by the organization was a resolution protesting against the Mills Tariff Bill, then in Congress, which sought to put wool on the free list. The financial report showed the sum of $2.20 collected here for about twenty-five years. ed at the first meeting, and disbursements amounted to $1.25, leaving a balance of 95 cents in the treasury. A detailed report of this early organization, with names of the members, will be published in next month's issue of Frontier Times.

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J. D. Sutherland and family have moved back to Medina.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dock Stokes and Herman Vowell made a trip to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. J. R. Johnston and two children visited relatives in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris returned Saturday from Corpus Christi and other points.

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A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. J. P. Burton's anniversary last Wednesday afternoon. A number of nice presents were received.

Mrs. Harriett Chipman returned last Friday from a month's visit to her son, Ham Chipman, and family near Sonora. Aunt Harriett says she visited Menard and San Angelo while away, and had a most delightful time.

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The establishment of a sweet milk route from Medina to San Antonio daily is a step in the right direction, as it affords a market for the farmer's dairy product, and will encourage a greater milk production. When the farmers know they can produce something that has a ready market and which means profit to them they are going to produce that very thing. Dairying is a profitable industry, but throughout this region out of remotness from railroad and only a limited local demand for milk has been a drawback to the industry here. Now that a milk route has been established the farmer can dispose of his milk right from the cow, at fair price and with little trouble. The good road to San Antonio has made it possible. The Mistletoe Creamery of San Antonio has installed a condensing and canning plant for the marketing of milk in the way of condensed canned milk, thus assuring dairy farmers an increased demand for their sweet milk.

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The state of Texas is doing all the means at command will allow to preserve the wild game, and the people should co-operate in every possible in the matter. For the past several months Bandera has been practically without a game warden, but now that this county has been placed in the San Antonio district we have the assurance that game wardens will be furnished. In this connection we take this opportunity to urge ranchmen and landowners who lease hunting privileges to thoroughly familiarize themselves with the new law and make their reports as the law directs. If every citizen would co-operate with the wardens at all seasons of the year our diminishing supply of wild game would soon begin to increase. The automobile has made it possible for sportsmen to come here from all parts of the state, and many of these so-called sportsmen have no regard whatever for the game laws; they not only wantonly slaughter wild game but they kill domestic stock as well and do a lot of damage during the season. We do not welcome such huntsmen to our region, but there seems to be no way to keep them away except by strict enforcement of the game laws, and forbidding them to hunt in pastures. In protecting the game you will be protecting your stock and your property.

Read the Bulletins.

There's something of interest to you each week in the bulletins which appear on each side of the New Era heading on this page. Read the bulletins.

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Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

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Eliminate Gaps Work From Dairying

Real money is being made today from dairying. It is a highly successful and profitable branch of farming—if done rightly. But dairying must be carried on with intelligence and fair amount of business management.

The farmer who takes a real interest in his cows, keeps records, studies methods and takes steps to know which cows pay and which do not, is the one who shows a worthwhile profit, balance at the end of the year.

In dealing with cows nothing should be taken for granted, and surface appearances should never be accepted as final. There are always available simple methods of getting at the facts of a cows production ability and such facts are as vital to a cow owner as for a manufacturer to know the production capacity of a certain machine.

A prominent Farm paper told recently of a Missouri farmer who tried to sell a rather poor looking dersey cow for $75. He found no buyers. He put her in a cow testing association and she broke the state cow-testing record by producing well above 500 pounds butterfat after the first 4 months of her milking season was over. Naturally that cow is now for sale at even several times $75.

On the dairy farms that are making the real profits today the owners no more think of keeping cows without keeping records than a successful merchant will think of trusting to his memory and luck to collect his bills.

It may sound exaggerated to say that one good cow is worth more than a whole herd of poor ones. But actual cow-test records have disclosed many cases where one good producer showed a higher net profit for the year than 20 or 30 poor ones.

The actual characteristics of cows make a vast difference, naturally. But after all, the state of a cows health is the greatest single factor affecting milk production. The records of the San Antonio district we have concerning brought out this fact as never before fully realized.

A cow is milk-making machine and at the same time a delicate and sensitive animal. Her natural vigor is not equal to the continued strain of forced production unless assisted at every turn by ideal food and care. Even so, there are times when the pace kills and some defect organ weakens. Watching and guarding against such disorders—keeping the health standard constantly at topnotch is the first aim of successful dairying.

Bandera is ideally situated for development of the dairy industry. This industry should be encouraged; our farmers should get more good cows and increase the milk output here. It has been argued by some that dairying would not pay because we were too far from market and the local consumption was not sufficient to justify producing milk on a very large scale. Now that we have a first class road to San Antonio, and a milk route has been established this argument won't stand. We claim that a few good dersey cows, properly cared for, will provide a sure source of income. We know of one community in this county which has pulled itself "out of the hole" by taking up dairy farming, and that was done before we had good roads. We predict that within another two years the dairying industry throughout Bandera county will be increased over 100 per cent.

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Hunters Must Have License.

According to the game laws of Texas it is necessary for those who would hunt this season to have a hunting license. These can be secured by application to the County Clerk, or to nearly any sporting goods store. The fee is $2.00, and the license is good anywhere in the State of Texas. It must be carried by the person of the holder, and game warden or peace officer. The holder of a hunting license is entitled to hunt only game built which the season is open, and possession of a license does not carry with it the privilege of hunting upon posted land. The license is good until the close of the current hunting season. Hunting licenses are not transferrable.

The deer season is now open and will continue on until the last of October. The quail season opens November 15 and closes December 15 inclusive. The turkey season is open from Nov. 1 to Dec. 31 inclusive. The law limits are imposed on all game upon which there is a closed season.

Last year there were a number of infractions of the hunting and game laws by many local sportsmen. It is likely that the season will show even stricter enforcement of the law. There is most no excuse for one not being cognizant of the law, if he is going to hunt, and the judges and game wardens are inclined to be more severe. The sentiment on the part of the sportsmen is growing more pronounced in favor of severe penalties upon those who do not observe the law. The "game hog" in or out of season is a sportsman. He has no consideration and a fair chance for the game, and to the law.

The Hill Country of which Kerrville is the heart, is hunter's paradise, and to keep such should be the desire of every citizen. It is to our advantage to do so, not only from the standpoint of sportsmanship, but from the humanitarian point of view of saving and conserving the fast disappearing wild life of our country, but to a purely business proposition. There are hunters and huntress enough in the to send a million dollars annually for the sake of sport, and to turn aside from business affairs for a season. They are here to regain health, to recuperate lessen tension and restore shattered nerve force. Nowhere in the world is there a better place to spend a purpose with the object in view carried out. Yet simply to tramp over the hills, while good as healthful, is not so interesting as hunting. Moreover, the pleasant anticipation of a successful enterprise is in itself a splendid builder of health. It enables the worn body or mind to forget self, and gives the ability restoring tone of our Hill Country the needed opportunity to perform its healing influences.—Kerrville Hill View Times.

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Game Warden Visits Hondo.

Walter Jessip of San Antonio, special Deputy Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner in the counties of Bexar, Bandera, Medina, Atascosa, Frio, and Wilson, passed through Hondo Wednesday. Deputy Jessip advised the Anvil that the department has instructed the deputies to thoroughly acquaint the people with the Shooting Preserve License law. The department was to lenient last season on account of this matter being new. Consequently the coming season deputies must "clear down" and any person leasing his premises without securing a "Shooting Preserve License" from the department or failing to make proper returns thereon at the close of the season must stand the consequences. The license fee is $5.00. Application must be made to the department at Austin, and ranchmen who lease their property to hunters are urged to get in immediate touch with the deputies in the field or by addressing the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission at Austin, Texas. Failure to comply with this law carries a penalty of not less than $100 nor more than $200 or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than ninety (90) days, or by both such fine and imprisonment. No hunting guest shall be accommodated who has not previously secured a hunting license.

State Game Commissioner Turner E. Hubby's conservation program of wild life in securing some 40 game preserves, building fish hatcheries, together with the co-operation of the land owners and hunters in strict compliance with the game laws will make Texas truly a Hunters Paradise, the pride of every man, woman and child in the great Lone Star State.

The sporting goods dealer will gladly furnish any one interested with copies of game laws. They have also Hunting Licenses, Resident, Crameres and Shooting Preserve Licenses as may be required.—Hondo Anvil Herald.

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Turner Motes.

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But For Pardoning Power All Would Be Lost

The question of executive clemency is one always under discussion in the various states of the Union. It has been abused, trusted, denounced and paraded throughout the ages. We have seen notable examples of its misuse and the failure of men to let even reason have sway. Our own state has had examples where executives have come to Texas in reference, Governor Neff was too overzealous and we fear that he will think in this regard is one of the fatal mistakes of his administration. During the present administration, the swing has been in the opposite direction and Fergusons have been entirely too extravagant in the issuance of pardons. As between the two evils, both of the present governors exhibited by far the greatest amount of the element of humanity and followed more closely in the precepts of the Divine Father. Personally we had rather err on the side of mercy than to be responsible for the execution of one innocent person, even if a number of the guilty escaped punishment. In this connection we were reminded of a story told on the governor of Illinois, who was holding a session of court in Nashville, and had before him for his consideration the case of a negro who had been convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be hanged. The governor was known to be opposed to the infliction of the death penalty and when the negro's case was presented and argued the governor was over heard to say to the man at Governor Taylor's side: "Governor Taylor, I don't see how I can sign the death warrant of this negro. He is the only negro in Nashville and I have been trying for years to get rid of him." Governor Taylor replied: "There are two citizens of the United States I am never moving out of, meaning with reference to the governor's power to pardon, one is a negro and the other is a horse thief." The governor's face lighted up and he said it had not been for the pardoning power of Andrew Jackson Jones would have been executed for horse stealing. Governor Taylor was a democrat and a strong one at that, and so much is strong with him. It is hedged on either side by the constitution and laws of the state. The other is the executive clemency, meaning with reference to the power which looks and should look to the mitigation of the punishment of the unfortunate. I have known governors who held the pardoning power, I have known governors who had the governor's knee and put their arms around his neck. I heard her ask him if he had little girls. I heard her say that she loved him as though her little heart would break and heard her plead for mercy for her poor, miserable, unfortunate father.

I visited the penitentiary and looked in and saw the gleaming stripes of shame and the pallid faces of convicts serving out their long sentences under the lash of the law and shrinking from the secrets of their inmost souls. There was not a smile nor a peal of laughter but a melancholy gloom seemed to hold lingered behind the bars to comfort languishing love.

"I saw ten thousand outstretched hands and heard ten thousand cries for help; and the cries raised their breathes and the scaffold swung its fatal noose to and fro, and said, 'You shall not listen to their cries?' but humanity said 'You must,' and I did. I saw the gallows, where murderers were not heinous crimes, dying in disgrace, and I turned them out and gave them back to their mothers—some with new hope and some to die.

"I saw repentant men who had suffered long enough, and I sent them back to their starving wives and children. And I said: 'Let the critics frown and rail, let this heartless world condemn, but he who hath the pardoning power and doth not temper justice with mercy will on that Great Day cry for mercy, and mercy will be refused him.' For, thank God, the stream of happy humanity that rolls on like a gleaming river, and the stream of the suffering, distressed, and ruined of earth, both empty into the great ocean of eternity and mingle like the waters, and there is a just and merciful God who will judge the merciful and the unmerciful."

We subscribe to the theory of Bob Taylor, with all our hearts and while we know that mistakes have been made in the past, will be made in the future, that men have received the benefits of pardon who should not have received them, but in the main we believe that those who come here thousands of them have returned to home and life pursuits and made honorable, God-fearing upright citizens. We had rather see a mistake now and then than see the gates of penitentiary sealed and a sign placed upon the door "Those who enter here there is no hope." God never intended that men should frown upon that which He himself has blessed and how can we stand at the mercy seat at the foot of His throne and ask that He extend to us that which we have refused to offer to others who come to grief. Yes, we believe in the everlasting power on earth and and in Heaven above—even if mankind should be asked to show mercy this power has been exercised by them on earth as a basis for that which shall be extended to them above. Let us take a lot of people will find themselves in worse condition than those who ever got to them in the first place. The sword must be used in all cases of this character.

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

You are hereby Commanded: To cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the issuance of this notice in Bandera County, Texas, and you will cause said notice to be published at least once each week for the period of ten days before the return day hereof.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF DECEDENTS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To All Persons Interested in The Estate of Mrs. I. R. Lasseter, Deceased, B. F. Langford, Jr. has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mrs. I. R. Lasseter, deceased, which will be heard by said Court at the regular term of said Court commencing on the Third Monday in October, A. D. 1927, the same being the 17th day of October, A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said first Monday with this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this 3rd day of September A. D. 1927.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk, County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
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FOR SALE—Registered Angora Billies. Can be seen at the Booker Davenport Ranch.—G. L. Elam.

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BARLEY FOR SALE. Seventy-five bushels of good barley for sale, at $1.00 per bushel. Bring your sacks.—W. M. McMahon, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Purebred Rhode Island Red Cockerels, bred from high grade trapnested egg producing stock.—Mrs. Oscar W. Perner. 2tp

FOR SALE—1925 Model High Speed Ford Truck, steel closed in cab, new battery, good rubber all around. Price $875. See Frank Mansfield.

WE HAVE right or ten especially large grade rams for sale at M. B. Thalmann's place near Center Point.—Thalmann Bros.

FOR SALE—$45 buys a good 7 horse-power Stickney gasoline engine. Can be seen at New Era office.

FOR SALE—Good Dempster gasoline engine, 2 1-2 horse-power, only $45. Can be seen at New Era office.

MY HOE. The person who took my hoe from the wood-pile at Tait's Shop is kindly requested to return same at once. Ben HALL, on handle.—Hal S. Hudspeth.

FOR SALE—I have three Angora billies left; will sell cheap.—J. H. Bruce.

FOR SALE—About forty sacks of cement at $1.10 per sack, delivered in Bandera. Also 500 feet of 4-inch No. 1 bundled 13-foot lengths 5c per foot; 600 feet 7x10 No. 1, 12-foot lengths, at 6c per foot; 50 pieces 2x4 10 foot long, and 50 pieces 2x4 eight feet long, at 5c per foot; 10 pieces 1x12, No. 1, 16 feet long, at 7c per foot. 170 feet beaded ceiling at 7c per foot.—M. F. Johnston.

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A dance and basket supper was given at the Myrtle Creek school house last Friday night.

D. B. Hicks, prominent ranchman of the Utopia region, was a business visitor in Bandera Monday.

TAYLOR NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem O'Bryant spent the week-end in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Crowell visited at Rio Frio over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Porter were in San Antonio Sunday at the home of E. V. Lewis.

The picnic which was to have been held Friday, September 24th, has been postponed until October 2nd. Everybody invited to attend on that date.

LET'S TRADE.

I have a good sheep and goat ranch for sale within eight miles of Bandera. Good improvements, plenty of water, all under fence, daily mail route. Price $12.50 per acre.

I have 90 acres, 6½ miles from Bandera, river front; eight-wire fenced; good house, well and windmill; 40 acres in cultivation; 80 acres more tillable. Price $30 per acre.

Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man

Get your school supplies at Bruce's Store.

Mrs. C. W. Harris was here from Medina yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hicks, of near Tarpley, were in Bandera Saturday.

School children, attention! Any kind of a sandwich at the O. S. T. Cafe for 10c.

Misses Cecil and Elsie Lee Faris were taken to San Antonio this week to a hospital where they will have their tonsils and adenoids removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Wright and infant were up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with Mrs. Wright's parents, Judge and Mrs. W. S. Ethridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Carlton left this week for Mooringsport, La., to reside. Mr. Carlton has accepted a position with a large mercantile concern there.

Mrs. Bryan Autrey and little son of Gonzales and Mrs. A. C. Callahan and little grand-daughter of San Antonio, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mansfield.

J. A. Simpson of Uvalde, Miss Alma May Wilson of Era, Mrs. Harley Clayton and little son, L. S., of Sabinal, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom North last Sunday.

W. F. Rippey and G. E. Schneider, of Mt. Sharp, were in Bandera yesterday on business. Mr. Rippey says he is mighty well pleased with that section of the country.

W. W. Cox was over from Center Point a few days last week, guest of Len Rayfield. While here Mr. Cox dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stein and two small children returned from San Antonio Friday, where they spent several days with their sons there. They were accompanied home by Joe Stein.

Mrs. W. H. H. Davis, Mrs. Lucile James and Master David James, of Medina, were in Bandera Monday and paid the New Era office an appreciated visit to renew subscription to the little old home paper.

Capt. C. T. Simpson, who spent a fortnight with his daughter, Mrs. Tom North, left Sunday for his home at Rutesville. Capt. Simpson has lots of friends here who are always glad to see him.

Adolph Huffmeyer, former Bandera citizen, writes us to send the New Era to him at Donna, Texas, where he has purchased a bus line. Mr. Huffmeyer's many friends here hope he will do a good business in the Rio Grande Valley town.

Claude Fletcher has returned to San Marcos to continue his studies in college there. Claude telephoned his mother yesterday that he had been given college honors this week done, and would enter the Southwestern College at San Marcos for the freshman course at once.

Visitors at the Spicewood Springs ranch last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Collis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Patino and family, Miss Helen Hatts, Edmond Brown and Leo Godkin, all of San Antonio; J. G. Callahan and daughters, Misses Margaret and Leola of Pecan Creek.

Mrs. Mae Pass and Mrs. Chris Lackey, of Medina, were visitors at the New Era sanetum Monday Mrs. Pass is one of the teachers in Medina High School, and informed us that the term there began under most favorable conditions. Pupils, patrons and teachers are very much encouraged with the beginning and a successful term in every way is looked for.

G. A. Glenn and family, who have been visiting the families of R. N. Padgett and R. A. Robison at Tarpley, left Tuesday for their home at Alice. In company with Mr. Padgett, Mr. Glenn visited the New Era office Monday and stated that crops were good in Jim Wells county this season, the cotton making from a half to one and a quarter bales per acre, but the securing of pickers had been a problem.

The Mistletoe Creamery, of San Antonio, has established a sweet milk route from Medina, through Bandera to San Antonio, daily. The driver will pick up cans of milk all along the route. Frank E. Winckler, dairy inspector for the company, was here Monday, to interview farmers and ranchmen who will supply sweet milk for the route. A meeting will likely be called soon for the purpose of explaining the advantages of dairy farming, the time of which will be duly announced in the New Era.

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JOHN S. ATKINS.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.
BERNARD E. DUKE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.
ELVIUS HICKS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN F. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON PYKA
F. R. CAFFALL.
R. C. BOALES.
KASPER DUGOS.
Chas. L. SCHMIDTKE, Jr.
J. R. PRICE.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
J. A. BROWN.
HERMAN HARPER.

Miss Stella Caughran left last week for Marfa, where she will teach in the Marfa High School.

Miss Thora Elam, who spent the summer here with her father, G. E. Elam, has returned to her home in Fort Worth.

Miss Hugh Mayfield came up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Mrs. J. B. Holt and little daughters, Aileen and Minnie Mae, visited friends in San Antonio Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Rodriguez, of Rancho, Texas, were here this week visiting his father, C. Rodriguez, and family on Privilege Creek. Gilbert is pastor of the Baptist church at Rancho, and says he likes that section fine.

Frank and Charlie Montague, the little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague, were taken to San Antonio last week where their tonsils and adenoids were removed at a hospital. Both of the little fellows are making good recovery.

R. L. Chambliss, the Raleigh Products Man, was here from Kerrville last Saturday and dropped in to subscribe for the New Era. Mr. Chambliss says he is getting a good trade from the people of this county, and makes regular visits here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Custer of Kattemy, and Mrs. S. L. Lewis of Sonora, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bush of Laxson's Creek last week. In company with Mrs. Bush, Mrs. Custer and Mrs. Lewis paid the New Era sanctum a visit Friday.

Henry Nichols and family, accompanied by Mrs. Wright and Miss Lula Belle DeLamare, came up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings, and to visit his mother, Mrs. T. Nichols, who is here from Mason for a few days.

Uncle Tom Laxson came home from Austin last week to spend a few days before going on to Fort Worth to visit his son, Jesse Laxson, and family. Uncle Tom says he enjoys life in the Confederate Home, and gets a furlough whenever he wants it.

In mentioning the departure of Little Miss Hazel Lee Head last week we stated that she was met at Gandy's by her mother, Mrs. Homer Head, which was a mistake. Her grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Baily, met her there and accompanied her to her home at Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Veteran Amasa Clark, who spent several days in San Antonio last week taking treatment from an ear specialist, returned home last Saturday and for a day or two was quite sick. He was able to be in town Tuesday and called at the New Era office to tell us that he had secured some relief from his ear trouble. Mrs. Clark returned home with him.

Mrs. George B. Tait went to San Antonio last Thursday, to be with her aged father, R. H. Thompson, who underwent a minor operation at a hospital there. Mr. Thompson is to undergo a major operation within a short time, and his many friends throughout Bandera county are hopeful that he will pass through the ordeal all right and soon be on the road to recovery.

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C. W. Reese, of Juno, sends in his renewal to the little old home paper for another year.

Rams and Sheep For Sale.

I have a choice lot of Delaine-Merino rams for sale at moderate prices.—Chas. Real, Kerrville, Texas.

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences.—Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

Rams For Sale.

I have a bunch of good rams for sale, some registered and some graded. All yearlings. Can be seen at my ranch any time.—F. E. Whisenhunt. Agtf

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BULLETIN

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Two Stricken with Appendicitis

Mrs. Theresa Spettle, aged 72 years, residing near Medina Lake, underwent an operation for appendicitis at a San Antonio hospital on Wednesday of last week. She is making good recovery.

Mrs. John Jureczki of Bandera underwent an operation for appendicitis at a San Antonio hospital last Saturday. Mrs. Jureczki is doing nicely at this time and making good recovery.

Chicken and Turkey Measure

Austin, Tex., Sept. 28.—Senator Ward's turkey and chicken bill passed the Senate Tuesday morning.

The bill makes the fraudulent taking of chickens or turkeys a felony punishable by penitentiary imprisonment or fine or jail sentence. Before passage it was amended by Senator Bailey of DeWitt so as to apply only to chickens and turkeys old take effect 90 days after passage.

A lively speech by Senator Murphy in opposition to the bill and by Senator Ward in answer, marked its passage to engross ment. Senator Murphy said that if the Texas Legislature had no more to do than to make a felony the stealing of a fowl, the Legislature should be abolished. He argued that a person should not be sent to the penitentiary for stealing "one frizzly chicken." Senator Ward said that Senator Murphy's heart was in the right place, and that chicken and turkey theft was a commercial practice among organized thieves of North Texas, and the State in general.

Senator Woodward of Coleman offered an amendment to strike out the clause "both blondes and brunettes" which the chair ruled out of order. Senator Ward said that as for the Senator from Coleman, but that the bill was a serious matter.

The bill went to final reading on the suspension of rules by 21 ayes and 4 noes and was finally passed by a vive voce vote. It now goes to the house, where Senator Ward said it is assured of passage.

Old Time Dance.

An old time dance will be given at the Fair Exhibit Hall, Main field Park, on Thursday night, November 11. Armistice Day. Full time dancing, old time fiddle music, old time good time. Keep the date in mind, and take that old sweetheart of bygone years, if she is now your wife, and dance like you used to dance in the good old days.

Attacked by a Maddened Bull

John Bruce was painfully injured late Tuesday evening when a Holstein bull attacked him in the cow lot. Mr. Bruce was watering some of his cattle when unexpectedly the bull made for him, knocking him down and trying to gore him. Mr. Bruce managed to get up quickly and get through the fence before the bull could catch him again. Severe bruises and gashes and several dislocated fingers are the result of his harrowing experience. He was able to be at the store yesterday morning but for several days he will suffer from the injuries sustained.

Picture Show Tomorrow Night

Zane Grey's masterpiece, "Wild Horse Mesa," will be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow, Friday night. This picture, in which Jack Holt and Noah Beery appear, will please you and will furnish plenty of thrills throughout the showing. John Hamlin and Ed Hardy, of Center Point, will direct the show Friday night, which insures first class service.

Early Settlers on the Verde

The November number of Frontier Times, to be issued about October 15th, will contain a very interesting sketch reciting the experiences of Mrs. Hezekiah Griffin, who with her husband settled on East Verde Creek in 1867. Mrs. Griffin now lives at Devine, and the sketch was obtained from her for Frontier Times by W. B. Hardeman. It will be of much interest to many of our older citizens who knew the Griffin family in those days.

Parochial School Entertainment.

An entertainment and reception was given by the pupils of St. Joseph's School last Saturday night, which was well attended and enjoyed by all who were there.

B. Y. P. U. Social.

The local Baptist Young People's Union gave a social at the Baptist church last Saturday night, which was enjoyed by a large crowd of the young people.

LIMA LINES.

G. G. Hinds is in the hospital in Kerrville. He has a very severe attack of tonsilitis and is getting along fine. We certainly hope he will soon be able to come home.

L. A. Reed, Mrs. Bartley and Mrs. Hayeraft went to San Antonio last Saturday to see Mrs. L. A. Reed, who is in the hospital there. Mrs. Reed was doing nicely the last report. We sincerely hope she can soon return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Beades and family, of San Antonio, visited Mrs. G. G. Hinds and relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartman and children of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman and family Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Zula Miller and daughters Misses Sadie and Inez, have returned from a visit to Fredericksburg.

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A lively speech by Senator Murphy in opposition to the bill and by Senator Ward in answer, resulted in passage by the engrossment. Senator Murphy said that if the Texas Legislature had no more to do than to make a felony the stealing of a fowl, the Legislature should be abolished. He argued that a person should not be sent to the penitentiary for stealing "one frizzly chicken." Senator Ward said that Senator Murphy's heart was better than his head, and that stealing a turkey theft was a commercial practice among organized thieves of North Texas, and the State in general.

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The Quanah Tribune: What makes a town, anyway? Is it the wealth evidenced by the homes and splendid store buildings?

These may test the stability and thrift of certain people, but they offer no inducements to commercial and moral progress. Is it the spirit of good order and law observance. That is a factor only. The sleepiest old hamlets that dot the map have the spirit in rank abundance. Is it the schools and churches? May their number ever increase, but they do not make a town—they only cultivate it. Is it the geographical location, the character of the country surrounding, the shipping facilities, the natural advantages?

Well, what is it that makes a town anyway. Just one thing—the unity of the people, the existence of a common bond which causes business and social antagonists to put aside all differences when it comes to boosting the town. No town ever made real success without the get-together spirit unanimously adopted. It has rejuvenated old husks of towns that were yawning their way into endless sleep. It has infused new life blood into the heart of commercial life and made thriving cities out of paralytic villages.

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Buffalo for the Hill Country.

Stamford, Tex., Sept. 24—Four rugged buffalo from a herd of 25 on the R. V. Colbert & Son ranch near Stamford are on their way in padded automobile trucks from here to the Charles Schreiner estate at Kerrville, where they will be placed on a private game preserve.

Guarding the picturesque Plains boasts are three game wardens who will see that they are conducted safely to the Schreiner ranch. The trucks are padded on the sides with excelsior and have four bales of hay on the floor.

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W. P. Bankston and G. W. Burton both of Austin and promoters of the project, together with Frank DeWitt, engineer, were hard at work when a party from Llano visited the mining site Monday afternoon.

The mine is situated on the top of the mountain, at the extreme northwest point, and a steep mountain trail leads from the camp site to the shaft. Much difficulty was experienced in pulling the heavy machinery up that mountain side, but it is there, two engines, a hoist, air compressor and other equipment, which the men are using in sinking the shaft, which at present is down about seventy feet, and in which they are following a vein that continues to grow broader as the workmen descend into the earth.

When the shaft was down about four feet a faint vein of ore was discovered, the vein being about one-thirty-seconds of an inch wide; at the bottom of the shaft now, that same streak has widened to about two feet and the miners feel confident it will continue to expand as they penetrate the earth.

The formation in the shaft now is a mixture of limestone and sandstone, with rocks of a hard, yet spongy appearance.

The miners were waiting for machinery Monday afternoon which was expected the next day and work could not be be continued in the shaft until it arrived. As a consequence these men were cleaning out, what they claimed was a natural lead. It was started on the side of the mountain, down some fifteen feet from the top, and was being run back. They had followed this lead back into the mountain some twenty feet up to Monday, and they believe it leads to a cave or old mine, and that this passage was filled in long years ago. There is no doubt about the rock and even dirt in it being loose and easily dug.

There are three old smelters near his mine, and the promoters stated that from one of these smelters 980 pounds of lead and silver had been recovered. Besides the furnaces or smelters, there are many signs which tell of operations there in years long gone by. A cross cut upon a rock, bows and arrows upon trees and other signs, most of which point to one certain location, where the workmen believe the old mine may be, and where the lead they are now working in, seems to go to.

Just what is in this place and what may be discovered, is a question which only an experienced miner could answer, and probably it would be beyond his knowledge, but that the promoters have unlimited faith in the proposition is evidenced by the large amount of money which they have expended and months of hard work done. They have great faith in their undertaking and state that they have struck pockets in the shaft, where the ore ran into the hundreds of dollars, however the pockets have proven to be very small, but the expanding vein added to their faith, and the promoters feel sure they have a mine of untold wealth in gold and silver.

Further developement may be expected soon, when work in the shaft has been resumed.—Llano News.

Col. Geo. W. Saunders writes us from San Antonio that great preparations are being made for the Old Trail Drivers' Reunion to be held in San Antonio October 7, 8 and 9. Col. Saunders requests us to notify all of the Bandera folks who participated in the parade last year that they will be admitted free to the showing of the picture, "North of 36," and the parade pictures at the Princess Theater on Saturday morning, the 9th.

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San Antonio Light

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Real Estate Wanted.

I desire to secure a listing of Bandera county ranch and farm lands. I am in the real estate business at Nixon and have frequent calls for Bandera county lands.—E. J. Pennell, Real Estate and Loans, Nixon, Texas.

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

J. B. Wright, Administrator of the Estate of John T. Wright, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. T. Wright numbered 406 on the Probate Docket of Bandera County, together with an application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for a Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. T. Wright numbered 406 on the Probate Docket of Bandera County, together with an application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Bandera you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the October Term 1926, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the Town of Bandera on the 18th day of October A. D. 1926, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the Town of Bandera this 27th day of September A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk, County Court Bandera County.
By W. R. Fletcher Deputy.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 648, O.E.S., on Friday night, Oct. 15th. 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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A TRIBUTE TO BILL WELLS, THE PIONEER

Bill Wells,son of Samuel Wells, was born Aug. 18th, 1857 at Dubuque, Iowa. He was of English-Scotch ancestry. His grandfather fought in the Black Hawk war and was rewarded by a grateful country with a land grant upon which the city of Dubuque now stands.

His father moved with his family to Victoria county, Texas, in 1860. Samuel Wells, just from the North, brought his union principles with him to secession Texas. War broke out the following year. Samuel Wells cursed a Confederate recruiting officer for using abusive language to Mrs. Wells. This led to complications which resulted in the family moving to the Nueces canyon and settling on the west bank of the Main Nueces in what is now Uvalde county, about 100 yards north of the place now known as the Perry Humphrey place. This was in 1864. Bill was then seven.

It is said that environment molds us. This was certainly true in Bill's case. Nature, wild free and unrestrained, was every where in expression. Wild turkeys roamed the valleys, and the beautiful little deer warily moved about the grassy scene, while the brown bear ambled about in apparent indifference to man. Seldom could he leave a deserted thicket until in the immediate presence of the hunter. The bear at that time knew nothing of the hound of which he was to learn so much in a few years. The scream of the panther, the roar of the mountain lion, or the warwhoop of the Apache, were the rude cadences to which his infant ears were attuned. He drank in the wild freedom of his time. Shall we say that the Children of the Mist, whom Scott so vividly portrays, did not again awaken in him? But to their wild love of freedom was added a profound love and concern for his fellow man. At seven, Bill Wells in company with his younger brother, Sam, and armed with a needle gun, brought down his first bear. His elders were incredulous, but Bill led them to his gory victim and all doubt was dispelled. This deed was done without the knowledge or consent of his parents. He and his little brother were alone. How many boys of eleven today would be daring enough for this?

During his sixteenth year, while hunting on the east side of the river from the home above described, in company with another youth of about his age, Indians were encountered. The boys first heard the noise of the Indians' ponies crashing thru the thickets. The Indians were passing on their right thru the timber. The boys could have remained still and they would not have been observed, but Bill's companion protesting, Bill hastened in the direction of the noise with his rifle ready. The Indians were riding rapidly, and it took a breathless chase of several hundred yards before he came to the open gravel bar. The savages were across and about to disappear in the timber on the west bank of the river when Bill's rifle spit flame. This was the Apaches first knowledge of an enemy's presence. All was panic among them. Several more shots from Bill's gun sped among them and heightened their confusion. They whipped and slashed into the timber and sped away toward the west. But they left blood on their trail. And when the settlers pursued later, they found where the tribesmen had halted and tried to stop the flow of blood. There was evidence that the wound was a serious one. The finding of an Indian skeleton on the trail followed on this occasion, a few years later, leaves but small doubt that Bill fired, as usual, with deadly accuracy. His youthful companion fled for home when Bill pursued. The Wells mother was bewailing her son as dead when he entered the cabin.

While lying in wait at a watering place for wild cattle, Bill mistook a mounted Indian in the moonlight for a wild steer and charged him with swinging rope. While dashing thru a small opening he saw his mistake, but nothing daunted, he pursued and roped the man. The Indian instantly slashed the rope and despite a furious pursuit, finally escaped. A companion on this occasion was still living a few years ago.

He later served as a scout to a ranger company. He performed many deeds of daring among them being bear fights at close quarters when the animals were at his gun's muzzle at bay, in caves, often hundreds of feet beneath the ground.

He attended school three months under a tree. From this humble beginning and by scribbling his letters on his leggings for he rode, he learned to read and write. He married Miss Susan Emma Johnson when he was twenty-one. They moved to Uvalde county, Bill Wells' ranch on the head waters of Montel creek in 1880. Wide valleys of fertile land lay everywhere unclaimed but he chose his home where wild game would last the longest. With his wife's assistance, he soon became a fluent reader. He obtained a wide knowledge of history and a deep insight into the current movements of his day. He was a great admirer of Gladstone and Parnell.

His was a whip lash intellect that slashed thru sham and sophistry. He did right thru a simple love of virtue and not thru fear of punishment or hope of reward. He saw as many others with courage have seen, that modern orthodox religion rests upon Egyptian and Chaldean mythology. He had no patience with the restraints which recent church movements sought to place upon his daily life. But no one in distress ever appealed to him in vain. He was ever ready to lay down his life in the cause of humanity.

He lost his beloved wife Feb. 25, 1923.

Bill Wells died at Utopia, Texas, Aug. 30, 1926. He leaves four sturdy sons and three daughters to pass-his torch of life to future times. And shall we say that in them Bill Wells does not live again?

W. J. Lockhart, Vance, Texas.
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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—GREETING:

You Are Hereby Commanded To cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—ESTATES OF DECEDENTS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To All Persons Interested in The Estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford, Deceased, or J. B. Langford, Jr., has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Administration upon the Estate of said Mrs. I. B. Langford, Deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in October, A. D. 1926, the same being the 18th day of October, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this 3rd day of September A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk, County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
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BULLETIN

Big Dairy Meeting at the Court House next Wednesday night, October 13. If you are interested in dairy production, be sure to attend this meeting.

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Lee Langford Dies at Del Rio

Lee W. Langford, former citizen of Bandera county, died at his home in Del Rio last Friday after a protracted illness. Mr. Langford was 63 years old, and is survived by his wife and five children, being Mrs. Annie Burdick, Miss Daisy Langford, Ted Langford and John Langford of Del Rio, and Ira Langford of El Paso. Burial took place at Del Rio.

Lee Langford was well known to many of our older citizens, having been born and raised in Bandera, leaving here about thirty years ago. He was a brother to the late lamented B. F. and I. B. Langford, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. Two years ago Mr. Langford attended the reunion of the Old Settlers of Bandera county, at which time he met many of his boyhood friends. His passing is deeply regretted by hundreds of friends in this county.

Undergoes Operation.

Mrs. F. E. Whitley, residing near Pipe Creek, was taken to a hospital at San Antonio, where she underwent an operation Wednesday. Her friends are hopeful that she will make speedy recovery.

MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. John Justice and son, of Ballinger, spent several days with Mr. Justice's brother, W. J. Justice, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitson Justice, of Uvalde, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice while Mr. and Mrs. John Justice were here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hatfield and son, Marvin, Charlie Akin and Mrs. M. D. Kelly attended church at San Antonio last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and children, of San Antonio visited Alfred Walker and sisters, Misses Ada and Tiny Walker, last Sunday.

M. P. Akin and family and Miss Valentine Smith spent last week-end at Devine with relatives there. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Addie Akin, who has been visiting her brother, George Lindsey, and wife.

Mrs. M. P. Burton is seriously ill at a hospital in San Antonio. We hope she will soon recover.

Rev. Gossett, of Bandera, preached here Sunday night at the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baylor, Misses Onida Snell and Leona Carpenter, Messrs. Audley Elkins and Will Dillion, San Antonio, spent last week-end camping on the banks of our beautiful Medina.

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Robber Kills San Antonio Merchant

F. W. Smithers died at a hospital in San Antonio Wednesday of last week from the effects of being beaten over the head with a club by a negro robber, who entered his cigar store on Main Avenue in that city. The robber escaped with about $30 in money.

Mr. Smithers was the father of Mrs. Ben Hall, photographer who frequently visits Bandera, and the tragedy is greatly deplored by his friends here.

TARPLEY NEWS

Miss Irma Mesch, of San Antonio, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mesch, of Tarpley.

Mrs. Gleamer Hicks returned home Saturday after spending several days with her daughter Mrs. Lee Mansfield of Bandera.

Last Monday night Mr. Otto Sprott took his lantern and went to his car to put some gas into it. While he was putting it into the car the lantern exploded and gas being on him it caught Mr. Sprott's clothing on fire too. He was burned very badly and his truck, tractor, buggy, barn and part of his oats were destroyed by fire. Mr. Sprott is suffering greatly but we all hope he will soon be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. August Sprott made a business trip to Hondo Tuesday.

Misses Iris and Myra Strawn spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Strawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Marquis have moved to San Antonio.

Mr. Magovern, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Poerner were up from San Antonio last Sunday.

TUFF TIMES

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Massey, of Vanderpool, visited Mrs. Massey's parents, Mr and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt, a few days last week.

Mrs. George Elam and son, Clyde, and daughter, Miss Pearl, visited Mrs. John Adams Sunday.

Mrs. George Allsup was called to Kerrville Sunday, one of her nephews was operated on.

Dave Loyd, who has been out to his father's shearing goats, returned home Sunday evening.

Jackie Stotts, of San Antonio, visited his uncle G. W. Anderson and A. J. Anderson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pike visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt Sunday evening.

Stanley and Jeff Pike spent Saturday and Sunday with their uncle, Press Lore, on Mill Creek.

Armistice Dance.

James Cox announces an Armistice Dance at Cox Hall on Thursday night, November 11. Foster's Collegians will furnish the music.

Gasoline Explodes and Destroys Barn

Otto Sprott, living near Tarpley, was badly burned Monday night, when a tank of gasoline exploded. Mr. Sprott was filling his truck with gasoline, preparatory to getting an early start Tuesday morning to do some hauling. He was using a lantern to give light and it is supposed the gasoline became ignited from the lantern. The explosion that resulted was heard several miles around, and the flames were thrown all over Mr. Sprott, and spread to his barn, which with its contents was consumed within a very short while. Mr. Sprott was seriously burned about the body, arms and legs, but will probably recover. Dr. Butler was hastily summoned and gave him all the relief possible.

The barn contained a lot of oats and other feedstuff, a buggy, tractor, seeder, harness, and farm tools, all of which were destroyed. A new Chevrolet car happened to be standing some distance away and was saved. Two good horses were in the lot, and were led out in time to escape the fire.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Holder, of Raymondville, Texas, were visitors in Bandera Monday, and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Auto Collision Near Pipe Creek

W. F. Rippey and son, Glenn, of Mount Sharp, narrowly escaped serious injury Sunday night, when an army truck collided with their Ford car, about a mile this side of Pipe Creek. The army truck was carrying a crowd of young men, soldiers from Kelly Field, who had been to Bandera to play a game of baseball, and was coming around a curve at good speed, with no lights. Just behind the army truck came one or two automobiles with lights. The army truck was on the wrong side of he road, Mr. Rippey says, and when his son, Glenn, who was driving the Ford, saw the truck coming so fast, he turned to the right to avoid a collision and the driver of the truck also turned and the two machines met almost head-on. The Ford was pretty badly smashed, and Mr. Rippey and Glenn received cuts and gashes from windshield glass and other fragments. The Ford went into a shallow ditch but fortunately did not turn over.

School Club Organized

The Medina High School pupils organized a School Club, Tuesday afternoon, September 28, 1926, for the purpose of furnishing school entertainment, also school ground equipment.

They elected as their officers; Miss Elsie Frizzell, president; Miss Fern Banta, vice-president; Miss Inez Frizzell, secretary-treasurer, and J. G. Richards sergeant-at-arms.

The social committee consists of Miss Adell Davis, Miss Leora Bourgiers, and Hough LeStourgeon.

The members showed a great amount of enthusiasm, which shows that are going to put over some good work this term.

Trip to London and Mason.

The New Era editor and son, Marvin Hunter, Jr., and Mrs. Clarence Young and little daughter, Lillie Margaret, went to London last Friday, where Mrs. Young visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brewer. We were guests at supper Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, and spent the night with our old compadre, French Cummins. Early Saturday morning we went over to a "round" near London and obtained some prehistoric relics, and about 10 o'clock we hit the road for Mason, and spent Saturday afternoon and night with relatives in that city. Sunday morning we returned to London enjoyed a splendid dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brewer, returning to Bandera in the afternoon. We enjoyed every minute of the visit to London and Mason, transacted some very important business, had fried chicken almost every meal, and came home feeling as if we had been somewhere. The cotton crop around London and Mason is fine this year, but the extremely low price is very discouraging to the farmers there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Engle, Edward Schmidt and Miss Martha Habenicht, of San Antonio, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

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Epworth League Social

The Epworth League social given Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Coughran, was a very delightful affair. Ice cream and cake was served to a large crowd, and interesting games were played.

Mrs. Burton in Hospital

Mrs. M. P. Burton, wife of the pastor of the Medina Methodist church, is seriously ill with fever at a hospital in San Antonio Monday. We are pleased to learn she is doing very well.

To the Public.

In view of the fact that a report has become current in some manner that I am not qualified to hold the office of County and District Clerk, to which I aspire, I wish to offer the following recommendation from Mr. G. W. Parrish, president of Draughon's Business College:

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 18/26.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to say that Mr. Bernard E. Duke, of Bandera, Texas, was a student in our school several years ago. He was a reliable, honest and faithful worker—always on the job. He studied bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting and related subjects. His college record was satisfactory. Mr. Duke worked before and after school hours and on Saturday in exchange for his room and board, while attending school. This fact stresses his ambition and determination to get ahead. It is our belief that Mr. Duke is capable of doing whatever he may be willing to undertake. We gladly recommend him. Very truly,

G. W. PARISH, President.

I will greatly appreciate your vote in the coming November election.

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Young Man Hit with Baseball Bat

Herman Thalmann was painfully hurt last Sunday while at the baseball game. A bat slipped out of a player's hand and struck him on the forehead, inflicting a gash which required several stitches to close. He is getting along all right now.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Soules, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strickbauer and Fritz Hinds, of San Antonio came up to see Mr. G. G. Hinds, who is still in a hospital in Kerrville. We are very glad to know Mr. Hinds is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds and children, Elmer Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds and Mrs. Ben Johnson all went to Kerrville last week to see G. G. Hinds.

Pete Evans, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans, was taken to a hospital in Kerrville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale and little son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Haught was taken to a hospital in Kerrville Sunday to undergo an operation for appendicitis. We hope she will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Jackson and daughters, Hattye May and Hallie visited in the S. A. Keese home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Gus Finney and little granddaughter Nell Weisenbaker and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Finney and little daughter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris and little sons, Mrs. Joby Hillman and little daughter Amy and son Mitzen went to Mr. Hillman's great ranch near Blanco last Saturday.

Branie Keese was very sick last week but we are indeed glad to report him much better.

Gainor Keese, visited his cousin Hazell Keese, Saturday night.

Mrs. Lee Miller and children spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds last week.

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Lee Langford Dies at Del Rio

Lee W. Langford, former citizen of Bandera county, died at his home in Del Rio last Friday after a protracted illness. Mr. Langford was 63 years old, and is survived by his wife and five children, the children being Mrs. Frank Burdick, Miss Daisy and Ted Langford and John Langford of Del Rio, and Ira Langford of El Paso. Burial took place at Del Rio.

Lee Langford was well known to many of our older citizens, he having been born and raised in Bandera, having here about thirty years ago. He was a brother to the late lamented B. F. and I. T. Langford, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. Two years ago Mr. Langford attended the reunion of the Old Settlers of Bandera county, at which time he met many of his boyhood friends. His passing is deeply regretted by hundreds of friends in this county.

Undergoes Operation.

Mrs. P. E. Whitley, residing near Pipe Creek, was taken to a hospital at San Antonio, where she underwent an operation Wednesday. Her friends here hope to hear that she will make speedy recovery.

MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. John Justice and son of Ballinger, spent several days with Mr. Justice's brother, W. J. Justice, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitson Justice, of Crystal City, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice while Mr. and Mrs. John Justice were here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hatfield and son, Marvin, Charlie Akin and Mrs. M. D. Kelly attended church at San Antonio last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and children, of San Antonio visited Alfred Walker and sisters, Misses Ada and Tiny Walker, last Sunday.

M. P. Akin and family and Miss Valentine Smith spent last week-end at Devine with relatives there. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Addie Akin who has been visiting her brother, George Lindsey, and wife.

Mrs. M. P. Burton is seriously ill at a hospital in San Antonio. We hope she will soon recover.

Rev. Gossett, of Bandera, preached here Sunday night at the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baylor, Misses Onida Snell and Leona Carpenter, Messrs. Audley Elkins and Will Dillion, of San Antonio, spent last week-end camping on the banks of our beautiful Medina.

Robber Kills San Antonio Merchant

F. W. Smithers died at a hospital in San Antonio Wednesday of last week from the effects of being beaten over the head with a club by a negro robber, who entered his cigar store on Main Avenue in that city. The robber escaped with about $30 in money.

Mr. Smithers was the father of W. D. Smithers, the photographer of Bandera. Frequently visits Bandera, and the tragedy is greatly deplored by his friends here.

TARPLEY NEWS

Miss Irma Meschi, of San Antonio, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meschi, of Tarpley.

Mrs. Gleamer Hicks returned home Saturday after spending several days with her daughter Mrs. Lee Mansfield of Bandera.

Last Monday night Mr. Otto Sprott took his lantern and went to his car to put some gas into it. While he was putting it into the car the lantern exploded and gas being on him it caught Mr. Sprott's clothing on fire too. He was burned very badly and his truck, tractor, buggy, barn and part of his oats were destroyed. Mr. Sprott is suffering greatly but we all hope he will soon be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. August Sprott made a business trip to Hondo Tuesday.

Misses Iris and Myra Strawn spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Strawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Marquis have moved to San Antonio.

Mr. Mugovern, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Poerner were up from San Antonio last Sunday.

TUFF TIMES

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Massey, of Vanderpool, visited Mrs. Massey's parents, Mr and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt, a few days last week.

Mrs. George Bass and son, Clyde, and daughter, Miss Pearl, visited Mrs. John Adams Sunday.

Mrs. George Allsup was called to Kerrville Sunday. One of her nephews was operated on.

Dave Loyd, who has been out to his father's shearing goats, was here Sunday evening.

Jackie Stotts, of San Antonio, visited his uncle G. W. Acuff Sunday and A. J. Anderson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pike visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zumwalt Sunday evening.

Stanley and Jeff Pike spent Saturday and Sunday with their uncle, Press Love, on Mill Creek.

Armistice Dance.

James Cox announces an Armistice Dance at Cox Hall on Thursday night, November 11. Foster's Collegians will furnish the music.

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Gasoline Explodes and Destroys Barn

Otto Sprott, living near Tarpley, was badly burned Monday night, when a tank of gasoline exploded. Mr. Sprott was filling his truck with gasoline, preparatory to getting an early start Tuesday morning to do some hauling. He was using a lantern to give light and it is supposed the gasoline became ignited from the lantern. The explosion that resulted was heard several miles around, and the flames were thrown all over Mr. Sprott and spread to his barn, which with its contents was consumed within a very short while. Mr. Sprott was seriously burned about the body, arms and legs, but will probably recover. Dr. Barber was hastily summoned and gave him all the relief possible.

The barn contained a lot of oats and other feedstuff, a buggy, tractor, seeder, harness, and farm tools, all of which were destroyed. A new Chevrolet car happened to be standing some distance away and was saved. Two good horses were in the lot, and were released in time to escape the fire.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Holder, of Raymondville, Texas, were visitors in Bandera Monday, and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Auto Collision Near Pipe Creek

C. W. F. Rippey and son, Glenn, of Mount Sharp, narrowly escaped serious injury Sunday night, when an army truck collided with their Ford car, about a mile this side of Pipe Creek. The army truck was carrying a crowd of young men, soldiers from Kelly Field, who had been to Bandera to play a game of baseball, and was coming around a curve at good speed, with no lights, and behind the army truck came one or two automobiles with lights. The army truck was on the wrong side of the road, Mr. Rippey says, and when his son, Glenn, who was driving the Ford, saw the truck coming so fast, he turned to the right to avoid a collision and the driver of the truck also turned and the two machines met almost head-on. The Ford was pretty badly smashed, and Mr. Rippey and Glenn received cuts and gashes from windshield glass and other bruises. The Ford went into a shallow ditch but fortunately did not turn over.

School Club Organized

The Medina High School pupils organized a School Club, Tuesday afternoon, September 28, 1926, for the purpose of furnishing school entertainment, also school ground equipment.

They elected as their officers:

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by writing a clean, crisp individual check whenever you pay out money.

—There's an extra measure of satisfaction in paying by checks if your checks bear the name of this sound, friendly, highly regarded bank. We'll welcome your account!

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Epworth League Social

The Epworth League social given Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Coughran, was a very delightful affair. Ice cream and cake was served to a large crowd, and interesting games were played.

Mrs. Burton in Hospital

Mrs. M. P. Burton, wife of the pastor of the Medina Methodist church, underwent an operation at a hospital in San Antonio Monday. We are pleased to learn she is doing very well.

To the Public.

In view of the fact that a report has become current in some manner that I am not qualified to hold the office of County and District Clerk, to which I aspire, I wish to offer the following recommendation from Mr. O. W. Parish, president of Draughon's Business College, San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 18, '26.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to say that Mr. Bernard E. Duke, of Bandera, Texas, was a student in our school several years ago. He was a reliable, honest and faithful worker—always on the job. He studied bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting and related subjects. His college record was satisfactory. Mr. Duke worked before and after school hours and on Saturday in exchange for his room and board, while attending school. This fact stresses his ambition and determination to get ahead. It is our belief that Mr. Duke is capable of doing whatever he may be willing to undertake. We gladly recommend him.

Very truly,
G. W. PARISH, President.

I will greatly appreciate your vote in the coming November election.

BERNARD E. DUKE.
(Political Advertisement.)

Miss Ellie Frizzell, president; Miss Fern Banta, vice-president; Miss Inez Frizzell, secretary-treasurer, and J. G. Richards sergeant-at-arms.

The social committee consists of Miss Adell Davis, Miss Leora Bauerlein, and Hough LeStourgeon.

The members showed a great amount of enthusiasm, which shows they are going to put over some good work this term.

Trip to London and Mason.

The New Era editor and son, Marvin Hunter, Jr., and Mrs. Clarence Young and little daughter, Lillie Margaret, went to London last Friday, where Mrs. Young visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brewer. We were guests at supper Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith, and spent the night with our old compadre, French Cummins. Early Saturday morning we went on a "joy-spin" to London and obtained some prehistoric relics, and about 10 o'clock we hit the road for Mason, and spent Saturday afternoon and night with relatives in that city. Sunday morning we returned to London enjoyed a splendid dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brewer, returning to Bandera in the afternoon. We enjoyed every moment of the visit to London and Mason, transacted some very important business, had fried chicken almost every meal, and came home feeling as if we had been somewhere. The cotton crop around London and Mason is fine this year, but the extremely low price is very discouraging to the farmers there.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Engle, Edward Schmidt and Miss Martha Habenicht, of San Antonio, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

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Young Man Hit with Baseball Bat

Herman Thalmann was painfully hurt last Sunday while at the baseball game. A bat slipped out of a player's hand and struck him on the forehead inflicting a gash which required several stitches to close. He is getting along all right now.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seales, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Steinbeckon and Fritz Hinds, of San Antonio came on to see Mr. G. G. Hinds, who is still in a hospital in Kerrville. We are very glad to know Mr. Hinds is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds and children, Elmer Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds and Mrs. Ben Johnson all went to Kerrville last week to see G. G. Hinds.

Pete Evans, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Evans was taken to a hospital in Kerrville Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Jackson and daughters, Hattye May and Hallie visited in the S. A. Keese home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Finney and little granddaughter Nell Waldenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Finney and little daughter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese Sunday.

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Let's make a public park of our court house square, plant shade and ornamental trees and grow flowers and shrubs. The weeds which grow there now are unsightly and the rich soil which produces them can be used for a more attractive and better purpose.

We are in receipt of a very interesting book, "The Rising and Setting of the Lone Star Republic," just published, and written by Miss Hattie Jackson of San Antonio. It is written in most pleasing style, and is valuable as a supplementary history for use in our public schools, because it contains real Texas history obtained first hand from pioneer men and women of the state. The book was approved by the Text Book Commission appointed by Governor Neff in 1922, and carries the endorsement of many of the prominent educators of the state. Miss Jackson taught in Bandera High School several years ago, and her friends here are pleased to learn that she has at last had her book published. While here she secured much valuable material for the book. The price of "The Rising and Setting of the Lone Star republic" is $2.00 per copy, and it may be obtained by addressing Miss Hattie Jackson, 429 Porter Street, San Antonio, Texas.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.

Of the Bandera New Era, published weekly at Bandera, Texas, for October, 1926.

State of Texas,
County of Bandera.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared J. M. Hunter, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is owner of the Bandera New Era, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in Section 443, Postal Laws, and Regulations, printed in the form of this form to-wit:

1. That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager is J. M. Hunter, Bandera, Texas.

2. That the owner is J. M. Hunter, Bandera, Texas.

3. That known bond-holders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities, are: Mergenthaler Linotype Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.

J. M. HUNTER,
Owner.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of October, 1926. (Seal.)

W. S. Etheridge,
Notary Public.

Real Estate Wanted.

I desire to secure a listing of Bandera county ranch and farm lands. I am in the real estate business at Nixon and have frequent calls for Bandera county lands.—E. J. Pennell, Real Estate and Loans, Nixon, Texas.

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Value of the Weekly Newspaper as an Advertising Medium

The tendency of many advertisers to play the daily newspapers and ignore the weeklies, has brought to the front again the ever recurring discussion of the value of the weekly as a medium for profitable and resultgetting advertising. Writing in Editor and Publisher, a newspaper man's publication, Bert Moses takes the ground that National advertisers do not realize the value of the weekly newspaper as an advertising medium. The article by Mr. Moses is prompted by C. P. Rowell's attitude in opposition to the weekly, and after declaring that Rowell is mistaken Mr. Moses continues:

"For let it be here stated still again that the weekly paper is a power in its own territory. Its influence gets to the skies of its readers, and what the editor of the weekly thinks is precisely what most of the folks in his community think. If you doubt this, ask any politician who knows politics. He will tell you that while he does not exactly relish the opposition of the big city daily, he is most anxious not to be opposed by the country editor.

"Rowell's contention that all the weekly's circulation has been small to be effective. Let's say about that. Practically every body in small communities takes the weekly paper, while but a few take a magazine or the big town daily. The weekly covers the territory intensively, whereas the big daily and the magazine scatter like a parcel of boys shooting marbles across the vendable shops up in the city.

"And as the National advertisers spend a big percentage of their appropriations in the big dailies and magazines. This is all right, of course, but the advertiser who thinks he is reaching the country folks when he omits the weeklies needs his mental machinery overhauled.

"There are not so many weeklies as there used to be, but there are a lot more than the dailies. In many cases the good weeklies have gone and not the poor daily has come in. Today in countless small towns little dailies are struggling for existence where weeklies formerly made good money. The poor daily hasn't the power and influence of the good weekly by a long shot, as we would say in Boston, and my choice in such a case would be the weekly to carry my advertising every time."

The publisher of the weekly does more hard work and gets less out of it than any other work I know. He is the balance wheel and safety valve of the neighborhood he serves. His influence is always for the good, and I salute him as Brother. He has my sympathies and is close to my heart.

To make these few remarks for him gives me joy, and if at least monthly the poor cusses in which he is held by National advertisers is the one thought that pushes this pen along.

Pie Supper.

A pie supper will be given at the Crockett school house Saturday night, October 9, for the benefit of the school. A basketball game will be played there Saturday afternoon, followed by the pie supper at night. Everybody invited.

Old Time Dance.

An old time dance will be given at the Fair Exhibit Hall, Mansfield Park, on Thursday night, November 11, Armistice Day. Old time dancing, old time fiddle music, old time good time. Keep the date in mind, and take that old sweetheart of bygone years, if she is now your wife, and dance like you used to dance in the good old days.

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A circus so big that it requires two added rings, eight stages, a rubber hippodrome track and a 'loof-long big top to display its marvels is now being built this way. It is the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Combined Shows, to give performances at San Antonio Oct. 15.

The offerings now used have been made necessary to present the added attractions got together in the desire to celebrate the combined shows first appearance in New York's New Madison Square Garden. This edifice is the biggest ever built for circus purposes. To fittingly celebrate it the Ringling Brothers themselves spent months in Europe mobilizing the biggest circus in history. This same show that for weeks entertained New York's millions is now on tour under canvas.

The tournament is as brilliant as in the past but has been enlarged by the addition of such novelties as zebras and llamas broken to harness and attached to gem-studded floats. Wee baby elephants ride at the tops of allegorical cars. The menagerie of more than a thousand animals embraces such features as thirteen elephant youngsters with the smallest stationed side by side with the largest pachyderms in captivity. Another importation is the largest and handsomest tiger of which there is record.

Performing horse acts are now presented in quintet—a troupe in each of the five rings. Those elephants who are performers by year are similar formations—by herds at one time. The number of men and women aerialists, bareback riders, gymnasts and high-wire performers has been increased to eight hundred. There are three hundred of which appear in a single display. One hundred double length cars are required to handle this gigantic amusement enterprise.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—GREETING:

You Are Hereby Commanded To cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof, to-wit:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ESTATES OF DECEDENTS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To All Persons Interested in The Estate of Mrs. J. B. Langford, Deceased. R. F. Langford has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Administration upon the Estate of said Mrs. J. B. Langford deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in October, A. D. 1926, the same being the 25th day of October, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this 23rd day of September A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk, County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
By W. R. FLETCHER, Deputy.

Liberty Life Assurance Society offers you legal reserve life insurance at cost. Every certificate is fully participating. Pays if you live, pays if you die. A good live deputy wanted at Bandera. Write Geo. D. Talley, Organizer, Christine, Texas.

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

J. B. Wright, Administrator of the Estate of John T. Wright, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. T. Wright numbered 403 on the Probate Docket of Bandera County, together with application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for ten days in a newspaper printed in the County of Bandera you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the October Term 1926, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the Town of Bandera on the 18th day of October A. D. 1926, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court. Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the Town of Bandera this 27th day of September A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk, County Court Bandera County.
By W. R. Fletcher Deputy.

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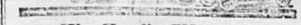

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BULLETIN
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Trail Drivers Hold Big Reunion

About 600 members of the Old Trail Drivers' Association attended the reunion at San Antonio last Thursday, Friday and Saturday. A good program featured each day's session with a grand ball at night. The ball Friday night was given in the Municipal Auditorium and was attended by about 2,000 people.

The convention ended Saturday with a barbecue in Brackenridge Park, featured by a sitting contest won by H. C. Williams of San Antonio. This contest was open to old traders more than 67 years old. Others who won honors for graceful squatting with their food and eating implements in hand were: Second, Thad Reese, Floresville; third, R. J. Jennings, San Marcos; fourth and fifth, J. N. Goforth and S. D. Houston, San Antonio.

The large steer head donated by Jim Dobie, was won by Ed Nicholson, who promptly gave it back to the Association to be disposed of for the benefit of the monument fund.

The convention authorized W. M. Pearsall, an association member, to appoint a committee of five to make plans for the drive to complete raising $100,000 for a memorial to the old trailers, to be erected. This followed Pain's report of another conference with the Chamber of Commerce.

George W. Saunders of San Antonio, president, and all other officers were reelected. A resolution was adopted endorsing Ike West of San Antonio for State Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner.

Chaplain J. S. Pearce conducted memorial services for twenty-nine members who have died since the last convention.

Resolutions of regret that illness prevented the attendance of Mrs. Amanda Burks of Cotulla, "queen of the trail drivers," and Charles Goodnight of Goodnight, were adopted.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Walker, of Chalk Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crist of Medina went to Kerrville last Sunday to attend a meeting held at the Church of Christ in that city, by Elder L. V. Nobles of Mason.

Aged Lady Injured.

Mrs. Sam Durnett, of Brady, a sister to Herman Harper of this city, was seriously injured in San Antonio last Saturday, when struck by a street car. Her hip was broken, and she was rendered unconscious for several hours. At last report she was resting very well in a hospital there.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Miller and family, of Morris Ranch, and Mr. and Mrs. John McHaney and little daughters of Fredericksburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. G. G. Hinds and son, Elmer went to Kerrville Sunday to see Mr. Hinds who was in the hospital there, but we are very glad to know he was able to come home Monday. He has had a very serious hand, and had to have one finger amputated. We hope he will not have any more trouble with it.

Mrs. T. H. Phillips visited Mrs. Will Council of Kerrville Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie and daughters, Misses Sadie and Inez, Misses Leeana and Iva Sutton and Bud Sutton went to the pie supper at Turf last Saturday night, and also visited Mr. and Mrs. John Adams.

Mrs. John Reed and Mrs. X. N. Mayberry were visitors in the Lima school last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips and children were Medina visitors Saturday afternoon.

Alec Hillman has gone to Sweetwater to obtain work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris and sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale Sunday.

Mrs. Gus Finney and little granddaughter, Nell Whisenhunt, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Keese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese had as their guests Sunday and Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed and children, Mrs. Artie Reed, Mr. Charlie Bandy and daughter, Faye, and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rieber and children.

A large number of truck loads of mohair were sent to market from this community the last few days.

A light rain fell here Monday night.

Last Thursday night Eli Hillman and Miss Elizabeth Turner were married at the bride's home in San Antonio. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman of this place. To Mr. and Mrs. Hillman we extend congratulations and best wishes.

Picture Show Tomorrow Night.

The masterpiece of America's most popular writer, Harold Bell Wright, will be shown at Bandera Theater Friday night, October 16, under the title of "A Son of His Father." A clean, fast adventure-romance of Arizona of yesterday and today. It is a Paramount picture with Bessie Love, Warner Baxter and Raymond Hatton. Don't miss it.

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Amasa Clark at Sesqui-Centennial

Mr. Chas. Pagan of Railway, New Jersey, writes the New Era from Philadelphia and says: "I am visiting the Sesqui-Centennial. Was very much surprised to see Amasa Clark's photo thrown on the screen in Machinery Hall, Mexican War Veteran." Bandera's oldest citizen has received a great deal of publicity during the past two or three years, and has had his picture in almost every daily newspaper in the United States.

Of Interest to All Voters.

Voting Precinct No. 1 has been divided, now being Nos. 1 and 11. All voters living on the north side of the Medina River to Wilson's Creek, and all residing on the Medina and Bandera road to and through town in Bandera are in Precinct No. 1. And all on the south side of the river to Ranger Crossing and south side of the Medina and Bandera road to and through Bandera are in Precinct No. 11. From Bandera former Precinct No. 1 is divided by the old Castroville road, all on the north side being on Precinct No. 1 and voting at the Court House, and all on the south side being in Precinct No. 11 and will vote at Bandera Public School Building.

150,000 Pounds Fall Mohair Sold

Fred Thalmann, manager of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association, attended the big mohair sale at San Antonio last week and on Friday sold 150,000 pounds of the Association's fall accumulation of mohair at a very satisfactory price. As this was a sealed bid sale we are not permitted to give the price paid per pound, but we understand the deal totals around $100,000. The mohair was bought by L. M. Murphy for S. W. Bridges & Co., of Boston, Mass., and it will be shipped out of the warehouse here tomorrow and Saturday, being hauled by truck from Bandera to Center Point.

F. A. Piper & Co. of Uvalde, also sold about 400,000 pounds of mohair last Friday, but we did not learn the price paid. Two weeks ago Chas. Schreiner Co., of Kerrville, sold about 500,000 pounds at 77 cents per pound, but on last Monday this firm rejected bids on about 700,000 pounds.

The fall wool clip is now coming in rapidly to the warehouse here, there being already about 60,000 pounds stored, and shearing still under way. It is estimated that the fall clip to fall which will come to the warehouse will amount to about 100,000 pounds

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Governor Signs Bill to Aid Schools

Austin, Texas, Oct. 10.—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson will not reconvene the Thirty-Ninth Legislature for a second call session, she advised friends late Friday. She will sign the $3,500,00 appropriation to the public school fund in order that the per capita apportionment will be increased from $11.50 to $14. and the schools will have long terms and the teachers will receive commensurate salaries, she told her friends.

Gov. Ferguson and her husband former Gov. James E. Ferguson expressed regret to a number of their supporters that the called session did not pass the gasoline tax to insure additional revenue for the schools and the Highway Department, but said that for the school children of Texas Mrs. Ferguson would sign the appropriation bill.

Well Patronized.

The Tarpley Parent-Teachers' Association and Three H Club requests the New Era to extend thanks to all who so liberally patronized their box supper at Tarpley last Friday night. The proceeds realized amounted to $55.40, which will be used for school purposes. Twenty-nine boxes, 29 cakes, a basket of fruit and vegetables, and also ice cream and cake were sold to a large crowd. The P. T. A. and the Three H. Clubs are grateful to all who helped to make the box supper a success, especially to Mr. Willie Sprott for the assistance he rendered.

The Blackett school opened last Monday morning with Miss Ruth McAdams of Lorena, Texas, as teacher. Judge Eames was present and made an interesting talk to the children and parents.

Bandera Voting Precinct Divided

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Trail Drivers Hold Big Reunion

About 600 members of the Old Trail Drivers' Association attended the reunion at San Antonio last Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

A good program featured each day's session with a grand ball at night. The ball Friday night was given in the Municipal Auditorium and was attended by about 2,000 people.

The convention ended Saturday with a barbecue in Brackenridge Park, featured by a sitting contest won by H. C. Williams of San Antonio. This contest was open to old trailers more than 67 years old. Others who won honors for graceful squatting with their food and eating implements in hand were: Second, Thad Reese, Floresville; third, R. J. Saunders, San Marcos; fourth and fifth, J. N. Goforth and S. D. Houston, San Antonio.

The large steer head donated by Jim Doble, was won by Ed Nicholson, who promptly gave it back to the Association to be disposed of for the benifit of the monument fund.

The convention authorized W. M. Fain, Pearsall, an associate member, to appoint a committee of five to make plans for the drive to complete raising $100,000 for's memorial to the old trailers, to be erected. This followed Fain's report of another conference with the Chamber of Commerce.

George W. Saunders of San Antonio, president, and all other officers were reelected. A resolution was adopted endorsing the West of San Antonio for State Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner.

Chaplain J. S. Pearce conducted memorial services for twenty-nine members who have died since the last convention.

Resolutions of regret that illness prevented the attendance of Mrs. Amanda Burks of Cotulla, "Queen of the trail drivers," and Charles Goodnight of Goodnight, were adopted.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Walker, of Chalk Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crist of Medina went to Kerrville last Sunday to attend a meeting being held at the Church of Christ in that city, by Elder I. V. Nobles of Mason.

Aged Lady Injured.

Mrs. San. Durnett, of Brady, a sister to Herman Harper of this city, was seriously injured in San Antonio last Saturday, when struck by a street car. Her leg was broken, and she was rendered unconscious for several hours. At last report she was resting very well in a hospital there.

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LIMA LINES.

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Mrs. T. H. Phillips visited Mrs. Will Council of Kerrville Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips and children were Medina visitors Saturday afternoon.

Alec Hillman has gone to Sweetwater to obtain work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris and sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale Sunday.

Mrs. Otis Finney and little granddaughter, Nell Whisenhunt, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Reese and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Reese had as guests Saturday and Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed and children, Mrs. Artie Reed, Mr. Charlie Banta and daughter, Faye, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Rieber and children.

A large number of truck loads of mohair were sent to market from this community the last few days.

A light rain fell here Monday night.

Last Thursday night Eli Hillman and Miss Elizabeth Turner were married at the bride's home in San Antonio. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman of this place. To Mr. and Mrs. Hillman we extend congratulations and best wishes.

Picture Show Tomorrow Night.

The masterpiece of America's most popular writer, Harold Bell Wright, will be shown at Bandera Theater Friday night, October 16, under the title of "A Son of His Father." A clean, fast adventure-romance of Arizona of yesterday and today. It is a Paramount picture with Bessie Love, Warner Baxter and Raymond Hatton. Don't miss it.

Amasa Clark at Sesqui-Centennial

Mr. Chas. Fagan of Rahway, New Jersey, writes the New Era from Philadelphia and says: "I am visiting the Sesqui-Centennial. Was very much surprised to see Amasa Clark's photo thrown on the screen in Machinery Hall, Mexican War Veteran." Bandera's oldest citizen has received a great deal of publicity during the past two or three years, and has had his picture in almost every daily newspaper in the United States.

Of Interest to All Voters.

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150,000 Pounds Fall Mohair Sold

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F. A. Piper & Co. of Uvalde, also sold about 400,000 pounds of mohair last Friday, but we did not learn the price paid. Two weeks ago Chas. Schreiner Co., of Kerrville, sold about 500,000 pounds at 67 to 77 cents per pound, but we understand this firm rejected bids on about 700,000 pounds.

The fall wool clip is now coming in rapidly to the warehouse here, being already about 60,000 pounds stored, and shearing still under way. It is estimated that the wool clip his fall which will come to the warehouse will amount to about 100,000 pounds.

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Governor Signs Bill to Aid Schools

Austin, Texas, Oct. 10.—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson will not reconvene the Thirty-Ninth Legislature for a special call session, she advised friends late Friday. She will sign the $3,500,00 appropriation to the public school fund in order that the per capita apportionment will be increased from $11.50 to $14, and the schools will have long terms and the teachers will receive commensurate salaries, she told her friends.

Gov. Ferguson and her husband former Gov. Mouse R. Ferguson expressed regret to a number of their supporters that the called session did not pass the gasoline tax to insure additional revenue for the schools and the Highway Department, but said that for the school children of Texas Mrs. Ferguson would sign the appropriation bill.

Well Patronized.

The Tarpley Parent-Teachers Association Home Economics Club requests the New Era to extend thanks to all who so liberally patronized their box supper at Tarpley last Friday night. The proceeds realized amounted to $55.40, which will be used for school purposes. Twenty-nine boxes, two cakes, a basket of fruit and vegetables, and also ice cream and cake were sold to a large crowd. The P. T. A. and the Three H. Club are grateful to all who helped to make the box supper a success, especially to Mr. Willie Sprott for the assistance he rendered.

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SATURDAY.

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Lunch.
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c. Response by Mrs. F. O. Watrous.
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e. Special Song by Mrs. R. N. Hicks.
f. Finding Our Place in the Work, By Mrs. C. H. Mansfield.
g. How to Develope Workers. Round table discussion led by Mrs. C. H. Richerson.
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i. Plan of Work for Year, by President.
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Those people in the world who are industrious and are working at something constructive and worth while are, speaking generally, content. We hear a great deal in those modern times of dissatisfaction, discontent and so-called unhappiness. This feeling is contagious and is acquired by many who would otherwise be contented if it were not for the great army of malcontents in this country who "toil not neither do they spin" but give their time to spreading discontent. They may not do it maliciously or knowingly but a word here and there and by thousands throughout the whole country is quite a force. Make a practice of boosting others instead of discrediting them. Work has to be acquired by your own labors the things that others have that you would like to have, instead of sitting by idly and expressing envy to the public. If our cerities were sincere and would give a constructive remedy for faults they find and if all criticisms were offered by those who practice industry this would be a far more pleasant world to live in and contentment would be universal. And another fairy story that could be rue except for human nature; all each of us can do is our part.—Anonymous.

Two Taylor ladies were badly bitten by as many dogs on one day this week. This reminds us that a good citizen in Williamson county a short time ago asked if it would be possible to impress upon the members of the State legislature the importance of doing something to eradicate the dog evil. This particular gentleman is a sheepman and stated that stray dogs or rather "hungry" dogs belonging to people who would not feed them" had killed during the past two years fully forty head of his fine sheep and goats. Other raisers suffer equally as much as he, for many have reported these losses from time to time. Another sin of these dogs is he running down and killing of deer. This has also been reported. Under the law an owner is responsible for his dog and it is a violation of law to kill deer out of season, so it might be that a good stiff fine placed on an owner of two would help some in this connection. However the question of ownership and responsibility for dogs is a serious one. An hundred ease of men and women and especially children being bitten by rabid dogs have been reported in these columns this year and that alone is sufficient to cause legislative consideration. The killing of stock by a band of blood-thirsty and hungry dogs is another incentive for action. A blanket tax of ten or fifteen dollars per head with a graduated increase for line ones, might be the solution. Whatever the remedy is it should be applied. The danger of one child being the victim of the terrible malady of rabies is another sufficient cause for action.—Georgetown Sun.

100,000 Pounds New Pecans Wanted

For shipment on or before October 25th, in car load lots or less delivered at San Antonio or at your nearest R. R. station. Quote price or write for offer.—Southwestern Hide & Fur Co., 828-830 Buena Vista St., San Antonio, Texas.

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About Dancing

Some of our exchanges are devoting space to the question of newspapers carrying advertisements for dances and moving picture shows. If the advertisements are decent we can them in this paper as we run other advertisements that our readers pay for. Since the country existed there has been dancing and for us to announce a dance is no worse than the Bible has announced for it states that when the prodical son returned home they gave him a barbecue and a dance. We don't believe in the way some dances are conducted. There is drinking by the young people that is wrong. But we are not saying that this occurs at all dances and that many splendid people do not dance. In fact, at the annual ball we it looks to us like a great part of Texas' leading people, both men and women, participated and the same in every state, we suppose.

There are so many things that appear to us to be more important if we could reform. One church may condemn dancing and another of the same denomination say nothing and perhaps they may use funds furnished by the sale of refreshments to the dancers. Another may be selling moving picture tickets through the week for a show Sunday night. Perhaps some of its members may be guilty of gambling for prize packages drawing for prizes at raffles and so on. Yes, there are lots of inconsistencies when we come to denouncing dancers, patrons of moving pictures and gambling. If a Christian gets the right idea of righteousness these things will not trouble him. However, while the preacher is denouncing these common failings, let him take a shot once in a while at some of the commandments such as stealing, bearing false witness, murder and covetousness. The Bible does not condemn dancing or looking at pictures by name, but it is very emphatic in saying that a man who does not love his brothe is a liar and headed for hell. It is also very plain on selfishness, self praise, unkindness, lack of charity and many other common Christian virtues. Yes, there is so much mentioned very specifically that should be done in every day life but which is sadly neglected. Christianity is a big subject and not everyone that has a name on a church roll qualifies.—Uvalde Leader-News.

Frio County Fair.

The Sixth Annual Frio County Fair to be held at Pearsall from Oct. 20 to 23rd, inclusive, according to reports reaching us, is to be the largest Fair ever staged in this section.

Splendid exhibits of livestock, poultry, etc, will be shown, and it is expected that this community will be represented with a good share of the finest.

The racing program will feature some of the best horses in this section. Every fan should be present to see the tape pulled and follow his favorite through the entire number of races.

Football will be played three days of the Fair. The snappy Pearsall team will play Devine on the 21st and Poteet on the 23d. Pleasanton and Cotulla are slated to match strength on Friday the 22nd. Football fans from Bandera should see this splendid array of youth during the Frio Fair.

For the children the directors of the Frio Association have arranged a gorgeous display of fire works. This will also be interesting to the grown ups. And if you have not had the pleasure of witnessing an aerial bombardment of the "starry sky," see fullisad of cracking, bursting, whizzing rockets, at Pearsall Friday night, the 22nd.

The GIG FREE barbecue, band concerts, exhibits and other features assures you of your money's worth. Let's all go!

Real Estate Wanted.

I desire to secure a listing of Bandera county ranch and farm lands. I am in the real estate business at Nixon and have frequent calls for Bandera county lands.—E. J. Pennell, Real Estate and Loans, Nixon, Texas.

Old Time Dance.

An old time dance will be given at the Fair Exhibit Hall, Mansfield Park, on Thursday night, November 11, Armistice Day. Old time dancing, old time fiddle music, old time good time. Keep the date in mind, and take that old sweetheart of bygone years, if she is now your wife, and dance like you used to dance in the good old days.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS—ESTATES OF DECEDENTS.

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To All Persons Interested in The Estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford, Deceased, B. F. Langford, Jr., has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Administration upon the Estate of said Mrs. I. B. Langford, Deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in October, A. D. 1926, the same being the 18th day of October, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this 3rd day of September A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk, County Court, Bandera County, Texas.
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J. B. Wright, Administrator of the Estate of John T. Wright, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. T. Wright numbered 406 on the Probate Docket of Bandera County, together with an application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Bandera you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the October Term 1926, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the Town of Bandera on the 18th day of October A. D. 1926, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the Town of Bandera this 27th day of September A. D. 1926.

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By W. R. Fletcher Deputy.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, Oct. 15th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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Mrs. Annie E. Brown was born in Tullahatchie, Pontotoc Parish, Louisiana, in 1838. Her father was a slave-holder and owned an interest in a steamboat. Then in the year 1840 her mother died. She was four years old. Her father died three years later She received her education in a plantation home, having private tutors who taught English, arithmetic, reading, writing, reading, French and music. Public schools in the South at that time were few and scarce and poorly attended, hence people keeding tutors or sending to boarding schools.

When she was eighteen years old she went to live with relatives in Alexandria, La. While at Alexandria she met Mr. Brown who was a native of Kentucky. In 1856. At this time Mr. Brown was a clerk in a 5¢ dollar house in the evenings, but growing tired of the work and the country being in a state of turmoil and on the verge of a war, they decided to go to California. When they reached Austin they learned that they could not go to California via El Paso on account of hostile Indians. They rested in Austin a few days where Mrs. Brown stayed for about five months, while Mr. Brown went to San Antonio to seek employment.

While Mrs. Brown was waiting in her room a stranger suddenly appeared and addressed her in German. She replied she could not talk German. However, He then offered in such and sold English as "I can talk as good English as you." Mrs. Brown thought he was crazy and went to call for her landlady and returned to find the stranger down her baby with a knife in his hand. He just stood, with the mission of life and death angels for God." Her landlady answered and said, "You cannot make angels unless you have wings." Then the stranger told her he was engaged in selling the escaped and hid in an arroyo, and not finding them he went on to the post and towards a San Antonio. It was learned later that he was caught and sent back to the insane asylum and died there.

While living in Austin at the Free river, Mr. Brown became acquainted with a Mr. Woodward who owned a place on the Medina right miles from Castroville. Mr. Brown went there, where they were able to exchange corn, meal and other products for provisions and dry goods.

Later Mr. Brown rented a farm with some German boys but they became discontented and moved to Dunlap. Here Mrs. Brown was near that of "Big Foot" Wallace, and they became fast friends. One morning after Mr. Brown had made a trip to San Antonio, one of their neighbors came over, saying his horse had gotten away. Mr. Brown went with him to get the horse but found the night before, and a short distance from the house they found a mule with three arrows sticking in his body. Later they never found the horses for the Indians had taken them away.

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Times became dull, and Mr. Brown, failing to secure work in San Antonio went to Fort Worth, Texas, where he was stricken with typhoid fever, and died.

On November 25, 1876, she and her children started to Bandera during a "norther." Times were very hard at first, but the 1880's and 90's Mrs Brown was engaged to take care of a Mrs Ellis who was and invalid. The following spring she was employed at the Maverick ranch, where she remained three years. From here she went to San Antonio to nurse. Some of the doctors she nursed under during her 30 years of nursing were Dr. Hertf, Dr. Cupples, Dr. Jones and Drs. Kingsley. She made several trips to Boerne to nurse, going by the old stage coach. She also nursed in Kerrville under Dr. Palmer. While nursing in Del Rio she was in a terrific storm, which wrecked a new Episcopal church and severely damaged it. While caring for her patients during the storm, Mrs. Brown discovered her back, which she received in nursing for "Apostles' Clock," while in Boerne. From there they went to Austerlahn, a beautiful city at the foot of the Alps. Here they spent two months. Upon learning that Mr. Terrell was to be transferred to Russia, she asked to be released so that she could return home. After returning and remaining in Bandera for some time, she the went to Eagle Pass to do nursing, and made several trips into Mexico. On one of her trips to Monclova she was in a rail road wreck, but escaped uninjured.

Growing tired of nursing, she returned to Bandera county to take care of her cattle and follow the occupation once more. Mrs Brown has seen Southwest Texas and Bandera county change from a wilderness to a land of cultured people who own automobiles take the place of the prairie schooners, has lived through five wars, including the great World War, and has seen the changes the women owed to hand, but Mrs. Brown was among the few fortunates—she had a right to vote. There she was also raised in the open fire place.

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Sheriff Henry Stevens visited the Sabinal Canyon region Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. F. Adams, of Medina, is driving a new Ford touring car purchased from the Paine Motor Co., through the Lee Ranger agency.

T. E. Wilson, of Crossville, Tennessee, is here on a visit to his brother-in-law, W. J. Davenport, Sr. This is Mr. Wilson's first visit to Bandera, and he is delighted with our picturesque Hill Country. In company with Mr. Davenport he visited the New Era ranch yesterday.

If you want quilt cotton, get it at the gin Friday.—Farmers' Gin.

Get your school supplies at Bruce's Store.

Carl Banta was here from Medina Monday on business.

Mrs. C. W. Harris, of Medina, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Chisum Tuesday.

S. O. Durst, game warden of Kimble county, was here from Junction the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young and infant daughter were here from Helotes Tuesday and paid us an appreciated visit.

Mark Ellis, of Utopia, was the guest of T. S. Dennis Monday night. Mr. Ellis was returning home from a business trip to Coleman.

Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Bandera Methodist church, will attend Annual Conference, which meets at San Angelo next week.

Col. Scott Coffey came over from Tarpley and spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Gerauld Wright. Col. Coffey paid us an appreciated visit Monday.

R. F. Power last week purchased the small Bottrill cottage near the school building, now occupied by Mrs. E. B. Little. Consideration, $1000.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Dowdy and son J. Y. moved to Kerrville last week to reside. We regret to lose this good family, but hope they will do well in our neighboring town.

A dance will be given at Adams Hall in Medina Saturday night, October 23rd. Foster's Collegians will furnish the music. Everybody invited to come and have a good time.

Chas. Rizk went to San Antonio Sunday to visit his sister, Ivy Rizk Ross, who is quite seriously ill with pneumonia in a hospital there. Mrs. Ross' many friends here hope she will soon recover.

Why pay more. Liberty Life Assurance society transfer assurance, the kind YOU want, at cost. For particulars write Joe L. Talley, District Organizer, Christine, Texas. Pays if you live; pays if you die.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones (Gertrude) a girl. Which accounts for that happy sounding response you get when you call Central over the telephone system in this section of the country. Mr. Jones will be the happy father all of the time now to tell folks about the new daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper have returned from San Antonio where they went last week to be with their daughter, Mrs. Audrey Leibweber who underwent an operation. We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Leibweber is making good recovery and has been taken to Dallas by Mr. Harper who is also a brother of Mrs. Sam Dennett, who was injured by a street car in San Antonio last week, is also making good recovery.

The Epworth League Presents in

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And Assistants

In a well arranged program of Expression Numbers, Piano, Violin, and Vocal Selections.

Saturday Night, October 23rd

At the High School Auditorium

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A. L. MANSFIELD.
JOHN S. ATKINS.

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. MARK McBRYDE.
BERNARD E. DICKE.

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
HENRY STEVENS.
ELVIES HICKS.

For Tax Assessor:
J. E. CHISUM.

For County Treasurer
MRS. JOHN F. HODGES.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
TOM J. ANDERWALD.
HERMAN HARPER.
ANTON PYKA.
F. R. CAFFALL.
R. C. BOULDS.
KASPER DUGOS.
Chas. L. SCHMIDTKE, Jr.
J. R. PRUE.

For County Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
JOHN L. EDWARDS.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
J. V. PORTER.
G. M. FOSTER.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
R. L. MORRIS.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
J. A. BROWN.
HERMAN HARPER.

John H. Rose left Monday for San Antonio where he will spend several weeks in the government hospital.

Willie Bandy, of Hondo, and Miss Lorraine King of Somerset were the guests of Will Bettz and family last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Snelling, of San Antonio, visited Mr. Snelling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Snelling, last week.

There will be a social at Mossy Creek school house Friday night, October 26th, for the benefit of the school. Everybody invited. Everybody invited.

A. W. Mayfield and Charlie Bell have returned from Marfa. Monday on business. Mr. Mayfield has just recently returned from Igualasco where he spent several months.

Mrs. John F. Hodges is visiting her son, R. M. Hodges, at Hatboro this week. Mrs. Hodges will go to Houston to attend the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star, which convenes there next Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buchelew and two of their little daughters were here from Bluff last Thursday on route to San Antonio on business. Friend John dropped in and advanced his New Era subscription Spaces another notch.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hewsell Lewis will be pleased to know that they have again located in Bandera, having returned here two or three weeks ago from Uvalde, where they have been living the past two or three years.

Mrs. R. G. Ferguson writes from New Braunfels, Mo., to ask us to change the address of the New Era from Sedalia, to them there, while Mr. Ferguson has a good position. She says they greatly enjoy the weekly visits of the little old home paper.

Mrs. C. Y. Billings will return the first of the week from San Antonio. She is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. L. L. De Lamore. While in San Antonio Mrs. Billings underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils, which have been troubling her for some time.

Fred Whisenhunt returned Monday from Gonzales, where he attended the Gonzales county fair. He took along several of his fine rams which were prize winners, as usual, and which he sold while there. Mr. Whisenhunt says the Gonzales fair was one of the best he ever attended.

J. A. Hicks and Sylvester Mazurek care over from Utopia last Thursday to bring their wool and mohair to the warehouse. Mr. Hiks called to see us while here and renewed his subscription to Frontier Times and the New Era. He says he is keeping "batch" on the ranch now, while Mrs. Hicks stays in Utopia to send the children to school. Another report he made was that a fine three-inch rain fell at his ranch and helps to put range in fine shape.

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October 23rd

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Attend a Reunion at the Hondo School Auditorium next Saturday night. Under auspices Epworth League.

W. J. Davenport, Sr. [illegible] was the guest of his brother, W. J. Davenport, Sr., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cole, Sr., Byler and Miss Cole, of San Antonio, were the guests of Col. Walter Goeth and family several Sprngs ranch.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

San Antonio Light

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Light and the San Antonio Daily and Sunday editions at Bruce's Drug Store.

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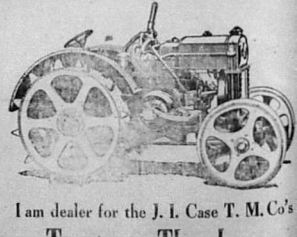

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mills arrived last week from Alfred, Texas. Mrs. Mill is spending a while with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Prue, while Mr. Mills attends a trip to the San Angelo country.

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Come to Bandera county if you are looking for a location. Fine climate, good water, timber, good people, schools and churches, and healthful.

The Bandera New Era

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BULLETIN
November 2 is election day. Voters in Bandera precinct are reminded that this precinct has been divided, and has two polling places.

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MEDINA.

Miss Lela Keese, who teaches near Junction, visited homefolks last week.

J. C. Gallant and Rev. M. P. Burton are attending Annual Conference at San Angelo.

The Intermediate Class of the M. E. Sunday School enjoyed a social at Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mayfield's last Friday night. Everybody enjoyed the evening very much.

Mrs. C. D. Wyatt was pleasantly surprised last Friday afternoon when a number of her friends came to celebrate her birthday. Her daughter, Mrs. Judith Baker, served delicious refreshments of cake and punch. Those present were: Mrs. F. P. Layton, Mrs. R. E. Moore, Mrs. C. W. Harris, Mrs. B. F. Collins, Mrs. E. Tallman, Mrs. O. W. Livingston, Mrs. Dock Stokes, Mrs. Wm. McMahon, Mrs. Bonnett, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Ben Baker, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. Mayfield, Mrs. Kelly. Many useful presents were received.

The P. T. A. will serve lunch at the hall Election Day, Nov. 2. There will be fun and something worth while for the little folks. Everybody invited.

There will be a meeting at the school house Thursday night Oct. 28, to make plans for purchasing Adam's Hall for a community house. Everybody come.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Coose and little sons, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Felder and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whitaker and Harold Phillips of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Miller and children, of Fredericksburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Val Click Sunday.

Sam Sutton and Louis Sutton took a load of mutton goats to San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hillman spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman last week, leaving Saturday for San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese and family visited Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Keese Sunday.

Every one enjoyed the party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. X. N. Mayberry last Friday night.

TARPLEY NEWS

Mr and Mrs. Charley Boran visited our school last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright and son and nephew of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cravey the past few days.

Mrs. Graves is spending a few days here.

Ivy Smith has gone to San Antonio to accept a position there.

Mr and Mrs. Aubrey Davenport and children attended the dance given at Julius Marquis' last Monday night.

Misses Iris and Myra Strawn and Florence Emery of Hondo, was the guests of Mrs. Strawn Sunday.

Ernest Riley made a trip to Hondo Saturday.

Tater Riley and Miss Iris Strawn, Lena Dean and Miss Myra Strawn and Miss Florence Emery went to Hondo Sunday.

Mr. Kircheoff went to Bandera Monday.

Mr. Alsten is spending awhile with his daughters, Mrs. J. W. Glass and Mrs. Billings.

Misses Irma Mesch, Clara Purvis and Elmer Guildner of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mesch and Mr and Mrs. Ben Purvis Saturday and Sunday.

Died at Center Point.

Mrs. Lee Wharton died at her home in Center Point last Sunday night. Mrs. Wharton was well known to many of the people of this section, she having been raised at Medina. Before marriage she was Miss Ruth McDonald. She was highly esteemed by all who knew her. Surviving are her husband and four little children, the youngest being an infant only a few days old.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Watkins and W. J. Brown, of San Antonio, were here yesterday and paid this office an appreciated visit. Mr. Watkins is district manager for the Security Benefit Association and was on his way to Medina to look after the interests of the order. He informs us that he will soon obtain a series of motion pictures of the order's Home and Hospital and other institutions for showing at Medina.

Clifton Dubose and Clinton Tumlinson, popular young swains of San Antonio, spent Sunday in Bandera.

Lee Mansfield has closed his meat market and we understand he will move to Tarpley to engage in ranching.

Armistice Dance.

James Cox announces an Armistice Dance at Cox Hall on Thursday night, November 11. Foster's Collegians will furnish the music.

In Unity There Is Strength

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Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers Association

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Mrs. Ivy Rugh Bass.

Mrs. Ivy Rugh Bass died at a hospital in San Antonio last Saturday morning of pneumonia after an illness of only a few days. Funeral services were conducted in San Antonio Sunday afternoon by Rev. Paul B. Kern, pastor of the Travis Park Methodist church after which the remains were brought to Bandera for interment in Bandera cemetery, Rev. B. J. Gossett conducting the service at the grave.

Mrs. Bass, nee Miss Ivy Rugh, was born in Bandera October 8, 1864, and was raised here. For a number of years she was a teacher in Bandera schools, and for the past 21 years she was a teacher in the San Antonio public schools. She was married to C. W. Bass, who died in 1895. She is survived by one brother, Charles Rugh of Bandera, and one sister, Mrs. M. R. Huffmeyer of San Antonio.

The news of the death of this good woman came as a great shock to her many friends in Bandera, for she was known and loved by all of our people. Although she made her home in San Antonio, where she was actively engaged in teaching, she often visited Bandera, where she was always treated of a cordial welcome. Her whole life was one of usefulness and service for others, and she will long be remembered kindly by those who knew her and loved her. To the bereaved brother and sister the New Era extends condolence and sympathy in this hour of their great sorrow.

Holds Interesting Meeting.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church held a very interesting and enjoyable session last Thursday at the Methodist church. The following delegates were present: Mrs. Fritz Stiegler, Mrs. Robt. Moerner, Mrs. L. H. Herpich, Mrs. L. H. Heyen, all of New Fountain; Mrs. E. R. Tallman, Mrs. B. P. Collins, Mrs. D. O. Tallman, Mrs. Walter Hees, and Mrs. Emma Hammond of Medina; and Mrs. P. A. Bode of Castell; Mrs. Wiley Meadows, Mrs. T. E. Dennis, Mrs. J. W. Short, Mrs. C. C. White, Mrs. B. J. Gossett, Mrs. Dave Cox, Mrs. Claud Stevens, Mrs. Orville Surber, and Rev. B. J. Gossett of Bandera.

At noon a basket lunch was enjoyed on the river.

Turkey Dressing Plant.

The New York Buyers Association will open their dressing plant in Bandera next Monday, November 1st. This firm has a half page advertisement in this issue which you will do well to read, as instructions are given therein how to market your turkeys. The firm, as usual, will pay highest market prices for turkeys. Each season the New York Buyers maintain a dressing plant, here, and have provided a market right here at some for the fowls. Their trucks will call at your farm or ranch, weigh the turkeys and pay you right on the spot, which is a great convenience to the turkey raisers. Be sure to read their advertisement.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Celebrates 78th Birthday.

Col. John A. Head celebrated his 78th birthday last Monday, and Mrs. Head prepared a splendid Birthday dinner, which was greatly enjoyed by Robert Chipman and family, Mrs. Mattie Jones, Mrs. Howe, and Colonel and Mrs. Head. We congratulate our good friend on attaining this good age. He is in splendid health and bids fair to round out many more useful years.

Road Maintenance.

After a cessation of maintenance work on the highway for several weeks, Foreman Joe G. Callahan again has his crew of workers on the job and is repairing the road bed between Pipe Creek and San Antonio, and also between Bluff and Kerrville. The rains of the past few days washed off the surface and the grader is being used to remove the ridges and places. Some good work has also been done on our streets traversed by the highway.

Chicken Dinner.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will serve a chicken dinner at the Wright Building on next Tuesday, Election Day. Fifty cents per plate. Proceeds go to the Public School. All patrons who have not been solicited and wish to help, are requested to phone Mrs B. F. Langford, Jr., or Mrs. Orville Surber.

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by writing a clean, crisp individual check whenever you pay out money.

—There's an extra measure of satisfaction in paying by checks if your checks bear the name of this sound, friendly, highly regarded bank. We'll welcome your account!

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Delightful Dance.

A dance was given at the home of Wesley Crist Saturday night in honor of Miss Ethel McCarthy. Music was furnished by Virgil McCarthy and Eugene George. Supper of barbecued meat, pickles bread, cake and coffee was served to the guests.

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs. Wesley Crist and children, Mr. and Mrs. Claud McCarthy and little son, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Saul, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pickens and little daughter and Miss Frank Bean and children, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crist, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCarthy, Eugene George, Mrs Ed. Palmer and little son, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Heinen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Edwards and little son, Mr. and Mrs. John Heinen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Schott Mrs. Fred Schupbach and baby, Misses, Hazel, Nina and Inez Heinen, Lois Cole, Georgia and Willie Mae Cox, Ethel McCarthy, Odessa White, and Lois Heinen. Messrs Milton Leibold, Orville McCarthy, Howard Schott, Arthur Pickens, Lester Heinen, Aaron Weed, Calvin Woods, Frank and Lane Langford, Harmon and Thomas Smith, Edwin Vawter, Cecil and Herman Noah, David Pepper, Aylor Callahan and Ed Heinen.

Delightful Social.

The social given at the Mason Creek school house last Friday night for the benefit of the school was a most delightful affair, and was attended by a large crowd. Ice cream, cake and pies were served, and the school cleared about $20 above all expenses. Mrs. Kate Wyatt, teacher of the Mason Creek school, this term arranged the social and directed the program.

When Opportunity Knocks at Your Door

How many men have been forced to pass up real opportunities on account of financial unpreparedness? Begin now to prepare yourself for YOUR opportunity. Start a Bank account—add to it systematically—draw interest on it—and then you will be able to grasp that opportunity when it comes to YOU.

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Birthday Celebration

Mrs. A. M. Lane, one of our pioneer mothers, celebrated her 74th birthday last Sunday, and in her honor a sumptuous birthday dinner was spread at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Leonard in San Antonio. Present on this occasion were Mrs. A. M. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scheide, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schuchardt, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Coker, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barfield, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Villemain, Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane, Mrs. Mamie Edwards, Mrs. Dove Clark, Mrs. Joe Stein, Clint Coker, Alice Clark, Jewell Langford, George Lane, Billie Slawson, Joe Clark, Fred Schuchard, Clarence Clark, Leslie Lane, children, grandchildren and other relatives of the venerable mother. The 12-pound birthday cake was made by Mrs. Gid Lane of Bandera, and was appropriately decorated. Many beautiful and useful presents were given to Mother Lane by her children and grandchildren, and all honor was paid to her on this happy occasion. The New Era joins in wishing her many more such joyous birthdays.

Takes Charge of Shop.

Oscar Perner has taken charge of the C. C. White blacksmith shop next to Boyle's store, and will install additional equipment to take care of the needs of the public. Oscar is a first class mechanic and will give his patrons good service.

Undergoes an Opration.

Mrs. Neal W. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Faris, underwent a serious operation at a hospital in San Antonio last Monday. Her many friends here hope she will make good recovery and soon be restored to health.

Visitors at Col. Walter Goodkin's Spilwood Springs Ranch last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Anton Brashe and little daughter, Helen, Mrs. Eva Smith, Henry Carlock, Mrs. Concha Gonzales and little grand daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Alford, all of San Antonio. A big dinner was served by Mrs. Goodkin and her charming daughter, Miss Juanita. The guests were very much pleased with the generous hospitality of this delightful home.

Mit Nichols, of Mason, has leased the Polly Rodriguez place on Privilege and will move here soon. Mr. Nichols is a brother to Mrs. C. Y. Billings of this city, and we cordially welcome him to our midst.

Tip to Mason.

Last Friday the New Era editor and daughter, Miss Rachel Hunter, went to Mason, returning home Sunday afternoon. While in Mason we were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Will Birkenbach, our relatives. We met many of our old friends, many we had not seen in twenty-five years, and we fully enjoyed the opportunity of our stay there. Mason is steadily building, and improvements are noticeable on every hand. A modern 100-room tourist hotel is now being talked and it is expected that a company will be organized right away to construct it. We are gathering data for a pioneer hisory of Mason county which we expect to publish within the next few months, and we repeat to spend considerable time in Mason while compiling it.

May Write Name on Ballot.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 26—A voter may mark out all the names printed on the official general election ballot for any particular office, and write in the name of any person he may care to vote for, the Attorney General's Department Tuesday advised F. H. Alexander, Dallas County judge.

Other points set forth in the letter written by L. C. Sutton, Assistant Attorney General, follow:

"If a voter marks out all names that are printed on the official ballot for any office and writes in the name of a person in two or more precincts, the name should be counted one time for the person voted for; where a person's name appears more than one time on the ballots of persons writing the name of some person more than one time, this is equivalent to voting for one person one time, and the vote should be counted for him regardless of political party; if the voter mispells the name of a person, the election judges will do the best they can in ascertaining what person was voted for.

"The intention of the voter is what governs, and if his intention can be ascertained from the ballot, the vote should be counted accordingly," Sutton wrote. "All of the foregoing is in keeping with the doctrine which is well settled that the pursose of our election is to ascertain the will of the voter and a ballot is to be interpreted just as any other written instrument with a view of giving effect to the intention of the voter if possible.

"Of course if the ballot is so confused or mutilated that the intention is not expressed, then there is nothing to do but throw out the ballot."

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DON'T Tie their wings.
DON'T Load large and small turkeys together.
DON'T Load loose in wagon or truck bed; have partitions.
DON'T Overcrowd your load, and above all things
DON'T Crowd your turkeys in a space they can't stand in. This kind of loading damages more turkeys than anything else.
DON'T Catch with dog or shoot.
PAY ATTENTION to these Don'ts. You will have fewer number twos and get more money.

When Marketing Sell only your large fat turkeys. Keep the late hatched, undersized ones at home; these will develop for the Christmas trade, bring you full price. besides help the market. Use good sense in marketing and you are sure of good prices for this year's crop even though reports indicate a good crop over the entire United States and Canada.

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What Was It?

The father had come to the commencement exercises and the son was showing him the students.

"See that heavy set fellow by the pump?" said the boy as they passed through the campus.

"Yes, who's he?" responded the father with commendable curiosity.

"He's our champion football kicker; and the one he's talking to leads the record in baseball."

"Ah! And who's the tall chap with latern jaws"

"That's our champion tennis player. Nobody in the state can swing a racket in the same atmosphere he does."

"Proud of him, I suppose," ventured the father.

"You bet we are, and so we are of the dark haired fellow down by the gate. He's our crack oarsman and bat all around g'mnast." Rare combination but he's a corker, is Jimmie," and the son threw a kiss to Jimmie

"By the way," inquired the father, "who is the valedictorian of the class this year?"

The son looked at the father questioningly.

"Valedictorian?" he asked with a puzzled look.

"Yes, valedictorian' repeated the father.

"And what's that, I'd like to know!" came from the son next, and the father went right down to the first train and got on board.—Detroit Free Press

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POSTED NOTICES

POSTED—All pastures owned by Sid Stevens & Brothers are posted. No trapping, hunting, or any kind of trespassing allowed therein.—Sid Stevens.

POSTED—No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing in my pastures will be allowed. All trespassers will be prosecuted.—F. E. Whisenhunt.

POSTED—Spicewood Springs Ranch lands are posted. No hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing allowed. You are hereby warned to keep out.—Walter Golkin.

POSTED—Trespassers are warned to keep out of my pasture on Privilege Creek. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed therein.—C. H. Briant.

POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Seckatz pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden. Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

POSTED—All of my pastures on West Verde Creek are posted, and hunting, trapping, and all other trespassing therein is forbidden. You are warned to keep out.—Mrs. Booker Davenport. 2m.

Interest in Spelling

Austin, Texas, Oct. 26—Proof that he spelling contest is one of the most popular sponsored by the University of Texas Interscholastic League is had in plent when it becomng known that 175,000 copies of the spelling lists have been sent to the schools of the state. The county directors of spelling forwarde all 100 per cent papers to the League headquarters a' the University where they are regraded and certificates awarded for all perfect papers.

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Working Their Way.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 26—Of the 4,710 stuents in the University of Texas at the present time, 2,310 are earning all or part of their expenses, figure from the office of the registrar reveal. In other words, nearly half of the members of the student body contribute to their own support. Of this number, 1928 are men and 382 are women students. Moreover, 979 men students and 205 women are entirely self-supporting.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, Nov. 19th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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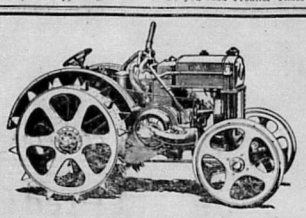

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BULLETIN

Football Game at Mansfield Park, Thursday, November 11, Armistice Day. Doerne vs. Comfort. Game starts at 2 p. m. Old time dance at night.

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MEDINA.

Miss Abbie Brashear, who is teaching at Hunt, spent several days with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lawson have bought the meat market from O. F. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Stokes have bought the Confectionery.

P. L. Medford is very sick. He has been sick over a week, and wasn't any better at the last report.

Mrs. Walter Rees went to San Antonio to stay awhile with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Tallman left for Raymondville where they will spend several months.

A surprise friendship party was tendered Miss Fannie Adams and a birthday surprise for Mrs. Ernest Adams at the home of Mrs. Henry Adams last Thursday afternoon. Refreshments of punch and cake were served. Music by Mrs. Layton and a music contest by all present. The gifts were appropriate and useful. The following were the guests. Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Ed Bauerlein, Mrs. Kirkland, Mrs. O. Russell, Mrs. W. F. Slaughter, Mrs. J. C. Collins, Jr., Mrs. J. C. Collins, Sr., Mrs. Dr. Adams, Mrs. P. F. Kenton, Mrs. C. W. Harris, Mrs. Frost Adams, Mrs. R. E. Moore, Mrs. E. J. Humphreys, Mrs. Henry Adams, Miss Fannie Adams, Mrs. Ernest Adams and Mrs. O. W. Livingston.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hittman, and Mrs. Woods and children, of San Antonio, visited relatives here Sunday. Mrs. Bartley returned home with them.

Mr and Mrs. O. D. Keese and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rieber and children visited relatives at Tarpley Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans visited Mr. and Mrs. Dee Evans last week. Miss Alta Evans returned home with them for a few days visit.

Grand Vaudeville.

Miss Gertrude Saynisch, the clever and popular impersonator, with her company of artists, will appear at the High School Auditorium on Friday night, November 12. This is an entertainment which will be worth while, and will furnish fun and pleasure for all who attend. Miss Saynisch comes highly recommended, and has appeared in various cities where she has been popularly received. Keep the date in mind.

R. N. Padgett was over from Tarpley last Saturday with wool for the warehouse. He reports everything looking good in his region.

VANDERPOOL

This portion of the country is receiving bountiful showers which keeps the small grain, weeds and grass in splendid growing condition.

The many friends of R. H. Thompson are delighted to learn of his doing so well since undergoing another serious operation. Grave concern was felt for him for some forty-eight hours afterwards.

Judge Eames, John Atkins and Andy Mansfield of Bandera were in this vicinity this week electioneering. All three were candidates for County Judge.

Mr. Riddle, the poultry buyer of Sabinal was in our midst the middle of the week, engaging turkeys for November and December markets.

Raymond and Tommie Massey and their wives were week-end guests of Roland Bullard and family of Leakey.

The ball game between Taylor and Vanderpool schools Friday afternoon on Vanderpool grounds was well attended and very interesting from start to finish. The score was 11 to 23, in favor of Vanderpool.

Several of the young folks assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Polvado Friday night and enjoyed several social hours at '42,' candy making and corn popping.

P. O. Love and O. M. Clayton leave Sunday for San Antonio to attend Federal Court.

A lovely birthday dinner was given at the W. W. Chisum residence Sunday, in honor of their son, Vol's, 16th birthday.

Delightful Social

Miss Ernestine Rohrbach entertained a number of her schoolmates with a party, Saturday night at her home near Pipe Creek. About ten o'clock cake and punch was served and was enjoyed by all. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rohrbach, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pickens, Mrs. Krause, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Newcomer, Mrs. Ed Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Odom and children, Joe Villemain, Misses Gertrude Edwards, Louise, Emily, and Elsie Villemain, Georgia Cox, Nettie and Bessie Krause, Annie Mae Rohrbach and Ella Cox. Messrs. Orville McCarthy, Herman and Cecil Noah, Melvin and Ray Babbitt, Joseph Villemain, Calvin Woods, Lester Heinen, Roland Thallman, Ona and Oren Weed, Edwin Vawter, Willie Schneider, Arthur Pickens, David Murray, Howard, and Woodrow Ruede, Howard Schott, Chester Krause, J. A. McKandles.

Fresh Oysters tomorrow, at Fred L. Cargove's Grocery.

Celebrates 78th Birthday.

Uncle John Pyka celebrated his 78th birthday at his home across the river last Sunday. While nothing had been said to him previously about a birthday celebration of any kind, Uncle John suspected that something was "in the wind" from certain signs in the kitchen of his home, but he kept mum. Sunday, when his children began to come in his suspicions were confirmed. A splendid dinner was spread at 4 o'clock on a long table in the dining room, and when it was announced Mr. and Mrs. Pyka were placed at the head of the table side by side, with the children and grandchildren and two or three invited friends at the sides of the table. It was a great feast with all kinds of tempting dishes ready for serving. Prominent on the table were two immense birthday cakes, the largest one adorned with 78 candles. Uncle John cut the cakes, and after the candles were lighted he was bidden to blow them out, and he did so with one blow. Following the feast Mr. Pyka was presented with a fine suit of clothes by his children, the presentation being made by J. Marvin Hunter, the New Era editor, on behalf of the children. All of Mr. and Mrs. Pyka's eleven children were present on this happy occasion to wish the venerable father many 'more birthdays. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Knapick, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Moran, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pyka, Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Pyka, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Pyka, Mrs. F. Franklin, Mrs. T. E. Gollihar, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brown, Ben Pyka, Gilbert Pyka, Gerrys Pyka, John Pyka, Jr., Misses Anna Pyka, Stella Pyka, Gladys Pyka, Violet Pyka, Lucille Pyka, and Cecilia Pyka, and J. Marvin Hunter and N. H. Rose were also there to wish Mr. Pyka many happy returns of the day.

After the feast, Mr. and Mrs. Pyka and their children were grouped together and Mr. Rose made a photograph of them. Both of the children and grandchildren were photographed.

Uncle John Pyka came to Bandera seventy years ago, and has remained right here during all of these years. Fifty years ago he was married, and he and his good wife only recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. They have raised a family of eleven children, most of whom live in San Antonio now, and these children occupy useful stations in life. Uncle John, as he is affectionately called by all who know him, has lived a quiet life, law-abiding and peaceable with his fellow man. He has been a good citizen of the community, and the New Era joins his hundreds of friends in the wish that he will be spared to us many more years.

Car Wreck.

Two Ford cars, one driven by Foster Howland and the other driven by Earl Jones, collided on the highway between town and Mansfield Park last Friday night. Both cars were considerably damaged, but the occupants escaped injury.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Football Next Thursday.

The game of football between Comfort and Boerne teams, to be played next Thursday afternoon at Mansfield Park, promises to be the big sporting event of the season. Both teams are composed of good players, and have been contesting for a victory for some time, but it seems that they have played to a tie each time. W. E. Mansfield, owner of Mansfield Park, is making preparations for the large crowd which is expected to be in attendance. The football game starts at 2 o'clock p. m. and after it is over a steer riding and roping contest will be staged. At night an old time dance will be given in the exhibit hall. Everybody welcome. You are invited to bring your supper and camp on the grounds. A hamburger stand will be in operation to supply those who do not bring supper.

Christmas Issue.

The New Era is planning to get out a big Christmas edition December 23rd. Within a few days our representative will call on the business firms of Bandera and submit styles and of the proposed edition. We hope every business firm in this town will be represented in its columns. Think over the matter and when our representative calls on you be ready to take liberal space in the big edition.

A Birthday Celebration.

The Baptist W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. J. M. Gentry, the president, on last Thursday, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the Margaret Fund, a fund given the Baptist women of the South maintain for the education of foreign missionaries' children. On entering each woman was presented with a streamer of white with the letters M. F. in lavender. The rooms were artistically decorated in the W. M. U. colors, lavender and white. After a splendid program, led by Mrs. Agnes Carroll, the guests were invited to enter the dining room to partake of delicious refreshments of cake and cocoa. On the table was a lovely birthday cake with the ten candles burning. A free will offering was made amounting to $5.00. Those present were: Mesdames R. N. Hicks, Agnes Carroll, H. G. Johnson, J. E. Chisum, J. H. Erwin, Billy Burns, J. Brewer, C. H. Mansfield, W. R. Fletcher, W. J. Davenport, Jr., L. Mansfield, F. M. Mansfield, J. R. Price, G. S. Lane, A. Meadows and J. M. Gentry.

Card of Thanks.

I am grateful to all of my friends who gave me such a flattering vote in my race for County District Clerk, and I take this means of extending my sincere thanks to one and all. I wish to assure them that I will do my best to discharge the duties of the office to which I have been elected in a manner satisfactory to all.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE

Veteran Amasa Clark, our 101-year-old Mexican War veteran, came in from his farm Tuesday to cast his vote for Congressman Claud Hudspeth.

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The Election

The election passed off quietly in Bandera county last Tuesday. The results are given in this issue of the New Era. Several changes were made in county officials. A. L. Mansfield was elected county judge over J. A. Eames and John S. Atkins, receiving a majority of 134 votes. Judge Mansfield defeated Judge Eames four years ago, and after serving two years was defeated last election by Judge Eames. Now Judge Mansfield goes into office again In the Sheriff's race Elvious Hicks defeated Henry Stevens, the present incumbent by 31 votes. Mr. Hicks ran for the office against Mr. Stevens two years ago, and lacked 31 votes of being elected. Now he comes in by 31 majority. In the County Clerk's race Mrs. Mark McBryde was elegted by a majority of 353 votes. Bernard E. Duke was her opponent.

J. E. Chisum was re-elected tax assessor, and Mrs. John F. Hodges was re-elected county treasurer, without opposition.

R. C. Boales, or Tarpley was elected county commissioner of Precinct No. 1, by a majority of 28 votes, defeating Anton Pyka, present incumbent, and two other aspirants. J. V. Porter was elected county commissioner of Precinc. No. 4, by a majority of 23 votes, defeating J. A. Hanson and C. M. Foster. R. L. Morris and John L. Edwards, commissioners of Precinct No. 2 and 3 respectively, were re-elected without opposition. Herman Harper was elected justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, defeating J. A. Bynum by 52 majority.

Haines, the republican candidate for governor, received about 1/3 of the votes cast. It is believed that all of the proposed amendments carried.

Picture Show at Medina

Mountain Council Security Benefit Association will give a picture show at Medina Thursday Friday and Saturday nights, November 11, 12 13, at Medina. Everett Briggs will furnish lights from his Westinghouse plant. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to come. Admission 35c and 35c. Prizes will be given selling the most season tickets. Good pictures will be shown and you will get the worth of your money. Remember the dates.

Election Returns

Showing Votes Received by Candidates who had Opponents

	Bandera	Medina	Tarpley	Lima	Tulf	Vanderpool	Taylor	Blackett	Pipe Creek	Total
For county Judge										
A. L. Mansfield	187	107	61	22	10	17	24	54	3	1486
J. A. Eames	175	54	10	35	6	9	30	23	6	4352
John S. Atkins	101	39	19	26	6	6	27	6	0	13	243
For Sheriff										
E. Hicks	184	138	53	46	3	12	44	63	4	2550
Henry Stevens	266	70	37	37	23	17	37	21	5	10	519
For County Clerk										
Mrs. Mark McBryde	271	137	66	36	23	28	66	75	4	9	716
Bernard Duke	179	66	36	46	3	1	11	8	5	8	363
For Commissioner Precinct No. 1										
R. C. Boales		69		63						132
T. J. Anderwald		93		16						109
Anton Pyka		100		4						104
Kasper Dagos		74		3						74
C. E. Schmidtke		44		4						48
Herman Harper		33		0						33
J. R. Price		20		0						20
F. R. Caffall		12		2						14
Justice of the Peace										
Herman Harper		204								
J. A. Brown		152								
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4.										
J. V. Porter								30	55		85
J. A. Hanson								37	25		62
G. M. Foster								15	5		20

Entertainment at Pipe Creek.

Last Friday night an entertainment and box supper was given by the Pipe Creek school. Despite the rainy weather, $28.25 was realized, which will be used for interior decoration of the school house. Judge J. A. Eames of Bandera and Mr. Hand of San Antonio delivered good talks on school lines, and everybody who attended greatly enjoyed the entertainment.

Mrs. W. S. Ethridge returned Monday from San Antonio where she spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Ira L. Wright. She reports a very delightful visit.

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Fine rains, and they came slowly and soaked into the ground, during this week. The small grain crop has a good start and the range will also be benefitted by the moisture.

Bandera county stockmen and farmers are enjoying the winter in splendid shape. Good range, plenty of feed stuff, and stock all in good condition. Old Bandera county cannot be surpassed any way.

Bandera will celebrate Armistice Day, by staging a football game at Mansfield Park next Thursday afternoon, followed by riding and roping contest, and an old time dance at the exhibit hall that night. Comfort and Boerne teams will play football, and there is considerable interest being taken in the outcome of the game, when these teams have tied in former contests.

The election is now over; the newly elected officers will take the oath of office early in January, and the old world will wag right along. You may feel disappointed because your favorite did not win, but think of his disappointment and cheer up. We have lost our vote several times and thought sure the country would go to the bow wows, but from some cause or other it didn't go, and really seemed to forge ahead. Let's talk about better roads and better schools now, until another election rolls around.

N. H. Rose, the photographer, came up from San Antonio Saturday and remained over Sunday with the New Era editor and family. Mr. Rose is a friend who "sticketh closer than a brother." In our early childhood days he was our playmate and companion; we went to school together, and thirty-six years ago when we broke into a printing office to learn the great "art preservative of all arts," Noah Rose worked right along with us for a few years. Later he forsook the printing office to take up photography, and business followed that game. For about fifteen years he operated a studio in Del Rio; he has made photos for thousands of people in all walks of life, from beggers to presidents, and is now engaged in collecting photos of notable frontier characters, and in that collection is to be found many old men and women who helped to make Texas history. In our home there is always a welcome for this tried and true friend, and his coming is always hailed with delight.

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"There is a Reason"

The kids of the town, without any regard whatever for the proprieties, proceeded to turn things wrong side out last Sunday night, playing Halloween pranks. When Gid Lane came down to his barber shop Monday morning he was surprised to find his place of business occupied by a bull calf bellowing for a shave; signs had been swapped around until it looked as if several of the business houses had moved quarters; a yard gate was seen dangling from the flag-pole at the school house, and many other signs bore evidence that the "ghosts" had been abroad while unsuspecting folks slept. No serious damage is reported however, and everybody seemed to take the pranks in good spirits. And this brings on a little meditation. Remember, old friend, how we, thirty-five or forty years ago, used to sneak out when Pa and Ma were in bed and dreaming of the golden future of their young hopefuls, us boys whom they expected to become preachers or presidents, how we would crawl out through a back window and join the waiting gang to go on just such a hoodlum raid. Perhaps it was a chicken roost, or a watermelon patch, or maybe it was a shindig over in the next neighborhood. Many a bit of deviment we got into that if the "old man" had ever suspected that we were into it you know how he would have called us out to the barn and with a brake-strap or a pair of bridle reins he would make us dance a step that would beat the Charleston or Black Bottom any time. Kids are pretty much the same now as they were then; they are full of deviment and mischeviness just the same as we were, and it keeps us guessing how to reform them. The elm switch, the bridle rein, the wet rope, have all gone the way of other modes of punishment and are now rarely used, but the kids do just as well without being beaten brutally. Sometimes, we may be tempted to resort to the old measures, but we don't, and that's that. Let them have a good time if they can, and later on in life they will get well paid for all the deviltment they do when they raise children of their own.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Paine, Jr. and daughter hurriedly departed for Houston last week in response to a message that Mr. Paine's mother had been seriously hurt in an automobile accident, and on arriving found his mother's leg was broken and otherwise bruised but not seriously hurt and her early and complete recovery is anticipated, in fact we are glad to state.—Boerne Star.

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A Bandera Girl.

The New Era is always proud of the achievement or accomplishment of any Bandera-raised boy or girl. This town has several boys and girls who have gone out into the world and made good and now occupy high places in the affairs of the State and Nation and in the commercial and professional world. Among these is Miss Eva Thallman, at present chief dietician in the General Hospital at Boston, Massachusetts. We have before us the printed program of the Ninth Annual Meeting of the American Dietetic Association, October 11, 12, 13, 1926, at The Ambassador Hotel, Atlantic City, New Jersey. Miss Thallman presided in the Education Section on October 13th, the third day of the meeting. In a letter to her sister, Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, she stated that she had a splendid time at the convention. She also visited New York and other places of note. Miss Thallman's many friends here will be pleased to know she is doing well in her New England home.

It all Depends on Whose "Ox is Gored"

The best way for a man to learn the disposition of the people of his town is to try publishing a newspaper.—McKinney Courier-Gazette.

One thing a newspaper man soon learns about folks is that they are inordinately selfish. If there is anything flattering to be said about them they like for newspapers to "play it on" lavishly; but let something come up that, for some fancied reason they do not care to see in print, and they are ready to use their "influence" to keep it out of the paper. Threat of withdrawal of patronage is a frequent weapon resorted to. A newspaper is not responsible for what takes place. If a person commits a crime and is arrested, or figures in an accident or in some other way shows up in the news, the newspaper is not responsible. A real newspaper is only a mirror reflecting the happenings of the community which it serves, and if a person's reflection appears in that mirror he or she is not to blame. Often requests to "please leave out my name" were acceded to, it would be a haggled sort of newspaper that would be printed, and if any person's name is used, by every reason of fairness, other folks names should be used likewise. One of the hardest things a newspaper man faces in that of refusing requests, especially of personal friends, not to print an item of news that for reason they fear—but he frequently has it to do.—Denton Record Chronicle.

The Tale of a Horse.

There once was a French scientist who bought a horse. Each day he reduced slightly the food given him. This progressed for several weeks and the experiment bid fair to be a great success, but just as the point was reached where no feed was given, the horse died.

We occasionally encounter an advertiser who seems to be trying this same old experiment. He has a thriving business which he has strengthened and built with a normal amount of advertising. However, his "feed bill" looks rather large and he begins the cutting down process. The business is strong and for a while goes along pretty well on its reduced advertising ration. The owner, just like the Frenchman is much pleased with himself—he has made a money-saving discovery. But we should remember that the laws of business are much like the laws of nature. The horse died, which points a moral which needs no comment. If you would be successful with your business do not emulate the tale of the horse.

L. J. Haby of Utopia has been laid up for several weeks with a very bad foot the result of being run over by a truck. He is now improving and hopes within a few more weeks to be able to be about again. He is an active man, having a ranch and other interests to take care of and this confinement is irksome to him but the only way to give his foot a chance to heal.—Uvalde Leader-News.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and you may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

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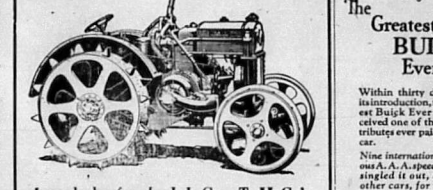

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Courtship in Church.

A young gentleman happening to sit in church in a pew adjoining one in which sat a young lady for whom he conceived a sudden and violent passion' was desirous of entering into a courtship on the spot; but the place not suiting for a formal declaration, the exigency of the case suggested the following plan: He politely handed his fair neighbor a Bible (open) with a pin stuck in the following text: Second Epistle of John, verse fifth—"And now I beseech thee, lady, not as though I wrote a new commandment unto thee, but that which we had from the beginning, that we love one another." She returned it, pointing to the second chapter Ruth verse tenth—"Then she fell on her face and bowed herself to the ground, and said unto him, 'Why have I found grace in thine eyes, that thou shouldst take knowledge of me, seeing that I am a stranger?'" He returned the book, pointing to the thirteenth verse of the Third Epistle of John—"Having many things to write unto you, I would not write with paper and ink, but I trust to come unto you, and speak face to face, that our joy may be full." From the above interview a marriage took place the ensuing week.

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VETERANS STILL NEED RED CROSS

Aid to Disabled Men Increases as Problems and Legislation Bring Complications.

20,000 MEN DIE EACH YEAR

Many Entitled to Benefits Still Uninformed of Just Claims to Compensation.

Eight years after the World War finds service to disabled veterans still a major responsibility of the American Red Cross.

This situation is due to the increasing problems involved and the complex character of veteran legislation. There is also an increase in numbers of "death cases" handled, as compared with claims for living veterans, though the work for the latter remains heavy. About 20,000 ex-service men are dying each year, a considerable percentage of these having service-connected disabilities.

In a majority of cases, Red Cross Chapters find their assistance is needed in helping dependents present their claims for death compensation, insurance payments, bonus, burial allowances, and other government benefits due them. An episode of the past year illustrates the difficulties frequently encountered by the Red Cross experts in rendering such assistance. A veteran dying from service-connected disease, was trying from his bedside to establish at that late time his claim for Government aid in his family, and the necessary proofs were in the soldier's records across the continent from him. To obtain the needed affidavits before it was too late, a cross-continent airplane flight was necessary, then a Red Cross Chapter in Pennsylvania hurried the investigation, papers were signed back to the veteran and his Red Cross helpers in Oregon, by air-mail. It reached there in time.

Another discovery in Red Cross assistance to veterans and their families is that many dependents of these men unquestionably entitled to Government aid, have struggled along, ignorant of their rights.

Approximately 1,634 Red Cross Chapters carry on Home Service work, in assistance to veterans and their families. The Chapters also conduct campaigns among veterans for enrollment and conversion of their term insurance. Among its other duties, the Red Cross maintains at the request of the Canadian Government the administration of a fund allotted to the care of Canadian disabled veterans living in the United States.

In the United States the Red Cross cares annually for about 80,000 disabled veterans and their families during the fiscal year, indicating the size of this undertaking. National Headquarters of the American Red Cross expended $1,641,274.18 on disabled veterans alone, and $509,481.73 on assistance to men on active duty in the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, while Red Cross local Chapters expended a total of $1,907,000. Red Cross assistance to service men overshadowed every other phase of its program, even its disaster relief, until the Florida hurricane.

Help for veterans covers many demands, from temporary aid until Government claims are adjusted or until the ex-soldier is properly hospitalized, to extending capital loans to well-situated veterans endeavoring to become self-supporting in business. Several such capital loans were to blind veterans.

Contact with veterans in hospitals is maintained by Red Cross personnel which doctors agree influences the veteran's welfare and improvement. Red Cross workers in hospitals seek to carry on social work in its hospitals for mental cases, and in many cases their services are called the Red Cross are co-operating for the welfare of the families of war disabilities. The public is invited to assist this work by joining the Red Cross during the Annual Roll Call, November 11 to 25.

ALWAYS AT WORK TO RELIEVE DISTRESS

Since 1905 the American Red Cross has given relief to 164 disasters in the United States alone. A year seldom passes without a major calamity due to tornado, earthquake, fire or flood. The Red Cross in each case has remained on the job until relief was completed.

Last year the Midwest tornado which struck five states was the outstanding relief operation by the Red Cross. The Florida hurricane in September created a problem which exceeded in proportions any disaster since the San Francisco fire.

By joining the American Red Cross every American can do his part to make his services continuously effective. The Annual Roll Call from November 11 to 25, this year, is your opportunity.

More than 43,000 nurses are enrolled in the American Red Cross. They are ever ready for emergency duty. Every American can do his share for humanity by joining the American Red Cross during the Tenth Annual Roll Call, November 11 to 25.

FLORIDA LEADS RELIEF RECORDS

Heads Major Disasters of 1926. Red Cross Active in 62 Emergencies in Year.

ALSO SERVES FOREIGN LANDS

Preparedness to Cope with Great Disturbances Gives Good Results in Action.

Facing one of the largest rehabilitation efforts of its whole history, as a result of the Florida hurricane, the American Red Cross already had behind it a record of service in 62 disasters at home, up to the close of the fiscal year, June 30, 1926.

When the hurricane struck Florida with such devastation and loss of life, the Red Cross National Headquarters was just congratulating itself that a year had passed without a major disaster within the borders of the country. The destruction in Florida has been tentatively estimated by Director of Disaster Relief Henry L. Baker, of the American Red Cross, in terms of relief work ahead of the organization. This takes into account all sufferers who must be cared for.

Careful surveys by experienced authorities place the injured at 4,000, exclusive of the stricken Gulf Coast cities of Moorehaven and Clewiston. Of the 1,200 injured sent to Miami hospitals, 500 were suffering with major fractures. In two other east coast communities, the injured numbered nearly 1,000. The homeless were conservatively estimated at 50,000. Such figures sketch only vaguely the human and material problems which the American Red Cross is still doing its utmost to solve.

For comparison the other outstanding recent disaster, the Mid-west tornado of March 18, 1925, can be described in more detail. In that catastrophe the final check showed 800 dead, 2,000 injured and 6,447 families out of approximately 30,000 men, women and children rendered homeless. The final relief operations of the Red Cross were brought to a close March 18, 1926, exactly a year from the day the tornado struck its states.

So terrible did the death and destruction impress itself on the experienced Red Cross forces rushed into Florida that Chairman John Barton Payne did not hesitate to call for a relief fund from the whole country of $5,000,000. The Red Cross concentrated every resource in trained personnel on the stricken region.

The New Jersey munitions explosion in July, while terrible as to casualties, could not compare with either of these other two disasters in final destructiveness. It gave the Red Cross an opportunity for service in which Red Cross nurses treated 86 injured, and during the height of the emergency fed between 700 and 800 people driven from their homes. More than 400 cases were registered with the Red Cross after the explosions for assistance in regaining their hold on life through rehabilitation work. This latter is a regular part of the Red Cross relief operations in all disasters, and means a task continued long after the country has ceased to think of the occurrence itself.

The year has seen a new measure of disaster relief preparedness inaugurated by the Red Cross, under which a trained reserve of medical and other relief experts is constantly on call for any service. This preparedness justified itself in both the New Jersey explosion, and in the Florida hurricane, in the latter the Red Cross had at call more than 300 experienced disaster workers with a network of prepared Chapters all over the country. This preparedness, constantly demonstrated, is cited as material assurance that the country is better protected today than ever before from the suffering such misfortunes engender.

Bad as were domestic disasters in both the last fiscal year and recent months, some of those abroad in the same time have been comparable, especially a flood in Mexico. Altogether the American Red Cross served in the name of the American people in more than 15 foreign catastrophes.

The Tenth Annual Roll Call for membership to maintain such activities will be held from November 11 to 25, and is an opportunity for all to enroll themselves in the American Red Cross.

Small Town Advantages.

There are a number of pleasures that a resident of a small town may enjoy that are not granted to those who reside in places more pretentious. One is that you go in your shirt-sleeves, another is jaywalking, another is calling your neighbor's wife by her first name because you knew her in school; another is sitting on the shady side of a business house in the summer time, and on the sunny side in the winter time; another is the ability to park your cow along the street where there is some fine grass. Then again, if you speak to a friend three blocks away you can yell and squall at him, and carry on a loud conversation; and you can always find a place to park, you can turn around in the middle of the block, you have lots of friends and when you are with one of them you can talk about the balance; you can keep up with everybody else's business except your own, and your neighbors will look after it for you. A small town is the real place for enjoying life.—Delta County News.

Now that editor said a mouthful, talking mule sense, for really the only life worth while is living out in the country, the hamlet, and the small town, where we know everybody, know everybody's business, keep up with all the neighborhood scandal, and there ain't much in much of a hurry; no, we live easy, rake our time, where get-rich-quick schemes are unknown to the population. And then along in the good old summer time, we can close up the stores and go down to the old swimmin' hole and take a bath, and really the old swimming hole is the bath tub for the whole community. Then again, along in the afternoon, we can pitch horseshoes and play croquet to our hearts content, and when a feller comes along and wants to buy some groceries or a thread, we say to him, wait till I make this stroke or pitch this other horseshoe, and he waits, no, never in a hurry. Then when one of the neighbors get sick, the whole community turns out to pay their respects to the afflicted, and with our kindness we often kill 'em, but Lordy, who wouldn't be willing to die in the midst of friends? Then another advantage in living in a small town, it's the forum where men meet to solve great problems, and the pitching dollars on the shady side of the postoffice, and so the country feller answers the call of God or State, and he goes forth and do his duty in the big game. Then another advantage of residing in the small town, once every year the big revival season comes around and then it is that the stores are all closed up, the plowing and the fodder pulling is suspended, and the whole people turn out to worship God and renew their spiritual strength, that accounts for the strong moral fiber and the religious zeal of country folks. Yes, down at the mourners' bench, in the clean wheat straw, sinners repent and souls are reborn, and the kingdom of God grows apace, old-time religion is preached in its purity. O yes, let us live in the country close to God and nature, sit beside the rippling brooks, twist mollie cotton tails out of hollow logs, go coon hunting o'nights, and chase the butterflies in flowery dells, and angle for trout and bass down at the old mill dam.—Albany News.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S. on Friday night, Nov. 19th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

An old time dance will be given at the Fair Exhibit Hall, Mansfield Park, on Thursday night, November 11. Admittee Day. Old time dancing, old time fiddle music, old time, good time. Keep the date in mind, and take that old sweetheart of bygone years, if she is now your wife, and dance like you used to dance in the good old days.

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cates and little son, L. C. of Kerrville, spent last week-end in Medina with friends.

Edward Ahrens visited in Medina recently.

J. A. Newcomer, in company with his daughter, Miss Mattie Mae, and the Misses Daisy and Pauline Poe spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Barnett Stiles at Austin. Mrs. J. E. Browning returned home with them, after spending six weeks with her sister, Mrs. Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Browning, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Akin and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Whisenhunt last Sunday.

The P. T. A. will meet at the school house at 7:15 p. m. Friday, November 12th.

Rev. and Mrs. M. P. Burton have moved to Fredonia where Rev. Burton will preach this year.

Rev. Gossett preached at the M. E. church Sunday night.

Sunday morning Rev. John Carney preached a fine sermon at the Baptist church.

Last Thursday Miss Tressie Mayfield and Mr. Earl Jones were married at Kerrville. We wish for them a long and useful life together.

Picture Show at Medina

Mountain Council Security Benefit Association will give a picture show at Medina Theatre Friday and Saturday nights, November 11, 12 th at Medina. Everett Briggs will furnish lights from his Westinghouse plant. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to come. Admission 15c and 35c. Prizes will be given 15c and 25c. Season tickets, adults, $1.00; children, 40c. silver fruit dish will be given as prize with lucky number on each ticket for adults, and there will also be a children's prize. Remember the dates, tonight, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

R. L. Morris, commissioner of Precinct No. 3, was down from the Lima region this week attending Commissioners' Court. Mr. Morris was reelected without opposition in the recent election. He has been an active official and has done much toward the improvement of the roads in his bailiwick, and the people appreciate his faithful service.

Card of Thanks.

I want to thank the voters of my precinct for again electing me to the office of County Commissioner. I shall in the future, as in the past, strive to discharge the duties of the office to the very best of my ability.

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The Picture Show.

Don McMains, of Center Point, has taken charge of Bandera Theater, and will give a high class picture show every Friday night. He showed "Irish Luck" last Friday night, and tomorrow night, "The Pony Express" will be shown. Bandera has needed a good picture show for some time, and we are glad Mr. McMains has taken charge of the theater here. He will book only the best and most popular pictures for showing here, and in appreciation the show-going public should give him a liberal patronage.

TARPLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Travey and family the week-end.

Little Miss Dorothy Hicks, has been quite sick with flu. We hope she soon will be well and she will soon be able to return to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sparks, daughter and son, are the guests of Mr. Sparks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sparks of Tarpley.

Howard Eckhart was in Tarpley Saturday buying turkeys.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holt have moved into our settlement.

A birthday party was given last Thursday night celebrating Miss Neva Silvers' 16th birthday. She received many useful presents. Those present were: Miss Neva Silvers the honoree; Misses Annie Cravey, Inez Silvers, Theresa Mesch, Olga Mesch, Mary Dean, Lois and Jean Strawn, Thelma Richards and Miss Kobel. Messrs Willie Schmidt, Otto Schmidt, Dorsey McCarty, Lyeurgus McCracken, James Cravey, Hubert Silvers, Walter Hohenberger, Loyd Dean, Elsie and Skinner Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Jeffers, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sparks and family and Mrs. Jeffers, Willie Benton. Every one played and had a nice time.

Georgie Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright, Jim Wright and son James, Austin Congfren Lonnie Wrigh, and Floyd Leuweber were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cravey last Sunday.

W. P. Alston celebrated his 75th birthday at the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass. A fine dinner was served, and all had a wonderful time. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass, Mrs. Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Billings, Mrs. John Tyra and little daughter, Ruth, Felix Billings.

Col. Smith Coffey was over from Tarpley last Friday and favored this office with an appreciated visit.

Two Shows Friday Night.

Bandera is slated for two good shows Friday night, the Big Time Vaudeville at the High School Auditorium and "The Pony Express" at the Bandera Theater. Mr. Don McMains, manager of the Bandera Theater, announces that the "The Pony Express," will be shown immediately after the performance at the High School Auditorium, in order to give everybody a chance to patronize Miss Saynisch's entertainment. Keep this in mind, and when you have attended the big time vaudeville you can go from the school building to the Bandera Theater and see "The Pony Express," featuring Betty Thompson.

Baseball Dance.

A benefit dance will be given at Cox Hall Saturday night, November 13, to help raise funds for certain equipment purchased by Good music, and a good time is the Bandera Baseball Team promised.

Girl Finds Pocket Book.

Little Miss Monica Jenschke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Jenschke, found the bill fold containing $15, which was advertised in last week's New Era. The little girl was liberally rewarded for her honesty by Mr. C. E. Denman of San Antonio, who lost the billfold.

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Hillman Loses Goats.

During the cold rainy spell of last week J. C. Hillman, who is ranging his goats near Crane's Mill in Comal county, had the misfortune to lose over 150 head from chilling to death. The goats had been sheared about two months ago. Mr. Hillman had come home to vote in the election when his loss occurred.

Married Recently

Jack Davenport and Miss Emma Fisher were quietly married at the home of the bride in San Antonio Saturday at 4 p. m. The bride is a general favorite here where she has lived for several years. She graduated from the school here last term. The groom has lived on a ranch on Mason creek with his parents during the last several years and is well thought of by all who know him. We are glad to learn that those young people are to make their home here. We join a host of friends in congratulations.—Center Point Correspondent in Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Killing of John Bowles in 1859.

The December number of the Frontier Times, to be issued from the press early next week, will contain an account of the killing of John Bowles on the Sabinal in 1859. This sketch was written by Rev. H. G. Horton of Bishop, Texas, who is now 90 years old, and was a pioneer Methodist preacher in this section at that time. He was with Mr. Bowles until just a short while before he was killed. If you are not a regular subscriber to Frontier Times you are missing a great deal of good history pertaining to the frontier.

Don't miss the Big Time Vaudeville tomorrow night.

Married at Kerrville.

Mr. Earl Janes and Miss Tressie Mayfield were married at Kerrville last Thursday. The bride is the daughter of Bob Mayfield of Medina, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Heck Jones of Bandera Pass. Both are popular young people and the New Era joins their many friends in wishing them happiness and prosperity through life.

Bells Ranch

F. A. Kelley was down from Medina Tuesday and informed us that he had sold his 137 acre ranch near Medina to a Mr. Burch of Carizozo, New Mexico, at a price ranging around $7.00 per acre. Possession is to be given January 1st.

Football Today.

A lively game of football will be played at Mansfield Park today between the Comfort and Boerne teams. The game starts at 2 o'clock p. m., and it is expected that a large crowd will be in attendance. After the football game a rodeo will be staged for the amusement of the visitors and tonight an old fashione dance will be given at the exhibit hall.

Boy Scouts.

A company of Boy Scouts is being organized in Bandera. This is a good movement and should be encouraged in every way.

Married Recently.

Dorothy Hicks, Annie Mae Singleton, Lou Della Holt, Edna Sprott, Fay McCracken, Inez Silvers.

Present every day for month—Lou Della Holt, Jean Strawn, John Holt, Elzie Dean, Lyla Strawn, Olga Mesch, Theresa Mesch, Leighton Monier.

Mrs. John Gibbons was up from San Antonio last Thursday and was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones, who will spend several months in San Antonio.

Mrs. John F. Hodges has returned from a delightful visit to her son Rufus Hodges, who will at Galveston. She spent a week in Galvaston, and from there went to Houston, where she spent several days attending the Eastern Star convention. Mrs. Hodges says she greatly enjoyed her trip particularly while the guest of her son and his excellent wife.

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The Official Count.

The official count as made by the Commissioners Court for state and county offices in the election of November 2nd, is given below: On account of space we have left out some of the state offices and the vote in the commissioners' and Justice of the Peace, as these figures were given last week.

For Congress—Hudspeth, 783; Noreup, 150. Hudspeth's majority 633.

For Governor—Moody, (dem.) 669; Haines (rep) 181 Smith (soc) 9.

Lieut. Governor—Miller (dem) 654; Holmes (rep) 179; Rhodes (soc) 10.

Representative—Roscoe Runge, 519.

District Judge—Brucks, 720. District Attorney, Baker, 732.

County Judge—Mansfield, 485. Eames, 358; Atkins, 234. Mansfield's majority, 150.

County Clerk—Mrs. McIlvaine, 707; Duke, 561. Mrs. McIlvaine's majority, 146.

Sheriff—Hicks, 559; Stevens, 529. Hicks' majority, 21.

Tax Assessor—Chisam, 1037. The Amendments—No. 1, for 102; against 222. No. 2, for 88; against 293. No. 3, for 121; against 187. No. 4, for 101; against 216.

A total of 1079 votes were cast in the county. In county Mrs. John F. Hodges and J. E. Chisam polled almost the full strength.

School Play.

The students in Bandera High School are arranging to present an interesting play, "A case of Suspension," within the next few weeks, the exact date to be announced later.

Be sure to attend the Big Time Vaudeville at the High School Auditorium tomorrow night.

Mrs. Janet Currie came up from San Antonio last Friday to spend awhile with her mother, Mrs. George Hay.

J. W. Bailey, representing the Fredericksburg Mutual Life Insurance Association, was here this week, securing new members to his organization. He placed an ad in the New Era which you will do well to read. Mr. T. S. Dennis will represent the Association here, and it is expected that a large membership will be secured. The Fredericksburg Mutual Life Insurance Association is a home aid concern, the membership pays the death claims by assessment of $1.00 each when a member dies. Mr. Dennis will be glad to explain the policy to anyone interested.

Wedding Party Visits Spicewood.

Walter Godkin's Spicewood Springs Ranch was the scene of much merriment and gaity last Sunday, when a happy wedding party came up from San Antonio to partake of the well known Godkin hospitality. Antonio Patina and Miss Carrie Fierros were married in San Antonio a few days ago, and headed the party who spent Sunday at Spicewood Springs. The personnel of the party was Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Patina, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Patina, Miss Amelia Patina, John Patina, J. Fierros, J. W. Wilson, Ray Brown, Luis Mudgambs, Miss Mary Patina, Miss Eliza Fierros, Mrs. Aguilar, and Mrs. Lupe and son. Plenty of good music, dancing and a splendid dinner helped to make the gathering most enjoyable.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Hankinson and baby, Mr. and Mrs. John McHaney and little daughter, of Fredericksburg, were guests of Mr and Mrs C. C. Miller, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. Ben Johnson went to San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Sutherland and family of Tuff, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hillman, Misses Ella and Grace Hillman, Ella Evans and Joyce Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds went to San Antonio last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walker and Homer, were Medina visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. X. N. Mayberry and family, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Palmer of Medina, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hillman have moved to a ranch near Smithson Valley.

Mr. R. L. Morris was a Bandera visitor Monday.

Mr. Geo. Wolf of San Antonio will lecture at the Lima School house November 20th (Saturday night) on the Panama Canal. His lecture will be different to the one he gave last year.

Christmas Issue.

The New Era is planning to get out a big Christmas edition on December 23rd. Within a few days our representative will call on the business firms of Bandera and submit styleshest of the proposed edition. We hope every business firm in this town will be represented in its columns. Think over the matter and when our representative calls on you be ready to take liberal space in the big edition.

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Today eight years ago firing ceased on the battle front in the great World War, making the end of that great conflict to Armistice Day, and the short pause and let our minds wander back to those days of blood and carnage which the whole world was involved. Millions of lives were lost and billions of property was destroyed, and all to what purpose. Germany was whipped to a but at what fearful cost. Many of our noble American boys were overseas and never came back. They gave the last full measure of devotion in supreme sacrifice, fighting for principles of freedom. There in Bandera we have a memorial in the court house square erected to the memory of the Bandera county boys who made that sacrifice. Today the world is at peace, but how long it will remain so no man knows. Let us hope that we are at peace with all nations, and pray that peace may be lasting.

The New Era wishes its friends The encouragement we get from them as we go along, and is grateful to them in many ways. Another encouragement is the fact that some one offers to pay for it as a gift to some friend. Just now a gentleman called at the office and paid for the paper for a friend in Arizona. Another time a stalwart citizen of the Medina valley, Col. Ed Head, who not only takes the little old home paper himself, but sends it to his children and relatives. This week a lady called and left the money to have her daughter's name added to the list of subscribers. Mrs. Eugene Blanck, Ganado, Texas; Mrs. E. E. Holt, Ganado, Texas; George Barnes, Arguita, Coah., Mexico; Herbert R. Head, Columbus, Kansas; Miss Madge Head, Stewartsville, Mo.; Homer L. Head, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Mrs. Velma Smith, Stewartsville, Mo.

In securing the new 1927 auto license it should be borne in mind that it will be necessary to have headlights tested before license can be secured. All automobile owners must present their light adjustment certificates to the collector when applying for the new license.

The season for killing deer and turkey opens next Tuesday, November 16, and closes December 31.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and ours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to ste

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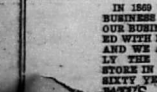

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Hot Talk From the Judge

Marshall News: Judge Robert son of the Dallas County criminal court delivered from the bench recently other day some rather pertinent remarks about certain kinds of criminals. Referring to the fact that men are being tried in the courts the second and third time for being drunk while driving an auto, he said:

"Most petit juries take the offense of driving while intoxicated as trivial. It is a dangerous offense and ought to be stopped. If the half-witted jurors give a man a small fine, he charges it to profit and loss and commits the same crime again. The lawyers come into the court and defend a man charged with this offense and they plead him guilty and ask the jury to give this boy a small fine and he won't do it any more. They always call him a boy, even if he is gray-headed. Juries would send him to the penitentiary instead of fining him, he'd be sure not to do it again."

Again the judge in referring to the hi-jackers and others who commit robbery with fire arms said:

"I want you to consider seriously also all cases of robbery and burglary which are brought before you. Every man who takes a pistol and goes out to rob another ought not to be sent to the penitentiary. He ought to be sent to the electric chair. He is a snake of the worst sort."

The address was being made to the grand jury and he closed with this:

"Such sister juries turn the criminal loose so often with a suspended sentence or with a light prison term, that is not your business. You indict these men, so they can be brought to trial and let the juries show themselves timber tails if they want to."

Statement by T. J. Anderwald.

To the many loyal friends who worked so faithfully for me during the election on November 2 I am profoundly grateful. I cannot possibly express my real appreciation. My only regret is that I cannot meet each of you individually, take you by the hand and voice my sincere appreciation. To those opposed to me for what ever reason I express most kindly feelings. I sincerely trust that my motives and my campaign have been recognized as worthy of their present respect and future good will. I have only the most cordial feelings for my opponent. He ran a splendid race and I am more than pleased to say that I greet the verdict with a smile. He is surely entitled to the support of every good citizen. I extend to him my hearty congratulations and wish for him every success. Any time that I can be of any assistance to him in making his office a success I will be pleased to offer my services.

T. J. ANDERWALD

Some Terrible Facts

Judge Marcus Kavanaugh recently made an address in Dallas in which he gave the number of homicides per 1,000,000 population in the countries of Europe as compared with the United States. Some of the terrible facts impressively stated by Judge Kavanaugh were these, and they fling a challenge to the American people that they must answer with determination and decision:

There were in the United States last year 12,000 homicides, 11,000 in each of the two preceding years, and in no year during the last ten have there been fewer than 9,500 homicides.

In Canada there were only 73 homicides to 1,000,000 of population, in England 9, in Germany before the war 5, but in our own United States 110.

In 1850 with 23,000,000 inhabitants the United States was the most law-abiding Nation on earth, with but 7,000 persons in its prisons. Today, with 115,000,000 people, we have 745,000 in prison.

In London, England, last year there were 27 homicides, including suicides and homicides by insane persons. Of the six actual murders in London five of the men charged were hanged. In Dallas for the same time he stated there were 60 killings.

"In England," he said, "When a man considers killing another he knows that within five or six weeks thereafter he probably will walk onto the gallows to pay for his crime. In America he knows that the chances are six to one that he will never be arrested, that twelve to fifteen like that he will not be convicted, and 110 to one that if convicted he will not die for the crime."

Twelve thousand citizens killed in one year by other citizens.

Mentally visualize 12,000 men, women and children marching four abreast past a reviewing stand on their way to untimely graves. How long would it take them to pass? Picture also 12,000 new graves with all the attendant grief, impoverishment and discouragement. Then add the cost to those thus bereaved of the prosecution they paid for and failed to get?

Certainty of law enforcement causes uncertainty of crime to subtract.

"In Germany," Judge Kavanaugh said, "the number of convictions is 85 per cent. In the United States it is 15 per cent.

Since 1850 we have increased five times in population, fifteen times in number of homicides, and twenty-five times in number of prison inmates."

Enforcement of law is in every portion to the people demand that it be enforced.

The criminal has no respect for law, but he does have respect for its penalties. Certain, enforcement is a certain deterrent.

Coddling criminals means encouraging crime.

To minimize crime is to encourage crime. Condoning the violation of any law is to minimize all law.

The thing for the people of the United States to do, and the thing they must do, is to rise in their might and demand the enforcement of the laws of the land, and behind their officers and support them to the uttermost, with a slogan that says, "Every place in America, in city or in country, no law, no man, woman or child all the time, day or night."—Staff editorial in Dallas News.

Fourteen Out of 135,000

Marshall News: Chemists of the United States Department of Commerce analyzed 135,000 samples of captured bootleg liquor last year. They found exactly fourteen samples that did not contain either denatured alcohol or other poisons. Yet people are found who will pay from ten to twenty dollars for this "Bottled in Bond" or "Old Scotch." If it wasn't for the new crop of fools coming on the specie would soon become instinct, for the old ones are going fast.

There is a movement on foot in Texas right now, sponsored by Judge Pippin of Dallas, to change the Dean law by reducing the penalty for bootlegging from a penitentiary offense to that of a fine. Such a bill will be presented to the next legislature.

Why shouldn't a man be given a penitentiary sentence who will sell stuff for booze that kills the buyer? It would look more like justice to so change the law that it would read that the vendor of poisonous liquor should be charged with murder.

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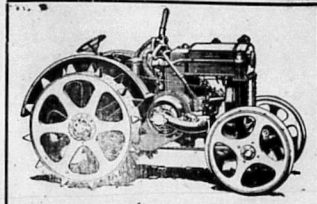

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Dallas, Tex., Nov. 9.—Turkey dealers throughout the State, through the medium of the Texas Carlot Shippers' Association, are advising farmers to market only well matured turkeys for Thanksgiving, and to hold back and feed immature and underweight birds, for the Christmas and holiday markets. In a statement issued Monday, the association declared the immature turkeys have low value and tend to demoralize the market.

"Inasmuch as hen turkeys mature earlier than turkey cocks, it is advisable to sell hen turkeys for the Thanksgiving trade, which, with the most mature of the gobblers, will be enough to supply the trade this month," the statement said. Dealers this year are buying and selling turkeys on a closely graded basis, much more so than heretofore, it was explained.

Hon. James E. Ferguson Improving His Farms

The Hon. Jas. E. Ferguson, of Austin, accompanied by Mr. Clarence Thrasher, formerly an oil operator of Homer, La., spent several days here this week. Mr. Ferguson was looking after his land holdings here and arranging to build more houses on the 1000 acres out of the Marbach ranch, and arranged for three more families to move here from his farms near Temple.

Mr. Thrasher is an experienced oil operator and is looking the field over with a view of prospecting for oil.

Mr. Ferguson is undertaking the growing of oranges and grape fruit on his farm about one and one half miles east of George West, and he already has an orchard of seven acres which promises to be most profitable. He intends going into this line of business more extensively and is confident these fruits can be grown successfully here. He has an irrigation plant on his farm which he says he installed at a moderate cost from deep wells on the farm. He has other real estate in Live Oak county which he intends to improve and settle with good farmers.—George West Enterprise.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

J. B. Wright, Administrator of the Estate of John T. Wright, having filed in our County Court his final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. T. Wright numbered 406 on the Probate Docket of Bandera County, together wih an application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are hereby commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Bandera you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the January Term 1926, of said County Court, commencing on the 4th Monday in the House of said County, in the Town of Bandera on the 17th day of January A. D. 1927, when said Account and Application law will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the Town of Bandera this 27th day of September A. D. 1926.

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Moody Appoints Ex-Gov. Sayers.

Austin, Tex., Nov. 6.—Former Gov. Joseph D. Sayers of Austin, has been tendered and accepted appointment as a member of the State Board of Pardon Advisers under the administration of Dan Moody, who is to be inaugurated governor on January 18 next, it was learned Saturday from an authoritative source. The pardon board consists of two members, and it was said that Moody has not yet selected the second member. The appointment of Governor Sayers is the first of the Moody official family to become public. When Mr. Moody returns to Austin from El Paso where he is now on business in connection with the Texas-New Mexico boundary suit, it is expected that he will announce a large number of appointments. Moody was expected to be in his office early next week.

POSTED NOTICES

POSTED—All pastures owned by Sid Stevens & Brothers are posted. No trapping, hunting, or any kind of trespassing allowed therein.—Sid Stevens.

POSTED—No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing in my pastures will be allowed. All trespassers will be prosecuted.—F. E. Whisenhunt.

POSTED—Spicewood Springs Ranch lands are posted. No hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing allowed. You are hereby warned to keep out.—Walter Godkin.

POSTED—Trespassers are warned to keep out of my pasture on Privilege Creek. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed therein.—C. H. Brant.

POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Seekatz pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden. Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

POSTED—All of my pastures on West Verde Creek are posted, and hunting, trapping, and all other trespassing therein is forbidden, and are warned to keep out.—Mrs. Booker Davenport. 2m

POSTED—My pastures, including the Steinle pastures, which I control, are posted. No hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein. —Eddie Leibold. 2m

POSTED—Our pastures near Tarpley are posted. We will not permit hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing therein. You are hereby warned to keep out. —R. N. Padgett & Sons. 2me

POSTED—My pastures located on West Verde Creek are posted, and trapping, hunting, or any manner of trespassing therein is strictly forbidden.—S. D. Mullcahy, Jr. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures on West Verde are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed. —Ben Gerdes. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures are posted, and I will not allow hunting, trapping, cutting bee trees, or any manner of trespassing therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Louie Hargin. 2me

POSTED—My pastures in Bandera and Medina counties are posted, and no hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing on my lands will be allowed. You are warned to keep out.—Chas. Schott. 2mp.

POSTED—The John F. Davenport pastures are posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed therein.—John F. Davenport.

POSTED—My ranch, known as Pecan Valley, above Medina, is posted against all trespassing. No trapping or hunting of any kind will be allowed.—E. H. Sewall. 3me.

POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing by any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

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Card of Thanks.

I take this means of expressing my sincere thanks to the voters who gave me their support in the race for county commissioner. I fully appreciate all that was done in my behalf, and have only the kindliest feelings toward those who did not vote for me. My best wishes are extended to my successful opponent.

ANTON PYKA.

Card of Thanks.

I take this method of extending to the voters of the county my sincere appreciation of the vote given me in the recent election. Although I had no opponent I appreciate the good will of the people of the county in again electing me to the office of Tax Assessor.

J. E. CHISUM

Card of Thanks.

I take this means of expressing my sincere thanks and appreciation to the voters of Bandera county for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Bandera county.

Mrs. JOHN F. HODGES.

Card of Thanks.

I want to thank the voters and people generally of my precinct for re-electing me to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, and also for the splendid co-operation they have given me in the past. Through money and labor donations they have greatly assisted me in the road work which has been done in the precinct, and I feel that without this co-operation I could not have accomplished very much. I appreciate the good will and confidence that has been given me, and will at all times strive to merit it.

R. L. MORRIS.

Card of Thanks.

I want to thank the voters of Precinct No. 4 for again electing me to the office of County Commissioner. I greatly appreciate the confidence and good will thus shown, and will serve to the best of my ability.

J. V. PORTER.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my thanks to the voters for the support given me in the recent election, in my race for county commissioner and for justice of the peace. My election as justice of the peace for this precinct is fully appreciated, and I assure all that I will discharge the duties of the office without fear or favor.

HERMAN HARPER

An old time dance will be given at the Fair Exhibit Hall, Mansfield Park, on Thursday night, November 11, Armistice Day. Old time dancing, old time fiddle music, old time good time. Keep the date in mind, and take that old sweetheart of bygone years, if she is now your wife, and dance like you used to dance in the good old days.

Pastors Oppose Norris Booking

Following passage by unanimous vote of the members of the Baptist Pastors' Conference asking the city to cancel any and all dates for the Municipal Auditorium held by Rev. Frank Norris from November 14 to 21, assurance was given by acting Mayor Phil Wright that the Rev. Norris is not to be allowed to interfere with the State Baptist convention.

The action of the pastors was taken Monday morning, after which a conference was held with the acting mayor. At noon a telegram was sent to the Fort Worth pastor, advising him that his reservation of the Municipal Auditorium is cancelled, according to Rev. Jesse B. Yelvington, publicity chairman for the convention. The Fort Worth pastor's reservation, the Rev. Yelvington explained, was for the first three nights of next week. The action of the local pastors was taken, the Rev. Yelvington said, because for the last two years Norris' delegates have been refused seats in the general convention. San Antonio Express.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times,

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, Nov. 19th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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LOST—Spare tire with rim and tube, for Chevrolet truck, 30x5, on road between Bandera and Hondo last Saturday. Reward for the return to Carl Banta, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—700 Angora kids, mixed; also two good horses and some implements, farm tools, etc. For prices see F. A. Kelley, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Good saddle and bridle, $62.00. Also a 7-foot tandem tractor disc harrow for $100, practically new and in good shape, cost $125.... Also a Sandwich cylinder corn sheller for $150, operated by power, and will do the work. See Frank Mansfield.

FOR SALE—300 acres unimproved land 1½ miles from Welfare. Postoffice, railway station and school, ½ mile from store and filling station; 8 miles west of Boerne, on the San Antonio and Fredericksburg Highway. About 50 acres can be put in cultivation. —Aug. Bartel, Welfare, Texas.

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I will thresh cane seed at Mrs. J. H. Autrey's place, above Medina, on November 19th.—E. H. Sewall.

Ladies.

I have some hand made Christmas and holiday gifts in our store which I would be pleased to show you.—Mrs. R. F. Power.

A Mutual Aid Society.

T. S. Dennis is the Bandera agent for the Fredericksburg Mutual Life Insurance Association, a mutual aid society which pays a mortuary benefit of $1,000. When a member of this association dies the living members are assessed only $1.00 each. Membership fee $5.00; annual dues $2.00. Absolutely safe. Under supervision of the State Insurance Department. Has been in existence in Gillespie county for fifty six years. Let Mr. Dennis explain its policy to you. 3tp

Chicken Supper

The ladies of the Catholic church will give a chicken supper at St. Joseph's school on Thanksgiving evening, 5 to 10 o'clock. Fifty cents per plate. You are cordially invited.

Fresh Vegetables every Friday at Fred L. Cosgrove's Grocery.

District Court convenes in Bandera November 22nd.

R. H. Sowles and E. J. Banta were down from Medina Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. V. R. McDaniel, November 3, a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Christian Danschke, November 7, twin boys.

Regular meals during court week 40 cents, at the O. S. T. Cafe.

W. F. Kuehne, of Boerne, was a business visitor in Bandera Monday.

Mrs. Booker Davenport has moved in from the ranch and has apartments at the Gray House.

Fresh oysters tomorrow at Fred Cosgrove's Grocery.

Claude Fletcher came over from San Marcos Saturday to spend Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fletcher.

Miss Lois Martin, representing the Ratcliffe Chautauqua Association, was here the first of the week to book chautauqua dates in Bandera.

Lonnie Haass was down from Medina Tuesday and enrolled as a new subscriber to the New Era. If you need quote you prices.—Frank Mansfield, salesman.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

Otis Simpson, of Uvalde, spent a few days with T. W. North and family this week.

Will Ellebracht, the well known hardware and machinery salesman, was up from San Antonio Monday.

W. D. Smithers and N. H. Rose, the San Antonio photographers, were guests of the New Era editor Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Head went to Eagle Pass Monday to spend a few days with her sons, Henry and George Barnes and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shott and children were in from Elm Creek Saturday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Mrs. Fred Risinger and children, of San Antonio, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait several days this week.

Miss Dollie Mae Wilson, of Gainsville, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. W. North. She will remain here until Christmas.

Lieutenant Hill and family, and Mrs. James W. Evans and children, spent Saturday and Sunday with Veteran and Mrs. Amasa Clark.

Mrs. Herman Harper went to Hunt last Saturday to spend awhile with her daughter, Mrs. Audrey Leinweber, who is convalescing from a recent operation.

Jolly Jim Newcomer was up from Pipe Creek last Saturday with about three dollars in his pocket. He showed his unselfish spirit by giving the editor half of the amount to keep the little old home paper coming.

Mrs. Frank Pyka, who was seriously ill the first of the week, reported much better. Her condition was considered so serious at first that her children were all summoned to her bedside, but the crisis soon passed and we are glad to know she is now recovering.

Rev. P. J. Tarredellas, who has been teaching in St. Vincent's Academy at Little Rock, Arkansas, writes the New Era that he has had to give up teaching on account of his health and his physician has advised him to return to San Antonio, where he will be in the Santa Rosa Infirmary for awhile. Father Tarredellas' many friends here hope he will soon be restored to health.

Commissioners Court was in session the first of the week all of the board being present. Anton Pyka, of No. 1, John L. Edwards of No. 2, R. L. Morris of No. 3, and J. V. Porter of No. 4, with County Judge J. A. Eaton presiding. The votes cast in the recent election were canvassed, and other business disposed of.

John L. Edwards, commissioner of Precinct No. 2, is here from Pipe Creek this week attending the session of Commissioners Court. Mr. Edwards has been somewhat "under the weather" for the past two or three months, but we are pleased to report that he has fully recovered. Mr. Edwards was re-elected commissioner in the recent election, without opposition.

Rev. John Carney, the well known traveling evangelist, preached at the Baptist church last Sunday night to a large crowd. This was his first visit to Bandera, in about twenty-five years, and he found quite a number of people who remembered his former visit. His lecture, which dealt with prohibition and other subjects, was illustrated with colored charts.

J. V. Porter, commissioner of Precinct No. 4, was over from the Vanderpool region this week attending the session of Commissioners' Court. Mr. Porter was re-elected to the office in the election held November 2, by a good majority, and will serve his precinct faithfully and well. He has been quite active in the discharge of the duties of the office, particularly in the building of roads in the west end of the county.

Time to Plant.

The recent rains makes this an ideal season to plant fruit, shade

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POSTED—My pastures, Myrtle Creek, the home pasture and the Trap pasture, south of town, are posted. No hunting, November 19th. Remember the date and bring in your cotton.—Farmers' Gin.

If you want genuine service and courteous treatment stop at Oscar Perner's Blacksmith Shop, old C. C. White Shop. I will do blacksmithing, horseshoeing, mechanical and machine shop work, and will also charge batteries. Your patronage solicited.—Oscar W. Perner.

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and children, of Port Arthur, are visiting Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sutherland.

Mrs. Bob Whitehead, of Port Arthur visited relatives and friends here last week.

John Henry and family visited Mrs. Henry's parents Mr. and Mr. Henry Benefit and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pitt Baker gave a splendid dinner last Sunday at their home. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Akin, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Le Stourgeon and family.

Saturday the girls and boys basket-ball teams went to Hunt and played basket ball in the afternoon. The girls at Hunt won the score 31 to 17. The boys of Medina won the score 16 to 8. Everybody had a real good time.

Surprise Box Sale.

The A. B. C. Club of the sixth and seventh grades, Medina High School, will have a surprise box sale at the home of Mrs. Mae Pass in Medina, on next Saturday night, November 20. The proceeds from this sale will be used to purchase a new volley ball and net for the school. You are cordially invited.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebech of San Antonio are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Rhods this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed and children and Dan Reed were Bandera visitors last Friday.

Mrs. Jeo Adams and children, Miss Ola Belle and Richard of Taff visited Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Mayberry and family were guests of Mrs. Cosse Smalay.

Miss Iva Sutton is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Sadie Miller.

The hunting season has opened and hunters from all parts of the country are streaming in.

Remember the lecture Saturday night to be given at the Lima school house, by Mr. Kellogg from San Antonio, on the "Panama Canal."

Those who visited in our school the last week were, Mrs. Click Mrs. Zola Miller, Mrs. X. N. Mayberry and Mrs. John Reed.

Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park, Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and an old time good time. Everybody welcome.

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TARPLEY.

Misses Ida and Myra Strawn came up for Armistice Day and remained over until Sunday, then they returned to Hondo where they are attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright and family were in Tarpley Sunday.

Ralph Price was in Tarpley Saturday.

Mrs. Etta Mabe and two children of D'Hanis were guests of Mrs. Jeffers of Tarpley the past week.

W. E. Smith, Mr. Magovern, Mr. Jefferson and Mr. Poerner of San Antonio spent the week-end on the Smith ranch below Tarpley.

First! First! First! Be careful now and avoid the hunters or you may get shot.

Jim Glass went to San Antonio on a business trip Tuesday.

Mrs. Wauffle visited of Medina is spending the week with relatives and friends here.

Vaudeville at School Auditorium.

Miss Gertrude Saynisch and her company of artists from San Antonio played at the High School Auditorium last Friday night to a good audience. Music was furnished by the boys' and girls' orchestra from the Thomas Nelson Page School, the orchestra being composed of about fifteen pieces, and directed by Miss Ann Cressner. Miss Saynisch is a clever impersonator and kept her audience in an uproar of laughter with her appearance in various roles. Piano selections by Miss Louise Tschmeyer, and vocal solos by Miss Schnoor were also rendered numbers. The company of charming entertainers were brought to Bandera by Miss Iola Fuller, a former resident of Bandera, and High School, and their coming provided a rare treat for our people. Miss Saynisch remained to spend a week as the guest of Miss Fuller at the Riverside Inn.

Double Grandpa

Uncle Joe Postert is a lucky man. He has the distinction of becoming a double grandfather on the same date. While he was rejoicing over the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Will Turner on November 6th, he received word that a son had been born on the same date to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Postert of Corpus Christi. The young man was named Joe after his happy grandpa.

Baseball Dance Saturday Night.

A dance will be given at Cox Hall next Saturday night, November 20, for the purpose of raising funds to pay for equipment of the Bandera Baseball Club. Good Music. Admission 50c Everybody invited.

Oil Excitement at Center Point.

Center Point is to have a test oil well. All preliminaries have been arranged, drilling entered into, and the drilling machinery is on the ground to start work formerly with the Texhoma oil early next week. Judge Moore, Co., and associates will drill the well to a depth of 5,000 feet if necessary, and if the first test does not encounter granite and fails to get oil two more test well will be drilled. The first well is to be spudded in on the 120 tract about 300 feet south of the old depot at Center Point.

A standard steel rig arrived in Center Point last Sunday, it requiring three railroad cars to transport it, and weighing over 300,000 pounds. It was being unloaded and will be moved to the field of operation. A full crew of men, twenty-one in number, arrived with the rig, and the crew will work day and night up til the well is completed.

This is good news to the people of this section. The belief in the fact that the forerunner of a great oil development program, and if a basher is brought in at Center Point, a dozen will be drilled in Bandera county will be thoroughly prospected.

The drilling of an oil well at Center Point, only a few miles from Bandera, will be watched with interest. Some geologists claim that oil will probably be found at a depth of less than 2,

Good Advice

Advice is hard to take. It is a human weakness or conceit to think we "Know it all."

But advice from older and wiser heads, from people who have graduated from the school of hard knocks is well worth listening to. Especially by the young folks.

Thrift—plain common sense applied to spending is absolutely essential when married. Of course young men and women should save for the time when they marry but afterward—saving is imperative, if they are to succeed and be happy.

Savings make a happy home for children—the worthwhile things in life. Spendthrifts never.

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500 feet, while others will advance to explore. We believe oil will be found in that territory and in the region between Bandera and Center Point. It is an inviting field for the people who are behind the drilling project have unlimited means to make a thorough test.

Picture Show Friday Night.

The picture show at Bandera Theater tomorrow night will be a good one, entitled "Hands Up," featuring Raymond Griffin, will delight you. Admission 15c and 30c.

Mexican Dinner.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will serve a Mexican dinner in the Wright Building on Wednesday, November 24th. Also tamales 25 cents per dozen, chile 15 cents per dish, cake and coffee 10 cents. Dinner will be held in connection where Christmas articles will be on sale, and the school children will sell home made candy. The proceeds are to go to the school and toward paying for the new stairway recently built at the school house.

District Court Monday.

District Court convenes in Bandera next Monday. The docket is not very heavy in terms. The Pat Forrest murder case will probably come up for hearing. Forrest, who is charged with the murder of Will Gray near Medina City last September, is still in jail in San Antonio where he was taken immediately after his arrest. It is expected that an indictment will be returned by the grand jury after court convenes, and the case will take the usual course of procedure.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Bandera Wool Sale.

The Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers' Association, through its manager, Fred Thalmann, on last Tuesday sold its fall accumulation of short wool to Hallowell, Jones & Donald of Boston, represented by Frank M. Montague and C. F. Angell. The clip amounts to about 120,000 pounds, and was sold in San Antonio at sealed bid sale. The price was about in line with prices paid at other places for short wool, and ranging around what most of the growers expected.

The shipping of this wool to the Boston buyers will start next Monday. It is to be hauled by truck to Center Point and there sent by railroad.

The sale of this clip brings the total of wool and mohair sold by the Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers' Association during this year to over 550,000 pounds, which brought in to Bandera county growers over $250,000. Sales of wool and mohair are made semi-annually, in the spring and in the fall, and this industry is becoming larger every year.

Piper & Co., of Uvalde, also sold about 150,000 pounds of short wool at sealed bid sale in San Antonio Tuesday, to Hallowell & Emery of Boston, but we did not learn the price received. San Angelo has sold, Kerrville has sold, and the sales made last Tuesday practically cleans up the wool out put for this season throughout Texas.

Schreiner Sells Wool.

The Schreiner Wool and Mohair Company of Kerrville sold 700,000 pounds of fall clip wool Saturday to Studley Emery & Co., of Boston at a price averaging between 20 and 25 cents per pound, it was reported in San Antonio Saturday night. D. E. Hughes of San Angelo represented the buyers.

Del Rio Wool Sold

Del Rio, Tex., Nov. 16.—Sale of 700,000 pounds of short wool was announced here Tuesday by the Producers Wool and Mohair Company to C. D. Studley of Lampasas. The price was 22 to 27 cents. Shipment will be made to Boston during the week. This shool clears up the accumulation in the producers' warehouse.

Second Operation

Mrs. B. F. Jones went to San Antonio last Sunday to be with her daughter, Mrs. Ned W. Smith who has been seriously ill following a second operation which was performed last Saturday. A short time ago Mrs. Smith underwent an operation, but a second operation became necessary and many friends hope she will soon recover.

Notice to Subscribers.

Look at the date which appears opposite your name on the New Era list. If you are behind on your subscription we kindly ask you to renew at once. We will begin making up our 1927 subscription list within a short time in order to go into the new year with a clean list, and you can help us by squaring your subscription now.

Giving Him a Lesson in Values

Benjamin Franklin, a wise man born of thrifty people, said: "If you would know the value of a dollar—try to borrow one." How true.

Teach your son or your daughter that Franklin truth and nurture in their minds the appreciation of the value of the dollar while they are in the penny age. It takes a stronger hold and becomes so deep-rooted that all later influences toward reckless spending and careless handling of money cannot destroy the habit of thrift—the solid rock upon which all success is built.

Every child should have a bank account! Show them how to save.

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Armistice Day Observed.

Last Thursday, Armistice Day, was fittingly observed in Bandera. The business houses closed up for most of the day, flags were hoisted, fireworks were set off, flowers were placed on the Heroes' Monument, a lively football game between Boerne and Comfort was played at Mansfield Park and witnessed by a large crowd. After the football game a steer riding and goat roping amused the crowd. At night an old time dance was enjoyed in the exhibit hall at Mansfield Park, a ball took place at Cox Hall in town.

Panhandle in Winter's Grip.

The Panhandle and cap rock of Texas were already in the grip of a Norther sweeping down from the rockies of Colorado Tuesday night.

Temperature at Lubbock ranged up from 35 Tuesday morning to 55 as a maximum, then fell to 36 degrees at 9 p. m., with indications of going still lower. The government report from Amarillo showed 52 degrees at 8 p. m., but no snow had fallen. The same report showed a temperature of 28 degrees at Denver, with considerable snow.

Asking for Retention.

A petition was being circulated here this week and numerously signed asking the State Highway Commission to retain Joe G. Callahan as supervisor and foreman of the highway from San Antonio through Bandera and Medina to Kerrville. No vacancy in the place exists as yet, but it is presumed that a new board will be appointed by Hon. Dan Moody when he becomes Governor in fact, and Mr. Callahan's friends would be glad to see him hold his present position. He has been quite active in maintenance work on this highway, and has kept it in first class condition.

Union Thanksgiving Service

Union Thanksgiving service will be conducted next Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the Methodist church. Everybody cordially invited.

Fined for Killing Turkey Hens.

Game Warden Dan Rugh this week arrested W. S. Bowden of Larkin, for unlawfully killing a wild turkey hen. Bowden entered a plea of guilty and was fined $25 and costs.

Leutl John B. Patrick of Kelley Field, was arrested by Special Deputy Warden Walter H. Jersig for killing a turkey hen. Plea of guilty and fined $25 and costs.

Makes Trip to Del Rio.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. John Langford, Edwin Langford and Mrs. Jim Cox visited their mother, Mrs. B. F. Langford Sr., and sister, Mrs. Ruby Barnett at Del Rio, spending a few days. Mrs. Barnett has been seriously ill for some time, having undergone an operation and later suffered an attack of influenza, but we are pleased to learn she is now on the road to recovery. Mrs. John Langford stopped off at Uvalde to visit Mrs. Foster Stevens, while the others went on to Del Rio. While there Messrs. Edwin and John Langford visited the Pecos High Bridge. Good luck attended them on the trip, they making the distance of nearly five hundred miles without changing a tire on their automobile. They found Grandma Langford, who has been in Del Rio with her daughter, Mrs. Barnett, for several months, looking well and getting along fine. She will remain there a few months longer.

Accidently Shot Near Kerrville.

Col C. E. Hawkins, Quartermaster's Corps, Fort Sam Houston, was probably fatally wounded Tuesday afternoon while hunting 25 miles west of Kerrville, according to telephonic information received in San Antonio.

The wounded officer was rushed to the Kerrville Hospital, where it was said he had probably lost one eye and might lose the other. The load from a shotgun, accidentally discharged while he was hunting turkeys struck him full in the face, a good part of it entering his neck, it was said.

An ambulance from Fort Sam Houston Base Hospital was sent to Kerrville early Tuesday night to bring the wounded officer here. Hawkins was hunting with Mack Henderson on the latter's ranch. He was in the act of setting his gun down against a tree stump when it was accidentally discharged, Henderson said.

Others in the hunting party were Brig. Gen. Frank R. McCoy, Col. J. F. McKinley and Lieut. C. F. Gee, all of Fort Sam Houston. They were widely separated from Col. Hawkins when the accident happened, it was said.

A year ago while hunting ducks near Corpus Christi, Col Hawkins was the victim of a similar accident when he sustained a wound in the foot when his gun was unexpectedly discharged.—San Antonio Express.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

Last Monday San Antonio voted another bond issue of $3,000,000 for public improvements. San Antonio is growing faster than any other city in the South, and Bandera naturally feels proud of its thriving suburb.

The marketing of turkeys goes merrily on, and the price is good, with indications that it is going to be paid. Bandera county's turkey crop is good this season, and the income from that source will be considerable.

The deer season opened Tuesday, and the sound of shooting and now everybody will go out into the woods with long range guns and try to slaughter our game. There are still a few deer left in this section, and some turkeys too, but it is really dangerous to go out to hunt them on account of so many others hunting. Some people are just naturally careless with firearms, while others do not know how to use them, and the shooting at everything in sight from a tom-tit to a buzzard, and from a ground squirrel to a cow, only the other day, even before the season opened, some reckless hunter shot a hole through a young man's hat out in a pasture near Pipe Creek, probably mistaking him for a deer in a thicket. This year there will be the usual number of casualties during the hunting season, lives will be snuffed out, cattle and horses will be killed, for "accidents" will happen.

Frontier Times will make an ideal Christmas gift for your boy. You want him to learn Texas history; if he reads Frontier Times he will become more interested in history as taught in the public schools. From now to January first we are offering the Era and Frontier Times together for $2.50. You can renew your own subscription at the same time, and order the little magazine to any one you wish to send it to. Subscribe for it for your boy.

Warren Hunter, editor of the Harper Herald, announces that he will soon install a linotype machine in his office. Since going to Harper less than a year ago and resurreeting the Herald, which had been dead for about six years, Warren has met with splendid success in giving the Harper people a real news-paper. He has had to increase the size from four to six pages, and with the addition of a typesetting machine, made necessary by increasing business, he will be in position to make the Herald still better. Those Harper people seem to appreciate their home paper.

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Time for Action.

What some are disposed to call a "crime wave" in the United States seems to be a "permanent wave." Unless the citizens and the courts take a better grip on the matter of law enforcement it will be a permanent wave, possibly developing into a tidal wave.

He would indeed be a foolish man who would declare that the chances are 6 to 1 that he will never be arrested from 12 to 15 to 1 that he will not be convicted, and 110 to 1 that if convicted that he will not die for the crime. No wonder that the murder trials which he sees and reads about become encouragements instead of deterrents to him. And the State pays for such legal farces. Yes, he who is killed pays his share of taxes for the maintenance of these courts! In a measure he who is killed pays for the support of the trial which sets free his murderer!

There is an enemy army in the United States numbering about 2,000 men and women who murder and depredate and rob, to gain a living.

Add to these those citizens who help them in their nefarious business by aiding them in escaping justice and we have indeed a formidable foe—one formidable as to jeopardize every citizen and the permanence of our Government itself.

This army is always in ambush, is crafty, cunning doing most of its damage under cover of darkness. It is an aggregation of marauders, bush-whackers, assassins, theives and robbers. Women and little children are not exempt from their infamous assaults.

The American people must awake to the situation.

Effective certain and speedy law enforcement would soon remedy the evils from which we now suffer.

Now, as in the days of Edmund Burke "When bad men combine the good must associate else they will fall, one by one, an unpitied sacrifice in a contemptible struggle."—Dallas News.

Frontier Times for December.

The December number of Frontier Times was on the press this week, and contains the following interesting articles: "Killing of John Bowles in 1859," "Some Parker County Murders," "The Cienega Fight," "When Captain Rogers counted Death," "Came to Texas in a Covered Wagon," "Rowdy Jake Lowe, a Character," "Early Settlers in Cherokee County," "Arizona Girl Kills a Bad Indian," "Rowdy Joe Lowe," "Some Parker County Murders," "First Mob Violence in Lamar," "Life of Ben Thompson," "Christmas, a poem," "Texas Tells of Indian Fight," "The Killing of Chief Nocona," "Capture of Joe of Robbers' Roost," "Doughty's Fight on the Range." All are good stories. Frontier Times is published in Bandera, and the subscription price is $1.50 per year. Think of it, only a dollar and a half for a magazine, twelve numbers of which will give you a book of 500 pages of real Texas history! We cannot supply back numbers of this magazine in consecutive order but we have a certain back numbers which we will sell for 25 cents per copy. Current numbers are fifteen cents per copy. You should subscribe for it today and keep it for your children to read. Take advantage of our Christmas offer, now in effect, the New Era and Frontier Times together for only $2.50 for one year.

It's hog and hominy season now, but the hogs are scarce this year. Last year the farmers sold off most of their hogs because of the scarcity of feed. This year have plenty of feed, but the hogs are few. Next year our ranges will be stocked with better hogs and there'll be plenty of them.

John F. Hodges this week renewed his own subscription to the New Era and Frontier Times, and also renewed the subscriptions of both publications for his son, R. M. Hodges at Galveston.

Football Game Last Thursday

The first football game ever played in Bandera was played at Mansfield Park last Thursday, the contending teams being Boerne and Comfort High School teams the former defeating the latter by a score of 20 to 0 in a lively rough and tumble bout.

Boerne started early in the first quarter by successive first downs, carrying the ball from its 35 yard line to Comfort's 20 yard line, when Nowlin carried the ball around the end for the first touchdown. Captain Schrader drop-kicking for the extra point.

In the second, Captain Schrader broke around the end for another 10 yards for a second touchdown, but failed to make the extra point by one of his men blocking his kick.

In the fourth quarter Boerne received the ball on its 20 yard line and by continued line plunges, short passes and end runs Boerne carried the ball to Comfort's 5 yard line. Comfort then held for downs, the ball going to Boerne at the end of the game. Comfort's 21 yard line, when Moore received the ball and by a beautiful run around left end scored for a touchdown, but failed to make the extra point.

Moore also carried the ball over for the third touchdown.

There were times when the players were in the thick of the fight for the ball, but Comfort seemed to be in danger at no time, the game being fought entirely on the line.

The two teams have played each other on this same field for several years, the first one being played in 1912 when Boerne defeated Comfort 12 to 12. The third game was played in 1913, Boerne defeating Comfort by a score of 50 to 0.

The line-up:

Boerne	Pos.	Comfort
Wilson	C.	M. Buron
Perrin	Right End.	R. Edwards
W. Barkly	Right Tackle.	E. Deifert
Saxon	Right Guard.	J. Bergmann
R. Rackly	Center.	H. Haag
Voges	Left Guard.	A. Bartel
A. Norris	Left Tackle.	G. McFarland
Schrader (Capt.)	Left End.	J. Reutzer
Moore	Quarterback.	E. Flach
Anderson	Left Half.	H. Flach
V. Norris	Right Half.	Allerkamp
	Fullback.	

Substitutions: Zumbro, for R. Rackly, for Boerne; B. Heinen for R. Edwards, for Comfort; E. Schrader for A. Bartel, for Comfort.

Time of quarters was 10 minutes.

Referee, Fisher of Comfort; umpire Snert of Bandera; head linesman, Wilson of Boerne.

Isn't it funny? Man wakes up in the morning, after sleeping under an advertised blanket, on an advertised mattress takes off advertised pajamas; takes a shower in an advertised tub; shaves with an advertised razor; washes with advertised soap; powders his face with advertised powder; dresses in advertised underwear, hose shirt, collar, shoes, suit, handkerchief; sits down to breakfast of an advertised cereal; drinks advertised coffee; puts on an advertised hat; lights an advertised cigar; rides to his office in an advertised car on advertised tires, where he refuses to advertise on the grounds that advertising does not pay. Yes, isn't it funny?

Card of Thanks.

We heartily thank the people of upper Hondo and Tarpley for their help and assistance during the sickness and the illness of Mr. Sprott. Also Dr. Butler for his regular and good treatment.

MR. AND MRS. OTTO SPROTT, AND FAWILY.

The Farmers' Gin will make final run of the season on Friday, November 19th. Remember the date and bring in your cotton.—Farmers' Gin.

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Important contributions to public health were made by the American Red Cross through its Public Health Nursing Service, Nutrition Service and in instruction in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick. In every State and Alaska, with the exception of Delaware and Nevada, instruction was given by the Red Cross, also in the Philippines, Hawaii, Porto Rico, and Virgin Islands. A total of 57,879 women and girls learned to make a hygienic home, and care for the sick in their homes.

The United States Public Health Service estimates that adequate rural health nursing service would cost $14,000,000 annually, or not quite a billion dollars in value of human life, earning power, and economic conservation. The American Red Cross, through its Public Health Nurses, of whom there were nearly 500 on duty the past year, is doing its part in meeting this requirement.

The Red Cross, through its nutrition Service, taught thousands what to eat for health. In this country, 24 States were served with from one to ten Red Cross Chapter Nutrition programs in each State. In 25 States, nutrition instruction was given either through the regular nutrition instructors or through volunteer dietitians.

During the school year an average of 15,412 individuals a month, including parents, teachers, pre-school, and school children, received the better knowledge of food in its relation to health, and how to apply it to their daily lives. In March, 115,218 individuals received this instruction, while during the year 2,583 classes were conducted and 5,456 conferences and home visits were given by nutritionists, thus reaching thousands of individuals.

The Annual Roll Call for Membership from November 11 to 25 is an invitation to all persons to assist in the maintenance of such services through another year by enrolling in the American Red Cross.

RED CROSS SERVICES SHOW UPWARD TREND

Disaster Relief, Veterans' Aid Foremost in Fiscal Year. Services All Vital.

Expenditures by the American Red Cross for the last year showed a mounting service as compared with those for the preceding year—$11,932,883.25 as against $10,873,880. The outstanding appropriations were for disaster relief and assistance to disabled veterans. For disaster relief the American Red Cross expended $3,871,827, of which the National Organization contributed $1,643,527, and the Red Cross Chapters $228,000. For disabled veterans, a total of $3,628,178 was called for, of which National Headquarters appropriated $1,641,178, and Chapters, $1,987,000.

The above figures do not include the Florida operations, which occurred after the end of the fiscal year, in addition to the work for disabled veterans, the Red Cross continued its work on behalf of the Regular Army and Navy and Marine Corps, which called for a total appropriation of $688,451.

The enrolled nurses' reserve, from which nurses for disasters and other emergencies are called, of 17,000, is borne entirely by the National Headquarters. Public Health Nursing, a part of the Red Cross program in national health work, cost $866,522; instruction in home hygiene and care of the sick required $164,107; and in nutrition instruction, $164,107 was expended.

The Red Cross campaign to reduce deaths from accidents and drowning, conducted by the First Aid and Life Saving Service, called for $352,385, and has shown tangible results in lives saved annually.

The Junior Red Cross, one of the foremost peace influences in the world, was carried on at a cost of $531,953. All local Chapter activities of the Red Cross cost $823,000, while for domestic operations of the Red Cross, borne by National Headquarters, amounted to $264,040.

The remainder of the fiscal year's expenditures were accounted for in insular and foreign operations, of which foreign disasters in which the American Red Cross served, absorbed $53,975; League of Red Cross Societies, $180,000; Junior Red Cross foreign projects, $74,085; assistance to Insular Chapters, $17,000; other insular and foreign work, $64,783; supervision of service activities and general management, $370,629.27.

The total expenditures for the year ended June 30 last were divided: National Organization, $1,331,893.35; local Chapters, $1,511,000. In the Tenth Annual Roll Call, November 11 to 25, the public is invited to share in this year's work and to assist by enrolling in the American Red Cross as members.

POSTED NOTICES

POSTED—All pastures owned by Sid Stevens & Brothers are posted. No trapping, hunting, or any kind of trespassing allowed thereon.—Sid Stevens.

POSTED—No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing in my pastures will be allowed. All trespassers will be prosecuted.—E. Whisenhunt.

POSTED—Spicewood Springs Ranch lands are posted. No hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing allowed. You are hereby warned to keep out.—Walter Gerkin.

POSTED—Trespassers are warned to keep out of my pasture on Privilege Creek. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed therein.—C. H. Briant.

POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Sechata pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden. Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

POSTED—All of my pastures on West Verde Creek are posted, and I will not allow hunting, trapping or trespassing thereon.—Ben Gerdes. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures are posted, and I will not allow hunting, trapping, cutting bee trees, or any manner of trespassing therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Louie Haeglin. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures in Bandera and Medina counties are posted, and no hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing on my lands will be allowed. Parties are warned to keep out.—Chas. Schott, 2mp.

POSTED—The John F. Davenport pastures are posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed therein.—John F. Davenport.

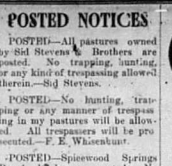
POSTED—My ranch, known as Pecan Valley, above Medina, is posted against all trespassing. No trapping or hunting of any kind will be allowed.—E. H. Sewall. 3mc

POSTED—No hunting with dogs or guns, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be strictly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

POSTED—My pastures on Myrtle Creek, the home pasture, and the Tuhn pasture, south of town, are posted. No hunting, camping, trapping or trespassing therein will be allowed.—Mrs. C. H. Mansfield. 2mp.

POSTED—My pastures situated on the head of Little Creek and on the Divide between the heads of the Seco, Medina and West Verde Creek, and also my pasture near Utopia, are posted against hunting, trapping or trespassing.—J. L. Duke.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, Nov. 19th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—M. Ollie Holdsworth, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.



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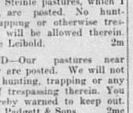

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Christmas Issue.

The New Era is planning to get out a big Christmas edition on December 23rd. Within a few days our representative will call on the business firms of Bandera and submit stylesheets of the proposed edition. We hope every business firm in this town will be represented in its columns. Think over the matter and when our representative calls on you be ready to take liberal space in the big edition.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to its matter will be appreciated.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County: Greeting:

J. B. Wright, Administrator of the Estate of John T. Wright, having filed in our County Court his final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. T. Wright numbered 406 on the Probate Docket of Bandera County, together with an application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Bandera you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the January Term 1926, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the Town of Bandera on the 17th day of January A. D. 1927, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the Town of Bandera this 27th day of September A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk, County Court Bandera County.
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Wool Sale at San Angelo

Twenty-seven and seven-eighth cents per pound, according to unofficial reports, was the peak price paid here Wednesday in the first of short fall wool in Texas this season. Sales totaled sealed bid auctions by two firms, 148,825 pounds and rejections, 101,755 pounds.

Arthur Hoover of Ozona, selling 39,665 pounds, and Joe Blakey of San Angelo, selling 24,756 pounds, received that price, while Mears & Wilkerson of Sonora, obtained 27½ cents for 36,796 pounds, it was understood. These sales were through the Wool Growers Central Storage Company to E. O. Salter of Roswell, N. M., filling an order through his son, Jack Salter, who is with Sheldon & Co. of Boston. Bids were rejected on 678,000 pounds, which will be offered further privately.

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A girl had a proposal of marriage Sunday night, and asked a week to consider it before answering. She then organized herself into an investigating committee and began taking testimony from married ladies of her acquaintance. The first one she visited used to be a belle and the most admired girl in town before she married six years before. The cross-examination brought out the fact that she had six children, did all her own work, including washing and ironing, and hadn't been down town for four weeks and that her husband had given her but $2 since she married, and that he had borrowed and forgot to pay back $20 which her brother gave her for a Christmas present. He bought himself a new overcoat with the money, while she wore the plush coat which she wore when he was courting her. Another woman whom she visited quit teaching school three years ago to marry the handsomest and best-dressed man in town," and she was supporting him. A third didn't dare say her soul was her own on her husband was around, though she used to write some lovely essays when she was at school on the "Emancipation of Woman." Well, the fourth woman she visited was driven. After visiting them and summing up the evidence, she went home and wrote the young man. She will be married next month.—Exchange.

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Church Bazaar.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will hold a bazaar on December 18. Patterns of embroidery work, and other valuable Christmas gifts will be on display. Full announcement will be made later.

Chicken Supper

The ladies of the Catholic church will give a chicken supper at St. Joseph's school on Thanksgiving evening, 5 to 10 o'clock. Fifty cents per plate. You are cordially invited.

Bazaar in connection.

Card of Thanks

I want to thank the voters of this precinct for the very flattering vote given me in the recent election, which resulted in my election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1. I very much appreciate the confidence thus given, and assure each and every one that I will do my best to discharge the duties of the office in a satisfactory and efficient manner. R. C. BOALES.

The Farmers' Gin will make final run of the season on Friday, November 19th. Remember the date and bring in your cotton.—Farmers' Gin.

Messrs. Frank E. White of Center Point and Kelley S. White of Kerrville were in Bandera yesterday and paid us a fraternal visit.

Dolph Hale, John Townsend and Joe Prusch, of Beaumont, were here Sunday visiting Mr. Hale's sister, Mrs. Henry Haby.

Mrs. Mary Carmichael, Mrs. Rose Gardiner and Miss Laura Duffy went to San Antonio Monday, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. T. P. Grant, of Tarpley, is reported quite ill. We hope she will soon recover.

Col. Upton Lorentz and Miss Mimi Merz, of Medina, were in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Tom Davis, of Kerrville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis Tuesday.

Parker Southern, of San Antonio, spent Saturday and Sunday with Edgar Habenicht.

Miss Katherine Knight and Josephine Heinen were visitors at the New Era office yesterday.

Mrs. L. M. Coffey, of Comstock, is here to spend several weeks with her mother, Mrs. M. T. Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Kelley, of Medina, were in the city Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis.

Mrs. Guy Stewart, of Dallas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Padgett, at Tarpley this week.

James Fox announces a Thanksgiving Dance at Cox Hall next Thursday night. Everybody cordially invited.

Roger Eisinger and family were in from San Antonio last Tuesday, Mr. Eisinger remained until Thursday with relatives.

Jim Surber of Wigman Creek and Jim Tibbons of San Antonio were guests of M. H. Padgett at Tarpley last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips and bright little daughter, Joyce, came down from Lima last Tuesday to witness the football game between Bandera and Lima.

Dr. Butler was called to see Sheet Nunez, above Medina, last Tuesday. Mr. Nunez has been quite ill, but his early recovery is looked for.

Mrs. O. C. Turner, formerly Mrs. Lizzie Welch, sends in her subscription to the New Era for a year. She now lives in Houston, and says she just must have the little old home paper.

C. E. Callahan, of Pipe Creek, has purchased a new Chevrolet truck and has established a transfer line from Bandera to San Antonio. He has an ad in the New Era inviting your patronage.

Ernest, Stewart and Rufus Haby came up from San Antonio and spent Saturday and Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Henry Haby. They are attending the big tending school in that city and are making splendid progress in their studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pyka and children and Joe Postert spent Sunday in San Antonio with Fred Postert. Little Miss misfortune to sustain painful injuries while playing football recently, but has about recovered.

Congressman Claude Hudspeth and L. M. Coffey came over from Comstock last Sunday and were guests at dinner in the home of Mrs. M. T. Weldon. They went on to Kerrville Sunday afternoon, from whence they expected to go to Somora.

M. R. Thalmann went to San Antonio yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Harwood, of near San Antonio, were in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Carmichael have moved to the Utopia region where they will engage in ranching.

The entire stock of the Medina Army Store, at Medina, is being closed out at greatly reduced prices. 4tp

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Engle, of San Antonio, spent last week-end with Mrs. Engle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

Mrs. Vera Whitley, who is attending High School at Hondo, spent last Sunday at with Mrs. Ena Letcher near Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvene Davis came up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dreier.

Our good friend and old standby, Col. G. G. Letcher of Pipe Creek, sends in his renewal subscription to the New Era this week.

Captain Leopold Haby and son Arnold, were up from Medina Lake yesterday on business, and had this office an appreciated visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Boermann, of Comfort, were here last Monday, they were returning home from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Spoerl at Tarpley.

Leo de Montel, who now lives on the Main place near Pipe Creek, was in town last Friday and stepped in to advance his subscription figures to the New Era.

The New Era has a nice line of Christmas Cards ready for your inspection. Place your order early if you want the best. The supply will soon be exhausted.

"The Life and Adventures of Ben Thompson," written by W. M. Walton and published in 1926, republished in 1926 by Frontier Times, can be obtained at this office at $1.50 per copy.

C. W. Edwards of Animas, Mexico, sends in his subscription renewal to the New Era, now 30 years. Mr. Edwards formerly lived at Pipe Creek and he and his family are doing well in the western land.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hacke and daughter, and G. Schoppe of Boerne, Edward Sandig and Miss Martha Habenicht of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht last Thursday.

Mrs. William Edwards of Pipe Creek, sends the New Era sent to her mother, Mrs. Florence Buckner at Selma, California, as a birthday present. Mrs. Buckner loved her home for many years and will appreciate her daughter's kind gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Von Joss, of San Antonio, were here Monday and called at the New Era office to subscribe for this paper. The Joss's recently purchased a tract of land near Red Bluff, and says he is delighted with this region.

"The Pony Express," shown at the Bandera Theater last Friday night after the vaudeville at the high school auditorium, was one of the best pictures ever shown in Bandera. Manager Don McMains of the Bandera Theater, is going to give our people a first class picture show in every respect. See the big picture tomorrow night, "Hands Up," featuring Raymond Griffin. Admission 15c and 30c.

Dr. W. P. Webb, Adjunct Professor of History in the University of Texas, and Hon. Will Mercer, secretary to United States Senator Earl B. Mayfield, came over from Austin and spent Sunday with the New Era editor. This was their first visit to Bandera and they were truly delighted with the scenic beauty of this region. Both gentlemen being interested in the history of Camp Verde we went out and visited the old camel post and made a few pictures, returning in time for dinner at the editor's home. They returned to Austin that afternoon.

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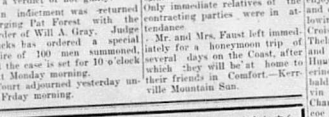

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Epworth League Social

Miss Helen Rugh, delightfully entertained the Epworth League and quite a number of her friends Friday night at her home, the City Hotel. After a business meeting of the Epworth League various games were played and music and singing was very much enjoyed. Refreshments of cake and cocoa were served to the following guests: Misses Glayda Crobsdale, Evelyn Davenport, Thelma and Eunice Surber, Vesil and Iris Faris, Nettie and Rachel Hunter, Josephine Heinen, Katherine Knight.

Bald Briggs, Carlos Gilbert, Marvin Hunter Jr., Leslie McMains, Charlie Rugh, Harold Hayes, Roy Lee Hayes, Rex Gossett and son, Mrs. Richards, Mr. Chas Rugh several hotel guests and hostess. A splendid time was had.

Undergoes An Operation.

M. R. Thalmann underwent an operation at San Antonio last Friday, for the removal of two tumors on his face, which had been causing partial paralysis. He stood the operation well, and will be able to return home in a few days.

In Justice Court.

In Judge Herman Harper's court during November the following cases were disposed of:

State vs. Anton Kalka, assault and battery; plea of guilty. Fined $5.00 and costs.

State vs. Vic Saul, affray; plea of guilty. Fined $1.00 and costs.

State vs. Lon Elam, affray; plea of guilty. Fined $1.00 and costs.

Henry Kalka vs. J. M. Stotts and J. M. Gentry, suit for damages. Jury trial; verdict for defendants. Plaintiff gave notice of appeal.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

Mrs. J. A. Head returned Tuesday from a visit to her son, H. P. Barnes, and family at Eagle Pass. She reports a most delightful time during her two weeks' stay there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Callahan had as their guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose and son, Roger, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright, Mrs. K. M. Callaham, Miss Tulsa Callaham and Dr. Joe Luther.

C. D. North, first class mattress maker, will be located in Bandera about December 1, for a short stay. Will call for and deliver work. All work guaranteed. 2tc

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese had their guests Saturday and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Dilworth and Mr. Kellogg of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finney of Rock Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hinds, of Comstock, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Henry Walker and children, accompanied by Mrs. Hilldren, accompanied by Mrs. Hilland little daughter, Amy, came up from San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Larnie, of San Antonio, visited friends and relatives here last week. Miss Pearl Miller returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Miss Lutie Miller spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans near Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Click, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Val Click last Saturday and Sunday.

Tom Lackey and little son, of Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Reed Saturday night.

Abe Hillman, who has been working near Post City, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris and little sons were Kerrville visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed went to San Antonio last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Seale visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed last Tuesday.

Mr. Ball, Mrs. Marquis, and Harold Phillips came up from San Antonio last Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips.

Victor Coose, Jack Coose, Miss Lois Coose and Harold Phillips came up from San Antonio Saturday, returning Sunday.

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If you are interested in a new car for Christmas now is the time to place your order. Let me demonstrate the new Chevrolet for you and quote you prices.—Frank Mansfield, salesman.

Time to Plant.

The recent rains makes this an ideal season to plant fruit, shade and ornamental trees of all kinds. Let us estimate your order. We replace at half price anything that dies within one year.—John A. Head.

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The New Era Christmas Greeting edition will be issued on Thursday, December 23rd. It will contain greetings from business men and citizens generally, and if you have not yet engaged space therein you should do so at once. Let your friends know that you have not forgotten them, by sending them a Christmas message through the New Era. The cost of doing this is less than sending by card or letter. Phone us today or call at this office and get in the big edition with your greeting.

The new test well at Center Point was spudded in the early part of this week, and drilling will go steadily forward.

Other big rig has arrived and another deep test will be made at the same time the initial well goes down. In view of the fact that there is plenty of capital behind the drilling operations, and also that the Walker-Van Duyn interests seem to know exactly what they are doing, there is great confidence in the project, and developments will be watched with interest. If oil is encountered we predict that the northeastern portion of old Bandera county will come in for its share of development.

The shipping out of over 120,000 pounds of fall wool, sale of which was made to Hallowell, Jones & Donald last week by the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers Association, began Monday morning. The wool was hauled to Center Point by trucks and from there sent to Boston by rail. While the actual price paid per pound for this wool is not available for publication, it is understood to be generally satisfactory and in line with prices paid other growers over the state, and the total amounts to a considerable sum to be distributed among the growers of Bandera county during the past year more than a quarter of a million dollars worth of wool and mohair has been sold by the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association, which spells prosperity in big letters. Added to the income derived from the sale of livestock, poultry, farm products, fruits, furs and other revenue producing resources the amount of money brought in grows to gigantic proportions while the tide of prosperity flows on.

The New Era has a nice line of Christmas Cards ready for your inspection. Place your order early if you want the best, as our supply will soon be exhausted.

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The pardoning out of criminals, difficulty of getting jurors, the scarcity of convictions for capital offenses, will all work out for the best. It will finally mean getting the people aroused to amend the constitution and change the criminal code so as to make crime unprofitable. Some of the big criminals who howl for a fair and impartial trial would never consent to have their case tried in Canada where they would get a fair and impartial trial and also justice. The crime they committed would never have been done had they lived in Canada. This shows that crime can be prevented, where the criminal knows that punishment comes sure and swift. Another decade will see many changes in our criminal laws.—Uvalde Leader News.

Killing Goes On

Since January 1 there have been 260 murders in the largest American city.

And here's another statement to go with that:

Of those 260 murders 221 remain unsolved—their perpetrators haven't even been caught, much less punished.

Crime still kills with comparative impunity in America. We are moving toward ways of halting the yearly slaughter, but the progress is unpardonably slow.

The New York Crime Commissioner learned in Canada recently how the Dominion controls crime. Jurists and police officials explained that speed in the handling of criminal cases is the basis of Canada's success in curbing the lawless.

Under the Canadian system it is not unusual for a person accused of a serious crime to be indicted, tried and convicted within two days. Cases are often tried before a judge; when there's a jury it is picked in a few minutes.

"A trial here is not a game, but a sworn, serious investigation to ascertain whether a crime has been committed against the state," the Commissioner was told by Justice Rodolfi, the man who stamped out the Toronto crime wave of three years ago in a couple of months.

In other words, in Canada you can't fool the law, or fool with it. The state moves swiftly and inexorably to crush the evildoer.

New York's antiquated legal machinery is being tinkered to make it operate more quickly and effectively. Meanwhile, the murders keep up. Can't the job be hurried?

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Do you read Frontier Times?

To Drill at Center Point.

Carrying out with amazing swiftness their plan to give the Center Point vicinity a thorough test for oil, the Walker & Van Duyn interests Tuesday selected the site for the first test well and at the same time began the erection of drilling machinery.

Kerr County's first real test well will be developed on the W.B.Leigh tract, lying between the Southern Pacific Railroad and the Guadalupe River, less than one mile northwest from Center Point. It will be known as the Walker & Van Duyn No 1.

Associated with Judge A. W. Walker of Dallas and E. W. Duyn of Des Moines Ia., in the development project are a number of well known oil men, who have operated in the North and Wegt Texas districts. Present plans call for three tests in Center Point vicinity, where the syndicate holds a block of several thousand acres in leases.

For the past two months Walker-Van Duyn and associates have been quietly working in Kerr County, securing leases and running geological surveys. Operation had been expected to start some time within the next few weeks; but even the citizens of Center Point were taken by surprise when three carloads of drilling machinery was placed on a siding track near the S. P. station Sunday morning. The equipment was shipped from the Moran field.

Drilling crews have been in Center Point for the past week and the task of unloading and setting up the rig was started Tuesday morning, shortly after the drilling was announced.

Judge A. W. Walker, the pioneer in the plan to develop what he expects will be another great Texas oil field near Center Point, was in Kerrville Tuesday. After a conference with his associates, he announced that the Walker & Van Duyn No. 1 on the Leigh tract would be spudded in by the middle of next week and that drilling operations would be rushed forward to completion by day and night crews. He declined to discuss probable location for the two other test wells planned.

The drilling machinery being erected on the Leigh farm will be one of the most completely equipped in any Texas field. It consists of a standard cable rig, an 84-foot heavy steel derrick, electrically lighted, operated by two engines, and a complete line of tools.

The fact that Walker Van Duyn and associates are not offering any stock or leases on the market, and the dispatch with which they are carrying out their announced plans lends credence to the belief that a vast oil producing formation underlies the eastern section of the county. Indications are that production will be encountered around the 2,600 feet, but the Walker-Van Duyn rig is capable of going down to a level of 5,000 feet.

Five geologists have plaintabled the Center Point structure within the past month and on their favorable reports the syndicate is standing the cost sinking the test wells, which will mount into thousands of dollars.

There is history and romance in the Center Point test, it became known with visit of Judge Walker. Back in 1900, J. A. Lawatney, geologist in the employ of Guffenheiu interests, made a mineral survey of Kerr County and mapped the structure in the area to be developed at Center Point. Lawatney, now in his 94th year, is a wealthy oil operator in the Tampico, Mexico, field, and, although he has advanced years, he turned the 26 year old map of the Center Point area to a younger associate several years ago. It came into the hands of Judge A. W Walker in Dallas only a few months ago. Recent surveys by five of the best known Texas geologists, among them J. R. Shirley; formerly with the Sinclair Company, and Clifton M. Keeler, of the Sun Co., checked the findings of Lewatney in 1900. As a result, the development of the Center Point area is being rushed, and the spotlight in oil circles will soon be turned on Kerr County.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park, Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and an old time good time. Everybody welcome.

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"The Life and Adventures of Ben Thompson," written by W. M. Walton and published in 1884, republished in 1926 by Frontier Times, can be obtained at this office at $1.50 per copy.

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A Mule and an Acre.

The carpetbaggers, after the civil war, promised every "redheaded pusson" who had been freed by Abraham Lincoln's emancipation proclamation, a mule and an acre of ground. Visions of "ham and," so to speak filled the minds of many of those simple hearted children of Africa, as they thought of what "might be." Few if any of them seemed to realize that the mule and the acre would be only the machinery. They little reeked that there would be elbow grease, and a lot of it, required to make the mule go along with the mule and acre if they were to enjoy corn bread and cabbage, and all the other blessings. So the "buiggers," as the Southern people, so characteristically denominated them soon realized that the promised carpet bagger or any other individual can't take all the labor out of work.

So when you talk to some men about new methods, they are perfectly willing, if they can slip dollars into the machine at one end, and without elbow grease and thought go to the other end and take out dollars plus, to engage in the occupation you are advising. Those kind of men wouldn't be a success on help.

Still there are other men who, no matter how you have refined the process, can't believe it is true.

In all lines of endeavor men are gradually thinking out new methods, and making things simpler and easier. The poultry raising business is one where the work has been turned into pleasure, because it brings the right sort of healthful exercise, and at the same time pays a profit, a substantial profit.

In the California Colonies for fourteen years they have been proving that by work and cooperation it is possible to make a hen lay two eggs, where she only laid one before. They have long since taken the guess out of the poultry business, and made it one of the sure thing successes of the Pacific Coast.—Kerrville Times.

Rev. John McKay of the Methodist church preached a timely sermon Sunday morning. He called attention to the burglaries committed at Uvalde and how the people were aroused. Homes were being locked up at night perhaps for the first time in years. A complimentary to the officers on their diligence in capturing the burglars.

He then drew a comparison between the loss of a few dollars and the greater loss of the ruining of the lives of the young people from the drinking of intoxicating liquor. It was his duty as a Christian minister to raise his voice against an evil in this community. The church had always stood where he stood and he would not be true to himself or his God did he fail to make protest and do all he could to safeguard the boys and girls of this community who were being debauched in some cases by the sale of bootleg liquor. It was time for the people to be aroused over this question and to think straight and to act straight.

Rev. McKay is right. There is no question that liquor has been sold to young people. It was in evidence at the football game here Armistice day. A few dollars stolen from a home, as he said, might be remedied very easily but to debauch a young life is a crime that may reach through time and eternity. It is a pitiable thing for a young man with every prospect of being a success to allow himself to get under the influence of liquor and make a fool of himself in a public place. He is making black marks by his name that will be remembered by his hart. Selling to minors was a violation of the law during school days and it certainly should not be tolerated now.—Uvalde Leader-News.

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FOR SALE—Eight Colonies of bees in standard 8½ story 10 frame hives.—Eldred Evans, Southwestern phone. 2tp

FOR SALE—Two incubators, one a Perfection 250-egg, and the other 105 Degree 200-egg capacity also have a wagon scale, all at a bargain. See Oscar Perner. 2tp

TURKEYS—I have for sale Bourbon Red and White Holland pure-bred turkeys. Toms $5.50; hens, $3.5.1.—Mrs. M. B. Padgett, Tarpley, Texas. 2tp

FOR SALE—700 Angora kids, mixed; also two good horses and some implements. Farm tools, etc. For prices see F. A. Kelley, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Good saddle and bridle, $55.00. 7-foot tandem tractor disc harrow for $100, practically new and in good shape, cost $138. Also a Sandwich cylinder corn sheller for $115, operated by power, and will do the work. See Frank Mansfield.

BRONZE TURKEYS—Pure-bred big boned Mammoth Bronze Turkeys for sale. Toms, $10; hens, $6.—Mrs. F. F. Thalmann, Bandera, Texas. 4tp

Don't forget to have your eyes tested. It will cost you nothing. Bring your jewelry, watches and clocks in for repairs.—T. S. Dennis, Jeweler and Optometrist.

FOR SALE—300 acres unimproved land 1½ miles from Welfare, Postoffice, railway station and school; ½ mile from store and filling station; 8 miles north of Boerne, on the San Antonio and Fredericksburg Highway. About 90 acres can be put in cultivation.—Aug. Bartel, Welfare, Texas

NOTICE—I am now running my grist mill and crusher at Medina, and will appreciate the patronage of my friends.—A. W. Mayfield.

WANTED—At Boerne, before December 10, oak burls. Must be 500 pounds and over and well shaped. Will pay $2 per 100 pounds.—Noel Insall, Boerne, Texas. 2tp

Miss Delia Southoff entertained a large crowd of her friends with a delightful social dance at her home on East Verde last Saturday night. A good time is reported.

FOR SALE—A few choice Mammoth Bronze toms, prize winning strain. Price $10 and up.—Mrs. H. L. Atkins.

LOST—A white gold wrist watch of oblong shape, between my home and the First State Bank. Reward offered—Magdalen Dugos, First State Bank.

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G. G. Hinds, of near Lima, was here Monday.

Tom Crist, of Pipe Creek, was a business visitor in town Monday.

Mrs. C. B. Schwinfurt, of Utopia, was the guest of Mrs. W. R. Fletcher, the first of the week.

Tom Light, who resides near Medina, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis Friday night.

The entire stock of the Medina Army Store, at Medina, is being closed out at greatly reduced prices. 4tp

Mr. and Mrs. August Weinand, of Hondo, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Adamietz last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange Clark returned last week from an enjoyable visit to relatives at Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McMains were over from Center Point Friday afternoon and remained for the picture show that night.

D. M. Newcomer and Winford Hester, of Pipe Creek, were in town Saturday on business, and while here Mr. Newcomer dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Rolf Balzen and son, O. R. Balzen, of Knippa, visited his brother, Ben Balzen, near Tarpley last Friday. Mr. Balzen and his son were in Bandera Saturday and while here called at the New Era office to subscribe for Frontier Times.

The Bandera High School boys basket ball team went to Medina on Wednesday of last week and played a game of basket ball with the Medina High School team, losing to Medina by a score of 17 to 4.

Noel Insall, of Boerne, was here Tuesday, buying oak burls. He informs us that oak and walnut stumps are in demand for use in furniture making and he pays two cents per pound for burls weighing 500 pounds and over.

Nat B. Jones, generally known all over West and Southwest Texas as "Kiowa" Jones, was over from Kerrville Monday on business. Mr. Jones was connected with the Texas Ranger service for many years, and made one of the best peace officers ever in the service of the State.

Fresh Vegetables every Friday at Fred L. Cosgrove's Grocery.

Rush Forrest, of Port Arthur, is here on business this week.

Ed Caton, of Medina, came down Monday to serve as grand juror.

J. W. Glass, of Tarpley, came over Monday to report for grand jury duty.

Messrs A. W. and Brice Mayfield, good citizens of Medina, were here on business Monday.

A. F. Miekli, of Mercedes, Texas, sends in his renewal to the little old home paper this week.

R. I. Harper, of the Utopia region, answered roll call for grand jury service when court was convened Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Green and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Kellner, of San Antonio, were guests of M. V. Adamietz and family last Sunday.

A sumptious Thanksgiving dinner is being served at the Indian Creek school house today. The New Era editor acknowledges an invitation to be present.

H. W. Billings, a good citizen of the Tarpley region, was promptly on hand at the opening of district court Monday morning to report for grand jury duty.

Roy Mayfield wishes to have the address of the New Era changed from San Antonio to North Uvalde, Texas, where he has been transferred. He is still with the Border Patrol.

E. H. Sowall, of the Pecan Valley Ranch above Medina, reported for grand jury service Monday morning, but was excused when it was completed before his name was reached, and he was excused.

Mrs. Harriet Chipman this week renewed the New Era subscription of her son, Ham Chipman, Sonora, Texas, and Mrs. Wm. O. Quick of Austin, as well as her own subscription to Frontier Times.

Ralph Watson and his father-in-law, R. R. Seymore came down from Wingate last week on business. They were in Bandera on Saturday and visited this office, when Ralph subscribed for the New Era. Ralph formerly lived near Medina but for the past three years has been residing in Runnels county. He says that is a good country, but he would like to secure a ranch here and raise sheep and goats.

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MISS JEWEL LANGFORD ACCIDENTLY KILLED SUNDAY

One of the saddest tragedies that has occurred in this community took place last Sunday evening late, when a shot gun, accidently discharged, snuffed out the life of Miss Jewel Langford, and critically injured Harry Beckdow and Ralph Langford, at the old Langord ranch on Privilege Creek, and the girl and boys were immediately rushed to Bandera.

The young man, whose home is in San Antonio, was immediately taken to a hospital in that city.

From what we can gather it seems that a party of young people had been turkey hunting, or were going turkey hunting. A shot gun was leaning against the side of the automobile in which Miss Langford and Beckdow were seated, with the door of the car open. As it started the gun to falling to the ground, and its hammer striking the running board it was discharged, the load of shot striking Beckdow in the left leg and right hand, and a portion of the charge going upward and breaking her neck. The wounded persons were hastily brought to town by Dr. Butler, but the deadly shot gun had claimed another victim, and Miss Langford was dead when they reached Dr. Butler's residence.

Verily, "in the midst of life we are in death." This shocking tragedy brings this home to us more than ever. This splendid young lady, just entering upon the threshold of a glorious womanhood, was cut down as a tender plant which had just blossomed into a beautiful flower, and she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Langford of Privilege, and was fourteen years old. She was a pupil in the seventh grade in Pandera High school, a light-hearted, happy, lively girl, and a general favorite in the community. It is hard to realize that she has been taken from us, but the shocking manner in which she met her almost sudden death has stunned the entire community, and almost prostrated her fond parents, brothers and sister with grief.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the cemetery by Rev. R. L. Hicks, pastor of the Baptist church, and Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church. The pall bearers were Burgin Davenport, Marvin Hunter, Jr., Hugh Hunter, Jr., Bob Mansfield Herman Thalmann and Leo Eckhart, students in Bandera High School. School was dismissed for the afternoon and the pupils attended in a body to pay their last respects to their beloved school mate and chum, and the many tears shed by the boys and girls who were her daily associates and companions, and the many beautiful flowers which were banked high upon the mound which marks her resting place testifies in mute silence of the great esteem and love in which Jewel was held by all who knew her. Many sorrowing friends came from Pipe Creek, Tarpley, Medina, Center Point, Kerrville and San Antonio to attend the funeral.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Langford; two brothers, Frank and Lane Langford, of Bandera, and one sister, Mrs. Joe Stein, of San Antonio, all of whom have the sincere sympathy of the entire community in this grievous hour which has so suddenly and without warning descended upon them.

Schreiner's Sale.

The Chas. Schreiner Co. of Kerrville, will put on a gigantic Anniversary Sale beginning next Monday, and ending December 24th. Prices will be slashed throughout their dry goods department and great bargains will be offered in dry goods, dress goods, clothing and shoes. The big store is going to celebrate its 50th anniversary in a way that will not be forgotten, and give its customers the advantage of tremendous price cuts, the reduction being from 20 to 50 per cent. The store's $100,000 stock of dry goods affords a wide range from which to make your selections, and if you want bargains you will now have an opportunity to get them at Schreiner's, in Kerrville.

Pie Supper at Pipe Creek.

A pie and box supper was given at the Pipe Creek school house on the evening of November 24th. A short Thanksgiving program was rendered by the "Literary Society of the school just previous to the auctioning of the boxes. The people of Pipe Creek respond wonderfully, thus demonstrating their fine school spirit, their interest and cooperation in this part of the school work, and demonstrating also their ability to make and to eat good pies. Joe Callahan says that Pipe Creek should have been named "Pie Creek." The ladies had some excellent pies there and there was a ready sale for each one. About $43 was made, making a total of about $70 with which to paint he rooms.

THE PAT FOREST MURDER CASE IN DISTRICT COURT

Yesterday afternoon, after argument by counsel, the motion for a change of venue was overruled. Counsel then asked for a continuance of the case until next term of district court. After hearing argument in the matter Judge Brucks continued the case.

The trial of Pat Forest, charged by indictment with the murder of Will A. Gray, near Medina City on August 22, was called for trial in district court here last Monday morning. In calling the list of witnesses it was discovered that L. A. Heder, a material witness was not present, and had not been subpoened. Heder was out of the county, presumably in San Antonio, and the trial was delayed until he could be found. Tuesday morning the witness was present, and the State announced ready for trial.

Judge Lee Wallace, of Kerrville, Will A. Morris, Sr., and Will A. Morris, Jr., attorneys for the defendant, filed a motion for a change of venue, which application was signed by the defendant, Pat Forest. The motion alleged that

"1st. There exists in this county so great a prejudice against him that he cannot obtain a fair and impartial trial of this cause in said county." and

"2nd. That there is a dangerous combination against him instigated by influential persons by reason of which he cannot expect a fair trial in this county; persons engaged in that combination, etc., on the day of alleged homicide when defendant had been arrested and placed in jail a large number of persons, mostly citizens of Bandera county assembled with threats and purpose to inflict mob violence.

"3rd. Large numbers of relatives of deceased live in Bandera county who are bitter against defendant and who are combining their efforts toward his conviction. Local counsel as well as counsel from Kerr county have been retained and employed to prosecute defendant; public sens of Bandera county have joined in and are contributing to such employment; that local feeling and menace is such that the sheriff of Bandera county has kept and keeps the jail where defendant is confined under constant guard since defendant's return to Bandera county.

"Defendant prays the court to change the venue of this cause to some other county, which is free from the above and other objections."

Supporting the motion for a change of venue the following document was filed in court;

"The undersigned affiants, B. O. Baker, W. G. Keese, S. P. Sutton and O. C. Gabriel, residents of Bandera county, Texas, and credible persons, having this day been fully informed of the contents of this application for a venue filed by Pat Forest, the defendant in the above cause, and having read same, and being duly sworn, upon our oaths do depose and say:

"1st. That the facts stated in said application are true in substance and in fact.

"2nd. That we know of the existence of such prejudice against the said Pat Forest in this county, and that it exists to such an extent throughout this county that we do not believe that a fair and impartial trial in this county can be had and obtained by the said Pat Forest in said cause.

"3rd. That we know of a dangerous combination against the said Pat Forest instigated by influential persons by reason of which we do not believe that the said Pat Forest can expect a fair trial of this cause in this county; that the facts in relation to said combination and names of the persons engaged in said combination so far as known to us are as follows: As alleged in defendant's affidavit and application for change of venue." (Signed) B. O. Baker, S. P. Sutton, W. G. Keese, O. C. Gabriel.)

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Witnesses testifying Tuesday were Ernest Taylor of Blackett, Judge C. W. Harris of Medina, Bob Mayfield of Medina, Henry Jones of Bandera, J. M. Hunter of Bandera, B. O. Baker of Medina, O. C. Gabriel of Sabinal Canyon, W. G. Keese, of above duly sworn, upon our oaths do depose and say:

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During the taking of testimony in the change of venue hearing the special venire was excluded from the court room.

Assisting District Attorney Baker in the prosecution are Robert I. Wilson of Kerrville and W. S. Ethridge of Bandera.

The trial brought a large crowd to the county seat. Long before court opened Monday morning men began coming out of the hills from all directions, some of them the 100 special veniremen ordered for the trial. Others were attracted by the first murder case that has been on docket since 1914. The one of 12 years ago was not tried here, having been sent to Kerrville on a change of venue.

Interest in the trial is heightened because the defendant is a product of Bandera, having been born and reared here. Many of those in court recalled that they had known him "ever since he was an infant in his mother's arms."

Gray, who lived in San Antonio, operating a bus through through this section for the Union Bus Company, is a former resident of Bandera and was popular in this county. Some of the talesmen brought bedding in their automobiles, and were prepared in the event they got caught on the jury. Forest has been in jail since the alleged homicide and had made no effort to obtain his release on bond. He was placed in the Bexar County jail at San Antonio on the day of his arrest. Last week he was brought to the Bandera County jail, in preparation of his trial.

Since then he has had two guards, over him constantly, not because violence was feared, Sheriff Henry Stevens explained, but because the Bandera County jail has been in disuse so long that it is no condition to safely keep prisoners. The jail was built in 1881, but has not housed as many prisoners as it is now. Old-timers claim Bandera has another distinction, in that the office of county attorney has been vacant for many years because business is too slack to attract aspirants.

Forest came into court neatly dressed in a blue serge suit, freshly pressed. He stood erect while being arraigned, and after Deputy District Clerk W. R. Fletcher finished reading the long indictment, he pleaded "not guilty," without the slightest show of nervousness.

Opinions varied as to the probability of Forest getting fair treatment at the hands of a jury in Bandera County. Some said his case had been prejudiced and that feeling was so great against the defendant he could not get justice. Others insisted that while there had been considerable sentiment adverse to the defendant, they were sure a jury could be obtained that would consider only the evidence adduced at the trial, and render a just verdict.

H. B. Nance, who said he lived 13 miles from Bandera and had been a resident of the county for 17½ years, was the first witness put on by the defense in its effort to substantiate its claim that a fair trial could not be obtained here. He said he traveled all over the county buying and selling livestock and that he had heard many expressions of feeling against the defendant. He said he had not heard anyone say Forest was innocent and some gave it as their opinion he ought to be sent to the electric chair. If taken on the jury he would give the defendant a fair trial, he said.

Walter Keese, who lives 20 miles from Bandera, said he had lived in the county all his life and knew the defendant "since he was a little fellow." He said he had heard "right smart" discussion of the case and that feeling seemed to be against the defendant and he had heard the homicide described as a "brutal affair."

One man said he did not think a "man like that ought to be loose," and he heard that another party had said "he ought to look up a tree," in referring to the defendant, Keese testified.

"One party told me he thought Sheriff Stevens should have left him here so he could have been mobbed," the witness said. Keese said the expressions he heard were confined to his own immediate community.

A Compilation by County Judge J. A. Eames showing the number of votes cast at the last election as being 1,064, was introduced into the record by the defense.

The issue of the Bandera New Era of August 26, bearing an article headed, "Will A. Gray Fatally Murdered," in which were given details of the murder of August 22, for which Forest is on trial, was introduced. The article referred to the deceased as having been "most brutally and fiendishly murdered," and spoke of Sheriff Stevens' action in removing Forest to the Bexar County jail, following his arrest, as having "prevented a lynching".

An editorial referring to the murder and in which the hope was expressed among other, that "the day will never come when the fair name of Bandera County will be blackened by a lynching," was also read into the record.

Robert I. Wilson, of Kerrville and W. S. Ethridge of Bandera, private counsel assisting District Attorney W. C. Baker in the prosecution, were requested by Attorney Morris to tell the court the source of their employment, and if they knew of any contributions to a fund to pay their fees.

Wilson said he had been employed by Tom Gray of Bandera, a brother of the deceased, and Ethridge said he was engaged by Gray, and the widow of W. A. Gray, the deceased. Ethridge said the Union Bus Company of San Antonio, with whom Gray was employed at the time of his death, had told him that he could ride free of charge on their buses while he was engaged in the prosecution. Both said they did not know of any contributions toward a fund to pay them.

A copy of the San Antonio Express of August 23, containing a story headed "Bandera Crowd Threatens to Lynch Prisoner," and telling of the finding of Gray's mutilated body and the arrest of Forest, was read into the record.

Ernest E. Taylor who lives near Blackett, said he had heard many expressions unfavorable to the defendant. He heard some say that he ought to be hanged or sent to the chair, and in his opinion could not get a fair and impartial trial in this County. He had not heard anyone say Forest was innocent.

C. W. Harris, justice of the

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School Bonds Declared Void.

The Attorney General has ruled that the bonds as issued in the recent election in the Utopia school district were void and it will necessitate the election being held again. It is thought that through some change in the district and the leaving off of certain territory voided the bonds. The people of Utopia have been holding their school in various store buildings and private residences since the school house was destroyed by fire—Uvalde Leader-News.

Surprise Birthday Dinner.

Uncle John Dugosh turned seventy years old last Sunday, and his children and grandchildren gave him a delightful birthday surprise by dropping in and spreading a big dinner at the family home north of town. Those present on the happy occasion were Mr. and Mrs. John Dugosh, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubble and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Dugosh and children, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Reeves and children of Camp Verde, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace James and family of Ingram, and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dugosh and children.

Mr. Dagosh has thirty-five grandchildren, and of this number twenty-three were present to help him celebrate the 70th birthday. He also has one great grandson.

The New Era joins in congratulations and best wishes for Uncle John's continued good health and we hope he will be spared to be with us many more years. We appreciate some of the excellent birthday cake which was brought in to the editor Monday.

D. B. Hicks, M. F. Smart, R. L. Duke, and J. B. Smallwood, all good citizens of the Utopia region, were this week called to attend district court, being summoned on the special venire. Monday afternoon they swamped this office with a flood of subscription renewals to the New Era, and we feel like a bloated bond-holder in consequence.

Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park, Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and an old time good time. Everybody welcome.

Miss Ruth McAdams, teacher of the Blackett school, returned Sunday from Kerrville where she spent Thanksgiving. She was accompanied home by Prof Batson, wife and son and Mr. Dorgan of the Schreiner Institute. They were the guests of Ike Wellmer's family, near Camp Verde.

MEDINA.

Mrs. O. W. Livingston and Mrs. J. R. Johnston went to San Antonio one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice and Misses Lorena and Edna Lackey spent several days at Crystal City last week. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Whitson Justice.

Mrs. May Pass and children and Mrs. Lackey and son spent several days in Kerrville last week.

Ross Briggs, who is teaching at Sutherland Springs, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Briggs, Thanksgiving.

Miss Jewel Autry spent several days at home last week.

Mrs. Lucile James, Mrs. W. H. Price, and Miss Adell Davis attended the B. Y. P. U. convention at Austin last week.

Don Herrin and family, of Corpus Christi, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Humphreys and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris, last week-end.

Mrs. Earl Jones and Miss Clora Smith of Camp Verde visited in Medina one day last week.

Miss Abbie Brashear who teaches at Hunt, spent last week's end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Brook Banta and children visited relatives here last week.

Fred Palmer and sister-in-law Mrs. Clint Palmer and children visited Rev. and Mrs. D. S. Palmer last week.

Miss Archie Mitchell, of San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Mitchell, last week.

Mrs. I. D. Shuptrine underwent an operation on her eyes last week at San Antonio.

P. L. Medford died at his home above Medina last Friday afternoon, after a long illness. He leaves a wife and two children, Mrs. Lizzie Norris and Clyde Medford. They also have two children dead Henry Medford and Mrs. Mattie Bush. Funeral services were held at the Oak Rest Cemetery Saturday afternoon by Rev. B. J. Gossett. We extend sympahy to the bereaved family.

A bazaar will be given by the P. T. A. Saturday, December 4, at the Hall. Dinner will be served at 12c and 25c. Everybody come.

Do you read Frontier Times?

VANDERPOOL

Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Brown and H. C. Gilmore of Utopia, were with us Sunday and the minister brought us a fine sermon both services.

R. H. Thompson and wife came in Thursday from a ten weeks stay in a hospital in San Antonio All his many friends are delighted to know of his recovery.

Clyde Long and family, also Mr. Hobler, wife and baby, all of Menia left Wednesday after a week's stay with Mrs. Long's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Polvado. Mrs. Polvado accompanied them home for a few weeks visit to them and other relatives in that section.

The radio demonstration by George Joplin, of Sabinal, Thanksgiving evening, at the home of Mr and Mrs. E. J. Rainey was an unusually pleasant occasion and when the radio wasn't on Miss Gladis O'Bryant entertained by picking the guitar and was assisted in singing by Misses Gladys Thrash, Allie Marie O'Bryant and Vol Chisum.

Misses Opal Clayton, Roberta Thompson and Ola Mae Seaton-melfenning returned to Sabinal Sunday afternoon for school Monday.

Rogston Lucky, of the Divide has just closed a deal with O. M. and A. W. Clayton for 125 head of mutton goats.

Drs. Dudley Jackson, and Burleson of San Antonio and a friend of Colorado were week-end visitors and hunters on the Joe Wadkes ranch.

John Loyd left Friday for his home at Menard after a few days stay with his sister, Mrs. P. O. Love.

Arthur Bridges and family and his mother, Mrs. J. M. Bridges, all of Sabinal, happened to a rather painful accident early Thursday morning. While enroute to Vanderpool their car collided with a truck, the fog being too dense, but fortunately none of the occupants were seriously hurt. The car was pretty badly store up in front. Mrs. J. S. Cooly was down to see them that night and states all doing O. K.

Little Eddy Ivy in the P. & S Hospital in San Antonio, is reported doing fine.

Preston Love, spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Delbert Hicks, at Tarpley.

Mrs. Wilford Moore and Miss Manse left Sunday for their home at Dallas, after a few days stay in the R. G. Thompson home.

Practically every man in this vicinity has been called to Bandera court for Monday.

R. G. Thompson has caught a very cunning and curious squirrel It is snow white with pink eyes, and of medium size.

The New Era has a nice line of Christmas Cards ready for your inspection. Place your order early if you want the best, as our supply will soon be exhausted.

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POSTED—Trespassers are warned to keep out of my pasture on Privilege Creek. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed therein.—C. H. Briant.

POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Schatz pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

POSTED—All of my pastures on West Verde Creek are posted, and hunting, trapping and all other trespassing therein is forbidden. You are warned to keep out.—Mrs. Booker Davenport. 2m

POSTED—My pastures, including the Steinle pastures, which I control, are posted. No hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein —Eddie Leibold. 2m

POSTED—Our pastures near Tarpley are posted. We will not permit hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing therein. You are hereby warned to keep out. —R. S. Padgett & Sons. 2mo

POSTED—My pastures located on West Verde Creek are posted. Hunting, trapping, or any manner of trespassing therein is strictly forbidden.—S. D. Mulcahy, dr. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures on West Verde are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed —Ben Gerdes. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures are posted, and I will not allow hunting, trapping, cutting bee trees, or any manner of trespassing therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Lonie Haeglin. 2mo

POSTED—My pastures in Bandera and Medina counties are posted, and no hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing on my lands will be allowed. You are warned to keep out.—Chas. Schott. 2mp

POSTED—The John F. Davenport pastures are posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed therein.—John F. Davenport. 2mp

POSTED—My ranch, known as Pecan Valley, above Medina, is posted against all trespassing. No trapping or hunting of any kind will be allowed.—E. H. Sewall. 3mo

POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

POSTED—My pastures on Myrtle Creek, the home pasture, and the Trap pasture, south of town, are posted. No hunting, camping, trapping or trespassing therein will be allowed.—Mrs. H. Mansfield. 2mp.

POSTED—My pastures situated on the head of Little Creek and on the divide between the heads of the Seco, Medina and Willow Creek, and also my pasture near Utopia, are posted against hunting, trapping or trespassing.—R. L. Duke.

POSTED—Our pastures, including all lands we have in charge, are posted against hunting, trapping, or any kind of trespassing. You are hereby warned to keep out.—E. F. Heinen, O. B. Heinen. 24p.

POSTED—The Montague ranch lands are posted and hunting, trapping or trespassing thereon will not be allowed. This applies to all our pastures.—Frank M. Montague. 5tc.

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Scenes at Opening of the Forest Murder Trial in Bandera

Scenes from the trial of Pat Forest in Bandera on charge of murder of W. A. Gray are shown above. The court house is shown in the upper left. Upper center shows Forest being brought from the jail by officers. The prisoner is shown in the center with handcuffs with Sheriff Henry Stevens on the right, Ike Stevens on the left and Rol Davenport in the rear. A close-up of the lower left insert with District Judge L. J. Brucks of Hondo on the right. The jail, of which Forest is the only prisoner is shown in the background. All photographs by K. G. MacDonald, staff photographer of the San Antonio Express. —Courtesy San Antonio Express

Forest Trial

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peace at Medina City, who held an inquest over Gray's body, said he heard nothing about threats or violence on the day of the alleged homicide. He said that the people were cumfounded at the sordid details of the crime, and that all similar cases created more or less talk.

Robert Mayfield of Medina City said there was the "right smart feeling" against the defendant, and that the consensus of opinion was he ought to be punished. He had not heard any expression lately.

J. M. Hunter, editor of the Bandera New Era, said his paper had a circulation of about 900 copies, and that three-fourths of this number went to citizens of Bandera County, and that they had doubtless read his account of the killing of Gray. He said he believed the inflamed feeling was because of the nature of the crime and not necessarily against the defendant. He said he believes Forest can get a fair and impartial trial.

Sheriff Henry Stevens said he had taken Forest to San Antonio on the day of the homicide for "various reasons," and that he believed such action was necessary "for his safety at the time." About 100 people gathered in Bandera, he said, although he took the prisoner out of the jail and drove away with him, accompanied by two deputy sheriffs without any demonstration on the part of the crowd.

He said it was more economical to keep prisoners in the Bexar County jail because the Bandera County jail had been in disuse so long it was not safe, and that no one lived on the premises, making it more or less easy for prisoners to escape, and necessitating the employment of guards.

He said that he had made statements that Forest had not been adequately punished in other cases that were brought against him, and if he had been, the Gray killing would not have happened. He said Forest "got off light" in cases where he was charged with cutting "the Smith boy" and with resisting an officer.

He said Gray was widely known and well liked, having lived in that community about 10 years. There are about 400 qualified jurors in the county, he said.

He said the physical facts showed it was a premeditated murder, a very brutal one, and that he believed the sentiment charged as existing against Forest was a result of the heinousness of the crime, and not against any particular individual.

He said guards were kept at the jail every day, but not so much to keep some one from taking the prisoner out as to keep him from getting out. He said Forest was taken when the bank was shown he kept the alleged robbers in the District County jail.

He said he had heard of no demonstration on any one's part to mob the defendant, although Rush Forest, his brother, had told him he was afraid of such action. B. O. Baker of Medina City said he had known the defendant since he was a child, and that he had confidence in securing him got a fair and impartial trial. He was given a severe grilling by District Attorney Baker, who asked if he was not actively doing everything he could to aid in Forest's defense. Baker said he was only anxious to see him tried by a jury that is not prejudiced. He should not "but around and talk to them if he wanted to," until he was placed under the rule by the court and admonished not to discuss the case.

Witness said the defendant's father in his lifetime was a practicing physician at Medina City, and was highly esteemed and that the defendant's mother and his San Antonio, but says he visits Bandera county frequently, and had heard the crime discussed. he did not think defendant could get a fair and impartial trial.

S. P. Sutton lives near Lima. Heard of the killing of Gray. Knows defendant. Well acquainted over the county. Does not think defendant can get a fair and impartial trial. Questioned by Judge Brucks witness admitted that he was on the regular jury panel and also on the special venire, and had talked to Ben Baker, and counsel for the defense in regard to the case and had signed the affidavit with application for change of venue, knowing at the time that the court had admonished him not to talk about this or any other case that might come up for hearing.

Judge Brucks then instructed the clerk to enter a fine of ten dollars against the witness.

R. S. Smith testified that he lives near Medina, was sheriff of this county twelve years. Well acquainted over the county. Was at home on August 22d, 1926. Heard many people express opinions in regard to case; heard no prejudice against Pat Forest individually. Heard no threats. Believes he can get a fair and impartial trial in Bandera County.

C. Y. Billings, druggist in Bandera, testified that he was in his store on August 22, 1926. Heard the homicide discussed a great deal at the time, but not much discussion recently. Thinks defendant can get a fair and impartial trial in this county. Has no prejudice against defendant.

B. F. Langford, testified he lives in Bandera. Knows a great many people in the county. Remembers time of the killing. Could not say that he knows Pat Forest the defendant. Hasn't heard the case discussed much, mostly immediately after the homicide. Heard no prejudice expressed against the defendant. Belives he can get a fair and impartial trial in this county.

A. L. Mansfield, County Judge-elect, testified that he had heard the Forest case discussed. Heard no prejudice; heard no feeling expressed against the defendant. Believes the people of Bandera county will give any man a fair trial and will be governed by the law and evidence. Believes defendant can get a fair and impartial trial here.

R. I. Harper, testified that he lives in the western part of the county. Did not hear very much of the homicide at the time it occurred. Read about it in San Antonio papers, but not in Bandera paper. Does not know defendant. Is a member of the present grand jury. Believes defendant can get a fair and impartial trial. Heard expressions that he was a bad boy. Thinks there are men in Bandera county who will give him a fair trial.

After hearing arguments by counsel for chang of venue the motion was overruled by Judge Brucks. Application was then made for a continuance on grounds of a material witness. The motion for a continuance was granted.

BESELER'S Anniversary Sale

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Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park, Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and an old time good time. Everybody welcome.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

The New Era has a nice line of Christmas Cards ready for your inspection. Place your order early if you want the best, as our supply will soon be exhausted.

Why pay more. Liberty Life Assurance Society furnishes insurance, the Kind YOU want, at cost. For particulars write Joy L. Tilley, District Organizer, Christine, Texas. Pays if you live; pays if you die.

INSTRUCTION IN RED CROSS FIRST AID SAFETY FACTOR

Its Industrial and Educational Service Spreads Throughout the United States.

Signs that the United States is awake to the menace of its increasing accident toll are appearing in the growing interest in first aid instructions as offered by experts of the American Red Cross.

Approximately 20,000 juniors and seniors completed the First Aid courses during the fiscal year, passed rigid examinations and received Red Cross First Aid certificates. This represents an increase of 2,500 over the preceding year, and the gain is attributed to the emphasis on health education by various public bodies and including not alone the American Red Cross and Government agencies, but life and accident insurance companies, and athletic and recreational groups.

In Dallas, Texas, playground supervisors are required to hold First Aid certificates. In many high schools the subject is included in the regular curriculum. In order to assist in training instructors for the phase of the work special courses have been conducted in the summer schools of such leading institutions as the University of Maryland and the University of Virginia. Instruction was continued during the year at Loyola, University, New Orleans; University of California, San Francisco; University of Kentucky; Temple University, Philadelphia; Peabody Teachers' College and similar educational centers.

Work with the public utilities group has shown an exceptional increase during the year. Classes conducted by fourteen of the associated Bell Telephone companies were continued with increased interest and a number of the companies sponsored intensive courses in First Aid for instructors.

The First Aid Instruction Car of the Red Cross was busy throughout the year, the 126 cities visited by the car 300 meetings were held with the aggregate attendance of 84,400 persons.

Membership of the people in the American Red Cross makes such services possible, the annual opportunity of pledging support through membership being offered in the Roll Call from November 11 to 25 this year.

Educators Give Junior Red Cross High Praise

Growing recognition by leading educators all over the world has been a achievement of the Junior Red Cross in the last fis cal year.

Included in those which have ex[pressed] favorable cognizance [of the] Junior Red Cross efforts are [the] World Federation of Education Associations at Edinburgh, Scotland, 1925, the Department of Superintendence of the National Education association, at Washington, D. C., 1926, the National Education Association at Philadelphia, June, 1926, and various State education[al] bodies [in] formal this approval, the [re]port adds.

As a phase of their [ac]tivities, the Junior Red Cross [has] developed an exchange of [cor]respondence and similar [ex]changes annually every [year] through the [me]dium many [boys and girls] chance for world [friendship]. An exchange of Junior organ[izations] in Porto Rico, [with] 137,000, and [the] $12,000.

More than 3,0[00] juniors are [en]rolled in the Americ[an] Junior Red Cross [for] the Panama [Pacific] exposition held [at] San Francisco. [The] Red Cross during [the] Roll Call for [the] aid of American [boys and girls] the parent [organization] in the period Novemb[er] 11 to 25 this year.

War Over Nurses A[ge]

But Red Cross Has Had Ever On Duty

[Has the] Red Cross Nurses [Corps] it has been [that first] to go to America [in time of war]. For an [emergency] today, it may [be] any large [city] which [has] Wherever [there is] need [for] trained [nurses] There [is] a generic [need] for the A[merican] Red Cross [nurse] Health [service] [of] Red [Cross] [nurses] of [the] Red [Cross] Me[dical] [Service]

[month's picture of the Red Cross] [filled] with the war days! [Women] [as] [in] years since the [sentiment] of brave women [in the] [war] [so] sailed from [America] to make [a] [nursing record] [behind] every battle front. [The] answer to their wholehearted [devotion] is early unanimity to foster [a] disaster of recent years in [the] Red Cross rendered relief. [Many] [were] [enrolled] under the Red Cross nurse will be [ready] to serve [in] active duty. [Such] nurses are enrolled under the [Red] Cross as a reserve of [the] army, Navy and U. S. Public [Health] Service, at all times ready to [be] for war or peace. This reserve [of] Red Cross nurses aggregates of 5,[000] [names] [on] the [list] [and] is the nursing profession. [Those] as Roll Call for membership in the Red Cross this year in November 11 to 25, when the American people [will] signify themselves with the broad [aims] of the organization by [joining] [its] [ranks].

Join the Red Cross November 11 to

Nature Inspires This Bandera Girl

With nature for her instructor and with wet mud for her material, Miss Velma Stevens, 18-year-old Bandera girl, has laid claim to a future niche in the hall of fame. Studying the wild life and the beauty about her home, she has taught herself the rudiments of sculpture.

Curtesy, San Antonio Light.

She has never seen an art gallery or a museum, nor has she ever dreamed of a stuffy studio wherein inspired persons lounge in Bohemian unconvention—

But what of that?

She has the heart of an artist; for an instructor she has nature; for models and inspiration she has the beauty of the hill country west of San Antonio.

And so Velma Stevens, 18-year-old Bandera girl, has embarked upon a career that has nothing to do with milking th cows or washing pots and pans.

Some day, Miss Stevens says, she hopes to immortalize the beauties of this section of the country before they disappear under the encoaching tide of development.

Miss Stevens' talent was first discovered by J. Marvin Hunter, publisher of the Frontier Times.

Without instruction, she had learned to model this mud into miniatures of the living things that were a part of her daily life. —San Antonio Light.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Palmer and children of Fredericksburg visited Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton last week.

R. L. Morris has been very sick but we are indeed glad to report him improving. Mr. and Mrs. Morris, of Mirando, came up to see him last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebach of San Antonio spent Thanksgiving with relatives here.

Thomas, Eugene and Sarah Fay, Vivian Kone, Mrs. Oscar Hillman and children and Mrs. W. A. Tobey visited Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Knatcher and Mr. and Mrs. A. Kresc and other relatives of Fredonia, Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Pellers, and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Miller of Fredericksburg were visiting relatives here Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rieber and children spent the holiday in Bandera. Mr. Riber went to Austin on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker and children of San Antonio, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman last week.

Mr. Walton and Harold Phillips, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips last Thursday.

Miss Vada Norwood and Luther Miears, popular young people of Bluff, were married last Wednesday. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Norwood and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miears of Bluc.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

Don't forget to have your eyes tested. It will cost you nothing. Bring your jewelry, watches and clocks in for repairs.—T. S. Dennis, Jeweler and Optometrist.

Grand Jury Adjurned.

The grand jury adjourned at noon yesterday. The industrial body recessed for days last week, resuming its investigations Monday morning, and has been combing as with a fine tooth comb. At last report only one bill had been returned, and that was for murder, which was returned early in the session.

Mr. and Mrs. Pomp Freeman, of Mountain Home, were here a few days this week,guests of the editor's family.

If you are interested in a new car for Christmas now is the time to place your order. Let me demonstrate the new Chevrolet for you and quote you prices. Frank Mansfield, salesman.

J. R. Price and family spent a few days at Fredericksburg last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young and other relatives.

FOR SALE—Three good mules, two broke and one unbroke. Will trade for goats, sheep or cattle. Can be seen at Felix Laskowski's ranch. 1me

Fresh oysters tomorrow at Fred Cosgrove's Grocery.

Little Boy Injured.

Late yesterday afternoon the little five year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Chenault, living near Medina, fell from a moving truck and was perhaps fatally injured. Dr. Sherrill of Medina was called and found the child had sustained a fractured skull. He was immediately taken to the P. & S. Hospital in San Antonio.

Fresh Vegetables every Friday at Fred L. Cosgrove's Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Justice, of Medina, were here yesterday. Mr. Justice dropped in to renew his New Era subscription and also ordered Frontier Times.

The New Era offie was favored yesterday with a visit from Mr. S. W. Wolford and Miss Bess Carroll, of the San Antonio Light staff, and Miss Carroll's mother, Mrs. Carrell. They were on a pleasure trip and went out to see Veteran Amasa Clark while here.

Special Sale on Candies at the O. S. T. Confectionery. Six 5c bars for 25c; penny goods ten pieces extra with 50c purchase. Now is the time to buy your high grade candies.

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By W. R. Fletcher Deputy.

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POSTED—Spicewood Springs Ranch lands are posted. No hunting trapping or any kind of trespassing allowed. You are hereby warned to keep out.—Walter Golkin.

POSTED—Trespassers are warned to keep out of my pasture on Privilege Creek. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed therein.—C. H. Briant.

POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Seekatz pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden. Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

POSTED—All of my pastures on West Verde Creek are posted, and hunting, trapping, and all other trespassing therein is forbidden. You are warned to keep out.—Mrs. Booker Davenport. 2m

POSTED—My pastures, including the Steinle pastures, which I control, are posted. No hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein. —Eddie Leibold. 2m

POSTED—Our pastures near Tarpley are posted. We will not permit hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing herein. You are hereby warned to keep out. —R. N. Padgett & Sons. 2me

POSTED—My pastures located on West Verde Creek are posted. Hunting, trapping, or any manner of trespassing therein is strictly forbidden.—S. D. Mulcahy, Jr. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures on West Verde are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed. —Ben Herdes. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures are posted, and I will not allow hunting, trapping, cutting bee trees, or any manner of trespassing therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Louie Haeglin. 2me

POSTED—My pastures in Bandera and Medina counties are posted, and no hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing on my lands will be allowed. All are warned to keep out.—Chas. Schott. 2mp

POSTED—The John F. Davenport pastures are posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed therein.—John W Davenport.

POSTED—My ranch, known as Pecan Valley, above Medina, is posted against all trespassing. No trapping or hunting of any kind will be allowed.—E. H. Sewall. 3me

POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be duly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

POSTED—My pastures on Myrtle Creek, the home pasture, and the Crap pasture, south of town, are posted. No hunting, camping, trapping or trespassing therein will be allowed.—Mrs. C. H. Mansfield. 3mp

POSTED—My pastures situated on the head of Little Creek and on the Divide between the heads of the Seco, Medina and Willow Creek, and also my pasture near Utopia, are posted against hunting, trapping or trespassing.—R. L. Duke.

POSTED—Our pastures, including all lands we have a charge, are posted against hunting, trapping, or any kind of trespassing. You are hereby warned to keep out.—E. F. Heinen, O. B. Heinen. 5tp.

POSTED—The Montague ranch lands are posted and hunting, trapping or trespassing thereon will not be allowed. This applies to all our pastures.—Frank M. Montague. 5te.

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties found down and going over my fences. —Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

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On Monday Morning, December 6th, and continuing until December 24th, we are going to put on sale our entire One Hundred Thousand Dollar Stock of General Dry Goods at a reduction of 20 to 50 per cent for Cash Only. This sale, coming at this opportune time, will enable you to buy your winter requirements of Dry Goods at a great saving, and it will be well worth yonr time to travel many miles to participate in this great merchandising event. Space forbids mentioning every item that will be on sale, but a few items listed here will give you an idea of the big reductions we are going to make. Every item in our big Dry Goods Department (Stetson Hats restricted by Manufacturer) will be cut from 20 to 50 per cent for this Anniversary Sale.

MEN'S SUITS

Hart Schaffner & Marx, Schloss Bros, Korekt Clothes and other makes all on sale.

$60.00 Suits Anniversary Sale price $47.50
$55. Suits Anniversary Sale price $44.00
$50. Suits Anniversary Sale price $39.00
$40. Suits Anniversary Sale price $32.50
$35 Suits Anniversary Sale price $28.50
$30 Suits Anniversary Sale price $24.50
$25 Suits Anniversary Sale price $19.50
Most of them have two pairs Pants.

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Neck band and cedar attached, all standard makes, at Anniversary Sale prices.

$4.00 Shirt Anniversary Sale price $2.95
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50 Dozen bought especially for this sale, values up to $2.00, Anniversary Sale price 98c.

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Double Blankets, part wool, plaid .$2.98
Men's Wool Dress Pants $2.19
Men's Dress Shirts, Collar attached .98c
Good Blue Work Shirts 79c
Good Suit Case 98c
1 Lot Ladies' Shoes ..... 48c pair.
1 Lot Children's Shoes ..... 98c pair
1 Lot Ladies' Silk Hose ..... 48c pair
42-inch Serge, All wool ..... 98c yard
1 Lot Men's Cowboy Boots ..... $5.98 pair
Men's Winter Weight Union Suits .98c
Men's Winter Weight Shirts and Drawers ..... 42c each
Men's Sheep Lined Coats $8.95

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Alamo Brown Duck Pants $2.25 value, for $1.89
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Good Blue Overalls $1.50 value ..98c
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Every item in the Men's Furnishing Goods department has been reduced.
Underwear, Hosiery, Ties, Hats, Belts, Gloves, etc, have all been marked down for this Anniversary Sale.

Piece goods during this sale can be bought at some wonderful savings. Every piece has been marked down from 20 to 50 per cent. To quote all the prices in this department would take too much space, but you can rest assured that you will find some wonderful bargains in this department during this sale.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

Every item in this department has been reduced from 20 to 50 per cent. Most of the Silk Dresses will be sold for a Song. Ladies' Coats in a full range of sizes, many beautiful ones to select from, one-third off during this sale. Ladies' Hats as low as a dollar. Silk Underwear of all description, Sweaters Scarfs, etc., all greatly reduced.

Shoes

Ladies' and Children's Shoes, Men's and Boys Shoes, all go at tremendous reductions. Not a pair will be reserved during this Anniversary Sale.

This Anniversary Sale is going to be celebrated with values and prices never before equaled in the history of our business. We expect thousands of people from the entire Hill Country and we will offer them merchandise at prices that will cement friendship both old and new with birthday values that shall never be forgotten

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Obar, the Magician.

Prof. Obar, the magician, entertained a good crowd at Cox Hall Saturday night, the performance being sponsored by the Bandera Baseball Club. Prof. Obar performed many interesting and instructive feats of sleight of hand, and his musical dogs and performing rats highly pleased the audience. When he visits Bandera again, Prof. Obar can expect to receive a cordial welcome and have a full house.

Jim Moore, of Onona, was here Monday, on business.

Among the delegation from the Vandervpool region reporting for petit jury service last Monday morning were L. S. Foster, G. M. Foster, P. O. Love, Ben O'Bryant, W. F. Cornelius, A. W. Clayton, Pres. Word, J. D. Ivy, Murray Wentworth, S. A. Polvado, Geo. Polvado, Lon Moore, Oscar Moore Henry Wentworth, Wade Casparis, Tom Haby and August Haby.

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Large Hogs.

Last Thursday while at Harper we visited the hog farm of Henry Thiele near that town, and we saw there the largest hogs we have ever seen. They were of the Big Boned Poland China extreme large type, the principal male being four years old and standing fifty-two and a half feet high. He is not in full flesh at this time, but weighs about 650 pounds, and if fattened would tip the scales at around 1100 or 1200 pounds. Some hog, we claim. The sows are almost as large, and all of them take first prizes at all fairs where they are exhibited. Mr. Thiele sells the pigs at six weeks old for $10 on the place. R. F. Langford of Bandera now has one of those pigs, brought it home from Harper in a crate, and the Theile family will get a start here. Mr. Thiele has an ad in our classified column, and invites correspondence. But if you are interested in real hogs it will pay you to go over to Harper and visit his hog farm. He informed us that from two sows last season he sold $200 dollars worth of pigs, and then could not supply the demand for that extremely large type of Poland China.

The Mexican dinner and tamale sale at Wright Hall on Wednesday of last week netted the Parent-Teachers' Association over $40.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fries were in from the ranch last Friday and called to renew their subscription to the New Era. Mrs. Fries informed us that she had just sold fifty-five turkeys which brought her $217.65.

W. E. Teel, of San Antonio, was here Friday and dropped in to subscribe for Frontier Times. Mr. Teel informs us that he expects to soon become a citizen of this county, and is now on deal for a good ranch property near Medina.

The chicken supper on Thanksgiving evening at St. Joseph's school was well patronized, as well as a delightful entertainment given there on Saturday night.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

The home of Colonel and Mrs. J. S. Head was full of Thanksgiving guests. A splendid dinner was served, and those partaking were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes, Mrs. Mark McBryde and children, Will Hayes, Mrs. R. A. Chipman, Mrs. Virgil Hayes, Mrs. Emma Howe, Mrs. Thos. Hayes, and Colonel and Mrs. Head. The New Era editor and family received a cordial invitation to be there also, be we had to go to Harper.

A. F. Vollmering, R. E. Willis, R. A. Robinson, Lucius Hicks, Captain T. P. Grant, Delbert Hicks, H. J. Hermes, Sr.; and R. C. Boales, were among the delegation of Tarpley freeholders and householders who reported for jury duty Monday.

Misses Victoria Montague and Helen Lytle of San Antonio, accompanied by Joe O. Montague of Fort Stockton, came in Saturday to spend a day or two with relatives and friends. The ladies returned to San Antonio Sunday, accompanied by Miss Laura Duffy, while Joe remained over Monday.

Dale Dean was in from Mason Creek Saturday with fresh vegetables. He informs us that his little three-year-old daughter, Dorothy, Lee, had the misfortune to stick the tine of a pitchfork in her knee a few days ago and had suffered considerable from it. She was taken to Kerrville for treatment and is now doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Langford and children, Orbell, Eldon and Wirth, Miss Glayda Crisdale, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter and daughters, Misses Jennette and Rachel, went over to Harper Thursday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter. Marvin Hunter, Jr. and Leslie McMains went over there Thursday afternoon. A sumptuous Thanksgiving dinner, with turkey and all the trimmings, decorations and accessories, was served and we all enjoyed it. We returned home Thursday evening, but the youngsters remained over there until Friday evening.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S. on Friday night, Dec. 17th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Seckatz pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden. Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

POSTED—All of my pastures on West Verde Creek are posted, and hunting, trapping and all other trespassing therein is forbidden. You are warned to keep out.—Mrs. Booker Davenport. 2m

POSTED—My pastures, including the Steinle pastures, which I control, are posted. No hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein. —Eddie Leibold. 2m

POSTED—Our pastures near Tarpley are posted. We will not permit hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing therein. You are hereby warned to keep out. —R. N. Padgett & Sons. 2m

POSTED—My pastures on West Verde are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed. —Ben Gerdes. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures are posted, and I will not allow hunting, trapping, cutting bee trees, or any manner of trespassing therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Louie Haeglin. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures in Bandera and Medina counties are posted, and no hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing on my lands will be allowed. You are warned to keep out.—Chas. Schott. 2mp

POSTED—The John F. Davenport pastures are posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed therein.—John F. Davenport.

POSTED—My ranch, known as Pecan Valley, above Medina, is posted against all trespassing. No trapping or hunting of any kind will be allowed.—E. H. Sewall. 3mc

POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

POSTED—My pastures on Myrtle Creek, the home pasture, and the Trap pasture, south of town, are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing therein will be allowed.—Mrs. C. H. Mansfield. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures situated on the head of Little Creek and on the Divide between the heads of the Seco, Medina and Willow Creek, and also my pasture near Utopia, are posted against hunting, trapping or trespassing.—R. L. Duke.

POSTED—Our pastures, including all lands we have in charge, are posted against hunting, trapping, or any kind of trespassing. You are hereby warned to keep out.—E. F. Heinen, O. B. Heinen.

POSTED—The Montague ranch lands are posted and hunting, trapping or trespassing thereon will not be allowed. This applies to all our pastures.—Frank M. Montague. 5tc

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. A liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences. —Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

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ANNIVERSARY SALE

On Monday Morning, December 6th, and continuing until December 24th, we are going to put on sale our entire One Hundred Thousand Dollar Stock of General Dry Goods at a reduction of 20 to 50 per cent for Cash Only. This sale, coming at this opportune time, will enable you to buy your winter requirements of Dry Goods at a great saving, and it will be well worth yonr time to travel many miles to participate in this great merchandising event. Space forbids mentioning every item that will be on sale, but a few items listed here will give you an idea of the big reductions we are going to make. Every item in our big Dry Goods Department (Stetson Hats restricted by Manufacturer) will be cut from 20 to 50 per cent for this Anniversary Sale.

MEN'S SUITS

Hart Schaffner & Marx, Schloss Bros, Korekt Clothes and other makes all on sale.

$60.00 Suits Anniversary Sale price $47.50
$55. Suits Anniversary Sale price $44.00
$50. Suits Anniversary Sale price $39?00
$40. Suits Anniversary Sale price $32.50
$35 Suits Anniversary Sale price $28.50
$30 Suits Anniversary Sale price $24.50
$25 Suits Anniversary Sale price $19.50
Most of them have two pairs Pants.

Men's Dress Shirts

Neck band and cedar attached, all standard makes, at Anniversary Sale prices.

$4.00 Shirt Anniversary Sale price $2.95
$3.50 Shirt Anniversary Sale price $2.79
$3.00 Shirt Anniversary Sale price $2.19
$2.50 Shirt Anniversary Sale price $1.89
$2.00 Shirt Anniversary Sale price $1.48
50 Dozen bought especially for this sale, values up to $2.00, Anniversary Sale price 98c.

EXTRA SPECIALS

Good quality Gingham	5c yard
Blue Shirting	10c yard
Plaid Suiting	12½c yard
9-4 Equality Bleached Sheeting	35c yard
36-inch Bleached Domestic	10c yard
72x90 Bleached Sheets	89c each
Double Blankets, part wool, plaid	$2.98
Men's Wool Dress Pants	$2.19
Men's Dress Shirts, Collar attached	98c
Good Blue Work Shirts	79c
Good Suit Case	98c
1 Lot Ladies' Shoes	48c pair.
1 Lot Children's Shoes	98c pair
1 Lot Ladies' Silk Hose	48c pair
42-inch Serge, All wool	98c yard
1 Lot Men's Cowboy Boots	$5.98 pair
Men's Winter Weight Union Suits	98c
Men's Winter Weight Shirts and Drawers	42c each
Men's Sheep Lined Coats	$8.95

MEN'S WORK CLOTHES

Here you will find a well assorted stock to select from.

Alamo Brown Duck Pants $2.25 value, for $1.89
Alamo Blue Overalls $2.00 value $1.48
Good Blue Overalls $1.50 value 98c
Texan Blue Work Shirt, $1.00 value 79c
Every item in the Men's Furnishing Goods department has been reduced. Underwear, Hosiery, Ties, Hats, Belts, Gloves, etc, have all been marked down for this Anniversary Sale.

Piece goods during this sale can be bought at some wonderful savings. Every piece has been marked down from 20 to 50 per cent. To quote all the prices in this department would take too much space, but you can rest assured that you will find some wonderful bargains in this department during this sale.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

Every item in this department has been reduced from 20 to 50 per cent. Most of the Silk Dresses will be sold for one-half price. Ladies' Coats in a full range of sizes, many beautiful ones to select from, one-third off during this sale. Ladies' Hats as low as a dollar. Silk Underwear of all description, Sweaters Scarfs, etc., all greatly reduced.

Shoes

Ladies' and Children's Shoes, Men's and Boys Shoes, all go at tremendous reductions. Not a pair will be reserved during this Anniversary Sale.

This Anniversary Sale is going to be celebrated with values and prices never before equaled in the history of our business. We expect thousands of people from the entire Hill Country and we will offer them merchandise at prices that will cement friendship both old and new with birthday values that shall never be forgotten

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Obar, the Magician.

Prof. Obar, the magician, entertained a good crowd at Cox Hall Saturday night, the performance being sponsored by the Bandera Baseball Club. Prof. Obar performed many interesting and instructive feats of sleight of hand, and his musical dogs and performing rats highly pleased the audience. We visited Bandera again, Prof. Obar can expect to receive a cordial welcome and have a full house.

Jim Moore, of Ozona, was here Monday, on business.

Among the delegation from the Vanderpool region reporting for petit jury service last Monday morning were L. S. Foster, G. M. Foster, P. O. Love, Ben O'Bryant, W. F. Cornelius, A. W. Clayton, Pres. Word, J. D. Dry, Murray Wentworth, S. A. Polvado, Geo. Polvado, Lon Moore, Oscar Moore, Henry Schemmelpfennig, Wade Casparis, Tom Haby and August Haby.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

J. B. Wright, Administrator of the Estate of John T. Wright, having filed in our County Court his final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. T. Wright numbered 406 on the Probate Docket of Bandera County, together with an application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Bandera you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the January Term 1927, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the Town of Bandera on the 17th day of January A. D. 1927, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and Seal of said Court, at my office in the Town of Bandera this 23rd day of November A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
Clerk, County Court Bandera County.
By W. R. Fletcher Deputy.

Large Hogs.

Last Thursday while at Harper we visited the hog farm of Henry Thiele near that town, and we saw there the largest hogs we have ever seen. They were of the Big Boned Poland China extreme large type, the principal male being four years old and standing fully three and a half high. He is not in full flesh at this time, but weighs about 650 pounds, and if fattened would tip the scales at around 1100 or 1200 pounds. Some hog, we claim. The sows are almost as large, and all of them take first prize at all fairs where they are exhibited. Mr. Thiele sells the pigs at six weeks old for $10 on the place. B. F. Langford of Bandera now has one of these pigs, brought it home from Harper in a crate, and the Thiele stock will get a start here. Mr. Thiele has an ad in our classified column, and invites correspondence. But if you are interested in real hogs it will pay you to go over to Harper and visit his hog farm. Be informed us that from two sows last season he sold over $200 dollars worth of pigs, and then could not supply the demand for that extremely large type of Poland Chinas.

The Mexican dinner and tamale sale at Wright Hall on Wednesday of last week netted the Parent-Teachers' Association over $40.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fries were in from the ranch last Friday and called to renew their subscription to the New Era. Mrs. Fries informed us that she had just sold fifty-five turkeys which brought her $217.65.

W. E. Teel, of San Antonio, was here Friday and dropped in to subscribe for Frontier Times. Mr. Teel informs us that he expects to soon become a citizen of this county, and is now on deal for a good ranch property near Medina.

The chicken supper on Thanksgiving evening at St. Joseph's school was well patronized, as well as a delightful entertainment given there on Saturday night.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

The home of Colonel and Mrs. J. A. Head was full of Thanksgiving guests, a splendid dinner was served, and those partaking were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes, Mrs. Mark McIlryde and children, Will Hayes, Mrs. R. A. and Chipman, Mrs. Virgil McCarthy, Mrs. Emma Howe, Mrs. Thos. Laxson, and Colonel and Mrs. Head. When he visits Head. The New Era editor and family received a cordial invitation to be there also, be we had to go to Harper.

A. F. Vollmering, R. E. Willis, R. A. Robinson, Lucius Hicks, Captain T. P. Grant, Delbert Hicks, H. J. Hermes, Sr. and H. C. Boales, were among the delegation of Tarpley freeholders and householders who reported for jury duty Monday.

Misses Victoria Montague and Helen Lytle of San Antonio, accompanied by Joe O. Montague of Fort Stockton, came in Saturday to spend a day or two with relatives and friends here. They returned to San Antonio Sunday, accompanied by Miss Laura Duffy, while Joe remained over Monday.

Dale Dean was in from Mason Creek Saturday with fresh vegetables. He informs us that his little three-year-old daughter, Dorothy, Lee, had the misfortune to stick the tine of a pitchfork in her face a few days ago and had suffered considerable from it. She was taken to Kerrville for treatment and is now doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Langford and children, Othell, Elden and Wirth, Miss Gladys Croisdale, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter and daughters, Misses Jennette and Rachel, went over to Harper Thursday to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter. Marvin Hunter, Jr. and Leslie McMains went over there Thursday afternoon. A sumptuous Thanksgiving dinner, with turkey and all the trimmings, decorations and accessories, was served and we all enjoyed it. We returned home Thursday evening, but the youngsters remained over there until Friday evening.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, Dec. 17th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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FOR SALE—Eight Colonies of bees in standard 10-frame hives.—Eldred Evans, Southwestern phone.

TURKEYS—I have for sale Bourbon Red and White Holland pure-bred turkeys. Toms $5.50; hens, $3.50.—Mrs. M. B. Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

FOR SALE—700 Angora kids, mixed; also two good horses and some implements, farm tools, etc. For prices see F. A. Kelley, Medina, Texle.

FOR SALE—Good saddle and bridle, $35.00. Also a 7-foot tandem tractor disc harrow for $100, practically new and in good shape, cost $158. Also a Sandwich cylinder corn sheller for $115, operated by power, and will do the work. See Frank Mansfield.

BRONZE TURKEYS—Pure-bred big boned Mammoth Bronze Turkeys for sale. Toms, $10; hens, $5.—Mrs. O. F. Thalmann, Bandera, Texas. 4tp

NOTICE—I am now running my grist mill and crusher at Medina, and will appreciate the patronage of my friends.—A. W. Mayfield.

WANTED—At Boerne, before December 10, oak bunks of from 6 to 8 pounds and over and well shaped. Will pay $2 per 100 pounds.—Noel Insall, Boerne, Texas.

FOR SALE—A few choice Mammoth Bronze toms, prize winning strain. Price $10 and up.—Mrs. H. L. Atkins.

LOST—About August 1, a white hound bitch, with lemon colored spots, branded —7 on left side and shoulder. $5.00 reward for return to R. A. Robison, Tarpley, Texas. 2tp

BIG-BONED, extreme large type, Poland China hogs. Orders being booked as fast as supply is available. Six weeks pigs $10 without registration papers, or $12 with papers, on place. —J. Thiele, Harper, Texas. 2tp

RANCH FOR SALE—500 acres, 45 in cultivation, good house; fence; good tillage land; $2,000 for all. Terms. Plenty of water for spring purposes, irrigation etc. sell reasonable and well. Will stock with cattle. Also 30 head of cattle, and five horses.—J. Allotson, Utopia, Texas.

FOR SALE—Majestic Hotel and restaurant Range, practically new, original cost $180. Will sell for $75, and it's a bargain. Just the stove for restaurant and hotel use, and could be used in large family. Come in and look it over.—B. F. Langford & Son, Hardware and Furniture

Bandera Theater
Friday Night, December 3
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Notices to Tax Payers.

I will be at the following places on the dates mentioned for the purpose of collecting the 1926 taxes now due:

Medina, Saturday, December, 11.
Lima, Monday, December 13.
Tuff, Tuesday, December 14.
Vanderpool, Wednesday, December 15.
Taylor, Thursday, December 16.
Tarpley, Friday, December 17.
Pipe Creek, Saturday, December 18.

HENRY STEVENS,
Tax Collector.

Fined for Killing Doves.

Game Warden Dan Rugh arrested Clyde Johnson, of San Antonio, for unlawfully killing doves. Defendant plead guilty before Justice of the Peace C. W. Harris at Medina and was fined $10 and costs.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and unless we hear from you promptly we will be apt to overlook your name.

Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park, Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and all the old time dances will be rendered. Everybody welcome.

If you are interested in a new car for Christmas you should call at once to place your order and demonstrate the car you want. See or write your nearest salesman, Frank Mansfield.

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Fresh oysters tomorrow at Fred Cosgrove's Grocery.

R. D. Garison was here Monday from his ranch near Medina.

Ripple Duke, of Little Creek, attended district court here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Wheeler and children, of Tuff, were in the city Saturday.

W. F. Rippey and family, of Mount Sharp, were here Sunday on a visit to friends.

Mrs. George Cravey, of the Big Bend section, is here on a visit to friends and relatives.

L. D. Bownds, a substantial citizen of the Utopia region, came in Monday for district court.

Joe Leichton and Oscar Coughran, of Tarpley, were here for district court jury service Monday.

R. A. Chipman and son, Monte, went to Center Point to spend Thanksgiving with his daughter, Mrs. Luke Gray, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stein, of San Antonio, were here Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Stein's sister, Miss Jewel Langford.

Frank Hodges, who is attending A. & M. College, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hodges.

Little Misses Maggie and Lunette Chipman, of San Antonio, spent last week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman.

Claude Fletcher, who is attending school at San Marcos, came in to spend Thanksgiving and the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fletcher.

John Hinds was down from Medina Friday, greeting his many friends, all of whom were glad to know he has almost fully recovered from his recent serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. James McElroy, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Garrison and little Miss Tarpley, spent Thanksgiving with H. E. Rambie on Mason Creek.

Mrs. Flora Wallrath and two sons, Ogo and Carlos, of San Antonio returned to their home Sunday after spending a week with the Otto Weltner family, near Camp Verde.

John F. Hodges bought 700 mutton goats from Turman and Tomerlin of Leakey for Ray Merchant of Tarpley, at $4.00 per head. Delivery at Boerne December 10.

Mrs. A. Meadows, Mrs. F. A. Masters, Misses Tommie Mansfield, Elouse Corley and Ruth Davenport went to Austin last Thursday to attend the B. Y. P. U. convention. They returned Saturday, and reported a most delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhoit and infant son, Randolph, Miss Willa Hunter, Miss Clara Mergenthaler, and Master Harold Ford came up from San Antonio Sunday, and with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter, Misses Jennette and Rachel Hunter and Minnie Mae Mansfield, enjoyed a pic nic lunch at Ranger Crossing.

Special Sale on Candies at the O. S. T. Confectionery. Six bars for 25c; penny goods ten pieces extra with 50c purchase. Now is the time to buy your high grade candies.

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Those who spent Sunday at the Spicewood Springs ranch were Richard Collins and family, Mike Patina and family, Albert Autopoole, Conrad Longonia, John Lozano, Ray Brown Luis Mochegamba, Tom Patina, John Patina, Tony Patina, Mike Patina, Jr., of San Antonio, Miss Constance Heinsath and Pastor Heinsath of Pipe Creek.

In District Court.

Mrs. Bessie Richards vs. Conley H. Richards, suit for divorce. Granted.

State vs. Fritz Hinds et al, theft of hogs. Passed. J. W. Wilkins fined $100 for not appearing. Attachment issued for appearance instanter.

Moves to DeWitt County.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Rappold left Saturday for Concrete, DeWitt County, where they will reside and where Dr. Rappold will practice his profession. He leased his farm here, and expects to make Concrete his permanent home. The New Era very much regrets to chronicle the departure of these excellent people. They have resided here for many years, have a wide circle of friends who will miss them, but we all hope they will find as congenial friends and splendid conditions in their new home.

Oyster Supper.

Mountain Council Security Benefit Association will have a class initiation at Medina on Friday night, December 10th, and will have an oyster supper for members and candidates. We understand about forty candidates will be present for initiation. On Saturday night, December 11 another picture show will be given for the benefit of the local fund. Those Medina association members are real live wires, and are going right ahead to build up their Council. The picture show recently given clear ed about $75 for the council, we understand.

Artists' Recital.

Songs, readings and play by Mesdames Carroll, Hicks and Miss Fuller, for the benefit of the Bandera High School Friday, December 17, 1926.

Fresh Vegetables every Friday at Fred L. Cosgrove's Grocery.

J. R. Fletcher was here from San Antonio Tuesday.

If you want any kind of cow feed call on—C. B. Corley.

Messrs. Tom and Wesley Crist, of Pipe Creek, were here for district court duty this week.

Stanley Leese, E. J. Banta and Judge C. W. Harris were here from Medina Tuesday.

M. L. Saathoff, the well known Tarpley merchant, was courting in Bandera this week.

J. E. Browning and Joe Newcomer, prominent Medina citizens were attending court here this week.

Mrs. I. L. Wright and baby are spending the week with Mrs. Wright's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ethridge.

O. B. Johnson, of Utopia, also "Red Here," when his name was called for petit jury service in district court Monday morning.

The entire stock of the Medina Army Store, at Medina, is being closed out at greatly reduced prices. 4tp

R. W. Barry, staff correspondent of the San Antonio Express is here this week reporting the Pat Forest murder trial for that excellent daily.

Mrs. L. C. Rankin fell and sustained painful injuries one day last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Tate. Fortunately no bones were broken, and we are pleased to learn that she is getting along nicely now.

Don't forget to have your eyes tested. It will cost you nothing. Bring your jewelry, watches and clocks in for repairs.—T. S. Dennis, Jeweler and Optometrist.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

The New Era has a nice line of Christmas Cards ready for your inspection. Place your order early if you want the best, as our supply will soon be exhausted.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

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Church Bazaar.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will hold a bazaar on December 18. Patterns of embroidery work and other suitable Christmas gifts will be on display. Full announcement will be made later.

POSTED. Pastures controled by me, including the lease from H. C. Hansen, are posted and hunting in any manner, with fire-arms or dogs, or trapping is strictly forbidden. This means for everybody to keep out of said enclosures.—Sam Smith.

C. D. North, first class mattress maker, will be located in Bandera about December 1, for a short stay. Will call for and deliver work. All work guaranteed 2tc

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Bandera:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of M. L. B. Langford, deceased, late of Bandera County, Texas, by J. A. Eames, judge of the County Court of said county, on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1926, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in the town of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, where he resides, his mail this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1926.

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MOORMAN'S CLEAN-SWEEP and GROFAST for sheep and goats. Sold by R. T. Holdsworth, Medina, Texas. Independent phone. 4tp-Sept2

FOR SALE—Eight Colonies of bees in standard 1½ story 10 frame hives.—Eldred Evans, Southwestern phone.

TURKEYS—I have for sale Bourbon Red and White Holland pure-bred turkeys. Toms, $5.50; hens, $3.50.—Mrs. M. B. Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

FOR SALE—700 Angora kids, mixed; also 10 good horses and some implements, farm tools, etc. For prices see F. A. Kelley, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Good saddle and bridle, $45.00; also a 2-foot tandem tractor disc harrow for $100, practically new and in good shape, cost $138. Also a Sandwich cylinder corn sheller for $115, operated by power, and will do the work. See Frank Mansfield.

BRONZE TURKEYS—Pure-bred big bone strain. Toms and hen keys for sale. Toms, $10; hens, $5.—Mrs. O. F. Thalmann, Bandera, Texas. 4tp

NOTICE—I am now running my grist mill and crusher at Medina, and will appreciate the patronage of my friends.—A. W. Mayfield.

WANTED—At Boerne, before December 10, oak burls. Must be 500 pounds and over and well shaped. Will pay $2 per 100 pounds.—Noel Insall, Boerne, Texas. 2tp

FOR SALE—A few choice Mammoth Bronze toms, prize winning strain. Price $10 and up.—Mrs. H. L. Atkins.

LOST—About August 1, a white hound bitch, with lemon colored spots, branded —7 on left side and shoulder. $5.00 reward for return to F. A. Robison, Tarpley, Texas. 2tc

BIG-BONED, extreme large type, Poland China hogs. Orders being booked as fast as supply is available. Six weeks pigs $10 without registration papers, or $12 with papers, on place. Sows now bred for March pigs.—F. W. Thiele, Harper, Texas.

RANCH FOR SALE—45 in cultivation, ——500 acres, good house, barn, good house, fence, good tank, spring, goat proof, loan long time at ——, $2,000 farm for all purpose. Plenty of water. Good spring, irrigation, etc. Will sell rear ings and well. Will stock to double. Also 30 head of H. T. cattle, and five horses.—J. Mattoon, Utopia, Texas.

FOR SALE—Majestic Hotel and restaurant Range, practically new, original cost $180. Will sell for $75, and it's a bargain. Just the stove for restaurant and hotel and could be used in large family. Come in and look it over.—B. F. Langford & Son, Hardware and Furniture

Notice to Tax Payers.

I will be at the following places on the dates mentioned for the purpose of collecting the 1926 taxes now due:

Medina, Saturday, December, 11.

Lima, Monday, December 13.

Tuff, Tuesday, December 14.

Vanderpool, Wednesday, December 15.

Taylor, Thursday, December 16.

Tarpley, Friday, December 17.

Pipe Creek, Saturday, December 18.

HENRY STEVENS,
Tax Collector.

Fined for Killing Doves.

Grand Worth Dan Hogh arrested Clyde Johnson, of San Antonio for unlawfully killing doves. Defendant plea l guilty before Justice of the Pea ce C. W. Harris at Medina and was fined $10 and costs.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the list. A prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park, Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and an old time good time. Everybody welcome.

If you are in need of a car for Christmas now is the time to place your order. Let me demonstrate the new Chevrolet for you and quote you prices.—Frank Mansfield, salesman.

Frontier Times

Frontier History, Border Tragedy and Pioneer Achievement

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Fresh oysters tomorrow at Fred Cosgrove's Grocery.

R. D. Garison was here Monday from his ranch near Medina.

Ripple Duke, of Little Creek, attended district court here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Wheeler and children, of Tuff, were in the city Saturday.

W. F. Rippey and family, of Mount Sharp, were here Sunday on a visit to friends.

Mrs. George Cravey, of the Big Bend section, is here on a visit to friends and relatives.

L. D. Bownds, a substantial citizen of the Utopia region, came in Monday for district court.

Joe Leighton and Oscar Coughran, of Tarpley, were here for district court jury service Monday.

R. A. Chipman and son, Monte, went to Center Point to spend Thanksgiving with his daughter, Mrs. Lonke Gray, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stein, of San Antonio, were here Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Stein's sister, Miss Jewel Langford.

Frank Hodges, who is attending A. & M. College, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hodges.

Little Misses Maggie and Lunette Chipman, of San Antonio, spent last week-end with their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman.

Claude Fletcher, who is attending school at San Marcos, came in to spend Thanksgiving and the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fletcher.

John Hinds was down from Medina Friday, greeting his many friends, all of whom were glad to know he has almost fully recovered from his recent serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. James McElroy, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Garrison and little son, of Tarpley, spent Thanksgiving with H. E. Rambie on Mason Creek.

Mrs. Flora Wallrath and two sons, Otto and Carlos, of San Antonio returned to their home Sunday after spending a week with the Otto Wellner family, near Camp Verde.

John F. Hodges bought 700 mutton sheep from Truman and Tomerlin of Leakey for Ray Mc Daniel of Boerne at $4.00 per head. Delivery at Boerne December 10.

Mrs. A. Meadows, Mrs. F. A. Masters, Misses Tommie Mansfield, Eloise Cravey and Ruth Davenport motored to Bandera Thursday to attend the B. Y. P. U. convention. They returned Saturday, and reported a most delightful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhoit and infant son, Randolph, Mrs. Will Hunter, Miss Clara Merrimhalter and Master Harold Ford came up from San Antonio Sunday, and with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter, Misses Jennette and Rachel Hunter and Minnie Mae Mansfield, enjoyed a pic nic lunch at Ranger Crossing.

Special Sale on Candies at the O. S. T. Confectionery. Six 5c bars for 25c; penny goods 5c pieces extra with 50c purchase. Now is the time to buy your high grade candies.

Why pay more. Liberty Life Assurance Society furnishes insurance, the kind YOU want, at cost. For particulars write Jerry L. Tilley, District Organizer, Christine, Texas. Pays if you live; pays if you die.

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Those who spent Sunday at the Spiceswood Springs ranch were Richard Collins and amily, Mike Patina and family, Albert Autopoule, Conrad Longoria, John Lozano, Ray Brown Luis Mochegamba, Tom Patina, John Patina, Tony Patina, Mike Patina, Jr., of San Antonio, Miss Constance Heinsath and Pastor Heinsath of Pipe Creek.

In District Court.

Mrs. Bessie Richards vs. Conley H. Richards, suit for divorce. Granted.

State vs. Fritz Hinds et al, theft of hogs. Passed. J. W. Wilkins fined $100 for not appearing. Attachment issued for appearance instanter.

Moves to DeWitt County.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Rappold left Saturday for Concrete, DeWitt County, where they will reside and where Dr. Rappold will practice his profession. He leased his farm here, and expects to make Concrete his permanent home. The New Era very much regrets to chronicle the departure of these excellent people. They have resided here for many years, have a wide circle of friends who will miss them, but we all hope they will find as congenial friends and splendid conditions in their new home.

Oyster Supper.

Mountain Council Security Benefit Association will have a class initiation at Medina on Saturday night, December 10th, and will have an oyster supper for members and candidates. We understand about forty candidates will be present for initiation. On Saturday night, December 11 another picture show will be given for the benefit of the local band. The Medina association members are real live wires, and are going right ahead to build up their Council. The picture show recently given cleared about $75 for the council, we understand.

Artists' Recital.

Songs, readings and play by Mesdames Carroll, Hicks and Miss Fuller, for the benefit of the Bandera High School Friday, December 17, 1926.

Fresh Vegetables every Friday at Fred L. Cosgrove's Grocery.

J. R. Fletcher was here from San Antonio Tuesday.

If you want any kind of cow feed call on—C. B. Corley.

Messrs. Tom and Wesley Crist, of Pipe Creek, were here for district court duty this week.

Stanley Leese, E. J. Banta and Judge C. W. Harris were here from Medina Tuesday.

M. L. Southoff, the well known Tarpley merchant, was courting in Bandera this week.

J. E. Browning and Joe Newcomer, prominent Medina citizens were attending court here this week.

Mrs. I. L. Wright and baby are spending the week with Mrs. Wright's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ethridge.

O. B. Johnson, of Utopia, answered Hiram's call to jury service in district court Monday morning.

The entire stock of the Medina Army Store, at Medina, is being closed out at greatly reduced prices. 4tp

R. W. Barry, staff correspondent of the San Antonio Express is here this week reporting the trial of the murder trial for that excellent daily.

Mrs. L. C. Rankin fell and sustained painful injuries one day last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Tait. Fortunately no bones were broken, but she is suffering so that she is getting along nicely now.

Don't forget to have your eyes tested. It will cost you nothing. Bring your jewelry, watches and clocks in for repairs.—T. S. Dennis, Jeweler and Optometrist.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

The New Era has a nice line of Christmas Cards ready for your inspection. Place your order early if you want the best, as our supply will soon be exhausted.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

Canning.

Let me can your meats within the next week or ten days. See or phone David Brewer.

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Church Bazaar.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will hold a bazaar on December 18. Patterns of embroidery work and other suitable Christmas gifts will be on display. Full announcement will be made later.

POSTED. Pastures controled by me, including the lease from H. C. Hansen, are posted and hunting in any manner, with fire-arms or dogs, or trapping is strictly forbidden. This means for everybody to keep out of said enclosures.—Sam Smith.

C. D. North, first class mattress maker, will be located in Bandera about December 1, for a short stay. Will call for and deliver work. All work guaranteed

If you want genuine service and correct fitting of glasses see Oscar Perner's Blacksmith Shop, old C. C. White Shop. I will do blacksmithing, horseshoeing, mechanical and machine shop work, and will also charge batteries. Your patronage solicited.—Oscar W. Perner.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Bandera:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford, deceased, late of Bandera County, Texas, by J. A. Eames, Judge of the County Court of said county on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1926, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in the town of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, where he receives his mail this 22nd day of October, A. D., 1926.

B. P. LANGFORD JR.
Administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford deceased. 2tc

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The P. T. A. will meet at the school house next Friday night December 11, 1926.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wyatt and son visited relatives here Sunday.

Fletcher Pate was seriously hurt last Friday while sawing wood at his work-shop.

A birthday surprise party was given in honor of Mr. F. M. Bucklews' birthday last Saturday afternoon at her home. Each one enjoyed the evening very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker and children are visiting relatives and friends here.

The P. T. A. bazaar and dinner last Saturday was a decided success in many respects. Between $80.00 and $70.00 was realized. We wish to thank all who so liberally donated and to the public in general.

The Medina and Hunt school girls and boys played basket ball here Saturday December 4. The girls score was 17 to 30 in favor of Hunt, and the boys 9 to 15 in favor of Hunt.

Members of the Ever Ready Club met with Miss Daisy Belle Carpenter last Friday night and made candy for the bazaar on Saturday. Among those present were Miss Elzie Frizzell president of the club; Miss Inez Frizzell, secretary and treasurer; J. H. Richards, sergeant-at-arms; Miss Leah Coulter, Miss Kathleen Brown, Miss Suel Carpenter, Odell Davis, Miss Jennie Kirkland, Hough LeStourgeon and Neal Coulter. All kinds of candy was made and everyone had a good time.

The Medina Parent-Teachers' Association will meet at the school house Friday night. Business of importance to be transacted, and it is desired that every member be present.

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for the many kindnesses and manifestations of sympathy toward us in our great sorrow caused by the untimely death of our beloved daughter and sister, Jewel Langford. Especially do we wish to thank the school faculty and pupils for their assistance, and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

EDWIN P. LANGFORD AND FAMILY.

Lima School Honor Roll.

An Honor roll for the first five grades of this school has been arranged, based upon 100 per cent attendance and satisfactory grades.

Fifth Grade—Virgule and Wilson Johnson, Johnnie Shipman, Orch Keese, Homer Walker.

Fourth Grade—Maggie Lee Johnson, Brandy Keese.

Third Grade—Irene Johnson, Bertha Shipman.

Second Grade—Lewis Keese.

First Grade—Clara Keese, Allen Keese.

Card of Thanks.

I take this opportunity to extend my sincere thanks to the people of Bandera and surrounding country for the generous patronage accorded me during the twelve years I have been engaged in business here. I feel that the friendships made and the good will cemented will be a source of joy as the tides of time I have sold my garage to Messrs. Frank Mansfield and Dock Blakeney, young men of ability and fine character, and I commend them to the public as worthy of your confidence. All favors shown them will be appreciated by me.

TOM GRAY

"That Royal Girl."

The picture to be shown at Bandera Theater tomorrow night is "That Royal Girl," directed by D. W. Griffith, and featuring Carroll Dompster. Usual prices. This is a high class picture and will please you.

NOTICE.

Dr. D. H. Rittimann, Optometrist, Specialist in making eye examinations and fitting of glasses correctly, will be in Boerne in office with the Rittimann Jewelry & Optical Co. December 20, 21, 22, 23. All those in need of Glasses, or perhaps a change in lenses, will have the opportunity to call on me for a proper correction. Office Hours, 9 to 11:30 A. M. 1 to 4 P. M.

Buy a Chevrolet and Save Expense.

Prices on Chevrolet cars and trucks, delivered at Bandera, are correctly as follows:

Touring and Roadster, balloon tires, each $621.90.

Coupe and Coach, balloon tires, each $756.50.

Sedan, balloon tires, $848.70.

Landau Sedan, balloon tires, $879.40.

Ton Truck Chassis, $613.40.

Half Ton Chassis, $448.40.

You can see a Sedan or Touring Car at Mansfield & Blakeney's Chevrolet Co. in Bandera. It will pay you to find out about terms, service, etc., before you buy a car.

Bells Garage

A deal was closed this week whereby Tom Gray sold his garage on Main Street to Messrs. Frank Mansfield and Dock Blakeney, two popular young men of this city, who took charge on Saturday. Mr. Gray has been in business here about twelve years, and has built up a good trade and reputation for the establishment. The new owners are both experienced mechanics and besides the regular garage work they will handle Chevrolet cars. The New Era predicts for them all success.

Directors Hold Meeting.

The directors of the Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers Association held their regular quarterly meeting at the warehouse in Bandera last Saturday. Only routine business was transacted, but the board all seemed well pleased with the volume of business done by the association during the past year, and the prospects look good for the coming year.

District Court Adjourned.

District Court adjourned last Thursday. Only two or three cases remained on the docket, and these were continued, one being a murder case, one being a hog theft case, one assault case, and one for unlawfully practicing medicine.

"North of 36" Coming.

Manager Don McMains of the Bandera Theater informs us that he has booked "North of 36" for showing at Bandera on Friday night, December 24, and will also give matinee of same picture Christmas Day, beginning at 5:30 p. m. This will be pleasing news to Bandera theater-goers, as it has been hoped for a long time that this wonderful picture would be shown here. It being an extra special the admission charge to each showing will be 50c and 25c. "North of 36" was written by Emerson Hough from material he obtained from "The Trail Drivers of Texas," a book compiled and edited by J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera, which gives the story a bit of local interest. In order to give anyone who desires an opportunity to read Hough's book the New Era has ordered a number of copies which, when received, will be sold at $1.00 each. The regular price is $1.50 and $2.00 per copy. We can also supply "The Trail Drivers of Texas," from which Hough drew his characters, a book of over 1,000 pages, at $5.00 per copy. Read the book "North of 36", and you will appreciate the picture when you see it, to a greater extent.

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Good Advice

Advise is hard to take. It is a human weakness or conceit to think we "Know it all."

But advice from older and wiser heads, from people who have graduated from the school of hard knocks is well worth listening to. Especially by the young folks.

Thrift—plain common sense applied to spending is absolutely essential when married. Of course young men and women should save for the time when they marry but afterward—saving is imperative, if they are to succeed and be happy.

Savings make a happy home for children—the worthwhile things in life within yourself.

Reckless, thoughtless spending is fatal to both happiness and success.

The First State Bank

Offers Another Scholarship.

Baylor Female College has offered a scholarship again this year to the girl making the highest grade in the graduating class of Bandera High School. This well known and popular college has been admitted to the Seven Association of Colleges and Universities, and ranks with any of them. The scholarship offered is worth striving for. Last year Miss Evelyn Mansfield, daughter of Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield was awarded the scholarship and is now attending the college, where she is making splendid grades, and is delighted with the course of study.

Mrs. A. L. Mansfield returned Tuesday from Laredo, where she spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Clara Housh in that city. She reports a most delightful trip and brought home some oranges and grape fruit which she gathered herself from orchards there.

Your Auto Tax

Your automobile tax is now due. Remember when paying your auto tax you are required to show certificate that lights have been officially tested within the past thirty days.

Notice Hunters and Trappers.

Have a skilled Taxidermist mount your trophies life expression. Deer heads a specialty. We tan skin for furs, rugs, buckskin, etc. Ladies and children's fur, men's overcoat collars, etc., made to order. Rugs made from any kind of skins, with open mouths, half heads, or any way you order. 8 years experience at Uvalde. The work first class and saving considerable. Write Mrs. H. Sheppard, North, Uvalde, Texas.

Frontier Times for January.

The January number of Frontier Times will be issued from the New Era office early next week. The little magazine's subscription list is steadily growing throughout the United States. It contains real history and is endorsed by leading historians, by the college and university heads, and recommended to all who love Texas history. You should place it in the hands of your boy or girl. It will make an ideal Christmas present for them. The January number will contain the following very interesting articles: "The Last White Woman at Fort Concho," "The Print of the Crooked Hoof," "A Texan at San Angelo: "Shirts laundered in the rear." Here is another one, seen on a farm gate near Kerrville: "For sale a full-blooded cow, giving milk, three tons of Johnson grass, a lot of chickns and a grindstone."

Fresh Vegetables every Friday at Fred L. Cosgrove's Grocery.

Giving Him a Lesson in Values

Benjamin Franklin, a wise man born of thrifty people, said: "If you would know the value of a dollar—try to borrow one." How true.

Teach your son or your daughter that Franklin truth and nurture in their minds the appreciation of the value of the dollar while they are in the penny age. It takes a stronger hold and becomes so deep rooted that all later influences toward reckless spending and careless handling of money cannot destroy the habit of thrift—the solid rock upon which all success is built.

Every child should have a bank account! Show them how to save.

The First National Bank of Bandera

A Case of Suspension.

The pupils of Bandera High School will present that laughable farce comedy, "A Case of Suspension," next Saturday night at the High School Auditorium. The proceeds from the play will go toward the purchase of athletic equipment for the school. The program will be interspersed with songs and jokes, and a special orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. Admission charges, 20c and 30c. Go out and enjoy the fun and help the youngsters get the necessary athletic equipment.

Delightful Gathering.

A number of young people went east to the delightful ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, on Middle Verde, last Sunday afternoon, and spent a very pleasant evening, returning home after nightfall. Mrs. Eckhart prepared a splendid supper, games and music were enjoyed, and all present had a good time. The party was composed of Misses Ilene Nunnelley, Minnie Mae Mansfield, Rachel Hunter, Messrs. Leslie McMains, Howard Eckhart, Leo Eckhart, and Marvin Hunter, Jr.

Death of Pioneer Woman.

Mrs. Hart Thompson, aged 74 years died in San Antonio last Monday after an illness of several weeks. Deceased was one of the early settlers of Bandera county, but left here about forty years ago, since which time she resided in San Antonio. She leaves two sons and three daughters, all living in that city. Mrs. Thompson was a sister of the late lamented H. L. Carpenter of Medina, and was an aunt to A. V. Pue of Medina. Miss Pauline Pue, one of her nieces, was with her when death came, and had been nursing her about three weeks. Deceased was an excellent woman, a kind and affectionate mother, a true type of the pioneer and her passing is greatly regretted by all who knew her.

Do you believe in signs? Here is one that was in front of a barber shop on a San Antonio street: "Get your shoes shinned inside." And here is another that was seen out-side of a home laundry in the colored section of San Angelo: "Shirts laundered in the rear." Here is another one, seen on a farm gate near Kerrville: "For sale a full-blooded cow, giving milk, three tons of Johnson grass, a lot of chickns and a grindstone."

Billy Sunday May Be in Presidential Race.

Yakima, Wash., Dec. 6.—Billy Sunday is going to run for President if the Democrats nominate Al Smith and the Republicans don't name a dry, he announced here.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley are visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Palmer of Medina, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds Sunday.

Mrs. Hillman, Alec, and Amy Hillman, Mrs. P. M. Wilson, Mrs. Coose, and Mr. and Mrs. Lane Jackson and baby were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris Sunday.

We are glad to report R. L. Morris improving.

Mrs. Ed Evans was taken to a hospital in San Antonio last week, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. We are very glad to know she is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Keese of Rocky Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed have returned from San Antonio.

Mr. Sol Reed and son of Austin are visiting Mrs. Artie Reed and relatives.

A fine rain fell here this week.

35 Years for Robbing Bank

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 7.—I. Madison Akers was given a sentence of 35 years in the penitentiary by a jury which late Tuesday found him guilty of robbing the Irving State Bank on August 25, when $7,200 was taken.

Tears came into the eyes of Akers as the import of the sentence came to him while Judge C. A. Pippen was thanking the jury for its verdict. Akers' wife and sister were with him and he was still wiping away tears when he was led away to his cell by the bailiff.

Akers was identified by Fred Hooser, assistant cashier of the bank; C. D. Miller, drug clerk, and Mrs. O. L. Story, as one of the bank robbers in the bank robbery. A. P. Mauk, president of the bank was not positive in his identification.

Same Here Some Day.

Eighty years ago John Hunt was taken before sanity experts and his sanity questioned before he was paid $2,400 for a corner lot on Fifth Avenue, New York City. The other day the same lot sold for fourteen million dollars.

Stay at Home, Girls.

It is said that 25,000 country girls and young women are to be found adrift in New York City each year without money or friends. West Texas girls should keep away from large cities unless they have friends and money. The big cities are the wickedest.

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MEDINA

The P. T. A. will meet at the school house next Friday night December 11, 1926.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wyatt and son visited relatives here Sunday.

Fletcher Pate was seriously hurt last Friday while sawing wood at his workshop.

A birthday surprise party was given in honor of Mr. F. M. Buckelews birthday last Saturday afternoon at her home. Each one enjoyed the evening very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker and children are visiting relatives and friends here.

The P. T. A. bazaar and dinner last Saturday was a decided success in many respects. Between $80.00 and $70.00 was realized. We wish to thank all who so liberally donated and to the public in general.

The Medina and Hunt school girls and boys played basket-ball here Saturday December 4. The girls score was 17 to 30 in favor of Hunt, and th boys 9 to 15 in favor of Hunt.

Members o the Ever Ready Club met with Miss Daisy Bell-Carpenter last Friday night and made candy for the bazaar on Saturday. Among those present were Miss Elsie Frizzell president of the club; Miss Inez Frizzell, secretary and treasurer; J. H. Richards, sergeant-at-arms; Miss Leah Coulter, Miss Kathleen Brown, Miss Sue Carpenter, Odell Davis, Miss Jennie Kirkland, Hough Letsenbergen and Neal Coulter. All kinds of candy was made and everyone had a good time.

The Medina Parent-Teachers' Association will meet at the school house Friday night. Business of importance to be transacted, and it is desired that every member be present.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. There a number of subscriptions expiring at this time and yours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to nte matter will be appreciated.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for the many kindnesses and manifestations of sympathy toward us in our great sorrow caused by the untimely death of our beloved daughter and sister Jewel Langford. Especially do we wish to thank the school faculty and pupils for their assistance, and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

EDWIN P. LANGFORD AND FAMILY.

Lima School Honor Roll.

An honor roll for the first five grades of this school has been arranged, based upon 100 per cent attendance and satisfactory grades.

Fifth Grade—Virgule and Willis Johnson, Johnnie Shipman, Travis Kew, Homer Walker.

Fourth Grade—Maggie Lee Johnson, Branie Keese.

Third Grade—Irene Johnson, Bertha Shipman.

Second Grade—Lewis Keese.

First Grade—Clara Keese, Allen Keese.

Card of Thanks.

I take this opportunity to extend my sincere thanks to the people of Bandera and surrounding country for the generous patronage accorded me during the twelve years I have been engaged in business here. I feel that the friends made and those good will cemented will be as enduring as the tides of time. I have sold my garage to Messrs. Frank Mansfield and Dock Blakeney, young men of ability and enterprise, and I commend them to the public as worthy of your confidence. All favors shown them will be appreciated by me.

TOM GRAY

"That Royal Girl."

The picture to be shown at Bandera Theater tomorrow night is "That Royal Girl," directed by D. W. Griffith, and featuring Carroll Dempster. Usual prices. This is a high class picture and will please you.

NOTICE.

Dr. D. H. Rittimann, Optometrist, Specialist in making eye examinatns and fitting of glasses correctly, will be in Boerne in office with the Rittimann Jewelry & Optical Co., December 20, 21, 22, 23. All those in need of Glasses, or perhaps a change in lenses will have the opportunity to consult me for a proper correction. Office Hours, 9 to 11:30 A. M. 1 to 4 P. M.

Buy a Chevrolet and Save Expense.

Prices on Chevrolet cars and trucks, delivered at Bandera, are:

Touring and Roadster, balloon tires, each $621.90.

Coupe and Coach, balloon tires, each $756.50, each.

Sedan, balloon tires, $848.70.

Landau Sedan, balloon tires, $879.00.

Ton Truck Chassis, $613.40.

Half Ton Chassis, $448.40.

You can see a Sedan or Touring Car at Mansfield & Blakeney's Chevrolet Co. in Bandera. It will pay you to find out about terms, service, etc., before you buy a car.

Sells Garage

A deal was closed this week whereby Tom Gray sold his garage on Main Street to Messrs. Frank Mansfield and Dock Blakeney, two popular young men of this city, who took charge on Saturday. Mr. Gray has been in business here about twelve years, and has built up a good trade and reputation for the establishment. The new owners are both experienced mechanics and besides the regular garage work they will handle Chevrolet cars. The New Era predicts for them all success.

Directors Hold Meeting.

The directors of the Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers' Association held their regular quarterly meeting at the warehouse in Bandera last Saturday. Only routine business was transacted, but the board all seemed well pleased with the volume of business done by the association during the past year, and the prospects look good for the coming year.

District Court Adjourned.

District Court adjourned last Thursday. Only two or three cases were tried, the docket, and these were continued, one being a murder case, one being a hog theft case, one assault case, and one for unlawfully practicing medicine.

"North of 36" Coming.

Manager Don McMains of the Bandera Theater informs us that he has booked "North of 36" for showing at Bandera on Friday night, December 24, and will also give matinee of same picture Christmas Day, beginning at 5:30 p. m. This will be pleasing news to Bandera theater-goers, as it has been hoped for a long time that this wonderful picture would be shown here. It being an extra special the admission charge to each showing will be 50c and 25c. "North of 36" was written by Emerson Hough from material he obtained from "The Trail Drivers of Texas," a book compiled and edited by J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera, which gives the story a bit of local interest. In order to give anyone who desires an opportunity to read Hough's book the New Era has ordered a number of copies which, when they arrive, will be sold at $1.00 each. The regular price is $1.50 and $2.00 per copy. We can also supply "The Trail Drivers of Texas," from which Hough drew his characters, a book of about 1,000 pages, at $5.00 per copy. Read the book "North of 36", and you will appreciate the picture when you see it, to a greater extent.

New Era and Frontier Times, together, for only $2.50 per year. Subscribe today.

Good Advice

Advise is hard to take. It is a human weakness or conceit to think we "Know it all."

But advice from older and wiser heads, from people who have graduated from the school of hard knocks is well worth listening to. Especially by the young folks.

Thrift plain common sense applied to spending is absolutely essential when married. Of course young men and women should save for the future when they marry but afterward—saving is imperative, if they are to succeed and be happy.

Savings make a happy home for children—the worthwhile things of life within yourreach.

Reckless, thoughtless spending is fatal to both happiness and success.

The First State Bank

Offers Another Scholarship.

Baylor Female College has offered a scholarship again this year to the girl making the highest grade in the graduating class of Bandera High School. This well known and popular college has been placed on the list of the Association of Colleges and Universities, and ranks with any of them. The scholarship offered is worth sixty dollars. Last year Miss Evelyn Mansfield, daughter of Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield was awarded the scholarship and is now attending the college, where she is making splendid grades, and is delighted with the course of study.

Mrs. A. L. Mansfield returned Tuesday from Laredo, where she spent several days with her daughter, Miss Clara Hough on that city. She reports a most delightful trip and brought home some oranges and grape fruit which she gathered herself from orchards there.

Your Auto Tax

Your automobile tax is now due. Remember when paying your auto tax you are required to show certificate that lights have been officially tested within the past thirty days.

Notice Hunters and Trappers.

Have a skilled Taxidermist mount your trophies life expression. Deer heads a specialty. We tan skin for rugs, robes, skin, etc. Ladies and children's furs, men's overcoat collars, etc., made to order. Rugs made from any kind of skins, with open months, half heads, or any way you order. 8 years experience at Uvalde. The work is first-class and saving considerable. Write Mrs. T. H. Shepard, North Uvalde, Texas.

Frontier Times for January.

The January number of Frontier Times will be issued from the New Era office early next week. The little magazine's subscription list is steadily growing throughout the United States, and numerous readers have endorsed by leading historians, writers, college and university heads, and recommended to all who love Texas history that it should place it in the hands of your boy or girl. It will make an ideal Christmas present for them. The January number will contain the following very interesting articles: "The Mystery Woman at Port Concho," "The Print of the Crooked Hoof," "A Letter from Sam Houston," "Mrs. Goodnight's Saddle," "The Ill-Fated Beales Colony," "A Comrade's Appeal Awakens Memories," "James Alfred Cheatham," "Texas' Oldest Twins," "Restoration of Warren Lyon," "The First Panhandle Stockmen's Association," "The Epic of the Cashalon Trail," "Historic Jackson Cabin." Send in your subscription at once to Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas, and receive this popular magazine a whole year for only $1.50.

Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and an old time good time. Everybody welcome.

Billy Sunday May Be in Presidential Race.

Yakima, Wash., Dec. 6—Billy Sunday is going to run for President if the Democratic nominee is Al Smith and the Republicans don't name a dry, he announced here.

Giving Him a Lesson in Values

Benjamin Franklin, a wise man born of thrifty people, said: "If you would know the value of a dollar—try to borrow one." How true.

Teach your son or your daughter that Franklin truth and "warfare in their minds the appreciation of the value of the dollar while they are in the penny age. It takes a stronger hold and becomes so deep rooted that all later influences toward reckless spending and careless handling of money cannot destroy the habit of thrift—the solid rock upon which all success is built.

Every child should have a bank account! Show them how to save.

The First National Bank of Bandera

A Case of Suspension.

The pupils of Bandera High School will present that laughable farce comedy, "A Case of Suspension," next Saturday night at the High School Auditorium. The proceeds from the play will go toward the purchase of athletic equipment for the school. The program will be interspersed with songs and jokes, and a special orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. Admission charges, 20c and 30c. Go out and enjoy the fun and help the youngsters get the necessary athletic equipment.

Delightful Gathering.

A number of young people went out to the delightful ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, on Middle Verde, last Sunday arternoon, and spent a very pleasant evening, returning home after nightfall. Mrs. Eckhart prepared a splendid supper, games and music were enjoyed, and all present had a good time. The party was composed of Misses Dean Nunnelley, Minnie Mae Mansfield, Rachel Hunter; Messrs Leslie McMains, Howard Eckhart, Leo Eckhart, and Marvin Hunter, Jr.

Death of Pioneer Woman

Mrs. Hart Thompson, aged 74 years died in San Antonio last Monday after an illness of several weeks. Deceased was one of the early settlers of Bandera county, but left here about forty years ago, since which time she resided in San Antonio. She leaves two sons and three daughters, all living in that city. Mrs. Thompson was a sister of the late lamented H. L. Carpenter of Medina, and was an aunt to A. V. Bell of Medina. Miss Pauline Pue, one of her nieces, was with her when death came, and had been nursing her about three weeks. Deceased was an excellent woman, a kind and affectionate mother, a true type of the pioneer and her passing is greatly regretted by all who knew her.

Do you believe in signs? Here is one that was in front of a barber shop on a San Antonio street: "Get your shoes shinned inside." And here is another that was seen out-side of a home laundry in the colored section of San Angelo: "Shirts laundered in the rear." Here is another one seen on a farm gate near Kerrville: "For sale a full-blooded cow, giving milk, three tons of Johnson grass, a lot of chickns and a grandstone."

Fresh VegetaBles every Friday at Fred L. Cosgrove's Grocery.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley are visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Palmer of Medina, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds Sunday.

Mrs. Hillman, Alec, and Amy Hillman, Mrs. P. M. Wilson, Mrs. Coose, and Mr. and Mrs. Lane Jackson and baby were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris Sunday.

We are glad to report R. L. Morris improving.

Mrs. Ed Evans was taken to a hospital in San Antonio last week, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. We are very glad to know she is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Keese of Rocky Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed have returned from San Antonio.

Mr. Sol Reed and son of Austin are visiting Mrs. Artie Reed and relatives.

A fine rain fell here this week.

35 Years for Robbing Bank

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 7.—I. Madison Akers was given a sentence of 35 years in the penitentiary by a jury which late Tuesday found him guilty of robbing the Irving State Bank on August 25, when $7,200 was taken.

Tears came into the eyes of Akers as the import of the sentence came to him while Judge C. J. Pippen was thanking the jury for its verdict. Akers' wife and sister wept with him and he was still wiping away tears when he took away to his cell by the bailiff.

Akers was identified by Fred Hooser, assistant cashier of the bank; D. D. Miller, drug clerk, and Mrs. O. L. Story, as one of the men taking part in the bank robbery. A. P. Mank, president of the bank was not positive in his identification.

Same Here Some Day.

Eighty years ago John Hunt was taken before sanity experts and his sanity questioned because he paid $2,400 for a corner lot on Fifth Avenue, New York City, and in other day the same lot sold for fourteen million dollars.

Stay at Home, Girls.

It is said that 25,000 country girls and women are to be found adrift in New York City each year without money or friends. West Texas girls should keep away from large cities unless they have friends and money. The big cities are the wickedest.

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Fine rains have fallen throughout this section. Fall plowing was about finished by our farmers, and the slow soaking rains coming at this time, puts a good season in the ground, which spells prosperity next year.

In effect, the value of farm products cannot be exchanged for all the present day farmers require or desire. The value of farm products must be increased or the value of manufactured products decreased before the values may be equalized.

Teaching is at all times a thankless task. Its material rewards are small. Teachers with a love for their work often find their only recompense is in the gratitude and appreciation, in the success of their former students.

The Winter Garden News, published by H. G. Perry at Catarina, Texas, "Where sunshine spends the winter," appeared on our exchange table this week. Mr. Perry, who formerly published the Junction Eagle, was located in a live town in the Winter Garden District, and the second issue of his paper indicates that he will do exceedingly well there. He is a good newspaper man, and Catarina was fortunate in landing him.

The New Era is always glad to correct any errors it may make, when kindly asked to do so. In our issue of November 25, in discries court proceedings, it stated that V. E. Edmonson was fined $10 by Judge Brucks, for failing to appear as a grand juror. We heard the fine assessed in court, but later Mr. Edmonson appeared and stated to the judge that he had not been summoned as a grand juror, and Judge Brucks promptly remitted the fine. We did not know of the remittance, hence the publication as a fact. We gladly make the correction.

The New Era does not send out bills for subscription as a general rule. The date on the margin of the paper or wrapper opposite your name shows when your subscription expires. We carried many of our subscribers over from last year, because last year was a hard year, and also some of those subscribers are owing us for two years. We do not like to part company with a single subscriber, for we need every one of them in our business, but our finances, nor the postal laws will not permit us to carry them longer. If you want the New Era we want you to have it, but we must certainly want pay for it.

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"There is a Reason"

Christmas is almost here. On December 23rd the New Era will get out its big Christmas Greeting Edition. If you have not yet secured space in it you should at once do so.

It will make some difference to the development and prosperity of Bandera whether most of their money is spent here, or whether it goes elsewhere. Let people do well to remember that when they spend it here, they give a general boost to the community. And they help not local enterprises and enable them to employ more help, pay more taxes, and more roads, and provide the generally with a better service than ever before.

The important things in our lives are not the sweetmeats, the material accomplishments for which we make much. These are but the vehicles by which humanity advances, the road over which civilization is carried, and you will find the important things are beauty, love, joy and hope. And one who contributes even a little to the making of these has done a fine thing in the world. A garden of flowers, a beautiful picture, a good book—all help to make life worthwhile.

Population experts are just beginning to awaken to the importance of the country population count, but their residents are certainly as far from being farmers as they are from being city dwellers. There are about twelve million persons living in the villages of the United States. Some of them are farmers, others are tradesmen, artisans, manufacturers and laborers and every village has its quota of professional men and women.

Before deciding to move to some new locality through the influence of some smooth-tongued sales agent step and count the cost. Then figure out how much you can deduct for "the old farm" here, and how much better prices you can make it for even less money than what it would cost to move, and we believe that you will decide to stay right here in God's country. Scientific farming methods applied right here will accomplish as much or more and will make you as much money as anywhere on "God's green earth." In the slang vernacular of the day, "know your soil." Don't think that you will not have to know soil and climate conditions in that new Eldorado you "do" because you will. There are drawbacks in every clime. The sales agent only tell the good points.

That Old Fashioned Household.

Not long ago the writer spent a night in one of those old-fashioned country homes on the outskirts of civilization, if you want to call it that, where time had not erased all trace of customs and traditions of days gone by. This home has withstood the many changes of the last half century. When the mother stepped out into the yard every dog, cat and turkey—in fact every thing that walked or flew—took after her. When she went to prepare supper, all of her boys and her husband followed her to the kitchen. Everything seemed together round that good woman. She cooked some of those big biscuits made out with her hands, and fried some home-cured ham and made brown gravy; and when supper was ready, all gathered at the big dining table and "said the blessing." Then into the living room. There were pictures on the wall which told some stories of half a century ago. Over by the door was the picture of grandpa's three big boys—Uncle Tom was sitting in the middle, with Uncle Charley standing on one side and Uncle Jack on the other. Their whiskers would be out of style now. Then over by the clock was a family group, enlarged from an old tin-type. Grandpa and Grandma were sitting down and the bigger children standing behind, and the baby on Grandma's knee. Grandpa's side whiskers would allow Uncle Bill to envy him. On one side of him stood a ball-room pap and on the other side was a home-made chair. After struggling, using one of Grandpa's suspenders for a strap. The old family Bible and a well-worn photograph album on the center table.

That night I slept on an old-time feather bed—one of those that you have to step up to get out. And a pillow I had one of those large, long bolsters. The very surroundings made you feel like getting down on your knees and saying over the trundle bed. They still cling to the gourd for a dipper. The mother said her children gave her very little trouble, though she rarely ever had to punish them when they were growing up.

It did not take one long to learn the secret of those boys' respect for their mother, and why they gained their place in Methodist songs and prayers. They are graded very high according to the rules of modern society, but for being a real, all-around, clean-living, and God-fearing people nigh close to one thousand. In her plain, simple, God-fearing way she had brought those boys through the trials of life in the wild west, and when they grow older and are prone to stray in paths where hidden dangers lie in wait, a mother's prayer and influence holds them still.

When our loving Father gathers His children home to their heavenly abiding place, there will be no sales agent step and count the cost. Then figure out how much you can deduct for "the old farm" here, and how much better prices you can make it for even less money than what it would cost to move, and we believe that you will decide to stay right here in God's country. Scientific farming methods applied right here will accomplish as much or more and will make you as much money as anywhere on "God's green earth." In the slang vernacular of the day, "know your soil." Don't think that you will not have to know soil and climate conditions in that new Eldorado you "do" because you will. There are drawbacks in every clime. The sales agent only tell the good points.

Continuance of the Forest Case.

Last week when the New Era went to press we had not obtained the full particulars in the continuance of the case against Pat Forest, charged by indictment with the murder of Will A. Gray. As stated, change of venue was denied, after a lengthy hearing, and that motion was made for a continuance which was granted by Judge Brucks. Court adjourned Thursday after noon, and Sheriff Stevens, with armed guard, conveyed Forrest to San Antonio early Friday where he was placed in the Bexar county jail for safe keeping.

The attorneys for the defense in their application for a continuance, asked it on account of the absence of two witnesses and the illness of Dave Watson of San Antonio, whom they said Mrs. R. B. Forest, mother of the defendant, had employed as leading counsel for her son. Will McBee of Bandera and Charles Saunders of San Antonio were named as the absent witnesses. Judge Brucks said he would not consider Saunder's absence grounds for continuance, because his address was known and he believed he could be brought into court, but that in view of the absence of McBee, whose whereabouts are undetermined at this time, the defense claimed, and the nature of the testimony the defense averred he would give, the continuance would be granted.

A process had been issued for McBee on November 26 and returned by the sheriff unserved November 30. Judge Brucks said he believed due diligence in an effort to obtain service on the witness had been shown.

The defendant claimed in his application that the wife of McBee did not know his whereabouts, other than she believed he was picking cotton somewhere in the vicinity of Voca.

The application claimed that the defense would show that "superintended by long and continued use of liquor and other liquids and medicines and aggravated by a recent continued use thereof, and further aggravated by a series of threats, abuses, and conduct of deceased toward defendant, defendant's mind at the time of the homicide, was deranged and he became temporarily insane and unaccountable for his conduct" at the time of the alleged homicide.

It averred in its position that by McBee the defense would show "both deceased and defendant were drinking and under the influence of liquor on the morning of the homicide, and deceased went away and procured a large, green-colored quart bottle of whiskey in company with and came back to the defendant with the witness, and about the same time procured and had with him two small bottles, or pints, of whiskey and McBee saw the bottles and the whisky in possession of deceased, and saw and knew that deceased became angry toward the defendant and was quarrelsome with him; that the homicide occured a short time thereafter and that both defendant and deceased had in the meantime been partaking of said whisky and that in the struggle and difficulty between defendant and deceased, defendant used in his defense the heavy bottle, striking deceased therewith and not with a boot nor his feet, nor otherwise, as claimed by the State; and further said testimony will be shown in defense of the various wounds and alleged brutalities, as claimed by the State were inflicted on the deceased."

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

J. H. Wright, Administrator of the Estate of John T. Wright, having filed in our County Court his final Account of the condition of the Estate of said J. T. Wright numbered 406 on the Probate Docket of Bandera County, together with an application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in The County of Bandera you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the January Term 1927, of said County Court, commencing on the 3rd Monday A. D. 1927, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court. Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the Town of Bandera this 23rd day of November A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE
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This wonderful picture possesses a degree of local interest, in that Emerson Hough secured the material for his book, "North of 36," from "The Trail Drivers of Texas," a book compiled and edited by J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera. You can purchase "North of 36" for $1.00 and "The Trail Drivers of Texas" for $5 atNew Era office.

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POSTED—Spicewood Springs Ranch lands are posted. No hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing allowed. Yes! are hereby warned to keep out.—Walter Geddie.

POSTED—Trespassers are warned to keep out of my pasture on Privilege Creek. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed therein.—C. H. Briant.

POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Sweatzz pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden. Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

POSTED—All of my pastures on West Verde Creek are posted, and hunting, trapping, and all other trespassing therein is forbidden. You are warned to keep out.—Mrs. Booker Davenport. 2m.

POSTED—My pastures, including the Steele pastures, which I control, are posted. No hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein.—Eddie Liebold. 2m

POSTED—Our pastures near Tarpley are posted. We will not permit hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing therein. You are hereby warned to keep out.—R. N. Padgett & Sons. 2mc

POSTED—My pastures located on West Verde Creek are posted. Hunting, trapping, or any manner of trespassing therein is strictly forbidden.—S. D. Mubby, jr.

POSTED—My pastures on West Verde are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed.—Ben Gerdes. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures are posted, and I will not allow hunting, trapping, cutting bee trees, or any manner of trespassing therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Louie Haeglin. 2mc

POSTED—My pastures in Bandera and Medina counties are posted, and no hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing on my lands will be allowed. You are warned to keep out.—Chas. Schott. 2mp

POSTED—The John F. Davenport pastures are posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed therein.—John F. Davenport.

POSTED—My ranch, known as Pecan Valley, above Medina, is posted against all trespassing. No trapping or hunting of any kind will be allowed.—E. H. Swaim. 3mc

POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. L. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

POSTED—My pastures on Myrtle Creek, the home pasture, and the 7rap pasture, south of town, are posted. No hunting, camping, trapping or trespassing therein will be allowed.—Mrs. C. H. Mansfield. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures situated on the head of Little Creek and on the Divide between the heads of the Seco, Medina and Willow Creek, and also my pasture near Utopia, are posted against hunting, trapping or trespassing.—R. L. Duke.

POSTED—Our pastures, including all lands we have in charge, are posted against hunting, trapping, or any kind of trespassing. You are hereby warned to keep out.—O. F. Heinen, Est. 2pt.

POSTED—The Montague ranch lands are posted and hunting, trapping or trespassing thereon will not be allowed. This applies to all our pastures.—Frank M. Montague. 5tp

POSTED—My pasture southwest of Bandera is posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed.—Ben Clark 1mp

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences.—Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, Mgr. 15-12m

POSTED. Pastures controlled by me, including the lease from H. C. Haasen, are posted and hunting in any manner, with fire-arms, dogs, or trapping is strictly forbidden. This means for everybody to keep out of said enclosures.—Sam Smith.

POSTED—My pastures and all lands controlled by me are posted. No hunting with guns or dogs, trapping, tearing down fences, or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein.—Roy Chipman. 1mp.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Bandera.

Notice is Hereby Given That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Shelby County, of the 9th day of November, 1926 by the Clerk of said Court for the sum of Ten Thousand (10,000.00) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of the First National Bank of Center Texas, in a certain cause in said court, No 7734 and styled The First National Bank of Center, Texas, vs. J. S. Kennedy and G. L. Parmer, Trustees, placed in my hands for service, I, Henry Stevens, as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of December 1926, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: 50½ acres being an undivided ½ of 101 acres known as G. C. & S. F. Section 5004, Cert. 3025, which was patented to H. C. Wynn by Patent No. 37, Vol 3, and levied upon as the property of J. S. Kennedy and G. L. Parmer, Trustees, and that on the first Tuesday in January 1927, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of Bandera County, in the Town of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at Public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. S. Kennedy and G. L. Parmer, Trustees.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Bandera New Era, a newspaper published in Bandera County.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of December 1926.

HENRY STEVENS
Sheriff Bandera County, Texas.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Bandera:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford, deceased, late of Bandera County, Texas, by J. A. Eames, Judge of the County Court of said county, on the 23th day of October, A. D. 1926, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in the town of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, where he receives his mail this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1926.

B. F. LANGFORD JR.
Administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford deceased.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, Dec. 17th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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FOR SALE—Eight Colonies of bees in standard 1½ story 10 frame hives.—Eldred Evans, Southwestern phone.

TURKEYS—I have for sale Bourbon Red and White Holland pure-bred turkeys. Toms,$5.50; hens, $3.5.—Mrs. M. B. Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

BRONZE TURKEYS—Pure-bred big boned Mammoth Bronze Turkeys for sale. Toms, $10; hens, $3.—Mrs. J. P. Thalmann, Bandera, Texas.

WANTED—Music box. Will be glad to buy old-fashioned Music Box. Communicate with R. Vander Straten, 603 Travis Building, San Antonio.

LOST—About August 1, a white hound bitch, with lemon colored spots, branded —7 on left side and shoulder. $5.00 reward for return to H. A. Robison, Tarpley, Texas. 2tc

BIG-BONED, extreme large type, Poland China hogs. Orders being booked as fast as supply is available. Six weeks pigs $10 without registration papers, or $12 with papers, on place. Sows farrowed for March pigs.—Henry Thiele, Harper, Texas.

RANCH FOR SALE—500 acres, 45 in cultivation, good house, good pens, partly goat proof fence; good title. $2,000 farm loan long time. Plenty of water for all purposes, irrigation, well. Good springs and well. Will sell reasonable. Also 30 head of stock cattle, and five horses—J. H. Tillotson, Utopia, Texas.

FOR SALE—A few choice Mammoth Bronze toms, prize winning strain. Price $10 and up.—Mrs. E. L. Atkins.

FOR SALE—Three good mules, two broke and one unbroke. Will trade for goats, sheep or cattle. Can be seen at Felix Laskowski's ranch. 1me

FOR SALE—Ford Roadster truck, good condition, good rubber; very cheap. See Oscar Perner, at the blacksmith shop.

Notice to Tax Payers.

I will be at the following places on the dates mentioned for the purpose of collecting the 1926 taxes now due:

Medina, Saturday, December, 11.

Lima, Monday, December 13.

Tuff, Tuesday, December 14.

Vanderpool, Wednesday, December 15.

Taylor, Thursday, December 16.

Tarpley, Friday, December 17.

Pipe Creek, Saturday, December. 18.

HENRY STEVENS,
Tax Collector.

Have Eyes Examined.

Don't regret to have me examine your eyes and straighten up your old frames. It will positively cost you nothing. The information that I can give you is backed by the State Board of Optometry.—T. S. Dennis.

Please Make Settlement.

I kindly ask all who are owing me for work done in my garage during the past to come forward and make settlement. I have waited patiently for what is due, and now that I have disposed of my garage business I will expect all accounts to be settled promptly.

TOM GRAY.

Miss Leah Coulter, of Medina, was the guest of friends in this city yesterday.

Bandera Theater

Friday Night, December 10.

"That Royal Girl"

Directed by D. W. Griffith

Featuring Carroll Dempster

Friday Night, Dec. 17th

"7 Keys to Bald Pate"

Featuring Douglas McLean

ADMISSION 30c and 15c

Coming Friday, Dec. 24th, and Christmas Day Matinee, 5:30

"North of 36"

Featuring Jack Holt, Noah Beery, Ernest Carrance, Lois Wilson

Special—Admission, 50c and 25c

Dances AT COX HALL

Christmas Night, December 25th

Monday Night, December 27th

New Year's Eve, December 31st

New Year's January 1, 1927

S. Adamson's Shoe Sale

On Monday morning, December 13, and continuing until December 18th, I will give 12 ½ per cent off on all shoes in stock. —S. Adamson.

If you want any kind of cow feed call on—C. B. Corley.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and children visited relatives and friends at Medina last Saturday.

District Game Warden S. O. Durst was over from Junction Saturday, greeting his many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clark were in from the ranch last Saturday and called to renew their subscription to the little old home paper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Causey were in from Mason Creek last Thursday and called to renew their subscription to the New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chipman and children and Mrs. R. A. Chipman went to Fredericksburg last Sunday to visit relatives. They returned Tuesday.

Henry Stuetz, of the East Verde region, was in town Saturday and called in to renew his subscription to the little old home paper. Henry is usually right on dot with his renewal.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Chenault, of near Medina, who was seriously injured by a fall from a truck one day last week, is reported to be improving in a hospital at San Antonio.

W. R. Thomason, of Pipe Creek was here Saturday to attend the meeting of the board of directors of the Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers' Association, of which he is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lewis, of near Medina, were here last Thursday, marketing turkeys. Mr. Lewis informed us that he received 50 cents per pound for the birds. He dropped in while here and remained to subscribe to the New Era.

R. N. Padgett was over from Tarpley Saturday to attend the regular meeting of the directors of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association. He dropped in to see the New Era while here, and reported everything lovely in his bailiwick.

POSTED—All of my lands are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed I want you to keep out, and I don't mean maybe. —J. H. Bruce.

Roy Richards, who has been in the signal service of the Rock Island railroad, with headquarters at Little Rock, Arkansas, for the past two years, was here a few days last week on a visit to relatives. Roy says he will probably be transfered to West Texas and New Mexico stations soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Montague and infant of Los Mochis, Mexico, spent a few days last week with Mr. Montague's mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, Sr. They intended to remain a month or more, but Mr. Montague received an urgent call to return to Los Mochis to resume his duties with the United States Sugar Co., with which firm he has held a responsible position for several years, and they left for that place on Sunday.

The entire stock of the Medina Army Store, at Medina, is being closed out at greatly reduced prices. 4tp.

Miss Sarah S. King, Mrs. P. R. McKnight, Miss Content McKnight, and little Miss Mildred Bee Maule came up from San Antonio and spent a short while Sunday. In company with the New Era editor they visited Veteran Amasa Clark at his home four miles west of town, and talked with Mr. Clark about his early experiences in San Antonio and his service in the Mexican War. The ladies were delighted with Bandera's picturesqueness, this being their first visit here, but they all aver that they are coming again and spend awhile with us.

In Re Guardianship of Thelma Hardgrove, Minor in the County Court of Bandra County, Texas, for Probate Matters.

Notice is hereby given by Mary Hardgrove Lemm, guardian of the person and estate of Thelma Hardgrove, a minor, and I have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estate of said ward to make a mineral, oil and gas lease upon such terms as the County Court may order and direct of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of my said ward, which is described as following:

All that tract of land lying and being situated in Brown County, State of Texas, about 14 miles north 80 degrees west of the town of Brownwood, and more particularly described as follows: A part of survey of 1920 acres in the name of Moses Little or Littell, beginning at the easternost N. E. cor. of said Moses Little survey and the S E cor. of a 320 acre survey in the name of Thomas Eldridge from which a T O brs. S 35 degs. W 14 3-5 vrs a do. brs N 46 degs W 12 vrs; thence, S 886 vrs with E B Line of said Little Survey to a stake in said line from which a P O brs. N 4 degs west 11 vrs; thence, west 1797 vrs. to a stake from which a P O brs. N 4 degs west 30 vrs do brs N 51 degs. E 20 vrs; thence, N 808 vrs to a stake on bank of pasture and on the north boundary line of said Moses Little survey from which a P O brs N 44 degs E 2 vrs a do brs S 45 degs W 4 vrs; thence, E 797 vrs to the place of beginning containing 114 acres of land, more or less, the same being the tract of land deeded to J. H. Penn by Mrs. Delilah N Morris on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1897. Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House at Bandera, Texas on the 18th day of December A D 1926.

MARY HARDGROVE LEMM
Guardian of the Estate of Thelma Hardgrove, a minor.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 12th day of November 1926.

JOE FROBOESE
Notary Public Bexar County, Texas.

Artists' Recital.

Songs, readings and play by Mesdames Farrell Hicks and Miss Fuller, for the benefit of the Bandera High School Wednesday, December 29, 1926.

Church Bazaar.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will hold a bazaar on December 18. Patterns of embroidery work and other suitable Christmas gifts will be on display. Full announcement will be made later.

O. S. Y. TRUCK LINE

Hauling for the general public. Rates to and from Bandera and San Antonio, 35 cents per 100 pounds. Special rates on grain. C. E. Callahan, Phone Pipe Creek

Buckelew, the Captive.

I still have copies of "The Indian Captive," which is selling at seventy-five cents per copy.—T. S. Dennis.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Port Worth, Texas. (adv.)

Jewelry for You.

Buy your jewelry from me. My prices beat San Antonio when you compare the goods.—T. S. Dennis, Jeweler.

Mr. and Mrs. Totten and children, of Fort Worth, are guests of their relatives, J. R. Price and family. They will leave this week for Phoenix, Arizona, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mills.

Special Sale on Candies at the O. S. T. Confectionery. Six 5c bars for 25c; penny goods ten pieces extra with 50c purchase. Now is the time to buy your high grade candies.

R. D. Garison, of near Medina, was here Saturday transacting business and attending the quarterly meeting of the board of directors of the Bandera County Ranchmen and Farmers' Association, of which he is a member.

Ladies Hats Reduced.

25 per cent off on all Ladies' Hats, for ten days.—Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

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BULLETIN

"A Case of Suspension," at High School Auditorium Saturday night, December 11, for the benefit of the school. You'll enjoy this play, so don't miss it.

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MEDINA

David Tallman has returned from Raymondville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cox and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bonnett and other relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman of Mirando, are visiting relatives and friends here.

A birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. Thelma Adams' birthday Monday afternoon.

Mrs. May Pass and children and Mrs. Crist Lackey and daughter, Lorena, spent last week-end at Kerrville.

A recital by Mesdames Hicks and Carol, will be given at the school house Saturday night, December 18. This program will consist of readings, musical readings, vocal solos and a one act comedy. Admission charges 15c and 25c.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman and baby, and Miss Ruby Hillman, of Mirando City, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Reber, Mrs. P. M. Wilson and Mrs. Dan Reed were Kerrville visitors Monday.

Mrs. C. Hinds and son, Elmer, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson Sunday.

Sam Sutton and son, Lee, took a load of mutton goats to San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Keese and children, Annie and Charlie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Keese, Sunday.

Jim Sutton, of San Antonio, spent several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton, last week.

Mrs. Zula Miller and daughter Miss Sadie and Mrs. D. H. Sutton were Bandera visitors Monday.

Robert Miller and Mr. Richmond, of San Antonio, visited relatives here last week.

Freezing Weather.

Bandera has been in the grip real winter weather this week, the thermometer standing around 32 degrees Tuesday and Wednesday. Some ice was in evidence during the disagreeable spell.

The entire stock of the Medina Army Store, at Medina, is being closed out at greatly reduced prices. 4tp.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

TARPLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno Billings and bright little son and daughter, dee Junior, and Norma Lee, of Sanger, California, came in last Thursday to spend a few days with friend and relatives here.

Henry S. Smith, who joined the Navy several months ago, came in Thursday and will be spend a few days with relatives here.

Ivey Smith, of San Antonio spent the week-end with relatives here.

Roy Richards spent several days with his sister, Miss Thelma Richards and his brother-in-law, Lee Price.

Honor Roll Tarpley School.

For Good Conduct—Armintie Price, Lora Ryle, Margaret Wade, Dorothy Mae Sewell, Eleanor Kirchhoff, Fay Jeffers, Alice Spratt, Dorothy Hicks, Eulosie Leighton, Leo Della Holt, Rubie Holt.

Proper every day during term—Willie Mae Wood, Elzie Dean Woodrow Sewell, Walter Mahaffey, Ira Strawn, M. B. Padgett, Jr., Rudolph Ross, Thomas Ross, Eulosie Leighton, Olga Meesh, Theresa Meesh.

Must Have License.

Everybody who traps or hunts with dogs, on other than their own premises, are required to have a hunting license. This applies to dogs as well as men. License can be obtained from Sheriff Stokes at Medina or John Reisenstein at Bandera, or from Game Warden Dan Rugh.

NOTICE.

Dr. D. H. Rittimann, Optometrist, Specialist in making eye examinations and fitting of glasses correctly, will be in Bandera in the office of Rittman Jewelry & Optical Co., December 20, 21, 22, 23. All those in need of glasses, or perhaps a change in lenses, will have the opportunity to consult me for a proper correction. Office Hours, 9 to 11:30 A. M. 1 to 4 P. M.

Buy a Chevrolet and Save Expense.

Prices on Chevrolet cars and trucks, delivered at Bandera, are: Touring and Roadster, balloon tires, each $621.90.

Coupe and Coach, balloon tires, each $756.50.

Sedan, balloon tires, $848.70.

Landau Sedan, balloon tires, $879.40.

Two Truck Chassis, $613.40.

Half Ton Chassis, $448.40.

You can see a Sedan or Touring Car at Mansfield & Blakeney's Chevrolet Co. in Bandera. It will pay you to find out about terms, service, etc., before you buy a car.

In Unity There Is Strength

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A Case of Suspension.

On account of inclement weather the pupils of Bandera High School postponed their play, "A Case of Suspension," from last Saturday night until next Saturday night, December 18, at which time this laughable farce comedy will be presented at the High School Auditorium. You are cordially invited to attend and enjoy the fun. Admission 20c and 30c.

Recital at Tarpley.

Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Carroll and Miss Fuller will appear in recital at Tarpley school house Friday night, December 17th, under the auspices of Tarpley P. T. A. Admission 25c and 35c. On Friday the Tarpley P.. T. A. will hold a bazaar and give a chile dinner for the benefit of the new organ. Everybody cordially invited.

"North of 36" for $1.00.

Early next week the New Era will have a number of copies of Emerson Hough's "North of 36," which we will sell for only $1.00. Read the book and then see the picture at Bandera Theater, or see the picture and then read the book and you will appreciate Emerson Hough's wonderful story of early trail driving.

Fresh oysters tomorrow at Fred Cosgrove's Grocery.

Postmaster Confirmed.

Last Saturday the United States Senate confirmed the nomination of F. A. Mansfield as postmaster at Bandera. Mr. Mansfield, who has been in charge of the office for the past two months, received the news in a telegram Sunday from Congressman Claude Hudspeth.

Buys Meat Market.

Ike Stevens has purchased Ike Evans Meat Market and takes possession this week. Mr. Evans has enjoyed good patronage for the past several months and has given his customers good satisfaction. Mr. Stevens formerly ran a market here for several years, and will again serve the public with choice meats and give general satisfaction.

Christmas Carol to Be Given.

The pupils of St. Joseph's School will present a high-class play, "The Christmas Carol," on Wednesday night, December 22. All are invited to be in attendance, as the play given is an exceedingly enjoyable one, as well as comical. Admission 25c and 35c.

"Seven Keys to Bald Pate."

The picture to be shown at Bandera Theater tomorrow night will be "Seven Keys to Bald Pate," featuring Douglas McLean. You will like it. Usual prices, 15c and 30c.

Good Advice

Advise is hard to take. It is a human weakness or conceit to think we "Know it all."

But advice from older and wiser heads, from people who have graduated from the school of hard knocks is well worth listening to. Especially by the young folks.

Thrift—plain common sense applied to spending is absolutely essential when married. Of course young men and women should save for the time when they will be married—saving is imperative, if they are to succeed and be happy.

Savings make a happy home for children—the worthwhile things of life within yourreach.

Reckless, thoughtless spending is fatal to both happiness and success.

The First State Bank

Three Counties Send Protest.

Junction, Texas, Dec. 14—Carrying petitions bearing more than 1,000 names, a delegation of Kimble County citizens are in Austin to protest to Governor Ferguson against the proposed pardon for Homer Fleming, under sentence for 99 years in connection with the death of his wife, Mrs. Annie Fleming, who was shot to death at her home near here.

Fleming is now confined in the Bexar County jail, while his case is pending before the Court of Criminal Appeals. He has been tried twice, once before the district court at Llano. The first trial resulted in conviction and sentence of 99 years. The case was reversed and a change of venue ordered to Fredericksburg where another conviction and sentence of 99 years was returned. The alleged crime occurred in Kimble County on Dec. 18, 1923.

P. H. Hammond, district attorney of the 33rd Judicial District, has filed his protest before the Board of Pardons and is presenting to the Governor petitions from Llano and Gillespie counties protesting the granting of the pardon, each of which is signed by the respective juries before whom Fleming was tried. A special petition signed by women of Kimble County will also be presented to the Chief Executive.

Widespread opposition to the granting of a pardon for Fleming was aroused when it became known that application had been made. Names on the various petitions include all the court officials and prominent people in the counties of Kimble, where the slaying occurred, and Llano and Gillespie, where the two trials were held.—The San Antonio Express.

Buda Bank Robbed.

A lone little brown-eyed, quietly dressed young woman, who impersonated a newspaper reporter, robbed the Farmers' National Bank at Buda last Saturday morning. Dispatches state that she drove up in her automobile from the south, and parked her car in front of the bank. Entering she engaged people in the bank in conversation, telling them she was a newspaper woman, a reporter for the Beaumont Enterprise. When all the customers had gone to lunch she requested Cashier A. A. Jamison to let her use his typewriter. She went into the cage and Jamison went into the vault. As he emerged from the vault he was surprised to hear the command, "Stand where you are," and he beheld the young woman with drawn revolver, who ordered him and Bookkeeper Howe to go into the vault and hand her all the money. They complied promptly, and in passing out the moneey a package of bills, about $1,000, was dropped on the floor and kicked out of sight. She then locked the two men in the vault and departed, taking about $1,000 with her, it is said.

Later a young woman, a stenographer in Attorney General Dan Moody's office in Austin, was arrested for the crime, and was released on $5,000 bond.

Turkey Prices Fall.

Last Saturday the price of turkeys in Bandera was 32 cents per pound, but yesterday the birds were quoted at 28 cents per pound, the decline being attributed to the heavy marketing all over the country during the past few days.

Fresh Vegetables every Friday at Fred L. Cosgrove's Grocery.

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Benjamin Franklin, a wise man born of thrifty people, said: "If you would know the value of a dollar—try to borrow one." How true.

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My Reason.

My reason for resigning the principalship of Crockett School is that I do not feel that forty-five or sixteen to eighteen hours each day I have received the co-operation and support that are necessary to real success. This decision is not the result of any anger or sudden emotion, but is the result of more than two month's serious consideration. Mr. O. L. Adams and Mr. Ernest Banta both knew that my resignation was written out several weeks ago and the reason plainly told them both.

This step has plainly been taken with positively no feeling of anger toward anyone, and I am sure that another teacher, properly supported, can succeed far better than would be possible for me under the circumstances.

CARL F. WHEELER.

Uncle Dick Sullivan Dead.

Mrs. R. E. Moore and Mrs. R. T. Holcomb, of Medina went to San Saba last week to be at the bedside of their father, W. F. Sullivan, who died there on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Sullivan had been ill for many months, and for several weeks he had realized that the end was near and talked with his friends and family of his readiness and willingness to meet death. He was born at Moorville, Mississippi, March 8, 1854, and came to Texas at the age of 16 years. He served as a Texas Ranger during frontier days, and was a typical frontiersman. He lived in San Saba county for many years, and was engaged in the hardware business in the town of San Saba.

We knew Uncle Dick Sullivan and considered him one of our best friends, and in his passing we shall miss his kindly letters and his cheerful greeting. He always came to see us when he was in this part of the country, and always had good words of encouragement for us.

Surviving are his wife and twelve children, as follows: Mrs. W. H. Hinyard of San Saba, Pat Sullivan of Comstock, Mrs. R. E. Moore and Mrs. R. T. Holcomb of Medina, Mark Sullivan of San Saba, Paul Sullivan of Washington, D. C. Mrs. C. M. Bulger of Martinez, California, Mrs. J. B. Arnold of San Antonio, Ramsey, Richard and Harry Sullivan of Richmond, California, and Miss Mary Sullivan of San Saba. To the bereaved wife and sorrowing children the New Era extends condolence and sympathy.

Don't wait until the last day to select your Christmas cards. Call in and see the New Era's line. No orders taken for less than 25.

Helps the Town.

Many of the people are entertaining visitors from elsewhere, and many a four folks have gone away. An enterprising local newspaper always seeks to chronicle these comings and goings but it is a difficult proposition handled right unless the public co-operates with it.

It would be a nice thing if a monthly or semi-monthly list were presented of such visitations and journeyings, and of the social events that occur in a town through the summer. Social meeting would thereby be facilitated, people would call and see friends from elsewhere who are visiting here, old acquaintances would be seen and friendships would be renewed.

Some people claim to be offended if their names are printed in the paper and some are offended if they are not printed, so newspaper folks have a rather hard time trying to please all elements. But if it is considered legitimate for people to mention the fact in conversation that such and such a person is doing so and so, it is difficult to see how anyone has ground for complaint if the same thing is mentioned in a newspaper. The people who make such a fuss about having their names thus used, are sometimes rather pleased at heart when they are mentioned.

Most people would like to have these personal activities carefully reported, so they can know what their friends are doing. They should therefore co-operate by telephoning the newspaper or sending in a written item when they can give out such information about their own families and friends.

Editors and reporters cannot visit every home in a town and find out where people are, so that a complete record of peoples' movements is to be made, the people must co-operate by giving some of this information themselves. —Deland (Fla.) Sun.

Man Killed in Car Wreck.

E. J. Little of San Antonio was instantly killed and Carlos Worden of San Antonio and Lee Lankford of Mertens, were injured last Tuesday night when their automobile skidded and turned over on the Medina Lake and San Antonio road. The party had been duck hunting at Medina Lake and were returning to San Antonio when the accident happened.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

The New Era's big Christmas Greeting Edition will be issued next Thursday, and that will be the last issue of the little old home paper this year, the next issue after Christmas to appear January 6, 1927.

Police are now lecturing boys and girls found in joints where beer and whiskey can be bought in Dallas. Many of these are mere school children. Some of the parents should take a sawed-off shot gun and put a few of these dumps out of commission.

During the past week quite a number of our subscribers have dropped in to square up their subscription accounts with the New Era and wish the little old home paper prosperity during the coming year. Makes us feel better, helps us to meet our bills and encourages us to strive the harder to make the New Era a good newspaper.

The year 1926 is slipping away rapidly. Seems to us that it has sped along pretty fast, for only a few days ago, it seems, Spring was here, and then Summer and Fall, and now we are on the threshold of a New Year. It has been a pretty good year, after all, but we have left many things undone which ought to have been done, and perhaps have done many things which should not have been done.

The First National Bank of Buda was held up and robbed one day last week by a girl. She locked the cashier and his assistant in the vault and departed with $1,000, all in broad daylight. An arrest has been made. The girl probably committed the robbery for the "thrill" she got out of it. Maybe she will be "thrilled" when she hears the verdict of a jury in giving her a term in the penitentiary.

"Pay it with pullets" is the slogan of farm boys and girls of Tennessee who returned the standard bred pullets to the bankers who supplies them with eggs last spring on the "Return a pullet" payment plan. The boys and girls are members of poultry clubs conducted by extension workers cooperatively employed by the United States Department of Agriculture and the State agricultural college. These pullets will be sold at auction by the bankers to interest the farmers of the state in better poultry.—U. S. Department of Agriculture.

New Era and Frontier Times, together, for only $2.50 per year. Subscribe today.

You will receive Christmas cards frm your friends, wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, which shows your friends have not forgotten you during this glad season. A Christmas card can convey more real sentiment than any small present we know of. It's a reminder that we still have friends. You may not be able to give expensive presents, and you naturally feel that you want your friends to know you have not forgotten them, so the Christmas card offers a solution of your difficulty. During the past week this office has printed hundreds of these greeting cards for Bandera folks, and we are daily receiving orders for more. Our stock was soon exhausted and we had to send for another supply. Come in and see them.

When is a Man a Mason?

To the question "When is a man a Mason?" John Fort Newton replies: "When he can look out over the rivers, the hill and the far horizon with a profound sense of his own littleness in the vast scheme of things and yet have hope, faith and courage, which is the root of every virtue. When he knows that, down in his heart, every man is as noble, as vile, as divine, as lonely as himself, and seeks to know, to forgive and love his fellow man. When he knows how to sympathize with men in their sorrow yea, even in their sins; knowing that each man fights a hard fight against many odds. When he has learned how to make friends and keep them; above all to keep friends with himself. When he loves flowers; can hunt the birds without a gun; and feels the thrill of an old forgotten joy when he hears the laughter of a little child. When he can be happy and wholesome amid the meaner drudgeries of life. When star crowned trees and the glint of sunshine, flowing waters sublue like the thought, of one much loved and long dead. When no voice of distress reaches his ears in vain and no hand seeks his aid without response. When he finds good in every faith that helps any man lay hands on divine things, and sees majestic meanings in life whatever the name of that faith may be. When he can look into a wayside puddle and see something beyond mud, forlorn fellow mortal and see something beyond sin. When he knows how to pray, how to love, how to hope. When he has kept faith with himself, with his fellow man, with his God; in his hand a sword for evil, in his heart a bit of song; glad to live and not afraid to die. Such a man has found the only real secret of Masonry and the one it is trying to give to all the world.

Artists' Recital.

Songs, readings and play by Mesdames Carroll, Hicks and Miss Fuller, for the benefit of the Bandera High School Wednesday, December 29, 1926.

Again—"Blinded by the Lights Of Another Car.

After he had lived for 90 years passing through the numerous hazards of pioneer days—attacks by wild beast or savage red men—and doubtless had experienced the perils of storm and plague, J. W. Senner of Arlington, (Texas), was struck and killed by an automobile while crossing the street on returning from church Sunday night.

The dispatches relates that a motorist "traveling at an ordinary rate of speed and blinded by the lights of another car," knocked down Mr. Senner, and the latter died on the way to the hospital. Two attendants who had been assisting him across the street were unable to save him, and one of them injured.

This State's motor-vehicle headlight law, regarded as a model statute, when enacted—was intended to prevent just such accidents, which had become all too common in Texas, as elsewhere. The act detailedly sets forth the measurements and conditions with which every automobile headlight must comply in order to meet scientific safety standards.

As a furher check, county tax collectors were instructed to issue license plates only upon presentation of a certificate that the lights had been tested. A maximum fine of $200 for the second offense was prescribed. The last section of the statute reads:

"The fact that automobiles and other vehicles are being used with inadequate lights and lights so brilliant and glaring as to be a menace to human safety creates an emergency," etc.

The Arlington accident shows that today—18 months after the law became effective—this "emergency" is still with us. Headlights on street and highway are practically as inadequate or as glaring as before. Collisions come about and pedestrians are run down apparently as frequently as when Texas did not have these specific regulations.

Public opinion, aroused by fatal accidents, prodded some traffic authorities over the State into an inforcement "drive" last summer. Much flagrant disregard of the law was detected. As usual the "cleanup" was merely a spurt and no permanent improvement was effected. A highway official in Tarrant County—where Mr. Senner was killed—only a few days previously had demanded that the new legislature put more "teeth" in this law; but would that render any easier or more likely its effective enforcement?—San Antonio Express.

How Are You Fixed For Winter?

What a feeling of comfort and satisfaction every member of the family has when the pantry shelves are loaded with canned fruits, vegetables and meats, and hanging in the smokehouse are through the winter. If out in hams and bacon enough to last the cellar or in store some place there is a supply of sweet potatoes, turnips, rutabagas and other vegetables that can be stored, while in the barns or in sacks is found sufficient feedstuffs for the livestock, the satisfaction is more complete.

How many farmers in the Southwest are this year ready for any kind of winter that may come? Farm and Ranch hopes that everyone has looked forward to the winter months by storing up food for the table and feed for the livestock but while expressing that hope, it is certain that many have depended entirely and solely upon the returns of their cotton crop with which to buy what they could have produced for themselves.

From reports we have received, not as many farmers as we would wish will be in a position to profit by this issue which tells how to kill and cure meat for home use. Hog-killing time on the farm and no hogs. What a comment to have to make on our foresight. Acres of vegetables and wagon loads of fruit rotted in fields and but little of it, in many instances, put up for winter consumption. Farms without a semblance of a garden. Other farms where gardens were planted and let grow up to weeds. Some farms are without chickens, and hundreds of them without a cow, with many thousand without a hog. All this sacrifice for cotton, which, according to some, is not worth picking.

Let this thought sink in. The farm is, first of all, a place to live and make a living.—Farm and Ranch.

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The State of Texas, County of Bandera:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford, deceased, late of Bandera County, Texas, by J. A. Eaves, Judge of the County Court of said county, on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1926, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in the town of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, where he receives his mail this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1926.

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Admission 50c and 25c

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POSTED—All pastures owned by Sol Langford & Brothers are posted. No trapping, hunting or any kind of trespassing allowed thereon.—Sol Stevens.

POSTED—No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing in my pastures will be allowed. All trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Louie Haeglin. 2me

POSTED—My pastures in Bandera and Medina counties are posted and no hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing on my lands will be allowed. You are warned to keep out.—W. H. Schmidt. 2me

POSTED—The John P. Davenport pastures are posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed therein.—John P. Davenport.

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POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

POSTED—My pastures on Myrtle Creek, the home pasture, and the Trap pasture, south of town, are posted. No hunting, camping, trapping or trespassing therein will be allowed.—Mrs. C. H. Mansfield. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures situated on the head of Little Creek and on the Divide between the heads of the Medina and Willow Creek, and also my pasture near Utopia, are posted against hunting, trapping or trespassing.—R. L. Duke. 2mp

POSTED—Our pastures, including all lands we have in charge, are posted against hunting, trapping, or any kind of trespassing. You are hereby warned to keep out.—O. F. Heinen. 2mp

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POSTED—My pastures on Verde Creek are posted against hunting, trapping, or any manner of trespassing therein. Violators will be prosecuted.—N. Padgett & Sons. 2mp

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POSTED—Trespassers are warned to keep out of my pasture on Privilege Creek. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed therein.—C. H. Briant.

POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Seekatz pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden. Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

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TURKEYS—I have for sale Bourbon Red and White Holland pure-bred turkeys. Toms $5.00 each; $3.50 hens.—Mrs. M. B. Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

BRONZE TURKEYS—Purebred big boned Mammoth Bronze Turkeys for sale. Toms, $10; hens, $5.—Mrs. O. F. Thalmann, Bandera, Texas. 4tp

WANTED—Music box. Will be glad to buy old-fashioned Music Box. Communicate with R. Vander Straten, 602 Travis Building, San Antonio.

LOST—About August 1, a white hound bitch, with lemon colored spots, branded —— left hip and shoulder. $5.00 reward for return to R. A. Robison, Tarpley, Texas. 2p

BIG-BONED, extreme large type, Poland China hogs. Orders being booked as fast as can be handled. Six weeks pigs $10 without registration papers, or $12 with papers. Can place some choice sows bred for March pigs.—Henry Ize, Center Point, Texas. 4tpd

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FOR SALE—Ford Roadster truck, good condition, good rubber, very cheap. See Oscar Perner, at the blacksmith shop.

WANTED—200 kids or yearling Angora goats. Let me know what you have and price.—A. J. Rohlf, Hondo, Texas.

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FOR SALE—30 choice White Leghorn pullets, now laying, and 75 hens selected for breeders. All $1.50 each. Must sell to make room.—R. G. Holekamp, Comfort, Texas.

LOST—On Sunday night Dec. 5th, on street between Mrs. Louis Adamietz residence and north end of bridge on San Antonio Road, 3 cell flashlight. Reward.—Ben Adamietz.

Please Make Settlement.

I kindly ask all who are owing me for work done in my garage during the past to come forward and make settlement. I have waited patiently for what is due, and now that I have disposed of my garage business I will expect all accounts to be settled promptly.

TOM GRAY

TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS.

Patrons of the Bandera Independent Telephone System who are in arrears for phone service, are kindly requested to make settlement at once at the First National Bank.—R. E. Doke, Prop.

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T. B. Welch is up from San Antonio for a few days.

Mrs. T. E. Dennis spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Judge W. S. Ethridge attended court at Hondo this week.

Pork Sausage and pork on Saturdays, at Schoenert's Market.

Mrs. J. M. Hunter and son, Marvin, visited Kerrville Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Lewis and Mrs. H. Rolfshus, of Pipe Creek were visitors in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings spent Monday in San Antonio with their daughter, Mrs. L. L. DeLamure.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene George, of Pipe Creek, entertained with a delightful social dance last Saturday night.

First Grade Gold Seal Rugs, 9x12 special price only $12.95. Also have other good bargains.—J. B. Powell Furniture Co., Center Point.

F. O. Watrous, who ranches on the West Prong above Medina, was here Monday and dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

You can get Christmas cards at the New Era office in lots of 25, 50 or 100.

Bennie Schlader entertained quite a large crowd of his friends with a delightful social dance at his home on Myrtle Creek last Saturday night.

A. J. Rohlf, of near Hondo was here this week, wanting to buy goats. Mr. Rohlf paid this office an appreciated visit while in the city Monday.

Put in your order early for dressed chickens for Christmas.—Schoenert's Market.

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F. E. Cushing, Phone 2

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Bandera Camp No. 27, [illegible] of the Woodmen of the World, [illegible] members, [illegible]

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FOR SALE—Eight Colonies of bees in standard 1½ story 10 frame hives.—Eldred Evans, Southwestern phone.

TURKEYS—I have for sale Bourbon Red and White Holland pure-bred turkeys. A Tom, $5.50; hens, $3.50.—Mrs. M. B. Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

BRONZE TURKEYS—Pure-bred big boned, Mammoth Bronze Turkeys for sale. Toms, $10; hens, $5.—Mrs. O. F. Thalmann, Bandera, Texas. 4tp

WANTED—Music box. Will exchange to buy old-fashioned Music Box.—Communicate with R. Vander Straten, 609 Travis Building, San Antonio.

LOST—About August 1, a white hound bitch with lemon colored spots, branded — on left side and shoulder. $5.00 reward for return to H. A. Robbins, Tarpley, Texas. 2tc

BIG-BONED, extreme large type Poland China hogs. Orders being booked at fast as supply is available. Six weeks pigs $10 with registration papers, or $12 with papers, not akin. Sows ... Henry ...

The year 1926 for March [illegible] if has sped along pretty fast, for only a few days ago, it seems, Spring was here, and then Summer and Fall, and now we are on the threshold of a New Year. It has been a pretty good year, after all, but we have left many things undone which ought to have been done, and perhaps have done many things which should not have been done.

The First National Bank of Buda was held up and robbed one day last week by a girl. She tricked the cashier and his as[illegible] two books and decided [illegible] trade for goats, sheep or cattle. Can be seen at Felix Laskowski's ranch. 1mp

FOR SALE—Ford Roadster truck, good condition, good rubber, very cheap. See Oscar Perner, at the blacksmith shop.

WANTED—200 kids or yearling Angora goats. Let me know what you have and price.—A. J. Rehkl, Hondo, Texas.

FOR SALE—Used second hand Range Stove cheap. See R. P. Langford, Jr.

FOR SALE—30 choice White Leghorn pullets, now laying, and 25 hens selected for breeders. All $1.50 each. Must sell to make room.—H. G. Holekamp, Comfort, Texas.

LOST—On Sunday night Dec. 5th, on street between Mrs. Louis Adamietz residence and north end of bridge on San Antonio Road, 3 cell flashlight. Reward —Ben Adamietz.

Please Make Settlement.

I kindly ask all who are owing me for work done in my garage during the past to come forward and make settlement. I have waited patiently for what is due me, and now that I have disposed of my garage business I will expect all accounts to be settled promptly.

TOM GRAY

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If you want any kind of cow feed call on—C. B. Corley.

Beef casing and fresh lard at Schoenert's Market.

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Pork Sausage and pork on Saturdays, at Schoenert's Market.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene George, of Pipe Creek, entertained with a delightful social dance last Saturday night.

First Grade Gold Seal Rugs, 9x12, special price only $12.95. Also have other good bargains.—J. B. Powell Furniture Co., Center Point.

F. O. Watrous, who ranches in the West Prong above Medina, was here Monday and dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

You can get christmas cards at the New Era office in lots of 25, 50, or 100.

Bennie Schladorf entertained quite a large crowd of friends with a delightful social dance at his home on Myrtle Creek last Saturday night.

A. J. Rehl, of near Hondo was here this week, waiting on his son, Mr. Rehl paid this office an appreciated visit while in the city Monday.

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The Women's Auxiliary Society of the Methodist Church will have a bazaar and chicken supper [illegible] another short week. The bazaar will be on Thursday, Dec. 23rd, and will be held in the Wright building next to Schoenert's Market.

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J. R. Cailey, [illegible]

Mrs. J. F. Bogard returned from Belvalers, Illinois, where she will shortly return to make her home in Medina. Mrs. Bogard's many friends regret to learn of her departure.

Robert Cooper spent several days last week in San Antonio on business connected with the Bandera County Abstract Company.

Attention W. O. W.

Bandera Camp No. [illegible] will meet [illegible] 21st. [illegible] tion of important business. [illegible] members.

Notice Hunters and Trappers

Have [illegible]

We [illegible] Ranch [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Merry Christmas

It is our sincere wish that the Yuletide season comes to you like a treasure- laden ship of old and that its cargo will make for more happiness for you.

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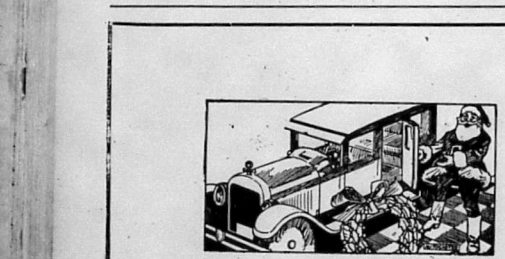

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MEDINA

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Mr. and Mrs. Preston Wyatt and children of Leverland, are visiting his mother, Mrs. C. D. Wyatt, and his sister, Mrs. Judith Baker.

Mrs. Edgar Stovall is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Akin and family at Houston. She was accompanied as far as Austin by Mr. Stovall.

Mrs. Morgan Daniels and baby of Victoria, are visiting her father, Mr. Jim Walker.

Victor Thalmann, of the A & M College, is at home for the holidays.

Miss Annie Cravey, of Tarpley, is visiting Miss Marguerite Fries. They were Medina visitors Tuesday.

Roscoe Pike and Clarence Love came in from Sonora Monday to spend Christmas with relatives at Tuff and Vanderpool.

Don't forget the recital to be given at the school house in Medina, Thursday night, December 30 by Mrs. Hicks and Mrs. Carroll of Bandera, under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association. Admission 35c and 15c.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. Clifford Hinds spent several days in San Antonio last week.

Billy Quicary of San Antonio spent a few days with his uncle Val Click.

Mrs. John Adams and children, Miss Ola Belle and Richard, of Tuff, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris Sunday Afternoon.

There will be a Christmas tree and short program at the Lima school house Friday night. Everybody come.

Fall and Doheny Go Free.

Washington, Dec. 20 (AP)—The Government lost Thursday in the first criminal proceeding growing out of the Senate committee's investigations into oil leasing policies of the Harding administration.

A jury in the District of Columbia Supreme Court, after nineteen hours' deliberation, found Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, and Edward L. Doheny, lessee of the Elk Hills (Cal.) naval reserve, not guilty of conspiracy to defraud the Government in the 1922 leasing negotiations.

Floyd Johnson and little son, Clifford, of Los Angeles, arrived Tuesday to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson.

The Best Yet.

The February number of Frontier Times, to come from the press January 5th, will be the largest edition ever printed of the little magazine. It will contain sixty-four pages and copies will be sent all over the United States. The contents of the February number will be of unusual interest, and will include the first installment of the serial, "Jack Hays, the Intrepid Texas Ranger." "Freemasonry on the Frontier," "Henry A. Crabbe, Filibuster," "The Fight at Led better's Salt Works," "Stage Holdup at Pegleg," "Comanche Still Lives," "Brushy Creek Battle," "Judge Kirby Benedict," and twelve or fifteen other good stories of the frontier. The price of Frontier Times is still $1.50 per year. It will make a splendid Christmas gift to your son, your father, or your brother. Order it today by addressing Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

Bazaar Quite a Success.

The bazaar held by the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church in the Wright building last Saturday was a splendid success in every way and the members of the Society are very much pleased over the outcome. Despite the inclement weather the bazaar was liberally patronized and everything offered was sold.

Christmas Program.

There will be a Christmas program at the Baptist church Friday evening, December 24, at 7:30. This is a special service of songs, recitations and instrumental music. Come and bring your friends.

Services at Rocky Creek.

Elder W. T. Swinney will preach at Rocky Creek school house next Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Artists' Recital.

Songs, readings and play by Mesdames Carroll Hicks and Miss Fuller, for the benefit of the Bandera High School Wednesday, December 29, 1926.

Get It Done Here.

All kinds blacksmithing, horseshoeing, general repair work, batteries recharged, machine and electrical work done promptly and satisfactorily. I also make wood saws according to specifications and in all sizes.—O. W. Perner, Blacksmith.

Cash Register For Sale.

A perfectly good National cash register, cheap for cash. For particulars address A. Huffmeyer, 520 Cleveland Court, San Antonio, Texas.

The School Play.

The High School pupils last Saturday night presented a laughable farce-comedy, "A Case of Suspension," at the High School Auditorium, which drew a good crowd and netted the school over forty dollars to be used in the purchase of athletic equipment. Everybody was pleased with the entertainment afforded. Miss Fuller's impromptu orchestra made quite a hit, being composed mostly of girls with ukeleles, and by some was christened the "Bandera Ukelele Jey Breakers." The girls in the orchestra were Misses Glayda Croisdale and Nettie Hunter, violins; Eunice Sorter, Lula and Edith North, ukeleles; Mildred Watson, Lorene Surber, guitars; Ruth Davenport, piano; Master Cecil Lewis, snare drum; Miss Jo Fuller, director.

Appearing as characters in the play were Misses Ruth Thalmann, Rachel Hunter, Thelma Sorter, Zella Mae Price, and Aileen Cash; Messrs. Marvin Hunter, Jr., Burgin Davenport, Herman Thalmann, Bob Mansfield, Charles Rugh Jr., and as blackface comedians George Lane Leonard Little and Cecil Surber made quite a hit.

Glen Meadows will arrive from Houston next Monday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows.

"The Christmas Carol"

"The Christmas Carol" was the title of a very interesting play presented last night by the pupils of St. Joseph's Parochial School. The play was an exceedingly enjoyable one and quite comical, and the attendance was large, the proceeds realized by the parochial school being quite satisfactory.

Yu'etide Gathering.

There will be a happy gathering at the Montague home Christmas day, when several of Mrs. Montague's children will be present to enjoy the Yuletide under the family roof. Those who will be there will be Dr. Laurie Montague of Tampico Mexico; Brian Montague of Del Rio, Joe G. Montague of Fort Stockton, Miss Victoria Montague of San Antonio, Mrs. Rose Gardiner, Miss Margaret Montague, and Frank M. Montague of Bandera, and the venerable mother, Mrs., Chas. Montague.

Entertainment at Tarpley.

The recital given at Tarpley last Friday evening by Mrs. Hicks and Mrs. Caroll was very much enjoyed and appreciated by the Tarpley people. The bazaar held by the Tarpley Parent-Teachers' Association was also well patronized, the proceeds amounted to $25.00.

Ashley Rugh will arrive from Houston today to spend Christmas with homefolks.

The New Era has just received a few copies of Emerson Hough's very interesting book "North of 36," which we will sell for $1.00 per copy, this office; or $1.10 by mail. This book, usually sells for $1.50 to $2.00.

"North of 36" Tomorrow Night.

"North of 36" is to be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow, Friday, night, and also Christmas Day, beginning at 5:30 p. m., being intended to get through with the show in time for the big dance at the hall Christmas night. This picture has been shown in San Antonio a number of times, in a week's run each time, and it's return is always well patronized. It is one of the most popular pictures ever filmed, dealing as it does with the early trail driving period of Texas it arouses interest wherever shown. When Emereon Hough, the author, read "The Trail Drivers of Texas," a book of 1034 pages compiled by J. Marvin Hunter, for Geo. W. Saunders, the president of the Old Time Trail Drivers' Association, he asked permission to use material in this book for the creation of a story for the Saturday Evening Post. The permission was given, and Mr. Hough's story "North of 36" first appeared in the Saturday Evening Post in 1921. Later it was brought out in book form, and three years ago it was filmed. It is a wonderful story and pictures conditions and customs of those early days in accurate manner. The cattle on the trail, the stampedes, the swimming of rivers, the encounters with Indians, and all, are brought out in a way that carries you back to that period of our state's history when the cattle industry was conducted in a different way from the present. We saw this picture shown at the last Old Trail Drivers' Reunion in San Antonio to about 600 old men who went up the trail in the early days and we heard many of them say it portrayed the "real thing." The picture has a pretty romance interwoven throughout, and some humorous incidents which give it plenty of spice and excitement.

Pan-Am Flyers Sail.

With Maj. Gen. Mason M. Patrick, chief of the United States Air Corps, leading the way, the five amphibian planes designated by the Army to fly on a mission of good will around South and Central America, took off from Kelly Field Tuesday morning on the first leg of the 18,000-mile journey, which will consume nearly five months.

Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Exhibit Hall in Mansfield Park, Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and an old time good time. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Shelton and infant son, of Flagstaff, Arizona, were here yesterday enroute to Tarpley to spend Christmas with Mrs. Shelton's mother, Mrs. J. F. Foster.

Leonard and Charlie Leighton, of Eagle Pass, spent several days last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Leighton, and brother, Joe Leighton, at Tarpley.

No New Era next week.

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Good Advice

Advice is hard to take. It is a human weakness or conceit to think we "Know it all."

But advice from older and wiser heads, from people who have graduated from the school of hard knocks is well worth listening to. Especially by the young folks.

Thrift—plain common sense applied to spending is absolutely essential when married. Of course young men and women should save for the time when they marry but afterward—saving is imperative, if they are to succeed and be happy.

Savings make a happy home for children—the worthwhile things of life within yourreach.

Reckless, thoughtless spending is fatal to both happiness and success.

The First State Bank

Giving Him a Lesson in Values

Benjamin Franklin, a wise man born of thrifty people, said: "I wish you would know the value of a dollar—try to borrow one." How true.

Teach your son or your daughter that Franklin truth and nurture in their minds the appreciation of the value of the dollar while they are in the penny age. It takes a stronger hold and becomes so deep rooted that all later influences toward reckless spending and careless handling of money cannot destroy the habit of thrift—the solid rock upon which all success is built.

Every child should have a bank account! Show them how to save.

The First National Bank of Bandera

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Following its usual custom, the New Era will not be issued next week. This in order to give the force an opportunity to celebrate Christmas. The next issue will appear January 6th, 1927.

School Dismisses.

Bandera High School will dismiss today for the holidays, the pupils and teachers being given a ten day vacation period.

Spareribs! Oh, Mim!

Our good friend, Dominic Dugosh, brought us a generous portion of spareribs last Friday and we had the sweet potatoes to go with them, too. And boy, we feasted. Dominic informs us that he killed two hogs last week each of which was one year and 20 days old, both were Big Boned Poland Chinas, and one of them dressed 438 pounds, while the other dressed 415 pounds. He says its the way you feed hogs and the kind of hogs you raise that counts in meat production. We appreciate the spareribs he brought us, and agree with him that there is good profit in hogs if they are properly handled.

Fletcher P. Layton, of Medina, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Langford will spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Joe Stein, in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Fletcher, of Utopia, will spend Christmas with their son, W. R. Fletcher, and family of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Villemain and E. P. Langford leave today for Mission Texas, to spend Christmas with Mr and Mrs. Edgar Posey.

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Mr and Mrs. Renzie Bills, of Houston, are expected in this week to spend Christmas with Mrs. Bills' father, C. R. Rugh, and sister, Miss Helen Rugh, at the City Hotel.

We are informed that Miss Jessie Welch, a former Bandera girl is in a hospital at San Antonio recovering from a serious operation. Miss Jessie's friends hope she will soon recover and be able to resume her duties as a registered nurse.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Truck Overturned.

Yesterday morning D. W. Buck started to San Antonio with a truckload of oats for market. Accompanying him as passengers were his wife and Rev. R. N. Hicks and two little sons. Just out of town, Mr. Buck looked around and the car went into a ditch at the side of the road and turned over, spilling the occupants out on the ground. Apart from a few bdluses and bumps no one was seriously hurt. It was a narrow escape for all of them. The truck was only slightly damaged.

Groomed to Succeed Callan.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 21.—W. T. Montgomery of San Antonio is mentioned as the possible next chairman of the State Livestock Sanitary Commission to succeed Leo Callan. Ferguson appointee. This fact was learned here Tuesday as an echo of the recent visit of a delegation of South Texas stockmen who protested the appointment of Callan.

Montgomery is a contractor but he is also a cattleman and has had extensive experience in the cattle business. He was a witness before the House committee investigating the state departments and gave testimony regarding negotiations for highway contracts that were a criticism of the methods in use at the time he sought the state business.

The present livestock sanitary commission consists of Leo Callan of San Antonio, chairman; Caesar Kleberg of Kingsville and Dr. F. F. Jarrell of Tyler. While Kleberg is a Ferguson appointee he is also known to be close to Dan Moody and may be reappointed. A determined effort has been made in behalf of Callan but the protests recently made are said to have made his chances of reappointment doubtful.

Livestock interests over the State are intensely interested in the personnel of the livestock commission. This interest has been intensified by the tick eradication campaign and the discussions as to its efficiency, it being attacked by many as highly expensive and of doubtful results. The commission administers the tick eradication law and the members of the next commission constitute some of the most important appointments to be made by the next governor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Alston and family, of San Antonio, will arrive tomorrow to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis.

No New Era next week.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

The New Era wishes its many readers and friends a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Fine rains have again fallen this week, soaking the ground thoroughly, and will be of great benefit to crops next year.

The hunting season ends December 31st. The season now is only six weeks in length, and some people think that is six weeks too long.

Let your New Year's resolution be that you will do your level best to get our court house yard enclosed with a suitable fence and a public park established therein.

The New Era is "house-cleaning" on its subscription list. If you fail to receive the little old home paper after the first of January perhaps it is because you have neglected your oversize subscription.

The New Era wants to report all of the home-coming, Christmas dinners, social functions and other holiday events. We will appreciate it if you will kindly report such as come under your observation or take place in your home.

Only a few more weeks and "Ma" Ferguson will vacate the high place of Governor of Texas and Monday will become the chief executive. But it begins to look like "Ma" is going to release all of the convicts in the penitentary before she quits.

During the holidays you will have visitors in your home. If they are from out of town we will appreciate your kindness if you will make a list of your visitors and send to the New Era for publication in our next issue, January 6th.

The New Era mentioned last week that Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moravietz had visited this office. This is a mistake. It was Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moravietz who visited us and renewed their subscription. There happens to be no Mrs. Paul Moravietz, and the New Era cheerfully makes the correction of this statement.

Frontier Times will make an ideal Christmas present for father, son or brother. A handsome Safety Razor outfit is being offered as a premium for one new subscriber to Frontier Times. Order the little magazine sent to some one, and receive the Auto-Strop Safety Razor outfit and you will then have another Christmas present for somebody else.

"North of 36," taken from Emerson Hough's wonderful book, will be shown at Bandera Theater tomorrow night, and matinee Christmas Day beginning at 5:30. Admission 50c and 25c. The New Era has ordered just one dozen of the books. "North of 36," which we will sell for only $1.00 per copy. This book will make a suitable Christmas present for your friend.

Card of Thanks

We take this means of expressing our appreciation to all who helped in any way in our Bazaar December 18. Your co-operation and patronage made it most decidedly a success and pleasure. We thank you.—Woman's Missionary Society.

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Mileage Contest at Boerne.

The Gasoline Mileage Contest held by the Paine Motor Company, at Boerne, last Tuesday of last week with the Improved Model Ford car was certainly a surprise to most every one.

The winning car is a Touring Car sold to Jim Campbell about ninety days ago and when the mileage was checked by the judges they found that the car had travelled forty-one and one-half miles on one gallon of gasoline.

All cars entering this contest were standard stock cars and were not altered in any manner that might add to their mileage.

J. B. Killman was second with a Roadster Pick-Up, making thirty-five and eight-tenth miles.

Max Hofheinz was third with twenty-seven and two-tenth miles.

Christmas is at hand. The joyous time of the year will be duly observed at the Methodist and Baptist churches in this city with appropriate services and Christmas trees, and at the Catholic church the usual observance will take place, midnight mass will be conducted, and in private homes will be Christmas trees, parties and social gatherings. It's a time for gladness, for Christmas represents to us the birth of the Savior of mankind. Everybody should keep this in mind, and properly celebrate.

Only the older people of the present generation can remember when the custom of putting all of a child's presents upon the public Christmas tree existed when the rich man's child went home laden with dolls and toys and the same Santa Claus also a few meagre playthings for the poor child. It was a public barbarity that has long since been abandoned—thanks to growing enlightment and the practical application of Christian thoughtfulness. Nearly all of the churches nowadays have Christmas trees with a program or cantata and if any presents at all are given, each receives but a small gift in addition to the "treats" which Santa Claus passes out to all alike. In many Sunday Schools, the children are asked to bring toys to their Christmas Eve exercises, impressing upon their young minds the necessity of making the Yuletide happy for those less fortunate than themselves.

Up near Sheridan, Wyoming, the other day fire broke out on a large ranch and water being scarce the fire was extinguished with milk by ten men and a woman. Another good argument for keeping milk cows.

Snap Shots from Dallas News.

Our idea of the happiest Christmas is one where father spends the day playing with the children's toys.

There are some things in Texas that might be improved but the weather is not one of them.

Another good thing about the credit business is that some stores will let you put your December purchases on the January bill and remember it in February or March.

You can now go ice skating in Dallas, but it is commercial ice, not climate ice.

Tillie Clinger says the reason she hates her new boss is because he told her she might hang up both her stockings at Christmas, but she mustn't prop them up in the office.

Epworth League.

Despite the threatening weather a good crowd of young people attended Epworth League at the Methodist church last Sunday evening. We were delighted to have our Presiding Elder, Dr. Sessions and Mrs. Sessions and their daughter as visitors. Mrs. Sessions gave a most interesting talk dealing with "The Development of An Individual." The subject for next Sunday is "The Bible and Missions." All young people are invited.

REPORTER

Artists' Recital.

Songs, readings and play by Mesdames Carroll, Hicks and Miss Fuller, for the benefit of the Bandera High School Wednesday, December 29, 1926.

Big Christmas Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time Christmas Dance at the Rex-Sibley Hall in Mansfield Park, Saturday night, December 25th. Old time music, and an old time good time. Everybody welcome.

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Merry Christmas!

Most cherished among the gifts bestowed by the passing year is the memory of the pleasant relations with those whom we have been privileged to serve. So it is most sincerely that we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

C. B. Corley

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, Dec. 17th, 7:30 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend, and visitors cordially invited.

A Mutual Aid Society.

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POSTED—All pastures owned by Sid Stevens & Brothers are posted. No trapping, hunting or any kind of trespassing allowed thereon.—Sid Stevens.

POSTED—No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing in my pastures will be allowed. All trespassers will be prosecuted.—P. E. Whisenhunt.

POSTED—Spicewood Springs Ranch lands are posted. No hunting trapping or any kind of trespassing allowed. You are hereby warned to keep out.—Walter Gotkin.

POSTED—Trespassers are warned to keep out of my pasture on Privilege Creek. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed therein.—C. H. Briant.

POSTED—My pastures on Bottle Spring Creek, and including the Seekatz pasture on Elm Creek, are posted, and no hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing therein will be allowed. Keep out.—H. E. Letcher.

POSTED—My pasture at the mouth of Red Bluff is posted. Hunting, trapping and trespassing herein is strictly forbidden. Please keep out.—Wilson Clark.

POSTED—All of my pastures on West Verde Creek are posted, and hunting, trapping, and all other trespassing therein is forbidden. You are warned to keep out.—Mrs. Booker Davenport. 2m

POSTED—My pastures, including the Steinle pastures, which I control, are posted. No hunting, trapping or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein. —Eddie Leibold. 2m

POSTED—Our pastures near Tarpley are posted. We will not permit hunting, trapping or any kind of trespassing thereon. You are hereby warned to keep out. —R. N. Padgett & Sons. 2me

POSTED—My pastures located on West Verde Creek are posted. Hunting, trapping, or any manner of trespassing therein is strictly forbidden.—S. D. Mulcahy, Jr. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures on West Verde are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed. —Ben Gerdes. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures are posted, and I will not allow hunting, trapping, cutting bee trees, or any manner of trespassing therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Jessie Hargis. 2me

POSTED—My pastures in Bandera and Medina counties are posted, and no hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing on my lands will be allowed. You are warned to keep out.—Chas. Schott. 2mp

POSTED—The John F. Davenport pastures are posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing will be allowed therein.—John F. Davenport.

POSTED—My ranch, known as Pecan Valley, above Medina, is posted against all trespassing. No trapping or hunting of any kind will be allowed.—E. H. Sewall. 3me

POSTED—No hunting with guns or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

POSTED—My pastures on Myrtle Creek, the home pasture, and the Trap pasture, south of town, are posted. No hunting, camping, trapping or trespassing therein will be allowed.—Mrs. H. Mansfield. 2mp

POSTED—My pastures situated on the head of Little Creek and on the divide between the heads of the Seco, Medina and Willow Creek, and also my pasture near Utopia, are posted against hunting, trapping or trespassing.—R. L. Duke.

POSTED—Our pastures, including all lands we have in charge, are posted against hunting, trapping, or any kind of trespassing. You are hereby warned to keep out.—O. F. Heinen, E. B. Heinen. 2pt.

POSTED—The Montague ranch lands are posted and hunting, trapping or trespassing thereon will not be allowed. This applies to all our pastures.—Frank M. Montague. 5te

POSTED—My pasture southwest of Bandera is posted. No hunting, trapping or any manner of trespassing therein will be allowed.—Ben Clark 1mp.

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties cearing down and going over my fences. —Hanson Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

POSTED. Pastures controled by me, including the lease from H. C. Hansen, are posted and hunting in any manner, with fire arms or dogs, or trapping is strictly forbidden. This means for everybody to keep out of said enclosures.—Sam Smith.

POSTED—All of my lands are posted. No hunting, trapping or trespassing allowed. I want you to keep out, and I don't mean maybe. —J. H. Bruce.

POSTED—My pastures and all lands controlled by me are posted. No hunting with guns or dogs, trapping, tearing down fences, or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein.—Boy Chipman. 1mp.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Bandera.

Notice is Hereby Given That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Shelby County, of the 9th day of November, 1926 by the Clerk of said Court for the sum of Ten Thousand ($10,000.00) Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of The First National Bank of Center Texas in a certain cause in said court, No 7736 and styled The First National Bank of Center, Texas, vs. J. S. Kennedy and G. L. Parmer, Trustees, and in my hands for service, I, Henry Stevens, as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did, on the 6th day of December 1926, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: 50½ acres being an undivided ½ of 101 acres known as G. U. & S. P. Section 3004. Cert. 3923, which was patented to H. C. Wynn by Patent No. 37, Vol. 3, and levied upon as the property of J. S. Kennedy and G. L. Parmer, Trustees, and that on the first Tuesday in January 1927, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of Bandera County, in the Town of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at Public Vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. S. Kennedy and G. L. Parmer, Trustees.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Bandera New Era, a newspaper published in Bandera County.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of December 1926.

HENRY STEVENS, Sheriff Bandera County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

J. H. Wright, Administrator of the Estate of John T. Wright, having filed in our County Court his final Account of the condition of said Estate, together with his application to be discharged from said Estate.

You are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for four days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Bandera you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the January Term 1927, of our County Court, commencing on the 3rd Monday in January A. D. 1927, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court. Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the Town of Bandera this 23rd day of November A. D. 1926.

MARK McBRYDE, Clerk, County Court Bandera County.

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Bandera:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford, deceased, late of Bandera County, Texas, by J. A. Eames, Judge of the County Court of said county, on the 20th day of October, A. D. 1926, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in the town of Bandera, Bandera County, Texas, where he receives his mail this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1926.

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Administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. B. Langford deceased.

To Medina Subscribers.

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"The cow is an uncrowned queen without a scepter, and her kingdom is all the land between the seas. Her motto is service, and she always gives more than she receives.

"When the children are well, she makes them better, and they grow and flourish with her constant benefactions. When they are sick and wasted, she raises them up and starts them right again. Her milk is one perfect food for young and old. It holds every element to sustain works for all humanity without a complaint and was never known to strike for higher wages. All she wants in exchange for her myriads of blessings that she confers is enough to eat and a place to lie down at night.

"She is thoroughly democratic in her habits and opinions. She gives to the men and women and children of all races and creeds, to kind to all, and favors none above the rest. She is dainty, too, in her tastes. She would rather die before she would feed on flesh. Her feed is clover, grain and succulent things of the vegetable world, grass, with which O-l carpets the earth in living green as it springs fresh from the heart of nature.

"The cow is domestic. She loves home. She knows the place where she lives, and is faithful to it.

"If she must wander away for feed, when the shadows begin to lengthen in the evening, she will be standing at the gate, asking for permission, and the chance to yield her rich burden which she has stored in the daylight hours. The cow is the poor man's chief reliance, he tried and trusted friend. She is true to him when all the world is cold. Her concern it to help all humanity, and the man who lives in a cabin with seven low headed children to bring his joy, and poverty is as much the recipient of her bounty as the rich man with three automobiles, two dogs and four servants, without one child to disturb his sleep or bring a smile of joy to his starving soul. I believe that a cow loves a poor man best, for he needs her most.

"If all the cows in the world would die tomorrow, it would bring untold calamity upon mankind. We could get along better without railroads, banks or the cotton crop, for without the cow the race would sicken and decay and finally perish. May we honor and praise her as she deserves. I hope as we advance in knowledge when we cease to be cruel and selfish, we will quit murdering and eating cows that have given us strength and comfort and saved our babies' lives. When this happy day comes, I would like to see a large fund collected to build an "Old Cow's Home," surrounded by luscious pastures and running water, where these old tried friends would pass their remaining days and die in peace."—Humb Animals.

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TURKEYS—I have for sale Bourbon Red and White Holland pure-bred turkeys. Toms $5.50, hens, $3.50.—Mrs. M. B. Padgett, Tarpley, Texas.

BRONZE TURKEYS—Pure-bred big boned Mammoth Bronze Turkeys for sale. Toms, $10; hens, $5.—Mrs. O. F. Thalmann, Bandera, Texas. 4tp

WANTED—Music box. Will be glad to buy old-fashioned Music Box. Communicate with R. Vander Straten, 603 Travis Building, San Antonio.

BIG BONED extreme large type, Poland China hogs. Orders being booked as fast as supply is available. Six weeks pigs $10 without registration papers, or $12 with papers, on place. Sows now bred for March pigs.—Henry Thiele, Harper, Texas.

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Mrs. B. F. Langford and children spent last week-end in San Antonio.

J. M. Pepper left this week for Ennis to spend Christmas with his aged parents, who reside there.

Presiding Elder Sessions was here Sunday to conduct quarterly conference for the Methodist church.

Miss Nettie Hunter and brother, Marvin Hunter, Jr., made a flying trip to Boerne last Saturday.

W. M. Wallace, of Pipe Creek, was in town Saturday and dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Davis, of San Antonio, spent last week-end with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bruce.

W. R. Thomason, substantial ranchman of the Pipe Creek region, was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Hicks will fill orders for Home-made Candy Specialties. Leave orders at Corley's Store, or call at residence.

Miss Evelyn Mansfield, who is attending Baylor Female College at Belton, came home Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young and little daughter, of Fredericksburg, and Mrs. E. C. Brazil and little son of Brownwood, are here to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

Mansfield & Blakeney, who recently purchased the Tom Gray Garage, have been making some additions and improvements to the establishment and arranging a show room for Chevrolet cars which they will handle.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Rappold of Route 3-A, Cuero, Texas, send Christmas greetings to their friends, as will be seen in another column. Dr. Rappold has favored the New Era with a nice order for printed stationery, which is appreciated.

Put in your order early. We do not deliver after 10 o'clock a. m.—Schoenert's Market.

Mrs. J. N. Evans and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart were in town Saturday and while here called at the New Era office, when Mrs. Evans renewed the subscription of her daughter, Miss Nola Evans of San Antonio.

The New Era has received the announcement of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Walker at Kerrville on December 14. The new arrival has been named John Thomas, Jr., in honor of his father and also grandfather, John T. Walker of Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brister and children of DeLeon, Texas, have been visiting Mrs. Brister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards at Pipe Creek. Mr. Brister and Mr. Edwards made a business trip to Kingsville while they were here. They have returned to DeLeon, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Edwards, who will spend awhile with them and will also visit her sister, Mrs. H. C. Miller, at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Young and infant daughter, of near Helotes, were in the city Saturday and paid us a visit. Mrs. Young informs that her father, Mr. E. W. Brewer of London, recently underwent an operation for eye trouble in San Antonio and has almost completely lost his sight. We very much regret to learn of this calamity which has befallen our old friend, and we hope that the trouble is only temporary and that his sight will be restored.

TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS. Patrons of the Bandera Independent Telephone System who are in arrears for phone service, are kindly requested to make settlement at once at the First National Bank.—P. E. Duke, Prop.

Earl Mansfield has gone to Houston to accept a position.

Homemade candy specialties on sale at Corley's Store.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Coughran of Tarpley, December 19, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Chaddock and children, of Medina, were in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weed, of Medina, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield and children were over from Tarpley Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. B. J. Gossett, wife of the Methodist pastor, has been seriously ill the past several days.

Mrs. R. Towers and infant, of San Antonio, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ord Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter, of Harper, are expected in today to spend Christmas with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Langford, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr. last Thursday.

Oscar Perner went to Center Point last Saturday to attend quarterly conference of the Methodist church there.

Miss Inez Ross returned last week from Leakey, where she spent the past few months with Mrs. E. E. Coughran.

Frank Hodges, who is attending A. & M. College, arrived Saturday to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hodges.

Pork Sausage and pork on Saturdays, at Schoenert's Market.

John H. Ross spent several days last week at the Booker Davenport ranch visiting his daughter, Mrs. Claybourne Davenport.

Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Hicks will fill orders for Home-made Candy Specialties. Leave orders at Corley's Store, or call at residence.

Misses Kathleen and Loreta Teel, of Devine, were here last week visiting Miss Bess Campbell, one of the popular teachers in Bandera High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Lott Langdale and Miss Fannie Belle Cash, of Shreveport, La., arrived yesterday to spend Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. John H. Erwin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cuthill are expected to come up from Yoakum this week to spend Christmas with Mrs. Cuthill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Power.

Mr and Mrs. Bryan Autrey, of Gonzales, are expected in next Sunday to spend the Christmas season with Mrs. Autrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Risinger and children of San Antonio, and Mr and Mrs. George Tait of Victoria, will arrive tomorrow to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montague and sons, and Mrs. Rose Gardiner of San Antonio yesterday to meet their brother Dr. Lauric Montague, who came in from Tampico, Mexico, to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague.

Mrs. V. F. Brewer Sells New York Goods.

Please call and look my samples over before buying elsewhere. Worsteds, Crepes, Zephyr Ginghams, Challies, Velvets, Outings, Flannels, Rayon Silks, Taffetas, Wool and Silk Crepes, Wool and Cotton Suitings, Charmeuse, Fine and Kitchen Toweling, Lingerie, many kinds Cambrics, Poiret Twills, Pongees, Pongettes, Wool Serges, Cloaking and Lindigs, Sateens, Prints, Longcloth, Velvet Corduroy, Broadcloth, Satins, Plaids, Silk Brocades, Nainsook, Organdies, Worsted Checks, Foulards, Dimitys; Men's Women's and Children's Knit Underwear, Sweaters Socks, Stockings, Corsets, Rubber Aprons, Night Robes, Ladies' and Children's Summer Underwear, Handkerchiefs, Ladies' Silk Stockings.—Mrs. V. F. Brewer.

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Merry Christmas!

It is our hope that we may continue to serve you in the future—not however, without thanking you for your past favors—and pausing to wish all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

The City Hotel

Miss Helen Hugh, Manager

Merry Christmas!

Accept our Season's Greeting in the good old fashioned way. We wish you joy and happiness on the Merry Christmas day.

R. F. Power

Merry Christmas

With a thank-you handshake we offer you our season's greetings, assuring you that our friends in business are as precious as any could ever be in social life.

W. J. Davenport, Sr.

Merry Christmas

May the ship of Golden Opportunities and Success dock at your port and may we be listed among your friends who wish you a Merry Christmas—whether it does or not?

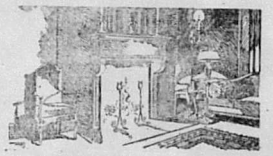
The Riverside Inn

Merry Christmas

It is not what you say but how you say it. So we're putting all we feel into two words—"MERRY CHRISTMAS"

O. S. T. Confectionery and O. S. T. Cafe

MRS. M. E. FARIS, Proprietor



Merry Christmas

We you all the joy and gladness the Yuletide can bring, and a happy, prosperous New Year.

B. F. Langford & Son

Furniture and Hardware

Merry Christmas

In with our stock we always count the greatest assets, the good will of our customers. So at this time it is befitting that we extend to you, our friends, the best wishes of the season.

M. Boyle

General Merchandise

Merry Christmas

The loyal support and patronage of our friends has made ours a happy Christmas and it is our wish that they too—every one—enjoy A Merry Christmas and a Happy, Prosperous New Year

The First National Bank

Merry Christmas

Wreaths are shown in every window, candles twinkle in the night. May your home be wreathed in laughter, and your Yuletide days be bright.

Billings & Son

Santa Claus' Headquarters

Merry Christmas

At this season our thoughts go out in gratitude to our friends who have made the past year's business possible. We extend to you the season's kindest greetings and hope the coming year will bring you happiness and prosperity.

Max Beseler

The Dress-Up Store

Boerne, Texas

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Mr. and Mrs. Whitson Justice, of Crystal City, spent Christmas with relatives here.

Miss Jewel Autry, who is attending school at San Marcos, spent the holidays at home.

Miss Lela Keese, who teaches near Junction, visited relatives here during the holidays.

Miss Sadie Hatfield, of Grosbeck, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Briggs and baby and Mrs. Addie Akin spent Christmas with relatives at Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Norris have moved back to Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kelly have moved to Medina.

Fletcher Layton has bought Wm. McMahon's place above town and has moved there.

Wm. McMahon and amily have moved to Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fee and children have moved back to Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. Josie Justice have returned from a visit to Port Arthur.

Miss Marguerite Fries spent last week-end at Tuff visiting in Robert Whitehead's home. A party was given in her honor on Friday night.

December 24, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Buckelew a wedding took place when Miss Sybel Akin was married to Louie Norwood. Rev. Buckelew performed the ceremony. Only a few friends were present. They both live here and will make their home here. On the night of December 29th a shower was given in their honor and honorees of useful gifts were received. We wish for this happy pair a long and useful life.

Miss Abbey Brashear, of Hunt, visited relatives here during the holidays.

Misses Ethel Maude and Joyce, and Joe Harvey Newsomer spent Christmas with relatives here.

Ethan Smith and his son-in-law, Loyd Cook, of Natalia, visited his father, W. D. Smith, and Jim Walker last week.

T. S. Dennis, the optometrist, will be in Medina on Wednesday of each week, to fit glasses, repair watches, etc.

Chevrolets Reduced.

Mansfield & Blakeney, local Chevrolet dealers, have received notice of a substantial reduction in the prices of Chevrolet cars. The 1927 models have been greatly improved in many ways and this firm asks you to call and get information in regard to new models.

Yum! yum! You sure ought to eat some of the good homemade candy Cosgrove handles.

TARPLEY

Alfred and Anton Saathoff and Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, of San Antonio, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. M. and Mrs. M. L. Saathoff of Tarpley.

A delightful party was given at the home of A. A. Jeffers in Bandera, Miss Zella Mae Price, of Bandera. Those present were Misses Zella Mae Price, Annie Cravey, Theresa Mosty, Mary Louise Jeffers, Ruby Cravey, Myra Strawn, Nena Silvers, Clara Purvis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billings, Willie Schmidt, Edgar Schmidt, Sewell Walter and Willie Smiley, Otto Schmidt, H. J. Anderson, Dewey and Bruce McCravey, Ernest and Lester Rhodes, Lonnie Smith and Vernon Sparks.

Geo. W. Riley, Jr. of Tarpley and Miss Ruby Price, of San Antonio, were happily married at that place on Monday, December 27. Rev. Father Dufeld officiating. The bride is the groom's second cousin. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Anderson of San Antonio and we feel she is worthy of the man she has chosen for her mate. Mr. Riley was for nearly all as she taught the Little Germany school last term. The groom is a splendid young man, and is the son of Mrs. Sue Riley. He was born and raised here. They will make their home above Tarpley on the old John Dean place. We wish for them happiness and success through life.

H. A. Anderson Jr. left last Sunday for his home in San Antonio after spending a week with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Riley, Jr.

Miss Clara Purvis, who is attending Draughon's College, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Purvis.

Misses Myra and Iris Strawn spent the holidays with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billings have returned to Sanger, California after spending a while here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Burns spent Christmas with J. R. Burns of this town.

John Burns and pretty little daughter, Louise, were visitors in Tarpley during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Coughran and children, of Leakey, were Tarpley and Bandera visitors during the holidays. Mrs. Coughran is teaching in the Leaky high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Camp, of San Antonio, spent part of the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass and Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Glass.

W. P. Alston is here spending some time with his daughters, Mrs. Billings and Mrs. Jim Glass.

Miss Koehl has returned from her home near Floresville, where she spent her vacation.

Christian Anderson Dead.

Christian Anderson, one of the county's early settlers, and loved citizens, passed away at his home on Red Bluff Creek on Wednesday night, December 29th, 1926, after a short illness. The funeral was conducted Thursday by Rev. W. H. Price and interment was made in Pipe Creek cemetery, a large crowd of sorrowing friends being in attendance.

Mr. Anderson was born in Denmark, February 17, 1859. He came to Bandera county May 5th, 1872, and settled on the place on Red Bluff Creek where he lived for more than half a century. On December 7th, 1874, he was happily married to Miss Addeline Klemme at Boerne, and to this union four children were born, two sons and two daughters, all of whom survive except one son, Dr. Frederick Anderson, who died in Astoria, Oregon, in 1918. The living children are Hon. Charles Anderson of Stockton, California, Mrs. A. D. Brown of Sanderson, Texas, and Mrs. William Wallace of Pipe Creek.

Mr. Anderson was a quiet, unassuming man, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was a member of the Lutheran church. He possessed the confidence and good will of everybody, and if he had an enemy it was not known. He was a man of high ideals. His conception of life and living was based on a high plane and he was loved for his many beautiful traits of character. He had no unworthy ambition. The poison dark of envy had never marred or scarred his soul. He was a high-minded chivalrous gentleman in the highest and truest sense, and he loved and revered his adopted country and state and was a patriot to the core. One of the outstanding traits of his character was his high regard for womanhood. Those who knew him most intimately say they had never known a man of cleaner thoughts and one who cherished more highly the purity and sanctity of the gentler sex. Another outstanding trait in his well-defined code of living was his rugged honesty and his conception of square dealing with his fellow man. He will be missed by all who knew him, for in his passing this section loses one of its best men, his family a kind and devoted husband and father, and the community a noble and beloved citizen.

Mr. Anderson is survived by his wife, one son, two daughters, and four grandchildren, and to these bereaved ones the New Era extends sympathy and condolence.

Recital at School House.

The recital given on Wednesday night of last week at the High School auditorium by Mesdames Carroll and Hicks, and Miss Fuller, was a real treat to those who attended. The program was made up of vocal selections, readings, piano selections, and a short play, Miss Gladys Crisdale gave two piano selections. The ladies who appeared on the program are real artists and the audience greatly appreciated the entertainment. The program was repeated at Medina last Thursday night.

Clarence Young Killed.

Clarence Young, aged 32, Helotes rancher, died in the Robert B. Green Memorial Hospital in San Antonio at 2 o'clock last Thursday afternoon from a bullet wound, said to have been accidently inflicted by a deer hunter. He was shot through the stomach with a 30-30 rifle while riding a horse in his pasture, near Helotes, according to a statement made to San Antonio officers, by J. W. Morris, aged 24, of near Menard. Morris and J. H. Dunigan, who were at Young's place, took the wounded man to San Antonio, he directing them how to drive and where to take him to. Morris told the San Antonio officers he was a guest of Young and was hunting in the brush, saw the bushes moving, and raised his gun and fired. He heard a man scream and, rushing up, found Young slumped in his saddle, wounded. Mr. Dunigan, also from Menard, helped to get the wounded man to San Antonio.

The body of the unfortunate young man was taken to Menard for burial, the funeral services being conducted by Rev. J. J. Ray, pastor of the Christian church, in the First Presbyterian church at Menard, with interment in the Menard cemetery, last Saturday afternoon, January 1. Friends from San Angelo, Lo-

Good Advice

Advise is hard to take. It is a human weakness or conceit to think we "Know it all."

But advice from older and wiser heads, from people who have graduated from the school of hard knocks is well worth listening to. Especially by the young folks.

Thrift—plain common sense applied to spending is absolutely essential when married. Of course young men and women should save for the time when they marry but afterward—saving is imperative, if they are to succeed and be happy.

Savings make a happy home for children—the worthwhile things of life within yourreach.

Reckless, thoughtless spending is fatal to both happiness and success.

The First State Bank

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Benjamin Franklin, a wise man born of thrifty people, said: "If you would know the value of a dollar—try to borrow one." How true.

Teach your son or your daughter that Franklin truth and nurture in their minds the appreciation of the value of the dollar while they are in the penny age. It takes a stronger hold and becomes so deep rooted that all later influences toward reckless spending and careless handling of money cannot destroy the habit of thrift—the solid rock upon which all success is built.

Every child should have a bank account! Show them how to save.

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LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Johnson and two little sons of Hurley, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nelson and little daughter of Beeville, and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hyde and children of Mountain Home spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson.

On Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson had a family reunion for all their children at Mr. Hyde's, near Mountain Home. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and little daughters went over from Lima to be with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scales and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebach, of San Antonio, spent Christmas with Mrs. G. G. Hinds.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese and children spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hinds at Comstock. G. G. Hinds, who has been out there for several weeks, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coose and little sons, Mrs. Ethel Marquis, and Harold Phillips of San Antonio, spent Christmas with Mrs. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hillman, of Dryden, came in fro the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman returned to Miranda last week after a visit to relatives here. Alec Hillman accompanied them to Miranda to work in the oil field there.

Mr. Morris and sons, Joe and William, of the University of Texas, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and children and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed spent Christmas with relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. John McHaney and little daughter, of Fredericksburg, came over Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller. Mrs. Miller went home with them, returning home Monday with Mrs. Zula Miller and daughters, Misses Sadie and Inez, and Mr. C. C. Miller.

Mrs. Walter Keese and little daughter, of Fredericksburg, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hillman have moved to the Claude Hudspeth Ranch near Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Rieber and children spent the holidays in San Antonio and at Tarpley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mickle, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Keese.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bonnet and little daughter, of Paint Rock, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Dale.

Gainor Keese, age 13, while going to his traps killed a large deer, December 27, with a 22 calibre rifle. The buck weighed 125 pounds and had seven points.

Mrs. John Phillips and children spent Christmas with relatives at Tuff.

News was received of the marriage of Miss Amelia Crenwelge to Mr. Jack Hite, at Paint Rock, on December 20, 1926. The bride lived at Lima several years ago nd was admired and loved by all who knew her. Mr. nd Mrs. Hite will live in San Angelo. We wish for them a long and happy life.

Willie Keese and Miss Geneva Norwood, popular young people of this community were married December 23rd. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Norwood of Bluff and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Keese of Rocky Creek. We wish them a long and happy life.

Assessor Chisum Resigns.

Tax Assessor Joe E. Chisum has resigned his office and will devote his time in the future to a lucrative position in the engineering department of the Magnolia Petroleum Co. For the past few months Mr. Chisum has been doing special work for the company in various counties in the state. His resignation as tax assessor came as a surprise to his many friends and while we all regret that he has surrendered the office, we hope the new position will be satisfactory all around. Mr. Chisum has been tax assessor of this county for about ten years, he has been thorough and painstaking in the discharge of the duties of that office, and has made hundreds of friends throughout the county by his obliging manners and courteous bearing. Just who will succeed him is problematical, as the office is to be filled by appointment by the county commissioners court, which meets next Monday. We understand there are several aspirants for the position.

Picture Show January 7th.

The picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater Friday night will be "Rugged Water," a real thriller. Manager Dan McMains has booked some splendid pictures for showing here during this month and next. Usual prices.

Directors Elected.

The First State Bank of this city elected its directors and officers at its annual meeting held last Monday. The old board of directors was elected and is composed of J. W. Short, H. E. Rambie, Granville Wright, Mrs. C. H. Mansfield and I. E. Adamietz.

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Entered at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas, as second class matter.

Another tragedy has occurred, which is of interest to many people in this section. Mrs. Hilton, who lived with her husband on the Medina river, a few miles above Bandera, was drowned in the river Monday morning. Mrs. Hilton was in the act of crossing the river in a boat, when the boat capsized, throwing her into the water. She was unable to swim, and was carried down by the current. Her husband was on the bank of the river, but was unable to save her. Mrs. Hilton was a sister of Mrs. Ed Hamilton, of Bandera, and was well known here. She was about 40 years of age, and leaves a husband and several children to mourn her untimely death.

Another happy Christmas season has come and gone, and we have now entered upon the New Year. Another twelve months have gone into the past, and we are one year nearer the end of time. Time is counted with periods of eternity. Whether we as individuals have proved faithful or unfaithful during the year just closed, is not for us to say. We believe, however, as a people, many have made great strides during the past year and we look forward to still greater achievements during the coming year of 1921. There is no need to be discouraged over the present financial depression. We have brought worse and grief before and for most of our people the past year has been a prosperous one. Let us take courage and look forward hopefully during 1921.

Last Saturday we visited Medina, where we spent the night with Mr and Mrs. J. M. Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers have resided in fact, spent most of their boyhood there, but this was our first visit to the old town in almost twenty years, and we were astounded at the changes which have taken place during the time which has passed. Splendid residences have been built, the old business houses have been remodeled, and many new ones erected. Take where they are engaged in stock work. Lucile married Will Anderson, who is engaged in the mercantile business with her father. Willie married Miss Mamie Davis, and both of them are teaching. Jessie and Annie are now located in Dallas where they are engaged in school

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MEDINA

Mrs. C. C. Brashear and children of Arizona, visited her husband's mother, Mrs. P. A. Kelley and family last week-end.

Miss Abbie Brashear, who is teaching at Hunt, spent last week end at home.

Mrs. Lula Daniels, of San Antonio, visited her sister, Mrs. W. J. Justice, last week.

Mrs. J. E. Kirkland, accompanied by her son, Dwight, and little grand-daughter, Foye Louise, left Sunday for an extended visit to Houston and Port Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and children and George Sutherland and sister, Naomi, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sutherland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Goode, of Kerrville, visited Mr. Goode's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Caton.

The Norris Case on Trial.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 11.—Frank Norris, fundamental Baptist pastor of Fort Worth, went to trial for his life in district court here Tuesday with the law of "apparent danger" as the chief pillow of his defence. Five jurors had been selected by 4:30 p. m.

Questions put to the prospective jurymen by defense attorneys revealed that Norris' lawyers will draw a sharp distinction between "apparent danger" and "actual danger" and that they will lodge their defence in that phase of Texas criminal law which says that a man need not be in actual danger of his life to justify him in using extreme means for his protection but need be only in such danger that, viewing the circumstances from the position and mental attitude of the defendant, he had a reasonable belief that his life was endangered. The questions to prospective jurors indicated that Norris will contend he believed he was about to be killed when D. E. Chipps entered his church office on July 17 last and that for this reason he shot Chipps.

Selection of jurymen went forward rapidly at once the case got under way. Both sides made their decisions on jurymen with little contention, examining veniremen at the rate of about four an hour. The 20 veniremen yielded five jurors.

Yum! yum! You sure ought to eat some of the good homemade candy Cosgrove handles.

Bruce Mansfield entertained quite a number of his friends with a social dance last Saturday night.

Attention, Bankers Reserve Life Policy Holders.

We have designated the First State Bank of Bandera as our depository. In paying your renewals deposit it at the First State Bank instead of mailing it to the home office, and get deposit slip for your premium right there. Deposit your premium money there and ask Bank for information, or talk to our agents, Granville Wright at Bandera, or E. J. Banta at Medina.—Fletcher & Fletcher, San Antonio, Texas. agcy.

Car Turned Over.

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The Legislature convened at Austin last Tuesday in regular session. Of course there will be a flood of bills introduced as soon as the session is under way, and the law-makers will be kept exceedingly busy for the next sixty or ninety days enacting the new laws or amending old ones. Then when the regular session ends a called session will probably take place and another thirty days will be consumed in enacting mere legislation. But when the session finally adjourns it will be seen that very little has been accomplished after all. That's the way it usually happens, and we do not expect the Fortieth Legislature to be an exception to the general rule. It is hinted that there will be some highway legislation, increase in the gasoline tax, educational matters, change in the motor license law, and taxation, and of course there will be some constitutional amendments introduced.

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The Kerrville Times editor tells his readers that the New Era editor is a contender for more and better hens, and dairy cows, and hogs, and such things. And the Times editor is right. We are for those things for a fact, for we have the ideal country in which to grow them. Bandera is strictly a stock-farming region. Good soil for the production of crops, and good range for all kinds of stock, and since we raise stuff why not raise the best? It costs no more to raise a thoroughbred cow than it costs to raise a scrub cow. And what pleases us most is the fact that our stock-farmers are grading up their sheep and goats and hogs and turkeys, and cows. They find it pays to do so.

The writer enjoyed a very pleasant fraternal visit Saturday from J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera. Mr. Hunter who is editor of the Bandera New Era and also publisher of the Frontier Times, it will be recalled, formerly lived here and at one time was editor of the Menard paper. The Menard Messenger Way back in the nineties, 1890 to be more exact, Mr. Hunter's father was also connected with the Menard paper and it was through this connection with the newspaper business that J. Marvin Hunter became interested in the game as publisher and printer. Mr. Hunter tells us that his Frontier Times is enjoying wide circulation and that he devotes the greater part of his time and talent to the editing and publicaion of this monthly magazine which carries as nearly as is obtainable first hand stories of events that happened in the pioneer days of Texas—Indian fights, life sketches of famous gunmen etc. Incidentally, Mr. Hunter visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rogers while in Menard.—Menard Messenger.

Have you tried the home-made candy at Cosgrove's?

Frontier Times for February.

The February number of Frontier Times, the increasingly popular little monthly magazine printed in this office, will be issued next Saturday. This will be the best and largest number ever issued of Frontier times. It will contain sixty-four pages and cover and will be full of thrilling Texas historical sketches. The people of Bandera do not seem to realize that this magazine, is a boost for Bandera wherever it goes, and there be some right here who are disposed to ridicule it, but that's their privilege and we are not discouraged by such ridicule in the least. We are determined to make the publication a success, and the encouragement we are getting from prominent people all over the United States is indeed gratifying, and stirs us to redouble our efforts to publish a magazine worthy of their endorsement. If you have any doubts about the popularity of Frontier Times just happen to drop into our office next Monday and see our force binding and mailing out the February edition or go around to the postoffice and see the big bundles of wrapped copies being sent out to subscribers. The forth-coming number will contain the following stories:

"Rangers Rescue Three Children in Bandera County."

"John Day Morgan, a Texas Pioneer."

"Christmas in Junction Fifty Years Ago."

"Pronounced the Death Sentence."

"Overland Trip to California in 1850."

"The Old Sergeant's Story."

"Fight at Ledbetter's Salt Works."

"Freemasonry on the Frontier."

"Jack Hays, the Intrepid Texas Ranger."

"Comanche Still Lives."

"Henry A. Crabbe, Filibuster."

"Stage Hold-up at Pegleg in 1877."

"Hardships of a German Family."

"The Battle Creek Fight."

"The Morgan Massacre."

And other thrilling and interesting sketches. Frontier Times sells for 15c per copy, or $1.50 per year. Get a copy of the February issue.

As evidence of unswerving faith in the productiveness of Bandera county's soil, we want to mention that Veteran Amasa Clark, the county's oldest citizen has just placed an order for a lot of fruit trees to put out on his place west of town. Veteran Clark, who is now 101 years old, came to Bandera county in 1852, and for many years operated a nursery, but for the past ten or twelve years has devoted his time to the culture of pears, apples and peaches. "Some odd years ago he bought fruit trees from J. M. Ramsey's Nursery in Bonnet county. The old Ramsey nursery was afterward moved to near Austin, and is now operated by F. T. Ramsey, a son of J. M. Ramsey. When Mr. Clark first bought trees from this nursery the present owner was a very small boy, but he remembers the faithful old customer and was not at all surprised to receive his substantial order a few days ago. The order for the fruit trees was placed through Col. J. A. Head, the Bandera agent for the nursery. Veteran Clark was in town Monday, and dropped in to tell the New Era editor that he thinks the old times were the best times, when folks feasted on corn pone cooked in a skillet and ate venison and wild honey.

Druggists of Dayton, Ohio, have taken a step toward ridding their stores of salacious and suggestive magazines, which may be widely followed throughout the country. At a meeting of their association, they adopted and signed the following resolution: 'Be it resolved, that a committee be appointed to act as censors for the magazines and periodicals sold on our stands, for the purpose of controlling the output of indecent and salacious, if not illegal, magazines that are continually placed on the market by certain publishers who have no regard for moral decency, but simply plan their nefarious practice for personal gain. We are of the opinion that such publications contribute in no small degree to moral lassitude and lawlessness, detrimental to moral and physical welfare.'

Read Frontier Times.

Mexico—Money—Monopoly

Who is talking to Mexico from Washington? Old man Money. It may seem to be the Secretary of State, but it is not. Certainly it is not the American People. The People have not said a word to Mexico, yet much has been said. "It is Money that talks," Money that seeks a Monopoly of Mexico's resources.

When John Citizen of the United States is bade get ready to shoulder a musket and march down to Mexico, who so bids him? Money. Money is always sending young men somewhere to fight and die—Money, Monopoly.

American Money invested in Mexico represents more than quarter of the national wealth of Mexico. And who is American Money? The financial interests most heavily interested in that country. You should read the list and see whether you want to go down with a rifle and sabre in Mexico for them. Read the list:

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All fine old American names, inspired with the purest patriotism. Trailing along with them the Mellon interests and the Morgan interests.

Altogether there are One Billion Three Hundred Million American Dollars talking "Mexican Crisis," but not a single American Citizen.—Dearborn Independent.

Can You Name Him?

Once there was a man named Naut.

He never took sides on any question, political or otherwise.

When a controversy arose over remodeling the old church house, Naut managed to avoid giving his views if he had any.

Once a man slandered and knocked Naut's home town, but Naut did not raise a word of protest nor attempt to reply, for he wished to keep out of the shadow of contention.

At another time Naut had some goods to sell, but he did not advertise them for fear his competitor might contradict his claims of value and service. Such was Naut's reputation for shunning the quiet claim of Naut's life. If there was anything Naut liked it was easy-going, non-contentious life.

But in the course of events Naut died.

When he got up to the pearly gates, St. Peter asked him what he had stood for while on earth. Naut admitted to S. P. that he had never really taken a stand on anything.

So S. P. told Naut that a man who stood for nothing could stand for anything and that there was a place for him. He would just suit Naut.

Having never learned to stick up for his convictions and for fear of "disturbing the quiet calm," Naut did not argue the matter, and turned away into Oblivion.

Thereafter Naut was Naught.—Exchange.

Record of Rainfall.

The following report of rainfall at the Otto Weltner ranch near Camp Verde, shows the precipitation for 1926: January 2 3-8 inches; February, 6-8 inch; March, 3 4-8 inches; April 3 4-8 inches; May, 5 inches; June, 2 4-8 inches; July 6 3-8 inches; August 1 1-8 inches; September 0; October 5 6-8 inches; November 2 2-8 inches; December 4 inches. Total 1926, 37 1-8 inches.

Rainfall for past seven years as follows: 1920, 27 inches; 1921, 35 1-8 inches; 1922, 31 6-8 inches; 1923, 49 12 inches; 1924, 29 1-2 inches; 1925, 19 1-16 inches; 1926, 37 1-8 inches.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, Jan. 14th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall Al members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

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Have a skilled Taxidermist mount your trophies life expression. Deer heads a specialty. We tan skin for furs, rugs, buckskin, etc. Ladies and children's furs; men's overcoat collars, etc., made to order. Rugs made from any kind of skins with open mouths, half heads, or any way you order. 8 years experience at Uvalde. The work first class and saving considerable. Write Mrs. T. H. Shepard, North Uvalde, Texas.

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POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing of any of our ranks or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning and violators will do well to heed it.—Wright Ranch, H. C. Wright, John Wright. 2mp

POSTED—Our pastures, including all lands we have in charge, are posted against hunting, trapping or the like, and all trespassers. You are hereby warned to keep out.—O. F. Heinen, E. R. Heinen.

POSTED—Pastures controlled by me, including the lease from H. C. Hansen, are posted and hunting in any manner, with firearms or dogs, or trapping will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. This means for everybody to keep out of said enclosures.—Sam Smith.

POSTED—My pastures and all lands controlled by me are posted and no hunting with guns or dogs, trapping, tearing down fences, or otherwise trespassing will be allowed thereon.—Roy Chipman. 1mp

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespass of all kinds allowed on my ranch. A liberal reward for info. ation that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over any fences.—Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

POSTED—The Montague ranch lands are posted and hunting, trapping or trespassing thereon will not be allowed. This applies to all our pastures.—Frank M. Montague. 6te

Judge F. W. Schweppe died at his home in Boerne, December 31st. Judge Schweppe was known to nearly all of the old settlers of Bandera county, having been a resident of Kendall county for many years and served as county judge of that county several terms. He was a man of high esteem by all who knew him. He had reached the age of almost eighty years when death called him.

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GANDERBONE'S FORECAST

Our ubiquitous weather prognosticator, Ganderbone, whose forecasts used to appear in the New Era with a semblance of regularity, but who during the past year or so has failed to furnish us with his predictions, sends in his regrets this week stating that the sun spots have interfered to a great extent with his "soundings," so much so that he has not been able to record with any degree of certainty the exact rate their shadows athwart his horoscope, but says he is willing to hazard the following forecasts:

"The first twelve days of January show pretty well what the twelve months of the year will be as to the way of weather conditions. Therefore I will say that 1927 will be a dry year, and the summer exceedingly hot. There will be sufficient moisture for crops, but we will hover at times dangerously near failure of the corn crop. Rains will come in silk and tassel time to save corn. February and March will be cold. Spring will be early. There will be a severe epidemic of influenza and throat trouble through February, March and April, and small pox will appear in some sections. In April, May and June you will hear reports of cyclones and destructive windstorms. There will be thunder-storms during July and August. My horoscope reveals danger for a prominent automobile manufacturer who is known throughout the world; also the death of one of the world's richest men and financiers is indicated. There will be quite a bit of oil development in this section during the next year."

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The officials of Texas, in the proper appreciation of the attitude which the people have toward public office, should feel that from the infinite spaces of this State they say to their officers what the Lord said to Moses in the wilderness on Mount Sinai, 'put off thy shoes from thy feet, for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground'."

Concluding, Moody said "and now as we go to give ourselves to the service of the public interest, I ask, as did the Hebrew of old, that God 'give me knowlege and wisdom to come in and go out before this people: for who can govern this people that is become so great'."

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...e and Mrs. Mose Gel... their story with exceptional vividness; and there is no state I know whose story is better worth the telling than that of Texas.

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LADIES, who can do plain sewing at home and want regular spare time work. Write En close stamped envelope to Homad Dress Company, Anniston, Alabama.

SALESMAN WANTED for his floating oils, greases and paints. Excellent opportunity. Salary or commission.—The Jed Oil and Paint Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

FOR SALE—Two Jersey cows, fresh. See Frank M. Montague.

FOR SALE—My home at a bargain.—A. Halamuda, Bandera, Texas. 2tp

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Report of Condition of

The First National Bank of Bandera

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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsements of this bank		$102,556.16
Overdrafts, unsecured		307.07
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc		800.00
Banking house $5,000; furniture & fixtures $2,388.93		7,388.93
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		6,694.65
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		4,834.20
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		1,381.29
Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located on outside of city or town of reporting bank		2,021.16
Other assets, if any, county warrants		1,474.47
Total		$127,258.93

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		25,000.00
Undivided profits	$ 764.65	
Reserve for Int.	4,413.45	5,178.10
Less current interest pd.		2,711.44
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve:		2,466.66
Individual deposits subject to check		51,774.16
State, county or municipal deposits secured by pledge assets of this bank or surety bond		44,296.72
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve	96,070.88	
Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice and postal savings)		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		3,721.39
Total of time deposits subject to reserve	3,721.39	
Total		$127,258.93

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Bandera

I, A. Meadows, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. MEADOWS, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
FRANK M. MONTAGUE
R. BUCK
W. J. DAVENPORT, Sr.
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of Jan, 1927.
J. M. HUNTER
Notary Public.

Church Advertising.

We are pleased to note that churches are beginning to advertise in the newspapers. It has become a recognized fact that the newspapers are the best medium through which to reach the public, and now in newspapers throughout to land will be found big 'advertisements announcing church services and meetings. This week there appears in the New Era the advertisement of the Grove Avenue Church of Christ in San Antonio. The pastor, Harvey Scott, was in Bandera recently and arranged with us to carry this advertiseing in the New Era for some time. Minister Scott writes us that he wants to come over to Bandera and spend awhile here and get acquainted with the people, and perhaps hold a meeting here. When you happen to be in San Antonio over Sunday make it a point to go to Grove Avenue Church of Christ and hear him preach. It will be worth your while.

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A. W. Mayfield was here from Medina Tuesday on his way to Boerne on business.

William Hatfield, Medina's enterprising merchant was in Bandera on business yesterday.

Have your tank case drained and filled with Texaco oil by Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Car Co.

Card of Thanks.

I feel grateful to all who signed my application for the appointment to the office of Tax Assessor, and to the commissioners and all others for the interest and courtesies shown in the matter, and I take this means of expressing my thanks.

GRANVILLE WRIGHT.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Mrs. Chas Montague was quite ill this week.

Len Rayfield as been quite ill with influenza, but is now improving.

Mrs. J. E. Chisum has been quite sick several days with influenza.

Renew your Bankers Reserve Life policy at First State Bank, Bandera.

Bittle Anderson and son, Jesse of Tuff, were here Tuesday on business.

Dallas Hicks, of the Utopia region, was seen on our streets yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Billings and little daughter went to San Antonio Tuesday.

Ed Caton was here from Medina Saturday and paid the New Era an appreciated visit.

Misses Leah Coulter and Daisy Belle Carpenter, of Medina, were visitors in Bandera Tuesday.

Have you tried the home-made candy at Cosgrove's?

Messrs. R. E. Willis and W. D. Glass, of Tarpley, were transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown, of San Antonio, spent the week-end with Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Henry Haby.

Mrs. Abe Mulnaw, of Boerne, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Billings, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. I. P. Hale, of Monard is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Haby. She intends to stay about a month.

Lucius Hicks substantial ranchman of the Tarpley region was a business visitor in the county capital yesterday.

John L. Edwards, commissioner of Precinct No. 2, was here from Pipe Creek Monday attending the session of commissioners' court.

Sheriff E. Hicks and Judge W. S. Ethridge went to San Antonio Monday to be present at the habeas corpus proceedings instituted by Pat Purcell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Lackey, who have been living in Uvalde county the past two or three years, have returned to Bandera county and will probably locate in the Vanderpool section.

Secure one new subscriber to Frontier Times and you will be given a premium set of three useful Valet AutoStrop Razor sets. The subscription price of Frontier Times is $1.50 per year.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Elam and son Clyde, were here from their ranch near Tuff last Monday, and while here Clyde dropped in to renew their subscriptions to the New Era and Frontier Times.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fletcher were here from San Antonio Tuesday, guests of his brother, W. R. Fletcher and family. While here Mr. Fletcher dropped into the New Era office and wrote us a special article in the Bankers Reserve Life Insurance Co. for the office force.

Dance

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Saturday Night, January 22, 1927

GOOD MUSIC

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W. M. McMahon, John Hood and Bud Keese, good citizens of the Medina province, were here Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Yates, were guests of Mr. Jones' mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones, in Bandera last Sunday.

J. V. Porter, commissioner of Precinct No. 4, came over from Vanderpool to attend the session of commissioners' court.

Edgar Hicks, of Pipe Creek, was here Monday and Tuesday on business. He was accompanied home by his wife, who had been visiting relatives in Bandera for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Jones and little son, Bowden, arrived here from Uvalde last Saturday to visit Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hee Sr.

Mrs. Ben Hicks and children, of Frontier Times, are guests of Mrs. Hicks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Wright.

Tarpley is making preparations for its annual meeting, which will be a Farm Loan Bank. The meeting is scheduled for Feb. 4, and a number of prominent speakers will be present.

Eli Holt was down from Tarpley last Monday. He reports that he has sold his ranch and will locate in Uvalde. He has purchased property there and will move to that city as soon as he can get his affairs in shape.

Mrs. Mary M. Jones, of Bandera, brought in a fine bunch of mistletoe last Saturday. The New Era appreciates the gift and would be glad for more of the same kind.—Hondo Anvil-Herald.

Mrs. Annie M. Holmes, assistant postmaster at Bandera, was a business visitor in Kerrville Monday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary Holmes, who is a student at Schreiner Institute.

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Mrs. Ella Flinn was presented with a very interesting and unique quilt on her fiftieth birthday, November 24th.

This quilt was made from pieces of material of every dress she had ever had, 226 in all, each one different. Her mother, Mrs. W. H. Worden, saved a piece of every dress until she was eighteen, by that time she had saved 116 pieces and then Mrs. Flinn saved them in the years following.

So Grandma Worden got the material together, planned the quilt, and had each sister, sister-in-law, and daughter of Mrs. Flinn piece one block at least and some, many more. Mrs. Flinn also helped. Grandma herself pieced ten blocks even though her eye sight is very poor. The initials of each one was embroidered on a block. They also put the men's and children's initials on a block. On the center block was the word "Mother," also the word "Father" in full, "Ella" and two sisters, deceased. The youngest lady to have her name on the quilt was little Margerie Smith.

Mrs. Worden gave the ladies a dinner the day they quilted the quilt, she putting in a few stitches herself.

Mrs. Flinn considers herself very fortunate to be in possession of such an unusual quilt. She says she would not take a hundred dollars for it, in fact it is something that money could not buy.—The Stewartsville (Mo.) Record.

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NOTICE

Any banking corporation, association, or individual banker in Bandera county, desiring to be selected as the depository for Bandera county and school funds for the years, beginning with the February term, A. D. 1927, and terminating with the February term, A. D. 1929, shall deliver to the County Judge of said county on or before February 14th, 1927, a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association, or individual banker and deposit offers to pay on the funds of the county for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular term for selection of a depository. Said bid shall be accompanied by certified check for not less than one-half of one per cent of the county revenue for the year 1926 as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bidder, and that, if his bid is accepted, he will enter into bond as required by law, and upon failure to do so, such certified check shall go to and become the property of said county as liquidated damages.

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POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

POSTED—Our pastures, including all lands we have in charge, are posted against hunting, trapping, or any kind of trespassing. You are hereby warned to keep out.—O. F. Hansen, E. E. Heinen. 2pt.

POSTED. Pastures controled by me, including the lease from H. C. Hansen, are posted and hunting in any manner, with fire arms or dogs, or trapping is strictly forbidden. This means for everybody to keep out of said enclosures.—Sam Smith.

POSTED—My pastures and all lands controlled by me are posted. No hunting with guns or dogs, trapping, tearing down fences, or otherwise trespassing will be allowed therein.—Roy Chipman. 1mp.

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No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespass at all lowed on my land. I w ay a liberal reward for info tion that will lead to the con ction of any party or parties hunting down and going over my fences. —Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

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Advertising has still a further function to perform. Not only must it create in the customer's mind an appreciation of the goods. It must sell the house that sells him the goods. The creation of customer good will is, in fact, much more the real job of advertising today than selling goods. The outstanding successes in every field of business today, almost without exception, can trace their success to the wise expenditure of generous advertising appropriations solely to create and maintain good will. On the books of these concerns, good will is shown as an actual, tangible asset, with a cash value.

You do not have to be a million dollar house to reap the benefit of good advertising. Even the modest amount, judiciously expended, to build up good will for your business, to create a feeling of friendliness among your trade, will prove a sound and ultimately profitable investment—even though the profit may not be immediately apparent. For the effect of such advertising is accumulative.

You owe it to the community in which you do business, to advertise, not merely from the selfish point of view of bringing more trade to your store, but to stimulate business activity in the entire community. If times are bad, advertise to make them better. If sales show a satisfying volume, advertising will keep them at high level.

Competition, sharp-eyed, and keen, is waiting just around the corner, to snatch your trade away from you. And advertising—consistent and continuous —is the best known antidote for this competition. For advertising is business insurance—money spent today to build more business and earn more money tomorrow. That is advertising's real job.—The Coach.

If It Were Your Child.

If it were your child playing on the curb, ready to dash thoughtlessly into the street after a rolling ball, you would consider no sacrifice too great to save her life. A delay of a few seconds or minutes would seem trivial. You would be ready to stop your car on a dime. If you are a parent you can understand. Only those who have been through the dark hours of waiting and know the indescribable joy when mother and child are safe can realize what the child means to the home. But even the father cannot fully comprehend its place in the mother's heart. No driver in his right mind would deliberately kill or injure a child, yet many drive recklessly through school zones and residential districts where children are playing on the sidewalks. Even those driving at legal speeds have been involved in accidents that were legally "unavoidable." But no exoneration in court can remove the remorse at having killed a child. Protecting the children requires greater caution than the law demands. Traffic ordinances can only set a maximum speed; you must determine the safe speed. Nor can the law define "inattention," the principal cause of accidents. Responsibility can not be shirked by following merely the letter of the law. Drive as you would if that child playing in the curb were your own.—The Sycholizer.

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Mrs. W. O. Hatfield taught school Monday in Mrs. May Pass' place. Mrs. Pass was at the bedside of her mother who was quite ill. Mrs. Pass and Mrs. C. C. Lackey returned from Kerrville Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gallant visited Mr. and Mrs. John Langford at Bandera on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Walker have moved to Medina.

Miss Abbie Brashear who teaches at Hunt, spent last week-end at home.

Mrs. Ray Davis has been very sick, but is better at present.

There will be a song service at the Methodist church every Thursday night, conducted by Rev. B. J. Gossett. Everyone invited.

The Melody Maids of the Mistletoe Creamery of San Antonio will give a program at Medina Saturday night, February 5. Admission 15c and 35c. The entire proceeds will go to the school. Don't fail to hear this splendid program.

Goes to Midland.

John S. Atkins leaves today for Midland, Texas, where he will locate and engage in the practice of law. Mr. Atkins came home last Sunday from Midland to complete arrangements to move there. He will be associated with B. Frank Haag, a well known attorney who has been a long time resident of Midland. We wish this young man success in that western county, and we predict that he will steadily climb up, for he has the ambition and determination to "get there."

Drilling Permits Cancelled

New York, Jan 25.—A blanket note cancelling all permits on oil wells which had not been started by Dec. 31, has been issued by the Mexican government, according to a telegram received Tuesday by the Association of Producers of Petroleum in Mexico. The message, sent from Tampico, declares all lands involved in the petroleum law controversy are affected.

Up to last Saturday the Mexican government had issued 112 cancellations of oil drilling permits, but this is understood to be the first blanket order, involving wells not specifically designated.

No action is contemplated here, it is said, pending further developments in Mexico.

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Norris Acquitted.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 25.—J. Frank Norris, fundamentalist Baptist pastor of Fort Worth, Tuesday night stepped for the third time in a court room a free man.

He was acquitted by a jury in Travis County district court of murdering Dexter E. Chipps, wholesale lumberman of Fort Worth, whom he slew in his church office on the afternoon of last July 17.

There were tears of joy and also tears of another kind from other eyes when the brief, simple verdict of "not guilty" was read in loud tones by S. A. Philquist, court clerk.

The tears of joy were those of Norris and his wife. As soon as the verdict rang out in the court room Norris stood at his desk, where he was surrounded by his wife, their two sons and a circle of friends. There was a wan smile on his lips.

The elder tears were in the eyes of a small, brown-eyed boy who has sat throughout the trial on the side of the State. He is Dexter E. Chipps, Jr., whose father Norris killed. The boy, small for his age, is 14.

When asked about the verdict tears came to his eyes and he choked up. Later he said: "I'm so sorry for mother. It will hurt her."

The boy was alone of all his family, and as the great crowd pressed around to shake the freed man's hand the lad walked slowly out, virtually unnoticed.

It was Norris' third acquittal on a criminal charge. He was indicted in 1922 and 1913 on charges of arson and perjury in connection with the burning of his Fort Worth church and parsonage.

The verdict was handed to the judge at 6:48 p. m.

Votes for Arbitration

Washington, D. C. Jan. 25.—Taking its first direct stand on the Mexican question, the Senate Tuesday unanimously advised President Coolidge to arbitrate the pending controversies with Mexico over that republic's oil and land laws.

Everyone of the 79 Senators—42 Republicans, 36 Democrats and the one Farmer-Labor—voted for the resolution of Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic leader, as revised last week by drilling foreign relations committee.

On account of the inclement weather last Saturday, the box supper to have been given at Indian Creek school house that night was postponed to a later date.

Takes Change of Venue.

Almost unheralded a special term of district court was held in Bandera last Friday, at which sitting Judge Brucks, on the court's motion, took a change of venue in he Pat Forest murder case, and transferred it to Kerr county, setting the date of trial for the second Monday in next month, same being the 15th day of February.

A short time ago the defendant indicted for the murder of W. A. Gray, and who has been in jail in San Antonio since early last term of district in November, made application before Judge McCrory in that city for a habeas corpus hearing. Judge McCrory granted the hearing, but ordered that it take place in Bandera. Then Thursday it was announced that a special district court had been ordered for Friday, and Forest was brought up from San Antonio, Attorney for the state and for the defense were on hand, Judge Brucks announced that he would grant the case to Kerrville on a change of venue, on the court's own motion, and set the date of trial as above stated. Forest was taken back to San Antonio, to be later taken to Kerrville.

At the term of district court held in Bandera a change of venue in this case to Kerrville on a lengthy hearing, during which it was brought out that the defendant could get a fair trial here, but Judge Brucks stated that he had carefully reconsidered the case and thought it best to transfer it to another county.

All witnesses heretofore subpeoned in the case will be required to be at Kerrville on the date set without further subpeoning.

Students Killed by Train

Taylor, Tex., Jan. 24.—The worst grade crossing accident in the history of Texas claimed the lives of ten students, all athletes of Baylor University, shortly before noon Saturday near Round Rock when the northbound Sunshine Special, crack train of the International-Great Northern, crashed into the university owned bus which was transporting twenty-two students and officials from Waco to Austin. The Baylor basket ball team was to meet the University of Texas Longhorns in a basket ball game Saturday night.

The dead and injured are as follows: Dead, Jimmie S. Walker of Gatesville, Ivey Foster of Taylor, Wm. E. Murray of Gatesville, Sam Dillon of Fort Worth, J. Clyde Kelley of Waco, Merle E. Dudley of Abilene, Bob Hailey of Lott, Jack Castellaw of Ennis, Bob Hannah of St. Louis, William, Winchester of Waco. Injured: Eli Gooch of Ennis, Fred Acree of Waco, Wesley Bradshaw of Athens, Joe Potter of West, J. G. Berry of Smithville.

Leg Broken.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris of this city received word last Saturday that their daughter, Mrs. Etta Balhorn, of San Antonio, had sustained a broken leg when she slipped and fell on a sidewalk in that city.

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Old Fiddlers' Contest.

A packed hall saw the picture show and heard the old time fiddlers' contest at the Bandera Theater last Friday night. Those who entered the contest were Tom Gray of Bandera, T. E. Browning of Medina, Mr. Francis of San Antonio, B. F. Donton of near Center Point, Slick Jones of Bandera, Bob Mayfield of Medina, J. J. Denton of Center Point, J. R. Adams of Tuff, Charlie Walker of San Antonio, Virgil McCarthy of Pipe Creek, and Lee Cravey of Tarpley. Every one of the contestants was an expert, and the way they yanked the old tunes out was truly wonderful. "Wagner," "Arkansaw Traveler," "Mocking Bird," "Sweet Bunch of Roses," "Soldier's Joy," "Black Reg," "Downfall of Paris," "Leather Breeches," "Turkey in the Peapatch," "Ladies' Fancy," "Dry and Dusty," "Bonaparte's Retreat," "Tom and Jerry," "Sally Goodin," "Duran's Hornpipe," "Turkey in the Straw," "Black Jack Grove," and "Hell Among the Yearlings," were the tunes played, and it was with difficulty that the judges could make a decision. There being only one prize offered by the contest promoter, it being a violin said to be worth $50, was awarded to Slick Jones after the announcement was made of the highest three in the contest, they being Charlie Walker, J. J. Denton, and Slick Jones, who played one tune without accompaniment.

Other features of the evening's entertainment were accordeon playing by Roy Rogers; Charleston dancing by Misses Mildred Watson, Elsie Lee Faris, Mary Jureszcki, and George Jureszcki; singing by Misses Thelma Surber and Mary Pyka. Elsie Lee Faris was given the prize for best amateur.

Car Turns Over.

While Sheriff E. Hicks and deputies were bringing Pat Forest up from San Antonio Friday morning, the car in which they were traveling turned over, and was somewhat damaged, but the occupants fortunately escaped injury. The accident occurred when Mr. Hicks attempted to pass another automobile which kept the middle of the road.

Returns to Texas.

Dr. L. J. Montague, who has been practicing in Galveston near Tampico, Mexico, the past five years, was here Saturday on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague. Dr. Montague's friends will be pleased to learn that he has returned to the good old United States, and has located at Edinburg, in the Rio Grande Valley, where he has purchased a citrus fruit farm, and will also engage in the practice of medicine. He has employed Doc Chipman of this city to manage his farm. Dr. Montague is also associated with his brother, Brian Montague, and Messrs. Cliff and Jack Belsher in a large ranch property on the Pecos, mention of which was made in the New Era two weeks ago.

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Max Beseler, the enterprising Boerne merchant, sends the New Era an ad this week, announcing a big Economy Sale and January Clearance, beginning January 29 and ending February 5th. Beseler's Dress-Up Store is becoming a very popular place and receives a good patronage from citizens of this county. If you have never been to Beseler's you should visit this store during this big sale and we guarantee you will be pleased with the merchandise and bargains offered.

Former Bandera Citizen Dead.

O. G. Davenport, who was born in Bandera in 1866, died at his home in San Antonio January 16, aged 60 years. He was well and favorably known to the older citizens of this county, having lived here for about thirty years, going from Bandera to San Antonio about 1896, where he since made his home. He is survived by three brothers, Mark and Joe Bill Davenport of Bandera, and Sam Davenport of San Antonio. The news of his death was received with much sadness by all who knew him here.

LIMA LINES.

Mr and Mrs. Taylor Click and little daughter, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Val Click last Friday and Saturday.

Miss Lorie Miller visited Miss Alta Evans last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. O'Larnie camp up from San Antonio last week. Miss Pearl Miller returned home with her for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Haycraft and infant and Mrs. Bartley, of San Antonio are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed.

A large crowd enjoyed the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mayberry last Friday night.

At the Picture Show.

If the picture shown at Bandera Theater last Friday night was a scream, the picture to be shown tomorrow night will be two screams and then a yell. The title of the coming picture is "Woman Handled," and if you want to see some real action you will not miss it. This is a Western picture and one of the best on the screen. As usual a two-reel comedy will be shown. Regular prices, 30c and 15c.

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The investigating committee, which is conducting the special session of the Legislature, has completely cleared the Ferguson administration in a report issued yesterday which appears elsewhere in this issue.

Five soaking rains have fallen throughout the county during the past week, which are of great benefit to the range and crops. The rains have splendid season for the ground and our farmers are rejoicing.

Only four more days remain in which you can pay your poll tax without disfranchisement. Pro. bably you have neglected this very important matter, but bear. ing that you will have no need for a poll tax receipt during this year, the time may be mis. taken, for issues may arise which call for the exercise of the suf. frage privilege. Better be safe than sorry. Pay your poll tax today, before it is too late.

J. A. Wilhelm has sold the Eden Echo to C. W. Roberts of Lampasas, who will take posses. sion February 1. Mr. Wilhelm and his estimable wife have pub. lished the Eden Echo for the past fifteen years and have kept it up to a high standard of ex. cellence, and made it a factor in Eden's splendid growth. Mr. Wilhelm has not announced his future plans, but we hope that wherever he may go his lot in life will be cast in the same ex. cess be so richly deserves.

A new book is to be issued from Hunter's Printing House in Bandera some time this spring or during the early summer, dealing with the captivity and experiences of Clint and Jeff Smith, boys, who were stolen by Comanche Indians in 1865. Many of our old time citizens know the facts connected with the captivity of Smith brothers, and they will be glad to know that the book is soon to be published. It is now being com. piled by J. Mac Hunter under the direction of Clint Smith, whose story of Indian life and savage surroundings will be told in simple, plain Smith lives at Hackberry, Texas, while Jeff lives in San Antonio. Both of them are well known through. out Southwest Texas.

Old Time Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time dance to be given at the hall in Hatfield Park, Saturday night, February 5th. Old time music. Everybody invited to come and have a good time.

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Diplopia Crafters Visit Uvalde

A pair spectacle fakirs were in Uvalde this week and called at the home of a Uvalde lady whom they had found out was on her own resources and her own boss, so to speak. They did not want to be troubled by other relatives.

After talking spectacles or rather lenses, and failing to in. terest the lady—just on the eve of departure the salesman, after gazing intently at the eye of the lady, said, "Excuse me. There is certainly something wrong here."

After a further examination he stated very impressively: "Why this is one case in a mil. lion. One of the few that I have ever seen. You have a bad case of diplopia. Left to con. tinue it will mean stone blind. ness. There are only three specialists in Texas who can cure this. One is in Fort Worth and two in Dallas. It is an unusual case and I will show you how it will develop."

He placed spectacles on the lady and to her amazement things appeared double. The man was looking her in the eyes with four eyes. He had two noses and two mouths, but only one voice and that kept up the dan. ger she was in.

Finally he decided to call his partner, who was in the car to see this unusual case. After the partner had viewed with alarm the amazing symptoms and ap. parently regarded the case as hopeless, he turned to go and then like a flash his memory seemed to revive and he dis. covered that he accidentally had a pair of lenses that had been ordered on a previous case, of this one in a million, and he would get them and see if they would not correct the trouble. This he did through their marvelous powers the good lady was able to see as she had al. ways seemingly and clearly. As a special consideration they would let the lady have these wonderful lenses for only $65 and they would take the place of the three specialists, one at Fort Worth and two at Dallas. As aforesaid.

However, they waxed very indignant when they were in. formed by the lady that she would make a trip to San An. tonio and consult a famous specialist there if she thought it necessary before buying any glasses. They left in a cloud of wrath and muttering various and sundry woeful predictions.

After the atmosphere had cleared and the intended victim could think singly, she rang Dr. Bowman and asked him what diplopia was.

"Well," said he, "it is seeing double."

"What causes it," she inquir. ed?

"Generally drinking too much bootleg whisky," responded the man of medicine.

Then she called Dr. Boyle, lo. cal optometrist, and told him of her experience.

"Begorra, and where are they now," asked the son of Erin. "The medical association has been looking for them for months but they have given them the dodge."

The parties had left on the train and their whereabouts are yet unknown, but if located they will probably be able to see clearly that the way of the transgressor is hard.

The same grafters have work. ed their victims out of $400 on some occasions, and while not taking the money at the point of a gun, are more guilty of fraud than the highwayman.—Uvalde Leader-News.

'Jim' Played by Solon Probers

Austin, Tex., Jan 21.—"Cer. tain state officials under the ad. ministration of Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, with the aid and abatement of certain private cit. izens, have abused the trust placed in them by the public for selfish power and financial gain."

This was the declaration made today by the house committee of the special session of the Thirty. ninth legislature, in its report to the Fortieth legislature, in ses. sion here. The committee was named to investigate alleged ir. regularities in the state's admin. istration and in the state's af. fairs and departments. Several weeks were spent in examining about 200 witnesses.

"As was expected," the com. mittee's report said, "the ma. jority of the testimony had mainly to do with the affairs of the state highway department though a portion of the testi. mony covered other matters."

Outstanding examples of the "abuse of trust for selfish pow. er and gain," were found in the chief executive, Miriam A. Fer. guson, "aided and abetted, and practically dictated to" by her husband, James E. Ferguson, former governor who was im. peached in 1917, and in the high. way department, the report said.

"We believe," the report said, "that the power and pres. tige of the governor's office have been practically usurped and dictated by a private citizen, the husband of the governor, for political favoritism and financial gain, and the fact that he was a private citizen has placed him beyond the pale of the law."

"It is our opinion," the re. port continued, "that the only recourse under our existing laws is by impeachment of the guilty wrongs done to our state by the chief executive under the domi. nation of her husband."

Mrs. Ferguson, her husband and their two daughters, Mrs. George Nalle and Miss Dorrace Ferguson, shown to have been publishers of the Ferguson Fo. rum, a weekly newspaper yere declared by the committee to have used Mrs. Ferguson's office for financial gain. Fees paid by contractors and others doing business with the state place ad. vertising in the Forum. Amounts for advertising were unjustifi. fie, the committee found, but ranged from $100 to $1000 per advertiser.

Before Mrs. Ferguson became governor, the Forum carried only a small amount of advertis. ing, the report said. Solicitors for advertising were introduced by letters written on executive office stationery, it was disclosed. The report declared that em. ployment of James E. Ferguson by W. T. Eldridge, railroad exe. cutive, at a salary of $10,000 a year while Ferguson was prac. tically dominating the office of governor and exercising the powers of governor in his wife's name, "amounted to a "pure pur. chase and sale of executive in. fluence."

Scouting the possibility of "the blanket sympathy of a woman governor" leading to so liberal with pardons and exe. cutive clemency, the report said testimony showed practically all of the pardons granted were on recommendation of Ferguson.

The state prison system at this time is in a deplorable condition financially and hopelessly in debt, the report said.

"The testimony warrants us in saying," the report continued, "that the penitentiary system has been henny-combed with in. competency, graft and in many instances, theft. The property of the system has been stolen in wholesale lots, and the thieves have gone unpunished and undiscovered, and little, if any, effort has been made to dis. cover them."

As an incident of alleged in. competency, the report recount. ed testimony intended to show that the occasion of the execu. tion of four negro prisoners were made "a time of revelry and jest" with many of the guests of prison officials being in an in. toxicated condition during the executions.

The system of civil appellate courts was condemned, with the declaration that the state has more courts of civil appeals than are necessary.

Alleged domination by the husband of the governor in other departments also was shown in the state textbook commission's transactions, the report said. Ferguson dominated the letting of contracts for books at high prices, it was charged.

Alleged practice of members of the legislature practicing be. fore the highway department was condemned.

The highway commission, with the aid of the governor, through her husband, "wantonly, reck. lessly and fraudulently disi. pated millions of dollars of high. way funds," the report said.

Enormous profits were made by road contractors, the report said, before suits were brought to cancel contracts held by the American and Hoffman construc. tion companies.

Ferguson not only dominated the affairs of the highway com. mission, the report said, but dic. tated the hiring of employes.

Present deteriorated condition of the state's highways has re. sulted from "the incompetency and graft" in the department, the report said.

Beauty Parlor Regulation by State Sought.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 24.—Reg. ulation of beauty parlor operat. tors by the State is provided in a bill submitted Monday by Sen. ator Julin Beal of Kerrville.

The measure would empower the Governor to appoint a board of five members to examine the qualifications of applications for practicing cosmetic therapy. Those desiring master's licenses would be required to pay an examina. tion fee of $25 and operators license examinations would cost $10. A renewal fee of $5 for masters and $3 for operat. ors would be assessed.

If the examining board is cre. ated, the majority of its members must be women with at least four years' experience in profes. sional beauty culture work.

Bill Provides 50 Cent Bounty on Rattlesnakes

Austin, Tex., Jan. 24.—A bounty of 50 cents on rattle. snakes is provided in a House bill introduced Monday by Rep. resentative J. Herschel Boggs of San Angelo. The measure would authorize any county seeking relief from rattlesnakes to appropriate one-fourth of one per cent of its local revenue to be used as a "rattlesnake fund." Persons after a bounty would prove it by exhibiting detached rat. tlers.

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Wool Contracts.

The first contracts for long wool of the 1927 spring crop in Texas have been signed in Sterl. ing and Menard counties by J. M. Lea and other buyers for Draper & Co., Boston, making headquarters in San Angelo, America's largest inland wool market, it was learned Thurs. day. Prices reached 35 cents a pound with the average only slightly under that figure. The poundage was not ascertained. The purchases fulfill rumors cir. culated before the close of 1926 that contracting would develop early in the new year. Draper & Co. bought last year purcha. ed approximately 30 per cent of the state's total production.

The first contracts in 1926 were signed in Sutton County on March 30 when Joe B. Blakeney of San Angelo purchased a quarter-million pounds for. Hall. well, Jones & Donald of Bos. ton from W. A. Miers, W. C. Bryson, W. E. Glasscock and Thomas Espy. The price was 40 cents a pound. This was on. ly a little under the average paid for the 1925 fall wool through the warehouses, after there had been virtually no contracting, but was practically the same price at which contracting of the 1925 long spring wool began in November, 1924, increasing by January, 1925, to 50c, then to 53½ c, with 60c paid for a few extra choice clips.

An estimated 23,000,000 pounds of spring wool last year brought an average of 35c to 36c for twelve-month's fleeces and 31½c for eight months' fleeces, compar. ed with averages of 46c and 42½c respectively, in 1925. There was little contracting in 1926 and with a heavy crop in the fall, making the year's total for the state around 30,000,000 pounds, the short fleeces com. manded an average of only 25c, with 28c the top.—San Angelo Standard.

NOTICE

Any banking corporation, as. sociation, or individual banker in Bandera county, desiring to be selected as the depository for Bandera county and school funds for two years, beginning with the February term, A. D. 1927, and terminating with the February term, A. D. 1929, shall deliver to the County Judge of said county on or before Feb. ruary 14th, 1927, a sealed propos. al stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, associ. ation, or individual banker and deposit offers to pay on the funds of the county for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular term for selection of a depository. Said bid shall be accompanied by cer. tified check for not less than one-half of one per cent of the county revenue for the year 1926 as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bidder, and that, if his bid is accepted, he will enter into bond as required by law, and upon failure to do so, such certified check shall go to and become the property of said county as liquidated damages.

A. L. MANSFIELD, County Judge Bandera County, Texas.

British Mobilizing

London, Jan. 24.—All doubts as to the magnitude of the Brit. ish preparations to deal with pos. sible events in China, were clear. ed Mnday night when the War Office announced the composi. tion of the "Shanghai defense force."

This force will defend the Brit. ish concession in Shanghai and will be commanded by Maj. Gen. John Duncan, now here in com. mand of a division. He will sail for China forthwith.

Gen. Duncan saw service in the World War at Gallipoli and Eastern Europe, and his new men—the 13th and 14th British infantry brigades and the 20th forces will consist of about 12,000 Indian infantry brigade, with artillery, armored cars and oth. er equipment. Two battalions of the British forces are at pres. ent at Malta, the remainder are in Great Britian.

Including the 1,000 marines previously ordered to China and the naval ratings of the cruisers dispatched to the Far East and the effectives on the spot, it is estimated that about 16,000 men will be available for the defense of interests. The marines were to have sailed from Portsmouth Monday, but their ship was de. layed by fog. They probably will get away Tuesday.

The British infantry units in. clude a battalion of the Gold. stream Guards Regiment, which rarely is ordered abroad in nor. mal times. The government has charterer the steamers Kin. fauns Castle, Kildonan Castle, Minnesota, Megantic and Herm. inius as transports and the whole force will sail at the earliest pos. sible moment.

The government does not re. quire parliamentary sanction for these military measures, since nothing in the nature of general mobilization is involved. Nev. ertheless, uneasiness is develop. ing in the country at the unex. pected size of the expeditionary force.

The government has protected itself thus far by acquainting the Opposition leader, Ramsay MacDonald and Lloyd George, with all steps taken, as Parlia. ment does not assemble before February 8. At the same time demands are beginning to be heard that parliament should be summoned forthwith, so that the country may be enabled to judge of the justification for the de. fense measure by question and answer in the House of Com. mons.

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In re Estate of Roma N. Jones, a Minor. In the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, Mrs. Bertha McJones, guardian of the estate of Roma N. Jones, a Minor, have this day filed my application in the above entitled cause for an order of the Coun. ty Judge of Bandera County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of the Estate of said Roma N. Jones, a Minor, to make an oil and gas lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct of the below describ. ed real estate belonging to the Estate of said Minor, viz:

All of the Minor's undivided interest in Survey No. 112, Cer. tificate No. 112, Abstract No. 37, patented to Juan Bustamento July 13, 1846, by Patent No. 18 Vol. No. 4, said survey being No. 18 Vol. No. 4, said survey being in Bandera County, Texas, and containing 320 acres of land.

The above application will be heard by the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, at the court house in the town of Ban. dera, Texas, on the 29th day of January 1927.

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POSTED. Pastures controled by me, including the lease from H. C. Hansen, are posted and hunting in any manner, with fire-arms or dogs, or trapping is strictly forbidden. This means for everybody to keep out of said enclosures.—Sam Smith.

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half of one per cent of the county revenue for the year 1926 as a guarantee of the good faith on the part of the bidder, and that, if his bid is accepted, he will enter into bond as required by law, and upon failure to do so, such certified check shall go to and become the property of said county as liquidated damage.

A. L. MANSFIELD,
County Judge Bandera County, Texas.

British Mobilizing

London, Jan. 21.—All doubts as to the magnitude of the British preparations to deal with possible events in China, were cleared Mnday night when the War Office announced the composition of the "Shanghai defense force."

This force will defend the British concession in Shanghai and will be commanded by Maj. Gen. John Duncan, now here in command of a division. He will sail for China forthwith.

Gen. Duncan saw service in the World War at Gallipoli and Eastern Europe, and his new men—the 12th and 14th British infantry brigades and the 20th forces will consist of about 12,000 Indian infantry brigade, with artillery, armored cars and other equipment. Two battalions of the British forces are at present at Malta, the remainder are in Great Britian.

Including the 1,000 marines previously ordered to China and the naval ratings of the cruisers dispatched to the Far East and the effectives on the spot, it is estimated that about 16,000 men will be available for the defense of interests. The marines were to have sailed from Portsmouth Monday, but their ship was delayed by fog. They probably will get away Tuesday.

The British infantry units include a battalion of the Coldstream Guards Regiment, which rarely is ordered abroad in normal times. The government has chartered the steamers Kinfauns Castle, Kildonan Castle, Minnesota, Megantic and Herminius as transports and the whole force will sail at the earliest possible moment.

The government does not require parliamentary sanction for these military measures, since nothing in the nature of general mobilization is involved. Nevertheless, uneasiness is developing in the country at the unexpected size of the expeditionary force.

The government has protected itself thus far by acquainting the Opposition leader, Ramsay MacDonald and Lloyd George, with all steps taken, as Parliament does not assemble before February 8. At the same time demands are beginning to be heard that parliament should be summoned forthwith, so that the country may be enabled to judge of the justification for the defense measure by question and answer in the House of Commons.

Wool Contracts.

The first contracts for long wool of the 1927 spring crop in Texas have been signed in Sterling and Menard counties by J. M. Lea and other buyers for Draper & Co., Boston, making headquarters in San Angelo, America's largest inland wool market, it was learned Thursday. Prices reached 35 cents a pound with the average only slightly under that figure. The poundage was not ascertained. The purchases fulfill rumors circulated before the close of 1926 that contracting would develop early in the new year. Draper & Co. buyers last year purchased approximately 20 per cent of the state's total production.

The first contracts in 1926 were signed in Sutton County on March 30 when Joe B. Blakeney of San Angelo purchased a quarter-million pounds for Hallowell, Jones & Donald of Boston from W. A. Miers, W. C. Bryson, W. E. Glasscock and Thomas Espy. The price was 40 cents a pound. This was only a little under the average paid for the 1925 fall wool through the warehouses, after there had been virtually no contracting, but was practically the same price at which contracting of the 1925 long spring wool began in November, 1924, increasing by January, 1925, to 50c, then to 53½ c, with 60c paid for a few extra choice clips.

An estimated 25,000,000 pounds of spring wool last year brought an average of 35c to 36c for twelve-month's fleeces and 31½c for eight months' clips, compared with averages of 46c and 42½c respectively, in 1925. There was little contracting in 1926 and with a heavy crop in the fall, making the year's total for the state around 30,000,000 pounds, the short fleeces commanded an average of only 25c, with 28c the top.—San Angelo Standard.

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NOTICE

In re Estate of Roma N. Jones, a Minor. In the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, Mrs. Bertha M. Jones, guardian of the estate of Roma N. Jones, a Minor, have this day filed my application in the above entitled cause for an order of the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of the Estate of said Roma N. Jones, a Minor, to make an oil and gas lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct of the below-described real estate belonging to the Estate of said Minor, viz:

All of the Minor's undivided interest in Survey No. 112, Certificate No. 112, Abstract No. 37, patented to Juan Bustamento July 13, 1846, by Patent No. 18 Vol. No. 4, said survey being in Bandera County, Texas, and containing 320 acres of land.

The above application will be heard by the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, at the court house in the town of Bandera, Texas, on the 29th day of January 1927.

BERTHA M. JONES
Guardian of the estate of Roma N. Jones.
By J. W. KINCAID, Atty.

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VETERAN AMASA CLARK DIED FRIDAY MORNING

Veteran Amasa Clark aged 101 years, died at his home, four miles west of Bandera, at 2:45 a. m., January 28, after an illness of only a few hours. He was stricken with acute indigestion early Thursday morning, and notwithstanding all that medical skill could suggest and every-thing possible done to relieve him, he steadily grew worse and passed away at the hour named above.

Funeral services were conducted at the family home at 3:30 Saturday afternoon, and he was buried in the family cemetery there with military honors. Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church, conducted the religious ceremonies. J. D. Merwin, Hunter editor of the Bandera News Era and the Frontier Times, delivered a talk reciting in brief the events of Mr. Clark's long and useful life, after which the remains were carried to the cemetery by representatives of the United States Army. The escort and firing squad were in charge of Capt. P. L. Dill of the Ninth Infantry, Ft. Sam Houston. Delegations from the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Pioneer Freighter's Association, came up from San Antonio to participate in the ceremonies. The active pall bearers were W. J. Maass, M. V. Adamietz, Joe Postert, Lee Risinger, Charles Schmidtke, Sr., and Ernest Kindla, long-time friends of deceased. Honorary pall bearers were Wm. B. Krempkau, B. S. Schmidt, A. C. Glinck, Jim Mills, J. T. Boehme, of the Pioneer Freighters' Association, and Dan F. Connor, J. M. Lowenstein, Wm. Rabsdeau, Sgt. Arnold Young and G. Stromberger, of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. At the grave the firing squad fired three volleys over the flag-draped casket, and the bugler sounded taps, and then all that was mortal of Bandera's first and most honored citizen was consigned to the last resting place. Before the large crowd dispersed, Chaplain Clinkscales of the Pioneer Freighters Association, made a few remarks and closed the ceremonies with the benediction.

Fully three hundred people attended the funeral of this aged veteran, many coming from San Antonio, Kerrville, Boerne, and other places. They were old friends who had known him for many long years. The inclement weather and bad roads prevented hundreds of others from being present.

Amasa Clark was born in Scoharrie county, New York, September 3rd, 1825. He enlisted for service in the Mexican War in 1846, and landed at Vera Cruz, Mexico, with General Winfield Scott's forces and began the march on the Mexican capital. He was in General Twiggs' division and participated in all of the desperate fighting at Cherubusco, Molino del Rey, Chapultepec, and in the street fighting in Mexico City. He was discharged from the army at San Elizario, near El Paso, in 1849, and proceeded to San Antonio, from whence some time later he went up on the Guadalupe river to work in a shingle camp. While there he became acquainted with some Delaware Indians, who told him about the wonderful Medina valley and invited him to accompany them on a hunt in this beautiful region. This invitation he accepted, and when he beheld this region he at once resolved to cast his lot here. This was in 1852. There was not a settlement in all this region; it was a wilderness, full of wild game and often visited by wild tribes of Indians. Mr. Clark found three families camped near the present site of Bandera, making shingles, but they were not permanent settlers. He was here when Elder Lyman Wight's colony of Mormons came in 1854, and he was here when the Polish colonists came in 1855. As the country began to settle up, and the firm grasp of civilization took hold, Amasa Clark, was a participant in every move that was started for advancement, and he was spared to live to see the county's population grow to more than five thousand souls.

Mrs. Clark was the father of nineteen children, sixteen of whom are living today, and

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AMASA CLARK

Anniversary of Polish Colonists.

Yesterday was the seventy-third anniversary of the coming of the Polish colonists to Bandera. It was on February 2, 1855, that sixteen families just from Poland, were shunted up into Bandera county, from Castroville, whither they had come in search of homes. They were just poor peasants, and had to come to America to escape the oppression of their government. They could not speak English, had no finances, and were without arms and many of them were scantily clad. When they reached Bandera the able-bodied men were employed in a saw-mill here and in making shingles. They knew nothing about the conditions of the frontier, and the dangers that lurked throughout this section from Indian raids, but many of them bought on time small parcels of land, 20 or 40 acres at about $2 per acre, and here they anchored, and "grew up with the country." Today there are only a few of these original colonists left with us, among them being Mrs. John Adamietz, Gabe Anderwald, John Anderwalll, Joe Anderwald, Cristian Dugosh, John Pyka, Mrs. Tom Moravietz, and a few others—all old men and women now. The descendants of these Polish colonists now number several hundred, and they are scattered pretty well over the state.

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On the Boards This Week.

The King-Thomas Company is playing at the Bandera Theater every night this week, presenting splendid programs. Tuesday night they presented that mirth provoking comedy, "Zeke," and last night they gave "Lena Rivers." Tonight the play will be "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," and tomorrow night, the audience will be entertained with "Sputters," a western play. The Saturday night program has not yet been announced. Tonight's performance is a wonderful feature play. Tomorrow night there will be two shows in one, the picture, "Old Lives for Yews," will be shown on the screen, and "Sputters" will be given on the stage. It will be a treat, a show to say the least.

The King-Thomas Co. has been here before, and their coming is always hailed with delight, for it is one of the cleanest and best theatrical troupes on the road. The troupe is made up of Carl Thomas, Earl Thomas, Cody Thomas, Dolly McIntyre, Ceeyl Scott and Lois Willis, and each member is a star performer. If all of the shows which come to Bandera were made up of the class of people as King-Thomas Co. the town would be benefitted every time we had a show. So many of the traveling shows these days are made up of actors of low morals and questionable character. It's different with this company, for the members of the King-Thomas Co. are ladies and gentlemen, and conduct themselves as such on the stage and off of it.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis and son, of Pecos, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whisenhunt and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Browning last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Seale Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Stokes and children, and C. B. Coulter made a trip to Kerrville Tuesday.

Rush Forest is visiting his mother Mrs. R. B. Forest. They have moved to Medina

Don't forget that the Mistletoe Minstrel entertainers will be here Saturday night, February 5. Come out and enjoy a real treat. The management of the picture show has kindly given up that night.

Undergoes Operation.

Leonard Jenseke was taken to a hospital in San Antonio last Thursday, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. We are pleased to learn that he withstood the operation well and is getting along nicely.

Fair Dates Announced.

The South Texas Fair Circuit has announced the following fair dates:

Fredericksburg, Aug. 19-20-21; Boerne, Sept. 2-3-4; San Marcos, Sept. 7-8-9-10; Placasia, Sept. 13-14-15-16-17. New Braunfels, Sept. 27-28-29-30-Oct. 1; Deville, Oct. 4-5-6-7-8; Seguin, Oct. 3-6-7-8.

TARPLEY.

Miss Ruby Billings, who is attending school at Hondo, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. George Riley Jr., and Miss Neva Silvers made a trip to Bandera last Saturday.

Bill Winn and John Coffee were Bandera visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Evans, of near Bandera were guests of Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. Foster, the past week-end.

Ralph Fries and sister, Miss Marguerite Fries of Medina were Tarpley visitors last Sunday.

Willie and Otto Schmidt went to San Antonio last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fish, of Bluff, were visitors in Bandera yesterday.

Notice of Meeting.

A meeting of the directors of the Bandera County Interscholastic League Meet will be held at Bandera High School building, Saturday, Feb. 12. All directors and heads of schools urged to attend.—A. K. BRIGGS, Director General

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LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chowning, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bahn of San Antonio, and Mrs. Charlie Bahn and daughter, Miss Fern, of Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Council and little son, and some friends, of Kerrville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Walker, of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walker last week.

A. B. Reed, Dan Reed, O. D. Keese and Thomas Keese were Bandera visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Palmer, of Medina, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hinds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale and little son and D. B. Seale were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds Sunday.

Mrs. Lieber and baby and Aunt Pal Wilson went to Tarpley Monday.

C. G. Hinds and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Haught went to Kerrville Monday.

Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Chamberlain, of Bluff, received the sad news last Saturday that their sister, Mrs. Kitchen of San Antonio, was seriously ill. Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Chamberlain, accompanied by their brother, Bud Hough, left immediately for San Antonio to see her.

Mrs. Lee Miller and little daughters spent last Monday with Mrs. John Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayberry and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mumaw, of Beasley, Texas, are here on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Frank Billings and family.

"Sputters" tomorrow night at the Bandera Theater.

Among those who came to attend the funeral of Veteran Amasa Clark last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dial of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Wells of Charlotte.

Methodist Church.

Services at the Methodist church in Bandera on second Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and at night; third Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and fourth Sunday at 11 o'clock and at night. Services at Medina on first Sunday at 11 o'clock and at night, and on third Sunday at night. Services at Tarpley second Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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There passed from the walks of men last Friday morning one of the most remarkable men who ever cast his lot in Bandera county, and in his passing we lose our first citizen. Veteran Amasa Clark, though he had reached the extreme age of 101 years, had retained his activity and energy up to the day of his death. He spent seventy-five years of his life within the confines of Bandera county, and saw the country transformed from a howling wilderness to a peaceful and happy land, and it was his proud boast that he had been a factor in the wonderful development which has taken place during all those long years. Veteran Clark often visited the New Era office, in fact he was a close friend, and his visits were always welcome for he brought with him that cheerfulness and buoyancy of [illegible] which drove away dull care. He would tell us of his experiences in the Mexican War, of early day conditions in this county, for he lived wholly in the past. He possessed a wonderful recollection of events that happened three quarters of a century ago, and his anecdotes and the information he gave were always interesting. We shall miss him, oh, so much, and we realize that there is none to take his place. Men of his mould have always been scarce, and when they pass on their places cannot be filled by others. We honored him as a veteran of the Mexican War; we honored him as a true pioneer; we honored him as a loyal citizen; and sunday all day, we honored him as a loyal friend. God spared him to dwell here to a ripe old age, to be a blessing and a benediction to all posterity. Amasa Clark was of excellent family of Revolutionary stock. When LaFayette visited Albany, New York, in 1824, Veteran Clark's father was a member of the reception committee to receive the distinguished patriot.

When Veteran Clark came to Bandera in 1852, he lost all trace of his people. He had a sister, Caroline Clark, with whom he had kept up a correspondence until 1849, when she moved from New York to another state, and his letters to her were never received, afterward, and she had lost trace of him. The years passed, and Mr. Clark decided that all of his people were dead. Some two years ago, when the newspapers of the country were publishing feature articles about Bandera's grand old men, a son of this long lost sister, Mr. Isaac Rhodes of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, read the story and saw Amasa Clark's picture in an Oklahoma paper, and immediately wrote to him. Correspondence revealed that Rhodes was the nephew of the old veteran, and he and a brother came to pay Mr. Clark a visit. It was then learned that the long lost sister, Caroline, had died only two years previously, after searching the world over for the missing brother. Photographs of the sister, and letters written by her as well as the last letter written by Amasa Clark to her, were brought for him to see, and he sweepingly told us that it was a strange freak of fate that separated him from the sister whom he so dearly loved.

Now the grand old man himself has joined the silent majority, but the happy recollection of the pleasant association we have had with him will abide with us as long as we live. To the aged wife and sorrowing children we extend our sympathy and condolence in this hour of their grief, for we feel the heavy sorrow they bear.

New Company to Drill.

The Kerrville Mountain Sun reports that another company now operating in various sections of the state, will probably begin drilling in the Center Point region within a few weeks. The Walker well now drilling at Center Point is looking good and has reached a depth of over 1,000 feet. Activity in leases is growing in that section.

Mother Died.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Bausch, aged 74, died at her home at Sisterdale January 25, she was the mother of Messrs. Otis and Henry Bausch of Bandera, and also Mrs. Emma Sewald of Kreuzberg, Mrs. Henrietta Hohenberger of Tarpley, Mrs. Anna Pfeiffer of Fredericksburg, and Adolph Bausch of Sisterdale. Mrs. Bausch was born in Fredericksburg, and was truly a pioneer. The New Era extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

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VETERAN AMASA CLARK DEAD

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most of them are residents of Bandera county. On July 10, 1859, he was married to Miss Eliza Jane Wright, at Fredericksburg, Texas. To them were born eleven children; Annie and Amasa, Jr., died with diphtheria while quite young; Elizabeth lives in Arizona; Isaac Clark lives at Tarpley; Mrs. Amanda North lives at Poteet; Mrs. Mary Selby died in Atascosa county; Mrs. Caroline Taylor lives at San Nuys, California; Mrs. Olive Cosgrove lives near Bandera; John Clark lives at Tarpley; Mrs. Eliza Massey lives at San Nuys, California; Sam Clark lives near Bandera. Mrs. Eliza Jane Clark died July 1, 1883. On May 4, 1885, Mr. Clark was married to Miss Incy Wedgeworth, of near Con Can, Texas. To this union were born eight children: Zack Clark of Atascosa county; Ben Clark of Bandera, Orange Clark of Bandera; Mrs. Bessie Schmidtke of Bandera; Mrs. Albert Mazes of Bandera; Mrs. Bertha Hiltz of San Antonio; Alvin Clark of Charlotte; Mrs. Kittie Evans of San Antonio. Surviving besides the widow and the children named above, are eighty-six grandchildren and seventy-five great grandchildren.

On September 2nd, 1925, Veteran Clark celebrated his 100th birthday surrounded by his numerous descendants, on which occasion, and it was estimated that fifty grandchildren and great grandchildren were absent.

Mr. Clark, during the past three or four years, has been the recipient of many honors. He was given ovations in San Antonio by the civil and military authorities on several occasions. He was made honorary member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, was an honorary member of the United Confederate Veterans, the Pioneer Freighters Association, and other organizations. He had the honor of being the last Clark, who saw service in the World War, one of them being in the air service and the other in the Marines. One grand son, Sam Clark, made the supreme sacrifice in the World War, and his remains rest in the family cemetery near those of his illustrious grandfather.

With the passing of Amasa Clark the number of surviving veterans of the Mexican War is reduced to only seven. A few days before his death Veteran Clark informed the writer that there were only eight survivors, and he expressed the hope that he would be spared to be the last one called by death. He was expecting the summons hourly he said, and realized as the end approached that he could not remain here very much longer.

In giving a historical sketch of Veteran Clark, we think the best that has ever been given appeared in J. Marvin Hunter's "Pioneer History of Bandera County," a book published in 1922, and we quote from it as follows:

"A word painter with vision enough to grasp history in the making could weave a wonderful story of the life of this grand old man, Amasa Clark, who looks serenely back upon almost a hundred years of the greatest changes the world has known. Men have looked with awe upon some mountain of [illegible] or a towering peak that has stood immutable amid the changes of the years. Amasa Clark has watched changes as great, and more, he can tell of them. His memory is fresh, and he tells the story with interest and spirit.

Mr. Clark was born on Scobarrie Creek, in Scobarrie county, New York, Sept. 3, 1825, only a few years after Old Hickory whipped the British at New Orleans and before the Alamo and San Jacinto field were baptized into immortality by the blood of Texas heroes. He has passed through five wars on the soil of the United States. Thus he has lived all the dangers, hardships and privations that were the lot of those who went ahead to soften the wilderness for the tender feet of civilization. From the time when armies contended with muzzle-loading muskets, and wooden frigates sailed the seas, he has watched the science of warfare develop systematic slaughter by aerial monsters, hurled by the tremendous force of explosives undreamed of and more powerful than the gunpowder that prostrated the American Indians with awe at the coming of the first white man. He has lived from the time when solid shot was the greatest weapon at the command of the armies of the day to the day of the explosive shell which sweeps all things living from vast areas. He has watched the trail of wild things through the wilderness metamorphosed into teeming paths of commerce. He has seen the place of the ox-team yielded taken by the high-powered automobile and the giant airplanes contending for the supremacy of the air. Clark has lived, has seen much, and it is his earnest hope that he may live to see Society and its foster-mother, Civilization, triumph at last in the realization of universal peace.

When Amasa Clark came into this world Texas was a province the home of wild beasts and savage men; a province whose rivers, mountains and plains were unexplored, and whose future found outline only in the ambitious dreams of a Burr, a Wilkinson, or a Blannerhasett. When but a lad he left his native state, New York, enlisted in the army and valiantly fought his way way from Vera Cruz to Chapultepec with General Scott, and when victory had crowned the American arms in Mexico he came to Texas. Here he cast his lot to blaze the way for oncoming millions. He has seen the signal fires of the savage gleam from a thousand peaks and has followed their encircled trails across the hills and plains along the vast extent of our Texas border. Sitting upon the pedestal of years, he now looks down upon an Empire state where savage invasion is only a memory; where homes, towns and cities dot the land, where millions of men and girls go to and to school, and with lofty and exultant pride may well this venerable father exclaim, 'I was a humble factor in this wonderful achievement.'

Like most men of his advanced age the period of second childhood has succeeded that of virorous manhood, but, the memory fraught with the record of three generations is not bedimmed by the frailties of extreme age, and he has a ready recollection of events and incidents of the early period that is, to say the least, remarkable. Just a question or a suggestion is all that is needed to awaken his memory and he unfolds narrative after narrative of thrilling events of the distant past. Incidents of his early childhood days are clearly remembered by him and he relates them to his grandchildren today. He is still a well preserved man and quite active. He has never used tobacco or liquor, and is proud of it. Mr. Clark is today drawing a pension of $50 per month from the government for his service in the Mexican War in 1847. He landed at Vera Cruz with General Scott's forces and marched to Mexico City, taking part in all the bloody engagements along the way, finally making a triumphant entry into the Mexican capital and saw the Stars and Stripes wave proudly over the National Place. It would require a volume to record his experiences in that war alone. He was commended by his superior officers for bravery in action and in street fighting in Mexico City.

Mr. Clark manages his farm of 160 acres, looks after his business affairs with the same ability he has always displayed. He gets about without the aid of a cane, his step is sprightly, and his extreme age is indicated only by his stooped shoulders and white hair. In appearance he would easily pass for a man about 68 or 70 years old.

Today Mr. and Mrs. Clark live on the farm, four miles west of Bandera, which Mr. Clark purchased many years ago from a man named Hardin. Here Mr. Clark engaged in the nursery business until advancing age compelled him to retire from that work. He still has a fine orchard, and last year 1921, he marketed nearly 1,000 bushels of pears at $1.00 per bushel.

At the close of the Mexican War Mr. Clark was discharged from the service at San Elizario, near El Paso, and afterwards came to Bandera and has resided here continuously ever since. He gives some of his experiences here as follows:

"After my discharge from the United States army, and from active service in Mexico, I went to San Antonio, where I remained for some time. Then I went up on the Guadalupe river, just below where Center Point is now situated, and assisted O. B. Miles, who was hauling shingles to San Antonio for Gillis & Wilkins. There he had the only shingle camp there. A tribe of Delaware Indians were encamped nearby and were very kind and friendly toward us. Some of our men had visited Bandera Pass region and had often spoken in such glowing terms of the picturesque scenery and the abundance of game in the Medina valley that I determined to visit this region myself. They reported there were families camped on the Medina, and those three families were the founders of the first settlement in Bandera county, which afterward became the town of Bandera. The Delaware Indians frequently invited me to join them in their hunting forays, and one time they insisted that I accompany them to the Medina valley to kill deer for the hides. Then I made my first visit to the beautiful Bandera region. I found game plentiful, and the three families here were so hospitable that I decided to cast in my lot with such kind consideration. I decided to tarry with them for awhile. That sojourn has been prolonged for seventy years, and seventy years, and I am still here. This country was in its wildest state when I came here in 1852. Deer could be killed almost at any point a short distance from camp and kill deer or turkey. Grass was knee high, there was not an acre of brush and oak timber then as grows on our hills today. The country was open and you could see objects a mile away to much easier than you can now see them a few hundred yards distant. I remember the first house I ever killed. I had gone out to Privilege Creek one time to cut hay, and while there our supply of meat gave out, so I went out to look for a deer, and came upon a big bear. I shot him dead, and we had plenty of meat. Another bear experience that might interest the boys and girls, happened when I had some cattle on the Davenport ranch. I went out there one day to look after them, and while on my way I found an old bear with two very small cubs. I caught one of the cubs and the old bear stood upright and made for me, growling and showing her teeth, but I outran her and got away with the young one. She did not seem inclined to pursue me very far, probably because she was afraid to leave the other cub. I took my cub home with me and raised it to a good size. He became very gentle and afforded me much pleasure and amusement. Sometimes I would turn him loose and he would invariably head for the slop bucket and eat the contents, and often he would climb to the water shelf and sit down in the water bucket. I went off on a trip one day and when I returned I was grieved to find some boys had killed my beloved pet.

"The first Indian raid that occured in this region that I know of took place along about 1854. Charles de Montel had a horse power saw mill, and worked eight or ten horses. A negro named Oliver was the driver. One morning this negro went out to look for the mill horses but could not find them, for the Indians had stolen them and taken them up the river to a point known as White Bluff. As soon as it became known that the Indians had driven them off, Gideon Carter, Irvin Carter, O. B. Miles, Dan Turner, and several others took the trail and started up the river, and when they had gone several miles they met the horses coming back, as they had escaped from the Indians. Turner was left in charge of the horses and the other members of the party pushed on to overtake and chastise the Indians. Some distance further on they espied two Indians coming on the back trail with their heads down, following the horses' tracks. When the Indians saw the white men they dashed off and got into the brush. The white men went on and soon discovered the Indians' camp and made ready to charge it, but a deep gulch prevented them from advancing far, so they had to go around some distance to get to it. The Indians, seeing them approaching, left the camp and went up on a mountain, one of them riding a beautiful white horse, but during the charge which followed the Indian killed that white horse to keep him from falling into the hands of the white men. The Indians made good their escape and the pursuers returned to the camp where they found a bible and some boys' clothing in one of the wigwams. This occurred about twenty-five miles above Bandera.

"I remember when the Duffy hotel was built. It was erected for Mrs. Nicholson, a daughter of Mr. Savery, and the lumber in it was sawed out of heart cypress, cut on the Medina river where the store therein. I recall an amusing incident that occurred in the little store one day. The firm had on sale some canned cherries, which was a new berry to many of the citizens here. Some of the boys called them canned worms, and asked Mr. Duffy, 'Where do we cram 'em?' Mr. Duffy promptly replied, 'Cram them in your mouth.' I greatly miss Hugh Duffy. He was one of the noblest characters I ever met. The many years that I knew him I always found him the same generous, gentle, kind and affable gentleman. Another polished gentleman who came here in those early times was Joseph H. Poor, who came from Portland, Maine. He was a well bred, scholarly gentleman, and had a sheep ranch on Middle Verde. I lived with him for some time, and while I was there the Indians killed two of his herders, an Irishman and whose name I have forgotten and a German named Karl Asmus. Poor owned several negroes, and before the Civil War he was shot by one of the freed negroes named Dave, and came near dying from his wounds. Andrew Mansfield and myself, when we heard of the shooting, went over there and attended Poor, who finally recovered. The negro was tried for attempt to murder, but for lack of sufficient evidence to convict he was acquitted. Poor later went back to Maine and died there some years afterward.

"O. B. Miles was another early settler here who was one of my good friends. He was in my regiment in the Mexican War but we were not in the same company. Mr. Miles, like myself, was born in New York state. He lived for awhile over on the Guadalupe near Comfort, and moved his family to Bandera in 1853, and became chief justice here when the county was organized in 1857. The first term of court was held in a little building in the western part of town.

"Bandera has many rugging creeks which flow into the Medina river. It may be interesting to know how some of these creeks were named. When the first three families, Saner, Millstead and Odem, came here from Boerne in 1852, they moved in wagons drawn by oxen. They crossed a little stream which they called Red Bluff Creek because of the reddish color of its steep bank. They camped on another little stream, and while there Odem lost his pipe. Since that time that stream has been called Pipe Creek. The journeyed forward and came to another gurgling brooklet where the prospect was so pleasing and the landscape so inviting Odem was heard to say that he would 'lay his pre-emption there with the privilege of lifting it' if they found better land further on. That was ever afterward called Privilege Creek. Bandera Creek was then called because it had its source near Bandera Pass. Mason Creek was at one time called Wolf Creek. Millstead killed a doe on a little branch and it was named Doe Creek, and a dry run nearby was called Mud Creek. Winan's Creek, Hicks' Creek, Laxson's Creek, Brewington's Creek, and Williams' Creek was named for first settlers; Wallace Creek was so named because Big Foot Wallace at one time owned land there. Rocky Creek was rightly named. Julian (pronounced Hool-yan) is a Mexican name, as is also Verde. In that language 'verde' means green. There are many streams in the county that I do not recall how they were named.

"A great many tragedies have been enacted during the time I have lived here, and to recount them all would require a book several times the size of this volume. There were murders committed by the Indians, and killings by white people. A man named Barnes, who lived on the Bonito, disappeared sometime during the sixties. It was believed at the time that he was murdered and his body burned.

"One time, in 1856, when I was returning from a trip to San Antonio with Dr. Thompson and John Kindla, we were attacked by robbers at night while we slept. Dr. Thompson was killed outright, and Mr. Kindla was so badly injured he never recovered, and died some years later from his wounds. I was badly battered up, and rendered unconscious for several hours, and I still carry the scars on my head. An old rusty gun was the weapon used. When I came to myself the next morning I managed to get the oxen yoked to the wagon, and assisted Kindla into it, and we made our way to the only house between San Antonio and Bandera, where we were given aid. We were then taken to San Antonio and I spent some time in a hospital there. A party was organized and the robbers were trailed to San Antonio, where a battle ensued in which Phil Sroupe, the city marshal, and one of the robbers were killed. While I am very active and in good health now, I believe the injuries sustained in this murderous attack weakened my constitution to some extent and greatly impaired my hearing.

"I remember when the camels were brought to Camp Verde, and how the government expected to use them to transport dispatches across the desert to El Paso and to other posts. I worked with those camels for fourteen months, 1859-1860, and as a relic of those days I still have in my possession two pillows made from camel's hair. The camels are gone, and but one of the buildings at old Camp Verde remains standing."

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We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who were so kind to us in our great sorrow over the death of our beloved husband and father, Amasa Clark. Especially do we wish to thank Col. John C. McArthur of Fort Sam Houston, and Wm. B. Krempkau of the Pioneer Freighters Association for floral offerings sent, and for the beautiful floral offerings at the funeral. Particularly do we wish to thank Mr. Hunter for his many kindnesses and the good deeds he performed for our dear father during his life time. May God's blessings rest upon you Mr. Hunter is our prayer.

MRS. AMASA CLARK AND FAMILY.

Miss Minnie Mae Mandola entertained with a delightful dance last Saturday evening.

A. Mumau and Frank Billings were in San Antonio Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Housch, of Laredo, were here this week on a visit to Mrs. Housch's parents, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

Col. Walter Godkin, and daughter, Miss Juanita, were up from Spicewood Springs Ranch Monday, and called to leave an order for some printing.

A. K. Beggs and James Emerson, of the Bandera High School faculty, went to San Antonio Saturday where Prof. Emerson remained for treatment by an eye specialist.

Ed. F. Heinen was in town yesterday. He recently suffered a severe spell of illness and for a few days was in a serious condition, but has now fully recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Watkins, and Mrs. Long, of San Antonio were here Monday on their way to Medina to attend an oyster supper Monday night, given by Mountain Council Security Benefit Association.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Evans, Lieutenant and Mrs. John L. Hill of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Clark of Charlotte, were here Saturday to attend the funeral of Veteran Amasa Clark. Mrs. Evans remained over this week with her mother, Mrs. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Paris and son, Gradon, went to San Antonio Monday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Etta Balborn, who had the misfortune to fall and break her leg a few days ago. They found her getting along well, but Mr. Paris says it will be some time before she will be able to walk without crutches. They returned home Tuesday.

Clyde Elam and Lee Walker were here from Medina Monday.

Mrs. T. A. Laxon, who was critically ill last week, is now on the road to recovery.

George Tower, or San Antonio, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Gid Lane, and family.

Captain Leopold Haby and his son, Arnold Haby, were up from Medina Lake Friday on business.

Little Miss Edith North celebrated her 12th birthday with a delightful party at her home last Saturday.

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W. E. Mansfield went to San Antonio Sunday to visit M. R. Thalmann, who is under treatment of a specialist in that city.

W. D. Smithers and N. H. Rose, the photographers, were here from San Antonio Saturday to attend the funeral of Veteran Amasa Clark.

Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Sr., has our thanks for a generous supply of excellent turnips which she left at the editor's home last Thursday.

The euiter and his son, Marvin Hunter, Jr., will leave today for Austin to attend the midwinter meeting of the Texas Press Association.

Old Time Dance Saturday night, Feb. 5, at the hall in Mansfield Park. Old time music and an old time good time. Everybody invited.

Neill Coulter and Polk Palmer, of Medina, were here Saturday and called to renew the New Era subscription of Mr. Palmer's father, D. S. Palmer.

T. H. Phillips, prominent citizen of the Lima region, was a business visitor in Bandera last Friday, and while in the city paid this office an appreciated call.

Col. M. L. Crimmins, U. S. A. Retired, came up from San Antonio Saturday to attend the funeral of Veteran Amasa Clark. Colonel Crimmins paid the New Era office a visit while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Tumlinson, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Collie, of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Selby of Charlotte, were here Saturday to attend the funeral of their grandfather, Veteran Amasa Clark.

E. J. Lamkin, advance man for the King-Thomas theatrical troupe, spent several days in Bandera the past week. Mr. Lamkin is a genial scout, and we were glad for him to make himself perfectly at home around this print shop.

Misses Mary Keese and Sue Carpenter, were here from Medina Saturday. Miss Keese is one of the efficient teachers in Lima school, and informed us that her pupils are all making good progress. She ordered the New Era for her sister, Mrs. Oscar Hillman, at Alpine, Texas.

Messrs. Wm. B. Krempkau, Jim Mills, Capt. B. S. Schmidt, J. C. Clinkscales, and J. T. Boehme, members of the Pioneer Freighters' Association, were here from San Antonio Saturday to attend the funeral of Veteran Amasa Clark. They paid this office an appreciated visit while in the city.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

Among the beautiful floral offerings sent in for the funeral of Veteran Amasa Clark were wreaths from the Pioneer Freighters' Association, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and from the Third Infantry U. S. A. at Fort Snelling, Minnesota. Mr. Clark was a member of the Third Infantry during his service in the Mexican War.

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CAPT. CHARLES SCHREINER DIED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Captain Charles Schreiner, pioneer and philanthropist, died yesterday at his home in Kerrville, after an illness of several months. When news was flashed over the wires to Bandera that this venerable pioneer had passed away it caused sadness throughout this section, for he was known to nearly all of the people of this county.

Captain Schreiner was born in the little village of Riquewihr, France, February 22, 1838, and was therefore approaching the 89th anniversary of his birth when called by Death. The town wherein he was born was in the province of Alsace, at that time a department of France, later a part of Germany, and as an outcome of the World War was again restored to the mother country. In 1852, he came to America with his parents, Gustave Adolphe Schreiner and Charlotte Schreiner, and settled in Texas. He was then a lad of 13 years. At the age of 15 he joined a company of Texas Rangers and served with credit until 1857, protecting life and property on the frontier. Meantime he married and located a ranch on Turtle Creek. For four years he lived a life of toil and struggle against the elements of chance in a country so new that there was no precedent to follow. When the war between the states broke out in 1861 he enlisted in the Confederate army and served through the entire period of that war, and when the Stars and Bars were furled he returned to the little ranch and to his wife and one son who had kept the home fires burning in Kerr County. During his absence the Indians had practically destroyed the small flocks he left grazing, but he began again and for four years struggled on.

Kerrville having grown from a shingle camp, Capt. Schreiner saw possibilities of the village as a place for business, so in 1869 the firm of Charles Schreiner was started, a store being opened in a little cypress board building 16x18 feet. Ten years later Captain Schreiner bought his partner's business and conducted it alone, and the business grew and grew to its present proportions, the Charles Schreiner Company today doing a business of more than a half million dollars annually.

Captain Schreiner served as county and district clerk for Kerr county one of the Pioneer Texans who left their homes in Germany and settled in Texas, and then elected county treasurer, which office he held for thirty consecutive years, until business compelled him to resign.

He was truly a constructive force in this portion of Texas. Farmers and ranchmen all over West Texas owe their start in business to him, for he was ever ready to help those who deserved assistance, and in building along constructive lines he was never backward, but always took the lead. The city of Kerrville, a prosperous, hustling town of some ten thousand souls, owes its very existence to Captain Schreiner.

He was a philanthropist, and among his unnumbered beneficences, he began many years ago to give each year two scholarships to graduates of Tivy High School in Kerrville. These were for a two-year course in any school of the receiver's choice, with all expenses paid.

In 1916 he set aside a quarter of a million dollars and 140 acres of land to establish a Presbyterian school for boys and young men at Kerrville, to be known as the Schreiner Institute. The school has been in successful operation for nearly four years and is rated as one of the best in the state.

He has made gifts of more than a quarter of a million dollars toward building roads in his county, some of which were paved. He donated $50,000 toward a high school building in Kerrville in this county, and in 1920 he gave 550 acres of land near Kerrville as a site for the great American Legion Hospital for tubercular ex-service men. He also gave the Scout Hospital to the city of Kerrville.

In his passing this section loses its greatest benefactor. He knew the country and its needs, and he was ever ready to respond when called upon to lend his aid toward the development of the country.

Peace to his great soul.

Doing Good Work.

County Commissioner R. C. Boales is doing some good road work at Seco Pass, putting that portion of the Bandera-Utopia road in splendid condition. He has had a crew of hands working there for several days.

Splendid Rains.

Copious rains have fallen throughout this section during the past week. The precipitation yesterday was unusually heavy, and caused the creeks and rivers to rise.

Read Frontier Times.

Bill to Amend Dean Law.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 8.—Representative P. L. Anderson's bill amending the Dean law so that the first two offenses would be considered misdemeanors and the third a felony, was reported favorably by the Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence Tuesday morning. There was only one dissenting vote.

The bill changes the State law so that it corresponds with the Federal law on liquor violations, providing a fine for the first two offenses and confinement in the penitentiary for from two to five years upon conviction in the third offense.

At the Picture Show.

The picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater Friday night will be "Night Life in New York," featuring Rod LaRoque, Dorothy Gish, and Ernest Torrence. This is quite a thriller and you will enjoy it from start to finish. The usual two reel comedy will also be shown.

Making Good Showing.

The Waller test well at Center Point went into heavy oil sand Thursday at a depth of 1,005 feet, and a good showing of gas and oil was found. Drilling goes ahead at the rate of 40 feet a day, setting betty daily. Salt water was encountered at a depth of 964 feet.

Dale and Moore Expelled.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 8.—After voting to expel F. A. Dale of Fashin County and H. H. Moore of Delta County for accepting an allegal bribe, the House of Representatives stifled a move to appoint an investigating committee to inquire into the activity of W. W. Chamberlin, lobbyist, of Houston, with whom the accused men are said to have agreed to the proposition.

Immediately on disposal of the charges against Dale and Moore, C. T. Sheats of Robertson County offered a privileged resolution asking appointment of a committee of nine to investigate Chamberlin, with reference to his appeal to the Optometrist Association of Texas for $100 a day expenses with which to entertain the Legislature.

On motion of Lee Satterwhite of Potter County it was referred to the committee on State Affairs. The vote was 94 to 26 to refer.

After Satterwhite had made his motion to refer to the Committee on State Affairs, R. H. Boland of Harris County peculiarly proposed sending it to "the Committee on Liquor Traffic."

The vote to expel Dale came at 9:40 o'clock, following nearly two hours' debate. Twenty minutes later Moore was expelled.

The vote on expulsion of Dale

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Monument to Amasa Clark.

A movement has already been started toward raising a fund to erect a monument in Bandera to the late lamented Veteran Amasa Clark. Bandera County's first settler. Mr. Clark died only two weeks ago, at the ripe old age of 101 years. Seventy-five of those years he spent in Bandera county, having come here in 1852. It is only right and proper that we should contribute of our means toward the purchase of a suitable monument to his memory. This monument will be placed on our court house square, near the monument erected last year to perpetuate the memory of the Bandera county boys who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War. Wm. B. Krempkau, secretary of the Pioneer Freighters' Association, of which Veteran Clark was honorary vice-president, has started the movement to raise funds in San Antonio for this purpose, and the New Era editor will receive funds here. Those who will do so kindly requested to send in their subscriptions to the monument, or advise us how much they will give toward the project. Any amount from $1.00 up will be acceptable. The list of subscriptions will be published from time to time in the New Era. It is hoped to secure the subscriptions and erect the monument by the 3rd of September, the 102nd anniversary of Veteran Clark's birth.

Entertainment at Pipe Creek.

The Mistletoe Creamery of San Antonio will put on a good entertainment—vodeville and musical—Saturday night, February 12th, at the Pipe Creek school house. Admission 25c and 15c. Seventy-five per cent of the proceeds will go to the school. You are invited to attend.

A Welcome Visitor.

Miss Madge Head, of Stewartsville, Mo., arrived last Monday on a visit to her cousin, Col. J. A. Head, of this city. Col. Head and Mrs. R. A. Thompson met her in San Antonio, and brought her to Bandera. This is Miss Head's first visit to this section, and we are sure she is delighted with the wonderful Hill Country. She is a regular reader of the New Era and natually feels that she is not a stranger among us. We hope she will prolong her stay here for some time, and when she returns home she will carry with her the kindest friendship for Bandera which will induce her to come back to Bandera some day. On her trip she spent one week with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Langford at Mooringsport, La., Mrs. Maxine Head at Beaumont, and Mrs. Eugene Black at Ganado, Texas.

Coming Back to Bandera.

It will be pleasing news to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hamilton, who left here about twenty-five years ago to locate in New Mexico, to learn that these good people will shortly return to Bandera to reside. We are informed that they have leased their ranch in that state and are expected to reach Bandera within the next two or three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton came to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion here last July, and they then decided to return to the old home county to again cast their lot among the many warm friends they have here.

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Building New Line.

The Southwestern Telephone Company has a crew of hands engaged in building a new copper metalic circuit between Bandera and Boerne to connect with the main line from San Antonio to San Angelo. New creosoted posts are being set, and wires strung, under supervision of Mr. Moore, the line foreman, and it is expected that the remodeling of the line will be finished by the end of this week, thus giving Bandera direct connection with all of the Southwestern lines and assuring the public of most excellent service.

Entertains Epworth League.

Miss Ola Eckhart entertained the Epworth League and their friends last Friday evening at the lovely ranch home of Mrs. John Eckhart on East Verde. A unique feature of the evening was the modeling of miniature animals out of chewing gum by each one present. The results showed some real artistic ability in modeling. Contests proved of great interest and games were played. In the literary and historical contest Mr and Mrs. Oscar Perner scored highest, while David Brewer and Mrs. Manning were successful in capturing the booby. Cake and cocoa were served, and at a late hour the guests departed declaring they had spent a most delightful evening.

Entertained at Camp House.

Mrs. Fred Barr, of San Antonio, entertained quite a number of friends at her camp house at the English Crossing last Sunday. A splendid chicken dinner was served, and interesting games were played. The house party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Harcourt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Tindall, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maddock, Mrs. F. Joe Barr and daughter, Frances Irene, Mrs. D. Gilchero, Mrs. M. Taylor, Mrs. E. Cook and family, Mrs. S. S. Luckett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crist, Mrs. Sharpert, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Clinkscales, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Haynes, Mrs. Rhomer and daughter, Miss Cora Weinert, Mrs. Wilkerson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Crist.

Notice of Meeting.

A meeting of the directors of the Bandera County Interscholastic League Meet will be held at Bandera High School building, Saturday, Feb. 12. All directors and heads of schools urged to attend.—A. K. BRIGGS, Director General

Do you read Frontier Times?

LIMA LINES.

N. N. Mayberry has been seriously ill but we are very glad to report him better.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sutton last Friday night.

Miss Lucindia Hillman was the guest of Miss Joyce Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Keese have moved to their new home just completed on Brewington Creek.

Penn Fidley and Virgule Johnson celebrated their birthdays last Thursday night in a very enjoyable way. A nice supper spras spread at which several guests were present.

Miss Alta Evans and Miss Lattie Miller visited Miss Sue Evelyn Click Sunday.

Mrs. Dock Evans has been very sick, but we are glad to report her improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker Jr., and infant of Kerrville and Mrs. John Walker, Sr., of Bluff, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perner, of Del Rio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rieber Monday.

Miss Ruby Hillman visited her grandmother, Mrs. Coose, Sunday.

Eye Removed.

The many friends of M. R. Thalmann will regret to hear that it became necessary to remove one of his eyes, at San Antonio one day last week. Mr. Thalmann has been under treatment by specialists in that city for quite awhile. We understand he will be brought home some time this week.

Coming Home on a Visit.

Mrs. Harriet Chipman informs us that her son, Tom Chipman, who resides in California, will soon arrive here on a visit. Tom has been in California for the past several years and is doing well there. His many old time friends in Bandera will give him a hearty welcome when he arrives here. Mrs. Chipman will probably accompany him back to California for a visit of several months.

Undergoes An Operation.

Mrs. H. J. Hermes, Sr., of Tarpley, was rushed to a hospital in San Antonio where she underwent an operation Sunday night. Her condition is reported as serious, and her many friends anxiously and hopefully await news that all danger is past and that she will make good recovery.

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One of the most deserving institutions in this state is the School for the Deaf, located at Austin. The New Era editor spent last Friday afternoon at this school, as a guest of the management and students, we were shown through the various departments where the deaf and dumb boys and girls are receiving splendid training in various arts and trades. We found children in that school from six years to eighteen years old, bright-eyed, happy girls and boys who apply themselves to their studies with a zest that indicates that each one of them is determined to succeed in overcoming the great obstacle which is such a great handicap. We saw paintings, drawings, fancy work, sewing, cabinet work, printing, and many other things which had been done by the pupils of all ages, and it was all splendid. We visited the class rooms and saw the patient teachers instructing these boys and girls, teaching them orally and in written exercises, and we wondered and wondered how they could ever succeed in getting those little folks to understand just what is wanted, but when we consider that the deaf mute is usually of extraordinary intelligence and quick to grasp the lesson the solution is simple. Two very remarkable young ladies attracted our attention. They were blind, deaf and dumb, but they can operate a typewriter, sew, and do many other extraordinary things which is difficult for some people with two good eyes and the power of speech to accomplish. Dr. Scott, superintendent of the school, and Dr. Buchanan, his able assistant, were very courteous to the delegation of newspaper men who visited the school last Friday, and arranged a very pretty program by the students for our entertainment, which included a buffet dinner, music and drills. Those who visit Austin should not miss the opportunity to visit the State School for the Deaf, for it is well worth seeing.

John McNaughton and little daughter, of Medina, were seen in Bandera Monday.

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Charged With Bribery.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 2.—Representatives P. A. Dale of Bonham and H. H. Moore of Cooper were charged Wednesday night in Justice of the Peace Frank R. Tannehill's court with accepting a bribe of $1,000 in marked bills to influence pending legislation.

Former Ranger Capt. Frank Hamer signed the complaint against Dale, while Ranger Capt. Tom Hickman signed the complaint against Moore.

Both men were released on $2,000 bond each shortly before 11 o'clock Wednesday night. Bonds were signed by T. H. McGregor, former Senator and Representative Cecil Story of Vernon, Sam E. Bateman and W. H. Ratliff.

The complaints set forth that Willie Chamberlain gave them the money.

Dale was arrested when he started to walk into a local hotel lobby. He is alleged to have been handed a roll of bills amounting to $1,000 in an alley by the hotel. Ranger Capt. Hamer took $1,000 from Dale in bills of various denominations.

Moore was arrested in his room in the hotel.

Hamer said he and Hickman saw the money handed to Dale and arrested him immediately. They then went to Moore's hotel room and arrested him. Moore, who continually protested he didn't know what it was all about was lying on the bed in his hotel room when he was arrested, Hamer said. Hamer declined to say exactly what evidence he will attempt to introduce against Moore.

Hamer turned the money over to Sheriff Horace Burleson. There was no explanation as to how the money became "marked."

Justice of the Peace Frank Tannehill was notified and went to his office to obtain forms on which to draw the charges. Meanwhile the representatives sat in the sheriff's office and laughed and chatted with officers who had arrested them.

Chamberlain is said to be an optometrist of Houston.

Moore's bill, seeking to place a $50 license tax on stationary optometrists, the same tax that now is placed on itinerant optometrists, was scheduled for hearing Wednesday night before the House committee on Revenue and Taxation and the committee waited for a time for Moore to appear.

The complaints filed charge Dale and Moore, while "active members of the 40th Legislature, accepted a bribe of $1,000 with the intent then and there to influence legislation pending before the Legislature with the further intent to support and influence a certain committee to make a report on a certain bill and purported law."

Mrs. Lucy Chaney Dead.

Many of the old time citizens of Bandera knew Mrs. Lucy Chaney who lived here many years ago. She was an aunt to Mrs. J. A. Head, and when she and her husband came to Bandera in 1875, Mrs. Head, then a girl, came with them and lived with them. A few days ago Mrs. Head received word from relatives at Gates, Tennessee, conveying the sad intelligence that Mrs. Chaney died there on the 4th of last April, 1926, of spinal meningitis. Mr. and Mrs. David Chaney left Bandera in 1888, going to Tennessee. The belated news of this good woman's death will be received with sadness by her many friends in Bandera.

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Rush Forest, of Fort Arthur, was a Bandera visitor Monday.

Married at Boerne.

Miss Rosa Adamietz and Theodor Laskowski were married at Boerne last Thursday. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Louis Adamietz of this city, and the groom is a son of Felix Laskowski, who lives near town. These are excellent young people and the New Era joins their many friends in wishing them happiness and prosperity through life.

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For years, the savings provided by great volume have been devoted to the enrichment of Buick value.

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The State of Texas

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

Whereas, on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1927, John F. Bennett, administrator of the estate of E. L. Bennett, deceased, filed in this County Court of Bandera County his application for the partition and distribution of said estate, and alleging that said F. F. Bennett, Jayne County, Texas, G. L. Bennett, L. A. Bennett and Mrs. Earsie Reeves of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-seventh share of said estate and that Hobby Bennett, Amos Bennett and J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama, and Miss Mallessa Bennett, non compos mentis, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama are each entitled to a one fourteenth share of said estate and that Doris Stough, Juanitta Stough and Sim Tom Stough, minors, whose guardian is John Stough, of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-twenty-one share of said estate; that the guardian of Miss Mallessa Bennett is J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama.

Therefore you are hereby commanded to summon and require the said parties above named and all persons interested in said estate, to be and appear before the said County Court at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the courthouse of said Bandera County, in Bandera, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April, A. D. 1927, then and there to show cause why said partition and distribution should not be made.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: ——— MRS. MARK McBRYDE, Clerk of the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Bandera this 5th day of February, A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE, Clerk of the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

TARPLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren and Mr. North of San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Glass the past week.

John Graham and family are here from Sabinal. Mrs. Graham went to San Antonio to be at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Odo Hermes, who is very sick.

Mrs. Henry Hermes, Sr. was taken to San Antonio to a hospital, Sunday to undergo an operation.

Miss Marguerite Fries had as her guests Sunday, Miss Annie Cravey, Bill Winn and Edgar Sprott, all of Tarpley.

Miss Thelma Richards the primary teacher in the Tarpley school was quite sick last week with the flu. Her place was taken in the school room by Miss Annie Cravey. She is doing fine now and was able to resume her duties in the school room Monday. We all hope she will soon be strong and feel good as ever.

Miss Marguerite Fries is spending a few days with Miss Thelma Richards.

Putting On a Big Sale.

The W. A. Fawcett Furniture Co. at Kerrville announces a big clearance sale at their establishment beginning February 19th and continuing eight days. The Fawcett Company is one of the largest furniture establishments in this section, and the bargains they will offer during the sale will more than pay you to travel many miles to visit their store. See advertisement in this issue.

B. H. Stokes and Ed Bauerlein, of Medina were here Tuesday on business, and while in the city Mr. Stokes called and contracted for space in the New Era to tell the people that he is always ready to serve them in the line of general merchandise. His ad will be found elsewhere in this issue. Mr. Stokes is a hustler and during the past three years he has built up a most flattering trade for his store at Medina.

To all Stockmen.

I have been in the stock business for thirty years and have handled all classes of stock. During these years I have experimented with stock medicines of different kinds for the reduction of the percentage of stock loss from Screw-worms. At last I have discovered a powder for use on cuts and wounds, which is both a preventative and a healer. I have used this powder on cattle, sheep, goats, horses, and even dogs, with complete success. It will thoroughly dry, any cut or fresh wound in four hours. It will stop bleeding and will prevent and remove proud flesh. It will positively not injure or leave any oil or dirt on the fleece of any goat or sheep.

In case of a broken horn, you all know that a heavy hemorrhage results, merely cover the horn with this powder which will stop the hemorrhage in a few minutes, then cover the horn with naught until no blood shows through the powder. This one application is all that is necessary unless the scab is removed by brush or some obstacle, or washed off, or dipped off by water, which is almost impossible after four hours. I do not know of any other remedy in the world that will cure a broken horn in one application except this powder.

As to foot-rot it is far superior to anymedicine I ever heard of, it is so much of a success in cases of foot-rot as could possibly be. It will cure cases of foot-rot in a fourth of the time required by other remedies.

This powder is intended as a shearing powder to be applied on all fresh cuts. If the cuts are thoroughly covered, it will absolutely protect screw-worms. This powder is not recommended to kill screw-worms. It is recommended to follow after the worms have been killed in old wounds, with any screw worm killer you choose, and it will heal the wound faster than any medicine on the market. You may have to repeat as you all know it is hard to cure an old case of screw-worms on one or two applications. This powder will do it's part as a healer when the worms have been killed.

W. F. WILSON,
Montel, Texas.

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Of the Most Beautiful Chevrolet in Chevrolet History

FISH-TAIL MODELING—with a distinctive sweep to rear of the Roadster, Coupe and Sport Cabriolet.

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TIRE CARRIER—recessed free from the body rigidly supported.

In addition to massively new bodies by Fisher and, in addition to a host of mechanical improvements typified by AC oil filter and AC air cleaner—the Most Beautiful Chevrolet offers certain features heretofore regarded as marks of distinction on the costliest cars. These are made possible at Chevrolet's amazingly reduced prices only because volume production results in definite economies and because Chevrolet now, as always, passes these savings on to the buyer in the form of added value.

No other car, as low in price, offers such features as full-cantilever springs, full-pressure, one-piece fenders, bullet-type lamps and the like. Come in—and see for yourself.

Reduced Prices!

The Coach $595 The Landau $745
The Coupe $625 The Touring $525
The Sedan $695 Roadster $525

Bulletin Three Now Standard On All Models
All prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich.

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Read What This Contented Ranchman Says About Rieck Goat Coats

We have about 2500 Goat Coats which have been used on this ranch under my supervision since I have been with the company as foreman. Most of these coats have been used five and six times . . . a few have been repaired . . . but patching is a simple job.

During all this time there have been only 15 or 20 coats discarded as damaged beyond repair. The material retains its strength remarkably well. Only time can disclose the life of a coat and time has shown that it is even longer than your estimate of five seasons.

ROBERT C. CORDER.

Equip your goats now that you may have peace of mind and profit this Spring.

H. W. Rieck Company,
Roosevelt, Texas.
Kindly send me without obligation your booklets on Rieck Goat Coats . . . also your list of testimonials.

Name .....

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H. W. Rieck Company

Roosevelt, Texas

NOTICE

That all leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

Bandera Plumbing and Tin Shop.

We are at home in Bandera again, and will appreciate your order for plumbing and tin work of all kinds. Prices reasonable, and all work guaranteed.—Robt. E. Blunt.

O. S. T. TRUCK LINE

Hauling for the general public. Rates to and from Bandera and San Antonio, 35 cents per 100 pounds. Special rates on grain C. E. Callahan, Phone Pipe Creek.

Notice to the Public.

The Coughran ranch has been taken off the market and all real estate agents are hereby notified that it is withdrawn from their lists.—Coughran Estate.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKandles, of Pipe Creek, were in our town Monday.

Will Filed for Probate.

The last will and testament of Amasa Clark, who died January 27th, was filed for probate this week. The will names Mrs. Lucy Clark, widow of deceased, as sole executrix without bond.

How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsilitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified, and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Just what you please.—m dangerous.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store. (adv)

ANNOUNCING

February Furniture Clearance

Saturday, February 19, to March 1—Eight Days

If you need Furniture—if you are going to need it—don't fail to take advantage of the February Clearance. In this drive for new customers and friends, prices will be greatly reduced on entire stock for eight days, except a few restricted lines.

Cash or Credit

W. A. Fawcett Furniture Co.

"Your Home Should Come First"

KERRVILLE, TEXAS

We Allow the Freight

Baby Chicks

Custom Hatching

This season we are in the position to offer you even better service than we did last year. Our white Leghorn flock was culled for Single Comb White Diarrhea by the Live Stock Sanitary Service. Our Barred Rock flock culled by an approved Poultry Improvement Association of the Texas Baby Chick Association. Our flocks originated from a trap nested flock of 200 hens that laid over 200 eggs a year. We use only pedigreed males from high egg record hens.

We can supply you with chicks from 11 of the most popular breeds. We guarantee these to be Blood Tested. We offer State Accredited Blood tested White Leghorn Chicks for 15 cts. by the hundred. Other breeds accordingly.

Our hatchery has doubled our capacity and can accomodate 24,000 eggs at one time. We do custom Hatching at $4.00 per tray. We can also handle eggs in any quantity. We set eggs Monday and Thursday.

We operate Modern Man-moth Incubators putting us in position to give you a better hatch and stronger healthier chicks. This Is The Largest And Only Hatchery in Bandera County Using All Modern Equipment. And the only one Inspected 3 miles below Kerrville on the Bandera Road.

CHICKS AS GOOD AS THE BEST AND BETTER THAN THE REST

Kerrville Chick Hatchery

E. L. WIEDENFELD

Member Texas Baby Chick Association.

B. F. Pratt and family moved from Medina to Bandera.

Judge Lee Mason visited Turpley Tuesday on official business.

Mrs. B. Duff, reader of the New Era sent in her name. Robert Paris Ice, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stevens went to San Antonio Sunday with Mrs. Stevens' sister, Mrs. H. A. Scruse, Sr., who was taken to a hospital in that city.

Charles Burkett was in town Saturday and called at the New Era office to order out a little old home paper sent to Mrs. Jim Lynch at Fallurrias, Texas.

We have two 1925 Ford touring cars for sale. Newly painted and reconditioned. Priced right. Come and see them.—Mansfield and Blakeney Chevrolet Car Co.

Basket Ball Game.

In the basket ball game played here Tuesday between the Medina and Bandera boys' basket ball teams, the Medina team won by a score of 14 to 10.

O. S. T. TRUCK LINE

Hauling for the general public. Rates to and from Bandera and San Antonio 35 cents per 100 pounds. Special rates on grain C. ½. Callahan, Phone Pipe Creek.

New Era and Frontier Times, together, for only $2.50 per year. Subscribe today.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires We hope all will renew promptly

Paul Moravietz dropped in Monday to order the New Era sent to Mrs. S. J. Wasser, at Ilse, Arizona.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

We have two 32x4 ½ and one 33x4 cord tires on hand which we will sell at cost to clear them out of stock.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Car Co.

Captain Jack Anderson, of Tuff, was here Tuesday night on his way to somewhere, the exactness of his destination to everybody being unknown. We cautioned him against starting out by himself, and offered to send a body-guard with him, but he seemed to think he knew where he was going and declined our offer. We hope he will be able to get back without difficulty.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to its matter will be appreciated.

B. H. Stokes

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

MEDINA, TEXAS

You can save money by buying your dry goods and groceries here. I carry only the best lines, and buy in lots to sell at money-saving prices. In shoes I handle the Edicott-Johnson popular brand, and every pair guaranteed all leather. I buy wool and mohair, and will make advances on same. When you need anything come and see me.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Maurick, February 30th, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart went to San Antonio last Saturday on business.

Mrs. Mattie Jones is spending awhile with her son, W. C. Jones, and wife at Yates, in Kimble county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mumaw left Tuesday for Alice, after spending sometime with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billings.

Mrs. L. L. DeLamure and little son came up Tuesday from San Antonio to spend a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge, Evelyn Davenport and Katherine McBryde went to San Antonio one evening last week to attend a show.

Misses Annie Mae Mansfield, Ruth Kothe, Mrs. Doc Blakeney and baby, went to San Antonio Sunday on a shopping trip. They returned Monday.

Misses Helen and Thelma Darst, Messrs Leslie Smith and Johnny Valane, of San Antonio, were guests of the editor's family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Converse and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Converse, of San Antonio, visited Mr and Mrs. W. R. Thomason near Pipe Creek last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. McNeill, of San Antonio, is a guest at the Riverside Inn for a short time. Mrs. McNeill frequently comes to Bandera for a vacation, and greatly enjoys our delightful surroundings.

Justice court was grinding Tuesday, with Judge Herman Darst presiding. The case on trial, wherein a young man was charged with malicious mischief, resulted in acquittal for the defendant.

Dee Chipman left last Thursday for Edinburg, Texas where he will have charge of Dr. L. J. Montague's citrus fruit farm. He went through in a truck, taking with him a couple of large mules for use on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crist, of Pipe Creek were in the city Monday and paid this office an appreciated visit. They extended a special invitation to the editor and wife to attend a barbecue which is to be given to a number of friends at their ranch some time soon, and promised to let us know in time to whet our appetites for the occasion. We will be there.

W. F. Wilson, of Montell, was here last Thursday making arrangements with Billings & Son to handle his excellent preparation, Wilson's Dryer, which is gaining in popular favor with stockmen throughout this section. This preparation is guaranteed to dry smearing cuts and thus prevent screw worms in stock. He called at this office while here and contracted for advertising space in which to tell our readers about the remedy. From here Mr. Wilson went to Medina, where he arranged with Wm. Hatfield to sell the preparation at that place.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

WANT COLUMN

Want ads are 1 cent per word.

MOORMAN'S CLEAN-SWEEP and GROFAST for sheep and goats. Sold by R. T. Holdeman, Medina, Texas. Independent phone. 0c28tfc

FOR EXCHANGE—50 bred Angora females for young mutton sheep.—Leroy Eckhart, Ja13-2p

FOR SALE—200 bales oat straw, at 2½c per bale.—Mrs. W. M. Pingleton, Independent phone.

SEED POTATOES, Porto Rico Yams, for sale.—Howard Eckhart. 2p

FOR SALE—Well improved river sheep and goat ranch, 3,000 acres, Uvalde county. $8.50 per acre. $12,000 Federal loan Adv. Jones W. H. Carver, Uvalde, Texas. 2tc

MUTTON SHEEP For Sale—Around 100 head; ages from last spring lambs to three years. Are the C. W. Williams Medina Lake Ranch. $5 a round.—I. I. Duke. 2p

VIOLIN FOR SALE—In splendid condition, with bow and case. Price $25. Can be seen at New Era office.

FOR SALE—600-egg Buckeye Incubator, and Buckeye 600 Brooder, 1,000-chick capacity, in good condition. Will sell both at half price.—Ed F. Heinen, Bandera. 2p

LOST, Strayed or Stolen—Forty six head of goats from Fitzgerald ranch. Anyone knowing their whereabouts please notify Marvin Fitzgerald, Independent phone.

WANTED TO LEASE—1200 to 2,000 acres grazing land, in Bandera or adjoining counties. Must be good range for goats and sheep, with plenty of water. Address W. M. McMahon, Medina, Texas.

LOST—Black and white spotted hound; name on collar.—Chas. Britsch.

FOR SALE—50 head of mutton goats, with hair on, at $5.00 per head.—Fritz Eckhart. 2tp

FOR SALE—White Leghorn Baby Chix. Monday, February 15, at fifteen cents each.—Mrs. J. W. Cox.

NOTICE

That all leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

Have your batteries recharged at Mansfield & Blakeney's Garage. We have genuine 13-plate rubber case Ford batteries on hand; they now sell for $12. We also have Hot Shot Batteries in stock.

Dance

AT

COX HALL

Masquerade Ball

Saturday Night, February 12

Ruge's Garage

The Home of Real Service

FIRST CLASS REPAIRING

GENUINE FORD PARTS IN STOCK

Automobile Supplies of All Kinds

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IN KERRVILLE, TEXAS.

Visit with us and see our display in our new Sales Building. Let us be Service your car in our modern Service Shop; drive in and have your car filled up at our Drive-In Filling Station.

It has been our constant heed to always deserve your confidence.

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Fresh Meats of All Kinds

Try the Famous Schoenert Sausage. Free Delivery to all parts of the city. A share of your trade will be appreciated.

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All Kinds Garage Work

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Bandera Theater

Friday Night, February 11th

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NEXT WEEK:

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MEDINA

Mrs. Sara Dobler, of Dallas, spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. E. H. Sewall, and family.

Mrs. P. A. Kelly has returned from a visit to relatives at Uvalde.

Mrs. J. E. Kirkland and little grand-daughter, Foy Louise, have returned from a visit to Port Arthur and Houston.

Ernest McFarland is visiting relatives and friends here.

Rev. B. J. Gossett, of Bandera, and Rev. and Mrs. M. P. Burton, of Fredonia visited in Medina last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and children spent last week-end with Alfred Walker and sisters.

Wm. Hatfield and Rev. F. M. Backelew made a business trip to Kerrville Tuesday.

A large number of people from Medina are attending court at Kerrville this week.

TARPLEY.

Rev. Gossett preached a fine sermon last Sunday afternoon to an interested crowd.

Mrs. R. F. Willis has returned from a visit to Mason county.

We are sorry to report Mrs. J. J. Leighton not improving so fast.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holt, Jr. are the proud parents of a baby girl, Hazel.

It is reported some of our substantial Tarpley men are planning on grading the Tarpley and Bandera road. We hope they will quit planning and get to work. The road will soon be impassible. If it keep's a rain. Anyway the road needs grading. Jim Glass is building an addition to his store.

A. A. Jeffers has been sick with flu, but is up and about again.

E. E. Coughran was over last week from Leakey.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Riley Jr., Mrs. Walter Silvers and children Neva and Bernice, were in Bandera last Saturday. Mrs. Riley was called over there by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Claud Burns.

Mr and Mrs. L. Hicks went over to attend the funeral of Mr. Hicks' little nephew, the infant of Mr. and Mrs. Julious Hicks, who died Monday at Utopia.

Fawcett's Big Sale.

In this issue will be found the advertisement of the W. A. Fawcett Furniture Co. of Kerrville, announcing a big Clearing Sale, beginning February 19, and ending March 1. In this sale you will be able to secure rare bargains in furnishings for your home, and it will pay you to take advantage of them.

LIMA LINES.

Jim Kress, who has been working in Port Arthur, has returned home and is now working in Kerrville.

Mrs. Lew Miller and children, Miss Pearl Miller, Miss Dora Phillips and Artie Shipman were guests of Mrs. John Reed Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reed and children spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale.

Mrs. A. Keese and O. D. Keese are attending court in Kerrville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed and little son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds Sunday.

Davis Miller and Frank Jones of Fredericksburg visited relatives last week-end.

Miss Ruby Hillman was given a surprise Valentine party last Saturday night. A very large crowd was present and every one enjoyed the occasion very much.

Celebrates 84th Birthday.

Grandma Riley of Tarpley celebrated her 84th birthday on Sunday, February 6th. Many friends and relatives gave her a delightful surprise. Her daughter, Mrs. Pauly Silvers, and grandaughter, Mrs. Charles Schreiner, Mrs. Edith Jeffers cooked a fine cake of pink and white, adorned it with 84 pink and white candles, for the occasion. Only relatives were present to wish the good old mother many happy returns of the day and express her all good wishes and congratulations. There were Mr. and Mrs. George Riley, Sr. Mrs. Patsy Silvers, Neva Silvers, Walter Silvers, Roland Silvers, Willard Silvers, Bernice Silvers, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Riley, Jr., children and grandchildren, and great grandchildren. Rose Ethel and Loyd Jeffers. She received many nice useful presents.

Grandma Riley is the mother of nine children, seven of whom are living. She has about seventy-five grandchildren and twenty-five great grandchildren. She came to Bandera county forty-two years ago, and has lived in Bandera and Tarpley ever since. The New Era joins her best of friends in congratulations and we hope she will be spared for many more happy years to bless her family.

Old Time Dance.

W. E. Mansfield announces an old time dance at the hall in Mansfield Park on Tuesday night, March 1. Old time dance music, and all around old time good times. Everybody invited to come and enjoy themselves.

In Unity There Is Strength

Market Your Wool and Mohair Through the

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BANDERA, TEXAS

Organized and Operated by the Growers for the Growers

Charles Schreiner Memorial

A mammoth memorial service, to which the people of all Texas and particularly those residing in the Hill Country have been invited, will be held in Kerrville on February 22, honoring the memory of Captain Charles Schreiner, pioneer and philanthropist, who died at his home in that city last week.

The special service will be held in the gymnasium at Schreiner Institute, Tuesday, February 22, starting at 2 p. m. That date is the birthday anniversary of the departed leader. Had he lived two weeks longer, Captain Schreiner would have celebrated his 80th anniversary.

In future years the people of Kerrville will honor the memory of two great leaders on February 22, one the Father of His Country and the other the "Father of the Hill Country."

The memorial service will be presided over by Rev. W. P. Dickey, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

The principal speaker on this program will be Dr. Arthur G. Jones of Austin, an eminent preacher and a friend of the Schreiner family for a number of years.

Hon. Jake R. Stevenson of Junction will deliver an address on "What Captain Schreiner Did for the West Texas Bankmen."

Ally Reed of Kerrville will sing.

Pat Forest Case on Trial.

Eleven jurors had been selected Tuesday in the trial of Pat Forest, who is charged by indictment with the murder of W. A. Gray near Medina last August, when a special venire of 89 men was exhausted. The case was transferred on a change of venue to Kerrville from Bandera.

The special venire was examined at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, at which time Judge L. J. Brucks adjourned court until 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. He ordered a special venire of twelve men summoned. Wednesday morning when court reumed, the twelfth juror was selected in the person of Guy Holoman, farmer and taking of testimony was begun. E. H. Frericks, a deputy sheriff of Hondo, was the first witness on the stand and when court recessed for noon yesterady Mr. Frericks was testifying.

A motion for continuance made by attorneys for the defense on the grounds that Will McBee, an important defense witness, was missing was overruled. After overruling the motion Judge Brucks fined the missing witness $100 and lashed an attachment for him.

In examining the veniremen the defense used 13 of its challenges, the state 10.

William Ward, farmer of Ingram, was the first juror accepted. Other jurors are Ferdinand Tatsch, ranchman, Reservation; Robert Spenrath, farmer, Center; August Hauffler, farmer, Comfort; Hugo Arens, ranchman, Kerrville; T. J. Parks, ranchman, Ingram; W. H. Furr, farmer, Hunt; A. G. Platte, auto salesman, Kerrville; R. M. Hagens, farmer, Kerrville; Will Ridgeway, ranchman, Kerrville, Walter Clark, farmer, Hunt; and Guy Holoman, farmer, Kerrville.

The trial of Forest was transferred to Kerrville from Bandera by Judge Brucks, who also presided over the trial at Bandera, refused a motion of the defense for a change of venue, when the case came to trial on November 29, 1926, but later transferred it on his own motion.

The battered body of Gray was found near Medina City, 13 miles from Bandera, on August 22. Forest was arrested near the scene.

The indictment against him charged that he had killed Gray by kicking him with his feet and running his automobile across the prostrate body.

At the time of the killing, Gray was driving a bus between San Antonio and Medina. He resided in San Antonio, but had resided in Bandera for many years, where he was well and favorably known.

Much interest is being taken in the case here, the defendant having been born and raised in this county and is quite well known. It is expected that the trial will consume most of this week.

Dance Postponed.

The dance which was to have been given at the home of John H. Ross, on Friday night, February 18, has been postponed indefinitely.

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Greatest Year in Its History

The Chevrolet Motor Company, world's largest producer of gear-shift cars, is preparing for the greatest year in its history, according to Frank H. Mansfield who has returned from Dallas, where he attended a convention of more than 1,000 Chevrolet dealers. The meeting was the eighth of a series of 21 meetings that are to be held this winter from coast to coast.

Enthusiasm over the Chevrolet outlook for the year and the wide spread popularity of cars was evident everywhere. Dealers from all quarters joined in the opinion that the current year will surpass 1926 when Chevrolet established a record in this territory.

R. H. Grant, Vice-President and General Sales Manager, of the Chevrolet Motor Company, presided at the business session in the Pantages Theater in the afternoon and served as toastmaster at the banquet in the Adolphus Hotel in the evening of February 14th.

Under Mr. Grant's direction, Chevrolet's tremendous sales plans for 1927 were outlined to the dealers and illustrated in the form of playlets. Assisting Mr. Grant in the conduct of the meeting were: H. J. Klingler, Assistant General Sales Manager, D. E. Ralston, Regional Sales Manager, Felix Doran, Jr., Dallas Zone Sales Manager, C. E. O'Meara, Houston Zone Sales Manager, and W. P. Doyle, Oklahoma City Zone Sales Manager; and the following officials from the main office in Detroit: R. K. White, D. G. Frazer, Sidney Corbett, W. G. Lewellen, C. R. Sudmann, Wm. A. Bless, E. A. Nunsight, and Wm. Holler.

Mr. Mansfield declared that the Chevrolet Motor Company is providing its dealer organization with the highest type of advertising and sales co-operation. Following the meeting the dealers were guests of the company at a banquet in the Adolphus Motel, in Dallas.

At the Picture Show.

Friday night, at the Bandera Theater, will be shown that intensely interesting picture, "The Street of Forgotten Men," as well as the two-reel comedy. Manager Don McMains is certainly bringing on some splendid pictures at this time, and the one to be shown tomorrow night will be as good as the best he has shown. He informs us that on Friday night, February 25, he will show that wonderful production, "The Vanishing American," which is Zane Grey's masterpiece."

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Kuehne Selling Out.

The Kuehne Hardware Co. at Boerne, had a whole page ad in the New Era this week, announcing a closing out sale on their big hardware stock, in order to make room for the big stock of Chevrolet Cars, which the Kuehne Chevrolet Co. will handle in the future. The big sale will be the only one week, during which time the firm expects to clean out entirely all of their hardware. See the bargains offered in the big advertisement.

Commissioners' Court in Session.

Commissioners' Court is in session this week, this being the regular February term. A volume of routine business is being disposed of, the proceedings of which will be published in the New Era next week.

Hounds Trail Fence Cutter

Deputy Sheriff Sam James' manhalling hounds ran down a man charged with fence cutting in Medina County Tuesday and solved a mystery which had been bothering a neighborhood, he reported on his return late in the afternoon.

Andrew Kampf had reported to Medina County officers his fence had been cut in 60 places. The Medina officers telephoned Sheriff James Stevens and asked for the hounds, and James made a quick run to the scene.

James reported finding deep foot-prints in the soft, moist soil, and the dogs took the trail eagerly. They followed he line of fence cutting and then took off through the field toward a house. They bayed in front of the door, and when the officers came up a man came out and surrendered.—San Antonio Express.

Appointed County Attorney.

The County Commissioners in session this week appointed Judge C. A. Eames as County Attorney, to enter upon his duties at once. Bandera county has had no county attorney for some time, but the services of one have been needed for quite awhile, and we are glad Judge Eames has accepted the office.

Hermaw Lehmann and his nephew, Maurice J. Lehmann, came over from Boerne Tuesday on business. Mr. Lehmann, who was a captive among the Apache and Comanche Indians for more than ten years, is arranging to get out a book dealing with his experiences among those tribes, the book to be written by J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera. It is hoped to have it published within the next few months.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

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Announcement was made in the New Era last week of plans to erect a monument in Bandera to the memory of our first citizen, Veteran Amasa Clark, who died last month. The movement is now on, and we are soliciting subscriptions from every citizen of the county in amounts ranging from one dollar up. Don't wait for the other fellow to subscribe, but please tell us how much you will give toward this monument. Every dollar will help place this beautiful monument on our public square, which will soon be concerted into a public park. Bring or send your donation to this office, as it is desired that there be no delay in getting the monument here and unveil it on September 3rd, next, the anniversary of Veteran Clark's birth. Let us honor the memory of the first man who came to Bandera county and opened the way for our present glorious civilization. He was spared to us for many long years to behold the most wonderful changes the world ever saw, and all of our people knew him well. Let us build a monument to him as a token of love and remembrance. Only a dollar from you will help to do this. "A people that take no pride in the noble achievements of remote ancestors will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered with pride by their descendants."

The March number of Frontier Times, J. Marvin Hunter's growing monthly magazine, will be issued from this office Friday. As usual, Frontier Times will be full of thrilling Texas historical sketches, the titles of some of which are as follows: "A trip to Utah in 1858," "Charlotte, the Mad Empress," "The Runaway Scrape," "Sketch of Mrs. I. M. Williams," "Their Honeymoon Trip in 1874," "Jack Hays, the Texas Ranger," "The Wild Bunch of Robber's Roost," "The Fight on Double Mountain Fork," "J. A. Browning, a Kimble County Pioneer," "A Kerrville History Recalled," "The White Buffalow of the Comanches," "Death of Amasa Clark," "Captain Charles Schreiner Passes On," etc., etc. Frontier Times is gaining a nation-wide reputation and orders for subscriptions continue to pour in.

Over five years ago the New Era called upon the people of Bandera county to raise funds for the erection of a monument to our Bandera county boys who made the supreme sacrifice in the World War, and today a towering granite monument silently proclaims the response to that appeal. Every citizen of this county is proud of that monument, which stands on our court house square, and some day it will be surrounded by a beautiful public park, where visitors to our city and our own people can find delight in the beautiful surroundings. Now we are again asking the people of Bandera county to erect a monument on this public square, a monument to the first settler of Bandera county, Veteran Amasa Clark. Veteran Clark was just an ordinary man, he made no claims to any special distinction more than that he lived to be over 100 years old; he served in the Mexican War, it is true, but thousands of other men did the same; he never sought glittering honors among men, and was content to dwell peacefully on a little farm near this town. But we should honor him just the same, for a name here first, and stayed to smooth the paths for the tender feet of civilization as it came creeping on. We should honor him as a pioneer, for in thus honoring him we will honor all of those hardy men and brave men who came to kindle the fires and keep them burning as a beacon to guide oncoming generations. Let's not procrastinate in this matter. Send in your donation to the Amasa Clark monument at once.

Relics of Sam Bass.

Austin, Texas, Feb. 15.—In an effort to preserve as many historical relics as possible of noted figures of Texas' early history, considerable material concerning Sam Bass, the famed Texas bandit, has been gathered by the University of Texas library. The cartridge belt Bass is said to have worn in his last stand against the Texas Rangers at Round Rock in 1878 was presented the library some years ago by Sam Arnett of Lubbock, Texas. There are exactly thirteen cartridges of .44 caliber remaining in the belt which gives mute evidence of hard wear. Two of the loops of leather holding the cartridges are broken and it is said they were cut by dying bullets during Bass' last fight. In addition to the belt the University possesses considerable printed material about the Texas desperado. Original material selected by W. P. Webb, associate professor of history in the University, from the office of the adjutant general is also in the collection. Professor Webb has spent much time following the history of the Texas Rangers.

Psychological Tests

Austin, Texas, Feb. 15—First year students of the University of Texas will be required to take psychological tests for one more year, according to E. J. Asher, instructor in psychology. The results which University officials hoped to obtain when it was decided to give the intelligence tests for a period of five years have more than been realized, he said, in determining the abilities of the students entering the University for the first time.

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No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespass allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for info. that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences. —Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

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It is related that while Judge Mansfield was serving his first term in office a few years ago, a lady walked in one day and announced, "Are you the judge of Reprobates?"

"I am the judge of Probate," replied his honor, with a smile, "What is it, I expect?" answered the lady. "You see," she went on confidentially, "my husband died detested and left several little infidels, and I want to be their executioner."

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ABOUT TURKEYS.

Raising turkeys has proved a profitable industry in Texas this year, and the probability is that we shall see the acreage of turkeys largely increased next year. There will be no surplus to carry over, and if the crop is not too large, prices will likely be attractive next year. But let no person dream that turkey raising is an easy business, or one that gives no vexation of soul.

It is not an easy task to watch a turkey hen when she goes to her nest. To follow a hen successfully to her nest requires more talent and patience than to manipulate a Democratic convention. Like Joe Bagstock, the turkey hen is "deevilish sly," and the fellow who has once followed her through thickets and briar patches to plates motheshood will never [illegible] of his feat as child's play. Furthermore, the turkey hen has less judgment of location than the man who built his house upon the sand. She is sure to make her nest where it will be washed away, or where the minks, rats and snakes will come to feast upon her eggs. Should you remove her to a safe, dry place, she sulks and refuses to sit.

As big a fool as the mother turkey is, she has more sense than her progeny. The young turkey is the biggest fool in captivity, the only thing alive that hasn't sense enough to "come in out of the rain." It will stand flat-footed in the rain and drown rather than move three feet to a shelter. We have even known young turkeys to stand with their bodies under a shelter and poke their heads out into the drip until they drowned. Another horror of turkey raising is following the drove through the fields for miles around and hearing the curses of the neighbors whose crops they have destroyed. These things are written not to keep down the turkey acreage, but to restrain you from envying the turkey raiser his profits.

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THEN AND NOW

Then we held our trousers up with home made splints so nifty-boy we hold the same in place with belts that cost three-fifty. Our collars then were celluloid, our cuffs the same, detached. Our Sunday clothes were all we had that were not worn and patched. On teams then we often used drawing heavy loads, but first-run trucks now take their place and also take the road. The farmer plowed a pair of mules, now tractors turn the soil; corn and oats were hand-planted, but now its crowed-soil. Boys and girls got married then and built a home of course, but now they board around awhile and then run for divorce. Economy has slipped a cog, we don't know where or how, but extravagance has got a grip on helm of state and plow. We like the things that progress brings, with them no fault we find, but sterling habits, once our pride, were [illegible] folks have left from the deposits.

Splendid Work of Art Restored in England

"As an act of most high praise and glad thanksgiving to Almighty God for the lives and devotion of the 1,400 women of the empire who died for their country in the war, now, in the name of their sisters in all parts of the world, I unveil and restore to its ancient use the Five Sisters window." These words were spoken by the duchess of York as she unveiled the restored "Five Sisters" window in the north transept of York (Eng.) minster. As the duchess spoke, the curtain shrouding the window fell gracefully away revealing in all its beauty of delicate coloring the actual handicraft of an artist, John Romain, and his fellow craftsmen in glass of six centuries ago. The window takes its name from the legend (told by Dickens in "Nicholas Nickleby") that the design of the glass was worked in tapestry by five sisters. The finest specimen of a grisaille window in the world, it dates back to 1260 A. D., its five lancets towering to a height of more than fifty feet, each "sister" being a shimmering mass of pearl and silver, delicately veined and jeweled with color. The work of cleaning and toleading, which lasted two years, was accomplished without cracking or breaking one piece of the priceless glass.

AS IT OFTEN PROVES

Friend—Just back from a tour? Motor—Well—er—detour would be nearer the truth.

Caught Fish With Umbrella

American and British anglers are getting unusually good catches in the rivers of Norway, according to reports being received from Lagen, Namedal, Gaula and other Izaak Walton resorts. Forty-pound salmon are plentiful as also 25-pound trout. One American angler who is reported to have spent three hours with his rod gear a 30-pounder was about to leave to avoid a thunder storm when he noticed a large fish near the surface. Having parked his rod, he plunged his open umbrella into the stream and scooped him out, though the weight of the salmon snapped the steel frame of his rain-stopper.

Thirteen Million Steps

After walking one-third of the way around the world, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. de Roux estimate that they have taken 13,000,000 steps.

They are pushing a wheelbarrow and they have figured out that its wheel has made 59,000,000 revolutions. They started from Johannesburg in 1922 with only three cents and have paid their way by giving lectures.

They hope to complete their trip in four years. It will be the first time that anyone has walked around the world.

Becomes Beggar at 98

Alexander Petofi, famous Hungarian poet and patriot, left much fine verse, but apparently not much of this world's goods. Recently his cousin appeared before the Budapest police and requested a permit to beg. The cousin is ninety-eight years old. Ten years ago he was fairly well-to-do. He lost eight acres in the war, and his small possessions were swept away. The begging permit was issued.

Wanted to Make Bed

Explaining that he had always made his own bed, J. G. Kelley, seventy-two wealthy New Zealand farmer, refused to register at a hotel at San Francisco until he had received permission to continue this habit.

Big Deposits of Mica

What is claimed to be the largest show of mica unearthed in Ontario has been discovered in North Hastings, a short distance from Bancroft, Ont. Crystals weighing as much as two long have been taken out.

Were Bandies in Dress but Tigers in Battle

England was not a world power until Shakespeare's time, but for several reigns before Elizabeth English clothing exemplified nature's idea of what a male should look like on parade, and the marks of that early plumage remain with England in the court customs and color. When England swept Spain from the seas, what greater scourge than Drake and what greater dandy? Then England arose in her full might Englishmen cared for themselves like prima donnas. Van Dyke has left us many a portrait of bewelled and befrilled British dandies whose names carried terror to the enemies of England. The beautiful Englishman of King Charlie's day had curled long hair, wore silken breeches, colored shoes with high heels, carried a cane six feet long and walked with mincing steps—and fought like a tiger. Spaniards were tough, but the delicately dressed Englishmen swept them from the seas, and Raleigh and Drake and Probisher were starched ruffs about the neck.—Detroit News.

Club Believed to Be Relic of Stone Age

An ancient club was recently turned up by a workman at Kingsteps quarry, near Nairn, Scotland. While removing the deposit of sand and gravel on top of the old red sandstone prior to removing the rock he came across a curious implement of hard stone. It is club-like in shape, measures about 16½ inches in length and several inches in circumference at the widest part, and tapers toward one end. It was only when it was submitted to the National Museum of Antiquities in Edinburgh that its unique character was realized, the directors stating they had never seen anything like it before. The rod is entirely different from the club-like objects of stone found in Orkney and Shetland. A number of year ago a cist grave was found in the same locality.

One-Way Ticket

General Cornelius Vanderbilt, at a dinner on the Mauretania, deprecated radicalism.

"Radicalism can get us into trouble," he said, "but can it get us out? Russia is the answer.

"Once, in a lunatic asylum, there was a lunatic nicknamed 'the judge' because he used to examine all the new arrivals and then pass judgment on them.

"Well, one day the judge called up a new lunatic who carried his head in an odd way.

"'What may your trouble be, friend?' he asked.

"'My head is made of glass,' the new lunatic answered.

"'A glass head, eh?' chuckled the judge. 'Well, friend, a glass head will bring you here, but you'll find that it will never take you out.'"

Old Scientific Controversy

More than 4,000 years ago there occurred in the Euphrates valley a controversy similar to that which has resulted from the evolution trial in Tennessee. This is revealed on tablets recently translated by Dr. Edward Chiera, professor of Assyriology at the University of Pennsylvania. According to the clay tablets, which were written on with a wooden stylus, the Assyrians clashed on the origin of man. The difference was finally composed by a compromise. They agreed that man first existed as a four-footed animal which ate grass. Afterward the goat created two natures, one of cereals and another of flocks, and through these the two-legged type of man was developed.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Filipinos Bread Eaters

Filipinos, prospering under American sovereignty, are becoming bread eaters. This may be an explanation of why they are able to win the Far Eastern Olympic games. Last year they bought about $8,000,000 worth of flour from the United States. Prior to the American regime flour for the Philippines came chiefly from Australia. In 1899 only $66,000 worth was bought from the United States. Now, with hundreds of bakeries in Manila, baking machinery is also bought in America.

Moon's Craters

The largest craters on the moon are distinctly revealed by a good pair of binoculars.—Science Service.

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PINEAPPLE FROM THE PARADISE ISLANDS

By Capitola Williams Ashworth

WHEN you sit down to breakfast and find a dish containing a golden island of pineapple surrounded by an amber sea of liquid awaiting you, do you find your mind trying to picture the tropical islands in the midst of the beautiful Pacific Ocean where this luscious fruit was grown, and where it last saw the light of day before it was popped into a can in the heyday of its life and started on its long journey to your table?

The story of pineapple is probably one of the most interesting of any fruit in the world, even of any other tropical fruit.

In the Hawaiian Islands, principally the islands of Oahu and Lanai it is grown extensively. In fact, the tremendous, carefully tended plantations spread out over these islands, are one of the sights and wonders of the place to tourists. In a land where palms wave in the gentle air, where almost every tropical fruit and flower known in the world blooms, where the blue of the ocean breezes laden with the sweet and heavy fragrance of the pineapple ranks as the King of Fruits, it is the most luscious of all tropical products, one of the juiciest, healthiest, and most useful fruits that are grown.

The sunniness of a pineapple plantation is that of a million of fairy glass reflectors over pineapples and up hill and down in orderly rows, the lines be straight and beautiful as soldiers ever marched in parade, every solid plant bearing a treasure-house grown in its center, regally topped with a crown of pointed leaves. It is its resemblance to a pine cone, together with the tart and juicy nature of the meat that has given the fruit the name of pineapple.

As pineapples are grown in tremendous quantities in the Hawaiian Islands, or the Paradise Islands, as they are popularly called, many hundreds of thousands of cases are canned every year and shipped to the United States, England, Europe, Asia, Australia and practically every corner of the world. These people who live in the Hawaiian Islands may have fresh pineapple three times a day, and many of them do, as it is a fruit that does not tire of easily and is a great boon to the health, particularly of people who do not lead an active physical life. However, the same pineapple which is in its native land a delicious fruit for the reason that the fresh pineapple has to be sealed while still green in order to stand the trip up to market. This is true of the few pineapples that are grown in the United States.

The pineapple is delicious when it is ripe and has a tang and a tropical flavor that can be obtained in no other fruit.

There are many other fruits grown in these delightful islands about which most people know little or nothing. There is the papaya, a melon which grows on trees, and is served at breakfast, or for salads, bragdfruit which is baked and served as a starchy vegetable, mangoes, guavas, bananas, and rose apples. And, of course, there are coconuts. Yet the favorite of the islands is the pineapple, which is shipped in canned form to every corner of the world, the greatest amount coming to the United States where it is served on the breakfast table as a salad, a dessert, a pie, or with vegetables and in cocktails, and is becoming increasingly popular in fruit punch to which it lends a delicious tang and a tropical flavor that can be obtained in no other fruit.

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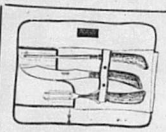

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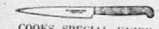

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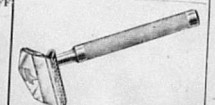

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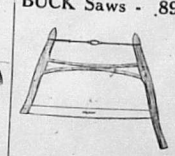

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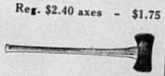

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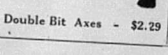

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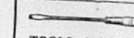

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Fifth Division Convention.

The Fifth Division, American Legion, Department of Texas, will hold its first Division Convention in the city of Sweetwater, Texas, beginning Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, Feb. 19th, and continuing thru Sunday the 20th. The Stamford Legion Band will be there to entertain you. Bring your wife and kiddies and a good time is assured. All former ex-service men are welcome whether members of the Legion or not.

Concerning the making of loans on the adjusted service certificates probably most of those interested have read of the three banks in San Antonio offering to handle the matter for the Bexar County boys with the assistance of the local Legion. Thru the efforts of Legionaire George Eppel of Kerrville arrangements were made with the First State Bank of Kerrville to handle the loans for the Kerr County applicants. The latest advise however is to wait a little longer and loans can be made direct from the Veteran's Bureau. Congress having recently passed a bill authorizing this action.

All ex-service men are urged to bestir themselves and imitate as close as possible the activity of the "Buddies" in San Antonio. A drive is on for 5,000 members for the Legion in that city. A great many of the business houses already report a 100 per cent membership. Lets see what each one of us can do in our own particular neck of the woods.

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To the sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County, Greeting:

Whereas, on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1927, John F. Bennett, administrator of the estate of E. L. Bennett, deceased, filed in the County Court of Bandera County his application for the sale, partition and distribution of said estate, and alleging that John F. Bennett, Lavaca County, Texas, G. L. Bennett, L. A. Bennett and Mrs. Eassie Reeves of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-seventh share of said estate and that Bobby Bennett, Amos Bennett and J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama, and Miss Mallessa Bennett, non compos mentis, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama are each entitled to a one fourteenth share of said estate and that Doris Stough, Juanita Stough and Sim Tom Stough, minors, whose guardian is John Stough, of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-twenty-eighth share of said estate; that the guardian of Miss Malessa Bennett is J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama.

Therefore you are hereby commanded to summon and require the said parties above named and all persons interested in said estate, to be and appear before the said County Court at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the courthouse of said Bandera County, in Bandera, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April, A. D. 1927, then and there to show cause why such partition and distribution should not be made.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court on the said first day, of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness:

MRS MARK McBRYDE
Clerk of the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Bandera this 5th day of February, A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk of the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

People are Organizing.

Citizens in a number of Texas cities are organizing for the purpose of assisting officers in the suppression of crime. The Dallas News is one of the strongest supporters of such a movement and it seems like it is awakening the people of Dallas. Recently in the courts of that city a number of criminals guilty of robbery with fire-arms have been assessed life penalties. When a criminal realizes he is likely to be sentenced to the penitentiary for his meanness, with a slim chance for pardon, it may cause him to hesitate in shooting a man down in cold blood for the sake of a few hundred dollars. However, some of the men that have been sentenced for life in Dallas have not killed their victim—they have received this severe punishment because they used fire-arms in robbing. No doubt this will have a greater effect upon criminals than ever if the men sentenced had killed the people they robbed. Most of the robberies that are being committed are by young men in their late teens or early twenties, and a goodly portion of them are of the class that are generally termed "Jelly Beans." They are more dangerous to the lives of innocent people than the old-time desperadoes of this state used to be. The desperate characters of former days killed people but it was usually the desperatees with whom they fought, and the general public were not near in the danger that it is from the present-day robbers. These "Jelly Bean" bandits are just as quick to kill one man as another, and would shoot down a woman just as quickly as they would a man, provided it was necessary to accomplish what they started out to do. Sam Bass, Ben Thompson, John Wesley Harden and other noted desperadoes of early Texas history would hesitate before shooting a woman. These men were gentlemen compared with the present day "bad men."—Burnet Bulletin.

Gray Hairs Come A-Peeping.

When the gray hairs come a-peeping, and the years go gliding by; when you realize you are creeping close to where the shadows lie; when your thoughts just keep a-straying through the dawning and the gloam, to the days when you were playing and a-laughing, back at home. Kind of makes you stop and ponder, makes you wonder. If it's true, that the boy way back yonder in those happy days was you; then you close your eyes and dreaming, go a-floating back once more in the memory waves of seeming, to the happy childhood shore. And you follow up the fancy till you're in the thick of strife, and, by some strange necromancy, living over all your life; and it seems as if the fighting and the struggles that have gone were but the bigger games delighting bigger children, later on. Yet you wonder—vaguely wonder, if you wouldn't, once again, snuggle now as when, back yonder, you were in the right with room; then there comes a gentle waking, as your stiffened joints all say, just so plain there's no mistaking, "You are dreaming—'Tis Today!" And you smile at all the folly you've been living o'er again, but there's naught of melancholy in this dreamland of old men—just a gentle, soothing sweetness; more like sun than the dawn, sort of rounded-out completeness, when the woes and cares are gone. For there's some peculiar pleasure when the heart and mind relapse in the soft and rhythmic measure of the dreamtone of, oh age; and a peace comes round you creeping, like a laughter-softened sigh, when the gray hairs come a-peeping, and the years go gliding by.—Selected.

Interscholastic League Basket Ball

Austin, Texas, Feb. 15—If the efforts of those in charge of the seventh annual Interscholastic League basket ball tournament are in the least rewarded, the meet at College Station March 4 and 5, will far out-distance those of previous years, stated Roy B. Henderson, athletic director of the University of Texas League Bureau. Some unusually good playing is expected to be brought out this year, according to the officials. Accomodations for the games will be the best obtainable, as A. & M. has the best basket ball courts in the state at the present time, Henderson said.

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The Coughran ranch has been taken off the market and all real estate agents are hereby notified that it is withdrawn from their lists.—Coughran Estate.

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Mrs. M. D. Kelly has returned from a visit to her daughter Mrs. Claud Alston and family of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Josie Justice spent last week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus McFarland, children, of Burnet visited Mrs. McFarland's grandfather, W. D. Smith, and family last Wednesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMahon, February 17, a baby girl, Eugenia Zell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Humphreys have returned from a visit to San Marcos and Corpus Christi and several other places.

Jim Carpenter, wife and baby, Mary Lenora, of Center Point visited his mother, Mrs. H. L. Carpenter, and family last Sunday.

Miss Jewel Autry, who is attending school at San Marcos spent a few days at home this week.

Mrs. B. P. Collins spent several days in San Antonio last week visiting relatives.

TARPLEY

Dorsey McCarty has returned home after spending some time out west.

Mrs. H. D. Garrison was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hicks last Monday and Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Coughran have moved to the Coughran Ranch.

Mrs. Addison Billings returned Monday, after spending a few days with relatives at Berry.

Mrs. Jim Glass had as her guests last Sunday Mrs. Wright and children.

Rev. Brown preached a splendid sermon to a large crowd here Sunday.

George W. Riley, Jr., and wife were San Antonio visitors last Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Margaret Price, Miss Velma Wright and Ralph Price were in Tarpley Monday.

Dick Burns has returned from Uvalde, where he went to see his brother, Taylor Burns.

Miss Annie Cravey had as her guests Sunday Miss Thelma Richards and Alfred Stathoff.

Alfred and Antone Stathoff of San Antonio spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Stathoff.

The Womaniess Wedding.

The Alumni of Bandera High School is preparing to give a highly interesting play, "The Womaniess Wedding," at the High School Auditorium at an early date. The characters in the play are being selected and rehearsals will take place soon. The program and cast will be published in the New Era.

KING THOMAS PLAYERS AT MEDINA.

The King Thomas Players are holding the boards at Medina this week, having returned from Crystal City and Pearsall which they were met after playing Bandera a few weeks ago. After playing Medina this week they will go to Center Point for several nights, and from there they will play a return engagement at Comfort. This is a high class theatrical company, composed of ladies and gentlemen who take pride in the fact that they give only clean and moral performances. Each member of the company is an artist in his or her role. During their stay in Bandera they won the esteem and friendship of our people, and wherever they put on a bill at the local opera house they are always assured of a good audience. The attendance at Medina this week is very pleasing to the troupe, and the program they are giving are highly entertaining and pleasing to the audiences. One thing about the King Thomas Company which makes them so many friends is the friendly attitude of each member of the company. There's Carl Thomas, Spotters, who is not a stranger on his life, and wherever he goes he will just simple make people like him by his free and easy manner. Earl Thomas is a good old scout too, and fits right in whatever environment that meets him. Cody Thomas, another brother of the bunch, plays the "villain," is not a villian at all, is just as friendly and easy to approach as the others. Mrs. McIntyre also has a genial smile which is so winning that when he is the door-keeper people often go to the show and pay admission only to get the benefit of that genial smile and when he is on the stage the smile is there too. But these boys could not give a show without Lois Willis. In whatever role these ladies appear on the stage they are favorites and always win applause. Pretty, vivacious, bewitching, is the verdict, while off the stage they are pretty, vivacious and—extremely modest. Every member of the company, including the advance man, Col. E. J. Lamkin, who comes in unannounced and makes himself at home in a print shop where if the force is too busy to get out his printing on time takes a hand and does the printing himself, holds a warm place in the affections of the people of this town, and their coming is always hailed with delight.

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PAT FOREST GETS LIFE SENTENCE

Pat Forest, who was tried at Kerrville and found guilty by the jury and the penalty was set at 99 years in the penitentiary. The jury returned its verdict Saturday night, after deliberating three hours and forty minutes. We understand that several of the jury favored the death penalty.

Forest was indicted by the last grand jury in November, and at a special term of district court here last month the case was transferred to Kerrville for trial. Defense attorneys entered a motion for a new trial, but Judge Brooks declined to entertain the motion until Friday, should he overrule the motion the defense will file notice of appeal, it was estimated by counsel.

We give below the report of the trial as published in the Kerrville Mountain Sun, and also the San Antonio Express:

(Kerrville Mountain Sun.)

Following completion of the jury from a second special venire Wednesday night at 10:30 o'clock, Pat Forest, 23-year-old Medina City youth, went on trial for his life.

Forest is charged by indictment with the murder of Will A. Gray, 50, auto driver, on August 22, 1926. The alleged slaying occurred three miles from Medina City and the case was transferred to Kerrville on change of venue from Bandera.

The State rested its case against Forest in the district court in Huntsville prison. This was indicated in the interrogation of prosecuting attorney Wilson and confirmed in a statement by District Attorney W. C. Baker, who is directing the prosecution, in which he declared that he would see every means at his command to secure the extreme penalty.

Across the table from the veteran prosecutors sat four of the ablest criminal lawyers in South-west Texas, forming counsel for the defense, aligned with Judge Lee Wallace of Kerrville are David Watson, Will A. Morriss, Sr., and Will A. Morriss, Jr., a stubbornly contesting every inch in battle to refute the State's contentions in the first case to attract wide-spread attention in Kerr County in the past decade.

In the cramped and stuffy court room a morbid crowd leans forward tensely to catch every word of testimony, or breaks into a spontaneous snicker when the attorneys clash over a contested point.

Immediately back of his attorneys sits the youthful defendant, his face betraying no evidence of confinement in a cell. To all appearances he is the calmest person in the room. Occasionally whispers a word to his counsel or turns a smile to his aged mother, who sits beside him and puts him on the back at intervals.

The first witness called to the stand in the case was E. H. Frerichs of Medina City, who testified that he saw Forest and the deceased Gray in Medina on the afternoon of August 22, 1926, at about 2 or 2:30 o'clock; that they got into a large sedan and started down the Bandera road; that he waited 15 minutes and, accompanied by his wife, followed the pair; that when they arrived at the intersection of the Center Point-Bandera road, he saw Forest standing beside the stamping "something" on the ground and that on closer investigation he discovered the defendant was kicking and stamping Gray.

When Frerichs asked Forest if he was in trouble, the defendant offered a pint whisky flask at him, the witness said.

Continuing his testimony, Frerichs, a former constable and game warden in Medina County, testified that Forest caught the deceased by the hair with one hand and by the shoulder with the other and dragged him around in front of the standing automobile. At this point Forest took half way out of his chair and looked at the witness, but quickly sat down again apparently unperturbed.

Under the questioning of District Attorney Baker, the witness said that he discovered Gray was dead, that his right eye was torn from its socket and the left eye was protruding. The next day, he said he re-visited the scene of the tragedy and found three teeth. The defense objected to the witness saying the teeth found were human teeth on the grounds that he was not qualified to give expert testimony.

On cross-examination, Will A. Morris fired questions in rapid succession at Frerichs but failed to materially shake his testimony. The defense attorney's line of questioning indicated that he was seeking to bring out that Forest was attempting to administer to Gray, that he pulled him from the side of the car, placed him in the shade and spread a blanket over him.

Following the noon recess, Morris resumed his cross examination and at one point in Frerichs' testimony, the jury was removed while attorneys argued a point of law regarding the difference between "kicking" and "stamping" and the admission of testimony that Forest had a wild and insane look on his face when Frerichs drove up.

The second witness called to the stand was J. C. Collins, filling station proprietor of Medina City who testified that he saw Forest twice on the day of the alleged crime; that he sold him gasoline at 1:30 p. m. and at 2:30 p. m. was called to the telephone office to aid in quelling a disturbance. There, he said, he saw Forest with a hand full of currency and checks.

Under pressure of questioning from Attorney Watson, Collins was visibly uncomfortable. In cross-examination, Watson reading from inquest transcript, made the witness testify that he had had a conversation with Forest at the telephone office; that he told Forest his mother and sister were worried about him and that the defendant replied that he would go right home, after which he drove away in the direction of his home, three miles from Medina. Forest was drunk the witness testified.

Dr. J. O. Butler, Bandera physician, was next called to the stand and told of examining the body of the deceased. He described numerous bruises and lacerations and said that a number of blows about the head had caused the death of Gray. He expressed the opinion that the victim had been dead one hour when he made the examination and said that indications were that an automobile had run over the lumbar region of the body.

The jury in the case was secured only after a special venire of 89 men had been exhausted, and a second panel summoned to report Wednesday morning. The jury was completed when Guy Holloman, farmer of Kerrville, was selected as the twelfth juror at 10 a. m. Wednesday. He was the second man on the panel of 12 questioned.

Selection of 11 jurors out of the special venire of 89, the State used 10 challenges and the defense 13.

The jury trying the case is as follows:

William Ward, farmer of Ingram, was the first juror accepted. Other Jurors are Ferdinand Tatsch, ranchman, Reservation; Hubert Spenrath, farmer, Comfort; August Hauffler, farmer, Comfort; Hugo Ahrens, ranchman, Ingram; W. H. Furr, farmer Hunt; A. G. Platte, auto salesman, Kerrville; R. M. Hagens, farmer, Kerrville; Will Ridgeway, ranchman, Kerrville; Walter Clark, farmer Hunt; and Guy Holloman, Kerrville, farmer.

Assisting District Attorney Baker in the case are Robert F. Wilson, County Attorney of Kerr County, and W. S. Ethridge of Bandera, employed as special prosecutor. Wilson entered the case Thursday morning, having been forced to assist in the trial of a case in San Antonio early in the week.

Forest was arrested at his home near Medina City shortly after the badly battered body of Will Gray was found near the intersection of the Bandera-Center Point road on the afternoon of last August 22. Forest was denied bail and removed to the Bexar County jail. At the last term of district court in Bandera County, the case was continued. At a special term of court in Bandera last month Judge L. J. Brucks transferred the case to Kerrville on a change of venue.

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Chili Dinner.

The ladies of the Catholic church will serve a chili dinner at Wright Hall next Saturday, February 26. Cake and coffee will also be served. Your patronage will be appreciated.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebach, of San Antonio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale and little son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Morris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reel and little sons and Mrs. C. A. Reed were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson Sunday.

Harold Phillips, who is attending school in San Antonio, is spending a few days' vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Banta and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese Sunday.

E. S. Rieber went to San Antonio last Friday afternoon, returning Sunday.

Little Sarah Faye Keese celebrated her fifth birthday Sunday. Those present were Misses Lutie Miller, Sue Evelyn and Ruby Click, Joyce Phillips, Hallie and Haytie Mae Jackson, and Master Gainor and Branic Keese.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mickle, of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Keese last week.

W. G. Keese is attending Federal Court in San Antonio this week.

Boy Walks Out of Window.

Warren, the little son of Mrs. C. B. Davenport, miraculously escaped injury last Friday night when he stepped out of an upper story window at the Gray Apartments and fell to the ground, a distance of twelve or fourteen feet. The boy was walking in his sleep and awakened only when he struck the ground. While he was somewhat bruised and shaken up, his injuries were slight and he was able to pick himself up and go to his room after the fall.

Entertains Teachers.

Judge and Mrs. J. A. Eames entertained the teachers of Bandera High School last Saturday evening with a delightful social. Various games were played and refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Kathrine McBryde, Bess Campbell, Emily Ruth Raubile, Jennette Hunter, Jennie Powell, Messrs. Carlos Gilbert and Archibald Briggs, and the host and hostess. The guests enjoyed the hospitality of this home so much that they are looking forward with much pleasure to the next invitation to a social there.

Claude Fletcher, who is attending school at San Marcos, came home to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fletcher.

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In the Bonham Daily Favorite of February 14, appeared a full account of the sudden death of Charles T. Carlton. We intended to publish this article in the New Era this week, but space forbids. We hope to use it next week. Mr. Carlton was well known and greatly loved here, having at one time been superintendent of Bandera High School.

The annual convention of the Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association of Texas will be held in Kerrville on July 20 and 21, plans are already under way to make this convention the greatest in the history of the organization.

Boy Scouts Take Educational Hike

The Boy Scouts of Bandera took another hike Saturday to J. F. Short's pasture on Bandera creek, and cooked supper there. The entire hike covered approximately seven miles. They left their Scout Hall at 4:45 and started back after dark. The scouts cooked their own bread in true scout fashion, wrapping the dough around a stick in spiral form, it then being placed on coals and baked a red of coals. Not only did they learn to cook first class bread in this manner, but learned to cook meat and potatoes in different ways.

Maps were made showing various fields, houses, fences along the road, kinds of trees traveled, etc., by signs given in the Boy Scout Hand Book.

The hike was used to an educational advantage again by the practice in drilling they received in going through various maneuvers on the way.

Coming back the Scouts had to travel over three and a half miles of very rough roads, and in almost total darkness, nothing easy for anyone, but the boys showed their spirit by singing at the top of their voices the greater part of the way back.

In the near future Dr. Erwin will lecture to the boys on first aid and other subjects at their regular Saturday night meetings.

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Captain Schreiner's Will.

Approximately $200,000 will be distributed to friends, distant relatives, employees and Schreiner Institute under the terms of the last will and testament of Capt. Charles Schreiner, Kerrville philanthropist.

Provisions in the will, not including bequests to members of the immediate family, were announced by his son, Louis A. Schreiner. The document will be filed for probate in April, it was announced.

On account of his continued benefactions in the interest of his fellow men and the Hill Country generally, the wealth of Captain Schreiner at the time of his death was considerably smaller than had been expected. The estate is estimated at about $1,000,000.

In 1915 he distributed $6,000,000 among his eight children.

The largest single bequest in the will is an additional gift of $750,000 to the Schreiner Institute, junior college for boys founded in Kerrville by Captain Schreiner. During his lifetime he gave $250,000 in cash and 140 acres of land near the city limits for the establishment of the school.

Miss Amelia Groben, long employed as housekeeper in the Schreiner residence, was left $15,000.

To Nathan Herzog of Kerrville and J. M. Hamilton of Austin was bequeathed $5,000 each. Robert Read, a nephew, was given $3,500.

Other codicils in the will make the following bequests: Albert Enderle, Kerrville, a brother-in law, $1,500; Mrs. Kate Real, Kerrville, a niece, $1,000; Mrs. Lillie Siemering, Galveston a niece, $1,000; Judge W. G. Garrett, Kerrville, $2,000; F. F. Nye, Kerrville, $1,000; Dr. E. E. Palmer, Kerrville, $2,000; Ben F. Surber, Kerrville, $500. Miss Minnie Hudgeon, Jena, La., $1,000; Mrs. M. Doring, $1,500.

Provision is made in the will for the payment of life annuities to Mrs. Lallah Shelburne, a niece of Kerrville, and to Miss Emma Enderle, a sister-in-law, who resides in San Antonio. The former is to receive $400 annually and Miss Enderle is to be paid $200 each year.

Five servants in the household of Captain Schreiner were remembered with cash gifts, as follows: Audrew Fifer, Isaiah Blanks, Celeste Campbell and Mitchell Grinder, $500 each and Eula Bolden, $250.

During his life time Captain Schreiner made many notable gifts aggregating more than a million dollars. His smaller benefactions in the interest of varied charities and projects defy attempt to develope West Texas probably would amount to as much more.

Schreiner Institute was the crowning effort of his benevolence. In all he gave the junior college $400,000 in cash and 140 acres of valuable land. For the construction and maintenance of highways in Kerr and other counties his donations totaled $310,000. The Kerrville Hospital was given $40,000 several years ago and the capitalist-philanthropist gave $10,000 for the establishment of the Junction High School Library.

Never a year passed without him bestowing thousands of dollars for charitable purposes.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

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To all persons interested in the Estate of Amasa Clark, deceased, Lucy Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the Probate of the Amasa Clark, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary which will be heard at next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at the office in Bandera this the 21st day of February, A. D. 1927.

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Pat Forest Given a Life Sentence

(Continued from first page.)

(From San Antonio Express)

Kerrville, Texas, February 16.

Pat Forest was seen Stamping on the body of W. A. Gray, 50, according to testimony of Constable E. H. Perrichs of Medina City, who testified for the State in the trial of Forest here Wednesday on charge of murder.

Perrichs said he saw Forest and Gray in Medina City about 2 or 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon August 22 and that he left for Bandera about 15 minutes after them. He came up with the state cars and saw Forest stamping on something in the road, the officer said. He went near and saw the body of Gray lying on the road beside the automobile, the witness said. Gray's eyes had been closed by someone, the witness says said. While he was leaving he looked back and saw Forest dragging the body by the hair to the side of the car, the witness declared.

Perrichs said he returned to Medina the next day and found Gray's body in the road. Part of the statement was ruled out on the claim the witness was not qualified as an expert to state they took a dying statement.

Tom Finney testified he sat in a poker game with Gray and Forest the night of August 21. Gray gave him a check for $28 and he left before day with the game still in progress, the witness said. About two pints of whisky was in circulation during the game, Finney said.

R. W. Boaza said he found a $20 bill penny near the death scene the morning after the killing. Pearce Gray, W. Harris said Forest picked up the knife and gave it to him.

J. T. Collins, Medina City, said he sold Forest gasoline the day of the killing and that Forest waved money and checks and declared he had "plenty" when he left the automobile from Gray in the garage.

L. A. Hader said he saw Forest and Gray in a poker game in Baker's Park near Medina City about 8:30 o'clock the morning of August 22 and both had money then.

M. E. Faris, deputy sheriff of Bandera County, testified he arrested Forest and searched him. He was searched he only found a match and a bottle cap in his pockets.

Testimony began at 11:20 o'clock Wednesday morning. The jury was completed with the examination of the second man of 12 talesmen which had been summoned.

A vivid story of a night-long session of poker ending with the tragic death of W. A. Gray, 50, in Medina City, Texas, was unfolded Thursday in the trial of Pat Forest, 22, the defendant, recounting the incidents leading up to the killing of Gray by Forest at 6 p. m. with Forest still on the stand.

Forest went on the stand shortly after the noon recess and told a story of the killing that carried to all corners of the crowded little court room told how he had been ill with a fever and had gone to bed on the Saturday afternoon before the killing to get some rest.

He said that he had seen Gray before and knew him on sight but had never been introduced to him and had never had any difficulty with him personally up to August 22, the day of the killing.

He said that when he arrived in Medina he met Lon Elam and went from there to Baker's Park on a poker party. He said that he had not had a drink and that until the arrival of Gray at 10 o'clock that night he had not touched liquor. Gray, he said, had a bottle and passed it around when he arrived.

The game continued until 7:30 Sunday morning, he said, and at that time he had won all the money in the game and held a check of Gray's for $50 as well as another $15 check from one of the other players.

He and Gray continued playing until about 10 o'clock, he said, the check going back and forth, and when they quit he had $189 in checks from Gray and all the cash that was in the game. They counted them and went to a point near Medina to get some more liquor. Will Mayfield, Forest had told him, had cut and went back to the road with two quarts and a pint. Gray said the liquor was puffin, he said, and he got out. Gray got into the car with him and they went a short distance and testified that when they returned with one quart and a pint.

They had several drinks, Forest said, and McBee left. With Forest driving, they returned to the park and started another poker game. Forest said he won the car, a Buick sedan, in the second game and they started for Medina about 1 o'clock and on the way Bob Mayfield, Forest's brother-in-law, met them. Forest had had blown off and, he had gotten out of the car and while standing there threw away the pint of whisky.

Arriving in Medina, they went to Stokes's garage and drank more and started to hunt a justice of the peace to get a bill of sale made out for the car. Arriving there they found the justice away from home and from there they drove to Collin's garage, where he poured some whiskey on Gray's face to revive him. From there they drove to the home of Joe B. Finney and called him out. More liquor was poured on Gray's face there and then he drove to a telephone exchange and phoned his mother to prepare something to eat, telling her he was taking a friend home for dinner.

Up to this time he had had no trouble with Gray, he said, and said that blood seen on Gray's face was caused from a bruise on the lip when Gray tried to open a bottle with his teeth while the car was roaring. Forest denied that he had ever struck Gray at any time after leaving Medina. He was still on the stand when court adjourned for the day.

Mrs. N. B. Perrich, his mother, one of the defense witnesses, testified that Forest had been sick two weeks and had left the house late Saturday to go for medicine. When he failed to return she sent her daughter, Bettie Forest, to Medina to find him. She said her daughter could not find him and had left word in Medina for him to call, which he did about 3 o'clock. He came in a short time later, she said, drunk, crying and telling her he had been compelled to kill a man.

The daughter, the next took the stand, corroborated her testimony and said that when he arrived he was driving a big sedan and appeared the home driving slowly several times. She said, she finally jumped on the running board of the car and cut the switch to stop the car for him. Rees Forest, a brother, testified that he assisted Pat Forest into the house after the sister had stopped the car. Rees said he also told him that he had been compelled to kill a man. He said he had gone to the scene of the killing a few days later and had found a bottle where Pat declared it had been thrown.

Bob Mayfield and his son, Ray, 14, both testified to meeting Gray and Forest early Sunday afternoon. George Fee, L. S. Stokes and A. B. Finney were called by the State as corroborative witnesses. Mrs. Amy Frerichs corroborated testimony of her husband on spots found on Gray's clothing and on the boots worn by Forest. Spots were identified as human blood by Dr. J. D. Jackson of Kerrville. The clothing was identified as Gray's by Tom Gray, a brother.

(From Friday's San Antonio Express).

Taking testimony in the case of Pat Forest, charged by indictment with murder in connection with the death of W. A. Gray in Bandera County last August 22, was closed at 4:30 p. m. Friday after the defendant was recalled to the stand and asked one question regarding disposition of a check for $185 by the deceased. He said Gray tore up the check and threw it in the river.

This action was explained by Dave Watson of defense counsel who said he was of the opinion the question was in direct testimony, but was offering it in rebuttal to be sure. Court recessed for 15 minutes in order to give the official stenographer an opportunity to search the record for the testimony in question. Court resumed the stand at the Friday morning session and gave in a clear voice his version of the slaying which occurred three miles from Medina City. The case was transferred to Kerrville on a change of venue from Bandera County. Assuming his testimony where it was broken by Thursday night's adjournment Forest outlined his movements from the time he left Medina and was charged with beating to death left Medina City at about 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon August 22, 1926.

He testified that he and Gray started, for the Forrest home that when Gray got out of the car to open a gate near the house, he began abusing and cursing the defendant. The witness said he then got out of the bus, which he was driving, with the intention of opening the gate. As he started for the gate Gray struck him, he said and that he backed away around the side of the car.

The witness testified that he reached in the back of the car and got a bottle when he saw Gray going for his knife. When the deceased kept advancing with an open knife, after he had been warned to stop Forest said that he punched him with the end of the bottle several times. Gray went down from one of the blows he said, and as Gray fell he made an attempt to cut Forest with the knife, the blade striking one of his boots. At this point Forest testified he struck Gray a hard blow over the head with the bottle, which was partly filled with liquor.

Under cross examination by District Attorney Baker the defendant got up on the floor to saw the position of Gray when Forest punched him. Gray at that time had blood on his face and his lips were swollen, the witness said. A large bottle of whisky about three-fourths full was in the car, Vowell testified.

The State of Texas

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

Whereas, on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1927, John F. Bennett, Executor of the estate of E. L. Bennett, deceased, filed in the County Court of Bandera County his application for the partition and distribution of said estate, and alleging that John F. Bennett, Lavaca County, Texas, G. L. Bennett, L. A. Bennett and Mrs. Lizzie Reeves of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-seventh share of said estate and that Hobby Bennett, Amos Bennett and J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama, and Miss Malissa Bennett, non compos mentis, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama are each entitled to a one fourteenth share of said estate and that Doris Stough, Janitta Stough and Sim Tom Stough, minors, whose, guardian is John Stough, of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-twenty-one share of said estate; that the guardian of Miss Malissa Bennett is J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama.

Therefore you are hereby commanded to summon and require the said parties above named and all persons interested in said estate, to be and appear before the said County Court at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the courthouse of said Bandera County, in Bandera, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April, A. D. 1927, then and there to show cause why such partition and distribution should not be made.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness:

MRS MARK McBRYDE.
Clerk of the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Bandera this 6th day of February, A. D. 1927.

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Aim Fractured.

Bob Mansfield while playing on the school grounds at noon Tuesday, fell and fractured his left arm at the elbow. He was taken to Kerrville immediately so to have an X-Ray examination to ascertain the extent of the fracture.

Think This Over.

The output 735,000 Chevrolet cars sold at retail last year, and something over 73,000 sold in January, 1927. There is a reason. You can find it out by calling on Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Car Co., Bandera.

Mrs. Janet Currie, Mrs. Orville Surber and Mrs. John F. Hodges went to Kerrville last Saturday to attend the School of Instruction of the Kerrville Chapter of the Eastern Star. Mrs. T. S. Dennis accompanied them to Kerrville.

Designated Depositories.

The County Commissioners in session last week designated the First State Bank the depository for county funds, and designated the First National Bank of Bandera the depository for school funds. The bid of each bank was 2 ½ per cent.

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Saturday Specials

Libby's Sliced Peaches, No. 2 can	18c
Lettuce, Large Head	8c
Corn, No. 1 can	7c
Evaporated Peaches, Choice, Pound	16c
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Peanut Butter, 5 lb. pail	99c	Corn, Large Can	12c
Corn Meal, 20 lb. sack	62c	Campbell's Soup, can	10c
Jewel Shortening, lb.	13½c	Pickles, Quart Jar	29c
Chum Salmon, tall can	16c	Matches, Nateo, Box	3½c
Chum Salmon, flat can	11c	Matches, Rosebud, Box	4½c
Gillette Razor Blades, pkg.	49c	3 Minute Oatmeal, small	8½c
El Food Mayonnaise	26c	3 Minute Oatmeal, large	20c
French's Mustard, bottle	12c	Mother's China Oatmeal	33c
French's Bird Seed, pkg.	12c	Lipton's Tea, Quarter lb.	23c
Jello, Pkg.	10c	Swan's Down Cake Flour lb	25c
25c Bayer's Aspirin	15c		
Dromedary Dates, Pkg.	19c	Saltine Crackers, pkg.	11c
Woodbury's Soap, bar	27c	Takhoma Crackers, Pkg.	4½c
Lux Toilet Soap, bar	8c	48 lb. White House Flour	$2.99
Van Camp's Pork & Beans No. 2	8½c	Creme Oil Soap, Bar	7c
Rio Coffee, Pound	22c	Campbell's Pork & Beans, can	8½c
H & H Coffee, 1 lb. can	48c	Pet or Carnation Milk, small can	6c
Fancy Peaberry Coffe,	34c	Pet or Carnation Milk, large can	9c
Tomatoes, large can	9c	Tomatoes, small can	6c
Old Dutch Cleanser, can	8c	Crystal White Soap, Bar	4c
Crystal White Soap, Bar	4c	P & G Soap, Bar	4c
		Prunes, small, pound	10c

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KERRVEILLE, TEXAS

G. D. Cox has been quite ill with influenza.

Judge W. S. Ethridge is attending court at Fredericksburg.

Miss Jennie Powell, of Center Point, is the guest of Mrs. J. A. Easton.

Henry Lane is here from San Antonio on a visit to friends and relatives.

Several people are attending court at Fredericksburg this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Mazurek, of Utopia, February 11, a nine-pound boy.

P. A. Hucks and J. A. Hicks, of the Utopia region were transacting business in Bandera last Thursday.

J. E. Edwards, hustling merchant and trader of Pipe Creek was transacting business in Bandera Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lynch are here from Falfurrias on a visit to Mrs. Lynch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas Britsch of East Verde.

Mrs. J. E. Kirkland came down from Medina last Thursday with Mrs. Ernest Adams, one of Bandera county's lady mail carriers.

The Epworth League social at the Methodist parsonage last Friday night was a most delightful affair, and thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Jr., and little daughter, Margaret, were in from their ranch at Peach Tree Friday and remained for the picture show at night.

We have for sale a 1925 Model Ford Tour ng Car, reconditioned, new paint and seat covers. Price $175.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Car Co.

Mrs. L. N. Coffey is here from Comstock on a visit to her mother, Mrs. M. T. Waldon. Mr. Coffey brought her over last week, but he returned home the next day.

Mrs. W. L. Causey and daughters, Misses Azilee and Maggie of Mason Creek, and Mrs. Krause and daughter, Miss Bessie, of Pipe Creek, were pleasant visitors at the New Era sanctum last Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. Warren Hunter Hunter came over from Harper Friday and remained with home folks until Sunday afternoon, when they returned to Harper accompanied by Marvin and Jeanette Hunter and Howard Eckhart.

Col. John A. Head and his cousin, Miss Madge Head, went to Laredo on an excursion Sunday, returning home Tuesday. Miss Head, who spent the past two weeks here, will leave in a few days for her home at Stewartsville, Mo.

Master David Clinton Cox, who was seriously ill with pneumonia last week, is now making good recovery. His condition was so critical that for several days the services of two nurses were required. We are glad to report him out of danger now.

We are pleased to announce that C. H. Brient and his excellent family have moved back from San Antonio and are now comfortably situated on their ranch on Privilege Creek, where Mr. Brient intends to make some substantial improvements.

K. C. Apelt, the enterprising Pleasley Hill radio and radio supplies, was here from Comfort Monday, arranging to give a free moving picture show and demonstration of radio sets in Bandera early in March, announcement of which will be made in our next issue.

Arthur Davis, former Bandera boy who is now in the United States Navy, writes us that he is on the rifle range in Guantamano Bay, Cuba, from where he will go to the Panama Canal Zone, where he will spend a short while before returning to the United States. He says he very much enjoys the little old home paper.

Collier Fitzgerald has leased 1450 acres of ranch land from J. R. Wright and Mrs. H. C. Wright below town, and has moved to the place from the Ted Wilson hunt ranch near Medina where he has been living for the past year. Mr. Fitzgerald is stocking with sheep and goats, and has the place leased for three years.

We deeply sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hicks, of Utopia, in the loss of their infant son, Charles Gilbert Hicks, who died February 14th, and was buried the next day, Rev. Henry Brown conducting the funeral at the family cemetery on the Hicks ranch. The little babe was only 27 days old, and like a tender flower, it was budded on earth to bloom in heaven.

WANT COLUMN

RED TOP CANE SEED for sale, at $1.00 per bushel.—Chas. Eckhart.

WANTED TO BUY—A team of gentle work horses, some second hand plow tools, a good second hand wagon, several pigs from one to three months old, a dozen turkey hens and a gobbler, and about fifty good nannie goats. Write F. Richards, Pipe Creek, stating what you have and price.

WANTED—Sheep and goats on shares, and cattle to pasture.—Frank J. Heinen, Medina, at Forest place. 3tp

Valentine Social.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows and Mrs. R. N. Hicks delightfully entertained the Sunday school classes of the Baptist church Friday evening with a Valentine social. The living room was tastefully decorated with red and white hearts. The red and white heart motif was carried out in the dining room. In the center of the dining table was a gorgeous Wedding Heart and the little candy hearts arranged so as to form the places. Cocoa and heart cakes were served to the following guests: Misses Bess Campbell, Ruth Davenport, Lora Thalmann, Aleen Cash, Jennette Hunter, Iris Faris, Emily Ruth Rambie, Velma Stevens, Tommie Mansfield, Messrs, A. K. Briggs, Erle Mansfield, Carlos Gilbert, Ethan and Earl Buck, Marvellos Rambie, Ithea and Bob Mansfield Leonard Little, Leonard Surber, Joe Davenport, James Holt, Benny Schlather, Russell Irving Buster Moore, Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows and Mrs. R. N. Hicks, the host and hostesses.

A Surprise Birthday

About one hundred friends and relatives pleasantly surprised Mr. Lee Stevens, of near Bandera Pass, Saturday night on his 66th birthday. The ladies brought delicious cakes, and cake and coffee were served in abundance, after good music and dancing was enjoyed. Music was furnished by Theo. Stein, R. F. Denton of Kerrville, Erle Jones, Roy Stevens, and Mrs. Vie Stevens. Mr. Denton called several quadrilles which was enjoyed by the older set. The guests departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. Stevens many more as happy and pleasant birthdays.

Capt. T. P. Grant, of Tarpley, was in town yesterday.

Interscholastic League Meet.

The directors of the Bandera County Interscholastic League met February 12, and set Friday and Saturday, March 25th and 26 th, as date for holding the County interscholastic League Meet at Bandera. The directors are desirous that every school in the county be represented in the meet. The directors of the Meet will hold another meeting at the Bandera High School auditorium, Saturday afternoon, March 12, at 3 o'clock to complete final arrangements for holding the Meet.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County, Greeting

You Are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas

To all Persons Interested in the Welfare of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, Minors, H. E. Rambie has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the Estate of said Minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such Minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 21st day of February, A. D. 1927.

MRS MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

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"The Vanishing American."

Zane Grey's masterpiece, "The Vanishing American," will be shown on the screen at the Bandera Theater temorrow, Friday, night. This is a wonderful picture, of eleven reels, and Manager Don McMahan assures us that he was fortunate in booking it for showing here. Remember the date, temorrow night, February 25th. Don't miss it.

Get Ready for the Fair.

Farmers who intend to have exhibits of their products at the Bandera County Fair next August should begin now to make preparations for planting selected seed and growing the choice products. The following was taken from the Community Exhibit Score Card prepared by the Extension Department of the A. & M. College, and will be used as a basis in judging products in our next fair: Field crops, 350 points; fruits and vegetables, 150 points; live stock products, 150 points; canned, preserved, pickled and dried products, 250 points; attractiveness of exhibit, 100 points. Total 1,000 points.

NOTICE

That all leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

Dance
AT
COX HALL
Saturday Night,
February 26th

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lee of Castroville, of San Antonio are visiting Mrs. Lee's parents, Mr and Mrs. H. H. Mayfield.

Miss Annie Brashear and Miss Rosa Lee Sowell, who teaches with Miss Brashear at Hunt spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kelly.

Misses Vinnie and Lois Mayfield, Glenn Leap and Tom Hickman, of San Antonio, visited Mr and Mrs. Earl Jones of Camp Verde on last day of last week.

Mr. Arthur Pue, who has been sick quite a while, was carried to San Antonio Sunday to a hospital. We hope she will soon recover.

Mr. Whitehouse, Mrs. Dorah Fegan and Carlos Gilbert visited Mrs. T. L. Gilbert and family last Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Jones visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. M. D. Kelly is visiting relatives at Houston and Port Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Coleman, Sr. Mrs. W. P. Coleman, Jr. and son, Mr. and Mrs. Duffy Holden, Miss Lena Watson of San Antonio, and Mrs. George Cowden of Pearsall spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Layton.

Mrs. Fred Simcock and children of San Antonio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Layton.

Misses Mattie Mae Newcomer and Bessie Krause who are teachers in the Pipe Creek school, spent the week-end with J. A. Newcomer and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Browning.

Misses Daisy and Pauline Pue, of Lassen Creek, attended the Lassen Creek Show at Medina Saturday night.

Birthday Surprise.

There was a surprise supper at Paul Matzke's ranch Sunday, February 27, in celebration of the 51st birthday of Grandma Moravietz, one of Bandera's early settlers. A splendid repast was served, and the venerable mother received many nice and useful presents. Those who gathered at this home on this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jureczki and family, Mrs. A. J. Fischer Miss Edna Fisher, Paul Moravietz, John Moravietz, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moravietz, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moravietz, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jureczki, Urban Jureczki, and sons, Alex Anderwald, Anion Jureczki, Gilbert Jureczki, Phillip Mazurek. After supper dancing was enjoyed until a late hour, the music being furnished by Albert and Anton Jureczki and Phillip Mazurek.

Read Frontier Times.

Growing in Popularity.

Frontier Times, the unique little magazine published by J. Marvin Hunter, is steadily growing in popularity over the United States. Prominent educators, university professors, historians and writers in different states give the publication high endorsement. The encouraging letters we are receiving almost daily from people who read Frontier Times and appreciate it makes us feel that we are really doing something worth while. Next month, which will be the March number, which comes to us from the press about the 15th of March, will be considerably improved in appearance. The contents of this number will be unusually good. Among the contributors will be Clifton Sayers (C. S. Smart) a nationally known writer. Hunter Jones will have the distinction of publishing the last story he wrote, as just a few days after writing this story Mr. Sayers died suddenly at his home in Scottsdale, Arizona. Another nationally known writer who contributes to this number of Frontier Times is Eugene Cunningham of El Paso. Mr. Cunningham's story has to deal with Wild Bill Hickok, the noted Kansas Marshall. The story sent us by Mr. Smart just before his death tells of the shooting up of the John Dyer Theatrical Co. at Marshall, Texas in 1878, when John Barrymore, the father of Lionel and Ethel Barrymore, popular movie stars was a dangerous character. The story sent us by Mr. Sayers of San Antonio contributes a very interesting story of a supposedly lost mine supposed to have been the lost mine captured by Indians in the early days near Fort Griffin. But was he the Leather Jacket boy? Read the story and find out. Many thrilling stories of the Texas Rangers, Indians, Murder Mysteries, Wild Animals and Outlaws, and a lot of other true stories.

There are hundreds of people living throughout this section who, if they realized the value of this little magazine in the education of their children, would at once become subscribers to it.

Shoulder Fractured.

While participating last Sunday afternoon, on the high school campus, Robert Holt fell and fractured his shoulder. He was taken to Kerrville for an X-Ray examination and treatment, and is reported to be getting along very nicely at this writing.

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Ranchmen & Farmers' Meeting.

The meeting of the stockholders of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association, held at the association's warehouse last Saturday, was attended by nearly one hundred members. Only routine business was transacted, and directors for the ensuing year were elected. All of the old directory were retained, except W. H. Thomason, who expressed a wish to be relieved, and Alfred Reitz was selected to take his place. The directory is now composed of W. E. Ruge, president, R. D. Kutzer, F. E. Whisenhunt, R. D. Garrison, R. S. Padgett, Alfred Reinarz, and Fred Thalmann. These directors will meet shortly and elect officers for the association. The affairs of the association are in a healthy condition, it was reported at the meeting, and the business of the past year shows a satisfactory increase under the efficient management of Fred Wilson.

A. E. Dorow in California.

Prof. A. E. Dorow, well known to all of our people, who has for many years superintendent of Bandera High School, is now secretary of the Elmo Academy Chamber of Commerce, at Elmo, California. Mr. Dorow writes us that he is quite a bit of interesting literature about that part of the Golden State, which he will be pleased to have that we will be glad to read. Mr. Dorow is doing well there, all will be pleased.

Cent r Point's Oil Test.

Report comes from Center Point that the Walker test well is down below 1500 feet, and better showing of oil and gas has been encountered. The drill has been in Pennsylvanian for some depth and as drilling proceeds heavy oil sand has been encountered. The sinking of this well is being watched with interest by oil people throughout the country as this is the first test to be made in that region.

Don't Fail to Attend.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will hold its regular meeting at the High School Auditorium next Friday, at 4 o'clock p. m. All members of the association and patrons of the school are urged to attend, as some very important business will be transacted, and matters of interest to Mr. Dorow is doing well there, all will be discussed.

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LIMA LINES

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and children of Dan Reed went to Corpus Christi last week to see Mr. and Mrs. Lackey and Mrs. Reed's mother, who is reported very low with pneumonia fever. Mrs. Lackey has been very sick but we are glad to say she is improving.

E. S. Stocker was a Tarpley visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Miller, of Fredericksburg came over Monday on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed and little son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris Sunday.

Jim Keese, who is working in Kerrville, is at home this week.

Albert Jureczki is sick and some hail fell here last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Haggleton and family have moved back to our community.

Lima School House Roll for January 31st: Fifth grade—Howard Walker, Oren Keese, Johnie Shipman, Willis and Virgule Johnson.

Fourth Grade—Maggie Lee Johnson, Penn Willson, Bertha Irene Johnson, Bertha Shipman, Cleora Miller. Second Grade—Amey Reed, Lewis Keese, Ruby Click, First Grade—Allen Keese, Dorothy Marie Rieber.

Honor Roll for February: Fifth Grade—Oren Keese, Johnie Shipman. Fourth Grade—Bertha Keese. Third Grade—Bertha Shipman. Second Grade—Clara Keese. First Grade—Allen Keese.

Undergoes an Operation.

Miss Inez Rogers was taken to San Antonio Friday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis at a hospital there. We are pleased to report that she is making good recovery and doing nicely.

Indian Wars Pension Bill.

Washington, March 1.—Final passage of the Leatherwood bill which now goes to President Coolidge providing pensionable status to State rangers and members of State troops engaged in Indian wars prior to 1898 is expected to affect approximately 2,000 Texans. Heretofore the limitations was fixed at 1878, and this extended many ex-rangers in Texas who had engaged in Indian campaigns after that period. The bill provides that such rangers or State troopers must have had at least ninety service or been on duty in the zone where the campaign took place. The measure will was slightly amended in passing the Senate so as to extend the time back to 1817 and thus take in any possible survivor of the Seminole war in Florida. This change was made at the instance of Senator Fletcher of that State.

The Womanless Wedding.

It has generally been believed that a wedding could not take place unless there was a woman in it, but such a wedding is scheduled to occur at the High School Auditorium on Saturday night, March 12. The Alumni of Bandera High School is arranging the wedding, and it is going to be one of the greatest hits of the season. You are cordially invited, as the invitation which appears elsewhere in this issue is extended to you as well as your neighbor. This invitation reads: "Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah White request the pleasure of your presents at the wedding of their daughter, Lilly, to Thomas Jefferson Washington Lee, Bandera High School Auditorium, Saturday evening, March the twelfth, nineteen hundred twenty-seven, at eight o'clock."

At the Picture Show.

The picture to be shown at Bandera Theater tomorrow night will be "Men Four Square," featuring Buck Jones. The star in his east is a popular favorite with picture show patrons, and in "Men Four Square" he will more than please his admirers. In connection with the show tomorrow night a boxing bout will be staged between Jack Dillon and Howard Lackey, both of whom are making a steady climb in pugilistic circles.

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Fair Dates August 25, 26, 27.

The directors of the Bandera County Fair have set the date for holding the fair on August 25, 26 and 27, next. It is planned to make the fair this year the best ever held at Bandera, and several new attractions will be added for the three days program.

Boxing Match.

In connection with the picture show tomorrow night, Manager Don McMahan announces an exhibition boxing match between Jack Dillon of San Antonio and Howard Lackey of Camp Verde. This will be an added attraction, and will be interesting to all boxing fans.

MAID AND THE MAIL

Such might be the title of an ode to Miss Annie Cravey, 18-year old girl who daily carries mail from Bandera to the mountain town of Tarpley, over a trail not so long ago beset by many dangers.—San Antonio Light.

PHOTO W. D. SMITHERS

Hundreds depend on her for news of the world outside.

The day's San Antonio Light contained a pleasing news story about Miss Annie Cravey, a pretty Bandera county girl, who carries the mail from Bandera to Tarpley daily. The Light kindly loaned the New Era the cut which appeared with the story, and which appears above. Miss Cravey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cravey of Tarpley, and very satisfactorily performs her duty as mail carrier. Bandera county has two other lady mail carriers, Mrs. Ernest Adams of the Medina line, and Mrs. Bangrlein, who sometimes carries the mail from Medina to and which appears above. Miss Lima.

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Affidavit of Commissioners Court To Examination of County Cash and Assets.

The State of Texas,
Bandera County.

We Commissioners' Court February ne no, 1927.

Before me, Mark McBryde, Clerk of the Court in and for said County, personally appeared the Members of the Commissioners' Court, whose names are below inscribed, who upon their oaths, do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter I, Title XXV of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the report made and filed in this Court by Mrs. John F. Hodges, County Treasurer of said county, for the quarter ending February 12th, 1927, and held by her for said county, have been fully inspected and counted by them at this term of said court; and that the amount of money in the hands of said Treasurer are as follows, to-wit:

Total amount of cash in the various Funds belonging to the county, thirty-three thousand, seven hundred eighty-eight dollars and eight cents ($33,788.08).

A. L. MANSFIELD
County Judge, Bandera Co.
R. C. BOALES
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.
EDWARDS
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.
J. V. PORTER
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of February, 1927. MRS. MARK McBRYDE
County Clerk, Bandera Co.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication, before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Jessa Clark, deceased, Lucy Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Jessa Clark, deceased, which said application, and for letters testamentary which will be heard at next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at the office in Bandera this the 21st day of February, A. D. 1927.

MRS MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas

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

Whereas, on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1927, John F. Bennett, Executor of the last will and testament of E. L. Bennett, deceased, filed in the County Court of Bandera County his application for the probate of the last will and testament of said estate, and alleging that John F. Bennett, Lavaca County, Texas, G. A. Bennett, L. A. Bennett and Mrs. Earsie Reeves of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-seventh share of said estate and that Hobby Bennett, Amos Bennett and J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama, and Miss Malessa Bennett, Compos mentis, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama are each entitled to a one fourteenth share of said estate and that Doris Stough, Juanita Stough and Sim Tom Stough, minors, whose guardian is John Stough, of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-twenty-one share of said estate; that the guardian of Miss Malessa Bennett is J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama.

Therefore you are hereby commanded to summon and require the said parties above named and all persons interested in said estate, to be and appear before the said County Court at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the courthouse of said Bandera County, in Bandera, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April, A. D. 1927, then and there to show cause why such partition and distribution should not be made.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness;

MRS MARK McBRYDE.
Clerk of the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Bandera this 5th day of February, A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE.
Clerk of the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

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The State of Texas.

To all Persons Interested in the Welfare of Family Ruth Bamble and Mildred Rambie, Minors, H. E. Rambie has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application fo Letters of Guardianship upon the Estate of said Minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such Minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 21st day of February, A. D. 1927.

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Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

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The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of C. Anderson, Deceased, Adeline Anderson has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said C. Anderson, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested, in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at the office in Bandera this the 21st day of February A. D. 1927.

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The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. M. L. Surber, Deceased, J. H. Surber has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. M. L. Surber, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 26th day of February A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court Bandera County, Texas.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the list, in which event your prompt attention to nte matter will be appreciated.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires We hope all will renew promptly.

Fancy Mixed Candy, regular 25c per pound, now only 15c per pound, at the O. S. T. Confectionery.

How Doctors Treat Colds and the Flu

To break up a cold overnight or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza, sore throat or tonsilitis, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the purified and refined calomel compound tablet that gives you the effects of calomel and salts combined, without the unpleasantness of either.

One or two Calotabs at bed-time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, work or pleasure. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please,—no danger.

Get a family package, containing full directions, only 35 cents. At any drug store. (adv).

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespass is allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences. —Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. 1m 15-12m

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When in San Antonio make our Service Station your headquarters. Free parking space. Open until 3 a. m.—Herpel-Gillespie, East Houston Street, at Bowie.

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You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

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Labor, kidding	$ .50
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Less valuation, growth, per kid	.50
	$1.48
Seasonal cost of coat not more than	.20
Cost of DOING WITHOUT GOAT COATS, per head	$1.28

DRY GOATS:

Losses from exposure, 15 per cent average per year, valuation of $5.00 (really worth $10.00)	$ .75
Labor, herding, 2 men per 1,000head, 6 weeks, at $50	.15
½lb loss mohair @ 60c	.30
	$1.20
Seasonal coat of coat not more than	.20
Cost of doing without goat coats, per head, season	$1.00

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Tomatoes, No. 2 can	10c	Evaporated Figs, pound	11c

Below we Quote a few of our Regular Prices.

Maxwell House Coffee, lb	48c	Eagle Milk, can	21c
Maxwell House Coffee, 3lbs	$1.44	Cream of Wheat, pkg.	23c
Vick's Vaporub, small	25c	Post's Bran, pkg.	12c
Ole Syrup of Pepsin	46c	Raisin Bran, pkg.	12c
40s Carters	20c	Grape Nuts, pkg.	17c
Del Monte Peaches, tall	18c	Shredded Wheat, pkg.	12c
Libby's Sliced Pineapple flat can	15c	Quaker Grits, 17c pkg.	21c
Del Monte Peas, tall can	21c	Come: Rice, small	8c
Corn, No. 1 can	8½c	25lb Sack Corn Meal	62c
		2lb box Fancy Crackers	30c
		2 & 9 Macaroni	6c

C.C. BUTT PIGGLY WIGGLY

KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah White request the pleasure of your presents at the marriage of their daughter, Lilly to Thomas Jefferson Washington Lee at Bandera High School Auditorium Saturday Night, March 12, 1927, at 8 o'clock

CHARACTERS

Grandma White	Aged and Decrepit.
Jeremiah White	The Bride's Father.
Mrs. Jeremiah White	The Bride's Mother.
Eunice Thorton	Maid of Honor.
Bill Jones	Best Man.
Nancy King	Bride's Maid.
Bessie Queen	Bride's Maid.
Rosie Love	Flower Girl.
Daisy Sweet	Flower Girl.
Master Teddie Gump	Ring-Bearer.
Parson Snodgrass	Preacher.
Jazzebel Lee	Elderly Sister.
Mary Lou Lee	Modern Sister.
Cynthia Ann	Negro Nurse.
Sonny White	The White's Baby.
Anthracite	Colored Baby.
Sylvia Brown	Rejected Girl.
Lilly White	The Bride.
Thomas Jefferson Washington Lee	The Groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvene Davis, W. E. Mansfield, Billie Burns of San Antonio, were guests of and Jim Stotts attended a big Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and rodeo at Paul's Grove, near Mrs. John Bruce, last Sunday. dina Lake last Sunday.

Miss Alma Irvin, of Kerrville, was visiting friends here Sunday.

Miss Kathryn McBryde and Mrs. W. E. Ruge went to San Antonio, Saturday.

E. F. Kindla orders the New Era sent to his son, F. J. Kindla, at Mercedes, Texas.

Miss Alice Wall, teacher of the Pepgl Tree school, spent last week-end with home folks in San Antonio.

W. D. Saithers and N. H. Ross of the San Antonio photographers, were guests of the editor Friday night and Saturday.

A. F. Vollmering was over from Tarpley last Friday and dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mrs. A. P. Carlton and infant of Mooringsport, La., arrived last week on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Sr.

The old time dance at Mansfield Park Tuesday night drew a large crowd and a good time was enjoyed by the old folks.

We have a 1926 Model Ford Touring car, balloon tires, in good shape. Price $250.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Car Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil W. Smith and children, of San Antonio, spent last week with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pate, of this city.

Mrs. C. J. Nichols arrived from Mason last week on a visit a time here with her daughter, Mrs. C. Y. Billings of this city, and son, Matt Nichols, of Privilege.

Two young men of this city were arrested Monday on a Medina county warrant charging with theft of a calf from Earl Parsons, who lives on West View. They were taken to Hondo for a hearing.

B. P. Clark, vice-president and sales manager of the B. H. Gregory Machinery Co., was here from San Antonio last Thursday and called at this office to insert an advertisement for his firm, which deals in all kinds of farm machinery and supplies.

Last Saturday night Sheriff Hicks apprehended two young men from Kerrville who were yelling and disturbing the peace as they left town after the dance at Cox's Hall. The young men appeared before Justice of the Peace Hartman Harper Monday and paid fines for their hilarity.

R. N. Padgett was over from Tarpley Saturday to attend the meeting of the stockholders of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association, and while here he dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era, and also the subscription of his foreman, B. N. Meaps, at Tinsman, Arkansas.

Miss Madge Head, of Stewartsville, Mo., who has been the guest of her cousin, Col. John A. Head, and family the past three weeks, left last Saturday for her home. En route she will visit relatives in Oklahoma and in Kansas. Miss Head was delighted with Bandera's picturesque scenery, and greatly enjoyed her visit here. We hope she will return some day when she can remain longer.

Will Ellebracht, the hustling traveling salesman for the Alamo Iron Works was here from San Antonio Monday and dropped in to see us. He informs us that he will resign his position and will enter business in a good West Texas town for himself. Mr. Ellebracht has hundreds of friends all over this section who will wish for him all success. They are going to miss his regular visits and cordial greetings.

Will Hamilton, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, arrived last Thursday on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Harriett Uhlpman, and other relatives. Mr. Hamilton lived here some twenty-five years ago, in fact he was born and raised here. Last summer he came to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion, where he met many of his old time friends. All are glad to welcome him back in good old Bandera, and it is hinted that he may again locate here. All of his old time friends earnestly hope he will do so.

WANT COLUMN

RED TOP CANE SEED for sale at $1.00 per bushel.—Chas. Eckhart. 30tf

WANTED TO BUY—A team of gentle work horses, some second hand plow tools, a good second hand wagon, several pigs from one to three months old, a dozen turkey hens and a gobbler, and about fifty good mannie goats. Write F. Richards, Pipe Creek stating what you have and price.

WANTED—Sheep and goats on shares, and cattle to pasture.—Frank J. Heinen, Medina, at Forestvillage. 30p

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VIOLIN FOR SALE—In splendid condition, with bow and case. Price $25. Can be seen at New Era office.

FOR SALE—Red Top Cane Seed at three cents per pound.—Frank J. Heinen, at Forest ranch, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Used Oldsmobile, Chevrolet 4-cyl Trucks, one Hickey Davidson Motorcycle. Delco Lighting Plant, 4-horse L. A. Fairbanks Gasoline Engine. Also good shape. Price $250.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Car Co.

BALED CANE in the head, delivered in Bandera. See Oscar W. Perner.

FOR SALE—22 bred aged ewes and 13 gill lambs. See J. N. Mickle.

SHOE SALE

I have 227 pairs of shoes and slippers to close out at very great savings to my customers.—Sylvester Adamson.

Among the visitors at Walter Godkin's Spicewood Spring ranch last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Anton Brasbe and little daughter, Helen, Mrs. Concha Gonzales, Mrs. Alice Fatino, Mrs. Rose Smith, Henry Carlock, John Lozano, Frank Rosa, Ramon Lozabbe, Ray Guerra, Leo Godsie, all of San Antonio. A fine dinner was served by Mrs. Godkin and her charming daughter, Miss Juanita.

Old Settlers' Reunion.

The Old Settlers' Reunion, will be held on Monday and Tuesday, July 4th and 5th, this year. The program for the reunion is now being arranged and will be more elaborate and interesting than ever. Among the features of the day's entertainment will be an old time tournament, played as it used to be played when our daddies and mammies were boys and girls. This was served by Mrs. Godkin and her charming daughter, Miss Juanita.

TARPLEY.

Miss Marguerite Fries, Ralph Fries and Roland Britsch were Tarpley visitors Sunday.

M. and Mrs. Jim Glass spent Sunday in Hondo.

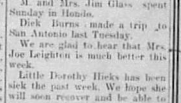
Dick Burns made a trip to San Antonio last Tuesday.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Joe Leighten is much better this week.

Little Dorothy Hicks has been sick the past week. We hope she will soon recover and be able to return to school.

Rev. McCarty preached an interesting sermon to a large crowd last Sunday morning.

M. Newton and Mr. Fuss-eman of Hondo were in Tarpley last week trading.



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MEDINA

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Livingston and Adams and Miss Susie Davis made a trip to Uvalde last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and children, of Arkansas, are visiting relatives here this week.

J. E. Pike, of Utah, has moved near Medina.

Henry House and some of his relatives were in Medina Monday.

Miss Kathleen Brown visited Miss Viola Forest Tuesday.

Presiding Elder Sessions will preach at the Methodist church, March 13, at eleven in the morning. Early in the afternoon he will hold quarterly conference.

Hail Near Medina.

Bernice Mabry, who drives an oil truck for L. A. McMains of Center Point, reported that a heavy hail storm visited the Mono Valley, just this side of Medina, Monday about noon. Hailstones of unusual size fell and some of them knocked holes in the top of his cab. A heavy rain followed the hail storm.

Fine Rains.

The heavy rains of the past few days have been of great benefit to the country generally. In portions of the county the rainfall amounted to several inches, and creeks and rivers were on a rise.—The Medina correspondent Monday afternoon on about an eight-foot rise.

Furnishes Material for Writers.

Frontier Times, the little magazine published by J. Marvin Hunter in Bandera, is furnishing material for writers of historical fiction and fact, articles having their origin from stories which appear in this magazine having been published in some of the leading magazines of the country. In the March number of Frontier Stories, a very interesting magazine published by Doubleday, Page & Co., at Garden City, New York, there appeared a good story from the pen of Eugene Cunningham under the title of "The Hermit of Tigerhead Butte," taken from a story which apeared in Frontier Times several months ago concerning Old Man Barnes, who was an early settler near Tarpley, this county. Mr. Cunningham weaves a splendid story from the material in Frontier Times, and writes us that he gets more satisfaction from reading this little magazine than from any other publication.

Old Blue-Back Spelling Book, 35c postpaid—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

LIMA

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Palmer and family, of Fredericksburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Seale and little son visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Winkle, also Mr. and Mrs. Hecht, of Dunlay, Saturday and Sunday.

Jake Click has been seriously ill with pneumonia but we are glad to say he is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds visited Mr. and Mrs. Miller Sunday.

Miss Joyce Phillips was the guest of Miss Artie Shipman Sunday.

Mrs. Hinds and L. C. Hinds were Kerrville visitors Monday.

Mrs. John Reed and children returned home Monday from Gist, Texas. Mrs. Reed reports the health of Mr. Lee Gist improving.

Miss Clara Walker of Bandera and Theron Williams, were married in Kerrville February 26. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doig Walker of Bandera and is well known and liked by all. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will make their home in Kerrville. We extend our congratulations to them.

TARPLEY

Miss Clara Purvis, who is attending a business college in San Antonio spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Purvis of Tarpley.

Mr. Florence Prices who is teaching school at Dunlay, came home last Friday, returning Sunday evening.

Ralph and Armintie Fries and Mrs. Jim Glass made a trip to Dunlay last Friday.

George Newman and Joe Wright of Hondo were Tarpley visitors Saturday.

Dick Burns has gone to San Antonio on business.

Married at Kerrville.

Mr. Theron Williams and Miss Clara Walker were married at Kerrville February 26, Rev. W. R. Hardy, pastor of the First Baptist church in that city officiating. The groom is an efficient employee of the Brown Plumbing Co. of Kerrville, and the bride is the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Walker of Chalk Creek this county. She is a splendid young lady and highly esteemed by all who know her. The happy couple came over and spent a day with the bride's parents, after which they returned to Kerrville to begin house-keeping in a new home recently built by the groom. The New Era joins in congratulations and best wishes for Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Read Frontier Times.

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The "Womanless Wedding."

"To take her for better or for worse," is the promise of the groom and the bridegroom, and he gets it, when the "Womanless Wedding" takes place at the High School Auditorium next Saturday night, March 12, at 8 o'clock. You will laugh some more when you see this side-splitting play, which is to be given by the Alumni of the Bandera High School, for the benefit of the school. The admission will be 15c and 35c.

Picture Show Friday Night.

The picture to be shown at the school auditorium tomorrow night will be "That's My Baby," featuring Douglas MacLean. Don't forget to be there tomorrow night, also

Free Picture Show at Medina.

R. C. Apelt, of Comfort, reports that he will give a free moving picture show at Medina, on Wednesday night, March 16, 1,000 feet of Ku Klux Awakening of Rip Van Winkle, also "The Heelb" per age of Jupiter," historical and educational. He will also give a free demonstration of his method of moving pictures. Mr. Apelt has had considerable experience in radio. This exhibition will also be given at Bandera Friday or Saturday, Mr. Apelt says, after the negro picture show.

Jim Moore Found Unconscious.

Jim Moore, of Ozona, inspector for the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, was found lying unconscious in the street near the Riverside Inn early Monday morning, and in a serious condition.

Early risers in Bandera noticed the bright lights of an automobile standing near the Riverside Inn, but thought nothing of it, as cars are frequently parked on the streets with lights burning. Later the form of a man was seen lying near the car and investigation revealed that it was Mr. Moore. He was carried into the hotel and Drs. Erwin and Butler were called, and gave it as their opinion that he was suffering from ptomaine poisoning. Dr. Erwin carried him to San Antonio Monday afternoon for treatment, but he died today at 8:10 Tuesday morning.

There were absolutely no indications to warrant the opinion that the theory is advanced that his death was due to a cerebral hemorrhage although there were only slight symptoms of such. A post mortem will probably reveal the cause.

Mr. Moore left Menard Monday to come to Bandera. He passed through Kerrville about 1:30 Monday night and talked to parties there, and it is supposed he arrived in Bandera sometime after 3 a. m. In alight-

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Boxing Bout.

Local boxing fans were treated to a thrilling exhibition of the manly art of self defense last Friday night between Jack Dillon of San Antonio and Howard Lackey of Camp Verde. Five rounds were given which both men appeared to good advantage. Dillon is a middle-weight and weighed 160 pounds, and Lackey is a light-heavy weight and weighed 175 pounds. Before and after receiving for some time from injuries sustained several months ago, is preparing to enter the ring again and is training under Dillon and hopes well. He has the fighting qualities although a bit slow, and is determined to pull off a real bout here during the fair, in which Dillon expects to meet some other aspirant for ring honors.

Bandera Scene Wins $1,000.

Among the pictures selected as prize winners in the recent art exhibition of Texas Wild Flower paintings, was a landscape scene by Jose Arpa in Bandera county last summer. Mr. Arpa was awarded a $1,000 prize for the painting, the title of which was "The Pink Verbena." The prize winning picture is now on show at the Avery Hall of the Columbia University.

For picturesque scenery old Bandera county has no equal and only needs the eye of the true artist to discern the beauties of our glorious Hill Country.

On account of the rain last Friday no meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held. The meeting will be held tomorrow (Friday) at 3:30 p.m. at the High School auditorium. Every mother, and the public generally urged to attend.

ing from his car at the River Inn, he is supposed to have fallen, and was unable to rise.

His wife at Ozona was notified by telephone, and started for Bandera at once, and was water bound on the Guadalupe.

Jim Moore was well known to many of our people, having attended school, resided in Kerr county. He was a cousin to Jack Moore, the sheriff of Kerr county, and also a cousin to Mrs. C. A. Bradley of Bandera. He was at one time in the Texas Ranger service and also served several terms as sheriff of Presidio county, Texas, as a genial, whole-hearted gentleman, and highly esteemed by all who knew him.

He was a native of Center Point, but had been living at Ozona several years. He was widely known and was prominent in Masonic circles. He was a member of Junction Lodge No. 48, A. F. & A. M.; San Antonio Consistory Scottish Rite Masons and Alamo Temple Shrine.

Besides his widow, Mrs. L. May Moore of Ozona, he is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mollie Moore of Center Point; two sisters, Mrs. Jim Storms of Roswell and Mrs. Fred Nichols of Harper, and one brother Harry Moore of Sierra Blanca.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon under the auspices of Junction Lodge No. 48, A. F. & A. M., at Center Point.

Preparing for County Meet.

The schools of the county are making preparations for the county Interscholastic Meet, which is to be held at Bandera on Friday and Saturday, March 25 and 26. The events this year are expected to be more diversified than ever, and it is believed that nearly all of the schools will participate.

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Lightning Strikes School.

A bolt of lightning struck the Pipe Creek school house last Monday during the rain and severely shocked the pupils in the room. Miss Ernestine Rohrbach was knocked insensible for a while and received severe burns on one arm and hip, but is recovering. The bolt came into the room on the stove-pipe. It is a miracle that no one was killed.

Car Washed Down.

When he attempted to cross Privilege Creek, which was on a slight rise, Monday afternoon, James Cox came near losing his car and had a narrow escape. The car was washed down stream a short distance. Mrs. Cox was with him at the time, and he carried her to safety, leaving the car in the middle of the creek. Other motorists came along about that time, and assisted in getting the car out of the creek before a greater rise came down.

Mexican Woman Drowned.

Report comes from Tarpley that a Mexican woman was drowned in the Hondo while crossing that stream Monday during a rise. It seems that a party of five Mexicans in an automobile, started to cross the creek, which was not very deep, when the engine stalled. One Mexican went to get help to start the car, and while he was gone a rise came down and struck the car, turning it over. All of the occupants succeeded in getting to the bank except one, a woman about 22 years old, who was drowned. Search was made for the body Monday night without success, but it was found Tuesday morning about twelve miles below where the car was turned over. The Mexicans were from San Antonio, but we did not learn the name of the woman who was drowned.

Young Man Died.

Ray Hollowell, aged 20 years, died on a farm near Bandera Tuesday night at 12:45 o'clock, after an illness of more than two years. He was a victim to tuberculosis, and came to Bandera from Arkansas over a year ago in hopes that he would recover. The remains were shipped yesterday to Russellville, Arkansas, for interment, the body being accompanied by his mother, Mrs. J. L. Hollowell, and brothers. Deceased is survived by his mother, six brothers and two sisters, who have the sympathy of the entire community in their great sorrow.

School Entertainment.

The Literary Society of Pipe Creek School will present a program at the school house, Friday evening, March 11th. A box supper will be given immediately after the program the proceeds to be used for building a stage for the school.

Undergoes An Operation.

Gorum, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lake Gray of Center Point, underwent an operation for appendicitis last Friday at a Kerrville hospital. The little fellow was in a serious condition, but we hope he will soon make good recovery.

Handsome Cover Design.

Frontier Times for April will be issued from the press early next week. It will, as usual, be full of thrilling frontier history, and the issue comes forth dressed in a handsome new cover, the design for which was drawn by Warren Hunter, now publisher of the Harper Herald. Warren's talent for painting and drawing is becoming recognized, and his friends are making the prediction that he will some day become famous in art circles. He has furnished the cover designs for Frontier Times heretofore, all of which were good, but the designs he will furnish us from time to time will be better. This little magazine continues to grow in popularity with the reading public.

May Run for Durham's Seat.

Austin, Texas, March 8.—County Attorney David C. Brown of Medina County, who was in the Texas capitol Tuesday on departmental business, said he was seriously considering a request made by friends to announce as a candidate for Representative from the 77th district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Representative A. J. Durham of Sabinal. Brown intimated that he would make definite decision by the time Governor Moody issues a proclamation for a special election to fill the vacancy.

Grover C. Morris, former member of the Legislature from Medina, now resides in Austin Tuesday on legal business, predicted that Brown would easily carry the district in the special election.

Latest styles in modern dresses and bridal clothes will be in evidence at the "Womanless Wedding," at the High School auditorium Saturday night.

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Hon. A. J. Durham, of Sabinal, died at Austin last Thursday night. Mr. Durham was a member of the legislature from the 77th district, composed of the counties of Dimmit, Zavalla, Uvalde and Medina, and had been a member of the House for three terms.

A bill was passed by the Senate last Monday providing for the payment of license to fish in the streams of Texas. This is a good measure. The bill provide that no license will be required for fishing in county of residence.

The favorable reports coming from the Walker test well at Center Point indicate that that well is likely to be a producer. We hope a gusher will be brought in. If oil is found there, you can just bet that old Bandera county will have many wells drilled, and a great oil field may develop right here at home.

Election of one trustee for Bandera school district will be held on Saturday, April 2. Only one outgoing member this year, and that is John P. Langford. Mr. Langford has made a splendid trustee, and we should re-elect him to serve in that capacity.

History of Southwest Texas is not being neglected. One of the more important movements is sponsored by Sul Ross Normal at Alpine, where the second annual meeting of the West Texas Historical and Scientific Society lately discussed such topics as "Indian Pictographs at Paint Rock" and "Frontier Life in Old Fort Davis." At Kingsville another State normal school has a history club that is proud of its relics of Civil War days, including not only a loom and a spinning-wheel, but also a web of cloth and a dress made from the cloth itself. In Gonzales—rich in historical material—a citizen has collected many valuable relics and has housed them in a private museum. The strongest organization of all, the Texas Folk Lore Society, has compiled legends and history of Southwest Texas which will be valuable to succeeding generations. Its headquarters are in Austin. At Bandera, J. Marvin Hunter is devoting his remaining years to publication of a magazine devoted entirely to stories of frontier life in Texas. So Southwest Texas—the region of the earliest and most stirring scenes in Texas as history—also is supplying the workers who are preserving the records and keeping memories refreshed.—San Antonio Express.

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Val Verde County Herald: The Government has issued a statement showing that out of nearly $3,000,000 stolen by mail bandits since 1921, all of the money except $7,890 has been recovered. It is easier to be honest than crooked, and the after-effects are also better.

The Government might have added that practically all the mail bandits who stole the big money have either been killed or sent to prison for long terms. They not only failed to profit by their dealings, but came in for tremendous loss—loss of life or loss of freedom. Crime is the most unprofitable of all pursuits. A bandit soaks his clear money than a rag peiker, and has less enjoyment in spending what he does make. Honorable success, in a large way or a small way—and the small success is often happier than the large—is available to every normal minded man in America who is willing, as Ed Howe expresses it, to "behave." To behave means to be honest and decent, industrious and sensible. To those who won't behave are unsuccessful in their so-called successes, for bad behavior takes the savor out of success. To behave is a simple exertion.. Any body can behave if he wants to. He can repress his inclinations to misbehave just as readily as he can motivate his inclinations to behave. All he has to do to behave is to refuse to misbehave. Banditry is misbehavior of serious quality. No man has to be a bandit. He makes his choice between misbehaving and behaving, and when that choice is in favor of the former he has only himself to blame when he is compelled to pay the price of his misbehavior. There was a group of young thugs apprehended in New York, who sought to weep their way to acquittal They became known as the crying bandits, because of their ability as weepers in the courtroom. But after they were convicted they stopped crying and began cursing. The sympathy their tears aroused was dissipated in their latter expressions It is better to behave in freedom than to be forced to behave behind the bars.—State Press, Dallas News.

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In Behalf of the Boys.

Today is Friday; a cold dreary day. Today the body of a young man is being interred in the potter's field of this community.—This body is that of the burglar who more than two weeks ago was killed while attempting to rob a place of business in the city. For more than two weeks that body has lain in a local undertaking establishment awaiting positive identification, and waiting to be claimed by someone. Records from the state penitentiary and from the police departments of several of the large cities in Texas, fix his identity in a way, that is they identify the body of a criminal with whom they have had to deal, a criminal whose name they know only as they gave it to them.

The undertaker, always observing the proprieties that should mark the interment of a human body, had a minister come to the undertaking parlors before the interment and perform some religious rites. Nothing, of course, that a minister might say, can, according to the most common creeds of faith in this country, affect the present or future status of this young man. But surely out of the sad circumstances that led the police to such a career of crime, and finally to a tragic end, there are some lessons that ought to be learned.

This young man is somebody's boy. It may be that somewhere in the world there is a fond mother awaiting the return of a son who is to her all that she believes innocent of all crime. Perhaps somewhere a praying mother is hoping that a wayward child will be turned back to her, having eschewed and turned his back upon the ways of sin and degradation. It may be that somewhere a mother has noted the news of the tragic ending and too poor to ascertain beyond doubt whether it is her own son, is grieving herself into the grave. In fact, it may be that many mothers noting the tragic thing are, under circumstances of poverty and unavailability, grieving as only mothers can. It may be that a son's waywardness has driven, with certainty, grieving as only motherly mother into an untimely grave already. But even though there remains not upon this wide earth a single relative, or a single friend, the circumstances of the lonely last trip, the most-tended journey to the potter's field, where covenants sleep for ever in nameless graves, was sad —sad.

Young men who are not mindful of the course in life they are choosing, should think on these things. Youth is spurred by passion and impulses that only youth can restrain or control. Certain problems that confront every young man can only be understood fully in the light of experience. It is certainly true, whatever may be the views that a young man entertains to the contrary, that no one shall reap what we sow. God said no man, nor community, nor nation can slight this unfailing law of life—and by any means escape penalty of God's law.

Many a young man professes the strongest love and respect for his mother and yet, he will do things that will dishonor his mother, that crush her heart in the depth of unspeakable anguish that makes her life itself a living death, and finally brings her, in sorrow unspeakable to the grave.

Young man think of your mother. Think of the sacrifice she has made for you, of the love she has held for you through evil as well as good report. If she is dead, can you afford a course in life that will dishonor her name and show your disrespect for her memory? If she be yet alive, can you afford to lead a life that will deceive her or leave her in doubt as to your honesty of character, integrity and high purpose? Can you afford it? A mother's love is the greatest boon, the most precious treasure, that God has given to man. Think on these things.—Tyler Journal.

Capt. Thos. P. Grant was over from Tarpley last Friday, and informed us that conditions were splendid in his section. Captain Grant is quite an enthusiast on pecan culture, and has promised to give us several articles on the subject, which will be looked forward to by those of our people who are putting out pecan trees. It is gratifying to note that many of our citizens are turning their attention to the planting of pecans, and those who have been growing them for the past few years are meeting with flattering success.

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Center Point Test.

Walker-Van Duyn No. 1 Leigh, in Kerr County at Center Point, Saturday night was drilling at 1,630 feet, and from 1,610 foot has had continuous showings of oil and gas. Drilling was to continue and the last screw Saturday night indicated that the ormation was changing.

The well undoubtedly in the Pennsylvania, of which about 1,000 feet has not been penetrated, and it is thought by some that if shot at 1,610-80 feet it would make at least a small well. Drilling is to continue on the belief that the next sand encountered will be more promising.

Judge Walker, who has had experience in drilling in the North Central Texas fields, where production is in the Pennsylvania, says the formations here in the Kerr County well are in every way similiar. The well is attracting increased interest with the increased favorable showings.

The Wynnless Wedding.

It has generally been believed that a wedding could not take place unless there was a woman in it, but such a wedding is scheduled to occur at the High School Auditorium on Saturday night, March 12. The Alumni of Bandera High School is arranging the wedding, and it is going to be one of the greatest hits of the season. You are cordially invited.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Amasa Clark, deceased. Luey Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Amasa Clark, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at the office in Bandera this the 21st day of February, A. D. 1927.

MRS MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas

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

Whereas, on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1927, John F. Bennett, administrator of the estate of R. L. Bennett, deceased, filed in the County Court of Bandera County his application for the partition of said estate, and alleging that John F. Bennett, Lavaca County, Texas, G. L. Bennett, L. A. Bennett and Mrs. Eunice Reeves of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-seventh share of said estate and that Hobby Bennett, Aimee Bennett and J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama, and Miss Malissa Bennett, now compos mentis, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama are each entitled to a one fourteenth share of said estate and that Doris Stough, Juanita Stough and Sim Tom Stough, minors, whose, guardian is John Stough, of Crenshaw County, Alabama, are each entitled to a one-twenty-one share of said estate; that the guardian of Miss Malessa Bennett is J. W. Bennett of Crenshaw County, Alabama.

Therefore you are hereby commanded to summon and require the said parties above named and all persons interested in said estate, to be and appear before the said County Court at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the courthouse of said Bandera County, in Bandera, on the third Monday in April, A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April, A. D. 1927, then and there to show cause why such partition and distribution should not be made.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness:

MRS MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk of the County Court of Bandera County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Bandera this 5th day of February, A. D. 1927.

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To All Persons Interested in the Welfare of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, Minors, H. E. Rambie has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the Estate of said Minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of such Minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

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To all persons interested in the Estate of C. Anderson, Deceased, Adeline Anderson, has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said C. Anderson, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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You are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. M. L. Surber, Deceased, J. H. Surber has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. M. L. Surber, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 24th day of February A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court Bandera County, Texas.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

POSTED—No hunting with dogs or firearms, no trapping, or any manner of trespassing in any of our fields or pastures will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted. This is fair warning, and violators will do well to heed it.—Mrs. H. C. Wright, John Wright. 3mp

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and years may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to his matter will be appreciated.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires We hope all will renew promptly.

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No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or other timber allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences. —Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

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Maxwell House Coffee 3lb ...$1.44	50c K. C. Baking Powder 40c
Maxwell House Coffee 1lb 48c	5lb. K. C. Baking Powder 65c
Fancy Santos Peaberry 3lbs 1lb A. & H. Soda ...8c	25c K. C. Baking Powder 20c
Rio Coffee, lb ...24c	Shortening, 8lb Pail ...$1.19
Lipton's Tea ½ lb ...23c	Shortening 4lb Pail ...61c
Mother's Aluminum Oat-meal ...27c	Snowdrift, 8lb. Pail ...$1.62
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KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Tom Thumb Wedding
Pipe Creek School House,
Friday Evening, March 11th
CHARACTERS

Maxine Richards	Bride.
Calvin Callahan	Groom.
Dorothy Hirsch	Maid of Honor.
Eva Heisler	Matron of Honor.
Emil Backhaus	Best Man.
Elberta Hirsch	Bridesmaid.
Ethel Lewis	Bridesmaid.
Arlie Roede	Bridesmaid.
Fay Mentzel	Bridesmaid.
Emagene Canafax	Flower Girl.
Doris Hirsch	Flower Girl.
Alvin Woods	Usher.
Merritt Stevens	Usher.
Junior Richards	Usher.
Alton Hodges	Usher.
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Wedding Guests.	

Bandera Theater
Friday Night, March 11th
"That's My Baby"
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Dee Chipman has returned from Edinburg.

R. E. Buck, of Pipe Creek was a Bandera visitor last Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans, near Medina March 1, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harper were in San Antonio last Thursday.

Miss Fern Hay spent several days the past week with friends in Kerrville.

List your property with Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man. He will find you a buyer.

See the "Womanless Wedding" at the Bandera High School Auditorium Saturday night.

M. R. Thalmann went to San Antonio Monday to spend several days there, taking treatment from a specialist.

Hon. T. P. Walker, auditor for the Department of Education, was here from Austin this week on official business.

Postmaster Fred A. Mansfield has been quite ill with influenza this week, which confined him to his room for several days.

Mrs. Tom Gray and her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Berry, went to San Antonio Tuesday, where Mrs. Berry took treatment for her home at Melvin Arkansas.

Frank Billings last week purchased 150 goats from parties in the Utopia region and has moved them to the Mitt Nichols place on Privilege.

We have a 1926 Model Ford Touring car, balloon tires, in good shape. Price $250. Bandera Chevrolet Co.

Robert Holt, who sustained a broken shoulder in an auto accident a few days ago is reported to be getting along nicely. Dr. Stevens is in attendance at the Carmichael residence.

Report comes that Delbert Hicks, of near Tarpley, is a papa. A pretty baby girl arrived to bless his home about two weeks ago and Delbert is now trying to learn baby talk.

Judge J. A. Eames made a business trip to San Antonio Monday. Returning home he was water-bound for several hours at Bandera Creek, which was on a big rise from the heavy rains.

Rev. T. F. Sessions will preach at the Methodist church here Saturday night at 7:30, and Medina Sunday at 11 a. m. and hold the second quarterly conference Sunday afternoon at Medina. The public cordially invited.

Mrs. Tom Gray has as her guest her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Berry, of Melvin, Arkansas. Mrs. Bursy is delighted with Bandera, and before returning to her home last Tuesday announced that she would come and spend next winter here.

W. D. Smithers, the photographer, was here Monday en route to his home in San Antonio. Last week he started from Bandera to Mason and had a serious break-down near Bluff, and was forced to leave his automobile there until he could get the necessary parts from San Antonio. He went up Sunday and when the repairs were made he came through Bandera Monday en route home.

The New Era office was favored last Saturday with a visit from the following ladies, of St. Mary's Hall in San Antonio. Miss Ruth Coit, head of the school, Miss Dorothy Hirshfield, Miss Jovita Gonzales, Miss Katharine Lee, and Miss Vida L. Black. This was their first visit to Bandera and the ladies were delighted with our picturesque region and stated that they would return during the summer.

Don't miss the "Womanless Wedding," at the High School auditorium next Saturday night.

WANT COLUMN

RED TOP CANE SEED for sale at $1.00 per bushel.—Chas. Eckhart. ...3tp

WANTED TO BUY—A team of gentle work horses, some second hand plow tools, a good second hand wagon, several pigs from one to three months old, a dozen turkey hens and a gobbler, and about fifty good mannie goats. Write F. Richards, Pipe Creek stating what you have and price.

WANTED—Sheep and goats on shares, and cattle to pasture.—Frank J. Heinen, Medina, at Forest place. ...3tp

MOORMAN'S CLEAN-SWEEP and GROFAST for sheep and goats. Sold by R. T. Holdcomb, Medina, Texas. Independent phone. ...6c28tfc

VIOLIN FOR SALE—In splendid condition, with box and case. Price $25. Can be seen at New Era office.

FOR SALE—Ford Oldsmobile, Chevrolet, Ford Trucks, one Harley Davidson Motorcycle, Delco lighting Plant, cheap.—L. A. Pool, Comfort, Texas.

BALED CANE in the head, delivered in Bandera. See Oscar W. Perner.

SHOE SALE
I have 257 pairs of shoes and slippers to close out at very great savings to my customers.—Sylvester Adamson.

Joe Villemain, of Pipe Creek, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bassett and son, Hugo, of Wiman's Creek visited relatives at Sisterdale last Saturday.

Walter Godkin and daughter, Miss Juanita, accompanied by Mrs. Callahan, were up from Pipe Creek region yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker and family, of Kerrville, spent last Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Walker, Sr., of Chalk Creek.

John Dunlap was up from Pipe Creek Monday on business. He dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era and Post-Dispatch. Says Era and Post-Dispatch. Says things are lovely in his backwoods and the range is in fine shape.

Mrs. T. S. Dennis is agent for the Mid-West Hosiery Co. Hosiery for the whole family for sale from a sample room, representing a stock of $7,000 worth of hosiery. These goods are strictly guaranteed by the company.

The two young men who were arrested and taken to Hondo last week on a cattle theft charge had a hearing at that place last Saturday and were granted bail in the sum of $500 each, to await the action of the Medina county grand jury.

Rev. R. W. Merrill, pastor of First Baptist church at Kerrville, will occupy the pulpit in the Bandera Baptist church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Merrill is a splendid preacher and his discourse Sunday morning will be good to hear. The public cordially invited.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morgan of Frost, Texas, are visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Akin.

Mrs. Gourley visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Justice last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Addley and little girl spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Justice and were accompanied home by Mrs. Addley's Mother, Mrs. Gourley.

Fred Sherrill and family visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Sherrill, last week.

Mrs. E. R. Wyatt, of Mason Creek, spent last week-end with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Gallant. Mrs. Gallant has been quite sick for several days with flu.

Mrs. Percy Pue is very sick with flu.

Mrs. Crist Lackey and little girl, Edna, and Miss Ione Sutherland are visiting in Port Arthur.

Miss Donna Mayfield has returned from Austin where she has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Marvin Evans.

Last week Gus Burris of Austin visited his relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hilfield.

Presiding Elder Sessions preached here Sunday morning.

Rev. Sessions and wife and Rev. B. J. Gasset and Mr. Street Hudspeth attended church and quarterly conference here Sunday.

County Meet Postponed.
On account of the epidemic of measles prevalent here at this time it has been decided to postpone the County Interscholastic League Meet from March 25th and 26th to Friday and Saturday, April 1st and 2nd.

Mrs. Otto Weltner Dead.
We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Otto Weltner, which occurred at her ranch home near Camp Verde Monday. She was the wife of Otto Weltner, and besides her husband is survived by several sons. Burial was at Comfort Tuesday, we understand. Particulars of her death are lacking, but we hope to obtain same for next week's issue of the New Era. Mrs. Weltner was a splendid woman, and loved by all who knew her. The bereaved husband and family have our heartfelt sympathy in the great sorrow which has come upon them so suddenly.

Hand Injured in Saw.
C. S. Briant, who lives on Privilege Creek, had his hand seriously injured in a wood saw last Saturday. The left hand was considerably mangled, necessitating the amputation of one finger. Dr. Butler treated his injuries and he is getting along very nicely.

Gasoline Tax Passed
Austin, Tex., March 16.—The gasoline tax bill went to the Governor Tuesday night after the House had finally concurred in Senate amendment in an effort to gain a compromise on the license fee bill.

As the bill goes to the Governor, it provides a tax of 3 cents per gallon until Sept. 1, 1929, and a 2 cent tax thereafter. Members of the conference committee on the motor license fee bill indicated that they would be able to get together on a compromise on the fee measure which would not change the terms materially, except that the counties would be given more freedom in handling their shares of the fees.

Conferees got together again Tuesday night on the latter measure with the promise, Representative Wallace told the House, that the Fairchild Senate amendment will be relinquished. It would take administration of county road funds from the commissioners courts and vest it in the county highway engineer, or the nearest district engineer in the absence of a county engineer. This provision provoked strenuous objection in the House.

If the tax provisions of the bill be retained, however, the horsepower repeal proposed originally by the House, will be retained, and motorists will not save much in their license fees. Counties, however, will be given 30 per cent of the weight tax.

Estimated additional highway and school revenue that the bills will yield, if enacted as they now stand, is $10,000,000 next year. As the House sent the bills to the Senate, an increase of only $6,000,000 was contemplated, by reason of the proposed repeal of the 1½ cent horsepower tax.

Kerr County Test is Drilling at 1,930
Walker-Van Buyn's No. 1 Leigh in Kerr County at Center Point Tuesday morning was drilling in lime at 1,930 feet, and has had continuous showings of oil in the lime since 1,510 feet. The lime is hard and compact, and only about 45 to 50 feet is made by cable tools in a day working two tours.

The formation is Pennsylvanian and the same nature as in the North Central Texas fields, where under similar conditions if shot it would make a well. Drilling is to continue till formations change. Judge Walker is looking for a break and expects to get sand or shale under the lime and with the showing of oil in the lime if sand or shale is found beneath it, the expectation is that it would carry oil.

The Womanless Wedding.
The "Womanless Wedding," presented at the High School Auditorium by the Bandera High School Alumni last Saturday night was a very humorous and interesting play. A large crowd was in attendance, the door receipts amounting to about $63.00, which goes to the school.

All the characters in the play were boys in girls' attire. The blushing bride was Howard Eckhart, a lanky six-footer, while the groom was Master Mack Little, whose height was less than four feet. The best man was Bill Jones, (Russell Irving), Jake Short, as Jaramelo Lee, was a sight to behold. He wore a black and white embroidered dress, and with lips and cheeks painted he looked very much like an old maid of the vintage of 1892. With the bride's flapper sister, Marcellus Rambie, as Mary Lou Lee, he rendered a voiceless duet, that is, these boys went through the motion of singing "Two Little Girls in Blue," but the voices were recognized by the audience as belonging to Mrs. Tom Gray and her little daughter Louise. Miss Glayda Croisdale played the Wedding March from Lohengrin, and the groom and his best man approached from one side of the auditorium, while the bride, leaning upon the arm of her aged father, Jeremiah White (Rhea Mansfield), and preceeded by the flower girls, Rosie Love and Daisy Sweet (Allie Thallman and Bennie Schleicher) came marching down the isle, and the bride and groom met at the altar. Miss Sylvia Brown (Burgin Davenport) the rejected girl, set up a doleful weeping and wailing as the preacher proceeded to perform the ceremony, and was tenderly comforted by Miss Penelope Soothsayer, (George Lane), a dear friend.

Miss Eunice Thornton, (Bruce Mansfield) was the maid of honor. Maudie B. Gump, (Raymond Hicks) was ring bearer. The bride's mother was Mrs. Jeremiah White (Jesse Kutzer). Lending fun to the occasion was the negro nurse, Cynthia Ann, (Erle Mansfield), and her baby Anthracite (Opy Herman Mansfield) and the White Man's Baby, Sonny White (Walton Hicks), who kept the nurse busy chasing after them as they crawled around over the floor, or fought over a bottle of milk.

When Parson Snodgrass (Marvin Hunter, Jr.,) came forward to unite in the bonds of insignificant blessedness the groom, Thomas Jefferson Washington Lee and the bride, Miss Lallapalooser Lily White, the audience sat quiet and only the sobs of the rejected girl, who wanted to be the bride herself, was heard. In a solemn and melancholy voice the parson began:

"Wilt thou take her for thy pard,
For better or for worse?
To have, to hold, to fondly guard,
Till hauled off in a hearse?

Wilt thou let her have her say,
Consult her many wishes,
Make up the fire every day,
And help her wash the dishes?

Wilt thou buy her all the snuff,
She in her little box can pack,
Buy her shoes, and extra cuff,
And feed her on hard tack?
Wilt thou comfort and support
Her good and aged mother?
Aid Jemima, Uncle John,
Thirteen sisters, and a brother?"

After which the groom feebly murmured, "I wilt!"

Similar obligations were imposed upon the blushing bride, and the parson had them to join hands, and by the great Horn Spoon and the Bacon Rind he pronounced them "man and wife."

The groom was dressed in the conventional black, and was about the cutest and handsomest little fellow to get "married" in these parts for a long time. After the ceremony the bride caught the groom in her arms and lifted him up and almost smothered him with kisses, while the old maid sister and the flapper sister showered the best man, the parson, and the other attendants with fond hugs and kisses.

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LIMA LINES

Mrs. John Adams, Ola Belle Rickard, Sadie and Inez Miller, from Tuff were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grun, of San Antonio, visited Mr. John and Miss Pearl Miller last week.

Miss Lee Anna Sutton is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sutton.

Joe Newcomer and daughter, Miss Mattie Mae, visited in the S. A. Keese home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. [illegible] Pennell of D[illegible] Sunday.

J. R. Higdon and son, Everett, of Hyman, visited John Dale Sunday.

Will Austin and children came over from Kerrville to visit relatives here Sunday.

Some excellent road work is being done in this community this week.

There will be a pie supper at the Lima school house Saturday night, March 19th. Every body invited.

Appointed Game Warden.
Dan Rugh has received the appointment as game warden for Bandera and Real counties, and entered upon his duties last week. The appointment of Mr. Rugh meets with general satisfaction, for he has served in this capacity before, and demonstrated his ability in this respect. For some months Bandera county has been without a game warden, and the appointment of a resident warden is just what our people wanted. There is a closed season on catching any kind of fish in Bandera and Real counties before May 1, and those who are inclined to go fishing these beautiful spring-like days are reminded that the law will be enforced if violated.

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The First National Bank of Bandera

District Attorney Resigns.
Kerrville, Tex., March 11.—William C. Baker, district attorney of the 38th Judicial District, comprising the counties of Kerr, Kendall, Bandera, Medina, Uvalde, Zavala and Real, announced Friday that his resignation was in the hands of Gov. Dan Moody.

Baker was first elected in 1924 and was re-elected without opposition in the primaries last July. He gave as his reason for resigning a desire to retire for four years prior to his to private practice in Kerrville. election, Baker was engaged in private practice in this city. He came to Kerrville in 1919 for the benefit of his health and at that time was judge of the 23rd district court in Louisiana, a position he held for four years. Prior to this service he was district attorney of the Louisiana districts for a number of years.

The resigned official made a splendid record as a prosecutor in the 38th Judicial District. In his last capital case the Pat Forest murder trial transferred to Kerr from Bandera County, he gained a conviction and life term.—San Antonio Express.

Mrs. C. A. Taylor Dead.
Mrs. J. W. Cox received a telegram from Van Nuys, California, last Thursday announcing the death of Mrs. C. A. Taylor at Van Nuys on that date. Mrs. Taylor was well known among the older settlers here, having lived in this county for about thirty years before moving to California some thirteen years ago. Two years ago, in company with her husband, she attended the Old Settlers' Reunion at Bandera. The news of her death will be received with sadness by all who knew her.

Burris Sells Burber Place.
C. C. Burris has sold the property known as the Surbey Place near the cemetery to Mrs. Eliza Reitzer and her daughter, Miss Annie Reitzer, for a consideration of, it is reported $5500. This is a choice suburban property, consisting of about 74 acres of good land and a nice dwelling. The new owners have already taken possession and will reside on the property.

Notice to Teachers.
I shall be glad for the teachers who contemplate entering pupils in the Music Memory Contest at the County Meet to notify me. I want also your preference as to the instrument I shall use. The State Department gives me my choice. Thank you.—Mrs. Canafax, County Director of Music Memory Contest.

Appointed District Attorney.
K. K. Woodley, of Sabinal, has been appointed District Attorney of the 38th Judicial District to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of W. C. Baker of Kerrville. Governor Dan Moody made the appointment last Friday, and Mr. Woodley enters upon his duties at once.

Buys A. Halamuda Place.
J. W. Hamilton, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, this week closed a deal for the Anton Halamuda place near the cemetery, and will shortly move his family back to good old Bandera. The property consists of a neat residence, about six acres of land; and we understand the consideration was around $2700. Mr. Hamilton left Bandera county some twenty-five or thirty years ago and moved to New Mexico. Last year he and his wife came to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion, and they decided to return to the old home to spend the rest of their days. Two weeks ago Mr. Hamilton arrived to buy a place, with the result above stated. He will return to Carlsbad in a few days to arrange his affairs to move to Bandera.

A Good Show.
Gorman Brothers' big tent show has been holding the boards in Bandera this week, playing Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights to fair sized crowds. This is a good show and deserves the patronage of our people. Moving picture, vaudeville, trapeze acts, contortionist acts, and other features are included in the daily programs. Only clean comedy is permitted. Good music, and all the side trimmings that go to make up a good road show are introduced. Those who have attended the show at Bandera and at other places have only highest praise for Gorman Brothers.

Gorman Bros. will show at Pipe Creek tonight, tomorrow night, and Saturday night. Beginning next Monday night at Medina they will show there every night next week.

Measles Appear.
This community is in the midst of a seige of measles, several cases having appeared during the past week. The disease is in comparatively mild form, and it is anticipated that the epidemic will soon pass.

School Closed for a Few Days.
Bandera High School has been closed for a few days on acount of the measles which is epidemic in Bandera at this time. It is believed the epidemic will soon run its course.

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The mesquite trees are "putting out," which is said to be a sure sign that Spring is here. The livestock are "shedding" which is another good sign of the advent of Spring. But Gainesborne says we'll have some cold weather yet, and frost in April. All of which leaves us in a state of uncertainty. We are undecided about taking down our office stove.

The Comfort News issued a twelve page edition last Thursday in celebration of its twenty-third birthday. The edition was well patronized by business firms of Comfort, Boerne, Center Point, Kerrville, and Fredericksburg. The News, under the able management of Mrs. George Belsey, is a splendid paper, and Comfort is to be congratulated in having such a representative publication.

Excenting a surprise move, House preponents of the Love amnesty repeal bill affecting former Governor James E. Ferguson, Monday night called it up and got it finally passed, 78 to 25 about the same majority by which it was engrossed after a bitter fight earlier Monday. The bill already has passed the Senate. The statute which the Governor's signature is expected finally to wipe off the books, was designed to remove civil disabilities imposed on Ferguson when he was impeached as Governor in 1917. Governor Dan Moody is expected to sign the repeal. As Attorney General he declared the amnesty act unconstitutional. The bill will go Friday to the desk of Governor Dan Moody who defeated Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, during Governor's re-election. It was during her administration that political citizenship was restored to the impeached former Governor, her husband, by an act of the Legislature.

In the death of Hon. A. J. Durham of Sabinal the State of Texas lost a faithful and loyal representative, a man who held the respect of his fellow workers and one who conscientiously did his duty for his state and constituents. For years he had worked hard to bring about a needed reformation in our primary election laws. He almost saw the success of his work which will yet be completed. He also gave much of his time and energy to bring about the creation of a junior college at Uvalde, but one only suppose in death as one thing for the benefit of the boys and girls of this section. Honorable and upright in his daily life he was the class of representative that Texas needed and his loss is to be deplored. However, we consolidate in that his work has not been in vain and will continue to bear fruit. At his home town of Sabinal and in his native county of Uvalde his years had been devoted for the upbuilding of the community and the development in this section. He was courteous and friendly, never shirking his part in anything that was of benefit for church, state or school and the record made will stand as a monument to his memory for many years to come. A. J. Durham did his best—which is the highest of all eulogies.—Uvalde Leader-News.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

Keep Your Eye On The Peddler.

The merchants of certain sections of the country, are beginning to discuss the possibilities of selling goods over the air. In Boston fifteen department stores and specialty stores have established an "air shopping news service." It apears that their aim is to tell the women of Boston the truth about the peddling business. No doubt, in Boston, like in all other cities, the peddler releases his imagination when describing the quality and value of his goods. This wouldn't be so bad but when he comes to making comparisons with the merchants qualities and prices, the average peddler is inclined to outright lying. The buying public should be very careful in giving its money orders to traveling hot-air merchants. Not all of them are crooks, but we will say this, that a great many crooks are in that line of business.

Peddling offers one of the most fruitful means of getting money quickly and easily. Peddlers still discover how the public really is and he soon learns to play upon their gullibility. Millions of dollars has been paid to peddlers, on which no returns were ever received by the customer, and no satisfaction was derived by writing to the house represented by the peddler, if perchance the peddler left a receipt giving the correct name and address of the concern he represents which in most cases when he turns crook he doesn. he repres-Ex.

What is a Dairy Cow Worth?

How much can a farmer afford to pay for a good dairy cow, or what valuation should he place on his good producers? A study of the summary and average of all of the cows (7,654) which completed a year's record in forty Iowa cowtesting associations last year, shows that the profits from different cows, after paying all feed costs, varied from $117 to $191 per cow.

The cows which produced an average of only 100 pounds of butter fat in a year required only $35.67 worth of feed, while those producing an average of 500 pounds of butte fat had a feed bill of $83.71.

Despite the higher feed cost, the 500-pound producers made a profit over feed cost of $191.72, while the 100-pound cows returned only $117.22 after paying the feed bill.

The records and feed costs of cows in between the 100 and 500-pound producers show that as production increased, the profits increased even though the feed bills steadily grew larger. Cows producing 200 pounds of butter fat in a year made $98 of profit, while those producing only 300 returned but $55 of profit.

These records show that in some instances $200 may not be enough fo a good grade dairy cow, but that even $50 might be too much for another. The good cow may return twice as much for every dollar of feed she eats as will the poor cow. When the whole lifetime production of a cow is considered, one good cow, well fed, may be worth a whole herd of inferior producers.

The New Era editor acknowledges receipt of a kind invitation from the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, and also from the Fiesta Jacinto Association, to attend a dinner and show to be given jointly by these organizations on April 22.

NOTICE

That all leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

82-Mile Race by Indians.

Austin, Texas, March 12—The feature event of the 32nd annual Texas relay games which will be staged in Austin March 25 is not only attracting Nation-wide attention, but is attracting the attention of the entire sport world of Mexico. The event referred to is the gruelling endurance race that will be staged by three native Indians from Chihuahua, Mexico, who will run the entire distance from San Antonio to Austin, a length of eighty-two miles.

Upon receipt of the invitation sent the athletic authorities of Mexico to enter their Indians in an exhibition run at the Texas relays, Mexico officials immediately set about to training the Tarahumara Indians to participate in the feature event. Recently, in accordance with the training schedule, a big trial meet was staged to select the runners that would stage the exhibition. The trial exhibition was the biggest race ever held among the Indians, as over fifteen villages entered some of their best specimenens.

With the three Indians selected to run the marathon between San Antonio and Austin, Mexican authorities are still insistent that the best runners of the tribe have been selected, as they feel that the best runners are never seen anywhere near the village. No civilized people can get close enough to talk to them. However, the men selected to run in the Texas relays are expected to be even better runners than those who made such a wonderful record in Mexico City last November, at which time they ran a sixty-two-mile race.

Practically every one of the schools that entered teams or men in the Texas relays last year will again be represented. A host of new schools have already signified their intentions to be listed among the schools competing.

The University of Kansas has entered men in both the speech events and relays. Fisher, inclement weather has prohibited the Jayhawkers from doing much in the way of practicing. Coach Huff of that school is expected the boys to show up with lots of improvement for the games.

Michigan State College will probably enter a sprint and a medley relay team in the Texas relays, according to recent information received from Ralph Young, director of athletics at that school.

The University of Missouri will again enter an enviable list of athletes therein. Though not sure of how many athletes the Missouri institution will enter this year, Director Brewer of that school has already promised that he will send at least three men for special events and also the best relay team at the school.

Sign On An Automobile.

A significant warning was flashed from the rear of an automobile passing through Lewisville a few days ago.

As is the custom, practically every car carries a placard of some kind or another, bearing some kind of cryptic wording. In the main, the phrases are more or less meaningless. Every now and then, however, there is one which stands out for its originality and force of meaning.

The particular sentence carried by this car was: "Speed on big boy, hell ain't half full."

The careful driver who values the life and property of others this slogan has no meaning, as well as the safety of himself. However, to the fellow who puts his car to the utmost speed whenever he gets out for a ride, and apparently utterly disregards the rights of others on the road, the sign is very significant. Sooner or later disaster overtakes him. The result may be fatal to himself, maybe to some other innocent party, or it may result in disablement. Then again it may not be of a serious nature at all. Nevertheless trouble is lurking ahead of him, and so long as he continues to disregard the rules and courtesies of the road he is toying with death.

A sign like the one referred to is calculated to make such folks as these stop and think. It is hoped so, at least.—Lewisville Enterprise.

The fence around the Bandera county court house is being set out to the street line on the southwest side, and will add attractiveness to the court yard. Now when we hestir ourselves and make a park inside of the enclosure we will have aken a forward step.

Reunited After 20 Years.

A strange coincidence came to light here last week in the meeting of two elderly De Leon ladies. They had not seen each other for twenty years. But the length of time is not the strangest part of the story. The remarkable feature of this story is that these sisters lived just three blocks from each other for two years lacking two or three days and neither knew the other was here.

Mrs. H. Cuddell, aged 72, mother of Mrs. D. A. Stephens and of Hardy Cuddell, came with the Stephens family to De Leon from Childress on February 15, 1925. On exactly the same day, February 15, 1925, Mrs. Ellen Eads, who is 81 years of age, and mother of Mrs. P. B. Shiro, came from Dallas to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Shiro. Mrs. Eads lives with the Shiro family at De Leon Bakery. Mrs. Cuddell lives with Mrs. Stephens on the first block directly west of the De Leon North Ward school. There is just one block and a street lying between the two residences. And these two good women lived here almost two years without either knowing her sister was almost within calling distance.

They were brought together through a chance mention of the name of Cuddell by Mrs. Eads' daughter, Mrs. Shiro, was calling at the Haynes home. As soon as Mrs. Shiro hears the name she recognizes it as that of her relatives. She went immediately and took her mother to the other. Within twenty minutes the elderly ladies were happily reunited.—De Leon Free Press.

The Wells-bill, requiring males more than 21 years old to have a fishing license to fish in any county except that of their residence was engrossed and finally passed by the House.

The bill imposes a fishing license of $1.10 to fish outside of the county of residence for Texas citizens and $5 a year for non-residents and aliens. Fishermen using artificial lure are required to pay a license fee even if they fish only in their own county.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, March 18 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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Walker & Van Duyn No. 1 Well.

Still carrying showings of oil, the Walker & Van Duyn No. 1 well on the W. B. Leigh farm near Center Point Wednesday at noon was down 19 a depth of 1,750 feet.

Since Wednesday of last week the drill has been in a hard limestone formation, heavily impregnated with oil. Beneath the rock strata, which has been penetrated 125 feet, geologists believe a sand will be encountered that will bring in a producer.

Representatives of the major production companies have visited the test well during the past week and all of them have expressed the opinion that a new oil field will be brought in within the next few days. It has been proven conclusively that the Center Point well is now being drilled in the Pennsylvania series which has produced the largest oil wells in Texas. Shells and fossil formations found in the hard lime have cleared up all doubt about granite being in the Center Point area and has added scientific basis to the belief that oil underlies the territory.

A night drilling crew was added Tuesday and operations on the Walker-Van Duyn well are being rushed forward.

The well is located in Section 38, between the Southern Pacific tracks and the Guadalupe River.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

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The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Amasa Clark, deceased.

Lucy Clark has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Amasa Clark, deceased. Said application, and said Will for letters testamentary, which will be heard at next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at the office in Bandera this the 21st day of February, A. D. 1927.

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To the Welfare of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, Minors, H. E. Rambie has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application fo Letters of Guardianship upon the Estate of said Minors, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

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To all persons interested in the Estate of C. Anderson, Deceased, Adeline Anderson, has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said C. Anderson, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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Nearly 200 Schools to Participate

Austin, Texas, March 16—Reports from nearly 200 schools which will participate in county meets within the next month are in the hands of Roy Bedichek, chief of the Interscholastic League Bureau of the Extension Division of the University of Texas.

Employees of the bureau are busy at the present time mailing out 8,000 silent reading tests and 8,000 arithmetic tests for use in the "three R" contests of the county meets, 4,000 entry blanks for use by member schools, and 5,000 music memory score cards, Extemporaneous speaking and essay writing contests are also being prepared at this time.

Denying current rumors to the effect that baschall is to be added to the program of the League, and been seriously considered, Mr. Bedichek stated that although the addition of this sport the contests would come near the end of the school year to be practicable.

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Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

To Live in Dormitories.

Austin, Texas, March 16.—All freshman girls attending the University of Texas will be required to live in dormitoses beginning with the fall session of 1927-28, unless living with their parents or persons approved by the University dean of women. It is believed that the girls can live better safeguarded and that they can more easily become a part of the University student body if housed in this manner.

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Harold Lewis appeared before Justice of the Peace Herman Harper last Monday and plead guilty to a charge of drunkenness, and was fined $10 and costs, which totaled $21.50.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Harris, of San Antonio, were here Saturday and Sunday on a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mr. J. M. Hunter, Marvin Hunter, Jr., Miss Rachel Hunter and Miss Lora Thallman visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter at Harper last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Davis were up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with home folks.

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Miss Rachel Hunter is spending a few days with Per h other Warren Hunter, and wife at Harper.

Picture Show Friday Night.

The feature picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night will be "No Man's Gold," starring Tom Mix and his wonder horse, Tony. This is one of the best Tom Mix pictures and will delight you. An added attraction is the radio demonstration by Mr. K. C. Apelt of Comfo t, who will show 4,000 feet of film under the title of "The Awakening of Rip Van Winkle," and "The Heritage of Jupiter." No advance in prices.

Warehouse Association at Utopia.

A warehouse association has been organized at Utopia to be known as the Utopia Ranch and Farm Association. H. V. Smith and J. V. Porter are in charge of the new concern, which starts out with a capital of $1 000. The purpose of the organization is to handle wool and mohair and other products on a co-operative basis, and it is expected that most of the ranchmen in that section will become identified with it and it will steadily grow.

Miss Zella Mae Price is ill with measles this week.

Burgin Davenport is down with the measles.

Miss Ione Fuller has been quite ill for several days.

Chester McCaleb, of Helotes, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Stevens and little son were in from the ranch Tuesday.

The usual monthly se sion of Commissioners' Court was held last Monday.

J. A. Haby and son, L. B. Haby, were here from Utopia Tuesday on business.

Judge and Mrs. J. A. Eanes and Mrs. J. O. Butler visited San Antonio Tuesday.

Miss Bess Campbell, one of the primary teachers in Bandera High School, has been quite ill this week.

Mrs. Alice Bolton and grandson, Harold Wagner, of San Antonio, were the guests of Mrs. J. E. Chisum last Sunday.

The residence occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Mark McIlroyde has been given a neat coat of paint and otherwise improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Perner and little son, of Castroville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perner Saturday and Sunday.

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LOST—On street a green fountain pen, without the cap. Finder please return to this office. It belongs to a school girl.

Mrs. Pete Pyle and little children, Dorothy Angeline and Charles, are spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Jeff Gray in San Antonio.

Visitors at Walter Godkin's Spicewood Springs ranch last Sunday were Misses Amelia and Mary Perez, Ray Laralde, and Leo Godkin, all of San Antonio.

Commissioners J. V. Porter of Vanderpool and R. C. Boales of Tarpley were here Monday to attend commissioners' court, and paid this office an appreciated visit while in the city.

The Epworth League members enjoyed a weiner roast on the river Friday night. The young folks played games and had good telling contests, and altogether spent a very pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Boehme and little son, Oscar, were up from the ranch last Saturday and paid the New Era sanctum an appreciated visit. Mr. Boehme renewed his subscription to the little old home paper for another year.

L. A. Heder was down from Medina last Thursday and called to renew his subscription to the Frontier Times, also place an ad in our Want Column offering for sale settings of Rhode Island Red eggs. Mr. Heder showed us a hen's egg which he found in one of his nests which is entitled to be a prize winner. The egg was considerably larger than a turkey egg, and measured 7 ½ inches around one way and 6 ½ inches around the other way.

Mrs. Carroll, who has been spending the past several months with her daughter, Mrs. R. N. Hicks, will leave in a few days for New York, where she will remain awhile. During her stay in Bandera Mrs. Carroll has made many friends, and has assisted in social and religious functions. She is a delightful, entertainer and a gifted artist, her readings and vocal selections before Bandera audiences being much appreciated and enjoyed.

Mr. Mattie Jones returned last Thursday from a visit to her son, Bill Jones and wife at Yates, Kimble county. She spent several weeks there and had a most enjoyable visit. Bill Jones brought her home, but hit the road back to Yates immediately for fear it would rain on him before he got home. That was his excuse, but we have it on good authority that Bill thought his mother would put him to chopping wood or cutting the weeds in the back lot if he stayed over a day.

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FOR SALE—Used Oldsmobile, Chevrolet, Ford Trucks, one Harley Davi son Motorcycle, Delco Lighting Plant, cheap.—L. A. Faust, Comfort, Texas.

BALED CANE in the head, delivered in Bandera. See Oscar W. Perner.

PLANTS FOR SALE—Cabbage, Kohl Rabe, Cauliflower, Tomato, 100, 35c. Also Flowering Annuals, Sweet Herbs, Peppers, Egg Plants later.—Mrs. H. Schulze, Kerrville, Texas.

FOR SALE—Eggs from pen of special mated pullets and cockerels of Single Comb Rhode Island Reds, $2.00 per setting.—L. A. Heder, Medina, Texas. Independent pen. 2tp

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MEDINA

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McMahon and little boy, Louis, of Post Texas, are visiting Mr. McMahon's uncle, Wm. McMahon, and family.

Jim McMahon, of Lubbock, is visiting his brother, Wm. McMahon, and family.

Mrs. Joe Finney and little girl have returned from a visit to San Marcos.

Miss Arvine Mitchell, of San Antonio, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Mitchell, last week.

Miss Vivian Robertson and brother, John, of Fredericksburg, spent last week-end with Wm McMahon and family.

Fletcher Pate, Sr., has a new radio.

Mrs. Bob Bruce and daughters of San Antonio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Pate.

Mrs. W. H. H. Davis spent last Saturday with Mrs. Wm. Hatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kelly and son, Marcus, were Kerrville visitors Monday.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Oliff Adams, March 15, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lawson and Henry Adams were hostesses in the home of the latter to the Social Benefit Association Monday night. This is comparatively a new organization in Medina, but is growing both in interest and new members. Numerous and very amusing games were enjoyed, after which most delicious cake, coffee and punch were served to about twenty-five guests.

Aged Lady Dies.

Mrs. Sa n Waclowczyk, aged 87 years, died yesterday morning at the home of her son, John Waclowczyk, near Bandera, and will be buried today in the Catholic cemetery. Rev. Father P. J. Bourn to conduct the funeral services.

Deceased was the widow of the late Frank Waclowczyk, who died twelve years ago. She is survived by two sons and two daughters, John and Henry ltz, and Mrs. Kate Waclowczyk of Bandera. She was born in Poland and came to this country when quite young. In her passing we lose another of our pioneer women, a good mother and a faithful friend. The New Era extends condolence and sympathy to the bereaved family.

Measles Epidemic Abating.

The epidemic of measles, which appeared in this community some ten days ago, seems to be passing, only two or three new cases being reported this week. Those who were afflicted are making good recovery, and it is expected that the siege will soon be a thing of the past.

A Good Line-Up.

Manager Don McManus, of the Bandera Theater, informs us that he has signed a contract for twenty-seven popular pictures of the very latest productions, for showing here during the next few months. Among them are included the family favorite, the popular Western stars, Fred Thompson, the man who has the big white horse, "Silver King;" Tom Tyler, and Hoot Gibson. And he has also secured several pictures starring the famous police dog, "Ranger." Moving picture show patrons are promised some delightful entertainment here during the spring and summer, for Mr. McManus is determined to give his audiences the best programs obtainable.

Ozona Flies Big Kite

Ozona, Tex., March 22.—The monster kite, 40 feet high, built by Rev. Stanley Haver and helpers, was flown successfully Saturday in the kite tournament conducted by the Ozona Boy Scout troops. The big kite took the air with the grace of a swallow and was put up a high Nissen. It required 15 or 20 men and boys to hold the "big lifter" to the ground, for it had "the pull of a horse," according to one of those who held it.

The measurements of this kite are as follows: From top to bottom, 42 feet; side to side, 20 feet; square feet of paper, 800; weight 100 pounds; material in construction, 200 feet flooring, five pounds wire, two gallons paste, 150 feet of rope and 15 oat sacks. This is the biggest kite in the world so far as is known.

LIMA LINES

Mr. and Mrs. John McHaney and little daughter, of Fredericksburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Mills last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wilson came in last Saturday from Eola. Mrs. P. M. Wilson returned with them to see her granddaughter, Maggie Wilson, who is in very poor health.

Mrs. Zula Miller has returned from Port Arthur and her daughters, Misses Sadie and Inez, have returned from Tuff.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale visited Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese Sunday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the pie supper at the Lima School house last Saturday night. About $30 was realized for the benefit of the school.

The members of the Pipe Creek Cemetery Association are requested to pay their dues to the secretary, Mr. T. A. Lewis, at once, as funds are needed for upkeep of the cemetery.

Exonerated.

Sheriff Hicks last week found a number of sheep and goats which were alleged to have been stolen from parties on Middle Verde and East Verde sections. Parties in possession of the sheep and goats claimed to have bought them some time ago from certain parties. Two goats were identified as having been purchased by Collier Fitzgerald from Mark Davenport. Mr. Davenport was arrested Friday and placed under bond. He had a hearing before Justice of the Peace Herman Harper on Monday, at which time he was exonerated, proving to the satisfaction of the court that he was owner of the goats sold to Mr. Fitzgerald, and the charge against him was dismissed. Mark Davenport has lived in this section for about fifty years; he has always borne a good reputation, and has many friends who, despite whatever incriminating circumstances which may have been attached to this case, were not ready to believe him guilty of theft.

That sheep and goat stealing has been going on in portions of this county is an established fact, and all aid should be given the authorities in ferreting out and bringing to justice the guilty ones. And that is just what is going to be done.

Alba Storms was in from Mason Creek yesterday.

Married in San Antonio.

Miss Evelyn Davenport of this city and Robert McDonald of San Antonio, surprised their friends by going to San Antonio and getting married on Wednesday night of last week. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. C. B. Davenport of this city, and is a very popular young lady. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben McDonald of San Antonio, and is a young man of good character and business ability. The New Era joins in wishing the happy couple all happiness and joy through life.

The Center Point Test.

The last report we had from the Walker-Van Duyn test well at Center Point indicated that the well gives increased gas and oil showings. Drilling is steadily going forward and is below 2,100 feet, still in the Pennsylvanian lime. Cable has been received for 3,600 feet and except for delays occasioned by machinery breaking, the drilling goes merrily on. Oil men from different sections have visited Center Point to inspect the well, and all say it is very promising.

Picture Show Tomorrow Night.

The picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater Friday night will be "The Rainmaker," featuring Tom Tyler. This is a splendid picture and will please you. Don't miss it.

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Hogs Pay 800 Per Cent Profit

Abilene, Tex., March 24.—A. J. Lane, a Taylor County farmer, realized a profit of 800 per cent in the hog business in less than twenty months. In April of last year Lane paid $10 each for two small, 6-week-old gilts. This animals were not registered, but were subject to pedigree. They weighed less than twenty-five pounds each when Lane bought them.

Each of the sows before they were a year old farrowed a litter of pigs. Since the first of January Lane has sold ten pigs from these two animals for $10 each, or a total of $100. He now has two of the pigs, for which he has been offered $15 a head and also the sows, now valued at $50 each.

Figuring the pigs sold and the present value of the animals still on hand, the initial investment of $20 has made a clear profit of $160 in less than twelve months.

All feed consumed by the hogs was home grown. The animals were cared for in the spare time of members of the Lane family and he considers that he did a very profitable piece of business when he bought the two little pigs. The two sows, just now past a year old, will be kept for breeding.

Lane has eighty native pecan trees on his thirty-acre farm, which adjoins Elm Creek. He has also set out sixty papershell trees on the farm. One of the native tree produced 85½ of nuts last season and another made its output $45. Lane will topwork the trees and insert papershell buds in them this season.

Houston Scarborough and Burman Faris were over from Harper Saturday.

Celebrate 53rd Wedding Anniversary.

The following item, which appeared in yesterday's San Antonio Express, will be of interest to many of the old time citizens of Bandera county, inasmuch as the couple mentioned therein lived in this county many years ago:

Ozona, Tex., March 22.—The 53rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Patrick of Ozona was celebrated by the Patricks and their children and grandchildren at the Patrick home here Saturday. The event took the form of a double celebration, the 51st grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick arriving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Patrick Monday night. The new arrival was a girl. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick have lived in Ozona 29 years. He is 77 years and his wife is 76. They lay claim to a record for descendants in this section of the country. Eleven children were born to the couple, 10 of whom are still living. They have 41 granddchildren, 34 of them still living, and nine great grandchildren.

Has Narrow Escape.

Mrs. Van Rugh had a narrow escape from death yesterday morning, when she, by mistake, took a dose of an antiseptic preparation in place of another medicine. The antiseptic contained a large p r centage of carbolic acid, and Mrs. Rugh quickly discovered her mistake, and phoned Dr. Butler, who was soon there to administer antidotes, and bring her out of danger.

Mrs. M. E. Faris and daughter, Miss Cecil, visited Kerrville Tuesday.

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A Splendid Bull Calf.

Mr. R. N. Chaddock, of Medina last week received a fine Jersey Bull, ten months old, from the Flowerdale Farm of Dallas, for which he paid $200. This bull calf stood third in a very large class of bulls at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show last week, and also headed the Flowerdale Farm herd which stood third in the same class at the Stock Show. There were seventeen entries in the Junior Bull Class and Ed C. Lasater and King's Ranch were the only two ahead of this calf. The dam and grand dam of the calf are both R. of M. cows, and both of them are winners in first and second class at the Texas State Fair at Dallas.

Mr. Chaddock is enthusiastic over the possibilities of dairy farming in this section, and is stocking his farm with only the best animals for this purpose. He keeps an accurate record of cost of production, labor, feed, etc., and finds dairying profitable. There are other people turning their attention to this industry here, we are pleased to note, and we predict that within a very few years old Bandera county will be known as a dairy farming region of the first class.

County Quota

The quota allotted Bandera County will give eight young men of this county opportunities to attend this summer's camps of the C. M. T. C. Association, conducted by the Government at different centers throughout the Eighth Corps Area, announced Dr. J. H. Erwin, County Chairman of the C. M. T. C. enrollment committee today. All counties in the State have been allotted quotas, based on the population of each.

The campaign for applicants has opened and acceptance of qualified applicants will begin at once, declared Dr. Erwin, who also stated that he had complete information and application blanks available at his office. He urges all those planning to take advantage of this opportunity to apply at once to insure acceptance while the quota remains unfilled.

"There is no expense whatever attached to attendance at a C. M. T. Camp," Dr. Erwin explained. "The railroad fares from homes to nearest camp and return, board, food, clothing, laundry service, medical attention and instruction are all paid by the Government. It is all pure voluntary and there is no obligation for any military service, present or future, upon those who go to the camps and undertake the training."

George Lane is spending this week in San Antonio.

Golden Wedding Celebration.

Mrs. Charles Montague returned Monday from San Antonio where, last Saturday, she attended the Golden Wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maverick. This venerable couple were married in Virginia March 19, 1877. They lived on the Maverick ranch near Bandera many years ago, and were well known to all of our people. Mrs. Montague says their home, the Sunshine Ranch on the Babcock Road, near San Antonio, was beautifully decorated for the occasion, the decorations being in gold, and yellow roses and flowers everywhere, while an immense gold cake adorned the table. There were hundreds of guests present, and Mrs. Montague met many old friends whom she had not seen for thirty years. All of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Maverick, ten in number, were present. The celebration was conducted as they were in old Virginia before the Civil War, a big barbecue feast, and dancing platform, and the festivities continued until a late hour.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Otto Weltner, nee Ella Klockmann, was born September 24, 1884, near Weimar, Colorado county, Texas, and died at her home near Camp Verde, March 14, 1927. Her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Klockmann preceded her in death some ten or eleven years, as did also three brothers and two sisters. She is survived by her husband, Otto Weltner, eight children, Henry, 16; Herbert, 10; Otto R., 8; Paul, 6; Anita, 15; Gretchen, 13; Henrietta, 11, and Ella, 2 years old; also by five brothers and two sisters, R. R. Klockmann, Weimar, Texas; W. G. Rudolph and Walter Klockmann of Bandera, Texas; Mrs. Annie Kram of Weimar, and Mrs. Charles Seydler of Rosenberg, Texas.

Prior to her last illness Mrs. Weltner had always enjoyed the best of health, and was sick only a few days with influenza when she passed away suddenly. The other complications set in and funeral at Comfort on March 15th was attended by many friends from Weimar, Rosenberg, Hondo, Yancey, Taylor, Content, San Antonio, Alice and nearby towns. Deceased was a devoted wife and mother, a noble character, and beloved by all who knew her. The sudden call of her death was a great shock to her many friends. To the grief-stricken husband and children the New Era extends condolence and sympathy.

Edgar Spenrath, an affable young man of Comfort, was here on business yesterday.

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A man was overheard the other day talking about his associates. A good many things seemed to be wrong with the people this man knew. This one was lazy, that one was curlish, another was hypocritical, still another wasn't kind to his family, a fifth had a dark page far back in his history. And so it went.

Anybody listening to that talk might have imagined that these people were particularly a bad lot.

Yet it is a thousand to one that they were just average people, about as good and as bad as most of us, but on the whole with a great deal more good in them than bad.

The whole story lay in the mind of the man who was talking. For some insertable reason he prefers to see evil and to magnify evil, when he might as easily see good and magnify good and be happy.

The person who overheard the talk didn't know the man who did the talking, and he didn't want to. But that man didn't look happy. He looked rather miserable. And how in the world, when he chooses to dwell upon evil and magnify it, could he be anything else than miserable?

A better witness, reporting on these same people, no doubt would have pictured them so that the hearer would want to know them all. For it there is bad in them all, of course, there is good in them all too.

In people and in situations and in neighborhoods and communities there seems to be a good deal of evil, if you want to hunt it up. But in the same people and situations and neighborhoods and communities there is also a great deal of good—undoubtedly more good than evil—if you want to look for that.

Each of us has a free choice.

We can look for evil and dwell upon and magnify it, and make ourselves miserable— and probably those around us too.

Or we can look for good and dwell upon it and magnify it and make ourselves and those about us happy.

There are some queer and utterly insertable things about human nature, and one of them is its habit of letting evil overcome good when there is good wisdom in the bibical injunction to "overcome evil with good."

It is the nature for an unguided mortal to overlook a thousand blessings, a thousand things he ought to be glad about and thankful for, and to fasten his whole attention on one or two things that seem bad. That way he lets the one or two bad things wipe out the thousand good things; for of course he isn't getting any good from the things unless he is using them and being glad and thankful about them.—Exchange.

The Harper Herald has been changed to an all home print paper, doing away with the patent inside, and the last week's issue was brimming full of news items. Warren Hunter is giving those Harper people a splendid newspaper, and they are rallying to its support.

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In contradiction of a rumor which seems to have gained currency in regard to the appeal filed by Pat Forest, from the life sentence given in the recent trial of his case at Kerrville, we have been requested to publish the following:

"It has been rumored that I have withdrawn my motion for an appeal and expect to take the sentence imposed on me at Kerrville February term of court. This is false, and I wish to correct this and let it be known that I am asking for a new trial, and all I am asking in the event it is granted is the truth, facts, and a fair and impartial trial."

The New Era had not heard of such a rumor, but we take pleasure in publishing the above in justice to the young man who was convicted.

Apoplexy Fatal to Mrs. Frank E. White

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Center Point for Mrs. Frank E. White, 51, who died at 3:45 Tuesday morning. The services were conducted by Rev. Storms, pastor of the Center Point Baptist Church, of which deceased had been a member for many years. Interment was made in the Center Point Cemetery.

Mrs. White, who had been in ill health for several months, was stricken with apoplexy on March 7, and her condition had been critical since that time.

She was born at Fort Worth on Feb. 19, 1876; was married to Frank E. White at Sweetwater in December, 1906, and had been a resident of Center Point for the past seven years.

Surviving are the husband, who published the Center Point News for many years; four sons, Thad, Kelly, Kinard and Philson White of Center Point; two stepsons, L. B. White, an employee of the Kerrville Mountain Sun, and N. H. White of Jayton; her father, A. A. Prince of Sweetwater; two sisters, Mrs. W. G. Bradford, Dallas, and Mrs. C. C. Bush, Prague, Okla., and two brothers, Newton Prince, Sweetwater, Texas, and T. D. McCall, Imperial, Calif.

The Sun joins friends of the family in extending sympathy to the bereaved relatives.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Married

Another wedding of much interest to relatives and friends was solemnized Monday, March 14, when Miss Grace Love, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Love of Vanderpool became the bride of Frank Kuykendall of Sabinal. They were married in Uvalde and left Tuesday morning for San Antonio and other points on their wedding trip.

The bride is one of our most popular and highly accomplished young ladies. She received her education at Nalyon and Sabinal schools and is a young lady in whom has centered so many good qualities and splendid graces that she has won the friendship of all her acquaintances. She is the type that will dignify and adorn the home and be to her husband a companionable wife. Mr. Kuykendal has been fortunate in winning this lovable young lady.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kuykendall of Sabinal and is a young man of many outstanding qualities, elements of character that give promise of a happy and successful future. He is a young business man of Sabinal. The young couple will be at home in Sabinal April 1st. The congratulations and best wishes of their host of friends will follow them wherever the vicissitudes of time and fortune may carry them.—Uvalde Leader-News.

H. G. Thompson Dead.

Nature has her time and seasons, bloom and decay, youth and age, life and death succeed each other at periods that can be foreseen.

The flowers bloom today and tomorrow wither, elaborating their seeds and dying not until their work is done.

The giant oaks retain their strength and show older in their dying and at last they leave behind and fall amid their progeny that have grown up around them.

Yet the insects die with the dying tear and all nature's host, except by violence, comes to their death only at eventide.

But with man, the pale horse and its rider, death, comes at all seasons. He blights the freshness of hopes and promises and spreads the pall over those that are bound most closely by the ties of life.

Old age with its fleeting years is his. The prime of man or womanhood is his. Childhood and youth with its laughter and glee is his. The cradle is his.

The death angel upon the pale horse rode into the life of H. G. Thompson and summoned him from life into eternity on March 10, 1927.

Hiram Gideon Thompson was born in Arkansas April 3, 1846 and would have been 81 years of age April 3 of this year.

At an early age of life he trusted Jesus Christ as his Savior, placing his soul into His hands, believing that he was able to keep it against that day. And when he met Him in approaching death, he was still persuaded that he was able to keep his soul against that day when he [illegible] would again meet Him in the judgment. He was a member of the Methodist church and a true, devout Christian.

At the age of six years he, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Thompson, moved from their home in Arkansas to this place where he has resided ever since. They were among the first settlers of the Vanderpool section.

His father purchased several thousand acres of land and he and his sons engaged in the cattle, sheep and goat business and met with great success. The deceased, of course, had retired, but his son, R. G. Thompson, is carrying the business on successfully.

At the age of 25 Mr. Thompson was married to Miss Grace Mahnson and to this union eight children were born. They are R. G. Thompson of Vanderpool, Mrs. A. L. Nunley of Vanderpool, Mrs. M. D. McNutt, Del Rio, Mrs. C. H. Towell of Anaheim, California, Mrs. Goldie Cash of El Paso and Mrs. Mabel North of Yoakum, all of whom are living and were at the bedside of their father when the end came. The good wife and two of the daughters had gone on before.

The remains were taken to the Sabinal cemetery for burial on Friday, March 11th. The Methodist pastor of that city conducted the funeral services. A large number of sorrowing relatives and friends were present to pay their last tribute of respect to this noble veteran who had been one of the pioneers that aided so much in the country's development. A long life of usefulness like Mr. Thompson lived does not end with death. Our friend is resting from his labors and will enter a reward that will richly repay every sacrifice but the works he did remain to bless the community in which he lived these many years. The bereaved have the sympathy of all in their loss. R. H. Thompson of this community is a brother of the deceased.—Uvalde Leader News.

Camp Verde Woman Dead.

Comfort, Tex., March 16—On Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock Mrs. Ella Weltner, wife of Otto Weltner of Camp Verde, near Center Point, was buried here. Decedent is survived by her husband, Otto Weltner, and eight children of which the eldest is 17 years old; besides five brothers, W. C. Klockman and R. P. Klockman of Taylor, Walter and Rudolph Klockman of La Grange and H. E. Klockman of Weimar, and two sisters, Mrs. Annie Kram of Weimar and Mrs. Charles Weidler of Rosenberg. Mrs. Weltner was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Klockman of Weimar, and was born there September 24, 1884, and was married to Otto Weltner in 1909 and moved up here to their farm at Camp Verde, where they lived on their beautiful farm during all these years. Two sisters and three brothers besides her parents preceded her in death.—San Antonio Express.

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

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Anna A. Clark, deceased.

Lucy Clack has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Anna A. Clark, deceased, filed with said application, and for letters testamentary which will be heard at next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 25th day of February A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

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The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. M. L. Surber, Deceased, J. H. Surber has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. M. L. Surber, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of April A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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Annual Statement

Of Bandera County Clerk, of the Indebtedness, Expenditures and Receipts of Bandera County, Texas, for the year ending February 12, 1927.

JURY FUND, FIRST CLASS.

Balance last year	$ 1,487.58	
To Amount received during year	2,428.45	
By Amount paid out during year		$ 1,228.81
By Amount transferred to other funds		97.10
By 2½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		60.70
By 2½ per cent commission on am't paid out		30.72
Amount to Balance		2,498.10
	$ 3,916.03	$ 3,916.03
Balance	$ 2,498.10	

ROAD AND BRIDE FUND, SECOND CLASS

Balance last year	$ 4,978.54	
To Amount received last year	11,047.16	
To Amount transferred from other Funds	97.70	
By Amount paid out during year		$ 7,874.34
By 2½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		276.17
By 2½ per cent commission on am't paid out		196.85
Amount to Balance		7,776.04
	$16,123.40	$16,123.40
Balance	$ 7,776.04	

GENERAL COUNTY FUNDS, THIRD CLASS

Balance last year	$ 825.95	
To Amount received during year	8,726.01	
To Scrip received on taxes	403.59	403.59
By 2½ per cent commission on Scrip on taxes		10.09
By Amount paid out during year		7,050.31
By 2½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		218.14
By 2½ per cent commission on am't paid out		176.21
Amount to Balance		2,097.10
	$9,955.55	$9,955.55
Balance	$2,097.12	

BANDERA COUNTY FUNDING WARRANT FUND.

Balance last year	$ 407.21	
To Amount received during year	$2,408.99	
By Amount paid out during year		$1,361.90
By 2½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		60.21
By 2½ per cent commission on am't paid out		34.38
Amount to Balance		1,359.71
	$2,816.20	$2,816.20
Balance	$1,359.71	

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 SINKING FUND.

Balance last year	$10,284.41	
To Amount received during year	3,526.84	
By Amount paid out during year		$ 1,714.87
By 2½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		35.25
By 1 per cent commission on am't paid out		17.14
Amount to Balance		12,043.99
	$13,811.25	$13,811.25
Balance	$12,043.99	

VANDERPOOL ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2 BOND FUND

Balance last year	$4,560.11	
To Amount received during year	61.47	
By Amount paid out during year		$4,067.52
By 1 per cent commission on am't rec'd		.30
By ½ per cent commission amount paid out		20.32
Amount to Balance		533.44
	$4,621.58	$4,621.58
Balance	$533.44	

MEDINA ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3 BOND FUND.

Balance last year	$ 419.55	
To Amount received during year	27.91	
To Amount transferred from other Funds	700.00	
By Amount paid out during year		$ 407.08
By 1 per cent commission on am't rec'd		.12
By ½ per cent commission on am't paid out		2.03
Amount to Balance		738.23
	$1,147.46	$1,147.46
Balance	$ 738.23	

VANDERPOOL ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2 SINKING FUND

Balance last year	$ 562.00	
To Amount received during year	$5,004.49	
By Amount paid out during year		$2,403.74
By ½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		25.00
By ½ per cent commission on am't paid out		12.00
Amount to Balance		3,126.35
	$5,566.49	$5,566.49
Balance	$3,126.35	

MEDINA ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3 SINKING FUND

Balance last year	$ 773.66	
To Amount received during year	$5,193.11	
By Amount paid out during year		$2,329.83
By Amount transferred to other Funds		700.00
By ½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		25.94
By ½ per cent commission paid out		11.61
By ½ per cent commission on am't paid out		$2,899.37
Amount to Balance		
	$5,966.77	$5,966.77
Balance	$2,899.37	

COURT HOUSE & JAIL PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND

To Amount received during year	$1,109.06	
By Amount paid out during year		$ 366.72
By 2½ per cent commission on am't rec'd		27.72
By 2½ per cent commission on am't paid out		9.17
Amount to Balance		705.40
	$1,109.06	$1,109.06
Balance	$ 705.40	

Registered Indebtedness General or Third Class, February 12, 1927. $3,851.78

RECAPITULATION.

Balance in Each Fund

Jury Fund, First Class	$ 2,498.10
Road and Bridge, Second Class	7,776.04
General County, Third Class	2,097.12
County Funding Warrants	1,359.71
Road District No 1. Sinking Fund	12,043.99
Vanderpool Road District No 2 Bond	533.44
Medina Road District No. 3 Bond	738.23
Vanderpool Road District No 2 Sinking Fund	3,126.35
Medina Road District No 3 Sinking Fund	2,899.37
C. H. and J. Permanent Improvement Fund	705.40
Total	$33,777.75

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF BANDERA. The foregoing is a true and correct Annual Statement of the Finances of said County for the year, ending the 12th day of February, 1927. MRS. MARK McBRYDE.
County Clerk Bandera County, Texas.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 16th day of March, 1927. J. A. EAMES.
Notary Public, Bandera County, Texas.

B. H. Stokes

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Seriously Burned.

D. F. Riggs, of San Antonio, was seriously burned about the hands and face last Friday night when an explosion occurred while he was operating a moving picture machine at the Lime school house. The machine and several reels of film were totally

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Hankinson and children, of Fredericksburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller and relatives here last week.

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No. 1016, Susie Davis vs. Louis Davis.

In the District Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bandera once in each week for 4 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Louis Davis whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Bandera, on the Fifth Monday in May A. D. 1927, the same being the 30th day of May A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of January A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1016 wherein Susie Davis is plaintiff, and Louis Davis is defendant, the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce upon the grounds of abandonment, for the custody of the minor child of the plaintiff and defendant, to-wit: Lou's Davis, Jr., for cost of suit and for general relief. Plaintiff alleges that she and the defendant were married to each other on the 5th day of December, 1918, and defendant without cause, abandoned the plaintiff on the 15th day of August, 1919, and that the abandonment has been permanent and she has had no relation with him since that time. That she is a fit and proper person to have the custody of the said child, and that the defendant is not a fit person to have custody of said child and that he is a transient person and his residence is unknown.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Bandera, this the 19th day of March A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk of District Court in and for Bandera County, Texas.
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Life Insurance was first conducted by Rev. Storms, pastor of the Center Point Baptist Church, of which deceased had been a member for many years. Interment was made in the Center Point Cemetery.

Mrs. White, who had been in ill health for several months, was stricken with apoplexy on March 7, and her condition had been critical since that time.

She was born at Fort Worth on Feb. 19 1876 was married to

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D. Holekamp and son, Dan, of Comfort, were in Bandera yesterday on business.

Prof. Joy Le Tilley, of Christine, was here Monday on business.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gray, of Medina Lake, March 22, a boy.

W. R. Thomason, of Pipe Creek was a business visitor in the city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart were in town Tuesday from their ranch on Middle Verde Creek.

Miss Leona Batto went to San Antonio last week to re-enter the Incarnate Word Academy.

John Fee, of Medina, was in town Tuesday, returning from a business trip to San Antonio.

Joe Villemain, prominent Pipe Creek citizen, was a visitor in the city Monday and dropped in to see the editor.

Eb Holt was over from Tarpley Monday, and informed us that he expects to leave for Welda, Kansas, soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Barns will leave in a few days for Boerne, where they will be employed on a ranch near that city.

The new court house fence is nearing completion, and looks mighty nice. Bob Barber and Dee Chipman are doing the building.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McManis, of Center Point, were here Friday evening. Mr. McManis is very optimistic over the excellent prospects for oil near his town.

Double Bag Bumpers for Chevrolet automobiles, front and rear, set for only $18.00, put on your car, at Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Ben Caster of San Antonio and Miss Susie Butler of Seguin were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler the first of the week. Miss Butler is a niece to Dr. Butler.

Splendid rains visited this section last Sunday night, the precipitation amounting to fully three inches. The cold wave which came with the rain did not do much damage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Halamuda will leave this week for Santa Ana California, where they may decide to locate. They recently sold their home near Bandera to Will Hamilton, of Carlsbad, New Mexico.

There will be no preaching service at the Baptist church next Sunday, on account of the absence of the pastor. Sunday school at the regular hour, and B. Y. P. U. at 7 o'clock p. m.

J. R. Fletcher, the hustling insurance man, was here from San Antonio last Friday, and called in to leave an order for advertising in the New Era. Read his ads on this page; they contain some cold facts which every man should consider.

Mrs. Robt. Carroll, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. N. Hicks, here for the past several months, left last week for York on last Monday. She went to New Orleans and on yesterday took passage on the ocean liner, Munios, for New York. Mrs. Carroll will make her home in New York City.

Mrs. J. Marvin, Hunter is at Mason this week at the bedside of her aged mother, Mrs. M. J. Rogers, who has been seriously ill. Her brother, Pat Rogers, is also quite ill with pneumonia. The editor and daughter, Miss Jennette Hunter, accompanied her to Mason Saturday night, returning Sunday by way of Harper to bring home our other daughter, Miss Rachel Hunter, who spent several days at Harper.

The radio demonstration and exhibition of moving pictures at the Bandera Theater last Friday night in connection with the regular program, under direction of K. C. Apelt, of Comfort, was quite an interesting feature. Mr. Jerry P., Jeter of Chicago, representing the Radio Corporation of America, made an interesting talk explaining many things about radio, and the audience very much appreciated the splendid entertainment given by the management of the theater.

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FOR SALE—Eggs from pens of special mated pullets and cockels of Single Comb Rhode Island Reds, $2.00 per setting.—L. A. Meier, Medina, Texas. Independent phone.

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PLANTS FOR SALE—Cabbage, Kohl Rabe, Cauliflower, Tomato, 100, 35c. Also Flowering Annuals, Sweet Herbs, Peppers, Egg Plants later.—Mrs. H. Schulze, Kerrville, Texas.

FANSY PLANTS for sale, by the dozen or more.—Mrs. J. A. Eames, Bandera. 2tc

FOR SALE—500 head of ewes. Who wants them?—Chas. Eckhart. 2tp.

Captain J. W. Pendergrass, of San Antonio, is here for a few weeks' sojourn.

Mrs. Alton Camp is a guest this week of her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stein.

R. F. Power, who has been quite ill with measles, is now on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stein spent Saturday and Sunday in San Antonio with their children.

Mrs. Gil Lane and little son, spent last week with relatives in San Antonio. She returned home Saturday.

R. L. Schuerbeck, the popular Kerrville Buick automobile dealer, was a business visitor in Bandera last Thursday.

Mrs. Tom Crist and Mrs. Wesley Crist, of Pipe Creek, were pleasant visitors at the New Era sanctum last Thursday.

Captain J. W. Walker and son, Lee, were here from Medina last Thursday, and the genial Captain dropped in for a social chat with the editor.

T. B. Welch orders the New Era sent to his daughter, Miss Gladys Wilcox, who has been employed in the General Hospital in Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Mabel Pond and Miss Ruth Thalmann, of San Antonio, spent several days here this week with their father, M. R. Thalmann, who is critically ill.

R. T. Holcomb and Tommie McDaniel were down from Medina Tuesday on business. Mr. McDaniel, who is an employe of the S. P. Railroad at Del Rio, is spending awhile with his brother-in-law, A. R. Calhoun, at Medina.

J. G. Carmichael of Sabinal was here Monday and called at The Leader-News. He ranches up near Utopia and says that he had been borrowing The Leader-News, but thought it was time he was subscribing and we are glad to have him. Tells us that the Utopia school bonds have been sold and so he is looking for the work to start on the new building soon.—Uvalde Leader-News.

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MEDINA

H. Andrews, banker and druggist of Kingsville, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Loyd. Mr. Andrews thinks the Hill Country beautiful and is thinking of buying property in the Medina vicinity.

J. R. Trussell, of Kingsville, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Layton. Mr. Trussell is engaged in many parts of the United States but thinks Bandera county the most beautiful. He is much impressed with the people and the scenery and says he will be back for a visit soon.

A chance party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Layton Friday night in honor of their son Melvin, who is leaving for Bandera to work on a ranch. Those present were: Misses Leah Coulter, Adell Pedigo, Bell Carpenter, Fern Hall, Sue Carpenter, Lena Mae Batterson, Ivey Batterson, Fern Brown, Elsie and Lillian Velma Wyatt, Mrs. Ellis Messrs. Chester Bennett, Alvin Adkins, Marvin Hall, Edward Mayfield, Jesse Howard Mayfield, Jesse Hough, LeGrande Mayfield, Sewell, Epps Sewell, Lindy Mayfield, Jack Mayfield, Dick Batterson and Lonnie Batterson.

The chairmanship of the committee on arrangements for the Medina High School Commencement has been awarded to Miss Ethel Hall, as a sequel to the Washington ball which was held April 16. "The Valley Farmer" is the subject which the Medina High School Auditorium committees will be given for the New Era.

Rural Aid Man Here.

Mr. Bell of the State Department of Education, was the speaker at the Medina High School auditorium last Friday morning. Mr. Bell is a graduate of the Mansfield High School and is now employed in the Rural Aid Department of the State Department of Education. He is a very interesting speaker and his talk was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Hodges, of Pipe Creek, were shopping in Medina Monday morning.

R. F. Power, the genial groceryman, has about recovered from a severe attack of measles.

There will be a dance at the Medina High school house next Saturday night. Everybody invited.

Mrs. J. T. Stevens orders the New Era sent to her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Burns, at Upland, California.

Mrs. Melvenne Davis, of San Antonio, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Berger, this week.

Laying Off a Tourist Park.

We understand that B. H. Stokes has leased a desirable tract of land about two miles above Medina, which he will convert into a tourist park, and will provide all conveniences for camping, boating, and fishing. Camp houses will be erected, an electric lighting and water system will be installed, and everything needful will be provided for the comfort and pleasure of summer patrons The spot chosen for the park is an ideal one, being near the Bauerlein crocossing on the Medina.

County Meet April 8 and 9.

The date for holding the County Interscholastic Meet at Bandera has been set for Friday and Saturday, April 8 and 9. The postponement was due to the seige of measles which appeared here three weeks ago. The epidemic has about passed, and it is not anticipated that there will be a further outbreak.

Eight to Graduate.

Bandera High School will close about May 20. The following young people compose the graduating class: Miss Zella Mae Price, Miss Hermina Jo Habenicht, Miss Rachel Hunter, Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield, Miss Lena Lee Hunter, Miss Thelma Elaine Surber, Charles Rugh, Jr., Herman L. Thalmann.

C. A. Taylor Dead.

Mrs. J. W. Cox received a telegram Saturday announcing the death of C. A. Taylor at Van Nuys, California, on that date. His death was due to a stroke of paralysis. Two weeks previously Mr. Taylor's wife died, and it is supposed that the shock of her death so affected him that he soon followed her in death. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were well known here, having lived here many years, and moved to California about thirteen years ago. Two years ago they visited Bandera and met many of their old time friends here. The news of Mr. Taylor's death, following so closely upon the news of his wife's death comes as a shock to all of his old friends.

Lima School House Damaged.

Fire partially damaged the Lima school house Friday night, when an explosion occurred during a moving picture show. It is estimated that the damage will amount to about $100. Hard work on the part of several men saved the school house from destruction. Many window lights were broken. The building is of concrete and was erected only last year.

Trustee Ellection.

Elections will be held next Saturday in the various school districts of the county for school trustees.

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Aged Negro Died.

Henry Jackson, aged 84, died at Wetmore last Thursday after an illness of several days. Deceased was an ex-slave, having at one time belonged to the Medford family of San Marcos. He came to Bandera in 1879 and resided on Bandera Creek until two years ago, when he sold his place to Mr. Dater and moved to Wetmore. He was a quiet, polite old Negro, and had the confidence and good will of all of our people. He was buried at Wetmore Friday.

Rainbow Trout for Medina Lake.

It has been announced that Medina Lake is to have a fish hatchery running 12 months each year instead of six months. Inquiries of the Government have been met and 20,000 rainbow trout will be shipped to the hatchery in October.

Officials in charge of the Medina fishing grounds and hatchery have arranged to place caretakers in charge 12 months in the year and the Government will keep the hatchery stocked. Experiments conducted over a period of years has proven that the rainbow trout thrives better in Texas than in Virginia, heretofore thought to be the best spawning grounds.

Climate conditions at Medina Lake, are such that where the trout usually attain a length of six to seven inches at the age of one year in the East, they grow 12 and 14 inches at Medina. Young trout will be kept in the spawning pools six months and then transferred to separate pools for another period before being released into the lake under the new plan.

Mrs. J. W. Lewis and little son, of Pipe Creek were in to see us yesterday.

Federal Aid for Texas Highways.

Austin, Tex., March 29.—Federal road aid, $6,500,000 asked for 1927, again is to be released to the State Highway Department within two or three weeks after being withheld for about six months, W. R. Ely, member of the highway commission, said Tuesday.

National road authorities late in the administration of the last Ferguson Highway Commission withdrew all aid and declined to enter with the State on any project because of the poor financial condition of the Highway Department and the bad conditions of roads.

The Highway Commission late Monday conferred at length with Federal Engineers over the aid problem.

Ely said Tuesday that the commission now is in a position to secure the aid which will be available in two or three weeks again because it has satisfied National authorities that the department will properly maintain the roads, pay current debts as soon as possible and generally measure up to the standard imposed.

Storm Wrecks Home.

San Saba, March 29.—The home of Archie Gunter was wrecked and Mrs. Gunter severely hurt in the worst storm ever seen here which, accompanied by heavy rain and hail came at 5:30 p. m. Monday. The local telephone system was put out of commission. Lines and poles were torn down. Much damage was done to plate glass windows and many out houses were wrecked.

R. B. Simpson, of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, was here Sunday on a visit to his sister, Mrs. T. W. North.

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Seriously Burned.

D. P. Briggs, of San Antonio, was seriously burned about the hands and face last Friday night, when an explosion occurred while he was operating a moving picture machine at the Lima school house. The machine and several reels of film were totally destroyed in the fire.

Tax on Tobacco.

Austin, Texas, March 29.—Ther was an informal caucus of House members here Tuesday who favor a tobacco tax. They asked the Governor to submit that matter to the special session of the Legislature and believe he will do so, as they argued that funds must be forthcoming for the State and for the public schools.

Representative Victor B. Gilbert of Baird was spokesman for the group. "We have eliminated the nuisance from the bill," asserted Gilbert, "by providing that the wholesaler in or out of State paying the tobacco tax would have a five per cent deduction. That would encourage the wholesalers to pay it and remove its collection from retailers or even users of tobacco. It could not be passed down the line that it and would thus simplify the payment of the tax."

"We must have more money for the schools and for the general fund," declared Gilbert, "and since tobacco is not a necessity, the small tax proposed therein would not be a burden."

Man Injured by Rope.

Llano, Tex., March 29.—Mike Moore of Llano suffered painful injuries Sunday morning when he became entangled in a rope while working with a wild horse. His left hand was torn off and his shoulder and collarbone broken. He was taken to Austin Sunday afternoon for treatment.

Buys 20 Acres.

J. R. Carson has purchased 20 acres of choice land from Chas Schott below Pipe Creek, and informs us that he will engage in the poultry business.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schott, Miss Lorene Schott, Miss Irene Haby, Rudolph Schott, and J. R. Carson were up from Elm Creek yesterday and paid the New Era a visit. Mr Carson is constructing the new toll road from the Bandera-San Antonio road to Medina Lake and expects to have the work completed within a short time.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

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LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Hankinson and children, of Fredericksburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller and relatives here last week.

Jack, Victor, Richard and Phillips Apelt and Mrs. Alvin Goose and Harold Phillips of San Antonio visited relatives here last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Miller and children, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Fellers and Miss Zelma Palmer of Fredericksburg visited relatives here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller and children and Miss Pearl Miller spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds Sunday.

Last Friday afternoon Miss Roby Hillman was bitten by a rattle snake. Dr. Erwin was called. We are very glad to know she is getting along very well. And hope she will soon be up. The snake was 14 inches long. She succeded in killing the snake.

A very exciting moment and narrow escape was experienced at the Lima School house last Friday night when a moving picture machine caught on fire and caused great fumers. No one was burned except the man who was operating the machine, and we are glad to know he was not dangerously burned. The flames did a great deal of damage but fortunately were soon extinguished.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Merry Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Johnson and little daughters spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Hillman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams and Jim Freeman were over from Kerrville one day last week and visited Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips.

Val Dick, Bud Coose and S. A. Keese sent two truck loads of hogs to San Antonio last week.

Repairing of school house have been taken to market the last few days.

Lima School Honor Roll.

First Grade—Allen Keese. Second Grade—Clara and Lewis Keese. Third Grade—Irene Johnson, Berdie Shipman. Fourth Grade—Penn Penley, Maggie Lee Johnson, Jennie Keese. Fifth Grade—Virgnie Willis. Johnnie Walker, Johnie Shipman, Oren Keese.

Picture Show Friday Night

The picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night is "Arizona Streak," featuring Tom Tyler. You are promised some real thrills in this picture, for it is one of the best in which Tom Tyler appears.

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Better cows, better hogs, better sheep, better goats, better chickens, on the farm means more returns, more prosperity more contentment in Bandera land. And better they will be.

If you want to find out how well people are satisfied to live in Bandera county just travel around over the county and try to buy a farm or a ranch. Not many want to sell. Which spells that the average Bandera county man is contented with his lot.

The shearing season is on. Most of the goats in this section have been sheared and soon the sheep will be clipped from the backs of the sheep. Mohair and wool provide a source of revenue for our ranchmen and farmers that beats cotton to a frazzle. The marketing of the fleece spells prosperity for Banderaland.

Dairy farming pays elsewhere, why not here? When our farmers realize that the keeping of several good dairy cows will pay for their keep and all the work necessary to keep them in good condition and then a handsome profit besides, they are going into the dairy business. The ready market now for all dairy products insures steady revenue from good cows.

The season approacheth when Bandera will be flooded with tourists. Already they are coming through, but next month, and from then until late in October the week-end visitors, vacationists and pleasure seekers will be coming from everywhere, for the report of Bandera's delightful environs has spread throughout the land, and people are going to come here to enjoy Nature's grand and glorious offerings. It is becoming known that we will have a highway, maintained by the State, running through our county; it is known as Trail No. 10, leading from San Antonio and passing through Bandera and Medina City, going over the next rise to Leon Springs and feed the Old Spanish Trail. This highway traverses the most picturesque region in Texas, and tourists will be entranced by the majestic splendor of the view which will greet them as they journey from this town to Kerrville, winding their way across mountain fastnesses, where they can look down into deep gorges and see rippling rivulets coursing their way to increase the volume of water in the magnificent mountain stream, the Medina. Here camping places abound, and fishing is good, and the people are friendly, and Nature is inviting. All of these things combine to insure more visitors this season than ever before, and Bandera should get ready to receive them.

New Books.

Austin, Texas, March 29.—Among the new books by faculty members of the University of Texas is one dealing with Jesus as a teacher, being written by Dr. W. F. Ledlow, adjunct professor of education. The book is to appear within three months, it is stated. Another, called "Francisco de Ibarra and Nueva Vizcaya" by Dr. J. Lloyd Mecham, associate professor of government, has just appeared. The book deals with the third period of Spanish conquest and organization of the frontier province of Nueva Vizcaya as the northwestern part of Mexico was first called.

Abandoning Ad Valorem

Texas voters will have opportunity the coming year to abandon the ad valorem system of taxation for maintaining the State government. The amendment would permit the separation of the sources of income between State and county governments, leaving to the latter all ad valorem taxes on lands and tangible property and taking unto the State the taxes from intangibles, franchises, gross production, severance taxes, corporation taxes and the like.

The amendment should be adopted. It will be if it is understood by a majority of the voters. In the first place it will aid the State of the cry of inequity of taxation as between the counties, and that it will remove a festering sore that has done much to promote sectionalism. In the second it will give to the voters of each county control of its own taxation, since local taxes will be the only levy against property owners in the different counties.

Adoption of the amendment will compel the taxation of the small but fast growing group that has been virtually or quite escaping taxation in Texas and relieve the injustice of making the lands and visible property of the State, representing perhaps 50 per cent of the actual values, contribute 65 or 75 per cent of the cost of maintaining the State government.—Marshall Messenger.

By delicate measurements on the Egyptian Pyramids a group of scientists or "seers", or just common fakes, of England, announce that they have concluded the "last world war will begin in 1928 and will end with England victorious in 1936." The last war will end when Congress of the United States passes a law conscripting money and factories and railroads and the men who operate them just as they conscript soldiers, when they pass a law making it a felony to manufacture, sell, transport or handle munitions of war and not before. As long as we pay tribute to the manufacturers of war munitions, permit cost-plus contracts and money-grabbers to get rich and operatives to grow fat by reason of war the young manhood of this nation will shed their lifeblood on the fields of carnage and a congressman or senator who fails to make it his chief business to get through legislation seeking to destroy war is failing in his greatest duty to his constituents and to mankind. —Georgetown Sun.

Atheism and God.

The object of a new society formed in this country is this: "To abolish belief in God, together with all forms of religion based on that belief."

Such an organization is doomed before it starts. From the beginning of human life there has been the belief in a Supreme Being. No person or any group of persons can shatter this faith.

The moral code of the world is based directly on religion and if it were possible to break down the belief in God, this code would automatically be abolished. But the moral code will survive because religion will continue to live.

No alarm need be felt for the results of the new atheistic organization. Its days will be short-lived. It will die because it is based, not only upon a fallacy, but also in opposition to the human mind.

And away back in the heads of the ancestors there really must be a little belief of their own in God, for how could they fight something which they themselves do not believe exists?

Quit the Knocking

Every now and then we hear of some of our citizens deploring the bad features of our town and then they point out how this town and that town have the better of our own.

It is true that no town can be perfect, but every town can be a better one if every citizen tries to make it so. The man who knocks his town is knocking himself, for a community can be no better than its individuals.

The best solution for the chronic grumbler who is ever greatly dissatisfied, is that he sell his property, pack up his suitcase and hie himself to other pastures where he may think the grass is just a little greener and the sun shines just a little brighter. But if he does do this stand he probably won't be will discover that every community has its ups and downs, its summers and its winters, just as ours.

Let's not knock our town because of its weak points—let's try to improve them. Constructive criticism is all right but knocking will accomplish nothing.

If each citizen will do his part, the town will take care of itself.

Laws of Nature Prove God's Existence.

Watches, ocean liners and great buildings do not "just happen." Neither do universes.

The laws of nature make the existence of God more certain to our finite minds than would the presence of God in material form.

Indeed, He so appeared on earth for thirty-three years and spoke as man. But He did not "just happen." Neither do universes. He does not now. Not only so, but added to the evidence always existing about us, He demonstrated His control over the things of His creation by a way that proved His authority over all things. From matter to mind, from life to life; but man's perversity, supplemented by his selfishness, jealousy and hatred, refused to believe His existence even when they looked upon Him and saw His miraculous works.

The same argument used for centuries still holds good to the effect that design in the universe makes absolutely certain the presence of Him who designed all these things.

The created universe and the laws which govern it are as much the intellectual evidence of His existence as they are the material evidence of their own.

To look upon the material cosmos and all the phenomena produced day after day and assert that there is no God is about as sensible as to say: Here is fruit but there is no tree. Or, here is a tree, but no earth from which it sprang; no intelligence to direct the selection of elements in the ground for the tree's use in producing the fruit; no mind to order the proper proportion of these elements for the creation of body, bark, leaves or fruit; no power to cause them to ascend into the tree's body and limbs.

There must be an Infinite Mind from which comes man's mind; an Infinite Spirit, whence comes man's spirit; and Infinite Life, whence comes man's life; an Infinite Power, whence comes man's power.

Thought preceded the making of the universe, and thought could not be were there no Thinker. There would be no evidence of design in the universe were there no Designer.

These are system and order throughout the creation, and these could not be were there no Intelligence to decree the law; nor could it be obeyed were there no Executive to see to its enforcement.—Selected.

Old Timer Retires

After 36 years in the newspaper business at Sonora, Steve Murphy has sold the Devil's River News to M. A. Wilson of Big Lake, who is installing a Linotype and other modern equipment. Murphy will devote his time to looking after property interests in Sutton County. He is the only survivor of three Murphy brothers who came from Canada to West Texas in the 1890s. One of his brothers, Pat, founded the San Angelo Standard and actively managed that publication until his death several years ago. Mike Murphy, another of the trio, was associated with Steve in the ownership of the Devil's River News until his death in 1922.

An incident of interest to residents in the Hill Country in connection with the sale of the Devil's River News is the fact that an advertisement of the late Pat Murphy's, when Scrivner of Kerrville ran in that paper 36 years without a change. The wording of the ad was never changed during the Murphy regime and it ran as it was set the first time without the type ever having been disturbed up to the time of the sale last week.

The Sun welcomes, Mr. Wilson into the circle of West Texas publishers and extends good wishes to the retiring editor, who labored so long and well for the advancement of his community.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Pat Forest Appeal Is Being Perfected.

The appeal of Pat Forest, convicted and given a life term in prison at the February term of Kerr County District Court in connection with the slaying of Will A. Gray, is being prepared for presentation to the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin.

Rebuking a rumor that the appeal had been withdrawn, Judge Lee Wallace of Kerrville, defenses counsel, said Tuesday that preparation of the record, briefs and arguments and brief in the case is now under way.

Judge J. J. Brucks in over-ruling a motion for a new trial in February granted the defense 90 days in which to perfect the appeal.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter No. 643, O.E.S. on Friday night, April, 15th 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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O. W. Perner's Blacksmith Shop

In God's Picture House.

Talk about the moving picture show machine, the silver screen, eyes, we marvel at the genius of man. Great actors move and have their being on a screen stage, and multiplied millions flock to the movie shows daily and sit and wonder, spellbound to think that "great stage stars are merely by proxy and entertain the millions of earth. Then we walk through the world's greatest art galleries and admire the work of the masters and stroll through the museums of arts and gaze with admiration upon the delicate carvings wrought in marble by the cunning fingers of the ancients. O yes, man is smart, makes the canvas breathe, give tongues to steel, gas put a carcinole of electricity around the globe binding together with copper wire, has constructed monster steels that stalk across the desert like a ghost, hitched a spark plug to an oil can and man sails among the stars—wonder of wonders! He has put the plow point of industry on iron and steel, harnessed the ocean waves and made of them servants of commerce, sent his drop down into the bowels of Mother Earth and brought up the diamond black coal, the magic crude gold and silver and copper ore, and O gee whiz, look at this vast commerce, look at those iron clad monsters plowing the seven seas of the world; look at the old horse trotting on threads of steel, pulling the commerce of the world; look at those mechanical steeds going through the air with the speed, accuracy and reliability of a bird; look at that device of human sending out a million of magic power, making the whole world go round and lighting up the dark nooks and corners of the earth. And behold the great White Ways in our cities, where the skyscrapers and temples of beauty rear their heads, and again we marvel at the genius of man. Look ye, the fingers, the deep unfathomable depths of his mystic mind. Surely he must partake of the divine order and give a little credit. But with all man's smariness, he can't paint a picture like God did this week, converting a dreary day into a fairyland of glory and beauty. Yes, in staging the background for the picture show the upper elements were over done, but in the foreground of existence, the artist began to descend. Then this Master Artist with a brush and pencil worked His wand, His magic stroke, and all nature was wrapped in a mantle of glee, which sparkled and gleamed and glistened like a sea of diamonds. So we stood there in the midst of God's picture show home spell bound, awe stricken, and felt that after all the greatest man is only a copyist. The tree falling across the stream gave the pattern for the steel bridge; the bird gave the idea for the airplane; the lightning gave the engine—and O gee, look at the network of wires covering the earth. O yes, the Creator lays the pattern—man's only an imitator.—Albany News.

Geese Dropped From Clouds

Navasota, Texas, March 29.—One of the strangest freaks of storms has been reported here. During the course of a hailstorm in the McKinney community, ten miles east of here, wild geese dropped from the clouds with the big hailstones, several farmers engaging by astonished farmers revealed the geese were a part of a flock which was passing northward as the storm came up and were struck down by the hailstones. Several farmers had geese for dinner that day, according to Elwood Seale, a farmer.

The state fish and game commissioner, William J. Tucker, is a publisher from Longview. A former state commissioner, William Sterret, was also a newspaper man, known as Colonel "Bill." Just now the new commissioner is electorately called "Will," but as his fame spreads he will probably be dubbed "Bill."

An ounce of education is better than a pound of punishment for violators of the game laws.

Law makes life and property safe. The Psalmist said his delight was in the law of the Lord." Delight in the conservation laws will fill our streams and lakes with fish and our forests with game.

Interesting Facts

The telegraph lines of the Philippines are operated as part of the postal service.

A bullet has been invented which cleans the inside of the barrel of a rifle as it is fired.

Almost a billion dollars' worth of non-intoxicating drinks were sent from the United States to other parts of the world in 1926.

The average hen in this country lays a total of 55 eggs during the year.

Government scientists are making investigations of the theory that bees are color blind.

Plans are under way in medical colleges for the showing of colored slow motion pictures of surgical operations.

Furnace Ore ranch, which is in Death Valley, Calif., is the hottest inhabited spot in the world. hTermometers there have been known to register 134 degrees in the shade. The coldest place recorded is in northern Siberia where the temperature gets as low as 90 degrees below zero.

Light is the fastest thing in the universe. Electricity itself is very fast and may travel many thousand miles in a second, but it never reaches the speed of light, which is 186,000 miles a second.

The origin of the phrase "as poor as Job's turkey" is from a description of a fowl in "Sam Slick" by Haliburton. The bird in question was so poor that it had only one feather and was obliged to lean against a fence to gobble. Thus the mythical turkey is said to designate anything or anybody that has reached the final degree of poorness. Job of the Bible never had a turkey, as this fowl is a native of America.

You May Have Believed—

That the blood is purified as it goes through the heart. But that is not the case. The heart merely pumps the blood through the arteries, veins and lungs. The purifying agent is found in the lungs, where it is brought nearly into contact with a large surface of air. It gives up its carbonic acid gas and takes up oxygen, thus changing from a bluish color to a bright scarlet.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

No. 1016, Susie Davis vs. Louis Davis.

In the District Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded that thy making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bandera, once in each week for 4 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Louis Davis whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof, in the City of Bandera, on the Fifth Monday in May A. D. 1927, the same being the 30th day of May A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of January A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1016 wherein Susie Davis is plaintiff, and Louis Davis is defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce upon the grounds of abandonment, for the custody of the minor child of the plaintiff and defendant, to-wit: Roy Davis, Jr., for cost of suit and for general relief. Plaintiff alleges that she and the defendant were married to each other on the 5th day of December, 1918, and defendant without cause, abandoned the plaintiff on the 15th day of August, 1919, and that the abandonment has been permanent and she has had no relation with him since that time. That she is a fit and proper person to have the custody of the said child, and that the defendant is not a fit person to have custody of said child and that he is a transient person and his residence is unknown.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Bandera, this the 19th day of March A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk of District Court in and for Bandera County, Texas.
First pub Mar 24, '27

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Boosting Bandera

Bandera is a good town to live in. Bandera is a good town to boost. Bandera is a good town to trade in. Bandera is a good town to visit. Bandera is a good town to do business with. Bandera is a good town to work for. Bandera is a good town to invest in. Bandera is a good town to build in. Bandera is a good town to grow in. Bandera is a good town to stay in. Bandera is a good town to get rich in. Bandera is a good town to get married in. Bandera is a good town to get a divorce in. Bandera is a good town to get buried in. Bandera is a good town to go to heaven from. Bandera is a good town to go to hell from. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere from. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere to. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere in. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere at. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere on. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere by. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere with. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere for. Bandera is a good town to go anywhere about. 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No. 677.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

FIRST STATE BANK

At Bandera, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 23rd day of March, 1927, published in the Bandera New Era, a newspaper printed and published at Bandera, State of Texas, on the 31st day of March, 1927.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	$194,785.88	Capital Stock	$ 20,000.00
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	275.00	Certified Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	1,013.53	Other Surplus Fund	2,500.00
Bonds, Stocks, and other securities	4,340.06	Undivided profits, net	2,984.65
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00	Individual deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	135,472.77
Cash on hand	4,851.36	Time Certificates of deposit	22,852.01
Due from approved reserve agents	26,853.24	Public Funds on deposit	30,499.19
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	760.22	Bills payable	15,000.00
Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund	5,379.33		
Other resources, in transit	41.00		
Total	$239,308.62	Total	$239,308.62

State of Texas
County of Bandera.

We, J. W. Short, as president, and I. E. Adamietz, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: J. W. SHORT, President.
GRANVILLE WRIGHT. I. E. ADAMIETZ, Cashier.
H. E. RAMBIE.
MRS. C. H. MANSFIELD. Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of March, A. D. 1927.

J. M. HUNTER.
Notary Public Bandera Co. Tex.

Bandera Theater
Friday Night, April 1
ARIZONA STREAK
Featuring Tom Tyler
ADMISSION . . 30c and 15c

Charter No. 11814.
Report of Condition of

The First National Bank of Bandera

at Bandera, in the State of Texas, at the close of Business on March. 23, 1927.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsements of this bank		$100,027.04
Overdrafts, unsecured		524.33
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.		800.00
Banking house $5000, furniture & fixtures	$2,389.93	7,389.93
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		6,273.27
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		15,116.08
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		19.50
Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town of reporting bank		455.80
Other assets, if any, Bandera County warrants		605.26
Total		$131,211.21

LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in		25,000.00
Undivided profits	$2,346.66	
Reserve for Int.	1,625.48	$3,972.14
less current exp., int., taxes, etc.		1,977.16 1,994.98
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve:		
Individual deposits subject to check		46,374.34
State, county or municipal deposits secured by pledge assets of this bank or surety bond		33,986.07
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve	$80,359.41	
Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice and postal savings)		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		3,855.82
Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than re discounts)		20,000.00
Total		$131,211.21

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Bandera I, A. Meadows, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. MEADOWS, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
W. J. DAVENPORT, Sr.
FRANK M. MONTAGUE
E. BUCK Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23th day of March, 1927.

J. M. HUNTER
Notary Public.

Buddie Postert has been ill with measles this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hirsch, Pipe Creek, March 27, a girl.

Doc Day, of Kerrville, was a business visitor in Bandera last Saturday.

I. E. Adamietz, cashier of the First State Bank, visited Lima last Sunday.

Henry Adams and Ed Bauerlein were here from Medina Tuesday on business

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Mrs. T. S. Gillespie, of El Paso, is here to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Melvin Pitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wallace, of San Antonio, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Wallace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hodges.

Little Miss Margaret Aileen Fitzgerald is spending a few days in San Antonio with her aunts, Mrs. R. F. Leslie and Mrs. T. R. Partlow.

Mrs. Laura Autrey and little son, Mansfield, of Gonzales, spent several days here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mansfield.

Mrs. R. F. Leslie and children and Mrs. T. R. Partlow and children, of San Antonio, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fitzgerald.

J. E. Chisum has returned to Decatur, after spending several days last week with his family. Mrs. Chisum and the boys will join him at Decatur after school closes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerdes and children visited San Antonio Saturday, returning Sunday. Their daughter, Miss Hazel Gerdes, remained there with friends for a few days.

The Middle Verde School which has been so successfully and satisfactorily taught by Miss Rene Nunley, closes Tuesday and Miss Nunley will return to her home at Subinal.

Messrs. W. F. Kuehne of Boerne and G. D. Wright of Houston, representing the Chevrolet Motor Co. of Texas, were in Bandera Thursday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Roy Mansfield, who is in the United States Immigration Service, has been transferred from North Uvalde to Palfurrias, and orders the address of his New Era changed to that place.

Mrs. Ed Mansfield and children Miss Minnie Mae and little Misses Dolly and Luella and Ruth Kutzer spent several days last week with Mrs. Bryan Autry at Gonzales. They returned home Friday.

The many friends of Jack Click will be pleased to learn that he is doing well in Montana. Mr. Click left Bandera some twenty years ago, and writes his friend, Ed Hunter, that he may return to spend next winter here.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Faris are now the proud owners of a handsome Buick Sedan, purchased last week through a Comfort agency. The car is a beauty, and Milton says he does not feel comfortable in a five or seven passenger.

Gus Reitarz was up from Pipe Creek Tuesday, and dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era. He gave good report of conditions in his section, affirming that crop and range prospects were never more encouraging.

Miss C. J. Estes, principal of the Bonn Avon School, and Miss Betty Collins, secretary of the same school, accompanied by Mrs. Mamie Bosshart, of San Antonio, were visitors at the Spicewood Springs Ranch last Thursday, and enjoyed a hot tamale supper prepared by Mrs. Walter Godkin.

Col. and Mrs. H. C. Hansen and children arrived last week from Des Moines, Iowa, to spend awhile at their delightful ranch above Bandera. Colofld Hansen has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism and has to use a crutch in getting about. We hope our salubrious climate will relieve him of the distressing ailment and that he will soon have to throw the crutch away.

WANT COLUMN

MOORMAN'S CLEAN-SWEEP and GROFAST for sheep and goats. Sold by R. T. Holdcomb, Medina, Texas. Independent phone. Oc28tfc

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FOR SALE—Eggs from pen of special mated pullets and cockrels of Single Comb Rhode Island Reds, $2.00 per setting—L. A. Heder, Medina, Texas. Independent phone

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PANSY PLANTS for sale, by the dozen or more.—Mrs. J. A. Eames, Bandera 2tc

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FOR SALE—500 head of ewes. Who wants them?—Chas. Eckhart. 2tp.

WANTED TO BUY—Old Grandfather clock. Address W. S. Conness, 271 Navarro Street, San Antonio. 2tp.

SMITH BROTHERS sharpen shearing machine knives. Work guaranteed. Leave orders at the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association Warehouse.

WANTED—Saleslaides, Attractive proposition, selling Ladies and Children Dresses direct to wearer for large Manufacturers (Wonderful Values). Make $5,810, $15 a day.—Rodasi Company, 231 N. St. Mary's St., San Antonio, Texas.

Little Miss Dolly Mansfield has the measles.

Mrs. T. W. North has been seriously ill with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perner visited friends at Lima last Sunday.

Luther Coughran is recovering from a severe attack of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Meadows were in from the ranch yesterday.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Coughran is quite ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hay, of San Antonio, were guests of relatives here last Sunday.

J. H. Wheeler, of San Antonio, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Ed Postert, last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mabry, of Hillsboro, arrived Tuesday to make their home in Bandera. They have accepted a position in the O. S. T. Cafe and Confectionery.

Survival of the fittest of the finny tribe is nature's method of working, but the doctrine of conservation supplements the shortcomings of nature. The bass is a game fish but a poor conservationist—he eats his brothers and sisters.

The editor and family spent last Saturday at Mason. Mrs. Hunter, who spend last week with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Rogers, returned home with us Saturday night. Monday night word came that her mother's condition had taken a turn for the worse, and Mrs. Hunter hastened back to her bedside. The aged mother died late yesterday afternoon.

Messrs. R. L. Carter, Sr., R. L. Carter, Jr., and family, and R. L. Carter, III, all of Moberly, Mo., are guests of Walter Godkin and family at Spicewood Springs Ranch. The elder Carter is an uncle to Mr. Godkin. He visited Bandera some three years ago, and was so delighted with our glorious region that he decided to come again. For more than half a century Mr. Carter was a faithful employe of one of the great railroad systems traversing Missouri, but has now retired to private life.

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Schoenert's Cash Market
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Fresh Meats of A Kind s
Try the Famous Schoenert Sausage. Free Delivery to all parts of the city. A share of your trade will be appreciated.
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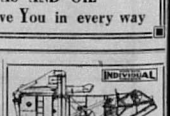
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Mrs. J. W. Brown of ... the guest of Judge ... W. Harris this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster ... Uvalde, are visiting ...

Mr. and Mrs. Dan W. ... of Leander, have ... Medina.

Rev. T. M. Buckelew and ... attended district ... at San Antonio ... Adelia Richards ... Uvalde, are ... Friday, April ... only a short time ... a long time before ... here. Good luck ... Rest Cemetery last ... afternoon. Services were ... ducted by Rev. W. H. P...

Mrs. J. W. Brown ... came here to attend ... funeral.

P. T. A. will have ... meeting at the ... Friday April 8, at 4 ... as the regular meeting ... will be held.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles ... Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Charles ... and Coleman, Texas ... days last week. They ... companied home by Mrs. ... ly's mother, Mrs. Mollie ... son, Dick McKay and ... Miss Violet ... days after spending ... accompanied Miss Bollinger ... her home at Utopia. Texas. ... Miss Anna Carpenter ... Sonora, the week-end ... Miss Sue Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim ... little daughter, Jean ... sister Pelon, were the ... Mrs. H. L. Carpenter ... Saturday, April 16 ... Wedding P. T. A. will ... Easter Egg Luncheon ... served at twelve, at the ... Each guest is requested ... a dozen and a half ... to follow the ball ... will be served at the ...

Miss Iona Sutherland Weds

Jean Jeane

The wedding of Miss ... Sutherland of Medina, Texas, ... Julius Jeane of the city ... Wednesday evening at the ... home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith ... 1223 Thirteenth street, with Rev. ... C. W. Culp, pastor of the First ... Baptist church, officiating. A ... color scheme of pink and white ... was featured in the decorations ... of the home.

The bride, who was given in ... marriage by her brother, George ... Sutherland, was attired in a ...

Reigns Pastorate

Rev. R. N. ... who has been ... of the Baptist church in ... the past two years ... has resigned ... effective May 1st. ... has accepted a call to the ... of the Baptist Church ... Texas. Since coming ... Mr. and his good wife ... active in the work ... we regret to lose ... commend them to the ... they may locate.

Rev. Jeane ... the city, wherein ... for the last ... Hicks left Tuesday for China to ... Rev. ... more there shortly

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... Head ... accompanied ... Hill Friday ... Houston ... message ... Friday ... Burial was at Rest ... Cemetery, Rev. ... officiating. Mr. Hicks is ... and five small ...

Mr. Hicks was born in Mason, ... 1879, and ... Miss Ella ... Mason, on ... 1903. To this ... children were born, ... Mrs. Alice Brown of Galveston, ... Nelda Harmon of Fabens, Texas.

We shall miss Aunt Adelia, for in her passing we have lost a loyal friend, a good neighbor, a sweet character. May her soul rest in peace.

Mrs. Antonio Enriquez.

Mrs. Antonio Enriquez died at her home in Privilege Creek last Monday, and was buried in Privilege cemetery Tuesday afternoon, the funeral being conducted by the Rev. R. J. Gossett, Pastor of the Methodist church. Mrs. Enriquez had been ill for several months, she was about forty years old, and leaves a husband and five small children, who have the sympathy of the entire community.

Catching Buzzards

Erle Mansfield built a buzzard trap for Bruce McCarty last week, and the first day it was set twenty-five buzzards were caught. The trap is made with net wire, and the carcass of a sheep is used as a bait. A chute entrance is provided, and when Mr. Buzzard goes through that chute he can't find his way out. After the captives are killed a large pasture fly trap is set to catch the blow-flies which swarm over the carcass, and Mr. McCarty is of the opinion that in this way the spread of charbon may be arrested and prevented. Quite a number of our ranchmen are preparing to trap the buzzards and entirely rid this section of their presence. Mr. R. E. Blunt, the local tinner makes a dead fly trap for pasture use, which can be used to advantage by the ranchmen.

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The writer knew Marcus Thalmann intimately; and in all of our dealings with him we found him to be a man of genuine integrity and honesty of purpose, a loyal friend, and he proved that friendship in many ways. We shall miss him as the days go by, miss his friendly greeting his cheerful encouragement, and his kindly counsel. To the bereaved family we extend condolence and sympathy in this hour of great sorrow.

The funeral was conducted at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Methodist church by his pastor, Rev. R. J. Gossett, and interment was made in Bandera Cemetery in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives.

Bitten by Small Snake.

Mrs. George Fee was bitten on the foot by a small snake last Sunday. She was quite ill for awhile from the effects of the bite, but soon recovered, after being treated by Dr. John H. Erwin. It is not known what kind of a snake it was, as the reptile escaped.

Ca. Overturns.

A Ford car, occupied by Misses Mae Hunt, Marie Rawls, Gladys Harris, and Raymond Rawls, J. R. Rawls, and Arlee Harris was overturned near Camp Verde Saturday night, while the young folks were returning from an entertainment at the home of Finley Harris. Fortunately all of the occupants escaped injury.

M. R. Thalmann.

After many months of suffering, M. R. Thalmann, a well known citizen of Bandera, died at 6 o'clock yesterday morning at his home near town. While his death has been expected for some time, when the news spread that he had passed away it created much sorrow among those who had known him for many years.

Marcus R. Thalmann was born in Missouri October 29, 1877, the son of Herman and Viola Thalmann. He was brought to Bandera while a very small boy, and here he grew to manhood and resided for almost half a century. In 1904 he was married to Miss Dora Kittinger of Utopia, and to this union six children were born, Mrs. Mabel Pond, Herman, Ruth, Roy, Lela Evelyn, and Charles Harvey Thalmann, all of whom survive him.

During his long residence here Marcus Thalmann was identified with every move which made for the up-building of this section. He was quite active in the sheep and goat industry, and held the position of secretary of the United Goat and Sheep Raisers' Association for a long time. At the time of his death he was also secretary of the Bandera County Fair, which place he had success fully filled from the beginning of the fair organization. He was an active worker and kept the wealth and they chose Medina as

LIMA LINES.

Doc Evans, who has been in the hospital at Kerrville, has returned home. We are glad he is able to be back and hope he will soon be well again.

Judge Mansfield and Mr. Conn, the Rural State Aid Inspector, visited the Lima School last Wednesday. Our School received $670 state aid. Mr. Conn made a very interesting talk and we only wish he had had more time to have been with us.

Our school received $93 insurance to cover the damage done by the fire from the explosion of the moving picture machine recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Haggerton and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dale Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale, April 2, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey and son, Harry, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Fellers and son, Walter, of Fredericksburg, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese and Chas and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hinds and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale Sunday.

Chris Miller and Dave Miller of Fredericksburg came over Sunday. C. C. Miller went home with them returning Monday.

T. B. Phillips, Sam Hillman and S. A. Keese sold a bunch of mutton sheep to Jim Freeman of Kerrville.

T. B. Phillips was re-elected trustee of the Lima school Saturday.

County Meet Program

As some of the schools in the county have decided not to participate in the County Interscholastic Meet, only a one-day program has been prepared next Saturday, April 9, as follows:

Forenoon— Spelling, Music Memory, Arithmetic, Essay Writing, Extemporaneous Speaking, Declamation, Debates, Boys' Tennis.

Afternoon—Indoor Baseball (Boys and Girls), Pole Vault, Throw, Javelin Throw, Volley Twelve-pound Shot Put, Discus Ball, Running High Jump, Running Broad Jump, 120 Yards High Hurdle, 100 Yards Dash Seniors, 220 Yards Low Hurdle, 100 Yards Dash Juniors, One mile run, 50 Yards Dash Junior's Girls' Tennis, 440 Yards Dash Seniors, 440 Yards Relay Juniors, 220 Yards Dash Seniors, 880 Yards Run Seniors, One Mile Run Seniors.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hay, of near Medina, were here yesterday.

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Charter Granted for Sonora Road

Charter for the San Antonio and Northwestern Railroad, a $200,000 corporation with headquarters in San Antonio, was granted Monday by the Secretary of State, giving the company the right to build a railroad from San Antonio to Sonora, Sutton County, through the intermediate counties of Medina, Uvalde, Bandera, Real and Edwards. Ultimately the company expects to extend the line to San Angelo, to connect up there with the Orient.

The company has been incorporated at the request of residents in the vast territory 100 miles in width not now served with a railroad, and effort will be made to serve every town seeking such transportation facilities, according to H. E. Vernon, one of the incorporators. The survey and right-of-way committee, headed by Henry Kieler, president of the company is now in the field seeking the most feasible and practicable line to accommodate this section, Vernon said. The members of this committee will make their reports in about two weeks.

The general line of the route being considered is through Medina County south of the lake, thence in a northwesterly direction. The possible tonnage has not been figured out, but the proposed line will serve a rich grain and stock country, Vernon explained.

In the articles of incorporation, Henry Koehler is named president; Frank H. Weber, secretary and treasurer, and S. H. Saathoff, W. A. Fritze and Dr. Charles A. R. Campbell, as first, second and third vice presidents, respectively. They are all directors. Other directors are C. W. Ling and W. Reichert. Other incorporators are L. J. Gould, Mrs. C. Weber and H. R. Vernon. All are of San Antonio.

The capital stock of $200,000 is divided into 2,000 $100 shares.—San Antonio Express.

Receives Anti Crotalus Serum.

Dr. John H. Erwin this week received a small quantity of the anti-crotalus serum for rattlesnake bites from Col. M. L. Crimmins of San Antonio. This serum is made from the venom of the rattlesnake, and is an absolutely sure antidote for the bite if administered to a patient in time. Rattlesnakes are numerous this year throughout Texas. Within nine days, during the past two weeks, seven persons were bitten by rattlesnakes in the San Antonio territory.

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Kill the buzzards! The buzzard is a most revolting fowl, and of no benefit whatever. He feasts upon carion, and when full of rotten flesh vomits the filth out. He is a spreader of disease and makes life of man and animal unsafe. It has been definitely proven that the vulture carries germs of disease from one section of the country to the other. There is no doubt but that the buzzard has somewhat to do with the spread of charbon anthrax. Now an attempt is to be made to get rid of the buzzard. Bruce McCarty of Bandera has prepared a trap which is successfully catching these foul fowls, and he loses no time in executing the captured birds. After he kills them he sets a large trap for the flies that gather to lend their help in spreading contagion. We think Mr. McCarty is doing wonderful thing in helping to kill out all of the buzzards and the co-conspirator, the pesky fly, and every rancheman should do likewise.

This week the New Era publishes the statement of ownership, as required by the government. This statement is published semi-annually and it must give the names and addresses of owners of newspapers, as well as mortgagees and holders of one per cent or more of stock in the business. Heretofore we would skip this statement of ownership in some out-of-the-way corner, for the reason that we did not like for people to know somebody held a mortgage on our plant, but this week the statement has a prominent place at the top of the column on this page, and we are glad for it to be there, for it reveals that there are no known bond holders or mortgagees. Our plant is paid for, and we are happy. For six years we have been "under a cake," and paying our plant out little by little, and at the same time improving it until today it represents an expenditure of about $7,000, and we can proudly say it belongs to Hunter. To all who have so generously aided us with their patronage and good will we are grateful.

Speaking of the "old-time religion," a Massachusetts Methodist pastor is trying out one feature of the old order of church service on his congregation, doubtless to see how sincere are those members who are fond of looking back to "the good old days" in the church. The pastor in question has revived a seventy-five-year old regulation that worshipers at his church must not be separated according to sex. The male members are seated on one side of the building and the female members on the other side. If the plan proves satisfactory, it will be followed permanently in that church. That system of seating the congregation was abandoned not so long ago in some sections of the south. These are any number of persons, not to be included among the aged, brought up in the Old South, who remember distinctly that segregation of the sexes in church was the usual order when they were young. In those days the old men sat in the "Amen" corner on one side and the elderly ladies in the opposite corner. A young man who brought his sweetheart to church did not have the privilege of sitting with her during the service. Husbands and wives were separated at the church door and sat on opposite sides of the building. But, then, in those Victorian times, there was not the "frankness between the sexes" that we hear about today. It was imagined that there was a difference between them. It was extremely doubtful if the Massachusetts brother's experiment will prove popular in this day of "sex familiarity." Probably he could not have hit on a more effective scheme for discouraging many young people from coming to church.

Kiddy

A Kansas City man went to an orphan home the other day and picked out a brighteyed 8 months old baby boy and presented it to his wife for her birthday present. She was delighted. It used to be that a man's wife occasionally presented him with a son or daughter, but in this modern age it is not unusual to change, and let the husband do the presenting.—Sherman Democrat.

A lady with thirty years of experience in the management of orphan asylums declared in the public prints recently that there never was a time when likely-looking asylum babies were in such demand as at present. To let it be known that a pretty baby, strong and promising is available for adoption, is to have immediate inquiries from numerous childless couples who yearn for a child in the home. This is a curious condition. That people of intelligence and character should choose babies from others rather than of themselves is astonishing, if not exactly dispiriting. It proves, however, what untold centuries of experience has taught, that the love of children is the binder of home ties. It has been said by some cynic that the rich impose on the poor by making them have most of the children. He might better have said that the poor impose on the rich by having an unfair percentage of the children. It seems obvious that the rich fear children more than do the poor, for it is dread of parenthood that keeps so many of the rich and well-to-do from having large families of their own. A millionaire with one child is a timid mortal—he is afraid of losing the child as of losing his money, and the concern he has for both gives him sleepless nights. It is an established fear among the well-to-do that more than two children in the family will overtax their ability to raise and educate them all. Education, in their view, consists of steady schooling from kindergarten up through four or six years of the university. Might it not be better to have more children and less education than more education and fewer children? Education is good but as a recipe for happiness it is a quack proposition.—State Press in Dallas News.

Newspaper Errors.

The editor does not want anyone to send him any more copies of the paper in which they find mistakes. If they find a perfect copy, however, he will pay a big price for it. If the fool critic who hunts for mistakes in the newspapers would find them all, he would be kept busy. We will be pleased to buy copies of any paper which can be proven entirely free from errors, either typographically or in statements of fact. We will be pleased to find a merchant who never made a mistake in putting up an order; a lawyer who never lost a case through his own errors, a doctor who never wrongly diagnosed a case; a druggist who never made a mistake; a post office official who never put mail in the wrong box; a woman who never forgot to put in salt while cooking or to put tea in the teapot before putting in the water.

Bring or some of your mistakeless paragons who find it so easy to criticise the newspapers and we'll give them the chance of their lives to find out whether they are really human.—Donna News.

MOTHER

Mrs. Matilda Jennette Rogers died at her home in Mason on Wednesday, March 30, of pneumonia, after an illness of several weeks. Deceased was born at Chappel Hill, North Carolina, October 23, 1842, being therefore at the time of her death 84 years, five months and seven days old. She was the daughter of Murphy and Winifred Strowd, and with her parents moved to Mississippi when she was a small girl. Here her father became a large plantation owner in Holmes county, Mississippi, and it was here she was married in 1862 to Rogers, in 1863. After the Civil War, which had swept away most of the property of the Southerners, she and her husband came to Texas and located in Jackson county, where in 1885 her husband died, leaving her with a family of nine children. On account of the unhealthy climate of Jackson county, Mrs. Rogers moved to Mason county in 1890, where she made her home until death called her up higher. She is survived by her nine children, as follows: Mrs. Alice Freeman of Mountain Home; Texas; James M. Rogers of Menard, Texas; Paschal G. Rogers of Mason; John L. Rogers of Mason; Mrs. Hattie Lang of Menard; Mrs. Ella Lackey of Phoenix Arizona; Ira J. Rogers of Cattell; Mrs. Georgie Lackey of Menard, and Mrs. Sissie Hodges of Bandera. All of the children were present at the funeral, except Mrs. Ella Lackey, who could not reach there in time.

The funeral was conducted at the Christian Church in Mason last Thursday afternoon, by the pastor, Rev. J. Ray, who delivered a touching eulogy on the beautiful life and character of this venerable mother. Interment was in the Gooch Cemetery at Mason.

Today we sit in the darkness of great sorrow, and our hearts are heavy with grief, for the dear old mother, she whose tender hands soothed the aching brow, whose loving sympathy and watch care was ever present to cheer her on the way from babyhood to manhood and womanhood, and whose kindly smile and sweet words of comfort arose away the childish tears and fears—she has been taken from us, called to that Home Eternal to rest from her weary labors here below. That crown of righteousness vouchsafed unto those who love the Lord and serve him, is her reward. Ever kind, affectionate, gentle and considerate, she fulfilled her mission here on this earth. She was of that sturdy pioneer stock which built our Nation, being of a lineage that helped to create the Republic, and give to the world the greatest country on the earth today.

In North Carolina and Mississippi she was surrounded by all of the luxuries and reared in a home of culture and refinement, receiving her education in some of the best schools of those states. When the Civil War came on with its horrors and swept away her father's wealth, she, like other women of that period, bravely faced the future, and set about to rebuild and retrieve the losses. After the death of her husband she continued the brave battle against seemingly unsurmountable odds, but through it all she never lost courage, ever trusting in her Savior, Jesus Christ, to help her along the stony pathway. The evening of life brought her quietude and rest, and she was happy in the fullness of years. She raised her nine children to be men and women honored and respected, and not one went astray, she performed her task. Besires the nine children, she is survived by nineteen grandchildren, and nineteen great grandchildren.

Mother has gone away, but her influence still abides with us. Her long life was a blessing and a benediction to us, and the memory of her beautiful character will ever remain as an inspiration and a comfort until we are called to join her in the Great Hereafter.

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Of Interest to Wool Growers.

The following letter is being sent out by Messrs. Hallowell, Jones & Donald, wool merchants of Boston, to wool growers throughout the State. This firm which is represented here by Frank G. Montague, has contracted for several million pounds of wool of this spring's clip, and the letter is being sent to their clients, for we think it will be of interest to all wool growers, and therefore give it publicity: . .

Dear Sir—

In order to take this opportunity to say that we are pleased to have your wool under contract this year, and as shearing will commence in the near future, we are writing to impress upon you the importance of putting your wool up in first-class shape. . .

During the past few years Texas as wools have enjoyed a very good reputation, and today they are more in demand than any other domestic wool. This reputation has been built up by the growers of Texas through proper fly breeding and caring for their sheep.

The only complaint that our manufacturing trade have against Texas wools is the poor way in which many of the clips are put up, the principal objection being that the fleeces are not properly tagged at the shearing pens. We therefore feel that it is very much to your interest to take especial care this year in packing your wool. This will be so materially in marketing it, and further the reputation of your clip, which is of vital importance to you as a regular growing wool grower. . .

Of course, as you know, the thorough tagging of the clip is not the only important thing. As well as packing all the tags and sweat locks separately, the black, dead and bucks should also be packed separately, and the bags marked accordingly. The fleeces should be tied with paper twine with the flesh side out; and the wool kept in a dry place until it is put aboard ship. . .

You probably know about the wonderful reputation which the growers of Australia have for the way in which they put up their wool. The same reputation can just as well be built up by Texas growers and to the end materially improve the value of their wool. Very truly yours,

HALLOWELL, JONES & DONALD.

He Swarmed Alone.

Said a wise old bee at the close of day: "This colony business is all right, I put my money in that old hive that others may eat and live and thrive; and I do more work in a day, by gee, than all of the fellows do in three. I toil and worry and save and hoard, and all I get is my room and board. It's me for the sweets of my hard-earned sum in my own little home. I'll build a little store and his was played out and his heart was sore, so he winged his way to the old home land, and took up a seat at the side door stand. Alone, our work is of little worth, but together we're the lords of the earth; so it's all for each and each for all—united we stand, divided we fall—Michigan Bulletin.

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Over 400 Judges.

Austin, Texas, March 29—Over 400 judges will be necessary to judge the many events of the Interscholastic League of the University of Texas Interscholastic League, according to Roy Bedichek, chief of the League Bureau. In the list of such contests are those in public school music, public speaking, declamation, essay writing and the like, about 400 are required. These judges are drawn largely from members of the University faculty. For events about 50 or 60 judges will be needed. Coach D. A. Penick will head all his tennis men and there will be 50 judges for the athletic events which are under his direction.

You can get the San Antonio Express and San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings & Son's Drug Store.

Court Reform

Much is being said and much demand is being made, nowadays, for the reforms in our court procedure, so that law and real merit will control decisions rather than technicalities, and also that unnecessary delays may be done away with. Our present legislature spent much time in an effort to bring about the much needed reforms, and it is hoped the law they passed will have, at least to some extent, the desired result.

The following relative to court procedure in Maryland may be of interest:

The criminal courts of Maryland "are the easiest in the degree of promptness unparalelled in the history of the United States," said James Hephron of Baltimore, while a recent visitor to Dallas.

"Ninety-two per cent of all cases tried are tried within three weeks of the day of arrest. Such speed is possible in Maryland because it has had a law since colonial days permitting a person charged with crime to elect trial either by the court or by a jury. More than ninety-five per cent choose trial by the court. Consequent the only other state having a law similar to this, and I understand it works effectively there also.

"The Baltimore Criminal Justice Commission, with which I am connected, was organized in 1922 and has been very successful. It has been a fact-finding and not a fault-finding organization, and has acted on the theory that is is impossible to proceed faster with any reform than public opinion will permit.

"Through its efforts laws have been enacted by which the judges of courts examine prospective jurors, and pass upon their qualifications. The judge prepares a series of questions, and if a juror qualifies he must either be accepted or rejected by the State and the defendant. In Baltimore, under such procedure, a jury was selected in less than three hours to try a notorious criminal, who was also tried in Buffalo, and three days were required to select a jury.

"In the Cornelius Shea trial in Chicago, sometime ago, 9,435 veniremen were summoned and 4,821 were examined and discharged before a jury sufficiently unintelligent to satisfy the defense could be secured. In San Francisco, ninety-two days were consumed in selecting a jury. Under the law as it now exists in Maryland such delays cannot happen."

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Mohair Sale.

The Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers Association this week sold its spring accumulation of mohair, amounting to 115,000 pounds, and will begin shipping the lot to the Boston buyer next Monday.

This mohair clip was sold through Bill Cohen of San Antonio to a Boston firm, and the price paid was 52½ cents per pound for grown hair and 62½ cents per pound for the kid hair, which in comparison with the prices paid at other places is considered quite satisfactory. Due to the unusually mild winter the name of the one you think the clip was somewhat lighter than usual.

About all of the mohair in this state has been sold, we understand, at prices ranging from 50c to 52½ cents for grown hair, and from 60c to 62½ cents for kid hair.

Before long the spring wool clip will begin coming in to the warehouse, which will further increase the revenue of our ranchmen.

Bandera Defeated.

A lively game of baseball was played at the ball park last Sunday between the I. & G. N. Shops team and the Bandera Team, resulting in a victory for the visitors by a score of 4 to 2.

	R.	H.	E.
Bandera	2	8	1
I. & G. N.	4	6	3
Pitcher:	S.	O.	
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LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed and little sons and Mrs. Artie Reed were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale Sunday.

R. L. Morris has been sick, but we are glad to know he is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Pendley and son, Penn, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Nance and little Miss were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese Sunday.

The Lima school closes Friday, April 22nd. A program will be given that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Moffett and children of Medina, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Keese Sunday.

Pie Supper at Tuff.

A pie supper will be given at Tuff school house on Thursday night, April 21, for the benefit of the baseball team. Everybody cordially invited.

Baseball Next Sunday

A matched game of baseball will be played at the new ball park next Sunday between the 43rd Squadron team from Kelly Field and the Bandera team.

A Voting Contest.

Bandera County has many pretty young mothers and grandmothers, who have passed the prime of life, and we want the people of this county to select the prettiest girl over that age in order that we can give her a box of candy on July 4th, at the Old Settlers' Reunion. For this purpose we have inaugurated a voting contest and one or more of these ballots each week. The result of the count will be published weekly in the New Era. The final count will be made July 4th, at the Old Settlers' Reunion, and the award will be made. Clip your ballot today and send it in. You can vote for any lady above the age of sixty-five, residing in Bandera county.

Play Postponed.

"The Divorce Case," which was to have been presented next Saturday night, by the Alumni of the Bandera High School, has been postponed until Saturday night, April 23rd. The program and cast of characters will appear in the New Era next week.

Swallowed a Whistle.

The five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fredericksen, of Pleasanton, swallowed a tin whistle, which was embedded in a piece of candy, last Saturday, in the home of Mrs. H. L. Atkins, and for the time much uneasiness was felt for the child's safety. Dr. Butler was called, and at this writing the little fellow is apparently out of danger.

Surprise Party at Medina.

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. W. H. Baker, at her home on Monday, April 12. Those present were: Mrs. Jerry Mrs. Bill McMahon, Mrs. Bessie Akins, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Ben Baker, Mrs. Jim Humphreys, Mrs. M. D. Kelley, Mrs. Addie Akins, Mrs. Wyatt, Mrs. Henry Lewis, Mrs. H. L. Carpenter, Mrs. Will McBryde, Miss Ruth Parsons, Mrs. Tallman, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Douglas Hay, Mrs. Henry Bunnet, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Baker. Mrs. Baker was 76 years of age. She received many pretty and useful presents. Punch lemonade and cake was served. Every one left wishing Mrs. Baker many more happy birthdays.

If you want a good second hand Ford see Mansfield & Blakeney.

Rocksprings Hit By a Tornado

News came by radio yesterday that the number of dead in the Rocksprings tornado will not exceed seventy-five, while the list of injured amounts to more than 200. The report stated that only four buildings remain standing in the town. The wreckage is reported to be on fire and spreading, and fire-fighters from San Antonio, and other towns are hastening to the place to render assistance in checking the flames.

Late reports yesterday afternoon gave the partial list of the dead at Rocksprings as follows: J. R. Dolahite, editor of the Rocksprings Leader, and four members of his family.

Mrs. W. S. Pyles.

Mrs. W. J. Adams.

Mrs. Pennington and two children. Two children of J. Billingsley.

Rev. Spiers, wife and one child.

J. T. Cowden, wife and two children.

Chas. Herrington.

Charlie Baker.

Chas. McMain.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis.

Judge Griffet and two children.

Guy Henderson and three children.

Kerrville, Tex., April 12—Meager reports obtained here at 10 p. m. said 125 people were killed at Rocksprings when a tornado struck the town shortly after dark. Mayor J. N. Lockley of the stricken town in a message appealing for aid said not over four houses were left standing at Rocksprings.

A relief party of surgeons and nurses left here at 10 p. m. In the party were physicians and nurses from the U. S. Hospital at Legion.

In his gill for aid Mayor Lockley asked that Uvalde, Del Rio and other neighboring towns be notified to send help with all haste possible.

More than 125 persons are reported killed in a tornado which struck Rocksprings at 4:30 p. m. today night, according to information reaching San Antonio two hours later over an improvised emergency telephone established one mile east of the city.

The reports indicated that the total dead would mount still higher when a check was made. A relief party left Del Rio over the Southern Pacific Lines with in an hour after news of the storm reached the city and a party of doctors were organizing another relief party at Uvalde to go to the stricken town.

The first casualty reported outside after the storm was that of the wife and baby of Rev. H. L. Spiers, pastor of the Rocksprings Methodist church. A Mrs. Coleman, one of the first refugees to arrive in Camp Wood from the tornado ridden town, reported the death of the woman and child, and said that Spiers was very badly injured. The Methodist parsonage was located on a lot adjoining the Rocksprings Hotel.

Makeshift telephone service from Rocksprings to Kerrville was temporarily discontinued, and relief work seriously handicapped at midnight Tuesday by a torrential rain storm accompanied by lightning, according to the Kerrville operator.

She reported that Gladys Lowrey, Rocksprings operator, who gave the first news to the outside world over a telephone, hooked up on a telephone post one mile from Rocksprings, had phoned that she was being driven from her post by the storm.

The rain was beginning to flood the country side, adding to the misery of the several hundred injured persons, many of whom lay helpless on the ground and beneath wreckage.

A Cyclone Hits Bandera County

A cyclone, traveling from south west to northeast, hit Bandera county about three o'clock Wednesday morning, leaving devastation in its wake. The path of the twister was several hundred yards wide, and it took a zig zag course, demolishing houses, uprooting trees, and tearing down fences. Fully twenty or thirty farms and ranches suffered damage, but thus far we have heard of no loss of life or any person being injured. Telephone wires are down and it is impossible to learn the full extent of the damage done. Heavy rain and hail accompanied the storm. No communication had been established with Tarpley up to 7 o'clock this morning, and it is feared much damage was done in that community.

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At the home of F. A. Masters on Winan's Creek, slight damage was done, but on the hill just this side of Pete the Winan's Creek schoolhouse was blown entirely away, the only thing remaining on the site being two desks.

Will Batto's home, recently remodeled, was almost totally wrecked and a house on the I. I. Duke farm, occupied by Bruce Hay, was turned over and wrecked.

The storm moved the dwelling of James Power, near the Ranger Crossing, demolished the chimney and tore away the front porch, and further on the wind caved in the barn on Bruce McCarty's place. At the home of J. W. Cox the wind tore up a barn and several outhouses. S. F. Edge's threshing machine was blown over several times and somewhat damaged.

A portion of the dwelling of Mrs. C. H. Mansfield was wrecked, her barns demolished, exposing feedstuff and grain to the elements. Her garage was blown down and her Chevrolet car was crushed. Mrs. Mansfield's loss is very heavy.

At the ranch of Sheriff E. Hicks barns were unroofed or blown down and his garage demolished.

A house occupied by Mrs. Harmon Smith, on Bandera Creek, was totally demolished, but fortunately no one was at home at the time.

The twister was about a mile wide, and hit the Myrtle and Mansfield Creek region pretty hard. The home of Mrs. Joseph Flynn was badly wrecked, only one room left standing. Mr. Schiele's the barns and outhouses were wrecked and the front porch to his dwelling was blown off as W. E. Schoonert's but little damage was done a few planks being blown from his dwelling; Christian Jensche's front porch was lifted and tossed up on the roof of his house; C. W. Bradshaw's smoke house was demolished and his supply of bacon was scattered for site a distance; at Otto Stein's the wind demolished his barns and turned over farm machinery. Trees were blown down and strewn along the path of the storm.

The Myrtle Creek school house was wrecked and blown away.

At Richard Schladoer's place some damage was done to porches of his dwelling and to outhouses.

Telephone connection with all points west and northwest of Bandera was crippled and it has been difficult to learn the full extent of the storm damage.

Distinguished Visitors.

This office was honored last Friday by a visit from Ex-Senator and Mrs. Claire B. Bird of Wausau, Wisconsin, and Judge and Mrs. T. W. Jones of Madison, Wisconsin. Senator Bird represented his state for several years in the United States Senate at Washington, and Judge Jones is a member of the Wisconsin Supreme Court. They came to Texas about three weeks ago on a pleasure trip, traveling in automobiles, and passed through Bandera. They were so delighted with this picturesque Hill Country that they returned last Friday and spent several hours in Bandera.

On last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cunningham and infant daughter, of El Paso, came to spend a portion of the day with the editor of Frontier Times. Mr. Cunningham is one of the most popular novelists and writers of short stories of the present time. He is a contributor to the Blue Book, Munsey's, Triple-X, Frontier Stories, the World-Wide Magazine, and other high class publications. From Bandera they went to Kerrville Sunday afternoon to pay a visit to J. E. Grisham, the still Country's beloved writer.

A few minutes after the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Mr. A. B. Ashby and Mr. William B. Blaize, of San Antonio, came to pay us a visit also, and it was truly a happy party which repaired to the O. S. T. Cafe for a splendid dinner. Mr. Ashby is a well known writer and contributes to a number of leading magazines, principally The New South, published at Chattanooga, Tennessee. Mr. Blaize is also a writer of well known ability.

Profssor Noel Varner, of Floresville, was the guest of friends here several days last week.

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of Bandera

MYRTLE CREEK BUBBLES.

Miss Luella Stevens is quite sick with the measles. Her mother is staying with her in Bandera at the home of Mrs. Len Bayfield. We wish for Luella a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Vic Stevens and children spent the afternoon with Mrs. J. D. Jones Sunday.

Robt. Hobbs's children, who have been sick with measles, are better.

Miss Lillie Belle Hunt who has been visiting her mother's sister, Mrs. K. Brodead in San Antonio, returned home Wednesday and reports an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Albert Rees and son, Sidney, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones Tuesday.

L. N. Stevens motored to Bandera Thursday.

L. B. Jones was a business visitor in Bandera Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt were Kerrville visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Boulware visited with Mrs. L. B. Jones Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Stevens visited Mrs. Stevens parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Denton, on Turtle Creek Sunday.

Undergoes An Operation.

Mrs. Clinton Risinger was taken to a hospital in San Antonio this week to undergo an operation. Her many friends are earnestly hoping she will make good recovery.

School Program.

The Pipe Creek School rendered its closing program last Saturday evening. The house was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and palms, the color scheme of black and pink being carried out by baskets of pink roses, and black and pink draperies. The program was a vaudeville bill, consisting of songs playlets, drills etc. The beautiful music rendered by Miss Daisy Wood and Mr. Wilson Ware received an appreciative response. Judge Mansfield's talk was interesting and an encouragement along educational lines. The program was closed by a short talk from each member of the faculty and a "negative quantity" speech from a member of the Board of School Trustees.

At Bandera Theater.

Two picture shows at Bandera Theater this week, Friday and Saturday nights. On Friday night "the Yankee Senor," featuring Bob Custer. These are splendid pictures and feature your favorites. Don't miss them.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

The old time tournament will be staged at the next reunion of the Old Settlers of Bandera county. This old time feature has long since passed into oblivion, but it is to be resurrected, and will be run according to the old time rules. There are many of the younger generation who have never witnessed the tournament, and to them it will be quite interesting, as well as to the old folks who delight to count it a big event at the barbecues and gatherings forty years ago. The New Era will have more to say about the tournament.

The Old Settlers Reunion to be held July 4th and 5th of this year promises to be the best yet. Every man and woman in Bandera county, who has passed the age of forty, should be a member of the Old Settlers' Association, and by their membership help to sustain and keep alive the organization. We have labored hard to perpetuate this organization and by it provide enjoyment and entertainment for our old people, and we are of the opinion that if more interest was taken by the people generally in the undertaking it would help wonderfully. A lack of co-operation in such matters sometimes tends to discourage those who are willing and anxious to carry a movement forward.

There's going to be a beauty contest at the next Old Settlers' Reunion, to be held July 4th and 5th, and that contest is starting right now. Any Bandera county girl over sixty-five years old may be entered in this contest. Costs nothing to vote. Ballots must be clipped from the New Era and sent in each week until the day of the final count. The prize to be given will be a handsome cedar chest of schoolslate candy, and perhaps other gifts. The votes that you never dreamed of. Every month thousands of copies of Frontier Times are sent out to subscribers all over the United States. Daily its circulation is growing, and with its growth Bandera profits. Enough said.

As Ye Sow

A story is told of a rich man who wanted to help a poor carpenter and his family. He hired the carpenter to build a house on a vacant lot he possessed and kept away from the scene. The carpenter reasoned with himself that it was his opportunity to make an increased profit by using shoddy material in places that could be covered up with paint and paper, feeling sure that the owner would never know it. When he reported to his benefactor the building was ready, the rich man thanked him and handed him a deed to the property. "As you sow, so shall you reap." It pays to be honest.—Eagle Pass Guide.

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"There is a Reason"

Bandera High School will close May 20th. This has been the most successful term of school in the town's history, and we are justly proud of the work done by the faculty and pupils this session. Not a jar has occurred to disrupt or break the even harmony of the school, every pupil has made splendid progress, patrons are all pleased, and only words of praise are heard for the faculty. We hope each teacher will be retained for the next term, for the interest created, and willbe run according to the old time rules. There are many of the younger generation who have never witnessed the tournament, and to them it will be quite interesting, as well as to the old folks who delight to count it a big event at the barbecues and gatherings forty years ago. The New Era will have more to say about the tournament.

Frontier Times for May.

Frontier Times for May will be issued from this office this week, and it will be a good number as usual. With its handsome new cover design, Frontier Times is making quite a hit, and growing in popularity with every issue. The May number will contain the following: "Indian Boy Executed at Fredericksburg in 1852." "A Pioneer Preacher Tells of the James Boys," "The Tragedy of the Perdenales," "Sam Bass," Indianola's Church Bell," "Clark Haus, the Texas Ranger," "The City of Kent," "The Beautiful Grey Horse of the Plains," "Explodes Ben Thompson Myths," "The Great Steamboat Race," "Reported Killed in Bass Canyon," "Bob Glasscock Tells of Cow-Punching Days," "The Truth About Wild Bill," "Frontier Feudists were True to Friends."

Every story in Frontier Times is full of interest for old and young, and it is real history. The Sam Bass story mentioned above, was written by Eugene Cunningham, well known novelist and fiction writer, who paid Bandera a visit last Sunday. You may not have given the matter thought, or perhaps if you have done so, you passed it lightly, but it is a fact that this little magazine is helping put the town of Bandera on the map, in a way that you never dreamed of. Every month thousands of copies of Frontier Times are sent out to subscribers all over the United States. Daily its circulation is growing, and with its growth Bandera profits. Enough said.

As Ye Sow

A story is told of a rich man who wanted to help a poor carpenter and his family. He hired the carpenter to build a house on a vacant lot he possessed and kept away from the scene. The carpenter reasoned with himself that it was his opportunity to make an increased profit by using shoddy material in places that could be covered up with paint and paper, feeling sure that the owner would never know it. When he reported to his benefactor the building was ready, the rich man thanked him and handed him a deed to the property. "As you sow, so shall you reap." It pays to be honest.—Eagle Pass Guide.

County Interscholastic Meet.

Follwing is a list of the winnings in the Bandera County Interscholastic League Meet, held here last Saturday. As all of the schools of this county did not participate in the Meet, all the events listed above took place on Saturday. It was at first planned to hold a two days' meet, but as there was no competition in some of the events, this was not necessary, and decisions in such were given by default:

Senior Girls Declamation—Theresa Mesch, first; Edith Oliff, second.

Senior Boys Declamation.—Levi Evans, first.

Junior Girls Declamation.—Ruth Davenport, first; Mildred Rambie, second; Eloise Leighton, third.

Junior Boys Declamation—James Davenport, first; Lloyd Dean, second.

Extemporaneous Speech—Selma Grace Mansfield, first; Lyla Strawn, second.

Arithmetic Winning Teams—Bandera, Aileen Buck and Lula North first; East Verde, Eltis Evans and Don Clark, second.

Senior Spelling Winning Teams—Bandera, Aileen Cash and Selma G. Mansfield, first; East Verde Levi Evans and Edith Oliff, second.

Junior Spelling — Bandera, Eloise Corley and Lula North, first; Tarpley, Olga Mesch and Theresa Mesch, second.

Sub-Junior Spelling—Bandera, Margaret Davenport and Ralph Kutzer, first; East Verde, Freda Clark and Elnita Evans, second.

ATHLETIC EVENTS

Boys' Tennis, Singles—Robert Mansfield, first, Walter Silvers, second.

Boys' Tennis, Doubles— Leonard Little and Burgin Davenport, first; John Holt and Walter Silvers, second.

Girls' Tennis, Singles— Selma G. Mansfield, first; Theresa Mesch, second.

Girls' Tennis, Doubles—Aileen Cash and Lois Fletcher, first; Olga Mesch and Eloise Leighton, second.

Shot Put—Charlie Bradshaw, first; Herman Thalmann second; Charlie Rugh, third; Roland Reitzer, fourth.

Discus Throw—Charlie Rugh, first; George Lane, second; Leonard Little, third; Roland Rietzer, fourth.

Javelin Throw—Herman Thalmann, first; Leonard Little, second; Filo Evans, third; Otis Evans, fourth.

Senior High Jump—George Lane, Burgin Davenport and Robert Mansfield, tie for first; Filo Evans, second; Otis Evans, third.

Junior High Jump—Marion Gray, first; Rex Kutzer, second; Creed Click, third; N. B. Padgett, fourth.

Pole Vault—Elbert Faris, first; Wayne Moore, second; Filo Evans, third.

Senior Broad Jump—Herman Thalmann, first; Leonard Little, second; George Lane, third, Filo Evans, fourth.

Junior Broad Jump—Coy Mansfield, first; Creed Click, second; N. B. Padgett, third.

220 Yards Low Hurdle— Robert Mansfield, first; Levi Evans, second.

440 Yards Dash—Charlie Bradshaw, first; Leonard Little, second; Raymond Hicks, third; Roland Rietzer, fourth.

Junior 100 Yards Dash—Rex Kutzer, first; Marion Gray, second; Gilbert Moore, third.

Senior 100 Yards Dash— Robert Mansfield, first; Burgin Davenport, second; Charlie Bradshaw, third; Roland Rietzer, fourth.

Correspondents and all others who may have items for publication in the New Era next week are kindly requested to send their articles in by Monday, as the editor is arranging to make a trip to the Plains country, and we want to get all work in hand before we leave.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all who so kindly aided us during the illness of our husband and father, W. R. Thalmann, and for the sympathy and kindness shown us over his death, and for the many beautiful floral offerings. These acts of kindness toward us will never be forgotten.—Mrs. M. R. Thalmann and Children.

NOTICE

That all leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

Frontier Times $1.50 per year.

Of Interest to Fishermen.

Austin, Texas April 13—Replying to inquiries as to how, when and where one may fish, the Game, Fish and Oyster Department today gave out a brief outline of laws with particular reference to fresh water fishing.

Do not use nets or artificial bait in March and April, except in ponds or lakes owned privately or in tanks, or cities, and which are not subject to overflow by stream or creek.

The fishing of bass under 11 inches, and white perch or crappie under seven inches is lawful and the purchase or sale of same is prohibited.

Those who fish for the market require a yearly license which costs one dollar, and shall pay a tax of 25c a hundred pounds on fish sold.

The angler license law, effective June 28 in all state waters, requires that any person who uses artificial bait, in or outside his home county, shall procure an angler's license. The cost is $1.10 for residents and $5 for persons from outside the state, but such outsiders may procure a five days license for $1.10.

The close season on rainbow trout is January, February, March, April and May. They may not be sold, or taken under 14 inches.

In addition, there are special laws for certain counties.

At no time is it permitted to seine, trammel or sell bass, perch, crappie or catfish in the counties of Comal, Guadalupe, Bexar, Kerr, Bandera and Medina. Only rock bass and ten crappie may be taken in any one day, and closed season on artificial bait is February, March and April.

A special law for Burnet, Williamson, Lampasas, Grayson, Bosque, Cooke, Denton, Coryell, Hamilton, Erath, Dallas and Hood counties permits seining for sucker, buffalo, carp, and shad during the months of July, August and September.

With the above exceptions, at no time is it permitted to use seines or to sell bass, white perch, crappie, or catfish in the counties of Burnet, San Saba, Brown, McCulloch, Edwards, Coleman, Concho, Menard, Mason, Gillespie, Kimble, Real, Bandera, Uvalde, Real, Kerr, Comal, Valverde, Bandera, Reeves, Ward, Loving, Pecos, Mesina, Bexar, Hunt, Burnet, Bass, Williamson, Zavalla, Dimmit, Travis, Lampasas, Milam, Llano. Taking more than 35 fish in any one day is prohibited. In using minnow seines for procuring bait, fish over three inches long must be returned to the water. Leaving fish on the bank to die when not intended for use is prohibited.

The recent legislature outlaw seines in Marion, Harrison, Smith and Rusk Counties. Also special law governs fishing in the Big Wichita lakes.

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Good Roads and the Small Town.

Youn have heard it said that the day of the small town is doomed on account of good roads and automobiles. This is a false statement. The small town has greater opportunities today than ever before. It is up to the business interests of such towns to solve and put over these problems If such a town is filled up with a class of live merchants who do not care whether folks trade with them or not, then such a town is likely for the rocks. The local merchant has a great opportunity before him in the expansion of his trade. These are numerous methods that he can apply to his business that means an increase in sales. It is up to him to do the work. He cannot sit down and expect folks to flock to his place of business because his name is so and so, and because he is a citizen of the town and has been in business a number of years. He must not only have his own interests at heart but must have the town and community in which he resides. He must be for and take an active part in any movement that means for the betterment of same. Trade this day and time is going where it is invited. Competition in all lines of busines is too keen for the live merchant to sit back and expect folks to run over him with their business. They just won't do it any more. Go after business if you expect it to come your way. Offer inducements.—Ladonia News.

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"Edison," replied the merchant.

"I'll take one," said Ford, "and by the way, you may be interested to know that Mr. Edison is out in my car."

"So?" said the merchant.

When the light was put in, it was found that a new tire was needed, so Ford went back into the store and asked what kind of tires the merchant had.

"Firestone," was the reply.

"By the way, you may be interested to know that Mr. Firestone is out there in my car, and that I am Mr. Ford—Henry Ford."

"So?" said the merchant, and let drive a long squirt of tobacco juice against the wall.

While the merchant was putting on the tire, Burroughs, who had white whiskers, stood out of the car and said, "Good evening sir."

The merchant looked up at him with a full chew in his mouth and said: "If you try to tell me that you're Santa Claus, I'll be darned if I don't crown you with this wrench."—Exchange.

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Cattle Raisers Boost Monument.

The campaign to raise funds with which to build a $100,000 monument in San Antonio in commemoration of the old trail drivers of Texas, was given considerable impetus at the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association convention in El Paso recently according to Mrs. R. R. Russell, president of the monument association.

Following an address by Mrs. Russell before the executive committee and the association, several groups of ranchmen organized for the purpose of raising money with which to secure pioneer cattlemen and trail drivers by subscribing $1,000 through clubs for getting the old timers' names inscribed on the monument she said. The monument association's action some time ago decided to put the name of each one whose contribution amounted to $1,000 on the monument.

Congressman Claude Hudspeth made an individual contribution of $500, matching the offer of Will Rogers, humorist, who gave his check for that amount during a recent visit to San Antonio.

Mrs. Russell said that more than a dozen $1,000 contributions had been made in response to the plan of inscribing names of pioneer cattlemen on the monument, which is to be sculptored by Gutzon Borglum.

Several clubs have been started to place the names of cattlemen on the monument, among them John Blocker, John Lytle, Mark Withers, Bill Irvin, Jesse Presnall and others. Friends of Charles Goodnight started a club at the El Paso convention to subscribe $1,000 for him, although he had expressed a willingness to give the amount himself. Friends of George Saunders of San Antonio expressed a willingness, Mrs. Russell said, to subscribe $1,000 at the El Paso convention to place his name on the monument but Mr. Saunders asked that a $1 to $100 club be started for him also, his friends included many who wark as cow hands, cooks and horse wranglers.

Keep Onward, Upward.

Those who loye the woods and rivers know the choicest bits of landscape, the most secluded pools and quietest trout are to be found "upstream."

Only in the "upper reaches" do we find the inspiration of virgin cloudcaps and broad horizons; but no one ever gained the upper reaches by drifting. These are to be attained only by tedious progress and strenuous poling "upstream."

Life, like a river, has shallows and backwaters into which the indifferent drift, all unmindful that shallows lead nowhere and that their stagnant waters breed insidious poisons.

Lazy drifting, the path of least resistance, the status quo, are the choice of weaklings. They know no "noble discontent." Existing with a minimum of thought and effort they cannot complain when the big prizes of the world pass them by.

Nothing is constant save change. Life means motion. But the timid, clinging vainly to custom and precedent, dreading anything new, hurling hard names at the innovators who disturb their comfortable drowsing. No man or company of men ever grew great merely by standing still. Effort, endeavor, struggle, difficulties, dangers, even, are the prime of brain, brawn, character, life.

To trail "upstream" against the majority dictum that "what ever is best," is lonely work that tests the courage of our convictions—but it is worth while.

Emerson said, "It is easy in the world to live after the world's opinion, it is easy in solitude to live after our own, but the great man is he who, in the midst of the crowd, keeps with perfect sweetness the independence of solitude."

Let those who will, creep warily through life's hazards. The way of deed and daring is for the strong who are not to be stayed by fear, who blazes straight trails to rich new lands, not content to follow the winding ways that others have trod.—Winchester Store News.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 648, O. E. S., on Friday night, April 15th 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To The Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County, Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day thereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. Adelia Richards, Deceased, C. W. Harris has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. Adelia Richards, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera, this the 24th day of April A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court Bandera County, Texas.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her Quite a number of subscripticrs are expiring at this time and yours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to this matter will be appreciated.

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No. 1016, Susie Davis vs. Louis Davis.

In the District Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bandera once in each week for 4 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Louis Davis whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Bandera, on the Fifth Monday in May A. D. 1927, the same being the 30th day of May A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 15th day of January A. D. 1927, in said numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1016 wherein Susie Davis is plaintiff, and Louis Davis is defendant, the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce upon the grounds of abandonment, for the custody of the minor child of the plaintiff and defendant, to-wit: Joe Louis Davis, for cost of suit and for general relief. Plaintiff alleges that she and the defendant were married to each other on the 26th day of December, 1918, and defendant without cause, abandoned the plaintiff on the 15th day of August, 1919, and that the abandonment has been permanent and she has had no relation with him since that time. That she is a fit and proper person to have the custody of the said child, and that the defendant is not a fit person to have custody of said child and that he is a transient person and his residence is unknown.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term hereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Bandera, this the 19th day of March A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE,
Clerk of District Court in and for Bandera County, Texas.
First pub Mar 24, '27

Much uneasiness is felt for the safety of Mrs. Kate Whisenhunt and her daughter, Miss Rachel, who went to Rocksprings last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. Wellborn, in that town. As the wires from Bandera to Medina are down, we have been unable to ascertain if they have returned to the Whisenhunt ranch near Medina.

Undergoes An Operation.

O. C. Riley, of Tarpley, was taken to a Kerrville hospital one day last week, where he underwent a serious operation. His many friends hope for his speedy and complete recovery.

Baseball

Sunday, April 17

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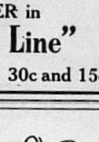

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Ruge's Filling Station

Who is the prettiest girl over 65 years old in Bandera County? We'll tell you after July 4th.

Mrs. Oscar Frederickson and little son, of North Pleasanton, are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. H. L. Atkins.

Harold Mansfield, of San Antonio, was here the first of the week on a visit to his parents, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

There will be an attractive Easter service at the Baptist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited.

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W. W. Whitley, Mrs. Bob. Surber and Mrs. M. Hamilton left yesterday afternoon for Rocksprings, to assist in caring for the victims of Tuesday night's tornado.

Fred Thalmann returned from Forth Worth Monday where he marketed 580 muttons and lambs. He received 9c per pound for the muttons and 13c per pound for the lambs.

Mrs. J. W. Hamilton arrived Tuesday from Carlsbad, N. M., to join Mr. Hamilton, who has been here for the past month. They will again make their home in Bandera, having bought the A Halamuda place northwest of town.

Percy Davis, former Bandera boy, who enlisted in the U. S. Marines, has been sent to Shanghai, China, with the Sixth Regiment, sailing from San Francisco last week. Some thirty years ago Percy's father was in the Marine service and was sent to China to help quell the Boxer troubles.

Tom Crist was up from Pipe Creek yesterday and said a fine rain fell in his community Tuesday night, but no damage was done by wind. He reports that Mrs. Crist, who underwent an operation at a San Antonio hospital last week, was able to return home Mondy and is making good recovery.

Friends in this community sympathize with Messrs. Gus and Charles Britsch in the death of their aged mother, Mrs. Gotlieb Britsch, which occurred April 3rd at her home near Hondo. Mrs. Britsch was one of the pioneers of Medina county. She was born in Germany in 1830, and came to America with her parents when she was a very small child.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Kasper Maurer, April 2, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones, of Myrtle Creek, were visitors in the city Friday.

Ten per cent off on all ladies hats until after Easter.—Mrs. T. S. Dennis.

Miss Emily Ruth Ramble, who teaches near Tarpley, was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens, of San Antonio were visiting homefolks here last Sunday.

Paul Garison, Vaughn Coulter and Roscoe Pike, popular young men of Medina, were here Sunday.

Mrs. Lon Joiner and pretty daughters, Misses Fleta and Lee, were in from Mason Creek Saturday for the County Meet.

Mrs. L. F. Buergner, of York town and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Buergner of Victoria are the guests of Mrs. R. E. Caffall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson and Mrs. Williams, of San Antonio, were here Sunday on their way to Medina on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Snelling, of San Antonio, were guests of Mrs. Snelling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Stevens, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pardue and a party of friends were here from San Antonio to spend Sunday at the Bruce ranch on the Medina road.

G. T. Simpson of Batesville, Texas, and his son, Shelton Simpson of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. North this week.

Miss Judith Thompson returned to her home at San Antonio Sunday, after spending several days with Mrs. Jesse Jennette and Rachel Hunter.

Hayden Mansfield, who has been holding a position on a ranch near London, arrived home last week and will remain here for awhile.

Private Ed Ross, of the U. S. Marines, with headquarters at Charleston, S. C., is here on a visit to his father, John H. Ross, and other relatives.

Pipe Creek school, which has been successfully taught by Mrs. J. T. Canafax, Miss Mattie Mae Newcomer and Miss Bessie Krause, will close tomorrow.

Mrs. John Gibbons, of San Antonio, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones, last Thursday. She came to bring Mr. H. J. Bowles and son, Gus, to spend awhile here.

The Blackett school closed last Friday after a successful term with the largest attendance for many years past. Miss Ruth McAdam's, the teacher left for her home at Lorena, Monday.

R. E. Buck was up from Pipe Creek Monday and dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era. He says his Pipe Creek community is now passing through an epidemic of measles, several cases having appeared there.

Ily J. Bowles and son, Gus, of San Antonio, are spending a few weeks here. Mr. Bowles is recuperating from a recent heart attack and illness. He had not visited Bandera in many years, but finds many familiar scenes hereabouts which he knew in his boyhood days.

J. T. Webb of Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Williams of Kerrville, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker of Kerrville, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Webb of Center Point, Willie Walker of Kerrville, spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Walker on Chalk Creek. The gathering was something of a family reunion, all of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Walker being present.

Last week in mentioning that Col. J. Alfred went to San Antonio to view in response to a message announcing the death of his son-in-law, J. E. Holt, we should have stated that Mrs. R. A. Chipman went with him also. Mrs. Chipman is a sister to Mrs. Holt, and, with her father, hastened to go to render all of the comfort and consolation she could in the time of sorrow and distress.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Boehme were in town Monday from their ranch near Pipe Creek, and Mr. Boehme informed us that work on the new toll road through his community, in which project he is a stock holder, is going forward rapidly, and it is expected that the road will be finished about May 1st. This toll-road is being constructed from the San Antonio-Bandera road, near the county line to Medina Lake, and a crew of sixty to ninety men with teams and scrapers are engaged in building it.

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FOR SALE—Ellis engine, pump jack, tank, piping, cylinder and tower. Write Mrs. M. L. Blatchersick, Center Point, Texas.

FOR SALE—Kitchen table, some carpenter tools, oil paintings, bed and roll top desk. Can be seen at the Baptist parsonage.—Mrs. R. N. Hicks.

PANSY PLANTS for sale, by the dozen or more.—Mrs. J. A. Eaton, Bandera. 2tp

FOR SALE—Dwarf Red Top and Honey Blend seed at 10c per pound. Also Sudan Grass seed at 10c per pound.—Will Batto.

FOR SALE—Dining table, chairs, and air-tight heater.—Mrs. Hicks, at Baptist Parsonage.

FOR SALE—Ford roadster truck with solid cushion tires on rear wheels. Price $25. Also a Dodge truck, in good condition.—Oscar W. Perner.

FOR SALE—A Tractorized Ford, does any kind of farm work. Can be seen at my home. Price $150 —Oscar W. Perner.

A gasoline and oil station is being put in on Happy Hill for Tom Norris, near the Jet Store.

Henry Barnes and Mr. Peeman, of Eagle Pass, were here the first of the week, guests of Col. and Mrs. J. Alfred.

Sunday visitors at the home of Otto Weltzer and children, were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gollmund Sr., Mr. Schilling, Rudolph Hanfler, Misses Dannie Ranft and Alice Rehnert, all of Comfort, and Mr. Vogt of Boerne.

Among those who came over from Tarpley to attend the County Meet last Saturday were, R. N. Padgett, Willie Sprott, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Leighton, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pue, Mrs. J. W. Glass, and Mrs. Emil Pressler.

In mentioning the death of Mrs. Orlinda Richards last week the New Era stated that deceased and her husband had raised two orphan girls, Mrs. Alice Brown of Galveston, and Mrs. Dick Harmon of Fabens. Our attention has been called to the fact that Mrs. Brown was not raised an orphan, and Uncle Bill was Mrs. Myrtle Taylor instead. We gladly make the correction.

Who is the prettiest Bandera county over 65 years old? This question will be answered by ballot at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 4th. You can have a vote in the matter by using the ballot which appears on the second page of the New Era. Fill in the name of your favorite and send to the New Era. Costs you nothing. Ballots will be counted each week and result published in the New Era.

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Miss Beulah Smith, as Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and orders may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man, sells real estate. Has buyers for sheep and goats. Has a client who wants 1,000 acres of land near Bandera. See him if you want to sell.

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MEDINA

Rev. and Mrs. P. J. [illegible] and children attended an Easter program at the Methodist church Sunday night.

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. [illegible] Livingstone's birthday Saturday, April 16. There were present [illegible] and an Easter hunt. Refreshments of cake and punch were served. Those present were: Mrs. B. F. [illegible] Collins, Mrs. Ed Bandera, Mrs. L. S. Stokes, Mrs. C. W. Harris, Mrs. M. D. Kelly, Mrs. Hayden Adams, Mrs. R. P. Hayden and Mrs. O. W. Livingstone.

Mrs. D. O. Tallman is staying with her sister, Mrs. Elkins who underwent an operation recently at San Antonio.

Mrs. Addie Akin is seriously ill, we hope she will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Small and Mr. Newton Nance made a trip to Arizona last week to visit the former's son, Mr. Small's mother, Mr. Nance's brother, Mr. Nance. Mr. Nance visited here last winter and was in Bandera Saturday. Mrs. Small returned home Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hatfield and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mayfield, all children visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. McMahon last Sunday.

The sad news of the death of Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Bickley's daughter, Mrs. Dona Fisher, was received here Saturday morning. Her husband died about two years ago. She leaves two children, the oldest a girl, married. Mrs. Fisher lived here when she was a girl. She was about forty-three years old. Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Bickley and Mr. and Mrs. John Buckner and Mrs. Inez Hill went to Pio to attend the funeral last Sunday. The funeral services were conducted by the Eastern Star. Many beautiful flowers were brought and placed on the grave. We extend sympathy to these dear friends.

The Easter Tea given by the P. T. A. April 16, at the school house, netted about $22 or which amount with $3.00 added will go to Rocksprings sufferers.

The graduating class will be entertained Tuesday night April 19, by the P. T. A. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Browning.

An Easter program was given at the Methodist church Sunday night by the Sunday school. It was a success.

The members of the graduating class are: Misses Leora Bassford, Fern Banta, Elzie Frizzell, Messrs Hough Le Stourgeon and J. G. Richards.

Bandera to Aid

A collection is being taken for the assistance of the victims of the Rocksprings tornado. Those desiring to contribute are kindly requested to leave funds at either the First State or First National Bank at once. All checks should be made payable to Miss Mae Montague, and all donations of clothing and bedding should be sent to the home of Mrs. Chas. Montague. Clothing, bedding, dishes, must

Laundry Intact.

All kinds of reports of freak performed by the tornado at Rocksprings are beginning to filter into the report which will reach Bandera people is to the effect that Ham Chipman, who lives here, had sent his laundry, valuing it a hundred dollars several days before the storm. On the morning following the storm Ham and his brother, Ben Chipman, started the ranch to go to Rocksprings to lend assistance to those in need. When they reached there they found the home of the laundress blown away. While engaged in rescuing bodies from the debris

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The New Era editor acknowledges receipt of a kind invitation to address the Comanche Club at San Antonio Friday evening. We very much regret that we shall not be able to be there, as we expect to be attending a meeting of the West Texas Historical Society at Stamford on that date.

Frontier Times for May was issued from the press last Friday and mailed out to the hundreds of appreciative readers on Saturday. The May number is a good one, as usual. You can get a copy at the New Era office for only fifteen cents, or we will send it to you for one year for only a dollar and a half.

It is estimated that it will require a million dollars to replace the property damage done by the tornado at Rocksprings. Many towns are responding liberally to the call for funds to relieve the distress. It was a terrible catastrophe but from the wreckage of that stricken town will spring a beautiful little city. The people there are today dazed and bewildered by their great misfortune, the grief over the loss of loved ones, their homes swept away, but the spirit of progress always in evidence there will assert itself and Rocksprings will rebuild.

The newspaper fraternity of West Texas deplore the tragic death of Editor Robert Dollahite of the Rocksprings Leader, who lost his life in the tornado in that town last week. His daughter, Mattie, was also killed, and his wife was so badly injured that she is expected to die. Mr. Dollahite tried hard to give Rocksprings a live newspaper, and in spite of many obstacles he was succeeding. Some three years ago a fire which swept the town destroyed his printing plant, leaving him almost penniless. With characteristic energy, however, he set about to rebuild. He managed somehow to get some equipment with which he published his paper until he installed a new linotype and a small press. Three months ago he purchased a large cylinder press and just when success was in sight the tornado came along and obliterated his plant and snuffed out his life. Mr. Dollahite was a conscientious, God-fearing man; he contended for the right at all times, and in his passing not only Edwards county loses a good citizen, but West Texas loses an individual who was doing a world of good for her upbuilding, and whose place can not easily be filled.

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The Old Time Tournament.

Next Fourth of July there will be staged at the Old Settlers' Reunion in Bandera, the old time tournament, which forty or fifty years ago, was a very interesting feature of Fourth of July celebrations and Christmas gatherings. In order to give the young people of this day and time an idea of the tournament we are this week giving space to a description of the old time sport.

It was before the advent of the automobile, or the moving picture, or the radio, that the tournament played a prominent part in Texas 4th of July celebrations. In those days a man talked about his favorite saddle horse, rather than his stutz or Henry, and the screen star of his choice was neither Norma Talmadge, Marion Davies, Mary Pickford nor any of the rest of the now famous moving players of America. It was the same sky little lassie with dazzling eyes flashing from beneath a sunbonnet, on whose brow he hoped to place the laurels won by his skillful riding in a red-blooded tournament contest.

We will have to go back at least a quarter of a century to find the tournament a popular part of the 4th of July program in civilian life, although the cavalry branch of the army still stages it occasionally. The contest is for real horsemen, for men of the saddle who must learn to master the art, poise and daring while riding at full speed.

The auto has its advantages in shortening distance, in expediting business and making travel more convenient and comfortable. But it certainly sounded taps for the old fashioned tournament contest, because it turned out saddle ponies out on the range and gave us a citizenship which has permanently abandoned the stirrup for the clutch and the bridle reins for a steering-wheel.

The last big tournament 4th of July celebration we remember, under the old order of things took place in 1897 at McNairville, a beautiful little town in Menard county, in the stock country of Southwest Texas. Men participated in it who afterwards came to be known as cattle kings and who were rated at the banks as "seven figure financiers." They led in the thought and influence and social life of the city, they were real builders. But their most skillful accomplishment was riding and the tournament afforded them the best public opportunity to show how well they could ride.

The way to stage a tournament contest, was by erecting high 100 or 200 yards, the distance to poles along a smooth course, for the determination by those persons most interested. A cross-piece or arm was nailed to the post and a ring suspended from this arm at a height along about a man's breast as he sat on a horse. Then each participant was furnished with a long lance, and, at a given signal, he would dash down the track full speed catching as many of the rings as he could on the point of his lance. He had to make the distance in a time agreed upon by the judges, and the one who secured the greatest number of rings was declared the winner.

The game originated in France about the twelfth century and was a favorite with the royalty. All through history it has been popular, but more especially during those days when Knighthood was in Flower. It came to America with the Pilgrim Fathers and Washington's soldiers amused themselves with tournament contests that bleak winter at Valley Forge. Col. Robert E. Lee is said to have been the first to introduce it into Texas.

To an onlooker the game seems easy enough, but, indeed, it takes a cool head and a steady arm to lift a single ring when the horse is running. Only those who are red-blooded and experience I have a chance to win. The untrained and the "faint-hearted" had just as well stay out of the game.

In many of the contests of the old days the successful man was not only given a handsome purse for his dexerity, but he was presented a wreath as a favor, by "the queen of beauty" or "lady of the tournament," who was chosen before the contest was staged, and it was customary for the winner to gallantly place this wreath upon the brow of his best girl. This often times made the riding more spirited. Two fellows contending for the favor of the same girl would become rivals and exert every energy to "bring the most beads" in order to secure her smiles—many hearts were won that way, and many a bright hope vanished when some unfortunate aspirant lost his goal.

In ancient times one side would be matched against another and blunt swords or spears were used instead of the poles of today. The kings would attend such events and they were held all the way from the Black Forest of Germany to the banks of Loch Lomond where a MacAlpin rode against a McGregor.

The tournament held Christmas day, at Menard, 30 years ago, was for a purse of one hundred dollars to the winner, and in addition to this, it was announced that the one selected as the best figured the purse, and the girl chosen to wear the wreath, should lead the grand march at the Christmas ball." No prospective those days was considered complete without this feature, and to have the distinction of leading the grand march was a honor practically as great as that of being chosen caller for the quadrille.

Among the contestants were Ed Mears, Frank Wilhelm, Jesse Burnam, Max Russell, Will Wilkerson and others whose names are very familiar in the cattle kingdom of Texas. Mears rode Red Bird, as pretty a saddle horse as ever graced the open prairies, and the black and gold which adorned the lance Ed carried was also worn by one of the prettiest belles of the city. That night these two led the grand march, leading up of the frontier's fairest and bravest, while Phillippi's orchestra played the Washington Post march.

For lack of better accomodations, the public dances of that period were always held in the courthouse and on special occasions a big supper would be served. This particular night, Mrs. Ed Sieker arranged that part of the program and I for one can delicacy of the feast consisted of roast turkey killed by Mr. Sieker on Saline creek, in the south edge of Menard county.

It cost just one dollar a couple to participate in all of the joys of this celebration, including the banquet, which was an amount today would be nothing more than one insignificant tip, several of which might become necessary during the course of one evening. In fact, no part of the Christmas entertainment of that time was expensive. If you rode in the tournament the entrance fee was never over $5.00, and if your girl was present and you made any kind of showing, it was well worth it.

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Of Interest to Fishermen.

Austin, Texas April 13.—Replying to inquiries as to how, when and where one may fish, the Game, Fish and Oyster Department today gave out a brief outline of laws with particular reference to fresh water fishing.

The laws do not use nets or artificial bait in March and April, except in ponds or lakes owned privately or by clubs or cities, and are not subject to overflow by stream or creek.

The taking of bass under 11 inches, and white perch or crappie under seven inches is unlawful and the purchase or sale of same is prohibited.

Those who fish for the market require a yearly license which costs one dollar, and shall pay a tax of 20c a hundred pounds on fish sold.

The angler license law, effective June 18 in all state waters, requires that any person who uses artificial bait, in or outside his home county, shall procure an angler's license. The cost is $1.10 for residents and $5 for persons from outside the state, but such outsiders may procure a five days license for $1.10.

The closed season on rainbow trout is January, February, March, April and May. They may not be sold, or taken under 14 inches.

In addition, there are special laws for certain counties.

At no time is it permitted to use nets for sell bass, perch, crappie or catfish in the counties of Comal, Guadalupe, Bexar, Kerr and Bandera. Only ten pounds of bass or crappie may be taken in one day, and closed season February, March and April.

A special law for Burnet, Williamson, Lampasas, Grayson, Bosque, Cooke, Denton, Coryell, Hamilton, Erath, Dallas and Hood counties permits seining for sucker, buffalo, carp, and shad during the months of July, August and September.

With the above exceptions, at no time is it permitted to use seines or to sell bass, white perch, crappie, or catfish in the counties of Burnet, San Saba, Brown, McCulloch, Edwards, Coleman, Concho, Menard, Mason, Gillespie Kimble, Sutton, Kinney, Uvalde, Real, Medina, Comal, Valverde, Bandera, Reeves, Ward, Loving, Pecos, Medina, Bexar, Hunt, Runnels, Kaine, Williamson, Zavalla, Dimmit, Travis, Lampasas, Milam, Llano. Taking more than 35 fish in any one day is prohibited. In using minnow seines for procuring bait, fish over three inches long must be returned to the water. Leaving fish on the bank to die when not intended for use is prohibited.

The recent legislature outlawed seines in Marion, Harrison, Smith and Rusk Counties. Also special law governs fishing in the Big Wichita lakes.

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No. 1016, Susie Davis vs. Louis Davis.

In the District Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bandera once in each week for 4 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Louis Davis whose residence unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Bandera, on the Fifth Monday in May A. D. 1927, the same being the 30th day of May A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 18th day of January A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1016, wherein Susie Davis is plaintiff, and Louis Davis is defendant, the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce upon the grounds of abandonment, for the custody of the minor child of the plaintiff and defendant, to wit: Joe Louis Davis, for cost of suit and for general relief. Plaintiff alleges that she and the defendant were married to each other on the 5th day of December, 1918, and defendant without cause, abandoned the plaintiff on the 15th day of August, 1919, and that the abandonment has been permanent and she has had no relations with him since that time. That she is a fit and proper person to have the custody of the said child, and that the defendant is not a fit person to have custody of said child and that he is a transient person and his residence is unknown.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Bandera, this the 19th day of March A. D. 1927.

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You are hereby Commended to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day thereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. Adelia Richards, Deceased, C. W. Harris has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. Adelia Richards, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera, this the 24th day of April A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE

Clerk County Court Bandera County, Texas.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the list, in which event your prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

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High School Auditorium

Saturday Night, April 23

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Attorney for Defendant, Mr. Cheatem ..... Lora Thalmann.
Juress, Mrs. Muckenfuss ..... Erle Mansfield.
Juress, Mrs. Mutt ..... Rachel Hunter.
Juress, Miss Skittwitch ..... Jake Short.
Juress, Mrs. Jeff ..... Glayda Croisdale.
Juress, Mrs. McPherson ..... Mrs. Dan Rugh.
Juress, Mrs. Jiggs ..... Bill Mansfield.
Juress, Mrs. Jim ..... Evelyn Gerdes.
Juress, Mrs. Moore ..... Thelma Surber.
Juress, Mrs. Thomas ..... Marcellus Rambie.
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Music ..... Meadows Brothers.

Time of entire program about one hour and forty-five minutes.

Admission 20c and 35c

The Medina High School Baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Elder D. S. Palmer at the Baptist church Sunday morning April 24.

The Grammar School of Medina will have the graduating exercises Tuesday night, April 26, at the Medina Methodist church. A splendid program has been arranged.

The Medina High School graduation exercises will be held April 27 at 8 o'clock p. m.

The proceeds from "The Divorce Case," will go for the benefit of the Bandera High School.

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Baseball

Sunday, April 24

Adamietz Ball Park

Everybody Come

Admission 25c and 10c

T. W. Turner, of Helotes, was a business visitor in Bandera last Thursday.

The New Era editor and N. H. Rose visited Kerrville and Harper Sunday.

F. H. Dennis, of Bard, California, is here on a visit to his brother, T. S. Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Perner spent Sunday in San Antonio with Mrs. Perner's parents.

Many of our people are attending the fiesta and Battle of Flowers at San Antonio this week.

J. Marvin Hunter has gone to Stamford to attend the meeting of the West Texas Historical Association.

Don't miss "The Divorce Case," at the High School Auditorium Saturday night. Admission 35c and 20c.

Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield entertained a number of her friends with a delightful social dance last Saturday night.

W. D. Smithers and N. H. Rose, the San Antonio photographers, were guests of the editor Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks, of Tarpley, spent several days here last week with his brother, Sheriff E. Hicks, and family.

Mrs. Ike Stevens spent Saturday night and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Short, Jr., at the ranch on Peach Tree.

T. S. Dennis is attending the meeting of the Texas Optometrical Association at San Antonio, and also the fiesta, this week.

Fine rains have again fallen over the county this week, with some hail. A splendid season is now in the ground to insure good crops and range conditions.

The editor is away this week and the New Era is gotten out by the first assistant and the devil. If you notice any improvement in the paper just blame the force.

Mr. and Mrs. Tal Peters and Mr. and Mrs. Fred RBinger, with their children, came up from San Antonio and spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Gray moved up from San Antonio Saturday to reside in Bandera again. Mr. Gray will assist his father, Tom Gray, in the Ruge Garage, which they have leased.

Mrs. Emma Howe left Saturday for Mt. Bellview, where she will spend a few months with her niece, Mrs. J. E. Holt. Her brother, Col. J. A. Head, accompanied her as far as San Antonio.

Hear the sordid details of an unhappy marriage at the High School Auditorium next Saturday night, and what the court of the Bandera High School presents that laughable play, "The Divorce Case."

Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht and children went to Castroville Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Habenicht's father, Christian Habenicht, aged 76, who died suddenly of heart trouble Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Edwards and daughter, Miss Gertrude, were up from Pipe Creek Saturday driving a new Chevrolet car. Mrs. Edwards and Miss Gertrude called at this office to order the New Era sent to Mrs. John Callahan, Los Angeles, California.

Trucks have been engaged this week in hauling the spring accumulation of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association to Center Point from whence it is to be shipped to the Boston purchaser. The accumulation amounted to 115,000 pounds.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. Kate Whisenhunt and her daughter, Miss Bachel, who were visiting in Rocksprings at the time of the cyclone there last week, escaped unhurt. Much apprehension was felt for their safety when the cyclone began by their friends here that they were in the ill-fated town.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Engel and daughter, Nina Helen, Mr. Edward Schmitt and Miss Martha Habenicht, of San Antonio, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means of thanking all who so kindly helped us through the days of sorrow caused by the death of our beloved daughter, Dena Fisher and the beautiful floral offerings sent by the many friends. Especially do we thank the people of Rio Frio for their sympathy and the flowers they sent.—Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Buckelew.

Rev. R. N. Hicks will preach his farewell sermon at the Baptist church next Sunday. He will move to China, Texas, shortly to preach for the Baptist congregation at that place.

Funds having been raised for the Rocksprings sufferers, to date amount to $142.50.

Whatever you do don't miss "The Divorce Case" at the High School Auditorium Saturday night April 23.

"The Old Army Game," at the Bandera Theater Friday night, April 22. Dont' miss it.

Baseball Meeting at Medina.

There will be a meeting of all the men and boys of Medina and vicinity that are interested in baseball, on Monday night April 25. Everyone interested in baseball is urged to be present.

"Cyclone Sally"

The Medina High School play, "Cyclone Sally," will be given at the Adams Hall April 29, at 8 o'clock p. m. It is a side splitting comedy from beginning to end. Come.

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The "Divorce Case," at the High School Auditorium Saturday night.

Card of Thanks.

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W. E. RUGE.

Watch the editor for your name opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires We hope all will renew promptly

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of extending our sincere thanks to all who so generously assisted us in every way, in our misfortune due to the cyclone last week. Their kindness will never be forgotten. —Will Batte and Family.

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A singing was enjoyed by the young folks at Mrs. Charles Banta's Sunday night.

Mrs. J. H. Autry and son, Buster, spent several days at Gonzales last week.

The ladies of the W. M. U. met with Mrs. A. L. Coerpenter last Saturday. The house was decorated with bouquets of flowers with ferns and honey-suckles. The devotional service was led by Mrs. W. H. Price. Refreshments of cake and punch were served.

Mrs. Doss Caton of Snyder spent several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kelly attended the Hill Country Meet at Kerrville last Saturday.

The Medina High School play "Cyclone Sally" is to be given at the Adams Hall Friday night April 29. It is a side splitting comedy from beginning to end.

The senior class of Medina High School was entertained with a graduation supper, Saturday night April 23, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Lestargeon. The dining room was attractively decorated in the class colors, red and white. Thirty-six were present and the supper was a great success and was enjoyed by all. Those present were J. G. Richards of Pern Banta, Elzie Frizell, Lora Bauerlein, Hugh LeStourgeon, part of the school faculty, Mrs. May Pass, and Mrs. and Mrs. W. O. Hatfield.

Mrs. T. J. Briggs entertained the Medina High School graduates last Friday, April 22, with a trip to San Antonio. All enjoyed the Battle of Flowers, the dinner at the "Original" Cafe, and also the visits to the theaters. This was an extraordinary treat which the graduates highly enjoyed.

Mason Creek School Closes

The Mason Creek school closed last Friday after a successful term taught by Mrs. E. E. Wyatt. Saturday afternoon a picnic supper was enjoyed, the children about thirty persons present.

Relatives Safe.

It will be good news to the friends of Mr. E. Ruge to learn that his mother and sister, who were in the flood district at Fort Smith, Arkansas, last week, are reported safe and out of the danger zone. Mr. Ruge got through telephone connection with Fort Smith a few days ago and learned that they were out of the danger district.

Attention, Truck Drivers!

We are now in position to make you special offers on truck tires.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. Henry Walker and children, of San Antonio, visited at the Hillmon home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mickle, of San Antonio, visited friends and relatives here this week. Mr. Mickle and Bud Cosse furnished music for the school entertainment Friday night. Mr. Mickle is well known here and they were glad that he was coming, to play his "fiddle" people flocked in for they had heard him before.

A very large crowd attended the picnic supper and program at Lima Friday night.

Last Friday afternoon the Tuff baseball team came over to play ball with the Lima boys. The game was running nicely to the when Floyd Adams fell and broke his arm. We certainly hope he will get along fine.

Alec Hillman, who has been working in the oil fields near Grande City, is at home spending a few days vacation.

Miss Vivian Keese left Sunday to attend college in San Marcos.

Miss Joyce Phillips is visiting relatives in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rieber are spending a few days in San Antonio this week.

Linas Honor Roll for April:

First Grade—Allen Keese, Austin Sutton.

Second Grade—Ruby Click, Clara and Lewis Keese.

Third Grade—Bertha Shipman, Irene Johnson.

Fourth Grade—Maggie Lee Johnson, Brandt Keese, Penn Wilson, Herbert Sutton.

Fifth Grade—Willis and Virgule Johnson, Homer Walker, Johnie Shipman, Lula Keese.

Best attendance and excellent grades for the entire year—Bertha Shipman, third grade, and Johnie Shipman, fifth grade.

Bandera Wins.

In the baseball game played on the local diamond last Sunday, Bandera defeated the 47th Squadron, Brooks Field team, by a score of 5 to 3. The game next Sunday will be between Bandera and the I. & G. N. shops teams.

Mr. and Mrs. John Langford and children visited San Antonio last Monday, and while in that city were guests of their sisters, Mrs. John Barnett and Mrs. Whitmore.

John F. Bennett, of Hallettsville, was here on business this week. Mr. Bennett was a visitor at the New Era office Tuesday and said this section has been blessed with an abundance of rain.

Pictures of the Tornado.

Manager Don McMains informs us that in addition to his regular program at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night, he will show a one-reel picture showing the damage done at Rocksprings by the tornado. This picture was taken only a day or two after the cyclone devastated that town. The feature picture for Friday night is "The Wild Bull's Lair." A good program is promised.

$218 Raised.

Miss Margaret Montague reports that she has collected $218 for the Rocksprings tornado sufferers, which has been sent in, with four well packed boxes of good clothing. The pupils of Bandera High School contributed $14 of the amount.

Bandera Boy Graduates.

The New Era editor is in receipt of an invitaton to attend the commencement exercises to be held at the Christine High School, Friday evening, May 6th. Merlin Brightly Tilley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joy L. Tilley, is one of the graduates, and sends us the invitation to be present.

Old Time Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time dance to be given at the hall in Mansfield Park on Saturday night, May 7th. Everybody invited.

Contest Progresses.

The Beauty Contest is awakening some interest. A cedar chest of chocolate candy is to be given to the prettiest girl in Bandera county over sixty-five years old. Final count to be made at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 4th. Winner to be the Queen of the Day. Clip the ballots out of the New Era and send them to this office, properly filled in with the name of your favorite. The vote this week stands as follows:

Mrs. Harriet Chipman	18
Mrs. C. W. Harris	14
Mrs. Mattie Jones	6
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	6
Mrs. B. F. Langford Sr.	3
Mrs. John Adamietz	3
Mrs. J. A. Head	2
Mrs. Chas. Montague	1
Mrs. J. N. Evans	1
Mrs. Artie Reed	1

The Beauty Contest is just starting. The Ballot will be found at top of second page this paper. Cut it out and vote every week.

Win in Tennis Event.

Burgin Davenport and Bob Mansfield were winners in tennis (doubles) at the district interscholastic meet at Kerrville last Saturday. They will now go to the State Meet to be held at Austin May 7th.

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Pictures of the Play.

W. D. Smithers, the photographer, was here from San Antonio Saturday to make pictures of the cast in "The Divorce Case." He secured good pictures, and they may now be obtained at the drug store, by those wanting them.

$1,000 Club Growing for Trail Monument.

Fourteen individuals have pledged $1,000 each to the $100,000 fund being collected with which to build a monument in San Antonio to the Old Trail Drivers of Texas, according to George W. Saunders, president of the organization. With each contribution of $1,000 the donors have the right to have the name of one of their old cowmen placed on the monument. Clubs, communities and groups are going in together to get the name of some favorite on the monument, he said.

Friends of Mr. Saunders are raising $1,000 for his name, but Saunders has placed a limit of $100 on any individual contribution to his fund. He prefers $1 contributions so that more of his friends can contribute in raising the money to put his name on the monument, he said.—San Antonio Express.

W. S. Hinds and sons, of near Burnet, were here last week.

To Destroy Cane Worms.

Captain T. P. Grant, of Tarpley, who is an enthusiastic booster for pecan culture, was here a few days ago, and in recommending methods of destroying the cane-worm which does considerable damage to growing pecans, he gave the following, with the admonition that now is the time to use it:

"Remembering a letter from Mr. Halbert in Farm and Ranch last spring, giving an account of his experience in destroying worms that lay the eggs from which cane-worms are hatched, his plan was given a trial. Besides tin cans there was an accumulation of small glass jars with big mouths about the house. These were washed until clean and bright; then strings were put around the necks so that they might swing level when attached to branches of the trees. Several small cans of loud-smelling, old time New Orleans molasses were then secured and a new supply of arsenate of lead. Into another can of suitable size I placed a gallon of water; to this was added a pint of molasses and a heaping tablespoonful of arsenate of lead, all thoroughly mixed. Then enough of it was put into the cans and jars to stand about an inch in depth and hung upon stubs of cut-off twigs on lower branches of pecan, one on small and two on large trees."

Pictures of the cast of characters in "The Divorce Case," the laughable play which was presented at the High School Auditorium last Saturday night, may be obtained at Billings' Drug Store.

If you want a good second hand Ford see Mansfield & Blakeney.

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The Flood at a Glance.

More than 9,000 square miles of fertile lands in Mississippi and Arkansas have been laid waste by the great valley flood.

At least 100 are known to be dead in the flood areas in seven States, and some officials engaged in relief work said the minimum estimate of the dead in the Mississippi Delta alone was 200.

With 15,000 already marooned in the Mississippi Delta district, urgent warnings were issued to all others in the wake of the flood in the crea to flee for their lives.

At the same time a renewed appeal was made by Mississippi State authorities for more boats to take out the marooned, many of whom have been without food or water for 24 hours or longer.

With the floods spreading at a rapid rate, additional thousands have been rendered homeless and the loss of crops, live stock and property is steadily mounting.

Another levee on the Red River in Southwestern Arkansas has given way, causing the inundation of an additional 20,000 acres and driving several hundred from their homes.

Two more breaks in the Mississippi levee are threatened, one 30 miles below Helena, Ark., and the other eight miles above Vicksburg.

Backwater from streams in Northern Louisiana is beginning to drive people from their homes in Concordia Parish and others will be driven out as the Arkansas River flood waters move into that State.

As the work of strengthening the dykes between New Orleans and Baton Rouge proceeds, other forces were set to work to prevent a serious break below New Orleans where a tank steamer rammed the levee near Diamond, La.

Evacuation of refugees to safer places continues with precautions to prevent further spread of disease in the concentration camps.

Three Hurt in Collision

Comfort, Texas., April 24—Saturday night at 8 o'clock Mrs. Fritz Barth of Block Creek, eight miles from Fredericksburg started to town with her daughter, Miss Annie Barth, and her son to attend a home talent play. Three quarters of a mile from Comfort at the Guadalupe River all three were hurt when another car ran into their car at a curve, throwing Mrs. Barth out. All received bruises. The injured were taken to Otto Below's River Resort and a physician was summoned. Later on the Barth family was taken home.

TARPLEY NEWS.

Dick Burns and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Dean and son, Lloyd, spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Miss Thelma Richards, Mr. and Mrs Lucius Hicks and little daughter, Dorothy, Tot Fries and Miss Koehl were Leakey visitors Sunday.

Miss Annie Cravey, who has been in Boerne the past three weeks, returned home on a visit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead and children were Tarpley visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wright, of Hondo, were Tarpley visitors Sunday.

Dick Burns made a trip to Sabinal Tuesday to see his brother, Tyler Burns, who underwent an operation in a San Antonio hospital, and was moved to Sabinal. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

To Save New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., April 26.—Gov. O. H. Simpson Tuesday issued a proclamation declaring that a public emergency exists and ordering a artificial break in the levee of the Mississippi River near Poydras at noon Friday, April 29.

A great opening will be made in the levee on the east side of the Mississippi River, 10 miles below the Crescent City to ease the flood waters which now threaten New Orleans. This would inundate in two parishes in Southwestern Louisiana, a total of about 100,000 acres.

Evacuation of these parishes began late Tuesday, but some of the trappers of that region who attended a meeting in Braithwaite returned to their armed defense of the levees, vowing they would remain until they had been guaranteed against the loss that would accrue to them by dynamiting the dyke.

Adjutant General Toombs issued an order for the immediate mobilization of the Louisiana National Guard. He said this was a precautionary measure to meet any possible developments in the flood situation.

A break in the levee is imminent and once a crevasse above the city of New Orleans would result in great losses of property and damage, an artificial break should be made in the vicinity of the 1922 crevasse at Poydras, a committee of engineers told Governor O. H. Simpson late Tuesday.

Theodor Postert and Mrs. Andrew Pyka and children visited relatives at Hondo and D'Hanis Saturday and Sunday.

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The Cow, Sow and Hen.

We have all confidence in the cow, the sow and the hen. This trio can do everything they want to and meet every emergency if given a chance. We have yet to hear of but having a mean one of these here days. Nursing every morning it may be, a sound quote as "hasn't" our neighbors "nosed" but she does her darndest, and that is all we can expect of anything or any body. She sets a good example and has the motherly instinct of equal amount. Take old Sukey she not only feeds her own, but feeds the babies of her owner and furthermore she keeps her own baby calf perfectly clean. she hasn't any hands but she does her shindeel by using her tongue—and she sets a good example. "If you don't believe it look at some of the children who have parents with two hands and these children's feet look like they had not been washed since the cow was raised a ton litter the stork brought them. And is proud of it—so is her owner. She does not complain of her fancy being too large, but feels her too little without any assistance if necessary, and she may do a lot of grunting, but she stays on the job and does her darndest—and what more could we expect of a sow pig. We are for the sow, the sow and the hen. All they need is more publicity. —San Saba Star.

Tornado Near Harper.

A storm of terrific intensity descended on this city last Monday afternoon leaving in its wake wrecked homes, barns and uprooted trees. The cyclone proper never touched the city but left a path of destruction immediately west and north of town. Had the main part of the storm hit this city there is no doubt that it would have paralleled the destruction of Rocksprings.

A cloud of intense blackness approached the town from the west and northwest with a roar that could be heard for miles.

POSTED.

My pasture near Medina is posted, and no hunting or fishing will be allowed thereon. Trespassers are warned to keep out.—S. S. Stokes. Apr8

Card of Thanks.

The Parent-Teachers Association takes this method of thanking the Alumni of Bandera High School and others for donations of funds realized from the two plays, "The Womanless Wedding," and "The Disgree Case."

Lubricating Oil Free.

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NOTICE

The Estate of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, Minors No. 440.

In the County Court of Bandera County, Texas. April Term A. D 1927

To the Honorable Judge of said Court.

Notice is hereby given that I, H. E. Rambie, guardian of the estates of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled, and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estates of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order, and direct on the below described real estate belonging to the estates of said wards, to wit:

First: Survey No. 101 certificate No. 61 Abstract No. 196 in the name of J. Howard and containing 320 acres of land and being all of said survey.

Second: Survey No. 98 Certificate No. 1 Abstract No. 2063 in the name of Peter Moser and containing 320 acres of land and being all of said survey.

Third: Survey No. 2.7 Abstract No. 161 in the name of S. Ridley and containing 160 acres of land and being all of said Survey.

Fourth: 320 acres out of Survey No. 2315 Certificate No. 18 Abstract No. 101 and being all that part of said survey owned by us.

Fifth: Survey No. 65 Certificate No. 1898 Abstract No. 1324 C. & S. F. Ry Co., containing 127 acres of land and being all of said survey.

The above application will be heard by the County Judge at the court house in the town of Bandera, Texas, on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1927.

H. E. RAMBIE.

Guardian of the Estates of Emily Ruth Ratbie and Mildred Rambie, Minors.

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Miss Eratha Garison and her brother, Paul of Medina, were Bandera visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague spent last Friday and Saturday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter came over from Harper to spend Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Chas. Montague has been quite sick for several days. We hope she will soon recover.

Charlie Britsch, of West Verde was in town Friday and called to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mrs. J. W. Carter of Houston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Godkin at Spicewood Springs ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flynn, of Singleton, Texas, were here last week on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Joseph Flynn.

Joe O'Connor and daughter Miss Anna Belle, were here from Utopia Tuesday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fletcher.

Little Miss Marian Lewis, of Uvalde, spent last Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Carmichael, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tapin, Kerrville, spent this week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross. Mrs. Tapin is a siter to Mrs. Ross.

H. L. Hafner, an inspector for the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, with headquarters at Del Rio, was a visitor last Thursday.

Guy Frank Ross, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross spent the week with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Lake Gray at Center Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Montague of Del Rio, and Miss Victoria Montague of San Antonio spent last week-end with their mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, in this city.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Boyle and son, John Jr., of Uvalde, were here last week-end on a visit to Dr. Boyle's brother, M. Boyle. They were accompanied by Mrs. Boyle's sister, Mrs. Maguire, of Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Godkin accompanied by their daughter, Miss Juanita, and Miss Helen Scott were up from Spicewood Springs ranch Monday, and paid the New Era an appreciated visit.

Miss Vivian Keese, who has been teaching at Lime, and Miss Lois Keese, who has been teaching at Medina, were here Sunday en route to San Marcos to enter the Normal there.

Postoffice Inspector Wm. Hatfield, of San Antonio, was here Tuesday, checking up the books in the postoffice. He found everything O. K. and the records in splendid shape.

The editor and N. H. Rose returned Saturday night from Stamford where we attended a very interesting meeting of the West Texas Historical Association held there last Thursday.

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet next Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. at the High School Auditorium. Election of officers will take place, and other business will be transacted. All members urged to be present.

F. Schmidt, a popular Tarpley boy, writes us from New York City that he has enlisted in the Navy, and is now on the U. S. S. Milwaukee, and wants the little old home paper to keep him in touch with home happenings.

Mrs. Jos. Flynn informs us that she was in her home when the cyclone struck it the night of April 12, instead of being away at the time as reported in our last issue. The house was badly wrecked and the occupants had a narrow escape from serious injury.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and hurry may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

Cedar Carver of Bandera.

It is a long jump from Chicago's loop to the cedar and cactus-covered hills of Bandera County, Texas, but Fred A. Wendt has jumped it twice.

Nineteen years ago he first went out to the hill country, twenty-nine miles southwest of San Antonio, Texas, from Chicago. For two years he "hired" to ranchers there-abouts in the humble capacity of woodchopper. The wood consisted mostly of cedar, mesquite, and guarled, knotty scrub oak which dots the rocky slopes.

At the end of those two years he went back to Chicago and the "loop" but always so he says there was a longing to return. And he did.

Just eighteen months ago he came back and purchased a little tract of land on Bandera road, through which a clear Bandera creek meanders in a deep, rock-guarded channel. He constructed a concrete dam, all of the work of which he did by himself, and after completing a house combined for shelter and a small store-room, he proceeded to clear the tract. To day he has one of the most picture-sque camping and picnic grounds on the road, and in addition he has built for himself an enviable business on the side. His requirements for this business are modest. They consist of an old "barlow" knife, gouge, gimlet and a never-ending supply of cedar.

His newly adopted vocation is a decided departure from his previous one of handling "hot" wires for the Chicago Edison Company. He was an electrician.

In telling of his new field, Fred proudly points to his collection of hand-carved and highly polished cedar canes, candle-sticks, smoking-stands and electric lamps. They are many odd and intricate shapes.

Taking up one of the unfinished articles, Wendt says: "You know, ever since I first came out here, I was impressed with the wonderfully twisted and knotty shapes of cedar. Right from the first I seemed to see how beautiful they would be, scraped, polished, and made into usable things. However, it was years before I realized my ambition. Do you see? I have."

Nearly every morning he takes his gun, his trusty fox terrier, and goes hunting. There are thousands of acres of domain at his disposal, for his nearest neighbors are two or three miles away, but his "game" for the most part, consists of cedar. Upon his return he usually has many pieces of twice and thrice-twisted wood to add to his already large collection.

Asked if he worked with anything besides wood Wendt brought forth a ukelele. "Yes" he responded, "see this!" The neck is of cedar, the pins of mesquite, and the resonator or tambourine part is made from the shell of a turtle. And all gathered right there. He then displayed several highly polished pen-holders made from the tails of armadillos which are to be found in great numbers there-about.

At a suggestion that he might some day return to Chicago, the loop and electricity, Wendt looks out over the hills, smiles and replies: "No, indeed. I am content just to 'Live in a house by the side of the road,' and be a whittler of cedar."—H. R. Moore in Comfort News.

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That all-leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, May 13th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall Al members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespass allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for info. that will lead to the con iction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences. —Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen. prop. Mar 15-12m

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

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My pasture at Pipe Creek is posted, and no hunting or trespassing therein will be allowed. Trespassers will be rigidly prosecuted.—F Richards. Apr8

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

No. 1016, Susie Davis vs. Louis Davis.

In the District Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bandera once in each week for 4 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Louis Davis whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be a non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Bandera, on the Fifth Monday in May A. D. 1927, the same being the 30th day of May A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of January A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1016 wherein Susie Davis is plaintiff, and Louis Davis is defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce upon the grounds of abandonment, for the custody of the minor child of the plaintiff and defendant, to wit: Joe Louis Davis, for cost of suit and for general relief. Plaintiff alleges that she and the defendant were married to each other on the 5th day of December, 1918, and defendant without cause, and without the plaintiff on the 15th day of August, 1919, and that the abandonment has been permanent and she has had no relations with him since that time. That she is a fit and proper person to have the custody of the said child, and that the defendant is not a fit person to have custody of said child and that he is a transient person and his residence is unknown".

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 24th day of April A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE

Clerk County Court Bandera County, Texas.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

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J. W. SHORT H. E. RAM

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FOR SALE—A handsome library table, reasonable.—Alton Pyka.

TOMATO PLANTS—Those offering tomato plants can get them from me. I have the Avon Early and Rednell Beauty plants. —Mrs. W. S. Eldridge.

BATTERIES—We have 13-plate rubber case Ford Batteries in stock at $11.85. Will take old batteries in trade. We also recharge batteries.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

A BARGAIN—A lot and seven lots, with modern home in good condition, double garage, two underground cisterns, garage, smoke house, and small crib. All for $375.—Alton Pyka.

Notice to Tarpley People.

I will be in Tarpley Friday, April 29, to do tinwork, plumbing, etc., and will take orders for pasture fly traps.—R. E. Blunt.

Mrs. Mary Carmichael goes to Uvalde this week.

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H. J. R. No. 25

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article VIII by the insertion of Section 1-a therein authorizing the Legislature to provide for the separation of the objects of taxation for State purposes and for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax or other form of tax for State purposes only, and for local purposes, only; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the classification of objects of taxation and providing that rates shall be equal in the same class of property, and fixing limitations upon taxation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein Section 1-a, as follows:

Section 1-a. The Legislature may separate the objects of taxation for State purposes from the objects of taxation for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and counties, and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of fifty cents of taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, Insertion of Section 1-a, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-a, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

SECTION 3. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and the salaries of officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided by law, and fixing the salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year, and mileage and traveling expense from the place of residence to the capitol and returning for each session of the Legislature, as provided hereafter by law; and provided, that no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

SEC. 4. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Approved March 25, 1927.

(A Correct Copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

First Pub. April 28, 1927.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

S. J. R. No. 33.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein a new section to be numbered Section 30a, which shall read as follows:

SECTION 30a. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and the salaries of officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided either by the Constitution or provided by law. The salary of the Governor shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) per year, and no more, payable monthly, and he shall have the occupancy and use of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture.

The salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year, and traveling expense from the place of residence to the capitol and returning for each session of the Legislature, as provided hereafter by law; and provided, that no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

SEC. 2. Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

SEC. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money on hand in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand ($5,000.00) dollars or as much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the printing of this election, including the expense of printing notices and advertisements.

SEC. 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

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S. J. R. No. 24.

Proposing an amendment of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

That Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five Judges shall be necessary to the decision of a case. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election, a citizen of the United States and of this State, and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years and shall have been a licensed lawyer for seven years and, during the time, shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a court of record or such practicing lawyer and judge together. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law in case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for State officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office and shall exercise all their terms of office under the present Constitution and until their successors are elected and qualify. After this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justice of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and, upon the qualification of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate.

Section 3 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only, except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of any Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several courts of civil appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a statute of the State is held void, and to questions of law arising in such other cases of which the Courts of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the Legislature may authorize direct appeals from the County and District Courts in any case where a statute of the State has been declared void. The Supreme Court and the Judges thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus as may be prescribed by law; and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, shall have power to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, as by the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the seat of government for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in effect until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years, and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and who shall receive such compensation as the Legislature may provide.

Section 4 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall consist of three Judges, provided that the Legislature may increase the number to five and to eight Judges when the Judges shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of a majority of the Judges shall be necessary in the decision of any case. Said Judges have the same qualifications and receive the same salaries as the Judges of the Supreme Court. They shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices for six years. The Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until their terms of office under the present Constitution and until their successors are elected and qualify. After this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Judges shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Court of Criminal Appeals, and upon the qualification of such new Judges, the Commission of the present Court of Criminal Appeals shall terminate.

Section 5 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only, except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of any Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several courts of civil appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a statute of the State is held void, and to questions of law arising in such other cases as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the Legislature may authorize direct appeals from the County and District Courts in any case where a statute of the State has been declared void. The Supreme Court and the Judges thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus as may be prescribed by law; and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, shall have power to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, as by the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the seat of government for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in effect until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years, and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and who shall receive such compensation as the Legislature may provide.

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Section 7 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only, except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of any Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several courts of civil appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a statute of the State is held void, and to questions of law arising in such other cases as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the Legislature may authorize direct appeals from the County and District Courts in any case where a statute of the State has been declared void. The Supreme Court and the Judges thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus as may be prescribed by law; and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, shall have power to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, as by the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the seat of government for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in effect until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years, and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and who shall receive such compensation as the Legislature may provide.

Section 8 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into as many Judicial Districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a licensed lawyer for four years next preceding his election, and during that time shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a District Court or such practicing lawyer and Judge together, who shall have resided in the District in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election who shall reside in his District during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the period of four years, and shall receive for his services such compensation as may be prescribed by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year, in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Judge of any particular district shall have power, by general or special laws, to authorize the holding of special terms of his Court in the County or Counties in his District in the State other than the County in which he was elected, with all the powers of a resident District Judge of the District to which he is assigned, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, or by the Supreme Court in the absence of such regulations enacted by the Legislature. The District Judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Sec. 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

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Sec. 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State, and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4. The sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

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A singing was enjoyed by the young folks at Mr. Chandler's Banta's Sunday night.

Mrs. J. H. Autry and son, Hester, spent several days in Castroville last week.

The ladies of the W. M. U. met with Mrs. A. L. Cooperedge last Saturday.

Those who were operated with bouquets of roses and ferns and honeysuckles. The devotional service was led by Mrs. W. H. Price. Refreshments of cake and punch were served.

Mrs. Doss Caton of Snyder spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kelly at Kerrville last Saturday.

The Medina High School tended the Hill Country Meet at Kerrville last Saturday.

The Medina High school play "Cyclone Sally" is to be given at the Adams Hall Friday night April 29. It is a side splitting comedy from beginning to end.

The senior class of Medina High School was entertained with a graduation party Friday night April 22, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Simpson. The dining room was attractively decorated in the class colors, red and white. A three per was a great success and enjoyed by all. Those present were J. G. Richards, Jr., Banta, Annie Lee Baserlein, Hough, LeSueur, all part of the school family, Mrs. May Pass, and Mr. and Mrs. O. Hatfield.

Mrs. T. J. Briggs entertained the Medina High School graduates last Friday, April 22, at a trip to San Antonio to enjoyed the Battle of Flowers, dinner at the "Original Tea" room and also the visits to the Alamo. This was an outstanding event with the graduates and they enjoyed

Mason Creek School Closes

The Mason Creek school closed last Friday after a successful term taught by Mrs. R. E. Wilson. Saturday afternoon a picnic supper was enjoyed, there being about thirty persons present.

Relatives Safe.

It will be good news to the friends of W. E. Ruge to learn that his mother and sister were in the flood district at Fort Worth. Arkansas last week, are reported safe and out of the danger zone. Mr. Ruge got through telephone connection with Mrs. Smith a few days ago and learned that they were out of the danger district.

Attention, Truck Drivers! We are now in position to make you special offers on truck tires.—Mansfield & Blakney Chevrolet Co.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. Henry Walker and children, of San Antonio, visited at the Hillman home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mickle, of San Antonio visited friends and relatives here this week. Mr. Mickle and Bud Cone furnished music for the school entertainment Friday night. Mr. Mickle is well known here and when the news spread that he was coming to play his "fiddle" people came from far and near to hear him.

A very large crowd attended the picnic supper and program Friday night at Lima.

Last Friday afternoon the Taff baseball team came over to play ball with the Lima boys. The Taffites are running nicely together when Floyd Adams fell and broke his arm. We certainly hope he gets along fine.

Mr. Fillman, who has been working in the oil fields near Miranda City, is at home spending a few days with his family.

Vivian Keese left Sunday to attend college in San Marcos.

Mrs. Jessie Phillips is visiting relatives in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rieber are spending a few days in San Antonio this week.

Lima Honor Roll for April: First Grade—Allen Keese, Aussin Sutton.

Second Grade—Ruby Click, Oscar and Lewis Keese.

Third Grade—Bertha Shipman, Irene Hough.

Fourth Grade—Maggie Lee Hough, Grace Sutton.

Fifth Grade—Willie and Virginia Johnson, Homer Walker, Jessie Shipman, Oren Keese.

Sixth grade—Lucy Hough, entire perfect attendance and Second grade—The entire class of Shipman, third grade and Johnie Shipman, fifth grade.

Bandera Wins.

In the baseball game played on the local diamond at the Brooks Field team, by a score of 8 to 5. The game next Sunday will be between the Bandera and the I. & G. N. shops team.

Mr. and Mrs. John Langford and children visited San Antonio on Monday, and while in that city were guests of their sisters Mrs. John Barnett and Mrs. Whitmore.

John F. Bennett, of Hallettsville, was here on business this week. Mr. Bennett was a visitor at the New Era office Tuesday and said his section had been blessed with an abundance of rain.

Pictures of the Tornado.

Manager Don McMains informs us that in addition to his regular program at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night, he will show a unusual picture showing the damage done at Rockspring by the tornado. This picture was taken only a day or two after the eyelone devastated that section of the country. The picture will be shown Friday night. Mr. McMains says that the pictures are very interesting and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State, and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the qualified electors of this State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

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Miss Margaret Montagues reports that she has collected fifty for the Rocksprings tornado sufferers, which has been sent in with four well packed boxes of good clothing. The pupils of Bandera High School contributed $14 of the amount.

Bandera Boy Graduates.

The New Era editor is in receipt of an invitaton to attend the commencement exercises to be held at the Sabinal High School, Friday evening, May 6th. Merlin (Brightly Tilley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bright Tilley, is one of the graduates, and sends us the invitation to be present.

Old Time Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time dance to be given at the hall in Mansfield Park on Saturday night, May 7th. Everybody invited.

Contest Progresses.

The Beauty Contest is awakening some interest. A cedar chest of chocolate candy is to be given to the prettiest girl in Bandera county over sixteen years old. Final count to be made at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 4th. Winner to be the Queen of the Day. Clip the ballots out of the New Era and send them to this office, properly filled in with the name of your favorite. The vote this week stands as follows:

Mrs. Harriet Chipman	18
Mrs. C. W. Harris	14
Mrs. Mattie Jones	6
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	3
Mrs. B. F. Langford Sr.	3
Mrs. John Adamietz	2
Mrs. J. A. Head	2
Miss Thas. Montague	1
Mrs. J. N. Evans	1
Mrs. Artie Reed	1

Mrs. Mansfield were winners in tennis (doubles) in the district athletic meet at Kerrville last Saturday. They will now go to the State Meet to be held at Austin May 7th.

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The Divorce Case.

"The Divorce Case," presented at the High School Auditorium last Saturday night, was a "scream" and everybody who attended was delighted with the program. The proceeds, amounting to about $40.00 were turned over to the Local Texas Parent-Teacher Association, and will be used toward paying for the new stairway at the school building.

Pictures of the Play.

W. D. Southern, the photographer, was here Saturday and Sunday to make pictures of the cast in "The Divorce Case." He secured good pictures, and they may now be obtained at the drug store, by those wanting them.

$1,000 Club Growing for Trail

Fourteen individuals have pledged $1,000 each to the $100,000 fund being collected with which to build a monument in San Antonio to the Old Trail Drivers of Texas, according to George W. Saunders, president of the organization. With each contribution of $1,000 the donors have the right to have the name of one of the old cowmen placed on the monument. Clubs, communities and groups are going in together to get the name of some favorite on the monument, he said.

Friends of Mr. Saunders are raising $1,000 for his name, it is reported, and placed a limit of $100 on any individual contribution to his fund. He prefers $1 contributions so that more of his friends can contribute in raising the money to put his name on the monument, he said.—San Antonio Express.

W. S. Hinds and sons, of near Burnet, were here last week.

To Destroy Cane Worms.

Captain T. P. Grant, of Tarpley, who is an enthusiastic bee keeper, called on us here a few days ago, and in recommending methods of destroying the cane worm which does much damage to bee keeping companies, he gave the following with the admonition that now is the time to use it:

"Remembering a letter from Mr. Halbert in Farm and Ranch last spring, giving an account of his experience in destroying the cane worm by the eggs from which cane worms are hatched, his plan was given a trial. Besides tin cans there was an additional number of small glass jars with big mouths about the home. These were washed until clean and bright; then strings were put around the necks so that they might swing level when attached to branches of the trees. Several small cans of fresh smelling, old time New Orleans molasses were then secured and a new supply of arsenate of lead. Into another tin of suitable size was placed a gallon of water; to this was added a pint of molasses and a heaping tablespoonful of arsenate of lead, all thoroughly mixed. Then enough of it was put into the cans and jars to stand about one inch deep, and lodging upon stubs of cut-off twigs on lower branches of pecan, one on small and two on large trees."

Pictures of the cast of characters in "The Divorce Case" the laughable play which was presented by the High School Auditorium last Saturday night, may be obtained at Billings' Drug Store.

If you want a good, second hand Ford see Mansfield & Blakney.

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The Flood at a Glance.

More than 9,000 square miles of fertile lands in Mississippi and Arkansas have been laid waste by the great valley flood.

At least 100 are known to be dead in the flood areas in seven States, and some officials engaged in relief work said the number is an estimate of the dead in the Mississippi Delta alone was 200.

With 15,000 already marooned in the Mississippi Delta district urgent warnings were issued to all others in the wake of the flood in tht erea to flee for their lives.

At the same time a renewed appeal was made by Mississippi State authorities for more boats to take out the marooned, many of whom have been without food or water for 24 hours or longer.

With the floods spreading at a rapid rate, additional thousands have been rendered homeless and the loss of crops, live stock and property is steadily mounting.

Another levee on the Red River in Southwestern Arkansas has given way, causing the inunda- tion of an additional 20,000 acres and driving several hundred from their homes.

Two more breaks in the Mississippi levee are threatened, one 30 miles below Helena, Ark., and the other eight miles above Vicksburg.

Backwater from streams in Northern Louisiana is beginning to drive people from their homes in Concordia Parish and others will be driven out as the Arkansas River flood waters move into that State.

As the work of strengthening the dykes between New Orleans and Baton Rouge proceeds, other forces were set to work to prevent a serious break below New Orleans where a tank steamer rammed the levee near Diamond.

Evacuation of refugees to safer places continues with precautions to prevent further spread of disease in the concentration camps.

Three Hurt in Collision

Comfort, Texas, April 24.—Saturday night at 8 o'clock Mrs. Fritz Barth of Block Creek, eight miles from Fredericksburg, started to town with her daughter, Miss Annie Barth, and her son to attend a home talent play. Three quarters of a mile from Comfort at the Guadalupe River all three were hurt when another car ran into their car at a curve, throwing Mrs. Barth out. All received bruises. The injured were taken to Otto Below's River Resort and a physician was summoned. Later only the Barth family was taken home.

TARPLEY NEWS.

Dick Burns and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Dean and son, Lloyd, spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mrs. Ruth Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Louina Hicks and little daughter, Dorothy, Tot Fries and Miss Keehl were Leakey visitors Sunday.

Miss Annie Cravey, who has been in Boerne the past three weeks, returned home on a visit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead and children were Tarpley visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wright, of Hondo, were Tarpley visitors Sunday.

Dick Burns made a trip to Sabinal Tuesday to see his brother, Tyler Burns, who underwent an operation in a San Antonio hospital and was moved to Sabinal. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

To Save New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., April 26.—Gov. O. H. Simpson Tuesday issued a proclamation declaring that a public emergency exists and ordering a artificial break in the levee of the Mississippi River near Poydras at noon Friday, April 29.

A great opening will be made in the levee on the east side of the Mississippi River, 12 miles below the Crescent City to ease the flood waters which now threaten New Orleans. The city would inundate in two parishes in Southwestern Louisiana, a total of about 100,000 acres.

Evacuation of these parishes began late Tuesday, but some of the trappers of that region who attended a meeting in Braithwaite voted to work on and prevent a serious break below New Orleans where a tank steamer rammed the levee near Diamond.

Adjutant General Toombs issued an order for the immediate mobilization of the Louisiana National Guard. He said this was a precautionary measure to meet any new developments in the flood situation.

A break in the levee is imminent and once a crevasse above the city of New Orleans would result in great losses of property and damage, an artificial break should be made in the vicinity of the 1922 crevasse of a mile from committee of engineers told Governor O. H. Simpson late Tuesday.

Theodor Postert and Mrs Andrew Pyka and children visited relatives at Hondo and D'Hanis Saturday and Sunday.

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...ly morning troopers fro... post, commanded ... Major E. D. Scott, ... patrol duty and search... the dead and injured. ... reported resumed on ... until the emergency was over. Among social duties of the ... diers was the preparation ... in field exhibitions for ... and relief workers. ...

One caprice of the storm ... enacted at the office of the Edwards County Abstract and Insurance office building was destroyed. The machine was also practically ... by disturbance. The machine, recently installed ... left unbolted just as ... Ripley Dellabilla had finished ... work after a hard hour ... with a scrubbed stick of ... A small oil can was still ... on top of the machine when the fury of the tornado sent ... Editor Dellabilla was killed ... ribly mangled, and one ... be identified. Year after year he herded the sale of wool and mohair, record the events of interest in Rock... and lived a busy life. He was not spared to tell of the greatest and most horrible story ... ever broke in this com...

One of the most touching ... of the storm was brought back to Kerrville by Dr. ... Dee Jackson of Secor Hospital. While in the midst of administering to the injured Dr. Jackson was attracted by the wailing of a woman, and, upon investigating found a mother holding her ... infant, which she refused to give up until overpowered. ...

Another pitiful sidelight on the disaster was related by John Lowry, a lineman for the Rocksprings Telephone Co. When the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cowden were found in the wreckage of their home, searchers preparing to leave were attracted by the whining of a dog. Under the body of the ... month-old child of the dead couple several feet away with a faithful dog standing guard over it.

Mrs. Mary Ann Keegan, a nurse from the U. S. Hospital at Legion, was one of scores of relief ... and heroines of the disaster. ... plane. Ordered to accompany an injured child to San Antonio, in an airplane ambulance, Mrs. Keegan took her station; but when the plane started to take off a man suddenly leaped into the ... pilot crashed into a tree to prevent striking the man and ... plane was partially wrecked. Mrs. Keegan and the ... were suffered were transferred to another ... plane and she carried the child patient in her arms to Fort ... San Antonio. Later she caught a bus and reported for duty at the hospital after having been ... without sleep for more than 24 hours.

With thousands of acres of open range land to run rampant in, the cattle herds seemed to be kept upon spending his wrath on the residents of Rock... sprites. First evidences of the tornado were found on a ranch ... northeast of the town and after leveling all except a dozen or so ... in the town, of 1,000 souls, the force of the storm appeared to play out about, as rule below ... the southern city limits. The storm struck at an hour when ... hundreds were gracing a picture ... tend a program on the school ... building, which was a tangled mass of wreckage within three minutes after the tornado struck it. Thirty minutes later and the toll undoubtedly would have been appalling.

Another freak of the storm was the passing of an aluminum handle of some kind, about ... inches long, through the trunk of a ... tree. ...

A bloody imprint about two feet in diameter above the ground ... of a building gives conclusive evidence of the horrible death of Charles Baker, restaurant operator, who was picked up by the force of the tornado and hurled against the building.

Lon A. Smyth, cashier of the First National Bank, Uvalde, ... spoken auto... graphic ... tion of the tornado's ...

At the Methodist parsonage where all of Rock... Spencer children were killed, the storm left a ... Mrs. Spencer, ... a Bible in her hands, ... was found in the shed contentedly chewing the cud. ... Rock... doctors ... they went through the ... morgue and there found a ... gruesome sight. ... was found in the bodies ... the straw, ... cut and hypodermics ... ber of cases. ... ed and children ...

Only one merchant in Rock... carried tornado insurance, Brin... Brin... and the Edwards County Co... covered with insurance, ... property estimated at $1,250,000.

... Rock... and Edwards ... fore caused chiefly by slumps ... after the disaster. ... task of ... after the calamity. ... faunted ... faces ... heard.

All five of the churches, Methodist, Baptist, Christian, Presbyterian and Catholic, in Rock... were completely demolished.

While the majority of the injured in the storm were sent to San Antonio hospitals, three persons were brought to Kerrville for treatment. Dr. John D. Jackson of Secor Hospital announced Wednesday that the three injured persons here, Miss ... Long, Mrs. ... Bartley, and ... Bartley, Jr., were all ... ...

... of the ... in the wake of the tornado will never be told; but many of the ... scenes witnessed by ... nurses and nurses as they labored in the glare of primitive torches are coming to light. Dr. Isaac Mayhugh of Kerrville ... approached a little girl, seven or eight years old, covered with mud and tightly clutching her doll. "Mister, have you seen my daddy?" she asked him, and then, ... the child pleaded. In checking the identification of dead victims, it was ascertained that the dead man, ... Mayhugh, was covering with a sheet, when the little girl approached him was her father.

The Cow, Sow and Hen.

We have all confidence in the ... cow, the sow and the hen. This ... has been the everything we want to and never every emergency ... given a chance. We have six ... cows and not having a rooster, ... our cows down the street ... every morning—it may not sound quite as "classe" as our neighbors' roosters, but she does ... darndest, and that is all we can expect of anything or any body. She sets a good example ... us all in the matter of ... equal suffrage. Take old Sally ... she not only feeds her own, but ... feeds the babies of her owner, ... the former she keeps ... from baby until perfectly clean ... shed-hair from hands—but she ... the latter the hardest by using her ... tongue—and she sets a good ex... ample. If you don't believe it ... look at some of the children who ... have patents with two hands, and ... these children's step looks ... they had not been washed since ... the old sow raises a tuft ... she sticks to it. Then, the sow ... and is proud of it—so is her own... She does not complain of ... things being too large, but ... feeds her slow leftover soy ... and shed if necessary and she ... may add an hot of grunting, but ... she gets on the job and does the ... darnedest—and she never could ... we expect of a sow pig. We are ... glad we have a sow and the hen. ... Advertising is some publicity. ...

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... of devastation in... ... and north of ... town. Had the main ... this city there is ... doubt that it would have ... paral... Rock...

A ... nse blackness ... approached ... town from the ... west and northwest, with a roar ... that could be heard for miles. ... Dazzling ... trails could be ... seen ascending from the cloud ... in the form of ... lightning ... played intermittently about it. ... the wind struck ... but fortunately ... for the people ... was only side ... and the ... did ... damage here. ... it was houses ... in town were rocked to their ... foundations, barns and ... outhouses demolished, windmills and ... were blown down and several houses left with a list closely resembling that of a run-down ...

The ... portion of the ... also left desolation in its path. ... Huge elm trees whose ... trunks were three feet in ... diameter were either uprooted or ... twisted off leaving little ... stump ... to be raised. Barns, ... windmills and everything in the ... path was almost totally destroyed.

The ranch houses that were in the central course of the cyclone were almost totally destroyed. The Evans new bungalow ranch home of Albert Tatsch was ... the ... and it was almost ob... literated. The roof was torn completely off and the walls ... of the house. The smoke house was also blown away and the windmill and barn was ... wrecked. The large ranch home of Albert Tatsch was demolished leaving little of what was once a beautiful country home.

The home of A. S. Whitewood located north of Rocksprings in the path of the cyclone and was badly damaged and would have been ... entirely away had it not been for a large oak tree that fell on its roof and held it down. The oak grew near the house and when the storm struck it was blown over, the roof of the house protecting it from almost certain destruction. As it was ... the fence was torn off, ... windows blown from their fastenings and the roof damaged. The windmill also was twisted and ... wrecked, it was dashed against the ground.

The smoke house belonging to Frank Kroll was razed. Goat ... sheds and barns and windmills in its path were all demolished. No estimate of the damage has been made but it is believed to run high into the thousands of dollars.

Harper was indeed fortunate in escaping destruction so narrowly. Had the storm struck the town ... twisted up those giant elm trees ... struck the town it is believed that not one building would have been left standing and a great ... loss of life would probably have been sustained. As it was no casualties have been reported.

In town the Baptist church belfry was torn off, windows blown from their facings, homes ... twisted and left tottering, barns and windmills either badly damaged or blown down completely.

The storm continued its course ... towards Fredericksburg devastating ranches and small settlements. Adolf Reeh's home was damaged greatly, his barns destroyed and many of his horses and mules killed. One boy who was at home was blown out of the house when he opened the door for what he thought was ... done. He was badly bruised but not seriously hurt. Others who suffered losses in damaged homes and barns were ... John Maner, Mrs. Aug. Woerner, Aug. Treibs, Reinhard Tatsch and Ben Thomas. The Baptist church at Eckert was badly damaged.

Two children of the Albert Tatsch family were blown into a ... creek bed and unhurt except for bruises and scratches, in the mud and water of a deep furrow of the field. One of the children of Albert Tatsch was carried far.—Harper Herald.

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or treading ... Any ... break by myself. ... a liberal reward for in... tion that will lead to ... conviction of any party or parties ... down and going over my fences. ... Blanco, Texas. H. C. Henson, ... Mar. 15-12p

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Card of Thanks.

The Parent-Teachers Association takes this method of thanking the Alumni of Bandera High School and others for donation of funds realized from the two plays, "The Wooniness Well Dining," and "The Divorce Case."

Lubricating Oil Free.

A quart of lubricating oil given free with each five gallons of gasoline next Saturday only.—Tom North's Filling Station.

Come and See My Hogs.

I am now booking orders for pigs from my Extreme Big Boar Poland China stock, for delivery at certain age. If you want the best hog stock, you are invited to visit my hog farm near Harper and see what I am raising.—Henry Thiele, Harper, Texas.

To Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store, is our authorized agent in Medina. If your subscription is due you are kindly asked to pay same to her. Quite a number of subscriptions are expiring at this time and yours may be among the lot, in which event your prompt attention to the matter will be appreciated.

NOTICE

In Re Estate of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, Minors, No. 440.

In the County Court of Bandera County, Texas. April Term A. D. 1927.

To the Honorable Judge of said Court:

Notice is hereby given that I, H. E. Rambie, guardian of the estates of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled, and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of the estates of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the Court may order, and direct on the below described real estate belonging to the estates of said wards, to wit:

First: Survey No. 101 certificate No. 64 Abstract No. 196 in the name of J. Howard and containing 320 acres of land and being all of said survey.

Second: Survey No. 98 Certificate No. Abstract No. 265 in the name of Peter Moore and containing 320 acres of land and being all of said survey.

Third: Survey No. 27 Abstract No. 461 in name of S. Ridley and containing 160 acres of land and being all of said Survey.

Fourth: 320 acres out of Survey No. 2015 Certificate No. 19 Abstract No. 101 and being all that part of said survey owned by us.

Fifth: Survey No. 65 Certificate No. 1898 Abstract No. 1329 G. C. & S. F. Ry Co., containing 127 acres of land and being all of said survey.

The above application will be heard by the County Judge at the court house in the town of Bandera, Texas, on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1927.

H. E. RAMBIE.

Guardian of the Estates of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, Minors.

GENUINE FORD SERVICE.

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Miss Eratha Garison and her brother, Paul of Medina, were Bandera visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague spent last Friday and Saturday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter came over from Harper to spend Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Chas. Montague has been quite sick for several days. We hope she will soon recover.

Charlie Britsch, of West Verde was in town Friday and called to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mrs. J. W. Carter of Houston, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Godkin at Spicewood Springs ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flynn, of Singleton, Texas, were here last week on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Joseph Flynn.

Joe O'Bryant and daughter, Miss Ann Belle, were here from Utopia Tuesday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fletcher.

Little Miss Marian Lewis, of Uvalde, spent last Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Carmichael, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tupin, of Kerrville, spent this week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross. Mrs. Tupin is a sister to Mrs. Ross.

H. L. Hamer, an inspector for the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, with headquarters at Del Rio, was a visitor last Thursday.

Coy Frank Ross, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross, spent this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Gray at Center Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Montague of Del Rio, and Miss Victoria Montague of San Antonio spent last week-end with their mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, in this city.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Boyle and son, John, Jr., of Uvalde, were here Saturday and Sunday on a visit to Dr. Boyle's brother, M. Boyle. They were accompanied by Mrs. Boyle's sister, Miss Maguire, of Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Godkin, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Juanita, and Miss Heinsath, were up from Spicewood Springs ranch Monday, and paid the New Era an appreciated visit.

Miss Vivian Keese, who has been teaching at Lima, and Miss Lela Keese, who has been teaching near Junction, were here Sunday en route to San Marcos to enter the Normal there.

Postoffice Inspector Wm. Rankin, of San Antonio, was here Tuesday, checking up the books in the postoffice. He found Postmaster Fred Mansfield's records in splendid shape.

The editor and N. H. Rose returned Saturday night from Stamford where we attended a very interesting meeting of the West Texas Historical Association held there last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hay, Mrs. A. G. Leake and little son, A. G. Jr., Mrs. Fred Risinger and little son, Fred, Jr., were up from San Antonio one day last week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet next Wednesday at 3:30 p. m., at the High School Auditorium. Election of officers will take place, and other business will be transacted. All members urged to be present.

F. Schmidt, a popular Tarpley boy, writes us from New York City that he has enlisted in the Navy, and is now on the U. S. S. Milwaukee, and wants the little old home paper to keep him in touch with home happenings.

Mrs. Jos. Flynn informs us that she was in her home when the cyclone struck it the night of April 12, instead of being away, at the time, as reported in our last issue. The house was badly wrecked and the occupants had a narrow escape from serious injury.

Watch the date of your paper opposite your name. It shows when your subscription expires. We hope all will renew promptly.

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Notice to Tarpley People.

I will be in Tarpley Friday, April 29, to do tinner work, plumbing, etc., and will take orders for pasture fly traps.—R. E. Blunt.

Mrs. Mary Carmicheal goes to Uvalde this week.

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J. M. Hunter, Editor.

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The New Era is twelve years old this week, it having been established by Jno. Mayhugh as it is the direct successor of the old Bandera Enterprise, which burned out a few months after the founding of the New Era, the little old home paper has been here forty-seven years, the Enterprise having been established in 1880. The New Era has been under its present management over six years. For all the years of its existence it has been chronicling the comings and goings, the births, marriages, and deaths of Bandera county's people, and has faithfully striven to at all times be just what the people call it, "the little old home paper." Gratifying to us indeed to know that there are but few families in the county who do not take the New Era, and it is a consolation to know also that even those who do not take it read it just the same.

Harry Tobey and Polk Palmer were down from Medina Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Ruede of Pipe Creek, May 1, a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Bowman, of Pipe Creek, May 3, a boy.

Mrs. W. J. Davenport Sr. and children were San Antonio visitors Saturday.

Misses Vida Jones and Alma Irving were visiting in town Sunday. Both young ladies are from Kerrville.

Mrs. John Bruce and Miss Anna Mae Mansfield were in town Monday from their ranch on the Hondo road.

Sam Allen and little son, were in from the Hildebrandt ranch Saturday. Mr. Allen was suffering from two fractured ribs caused from a fall.

Marcellus Rambie entertained quite a number of young people last Saturday evening with a social. Various games were played and everybody had a splendid time.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION

S. C. R. No. 33.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein a new section to be numbered Section 30a which shall read as follows:

SECTION 30a. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing, or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and hereafter said officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided until otherwise provided by law. The salary of the Governor shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) per year, and no more, payable monthly, and he shall have the occupancy and use of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture.

The salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year, and actual traveling expenses from the county of residence to the capitol and returning for each session of the Legislature, as shall hereafter be provided by law, and there shall be no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution except as shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

SEC. 2. Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner," and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

SEC. 3. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law, and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this state, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

SEC. 4. The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.

(A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

First Pub. April 28, 1927.

H. J. R. No. 25

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article VIII by the insertion of Section 1-a therein authorizing the Legislature to provide for the separation of the objects of taxation for State purposes and for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the levy of ad valorem tax or other form of tax for State purposes only, and for local purposes, only; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the classification of objects of taxation and providing that rates shall be equal on the same class of property, and fixing limitations upon taxation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein Section 1-a, as follows:

Section 1-a. The Legislature may separate the objects of taxation for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and counties, and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the limits of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution, for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

SEC. 2. The forgoing Constitutional amendment shall be submited to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

SEC. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

Approved March 11, 1927.

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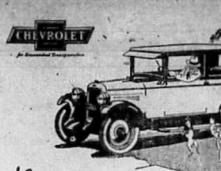

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writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction, and to issue all writs and make all orders necessary to enforce its own jurisdiction. The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have the power, upon affidavit or otherwise, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the exercise of its jurisdiction. Said Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in effect until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for six years, and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and who shall receive such compensation as the Legislature may provide.

Section 4 (of Article VI): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall consist of three Judges, provided that the Legislature may increase the number to five and a majority of the Judges shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of a majority of the Judges shall be necessary to the decision of any case. Said Judges shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualify, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for State officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and until their successors are elected and qualify. When this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justice of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of the Judges of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and upon the qualification of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate.

Section 5 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction coextensive with the limits of the State in all criminal cases of whatever grade, with such exceptions and under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, and the Legislature may confer original jurisdiction upon it to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo and certiorari in criminal cases. The Court of Criminal Appeals and the Judges thereof shall have the power to issue writs of habeas corpus and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, issue such writs as may be necessary to enforce its own jurisdiction. The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have the power, upon affidavit or otherwise, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the exercise of its jurisdiction. Said Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by it. Said Court shall appoint a clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he shall hold his office for four years, unless sooner removed by the Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and said Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 6 (of Article V): The Legislature shall, from time to time, divide the State into such number of Supreme Judicial Districts as it may seem necessary, not exceeding twelve at any one time, and shall have the power to redistrict the State at any time, and shall establish a Court of Civil Appeals in each of said Districts, which Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and not less than two Associates Justices as the Legislature may provide, who shall have the qualifications as herein for Justices of the Supreme Court provided that the aggregate number of Judges of all of the Courts of Civil Appeals shall never at one time exceed thirty. Each of the existing Courts of Civil Appeals shall continue until otherwise provided by law. The Courts of Civil Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction coextensive with the limits of their respective districts which shall extend in all civil cases of which shall be conclusive on all questions of fact brought before them on appeal or error. Said Courts of Civil Appeals shall hold their sessions at such places as may be designated by the Legislature and at such times as may be prescribed by law. Said Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of their respective Districts, at a general election, for a term of six years, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. Said Courts shall have such other jurisdiction, original and appellate, as may be prescribed by law. Each Court of Civil Appeals shall appoint a Clerk in the same manner as the Clerk of the Supreme Court, which Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by law. The Judges of Courts of Civil Appeals who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their office until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment. Section 7 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into as many Judicial Districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a licensed lawyer for four years next preceding his election, and during that time shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a Court of record or such practicing lawyer and Judge together, who shall have resided in the District in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election who shall reside in his District during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and shall receive for his services such compensation as may be prescribed by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year, in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power, by general or special laws, to authorize the holding of special terms of the court or the holding of more than two terms in any County for the dispatch of business. The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Court when the Judge thereof is absent or is from any cause, disabled or disqualified from presiding. The Supreme Court or the Chief Justice thereof may assign any District Judge to any District in the State other than that for which he was elected, with all the powers of a resident District Judge of the District to which he is assigned, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, or by the Supreme Court in the absence of such regulations enacted by the Legislature. The District Judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Sec. 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State, and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law, and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this state, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4: The sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 10, 1927.

(A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication, before the return day thereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

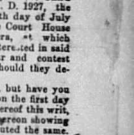
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. Adelia Richards, Deceased. C. W. Harris has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. Adelia Richards, Deceased, filed with said application, and the Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927 at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera, this the 4th day of April A. D. 1927.

MRS. CLARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court Bandera County, Texas.



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FOR SALE—Buff Plymouth Rock Roosters and twelve hens. —Mrs. J. E. Chisum.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Faris visited Kerrville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Burns were here from Boerne Sunday.

Oscar W. Perner made a business trip to San Antonio yesterday.

Miss Aleen Stevens, of San Antonio, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. O. Stevens, last Sunday.

Miss Hazel Gerdes, who has been spending a few weeks in San Antonio, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Emil Villemain from the Privilege Creek community, visited Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane Tuesday.

Mrs. Pauline Wright and infant daughter of San Antonio are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ethridge.

Q. C. Hodges was here from Pipe Creek Monday to attend a meeting of the County Board of School Trustees, of which he is a member.

Mrs. Alice Bolton and grandson, Harold Wagner, came up from San Antonio Monday and were guests of Mrs. Chisum. They were en route to Del Rio where they will reside.

Kid Pancho, San Antonio pugilist, plead guilty before Justice of the Peace Herman Harper last Saturday to catching one bass during the closed season and was fined $25 and costs, the total amounting to $58.45.

GRAND BARBECUE

Saturday, May 14th

At Adamietz Park,

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Plenty of Amusement, including a Baseball Game between the Hondo

Sam Smith of near Medina was here Saturday.

E. T. Peters was here from San Antonio Monday.

George Fee was in from Wnan's Creek Saturday.

Frank Billings has given his cottage a neat coat of paint.

W. S. Ethridge and Glen Stevens made a trip to Hondo today.

Sid Joiner is building a dwelling on his ranch on Middl Verde.

Fletcher P. Layton, of Medina, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest Schele and daughter, Miss Melinda were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Villemain were in town Saturday from Privilege Creek.

J. D. Carlisle, of San Antonio, was a visitor in Bandera Saturday, and called at the New Era office.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Balzen of Comanche Crossing, were

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Mr. C. C. Lackey of Port Arthur came here to visit his wife and children last week. They went to Crystal City to visit Mr. and Mrs. Whitson Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Alston and family in San Antonio Sunday. Mrs. Alston has been very sick, but is better.

Mrs. Alston's mother, Mrs. D. Kelly, who has been visiting her, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lewis home.

Orvil Adams, of Comanche, is visiting Mrs. M. D. Kelly and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Megraw of Dallas, are visiting Mrs. Megraw's mother, Mrs. E. J. Coleman, and her sisters, Mrs. Roy Whitehead and Mrs. Creed Whitehead.

A group of people served supper on the river Sunday night: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMahon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hatfield, Miss Ruth Parsons, and Jim McMahon.

Mrs. H. L. Carpenter is visiting at Alpine.

Mrs. E. H. Sewall is visiting her brother, Mr. Nance at Junction. His wife died recently.

Ed Cates is getting along very well at present.

Mrs. Addie Akin underwent a serious operation for appendicitis at Kerrville last Wednesday. She is doing as well as can be expected. A number of her children came here to visit her, Mrs. Alise Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Akin and Vernon Akin of Houston and Mrs. Alma Hanna of Sabine Pass.

Mrs. A. V. Pue is very sick in a Kerrville hospital.

L. C. Caton is here visiting his sons, Ed Caton and Emmett Caton.

Commencement Exercises May 20

The commencement exercises of Bandera High School will be held at the school auditorium on Friday evening, May 20th, with an appropriate program. The graduates are Miss Zella Mae Price, valedictorian, Miss Lena Louise Villemain, salutatorian, Miss Hermine Jo Habenicht, Herman L. Thalmann; Miss Rachel Hunter, Miss Thelma Elaine Surber, Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield, and Charles Rugh, Jr. The commencement program will be published in next week's New Era.

Baccalaureate Sermon.

Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Rev. C. E. Wheat, pastor of the First Methodist church of Kerrville, will deliver the sermon to the graduates of Bandera High School at the High School Auditorium. Everybody invited to attend.

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Pipe Line to Cross Country.

A pipe line to be constructed by the Humble Oil Company will be laid across the southwest corner of Kerr County, it became known Tuesday with the arrival in Kerrville of a party of engineers, who will be in charge of the construction work.

Kerrville will be the base of operations for a section of the Pipe line project. Materials will be shipped into this city and supplies purchased here while the work is under way.

The pipe line will be 400 miles in length, extending from Mc-Camey in the West Texas oil fields to Ingleside, near the port of Corpus Christi. Eight or 10 inch pipe will be laid and the project will cost approximately $10,000,000.

Camps are being established along the proposed route this week and a fleet of 25 huge trucks with trailer attachments will operate out of Kerrville to the adjacent construction camps, according to officials of the Hughes Contracting Co. of Houston, the trucking contractors.

The proposed route runs through Crockett, Schleicher, Menard, Edwards, Real, Kerr and Bandera Counties and on to the Gulf Coast in practically a straight line. The survey is said to be about 45 miles west of San Antonio, and barely misses the town of Bandera.

Pumping stations will be established at intervals of about 50 miles all along the route.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Operation for Appendicitis.

Wayne, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Moore, was taken to a hospital in San Antonio Monday where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. Report comes that he is making good recovery

Baseball Game Saturday and Sunday

At the barbecue next Saturday the Flying Cadets of the 47th Squadron, Brooks Field, will cross bats with the Bandera team, in the afternoon. The visiting team is one of the best in the state and a lively game is anticipated. In the forenoon the baseball game is to be between the Negro teams of Kerrville and Hondo, and they are said to be real sluggers. Sunday afternoon the Flying Cadets of the 47th Squadron will again play the Bandera team, on the local diamond.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCarthy gave a delightful dance at their home at Pipe Creek Saturday night. Quite a crowd was in attendance.

Two Commissioners Resign.

County Commissioners John L. Edwards of Pipe Creek, and R. L. Morris of Lima tendered their resignations to Judge A. L. Mansfield last week, and their successors have already been appointed. The gentlemen resigned on account of failing health. Mr. Morris informs us that he will probably enter a sanitarium for treatment, and we understand Mr. Edwards will go to New Mexico in hopes that the climatic change will benefit him. It is very much to be regretted that these gentlemen have been compelled to give up their public duties, for each one of them has served faithfully and well. Their hundreds of friends hope early to learn will soon be restored to health.

Judge Mansfield immediately appointed Arthur Pue of near Medina to the office vacated by Mr. Morris, and he appointed E. Pickens of Pipe Creek to the place vacated by Mr. Edwards. Both of these gentlemen are fully qualified for the work and the appointment is acceptable to the citizens of the county generally. They have entered upon their duties and in the session of the regular term of Commissioners' Court this week.

Mrs. J. A. Head was quite ill several days this week, but we are glad to report her improving.

For the Flood Sufferers.

The drive started here last Saturday to raise funds for the Mississippi Valley sufferers, was quite a success. The young ladies who participated in the tag sale worked energetically all day Saturday, and on Monday Miss Margaret Montague sent a draft for $143.03 to the Red Cross headquarters for the relief of the flood sufferers. Funds are still coming in from various parts of the country. It was planned to give a benefit play Friday night in connection with the picture show, but the response to the appeal for funds has been so liberal that the play will not be given at this time.

At noon yesterday Miss Montague reported an additional $11.50 collected for the flood sufferers, bringing the total up to $154.53 raised thus far.

Class Play Saturday Night.

The Bandera High School Senior Class play, "Poor Father," will be given next Saturday night at the High School Auditorium. The cast of characters will be found in another column of this issue. This is a most laughable farce, and you will enjoy it. Admission 20c and 35c.

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Pete Hagen Dead.

A. P. Hagen, a well known ranchman of Kimble county, died at a hospital in Kerrville last Saturday, following an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Hagen was known to many of our people, having at one time lived in this county. For many years he resided at Center Point. The funeral was conducted at the First Baptist church in Kerrville Sunday afternoon and interment was made in Glen Rest cemetery there, an immense crowd of friends and relatives being present from Kerrville, Center Point, Bandera, Junction, Harper and other places. Mr. Hagen was a splendid gentleman and held in high esteem by everybody. His death is mourned by friends all over the Hill Country. He is survived by his wife, his aged father and several brothers and sisters, who have the sympathy of everybody in their bereavement.

George Allsup, of Medina, was here yesterday.

* See "Wild to Go," at Bandera Theater Friday night.

The store of C. B. Corley is being given a neat coat of paint.

Walter Whitley, of Medina Lake, was in the city yesterday.

"Poor Father," at the High School Auditorium Saturday night.

Mrs. Gid Lane visited Mrs. Emil Villemain at Pipe Creek yesterday.

Don't miss the grand barbecue at Adamietz Park next Saturday, May 14.

Hot games of baseball are promised on the diamond at Adamietz Park when the Flying Cadets will play Bandera at the barbecue Saturday afternoon and also again Sunday afternoon.

Cyclone in North Texas.

The town of Nevada, in Collin county, was struck by a cyclone Sunday night and fifteen people were killed and 75 injured. At Garland, in Dallas county, thirteen people were killed and many injured by probably the same cyclone.

Undergoes An Operation.

Little Miss Mary Turner was taken to the hospital in San Antonio last Saturday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is reported to be doing nicely.

Frontier Times for June.

The June number of Frontier Times will be issued this week, and will be mailed to subscribers next Monday. This number contains many thrilling stories, among them "The Murder of Abdula McDonald," "The Transformation of the XIT Ranch," "Reno Was No Coward," "The Murder of Jim Ball," "Helped to Knock the Bark off of Texas," "More Light on Bill Longley," "The Texas Ranger," "Col. Rip Ford and Rangers Battle with Indians," "A Diary Kept on the Overland Trail in 1854," "His Father was with Jack Hays," "Indian Raid Near Fort McKavett," "Assassination of Jesse James," "The Savoy Cyclone in 1876," "A Waterspout in Colima County in 1874." If you are not a regular subscriber to Frontier Times you are missing something.

Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, of Mason Creek, was shopping in the city yesterday.

See the negro teams from Hondo and Kerrville play ball at the barbecue next Saturday morning.

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The Beauty Contest.

This week's count in the Beauty Contest reveals several new names, and increasing votes for the others. The contest is getting interesting, and the question naturally arises "Who will win?" At 10 o'clock a. m. July 4th, at the Old Settlers' Reunion, the balloting ends and the votes will be counted for the last time. The Bandera county girl over 6 years old who has the greatest number of votes will be declared the prettiest girl in Bandera county and will receive the handsome cedar chest of chocolate candy, and she will be designated "Queen of the Day." This contest is open to all, and anybody can vote by using the ballots which appears in the New Era each week. No other form of ballot will be used at any time, and the only way anybody can vote in this contest is to clip the ballot from this paper, write the name of the person to be voted for, and send or bring it to this office before July 4th. Votes coming in on the last day must be deposited in the box at the Reunion Grounds before 10 o'clock a. m. July 4th. The count this week is as follows:

Mrs. C. W. Harris	45
Mrs. Mattie Jones	41
Mrs. J. A. Head	31
Mrs. Harriet Chipman	22
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	11
Mrs. R. F. Langford, Sr.	10
Mrs. J. N. Evans	6
Mrs. M. J. Hamilton	6
Mrs. Artie Reed	5
Miss Mary Bruce	4
Mrs. John Adamietz	3
Mrs. Charlie de Montel	3
Mrs. Kate Joiner	2

Storms in Eight States

Kansas City, May 10.—Scourged by tornadoes, torrential storms and blizzards during a day period, the Middle West counted its dead at 233 late Tuesday, with probably a thousand persons injured, hundreds homeless and property damage in the millions.

In eight States, from the Rocky Mountain region to the East and Southeastward, the fury of the weather brought death and suffering.

First destruction was wrought in Kansas, where a twister reared in from the Southwest Saturday night. There followed on Monday tornadoes that lashed Texas, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana and Illinois, flattening farm houses and buildings in their paths and laying towns and villages in waste.

Music recital at High School Auditorium next Tuesday night, May 17.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. Austin died last Tuesday after suffering from a stroke of paralysis for a few days. He leaves five children. Will and Joe Austin of Kerrville, Bob Austin, of Comal county, Mrs. John Dale and Mrs. Will Sutton of Lima.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hinds, May 5, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and Miss Pearl Miller were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hinds spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller.

Thomas Keese and Sam Hillman went down to Mr. Hillman's goat ranch Saturday. Mr. Hillman returned Sunday to spend a few days at home.

Chris Miller and son Davie, of Morris Ranch spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller Saturday evening.

O. D. Keese went to Bandera Monday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker and children, of San Antonio, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John McHaney and children, of Fredericksburg, visited relatives here Friday.

Jim Newsomer and Adolph Seifert, of Rock Creek were in the city yesterday.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

LeRoy Eckhart, of East Verde, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Who is the prettiest girl over 6 years old in Bandera County? We'll tell you on the 4th of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Burns, of Boerne, were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burns Tuesday.

Mrs. Sam Hinds of the Hildebrandt Ranch and Will Richworth of Center Point, were seen in Bandera yesterday.

Mrs. Otis Seathoff entertained a large number of friends with a social dance Saturday night at her home on East Verde.

The New Era can sell you 100 sheets Hammermill Bond paper and 100 envelopes to match, in either the secretary or social size, for $3.00. Special.

Baseball! The Flying Cadets 47th Squadron, Brooks Field, will play Bandera team at the barbecue next Saturday afternoon, and again Sunday afternoon. Don't miss these games.

All who have taken space in the Bandera County Fair catalogue and have not yet sent in copy for advertisement should do so at once. The catalogue will be printed soon.

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At the Picture Show Tomorrow Night.

The picture to be shown at Bandera Theater Friday night will be a thrilling western production, "Wild to Go," featuring Tom Tyler. The home talent play which was to have been presented in connection with the program for the benefit of the Mississippe Valley flood sufferers has been called off.

In District Court at Hondo, State of Texas vs. Charlie Whitley and Glynn Stevens, theft of cattle. Application for severance granted and agreed that defendant Glynn Stevens be tried alone. Jury sworn. State failing to prove up its case, the court instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty—which was accordingly done and defendant Glynn Stevens discharged.—Hondo Anvil-Herald.

Visitors at Walter Godkin's Spicewood Springs Ranch last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Rich ard Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Auten Brabse, Mrs. Concha Gonzales, Miss Carmela Woeltz, Miss Vada Mae Collins, Messrs. Gene Creel, Alfred Perez, Victor Perez, Henry Woeltz, Ed Godkin and Leo Godkin, all of San Antonio. A fine barbecue dinner and enchilada supper was served. Swimming, dancing and various games were enjoyed.

W. F. Wilson, of Montel, was a business visitor in Bandera last Friday. Mr. Wilson is the manufacturer of Wilson's Dry-Rot, a preparation which is recommended for shearing cuts and other wounds of the stock, and keeps off the flies, and he informs us that his Dryer is meeting with popular favor everywhere. He is shipping it in considerable quantities all over the country, especially to Oregon and other northwestern states, while here in Texas the demand is rapidly increasing, some 10,000 boxes having been supplied to Texas customers within the past month.

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S. J. R. No. 33.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and same is hereby amended by inserting therein a new section to be numbered Section 30a which shall read as follows:

SECTION 30a. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and hereafter said officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided until otherwise provided by law. The salary of the Governor shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) per year, and no more, payable monthly, and he shall have the occupancy and use of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture.

The salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year, and actual traveling expenses from the place of residence to the capitol and returning for each session of the Legislature, as shall hereafter be provided by law; and provided that no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

SEC. 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment, it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

SEC. 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this state, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

SEC. 4: The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay the publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.
(A Correct Copy.)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

First Pub. April 28, 1927.

H. J. R. No. 32.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 60, Article 16 so as to provide that the Legislature may fix the compensation of certain county officers by salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites and providing for an election and making appropriation to pay expenses.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 60, Article 16, to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 60. The Legislature may provide compensation for certain district and county officers, to-wit:

The District Attorney, County Judge, County Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, District Clerk, County Tax Assessor and County Tax Collector, by prescribing their duties, and fixing salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites as now provided by the Constitution.

SEC. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, and commission and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," and "Against amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, and commission and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution."

SEC. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand ($5,000.00) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the holding of this election, including the expense of printing notices and advertisements.

SEC. 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Approved March 25, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

First Pub. April 28, 1927.

Visitors at the home of B. F. Ferris and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Balborn, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Smith and children of San Antonio, Nolam Paris and family and Manuel Paris and family. Mr. nd Mrs. Richard Montel and little daughter, and Zack Burleson of Camp Verde. A splendid family dinner was enjoyed.

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J. G. Austin Dead.

J. G. Austin, aged 79, died on Tuesday last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Dale, near Lima. His wife died about a year ago. Mr. Austin is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. Dale and Mrs. E. B. Sutton of Lima; three sons, J. W. and W. G. Austin of Kerrville, and U. H. Austin of Fredericksburg, a brother, William Austin, of San Saba, and several grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mansfield and children attended the funeral of A. P. Hagen at Kerrville last Sunday.

John T. Dixon, a former citizen of Bandera, was here from San Antonio to spend last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chipman.

The regular May term of Commissioners' Court is in session this week. The proceedings will be published in our next issue.

Large and small ranches for sale, also residence property in Bandera, and some sheep and goats. If you want to buy or sell, see me.—Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man.

John R. Chipman, who has a good position in Moorringport, La., writes his mother, Mrs. R. A. Chipman, that he will not get his usual vacation this year to visit homefolks, but urges his mother to visit him there. She will probably do so.

Wiman's Creek school closed last Friday, and pupils and patrons enjoyed a delightful picnic on the river at the George Fee place Friday evening. Since the cyclone of April 12, which demolished the school building, school has been conducted in the old Masters house on the Medina road. Mrs. J. Meadors has taught a very successful term in this school and patrons are well pleased, for the children have all made splendid progress.

To the Citizens of Precinct No.3.

It is with much regret that I resign the office to which you have elected me. It has been a pleasure to serve you in the capacity of county commissioner. I appreciate the support, and especially the co-operation of the people, and there will always be a warm spot in my heart for all of the people of Bandera county.

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Regular meeting of Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S., on Friday night, May 13th, at 8 o'clock, in the Masonic hall Al members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Rodgers, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespass of any kind allowed on my land. A liberal reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any party or parties tearing down and going over my fences.—Hansen Ranch, H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 15-12m

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S. J. R. No. 34.

Proposing an amendment of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article 7 of the Constitution of Texas, for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1: That Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five Judges shall be necessary to the decision of a cause. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election or appointment, a citizen of the United States and of this State, and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years and shall have been a licensed lawyer for five years and, during that time, shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a court of record or such practicing lawyer and Judge and Associate Justice and Associate Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualify, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill such vacancy until the next general election for State officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and until their successors are elected and qualify. When this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint an additional Associate Justice of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointees and one other shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and upon the qualification of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate.

Section 3 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only, except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of any Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the decisions of civil appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a statute of the State is held void, and to questions of law arising in such other cases of which the Courts of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction as may be provided by law; provided, that the Legislature may authorize direct appeals from the County and District Courts in any case where a constitute of the State has been declared void. The Supreme Court and the Judges thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus as may be prescribed by law; and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, the Supreme Court and the Judges thereof may issue writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, as the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capitol for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in effect until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and who shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law.

Section 4 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall consist of three Judges, provided that the Legislature may increase the number to five and a majority of the Judges shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of a majority of the Judges shall be necessary to the decision of any case. Said Judges shall be the same qualifications and receive the same salaries as the Judges of the Supreme Court. They shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices for a term of six years. The Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present Constitution and laws.

Section 5 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction coextensive with the limits of the State in all criminal cases of whatever grade, with such exceptions and under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, and the Legislature may confer original jurisdiction upon it to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo and certiorari in criminal cases. The Court of Criminal Appeals and the Judges thereof shall have the power to issue the writ of habeas corpus and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, issue such writs as may be necessary to enforce its own jurisdiction. The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have the power, upon affidavit or otherwise, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the exercise of its jurisdiction. Said Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by it. Said Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he shall hold his office for four years, unless sooner removed by the Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 6 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into such many Judicial Districts as may from time to time, divide the State into such number of Supreme Judicial Districts as to it may seem necessary, not exceeding twelve at any one time, and shall have the power to redistrict the State at any time, and shall establish a Court of Civil Appeals in each of said districts, which Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and not less than two Associates Justices as the Legislature may provide, who shall have the qualifications as herein for Justices of the Supreme Court provided that the aggregate number of Judges of all of the Courts of Civil Appeals shall never at one time exceed thirty-six. Each of the existing Courts of Civil Appeals shall continue until otherwise provided by law. The Courts of Civil Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction coextensive with the limits of their respective districts, which shall extend to all civil cases of which the District Courts or County Courts have original or appellate jurisdiction, under such restrictions and regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the decisions of said Courts shall be conclusive on all questions of fact brought before them on appeal or error. Said Courts of Civil Appeals shall hold their sessions at such places as may be designated by the Legislature and at such times as may be prescribed by law. Said Courts shall be composed of the qualified voters of their respective Districts, at a general election, for a term of six years, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. Said Courts shall have such other jurisdiction, original and appellate, as may be prescribed by law. Each Court of Civil Appeals shall appoint a Clerk in the same manner as the Clerk of the Supreme Court, which Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by law. The Judges of Courts of Civil Appeals who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their office until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Section 7 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into as many Judicial Districts as may from time to time be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a licensed lawyer for four years next preceding his election, and during that time shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a Court of record or such practicing lawyer and Judge together, who shall have resided in the District in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election who shall reside in his District during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and shall receive for his services such compensation as may be prescribed by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year, in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power, by general or special laws, to authorize the holding of special terms of the court or the holding of more than two terms in any County or the transfer of business. The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Court when the Judge thereof is absent or is from any cause disabled or disqualified from presiding. The Supreme Court or the Chief Justice thereof may exchange any District Judge to any District in the State other than that for which he was elected, with all the powers of a resident District Judge of the District in which he is assigned, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, or by the Supreme Court in the absence of such regulations enacted by the Legislature. The District Judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Sec. 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this state, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Section 4: The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 10, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

First Pub. April 28, 1927.

H. J. R. No. 25

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article VIII by the insertion of Section 1-a therein authorizing the Legislature to provide for the separation of the objects of taxations for State purposes and for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax or other form of tax for State purposes only, and for local purposes only; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the classification of objects of taxation and providing that rates shall be equal on the same class of property, and fixing limitations upon taxation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein Section 1-a, as follows:

Section 1-a. The Legislature may separate the objects of taxation as may be prescribed from the objects of taxation for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and counties and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or objects, for local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the sum of the limit of such rate provided for this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may provide for the classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income, in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

SEC. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

Approved March 11, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

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George Washington Brown, a trifler with the truth	Burgin Davenport.
Sergeant O'Connor, of the police	Herman Thalmann.
Mary Tompkins, a distracted mother	Minnie Mae Mansfield.
Gladys, the eldest daughter	Rachel Hunter.
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Baseball Game between the Flying Cadets, 47th Squadron, Brooks Field, and the Bandera teams Saturday afternoon. Other Amusements.

Admission, to all over 12 years, 50c, which includes a splendid barbecue plate lunch in Park on the river. Children under 12 admitted free, but will be charged 25c for lunch.

The following firms in Bandera have consented to close their places of business from 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., Saturday, May 14th:

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S. F. LANGFORD & SON	S. ADAMSON
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Don't Forget the Baseball Game Sunday

Richard Adams, Jess Adams and O. W. Livingston, of Tuff were among the visitors in Bandera yesterday.

A. P. Carlton came in Sunday from Bonham to join his wife and baby, who have been here the past two months.

Capt. John Anders and E. O. Degen, of San Antonio, were visitors at the ranch of Paul Morvieta last Sunday.

County Commissioner R. C. Boales has moved his family over from Tarpley and now occupies the Watts-Hayfield residence.

Mrs. J. M. Hunter and son and daughter, Marvin and Jennette, attended the funeral of A. P. Hagen at Kerrville last Sunday afternoon.

The Music Department of Bandera High School will give a recital at the High School Auditorium on next Tuesday night, May 17.

Mrs. O. M. McBryde is here from Medina on a visit to her son, Mark McBryde, and family, and grand daughter, Miss Kathryn McBryde.

John Ryle was over from Tarpley Saturday with his clip of wool for the warehouse, and called in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Newcomer and children were up from Red Bluff yesterday and Elmo dropped in to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Dr. Laurie Montague of Edinburg and his Victoria Montague of San Antonio, came in to be with their mother, Mrs. Charles Montague, on Mother's Day.

Elbert McKandles of Abilene, Webb McKandles, Jr., of Mallothan, and their cousin, Jack McKandles of Sonora, were visiting homefolks at Pipe Creek last week.

Mrs. Clinton Risinger, who has been ill for some time, was taken to a hospital in San Antonio yesterday for treatment. Her many friends hope she will soon recover.

H. B. Palmer, Boy Scout Executive of Uvalde, and L. F. Heard, Boy Scout Commissioner of Sabinal, were here Monday in the interest of the Boy Scout organization.

We are now fully equipped to rebuild and recharge storage batteries of all kinds. New batteries in stock. Prompt service and good work guaranteed.—Ruge's Filling Station and Battery Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman and infant son, arrived from Mirando Tuesday, where they have resided for the past several months. They have returned to stay and will reside on a ranch near Lima. We are glad to welcome these splendid young folks back to old Bandera county.

George A. Shumaker, of Kerrville, was here this week introducing a cleaning preparation, which he calls the Dry or Wet Cleanser, a very meritorious preparation which surpasses any soap we ever used. This cleanser leaves the hands and face soft after removing all dirt, grease and printer's ink. He left a good sample with us for trial, and we find it very satisfactory.

Colonel and Mrs. H. C. Hansen and daughter were in from the Hansen Ranch last Friday, and called at the New Era office. Colonel Hansen has offered to donate a right-of-way for a road from the Medina road to intersect with the Tarpley road, and give the people of that community a direct route to Tarpley. A petition was presented to the commissioners' court this week, asking that the road be opened.

Mrs. C. R. Goodwin, field representative of the Red Cross of St. Louis, arrived from Rocksprings Monday to look over this field with a view to organizing a local chapter of the Red Cross. She had been here but a very short time when she received a telegram from headquarters to proceed at once to Nevada, Collin county, to take charge of relief work following a cyclone at that place last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Masters and children were over from Utopia last week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Masters of Wilson's Creek. They were pleasant visitors at the New Era office while here, and Mr. Masters informed us that Utopia's handsome new school building is nearing completion. It is being constructed of concrete tile, will have five class rooms, auditorium, office room and library, and will cost $15,000. It will be completed some time in July.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderwald, May 10, a boy.

The Methodist parsonage has been given a neat coat of paint.

Miss Annie Cravey, of Tarpley, went to San Antonio yesterday.

Captain T. P. Grant was over from Tarpley yesterday on business.

R. D. Garison and son, Paul, were here from near Medina yesterday.

Senior Class play at High School Auditorium next Saturday night.

Mrs. J. A. Bachman, of the Fairview Ranch, was shopping in the city yesterday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Ruge, of Kerrville, at Pipe Creek, May 6, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fitzgerald and children were in from the ranch yesterday, shopping.

J. W. Walker and son, Lee, of Laxson's Creek, made a business trip to San Antonio this week.

Prof. James Emerson and Frank Mansfield made a business trip to Utopia Tuesday night.

Miss Kathryn McBryde visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. McBryde, at Medina Tuesday afternoon.

The case of Charles Whitley, called for trial at Hondo last Thursday, was continued until next term of court.

P. A. Kelley and Miss Abbie Brashear, of Medina, were here yesterday on their way to San Antonio on a short business trip.

Mrs. W. A. Thomason of Pipe Creek had as her guests last week her niece and nephew, Miss Alta and Roy Dollahite, of Johnson City.

Mrs. Fabian Garison and Miss Emily Ruth Rambie have gone to Oklahoma City to visit their sisters, Miss Leora Rambie and Mrs. James McElroy.

Uncle Jack Newcomer of Red Bluff, accompanied by his son, Elmo, will go to Eola today to visit his sister, Mrs. R. H. Wosmack. He will spend several weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Murdock, of Portland, Oregon, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lane the first of the week. They made the long trip in their automobile, without mishap, and declare it was a very pleasant journey, being on the road one month. After visiting relatives in San Antonio and other places for a short time they will return home.

Binder Twine.

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There will be two days' cemetery working at the West Prong cemetery, beginning next Wednesday, May 25th. Everybody urged to turn out and help in the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter and baby were week-end guests of Mrs. H. L. Carpenter's family. They were moving from Center Point to Junction, where they will reside.

Mrs. Alma Hanna of Sabine Pass, Mrs. J. H. Smith of Hodleton, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Akin of Houston, were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. J. P. Akin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Davis, Mrs. Lucie James and son, David, Joe Louis Davis and Mrs. Wm Hatfield left Monday for an extended visit to Pecos and other places.

Mrs. Wiltson Justice visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice last week.

Mrs. C. E. Skinner is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith.

George Lindsay and son, Andrew, of Devine, came to be with his sister, Mrs. Addie Akin in her last hours and attended the funeral services.

Mrs. Zylphia Adeline Akin, wife of Rev. J. P. Akin, was born January 24, 1854 near Meridian, Mississippi, and died May 15, 1927, at Secor hospital at Kerrville. She lived in this community almost fifty years. Mrs. Akin had been in ill health for several years and had been seriously ill over a month. She was carried to the hospital and underwent a serious operation, after which she lived only twelve days. She was a devoted Christian, a member of the Methodist church, and was well known here where she had many friends who dearly loved her. She is survived by eight living children, Mrs. W. D. Smith of Medina, Mrs. J. H. Smith of Houston, J. H. Akin of Port Arthur, Marvin Akin of Medina, Mrs. Alma Hanna of Sabine Pass, Mrs. Fred Akin of Houston, Mrs. Lattie McFarland of Port Arthur, and Vernon Akin of Houston. Four children preceded her in death. There are twenty-five grandchildrn and five great-grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at the Oak Rest Cemetery, by Rev. B. J. Gossett, Tuesday morning May 17, 1827.

Building Meat Cottage.

Len Rayford is building a neat cottage on his property just back of the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wallace, of San Antonio, were guests of Mrs. Wallace's grandmother, Mrs. J. N. Evans, last Sunday.

The Beauty Contest.

Interest is waxing warm in the New Era's Beauty Contest in behalf of the Old Settlers, Reunion. Votes are now piling in for the different favorites in the contest, and speculation is being indulged in as to who will be the final winner. Only a few weeks remain in which to muster votes, and nobody intends to let an opportunity slip to put in a good word for their choice or to cast votes for a favorite.

Remember the contest closes at 10 o'clock a. m. July 4th, when the final count will be made on the reunion grounds.

Clip the ballot from your New Era each week, no other kind of ballot will be counted. The count this week reveals the following total number of votes to date:

Mrs. Mattie Jones	82
Mrs. C. W. Harris	68
Mrs. J. Head	60
Mrs. Chaney Buckelew	30
Mrs. Harriett Chipman	27
Mrs. J. N. Evans	16
Mrs. B. F. Langford Sr.	11
Mrs. Mary Bruce	8
Mrs. M. J. Hamilton	6
Mrs. Artie Reed	6
Mrs. John Adamietz	4
Mrs. Charlie de Montel	3
Mrs. Kate Joiner	2
Mrs. Annie Brown	1

Mrs. J. P. Akin Died.

Mrs. J. P. Akin died at Kerrville Sunday night, following an operation at a hospital there several days before. She was buried at Medina Tuesday, Rev. B. J. Gossett conducting the funeral, assisted by Rev. W. H. Price. Mrs. Akin was born in Mississippi in 1854, and came to Medina forty-nine years ago. In 1871 she was married to J. P. Akin, who died several years ago. To this union nine children were born, eight of whom are living and were present at the funeral. Twelve years ago she became a member of the Methodist church. She was a woman of splendid character, kind and affectionate to her family, a good neighbor, and in her passing the community loses a pioneer mother who will be mourned for a long time. The New Era extends condolence and sympathy to the bereaved family.

Exterminating Wolves.

Harley Eckhart was in from the West Verde yesterday and reported that wolves in his region are getting mighty scarce. Ranchmen in that section have been exterminating wolves systematically, and Mr. Eckhart says that he has trapped and killed 142 during the past six years.

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MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR HALEY DROWNED THURSDAY NIGHT

Last Friday afternoon word was phoned to Sheriff Hicks that the bodies of a man and woman had been found on the bank of the river near the Cashmere Juereckki place, two miles below town. Sheriff Hicks and several men immediately went there to investigate. The bodies were first discovered by a little boy, Gilbert Jurecki, about three o'clock p. m. The bodies were a few feet from the water's edge and each was lodged under a bush, the man being about fifty feet further down the stream than the woman. Both were strangers and identification was difficult. The clothing had been torn from them each body, the shoes were off, and stockings and socks were off, except one sock on the man's foot, and the body of the woman was found her hat. In the pockets of the man was a one dollar bill and some small change, and a small note book in which was written the name of Arthur Haley, with some deposit entries. The bodies were brought to town and taken to H. F. Lineberal & Son's undertaking establishment, while Sheriff Hicks began a diligent search to establish their identity. The Bandera Courier about three-quarters of a mile below the low water bridge on the San Antonio road, was found a badly wrecked Chevrolet Landau, turned over.

It seems that the couple, after-

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wards identified as Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haley, representing the Western Distributing Co. Chicago, had left Bandera between 7 and 8 o'clock Thursday night, during a rainstorm, telling parties here that they expected to drive to San Antonio. When they reached Bandera Creek it was on about a fifteen foot rise, and it is believed that Haley drove into the raging stream before he knew it was so high, coming after the slight elevation out of Doe Creek and then right down to the bridge across Bandera Creek, in a blinding rain storm, making difficult to see a volume of water rushing over the bridge. Driving right into the raging waters the car and bridge was swept over the bridge and the occupants were unable to escape. There are several large boulders in the middle of the creek which wrecked the car, no doubt, and the bark being skinned from trees which were in the path of the flood waters shows plainly the force of the car colliding with them. The driver probably realized that he had driven into the stream for when found the emergency brake on the car was on.

Two miles below the bridge, Bandera Creek empties into the river, the bodies were found, and only about fifty feet apart. Both were stiff and showed that death had occurred some hours before. There were bruises about the man's body evidently caused by coming in contact with floating debris. A wedding rug on the hand of the woman bore the inscription "A. H. to G. M., Feb. 3, 1927."

Sheriff Hicks soon got in communication with officers in San Antonio and learned that the couple had lived at the Texas Hotel in San Antonio, and were salespeople for a line of health books for the Chicago concern, later it was learned that the dead man's father resided at Oakwood, Texas, and Sheriff Hicks telephoned him. He ordered the bodies shipped to Oakwood and early Saturday morning two ambulances came up from a San Antonio undertaking establishment and carried the bodies to San Antonio, from where they were shipped to Oakwood. Two brothers of Haley, young men who are attending Schreiner Institute at Kerrville, came down Friday night and fully identified the bodies.

Since the finding of the bodies and establishment of the identity of the unfortunate man and his wife it has been recalled that Mr. and Mrs. Haley have visited many homes in and around Bandera selling the books they were distributing, and those who had dealings with them spoke most highly of the young couple. Mr. Haley was a young man of pleasing address, and was said to be about twenty-five years old. His wife was a pleasing, dainty little woman and was probably twenty-two or twenty-three years old.

The drowning of these young people strangers in our midst and the suddenness of it all, cast a gloom over our community and saddened everyone.

Operetta to Be Given.

A delightful operetta, "Edith's Dream," teeming with dreamy and charming melodies, will be presented by the girls of St. Joseph's School on Thursday evening, May 26, in the school auditorium. Immediately following the smaller tots will present "Troubles of the Little Folks," "Mechanical Jane," an exciting comedy is given by the High School girls, and will delight and amuse all. If you are capable of laughing see this.

Bandera School Closes Friday.

Bandera High School will close tomorrow, Friday, with commencement exercises at the High School Auditorium tomorrow night, beginning at 8 o'clock. Eight young people compose the graduating class of 1927. Miss Zella Mae Price is valedictorian of the class, and Miss Louise Villemain is salutorian. Other members of the class are Miss Thelma Surber, Miss Rachel Hunter, Miss Hermine Habenicht, Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield, Herman Thalmann, and Charles Rugh, Jr. The class address will be delivered by Mr. S. V. Carmack of the Schreiner Institute at Kerrville. Judge Arch Mansfield will present the diplomas to the graduates.

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Eckhart-Fleenor.

One of the prettiest weddings which has taken place in Bandera for many years was solemnized at the Methodist church last evening at 7:30, when Miss Ola Eckhart and Mr. Benjamin Fleenor were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Rev. B. J. Gossett performing the ceremony in the presence of a large crowd of friends of the bride and groom. The church had been beautifully decorated for the occasion, and to the sweet strains of Lohengrin wedding march, played by Mrs. Claud Stevens, the wedding party marched down a spacious aisle to a beautiful arch, where they were met by the minister, and using the ring ceremony, they took the vows which will bind them in wedlock until "death doth them part."

The bride was attended by Miss Ida Pepper, and the groom's best man was C. B. Gilbert, while little Miss Evelyn Stevens and Eva Gossett were the flower girls. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Harley Eckhart.

The bride wore a beautiful beige dress with hat and accessories to match, and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses. The bride's maid wore a salmon pink hat and dress.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. John Eckhart and was born and raised here. She is a young lady of charming personality and splendid attainments, and is loved by all who knew her, an active worker in church and social affairs, and the groom is certainly to be congratulated upon winning her heart and hand.

The groom is a young man of excellent character and pleasing manners. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fleenor of Midland, Texas, and came to Bandera county three or four years ago from which time he has been engaged in teaching school, in different communities here, teaching last term at Camp Verde, where he gave good satisfaction.

The newly married pair left immediately for a honey-moon trip to Midland, after which they will return and make their home in this county. The New Era joins in extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Fleenor, and we hope that every happiness and every joy in this life will be theirs.

Box Supper Monday Night.

The Epworth League will give a box Supper on the Methodist church lawn next Monday night, May 23. Everybody cordially invited.

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The Barbecue.

The barbecue given at Adamietz Park last Saturday under auspices of the High School, was a success in every way and very much enjoyed by the five or six hundred people who were in attendance. The baseball game in the forenoon between the Hondo and Kerrville negro teams was lively and resulted in a score of 14 to 13 in favor of Hondo. In the afternoon a game was played between Bandera team and the crack team of the Flying Cadets, 47th Squadron, Brooks Field, resulting in a victory for Bandera, 3 to 1.

A splendid barbecue dinner was served under the shade of the trees on the bank of the river.

Pipe Line Will Touch Tarpley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Norton, of Houston, were here this week, in connection with the laying of the Humble Oil Company's pipe line through this county. The pipe line will not come nearer than fifteen miles of Bandera, as was at first reported, but it will traverse Tarpley and will traverse Bandera county for a distance of about twenty miles, entering Medina county a few miles below Tarpley. Ten and twelve inch piping will be used. This pipe line will be built from Mirando City, Webb county to a point on the coast near Corpus Christi, and will be over 400 miles in length. It is being built by the Humble Oil and Refining Co. for the purpose of carrying crude oil from the company's wells at McCamey to the refinery and shipping point on the coast. Construction crews have already arrived in Kerrville to begin work on the project.

Delightful Recital.

Miss Ione Fuller gave a delightful recital at the High School Auditorium Tuesday night. Seven students were rendered by the Girls' Glee Club. Musical readings, piano solos, vocal solos and piano duets were rendered. Much real artistic talent was shown by the pupils under Miss Fuller's guidance.

Will Receive Bids.

The Park Board of Utopia will open bids on May 28th for concessions for a two days barbecue on the 17th and 18th, the concessions including cold drinks, hamburger stand and raffle platform. The barbecue is free of charge after giving free dinner with all amusements, and the funds realized will be used in paying out the Utopia Park. Send in bids to Dr. C. A. McBeth at Utopia.

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The County Commissioners in session last week took action in the matter providing another precinct to accept the county's requirements by raising the valuation of many pieces of property throughout the county. Of course there will be some who will severely criticise the board, but we have no criticism to offer for the reason that we believe the board intended to exercise the utmost fairness in attempting to equalize the conditions. And how much the county's revenue will be increased we have not yet learned, but it is to be hoped that it will overcome the deficiency that exists every year. For certain months in the year our county soap has to be discounted, and often the county officers have to wait for their money. The treasury is usually in such a depleted condition that funds are lacking to carry on the work of the county to the best advantage. It is a fact that Bandera county has as low or tax rate as any in the state, and the rendition of property is lower than in any county we have ever lived in. We believe the commissioners have taken a step in the right direction, and one that will help to put our county's finances on a sound basis. We are devoting this space this week to give the list of individuals whose property rendition was raised or lowered, in order that all may see just what has been done. The list was set up hurriedly and there may be a few mistakes which generally creep in unexpectedly, but we know most of them are correct.

Every boy should have the experience to be obtained by attendance at a citizens military training camp. These camps are an essential part of our national security. They promote obedience to law and respect for the institution of a well ordered society. Young men are helped to physical health and moral excellence. Courtesy in act, sympathy in feeling, tolerance in thought, are the results. Citizens Military Training Camps are essentially moulders of men and good citizens. For particulars see Dr. J. H. Erwin.

Cutting oats is under way in this section. The oat crop is good in some farms, while on others it is short, but altogether it will measure up to a pretty good average.

Bandera High School closes this week, after one of the most successful and generally satisfactory terms ever taught in this county. There has been more interest taken by parents and more determination to advance shown by the pupils than we have seen since we came to this town. Of course there may be several reasons for this, but we believe the principal reason is the excellent faculty we have had in charge of our school. The results apparent and the praise that is being given the faculty speaks volumes. We rejoice that Prof. A. K. Briggs has been retained to head the faculty next term, and it is with much regret to learn that Prof. C. B. Gilbert and Prof. James Emerson declined to accept the positions they held for the season. But Mr. Gilbert has decided to attend school this next year, while Mr. Emerson has accepted a position in the Junction schools. We are justly proud of the splendid school we have had; it is something to feel proud of, for we can now tell the world that Bandera's school is as good as any other school. A good school helps to make a good town, and more and better education are essential and that we have certainly had this term.

The time for holding the Old Settlers' reunion drawen on apace. The reunion will be held on Monday and Tuesday, July 4th and 5th, when it is expected that the largest gathering of old settlers ever seen here will take place. Already preparations are being made for the reunion features, one of which will be the old time tournament. The poles have been erected, and the boys are beginning to practice riding for the big event. Other features will include an old fiddlers' contest, beauty contest, pie eating contest, dish washing contest, perhaps a quilting bee party, as well as other amusements. The usual carnival attractions will be on hand. Members of the Bandera County Old Settlers' Association are urged to pay dues to the secretary, Mrs. Chas. Eckhardt, at once, as the badges must be ordered in time for the reunion.

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MYRTLE CREEK BUBBLES.

Miss Luelba Stevens was a Bandera visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Le Roy Jones and Saloma Jones visited Mrs. J. W. Hunt Thursday.

Mrs. Vyne Stevens visited Mrs. Vie Stevens Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Ridley, of of San Antonio were visitors at the L. N. Stevens ranch Saturday and Sunday. Miss Luelba Stevens accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Mrs. W. M. Harmon and son, of San Angelo, are visiting Mrs. Harmon's daughter, Mrs. Vyne Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Bredyad, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Bredyad will remain with her sister, Mrs. Hunt, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones were Center Point visitors Saturday and Sunday.

WINANS' CREEK.

George Poe and L. B. McNaughton made a flying business trip to Hondo Monday.

Miss Gladys Kalka of White Deer, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Moravietz.

Friends here of Mrs. Robert Lewees (Nee Miss Ford) of Karnes City, will regret to learn that she was seriously hurt and her niece, Littie Miss Alice Beth Chapman was killed, in a recent automobile wreck. Mrs. Lewes was a former teacher in our school.

W. L. Eries and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elden Fries are visiting reatives in Fredericksburg this week, attending the commencement exercises there.

Mrs. J. H. Surber and family had as their guests one day last week, her father, Rev. J. M. Witt of Center Point, and her uncle, I. A. Gibbens formerly a resident here, who has been visiting his son W. F. Gibbens and family near Three Rivers.

Misses Thelma Richards of this place and Kathryn Padgett of Tarpley, left Monday for Orange, Calif., to visit their sisters, Mrs. Charlie Boen and Mrs. Felix Newcomer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams and family, of Oakville, spent several days the past week in the P. A. Masters home.

It has been suggested that a dish washing contest be put on at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 4th and 5th. Three ladies over forty years old will be permitted to enter the contest. A plate, cup and saucer; knife, fork, spoon, and oatmeal bowl will be washed and dried with the same dish-rag by each contestant.

Honoring Bride-to-Be.

Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, Mrs. B. J. Gossett entertained with a miscellaneous shower, honoring Miss Ola Mae Hart, a bride of the week. Little Miss Anne Ruth Gossett and Master Clinton Langford were dressed as a bride and groom, and came in to the sweet strains of "The Fight is On," played on the violin by Miss Jennette Hunter, drawing a beautifully decorated wagon laden with many useful and beautiful gifts. Miss Eckhart opened the many bundles and packages, creating much fun and laughter. One of the most useful things received was a rolling pin, presented to her by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton. Those present were: Mesdames Claude Stevens, Bob Surber, Ed Coughran, Tom North, A. P. Carlton, W. J. Dagwood, Jennette M. Hamilton, Oscar Perner, Len Rayfield, John Langford, Doe White, Misses Helen Rogh, Lora Thalmann, Jennette Hunter, Ola Eckhart, honoree, Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Gossett and Mr. Benny Fleenor.

Married at Mason.

Eugene Sauthoff and Miss Alta Bratton were married at Mason last Sunday morning, Rev. Richards, pastor of the Methodist church at that place, officiating. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sauthoff of East Verde, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bratton of Katemey. She taught the East Verde school last term. The happy couple will make their home on Timber Creek, where the groom has a good ranch property. The New Era joins their many friends in congratulations and best wishes for this worth,y young couple.

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Rev. C. B. Wheat, pastor of the First Methodist church at Kerrville, preached the baccalaureate sermon for the graduates of Bandera High School, at the High School Auditorium last Sunday morning. Rev. Wheat said many good things in his sermon which greatly impressed the class, and the audience. The auditorium had been tastefully decorated with flowers and pot plants, and the class colors carried out a very pretty setting. The song service was splendid, and included two numbers by a male quartet composed of Messrs. C. B. Corley, Frank Hay, David Brewer and Charles Meador.

Class Play a Success.

The Senior Class play at the High School Auditorium last Saturday night, was a decided success and immensely pleased everybody who attended. The title of the play was "Poor Father," and the characters in it were represented by Marvin Hunter, Jr., Herman Thalmann, Charlie Rugh, Jr., Raymond Hicks, Burgin Davenport, Joe Davenport, Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield, Miss Thelma Surber, Miss Louise Villemain, Miss Rachel Hunter, Miss Zella Mae Price, and Miss Hermine Habenicht. Music was furnished by Miss Fuller and the High School Orchestra.

Bandera Wins Again.

Bandera baseball team crossed bats Sunday afternoon with the Flying Cadets of Kerrville Squadron, Brooks Field, and defeated the visitors by a score of 12 to 2. This was the second game between these teams, the first having been played the day before, and in which Bandera was victorious.

Notice of Board of Equalization.

Notice is hereby given that the Honorable Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas, will meet in regular session on June 4th, A. D. 1927, to hear protests why taxes should not go on tax rolls for the year 1927 as raised by said Court at its May regular term.

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Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five Judges shall be necessary to the decision of a case. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he, at the time of his election or appointment, a citizen of the United States and of this State, and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years and shall have been a licensed lawyer for seven years and, during that time, shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a court of record or such practicing lawyer and judge together. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualify, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law, in case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election and qualification of the said officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present constitution and until their successors are elected and qualify. When this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justice of the Supreme Court for terms of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and upon the expiration of the terms of new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate.

Section 3 (of Article V): The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only, except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals; and the Judges of any Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several courts of civil appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a statute of the State is held void, and to questions of law arising in other cases of which the Courts of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction as may be prescribed by law; as provided, that the Legislature may authorize direct appeals from the County and District Courts in any case where a statute of the State has been declared void. The Supreme Court and the Judges thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus as may be prescribed by law; and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, said Court and the Judges thereof may issue the writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari, and such other writs as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified except as against the Governor of the State. The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise, as by the Court may be deemed necessary, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capitol for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the court. The present statutes defining the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court not in conflict herewith shall continue in force until repealed or altered by the Legislature. The Supreme Court shall appoint a Clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he shall hold his office for four years, and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law.

Section 4 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall consist of three Judges, provided that the Legislature may increase the number to five and a majority of the Judges shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of a majority of the Judges shall be necessary to the decision of any case. Said Judges have the same qualifications, receive the same salaries as the Judges of the Supreme Court. They shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State, at a general election, and shall hold their offices for a term of six years. The Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms of office under the present constitution and laws.

Section 5 (of Article V): The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction coextensive with the limits of the State in all criminal cases of whatever grade, with such exceptions and under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, and the Legislature may confer original jurisdiction upon it to issue writs of mandamus, procedendo and certiorari in criminal cases. The Court of Criminal Appeals and the Judges thereof shall have the power to issue the writ of habeas corpus, and, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, issue such writs as may be necessary to enforce its own jurisdiction. The Court of Criminal Appeals shall have the power, upon affidavit or otherwise, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the exercise of its jurisdiction. Said Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by it. Said Court shall appoint a clerk who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter be required by law, and he shall hold his office for four years, unless sooner removed by the Court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said Court, and said Clerk shall receive such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

Section 6 (of Article V): The Legislature shall, from time to time, divide the State into such number of Supreme Judicial Districts as to it may seem necessary, not exceeding twelve at any one time, and shall have the power to redistrict the State at any time, and shall establish a Court of Civil Appeals in each of said Districts, which Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and not less than two Associates Justices as the Legislature may provide, who shall have the qualifications as herein

for Justices of the Supreme Court provided that the aggregate number of Judges of all of the Courts of Civil Appeals shall never at one time exceed thirty-six. Each of the existing Courts of Civil Appeals shall continue until otherwise provided by law. The Courts of Civil Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction coextensive with the limits of their respective districts, which shall extend to all civil cases of which the District Courts or County Courts have original or appellate jurisdiction, under such restrictions and regulations as may be prescribed by law; provided, that the decisions of said Courts shall be conclusive on all questions of fact brought before them on appeal or error. Said Courts of Civil Appeals shall hold their sessions at such places as may be designated by the Legislature and at such times as may be prescribed by law. Said Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of their respective Districts, at a general election, for a term of six years, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. Said Courts shall have such other jurisdiction, original and appellate, as may be prescribed by law. Each Court of Civil Appeals shall appoint a Clerk in the same manner as the Clerk of the Supreme Court, which Clerk, shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by law. The Judges of Courts of Civil Appeals who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their office until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Section 7 (of Article V): The State shall be divided into as many Judicial Districts as may hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, a Judge, who shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a licensed lawyer for four years next preceding his election, and during that time shall have been a practicing lawyer or Judge of a Court of record or such practicing lawyer and Judge together, who shall have resided in the District in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election who shall reside in his District during his term of office, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and shall receive for his services such compensation as may be prescribed by law. He shall hold the regular terms of his Court at the County seat of each County in his district at least twice in each year in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall have power, by general or special laws, to authorize the holding of special terms of the court or the holding of more than two terms in any County for the dispatch of business. The Legislature shall also provide for the holding of District Court when the Judge thereof is absent or is from any cause disabled or disqualified from presiding. The Supreme Court or the Chief Justice thereof may exchange any District Judge in any District in the State other than that for which he was elected, with all the powers of a re-elected District Judge of the District to which he is assigned, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, or by the Supreme Court in the absence of such regulations enacted by the Legislature. The District Judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Sec. 2. Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system;" and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the State Constitution amending Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Article V of the Constitution of Texas for the purpose of providing a more efficient judicial system."

If it shall appear from a return of said election, that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published and said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and returns shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of the State, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

Sec. 4. The sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for publication of the proclamation calling said election and the expense of the State in submitting said amendment and holding said election.

Approved March 10, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

First Pub. April 28, 1927.

H. J. R. No. 25

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Article VIII by the insertion of Section 1-a therein authorizing the Legislature to provide for the separation of the objects of taxation for State purposes and for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and Counties, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax or other form of tax for State purposes only, and for local purposes, and further authorizing the Legislature to provide for the classification of objects of taxation and providing that rates shall be equal on the same class of property, and fixing limitations upon taxation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by Inserting therein Section 1-a, as follows:

Section 1-a. The Legislature may separate the objects of taxation for State purposes from the objects of taxation for the support of the counties, districts and political subdivisions of the State and counties, and may provide for the levy of an ad valorem tax, or other form of tax, on certain classes of taxable property, or other objects, for State purposes only (including school purposes); or upon certain classes of property, or objects, for county or local purposes only (including school purposes). In no event shall the rate of such taxes exceed the rate of the limits of such taxes fixed by this Constitution for State, county and other local purposes. The Legislature may specify the basis of classification of objects of taxation. Taxation shall be equal and uniform.

SEC. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"For the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

"Against the amendment to Article 8, inserting Section 1-A, providing for changing the taxation system so that the State may derive its income in whole or in part, from other sources than the ad valorem tax."

SEC. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendment set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

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Mrs. O. W. McBryde, of Medina, returned home Sunday, after visiting her son, Mark McBryde and family, of this city for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hay, of Tuff were in Monday, on the way to Pipe Creek to visit their son-in-law, Lee Montel, who has been quite sick.

"Slick Jones returned to his ranch near Helotes, this week.

Affidavit of Commissioners Court To Examination of County Cash and Assets.

The State of Texas.
Bandera County.

In Commissioners' Court May term, 1927.

Before me, Mark McBryde, Clerk of the Court in and for said County, personally appeared the Members of the Commissioners' Court, whose names are below inscribed, who upon their oaths, do say: That the requirements of Art. 867, Chapter 1, Title XXV of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the law by report made and filed in this County Treasurer of said county, for the quarter ending May 7th, 1927, and held by her for said county, have been fully inspected and counted by them at this term of said court; and that the amount of money in the hands of said Treasurer are as follows, to-wit:

Total amount of cash in the various Funds belonging to the county, twenty-eight thousand, five hundred seven dollars and eighty-one cents ($28,507.81).

A. L. MANSFIELD
County Judge, Bandera Co.

R. C. BOALES
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.

H. E. PICKENS,
A. V. PUE,
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.

J. V. PORTER
Co. Commissioner, Bandera Co.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1927. MRS. MARK McBRYDE
County Clerk, Bandera Co.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

S. J. R. No. 33.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by inserting therein a new section to be numbered Section 30a which shall read as follows:

SECTION 30a. All provisions of the present Constitution of Texas fixing or limiting the amount of salary or compensation of officers and members of the Legislature are hereby repealed and hereafter said officers and members of the Legislature shall receive such salary or compensation and expenses as now provided or shall otherwise provided by law. The salary of the Governor shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) per year, and no more, payable monthly, and he shall have the use, benefit and use of the Governor's mansion, fixtures and furniture.

The salary or compensation of any member of the Legislature shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars per year, and actual traveling expenses from the place of residence to the capital and returning for each session of the Legislature, as shall hereafter be provided by law; and provided that no change of salary or compensation from that now provided by the Constitution shall become effective until the first day of January following the first general election held after adoption of this amendment.

SEC. 2: Said proposed amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, at which each voter opposing said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed thereon:

"For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

and each voter favoring said amendment shall scratch off of the ballot in the same manner, the following words printed thereon:

"Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas removing from the Constitution all limitations as to the amount of compensation of officers, the compensation and expenses of said officers to be as provided by law, and fixing the compensation of the Governor, and providing that said amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 1929, and not sooner."

If it shall appear from a return of said election that a majority of the votes cast have been cast in favor of said amendment it shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

SEC. 3: The Governor shall issue his proclamation calling said election and have the same published said said election held in accordance with this resolution and the Constitution and laws of this State; and return shall be made and the votes canvassed and counted as provided by law; and if said amendment is adopted by the required vote of the qualified electors of this state, the Governor shall issue his proclamation as required by law.

SEC. 4: The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay the publication of the proclamation calling said election and any expense of the State in submitting said amendment and in holding said election.

Approved March 29, 1927.
(A Correct Copy)
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

First Pub. April 28, 1927.

H. J. R. No. 32.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 60, Article 16 so as to provide that the Legislature may fix the compensation of certain county officers by salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perequisites; providing for an election and making appropriation to pay expenses.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto another section to be known as Section 60, Article 16, to read as follows, to-wit:

Section 60. The Legislature may provide compensation for certain district and county officers, to-wit:

The District Attorney, County Judge, County Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, District Clerk, County Tax Assessor and County Tax Collector, by prescribing their duties and fixing salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and other perquisites as now provided by the Constitution.

SEC. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1927, for which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature power to provide compensation for the District Attorney and county officers through salaries in lieu of fees, commissions and perquisites as now prescribed by the Constitution," leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

SEC. 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money on hand in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of five thousand ($5,000.00) dollars or as much thereof as may be necessary to defray the expenses of the holding of this election, including the expense of printing notices and advertisements.

SEC. 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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Tax Renditions Raised and Lowered by Commissioners' Court, May Term

Whereas, Circumstances over which they had no control have necessitated Hon. R. L. Morris and Hon. J. L. Edwards tendering their resignations as County Commissioners of Bandera County, Texas.

Therefore, be it resolved by the County Officers of Bandera County in mass meeting assembled, that we extend to Messrs. Morris and Edwards our sympathy in this hour of trial, praying that the circumstance may change and that the sunlight of happiness, prosperity and good health may soon shine for both of them.

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Commissioners Court of Bandera County; also a copy mailed to each Hon. R. L. Morris and Hon. J. L. Edwards. (Signed) A. L. Mansfield, County Judge; J. A. Eames, County Attorney; E. Hicks, Sheriff, Committee.

Report of E. Hicks, sheriff and tax collector, examined and approved.

Report of Mrs. John F. Hedges, county treasurer, examined and approved.

Report of First State Bank, depository for county funds, examined and approved.

Clerk's financial statement examined and approved.

Reports of ex-officio road supervisors R. C. Boales, H. E. Pickens, A. V. Pue and J. V. Porter, received and filed.

The County tax rate for the year 1927 levied as follows:

County ad valorem, 25 cents on the $100 valuation.

Road and bridge tax, 15 cents on the $100 valuation.

Jury, 5 cents on the $100 valuation.

Court House and Jail, 7 cents on the $100 valuation.

Poll tax, $1.50 for the state and 25c for the county.

Ordered by the court that the various county officers salaries be fixed for the following two years or until February, 1929, at the following amounts:

Sheriff, $150 per month, and the use of the old court house free; County and District Clerk, $150 per quarter for ex-officio keeping of records, and indexing; County Treasurer, Commissions as heretofore; Tax Assessor, commission as fixed by statute; County Judge, $100 per quarter.

It is ordered that Sheriff, County Clerk and County Judge can be allowed $4.00 per quarter for postage.

The Court, having taken the oath as perscribed by law proceeded to hear the application for rendition in Bandera County, as follows:

J. R. Adams rendition raised from $420 to $480.

Ernest Adams rendition raised from $120 to $1600.

Alex Adamietz raised from $1320 to $1600.

Gabe Auderwald raised from $1500 to $1710.

Mrs. H. L. Atkins lowered from $2240 to $2200.

T. J. Anderwald raised from $220 to $660.

Felix Anderwald lowered from $650 to $500.

Alex Anderwald raised from $250 to $350.

J. C. Anderwald raised from $400 to $650.

P. C. Anderwald raised from $240 to $300.

F. G. Anderwald lowered from $420 to $300.

G. W. Anderwald raised from $1380 to $1200.

E. B. Patto raised from $2000 to $2500.

G. W. Banta lowered from $1600 to $1400.

J. H. Baumer lowered from $5000 to $4500.

Mrs. Eula Bachman raised from $3000 to $4000.

B. Balsen Sur. 33. 496 raised from $640 to $650.

Farmers and Ranchmen lots raised from $1200 to $1500.

J. W. Batto raised from $2160 to $2440.

H. W. Billings raised from $1250 to $1300.

Mrs. F. B. Billings lowered from $3780 to $3640.

Billings & Son raised from $600 to $6900.

C. Y. Billings lowered from $720 to $620.

M. Boyle Co. raised from $2400 to $3000.

W. A. Boultinghouse, lowered from $1300 to $1000.

L. D. Bowndis, lowered from $13,040 to $12,220.

M. L. Boultinghouse raised from $4280 to $5000.

J. T. Bounds, 143, lowered from $1900 to $860.

Ira D. Gasaway raised from $1300 to $1700.

Walter Godkin raised from $2310 to $2750.

Thos. F. Grant raised from $1200 to $1900.

T. J. Gray lowered from $2160 to $1600.

C. H. Brient raised from $1150 to $1250.

J. A. Brown lowered from $900 to $500.

C. W. Bradshaw raised from $1100 to $2500.

J. R. Browning lowered from $2220 to $2000.

Gus Britsch raised from $2000 to $2400.

F. E. Bush raised from $2200 to $2750.

W. F. Bush raised from $2040 to $2690.

J. S. Burns lowered from $1200 to $1000.

D. W. Buck raised from $1850 to $2000.

J. C. Callahan raised from $150 to $240.

J. W. Chamberlain raised from $670 to $840.

Clint Chenault raised from $1500 to $2000.

Mrs. J. A. Chamberlain lowered from $600 to $500.

M. W. Chisum raised from $1500 to $2100.

Ben Clark raised from $1200 to $2240.

J. S. Cooley lowered from $1800 to $1600.

Mrs. E. J. Coleman lowered from $1800 to $1000.

W. F. Cornelius raised from $900 to $1050.

J. L. Cox raised from $1000 to $1200.

J. C. Collins raised from $250 to $400.

C. B. Coulter lowered from $1780 to $1600.

W. H. Coffey lowered from $3680 to $3400.

L. L. Coughran raised from $150 to $250.

C. B. Corley raised from $150 to $300.

Mrs. W. W. Coughran raised from $160 to $3000.

Mrs. W. W. Coughran lowered from $600 to $450.

E. V. Crowell lowered from $4000 to $3600.

Mrs. C. B. Davenport, lowered from $1000 to $900.

Mrs. C. B. Davenport raised from $480 to $640.

W. J. Davenport, Sr. lowered from $1440 to $1000.

I. I. Duke lowered from $1420 to $1050.

R. L. Duke raised from $5620 to $6500.

J. J. Dugosh raised from $180 to $250.

J. H. Dunlap raised from $650 to $700 to $1280.

E. P. Langford raised from $540 to $810.

Ed Leibold raised from $200 to $300.

Anton Leibold raised from $1400 to $2200.

G. Lorati raised from $780 to $900.

Leopold Haby raised from $20 to $400.

R. L. Mayfield lowered from $1000 to $800.

B. B. Mayfield raised from $200 to $300.

F. A. Masters raised from $1600 to $1700.

F. A. and V. C. Masters raised from $600 to $700.

Matthews Bros. raised from $1480 to $2140 to $2600.

W. L. Mayes raised from $650 to $750.

S. Maurek raised from $3700 to $4100.

T. W. Massey raised from $850 to $1100.

J. Mazurek raised from $840 to $400.

Tom McBryde raised from $1300 to $1800.

J. N. McNaughton raised from $1500 to $2000.

O. W. McBryde lowered from $4000 to $3500.

C. B. McCarty lowered from $4200 to $3750.

Mrs. S. M. Mitchell lowered from $3370 to $3000.

Joe L. Moravietz raised from $1320 to $1595.

R. L. Morris raised from $3080 to $3420.

H. L. Moore raised from $1500 to $2000.

O. L. Moore raised from $1140 to $1300.

Mrs. Laura Montague lowered from $8570 to $7800.

Chas. de Montel raised from $2470 to $4290.

C. A. Neal lowered from $18,210 to $17,800.

A. J. Neiswonger raised from $2180 to $2220.

J. J. Neweomer raised from $3790 to $4000.

A. J. Noel lowered from $1800 to $1650.

T. W. North raised from $400 to $700.

T. W. North raised from $300 to $400.

J. Oviedo raised from $300 to $350.

Lem O'Bryant raised from $1000 to $1100.

R. N. Padgett lowered from $660 to $600.

S. A. Polvado raised from $410 to $630.

J. A. Polvado lowered from $2000 to $2750.

C. N. B. Patterson raised from $1800 to $2700.

Mrs. G. W. Parker lowered from $1920 to $1600.

Wm Perner lowered from $6000 to $3250.

Mrs. W. M. Pingleton lowered from $2160 to $1750.

R. A. Robinson raised from $900 to $1700.

R. P. Power raiseed from $350 to $500.

Joe Postert raised from $2160 to $2500.

R. R. Poe raised from $1270 to $1400.

J. R. Purvis lowered from $1200 to $1100.

Anton Pyka raised from $200 to $400.

E. J. Rainey lowered from $1700 to $1200.

J. W. Rayfield raised from $2040 to $400.

J. P. Reavis lowered from $2640 to $2400.

J. G. Richards raised from $1100 to $1500.

G. H. Ryle raised from $470 to $550.

Mrs. Annie Chemmelpfenig lowered from $840 to $720.

E. Scheele, lowered from $4860 to $4500.

Chas. Schott, raised from $6160 to $7400.

Chas. Schmidtke raised from $1500 to $2000.

J. W. Short ranch raised from $4300 to $6000.

J. W. Short res lowered from $4800 to $4120.

H. P. Smith raised fromo $2800 to $3000.

M. F. Smart raised from $2730 to $3370.

J. B. Smallwood, raised from $4700 to $5000.

S. I. Stevens raised from $540 to $860.

R. G. Thompson lowered from $6520 to $6450.

P. E. Word lowered from $1280 to $1050.

L. S. Stokes raised from $150 to $250.

Q. T. Stevens raised from $1500 to $2800.

Mrs. J. T. Stevens raised from $2250 to $2500.

L. N. Stevens raised from $2860 to $3170.

R. G. Surber raised from $200 to $300.

S. P. Sutton raised from $1300 to $1570.

G. C. Surber lowered from $900 to $700.

Mrs. V. R. Thalman raised from $70 to $400.

O. W. Thomas lowered from $1200 to $1000.

Mrs. C. H. Thalman lowered from $4400 to $3600.

O. P. Thalman raised from $950 to $1200.

S. Tschirhart raised from $2525 to $2930.

Joe and Alfred Villemain raised from $2350 to $2500.

Otto Wehner raised from $2300 to $2750.

W. W. Whitley raised from $2680 to $2800.

Mrs. Annie Whitley raised from $60 to $70.

C. C. White raised from $300 to $400.

Carl F. Wheeler raised from $720 to $1360.

R. L. Whitehead raised from $920 to $1000.

P. M. Wilson raised from $500 to $700.

Granville Wright raised from $200 to $600.

Mrs. H. C. Wright raised from $880 to $1375.

John Wright raised from $1500 to $2240.

Alb. Aug raised from $50 to $100.

R. C. O'Connor raised from $20 to $100.

Bewley Mills raised from $6000 to $6000.

J. T. Chaney raised from $90 to $125.

J. E. Davenport raised from $750 to $850.

Mrs. M. A. Fisher lowered from $600 to $400.

Ira W. Garrison raised from $1440 to $2150.

Lizzie Hosaich $310 to $420.

N. J. Haus raised from $1850 to $2200.

H. E. Wilson raised from $1800 to $5000.

I. H. Ring lowered from $6810 to $5000.

O. E. Dryden raised from $3450 to $4000.

Mrs. Lula Sartin raised from $700 to $800.

W. C. Swinney raised from $4400 to $5500.

S. Tschirhart, raised from $1200 to $2400.

Margaret Tronson raised from $80 to $120.

Fritz Weber raised from $2400 to $2700.

120 Student Teachers

Austin, Texas, May 17. Approximately 120 student teachers will this spring complete the course in practice teaching offered at the University of Texas. Students are taught both the theory and practice of actual teaching. For approximately 6 weeks the students observe the work of the teachers in the Austin public schools, and for another six weeks, generally during the winter and spring terms, the students teach under the supervision of these regular teachers.

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POSTED.

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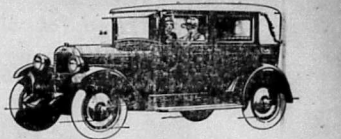

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Membership Growing

Austin, Texas, May 17. An increase of 100 members in the Folk-Lore Society of Texas to crown the sixteenth year of its existence with a membership of 1,000 according to Miss Fannie Ratchford of the University of Texas, who is recording-secretary of the organization. Invaluable material of the region in which they live has been collected by members of the Folk-Lore Society Miss Ratchford said, and the Society is desirous of enlisting others who are interested in the exploration and preservation of the folk-lore of Texas and the Southwest. Comparatively few persons realize the important and interesting lore and legends that are a part of the farming trustworthy reports of the customs and beliefs and legends, the songs and stories and sayings that make up the traditional code and oral literature of the people, Miss Ratchford believes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Freeman of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hatfield Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Smith visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Sewall of Louisiana,is visiting his son, E. H. Sewall.

The following were week-end guests of Mrs. E. H. Sewall: Misses Inez and Elsie Prizzel, Kathleen Brown, Fern Banta, Fern Mayfield and Adell Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Josie Justice and niece, Miss Cleora Coulter, are visiting relatives here.

Orbra B. Stokes and sister Audrey Blanch, have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. K. K. Stokes.

J. E. Forest visited his mother Mrs. Viola Forest last Sunday.

Mrs. Ewell Wyatt visited relatives here Saturday, Mrs. W. Wyatt returned home with her.

There is to be a short program and box supper at Wallace Creek School house, Thursday May 26. Every body invited to attend.

LIMA LINES

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Coose and children, Mrs. Ethel Marquis and Harold Phillips, of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips Saturday, and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and family had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebach; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scales, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Reids.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Coose and children of San Antonio visited Mrs. J. E. Coose and relatives here Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Oscar Hillman and children of Alpine came up with them from San Antone to visit her parents and other relatives.

Thomas Keese and Miss Ella Hillman were married in Medina Saturday night, Judge W. W. Harris officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hillman and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese.

John Morris and son, Joe, and Mr. Allen returned to Mirando Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hinds of Comstock are visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. E. Coose, O. W. Coose, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Coose, Victor, Lois and Georgia Coose, Mrs. J. C. Hillman, Lucinda and Amy Hillman Mrs. Oscar Hillman and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson Saturday night.

The baseball game between the Bandera and Medina ball teams played on the local diamond last Sunday, resulted in a score of 8 to 0 in Bandera's favor.

Good Wool Sale.

The Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association sold their accumulation of wool a few days ago, amounting to about 190,000 pounds, to A. Cohen & Co. of San Antonio, at what is considered about the best price paid this season, shrinkage considered. There is in the lot about 40,000 pounds of 12 months clip the price of which will average not less than 38 cents per pound, and about 150,000 pounds 8 months clip the price of which will average not less than 29 cents per pound. The wool will be shipped out Friday and Saturday of this week.

TUFF TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Rafftone and Miss Dovie Goss, of Junction visited Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Walters last week.

Misses Flora May and June Lee Hudson Creek, are visiting their Aunt, Mrs. C. C. Allen.

Miss Glodys Sutherland visited Miss Iva Sutton at Lima last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hatfield of Medina City visited Mrs. Hatfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Adams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Allsup and Mr. and Mrs. Don Loyd visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Zumwalt last Sunday.

Miss Lee Anna Sutton is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams.

Mrs. Willie House, of Medina, visited Mrs. R. T. Whitehead last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Freeman of San Antonio visited Mrs. Freeman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Adams last week-end.

Mrs. Vane A. J. Anderson visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pike at Medina Sunday.

MYRTLE CREEK BUBBLES

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Steves visited Mrs. Vic Saul Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Denton visited their daughter, Mrs. V. N. Steves Sunday.

Mrs. Delma Burney visited Mrs. L. R. Jones Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Brevad, of San Antonio who have been visiting at Hunt Texas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt Sunday. Mrs. Brevad will remain with the Hunts for a few days visit.

Mrs. Vane Stevens and mother visited relatives on Pipe Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Burney visited Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mc Bryde at Camp Verde Sunday.

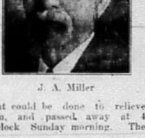
Mr. and Mrs. Seffel were Kerrville visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt Sunday evening.

J. A. MILLER DIED EARLY SUNDAY MORNING

Prominent Citizen Here for Nearly Half a Century—Mourned by All.

John Albert Miller, aged 75, died at his home four miles east of Bandera, early Sunday morning. Mr. Miller was apparently in good health the day before, having visited Bandera and transacted some business. He ate a hearty supper and retired at the usual hour, but about twelve o'clock he was taken ill, and his condition became so serious that Dr. John H. Erwin was summoned and gave him treatment. He grew steadily worse despite all



J. A. Miller

that could be done to relieve him, and passed away at 4 o'clock Sunday morning.

John A. Miller was born in Franklin county, Mississippi, October 24, 1836, and was in the 91st year of his age when death claimed him. Captain in many Indian battles. The like of these frontier characters will never be seen again.

For the past several years Captain Smith has been kept close at home on account of the infirmities of age, but he was not inactive. He had his garden and orchard in which he delighted to work, and he only gave up work when his last illness came upon him and he was unable to get about Bandera county owes much to it's old pioneers and we should keep green their memories in every way possible.

Funeral services were conducted at the Oak Real cemetery at Medina Wednesday morning at 10:30, by Rev. B. J. Gossett, pastor of the Methodist church, in the presence of a vast concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. Grandsons and nephews of the deceased acted as pall bearers, and honorary pall bearers were E. J. Humphreys, J. W. Walker, W. B. Baker and O. W. McBryde who were members of his company in the Civil War.

The surviving brothers, J. D. Smith of Somerset, and R. H. Smith of near Medina, were present at the funeral.

CAPTAIN "SECO" SMITH DIED TUESDAY MORNING.

Was a Pioner Citizen of this County, Loved and Honored by All.

Captain W. D. (Seco) Smith died at his home near Medina Tuesday morning, about 10 o'

"Seco" Smith

clock, after an illness of several months.

William Dendey Smith was born in Franklin county, Mississippi, October 24, 1836, and was in the 91st year of his age when death claimed him. Captain

Standing in the Beauty Contest This Week

Mrs. Matt Jones	115
Mrs. J. A. Head	104
Mrs. C. W. Harris	102
Mrs. Harriet Chipman	49
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	47
Mrs. Katie Joiner	11
Mrs. J. N. Evans	16
Mrs. Mary Bruce	10
Mrs. B. F. Langford Sr.	11
Mrs. M. J. Hamilton	8
Mrs. Gabe Anderwald	7
Mrs. Artie Reed	6
Mrs. Jobia Adamietz	4
Mrs. Charlie de Montel	3
Mrs. Annie Brown	1

Lon Joiner was in town Monday.

Howard Eckhart has returned from China.

Commencement Exercises.

The graduating exercises at Bandera High School auditorium last Friday night, were quite interesting and drew a large crowd of people. The auditorium stage had been beautifully decorated with the class colors, and adorned with pot plants and flowers. Rev. B. J. Gossett gave the invocation, after which the grammer grade graduates marched to the stage and were given their diplomas. Miss Eloise Corley was valedictorian of the class, and Prof. James Emerson presented the diplomas.

The High School graduates, eight in number, then marched upon the stage and took their places. Dr. S. V. Carmack of the Schreiner Institute at Kerrville, made the class address, and it was truly a gem, and delivered in a manner that was most impressive. Next came the salutatory by Miss Louine Villemain, the class motto by Miss Hermine Habenich, the class colors by Miss Thelma Surber, the class flower by Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield, class history by Herman Thalmann, class prophecy by Miss Hunter and Glayda Croisdale.

Died in Nevada.

George A. Hay received a telegram Tuesday announcing that his son-in-law, Will Hogan, had died at East Ely, Nevada, of appendicitis. The remains were shipped to Bandera for burial and will arrive today or tomorrow.

Walter Short and son, Howard from Hondo, were in town Monday buying goats.

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news of his death was quite a shock to the whole community, as everybody here knew Mr. Miller, he having resided in this section for nearly forty-five years.

At three o'clock Rev. B. J. Gossett pastor of the Methodist church here, conducted a short service at the family home, after which the remains were taken to San Antonio, where interment was made Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Burial Park. Rev. Raul B. Kern of the Travis Park Methodist church, conducting the services.

Mr. Miller is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jennie Miller, one daughter, Miss Minnie Miller of Bandera; one brother, George C. Miller of Brewster county, and one sister, Mrs. Julia Meyer of Belton.

Members of the Old Time Trail Drivers' Association, of which organization deceased was an active member, were pall bearers, the honorary pall bearers being George W. Saunders, W. W. Collier, W. T. Jackman, J. M. Dobie, W. B. Slaughter, Ike T. Pryor, W.B. Krempkau, W. H. Jennings, Gus Schreiner, G. B. Paschal, P. Hines, R. J. Lauterdale, Walter Billingsly, George Rees, W. M. Atkinson, A. Huffmeyer, Charles Deussen, Frank Groos, J. W. Short, Andy Mansfield, Hal S. Hudspeth, J. F. Tait, Ed Welch, George Icke, John Pyka, J. S. O'Malley, E. L. Porch, Frank Gersdorf, Ed Heinen, J. N. Mickle, and O. F. Thallman.

Mr. Miller was born in San Antonio, Texas, September 10, 1851, and grew to manhood there His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Miller, located in that city some time during the year 1848. On February 26, 1878, Mr. Miller was happily married to Miss Smith came to this section in 1856, and for many years owned and fought Indians through out this portion of Texas. In 1857 he was married to Miss Amanda Coker of San Antonio. Three children, two girls and one son, were born to this union, they being: Mrs. Josephine Moffett and Mrs. Frank Moffett and William A. Smith. Mrs. Josephine Moffett died at her home in Medina about two years ago. Mrs. Smith died in 1863. In 1867 Captain Smith again married, his bride being Mrs. Julia A. Long, who lived on the Hondo. To this union seven children were born, four girls and three boys, being: R. S. Smith of Medina, J. D. Smith of Poteet, Frank M. Smith and A. E. Smith of San Antonio, Mrs. Mary Mayfield of Medina, Mrs. Rosa Steves of Bandera, and Mrs. Laura Hand of Oklahoma. In 1873 the second wife died, and in 1898 Captain Smith was married to Miss Elizabeth Akin of Bandera county. Five children were born to this union, two boys and three girls, they being: Mrs. Esther Skinner of Fort Arthur, Miss Beulah Smith, Austin Smith, Sidney Raymond Smith, and Miss Valentine Smith.

Captain Smith was the father of fifteen children, all of whom are living except Mrs. Josephine Moffett, who died two years ago all of those children have grown to be useful men and women and honored and respected by all who know them.

We regret to chronicle the death of this grand old man, whom we knew so well, and loved him as a father. He was of that hardy, sturdy type of frontiersmen who came here first and blazed the way for the tender feet of civilization. He was a comrade to Bigfoot Wallace, and fought side by side with him

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Fabian Hicks of Tarpley was here Tuesday.

E. T. Peters was here from San Antonio Monday.

Miss Magdalen Dugosh was a Boerne visitor last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter of Harper spent the week-end here with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hicks and infant daughter, of Tarpley, were in the city Friday.

H. Rabensack and daughters, Ernestine and Annie Mae, were in from Pipe Creek Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Haby of Vanderpool, were guests of Mrs. Henry Haby Saturday and Sunday.

District court will convene in Bandera next Monday. The docket this term is lighter than usual.

Joe Smith, of Somerset, came up last week to be with Capt. W. D. Smith, at Medina, who was critically ill.

Mrs. W. E. Page is visiting her nephew and niece V. J. Adamietz and Elmira Adamietz, at Thibodaux, La.

Little Miss Annie Mae Rohrbach, of Pipe Creek, was the guest of the editor's family several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom M. Steyert and Avis Smith spent a few days with Mrs. Mattie Jones and other friends in town last week.

Miss Zella Mae Price left Monday for Brownwood where she will enter Howard Payne College to take a preparatory teachers' course.

Rev. Father J. P. Boivin was taken to the Santa Rosa hospital in San Antonio Sunday by Henry Kalka, I. E. Adamietz, and K. Dugosh, for a rest treatment.

Miss Rosa Whitley of Los Angeles, California, who has been visiting friends and relatives here, left for San Antonio Sunday where she will visit awhile before returning to California.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haas of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Smith of Somerset, were in Bandera Saturday returning from a visit to Mr. Smith's grandfather, W. D. Smith, at Medina.

Sonora will celebrate with a big barbecue on June 28, 29, and 30th. All kinds of amusement will be provided and those who attend are assured of a big time. See advertisement in another column of this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chisum and son Howard and James went to Hondo last Sunday where Mr. Chisum took the train for Decatur where he has a position. Mrs. Chisum and the boys went on to Bellville where she will visit her mother, Mrs. Bolton.

J. W. White and family, and John Murdock and family of Girard, Texas, are spending a vacation with relatives here. They will leave in a few days for their home, but will stop on the Llano river and spend a few days there fishing.

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Accident Victim Buried Here.

Little Clarence Orens, aged five years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam P. Orens of San Antonio, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderwald of this place, died in a San Antonio hospital last Thursday night at one o'clock after having been run down by a car. Little Clarence and his brother were playing on the street and a passing motor struck him. Death was not instantaneous, but came after several hours of suffering. Interment was made here in the Catholic cemetery Friday afternoon. Many sorrowing relatives and friends attended the funeral, from San Antonio and this place. The bereaved parents have the sympathy and condolence of every one.

Dr. George W. Truett to be at Kerrville.

Editor New Era:

The people of the Hill Country have in store a rare treat in the way of a series of Revival Meetings, to be conducted by the eminent preacher, the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Dallas. The churches of Kerrville, together with the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary Club, and many churches in the counties of Bandera, Kimble and Gillespie have joined in an invitation to Dr. Truett to give us ten days or two weeks of his very valuable time for these meetings. This he has agreed to do, and the meetings are scheduled to begin on the fifth day of June, or next Sunday week. Kerrville was chosen as the place, on account of its central location to the counties named.

This is to urge upon the good people of Bandera county to get busy and plan to take these meetings in. Dr. Truett accompanied our sons across and spent quite awhile at the front with them during the awful world struggle. Certainly, today, Texas has no more distinguished citizen than this brainy, manly, noble man of God. Once is it given in a life time to have one so distinguished and inspirational to devote so much of his strength to a community such as ours. It is hoped that our citizens, far and wide, shall not permit this opportunity to go by unimproved. All Kerr county stretches out its hand to the people of Bandera county to come over and join us in this co-operative spiritual crusade. We trust and pray that multitudes of our people shall be brought to a vital and saving knowledge of our God and Christ the Saviour.

A commodious tent, seating some 2000 people will be provided, with a choir platform for 200. Let Bandera's singers help us in this very important part of the services. Dr. Truett, we are informed, may arrive some two days late, but the meetings will commence, as indicated, at eleven o'clock, Sunday, June 5th. Let everybody come and see for yourself.

R. W. MERRILL
Pastor Baptist Church. Chm Pub Committee.

George R. Barse, of the Live-stock Commission company, of Fort Worth, was in our vicinity last Monday.

J. M. MILLER DIED EARLY SUNDAY MORNING

(Continued from page one)

Jennie C. Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Davenport, pioneer settlers of the Cibolo region, 16 miles northeast of San Antonio.

With his family Mr. Miller moved to Bandera in 1883 to occupy the John James ranch of 3500 acres, which he had purchased, and engaged in the cattle business. At first they lived in the house where Mrs. H. L. Atkins now lives, but afterward moved to town and built a nice home, which they afterward sold to R. F. Langford, Jr., Mr. Miller then built the elegant home on his ranch which he with his wife and daughter have occupied until death called him hence.

John Albert Miller was a true type of the old West Texas cowman, big hearted, generous, and loyal to his friends. He was an enthusiastic member of the Old Time Trail Drivers' Association and always attended the annual reunion of this organization in San Antonio, where he met and mingled with the old comrades of the trail. He was a diligent worker for the proposed monument soon to be erected.

There were many noble characteristics in Mr. Miller's make-up which the public knew little about; one of these was his frequent and generous gifts to charity. He never paraded such matters, and many of his acts of assistance and help to the needy will never be known; but he was generous and helpful and there are many people who can testify with grateful hearts to the benevolence of his great soul. In his death Bandera county loses one of her most substantial citizens, and his family a devoted husband and father. His place cannot be filled in the home or in the community, and today as that happy home is wrapped in the habiliments of woe and the weight of a great sorrow rests upon our community, we mourn for our departed friend, always visioned for the good influences of the church, for his good right living, and in his daily walk he exemplified these things. We shall miss his kindly counsel, his genial greeting, his comradeship.

To the bereaved wife and children we extend sympathy and condolence in this hour of their great sorrow.

St. Joseph's School Closes.

St. Joseph's Parochial school closed yesterday with appropriate exercises, and presentation of diplomas to the following graduates: Miss Frances Pyka, Louis Postert, George Jones, Augustave Hermes. An operetta is to be given tonight at the St. Joseph's school auditorium. This term of the school has been a most successful and satisfactory one, the pupils have all made good grades and advancement and the pastor of our people is proud of the work which has been done.

Infant Died.

Last week we failed to report the death of the day-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Odo Hermes, which occurred in San Antonio May 14. The remains were brought to Bandera and interred in the Catholic cemetery the next day. Our sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who have so kindly assisted us, in our deep sorrow over the death of our beloved husband and father, J. A. Miller, and for the many expressions of sympathy and condolence; also for the beautiful floral offerings May God bless every one of you.

MRS. J. A. MILLER
MISS MINNIE MILLER

TAKE NOTICE.

Dehorn two animals of any kind. Cover one with Wilson's Dryer, the other with any other kind of preparation on the market. Then tell the world the facts. May122m0

Mr. and Mrs. Thrailkill, and Mrs. Ferry and daughter, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Walker at Medina last Sunday. Mrs Thrailkill and Mrs. Ferry are sisters to Mrs. Walker.

Charles Dumont and A. T. Forst, of Cliff, were here last Thursday and paid the New Era an appreciated visit. They came to attend the Eckhart-Fleener wedding on Wednesday night of last week.

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List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1927, for Taxes of 1926, in Bandera County

Owner	Abst	Curs	Sur.	Original Grantee	Acres	City or Town	P	St. Tax	Co. Tax	Total
Mrs. A. J. Gordon	598		168	P. M. Moffett	80			$ 1.56	$ 2.57	$ 4.13
J. T. Harris	505		322	I. A. J. Crockett	4			3.90	11.52	15.42
H. H. and May Light	2210	1830	38	J. R. George	80					
H. H. and May Light	2225	1830	38	R. H. Light	80			5.54	7.99	13.53
H. Sutten	260	700	168	E. A. Martin	70			3.77	11.14	14.91
W. H. White Heirs	1340		250	1 W. H. White	100					
G. A. and M. White	1340		250	1 W. H. White	60			6.24	6.08	14.32
G. W. Williams	156		313	M. M. Gurrera	50			3.51	8.47	11.98
Albert and B. Anz						Lake Medina Highlands Lt 9		3.51	7.67	11.18
Dr. Houston Brooks	162	24	21	D. Garza	½			.26	.31	.57
J. T. Chaney	1473	1096	654	A. L. Tampke	75			1.30	1.54	2.84
W. M. Johnson	3709	722	38	R. H. Light	65			.59	.87	1.46
W. M. Johnson	156		313	M. M. Gurrera	20					
R. C. OConner						Lake Medina Highland Lt.		6.50	10.70	17.20
J. E. Wolff	1765		234	J. B. Spettle	67	30, 31, Blk 9		.13	.15	.28
Ann Sign Co.						Lake Medina Highland Lt 4		4.55	5.39	9.94
E. H. Anderson						Lake Medina Highland Lt. 2, Blk 11		.33	.38	.71
Richard Arnold						Lake Medina Highland Lt. 15, Blk 4		.33	.38	.71
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey						Bandera, Lts. 60, 61, Range44, Blk 4		.33	.38	.71
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey						Bandera,Lts. 25 to 32 Range10				
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey						Bandera, Lt. 50, Range 9				
Mrs. W. P. Baugh						Lake Medina Highland Lt 7		1.37	2.97	4.34
Jno. Banks	2300		300	4 H. C. Winn	101	Blk 6		.33	.38	.71
James O. Bickley						Lake Medina Highland Lt14		.91	1.36	2.27
G. C. Blanchard						Lake Medina Highland Lts.Blk 14		.33	.38	.71
G. L. Blaschke						Lake Medina Highland Lt.5039, 49, Blk 4		.65	.77	1.42
D. Z. Blands and H. F. La Rue	2389	737	328	J. C. Thompson	44	Blk 9		.33	.38	.71
D. Z. Blands and H. F. La Rue						Bandera, Lt. 1 to 8 Range 2				
Burleson Tire Co.						Lake Medina Highland Lts		1.04	2.33	3.61
George Burditt	1907	39	746	L. F. Schott	107	22,23,24,Blk 13		1.30	1.54	2.84
George Burditt	1496	102	256	L. Schott	294					
George Burditt	624		244	J. L. Shane	160					
George Burditt	1909	102	256	A. Schott	320					
George Burditt	802		244	3 G. P. Hill	100	1				
George Burditt	1497		747	1 R. M. Smith	80					
George Burditt	2104	154	748	7 W. Woodruff	320					
George Burditt	691	154	747	G. T. Ry. Co.	640					
George Burditt	2401	2877	414	1 H. Landa	66					
George Burditt	699		244	2 R. A. Hill	160			23.86	28.25	52.11
C. M. Cain						Lake Medina Highland Lt. 9	Blk 8	.33	.38	.71
Matilde de Cortera	2472	3923	300	2 M. de Cortera	180			1.43	2.13	3.56
John Elliot Deed	2410	355	85	G. H. Baxter	700			5.53	9.94	15.47
Mrs. G. W. Evans						Lake Medina Highland Lt29	Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
T. A. Ezell	1227	25	190	1 F. L. Mudd	149			1.17	1.75	2.92
F. W. Felthouse	51	34	287	V B B & C N G	2			3.25	3.85	7.07
Chas. W. Fisher	1014	4687	77	G. C. & S. F. Ry	640			4.94	12.69	17.63
John P. Forrest						Bandera Lts 44, 45, Range				
John P. Forrest						Bandera Lts 37,38, Range 5				
John P. Forrest						Bandera Lts 36,37 Range 3				
John P. Forrest						Bandera Lts 33,34, Range 2		.33	.70	1.03
J. F. Gates						Lake Medina Highland Lts 33,34, Blk 4		.65	.77	1.42
O. B. Gallagher						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6	Blk 6	.33	.38	.71
M. O. Giles						Bandera Lt 64, Range 12				
M. O. Giles						Bndera Lts 44,45, Range 7		.52	1.14	1.66
Francis Goldman	2305	2608	84	A. W. Clark	464.4			3.90	5.52	9.42
T. C. Gohman						Lake Medina Highland Lt 16	Blk 21	.33	.38	.71
J. M. Houser						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6	Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
John Hand	154	126	497	A. Gomez	1½			.13	.17	.30
G. W. Harris	2306		922	W. P. Conoley	320			2.93	9.37	10.34
Hugo & Sueltter	1932	916	12	G. W. Vewter	320			3.12	4.42	7.54
J. H. Heller						Lake Medina Highland Lt36	Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
T. W. Hines & A. I. Brown						Lake Medina Highland Lts 1, 2,3, Blk 5		.98	1.05	2.13
A. H. Hoffman						Lake Medina Highland Lts 14, 15, Blk 6		.91	1.08	1.99
Wm. Hohenberg	154	126	497	G. Gomez	2			.33	.44	.77
Mrs. E. S. Jackson Deed						Medina Lt 1,Reed Add		.26	.57	.83
Casey R. Jones	2381		285	2 L. Haby	9.39					
Casey R. Jones	528		285	1 W. Davis	1.61			5.20	6.16	11.36
Mrs. John L. Little	491	1090	297	A. B. & M.	124					
Mrs. John L. Little	593	5	801	L. I. & A. A.	80					
Mrs. John L. Little	482	1090	299	A. B. & M.	80					
Mrs. John L. Little	606		280	1 W. H. Norton	80			2.73	3.86	6.59
Francis H. Lisle						Blk 12		.20	.23	.43
Porter Loring	1765		234	J. B. Spettle	2.51	Blk 8		8.45	10.01	18.46
Porter Loring						Lake Medina Highland Lt10		3.12	5.62	8.74
Isaac Loya	240		60	1 Blas Loya	160			64,65,66,	Blk 8	98 1.15 2.13
Martin Luther Supply Co.						Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 2		.33	.38	.71
John H. Marvel						Lake Medina Highland Lt25 31,32,33,	Blk 2	.98	1.15	2.13
H. L. Miskimin						Lake Medina Highland Lts		3.25	9.60	12.85
J. D. & Jim Miller	1049		174	J. D. Powell	160			676	14.77	21.53
J. Y. Miller	92	4019	71	A. Curvier	100	Blk 4				
W. A. Moehring						Lake Medina Highland Lt13	Blk 4	.65	.77	1.42
W. A. Moehring						Lake Medina Highland Lt14	22,23,24, Pl 6	1.43	1.69	3.12
A. J. Monier						Lake Medina Highland Lt		1.95	2.31	4.26
W. W. McAllister	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	4			3.25	4.85	8.10
Wm. D. McCarthy	335		532	W. A. Sheppard	2			5.20	7.36	12.56
Jack Neal	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	160					
Jack Neal	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2			8.13	9.62	17.75
Thos. E. Noonan					1.38			7.15	15.62	22.77
P. W. Nutter						Bandera, Lts 62, 63 Range11	Blk 4	.26	.31	.57
M. A. Oatman Heirs	958		2020	B. F. Oatman		Lake Medina Highland Lt30		1.30	2.24	3.54
C. S. Oatman	958		2020	B. F. Oatman	45					
C. S. Oatman	1440	126	12	A.J. Champion	110			3.77	6.50	10.27
H. L. OBrien					120	Blk 5		.33	.38	.71
Peter & Paul OBrien	1738	184	312	D. & W. Ry Co.		Lake Medina Highland Lt20		.20	.27	.47
Robert C. OConner					17	30,31, Blk 9		.39	.46	.85
C. W. Peony						Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 5		.33	.38	.71
W. R. Petterman						Lake Medina Highland Lt37		.07	.14	.21
Frank Quto						Bandera Lt 39, 40 Range 6				
Frank Quto						Bandera Lts 41, 42 Range6				
Frank Quto						Bandera Lt 41, Range 9		.65	1.42	2.07
H. Rahmstorf						Lake Medina Highland Lt 9	Blk 63			
H. Rahmstorf						Lake Medina Highland Lt29	Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
W. Rahmstorf						Lake Medina Highland Lt30	Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
D. C. Robertson						Lake Medina Highland Lt13	Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
D. C. Robertson						Lake Medina Highland Lt 8	Blk 9	.52	.62	1.14
J. E. D. Rodriguez	1321		253	1 J. E. D. Rodriguez	160			4.68	11.70	16.38
Jose M. Sanseda						Lake Medina Highland Lt 4	Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
Albert Seffel						Lake Medina Highland Lts 8,9,	Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
J. S. Shiddell						Lake Medina Highland Lt 7	Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
G. D. Skidmore						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6	Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
Theresa Sommers						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6	Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
B. F. Stewart						Lake Medina Highland Lt16	Blk 21	.33	.38	.71
A. A. Stocker						Lake Medina Highland Lt 5	Blk 6	.33	.38	.71
M. P. Strickland	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	3			3.90	4.62	8.52
A. F. Surreden	1765		234	J. B. Spettle	1.17			.57	.99	1.56
T. T. Taylor						Lake Medina Highland Lt 8	Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
B. C. Vicentine						Lake Medina Highland Lt24	Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
W. R. Walls						Lake Medina Highland Lts 1,9,	Blk 9	.98	1.15	5.13
Alex Watt and P. B. Bell	162	21	21	G. Garza	35			5.85	6.93	12.78
Julia & M. Wise						Lake Medina Highland Lt42	Blk 7	.39	.46	.85
G. W. Wooten	2350	1230	1720	R. A. Nickleson	457.4			3.90	10.02	13.92
Geo. R. Wright						Lake Medina Highland Lts 27,28,	Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
Horace Yancey						Lake Medina Highland Lt 12-A,	Blk 6	.65	.77	1.42
Andrew H. Young						Lake Medina Highland Lt6	Blk 6	.46	.53	.99
Unknown	14	1312		1 A. B. & M.	53			.46	.78	1.24
Unknown	402	166	58	1 F deLes Zephries	25			.33	.58	.91
Unknown	1020	1230	1719	H. R. & W. T. Ry.	307			2.93	7.51	10.44
Unknown	1151	1659	1729	T. & S. L. Ry Co.	180			1.63	4.17	5.80
Unknown	1239	47	8	A. Real	52			.52	.90	1.42
Unknown	1270	2812	130	C. & S. F. Ry	60			.65	1.27	1.92
Unknown	1415	1230	1737	H. E. & W. T. Ry	88			.78	2.00	2.78
Unknown	1753	1321	2	J. Real	70			.78	1.34	2.12
Unknown	7258	2625	122	N. A. Dawson	320			2.93	4.24	7.07
Unknown	2365		326	C. C. McDonald	240			2.15	3.04	5.19
Unknown	3444		552	A. Spranglebery	345.1			2.28	3.39	5.67
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NOTICE

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Regular meeting, Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, June 10th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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Notice of Board of Equalization.

Notice is hereby given that the Honorable Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas, will meet in special session on June 4th, A. D. 1927, to hear protests why taxes should not go on tax rolls for the year 1927 as raised by said Court at its May regular term.

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EDITH, the largest child in school who is reformed by a visit of creatures from another world ..... Isabel Mazurek
Prosecuting Attorney ..... Isabel Anderwald

Troubles of the Little Folks

The Child in Trouble ..... Mary Pyka
Her Sympathizers ..... Celia and Frances Kalka
Her Friends ..... Queen Mab and Her Fairies

MECHANICAL JANE

Two Spinster Ladies of conflicting ideas ..... Lillian Saunders and Frances Pyka
Mechanical Jane, great invention of the age ..... Violet Hermes

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Old Folks Dance.

An Old Folks Dance will be given at Mansfield Park Saturday night, June 4th. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert North and twin daughters, Beatrice and Bernice, were here from San Antonio last Friday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom North.

John Walker and son, Homer, were here from Rocksprings last Saturday on a fishing trip. While here he stepped in to see his old friend C. V. Billings.

L. Hicks was here from Tarpley last Thursday en route to San Antonio to join his wife and little daughter, Dorothy, who had been there for several days with Dorothy underwent an operation and had her tonsils removed. They returned home Friday and we are pleased to learn that the little miss is making good recovery.

PIPE CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buck were shopping in San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Convers, of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sanbloff of East Verdi were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomason Saturday and Sunday.

Bill Edwards, of San Antonio, visited his brother, J. L. Edwards and wife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Welch, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rohrbach and family Sunday.

Visitors at the home of J. and B. C. Backhaus last Sunday were J. Marsh, wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. DeKunded and Miss Koonce, of Wetmore. Mr. and Mrs. J. Finch and mother, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wimbish of San Antonio.

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Emil Villemain was in town Monday from his ranch on Privilege.

Tom Gray and family are moving to the Dix Stevens place.

Mrs. E. S. Little and children went to Floresville last week to attend relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rugh and little, son, Alton made a trip to Boerne Monday.

Miss Kathryn McBryde went to Medina to spend a while with her grandmother, Mrs. O. W. McBryde.

Mrs. W. R. Guffy and small son, Billy, of Fredericksburg are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler.

Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield entertained the graduating class with a delightful social dance last Saturday night.

Capt. J. W. Holt was taken to San Antonio yesterday, to undergo a serious operation. His many friends hope he will soon recover.

Mrs. M. M. Haynes, Mrs. C. E. Chowning, Miss Lollie Haynes and Mrs. A. C. Spencer, of San Antonio, were visitors in Bandera last Friday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

O. M. Moffett and little son, Joseph, and Mrs. Fannie Moffett of Leakey, arrived at Medina last Friday, called there by the critical illness of Mrs. Moffett's father, Capt. W. D. Smith.

Messrs. George Alexander, W. B. Arnold and son, Frank Arnold, old time friends of the New Era editor, were here from San Antonio Sunday on a pleasure jaunt. Mr. Alexander has been foreman of the composing room of the San Antonio Express for many years.

The Epworth League gave a box supper last Monday night.

Mrs. August Mangoldt was in town from Tarpley last Tuesday.

The Misses Fuller entertained last night with a neighborhood party.

Jack Ryshoudt of San Antonio spent the week at the Eb Buck ranch.

Mrs. Frank Heinen has been quite ill at her home near Medina.

Miss Ruth Whitley left for Los Angeles, California, last Tuesday.

George Lane went to San Antonio Tuesday to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Irene La Fonte of San Antonio is visiting at the Riverside Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris and daughter, Iris, went to San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. Alice Brown of Fort Worth is visiting Tom Andersen and family.

Judge Herman Harper and W. B. Fletcher made a business trip to Harper last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johansen of Kerrville have accepted a position in the O. S. T. Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Smith and children were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris.

Miss Josephine Heinen spent last week-end in San Antonio, visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. and Mrs. Miles Faris and daughter, Idele Lee, made a business trip to Kerrville Saturday.

See "Riding The Wind"—featuring famous horse, Silver King, at the Bandera Theater, Friday night.

Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr., is spending the week here with her daughter, Mrs. Warren Hunter at Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eaves and son, Alton, were here visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris last Saturday and Sunday.

Wesley Less, and family of Ardmore, Okla., were here visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Heinen and family. He intends locating near Kerrville.

Mrs. Eugene Pestert, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hermes, Sr., returned to her home at San Antonio last Friday.

Miss Virginia Ford is spending the week with her Grandmother, Mrs. E. J. Coleman and aunts, Mrs. Creed Whitehead and Mrs. Roy Whitehead at Medina.

Mrs. W. E. Schoenert and son Edwin, visited her brother, Herbert Schmidt and family at Comfort Monday. Several members of Mr. Schmidt's family have been quite sick.

Prof. James Emerson, who held a place in the faculty of Bandera High School the past term, went to Utopia last Saturday. He has been employed as superintendent of the Utopia school for next term.

Oscar de Montel arrived last week to visit his brother, Charles de Montel, and family near Camp Verde. Mr. de Montel has been living in South America the past fifty years of having left Bandera in 1885, and this is his first visit since leaving here so many years ago. He met quite a number of his old friends here who knew him in his boyhood days.

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FOR SALE—Home-made maline 70c per gallon bucket.—Will Batte.

STONE ARROWHEADS—Bring your Indian arrowheads to the New Era office. We will buy them if in good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Backhaus of Pipe Creek, were in the city yesterday.

John Atkins, of Midland, is here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. H. L. Atkins.

Mrs. W. L. Causey and Mrs. Jess Joiner were in from Mason Creek last Saturday, shopping.

John Skinner, of Georgetown, is here the first of the week visiting his friend Jake Short.

Mrs. J. C. Collins and daughter, Mrs. Baumgarten of Medina were Bandera visitors Tuesday.

Bud Causey and Thomas Nash went to Sonfford Junction to attend a barbecue and rodeo last Friday.

Dr. Ivy Langford, accompanied by his wife and son, were here from San Antonio Saturday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr.

Mrs. George F. Schulze and little daughter Abbie May of Mineral, Colo., are spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Oscar W. Perner.

Miss Jennette Hunter entertained the graduating class of the Bandera High School with a dance at the Riverside Inn, sponsored by the Misses Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Perner had the following visitors at their ranch home Tuesday: Mrs. Emil Leismann and children and Charlie Perner and son Herbert, all of Kerrville.

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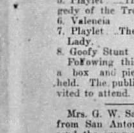

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Undergoes An Operation.

Clarence, the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hermes, Sr., of Tarpley, was taken to a hospital in San Antonio, where he underwent an operation on Friday for appendicitis. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

N. H. Case of San Antonio was in town Monday evening.

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MYRTLE CREEK BUBBLES

Mrs. Virgil Jones visited Mrs. A. G. Jones one day last week.

Mrs. W. M. Harmon, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Vane Stevens, returned to her home at San Angelo Sunday. Mrs. Stevens accompanied her home for a few weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt were Bandera visitors Sunday afternoon.

Visitors at the L. N. Stevens ranch Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Viv Saul, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Ridley of San Antonio, and two of Uncle Lon's nephews, Messrs. Gibson of Eddy, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Boulware, of Center Point, visited L. B. Jones Saturday.

Misses Lillie Belle and Mae Hunt were Kerrville visitors Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eckhart, of San Antonio, spent a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Stevens.

Luelba Stevens, who has been visiting in San Antonio, and Austin the past two weeks, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. L. B. Jones and children attended church at Center Point Sunday.

LIMA LINES.

Miss Sadie Miller is visiting her cousin, Miss Ola Belle Adams of Tuff.

Little Warren Morris is sick. It is thought he has measles.

Oat harvesting is going on in this community now.

A number of the Lima citizens are attending court in Bandera this week.

Vivian Keese has returned home from attending the S. W. T. T. C. in San Marcos the past six weeks.

Interesting Program.

The following very interesting and "different" program will be rendered at the Medina Methodist Church Saturday evening, June 4th:

1. Song ..... Three Little Dwarfs
2. When Father Hangs the Paper on the Wall—By his family
3. The Mysterious Secret ..... Six Little Pirates.
4. Pantomine
5. Playlet ..... The Romantic Tragedy of the Tropics.
6. Valencia
7. Playlet ..... The Popular Young Lady.
8. Goofy Stunt

Following this short program a box and pie supper will be held. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. G. W. Sanderfer came up from San Antonio last week to send the summer with Mr. Sanderfer at the ranch on West Verde.

J. S. Burns Dead.

It is with much sadness that we chronicle the death of J. S. Burns, which occurred last Monday night, at 9 o'clock, at his home on Indian Creek. Mr. Burns had been ill for several weeks. He had been a citizen of Bandera county since 1907 and was liked by all who knew him, being a quiet, law-abiding citizen, a worker for the best interests of his community. He was born in Mississippi April 27, 1856, and came to Texas in 1903, located in Kerr county in 1884 and resided there many years. In 1885 he was happily married to Miss Sally Storms of that county, and to them three children were born, two of the children, Billie and Claude Burns, with the widow, survive him. Oscar Burns another son, died in 1908. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Dan Reed of Melon, Texas, and Miss Lucy Burns of Concord, Texas; also one brother, Yancy Burns of Coleman county. In 1874 he was converted under the preaching of Rev. J. P. Sanders, and united with the Baptist church, remaining a consistent member through all the years that followed.

Funeral services were conducted at the Bandera Baptist church this afternoon by Rev. M. J. Scott, and interment was made in Bandera cemetery.

To the bereaved widow and her sons we extend our sympathy and condolence.

Are You Neglectful?

People will become neglectful in spite of all reminders, so we are not complaining if you fail to renew your subscription to the New Era promptly. We know you intend to renew it the first time you come to town, but just forget it until you get back home. But that delay and a half will sure help to keep our machinery turning, and we trust you will not forget it next time you come to town.

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Jim Newcomer, of Pipe Creek was seen in the district court room yesterday.

Judge Lee Wallace, county judge of Kerr county, is attending district court in Bandera this week.

Captain J. W. Walker and son, Leo, of Larson's Creek, were onlookers in the district court room yesterday.

The grand jury has been quite active since entering upon its labors Monday morning, but as we go to press no bills have been returned.

See "The Song and Dancing Man" at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night will interest you.

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District Court.

District court convened in Banders Monday morning, with Judge J. Buchs presiding. The docket this term is exceedingly light. The grand jury was empaneled and is composed of the following gentlemen: Walter Meadows, E. A. Briggs, Walter E. Rogg, T. H. Phillips, Fred Thalmann, W. H. Fisher, F. E. Whisenhunt, T. P. Grant, O. M. Clayton, Kennet Yates, S. A. Keese and W. H. Riley. W. H. Fisher was selected as foreman of the grand jury. Judge Buchs delivered his charge to the grand jury and instructed them to investigate all matters which came before them and where the evidence warranted to return bills of indictment.

Magdalene Stahlschmidt vs. Oskar Stahlschmidt, suit for divorce; judgment for plaintiff, who was awarded the custody of minor children.

First State Bank vs. T. N. Curtis, dismissed.

First National Bank of Bandera vs. D. W. Smallwood, et al, suit on note; verdict for plaintiff.

Mrs. J. S. Riley vs. J. A. Matthews; passed.

First State Bank vs. Arthur Davenport; settled.

Susie Davis vs. J. W. Davis; suit for divorce. Divorce granted and plaintiff awarded the custody of child.

State vs. Fritz Hinds, Dick Hinds, Dwight Kirkland and Tom Finney, theft of hogs; on trial.

Willie House vs. Henry House; suit for divorce.

Prizes in Quilting Contest.

The following prizes will be offered in the quilting contest to be held at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 4th. Mrs. Chas. Eckhart will be in charge of the contest, and those desiring to enter should notify her. The quilt to be made will be a "Friendship Quilt. Quilting will begin at 10 o'clock a. m. July 4th, and it is expected the quilt will be finished that day. Pattern will be sent to anyone asking for it.

Best quilter over 65 years old, a 14-karat gold thimble.

Best quilter, 40 to 65 years old, a solid silver thimble.

$1,000,000 Voted For School Fund

Austin, Texas, May 30—The Senate voted Monday to appropriate $1,000,000 for the year beginning Sept. 1, 1927 to supplement the available school fund and nothing for the current year. Senator A. E. Wood, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, read figures to back out his contention that this could be sufficient to afford $15 per capita each year.

The House bill, by agreement, was substituted for the Senate bill. It carried an appropriation of $1,500,000 for the current year and Wood sent up a committee substitute to reduce this to $1,000,000.

Elder D. S. Palmer and son Fred were in town yesterday.

First National Bank vs. George Jury demanded.

Sells Hansen Lease.

Gordon Evans has sold his lease on the Hansen headquarter ranch on Winans' Creek, comprising about 3,000 acres, to T. J. Clark of Bay City, Texas, including about 1,200 goats, some cattle, sheep and horses, the consideration amounting to several thousand dollars. Mr. Clark with his family, has moved on to the ranch, and taken possession. Mr. Evans has been manager of the Hansen Ranch for over five years, and for the past year has had the property under his care. He informs us that he expects to remain in this section, having a good ranch property above Medina, and will continue to engage in the stock business.

Taylor Burns Dead.

Taylor Burns, aged 44, died at his home in Utopia last Thursday morning, and was buried on Friday. Deceased was a brother to H. Burns and Mrs. John Burns of Uvalde, and Mrs. George Hoover of Rio Frio. He is also survived by his mother and a number of aunts in Rio Frio, and his wife and two children. Mr. Burns had lived at Rio Frio and Utopia for many years and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. The New Era extends sympathy and condolence to the bereaved ones.

J. E. Brownlee of Medina was here yesterday.

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Kills a Big Rattler.

Ed Welch, who lives on the Miller Ranch, killed a rattlesnake last Saturday which measured over five feet in length and was of unusually large size. He brought us thirteen large rattles, but several were missing from the snake when it was killed, and must have had eighteen or twenty rattles.

R. L. Morris Sells Ranch.

R. L. Morris has sold his ranch property on Coal Creek, near Lima, to his brother, Joe Morris, and Will Allen of Medina City, for a consideration of about $21,000. This ranch comprises 2,240 acres of good grass, some stock and improvements were included in the deal. Owing to ill health Mr. Morris has decided to seek another climate, so he decided to sell his ranch. The new owners are to take possession right away, and Ted Hillman will be in charge as manager.

Man Struck by Lightning.

Kerrville, Texas, May 29—Vander Baldwin is in a serious condition here as a result of being struck by lightning. He was returning home near Hunt, sixteen miles above Kerrville, a team of mules. One mule was killed and the other burned. Baldwin's wife saw him fall from the wagon and ran to his assistance. He is recovering.

Watch Your Date

The date opposite your name on the margin of the paper or on the wrapper shows when your subscription to the New Era expires. Look at the date there this week and if you find your subscription has expired we kindly ask you to renew it without delay.

CHOOSING YOUR BANK

Is it not most always human difference that influences people in choosing their banking headquarters? Isn't it most always the attentive personal way your business is handled —in the way the Officers and Tellers serve you—that makes you feel that service is a pleasure and not an imposition?

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The First National Bank of Bandera

The Beauty Contest.

The voting in the New Era's Beauty Contest continues lively, with increasing interest. Only a few weeks remain in which to cast votes for your favorite. A score of readers elect of whom the fair candy is to be given to the prettiest girl over sixty-five years old, the contest to close at 6 o'clock p. m. July 4th, at the Old Settlers' Reunion, and the winner in this contest is to be designated "Queen of the Day," to preside at the old time barbecue at the old time tournament. There are a number of favorites in the race, and there is much speculation as to who will be the winner. There is but one chance to win in this contest, and that is to secure more votes than anybody else. Only one form of ballot will be used, and it appears in the New Era each week. No other blank will be counted. Coupons clipped from this paper only. There are no restrictions whatever, except that the contestant must reside in Bandera county and must be sixty-five years old. Anybody can vote and as many times as they can secure ballots from the New Era. The vote in building this week's count, for the stands as follows:

Mrs. J. A. Hood	147
Mrs. Mattie Jones	135
Mrs. C. W. Herrin	111
Mrs. Harriet Chipman	62
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	57
Mrs. J. W. Evans	22
Mrs. H. J. Hamilton	15
Mrs. Mary Bruce	13
Mrs. Kate Bruce	11
Mrs. D. F. Langford Sr.	11
Mrs. Gabe Candy-cowabl	8
Mrs. Artie Reed	6
Mrs. John Adamietz	4
Mrs. Charlie Self	4
Mrs. Annie Brown	1

Picture Show Friday Night.

After a picture is shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night will be "The Song and Dance Man," a splendid film. Director Don McAdams is showing some good pictures these days, and the large crowds in attendance each Friday night indicates that his patrons are well pleased.

Sustains a Broken Leg.

Henry sports of Tarpley sustained a double fractured leg Tuesday when he jumped from a wagon. Two bones were fractured, and amputation may be found necessary. He was taken to a hospital in San Antonio, where at last reports he was resting well. Sprott is about forty years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Peters and children were here from San Antonio Sunday, visiting friends and relatives.

House Members Play.

Austin Texas, May 30—Accessory house members of the House of conflict in Austin for a vacation instead of attending to the people's business, Representative R. L. Whitaker of Lamesa, Dawson County, announced his colleagues on the floor Monday.

"Some members haven't been home since the State," Whitaker said Settlers' Reunion, and this week of the regular session and then tried to pass all the bills in two weeks, getting into a jam for the benefit members when we didn't know any idea what they were."

Whitaker was called on for a speech following the distribution of a statement among House members, signed by himself, in which he told the Committee on Expressed bills, of which he is vice chairman, has failed to "one bill."

"I can't get away from feeling that a man has an individual responsibility to fulfill the duties of the office to which he is elected by the people," Whitaker said in his written statement.

"We can not expect faithful service from State employes unless the legislators of the people discharge their duty instead of coming to Austin for a two months' round of banquets, entertainments, theater parties and golf tournaments while yelling about inadequate per diem for members of the Legislature."

On Trial.

The case of Fritz Hinds, Dick Hinds, Tom Finney and Dwight Kirkland, charged with theft of hogs, is on trial as we go to press. A special venire of fifty men was empaneled most of yesterday afternoon. There are quite a lot of witnesses in attendance, and the case is causing much interest in the case, owing to the prominence of the parties involved.

Going To Honduras

Berry Lingford, former Bandera young man, who has been holding a position with a large mining company in Arizona, was here last Sunday visiting his uncle, Frank Langford, and other relatives. He has even route to Honduras, where he goes to take charge of his company's mining interests in that republic.

Blood Operation Well.

Mr. J. W. Holt's many friends will be pleased to learn that he underwent an operation well last Monday in a hospital in San Antonio, and his chances for complete recovery are regarded as excellent.

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Clip this ballot, fill in name of your favorite, and send to Contest Editor New Era. Not necessary to give us your name. Costs nothing to vote. Cast your ballot every week until July 4th. Let everybody vote.

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J. M. HUNTER, Editor and Publisher
MISS JENNETTE HUNTER Associate Editor

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas

Thursday, June 2, 1927.

For the past several months the New Era force has been limited to the editor and his daughter, Miss Jennette Hunter. Now that school is out our force has been doubled by the addition of Marvin Hunter, Jr., and Miss Rachel Hunter the former taking charge of the press work in the office and the latter being the linotype operator. Miss Jennette now becomes associate editor of the New Era, and will spend most of her time outside of the office gathering news and soliciting advertising and job printing. Ever since we came to Bandera we have been handicapped by having insufficient office force. Our business has steadily increased, keeping us right on the job all of the time, but we have managed to get out a newsy paper just the same. With some of the handicap removed we hope to improve the little old home paper, and to this end we ask that our friends send in such news items as they think will be of interest to our readers. Just write the names of your visitors on a slip of paper and send it in, or telephone Jennette or the editor, and your kindness will be appreciated. If very often happens that news items do not get into the paper for the reason that we do not learn of them, and then some body feels that they have been intentionally slighted, when in fact no slight was intended. We are always glad to publish any item, if it is news, and when items are left out of this paper intentionally they certainly have no news value. It makes no difference to us whether a person is a friend or an enemy, if we can publish an item of news about him or say a good word for him in the New Era, we take pleasure in doing it.

The Old Settlers Reunion will be held at Mansfield Park on Monday and Tuesday, July 4th and 5th, this year. This reunion promises to be a big one this year, and preparations will be made to entertain a large crowd with various amusements. The Old Fiddlers' Contest this year will be directed by Charles Eckhart, rules for which will be published in time. There are many old time fiddlers in the county who should enter this contest this year. Then the tournament to be run, as it used to be run in the old days, will be another feature that will bring back happy recollections to the boys gone by of years ago. There will be plenty of sport for everybody to enjoy, and two full days of it.

Who is the prettiest girl over 65 years old in Bandera County? We'll tell you after July 4th.

Bandera county is coming through the kinks this spring in fine shape. While the oat crop was not a heavy as at first expected, yet our farmers have raised some oats; corn prospects are good; the mohair and wool clips have been sold at good prices, and other sources of revenue are coming up in a very promising way. All of this spells prosperity for our ranchmen and farmers, and prosperity means more land will be put in cultivation, more homes will be built, flocks and herds will be increased, and good times will prevail.

The week-end brings many campers and vacationists, who come to Bandera from San Antonio and other places to enjoy delightful outing and camping allurements of the Medina Valley, which is becoming noted throughout the state for its picturesque scenery and salubrious climate.

The threshing season is upon us. This is a season when the farmer's wife gets all of 'em up early to help cook for the threshing hands, and the boys in the field know that when dinner time comes the good women have prepared all sorts of good things to eat and plenty of it.

The catalogue for the Bandera County Fair will be off the press in a few days. Be sure to get a copy of the catalogue and get ready for the best fair Bandera has ever had.

Announces New Car

Announcement was made by the Ford company of the early production of an entirely new Ford car. The present model known as model T will be discontinued.

A statement by Henry Ford and Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Company, said: "With the new Ford we propose to continue in the fight car field which we created on the same basis of quantity production we have always worked, giving high quality, low price and consistent service."

The new car, the announcement continued, "will cost more to manufacture, but it will be more economical to operate."

Only a comparatively few men will be thrown out of work at a time while the different departments of the company are being tooled for the new product, the announcement added. "At one time it looked as if 70,000 men might be laid off temporarily but we have now scaled that down to 25,000 at a time," the statement said.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express etaoinM. We want to thank all of our friends for their assistance and sympathy in our bereavement over the death of our beloved husband and father, W. D. Smith. The many acts of kindness to him during his illness and the assistance given us will never be forgotten. MRS. W. D. SMITH AND FAMILY.

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Sheep and Goat Raisers' Convention.

KERRVILLE, TEX. —Convention committees arranging details for the annual three-day meeting of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association may well be termed "early birds." With the convention date, July 19, 20 and 21, almost two months away, the committees are hard at work and they have every citizen of Kerrville at work with a determination to make the 1927 convention the best in history of the association.

The big auction sale of registered animals, as in previous years, will be the feature. All types and the best blood lines in the country will be on exhibit. Leading breeders of West Texas and many from out of the State have entered stock.

There will be plenty of side-lights and entertainment for all, but during the hours of the sale each afternoon the old will be put on everything else in order not to interfere with the most important feature of the convention.

Ample housing facilities are assured for every visitor. Raymond A. Franklin, a bustling young man, is chairman of the housing committee. He has made reservations for association officials and members of the executive board at Bowman's hotel, and is taking care of reservations for other members as rapidly as they are received. Schreiner institute has dormitories and cottages at Westminster Encampment will carry for several hundred guests during the convention. Scores of private homes also will be thrown open. Comfortable quarters will be provided for all.

Executive sessions of the convention will be held at the Arcadia Theatre, starting at 9:30 a. m. each morning.

The auction sale during the afternoon will be held in spacious warehouses and pens on the Southern Pacific tracks, making it convenient for breeders who desire to ship in animals for exhibit.

Band concerts, dancing and many other forms of amusement are on the evening programs. Three large dances will be in progress each night. The ladies committee is arranging theatre parties and scenic drives through the picturesque Hill Country.

Officials of the association and the executive committee will be guests of the Kerrville Chamber of Commerce at a camp breakfast.

The convention committee from now until the convention will meet each week to confer on plans and the progress being made, in order that the 1927 meeting may be a rip-snorter and a record-breaker.

Provisions of New Fish Law

Experts from the new fish law for Texas, known as H. B. No. 320, passed at the regular session of the 40th Legislature and to become effective June 14, 1927.

Sect. 1. No non-resident of the State of Texas and no alien shall fish for, or take by any means, fish, oyster, shrimp or other kind of marine life in any of the bays, inlets or coastal waters of Texas, as described in Article 4026 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, without first having procured from the Game, Fish & Oyster Commissioner of Texas, or his deputy, or from a county clerk of some county in Texas, or other legally authorized agent, license to fish.

Sec. 3. (1) The cost of a license issued to a resident is $1.10.

(2) The cost of a license issued to a non-resident, or alien, is $5.00; provided that a license may be issued to a non-resident which is good for only five (5) days, including the day of issuance, upon payment by the licensee of the sum of $1.10.

License expires August 31st next succeeding the date of issuance thereof, except that the five (5) day license shall be good only for the five days from and including the day of issuance.

Sec. 4. Penalty for violation not less than $10.00 nor more than $100.00.

Sec. 5. A non-resident, as used in this act, means any citizen of the United States of America who has not continuously for four months next preceding the issuance of the fishing license to him been an actual bona fide resident of the State of Texas.

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Flood is Kissing at Morgan City

New Orleans, La., May 30.—With more than 350 sq. miles of the "Sugar Bowl" parishes already covered, the flow from the McCrea crevasse in the main bank levees of the Atchafalaya River was diminishing Monday night as a sandbar settled outside the opening.

The McCrea crevasse is approximately 120 miles northwest of New Orleans on the west side of the river.

The New Orleans Weather bureau reported that changes in the water level in the Pointe Coupee area of the Mississippi flow from the breach was sufficient to maintain flood levels at up in the first two or three days following the break in the dike.

On the opposite side of the Atchafalaya basin, Lake Verret reached across the length of the basin, extending far up across Bayou Des Glaises into the Teche basin. Water was rising steadily along the lower extremities of the lake as it made its final dash for the Gulf of Mexico.

At the same time drainage of the water into the Atchafalaya basin gradually was reducing the flood levels in the basin, where 13 Northeastern Louisiana parishes have been inundated. The fall was slow, however, since the levees of the Mississippi levees at Cabine Teele and Winter Quarters continued to feed waters into the northeastern corner of the basin, where more than 100 miles north of Baton Rouge.

Gradual recession of the waters, however, had brought farmers to drying ridges in Morehouse, Ouachita, East and West Carroll, and Franklin parishes, along the upper and western edges of the contracting lake. Local committees in Catahoula, Tensas and Concordia parishes, in the heart of the Tensas basin, also were being supplied with seed for use as soon as planting might be started.

At Morgan City, at the mouth of the Atchafalaya, the gauge stood at 9.3 feet, the highest mark touched since 1882, and that city still was to receive the full force of the flood. Boats already were in use in many of the streets and the city had raised sidewalks and made other preparations for an increased height of waters.

Announcements were made that the Southern Pacific Railroad bridge across the river would be closed to boats when the stream reached a stage of 10 feet as a precautionary measure to save the only railroad operating from New Orleans westward.

Relief boats had been concentrated at Morgan City, Plaquemine, in the upper eastern Atchafalaya basin, and in the Grosse Tete sector, in the heart of the East Atchafalaya "Sugar Bowl," to meet any contingency which might arise.

Evacuation of the flood-ridden area was virtually complete with many residents preferring to remain in the neighborhood of their homes or in the upper floors of inundated homes.

Short Course to be Held July 13, 14 and 15.

That educational outing known to thousands of farm families all over South Texas as the "Medina Short Course" is to be held again by the A. and M. College Extension Service at the same old place, the Medina Hereford Ranch in Bexar county on July 13, 14 and 15. The ranch, now under new management is to be operating with the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce and the Extension Service as hosts.

Provisions are being made for the comfort, entertainment and instruction of all who come, and a cordial invitation is extended to all farmers and ranchers and their families. For further details read the papers and see your county or home demonstration agent.

Exploring Party Being Sought

San Angelo, Tex., May 30.—Unheard of since Sunday, when they left for Iron Ivory City with the announced intention of exploring a cave on the ranch of the J. D. Sugg estate, Tom Freeze and Luther Anderson, employes of Walker-Sundy Company here and two young women companions were being sought by parties organized Monday afternoon here and at Mertzon.

Fears for their safety arose when their car was found near the cave and signs about its mouth indicating that persons had been there.

The cave has recesses that extend as reported two miles underground and many hazardous passages and contours that might confuse explorers. Snakes and bats that infest the cave and possibly wild animals are other dangers.

Cole Younger, the James Brothers and other bandit gangs used the cave as a rendezvous in early days, according to reports.

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Young Man Wins With Fine Sheep Convinces Father

In the fall of 1923 young Earnest G. Duderstadt, son of T. A. Duderstadt, of Mountain Home, Kerr County, Texas, decided to heed the advice and instruction given by the County [illegible] to the advice of [illegible] who is one of Kerr County's leading ranchmen. Earnest had $200 in Liberty bonds and wanted to get started in the sheep business, so he decided to buy ten head of registered Delaine Merino from Ohio. His father tried to discourage him by telling him he could buy 100 good grade ewes for, exactly what the ten heads of registered ewes would cost him and by using registered bucks with the grade ewes he would soon have one of the best flocks of sheep in the neighborhood. The boy stood his ground and on January 10, 1924 the ten head of registered ewes arrived at the ranch. The boy sold his Liberty bonds at par and borrowed about $300 at the bank to meet the deficit against the sheep, for the ten head cost $600 delivered.

Thus the educational battle started between the boy and the older ranchmen of the community, including the boy's father. However the boy soon had the father and other ranchmen guessing for when shearing time came they found they had to shear three ewes to get as much wool as they could get from one of his registered ewes and the registered ewes had not eaten any more than the grade ewes that were about three times the ewes, which were supposed to be open and unbred showed otherwise and Earnest had three registered bucks, one buck and two ewes. The father soon decided that the boy had him beaten and gave the ram and two ewes on his grade ewes, but none of the neighbors also became enthusiastic $75 bid higher, getting the lamb at weaning time for $55. Earnest then took this money and some wool money and bought a registered buck for $75 more and the ram and the flock has continued to yield in wool and show up well in increase.

During the second year of this project the boy flocked 75 pounds of getting half as much wool from 22 head of his registered ewes as he got from 194 head of good grade ewes that had been bred and selected by the father, with the constant help of registered bucks for ten years. Tom Duderstadt was so completely "sold" on the project by this time that he decided to follow the boy's example and at present writing he has only one sheep on the ranch that is not registered and says that if he doesn't sell it soon that he is going to satisfy his appetite.

The boy was not satisfied with just the registered sheep so just as soon as he got them cleared of debt at the bank, he went over to Junction, Texas, where a ranchman had some aged registered Angora goats for sale and bought ten head of registered nannies six and seven years old and a registered yearling billy. This was in August, 1925, and the eleven had cost the $150 which he had borrowed now. Earnest raised ten kids the first season but since that time has lost two of his old nannies and just recently has lost his stud ram. However, he is not the least bit discouraged.

Last year was still more successful for Earnest for he decided to keep on branching out in his business. He took a few lambs to the county fair and won second place against the seasoned breeders who had been at the game for years and of course this gave him some publicity which enabled him to get a few rams at a good price. During the three years of this project he has sold seven ram lambs and choice for $245.00 and still rams left will bring in this much more in the next two months. In addition to the sheep and goat business Earnest declared in the early part of 1926 to start out in the poultry business and bought 200 Single Comb White Leghorn baby chicks and after some losses and some culling, he kept 55 good laying pullets. This poultry project has also been financed by the sheep and goats. All of these projects are the development and outgrowth of the thoroughbred ewes as an original club project. Earnest is out of debt with a splendid credit rating of one of the largest banks in southwest Texas, for he now has registered sheep, 19 registered goats

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Earnest is attending high school in Kerrville. He is preparing to enter A. & M. College in the fall of 1927. When his grandfather heard of his intentions, he immediately opened an loan Earnest the money to go through college, but Earnest in his prideful, boyish manner informed his grandfather that if he needed any money he would accept the generous and grateful offer but at present he was planning to make his sheep, goats and chickens plus his ability to work while at college meet the necessary expense of getting a college education. Earnest is now near the eighteen-year mark and it is needless to predict the outcome of this enterprising young man.—J. C. Yeary in Progressive Farmer.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to all who helped in any way during the last illness of our departed mother, Mrs. Addie Akin, and for all acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during our bereavement. AKIN CHILDREN

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No. 1—272 acres, all fenced, and cross-fenced, good house, well and windmill; 40 acres in cultivation; 40 more can be put in. 10 miles from Bandera. $30 per acre.

No. 2—100 acres, river front, all fenced. 5 miles from Bandera $25 per acre.

No. 3.—Fine residence in the heart of Bandera. $4,000.

No. 4.—Nice residence in the town of Bandera. $2,000.

No. 5.—742 acres near Medina City, all fenced. 60 acres in field. Large house, good springs, well. $11 per acre.

No. 6.—500 acres two miles from Bandera; 40 acres in field, more can be put in cultivation; good running creek; fine eistern $50 per acre.

No. 7.—Well improved farm, over 200 acres, 60 acres in field; rich valley land; good orchard; big barns and outhouses, up-to-dwelling. $12,000.

No. 8—405 acres well fenced, will make a splendid farm; 5 miles from Bandera. $14 per acre.

No. 9.—New 6-room house, 4 lots in Bandera. $2,000.

No. 10—1128 acres ranch and farm, 60 acres in cultivation; good 6-room house, barn, outhouses, good creek and well; 11 miles from Bandera. $9.50 per acre.

No. 11—668 acres in field. There can be put in. Fine house, good barns, four miles from Bandera. $25 per acre.

No. 12—Fine ranch, 300 acres valley land, 228 acres rough land, three sets houses, pecan and pear orchard, three pastures, pumping water, wells; valley land $30 per acre, rough land $8.00 per acre.

No. 13—860 acres, 60 in field, good six-room house, 13 miles from Bandera, 2 miles from Tarpley. $15 per acre.

No. 14—745 acres, three pastures, good house and out-buildings, windmill, 115 paper shell pecan trees, 250 pear trees, 125 peach trees; pastures fenced goat proof. 7 miles from Bandera. $15 per acre.

No. 15—1000 acres, about 190 acres in field, all fenced; three miles river front; good house; 5 miles from Bandera. $25 per acre.

No. 16—1100 head Nannies, $5.50 per head, delivery Sept. 1; also 21 billies.

Sheep and goats in small lots.

No. 17—395 acres, 8 miles above Medina; 40 acres in cultivation; good house and plenty of water.

No. 18—nice residence of three rooms, 6 lots, western part of Bandera. $1500.

No. 19—512 acres, 7 miles from Bandera, 105 in cultivation more can be put in. Two wells, two sets houses, half mile from school. $35 per acre.

No. 20—895 acres 8 miles from Medina City; 50 acres in cultivation; good four-room house, more can be put in. Fine house, good barns, four miles from Bandera. $25 per acre.

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Lehmann's Book to Be Published

Hermann Lehmann, who was a captive among the Apache and Comanche Indians for more than ten years, spent several days with the editor last week. Mr. Lehmann's home is now at Grandfield, Oklahoma, where he has a headright, and is on the tribal rolls of the Comanches. J. Marvin Hunter has just completed writing the story of the life and experiences of this ex-captive, and the book is to be published by Von Boeckmann-Printing Co., of Austin, within the next few weeks. Lehmann became to all intents and purpose an Indian, so much that when he was restored to his people he did not want to remain. He had forgotten his language, and was about the wildest of the tribe, often making raids down into the region where his people lived and stealing horses, while he was with the Apaches and Comanches. Announcement will be made when the book is ready for distribution, and when they can be purchased at this office.

Suffers Stroke of Paralysis.

Word was received Saturday that Mrs. T. A. Buckner of San Marcos, had suffered a stroke of paralysis and was in a serious condition. Her sister, Mrs. E. J. Bantz was called to her bedside. Mrs. Buckner is well known to the people of Bandera and Medina, her husband having for many years published the New Era. We earnestly hope her condition will improve and that she will soon be out of danger.

W. W. Hogan Buried.

The funeral of W. W. Hogan, who died at Ely, Nevada, May 19, was held at Bandera cemetery last Saturday afternoon, being conducted by Rev. Price of Medina, assisted by Elder D. S. Palmer. The remains reach here shortly afternoon Saturday and were taken immediately to the cemetery for interment.

William Wilford Hogan was born in Leadville, Colorado, April 1, 1887, and was married to Miss Madge Hay of Medina, Texas, at Ely, Nevada, December 19, 1918. To this union three children were born, William, Jr., Doris and Phyllis K., who with the widow, survive him. Mr. Hogan's death was due to heart failure, following an operation for appendicitis, at East Ely, Nevada. Mr. Hogan and children were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hay, at Medina at the time the message came announcing the death of her husband, and she was prostrated by the sad news. The remains were shipped here for burial.

The New Era extends sympathy to the bereaved wife and children, in their great sorrow.

Rev. P. J. Tarradellas New Pastor of Catholic Church

Rev. P. J. Tarradellas has been given the pastorate of the Catholic Church here and assumed his duties this week. Rev. Tarradellas paid the Herald office a pleasant call Thursday afternoon and enrolled as a new reader of the friendly home paper. We first met Rev. Tarradellas at Bandera several years ago and learned to know him as a cultured gentleman whose friendship we value highly. We are sure he will find our city a pleasant place to live and a fertile place to work. He is very industrious and is planning to organize a young men's band here. He is a finished musician and will do without a doubt train the members of the band with much credit to them and the town.—Harper Herald.

Rev. Scott Buys Place.

Rev. M. J. Scott, who was pastor of the Baptist church of this place several years ago, has bought a place of 117 acres from J. L. Porter, near Utopia. Consideration 83,000. Rev. Scott's friends welcome him back to this section.

Does your subscription to the New Era expire this month? Watch the date on the margin or wrapper of your paper.

Celebrates 80th Birthday

Mrs. Wiley Meadows entertained with a family dinner party last Sunday in honor of her mother's 80th birthday. Those present were Mrs. E. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rees, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stevens and son Irvin, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Elkins, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Tallman, Sidney, Edwin and Homer Stevens, Mrs. Bess Canafax and little daughter, Emogene, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bayor, Miss Fay Rees, Sidney Hammond, Audley Elkins, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Meadows and the honor guest, Mrs. J. T. Stevens, three of the family were absent, Mrs. Barnes of California, J. E. Stevens of New Mexico, T. F. Stevens, of Uvalde, Texas and also a grandson, she has raised, A. E. Stevens of Arizona. The big birthday cake with its eighty candles was the outstanding decoration of the dinner table.

Mrs. N. J. Hans Dead.

We regret to learn of the death early Sunday morning of Mrs. N. J. Hans, at her home near Utopia. The funeral was held at the Vanderpool cemetery at 3 o'clock Sunday evening. Deceased was about sixty years old, and besides her husband, she is survived by four children, Joe, Bertie, Richard and Claude Hans. Our sympathy goes out to the grief-stricken husband and children in their sorrow.

Bandera Girl Graduates.

The New Era editor and family are in receipt of an invitation to attend the graduating exercises of the Sub-College Department of Sul Ross State Teachers' college at Alpine, on Thursday evening, June 2. Among the class of graduates is Miss Dee Augusta Varner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Varner who formerly lived in Bandera. The New Era congratulates this splendid young lady upon her good work, and joins all of her many friends in extending best wishes.

St. Joseph's School Entertainment.

The operetta given at St. Joseph's School auditorium last Thursday night, by the children of that school, was a very interesting and amusing affair and was witnessed by a full house, the auditorium being filled to its seating capacity. The characters in the playlets, "Mechanical Jane," "Edith's Dream" and "Troubles of the Little Folks," carried out their parts well. Special mention should be made of Misses Isabel Maczurek, Isabel Anderwald, Mary Pyka, Lydia Kalka, Frances Kalka, Lillian Saunders, Frances Pyka, and Violet Hermes, who had leading roles in the plays. The little folks in their pretty costumes, and the fairies, all came in for a share of applause. The singing was splendid, and the instrumental selections rendered by Misses Elsie Adamietz, Isabel Anderwald, Hedwig Adamietz Blanche Adamietz and Lillian Saunders called for much applause from the audience.

Stone Arrow Heads.

Boys, bring your stone arrow heads to the New Era office. We will pay 5 to 25 cents each according to size and condition. We want other stone relics also.

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PIPE CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Newcomer were Kerrville visitors Saturday.

F. J. McCarthy and family went to San Antonio Tuesday.

Miss Hazel Heinen is spending the week with Mrs. Gene Georges.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomas and little grandson, Lewis Edwards, visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Southoff Sunday at Tinsley Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Heimsath had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jeffers of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rohrbach and daughters visited Boerne Tuesday.

The young folks enjoyed a dance at Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Crist's Saturday night.

We are glad to report John Edwards much better.

Score 23 to 1.

There was a hot game of baseball on the local diamond last Sunday. The "hotness" was due to the weather, however. Bandera's team trounced the Medina Road team by a score of 23 to 1.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Price of Medina were here Saturday.

Tom and Joe Finney were here from Medina this week.

Harry Davis and Charlton Cobbs, of Medina, were in Bandera Tuesday.

Maurice J. Lehmann, prominent young attorney of Boerne, was attending court here Tuesday.

Jim Storms was here from Center Point, Texas, to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, J. S. Burns, Tuesday.

Rev. Wood of Beaumont occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night.

Old Folks Dance.

An Old Folks Dance will be given at Mansfield Park Saturday night, June 4th. Everybody invited.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to all who were so kind to us during the illness of our husband and father, V. T. Burns, and for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown in our bereavement never its death.

MRS. V. T. BURNS
AND FAMILY.

Card of Thanks

From the depths of our hearts do we sincerely thank each and every one who so kindly extended their sympathy in the hour of our grief. Especially do we thank Mrs. Masters and family Mrs. Marquette and family, and also for the beautiful floral offering.

MRS. W. W. HOGAN
GEO. A. HAY AND FAMILY

Notice of Board of Equalization.

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For more than a quarter of a century the publisher of Frontier Times has been collecting data bearing on frontier history. He compiled and edited "The Trail Drivers of Texas," a book of more than 1,000 pages, recounting the experiences of the early pioneers of Texas; he is a member of the Texas State Historical Society, the Panhandle-Plains Historical Association, the Texas Pioneers' Association, Texas Landmarks Association. The Texas Folk-Lore Society, Old Time Trail Drivers' Association, and other historical organizations, and keeps in direct touch with the activities of these bodies, which qualifies him to gather and compile fragments of history which would otherwise be overlooked and pass into oblivion.

Bandera
County
Old Settlers'
Reunion

Mansfield Park,

July 4 and 5

List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1927, for Taxes of 1926, in Bandera County

Owner	Abst	Surv.	Original Grantee	Acres	City or T. Wh.	R. Tax	Co. Tax	Total
Mrs. A. J. Gordon	598	1683	F. M. Moffett	80		1.56	2.57	4.13
J. T. Harris	605	322	I.A. J. Crockett	4		2.90	11.92	15.42
R. H. and May Light	2210	1830	38	J. R. George	80			
R. H. and May Light	2225	1830	38	R. H. Light	80		6.54	7.99	13.53
H. Sutton	260	700	168	E. A. Martin	70		3.77	11.14	14.91
W. H. White Heirs	1340		250	I.W. H. White	100				
Of A. and M. White	1340		250	I.W. H. White	60		6.24	6.08	14.32
G. W. Williams	156		313	M. M. Gurrera	50		3.51	8.47	11.98
Albert and B. Anz						Lake Medina Highlands Lt 9	3.54	7.67	11.18
Dr. Houston Brooks	162	21	21	D. Garza	1/2		.28	.31	.57
T. Chaney	1473	1096	654	A. A. Tampke	75		1.30	1.54	2.84
W. M. Johnson	370	722	324	S. B. Talley	65		.59	.87	1.46
W. M. Johnson	156		313	M. M. Gurrera	20				
R. C. OConner						Lake Medina Highland Lt.	6.50	10.70	17.20
J. E. Wolff	1765		234	J. B. Spettle	67	30, 31, Blk 9	.13	.15	.28
Aee Sign Co.						Lake Medina Highland Lt.	4.55	5.39	9.94
E. H. Anderson						Lake Medina Highland Lt. 2, Blk 11	.33	.38	.71
Richard Arnold						Lake Medina Highland Lt. 15, Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey						Bandera, Lts. 60, 61, Range 44, Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey						Bandera, Lts. 25 to 32 Range 10			
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey						Bandera, Lt. 50, Range 9—9			
Mrs. W. P. Baugh						Lake Medina Highland Lt 7	1.37	2.97	4.34
Jno. Banks	2300		300	4 H. C. Winn	101	Blk 6	.33	.38	.71
James O. Bickley						Lake Medina Highland Lt 14	.91	1.36	2.27
G. C. Blanchard						Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 14	.33	.38	.71
G. L. Blaschke						Lake Medina Highland Lt 10 29, 49, Blk 4	.65	.77	1.42
D. Z. Blands and H. F. La Rue	2389	737	328	J. C. Thompson	44	Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
D. Z. Blands and H. F. La Rue						Bandera, Lt. 1 to 8 Range 2			
Burleson Tire Co.						Lake Medina Highland Lts	1.04	2.33	3.61
George Burditt	1907	39	746	L. F. Schott	107	22,23,24, Blk 13	1.30	1.54	2.84
George Burditt	1496	102	256	L. Schott	294				
George Burditt	624		244	1 J. L. Shane	160				
George Burditt	1909	102	256	A. Schott	320				
George Burditt	892		244	3 G. P. Hill	100				
George Burditt	1497		747	1 R. M. Smith	80				
George Burditt	2101	154	748	T. W. Woodruff	320				
George Burditt	691	154	747	G. T. Ry. Co.	640				
George Burditt	2401	2877	414	1 H. Lamis	66				
George Burditt	699		241	2 R. A. Hill	160		23.86	28.25	52.11
C. M. Cain						Lake Medina Highland Lt. 9 Blk 8	.33	.38	.71
Matilde de Cortera	2472	2922	3002	M. de Cortera	160		1.43	2.13	3.56
John Elliott Deed	2410	355	85	G. H. Baxter	100		5.53	9.94	15.47
Mrs. G. W. Evans						Lake Medina Highland Lt 29 Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
T. A. Ezell	1227	25	190	1 E. L. Mudd	149		1.37	1.75	2.92
F. W. Felthouse	51	34	287	V B B & C N G	2		3.25	3.85	7.07
Chas. W. Fisher	1014	468	77	G. C. & S. F. Ry.	640		4.94	12.69	17.63
John P. Forrest						Bandera Lts 44, 45, Range			
John P. Forrest						Bandera Lts 37, 38, Range 5			
John P. Forrest						Bandera Lts 36, 37 Range 3			
John P. Forrest						Bandera Lt. 53, 54, Range 2	.33	.70	1.03
J. F. Gates						Lake Medina Highland Lts 33, 34 Blk 4	.65	.77	1.42
O. B. Gallagher						Lake Medina Highland Lt 4 Blk 6	.33	.38	.71
M. O. Giles						Bandera Lt 64, Range 12			
M. O. Giles						Bandera Lts 44, 45, Range 7	.52	1.14	1.66
Francis Goldman	2305	2608	84	A. W. Clark	464.4		3.90	5.52	9.42
T. C. Gohman						Lake Medina Highland Lt 16 Blk 21	.33	.38	.71
J. M. Houser						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
John Hand	154	126	497	A. Gomez	1.15		.13	.17	.30
H. W. Harris	2306		922	W. P. Conoley	320		2.93	9.37	10.34
Hugo & Sneltzer	1932	916	12	G. W. Vewter	320		3.12	4.42	7.54
J. H. Heller						Lake Medina Highland Lt 36 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
T. W. Hines & A. I. Brown						Lake Medina Highland Lts 1, 2, 3 Blk 5	.98	1.05	2.13
A. H. Hoffman						Lake Medina Highland Lts 14, 15, 16, 6	.91	1.08	1.99
Wm. Hohenberg	154	126	497	G. Gomez	2		.33	.44	.77
Mrs. E. S. Jackson Deed						Medina Lt 1, Reed Add	.26	.57	.83
Casey R. Jones	2381		285	2 L. Haby	9.39				
Casey R. Jones	528		285	1 W. Davis	1.61		5.20	6.16	11.36
Mrs. John L. Little	481	1090	297	A. B. & M.	124				
Mrs. John L. Little	593	5	801	L. I. & A. A.	80				
Mrs. John L. Little	482	1090	299	A. B. & M.	80				
Mrs. John L. Little	606		280	1 W. H. Norton	80		2.73	3.86	6.59
Francis H. Lisle						Blk 12	.20	.23	.43
Porter Loring	1765		234	1 J. B. Spettle	40	Lake Medina Highland Lt 10			
Porter Loring					2.51	Blk 8	8.45	10.01	18.46
Isaac Laya	240		60	1 Blas Loya	160	Lake Medina Highland Lt 10	3.12	5.62	8.74
Martin Linen Supply Co.						64,65,66, Blk 8	.98	1.15	2.13
John J. Marouf						Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 2	.33	.38	.71
H. L. Miskimin						Lake Medina Highland Lt 25 31,32,33, Blk 2	.98	1.15	2.13
J. D. & Jim Miller	1049		174	J. D. Powell		Lake Medina Highland Lts	3.25	9.60	12.85
J. Y. Miller		92	4019	71 A. Curvier	160		6.76	14.77	21.53
W. A. Moehring					100	Blk 4			
W. A. Moehring						Lake Medina Highland Lt 13 Blk 4	.65	.77	1.42
A. J. Monier						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 22,23,24, Bl 6	1.43	1.69	3.12
W. W. McAllister	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.		Lake Medina Highland Lt	1.95	2.31	4.26
Wm. D. McCarthy	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	4		3.25	3.85	7.10
Joe Mc Curdy	335		532	W. A. Sheppard	2		5.20	7.36	12.56
Jack Neal	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	160				
Jack Neal	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		8.13	9.62	17.75
Thos. E. Noonan					1.38		7.15	15.62	22.77
P. W. Nutter						Bandera, Lts 62, 63 Range 11 Blk 4	.26	.31	.57
M. A. Oatman Heirs	958		2020	B. F. Oatman		Lake Medina Highland Lt 30	1.30	2.24	3.54
C. S. Oatman	958		2020	B. F. Oatman	45				
C. S. Oatman	1440	126	12	A.J. Champion	110		3.77	6.50	10.27
H. L. OBrien					120	Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
Peter & Paul OBrien	1738	18	312	D. & W. Ry Co.		Lake Medina Highland Lt 20	.20	.27	.47
Robert C. OConner					17	30,31, Blk 9	.39	.46	.85
C. W. Peony						Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
W. R. Patterman						Lake Medina Highland Lt 37	.07	.14	.21
Frank Quito						Bandera Lt 39, 40 Range 6			
Frank Quito						Bandera Lts 41, 42 Range 6			
Frank Quito						Bandera Lt 41, Range 9	.65	1.42	2.07
H. Rahmstorf						Lake Medina Highland Lt 9 Blk 6			
H. Rahmstorf						Lake Medina Highland Lt 29 Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
W. Rahmstorf						Lake Medina Highland Lt 30 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
D. C. Robertson						Lake Medina Highland Lt 13 Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
D. C. Robertson						Lake Medina Highland Lt 8 Blk 9	.52	.62	1.14
J. E. D. Rodriguez	1321		253	1 J. E. D. Rodriguez	160	Lake Medina Highland Lt 4 Blk 5	4.68	11.70	16.38
Jose M. Sanseda						Lake Medina Highland Lts 8, 9 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
Albert Seffel						Lake Medina Highland Lt 7 Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
J. S. Shiddell						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
G. D. Skidmore						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
Theresa Sommers						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
R. F. Stewart						Lake Medina Highland Lt 16 Blk 21	.33	.38	.71
A. A. Stocker						Lake Medina Highland Lt 9 Blk 6	.33	.38	.71
H. P. Strickland	51	34	287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	3		3.90	4.62	8.52
A. F. Surreden	1765		234	J. B. Spettle	1.17		.57	.99	1.56
T. T. Taylor						Lake Medina Highland Lt 8 Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
B. C. Vicentine						Lake Medina Highland Lt 28 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
W. R. Walls						Lake Medina Highland Lts 1,9, Blk 9	.98	1.15	5.13
Alex Wait and P. B. Bell	162	21	21	G. Garza	35		5.85	6.93	12.78
Julia & M. Wise						Lake Medina Highland Lt 42 Blk 7	.39	.46	.85
G. W. Wooten	2350	1230	1720	R. A. Nickleson	457.4		3.90	10.02	13.92
Geo. E. Wright						Lake Medina Highland Lts 27,28, Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
Horace Yancey						Lake Medina Highland Lt 12-A, Blk 6	.65	.77	1.42
Andrew H. Young						Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 6	.46	.53	.99
Unknown	14	1312	1	A. B. & M.	53		.46	.78	1.24
Unknown	402	166	58	1 F. deLes Zephries	25		.33	.58	.91
Unknown	1026	1230	1719	H E & W T Ry.	307		2.93	7.51	10.44
Unknown	1151	1659	1729	T. & S. L. Ry Co	180		1.63	4.17	5.80
Unknown	1239	47	8	A. Real	60		.52	.90	1.42
Unknown	1270	2812	13	G.C. & S. F. Ry.	60		.65	1.27	1.92
Unknown	1415	1228	1737	H. E. & W. T. Ry	88		.78	2.00	2.78
Unknown	1758	1821	2	J. Real	70		.78	1.34	2.12
Unknown	7258	9023	112	N. A. Dawson	320		2.93	4.74	7.67
Unknown	2365		326	C. C. McDonald	240		2.15	3.04	5.19
Unknown	2444		552	A. Sprangleberry	245.1		2.28	3.39	5.67
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My pastures located three miles from Pipe Creek on the Medina river, are posted. No hunting or trespassing herein allowed. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the highest extent of the law.—P. Richards.

NOTICE

That all leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O.E.S. on Friday night, June 10th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

STALLION NOTICE

My Billie Stallion will make the season at my place on Privilege. Terms $8.00 to insure. Pasturage for mares extra.—E. C. Villemain.

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In Our New Store — KERRVILLE, TEXAS

George Harper, of Utopia, was here this week.

O. L. Adams, of Tuff was courting here Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Pyka, May 9, a boy.

Neal Coulter of Medina was seen in Bandera Monday.

J. R. Burns, of Tarpley, was in the city Monday on business.

Mrs. Adolph Schott, of Pipe Creek, was in the city yesterday.

D. B. Hicks, of near Utopia, was doing jury duty here this week.

Judge C. W. Harris was here from Medina, this week attending court.

C. A. Neal, of Tuff was in town last Monday from his ranch on business.

Lee Mansfield was over from Tarpley this week, serving as a petit juror.

A. J. Anderson, of Tuff, was a Bandera visitor the first part of the week.

Judge and Mrs. L. J. Bruck, arrived Sunday from Hondo to attend court.

Charles Rugh Jr. left last Saturday for Houston where he will secure a position.

R. W. E. Smith has returned from Houston to spend the summer at the Buck Ranch.

T. H. Phillips, S. A. Keese were here from Lima this week serving on the grand jury.

Q. T. Stevens and son, Roy, and Gervis Jones were in from Myrtle Creek last Monday.

Elder D. S. Palmer of Tuff, was in Bandera Saturday to attend the funeral of W. W. Hogan.

Harless Gray, who has been in Port Arthur the past several months, returned to Bandera this week.

Gus Driesch was in from his ranch on West Verde Monday, and renewed his subscription to the New Era.

H. L. Hamer, of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, with headquarters at De Rio, was here this week.

Mrs. Alex Adamietz has the editor's thanks for some choice green beans and other vegetables sent in this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Love and Mrs. Archie Merritt, of Kerrville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Love Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Evans and children made a trip to Corpus Christi in their new Chevrolet car, returning last week.

Mrs. H. F. Langford, Jr. returned Sunday from Harper where she spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Warren Hunter.

Mrs. J. D. Gibbons and son, Erwin, of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis, of Galveston, were guests of Geo. Mina Jones Sunday.

S. F. Edge, of Bergheim, was here last Friday and called to enroll as a subscriber to the New Era. Mr. Edge formerly lived on Seven Mile Creek, where he operated a saw mill. He is now a game warden in his section of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Merl, of Utley, were here last Saturday and paid the New Era an appreciated visit. Mrs. Merl publishes the Utley Herald, a live, interesting weekly paper, which is strictly a booster for that and section of country.

W. M. McMahon and family were here from Medina Tuesday.

G. W. Banta, of Medina, was greeting friends in Bandera Monday.

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Rev. Horace M. King preached at the Methodist church last Sunday morning.

A number from Medina attended quarterly conference at Bandera Sunday afternoon.

S. Darby of San Antonio visited Wm. Hatfield Monday.

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TUFF TOPICS

Miss Mary McMahon and David Brewer were visiting in this community Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith have returned to Arizona after a short visit to relatives here.

Miss Ruth Cliffe, of East Verde, is visiting friends in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

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PIPE CREEK

Charlie Ruede is building a granary. He is expecting a few bushels of oats.

The threshers were stopped a few days this week on account of the rain, but started again Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H Rohrbach and brothers and Mrs. Selma Edwards were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ruede Sunday.

J. L. Edwards who has been ill for some time, is now on the road to recovery.

Murray Ruede purchased a new Ford touring car a few days ago.

Herman Nash has purchased a Ford coupe.

MYRTLE CREEK BUBBLES

Mrs. Vic Saul and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Stevens Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Burney visited Mrs. Burney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McBryde, at Camp Verde Sunday.

Mrs. H. B. Jones and children were Center Point visitors Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Bredrad visited J. W. Hunt and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Stevens visited Mrs. Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Denton, on Turtle Creek, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Vic Stevens visited Mrs. J. W. Hunt Friday afternoon.

TUFF TOPICS

Miss Mary McMahon and David Brewer were visiting in this community Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith have returned to Arizona after a short visit to relatives here.

Miss Ruth Cliffe, of East Verde, is visiting friends in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. James McElroy, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, is visiting her father, H. E. Rambie, on Mason Creek.

Married.

Claude Gray and Miss Imogene Powell were married in Kerrville May 29, Rev. R. W. Merrill, pastor of the Baptist church in that city, officiating. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Gray of Center Point, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Powell of Camp Verde. The New Era joins in congratulations and best wishes for the happy young couple.

Real old time West Texas hospitality will be dispensed at the Utopia barbecue June 17th and 18th. You are invited to attend and bring Mary and the children with you.

Tonsils Removed.

Mrs. M. R. Thalmann took her three children, Roy, Lela Evelyn and Charles Harvey, to San Antonio last Monday, to have their tonsils removed. They returned home yesterday.

Utopia is paving out her park, and in order to do so will hold a grand barbecue on Friday and Saturday, June 17th and 18th. If you want to enjoy yourself and see others have a good time, be on hand early and stay late.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Caffall and children, of Yoakum, were guests of Mrs. Caffall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Power, several days last week. They re-

Extra Session Adjourns.

Austin, Tex., June 7.—The first called session of the 40th Legislature adjourned sine die Tuesday night at 11:30 after hours of wrangling between House and Senate conference committees over items in the bill making appropriations for claims and accounts.

Agreement was reached only after the Senate agreed to eliminate from the bill items of $40,000 to pay the Houston National Bank on notes due against the Richmond Cottonseed Oil Mill, purchased some years ago by the penitentiary system; $31,000 to the American National Bank of Austin, a claim against buildings erected at A. & M. College in 1915, and $5,000 for John T. Mornday, former county attorney of Travis county, for services rendered during prosecution of the State's suit against the Hoffman Road Commission of Governor Moody when he was attorney general. The total amount of the bill including items added, last stricken out, other appropriations, is a lot totaling $47,699,695.30 were agreed to without contention.

Utopia Will Welcome You

There will be big doings at Utopia on Friday and Saturday, June 17th and 18th. Ball games, etc, with all kinds of amusements. A warm welcome awaits you there.

Coming Home on a Visit.

Miss Eva Thalman, who is chief dietician in the General Hospital at Boston, Mass., writes her sister, Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, that she will reach Bandera the latter part of this month and will spend awhile here. Miss Thalman has been absent from Bandera several years, and her home-coming will be hailed with delight by her many friends here.

Threshers Busy.

Although delayed several days by the rains the first of the week, the threshers are again busy threshing the oat crop. The yield this year is some better than at first expected.

Will Sail for Asia.

Charles Gray, who has been visiting his uncle, Tom Gray, and family, left Monday for Beaumont, where he will go on a ship for a nine months' sail, booked for Asia. During the past five months Harles, who is an orderly on the S. S. Hoginent, has visited Scotland, England, Belgium, France, Germany and Holland. Raymond McBryde accompanied him to Beaumont.

Grocery Moved.

Fred L. Cosgrove has moved his grocery to the Wright Building where he will continue to serve the public with the best goods at the lowest prices.

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Cut Foot with An Axe.

Bruce Mansfield cut an ugly gash in his foot with an axe Tuesday while chopping wood. He was at others work and failed to close the wound, which was very deep. He is making good recovery.

At the Picture Show.

"The Fighting Boob," featuring Bob Custer, is to be shown at Bandera Theater tomorrow night. This is a splendid picture and will keep the audience thrilled from start to finish. Don't miss it.

Fishing License.

After June 1st everyone using artificial bait must have fisherman's license, whether they reside in the county or not. Cost of resident license is $1.10. Cost of state resident, $5.00, or a five-day license $1.10. License can be procured from Game Warden Dan Rugh or Billings & Son at Bandera, and C. B. Coulter, Jr., Medina.

Drilling Resumed at Center Point

After a delay of two months occasioned by the loss of a bit in the hole, drilling was resumed Tuesday afternoon in the Walker & Van Duyn No. 1 oil test at Center Point.

A floor was set in the well at 2,240 feet and drilling started up with a smaller bit than had been used. Several strong oil sands were encountered before the shut-down occurred.

The well is located on the W. B. Leigh tract in Survey 38 — Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Eastern Star Elects.

Bandera Chapter Order of the Eastern Star at their last meeting re-elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; R. F. Langford, Jr., Worthy Patron; Mrs. Mary Langford, Associate Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary; W. R. Fletcher, Treasurer; Mrs. Alice Billings, Conductor; Mrs. Lillie White, Associate Conductor. Installation ceremonies will be held next Friday night.

Score 10 to 0.

The Kinsolvin Furniture team of San Antonio played the Bandera team on the local diamond last Sunday. The home team was the game by a score of 10 to 0.

Howard Short, of Hondo, was in Bandera yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Garison, of Tarpley, were in the city Tuesday.

Leslie T. Lane, of San Antonio, is visiting the family of E. P. Langford on Privfeg

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The Beauty Contest

The New Era's Beauty Contest shows an increased vote in this week's count, and the interest grows with each week. Only four more counts and the winner will be announced. Everybody is guessing who will be voted the prettiest girl in Bandera county over sixty-five years of age and receive the handsome cedar chest of chocolate candy the New Era will present to the winner.

Grandma Jones climbs to first place again this week, with Mrs. J. A. Head a close second, and Mrs. C. W. Harris, of Medina, third. Several of the other contestants made good gains in this week's count.

The last count in the contest will be made on the rounds grounds Monday morning, July 4th, at 10 o'clock. Three judges will be selected to make the final count, and their decision will be final. Some are holding back votes for the last count, we have no doubt, but that is their privilege for the ballots clipped from the New Era can be used at any time during the contest. In fact, the ballot found in the New Era each week is the only form of a ballot that can be used. The contest is absolutely fair to everyone, and we intend it to be so. The only way to obtain the ballots is to clip them from a subscriber's New Era.

The ballot found in this week's count, is as follows:

Mrs. Mattie Jones	191
Mrs. J. A. Head	187
Mrs. C. W. Harris	134
Mrs. Harriett Chapman	79
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	75
Mrs. J. N. Evans	47
Mrs. M. J. Hamilton	20
Mrs. Mary Bruce	13
Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr.	13
Mrs. Kate Jenner	13
Mrs. Gabe Anderwald	10
Mrs. Artie Reed	10
Mrs. John Adamietz	4
Mrs. Charlie de Montel	3
Mrs. Annie Brown	1

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge visited San Antonio Monday.

Miss Margaret Montague visited in San Antonio last week-end.

Mrs. C. B. Davenport and son, Warren, visited relatives at Uvalde and Sabinal last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen and children and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Weissenhorn were in from the Hildebrandt Ranch yesterday.

Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr., is spending a few days at Harper with her daughter, Mrs. Warren Hunter, who has been quite ill with influenza.

LIMA LINES.

Mrs. Val Click and daughters, Sue Evelyn and Ruby, and Miss Luelba Mayer visited Mr. and Mrs Creed Click of Bandera last Saturday and Sunday.

T. H. Phillips and son, Harold went to San Antonio Sunday. Harold has been home on a few days' vacation. Richard and Phillips Jones accompanied Mr. Phillips home Monday to spend a few days.

Mrs. John Hillman and little daughter, Amy, Mrs. R. L. Morris and little sons, Joe Morris, Mrs. Coose, Buddie Coose and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keese were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Seale and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey, Mr. and Mrs. John Reed and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. Henderson and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese Sunday.

R. L. Morris, accompanied by his brother J. Morris, of San Antonio, left for Kerrville last Saturday where R. L. Morris will take treatment. We certainly hope he will improve rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebach of San Antonio visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Mayberry's baby has been very sick. We hope it will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hinds and Frita Hinds returned to Comstock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Moffett and children, of Medina, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Keese Sunday.

The fine rains that have fallen the last few days are greatly welcomed by the farmers.

Everyone enjoyed the singing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese Sunday night.

O. L. Adams, of Tuff, was here Saturday.

J. R. Fletcher, the well known insurance man, was here from San Antonio yesterday.

Misses Lula and Edith North went to San Antonio yesterday to spend a few days with relatives.

The Misses Fuller will entertain with a "treasure hunt" Friday afternoon, honoring Miss Mildred Langford of Mooringport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens are here from San Antonio on a visit to Mr. Stevens' parents Mr. and Mrs. Ike Stevens, and other relatives.

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The Old Settlers' Reunion is less than a month away. As the time for holding this reunion draws nearer the interest in it increases. From present indications, we believe the largest crowd ever assembled at a reunion here will be in attendance July 4th and 5th. They are coming from everywhere.

In this issue of the New Era appears the advertisement of the Max Peeler Dress-Up Store in Boerne. This gent's furnishing establishment is strictly up-to-date and their stock is complete. Their prices are calculated to meet all competition. Next time you are in Boerne drop in and get acquainted with Mr. Beseler and his accommodating salesforce, the Messrs. Hartz.

Utopia is to hold a big barbecue Friday and Saturday, June 17th and 18th. Two big days of fun and frolic. All kinds of amusements, baseball, polo tournament, bronco busting, steer riding, goat roping, calf roping, something doing every minute of the two days. Liberal prizes in each event each day. Ed Mansfield of Bandera will take his rodeo stock and riders and help make the big barbecue a success. Those Utopia folks know how to entertain, and as this barbecue is to be given to raise funds to pay out their park, they are going to bend every energy to make it the best yet.

Next week the July number of Frontier Times will be issued from the press. Among the many interesting sketches of early days in this number will be "The Trump Shootman of the Pecos," "The Chili Queens of San Antonio," "A Note on Texas," "The Painted Rocks of Concho County," "The Train Robber's Vengeance Miscarried" "Early Coryell County History," "Miss Ann Whitney, the Frontier Heroine," "Two Early Day Letters," "Mrs. Holmsley Went Up the Chisholm Trail," "Spur Revives Memories of Brushy Creek Battle," "Harrowing Experience of Mrs. Kirby," "McCulloch County of Fifty-two Years Ago," "Pension the Indian Fighters," "Early Day Stage Robbery in Llano County," "An Indian's Speech," "Those Good Old Days," "Brief History of Texas," and other thrilling sketches. Nowhere can you find a magazine just like Frontier Times, and it is printed in Bandera. Every citizen of the county should be proud of this little magazine, for it is doing a great work. The August number, which will be issued July 15th, will contain sixty-four pages, and will be profusely illustrated.

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District Court.

District court adjourned last Saturday. The grand jury adjourned on last Thursday, after returning eight true bills of indictment. Following cases were disposed of in addition to those mentioned in last week's New Era:

Ex-parte Jack Haby; dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Ex-parte Cleophas Hicks, application to have disabilities as a minor removed; dismissed.

J. D. Rainey vs. D. B. Stuart, judgment for defendant.

Ex-parte Herman L. Thalmann, application to have disabilities as a minor removed. Granted.

Mrs. Willie House vs. Henry House; suit for divorce. Divorce granted.

Mrs. J. S. Reilly et al vs. J. S. Matthews; continued by agreement.

C. G. Edge vs. B. O. Baker, continued for settlement.

The case of the four young men, on trial last week charged with theft of hogs, resulted in conviction of the four, and the jury gave each a four-year suspended sentence.

Fine Rains.

Saturday night and Sunday night fine soaking rains fell throughout this section, total precipitation amounting to fully 3 inches, which will be of tremendous benefit to the corn crop. The hot dry weather of the past three weeks was beginning to damage the corn, but the rains came in time to revive it and assure a bounteous yield.

Visitors at Walter Godkin's Spicewood Springs Ranch last Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woeltz, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Collins, Mrs. Mary Woeltz, Misses Kate Woeltz, Carmela Woeltz, Carrie Fecci, Atlanta Wotipka, Vaila Mae Collins, Mary Jane Pierce, Clem Fecci, Mary Hora, Messrs. A. B. Mitchell, Gene Fecci, Victor Fecci, John Fecci, Ed Godkin, Leo Godkin, Ray Byler, all of San Antonio.

Joe Sap Becomes a Proctical Gardener

(By Joe Sappington)

Deep down in the bosom of every able-bodied "American citizen who has been raised on a farm is the desire to plant garden seed at the first approach of spring. There are two kinds of gardeners in this world—the theoretical and the practical. The theoretical gardener does all his gardening on cold winter nights surrounded by his loved ones, while the practical gardener goes forth in the early spring, armed with a hoe, and plants "two-bits" worth of garden seed, kills a few grub worms, throws a few rocks at his wife's hens that have come in at a crack in the fence, abuses his wife and children for walking on his cabbage bed, and closes his labors by throwing the hoe at the family cow which he discovers chewing the tail off his coat that he left hanging on the fence while planting said garden.

For several years I was a theoretical gardener, before I turned my attention to practical gardening and have raised all kinds of vegetables—by the fire. Some of the finest vegetables that I ever raised grew while the mercury in our thermometer was playing peek-a-boo with me—just above zero. I have sat for hours around the family hearth stove, while the wind came snorting down from the north, enjoying the artistic twist of a turnip, the sturdy pose of a squash and the sunset tints of a tomato as were so truthfully portrayed on the outside of a five-cent package of garden seed sent out by the good and honest seed dispensers from away up north.

I never owned but one real garden in my life, but that one was sufficient to last me as long as I live. When I pull aside the curtains of the past and review my past life there stands out that garden to mock me. I had been married about five years when I decided to move my garden from its comfortable winter quarters to the cold damp ground. My wife began to argue not to plant it, claiming that it would be a waste of time and money, but I determined to raise a garden or "bust"!

It would not interest the reader to go into unnecessary details, suffice it to say that in the fullness of time joyous spring came on apace with its sunshine and singing birds and butterflies and fragrant flowers, and the gentle rains and warm south winds soon wooed my garden seed to burst their tiny shells and peep forth their little heads from the ground. I beheld all of these good things and saw that they were good and I was as happy as a man with chin whiskers.

While it may be true that every cloud has a silver lining, it is true that every joy has its tinge of sorrow. The warm sunshine and gentle rains that wooed my early Dutch cabbage seed from Mother Earth also wooed several billion goose grass, thistle and other wild seeds into popping their little heads up. The same gentle influence that called into life the little grass and radish seed also quickened into life the seed and lowly grub worms and the sluggish cut worms, and when I went forth one morning after my garden had come up to behold and saw what slaughter had wrought to my onions and black wax beans by said worms, and how thrifty the grass and weeds were, I saw right straight that it was not good and said so to my wife in a loud tone of voice and smote a cut worm with my hoe. Next day, after I discovered the havoc the worms had wrought to my garden, two hens and a rooster flew over the fence and ate all the last remaining bean. Of course I killed the trio with a stick, but that didn't bring back my beans nor keep my wife from calling me an idiot. I was no longer the cheerful, carefree gardener that I was when I pitched my garden; in fact I became a remorse, taciturn man. Just a few weeks after I planted my garden I began to receive anonymous letters asking about my garden and how I succeeded. I bore all the indignities in silence and continued to kill worms and bugs and fight goose grass. But, to cap the climax, some low-down ear came at the dark hours of night and sowed down my garden in millet seed and tacked a card on the gate saying that if I chopped it down when it came up that he proposed to sow it in Johnson Grass. A rain came in the very next day after the millet seed were sown and it came up as thick as the whiskers on a Kansas Populist, and for fear the cowardly thug would carry out his threat I let it grow unmolested.

I had been the proprietor of this garden about six weeks when I threw it up, but in that brief time I had killed at least five thousand cut worms, three chickens, crippled our cow, quarreled with my wife, got seven blue corns on my hands and lots of dirt in my nostrils, had spent $7.25 for garden seed and never got as much as a mess of greens. After I quit working my garden the sun showers grew 15 feet high all over it and kept me busy pulling the cards off the garden fence that my enemies would tack up of nights bearing this and similar inscriptions: "Joe Sap's garden; look out for snakes."

Boy Fatally Burned by Gasoline Explosion.

Kerrville, Tex., June 6.—Funeral services were held here Monday afternoon for Elbert Hunt, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hunt who was fatally burned while pouring gasoline into an auto in his home. The tragic accident occurred Saturday morning when Boyle Nichols, 3 years old, and a cousin of the Hunt youth, struck a match, igniting a can of gasoline held by the older boy.

Badly burned about the body the injured boy was rushed to a hospital where he died Sunday after several hours of intense suffering.

Hondo Woman Victim of Snake Recovering

Although bitten twice on the forehead by a rattlesnake a week ago, Mrs. Laura Hardt, 34, was declared out of danger and permitted to travel from her home, 14 miles from Hondo to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Hardt was asleep on the sleeping porch of her home when the snake crawled into the house and up on the bed, where it struck at her twice before she could escape.

She was given first-aid treatment by Dr. W. H. Smith of Hondo and as soon as the serum could arrive from San Antonio she was given two ampules of anti-crotales treatment—San Antonio Express.

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Owner	Abst.	Surv.	Original Grantee	Acres	City or Town	Bl.	Lot	Val.	Tax	Co. Tax	Total
Mrs. A. J. Gordon	569		168.3 F. M. Moffett	80				$ 1,500	$ 25.50	$ 4.15	
J. T. Harris	565		322.1 A. J. Crockett	4				3.90	11.52	15.42	
R. H. and May Light	2210	1830	38 J. R. George	80							
R. H. and May Light	2225	1830	38 R. H. Light	80				5.54	7.99	13.53	
R. H. Sutton	260	700	168 E. A. Martin	70				3.77	11.14	14.91	
W. H. White Heirs	1340		250.1 W. H. White	100							
G. A. and M. White	1340		250.1 W. H. White	60				6.24	6.08	14.32	
G. W. Williams	156		313 M. M. Gurrera	50				3.51	8.47	11.98	
Albert and B. Ann					Lake Medina Highlands Lt 9			3.51	7.67	11.18	
Dr. Houston Brooks	162	21	21 D. Garza	75				.26	.31	.57	
J. T. Chaney	1473	1096	664 A. L. Tampke	75				1.30	1.54	2.84	
W. M. Johnson	370	722	324 S. B. Talley	65				.59	.87	1.46	
W. M. Johnson	156		313 M. M. Gurrera	20							
R. C. O'Conner					Lake Medina Highland Lt			6.50	10.70	17.20	
J. E. Wolff	1765		234 J. B. Spettle	67	30, 31, Blk 9			.13	.15	.28	
Aee Sign Co.					Lake Medina Highland Lt			4.55	5.39	9.94	
R. E. Anderson					Lake Medina Highland Lt 2, Blk 14			.33	.38	.71	
Richard Arnold					Lake Medina Highland Lt 15, Blk 4			.33	.38	.71	
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey					Bandera, Lts. 60, 61, Range 44, Blk 4			.33	.38	.71	
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey					Bandera, Lts. 25 to 32 Range 10						
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey					Bandera, Lt. 50, Range 9-3						
Mrs. W. P. Baugh					Lake Medina Highland Lt 7			1.37	2.97	4.34	
Jno. Banks	2300		300 H. C. Winn	101	Blk 6			.33	.38	.71	
James O. Bickley					Lake Medina Highland Lt 14			.91	1.36	2.27	
A. C. Blanchard					Lake Medina Highland Lt 2, Blk 14			.33	.38	.71	
G. L. Blaschke					Lake Medina Highland Lt 30-29, 49, Blk 4			.65	.77	1.42	
D. Z. Blands and H. F. La Rue	2389	737	328 J. C. Thompson	44				.33	.38	.71	
D. Z. Blands and H. F. La Rue					Bandera, Lt. 1 to 8 Range 2						
Burleson Tire Co.					Lake Medina Highland Lt			1.04	2.33	3.61	
George Burditt	1907	39	746 L. F. Schott	107	22,23,24, Blk 13			1.30	1.54	2.84	
George Burditt	1496	102	256 L. Schott	294							
George Burditt	624		244.1 J. L. Shane	160							
George Burditt	1909	102	256 A. Schott	320							
George Burditt	802		244.3 G. P. Hill	100.1							
George Burditt	1497		747.1 R. M. Smith	80							
George Burditt	2104	154	748 T. W. Woodruff	320							
George Burditt	691	154	747 G. W. Ry. Co.	640							
George Burditt	2401	2877	414.1 H. Landa	66							
George Burditt	699		244.2 R. A. Hill	160							
C. M. Cain					Lake Medina Highland Lt 9	Blk 8		23.86	28.25	52.11	
Matilde de Cortera	2472	3923	3002 M. de Cortera	180				.33	.38	.71	
John Elliot Deed	2410	355	85 G. H. Baxter	700				1.43	2.13	3.56	
Mrs. G. W. Evans					Lake Medina Highland Lt 29	Blk 4		5.53	9.94	15.47	
T. A. Ezell	1227	25	190.1 F. L. Mudd	149				.33	.38	.71	
F. W. Fitthouse	51	34	287 V. B. & C. N. G.	2				1.17	1.75	2.92	
Chas. W. Fisher	1014	1687	77 G. C. & S. F. Ry.	320				3.25	3.85	7.07	
John P. Forrest					Bandera Lts 44, 45, Range			4.94	12.69	17.63	
John P. Forrest					Bandera Lts 37,38, Range 5						
John P. Forrest					Bandera Lts 36,37, Range 6						
John P. Forrest					Bandera Lts 33,34, Range 2			.33	.70	1.03	
J. F. Gates					Lake Medina Highland Lt 33,34	Blk 4		.65	.77	1.42	
O. B. Gallagher					Lake Medina Highland Lt 4	Blk 6		.33	.38	.71	
M. O. Giles					Bandera Lt 64, Range 12						
M. O. Giles					Bandera Lts 44,45, Range 7			.52	1.14	1.66	
Francis Goldman	2305	2608	84 A. W. Clark	464.4				3.90	5.52	9.42	
T. C. Golman					Lake Medina Highland Lt 10	Blk 21		.33	.38	.71	
J. M. Houser					Lake Medina Highland Lt 4	Blk 4		.33	.38	.71	
John Hands	151	126	497 A. Gomez	1.1				.13	.17	.30	
G. W. Harris	2306		922 W. P. Cooney	320				2.93	9.37	10.34	
Hugo & Sneltzer	1932	916	12 G. W. Vewter	320				3.12	4.42	7.54	
J. H. Haller					Lake Medina Highland Lt 36	Blk 5		.33	.38	.71	
T. W. Hines & A. I. Brown					Lake Medina Highland Lts 1, 2, 3	Blk 5		.88	1.05	2.13	
A. H. Hoffman					Lake Medina Highland Lts 14, 15,	Blk 6		.91	1.08	1.99	
Wm. Holenberg	154	126	497 G. Gomez	2				.33	.44	.77	
Mrs. E. S. Jackson Deed					Medina Lt 1, Reed Add			.26	.57	.83	
Casey L. Jones	2381		285.2 L. Haby	9.39							
Casey L. Jones	528		285.1 W. Andy	1.61				5.20	6.16	11.36	
Mrs. John L. Little	481	1090	297 A. B. & M.	124							
Mrs. John L. Little	593		291 L. & A. A.	160							
Mrs. John L. Little	482	1090	299 A. B. & M.	80							
Mrs. John L. Little	606		280.1 W. H. Norton	80							
Francis H. Lisle				40	Blk 12			2.73	3.86	6.59	
Porter Loring	1765		234 J. B. Spettle	2.51	Lake Medina Highland Lt 10	Blk 8		.20	.23	.43	
Porter Loring					Lake Medina Highland Lt 10			8.45	10.01	18.46	
Isaac Loya	240		60.1 Blas Loya	160				3.12	5.62	8.74	
Martin Linen Supply Co.					Lake Medina Highland Lts	64,65,66,	Blk 8	.98	1.15	2.13	
John J. Marcul					Lake Medina Highland Lt 25	Blk 2		.33	.38	.71	
H. L. Miskimin					Lake Medina Highland Lt 25	31,32,33,	Blk 2	1.13	1.13	2.13	
J. D. & Jim Miller	1049		174 J. D. Powell		Lake Medina Highland Lts			3.25	9.60	12.85	
J. Y. Miller		92	4019 71 A. Curvier	160				676	14.77	21.53	
W. A. Moehring				100		Blk 4					
W. A. Moehring					Lake Medina Highland Lt 13	Blk 4		.65	.77	1.42	
A. J. Monier					Lake Medina Highland Lt 14	22,23,24,	Pt 6	1.43	1.69	3.12	
W. W. McAllister	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.		Lake Medina Highland Lt			1.95	2.31	4.26	
Wm. D. McCarthy	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.	4				3.25	3.85	7.10	
Joe Mc Curdy	335		532 W. A. Sheppard	2				5.20	7.36	12.56	
Jack Neal	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.	160							
Jack Neal	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2				8.13	9.62	17.75	
Thos. E. Noonan				1.38				7.15	15.62	22.77	
P. W. Nutter					Bandera, Lts 62, 63 Range 11	Blk 4		.26	.31	.57	
M. A. Oatman Heirs	958		2020 M. F. Oatman		Lake Medina Highland Lt 30			1.30	2.24	3.54	
C. S. Oatman	958		2020 D. F. Oatman	45							
C. S. Oatman	1440	126	12 A.J. Champion	110				3.77	6.50	10.27	
H. L. O'Brien				120		Blk 5		.33	.38	.71	
Peter & Paul O'Brien	1738	18	312 D. & W. Ry Co.		Lake Medina Highland Lt 20			.20	.27	.47	
Robert C. O'Conner				17		30,31,	Blk 9	.39	.46	.85	
W. W. Peony					Lake Medina Highland Lts		Blk 5	.33	.38	.71	
W. R. Patterman					Lake Medina Highland Lt 37			.07	.14	.21	
Frank Quto					Bandera Lt 39, 40 Range 6						
Frank Quto					Bandera Lts 41, 42 Range 6						
Frank Quto					Lake Medina Highland Lt 9			.65	1.42	2.07	
H. Rahmstorf					Lake Medina Highland Lt 9	Blk 6					
H. Rahmstorf					Lake Medina Highland Lt 29	Blk 5		.65	.77	1.42	
W. Rahmstorf					Lake Medina Highland Lt 30	Blk 5		.33	.38	.71	
D. C. Robertson					Lake Medina Highland Lt 13	Blk 9		.33	.38	.71	
D. C. Robertson					Lake Medina Highland Lt 8	Blk 9		.52	.62	1.14	
J. E. D. Rodriguez	1321		253.1 J. E. D. Rodriguez	160				4.68	11.70	16.38	
Jose M. Saneda					Lake Medina Highland Lt 4	Blk 5		.33	.38	.71	
Albert Seffel					Lake Medina Highland Lts 8,9	Blk 5		.65	.77	1.42	
J. S. Shiddell					Lake Medina Highland Lt 7	Blk 5		.33	.38	.71	
G. D. Skidmore					Lake Medina Highland Lt 6	Blk 5		.33	.38	.71	
Theresa Semmers					Lake Medina Highland Lt 6	Blk 9		.33	.38	.71	
B. F. Stewart					Lake Medina Highland Lt 21			.33	.38	.71	
A. A. Stocker					Lake Medina Highland Lt 5	Blk 6		.33	.38	.71	
M. P. Strickland	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.	3				3.90	4.62	8.52	
A. F. Surreden	1765		234 J. B. Spettle	1.17				.57	.99	1.56	
T. T. Taylor					Lake Medina Highland Lt 8	Blk 9		.33	.38	.71	
B. C. Teestine					Lake Medina Highland Lt 24	Blk 4		.33	.38	.71	
W. R. Walls					Lake Medina Highland Lts 1,9,	Blk 9		.98	1.15	5.13	
Alex Wait and P. B. Bell	162	21	21 G. Garza	35				5.85	6.93	12.78	
Julia A. M. Wise					Lake Medina Highland Lt 42	Blk 7		.39	.46	.85	
G. W. Wooten	2350	1230	1720 R. A. Nickleson	457.4				3.90	10.02	13.92	
Geo. E. Wright					Lake Medina Highland Lts 27,28,	Blk 5		.65	.77	1.42	
Horace Yancey					Lake Medina Highland Lt 12-A,	Blk 6		.65	.77	1.42	
Andrew H. Young					Lake Medina Highland Lt 6	Blk 6		.46	.53	.99	
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The Old Settlers' Reunion is less than a month away. As the time for holding this reunion draws nearer the interest in it increases. From present indications, we believe the largest crowd ever assembled at a reunion here will be in attendance July 4th and 5th. They are coming from everywhere.

In this issue of the New Era appears the advertisement of the Max Pesler Dress Up Store in Boerne. This gent's furnishing establishment is strictly up-to-date and their stock is complete. The prices are calculated to meet all competition. Next time you are in Boerne drop in and get acquainted with Mr. Besler and his accommodating salesforce, the Messrs. Hartz.

Utopia is to hold a big barbecue Friday and Saturday, June 17th and 18th! Two big days of fun and frolic. All kinds of amusements, baseball, polo tournament, bronco busting, steer riding, goat roping, calf roping, something doing every minute of the two days. Liberal prizes in each event each day. Ed Mansfield of Bandera will take his rodeo stock and riders and help make the big barbecue a success. Those Utopia folks know how to entertain, and as this barbecue is to be given to raise funds to pay out their park, they are going to bend every energy to make it the best yet.

Next week the July number of Frontier Times will be issued from the press. Among the many interesting sketches of early days in this number will be "The Tramp Shepherds of the Pecos," "The Chili Queens of San Antonio," "A Note on Texas," "The Painted Rocks of Concho County," "The Train Robber's Vengeance Miscarried" "Early Coryell County History," "Miss Ann Whitney, the Frontier Heroine," "Two Early Day Letters," "Mrs. Holmsley Went Up the Chisholm Trail," "Spur Revives Memories of Brushy Creek Battle," "Harrowing Experience of Mrs. Kirby," "McCulloch County of Fifty-two Years Ago," "Pension the Indian Fighters," "Early Day Stage Robbery in Llano County," "An Indian's Speech," "Those Good Old Days," "Brief History of Texas," and other thrilling sketches. Nowhere can you find a magazine just like Frontier Times, and it is printed in Bandera. Every citizen of the county should be proud of this little magazine, for it is doing a great work. The August number, which will be issued July 15th, will contain sixty-four pages, and will be profusely illustrated.

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District Court.

District court adjourned last Saturday. The grand jury adjourned on last Thursday, after returning eight true bills of indictment. Following cases were disposed of in addition to those mentioned in last week's New Era:

Ex-parte Jack Haby; dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Ex-parte Deophas Hicks, application to have disabilities as a minor removed; dismissed.

J. D. Ramey vs. D. B. Stuart; judgment for defendant.

Ex-parte Herman L. Thalmann, application to have disabilities as a minor removed. Granted.

Mrs. Willie House vs. Henry House; suit for divorce. Divorce granted.

Mrs. J. S. Reilly et al vs. J. S. Matthews; continued by agreement.

U. G. Edge vs. B. O. Baker; continued for settlement.

The case of the four young men, on trial last week charged with theft of hogs, resulted in conviction of the four, and the jury gave each a four-year suspended sentence.

Fine Rains.

Saturday night and Sunday night fine soaking rains fell throughout this section, the total precipitation amounting to fully 3 inches, which will be of tremendous benefit to the crops. The hot dry weather of the past three weeks was beginning to damage the corn, but the rains came in time to revive it and assure a bounteous yield.

Visitors at Walter Godkin's Spicewood Springs Ranch last Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woeltz, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Collins, Mrs. Mary Woeltz, Misses Kate Woeltz, Carmela Woeltz, Carrie Fecci, Atlanta Wetjen, Vada Mae Collins, Mary Jane Pierce, Clem Fecci, Mary Hora, Messrs. A. B. Mitchell, Gene Fecci, Victor Fecci, John Fecci, Ed Godkin, Leo Godkin, Ray Byler, all of San Antonio.

Joe Bap Becomes a Proctical Gardeier

(By Joe Sappington)

Deep down in the bosom of every able-bodied American citizen who has been raised on a farm is the desire to plant garden seed at the first approach of spring. There are two kinds of gardeners in this world—the theoretical and the practical. The theoretical gardener does all his gardening on cold winter nights surrounded by his loved ones, while the practical gardener goes forth in the early spring armed with a hoe, and plants "two-bits" worth of garden seed, kills a few grub worms, throws a few rocks at his wife and hens that have come in at a crack in the fence, abuses his wife and children for walking on his cabbage bed and closes his labors by throwing the hoe at the family cow which he discovers chewing the tail off his coat that he left hanging on the fence while planting said garden.

For several years I was a theoretical gardener, before I turned my attention to practical gardening and have raised all kinds of vegetables—by the fire, and some of the finest vegetables that I ever raised grew while the mercury in our thermometer was playing peeve with me just above zero. I have sat for hours around the family hearth stone, while the wind came snorting from the north, enjoying the artistic twist of a turnip, the sturdy pose of a squash and the sunset tints of a tomato as were so truthfully portrayed on the outside of a five-cent package of garden seed sent out by the good and honest seed dispensers from away up north.

I never owned but one real garden in my life, but that one was sufficient to last me as long as I live. When I pull aside the curtains of the past and review my past life there stands out that garden to mock me. I had been married about five years when I decided to move my garden from its comfortable winter quarters to the cold damp ground. My wife begging me not to plant it, claiming that it would be a waste of time and money, but I determined to raise a garden or "bust"!

It would not interest the reader to go into unnecessary details, suffice it to say that in the fullness of time joyous spring came on apace with its sunshine and singing birds and butterflies and fragrant flowers, and the gentle rains and warm south winds soon wooed my garden seed to burst their tiny shells and put forth their little heads from the ground. I beheld all of these good things and saw that they were good and I was as happy as a man with chin whiskers.

While it may be true that every cloud has a silver lining, it is also true that every joy has its tinge of sorrow. The warm sunshine and gentle rains that wooed my early York cabbage seed from their beds also wooed several billion goose grass, thistle and other wild seeds into popping their little heads up. The same gentle influence that called into life the little grass and radish seed also quickened into life the meek and lowly grub worms and the sluggish cut worms, and when I went forth one morning after my garden had come up to stand and see what slaughter had wrought to my onions and black wax beans by said worms, and how thrifty the grass and weeds were, I saw right straight that it was not good and said so to my wife in a loud tone of voice and smote a cut worm with my hoe. Next day, after I discovered the havoc the worms had wrought to my garden, two hens and a rooster flew over the fence and ate the last remaining bean. Of course I killed the trio with a stick, but that didn't bring back my beans nor keep my wife from calling me an idiot. I was no longer the cheerful, care-free gardener that I was when I pitched my garden; in fact I became a remorse, taciturn man. Just a few weeks after I planted my garden I began to receive anonymous letters asking about my garden and how I succeeded. I bore all the indignities in silence and continued to kill worms and bugs and fight goose grass. But, to cap the climax, some low-down cur came at the dark hours of night and mowed down my garden in millet seed and tacked a card on the gate saying that if I chopped it down when it came up that he proposed to sow it in Johnson Grass. A rain came in the very next day after the millet seed were sown and it came up as thick as the whiskers on a Kansas Populist, and for fear the cowardly thug would carry out his threat I let it grow unmolested.

I had been the proprietor of this garden about six weeks when I threw it up, but in that brief time I had killed at least five thousand cut worms, three chickens, crippled our cow, quarreled with my wife, got over a big corns on my hands and lots of dirt in my nostrils, had spent $7.25 for garden seed and never got as much as a mess of greens. After I quit working my garden the sun flowers grew 15 feet high all over it and kept me busy pulling big cards off the garden fence that my enemies would tack up of nights bearing this and similar inscriptions: "Joe Sap's garden; look out for snakes."

Boy Fatally Burned by Gasoline Explosion.

Kerrville, Tex., June 6.—Funeral services were held here Monday afternoon for Elbert Hunt, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hunt who was fatally burned while pouring gasoline into an auto at his home. The tragic accident occurred Saturday morning when Boyle Nichols, 3 years old, and a cousin of the Hunt youth, struck a match igniting a can of gasoline held by the older boy.

Badly burned about the body the injured boy was rushed to a hospital where he died Sunday after several hours of intense suffering.

Hondo Woman Victim of Snake Recovering

Although bitten twice on the forehead by a rattlesnake a week ago, Mrs. Laura Hardt, 34, was declared out of danger and permitted to travel from here to her home, 14 miles from Hondo to San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Hardt was asleep on the sleeping porch of her home when the snake crawled into the house and up on the bed, where it struck her twice before she awoke.

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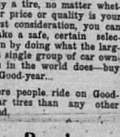

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List of Lands and Lots Delinquent on March 31, 1927, for Taxes of 1926, in Bandera County

Owner	Abst	Survey	Original Grantee	Acres	City or Town	$ Tax	Co. Tax	Total
Mrs. A. J. Gordon	598		163	3	F. M. Moffett	80		$ 1.56	$ 2.57	$ 4.13
J. T. Harris	565		322	1	A. J. Crockett	4		3.90	11.52	15.42
R. H. and May Light	2210	1830		38	J. R. George	80				
R. H. and May Light	2225	1830		38	R. H. Light	80		5.54	7.99	13.53
S. H. Sutton	260	700		168	E. A. Martin	70		3.77	11.14	14.91
W. H. White Heirs	1340			230	J.W. H. White	100				
G. A. and M. White	1340			250	J.W. H. White	60		6.24	6.08	14.32
G. W. Williams	156			313	M. M. Gurrera	50		3.51	8.47	11.98
Albert and B. Ann							Lake Medina Highlands Lt. 9	3.51	7.67	11.18
Dr. Houston Brooks	162	21		21	D. Garza	1/2		2.96	5.61	.57
J. T. Chaney	1473	1096		654	A. L. Tampke	75		1.30	1.54	2.84
W. M. Johnson	370	722		224	S. B. Talley	65		.59	.87	1.46
W. M. Johnson	156			313	M. M. Gurrera	20				
R. G. O'Connor							Lake Medina Highland Lt. 7	6.50	10.70	17.20
J. E. Wolff	1765			234	J. B. Spettle	67	30, 31, Blk 9	.12	.15	.28
Ace Sign Co.							Lake Medina Highland Lt. 4	4.55	5.39	9.94
R. H. Anderson							Lake Medina Highland Lt. 2, Blk 11	.33	.38	.71
Richard Arnold							Lake Medina Highland Lt. 15, Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey							Bandera, Lts. 60, 61, Range 4	.33	.38	.71
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey							Bandera Lts. 25 to 32 Range 10			
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey							Bandera, Lt. 50, Range 9—9			
Mrs. W. P. Baugh							Lake Medina Highland Lt 7	1.37	2.97	4.34
Jno. Banks	2300			300	4. H. C. Winn	101	Blk 6	.33	.38	.71
James O. Bickley							Lake Medina Highland Lt14	.91	1.36	2.27
G. C. Blanchard							Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 14	.33	.38	.71
C. L. Blaschke							Lake Medina Highland Lt 30&29, Blk 4	.65	.77	1.42
D. Z. Blands and H. F. La Rue	2389	737		328	J. C. Thompson	44	Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
D. Z. Blands and H. F. La Rue							Bandera, Lt. 1 to 8 Range 2			
Burleson Tire Co.							Lake Medina Highland Lts	1.04	2.33	3.61
George Burditt	1907	39		746	L. F. Schott	107	22,23,24,Blk 13	1.30	1.54	2.84
George Burditt	1496	102		256	L. Schott	294				
George Burditt	624			244	J. L. Shane	160				
George Burditt	1909	102		256	A. Schott	320				
George Burditt	802			244	M. P. Hill	100.1				
George Burditt	1497			747	I. R. M. Smith	80.4				
George Burditt	2104	154		748	T. W. Woodruff	320				
George Burditt	691	154		747	G. T. Ry. Co.	640				
George Burditt	2401	2877		414	I. H. Landa	66				
George Burditt	699			244	2 R. A. Hill	160				
C. M. Cain							Lake Medina Highland Lt. 9 Blk 8	23.86	28.25	52.11
Matilde de Cortera	2472	2923		3002	M. de Cortera	180		.33	.38	.71
John Elliot Deed	2410	355		85	G. H. Baxter	160		1.43	2.13	3.56
Mrs. G. W. Evans							Lake Medina Highland Lt29 Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
T. A. Ezell	1227	25		190	1 P. L. Mudd	149		1.17	1.75	2.92
F. W. Felthouse	51	34		287	V B B & C N G	2		3.25	3.85	7.07
Chas. W. Fisher	1014	1687		17	G. C. & S. F. Ry	640		4.94	12.69	17.63
John P. Forrest							Bandera Lts 48, 45, Range			
John P. Forrest							Bandera Lts37,38, Range 5			
John P. Forrest							Bandera Lts 36,37 Range 3			
John P. Forrest							Bandera Lts 33,34, Range 2	.33	.70	1.03
J. F. Gates							Lake Medina Highland Lts 33,34 Blk 4	.65	.77	1.42
O. B. Gallagher							Lake Medina Highland Lt 4 Blk 6	.33	.38	.71
M. O. Giles							Bandera Lt 64, Range 12			
M. O. Giles							Bonkers Lts 44,45, Range 7	.52	1.14	1.66
Francis Goldman	2305	2608		84	A. W. Clark	464.4		3.90	5.52	9.42
T. C. Golman							Lake Medina Highland Lt16 Blk 21	.33	.38	.71
J. M. Houser							Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 4	.33	.38	.71
John Hand	151	126		497	A. Gomez	1.1		.12	.17	.29
G. W. Harris	2306			922	W. P. Cooney	320		2.93	9.37	10.34
Hugo & Sneltzer	1932	916		12	G. W. Vewter	320		3.12	4.42	7.54
J. H. Heller							Lake Medina Highland Lt36 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
T. W. Hines & A. I. Brown							Lake Medina Highland Lts 1, 2,3, Blk 5	.98	1.05	2.13
A. H. Hoffman							Lake Medina Highland Lts 14, 15, Blk 6	.91	1.08	2.09
Wm. Holenberg	154	126		497	G. Gomez	2		.33	.44	.77
Mrs. E. S. Jackson Deed							Medina Lt 1,Reed Add	.26	.57	.83
Grady H. Jones	2381			285	2 L. Haby	9.35				
Casey R. Jones	528			285	1 W. Davis	1.61		5.20	6.16	11.36
Mrs. John L. Little	481	1090		297	A. B. & M.	124				
Mrs. John L. Little	593	5		801	L. J. & A.	80				
Mrs. John L. Little	482	1090		299	B. & M.	80				
Mrs. John L. Little	606			280	1 W. H. Norton	80		2.73	3.86	6.59
Francis H. Lisle						40		.20	.23	.43
Porter Loring	1765			234	J. B. Spettle	67	Lake Medina Highland Lt10			
Porter Loring						2.51	Blk 8	8.45	10.01	18.46
Isaac Loya	240			60	1 Blas Loya	160	Lake Medina Highland Lt10	3.12	5.62	8.74
Martin Linen Supply Co.							64.65,66, Blk 8	.98	1.15	2.13
John J. Marout							Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
H. L. Miskimin							Lake Medina Highland Lt35 31,32,33, Blk 2	.98	1.15	2.13
J. D. & Jim Miller	1049			174	J. D. Powell		Lake Medina Highland Lts	3.25	9.60	12.85
J. Y. Miller		92	4019	71	A. Curvier	160		676	14.77	21.53
W. A. Moehring						100	Blk 4			
W. A. Moehring							Lake Medina Highland Lt13 Blk 4	.65	.77	1.42
A. J. Monier							Lake Medina Highland Lt14 22,23,24, Pl 6	1.43	1.69	3.12
W. W. McAllister	51	34		287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.		Lake Medina Highland Lt	1.95	2.31	4.26
Wm. D. McCarthy	51	34		287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	4		3.25	3.85	7.10
Joe Mc Curdy	3335			532	W. A. Shepperd	2		5.20	7.36	12.56
Jack Neal	51	34		287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	160				
Jack Neal	51	34		287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2		8.13	9.62	17.75
Thos. E. Noonan						1.38		7.15	15.62	22.77
P. W. Nutter							Bandera, Lts 62, 63 Range 11 Blk 4	.26	.31	.57
M. A. Oatman Heirs	958			2029	B. F. Oatman		Lake Medina Highland Lt30	1.30	2.24	3.54
C. S. Oatman	958			2029	B. F. Oatman	45				
C. S. Oatman	1440	126		12	A. P. Champion	110		3.77	6.50	10.27
H. L. O'Brien						120	Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
Peter & Paul OBrien	1738	18		312	D. & W. Ry Co.		Lake Medina Highland Lt20	.20	.27	.47
Robert C. OConner						17	30,31, Blk 9	.39	.46	.85
C. W. Peony							Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
W. R. Petterman							Lake Medina Highland Lt37	.07	.14	.21
Prank Quto							Bandera Lt 39, 40 Range 6			
Frank Quto							Bandera Lts 41, 42 Range6			
Frank Quto							Bandera Lt 41, Range 9	.65	1.42	2.07
H. Rahmstorf							Lake Medina Highland Lt 9 Blk 6			
H. Rahmstorf							Lake Medina Highland Lt29 Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
W. Rahmstorf							Lake Medina Highland Lt30 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
D. C. Robertson							Lake Medina Highland Lt13 Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
D. C. Robertson							Lake Medina Highland Lt 8 Blk 9	.52	.62	1.14
J. E. D. Rodrigez	1321			253	1 J. E. D. Rodriges	160		4.68	11.70	16.38
Jose M. Sauseda							Lake Medina Highland Lt 4 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
Albert Seffel							Lake Medina Highland Lts 8,9, Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
J. S. Shiblell							Lake Medina Highland Lt 7 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
G. D. Skidmore							Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 5	.33	.38	.71
Theresa Semmers							Lake Medina Highland Lt 5 Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
B. F. Stewart							Lake Medina Highland Lt16 Blk 21	.33	.38	.71
A. A. Stocker							Lake Medina Highland Lt 5 Blk 6	.33	.38	.71
M. P. Strickland	51	34		287	B.B.B. & C.N.G.	3		3.90	4.62	8.52
A. F. Surreden	1765			234	J. B. Spettle	1.17		.57	.99	1.56
T. T. Taylor							Lake Medina Highland Lt 8 Blk 9	.33	.38	.71
B. C. Vicentine							Lake Medina Highland Lt24 Blk 3	.33	.38	.71
W. R. Walls							Lake Medina Highland Lts 1,9, Blk 9	.98	1.15	2.13
Alex Wait and P. B. Bell	162	21		21	G. Garza	35		5.85	6.93	12.78
Julia M. Wise							Lake Medina Highland Lt42 Blk 7	.39	.46	.85
G. W. Wooten	2350	1230		1720	R. A. Nicklson	457.4		3.90	10.02	13.92
Geo. E. Wright							Lake Medina Highland Lts 27,28, Blk 5	.65	.77	1.42
Horace Yancey							Lake Medina Highland Lts 12-A, Blk 6	.65	.77	1.42
Andrew H. Young							Lake Medina Highland Lt6 Blk 6	.46	.53	.99
Unknown	14	1312		1	A. B. & M.	558		.46	.78	1.24
Unknown	402	166		58	1 F deLes Zephries	25		.39	.91	1.30
Unknown	1026	1230		1719	H. E. & W. T. Ry.	307		2.93	7.51	10.44
Unknown	1151	1659		1729	T. & S. L. Ry Co	180		1.63	4.17	5.80
Unknown	1239	47		84	A. Real	69		.52	.90	1.42
Unknown	1270	2812		13	G. C. & S. F. Ry.	60		.65	1.27	1.92
Unknown	1415	1228		1737	H. E. & W. T. Ry	88		.78	2.00	2.78
Unknown	1953	1921		87	J. Real	70		.78	1.34	2.12
Unknown	7258	3625		122	N. A. Dawson	320		2.93	4.24	7.07
Unknown	2365			326	C. C. McDonald	240		2.15	3.04	5.19
Unknown	2444			552	A. Sprangleberry	245.1		2.28	3.39	5.67
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For Benefit of Utopia Park

Gentry Richards was down from Medina Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis visited San Antonio Monday.

Luther Congbran has moved his tailor shop to the Wright building.

Misses Cecil and Iris Faris, spent several days at Galveston this week.

W. D. Smithers, the photographer, was here from San Antonio Friday.

Morris Witt and Howard Lackey, of Camp Verde, were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short and sons, Leslie and Jake, went to San Antonio Monday.

A. Meadows and Gordon Evans made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter and daughter, Miss Rachel, visited Boerne last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Jr., and Miss Evelyn Gerdes, were in from East Verde Saturday.

Len Bayfield's pretty new bungalo home near the Baptist church is nearing completion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Langford and children, of Mooringsport, La., are here for a month's visit to relatives and friends.

L. A. Barrow and family of Post, Texas, are guests at the F. A. Hicks ranch. Mr. Barrow is a brother to Mrs. Hicks.

Mrs. Lee Mansfield and children, of near Tarpley, spent several days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks.

Among those who were over from the Utopia region last Saturday were Fabian Hicks, Julius Hicks, Dallas Hicks, and Sylvester Mazurek.

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Captain Leopold Raby, accompanied by his son, Arnold Raby, and Sebost an Teschhart, of the Medina Lake region, were in town Saturday.

The county commissioners were sitting as a board of equalization last Saturday, hearing protests against raises in renditions of property values.

Frank Hodges, who has been attending school at Mt. College, came in last week to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hodges.

Little Misses Patsy Risinger of San Antonio and Marjorie Tait of Dilley, spent last week-end with their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait of this city.

Mrs. Will Baker of Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. Merry of California, arrived last week to visit their sister, Mrs. C. H. Mansfield. They will remain several days.

J. T. Gregg, of Burnet county, was here the week-end visiting his sister, Mrs. Herman Harper. He was accompanied by his son, Ward Gregg, of Roswell, New Mexico.

Messrs. Roscoe, Harold and Bert Hayes went to Del Rio last Saturday on a visit to their brother, Will Hayes, who is in the customs service there. They returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hunt, of Conroe, accompanied by their son, Ted Hunt and bride, are here on a visit to relative, the Meadows family, and enjoying an outing on the Medina.

Mrs. C. H. Mansfield, who has been ill for several weeks, was taken to a hospital at Kerrville last Thursday, where she will undergo treatment. Her many friends hope she will soon be restored to health.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mills, of Kingsville, were here a few days last week visiting relatives. They have recently returned from Arizona, where they spent several months. Mrs. Mills' sister, Miss Zella Mae Price, accompanied them to Kingsville where she will enter school.

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FOR SALE—Milk Cooler and ice box, 100 pounds capacity, with space for two ten-gallon milk cans. One ten-gallon can included. All for $35. Also have for sale two milk cows.—Ed Welch, at Miller Ranch.

FOR SALE—Three high grade bucks from the J. I. Lile registered stock. None of them are old. $45.00 takes the three.—J. N. Mickie.

Miss Jeannette Hunter is spending the week with her brother, Warren Hunter, at Harper.

Miss Helen Lytle, of San Antonio, is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Montague and daughters this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hayes, of Fort Worth, are here visiting Mr. Hayes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hayes.

Mrs. Frank Ross and children spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lake Gray, at Center Point.

Does your subscription to the New Era expire this month? Watch the date on the margin or wrapper of your paper.

Misses Elizabeth and Doris Peters, of San Antonio, are spending the week with their aunt, Mrs. Hettie Welch, and other relatives.

Mrs. Val W. Click and daughters, Sara Ann and Ruby, and Miss Lutie Miller, of Lima, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Creed Click Saturday night.

F. B. Padgett, J. A. Hicks, Sylvester Mazurek and Dallas Hicks, good citizens of the Utopia region, were transacting business in Bandera Monday. Mr. Padgett took occasion to renew his subscription to the New Era while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleamer Hicks have moved over from Tarpley and are now occupy their pretty, suburban home west of town. Mr. Hicks says he generally moves like an ant, little by little, and has nearly two weeks getting his household effects brought in from the ranch.

Among the visitors who spent several days with the Otto Weltner family near Camp Verde last week were Mrs. Flora Wallrath and sons, Otto and Carlos, of San Antonio, Mrs. R. E. Klockmann, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Billnitzer and Leonard, and Arthur Galden of Weimar.

Messrs. A. K. and R. N. Briggs returned Friday from a delightful trip to Corpus Christi. They report a wonderful time, fishing and bathing in the bay there, and greatly enjoyed a boat ride of sixty miles out on the Gulf of Mexico. Mr. A. K. Briggs leaves this week for Austin where he will take a summer course in the University of Texas.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gleamer Hicks last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Brock and son, Norman, of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hicks and infant daughter, Ruth, of Tarpley; Mrs. Lee Mansfield and two children, Norman and Eva Marie, of Tarpley; Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield and daughters, Misses Selma Grace and Evelyn, Mrs. Elvius Hicks and Miss Estelle Harris.

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Milton Surber Dead.

Milton L. Surber was born at Laredo, Texas, October 2, 1902, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Surber, on Tuesday, June 14, 1927, after many months of patient suffering.

He was always so appreciative of any act of kindness bestowed and expressed sincere thanks to everyone who ever breathed a word of prayer in his behalf.

He was conscious until two hours before the end, giving directions about everything. He was an intelligent, industrious young man, giving promise of a good and useful life, but the Heavenly Father had other plans which we cannot understand.

He was anxious, willing and ready to go, bidding his loved ones farewell with a happy smile.

Besides his parents he is survived by his brothers, Bernice of Brookline, N. Y.; Leonard, and sister, Josefi, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services at the home on Winans Creek at 1 p. m. on Wednesday, by Rev. W. H. Price of Medina, after which the remains were taken to Center Point and laid to rest by the side of two brothers gone before.

Services at the cemetery were conducted by Rev. J. W. Storms of Center Point.

The New Era extends sympathy to the bereaved family.

John T. Edwards Dead.

John L. Edwards, passed away at his home near Pipe Creek last Saturday, at 7:05 p. m. after an illness of several months. Burial took place at Pipe Creek cemetery Monday afternoon, Rev. B. Hall Bowden, pastor of the Bandera Methodist church, conducting the funeral services.

In the death of John L. Edwards Bandera county has lost one of her best citizens. He was honored and esteemed by all who knew him. His friends were numbered by the hundreds. The memory of his deeds will stand as a monument to his integrity and honesty of purpose throughout the years to come. His life's career will be a beacon light by which those yet living may be guided. He despised hypocrisy and harbored the strongest contempt for double dealing and infidelity. He was generous to a fault and loyal to friends was his chief virtue. John L. Edwards never faltered in exemplifying these principles and a desire to adhere to them not only actuated every move in his private life, but was ever present in his business and public dealings. Let it be said of him that his dealings with men were always fair, unselfish, and void of a pernicious intent.

John L. Edwards was one of our pioneer citizens, having come to Bandera county in 1886. He was born in McLennan county, February 7, 1865. On January 13, 1892 he was married to Miss Minnie Scott at Pipe Creek. To this union five children were born, three sons and two daughters, who, with the wife survive him, being Elmer and Lawrence Edwards of Pipe Creek, Jim Edwards of Los Angeles, California, Mrs. Etta McRae of Hurley, New Mexico, and Mrs. Mae Armstrong of Silver City, New Mexico. All of the children were present at the funeral except the son in Los Angeles. In 1903 Mr. Edwards was converted and lived a devoted Christian life, having his full trust in the saving grace of his Lord and Master, Jesus Christ. When the summons came for him to depart this life it found him prepared to go. His age was 62 years, 4 months and 5 days.

Surviving also are five brothers and four sisters, G. W. Edwards of Animas, New Mexico; Wesley Edwards and William Edwards of San Antonio; Clinton Edwards of Brackettville, and Edwards of Pipe Creek; Mrs. Fannie McCarthy of Pipe Creek; Mrs. Bertha Ackerry and Mrs. Sarah Little of San Antonio; Mrs. Maggie Hax and Mrs. Peelan Hans of Brackettville.

For many years Mr. Edwards served as county commissioner of Pipe Creek precinct. His service in this capacity was never complained of by any one, but the work he did was highly praised. He was in a great measure responsible for the good roads we now have. While road supervisor in his precinct he was ever active in improving the roads, working and keeping them in good condition, and when on road duty, it is said that he worked harder and performed more labor than any of the men working under him. His service was so satisfactory that he was elected each term without opposition, and it was only due to his declining health that he resigned his office two or three months ago. John L. Edwards has passed on, but the influence he performed will perpetuate his memory, and he will be honored by the people of his county for many, many years to come.

The New Era sympathizes with his good wife and children for they have lost a devoted husband and father. To them we would extend condolence, and let them take comfort in the knowledge that, while they suffer loss his kindly counsel and affection, he did not live in vain, and leaves to them the heritage of a spotless name.

The Beauty Contest

Following is the standing of each favorite in the Beauty Contest, as shown by this weeks count:

Mrs. C. W. Harris	217
Mrs. Mattie Jones	204
Mrs. J. A. Head	195
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	92
Mrs. Harriett Chopman	79
Mrs. J. N. Evans	50
Mrs. M. J. Hamilton	20
Mrs. Mary Bruce	17
Mrs. Annie E. Brown	16
Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr.	15
Mrs. Kate Joiner	13
Mrs. Gabe Anderwald	10
Mrs. Artie Reed	10
Mrs. John Adamietz	4
Mrs. Charlie de Montel	3

Enters Normal.

Miss Louise Villemain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Villemain of Pipe Creek, has entered the San Marcos Normal, having spent last week. Miss Louise was one of the graduates of Bandera High School last term, and is preparing to teach. We will watch the advancement of this ambitious girl with interest, and we predict that she will succeed.

Miss Hugh Mayfin'd was here from San Antonio to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Tait.

Miss Irene LaPuente left last Saturday for her home in San Antonio after spending several weeks here.

Floyd Johnson and family, of Los Angeles, California, arrived Tuesday on a visit to his people, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague and sons went to San Antonio Sunday, returning Monday. They visited Mr. Montague's mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, who is in a hospital there.

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Miss Glennie Vale Patterson, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mabel Sawyers, of Globe, Ariz., came here this week for Chicago, where she will attend the Chicago Musical College. Miss Melva Sawyers gave a musical entertainment in Medina last summer, which was highly appreciated by Medina people, and promises to give another one her return from the conservatory. Miss Sawyers is a versatile entertainer.

Will Elkins, of San Antonio visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivon Coorpender have been visiting his mother, Mrs. A. I. Coorpender.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hatfield spent several days in San Antonio last week, visiting relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. H. Davis Mrs. Lorile James, David Jones, and Joe Louis Davis, have returned from Hot Springs, New Mexico, Mrs. Wm. Hatfield will remain at Hot Springs for several weeks longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Davis and children of Los Angeles, California, are visiting relatives here.

The young people enjoyed a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mayfield last Friday night.

Mrs. R. D. Garrison has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Robert Thorne, at Port Arthur.

Miss Jewel Autry has returned from school at San Marcos.

Mrs. C. D. Wyatt and granddaughter, Miss Eula Baker, visited relatives in San Antonio. Mrs. Wyatt's daughter, Mrs. Irene Means, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith and family visited his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith, and Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. J. G. Richards, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Coulter and family are visiting relatives here.

Justice Court was grinding last Saturday. One young man was tried by jury on a charge of intoxication, and was fined forty cents and costs. Another young man, of the Vanderpool community, plead guilty to malicious mischief and was fined.

Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr., and Miss Jemeite Hunter returned Friday from a week's stay at Harper. Mrs. Warren Hunter, who has been quite ill with influenza, came home with them to recuperate for a few days. She was able to return to Harper with Miss Hunter last Monday.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keese were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schreiber, Medina, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds and children and Mrs. R. L. Morris and little sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Grant Soule Tuesday.

Mrs. John Hillman, little daughter Amy, and Alee and Joe Latzler, were Kerrville visitors Saturday.

Miss Lurie Miller spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Clifford Hinds.

Miss Gladys Sutherland, of Taff, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. John Phillips.

Mrs. Zula Miller and daughter Miss Sadie, Misses Lee Anna Tabor, Ira Sutton, and Bud Sutton visited Mr. and Mrs. John Adams at Taff last Saturday night.

Mrs. Bob Johnson and little daughters, Maggie Lee and Irene were guests of Mrs. X. N. Mayberry Sunday.

The showers which have fallen on the past few days have delayed the threshers from work.

Slick Jones and John Steven left last Monday for Grand Canyon, Colerado, to be gone three years—so they say. —Camp Verde Correspondent, in Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Rev. R. J. Gossett and family went to London Tuesday on a visit to Mrs. Gossett's brother, J. D. Lumpkin, who lives near London. Mrs. Gossett and the children will spend several weeks there.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Ella Price Creek, has about recovered from his recent illness and is able to be about his farm duties again. He spent a week in a hospital in Kerrville, taking treatment for rheumatism.

Mrs. Lucy Perry, of California, and Mrs. Sarah Baker of Arizona, sisters of Mrs. C. H. Mansfield, and the three sons of Mrs. Mansfield, Rhea, Bob and Guy, visited her in Kerrville Sunday. Mrs. Mansfield is in a hospital there and is said to be improving.

Mrs. L. N. Coffey, of Comstock, is here to spend several weeks with her aged mother, Mrs. M. F. Weldon. She came last week to be here on her mother's 90th birthday anniversary, the 7th inst. Mrs. Weldon's health is fairly good, despite her accident when she fell her last year, when she fell and broke her hip, she is quite cheerful and lively. Her many friends hope she will be spared to us many more years.

Log Broken

Raymond Hicks, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvious Hicks, was seriously injured Monday while working with a threshing machine, when a team of mules which ran away with him, and while trying to stop them he fell from the wagon, between the team and the wagon. He broke one leg in two places, once just above the knee and also in the knee joint. He was brought here taken to Kerrville to a hospital for treatment. We hope Raymond will soon recover.

Mrs. Montague Improving.

Mrs. Chas. Montague is reported to be steadily improving at a hospital in San Antonio, where she went several days ago for treatment for rheumatism. She had her tonsils removed one day last week. Mrs. Montague has been afflicted for some time, and her many friends are hopeful that her complete recovery will soon be accomplished.

Underwent An Operation.

Mrs. R. S. Davenport, who underwent a serious operation at a hospital in San Antonio on Wednesday of last week, is reported to be improving. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stevens, went to San Antonio to be with her.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, John L. Edwards, and for the beautiful floral offerings. May God bless all of you.

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WINANS' CREEK

Several from our community have been attending the Christ meeting in Kerrville, reporting it a rare treat.

Jesse Moravietz and family of Fair City, visited his brothers, Paul and Joe L. Moravietz last week.

Miss Edna Penticost, of Austin, whose school closed June 3rd, spent a few days in the F. A. Masters home before entering the State University for the summer term, where she plans to get her degree. She was accompanied by Mrs. R. A. Mc-Neese and son, Rufus, Jr., of San Antonio.

Mrs. Josie Lambert and sons, of San Antonio, are spending a month with their aunt, Mrs. J. L. Moravietz. The eldest son, Cornelius, returned Tuesday to his work with a plumbing company there.

Mrs. W. W. Hogan and three children left Sunday on a business trip to their former home at East Ely, Nevada. They were accompanied a part of the way by Miss Ida Penticost who will visit her brother, R. P. Penticost and family in Casper, Wyo.

The Bandera Baseball team crossed bats with the Flying Cadets of Kerrville for the second time last week. The game was played on the home ground of Bandera's High School last Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, in San Antonio, she reports her mother improving in the hospital there.

Mrs. Rite Hicks and family, New Mexico and Mrs. Mae Armstrong, of Silver City, New Mexico, were here last week at the home of her father, John L. Edwards of near Pipe Creek.

Rev. P. J. Boivin, pastor of Bandera Catholic church, is still in a hospital in San Antonio, where he was taken for treatment about three weeks ago. His friends hope he will soon be restored and will be able to return to his charge here.

Card of Thanks

From the depths of our hearts we want to thank our friends for their many acts of kindness during the illness and after the death of our beloved son and brother, O. Dan.

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The Hill Country to the Fore

San Antonio has a live, working Chamber of Commerce, ever on the alert to bring business to the metropolis of Texas. But of late years San Antonio seems to have been overlooking one of her biggest assets, the Hill Country. San Antonio has been boosting the Rio Grande Valley, and selling forth the wonderful possibilities there, which is all well enough, but to the north and northwest of San Antonio, and much closer, is the great Hill Country, which is producing many millions of revenue annually for San Antonio, but which has seemingly not been discovered. So in order to bring the Hill Country to the attention of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, a Hill Country program was arranged and presented at a luncheon given at the St. Anthony Hotel at a meeting of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce last Monday noon, President Eugene Prescott, of the Kerrville Chamber of Commerce, directed the program and the following speakers addressed the gathering: Hon. Alfred P. C. Petsch of Fredericksburg told of the agricultural products of the Hill Country, giving statistics to show the amount of revenue brought by these products. Hon. Roscoe Runge of Mason told of the number of cattle, sheep, goats, and hogs sent to market by the Hill Country, and of the wool and mohair and other products of this region, summing up the amount of revenue derived from these sources. J. Marvin Hunter, of Bandera, told of the splendid highways and picturesque scenery of the Hill Country; and Charles L. Mason, of Kerrville, told of the accommodations for tourists, in the way of hotels, camping facilities, recreation advantages, and the delightful climate of the Hill Country. After these speakers had told of the wonderful resources of the Hill Country, President Prescott followed up and called the attention of the San Antonio body to the fact that the Hill Country was a big asset to San Antonio that should not be longer overlooked, and that we stand ready to help San Antonio in every way possible.

Members of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce expressed themselves as well pleased with the facts that were so forcibly brought to them, and they stated that San Antonio will not be neglectful in the future.

Utopia holds a big barbecue tomorrow and Saturday. Many of our Bandera people have announced their intention of attending.

Ed Heinen, of Pipe Creek, was in town Monday.

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A prize of five dollars in cash will be given to the largest native born Bandera county family in attendance at the Old Settlers' Reunion on July 4th. Families who enter this contest must report to the New Era editor on the grounds not later than 11 o'clock a. m. July 4th. Every member of the family must be present and remain on the grounds all day. Parents and all of the children must have been born in Bandera county. A photograph will be taken of the family group awarded the prize.

Old Fiddlers' Contest.

Charlie Eckhart will have charge of the Old Fiddlers' Contest at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 4th. Mr. Eckhart informs us that there will be a contest for the old fiddlers and also one for the younger fiddlers. A fine violin is to be offered as first prize in the Old Fiddlers' Contest, and only fiddlers residing in Bandera county, who are over 45 years old may enter this contest. The prize for the winner in the young men's contest has not been decided upon. Any resident of Bandera county, age from 12 to 45, may enter the second contest. Full particulars will be published later.

Quilters Over 70.

It has been decided to offer a gold thimble as a prize to the lady over 70 years old who does the best quilting in the quilting contest at the Old Settlers' Reunion. This in addition to the prizes announced in our last week's issue. There must be at least three quilters in the contest. Mrs. Chas. Eckhart will have charge of the quilting contest, and all ladies who wish to enter the contest may obtain full particulars from her.

The Kerrville Chamber of Commerce is pulling for greater things for the Hill Country. Mr. Prescott, the president, and Mrs. Amy Wallace, the secretary, are ever alert to anything that should be brought to the Hill Country that will be of benefit or contribute to its upbuilding.

It was the editor's good pleasure to attend a luncheon at the Bluebonnet Hotel in Kerrville last Friday given by the Kerrville Chamber of Commerce for representatives of various towns of the Hill Country, among those representatives being Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Runge and Mr. and Mrs. Marschall of Mason, Jim Perl of Harper, I. E. and V. J. Adamietz of Bandera, Mr. Holekamp of Boerne, and several Kerrville citizens. At this luncheon a program was arranged to be presented before the meeting of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, mention of which is given elsewhere in this issue. President Prescott presided at the luncheon, and made the visitors feel that it was certainly good to be there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows attended the meeting held by Rev. Truett, at Kerrville last Sunday.

Hill Country Beauties and Assets Presented

The beauties and assets of the hill country, both as an agricultural and live stock section and as a resort area, were presented to a San Antonio audience Monday, when the regular luncheon session of the members council was held. Coincident with the verbal pictures of the picturesque country near San Antonio, a charge of alienation of affection in favor of the Rio Grande Valley was brought against San Antonio.

The first speaker of the luncheon session was Representative Alfred Petsch of Fredericksburg, who told of the agricultural resources of the country. This section, he averred, produces $2,000,000 in cotton, more than $800,000 in oats, $300,000 in wheat, $500,000 in corn and an unknown amount in grain sorghum, $200,000 in truck crops, $1,000,000 in dairy products and poultry, and from $750,000 to $1,000,000 in pecans. In one county alone, he declared, more pecans were produced in one year than the whole State of Georgia.

The prosperity of the hill country, he continued, is one of the assets of San Antonio, and it is content to share its prosperity with San Antonio. It was he who declared that the hill country is jealous of San Antonio's affection.

Representative Roscoe Runge of Mason spoke on the live stock industry of the hill country, declaring that between $5,000,000 and $6,000,000 worth of live stock is produced annually in that section, and that 50 tons of all kinds are marketed in San Antonio. The figures, he explained, are exclusive of the wool and mohair industry, which amounts to fully $2,500,000 in Kerrville alone.

J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera told of the highways and scenery, outlining in particular several loop scenic trips from San Antonio to Bandera, then across the divide to Kerrville, and on to Junction, Mason and Burnet, or else back from Kerrville by Fredericksburg or by Boerne. These routes are unsurpassed anywhere in Texas for scenic beauty, he declared. Later W. H. Furlong of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce told that the local organization has complete logs of all these routes.

Charles L. Mason, president of the Kerrville Chamber of Commerce, spoke on camp sites and hotels, explained that special efforts have been made to open the streams to fishing, and that comfortable camp sites are available over the entire section at 25 cents a day a car. Comfortable hotels offer accommodations at reasonable prices, he said. He closed with a plea for support of the movement to get winter tourists, and congratulated San Antonio's success in securing a 100-foot roadway along the Fredericksburg Road.

Sam C. Bell spoke briefly on the success of this enterprise and asked for the endorsement of the members council of the Chamber of Commerce. H. E. Hildebrand spoke on the assets of both San Antonio and the hill country, and urged a movement to give publicity to these assets.

Walter Walthall of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce presided and Eugene Prescott of Kerrville was chairman of the day.

Among the visitors from the hill country present at the luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. James Perl of Harper, Mrs. Amy Wallace of Kerrville, I. E. Adamietz of Bandera, C. Y. Billings of Bandera, John G. Morris of Kerrville, J. D. Motley of Ballinger, Walter M. Martin, Will Marshall, Lamar Thaxton and Elgin Kothmann, all of Mason.

C. M. Holekamp of Boerne was to speak on the poultry industry in the hill country, but he was not present.—San Antonio Express.

Roy E. Richards writes the New Era that his cousin, Henry Palmer, aged 21, son of Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Palmer, died at Brownwood on May 19, and was buried at Utica, the home of his parents. The young man had recently answered the call to the ministry, after attending Howard Payne College at Brownwood. He was well and favorably known at Medina, where his father was pastor of the Baptist church for some time.

Lee Johnson, of Rocksprings, was a business visitor here Friday.

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You are hereby Commended to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be published at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of H. G. Thompson Deceased, Robert G. Thompson and Goldie Kash have filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said H. G. Thompson, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

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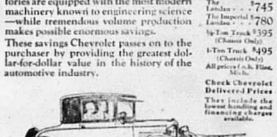

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Owner	Abst	Surv.	Original Grantee	Acres	City or Town	H	Tax	Co.	Tax Total
Mrs. A. J. Gordon	598		168 J. F. M. Moffett	80			$ 1.56	$ 2.57	$ 4.13
J. T. Harris	808		322 J. A. J. Crockett	4			3.90	11.52	15.42
H. H. and May Light	2210	1830	38 J. R. George	80					
H. H. and May Light	2225	1830	38 R. H. Light	80			5.54	7.99	13.53
S. H. Sutton	260	700	168 E. A. Martin	70			3.77	11.14	14.91
W. B. White Heirs	1340		250 J. W. H. White	100					
G. A. and M. White	1340		250 J. W. H. White	60			6.24	8.08	14.32
G. W. Williams	156		313 M. M. Gurrera	60			3.51	8.47	11.98
Albert and B. Anz					Lake Medina Highlands Lt 9		3.51	7.67	11.18
Dr. Houstor Brooks	162	21	21 D. Garza	½			.26	.31	.57
J. T. Chaney	1473	1096	654 A. L. Tampke	75			1.30	1.54	2.84
W. M. Johnson	370	720	324 S. H. Light	63			.59	.87	1.46
W. M. Johnson	156		313 M. M. Gurrera	20					
R. C. OConner					Lake Medina Highland Lt.		6.50	10.70	17.20
J. E. Wolff	1765		234 J. B. Spettle	67	50, 31, Blk 9		.13	.15	.28
Ace Sign Co.					Lake Medina Highland Lt.		4.35	5.59	9.94
E. H. Anderson					Lake Medina Highland Lt. 2, Blk 11		.33	.38	.71
Richard Arnold					Lake Medina Highland Lt. 15, Blk 4		.33	.38	.71
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey					Bandera, Lts. 60, 61, Range 4, Blk 4		.33	.38	.71
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey					Bandera Lts. 25 to 32 Range 10				
Mrs. L. H. Ardrey					Bandera, Lt. 50, Range 9				
Mrs. W. P. Baugh					Lake Medina Highland Lt.		1.37	2.97	4.34
Jno. Banks	2300		300 H. C. Winn	101	Blk 6		.33	.38	.71
James O. Bickley					Lake Medina Highland Lt 14		.91	1.36	2.27
G. C. Blanchard					Lake Medina Highland Lts. Blk 14		.33	.38	.71
G. L. Blaschke					Lake Medina Highland Lt. 50 29, 49, Blk 4		.65	.77	1.42
D. Z. Blanks and H. F. La Rue	2389	737	328 J. C. Thompson	44	Blk 9		.33	.38	.71
D. Z. Blanks and H. F. La Rue					Bandera, Lt. 1 to 8 Range 2				
Burleson Tire Co.					Lake Medina Highland Lts		1.04	2.33	3.61
George Burditt	1807	39	746 L. F. Schott	107	22,23,24, Blk 13		1.30	1.54	2.84
George Burditt	1496	102	256 L. Schott	294					
George Burditt	624		244 I. J. L. Shane	160					
George Burditt	1909	102	256 A. Schott	320					
George Burditt	802		244 3 G. P. Hill	100 1					
George Burditt	1497		747 I. R. M. Smith	80					
George Burditt	2104	154	748 T. W. Woodruff	320					
George Burditt	691	154	747 G. T. Ry. Co.	640					
George Burditt	2401	2877	414 I. H. Landa	66					
George Burditt	699		244 2 R. A. Hill	160			23.86	28.25	52.11
C. M. Cain					Lake Medina Highland Lt. 9 Blk 8		.33	.38	.71
Matilde de Cortera	2472	3923	3002 M. de Cortera	180			1.43	2.13	3.56
John Elliot Deed	2410	355	85 G. H. Baxter	700			5.53	9.94	15.47
Mrs. G. W. Evans					Lake Medina Highland Lt 29 Blk 4		.65	.77	1.42
A. Ezell	1227	25	190 1 F. L. Mudd	149			1.17	1.75	2.92
F. W. Felthouse	51	34	287 V B B & C.N.G.	2			3.25	3.85	7.07
Chas. W. Fisher	1014	1687	77 G. C. & S. F. Ry.	640			4.94	12.69	17.63
John P. Forrest					Bandera Lts 44, 45, Range				
John P. Forrest					Bandera Lts 37,38, Range 5				
John P. Forrest					Bandera Lts 36,37 Range 3				
John P. Forrest					Bandera Lts 33,34, Range 2		.33	.70	1.03
J. F. Gates					Lake Medina Highland Lts 13,14, Blk 4		.65	.77	1.42
O. B. Gallagher					Lake Medina Highland Lt 48 Blk 6		.33	.38	.71
M. O. Giles					Bandera Lt 64, Range 12				
M. O. Giles					Bandera Lts 44,45, Range 7		.52	1.14	1.66
Francis Goldman	2305	2603	84 A. W. Clark	464 4			3.90	5.52	9.42
T. C. Gohman					Lake Medina Highland Lt 16 Blk 21		.33	.38	.71
J. M. Houser					Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 4		.33	.38	.71
John Hand	154	126	497 A. Gomez	1½			.13	.17	.30
G. W. Harris	2306		922 W. O. Conoley	320			2.93	9.37	10.31
Hugo & Sneltzer	1932	916	12 G. W. Vester	329			3.12	4.42	7.54
J. H. Heller					Lake Medina Highland Lt 36 Blk 5		.33	.38	.71
T. W. Hines & A. I. Brown					Lake Medina Highland Lts 1, 2, 3, Blk 5		.98	1.05	2.13
A. H. Hoffman					Lake Medina Highland Lts 14, 15, Blk 6		.91	1.08	1.99
Wm. Holekamp	154	126	497 G. Gomez	2			.33	.41	.77
Mrs. E. S. Jackson Deed					Medina Lt 1, Reed Add		.26	.57	.83
Casey R. Jones	2381		285 2 L. Haby	9.39					
Casey R. Jones	2378		285 1 W. Davis	151			5.20	6.16	11.36
Mrs. John L. Little	481	1090	297 A. B. & M.	124					
Mrs. John L. Little	593	5	801 L. I. & A. A.	80					
Mrs. John L. Little	482	1090	299 A. B. & M.	80			2.73	3.86	6.59
Mrs. John L. Little	606		280 1 W. H. Norton	80			.20	.23	.43
Francis H. Linle					Blk 12				
Porter Loring	1765		234 J. B. Spettle		Lake Medina Highland Lt 10		8.45	10.01	18.46
Porter Loring				2.51	Blk 8		3.12	5.62	8.74
Isaac Loya	240		60 1 Blas Loya		Lake Medina Highland Lt 10		.98	1.15	2.13
Martin Lizen Supply Co.				160	64,65,66, Blk 8		.33	.38	.71
John J. Marouk					Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 2		.98	1.15	2.13
H. L. Miskimin					Lake Medina Highland Lt 25 31,32,33, Blk 2		3.25	9.60	12.85
J. D. & Jim Miller	1049		174 J. D. Powell		Lake Medina Highland Lts		6.76	14.77	21.53
J. Y. Miller	92	4019	71 A. Curvier	160					
W. A. Mooring				100	Blk 4		.65	.77	1.42
W. A. Mooring					Lake Medina Highland Lt 13 Blk 4		1.43	1.69	3.12
A. J. Monier					Lake Medina Highland Lt 1422,23,24, Pt 6		1.95	2.31	4.26
W. W. McAllister	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.		Lake Medina Highland Lt		3.25	3.85	7.10
Wm. D. McCarthy	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.	4			5.20	7.56	12.56
Joe Mc Curdy	335		532 W. A. Sheppard	2					
Jack Neal	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.	160					
Jack Neal	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.	2			8.13	9.62	17.75
Thos. E. Noonan				138			7.15	15.62	22.77
P. W. Nutter	958		2020 B. F. Oatman		Bandera, Lts 62, 63 Range 11 Blk 4		.26	.31	.57
M. A. Oatman Heirs	958		2020 B. F. Oatman		Lake Medina Highland Lt 30		1.30	2.24	3.54
C. S. Oatman	1440	126	12 A. J. Champion	45					
C. S. Oatman				110			3.77	6.50	10.27
H. L. OBrien				120			.33	.38	.71
Peter & Paul OBrien	1738	18	432 D. & W. Ry Co.		Lake Medina Highland Lt 20		.26	.31	.57
Robert C. OConner					30,31, Blk 9		.39	.46	.85
C. W. Peany					Lake Medina Highland Lts Blk 5		.33	.38	.71
W. R. Petterman					Lake Medina Highland Lt 37		.07	.14	.21
Frank Quto					Bandera Lt 39, 40 Range 6				
Frank Quto					Bandera Lts 41, 42 Range 6				
Frank Quto					Bandera Lt 41, Range 9		.65	1.42	2.07
H. Rahmstorf					Lake Medina Highland Lt 9 Blk 6				
H. Rahmstorf					Lake Medina Highland Lt 29 Blk 5		.65	.77	1.42
W. Rahmstorf					Lake Medina Highland Lt 30 Blk 5		.33	.38	.71
D. C. Robertson					Lake Medina Highland Lt 13 Blk 9		.33	.38	.71
D. C. Robertson					Lake Medina Highland Lt 8 Blk 9		.52	.62	1.14
J. E. D. Rodriguez	1321		253 1 J. E. D. Rodriguez	160			4.68	11.70	16.38
Jose M. Sauseda					Lake Medina Highland Lt 4 Blk 5		.33	.38	.71
Albert Seffel					Lake Medina Highland Lts 8,9, Blk 5		.65	.77	1.42
J. S. Shiddell					Lake Medina Highland Lt 7 Blk 5		.33	.38	.71
G. D. Skidmore					Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 5		.33	.38	.71
Theresa Sommers					Lake Medina Highland Lt 8 Blk 9		.33	.38	.71
B. F. Stewart					Lake Medina Highland Lt 16 Blk 21		.33	.38	.71
A. A. Stocker					Lake Medina Highland Lt 5 Blk 6		.33	.38	.71
M. F. Strickland	51	34	287 B.B.B. & C.N.G.				3.90	4.62	8.52
A. F. Surreden	1765		234 J. B. Spettle	1.17			.57	.99	1.56
T. T. Taylor					Lake Medina Highland Lt 8 Blk 9		.33	.38	.71
B. C. Vicentine					Lake Medina Highland Lt 24 Blk 4		.33	.38	.71
W. R. Walls					Lake Medina Highland Lts 1,9, Blk 9		.98	1.15	2.13
Alex Wait and P. B. Bell	162	21	21 G. Garza	35			5.85	6.93	12.78
Julia M. Wise					Lake Medina Highland Lt 42 Blk 7		.39	.46	.85
G. W. Wooten	2350	1230	1720 R. A. Nickleson	457 4			3.90	10.02	13.92
Geo. W. Wright							.65	.77	1.42
Horace Yancey					Lake Medina Highland Lts 27,28, Blk 5		.65	.77	1.42
Andrew H. Young					Lake Medina Highland Lt 12 A. Blk 6		.46	.53	.99
Unknown	14	1312	1 A. B. & M.	53	Lake Medina Highland Lt 6 Blk 6		.46	.78	1.24
Unknown	402	166	58 1 F deLes Zephries	25			.33	.58	.91
Unknown	1026	1230	1719 H E & W T Ry.	307			2.93	7.51	10.44
Unknown	1151	1639	1729 T. & S. L. Ry Co	180			1.63	4.17	5.80
Unknown	1239	47	3 G. C. & S. F. Ry.	69			.52	.90	1.42
Unknown	1270	2812	13 G. C. & S. F. Ry.	60			.65	1.27	1.92
Unknown	1415	1228	1737 H. E. & W. T. Ry	88			.78	2.00	2.78
Unknown	1733	1231	2 J. Real	70			.78	1.34	2.12
Unknown	2259	2635	122 N. A. Dawson	320			3.90	4.84	7.01
Unknown	2355		326 C. C. McDonald	240			2.15	3.04	5.19
Unknown	2444		552 A. C. Sprangleberry	245 1			2.28	3.39	5.67
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Bernard Duke was a San Antonio visitor this week.

Miss Grace Merritt, of Kerrville, was the guest of Mrs. C. H. Moore last week.

A. J. Poteet and Bill Zigmond of near Losantenu, were guests of Ben Clark last week.

Mrs. A. E Scott and children are here from California on a visit to Mr and Mrs. E. C. Villeman.

Mrs. Jessie Gregory, of Petersburg, Texas, is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson.

Mrs. Inez Herring and daughter, Miss Bill, of Port Neches, are visiting relatives in Medina and Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks went to Kerrville Sunday to hear a sermon preached by Rev. George W. Truett, of Dallas.

Mrs. C. H. Moore and sister, Mrs. Merritt, Buster Moore, Gilbert Moore and Miss Grace Merritt visited San Antonio last Saturday.

I. E. Adamietz, C. Y. Billings and J. M. Hunter went to San Antonio Monday to attend the meeting of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schoenert and children, Victor, Gerald, and Misses Estelle and Eileen, were here from San Antonio Sunday visiting relatives.

Miss Eileen Schoenert and brothers, Gerald and Victor, of San Antonio, are spending the week with their aunt, Miss Annie Reiter, of this city.

Miss Zeta Johnson, who has been teaching school at Big Lake, came in Friday to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson.

W. F. Kuehne, of Boerne, was here Monday. He reports that he recently delivered a Chevrolet Coach to E. G. Heimsath of Pipe Creek, and says he is selling lots of Chevrolets these days throughout his territory.

Mrs. W. R. Skinner and three children, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hay, and other relatives for the past month, will leave next Saturday for their home at Port Arthur.

Miss Ruth Kutzer went to San Antonio this week.

Jake Short went to Ozona to spend last week-end.

Miss Ione Fuller is visiting in San Antonio this week.

Walter Coffey, of Harper, was a Bandera visitor Sunday.

G. W. Sandefer, was in from his ranch on West Verde, Monday.

Roscoe Hayes and Paul Atkins made a trip to Pleasanton Sunday.

Roland Thallman made a business trip to Hondo last Saturday.

H. E. Rambie and family went to Kerrville Sunday to hear Dr. Truett preach.

Mrs. C. B. Davenport and son, Warren, have moved to Uvalde to reside.

Lonnie Moore, of the Vandergood neighborhood, was in Bandera one day last week.

Miss Katherine Knight, of San Antonio, is spending awhile with Miss Helen Rugh.

Mrs. Viola Howland has returned from Port Arthur, where she has been visiting relatives.

Judge A. L. Mansfield and daughter, Miss Evelyn, went to Kerrville Sunday to attend the big meeting.

Mrs. E. H. Sewall and son, Epperson, of Pecan Valley Ranch, were guests of Mrs. J. E. Chisum Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Thalmann has returned from San Antonio to spend awhile with her mother, Mrs. M. E. Thalmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rugh and little daughter, Louise, of Moorings-port, La., are here visiting his father, Chas. Rugh.

Misses Cecil and Iris Faris returned last Friday from Corpus Christi and Galveston where they spent two weeks.

Mrs. W. H. Erwin, Mrs. J. E. Chisum and Misses Alcen Cash and Lois Fletcher attended church in Kerrville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Caffall, of Yoakum, spent several days with Mrs. Caffall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Power, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvious Hicks and sons, Raymond and Walter, were among those to attend the Baptist meeting in Kerrville Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. MacLaws entertained the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. with a delightful social last Friday evening. A large crowd attended and every one said they enjoyed it very much and want to go again.

Jesse Moravietz and family, who spent the past two weeks with relatives here, left Monday for their home at Falls City. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Dan Alton, went to San Antonio Monday.

Graydon Faris, Rhea Mansfield, Elbert Faris and Edgar Pugh left for San Antonio, Tuesday, to enter the C. M. T. C.

Mrs. L. L. DeLamure and little son, of San Antonio, are visiting Mrs. DeLamure's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings this week.

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FOR TRADE, for sheep or goats one 1925 Ford touring car, in good condition, five balloon tires. See R. E. Blunt.

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LOST—On Medina Lake; Bay horse, 14 hands high, right hind foot white, blazed face, roached mane. Unbranded.—Notify H. P. Smith.

Miss Alma Irving, of Kerrville, visited Miss Leah Coulter at Medina last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rambie and small son are here from Sabinal to visit Dr. Rambie, H. E. Rambie.

Fritz Eckhart and daughter, Mrs. Sol Steiner, attended the Baptist meeting in Kerrville Sunday.

Misses Norma and Alma Bausch, of Winan's Creek, spent awhile in San Antonio this week.

Gordon Evans sold 350 head of goats, bannies and kids, to Mark Davenport for $8.50 a round.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Wright and baby, of San Antonio, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ethridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bays Atkins and daughter, of Fourlas-ton, are here visiting his mother Mrs. H. S. Atkins.

Does your subscription to the New Era expire this month? Watch the date on the margin or wrapper of your paper.

Mrs. C. B. Corley and daughter, Miss Eloise, are visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Caffall, at Yoakum.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rugh and little daughter, Louise and Mrs. Dan Rugh and son, Alton, went to San Antonio Monday.

Graydon Faris, Rhea Mansfield, Elbert Faris and Edgar Pugh left for San Antonio, Tuesday, to enter the C. M. T. C.

Mrs. L. L. DeLamure and little son, of San Antonio, are visiting Mrs. DeLamure's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings this week.

I make Milk Coolers, Fly traps, Galvanized Tanks, and do Tin and Tumbling work of all kinds. Leave orders at R. F. Powers' store.—R. E. Blunt.

Old Time Dance.

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MEDINA

Miss Mary McMahon, Miss Bonnie Lee McMahon and Miss Ruth Kutzer were in from a trip to Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones and Miss Cleo Smith, of Camp Verde, visited Mrs. Jone's grandmother, Mrs. C. D. Wyatt and her aunt, Mrs. Judith Baker, last Sunday. Miss Leah Coulter accompanied them home.

Mrs. C. D. Wyatt has returned home from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Irene Means, at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Mayfield visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lee and children, at San Antonio.

Mrs. Andrew Lindsey and daughter, Miss Mildred Lindsey, of Devine, visited Mrs. Lindsey's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jone Briggs.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Garaway, June 15, 1927, a baby girl.

Mrs. W. H. Wood and children, of San Antonio, spent a week visiting her sister, Mrs. O. L. Adams, at Tuff and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hatfield at Medina.

Wm. Hatfield, the well known merchant, left Tuesday for points in Alabama and Georgia. There he will spend the next two months visiting relatives and old friends. He has a brother and two sisters living there, to whom he will spend most of the time. During his absence the store will be in charge of his son, W. O. Hatfield.

Mrs. L. Coleman, of Kingsville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. P. Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris left Tuesday for their home in Corpus Christi, after a two weeks visit to relatives here.

Mrs. Ola McMahon and daughter, Miss Bonnie Lee McMahon, of Post, returned home this week, going by Fredericksburg to visit relatives there.

Dance Saturday Night.

James Cox announces a dance at Cox Hall next Saturday night, June 25th, and also Saturday night, July 2. Elmo Newcomer and "Slick" Jones will furnish the music. Admission fifty cents.

New Barber Shop.

Miles M. Caudle has opened a barber shop in the Wright building, next door to Fred L. Cosgrove's store, and invites the patronage of the public. He is an experienced tonsorialist, and his motto will be "To Please the People." He invites your patronage on the basis of first class workmanship and polite service.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Click and little daughter, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Val Click Saturday and Sunday. Little Anna Mae Click remained for a few days visit with her cousin, Little Miss Ruby Click.

Mr. and Mrs Grant Seale and little sons and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Seale were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allsup and children, of Tuff, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Evans on Friday. Miss Ata Evans returned home after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Allsup.

Mrs. R. Morris, who is taking treatment here. We are glad to know he is feeling better and hope he can soon return home.

Mrs. Jim Hillman and little daughter, Amy, and son, Sam Hillman, are spending the week with Mr. Hillman, who is near Blanco on a goat ranch.

Alec Hillman was a Bandera visitor Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reed, June 14, a girl.

Very heavy rains have fallen in this section the last few days.

Married at Alpine.

News comes to us from Alpine, Texas, of the marriage of Miss Ola Varner and Mr. H. B. Holmes, of Marfa, Texas. Mrs. Ola Holmes is the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Varner of Alpine, who resided in Bandera several years ago. We extend congratulations and and wish the newly married wish the newly married pair all happiness and success in life.

If you have any old relics of early days laying around which you do not care for, bring them to the New Era office. We are gathering relics and appreciate anything you bring in.

At the Picture Show.

Tomorrow night at the Bandera Theater "The Masquerade Bandit" will be shown, featuring Tom Tyler and his four pals. A splendid comedy, "East is Best" will also be shown. The line of pictures being shown on the screen by Manager Don Mc-Maine is equal to any shown in the larger towns. You'll miss one of the best if you fail to attend the show Friday night.

Stone Arrow Heads.

Boys, bring your stone arrow heads to the New Era office. We will pay 5 to 25 cents each, according to size and condition. We want other stone relics also.

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The Old Settlers' Reunion.

The reunion of the Old Settlers of Bandera County will be held at Mansfield Park, on Tuesday, July 4th and 5th. There will be an old fashioned tournament, baseball, bronco busting, calf roping, goat roping, steer riding, beauty contest for girls over sixty-five years old, beauty contest for boys over forty years old, quilting contest for ladies, pie eating contest, fiddlers' contests for old men and for young men. The best fiddler in the old men's contest will receive a fiddle with bow and case. Prize in young men's contest will be announced later. All fiddlers who expect to enter are requested to communicate with Chas. Eckhart, who will have charge of this contest. Ladies who will enter the quilting contest should notify Mrs. Charles Eckhart.

A prize of five dollars in cash will be given to the person who brings the largest family to the reunion from Frontier Times headquarters.

It will be a great reunion, the best ever held. The old timers are coming from everywhere to meet their boyhood and girlhood friends here. Two big platforms will be erected, one for the young folks to dance the modern dances on, and the other for the old folks to swing their corners and indulge in the old time dances. There will be jazz music on one platform and fiddle music on the other. And if that music don't inspire you we know of nothing that will.

And each day of the reunion there will be a big basket dinner, the kind you have looked forward to for a long time.

Old settlers of the county are urged to get their badges. The membership fee in the Old Settlers' Association is one dollar per year, which entitles you to a badge. The badge admits you free at the gate and barbecue dinner. All without badges will be charged 50 cents admission.

Died in San Antonio.

Ben R. Callahan, aged 23, died at his home in San Antonio last Monday, after a short illness. The remains were brought to Pipe Creek and interment was made in Pipe Creek cemetery Tuesday afternoon, the funeral services being conducted by Elder J. C. Bell, a Christian minister, of San Antonio.

Deceased was the son of Mrs. Ed Callaham, and formerly resided in Bandera county. He is survived by his mother, two brothers, Elbert E. and John H. Callaham; three sisters, Mrs. John Love, Mrs. Edna McClellon, and Mrs. Ruth Laird. He was a young man of good character and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. The New Era extends condolence and sympathy to the bereaved family.

I'll meet you at the Old Settlers' Reunion at Mansfield Park, Bandera, July 4th and 5th

The Old Fiddlers' Contest.

There's going to be music at the Old Settlers' reunion this year—real music, too, when that fiddlers contest is pulled off. Charlie Eckhart is in charge of this feature, and he has hung up as first prize a splendid fiddle with handsome case and bow, all strung up and ready to play. There will be a contest for the young fellows too, but the first prize in that has not yet been announced. We are talking about the old fiddlers contest now; that's the contest where the old boys play the old time tunes, such as "Sally Goodin'," "Rye Whiskey," Fisher's Hornpipe," "Buffalo Gal," "Leather Britches," "Black Jack Grove," "Mollie, Put the Kettle On," "Cotton-eyed Joe," and such old favorites that tickle the toes and awaken poetry in the heels of those who used to knock the back-step or the buck-and-wing to the sweet strains of "Hell Broke Loose in Georgia," "Wagner," "The Devil's Dream," "The Midnight Serenade" and like tunes, when played by B. F. and J. J. Denton, Tom Gray, John Adams, Will Mayes, Charlie Schmidtke, Andy Jones, Bob Mayfield, and other old time fiddlers of this section. The crop of young fiddlers now coming on is promising, too, and forty years from now they will probably be entertaining the rising generation of that day with what we now pleased to term "modern music." The fiddling at the reunion will be fine and you can bet on it.

Get Badges in Town.

Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, secretary of the Bandera County Old Settlers' Association, informs us that she has placed the badges for members of the Association in the T. S. Dennis Jewelry store, where they may be obtained by those wanting them. This is for the convenience of all.

Self-Help Grocery.

Fred L. Cosgrove has converted his store in the Wright building into a Self-Help Grocery, and will sell strictly for cash. His stock is arranged in convenient shape for the customer to make selection and the price is marked on everything in plain figures. Mr. Cosgrove announces that he will make two deliveries daily to any part of the city, from 10 to 11 a. m. and from 4 to 5 p. m. He will appreciate your patronage.

Appointed County Attorney.

We learn that John Atkins, former Bandera young man who is now engaged in the practice of law at Midland, has been appointed County Attorney for Midland county. John's many friends here will be pleased to learn that he is meeting with success there.

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The Beauty Contest.

The New Era's beauty contest for girls over sixty-five years old is nearing the close. The final count will be made on the reunion grounds Monday morning, July 4th, and the winner announced. The contest closes at 10 o'clock a. m., July 4th. All votes must be in by that hour to be counted. The ballot box will be at the two union grounds early on the morning of July 4th, and all votes brought in should be deposited before the closing hour. Ballots to be deposited before July 4th may be sent or brought to the New Era office. Three judges will be selected to count the votes, and their decision shall be final.

Now let everybody send in the ballots clipped from the New Era each week. You may send your ballots to this office or send them to your favorite direct. We are expecting a heavy vote at the last count, for there is much interest now being taken in the outcome. Clip out the ballot you find printed in the New Era and vote it for any one of the ladies whose name you find in the list of contestants. The winner will receive a handsome cedar chest of chocolate candy, and will be designated "Queen of the Day," to present the wreath to the winner in the tournament.

The standing of the contestants, including this week's count, is as follows:

Mrs. C. W. Harris	267
Mrs. Mattie Jones	236
Mrs. J. A. Head	211
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	96
Mrs. Harriett Chipman	35
Mrs. J. N. Evans	32
Mrs. Gabe Anderwald	29
Mrs. Annie E. Brown	25
Mrs. M. J. Hamilton	20
Mrs. Mary Bruce	17
Mrs. B. B. Langford, Sr.	16
Mrs. Ada Jones	11
Mrs. Artie Reed	10
Mrs. John Adamietz	4
Mrs. Charlie de Montel	3
Mrs. J. F. Tait	2

The Utopia Barbecue.

Utopia held a grand barbecue last Friday and Saturday, the proceeds of which went toward paying off the indebtedness on the Public Park there. A big crowd was in attendance each day to enjoy the sports and amusements provided for their entertainment. There was something doing every minute. A splendid barbecue dinner was served Friday and Saturday. Showers of rain fell during the day Saturday, but was not sufficient to dampen the spirits of those who were there to enjoy Utopia's hospitality.

Three Killed as Auto Upsets

Kenedy, Texas, June 21.—In an automobile accident four miles south of Kenedy at 6:30 Tuesday morning in the immediate vicinity of Green's station on the San Antonio & Arkansas Pass Railroad, E. H. Henke, manager of the Beeville Lumber Company of Beeville Lumber Company of Beeville, his sister, Mrs. Hedwig Jones, and her little daughter, Peggy, 7, were killed and the following badly bruised: Olive and Clara Henke, sisters of E. H. Henke; Mrs. E. H. Henke, who was driving at the time the incident happened, and Mrs. E. Henke, mother of E. H. Henke.

This accident happened on a good stretch of road just after the car had rounded a curve. The big car turned completely over as it left the road. However, it was not very badly damaged and was righted and driven away. The parties were on their way to San Antonio when the accident occurred.

The bodies of the victims and the wounded were taken to Beeville by a Kenedy ambulance driven by Eugene Echols.

Four Injured When Car Turns Over

Hondo, Texas, June 21.—Mrs. Jacob Vogel, Mrs. Herman Vogel, Henry Vogel and Ernest Vogel of D'Hanis were seriously injured when their car turned over three times into a ditch on the highway three miles west of town. They were returning from San Antonio at 11 o'clock Monday night when the lights of an approaching car blinded the driver, causing him to turn into the ditch. Henry Vogel was brought to the Hondo hospital suffering from a broken right thigh bone and is the most seriously injured. Mrs. Jacob Vogel suffered a broken collar bone; Mrs. Herman Vogel sustained a double injury to her right arm, her elbow being crushed and a bone of the forearm broken. The driver, Ernest Vogel, suffered numerous bruises and a wrenched back.

Grandma Janes spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stevens at their ranch, on Bandera Creek.

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ONE VOTE

For _____

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Clip this ballot, fill in name of your favorite, and send to Contest Editor. Not necessary to give us your name. Costs nothing to vote. Cast your ballot every week until July 4th. Let everybody vote.

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Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

The greatest industrial and historical edition of a Texas newspaper was issued by the San Antonio Express last Tuesday morning. It contained one hundred and seventy-two pages of splendid articles bearing on the history and development of Southwest Texas, showing pictures of early day scenes, along with modern scenes. It is a wonderful edition and of value to every person interested in Texas in any way. The San Antonio Express is doing more to develop the resources of Southwest Texas than any newspaper, and the big edition just published shows the spirit of enterprise which has always characterized that newspaper's attitude toward the upbuilding of this section. We congratulate the management of the Express upon the production of the great newspaper.

Bandera should be incorporated. Now, this assertion may come as a shock to some folk, who think a town of this size does not need incorporation. But Bandera is not going to grow very much until we incorporate. And that's that.

The movement to erect a monument to the memory of the Veteran Amasa Clark has been given new impetus by the action of the Pioneer Freighters' Association at San Antonio. Will this monument be placed in Bandera, or will it go to San Antonio? Bandera can have it if there is sufficient interest developed to place it here.

The Old Settlers' Reunion is only a few days away. Make your plans to be here and bring somebody with you, for the reunion this year is going to be the best ever. There will be something doing every minute of the time. A cash purse of five dollars will be given to the native born Bandera county family on the grounds July 4th. All old settlers wearing the badge of the Old Settlers' Association will be admitted free each day. Get your badge at once from Mrs. Chas. Eckhardt, the secretary.

The road from Bandera to Utopia, through Sabinal, is in good shape. Some stretches of the road between Bandera and Tarpley need repairing, and one or two places between Tarpley and Sego Post need fixing, but altogether it may be considered a good road. Commissioner Reeves on this end of the line and Commissioner Porter on the other side of the mountain have done some good work, and when some good work is done in connection with this early start there at that section a good highway from Bandera to Utopia will be completed.

The Amasa Clark Monument.

Through annual reunions and various activities, the Pioneer Freighters' Association endeavors to keep alive the spirit which subdued the wild prairies and laid the foundations of present-day Texas. That mission could be served in no more effective and appropriate way than by erecting a memorial to Amasa Clarke of Bandera, one of their number, who died last January in his one hundred and first year.

Mr. Clark was honorary life president of that organization—one of the many well-deserved distinctions which his fellows conferred upon him during a long, active career. This recent edition revealed those sturdy traits which marked Texas' early settlers and, indeed, were characteristic of the pioneer upon all the ever-shifting American frontier.

Those qualities embraced courage, perseverance and resourcefulness in enduring the hardships, privations and dangers, as well as the isolation, of life in the open. Along with it all was a Spartan simplicity. And this veteran exhibited a broad tolerance which could understand and appreciate the new age. He was quite at home in the Twentieth Century.

The sculptor who carves the monument doubtless will portray Amasa Clark, the pioneer, in the full flush of young manhood, rather than the centenarian. Yet, to be accurate, his work should not overlook that the last-mentioned side of the subject's character. Although the pioneer may be indulged his retrospection, let it be borne in mind that he is essentially forward-looking. Faith in the future is the motive force of his career; no quality is more characteristic than that. By honoring the memory of Amasa Clark the Pioneer Freighters will do honor to themselves. Too, this worthy movement should command the generous support of patriotic Texans generally.—Think, in San Antonio Express.

The Kerrville Mountain Sun looks good in its new size, seven columns, twelve ems to the column width. The Sun is steadily growing and we predict that inside of another year or two that popular weekly will be housed in a handsome building and will be using a Goss Perfecting press. The Salter boys, who publish the Sun, are real live wires, and it was fortunate day for Kerrville when they located there.

It was the editor's happy privilege to meet Capt. J. C. Ware at the Utopia barbecue last Saturday afternoon, Brother Ware informed us that he had settled on the Sabinal at Vanderpool and that now that Uncle Sam has completed the road to that point he will move his family to the new location. Brother Ware is a good man, and we are glad to welcome him to our midst.

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Pleased With the Hill Country

L. F. Merl, secretary of the Dilley Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Joe Nagy, of Dilley were callers at the New Era office last Wednesday, and were glad to note the general prosperous condition of the Bandera section. This was Mr. Nagy's first trip to the Hill Country, and he was much elated over the splendid summer climate found here. Mr. Merl, who spent practically all of the summer of '25 here, is loud in his praises for, the Bandera country, and has ever since boosted this section as a summer resort. He commented very favorably upon the Hill Country meeting with the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce on Monday of last week, as much good can be accomplished by the close co-operation of the commercial bodies of the Hill Country with that of San Antonio.

Mr. Merl and Mr. Nagy were on a trip of inspection of the larger poultry plants in the Hill Country, and visited the Ed Mansfield ranch while here, conferring with Mr. Mansfield on the raising of sheep. Mr. Nagy is a prominent farmer of his section, having over 2000 acres in cultivation, and he has had irrigated farming. He just recently shipped 11 cars of fine Irish onions from his farm, each car bringing $1,000 for around $15,000.00. During the winter and early spring months Mr. Nagy raises spinach, onions and other truck crops, followed them on with cotton, corn, feed stuffs, etc. He raises and sells several car loads of hogs during each year, which are fed and fattened from products raised on his farm. In addition to these he sells a few steers, and his experience this year has been very satisfactory indeed.

Mr. Nagy set out a small orange and grape fruit orchard this year in addition to his home orchard of various kinds of deciduous fruits, and fruiting date palms. He has also just installed a poultry farm, fully equipped, which is a new activity on this South Texas farm.

Mr. Merl notes many improvements in Bandera and feels that this city has a great future before it as both an attractive summer and winter resort, aside from the agricultural advantages offered by Bandera county. The Dilley section is fast developing. Mr. Merl said, and a great deal of activity prevails there in the development of the shallow water strata there, the citrus industry, and general horticulture. The Central Power and Light Co. has completed a high power line from San Antonio to Dilley, and are now completing a high line from Dilley west to Asherton and Catarica, a distance of over 50 miles. The high line goes south of Dilley as far as Cotulla. There is an extensive irrigated forced road from San Antonio to Dilley, and a good gravel road from the Eagle Pass, which will be topped some time in the near future.

Over 150 acres have been set out at Dilley in citrus and grapefruit trees this year, with over 1000 acres of citrus trees growing now in the famous Winter Garden District of Texas, of which Dilley is the Gateway.

Mr. Nagy was accompanied by Mrs. Nagy, her sister, Mrs. Frank Konsal, also of Dilley, and Mrs. Annie Zwiebach, of Cotulla. Mrs. Merl, wife of Mr. Merl, and Mrs. Nagy's mother, Mrs. Kerrville, Fred Kerrville, Comfort and Boerne were visited before returning home.

Old Settlers Badges.

The badges for the Old Settlers have arrived, and may be secured from Mrs. Chas. Eckhardt at the reunion grounds. The badges start on account of these. This year's badge is red in color. The honorary badge, issued to those who have resided in the county more than sixty years, is purple in color and is never changed. Members who wear the purple badge do not pay dues. Those who have resided over twenty years, but less than sixty years, should at once notify Mrs. Eckhardt of their residence, so that their badges may be secured in time for the reunion. Do not wait until the last minute, as some confusion may cause your badge to be overlooked.

We found our brother, A. W. Hunter, at the Utopia barbecue last Saturday, and published a Camp Wood (Texas) paper, which contained a write-up of the Old Settlers Reunion July 4th and 5th. Come over to see us.—Mansfield Messenger.

Mansfield is likewise invited to the Old Settlers Reunion July 4th and 5th.

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

You are hereby Commended to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the estate of H. G. Thompson deceased, Robert G. Thompson and Goldie Kash have filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the Will and Testament of said H. G. Thompson, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the third Monday in July A.D. 1926, the same being the 19th day of July A.D. 1926, at the Court House thereof in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera, this the 7th day of June A.D. 1926.

MARK MURRAY, Clerk
County Court Bandera County, Texas.

By Lucile Tuttle, Deputy.

(SEAL)

First pub. June 11.

Stone Arrow Heads.

Boys, bring your strong arrow heads to us. Your strong arrow heads will be worth 10 cents each according to size and condition. We want other stone relics also. We want other stone relics also.

Guaranteed. Used Cars.

One old model Dodge Touring Car, $50.00
One Model T Ford Touring Car, $50.00
One Model T Chevrolet Touring, Overhauled, $75.00

Mansfield Motor Company
Chevrolet Co.

BANDERA-SAN ANTONIO
U. S. MAIL and SERVICE LINE
W. H. NOBLES, Proprietor

Car Leaves Bandera Postoffice 1 p. m. daily, except Sunday
Car Leaves Bailey's Bakery, 1013 North Flores Street, San Antonio, at 7:15 a. m.

FARE, $1.50 ONE WAY; $2.50 ROUND TRIP
Haul Baggage and Express
San Antonio Phone, Mission 3373-J

O. S. T. Cafe and Confectionery

Mrs. M. E. Faris, Proprietor.

New and Up-to-Date, Clean and Sanitary
Regular Meals, Short Orders, Cakes, Pies, Etc
Cold Drinks, Fine Candies, Cigars, Fishing Tackle
Polite and Efficient Service Your Patronage Solicited

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Bandera's Leading Store
Carries a large and Complete Stock of
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Agents and Warehouse for Implements
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Buy what you can where you can buy it cheapest, but
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Big Dance
AT
COX HALL
Saturday Night, June 25th
Also
Saturday Night, July 2nd
Music by
Elmo Newcomer and "Slick" Jones

Renew Your Health by Purification

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs,—one or two a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health.

Calotabs are the greatest of all system purifiers. Get a family package, containing full directions. Only 35 cts. At any drug store. (Adv.)

Raise in Rates.

Hereafter the New Era has been charging five cents per line for reader advertising. Other newspapers are charging more than that, and after July first our rate for reading notices will be 7½ cents per line. The display rate will remain at 25 cents per inch per week.

Prizes in Quilting Contest.

The following prizes will be offered in the quilting contest to be held at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 4th. Mrs. Chas. Eckhardt will be in charge of this contest, and those desiring to enter shall notify her. The quilt to be made will be a "Friendship Quilt. Quilting will begin at 10 o'clock a. m. July 4th, and it is expected the quilt will be finished that day. Pattern will be sent to anyone asking for it.

Best quilter over 70 years old, 14-karat gold thimble.

Best quilter over 65 years old, a 14-karat gold thimble.

Best quilter, 60 to 65 years old a 10-karat gold thimble.

Best quilter, 40 to 60 years old, a solid silver thimble.

Watch Your Date

The date opposite your name on the wrapper of the paper or on the wrapper shows when your subscription to the New Era expires. Look at the date there this week and if you find your subscription has expired we kindly ask you to renew it without delay.

We are now fully equipped to rebuild and recharge storage batteries of all kinds. New batteries in stock for service and good work guaranteed.—Ruge's Filling Station and Battery Shop.

Baseball
Baseball
Sunday, June 26
Sunday, June 26
Adamietz Ball Park
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Admission 15c and 20c
Admission 15c and 20c

R. F. Power
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Staple and Fancy
Staple and Fancy
Groceries
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Fresh Fruits, Candy
Fresh Fruits, Candy
Country Produce Bought
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Another Beauty Contest.

The New Era will put on another beauty contest at the Old Settlers Reunion July 4th, when we will give a ten-pound stick of striped candy to the boy over sixty-five years old, who gets the most votes for being the best looking chap in the county. Ladies winners in such a contest are barred from entry in this contest. We all know that John Rose, Andy Jones and Tommie Laxson are the best looking boys anywhere, for they have won the candy at former reunions, but there are other good looking old boys who should be considered, and we want them nominated; not that we begrudge the honors heretofore bestowed, but ever since the three boys named above won the candy they have been inclined to cry over their good looks to the mortification and exasperation of other handsome ones. The victory last reunion had the effect of discouraging Andy Mansfield and Jack Anderson, for since the candy was awarded to Tommie Laxson these two boys have seemed to lose all interest in improving their good looks. Andy never combs his hair now, and Jack has been heard to wish that he would go bald-headed. But by giving them a chance at winning that big stick of candy this year we think they can be induced to "spruce up" and make the winning race against each other.

Walter Meadows was in from Medina Monday.

Fred Cogrove made a trip to San Antonio Monday.

Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

Frank Mansfield and Marvin Hunter, Jr., went to Boerne Sunday.

Street Hudspeth is spending awhile in Tyler, visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Lena Wright spent several days in Tarpley visiting relatives the past week.

Richard Schnadeer and son, Ben, were in town from their home on Mason Creek, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Tyler of Bolton, were here this week visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Erwin.

Frank Billings attended the Parmaceutical Association meeting at San Antonio one day this week.

Miss Elsie Lee Faris went to San Antonio Sunday to visit her aunts Mrs. Ned Smith and Mrs. Bolton.

Mr. Pickens and sister Margaret, are here from Carlsbad, N. M., visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton.

Miss Annie Cravey came up from San Antonio to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cravey of Tarpley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge had as guests over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Renkin and son Paul, of San Antonio.

Mrs. Elmer Spellman and Mrs. Billings, of Smiley, are here visiting Mrs. Billings' daughter, Mrs. H. Cowgran.

Mrs. Ben Delamore returned to San Antonio after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings.

The Collins Grocery Company has moved into the Bandera Realty Hall room just finished and won the game with a score of 11 to 9. Come and see us.—Collins Grocery Co.

Mrs. Emma Barnes of Bandera, was visiting relatives in Castroville Monday.—Castroville Observer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings went to San Antonio this week to see their daughter, Mrs. H. De Zavala, who is very ill.

Mrs. R. R. Russell, of San Antonio, accompanied by her brother, Jerome Strickland, of Bandera, arrived last Friday for a county visiting visit. Good boost for Bandera.—Mrs. Strickland has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Russell, at San Antonio for the past month.

While in this community visiting the site of the old Medina City, Mrs. Strickland also visited the site of their old home in Bandera.

Do you read Frontier Times?

Do you read Frontier Times?

A Good Yarn.

An editor down in Texas, says the Stillwater (Minn.) Gazette, has been accused on several occasions of not telling the truth in his newspaper.

In the newspaper parlance, his ire was roused, and he announced:

"A lot of people in this town fail to see with the editor and brand him a liar when the ordinary mistakes of life show up in the paper. You have a little charity and fellow-feeling for every man in town but the editor. You claim you want the facts and d—d if we don't give them to you. Read the next issue of this sheet 'and you will see facts with the bark off.

"I admit that I have been a liar, an editorial liar ever since I have been editing this sheet, but I have never printed a lie in these columns except to keep somebody's feelings from being hurt. I am not afraid of any of you and I'll be dad-blamed if I don't print the truth from now on or until you get out of the habit of calling me a liar every time I make some unavoidable typographical errors. Now watch my smoke!"

And here are some paragraphs of his "smoke" in the next issue:

"John Bonnin, the laziest man in town, made a trip to Belleview yesterday.

"Rev. Sparks preached last Sunday at the local church. His sermon was punk and uninteresting except some stuff he quoted from Bob Ingersoll, for which he failed to give Bob credit. He also cited a few passages from William Gilbert Munsey's sermons and had the unlimited gall to palm it off as his own.

"Tom Stordin married Miss Caroline Meadows last Tuesday at the county seat. It was a generally known, but the marriage was brought about many days by Remington shotgun manipulated by the bride's father. Tom concluded that marrying was the healthiest thing he could do until other arrangements had been made.

"Regus Lloyd, cashier of the State Bank of Willow Grove, died last Wednesday and was buried by the Odd Fellows at Pleasant Mound Cemetery. He had been taking this paper for several years and had not paid a cent. We thought that being a banker he would certainly pay some time. We will now try to count for two bits worth of groceries."

"Married—Miss Susie Scruggs and Horace Griffin. The bride is a very ordinary girl who flirts with every traveling man she meets and never helped her mother much during her life all put together. She is anything but a beauty, resembling a gravel pit in the fact and was black as dirt. The groom is a natural born loafer and bum. He never did a lick of work until his step-daddy ran him off from home last fall. He went to the county seat and rather than starve to death he accepted a job as chambermaid in a livery stable. As soon as his ma found out where he was she went up and got him and brought him home. They will reside at the home of his wife's father and he has no definite plans for the future. Susie will have a hard road to hoe."

The story didn't say what happened after the issue came out, but reprinting that might have been one way to get even. Those who are "sore" to howl time when the paper makes a trifling mistake.

Among the Bandera people who attended the barbecue at Utopia Last Friday and Saturday were Mrs. Ed Barker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhardt, Howard Eckhardt, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Ikns, Orchestra, Mrs. Bertie Engel, Mrs. Wooster, Jake Mansfield and family, Joe Mansfield and family, Mrs. Ben Mansfield, Mrs. Robert Mansfield, Mrs. Ben Mansfield, Jr., and Mrs. Hugh Mansfield, Mrs. Ed Mansfield, Hayden Mansfield, Tom Robertson, Mrs. Ed Mansfield and family, Mrs. Ed Florence and family, Jack Mansfield and family, Mrs. Ed Mansfield and family, Mrs. Ed Mansfield and family, Mrs. Ed

WE WANT OLD RELICS. If you have any old relics of any kind which are in any way connected with the early history of Bandera or the frontier, and you have no use for them, bring them or send them to The New Era Office. Old pistols, guns, knives, tools of any kind, household articles, or anything that will be worth preserving will be given a place among our collection.

Notice

Dr. D. H. Rittimann, Optometrist, specialist in making eye examinations and fitting glasses correctly, will be in Bandera, Texas, with the Rittimann Jewelry and Optical Co., June 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25. All in need of glasses, rectified, will have the opportunity to consult me for a proper correction. Office hours, 10 to 12 a. m., 1 to 4 p. m.

POSTED

My pasture along the Medina river is posted. No camping, hunting with gun or dogs, and no trespassing of any kind will be allowed on same. Keep out and save trouble.—Paul Moravietz. 2tp

Sale of Dry Goods

Next Friday and Saturday only, to close out this line I will offer all of my dry goods, ladies' and gents' furnishings and boys' overalls and jackets at 25 per cent discount for cash. You can profit by taking advantage of the sale.—Fred L. Cosgrove's Self-Help Grocery.

It Pays to Use Good Oil

We keep Mobiloil and Texaco Oil in stock. Best oils to be found.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Watch Your Date

The date appears on your name on the margin of the paper or on the wrapper shows when your subscription to the New Era expires. Look at the date there this week and if you find your subscription has expired we kindly ask you to renew it without delay.

Bandera Barber Shop

MILES M. CAUDLE, Proprietor.

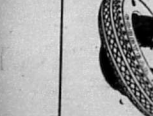
Shaving, Hair Cutting, Shampooing, Ladies' Bobs a Specialty.

First Class Workmanship

SHAVES, 15c
HAIR CUTS, 25c

"To Please the People."

Located in the Wright Building, Next Door to Cosgrove's Grocery.



FOLLOW THE CROWD

When you get around to buy a tire, no matter whether price or quality is your first consideration, you can make a safe, certain selection by doing what the largest single group of car owners in the world does—buy a Good-year.

More people ride on Goodyear tires than any other kind.

Ruge's Filling Station

J. G. Richards of Medina, was in town Monday.

Ready to go! Old Settlers' Reunion at Bandera July 4th and 5th.

Colonel J. A. Head went to San Antonio Monday, returning Tuesday.

Harvey Duke and family, of Nixon, were guests of I. I. Duke and family last Sunday.

If you want good oil we have it. Texaco and Mobiloil.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Jesse Padgett was over from Tarpley last Friday and paid this office an appreciated visit.

Mrs. John O'Larnie and children and Mrs. Shelby Jackson, of San Antonio, are visiting N. N. Jackson and family above Medina.

E. G. Pogen, Captain Dubal, and Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kolodzieg, of San Antonio, were guests of the Paul Moravietz ranch a few days ast week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bosshardt, Carl Bosshardt, Anna Louise Bosshart and Maudine Lorentz, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ruge, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baker and four children were down from Bluff Friday and paid this office an appreciated visit. We are glad to know that Mr. Baker has about recovered his health and is getting strong again. Several months ago he was in pretty bad shape and had to undergo several operations at a hospital in San Antonio.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sherriff or any Constable of Bandera County, Greeting:

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the estate of J. A. Miller, Deceased, Minnie M. Miller has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament, of said J. A. Miller Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera Cais the 22nd day of June A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

I make Milk Coolers, Fly traps, Galvanized Tanks, and do Tin and Trumbing work of all kinds. Leave orders at B. F. Powers' store.—R. E. Blunt.

Scott Duhnig, of San Antonio, is here visiting friends.

Luther Hamilton was here from Smiley one day this week.

Wes Smith and son, C. C., of Mason, were in Bandera one day last week.

Ed Mansfield and son, Bruce, went to San Antonio yesterday on business.

Frank Mansfield sold Lon Elam a new Chevrolet touring car last week.

H. Rohrbach and little daughter, Annie Mae, were up from Pipe Creek Tuesday.

Ed Ross, of Edwardsville, Arkansas, is here visiting his father, John H. Ross.

Roy Mansfield, of Fallsurriss, is visiting his parents, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

Little Miss Leona Faris, of Sour Lake, is spending the week with Miss Elsie Lee Faris.

Messrs. Henry and Charles Deckert, of Hondo, were here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Jewel Strackbein, of Mason, was here visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings last week.

Thos. A. Laxson, of the Confederate Home at Austin, has been here several days on a furlough.

Tom Tyler and his four pals in "The Masquerade Bandit" at Bandera Theater Friday night.

A. Maddox spent several days in Dallas and Fort Worth last week attending the Bankers convention.

Bill Edwards was in town last Thursday and dropped into this office to subscribe for the New Era sent to him every week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Snelling, of San Antonio, day before yesterday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Stuvers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davenport Sr., are spending awhile on West Verde visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claybourne Davenport.

Does your subscription to the New Era expire this month? Watch the date on the margin or wrapper of your paper.

Mrs. Lena Butler, Misses Lena and Ada Butler and Neil and Mr. Axel Indoll of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Power and C. D. Corley went to Yoakum last Sunday. Mrs. Corley and daughter returned home with them.

Misses Clara Molalson, Rose Oschwald and Almiro Adamietz are here from Thibodeaux, La., visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge.

Our service can't be beat.—Geo. W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

Raise in Rates.

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Mrs. Clinton Risinger, who has been in a hospital in San Antonio the past several weeks, has brought home last Friday. We are pleased to learn that she is steadily improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart at their delightful ranch home on Middle Verde. Real hospitality is dispensed by Mr. and Mrs. Eckhart and they made our visit very pleasant in every way.

Miss Margaret Montague spent last Sunday in San Antonio with her mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, who is in a hospital there. She informs us that her mother's condition continues satisfactory and she has so far recovered that she will be able to return home today or tomorrow, and hopes to attend the Old Settlers' reunion July 4th and 5th.

WANT COLUMN

MOORMAN'S CLEAN-SWEEP and GROFAST for sheep and goats. Sold by R. T. Holdcomb, Medina, Texas. Independent phone. Mar28tf

FOR SALE—Home-made molasses 70c per gallon bucket.—Will Batte.

STONE ARROWHEADS—Bring your Indian arrowheads to the New Era office. We will buy them if in good condition.

FOR SALE—Peafowls, $15 per pair. Address Mrs. L. Hicks Tarpley, Texas.

FOR SALE—Milk Cooler and ice box, 100 pounds capacity, with space for two ten-gallon milk cans. One five-gallon can included. All for $35.—Ed Welch, at Miller Ranch.

LOST—A balloon tire with Sterling cover and Chevrolet rim and lugs, between Middle Verde and Pipe Creek. Reward offered. Call at this office.

FOR SALE—Victrola, in first class condition. Can be seen at my home.—Mrs. J. F. Tait.

FOR TRADE, for sheep, or goats one 1925 Ford touring car in good condition. Five balloon tires. See R. E. Blunt.

FOR SALE—A good second hand saddle, cheap. See B. F. Langford, Jr., 2tp

FOR SALE—Red Durham bull four years old, weight about 1,200 pounds. Not a bad bull either. Price $60.—J. N. Mickle.

LEE MASON & SON

IN KERRVILLE, TEXAS.

"CHRYSLER"—BEYOND ALL COMPARISON.
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Fresh Staple and Fancy Groceries

All Goods Market in Plain Figures. Prices Lowest. I Deliver Twice Daily, 9 to 10 a. m. and 4 to 5 p. m.

Buy Here, Pay Cash and Save the Difference

Schoenert's Cash Market

In old Tin Shop Building, Corner First State Bank

Fresh Meats of All Kinds

Try the Famous Schoenert Sausage. Free Delivery to all parts of the city. A share of your trade will be appreciated

W. E. SCHOENERT, Proprietor.

Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Company

Sales CHEVROLET Service

FIRESTONE

Tires, Tubes and Accessories in stock. We handle a good line of Grease and oils, Harvey Guaranteed Storage Batteries. Hot Shots, Tire Pumps, Chains and Jacks, Cool Cushions, Sunshades, and other accessories. Genuine Chevrollet and Ford Parts in stock.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS.

On Your Outing Trip Come to the Bandera Hills.

STOKES' TOURIST PARK

B. H. STOKES, Proprietor.

TWO MILES ABOVE MEDINA CITY, TEXAS.
On Old Spanish Trail Loop, Between Bandera and Kerrville
The Scenic Drive of Texas
CAMPING QUARTERS. OUTHOUSES. BATHING POOLS. BOATING, FISHING. RECREATION
Telephone and Delivery Service
Headquarters at B. H. STOKES' STORE, in Medina City.

Wm. Hatfield

MEDINA, TEXAS

Dry Goods and Groceries,

STAR BRAND SHOES

Notions, Hardware, Feed, Etc.

FENCING WIRE OF ALL KINDS
Highest Prices Paid for Wool and Mohair

Bandera Theater

Friday Night, June 24

The Masquerade Bandit

Featuring Tom Tyler and His Pals

Comedy "East is Best"

ADMISSION . . 30c and 15c

Grays' Garage

and Machine Shop

GRAY & GRAY, Proprietors

(Old Ruge Stand.)

General Repairing, Welding. We fix anything.

Tires, Tubes, Accessories. Full Line of Ford Parts. Lubricating Oil and Cup Grease.

"YOU KNOW ME, AL."

The New Era covers Bandera County like a blanket—and it is read by every citizen.

The Bandera New Era

The Bandera Enterprise Established 1880 — "The Little Old Home Paper" — The Bandera New Era Established 1915

The New Era retails to all alike at $1.50 per year. Circulation is steadily growing.

VOLUME— No. 9. BANDERA, BANDERA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1927. $1.50 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE

CHAS. SCHREINER BANK
(UNINCORPORATED)
KERRVILLE, TEXAS

Liberal Advances Made on CATTLE, SHEEP, GOATS, WOOL AND MOHAIR

ESTABLISHED 1869

MEDINA

Miss Hazel Carroll, of San Antonio, is visiting Miss Fern Banta.

Mrs. E. H. Sewall left Monday for Junction to visit her brother, who was seriously injured recently.

Misses Zella and Lue Chism and Miss Amey Harris were the guests of Miss Mary McMahon Tuesday.

Mr. McMahon killed a big rattle snake which measured 6½ feet long and had 18 rattlers, at the Hansen Ranch.

Mrs. Grot Lackey is suffering from a nervous breakdown. She is at Kerrville under a doctor's care, taking a rest treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and family, of Port Arthur, are visiting Mrs. Smiths' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sutherland.

Miss Thelma Sherrill was married to Mr. Clyde Elam Tuesday, June 21, at Houston. The bride taught school here the past two terms. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Sherrill. Mr. Elam is a well known having been raised here. We wish for this happy pair a long and useful life.

Wednesday, June 22. Mrs. Susie Davis was married to Mr. Jesse Adams at Uvalde. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Livingstone attended the wedding. Both these young people are well known here. We wish them a long and useful life.

A dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norris last Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Akin, and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Stovall, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and children of Port Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Light, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Kelly and family, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Norris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Moseley, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and family, Mrs. J. L. Davis and daughter, Floyce, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weed and baby, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sutherland and James. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Norris and baby.

John Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Robertson of Fredericksburg, died at the Sour hospital at Kerrville last Friday morning, June 24, after a short illness. He was born September 21, 1908. He is survived by his father and mother, six brothers and sisters; Vivian Elizabeth, Sallie, Helen, Paul, Luke and Edward. Funeral services were held Saturday, June 25, at Fredericksburg by Rev. Radetzsky.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMahon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. McMahon and baby and Jim McMahon attended the funeral at Fredericksburg on Saturday.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stendebach and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scales and family, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Click, and family, of Bandera, visited Mr. and Mrs. Val Click Sunday.

Davie Miller, of Fredericksburg, visited relatives here last week. His Aunt, Mrs. Jonan, of Travis, accompanied him over to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. G. Keese.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hinds and children and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds and son, Elmer, were Kerrville visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese and children are visiting Mrs. Keese's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Knatcher, at Fredonia, and other relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fee and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jillman Sunday.

Louis Sutton, who has been working on the Pipe Line near Tuff, cut his knee very badly with an axe Monday afternoon. We certainly hope he will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and daughter, Miss Ola Belle, visited relatives here Monday.

T. H. Phillips had a new Fordson tractor brought over Tuesday.

Epworth League Social

The members of the Methodist League gave a chicken roast at the Council Grounds Thursday evening. Everyone had a splendid time. Those present were: Misses Helen Rugh, Thelma and Jamie Surber, Ceel and Iris Faris, Leora Faris, Lucille Langford, Grace Merritt, Lula and Edith North, Ruth Davenport, Mildred Bamber, Eleanor Besalski, Messrs. Roscoe Haye, Scott Dunlap, Burgin Davenport, Buster Moore, Leonard Little, George Lang, Herschel Johnson, Bob Mansfield, Joe Davenport, Marvin Hunter, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Chipman, Mrs. Emil Rugh and little daughter, and Misses Leah and Fleeta Comer visited San Antonio Monday.

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The old time sports will be very much in evidence, rodeo, riding and roping, old time tournament, old time dancing, quilting contest, fiddlers' contests, beauty contests, pie eating contest, etc. Baseball games each day. Freddie Smith's band has been engaged to be secured to furnish music. There will be cold drink stands, and other stands to supply the wants of the multitude.

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Protracted Meeting.

A protracted meeting will begin at Rocky Creek on Saturday night, July 2, to continue indefinitely. Elder R. S. Young, of the Church of Christ, will conduct the meeting. Everybody invited to attend.

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Report comes that Mr. Jesse Adams and Mrs. Susie Davis, a well known couple of the Medina community, were married at Uvalde on Wednesday, June 22. The New Era extends congratulations and best wishes. We understand they will make their home at Uvalde.

Married in San Antonio.

News comes to us of the marriage recently of Miss Maggie Jones to Mr. R. G. Fox in San Antonio. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hall Jones of San Antonio. The groom is a promising young man of that city. After the ceremony they left for Fort Worth to visit the young man's parents. They will return to San Antonio about July 1st to make their home there.

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Old Settlers' Photos.

N. H. Rose, the San Antonio photographer, will attend the Old Settlers' reunion next Monday and Tuesday, and will make a good picture of the old settlers each day. It is desired that every old settler in the county be in this group. Mr. Rose has made the group picture each reunion, and does splendid work.

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Is it not most always human difference that influences people in choosing their banking headquarters? Isn't it most always the attentive personal way your business is handled —in the way the Officers and Tellers serve you—that makes you feel that service is a pleasure and not an imposition?

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The Beauty Contest.

The votes are piling up in the New Era's beauty contest, as shown by this week's count. Next Monday at 10 o'clock a. m. the contest closes, and the final count will be made on the reunion grounds. All votes must be by that hour. A committee of three will be selected to count the votes, and their decision shall be final. This week we eliminate all contestants who have received less than 25 votes in the contest. For over two months the contest has been open and those who failed to receive more than 25 votes during this time could not hope to receive enough to entitle them to be prize during the remaining three days of the contest, and their elimination will materially aid the judges in counting the votes that have been cast.

"Who will win?" is a question that is asked on all sides. The handsome cedar chest of candy goes to the girl over sixty-five years old, who receives the largest number of votes, and the decision of the judges will be announced at the reunion grounds next Monday. We kindly asked that all votes to be deposited for next and last count be deposited in the box at the reunion grounds next Monday.

The standing as shown by this week's count is as follows:

Mrs. C. W. Harris	400
Mrs. J. A. Head	300
Mrs. Mattie Jones	300
Mrs. Harriett Chipman	140
Mrs. Nancy Buckelew	96
Mrs. J. V. Evans	96
Mrs. M. J. Hamilton	54
Mrs. Gabe Anderwald	43
Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr	27
Mrs. Annie E. Brown	25

The Fiddlers' Contest.

The old fiddlers' contest, a feature of the Old Settlers' Reunion, will be held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, July 4th, on the old folks' platform. This contest is open to Bandera county fiddlers over forty-five years old, and the first prize will be a handsome fiddle with bow and case. The young fiddlers' contest immediately follows, and is open to young men of Bandera county up to forty-five years of age. A suitable first prize will be given. Each contestant will play three old time tunes of his own selection. Charles Eckhart will direct the fiddlers' contests, and those wanting information in regard to same should see him.

O. E. Bonnet was a business visitor in the city Tuesday, and paid this office an appreciated call.

W. M. S. Social.

The Baptist W. M. S. had a most enjoyable and profitable meeting Thursday June 23, at the home of Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

A very interesting and instructive program on Baylor college was rendered aside from the regular program. Mrs. J. H. Gregory, (Nee: Miss Jessie Johnson) of Petersburg, gave some interesting facts concerning the college 30 years ago, and Miss Evelyn Mansfield gave the facts concerning the college today. Showing the wonderful progress that Baylor College has made. Baylor College is now a member of Southern Association of Colleges, making the eighth College in this Association.

The Baptist women of Texas are now endeavoring to raise $50,000 endowment fund for Baylor College. A free will offering, amounting to about $15 was taken.

A piano solo by Miss Ruth Davenport and a Baylor College chorus by Misses Aileen Cash, Ruth Corley, Ruth Davenport, and Selma Grace Mansfield accompanist, were much enjoyed by the Society.

After the program was rendered a delightful social hour was spent in conversation and speeches by the out-of-town guests.

The Society had as guests, Mrs. W. W. Cunningham, of Burkburnett; Mrs. A. B. Langford, of Mooring-port, La, Mrs. J. H. Gregory of Petersburg, Mrs. Ollie Tope of San Antonio, Mrs. J. V. Evans of Johnson, Burkburnett, Mrs. Lucy Perry of California, and Mrs. O. B. Surber and Mrs. R. A. Chipman of Bandera.

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Sure Cure for Rheumatism.

If you are afflicted with rheumatism don't fail to be on hand at the Old Settler's Reunion and hear the old time fiddlers play the old tunes in the fiddlers' contest. The music that will be yanked out on that occasion is guaranteed to limber up your old rheumatic joints and with a little foot exercise your ailment will disappear.

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He tells me that you have been unsuccessful in raising the money and that, however, he has through the Pioneer Freighters Association been able to raise some Two Hundred Dollars. Through my efforts the 3rd United States Infantry at Fort Sam Houston, have also raised nearly one hundred dollars, making a total of about three hundred dollars. I am writing to suggest that the monument should be erected at Bandera, but feel that the town and county should raise at least as much as these organizations are interested in the scheme.

If Mr. Krempkau is correct and you have been unable to raise the money and have given up hope of participation then, I believe the monument should be erected either in San Antonio or at Fort Sam Houston. I would be glad and honored to have the monument here but feel that we should give you one last chance to obtain this memorial for your town, therefore if you are going to obligate yourself to raise as much money as will be contributed by the Pioneer Freighter's Association and the Army and up to five hundred dollars will you please notify me of that fact at your very earliest convenience.

The monument will be erected without any possible doubt and the location is the only point at issue. All money so far contributed is distinctly and emphatically for a monument to Amasa Clark and not for any general purpose.

Since it is desired to have this monument erected and dedicated by September 3rd of this year, which would have been Amasa Clark's 102nd birthday, it is apparent we have no time to lose and I will therefore thank you for definite and prompt action in the matter.

I hope to get up to Bandera soon to see you personally.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 14th day of June A. D. 1927.

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This has seemed to me a mighty fine scheme and I immediately stated that I believed the monument should be erected at Bandera since that had been its home for more than seventy-five years. I suggested that Mr. Krenpkau take up the matter with you and see what the citizens of the town and the citizens of the county of Bandera would do in the matter of raising the necessary funds.

He tells me that you have been unsuccessful in raising the money and that, however, he has through the Pioneer Freighter's Association been able to raise some Two Hundred Dollars. Through my efforts the 3rd United States Infantry and Fort Snelling, Minnesota, has raised seventy one hundred dollars, making a total of about three hundred dollars. I am still of the opinion that the monument should be erected at Bandera, but feel that the town and county should contribute as much as those outside who are interested in the scheme.

If Mr. Krenpkau is correct and you have been unable to raise the money and have given up hope of participation then I believe the monument should be erected either in San Antonio or at Fort Sam Houston. We here at Fort Sam Houston would be glad and honored to have the monument here but feel that we should give you one last chance to obtain this memorial for your town, therefore if you are willing to obligate yourselves to raise as much money as will be contributed by the Pioneer Freighter's Association and the Army and up to five hundred dollars will you please notify me of that fact at your very earliest convenience.

The monument will be erected without any possible doubt and the location is the only point at issue. All money so far contributed is distinctly and emphatically for a monument to Amasa Clark and not for any general purpose.

Since it is desired to have this monument erected and dedicated by September 3rd of this year, which would have been Amasa Clark's 102nd birthday, it is apparent we have no time to lose and I will therefore thank you for definite and prompt action in the matter.

I hope to get up to Bandera soon to see you personally.

Sincerely,
J. C. McARTHUR,
Colonel, G. S.

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

You are hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of H. G. Thompson, Deceased, Robert G. Thompson and Goldie Kash have filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said H. G. Thompson, Deceased, filed with said application, said for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July, A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 14th day of June A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court Bandera County, Texas.
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In some sections of the Staked Plains of West Texas life is more or less primitive. A Federal judge of Texas tells a story illustrative of conditions in a wide and rather desolate area of that part of the state. According to his account, a traveler on horseback, was making his way thru an especially remote district. After hours of lonely riding he approached a tiny adobe house sitting in the midst of an unbroken expanse of alkali and mesquite and bunch grass. Just as he came abreast of this forlorn homestead, a thin, undernourished woman in a faded wrapper darted out of the door and across the road and hid herself in the chapparrel before the traveler either could hail her or inquire into the cause of her flight. As he checked up, puzzled to account for this curious behavior on her part, a filthy, but apparently about 14 years old, came hurriedly, forth from behind the little building.

"Mister," he wailed, "did you see a woman runnin' away jest now?"

"I did," said the stranger. "Who was she?"

"That was my maw."

"Your maw, eh? And what was she running away from?"

"I reckon she's runnin' away from me—dogone it!"

"Why, you infernal young scoundrel!" exclaimed the traveler, "I've half a mind to get down off this horse and give you a good thrashing. What do you mean by chasing your poor mother about over the country like this? What has she done to you?"

"She's a' aimin' to wean me," said the youth.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

We are now fully equipped to rebuild and recharge storage batteries of all kinds. New batteries in stock. Prompt service and good work guaranteed.—Rugg's Filling Station and Battery Shop.

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Old Blue Back Spelling Book, 34c postpaid.—Frontier Times, Bandera, Texas.

What Might Have Been

Dr. Frank Crane in "How to Sell" says a clerk in a dry goods store told him this story, which, however, you take it, points out an excellent moral. It shows how very important it is to have an education if one would get rich. Listen!

There was a man in our town who could neither read nor write. He was of foreign birth and had never been in school. He had a pleasing address and some natural gifts.

He heard that the position of sexton at the church was vacant, and being out of a job he applied for the post. Having good recommendations and being of sober habits and industrious, he was favorably received. The trustees were about to grant him the place when one of them asked him if he could read and write.

He answered no. They declined to employ him. It would never do to have a sexton who was entirely illiterate.

He had a friend who had a tobacco shop. To him he told his failure.

"I'll tell you what I'll do for you Tony," said his friend. Here is a box of cigars I'll give you. Go out and sell them. Go ahead."

He sold the cigars. With the proceeds he brought more. And so on. He discovered that he was a good salesman. His business thrived. His middle name was business. He had in his veins the blood of profit.

A little while and he had a dozen stores, all doing well.

Then he bought a lot and store building. He sold at an advance He pursued his real estate operations and was uniformly successful.

One day he came into his bank out of breath and said to the cashier:

"Say I want a hundred thousand dollars, and want it quick. Could you let me have it? If I can get it before three o'clock I stand a chance to make a big killing. Go on now, lend it to me."

The cashier looked at him seriously and smiled. "What do you want to borrow money for, Tony? Do you know how much you have in here?

"No"

"Your balance is over $250,000.000."

"Gee!"

"Didn't you know."

"No. I don't know nothing about figures. I can't even read and write."

"Good heavens!" cried the cashier. "What might you have done if you had had an education?"

"Well," replied Tony, after a moment's hesitation, "I might have been a sexton."

You Can See Ideals.

The other evening I ran across this human paragraph in a volume otherwise of technical interest:

"A man, as he walks in the crowd, feels himself to be an ordinary individual. But in the back of his mind is a more than half-formed phantasy: 'I seem to be an ordinary man, but I am really a man of great importance. People take me for just one of themselves; dressed like anyone else, they don't realize what an extraordinary man they have in their midst. A crisis, an accident to the King—I spring to the rescue and everyone exclaims, 'Who is this?' And then unsuspected genius in rags!" At last I come into my own."

This is as true to human nature as scratching a mosquito bite.

Everyone has enacted such beguiling little dramas of the mind in which he plays the hero and "comes into his own."

Every crowd of people is a stage whereon meek homeward bound clerks are enacting in their minds just what they would do if a burly rowdy should insult a beautiful girl, or an insane man run amuck with a razor.

They strike the villian down, and "come into their own."

On all days we catch glimpses and flashes of what people imagine "their own" to be like.

I've played golf for thirty years and have never been on my game yet," a man is quoted as saying. His idea of what "his game" was like was something supernatural and unattainable. The actual game he played was merely a failure to come up to "his own."

When a woman says, "I have had dozens of photographs taken and have never had a good picture yet," it indicates that her conception of her own" includes an idea of personal pulchritude with her features, struggle as they will, can't live up to.

It is a truism that, in this world, sooner or later we get about what we deserve. We really "come into our own."

The reason we so rarely realize that what we get is "our own" is that our conception of what it is like is based on our desires instead of our deserts.—Dr. Frank Crane.

What Are We Here For.

In the following editorial the Florence (Ariz.) Edette carries the reader all the way through life, from the cradle to the grave:

What is it all about, anyway? We came into this world without our consent, and the first thing we do is to make a noise, like something to eat. We get it and are not satisfied. We are clothed and we kick and squall because we are too hot or too cold. We get the colic and the nurse takes a delight in curing us by knocking the breath and colic out of us as she kicks her knee into our little stomach. We struggle in through the "drives," the teething period, summer complaint, the whooping cough, the chickenpox, the mumps, get the hide tanned off our backs in the swimming hole and finally get poison oak and freckles and have to go to school and learn that a is a and that three and a person, place or thing, that an adjective qualifies something, that adverb something else, etc., All of which doesn't seem to amount to a thing in our young lives, but we have to keep on struggling with our books to keep Neighbor Jones boy from getting better grades than we do, otherwise it would be a reflection upon the intelligence of the family. Then we started out to write a serious editorial and we are going to do it if it takes a column. We struggle from the cradle to the grave, and what have we accomplished when we reach that last resting place? We may gain a great name in the world and we may gain great wealth or both, but we are never satisfied, and some of the people will call us great, but perhaps more of them will call us a crook, a highbrow, an imitation, a fraud, and many other uncomplimentary things and after we are gone the dirt that covers our bodies shuts out everything and the world rocks along just as if we had never lived in it. The heretofore and his pleasures and the millionaire American goes the same. Could you say which of the two finds the most of it? We don't know, but those of us who have chased the evasive fairy for forty or fifty years can testify that most of it has been in spots of those in between have ever caught up with real, lasting, unalloyed pleasure in this world. There are just three things to be gained in the life we are trusted with here. One is to help living souls ascend and make the world a better place for future generations to live in, and the third and only selfish reason for our being here is to make sure that after death we will go to a place where real happiness and pleasure are found.

Prizes in Quilting Contest.

The following prizes will be offered in the quilting contest to be held at the Old Settlers' Reunion July 4th. Mrs. Chas. Eckhart will be in charge of this contest, and those desiring to enter will notify her. The quilt to be made will be a "Friendship Quilt. Quilting will begin at 10 o'clock a. m. July 4th, and it is expected the quilt will be finished that day. Pattern will be sent to anyone asking for it. Each quilter over 70 years old, 14-karat gold thimble.

Best quilter over 65 years old, a 14karat gold thimble.

Best quilter over 60 and 65 years old a 10-karat gold thimble.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of J. A. Miller, Deceased, Minnie M. Miller has filed in the County Court of Bandera county, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said J. A. Miller Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 22nd day of June A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

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The date opposite your name on the margin of the paper or on the wrapper shows when your subscription to the New Era expires. Look at the date then this week and if you find your subscription has expired we kindly ask you to renew it without delay.

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T. B. Welch was here from San Antonio this week on business.

W. S. Ethridge made a business trip to Hondo and San Antonio Tuesday.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Silvers, of Tarpley, June 16, a girl.

John McNaughton, of near Medina, was in the city last Thursday.

Alex Hillman, of near Lima, was a business visitor in the city last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Krause, of Pipe Creek, was in town shopping last Tuesday.

Mrs. E. G. Heimsath, of near Pipe Creek, was shopping in the city Monday.

Milam Faris and family, of Hicks Creek, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris.

Sheriff Elvious Hicks purchased a new Chevrolet touring car from Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

J. M. Hunter, Miss Rachel Hunter and Misses Thelma and Eunice Surber visited San Antonio last Thursday.

Tom McBryde, Ben Baker and little son, of Medina, went to San Antonio last Tuesday on business.

W. D. Smithers, the photographer, was up from San Antonio Tuesday making feature pictures for the San Antonio Light.

Misses Margaret Thomas and Annetta Pickens, of Carlshad, New Mexico, are visiting their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hicks and little daughter, Dorothy, were over from Tarpley yesterday. Mr. Hicks has been quite ill for the past month but is now able to be about, although still weak from the attack of illness.

Messrs John Adams, L. M. Evans and George Allsup, good citizens of the upper river region, were transacting business in town last Saturday. They dropped in to see the New Era, and Mr. Allsup took occasion to renew his subscription while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer B. Weir, of Winnsboro, Texas, spent several days here last week. We appreciated a visit from them. Mr. Weir is editor and publisher of the Winnsboro News, and informed us that they greatly enjoyed their sojourn in this delightful region, and may return. They left Monday for Corpus Christi, where they will spend several days before returning to their home at Winnsboro. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Heimsath, near Pipe Creek.

George Lane is visiting in San Antonio this week.

O. F. Heinen was in Bandera from Pipe Creek, Tuesday.

Capt. T. P. Grant, of Tarpley, was a Bandera visitor Tuesday.

Miss Eleanor Besalski, of San Antonio, is visiting Miss Eunice Surber.

Before you start fencing, see the Boerne Lumber Co., opposite court house, Boerne.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Eleanor have returned from their honeymoon and will reside here.

Tom Crist came in from Pipe Creek last Monday and paid the New Era a pleasant visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Balhorn, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Faris.

I'll meet you at the Old Settlers' Reunion at Mansfield Park, Bandera, July 4th and 5th.

Rev. Mikro Witt, of Center Point, was here this week visiting Mrs. Harriett Chipman and family.

Miss Alice Fay Coffee, of Hondo, is here visiting her cousin Miss Lena Wright, this week.

Ed Mansfield and son, Bruce, and the New Era editor made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Miss Iris Faris went to San Antonio Sunday to be with her sister, Mrs. Ned Smith, who underwent an operation Tuesday.

Go to the Boerne Lumber Co. for sheep and goat fencing. We also buy wool and mohair.—Boerne Lumber Co. Boerne.

Mrs. Fred Risinger and little son, Fred Jr., of San Antonio, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Kronkosky, and Captain F. J. Dodge, of Boerne, were visitors in Bandera Tuesday and paid this office an appreciated call.

Mrs. Ollie Tope and daughter, of San Antonio, came up last Sunday to visit Gel Lane and family. Her two sons, Edwin and Milton, who have been visiting here, returned home with her.

Roy Chipman and family spent Sunday in San Antonio. Roy reports that his father-in-law, J. W. Holt, who recently underwent an operation there, is steadily improving and is now able to sit up in a wheel-chair.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hay, of near Medina, returned Tuesday from a visit to Cotulla. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Hazel, who has been visiting relatives at Cotulla for the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Thalmann entertained the following guests at their ranch home on Middle Verde last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart and sons, Howard and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thalmann and daughter, Miss Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice McDermond and infant son, Mrs. J. N. Evans and Allie Thalmann and the immediate family.

Col. Smith Coffee entertained a number of friends and relatives last Sunday at his home at Tarpley. Dinner was prepared and served to the following guests: Sul Coffey and family, R. B. Martin, Mrs. Jim Hall and boy, of Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. Granville Wright and family, of Bandera; Mr. and Mrs. Noah Sparks, Mrs. Dora Sparks and son, Vernon; Mr. Caddell, of Tarpley.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson had a family reunion at their home. Their children all met there and a splendid time was had. The out-of-town visitors were: Clyde Johnson and family from Los Angeles, Calif., Preston Johnson and family, and mother-in-law, Mrs. Cunningham, from Burkburnet, Texas; Mrs. J. H. Gregory, Petersburg, Texas; Mrs. Hollen Reed and baby girl, from El Paso; and Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Sheold of San Antonio.

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FOR SALE—Red Durham bull four years old, weight about 1,000 pounds. Not a fence-breaker. Price $50.—J. N. Mickle.

FOR SALE—My lease on Charlie McCurdy place, together with bunch of sheep and goats, sixty head, crop, etc. Immediate possession given.—O. F. Bennet. 2tp

Thomas Adamson is here from Teague, visiting his brother, S. Adamson.

Mrs. Mabel Pond, of San Antonio, is here visiting her mother Mrs. M. R. Thalmann.

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W. S. Ethridge made a business trip to Hondo and San Antonio Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Silvers, of Tarpley, June 16, a girl.

John McNaughton, of near Medina, was in the city last Thursday.

Alex Hillman, of near Lima, was a business visitor in the city last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Krause, of Pipe Creek, was in town shopping last Tuesday.

Mrs. E. G. Heimsath, of near Pipe Creek, was shopping in the city Monday.

Milam Faris and family, of Hicks Creek, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris.

Sheriff Elvious Hicks purchased a new Chevrolet touring car from Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

J. M. Hunter, Miss Rachel Hunter and Misses Thelma and Eunice Surber visited San Antonio last Thursday.

Tom McBryde, Ben Baker and little son, of Medina, went to San Antonio last Tuesday on business.

W. D. Smithers, the photographer, was up from San Antonio Tuesday making feature pictures for the San Antonio Light.

Misses Margaret Thomas and Annetta Pickens, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, are visiting their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hicks and little daughter, Dorothy, were over from Tarpley yesterday. Mr. Hicks has been quite ill for the past month but is now able to be about, although still weak from the attack of illness.

Messrs John Adams, L. M. Evans and George Allsup, good citizens of the upper river region, were transacting business in town last Saturday. They dropped in to see the New Era, and Mr. Allsup took occasion to renew his subscription while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer B. Weir, of Winnsboro, Texas, spent several days here last week. We appreciated a visit from them. Mr. Weir is editor and publisher of the Winnsboro News, and informed us that they greatly enjoyed their sojourn in this delightful region, and may return. They left Monday for Corpus Christi, where they will spend several days before returning to their home at Winnsboro. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Heimsath, near Pipe Creek.

George Lane is visiting in San Antonio this week.

O. F. Heinen was in Bandera from Pipe Creek, Tuesday.

Capt. T. P. Grant, of Tarpley, was a Bandera visitor Tuesday.

Miss Eleanor Besalski, of San Antonio, is visiting Miss Eunice Surber.

Before you start fencing, see the Boerne Lumber Co., opposite court house, Boerne.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Eleanor have returned from their honeymoon and will reside here.

Tom Crist came in from Pipe Creek last Monday and paid the New Era a pleasant visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Balhorn, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Paris.

I'll meet you at the Old Settlers' Reunion at Mansfield Park, Bandera, July 6th and 7th.

Rev. Mineo Witt, of Center Point, was here this week visiting Mrs. Harriett Chipman and family.

Miss Alice Fay Coffee, of Hondo, is here visiting her cousin Miss Lena Wright, this week.

Ed Mansfield and son, Bruce, and the New Era editor made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

Miss Iris Faris went to San Antonio Sunday to be with her sister, Mrs. Ned Smith, who underwent an operation Tuesday.

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Mrs. Fred Risinger and little son, Fred Jr., of San Antonio, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Kronkosky, and Captain F. J. Dodge, of Boerne, were visitors in Bandera Tuesday and paid this office an appreciated call.

Mrs. Ollie Tope and daughter, of San Antonio, came up last Sunday to visit Gid Lane and family. Her two sons, Edwin and Milton, who have been visiting here, returned home with her.

Roy Chipman and family went Sunday in San Antonio. Roy reports that his father-in-law, J. W. Holt, who recently underwent an operation there, is steadily improving and is now able to sit up in a wheel-chair.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hay, of near Medina, returned Tuesday from a visit to Cotulla. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Miss Hazel, who has been visiting relatives at Cotulla for the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Thalmann entertained the following guests at their ranch home on Middle Verde last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart and sons, Howard and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Thalmann and daughter, Miss Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McDermond and infant son, Mrs. J. N. Evans and Alle Thalmann and the immediate family.

Col. Smith Coffee entertained a number of friends and relatives last Sunday at his home at Tarpley. Dinner was prepared and served to the following guests: Sol Coffey and family, J. B. Harris, Mrs. Jim Hall and baby, of Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. Granville Wright and family, of Bandera; Mr. and Mrs. Noah Sparks, Mrs. Dora Sparks and son, Vernon; Mr. Caddell, of Tarpley.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson had a family reunion at their home. Their children all met there and a splendid time was had. Out-of-town visitors were: Clyde Johnson and family from Los Angeles, Calif.; Preston Johnson and family, and mother-in-law, Mrs. Cunningham, from Burkburnet, Texas; Mrs. J. H. Gregory, Petersburg, Texas; Mrs. Hollen Reed and baby girl, from El Paso; and Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Shedd of San Antonio.

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The Old Settlers' Reunion.

The attendance on Monday, opening day, at the fourth annual reunion of the Old Settlers of Bandera county was a record-breaker, the crowd being estimated at between 5,000 and 6,000. On Tuesday the crowd was not so large, there being probably 1,000 people on the grounds throughout the last day. The first day's crowd came from everywhere, and was so great that the barbecue dinner provided was not sufficient to feed the multitude, many being turned away at the pit. This was very unfortunate and is greatly regretted, but it was discovered too late to be remedied.

The New Era has not space to give a full account of everything that took place, or mention all of the visitors from different places. The roping, riding, tournament, baseball games, etc., and the different contests kept the crowd entertained, and no serious accident happened to mar the pleasures of the occasion. A slight accident happened at a baseball game and various rumors were in circulation, but the accident was not serious. In the beauty contest for girls over 65 years old, Grandma Jones won first prize, and was designated Queen of the Day. Mrs. C. W. Harris was awarded second prize. The total vote is given in another column in the beauty contest for boys Reunion.

The Quilting Contest.

In the ladies' quilting contest at the reunion last Monday the following ladies' were awarded first prizes, in different age schedules: Mrs. Mattie Jones, Mrs. John P. Hodges, Mrs. B. F. Faris, and Mrs. Joe Villemain. The Friendship quilt which was finished in the contest was auctioned and was bid in at $10 by Nat B. Jones of Kerrville, who in turn donated the quilt to the Old Settlers' Association and it was again sold, this time to J. Marvin Harter, who bid it in at $7.00. The quilt is a beauty and each block bears the name of the elderly lady who supplied it.

Made Movie Pictures.

S. P. Bryden, of Kerrville, was here Monday and made motion pictures of some of the events of the Old Settlers' Reunion, among them being the pretty girls in the beauty contest, the quilting party, and the like. These pictures will be used in the news reels in the moving picture shows throughout the country. They will be shown at the Bandera Theater at an early date, of which announcement will be made in due time.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Gray and children were here from Center Point to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion.

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over forty years old G. W. Elam was voted the best looking old man in the county and was awarded a ten-pound stick of striped candy. John Hillman ran him a close second and lost by only one vote, while Philip Mazurek was third in the race.

In the old fiddlers' contest Bob Mayfield won first prize and John Adams second. In the fiddling contest for young men Sick Jones won first prize.

The following list for the largest native born Bandera county family was not claimed. Dancing by the old folks and the young folks was enjoyed each afternoon and night.

Apart from the dinner disappointment on Monday we believe everybody had a good time each day.

Captain and Mrs. Eli Loyd returned a few days ago from Goose Creek, Bay City, Port Arthur, and other points, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Autrey and small son, Mansfield, of Gonzales, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mansfield.

Say, Fella, did you know about the "Red Hot" dance at Mansfield Park on July 16? What do you say we get Fred Hale Smith's Orchestra will play.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moravietz, Miss, Rosalie Moravietz, Boyd Moravietz, and Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Birdsey, all of Falls City, were guests at the Paul Moravietz ranch this week.

The many friends of Mrs. Gus Reinara, of Pipe Creek, will be pleased to learn that she is greatly improved and recovering from a critical illness with which she was stricken last week.

MEDINA

The Medina Parent-Teachers' Association will meet next Friday, July 8, with Mrs. Ed Baerlein, and every member is urged to be present as business of importance will be transacted. Mrs. Ernest Justice delightfully entertained with a vanishing party last Friday, under the auspices of the P. T. A. The proceeds go to the Medina school. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitson Justice, of Crystal City, visited Mr. Justice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice.

Mrs. W. H. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis, Jr., Mrs. James, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Chadwick motored to San Antonio to attend a midnight frolic at the Texas Theater.

Joe Harvey Newcomer is at home after attending school at Austin.

Mrs. Claude Alston, of San Antonio, is visiting his sisters, Mrs. Willie House and Mrs. Robert Wichead, of Tuff.

Wendell Rees was hurt very badly last Tuesday night when Joe Pike's car struck Mr. Rees' wagon at Medina. Wendell had stopped his truck and was standing beside his father's wagon talking to him when the car struck the wagon. The bed was knocked off, the wagon was wrecked and Wendell was found under the wagon—hurt very badly. Mr. Rees was knocked out and hurt some. Those in the car didn't get hurt very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mrs. J. M. Moffett, parents of Mrs. Ernest Justice, Mr. J. M. Moffett and family.

The P. T. A. had an enjoyable meeting at Mrs. Ernest Justice's last Saturday, July 2.

Mrs. J. H. Whitmore and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shipp.

Mrs. E. E. Wyatt and son, of Mason Creek, spent several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitehouse, of San Antonio, are visiting Mrs. Whitehouse mother, Mrs. I. L. Gilbert and family.

Mrs. Sims and daughter are visiting her mother, Mrs. A. I. Coerpenter.

Revival Meeting at Medina.

Rev. B. J. Gossett will begin a revival meeting at the Methodist church in Medina Sunday night, July 10. Everybody invited to attend.

Mrs. Neal Smith, of Kenedy, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Powers and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Corley this week.

Go to Bandera Barber Shop.

LIMA LINES

Mrs. Mary Kelly, of San Antonio, is visiting Mrs. Artie Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hinds and son, Elmer, and Mrs. Clifford Hinds are visiting relatives at Fredericksburg this week.

Joe Morris made a business trip to Austin last week, returning Saturday accompanied by Mr. Allan of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Dilworth, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Keese Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Morris and little son, Mr. and Mrs. G. Seale and Mrs. D. B. Seale visited R. L. Morris in Kerrville last Saturday. We are very sorry to know Mr. Morris is not doing well. We certainly hope he will soon recover and be able to come home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grun, of San Antonio, visited John Miller and Miss Miller last week.

Mrs. Hayesatt and infant, of San Antonio are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Hankinson and family, of Fredericksburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller last Sunday.

A number of the Lima citizens attended the Old Settlers' Reunion at Bandera this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Coose and little sons and Harold Phillips of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips Saturday and Sunday.

Jack Coose came up from San Antonio to see his mother, Mrs. Coose, and attend the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hinds, of Burnett, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bianchi and little son, of San Antonio, came in for the Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Thalman, of Hondo Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wallace, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckhart, Sunday.

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"Flashing Fangs."

The picture to be shown at night, will be "Flashing Fangs," the Bandera Theater tomorrow featuring the police dog, "Rango." This picture is one of the best of this season's series, and will delight both old and young. The comedy to be shown in connection with the program will be "Shore Enough."

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and family, Mrs. J. D. Gibbons and family, of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones of Yates, were guests of their mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips, Mrs. Artie Reed, and Mr. and Mrs. Val Click, were among those of the Lima region who attended the reunion last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Harris, Jimmy Evans, Eldred Evans and family, Miss Nola Evans, all of San Antonio, visited their mother, Mrs. J. N. Evans, last Sunday and Monday.

Messrs. B. F. Denton and J. J. Denton, 70-year-old twins, were old settlers' reunion and entertained the big crowd with violin selections just after the old fiddlers' contest Monday. These aged brothers play the old tunes to perfection and brought forth much applause.

Mrs. R. R. Russell, and niece, Miss Strickland, were here from San Antonio Monday to attend the reunion. Mrs. Russell is an enthusiastic worker for the old trail drivers' monument to be erected in San Antonio, and while at the reunion she urged that Bandera county assist in the drive to raise funds for the monument.

Sister Died.

Mrs. Q. T. Stevens returned last Sunday from Roaring Springs, Texas, where she was called to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Eula Henry, who died on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Henry, who before her marriage to F. P. Ford, was Miss Eula Newman, was about fifty years of age, and formerly lived in this county. She is survived by her husband and four sons. We deeply sympathize with the bereaved ones.

Snake Bitten.

Maggie Wood, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wood, of Pipe Creek, was bitten by a copper-head snake one day this week. Dr. Butler gave her the first aid treatment and she is now doing nicely.

Little Child Scalded.

The little child of Alfred Knopp, of Pipe Creek, was taken to a hospital in San Antonio Tuesday to be treated for scalds. The little child was playing near a tub of boiling water which contained lye, when it fell in, being very seriously burned. After treatment at the hospital it seems to be getting along nicely.

Red Hot Dance!

At Mansfield Park Saturday night, July 16. Freddie Smith's Orchestra. Let's go!

Charged With Burglary.

Four or five young lads, ranging in age from 12 to 15 years, were arrested last week charged with burglarizing the store of S. Adamson. They gave bond to await the action of the grand jury. Tobacco and change and certain articles of merchandise were recovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones, of Yates, visited his mother, Mrs. Mattie Jones, during the Reunion.

Uncle Bill McCaleb and son, Chester, were here from Yates to attend the Old Settlers' reunion.

Mrs. Eunice Young and two children, of Fredericksburg, are here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Peters and Mrs. O. J. Bomba and son, of Poth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen of the Hildebrandt Ranch this week.

Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr., came home from Del Rio last week to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion. She will remain here a few weeks, after which she will return to Del Rio, where she has been with her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Barnett.

Died Monday Night.

John Conner, aged about 35 years, died in camp at the Lieb-hold place on Medina Lake last Monday night, after a few hours illness. The remains were brought to Bandera and interred Tuesday night. Very little is known of Conner. It is said he had no relatives, and for the past several years has been living in San Antonio. A bottle containing strychnine was found in his pockets.

The Beauty Contest.

In the beauty contest decided at the Old Settlers' reunion last Monday, Mrs. Mattie Jones was awarded the cedar chest of chocolate candy for being the prettiest girl in Bandera county over sixty-five years old. Mrs. C. W. Harris and Mrs. J. A. Head ran Grandma Jones mighty close throughout the campaign which was carried on for two months. The last count, made by Judges J. E. Browning, Joe C. Gallagher and Hal S. Hodgsden, shows the following totals:

Mrs. Mattie Jones	555
Mrs. C. W. Harris	532
Mrs. J. A. Head	525
Mrs. Harriet Chipman	238
Mrs. J. N. Evans	121
Mrs. Mary Buckelew	96
Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr.	95
Mrs. M. J. Hamilton	71
Mrs. Gabe Anderwald	64

The basket of flowers presented to the "Queen of the Day" was made and donated by Miss Edna Fuller.

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Is it not most always human difference that influences people in choosing their banking headquarters? Isn't it most always the attentive personal way your business is handled—in the way the Officers and Tellers serve you—that makes you feel that service is a pleasure and not an imposition?

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But, why go on with this endless tale of poop and circumlocution? The point is that Henry Ford has a million pair of pants.—St. Louis Post.

Editor Asserts Himself

John W. Hogsett, editor of the Dawson (Ga.) News, was moved to take a stand recently against free reading notices. He served notice on all communities that if anything editorial, which we think expresses the subject in splendid fashion.

"The two newspapers of Cuthbert are not going to print any papers that hereafter they will charge $1 for publishing cards of thanks. These publishers claim right in their rights for cards of thanks or resolutions of respect are not news items in any sense of the term and all resolutions of respect are simply wish to publicly express gratitude should be willing to pay the small sum the publisher asks. Then if the matter is not understood by the public and the country editor's main source of income is selling the white space in his newspaper to organizations or individuals will no more think of asking him to publish free notices than they would go to their grocery store and ask him to donate groceries free because the merchant happens to be interested in some good cause.

"Any country publisher willing to give a reasonable amount of free publicity to lodges, entertainments, churches, fairs, etc., providing a share of the job printing connected with such social affairs, like posters, tickets and programs, is glad to do so. Otherwise he will make a charge for all such notices sent in.

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Medina Short Course

A program of unusual merit has been prepared for the women and girls at the South Texas Short Course and Encampment at the Medina-Hereford Ranch in Bexar County, July 17 to 13. That the subjects to be presented possess a feminine appeal may be judged by reviewing some of the titles as prepared by the women specialists in Ch. and M. Extension Service. Being the "Family Food, "Butter Judging, "Good Living Clothes, "What Shall We Eat" "Improving the Pure-quality Through Health Habits, "When the Prince Dined With Cinderella," "The Home Laundry," "Farm Home Water Systems," and "Feeding for Egg Production" are subjects of practical value to the mother, daughter and wife. At the same time the mother is getting the "protective diet" straight father will be mastering the problems of balancing and Bob Junior on will be learning to feed pecans and daughter will be learning to make lace collars. In the Short Course the family affair both parents to keep all interested and the boys every minute.

Recreation is an accompaniment. Medina folks come with their lunch baskets for food, and a will-o'-the-wisp for a few hours of swimming ground for tired out feet and found high, dry

Cattle are pastured water piped for the of the scores of campers expected to

The eighteen miles east San Antonio on the Castroville Road, and two miles south of Medina and home demonstration agents will have the program within a

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He was thoroughly enamored of her, but hardly knew what to say. Her every word, her every gesture, tragical and sublime, by retributive will be the course passed by me if you do not indicate your choice. Her every command now and encapture my memories seal with sensations of those too deep for description, beyond the reach of your imagination itself, by imprinting upon my waiting mouth the delicious dodge of your abstract questions. Will that?"

"Whatcha want, kid—a kiss?" she answered. "Sure. Bonnee Lassie Bell. Merely kidding."

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of this notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the estate of H. G. Thompson Deceased, Robert G. Thompson and Goldie Mauk have filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said H. G. Thompson, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 14th day of June A. D. 1927.

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Boys, bring your stone arrow heads to the New Era office. We pay 25 cents each according to size and condition. We want other stone relics also.

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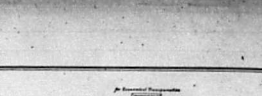

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, to-wit:

You shall cause said notice to be published at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the estate of H. G. Thompson deceased, Robert C. Thompson and Goldie Kash have filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said H. G. Thompson, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in July A. D. 1927, the same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 14th day of June A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court Bandera County, Texas.
first pub. June 16.

Miss Eva Thalmann, of New York, is here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mark McBryde left Saturday from Arkansas Pass to visit relatives at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton were in from their ranch near Tarpley last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stevens and small son, Irvin, were in town one day last week.

Millard Hand, of Abilene here visiting his sister, Mrs. Floyd Hamilton, this week.

Eb Buck purchased a new Chevrolet Sedan from Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows spent several days last week at the Baptist Encampment at Alto Frio.

Mrs. A. L. Mansfield and children, Evrl, Evelyn and Selma Grace, went to San Antonio last Friday.

Mrs. T. H. Wright, of Smiley, is here visiting her daughters, Mrs. Fred Mansfield and Mrs. E. B. Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart went to San Antonio last Thursday to meet Miss Eva Thalmann, of New York.

Mrs. Kathryn McBryde went to San Antonio last Friday. She was accompanied by Mark McBryde and daughter, Miss Elizabeth.

Just received another car of Red Strand sheep and goat fence and barbed wire—Boerne Lumber Co. Opposite Court House.—Boerne, Texas.

Watch Your Date

The date opposite your name on the margin of the paper or on the wrapper shows when your subscription to the New Era expires. Look at the date there this week and if you find your subscription has expired we kindly ask you to renew it without delay.

Read Frontier Times.

Big Dance AT COX HALL
Saturday Night, July 2nd
Music by Elmo Newcomer and "Slick" Jones
Admission 50c

Baseball
Sunday, July 10,
Adamietz Ball Park
Admission 10c and 25c

R. F. Power
Staple and Fancy Groceries
Fresh Fruits, Candy and Notions
Country Produce Bought and Sold
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Married in April.

Last week we announced that Miss Margaret Schoenert was here from San Antonio on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Schoenert. We have since been informed that the young lady is no longer a Miss, but was married April 16th to Mr. Curtis Pennington, a prominent business man of San Antonio. The marriage of this popular young lady comes as a surprise to her many friends, who extend congratulations, even at this late hour.

Miss Amelia Kalka is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Mrs. Joe Kalka.

Miss Lois McCurdy, of Port Arthur, is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. R. Thalmann.

Before you start fencing, see the Boerne Lumber Co., opposite court house, Boerne.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows are remodeling their home, which is situated just south of town.

C. Y. Bidings went to San Antonio last Thursday to visit his daughter, Mrs. L. L. DeLaMore. Mrs. Billings returned home with him.

Norman and little sister, Miss Eva Marie, children of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield, of Tarpley, spent the week with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

Go to the Boerne Lumber Co. for sheep and goat fencing. We also have you wire, and mohair.—Boerne Lumber Co. Boerne.

Louis Reed was here from Lima last day to meet his sister-in-law, Mrs. O. D. Hayeraft, who came up from San Antonio en route to Lima to spend awhile with Mr. and Mrs. Reed.

Mrs. J. W. Davenport, jr. and daughters, Misses Ruth and Marjorie and Mrs. Davenport's sisters, Mrs. Eugenia Reeves and Mrs. Jessy Gregory, spent one day last week in Center Point, visiting friends and relatives.

G. W. Williams and Molin Turner, of Beeville, arrived last Saturday to attend the Old Settlers' Reunion. Mr. Williams lived in this county many years and greatly enjoyed being with his many old time friends. He goes from here to Sylvester, Texas, to visit his son, H. E. Williams, and family.

Elder E. S. Young, of Haskell county, was here Friday en route to Rocky Creek, where he began a protracted meeting for the Church of Christ last Saturday night. The meeting will continue for several days Elder Young is an able gospel preacher and expounds the Gospel in a most kindly manner. You are invited to attend the meeting now in progress.

Beef Cattle Sell at Highest Prices Since Early 1920.

Washington, June 21.—With beef cattle commanding the highest prices since early 1920 and all other grades of cattle participating in the general advance, the cattle industry of the United States is faced with "very favorable" conditions, according to a review of the spring cattle market issued by the United States Department of Agriculture.

The trend in production appears to be downward toward a "more profitable basis," and the industry apparently is approaching that phase of production when the grower, "feeling confident of the future begins to build up herds, retains stock for the full utilization of available pasture and range, and holds young stock for further growth and finish," says the review.

This downward trend is to be accompanied by improvement in recent years when the cattle industry was hurt by over-production which resulted "in cattle famine, high location, heavy market receipts and consequently a high slaughtering ratio to numbers remaining on farms and ranges," the report points out.

The end of this period of overmarketing was declared in sight, and except for some further selling and liquidation of range herds this fall because of high prices, and for marketing in spots because of drouth conditions, the number of cattle "forced on the slaughter market will be limited."

Withdrawal of Statehood from Arizona Sought

Los Angeles, June 20.—Congressman Joseph Crail of California announced in an address here Thursday that because the State of Arizona had violated, annulled and renounced the constitution of the United States, he intended introducing a resolution at the next session of Congress to repeal the act admitting Arizona to statehood.

The resolution will provide that Arizona be restored to the condition of a territory as it existed in 1910.

Crail said his action would be based on a State election held in Arizona last May 31 at which the people voted to eliminate certain provisions from the State Constitution to further their opposition to proposed development of Colorado River.

He listed these provisions which he said Arizona agreed to when admitted to the Union:

1. To disclaim all right and title to the unappropriated and ungranted public land lying within its boundaries.

2. That no taxes should be imposed by the State upon lands or property therein belonging for its use.

to the United States or reserved to the United States by Congress.

3. To reserve to the United States with full acquiescence of the State all rights and powers for the carrying out of the provisions of the reclamation laws, for the construction of irrigation works and for the reclamation of arid lands, to the same extent as if Arizona had remained a territory, and.

4. That these provisions should be made a part of the State Constitution so such forever as should positively preclude the making of any constitutional amendment or any change in ordinance which may affect the same without the consent of Congress.

Crail declaring that Arizona's constitution was made to defeat the Swing-Johnson bill, proposing construction of a dam in Boulder Canyon, as a filibuster, continued:

"Arizona's conduct is indefensible. I am going to tell those facts to the people of the United States. I am going to ask Congress to repeal the enabling act by which Arizona became a State, which act Arizona has itself repudiated, for it becomes any American State to treat its solemn covenant with the Federal Government as a 'scrap of paper.'"

Lost His Hat

An Irish soldier, coming out of ether in the hospital ward after an operation, exclaimed with wrath, anybody that's over.

"Don't be too sure," said the man in the next cot. "The doctor left a sponge in me and had to open me again to get it."

"He left a pair of scissors in me," blithely lied the man on the other side of the ward, "and he had a hard time finding them when he opened me the second time."

The Irish soldier was ruminating on these statements when suddenly the doctor who had operated on him stuck his head in at the door and yelled:

"Has anybody seen my hat?"

Senator Ingall's Views on Mountains

Several senators were discussing the lively career of the late John J. Ingalls, for many years senator from Kansas, when Henry Cabot Lodge asked if they had ever read what Ingalls said about the mountains. None had. Ingalls, continued Lodge, said: "There is a mental fascination there is about mountains! Their solemnity, their silence, the grandeur of their outline, the unspeakable glory of their lofty crags and snowy summits old in story, and other splendid inutility!

"When you look upon the vague and troubled immensity of the ocean, you think of commerce and coffish and whales. When you contemplate the grassy waste of prairies, expanding to the skies, you think of wheat and corn and pigs and steers. But Pike's Peak and Sierra Blanca, and Trenchery and Culebra and the Tetons are good for nothing except adoration and worship. Man does not profane their solitude where the unheard voices of the winds in the forest, of waters falling in the abyss, and the eagle's cry have no audience nor conversancy."

If you want good oil we have it, Texaco and Mobiloil.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Victory for American Ideals

This country never faced such a period of prosperity as appears to be ahead of it.

"And therein lies our greatest danger.

"But we as a nation keep our head and not become soft and discontented?

"Will we in our quest for more of 5,000 gallon dollars allow political soothsayers to undermine our government with visionary schemes at public expense!

"Will material prosperity give us the "Swellhead" and cause us to feel that we are too "important" to attend to the troublesome little affairs of government?

If this attitude overtakes us, look out for trouble.

As individuals we are "small potatoes" in the scheme of economic development.

But if each individual does his part to maintain American ideals and sound conditions in government and industry, "small potatoes" will grow into big potatoes and our national "potato crop" (stability, security, prosperity) will be on a safe and enduring basis.

The feat which Captain Charles Lindberg accomplished is typically American. Nothing could better illustrate our spirit of individual initiative and enterprise. Every American might be called a pioneer, for every American has the right to strike out with his own ideas in whatever field of endeavor appeals to him.

It is this priceless heritage of freedom and opportunity for the individual which each of us should strive to uphold. Our government should always be maintained on a basis which protects and encourages the individual and private industry, rather than on a basis which restricts and destroys experiments, growth and ambition.

Not only was Lindbergh's crossing of the Atlantic typically American in its freedom from pomp and ceremony, but Lindbergh himself is symbolical of American ideals. He had the ability, courage and driving force to accomplish results in the face of seemingly insurmountable barriers.

It is the Lindbergh spirit, the American spirit, which has given us our wonderful modern conveniences and comforts.

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The State of Texas,

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 22nd day of June A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk County Court, Bandera County, Texas.

I make Milk Coolers, Fly traps, Galvanized Tanks, and do Tin and Tumbling work of all kinds. Leave orders at R. F. Powers' store.—R. E. Blunt.

We are now fully equipped to rebuild and recharge storage batteries of all kinds. New batteries in stock. Prompt service and good work guaranteed.—Rage's Filling Station and Battery Shop.

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Beef, Pork, Bacon, Sausage, Etc.
Choice Barbecued Meats for Your Home Table, Promptly Supplied. Your Patronage Solicited.
MAIN STREET NEXT DOOR TO COBLEY'S GROCERY

Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, July 8th, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic Hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

NOTICE

That all leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner.—Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

GENUINE FORD SERVICE

When in San Antonio make our Service Station your headquarters. Free parking space. Open until 3 a. m.—Herpel Oil Jespie, East Houston Street, at Bowie.

TAKE NOTICE.

Dehorn two animals of any kind. Cover one with Wilson's Dryer, the other with any other kind of preparation on the market. Then tell the world the facts.—May12-2tc

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You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

You are Cordially Invited to Attend the Formal Opening of the

Kuehne Cheverolet Co.

Friday, July 15th, 1927

8 p. m. to 12 p. m.

in the Newly Remodeled Building

Big Free Street Dance

Music by HENRY'S HAPPY SEVEN

In Connection with the Showing of the Most Beautiful Cheverolet in Cheverolet History

These Impressive Masterpieces of Automobile Craftsmanship will be on display in our salesroom. Please come and bring your friends.

Kuehne Cheverolet Co.

BOERNE, TEXAS

No. 677.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

FIRST STATE BANK

At Bandera, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1927, published in the Pandera New Era, a newspaper printed and published at Bandera, State of Texas on the 7th day of July, 1927.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	$55,636.10	Capital Stock	$ 20,000.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	231.14	Certified Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Bonds, Stocks, and other securities	3,628.41	Other Surplus Fund	2,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00	Undivided profits, net	3,931.30
Cash on hand	3,657.85	Individual deposits subject to check	151,177.71
Due from approved reserve agents	40,650.61	Time Certificates of deposit	22,409.05
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	769.22	Public Funds on deposit	25,479.51
Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund	5,379.33		
Other resources, in transit	16.09	Bills payable	27,481.41
Total	$262,979.00	Total	$262,979.00

State of Texas
County of Bandera.

We, J. W. Short, as president, and I. E. Adamietz, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest;
GRANVILLE WRIGHT.
H. E. RAMBIE.
MRS. C. H. MANSFIELD. Directors

J. W. SHORT, President.
I. E. ADAMIETZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, A. D. 1927.

J. M. HUNTER.
Notary Public Bandera Co. Tex.

Charter No. 11814.

Report of Condition of

The First National Bank of Bandera

at Bandera, in the State of Texas, at the close of Business on June 30, 1927.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, including 5 rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsements of this bank		$97,089.56
Overdrafts, unsecured		601.88
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc		800.00
Banking house $5,000; furniture & fixtures $2,389.93		7,389.93
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		6,352.98
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		20,112.09
Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States		2,498.01
Other assets, if any, Bandera County warrants		747.58
Total		$135,587.94

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in			25,000.00
Undivided profits	2,336.66		
Reserve for Int.	4,782.81	$7,119.49	
less current exp., int., taxes, etc.		3,881.83	3,237.66
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve			
Individual deposits subject to check			53,550.04
State, county or municipal deposits secured by pledge assets of this bank or surety bond			30,598.42
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve		$84,148.46	
Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice and postal savings)			
Other time deposits			3,391.82
Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts)			20,000.00
Total			$135,587.94

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Bandera

I, A. Meadows, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. MEADOWS, Cashier.

(Correct)—Attest:
E. BUCK
FRANK M. MONTAGUE
W. J. DAVENPORT, Sr.
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1927.

J. M. HUNTER
Notary Public.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Blea and

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson,

Dave Thallman left Tuesday for his home in China.

V. C. Masters is visiting his brother, Jim Masters, at Fort Worth.

T. V. Swinney and Lane Jackson were here from Bluff, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Boell, of San Antonio, were here for the reunion Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mansfield near Junction, June 30, a girl.

Richard Hudson, of Austin, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Callahan last week.

Col. and Mrs. George W. Saunders came up from San Antonio Monday for the reunion.

Leslie Harper and Garnett Faris, of Harper, were here Monday to attend the barbecue.

Miss Judith Thompson, of San Antonio, was the guest of the editor's family Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange Clark have our thanks for some choice roasting ears brought in last Saturday.

P. T. Chandler of Boerne was here to spend a few days with Clements Kalka and family.

Miss Ora Elam, of Dallas, is spending a few weeks with her cousin, Miss Pearl Elam, of Tuff.

Miss Anne Wall, of San Antonio, spent a few days with Misses Evelyn and Hazel this week.

Henry Hamilton, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, is here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mansfield, of San Antonio, are here to visit friends here this week.

Captain and Mrs. F. Boell and son, Fred Boell, of San Antonio, were here from Boerne to attend the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Maegers, of Utopia, were here for the reunion and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Masters of Medina's Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker and infant son, and Mr. and Mrs. Theron Williams, of Kerrville, were here for the reunion on Monday.

N. H. Rose and W. D. Smithers, of the photographers, were here from San Antonio for the reunion. They were guests of the editor's family.

Miss Aleen Stevens, of Fall-furrias, was here Monday for the reunion. Miss Aleen holds a good position as linotype operator on the Fallfurrias Daily.

Mrs. Chas. Decker, of San Antonio, visited her mother, Mrs. E. J. Coleman, at Medina this week, and they attended the Old Settlers' Reunion Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ambrose, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Callahan, of Pipe Creek, this week, and while here they attended the reunion of the old settlers.

Miss Irene Britsch, who is attending Draughon's Business College, came up from San Antonio last week to spend awhile with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britsch.

W. B. Elam and family of Houston and Robert Elam and family of San Antonio, spent a few days this week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Elam, of Tuff.

Mr. and Mrs A. C. Heard, and grandson, of Roswell, N. M., and Mrs. John R. Johnson, of Rankin, Texas, were here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mont Newcomer of Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Abbie, Mr. and Mrs. Will Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Schwartz, and Misses Bill and Percey Meadows of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomason of Pipe Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman and infant son were down from Lima Tuesday for the reunion. The infant was severely burned last Thursday when its hand came in contact with some boiling water, but it is now getting along all right.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman and children and Mrs. Goose and son, Jack, were here from Lima for the reunion Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Hillman landed one vote of carrying off the big stick of candy offered as a prize to the best looking man in the county.

Does your subscription to the

WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—My lease on Charlie McCurdy place, together with bunch of sheep and goats, sixty head, crop, etc. Immediate possession given.—O. F. Bennet. 2tp

LOST—Woolen baby blanket, with hand embroidered soap bubbles in center in blue and pink, edges scalloped. Return to this office for reward.

FOR SALE—Ford Truck with Warford gear shift, in very good shape, priced right. Chevrolet Touring car, 1925, in fair condition, with 1918 Ford Touring at $60. A 1917 Ford Roadster truck for $15.—Oscar W. Berner.

LOST—One side rear bumper for Chevrolet, between Bandera and Bee Gerdes place on West Verde. Finder please notify this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stein, of San Antonio were here for the reunion.

Mrs. Charlie Stein, of San Antonio, visited home folks here this week.

Miss Flagen, of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Flagen this week.

Mrs. Felix Rippey and children, of Mount Sharp, were here this week.

Mrs. Joe Leighton and children, of Tarpley, were here Wednesday.

Mrs. H. L. Jones, of San Antonio was here visiting friends and relatives during the Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rees, of Center Point, attended the Reunion here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peoples, of Port Arthur, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey at Medina.

Reunion officers caught several young men with intoxicating liquor in their possession during the past few days.

Mrs. Jodie Gibbons and two children, Miss Lou and Gwyn, of San Antonio, attended the Reunion here this week.

Hottest dance in history. Freddie Smith's Orchestra playing at Mansfield Park, Saturday night, July 16.

Dr. J. H. Erwin is spending awhile at the Citizens Military Training Camp at Fort San Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker and little son, Charles, Jr., were here from San Antonio for the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Turney and Mrs. Anderson, of near Langtry, were here for the reunion Monday.

Mrs. Nunley and daughter, Miss Ilene, of Sabinal, attended the Old Settlers' Reunion Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barnes and children, of Eagle Pass, were here this week visiting Mr. Barnes' mother, Mrs. J. A. Head.

Mrs. Frank Tampke and daughter and son, Miss Edna and Sam, of Utopia, were here visiting her sister, Mrs. M. R. Thalmann.

Misses Amina Jones and Annie May Johnson, of San Antonio are spending a couple of weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Jones.

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BOERNE, TEXAS

No. 677.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

FIRST STATE BANK

At Bandera, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1927, published in the Pandera New Era, a newspaper printed and published at Bandera, State of Texas on the 7th day of July, 1927.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES	
Loans and discounts, unsecured or collateral security	$205,690.10	Capital Stock	$ 20,000.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	231.14	Certified Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Bonds, Stocks, and other securities	5,638.41	Other Surplus Fund	2,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00	Undivided profits, net	3,931.39
Cash on hand	3,657.83	Individual deposits subject to check	151,177.71
Due from approved reserve agents	40,650.61	Time Certificates of deposit	22,409.05
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	769.22	Public Funds on deposit	25,479.51
Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund	5,379.31		
Other resources, in transit 10.09		Bills payable	27,181.41
Total	$262,979.09	Total	$262,979.09

State of Texas
County of Bandera, ss.

We, J. W. Short, as president, and I. E. Adamietz, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:
GRANVILLE WRIGHT,
H. E. RAMBIE,
MRS. C. H. MANSFIELD, Directors

J. W. SHORT, President.
I. E. ADAMIETZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, A. D. 1927.

J. M. HUNTER,
Notary Public Bandera Co. Tex.

Charter No. 11814.

Report of Condition of

The First National Bank of Bandera

at Bandera, in the State of Texas, at the close of Business on June 30, 1927.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts, including re-discounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsements of this bank		$97,089.56
Overdrafts, unsecured		601.84
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc		800.00
Banking house $5,000; furniture & fixtures $2,389.93		7,389.93
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		6,352.98
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		20,112.07
Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States		2,498.01
Other assets, if any, Bandera County warrants		747.28
Total		$135,587.94

LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in		25,000.00
Undivided profits	2,336.66	
Reserve for Int.	4,782.83 $7,119.49	
less current exp., int., taxes, etc.	3,881.83	3,237.66
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to		
Individual deposits subject to check		53,550.04
State, county or municipal deposits secured by pledge assets of this bank or surety bond		30,598.42
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve	$84,148.46	
Time deposits subject to reserve (payable after 30 days or more notice and postal savings)		
Other time deposits		3,291.82
Bills payable (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts)		20,000.00
Total		$135,587.94

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Bandera

I, A. Meadows, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. MEADOWS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1927.

J. M. HUNTER
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
E. BUCK
FRANK M. MONTAGUE
W. J. DAVENPORT, Sr.
Directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Blein and daughter, of San Antonio, were here Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerdes.

Dave Thallman left Tuesday for his home in China.

V. C. Masters is visiting his brother, Jim Masters, at Fort Worth.

T. V. Swinney and Lane Jackson were here from Bluff, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Boell, of San Antonio, were here for the reunion Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mayfield, of Jourdanton, June 30, a girl.

Richard Hudson, of Austin, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Calahan, Sunday.

Col. and Mrs. George W. Saunders came up from San Antonio Monday for the reunion.

Leslie Harper and Thomas Parks, of Harper, were here Monday to attend the barbecue.

Miss Judith Thompson, of San Antonio, was the guest of the editor's family Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange Clark have our thanks for some fine roasting ears brought in Saturday.

P. J. Chandler, of Medina, was here to spend a few days with Clement Kalka and family.

Miss Ola Elam, of Dallas, is spending a few weeks with her cousin, Miss Pearl Elam, of Tuff.

Miss Alice Wall, of San Antonio, spent a few days with Misses Evelyn and Hazel Hamilton this week.

Henry Hamilton, of Sabinal, was here Monday to attend the reunion.

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Mrs. Felix Rippey, of Mount Sharp, was here this week.

Captain Good, of Dorst, and son, Fred Good, of Tuff, were here from Boerne to attend the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Magee, of Corpus Christi, were here from San Antonio and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Masters of Woman's Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wallace, and Mr. and Mrs. Alec Theron Williams, all of Kerrville, were here for the reunion on Monday.

Mrs. N. H. Rose and W. D. Smithers, the photographers, were here from San Antonio for the reunion. They were guests of the editor's family.

Miss Alech Stevens, of Fairfurrias, was here Monday for the reunion. Miss Alech holds a good position as linotype operator on the Fairfurrias Fact.

Mrs. Chas. Decker, of San Antonio, visited her mother, Mrs. E. J. Coleman, at Medina this week and they attended the Old Settlers' Reunion Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ambrose, of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Calhoun, of Pipe Creek, this week, and while here they attended the reunion of the old settlers.

Miss Irene Britsch, who is attending Draughon's Business College, came up from San Antonio last week to spend the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britsch.

W. B. Elam and family of Houston and Robert Elam and family of San Antonio, spent a few days this week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Elam, of Tuff.

Mr. and Mrs A. C. Heard, and grandson, C. H. Boswell, Jr., of Mt. and Mrs. John R. Johnson of Rankin, Texas, were here this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mont Newcomer of Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Abbie, Mr. and Mrs. Will Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Schwartz, and Mrs. Jessie Bell and Percey Meadows of San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomason of Pipe Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman and infant son were down from Lima Tuesday for the reunion. The infant was severely burned last Thursday when its hand came in contact with some boiling water, but it is now getting along all right.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman and children and Mrs. Goose and son, Jack, were here from Lima for the reunion Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Hillman lacked one vote of carrying off the big stick of candy offered as a prize to the best looking man in the county.

Have your subscription to the New Era expire this month! Watch the date on the margin or wrapper of your paper.

WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—My lease on Charlie McCurdy place, together with bunch of sheep and goats, sixty head, crop, etc. Immediate possession given.—O. F. Bonnet. 2tp

LOST—Woolen baby blanket, white, hand embroidered soap pockets in center in blue and pink, edges scalloped. Return to this office for reward.

FOR SALE—Ford Truck with big Warford gear shift, in very good shape, priced right. Chevrolet Touring car, 1925, in fair condition. 1918 Ford Touring at $60. A 1917 Ford Roadster truck for $15.—Oscar W. Berger.

LOST—One side rear bumper for Chevrolet, between Bandera and Ben Gerdes place on West Verde. Finder please notify this office.

Dr. J. O. Butler made a trip to San Antonio yesterday.

George Tindell, of Sabinal, attended the Barbecue Monday.

Mrs. Tom Collins, of Medina, was here Monday.

Ray Hall and Frank Montague visited the Ozona Fair this week.

Mrs. Joe Stein, of San Antonio, were here for the reunion.

Mrs. Charlie Stein, of San Antonio, visited home this week.

Henry Hamilton, of Sabinal, was here Monday to attend the reunion.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Wallace, and Mr. and Mrs. Alec Theron Williams, all of Kerrville, were here for the reunion on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rees, of Center Point, attended the Reunion here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Peoples, of Mountain Home visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey at Medina.

Several officers caught several men with intoxicating liquor in their possession during the past few days.

Mrs. John Gibbons and two children, Miss Mildred Guyn, of San Antonio, attended the Reunion here this week.

Hottest dance in history. Freddie Smith's Orchestra playing at Mansfield Park, Saturday night, July 16.

Dr. J. H. Erwin is spending awhile at the Citizens Military Training Camp at Fort Sam Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker and little son, Charles, Jr., were here from San Antonio for the reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Turney and Mrs. Anderson, of near Langtry, were here for the reunion Monday.

Mrs. Nunley and daughter, Miss Ilene, of Sabinal, attended the Old Settlers' Reunion Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barnes and children, of Eagle Pass, were here this week visiting Mr. Barnes' mother, Mrs. J. A. Head.

Mrs. Frank Tample and daughter and son, Miss Edra and Sam, of Utopia, were here visiting her sister, Mrs. M. R. Thalmann.

Misses Amina Jones and Annie May Johnson, of San Antonio are spending a couple of weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Jones.

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ergles, son and wife, of Bishop, Oklahoma, and Mrs. E. V. LeStourgeon, of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. B. R. LeStourgeon and family.

Hough LeStourgeon has returned from a visit to Beaumont and several other places.

Mrs. Wm. Hatfield has returned from a trip to Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wrist last week.

The P. T. A. met with Mrs. Ed Bauerlein last Friday. A very interesting meeting was held and all present enjoyed the social hour very much. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Frank Parsons is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whit Parsons, and his sister, Miss Ida Parsons.

Mrs. Eva Whitehead and little daughter of Port Arthur, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Autry and family, and other relatives here.

Mrs. Bob Whitehead and daughter, Miss Willie Mae, are visiting relatives here.

B. H. Stokes has sold his store to D. O. Tallman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sherrill visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs A. Sherrill.

Ed Caton is at home from the Kerrville hospital. He is doing well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Stokes made a trip to San Antonio on Monday.

Threshing is in progress at the Methodist church, conducted by Rev. R. J. Gossett. Everybody invited to attend.

Miss Eula Baker spent last week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt, of Mason.

Oswald L. Crenwelge, representing a Fredericksburg creamery, was an agreeable visitor at the New Era office yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckhardt, Miss Eva Thallman and Ed Thallman, son, Hayden, are spending the Medina Short Horse at the Medina Hereford ranch near Castroville.

Frank Montague of Bandera was in Somora this week enroute to Ozona to the sheep camp of Mr. Montague, who is one of the largest raisers of Delaine sheep in Texas, and who sometimes has for sale at the Bandera ranch, is a brother of Mr. Montague, both of whom are well known here as excellent district attorneys—Devil's River News, Sonora.

LIMA LINES

Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. Pack and two grandsons, of San Antonio, are visiting Mrs. Reed and other relatives here.

The protracted meeting held by Elder Young at Rocky closed Sunday night. A large crowd attended each service and there was one addition to the church.

Mrs. J. C. Hillman, Alec, Misses Ruby, Amy, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reese, Mrs. Ted Hillman, and Mary visited R. L. Morris at Kerrville Sanitorium Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reed and children and Mrs. Kelley visited Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hillman who have been working on a ranch near Dryden came by to visit relatives here then went to San Antonio where they will reside for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Hyde, of Lima, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hill and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peoples, of Port Arthur, who visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey and relatives returned home Friday. They were accompanied home by Miss Vivian Keese.

A number of the farmers of this region are hauling corn to Kerrville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burch, of Honey Creek, moved to Pipe Creek where Mr. Burch has a job of fencing for awhile.

Visitors Victorious.

The Karotkin Furniture Co. team came up from San Antonio Sunday and played a winning game of baseball with the Bandera team. The score was 13 to 10, in favor of the visitors.

A. P. Carlton made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

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Sells Store at Medina.

B. H. Stokes has sold his mercantile establishment at Medina to D. O. Tallman of that place, possession to be given next Saturday. Mr. Stokes has built up a flattering trade for the establishment and in retiring he carries with him the best wishes and high regard of a large circle of customers. Mr. Tallman is a capable and efficient young business man and will maintain the splendid business he takes over.

The Untamed Lady.

The picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night will be "The Untamed Lady," featuring Gloria Swanson. Movie fans know this popular favorite, and can be assured of a good picture Friday night. A laughable comedy will also be shown.

Formal Opening.

The Kuehne Chevrolet Co. of Boerne announces the formal opening in their new building, tomorrow, Friday, July 15th, with an interesting program. The most beautiful Cheverolet history will be displayed in the salesrooms, Street dancing all day and other features will help to entertain all who attend. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Gets Change of Venue

San Marcos, Tex., July 12—Mrs. Rebecca Bradley Rogers did not go to trial here Tuesday, on a charge of robbing a Buda bank. She was granted a change of venue to Lagrange in Fayette County, and her trial set for Dec. 5. Nineteen veniremen had been examined without a single one qualifying as a juror, when the change of venue was ordered on motion of Judge M. C. Jeffrey. He sent the case to La Grange on his and District Attorney Fred Blundell's own district.

All prospective jurors had read too much of the girl's escapade not to have made up their minds as to her guilt or innocence, they testified. When the examination ended abruptly both the defence and the prosecution had used one of their 15 challenges, only two jurors not having decided what kind of punishment, if any, they would mete out to the former University of Texas co-ed and former employe of Gov. Dan Moody when he was Attorney General. Change of venue, thus ending the trial in so far as Hays County is concerned and postponing the ordeal for the girl until next winter, was plain, acceptable to the defendant and her attorneys.

After the sudden decision of the court, the defendant ex-

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J. W. SHORT — H. E. RAMBIE — MRS. C. H. MANSFIELD
GRANVILLE WRIGHT — I. E. ADAMIETZ

Chicken Roast.

A number of relatives and friends gathered on the Loop last Friday evening and enjoyed a chicken roast given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Chipman, of Mooringsport, La., Mrs. Lizzie Pickens and children, Miss Pyeatt and Henry Hamilton of Carlsbad, New Mexico. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Eckhardt, Mr. and Mrs. John Langford and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. August Whitley and son, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Souther, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr., Mrs. Harriett Chipman, Mrs. Hettie Welch, Mrs. Mena Hamilton, Mrs. Lizzie Pickens, Mrs. W. W. Whitley, Misses baby Pyeatt, Sylvia Dukes, Maida Hamilton, Margaret Pickens, Annetta Pickens, Zelda McKandles, Pleta Joiner, Edith Whitley, Lee Joiner, Miss Schoele; Messrs. Henry Hamilton, Bernard Duke, David Brewer, John Adams, Merlin Tiffey, Thomas Pickens, Harry Hamilton, Dee Chipman, Leonard and Fred Hamilton, Hubert and Preston Whitley, Montie Chipman, Howard Surber, Harvey Lewis, Roy and Charlie Chipman.

Red Hot Dance!

At Mansfield Park Saturday night, July 16. Freddie Smiths' Orchestra. Let's go!

Miss Helen Bock, of San Antonio sends in her renewal subscription to the New Era this week, and also orders the paper sent to her sister, Miss Marie Bock, at Yoakum.

Ice Cream Social.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Saathoff, of East Verde, entertained a number of friends last Monday evening with a delightful ice cream social. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Oliiff, Mr. and Mrs. Joy L. Tiffey, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Joiner, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Surber, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton, Mrs. J. N. Evans, Mrs. John Eckhart, Mrs. C. W. Manning, Mrs. Lizzie Pickens, Misses Edith, Hettie and Rathel Tiffey, Ellis, Elizabeth Rupa and Berdice Evans, Lenora and Lorene Joiner, Louise Manning, Delia Saathoff, Maida Hamilton, Sylvia Duke, Margaret Pickens, Ruby Pyeatt; Messrs. Sidney, Jim and Clinton Saathoff, Levi Fife, Otis Evans, Allie Hillman, Leroy Eckhart, Merlin, Jack and Junior Tiffey, Mack Joiner, Bernard Duke, Leonard Hamilton, Fred Cosgrove, Henry Hamilton, David Brewer, Thomas Pickens, Howard Surber, Henry Steuts, and Charles Manning, Jr.

The Saints' Reunion.

The Saints' Reunion of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ, Latter Day Saints, begins in a large tent on the Loop, Friday, July 15th, and will continue for several days. Announcement of the reunion will be found on second page of this issue. Good preaching and singing is promised, and the public is cordially invited to attend all of the services.

Sells Ranch.

Fritz Eckhart last Saturday sold his small ranch on Middle Verde, consisting of 304 acres, to Messrs. Hardy and Lufkin, of Oklahoma, for a consideration of $6,500. Mr. Eckhart will give possession November 1. The deal was made by John F. Hodges of this city.

Big Tomato Crop.

A Habenicht brought us a supply of fine tomatoes yesterday, which were somewhat of a freak kind, in that they were in clusters. The tomatoes were extra large and grew two and three on a stem. He says his vines are loaded and bearing prodigiously this year.

Harvey L. Carpenter, former Bandera county citizen, now residing at Brawley, California, sends in his renewal to the little old home paper this week, and also subscribes for Frontier Times.

Last week Emmett Pyka brought the New Era some ears of corn which were quite a freak, some of them having grown together, a la Siamese twins, but they were of fine flavor and we enjoyed them very much.

Does your subscription to the New Era expire this month? Watch the date on the margin or wrapper of your paper.

CHOOSING YOUR BANK

Is it not most always human difference that influences people in choosing their banking headquarters? Isn't it most always the attentive personal way your business is handled—in the way the Officers and Tellers serve you—that makes you feel that service is a pleasure and not an imposition?

The First National Bank feels that safety and service are our first obligations to you. Safety is absolute, firm as the United States Treasury and we strive to make Service WIN your confidence—further your interests—and command your enthusiastic satisfaction. Upon this rule we founded this institution and builded the good will of our many clients.

The First National Bank of Bandera

PIPE CREEK.

Mrs. Roy Brister and children of De Leon, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCabe, of Batson, Texas, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Mary Cheek, Miss Minnie Patterson, Charlie Patterson, Misses Myrtle Hamilton, and Hazel Hamilton of Quanah, Texas, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. D. T. Lewis, who spent some time at Goodlett, returned home last week.

Mrs. Amy Schupbach, of Kiowa, Kansas, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Fannie Cox.

Miss Lois Click and Herman Noah, of Bandera, visited Miss Gertrude Edwards Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Newcomer, of Breckenridge, are visiting their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Newcomer left last week for a visit to New Mexico and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Causey and family, of Spofford, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. E. G. Heimsath and Miss Contaecia, Mrs. W. R. Thomason, Mrs. L. J. Edwards and son, Leland, were San Antonio visitors Thursday.

Outing Party.

Vol and Byron Joiner gave a lovely week-end party at their camp at Medina lake in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. O Chipman and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rugh. Swimming, boat riding, fishing, dancing, and lovely barbecue dinners were enjoyed by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Chipman, Harvey Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rugh and daughter Louise, Mr. C. R. Rugh, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scheele and Miss Milinda Scheele Mrs. M. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Joiner and daughters, Lenora and Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Joiner and daughters, Pleta and Lee, and Mr. Allen Gordon.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas
County of Bandera.

Notice is Hereby Given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1 of Bexar County, Texas, on the 2nd day of July 1927, for the sum of $185.00 and interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from March 14, 1927, until paid, and all costs of suit, and the further costs of executing such writ under a judgment in favor of Ora Johnson establishing a lien for said sum, and foreclosing an attachment lien on the hereinafter described property in her favor, rendered in a certain cause in said court No. 29022, and styled "Ora Johnson vs. Mildred A. Lewis" placed in my hands for service, I, E. Hicks as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M. levy on certain real estate situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 35 and 36, Block 4, Subdivision A, Lake Medina Highlands,

and said real estate having been levied upon as the property of the said Mildred A. Lewis, and that on the first Tuesday in August 1927, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the courthouse door of Bandera County, in the town of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the said Mildred A. Lewis in and to said property.

Witness my hand this the 7th day of July, A. D. 1927.

E. HICKS, Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas.

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Associate Editor

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Some time ago the New Era urged the erection of a monument here to Veteran Amasa Clark, Bandera county's first settler and Mexican War veteran, who died early in the year at the extreme age of 101 years. This proposition was treated indifferently by the people here but the Pioneer Freighters Association at San Antonio, and the Daughters of Veterans of Foreign Wars, as well as Mr. Clark's own company, the Third Infantry, of Fort Sam Houston, promptly responded to the call and are contributing to the fund for the erection of the memorial. This monument will be erected in Fort Sam Houston and is expected to have it ready for unveiling on the anniversary of Veteran Clark's birth, September 3. Then Bandera, by her indifference, loses a monument that for every reason should be placed here, which she first settled and spent more than forty years of his life. And our portion of the cost of the monument would have been equally apportioned to every individual in the county, the cost would have been about ten cents per capita. Bandera county will in years to come hold her head in shame because of this lack of ancestral pride and apparent ingratitude to our early settlers. Amasa Clark was not a plain old man some called him an old fogey, but all of our old pioneers were plain people and according to present day ideas, most of them were foggies, but he, and many associated by the indifference herald in the world that we want to forget him, and all of the other old pioneers, who helped to make this region a delightful place in which to live. To quote Macauley: "A people without history, pride in the noble achievements of remote ancestors will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered with pride by remote descendants." While the bones of Amasa Clark, Bandera county's first settler, moulders to dust in the soil of the county he loved so well that he gave seventy-five years of his life to its development, a monument, miles away in another county will proclaim to the world that Amasa Clark was a veteran of the Mexican War and a pioneer Texan. And Bandera county will have no share in the erection of this memorial, no claim whatever to the patriotism which brought it about, and no sigh in a feeling of pride when viewing it. Shame on Bandera!

Kerrville will keep open house next week, when she will entertain the Sheep and Goat Raisers of West Texas, July 19, 20, 21, and 22. Preparations are being made to entertain an immense crowd of visitors, and it will be done royally, for Kerrville never resorts to half-way measures to get by.

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Newspaper Errors

The Clarksville Times editor springs the following: A fellow told us the other day he could always find from two to half a dozen typographical errors in every new paper he picked up and he thought something ought to be done about it. The next day we asked him about an automobile accident he had witnessed and he gave us the wrong name and initials of every participant, missed the hour of the day by five minutes, the color of car, and the direction the car was traveling when the accident occurred.

So deciding that a lot of errors creep into newspaper, and sometimes the story is not as correct as it should be. But when one considers that a newspaper has to be made in just a few short hours, and that each piece of copy must pass through several hands before it is printed, it is a wonder that there are not more mistakes.

A preacher can take a week to prepare a sermon, and then he has been known to make mistakes and get things tangled up a bit. Heard one say in a special sermon that there was an ugly in the dead sea. A lawyer can take a month to prepare a brief in a case, and then lose his case on some error, and have to try it all over. Even doctors have been known to make mistakes, as important as their work is.

Newspaper people work in a storm while they are working. A piece of news very frequently breaks just at press time, but it is important to pass by until the next day. A reporter is sent on the run and maybe two or three, and the telephone is pressed into service, and every effort made to get facts. The reporter may call on twenty people and not get enough facts to base a story upon, but he must keep trying, and then he must rush back to the office and write the story from the facts he has been able to get together in a few minutes.

If every layman could have a week's experience in helping to make a newspaper and magazine, and then have to go out and solicit advertising, and make the way to the office of every individual in the county, the most hard boiled among them would be less inquisitive. Bandera county will in years to come hold her head in shame because of this lack of ancestral pride and apparent ingratitude to our early settlers. Amasa Clark was not a plain old man some called him an old fogey, but all of our old pioneers were plain people and according to present day ideas, most of them were foggies, but he, and many associated by the indifference herald in the world that we want to forget him, and all of the other old pioneers, who helped to make this region a delightful place in which to live. To quote Macauley: "A people without history, pride in the noble achievements of remote ancestors will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered with pride by remote descendants." While the bones of Amasa Clark, Bandera county's first settler, moulders to dust in the soil of the county he loved so well that he gave seventy-five years of his life to its development, a monument, miles away in another county will proclaim to the world that Amasa Clark was a veteran of the Mexican War and a pioneer Texan. And Bandera county will have no share in the erection of this memorial, no claim whatever to the patriotism which brought it about, and no sigh in a feeling of pride when viewing it. Shame on Bandera!

Saints Will Hold Reunion.

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will hold [illegible] reunion at Bandera, Texas, [illegible] 1 to August 6, inclusive. [illegible] Bring [illegible] and tents. A [illegible] through the [illegible] 24. There will be Miss Bess Campbell, Mr. Briggs, Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Little and Miss Campbell [illegible] to our school last term. [illegible] Hunt, J. E. Vandervoort and [illegible] gave splendid satisfaction, [illegible] Richards-Parker

Teachers Employed.

The following teachers will be in charge of Bandera [illegible] for the term beginning September 7: [illegible] Mrs. Bessie Richards-Parker, [illegible] Mrs. Ella Bluff, [illegible] Mrs. Ella Bluff, [illegible] Mrs. Ella Bluff

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Frank Billings made a trip to San Antonio one day this week.

J. C. Spettle, a prominent ranchman of Rio Medina was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Adams, of Uvalde, were Bandera visitors Tuesday.

W. J. Davenport will buy your second hand Karo molasses buckets.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Faris spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris.

Marion Winans and sons returned to their home in Somerset after a few days' visit with friends here.

Mrs. W. H. Paschal and little son, Billie, are here from San Antonio to spend a month at the Riverside Inn.

Tom Boyce and family, of Crystal City, was here last week visiting his brother, Mac Boyce, and other relatives.

G. J. Spencer, the veteran printer and newspaper man of San Antonio, is spending a few days camping on the Medina river near Lima.

Uncle John Anderson brought the editor a generous supply of excellent tomatoes and cucumbers Monday, which is to say we thanks.

Hottest dance in history. Freddie Smith's orchestra, Mansfield Park, Saturday night, July 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Baker returned last week from a visit at their home in Myrtle Creek. A large crowd was in attendance and everybody had a splendid time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Smith and children, of California, were here Sunday visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Faris. Mrs. Smith is slowly improving from an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mayhew delightfully entertained the B. Y. P. U. at their home last night. Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew are such wonderful entertainers and everyone had a grand time.

Mr. and Mrs. Estle Hodges and little son were up from Pipe Creek Tuesday, and paid this office an appreciated visit. They brought us some delicious canteloupes, for which we are grateful.

Construction of the Winan's Creek school house started yesterday. F. A. Masters requests us to announce that donations of labor on the new building will be appreciated.

Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man, can sell you a farm, a ranch, a residence in Bandera, or a bunch of sheep and goats. You can find him at T. S. Dennis Jewelry Store.

Carl Freeman, who is attending Draughon's Business College at San Antonio, is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Freeman, near Pipe Creek.

When you have visitors the New Era will appreciate your kindness if you will telephone us or write their names on a slip of paper and send them in. Many visitors come to Bandera and we never hear of them, and then some people blame us for not publishing the news.

Mrs. John R. Johnston, of Rankin, was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Dan Rugh, this week. Accompanied by Mrs. Janet Currie, she went to San Antonio but will return to Bandera before going back to Rankin. While here Mrs. Johnston called and subscribed for the New Era.

W. D. Smithers, the photographer, was here from San Antonio Tuesday. Mr. Smithers made some splendid pictures of the old fiddlers' contest and the beauty contest at the Old Settlers' reunion last week, and those wanting these pictures may leave their order at the New Era office.

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FOR SALE—My lease on Chas. Mc'ardy place, together with bunch of sheep and goats, sixty head, crop, etc. Immediate possession given.—O. F. Bonnet. 2tp

LOST—Woolen baby blanket, with hand embroidered scallop, bubbles in center in blue and pink; edges scalloped. Return to this office for reward.

FOR SALE—Ford Truck with big Warford gear shift, in very good shape; priced right. Chevrolet Touring car, 1923, in fair condition, $45. 1918 Ford Touring at $60. A 1917 Ford Roadster truck for $15.—Oscar W.

FOR SALE—Two pure blood Delaine Merino Bucks.—Paul Attebus, Bandera.

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We have bought the establishment of B. H. Stokes and will appreciate your trade. We carry a good line of dry goods, shoes, hats, groceries, hardware, notions, etc.

Miss Iris Faris will leave the first of the week for a tour of the western states.

Mrs. J. F. Jones, of San Antonio, is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Lee this week.

Mrs. Mary Saunders, of Mac Magallanes Dagos several days this week.

Stanton Simpson, of Kingfisher, Oklahoma, is here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Tom Nowlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rugh, who spent the past few weeks with relatives here, left this week for their home at Mooringsport, La.

Will Newton, accompanied by Misses Velma King, Wava Martin and Mr. Jerome Foster, came up from Hondo Tuesday, and while in the city he paid this office an appreciated visit. Will spent a few months in the New Era office about four years ago, and now holds a position as linotype operator on the Hondo Anvil-Herald.

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MEDINA.

Gordon Knight, of Austin, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wyatt and son, of Mason Creek, attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Guy O. Lawson has returned from a visit to relatives at Austin. Her mother has been very sick and she spent most of the time with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Lightsy, of San Angelo, and children are visiting Mrs. Lightsy's parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Sherrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Stevens are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shuptrine and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Adams have as their guests this week: Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brown and family of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Irving of Kerrville, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hall of California.

Mr. Fiske Collins and Miss Velma Wyatt were quietly married July 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bauerlein, the groom's sister. Rev. Gossett officiating. Both bride and groom are well and favorably known here, having been reared in this community, all of whom wish them a joyful, prosperous and happy life.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Wheelis, of Palestine, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Nance, of Kerrville, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sewall and family Sunday.

Mrs. M. D. Kelly has returned from a visit to relatives in Jones and Comanche Counties.

Rev. J. J. Gossett closed a successful meeting here Sunday night, with about eight additions to the church.

Misses Lubie Jones and Iwa Childers, of Caldwell, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Sherill.

A. L. Mansfield went to Kerrville Tuesday.

V. J. Adamietz left Tuesday for his home in Thibedeaux, La.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Royal, of Houston, are spending awhile at the Riverside Inn.

Miss Clara Riddell, of San Antonio, is spending awhile at the Riverside Inn.

Mrs. Emil Calhiade and two children, of Brownsville, were guests at the Riverside Inn, the last week.

Mrs. R. M. Stafford and little daughter, of Houston, were guests at the Riverside Inn the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague and children are spending this week in Kerrville, attending the Shoop and Goat Raisers' convention, of which organization Mr. Montague is an executive committee member.

LIMA LINES

Mrs. R. L. Morris and Joe Morris visited R. L. Morris at Kerrville last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Whitaker and Mrs. Dee Coose and children visited Mrs. E. J. Coose, Mrs. T. H. Phillips and other relatives here last week-end.

Mrs. Reggie Trotter died in San Antonio last Thursday morning and the remains were brought to Means cemetery for burial Friday morning. A number of sorrowing friends and relatives from San Antonio and other places attended the funeral. She lived here several years ago. She was an aunt of Frank and Ben Johnson. Elder W. C. Swinney conducted funeral services. We extend condolence and sympathy to the sorrowing friends and relatives.

Warren and Winston Morris spent last week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Reese and children visited in the S. A. Reese home Sunday.

Jim Sutton, of San Antonio is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton.

Guy Finley, P. S. Wilson and grandson, Penn, went to Eola last Saturday to get Mrs. P. S. Wilson who has been visiting her son, Chris Wilson.

Lawrence Keese returned home Friday from a trip to California.

Mrs. G. G. Hinds was real sick last week but we are glad to report her feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and little daughters visited their sister, Mrs. Hyde, at Mountain Home last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Ray Hayeraft spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Henry Norwood at Medina.

Ben Johnson bought a new Chevrolet car last week.

Mrs. Enoch Moffet and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Keese Saturday night and Sunday.

Mark Burris, of Edwardsville, Ill., has been here the past month visiting Ed Ross, returned home Monday.

AN OPERETTA.

On Saturday night, July 30th, at Cox Hall, an operetta will be given under direction of Mrs. V. C. Powell, instructor in music, of San Antonio. The company of entertainers is composed of about fourteen young people, ranging in age from five to fourteen years. It will be a musical play which will please everyone. Admission 30c and 15c.

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Leg Fractured.

Mansfield Autrey, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Autrey, of Gonzales, sustained a fractured leg when he fell from a horse he was riding. The little boy was taken to San Antonio Sunday where he will be treated before they take him on home.

Auto Collsign.

Automobiles driven by Pat Boyle and D. D. Sol collided at the Dan Sport corner Monday. Both drivers escaped injury, but the cars were badly damaged.

Snake Bitten.

Reese Heinen, son of John Heinen, was badly bitten by a huge rattler last Friday evening. Dr. Butler was called and the rattlesnake serum was administered and Reese is doing very nicely.

Joe Bailey Speaks.

Ex-Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey attended the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention at Kerrville this week, and spoke at the opera house in that city last Tuesday. Those from Bandera who heard his address say the former senator is just as eloquent today as when his silver tongue thrilled audiences in the Senate chamber.

C. A. Maroney, of San Angelo, spent several days at the City Hotel this week.

Gov. Moody at Kerrville.

Governor Dan Moody was at the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention at Kerrville Tuesday and delivered an address to an immense crowd at the opera house there Tuesday morning. A number of Bandera people went to hear him.

The Saints' Reunion.

Much interest is being taken in the meeting in progress on the Loop under the auspices of the Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints. Good crowds are in attendance at each service, and entertaining programs are given each evening. Quite a number of out of town people are here to attend the reunion.

Hudspeth in Hospital.

Report comes that Congressman Claud Hudspeth has gone to Baltimore to enter the Johns Hopkins Hospital for treatment. Mr. Hudspeth was on the program for a speech at the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention at Kerrville this week, but Illness prevented him from attending. His many friends throughout the district hope that his illness is not of a serious nature and that he will soon recover.

Scalded

Mrs. M. E. Faris very painfully scalded her foot when she dropped a teakettle filled with boiling water.

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A. B. Talley, of Del Rio, was in Bandera the past week.

F. Garcia, of San Antonio, spent the week-end at the City Hotel.

J. W. Mahoney, of San Angelo, is spending awhile in Bandera.

Albert Eckhart and son, Albert, Jr., went to Kerrville Tuesday.

W. J. Davenport, Sr., and son, Burgis, made a trip to San Antonio Monday.

Fred Smith, of San Antonio, was a guest at the City Hotel over the week-end.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church is holding a study course this week.

H. Bennett Jones, of San Antonio, spent several days in Bandera at the City Hotel.

Mrs. S. H. Gross and little daughter, Frances, left for their home in Dallas the first of the week.

Miss Hazel Heinen, of Pipe Creek, spent several days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen, of the Hildebrandt Ranch.

Thomas Boyle, Jr., came up from Crystal City Sunday to visit his brother, Pat, who is spending awhile with his uncle M. Boyle.

Hardy Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burch and children, Mr. and Mrs. Evans and children, Mr. and Mrs. Rottenstein and children, of San Antonio, made a party and spent several days at the Riverside Inn Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Brader, of Columbus, spent several days at the City Hotel.

Mrs. Frances Dimaline and son, of San Antonio, are spending awhile at the Riverside Inn.

J. M. Stott went to Kerrville Tuesday to attend the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Braden, of San Antonio, were guests at the City Hotel several days the past week.

J. W. Sport and son, Leslie, went to Kerrville Tuesday to attend the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention.

Coy Ross, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross, is visiting in Kerrville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. White and daughter, Dorothy, of Georgetown, spent several days at the Riverside Inn last week.

Mrs. Earl Eckhart, of San Antonio, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Stevens, of Myrtle Creek.

Mrs. O. C. Surber and daughter, Miss Thelma, returned home from Blanco Tuesday, where they visited Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schwab and twin sons, Emmett and Bernard, of Austin, spent several days the past week at the Riverside Inn.

Ed Mansfield and son, Bruce, Pete Laxson and W. S. Ethridge attended the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Convention at Kerrville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Head and two children, of Brownwood, Loyd Allgood and Miss Fay Allgood, of Indian Creek, Texas, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Price.

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The First National Bank of Bandera

Selle Residence.

Anton Pyka sold his residence property near the Catholic church to F. R. Caffal. The consideration was $775.00. We understand that Caffal-Callahan has bought the P. R. Caffal place.

Mrs. Irma Montague, of Del Rio, and Miss Victoria Montague, of San Antonio, spent last week-end with Mrs. Chas. Montague of this city.

Mr. J. W. Holt has returned from the hospital and is making fast recovery.

Mrs. Emma Newcomer, of Pipe Creek, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Dan Rugh, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stoneciper and little son, of Houston, are spending awhile at the Riverside Inn.

Lon Elam, accompanied by his father, George Elam, are attending the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Convention at Kerrville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Garrett, of San Antonio, were guests at the Riverside Inn the past week-end.

Remember the Operetta to be given at Cox Hall Saturday night, July 30, under direction of Mrs. V. C. Powell of San Antonio. Admission 30c and 15c.

Miss Blanche Barbee and mother, of San Antonio, spent several days at the Riverside Inn.

G. T. Simpson, of Batesville, was here this week on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Tom North.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gill, Mrs. Abe Metz and little Miss Mildred Maud, Miss Elizabeth Stewart, of San Antonio, were entertained at the Riverside Inn the past week.

Does your subscription to the New Era expire this month? Watch the date on the margin or wrapper of your paper.

John Jureczki and family returned last week from Comanche where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Maurick.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Withington and family, of Dallas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Risinger last Sunday. Mr. Withington is state organizer for the Republican party.

R. F. Rocal, of Pleasanton, is here this week holding a B. Y. P. U. study school. While here he is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, J. O. Butler, Judge and Mrs. J. A. Eames, Judge A. L. Mansfield, Cleo, attended the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention at Kerrville this week.

Honored Guests.

Mrs. R. E. Pardue was hostess to one of the lovely summer parties Thursday, July 14th, when she so delightfully entertained a number of her friends at country home on the Bruce Ranch, honoring her guests from San Antonio, Mrs. J. S. Boyd and Miss Marie Boyd, whose they are domiciled for several weeks. The affair took the form of an At Home. The inclemency of the weather was in direct contrast to the cozy interior of the line, for the rooms were artistically decorated in beautiful cut flowers, where a coterie of guests assembled to honor the visitors. The hostess served an elaborate five course dinner. An especially attractive and appropriate feature of the appetizingly arranged table was the large cut glass bowl filled with flowers cut from the Pardue lawn, in the colors of pink and green. The persons present included: Mrs. S. Boyd, Miss Marie de Ham, Mrs. Mary Beaty, Mrs. Jim Sutcher, Mrs. F. V. Masters, Miss Minnie Bruce, Miss Jewel Surber, Leonard Surber, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pardue.

Picture Show Friday Night.

The picture to be shown at the Bandera theater tomorrow night will be "Valley Bravery," featuring Bob Custer. We all know Bob, and we've seen him in the serene Friday night. The title of the comedy to be shown in connection with this picture is "Chee-e-e-k."

Ed Ross went to San Antonio Monday.

We are pleased to know that Mrs. Frank Montague is steadily recovering from her recent illness. She spent several weeks in a hospital at San Antonio, returning to her home this month except while there she has continued to improve and is now able to get about at her home.

Will Hayes, who is in the employ of the government at Del Rio, is here on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes.

E. Beerdiet, of San Antonio, was a visitor at the City Hotel Saturday and Sunday.

Among those who went over to Kerrville last Tuesday to hear Ex-Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey and Governor Dan Moody speak were Will Hayes, Misses Margaret Montague, Alvea Cash Ruth Davenport, Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler, Judge and Mrs. J. A. Eames, Judge A. L. Mansfield, Cleo, attended the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention at Kerrville this week.

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The time for holding the Bandera County Fair is August 25, 26, and 27, and as usual it will be held at Mansfield Park, where an exhibit hall has been provided, as well as sheds for live stock. This year's fair will, we believe, outclass any previous fair. We have catalogues giving the list of premiums, and you may have one or more of the catalogues for the asking.

Kerrville is entertaining the sheep and goat raisers of West Texas this week. Great crowds are in attendance. An elaborate program for the three days' event had been arranged and is being carried out to the letter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pardue, and Miss Mamie d'Ham, who spent a delightful two weeks outing at the Bruce ranch on Medina road, returned to San Antonio Monday.

Example should Be Followed.

Frank M. Montague is having the roadside burrs pulled from the road along his pasture fence. This is an example everybody should follow, as the cockle burr pest is growing, and is a real menace. Sheep and goats driven along the roadway get the burrs tangled in their wool and hair and thus carry them to other regions.

Another Book.

Clinton L. Smith, of Hockberry, was here last week and spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lang. Mr. Smith is with his brother, Jeff Smith, was a captive among the Indians for several years, when he was a boy, and will soon publish a book dealing with his experiences among the savages. Marvin Hunter of Bandera is now writing the book for Mr. Smith, and it will be issued early this fall.

Mrs. Trotter Dead.

Mrs. Amanda Trotter, aged 67 years, wife of H. L. Trotter, died in San Antonio last Thursday, and the remains were interred in the Means Cemetery near Medina last Friday morning. Mrs. Trotter lived at Medina many years and was held in high esteem by all who knew her. She is survived by her husband, H. L. Trotter, of San Antonio; four sons, John Trotter, Sanderson, Tex.; W. A. Trotter, Mogollon, N. M.; W. D. Trotter, Silver City, N. M., and A. C. Trotter, Sheffield, Tex.; one daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Garrard, city; sister, Mrs. Matilda Graham, Devil's River, Tex.; brother, Thomas Johnson, Hurley, N. M.; and 11 grandchildren.

The New Era family appreciates the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clark who sent us a goodly supply of choice tomatoes, okra and butterbeans last Saturday, and also the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Villemain who sent in some fine tomatoes.

Undergoes Operation.

Mrs. R. C. Boales was taken to a hospital in San Antonio one day last week and underwent a serious operation. She is reported doing well and we hope she will continue to improve.

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It's the old, old story, to be sure, but one worth harping on nevertheless—the mail order evil. Much has been said against it, but the practice still prevails to some degree at least. Stand at the postoffice window an hour on Saturday afternoon and you will be amazed at the number of persons who receive parcels of merchandise shipped from distant points.

We were standing in the lobby of the postoffice the other day and saw a number of packages carried away. Just a day or two before we remembered a committee had called on us for a contribution to aid a destitute family in our territory where there was a case of the proverbial being bedridden. Then we remembered a day or two previous another had called on us for the same purpose. As we signed these lists and gave our bit we noticed the list of names on the petitions. The merchants and business men of Antlers almost without exception had given liberally to the aid of these people. Then we thought of an instance we knew of where one of the largest mail order houses in the country had been asked for help in a similar case—and refused to donate.—We do not infer by this that the people for whom the collections were taken recently are habitual mail order patrons; we do not know about that. We just want to relate a true story we happen to know about:

One time, in a town in South-east Oklahoma, a farmer lost his barn and smokehouse with their contents and a few days later a petition was circulated in town asking for financial aid for this farmer to build back his barn and buy feed for his family and feed for his livestock. One merchant who knew that this man spent most of his ready cash with the catalogue houses and patronized his home town merchants when he needed credit, suggested that his favorite mail order house be solicited for a contribution, and a letter was sent. The reply came back by return mail that the mail order house did not have an appropriation for this purpose.

Now, then, ask yourself this question: "Who's my friend when I'm down and out?" There can be but one answer, "My home town merchant." Be fair with him. When you have cash to spend, spend it with him. He helps your community prosper, and when the community prospers we all prosper. He supports your schools and churches. He pays his share of taxes and is an all-round good fellow and a whole hearted neighbor.

The mail order house; what about it? Just ask it for credit when you're broke. Ask it for a dollar when there's a family suffering dire need through sickness or other misfortune. Ask it for a donation for your church, or to support your school; just do that and see what the reply will be. We know.—Antlers American.

Delightful Dinner.

Mrs. R. S. Pardue, who spent the past two weeks at the Bruce ranch on Medina road, was hostess at a delightful dinner party given last Thursday in honor of her guest, Miss Mamie d'Ham of San Antonio. Among those present were Mrs. Mary Bruce, Miss Minnie Bruce, Mrs. J. F. Boyd, Miss Mamie d'Ham, Mrs. J. H. Surber, Miss Jewel Surber and Leonard Surber.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Duff and family, of Tarpley, were in town Saturday.

Adolph Ammann Dies in San Antonio.

Adolph Ammann, aged 67 years, died early Tuesday morning in San Antonio, after an illness of several months duration. The body was brought to Boerne Wednesday and laid to rest there Wednesday morning, the Rev. George Belsey, Rector of St. Helena's Church, conducting the services. The Boerne Gesang Verein rendered two numbers. The pall-bearers were chosen from the Old Settlers' Association of Boerne. Mr. Ammann was president at the time of his death. They were Captain Fred. Dodge, Joe Vogt, Joe Doenges, Max Tuppenweiss, Ad. Rust, and Julius Luckenbach.

Adolph Ammann was born on April 16, 1860, on the Guadalupe River on the place now known as the Ammann ranch, where he lived with his parents, Christian and Sophie Ammann, until 1875. At that time his family moved to his late home at Pleasant Valley, about six miles east of Boerne. On September 13, 1891, he was married to Miss Anna Schwarz. The children of this union were Joe and John and one daughter, Miss Anna, who with Mrs. Ammann survive to mourn him. He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Mary Schwarz, of Boerne; Miss Clara Ammann, of Mrs. Fanny Rogers of San Antonio; and one brother, Chas. Ammann of Boerne. One brother and one sister have preceded him in death.

He was one of the Old Settlers of this county. In his boyhood days he experienced all the hardships of frontier life, being chased by Indians on two different occasions. His life spans the means of locomotion of these days, for in his youth he learned how to handle an ox team and lastly, to drive an automobile.

He was of that class which is the backbone of the country, industrious, fearless and honest, the sterling qualities of good blood. By his hard work and foresight he accumulated a nice piece of property.

The community honors him, he was a director of the Boerne State Bank and President of the Old Settlers' Association.

So we leave his body to its rest, may all comfort and consolation be to those who loved and honored him.—Comfort News.

Where Are They?

It has been the custom with many parents and elders to lament the ways of the younger folks and truly they have cause but let's switch about and consider the ways of the older folks, as compared with the old days when we were a barefoot lad. In those days Dad and Mother rounded the bunch up on Sunday morning, our necks and ears were specially scrubbed (weekly operation); we would undergo a general cleaning and dressed in our Sunday clothes we would climb in the wagon or, perhaps a saddle and start early in order to be on time for regular worship at the house of God.

And how thankful we are for those wonderful happy days. It is only a memory now—but a pleasant one. They don't do that any more. Times have changed, yes sure.

Let's take an imaginary trip and that we described as we go) to the church house on Sunday morning. The Sunday school hour is at hand; we look about and see the happy smiling faces of many children and young people, but where are the old folks! Look at the Bible Class—only a few of them left—the faithful few! The children swarm to their classes with happy and joyful anticipation—they love Sunday School but if the teacher is not here—and their little hearts are saddened—and they wonder and wonder. They return from their Sunday School class rooms and enter the main auditorium—and they look over the audience. Dad and Mother are absent. Yes, they sent the children and they remained at home—probably not feeling well, but able to read the Sunday paper—and eat a big dinner — then take a long drive in the afternoon. At night they are tired so they send the children again.

Yes, we wonder what will become of the younger generation and if the older generation doesn't stop 'sending' and start 'taking' the younger folks to the house of worship, there will be more to wonder at in years to come.—Exchange.

Another "Knot" Tied in the Schemes of Necktie Gang.

John W. Wells, publisher of the Olathe (Kan.) Register, also has a plan to "Knot" the gang that sends out neckties and other unordered merchandise with the demand either to pay for the goods or to send it back. He sends in return a copy of his paper until the merchandise is paid for.

Some time ago Mr. Wells received a consignment of such neckties described as an "unusual proposition" in the "literature" that accompanied the shipment.

Here is a copy of the letter Mr. Wells sent back.

"Your 'unusual proposition' offering four ties for $1.25 was duly received, carefully examined and given thoughtful consideration.

"It just so happens that we, too, have an 'unusual proposition and a bargain.'

"I'll take it for granted, as you evidently took it for granted when sending the ties, that you can hardly afford to do without a copy of the Olathe Register each week for at least a year and consequently we are sending, under separate cover, your first copy of the paper.

Unfortunately, it may seem to you, a year's subscription to the Olathe Register is $1.50 where as your ties were billed to us at $1.25—a difference of 25 cents in our favor. I return, herewith, your coin container and ask you that you kindly remit that amount at your earliest convenience. I am also returning the self-addressed label and three cent stamp."

Mr. Wells says so far the 25 cents difference hasn't been remitted and adds, "The tie repose in a desk drawer. Even the devil won't wear them."

Texas Ex-Rangers' Reunion.

The Texas Ex-Rangers association will hold their annual reunion at Menard, beginning next Wednesday and ending Friday. A number of Bandera people have expressed their intention to attend, among whom will be the New Era editor and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bisinger of San Antonio and Mrs. George Fait, Jr., of Harlingen, spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tate. Patsy and Freddie Ringer, Jr., who spent the past two weeks here, returned home with them Sunday.

Ranch For Sale or Lease.

My Cypress Creek ranch on Medina Lake is for sale or lease. For price and terms come and see me.—Joe Spettle, Rismedina Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas
County of Bandera.

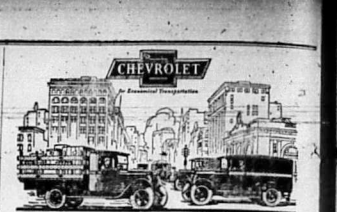
Notice is Hereby Given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1 of Bexar County, Texas, on the 2nd day of July, 1927, for the sum of $185.00 and interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from March 14, 1927, until paid, and costs of suit, and the further costs of executing such writ under a judgment in favor of Ora Johnson establishing her debt for said sum, and foreclosing an attachment lien on the hereinafter described property in her favor, rendered in said cause in said court No. 29022, and styled "Ora Johnson vs. Mildred A. Lewis" placed in my hands for service, I, J. Hicks, as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did on the 7th day of A. D. 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M. levy on certain real estate situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 35 and 36, Block 4, Subdivision A, Lake Medina Highlands,

and said real estate having been levied upon as the property of the said Mildred A. Lewis, and that on the first Tuesday in August 1927, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the courthouse door of Bandera County, in the town of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the said Mildred A. Lewis in and to said property.

Witness my hand this the 7th day of July, A. D. 1927.

E. HICKS, Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas.



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Ranger's Revive Frontier Days

By BESS CARROLL

(In San Antonio Light, July 11.)

San Antonio's frontier, pushed off over the rim of civilization, will move up again in very soon like the ghost of itself—and with it, its picturesque figures.

For when the annual Ranger Reunion begins at Menard on July 27, men who were the Old Southwest ride out of obscurity on horseback—carrying the old carbines, wearing the same huge hats of a century ago, and bringing back the days that knew these things so well.

San Antonio, birthplace of the rangers, will send its quota of these grand old men to Menard, stopped, today but does busy earning the reputation poetry gives them now.

"Their composition—sand and grit. They never know the verb, 'to quit.'"

Every year they go to Menard, once their old rallying place for chasing redskins or trailing bandits. For since very earliest times, the quaint little rock town of Menard has been the Ranger capital for western activities.

"If you want to know what kind of men they were," says Ranger James Gillett in "The Texas Ranger," his book, "there is that story of the riot call sent in by a border town to the ranger camp. Pretty soon along came one ranger, tearing in to stop the riot. Why, there's only one of you!' the town leaders exclaimed; whereupon the ranger answered, 'Well, there's only one real one out there!'"

Close by Menard is Fort McKavitt, built between the savage and the pale-face years ago. The old San Saba Mission is not far away. It was in this territory that lawless braves kept the country longer to themselves here that James Bowie looked for gold in the legendary San Saba mines. In fact, Bowie's name is carved on a rock in the ruins.

In the background—with the feel of buckskin close to their hearts, and with a familiar covering of canvas above them—the aged Texas rangers who are left will probably resurrect two names that of John B. Jones, D. W. Roberts. Major Jones commanded the famous Frontier Battalion of which Captain Gillette—still a prominent figure, in the new Southwest—was a member.

The reunion will last three days.

Thinking Straight

Good, honest, hard-headed character is a function of the home. If the proper seed is put in fertile soil and properly watched for a few years, it will not be easy for that plant to be uprooted. But it is the business of the school so to engage youthful interests that youthful energies will flow into creative channels. No school can really educate; by every school should nourish the enthusiasm of every normal child for learning, for exploring, for manipulating and for mastering. A school should stimulate the fountain of youth curiosity and not plug it up with facts. Above all, it should not dam youth up—or water it down. It has the will, energy, the impetus; give it raw meat and bones to chew on. Give it a place in the sun, keep in touch with life, help it to get its feet on the ground and a wits ground to a razor edge. Do go over the same old ground, analyze the same old mossovered problems, is delettantism; it is not preparation for life. This is a new world; it demands new brains, and new people to handle the new problems of life and of human society, quite as much as people trained in building bridges and motor cars or in selling lipsticks and bonds.—George A. Dorsey.

PLAN WOOL GATHERING

There will be plenty of fun and competition, too, when the West Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers meet in Kerrville, July 19-22. Miss Ruth Thalmann, of Bandera, below, will mix in with old timers with her prize stock.

West Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers to Meet in Kerrville

Mary's little lamb isn't going to be in it at all after a few more days.

For where Ruth Thalmann, "sheep rancher" gets her flocks together there are enough little lambs to furnish mutton chops forever and a day.

Last year's fine stock meet, including one exposition held under the auspices of Texas A. and M. college, netted Miss Thalmann $80 of one prize ram. He isn't a bit sheepish about it, either, but prances to take a cup or two home from the Kerrville meet of West Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers, July 19-22.

Rattlers Numerous.

Rattlesnakes are becoming so numerous in parts of Kerr County that a bounty law is needed to exterminate the reptiles, in the opinion of W. W. Wilson, who ranches about 30 miles west of Kerrville.

Mr. Wilson was in the city Monday on business. He reported that all employees on his ranch were required to keep a close check on all snakes killed and during 1926 a total of 69 large diamond back rattlers were killed. No dens were found and the activity of the snakes were killed during August and September while crawling. So far this year 35 rattlers have been killed on the Wilson Ranch.

Large numbers of his goats have been bitten by rattlers, Mr Wilson said, and about 50 per cent of these animals die. Two of his goats were bitten during kidding season this year while Mexicans were herding them.

Neighboring ranchmen are also killing large numbers of rattlesnakes this summer, according to Mr. Wilson, who believes that the State should offer a bounty on dead rattlers.

Range conditions in Western Kerr County are excellent, the visiting rancher reported.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Ray Hug made a business trip to San Antonio one day last week.

Ewell Wyatt, of Mason Creek, was in the city last Saturday and dropped in to extend his New Era figures.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thomas and children of Goulbluck, and Mrs. Allen Woodward and children of Coleman, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom North last Thursday.

Messrs. Bud Hough and J. W. Chamberlain, of near Bluff, were visitors at the New Era office last Saturday. Both ordered the New Era sent to his daughter, Mrs. Floyd Johnson, Colgate, Oklahoma.

Mrs. M. E. Faris has our thanks for some splendid apples which were raised on their ranch near Medina. The apples were of excellent flavor and came from a tree which bears well every year.

This annual reunion of West Texas ranchers always brings up an ancient question—"Baa, baa Black Sheep, have you any wool?" For when the sheep is shorn the question usually answer back with something that sounds like "Baa!"

For four days consecutively come one is going to be "the goat" at that Kerrville meet, where barbecued elk be served.

There will be rodeo stunts, stock judging—and Ruth Thalmann's in it resting flocks. As perhaps the only feminine sheep rancher in the country, Miss Thalmann has her "little lambs" well trained.—San Antonio Light July 15.

Remarkable Fossil Find in Kerr County.

What may prove to be one of the most extensive and remarkable fossil finds in the United States was recently made on the B. Secrest Ranch in the northwest part of Kerr County. Some samples of this fossil field are now on display in the show window at the Mountain Sun office, the larger specimen in this display containing more than a thousand petrified teeth, shells, sea weeds and other specimens of prehistoric life. The exact extent of the fossil field has not been determined, but it is known to cover an area of several hundred acres, the surface deposits being found at different spots throughout a somewhat isolated, rough ravine traversing part of the Secrest pasture.

Among the remarkable features of the find is the extent of the deposits, the beauty and great quantity of the specimens as well as the variety and excellent preservation of the petrified substances. Only in very rare instances have surface fossil deposits been found in considerable quantity, and perhaps never before in this part of the United States has a find of the kind been made that in any degree equals the Secrest Ranch find in the matter of variety and excellently preserved specimens.

One prominent geologist has made the statement that he considers it the greatest find in many respects that has ever been made. The fossil deposits being found along the edges of gulleys and ravines, and because of the sea weed, sea animal and crustacean life (some of the specimens containing the teeth and traces of bones of large animals) indicates that at some ancient period a vast lake or inland sea covered that area, that the ledges on which the deposits are found were the beach projections into this sea or lake on which grew sea weeds. Ancient clay animals browsed on these weeds and millions of crustaceans became attached to them, then the waters receded, animals and crustaceans perished, and left their history in vast petrified deposits.

Last winter J. L. Teague of Fredericksburg was hunting in the almost inaccessible part of the Secrest pasture when he happened to notice a most beautiful specimen. This he took home with him and some days later called the attention of a rock collector to it. The rock collector immediately recognized it as a most remarkable find, later visited the Secrest Ranch, procured a number of specimens, retaining some for his own collection and submitting others to geologists, particularly to the Department of Economic Geology of the University of Texas and from every source has come the enthusiastic comment that it is a wonderful find.

Specimens have been distributed among museums, to private collectors, and in response to requests have been put on display in a number of show windows.

The longer you look at one of these fossil specimens the more interesting it becomes, and if you want to inspect something wonderful in the fossil line just come around and take a look at the specimens in the display window at The Mountain Sun office.

Another remarkable find on the Secrest Ranch is a considerable deposit of geods and quartz rocks. These beautiful, brilliant rocks are not uncommon in the Hill Country, but the Secrest Ranch find is an unusually large one, and many of the specimens are the largest yet found, these specimens are the largest yet found, these specimens varying from a few ounces to several hundred pounds.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

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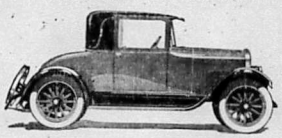

OSCAR W. PERNER

Local Star Dealer

Miss Evelyn Mansfield has gone to Austin to attend school.

Tom Wallace, of San Antonio, was a Bandera visitor Sunday.

Judge A. L. Mansfield visited Medina Sunday.

Inspector Wurbach, of Hondo, was in Bandera Tuesday.

Co. J. A. Head made a trip to San Antonio Monday.

Will Ed Rowe Hayes went to San Antonio Monday.

Claude Heard, of San Antonio was a Bandera visitor Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn McBryde, of Medina, is visiting in Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Elam and Miss Ruby Hay and Lee Walker, of Medina, were in Bandera Sunday.

Mrs. C. B. Davenport and daughter, Mrs. Robert McDonald are here from Uvalde visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Holler, of San Antonio, was here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerdes and family.

Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield returned home with her sister Mrs. Bryan Autrey. They will stay awhile in San Antonio before going on to Gonzales.

Frank H. Montague attended the Texas Retail Grocers' Convention in Kerrville this week.

Chas. Ruth Sr. returned from Houston Monday, where he spent several days with his daughter, Mrs. Mary Bills.

The base ball game Sunday played between Bandera and the Collins Grocery Co., of San Antonio resulted in a score of 7 to 1 in Bandera's favor.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wier and two children of Port Arthur, spent several weeks with his sister, Mrs. Jack Bradshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher England and two children of Alma England, of Winters, spent the past two weeks here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradshaw.

Mrs. S. D. Smith and son, Charlie, of Melvin, are here on a visit to Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Amasa Clark Sr., and other relatives. This Mrs. Smith's first visit to Bandera in twenty-one years.

Mrs. C. H. Mansfield, who spent several weeks at Kerrville undergoing treatment, has returned home. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is steadily improving and will soon be fully recovered.

Lester Heinen has purchased a Star Chicolet, and Wm. Bohmyer purchased a four-cylinder Star touring car. The purchases were made from Oscar W. Perner, the local Star dealer.

J. L. Yarborough and son, W. D., of San Antonio, are here for a few days' outing, camping on the river above town.

Mrs. Tom Boyle, Sr., of Crystal City, is spending awhile with her father, J. G. Letcher, at Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Davenport were in town Tuesday from their ranch at Spicewood Springs.

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W. H. Matthews, of near Utopia, was a business visitor Bandera Monday.

Lee Mansfield, of Tarpley, was in Bandera Saturday.

Leslie Smith, of San Antonio, is visiting in Bandera.

Clean Shaves at the Bandera Barber Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Gray, of Center Point, were here last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose.

Miss Frankie Munk, of San Antonio, is spending awhile with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tuit.

Dr. J. H. Erwin returned home Friday, after spending the past few weeks in San Antonio, at Fort San Houston.

Miss Nia Swartz, of Boerne, attended the dance at the Park last Saturday night.

Miss Mary Knight visited San Antonio last Sunday.

Herbert Paine, of Boerne, was a Bandera visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Rosa Nunnelly, of Utopia, was a visitor in Bandera last Monday.

Marriage license were issued last Friday to Miss Velma Wyatt and Finis Collins of Medina.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Elden Pries, June 17, a girl.

Try Bandera Barber Shop.

Pati Mansfield, of San Antonio, is here visiting friends and relatives.

Arthur Hayes is here from Longbeach, Calif., visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes.

Mrs. George Taft and little daughter, Marjorie, who visited friends and relatives here and at Medina, for the past several weeks, returned to Dilley last Friday.

Mrs. Harold Towers and two children, Bonnie Mae and Harold Jr., Mrs. Geo. Tower, of San Antonio, Mrs. Emil Robbie, of New Braunfels, were here Monday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod and daughter, Mildred and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lemmons, of San Antonio, were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks.

Duane Rugh and Pat Boyle went fishing Monday night and caught over twenty pounds of fish.

Mrs. Emma Howe, who has been visiting Mrs. J. E. Hoit at Mt. Bellview, and Mrs. Eugene Black, at Gonzales, returned home Monday.

Milton Faris and two daughters, Misses Cecil and Elsie Lee, attended the, Sheep and Goat Raisers' Convention at Kerrville, Tuesday.

Walter Evans and family, of Uvalde, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Evans and family.

Mrs. Mark McBryde and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, returned home last Saturday from Aransas Pass where Mrs. McBryde visited relatives.

Frank Billings went to San Antonio yesterday. Little Martin Nichols returned home with him to be put under the care of Dr. Butler. Martin broke his arm some time ago and has not been doing so well lately.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rugh made a trip to Boerne last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Boehme, of Pipe Creek, were Bandera visitors last Saturday.

Louis Reder and little daughter were here from Medina Friday.

W. S. Ethridge was in Hondo and Kerrville last week trying two habeas corpus cases.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewal Wyatt and children, of Mason Creek, were in town last Friday.

M. Doyle, of San Antonio, was registered at the City Hotel one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Faris and little daughter, Elsie Lee returned from Llano last Friday.

John Bos returned from San Antonio Friday, where he spent the past week with his son, Fred Bos.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carr and two daughters, of Okmulgee, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McBryde at Medina last week.

L. H. Hayes and son, Arthur purchased a new Chevrolet truck from Mansfield and Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Frank Mansfield and Doc Blakeney went to Boerne Friday night to attend the Street dance given by Keuhne Chevrolet Co.

If you want good oil we have it. Texaco and Mobiloil—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keller, Mrs. Augusta Beck, of San Antonio, and Mrs. Gid Lane spent last week camping on the lake.

Go to Bandera Barber Shop.

Medina and the 68th squadron of Kelly field played a fourteen inning of base ball at Medina last Sunday with the score of 4 and 5 in Medina's favor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes and two children, of Houston, spent several days the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes.

Relatives visiting at the home of Otto Weltner, near Camp Verde, last week included Mrs. Chas. Wallrath and sons, Otto and Carlos, Mrs. E. Hyrnard of San Antonio, Mrs. Annie Kram, Misses Josefa and Ella Kram, Mr. and Mrs. William Ulrich and child of Weimar, Mrs. Charles Snyder, Miss Mary Snyder and Robert Snyder of Rosenberg.

If you need new tires, we have all sizes in stock, as good as the best and as cheap as the cheapest. — Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Mr. R. L. Chambliss, the Rawleigh products representative, was over from Kerrville Saturday, accompanied by his bright little son. While in town Mr. Chambliss called to renew his subscription to the New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cox and sons and Tom Rayfield returned last Thursday from a trip to Corpus Christi, where they spent a most enjoyable outing of several days.

Mrs. John F. Langford went to San Antonio last Thursday where she will spend several days taking treatment from a specialist.

George F. Owens and daughter, Miss Gladys Owens here one day last week, visiting friends. This was Mr. Owens' first visit to Bandera in about forty years, and while here he looked up quite a number of his boyhood friends, all of whom were delighted to see him.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hardison of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs T. S. Stilwell, of San Antonio, spent last Thursday at Eb Holt's fishing grounds on Medina Lake. They caught lots of fish, and had a good time generally, and were enthusiastic in their praise of Mr. Holt's accomodations and interest in seeing that they enjoyed their stay there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Long and son and Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn of Dallas spent several days last week with their mother, Mrs. Joseph Flynn, and family.

Rev. J. M. Witt of Center Point, Mrs. C. A. Proudfoot, Mrs. Minnie Duncan and little daughter, Doris, of San Antonio, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Surber on Whan's Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hand of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foster and Miss Wyla Mae Schwartz of Merkel, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dennis several days last week.

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Winan's Creek.

Miss Leona Batte is home from school in San Antonio where she finished her summer course.

Cecil Sather is spending his vacation with relatives at Mason.

Mrs. I. I. Duke and daughter Miss Pearl, returned last week from several days visit with Mrs. Duke's sister, Mrs. Lela Roush and family at Smithville.

Mrs. J. L. Moravietz has had as her guest the past few weeks her sister, Mrs. Fannie Jurecki of San Antonio.

J. A. Gibbons is spending awhile in the home of his niece, Mrs. J. H. Surber.

Mrs. J. W. Batte and family and Henry Hermes, Sr., of Tarpley, had as their guests the past few days, their mother, Mrs. Hermes, and brother, Bud Hermes and family, of Hallettsville.

Mrs. George McNaughton, of San Marcos, who spent the past two weeks with her son, John and family, returned home the day with her brother, Mr. Walter Barlow and wife who spent the week-end in the McNaughton home.

Elmo Newcomer, of Pipe Creek, was a business visitor in Bandera Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, July 26, a girl.

Jim Gibbs, of the Tarpley community was attending to business in Bandera last Monday.

E. W. Jackson and family, of San Antonio were here last week attending the Saint reunion.

Just received a line of good trousers. Priced to sell. Come and see them.—Davenport's Store.

Tax Assessor Albert V. Huth and daughters, Misses Betty and Patty Huth, Mrs. A. M. Ransom and Miss Edith D. Huth, of San Antonio, were here last Thursday and paid this office an appreciated visit. They are coming to Bandera again this week-end to enjoy an outing.

The Latter Day Saints reunion which continued for ten days, on the Loop, closed Sunday night. Several additions to the church are reported. Elder White of Independence, Mo., preached Sunday morning and at night. A large number of faithful members came up from San Antonio, and from other places, to attend the reunion of the saints and the song programs and preaching services were enjoyed by all.

MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cowder, of Pearsall, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Layton.

Henry Coleman, of Houston, is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Layton.

Mrs. Ruth Gelman and Mr. T. W. Roberts of San Antonio spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Layton.

Miss Ruby Norris spent several days the past week with Miss Ruth Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Long and baby, of Port Arthur, are visiting Mrs. Long's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Whitehead, and other relatives here.

Miss Lena Watson was married to Mr. Edward Wolff in Medina, Monday afternoon, July 25 by Judge C. W. Harris.

J. M. Moffett and family, Bill D. McMahon and family and Mrs. M. D. Kelly attended church at Devine last week-end and visited relatives while there.

A party and Miscellaneous shower was given at Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mayfield's home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Collins, Saturday night. A number of nice presents were received.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Deane, of Port Arthur, are visiting Mrs. Deane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Southland.

R. Adams and family are visiting his sister, Miss Fannie Adams.

A. B. Robertson and family of Fredericksburg, are visiting Wm McMahon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Keese and family are visiting relatives here.

Miss Joyce Gilbert, of San Antonio, is visiting her cousin Miss Inez Gilbert.

Fred Whisenhunt was down from his ranch near Medina last Sunday, and informed us that Refreshments were served by a great number of guests and every body had a splendid time.

Chas. Wahl, of San Antonio, was here Sunday visiting Miss Frankie Monk.

Revival Meeting.

There will be a revival meeting, beginning at the Methodist Church at Bandera, Sunday, August 14. Rev. John N. Mc-Kay, former missionary to Mexico and now pastor at Uvalde will do the preaching. The meeting will continue for two weeks. Rev. R. J. Gossett, local pastor will have charge of song service. A very cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend these services. Especially do we urge the co-operation of all christian people during the meeting.

Work on Pipe Line.

Work on the Humble Company's pipe line, which is to cross the western part of Bandera county, is well under way. Great truck loads of heavy piping, building material and supplies are being hauled through Medina to Tuff, and from Hondo to Tarpley. Camps have been established every few miles, where construction crews are located. Considerable blasting is being done. When the work is finished stations will be maintained near Tuff and Tarpley.

Old Trailers' Dance.

The Old Trail Drivers' Dancing Club of San Antonio, will stage a benefit dance at the Woodlawn Lake pavilion in San Antonio on Tuesday night, August 2, for the benefit of the Milk and Ice Fund. Prizes will be given to the couples who excel in the waltz, the polka, the schottosche, and for jig dancing. Everybody invited.

In connection with the Milk and Ice benefit the Trail Drivers will stage a rodeo at Woodlawn Lake, on the afternoon and night of Tuesday, August 9th. Bob Cox purchased a yearling ram of the same stock.

Visitors at the convention Wednesday included Mrs. F. B. Garrison of Bandera and her sister, Miss Leora Rambie, of Oklahoma City, Okla., who is visiting her father, H. E. Rambie, at Bandera.— Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr., entertained quite a number of her friends, with an afternoon social at her home on last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Engle, of San Antonio, was here Sunday to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

Miss Bernice Knight, of Jacksonville, Fla., is here visiting John Ross and family.

P. T. A. meet next Wednesday, August 3 with Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Jr.

R. E. Willis and son, Ben, of Tarpley, were here Monday.

Miss Louelba Stevens, of Myrtle Creek is spending awhile at Corpus Christi.

Bandera Chapter, No. 463, O. E. S., will meet Friday night, August 12th, instead of August 5th, as announced in regular notice elsewhere.

Frank Mansfield and Marvin Hunter, Jr., went to Kerrville and San Antonio last Monday.

Go to Bandera Barber Shop.

Old Timer Visits Bandera.

Capt J. J. Little accompanied by R. T. Barnhart, of Pearsall, was here last Friday, and dropped in to see the editor. Frank Montague had him in tow and was showing him some of the sights of the present-day Bandera. Mr. Little used to visit Bandera in the old days, but this was his first visit in forty-seven years, and he needed some one to point out the old familiar haunts to him. He has lived in Frio county for over fifty years, serving as sheriff of that county for about eighteen years of the time. He has successfully followed stock-raising, and is one of the old trail drivers. He went over to Kerrville last week to attend the sheep and goat raisers' convention, and while here met many of his old friends. We enjoyed his visit very much and we hope he will come again some of these days when he has longer to stay.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hicks and infant daughter, of Tarpley, were here Tuesday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks.

Woods Thornsbury, of Utopia was here Sunday and pitched ball for the Bandera Base Ball team. The Bandera team played the San Antonio Electrical Company team, winning with a score of 14 to 0.

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NOTICE

Fred Cosgrove notifies us that there will be no more deliveries from his store.

Miss Martha Habenicht and Edward Schmidt, of San Antonio, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

Leases Rodeo Grounds.

Ed Mansfield, of this city, has leased the resort known as Paul's Grove, on the Culebra Road, 14 miles from San Antonio, and will operate it during the next year or so. He will put on a first class rodeo every Sunday, and will entertain large crowds. The opening of the resort under his management will be held Sunday, August 7th.

Chicken Roast.

A chicken roast was given last Saturday evening at Thalmann Crossing, honoring Miss Eva Thalmann of New York. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Thalmann and two daughters, Misses Lora and Cleo, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thalmann and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thalmann, Mrs. Louise Thalmann, Mrs. Bernard Wallace, Miss Lela Murphy, Miss Winifred Thalmann and Victor Thalmann. Everybody had a good time. Lots o' chicken.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britch, on Middle Verde, Sunday.

Marriage license were issued to O. S. Locklear and Miss Alma Herdit, Saturday, July 23.

Miss Leora Rambie, of Oklahoma City, Okla., is here visiting her father, H. E. Rambie.

Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Garrison and infant son, and Harley Eckhart and small daughter, of Tarpley were in Bandera Monday.

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Chicken Fry.

A chicken fry was enjoyed by a large crowd on the river last Sunday night. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jurecki, Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Casmer Jurecki, Mrs. Lewis, John Jurecki, John Moravietz, Miss Tillie Anna, Antonia Jurecki, Mrs. A. J. Fischer, Wilson and Marie Wilson accompanied her grandmother home for a few days visit. Mr. Pete Wilson helped eat Bob for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker and children, of San Antonio, visited Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hilman Sunday and Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hinds and children motored to Fredericksburg last Saturday returning Sunday.

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Mrs. Bill Huskey has been quite ill with appendicitis but is some better now. We hope she will soon recover.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Watts, and daughter, of Austin, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Huskey.

Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield returned Thursday from Gonzales where she spent several days with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Autrey.

Mrs. J. V. Hucker, wife of the Commercial Manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, was here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dahlberg and daughter, Miss Anna Mae, Ben C. Reyes and family and R. T. Davis, all of San Antonio, were camping on the river here last week-end.

MEDINA LINES

Harold Phillips who is attending school in San Antonio, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips.

Mrs. D. M. Wilson has returned from a visit to her son, Chris Wilson and family of Eola. We are very glad to know Maggie is much improving. Miss Marie Wilson accompanied her grandmother home for a few days visit. Mr. Pete Wilson helped eat Bob for a visit.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Watts, and daughter, of Austin, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Huskey.

Miss Minnie Mae Mansfield returned Thursday from Gonzales where she spent several days with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Autrey.

Mrs. J. V. Hucker, wife of the Commercial Manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, was here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dahlberg and daughter, Miss Anna Mae, Ben C. Reyes and family and R. T. Davis, all of San Antonio, were camping on the river here last week-end.

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Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

The New Era editor is attending the annual reunion of the Ex-Texas Rangers Association at Menard this week, leaving left on Tuesday. This issue of the little old home paper is gotten out by the office force, which accounts for a better New Era this week.

If one will spend a little time among the mountains of Texas he will feel the insignificance of his puny strength and the wondrous power that shook the mighty giants loose from their home beneath the earth and cast them toward the sky. The granite mountains speak sermons, the gorges deep and narrow are lessons, while the tumbling waters swirl and foam and dash themselves against huge rocks while racing down toward the level plain far below, the loud does point high on point and peak, the sheer, bare rocks, the singing cataracts and turbulent waterfalls, the gashes long and deep in mountain sides, the fog, dead timber line, the grim old monuments of a mighty upheval long years ago, all plainly show just one single mountain in its majesty is more than ten thousand men could make in as many years.

Much of our trouble is imaginary. We paint upon the canvas of our minds gruesome pictures of tomorrow happenings, and cast across the sky of our storm clouds that are only in the mind. If we expect pessimism and happiness we must hope for them, for what the mind long for is apt to come. One can start the day with pleasant thoughts and it will be apt to end with agreeable happenings. There is some real trouble in the world, but the average man and the average woman does not have much of it, when their lives are averaged up, and the pleasant things that they have enjoyed are counted and contrasted with the real disagreeable things. Pleasant days are in the majority and wast are termed troubles are merely inconsequential disappointments. There are, of course, many times when we do not get what we want or what we think that we ought to have, but it is sure than likely that we get more than we could led to. It is possible for most of us to enjoy life a great deal more than we do, and make the lives of others much happier, if we will be sensible about our disappointments, and not carry our grouch around with us.

Monday, August 1st elections will be held over the State to vote on the constitutional amendments which were passed at the last regular session of the Legislature. These amendments have been published in the New Era, and every citizen of the county is probably familiar with the provisions of each one, and will vote according to his judgment.

Isn't it strange to what trouble we will go in order to have a little excitement, when the age in which we live is so vibrant with it that we should endeavor in every reasonable way to avoid as much of it as possible. We are becoming a nation of nerves, restless human beings, never satisfied when not in the midst of some pleasure or some venture that thrills with mental exharation and sets the nerves a-tingle. We are no content any more to remain quietly at home, but we must go where the crowd is largest and noisy, and where heavy traffic sounds and roars. We no longer care for the simple amusements that once filled our lives, but we must seek the sensational, the spots where danger threatens, the play that is just a little more daring than the rest. We never rest, but go on day after day in the same old way on a mental and a nervous strain, and finally we have a nervous breakdown and next there is a funeral. We miss much of the happiness that would come to us if we would cultivate patience and poise, and spend more of our time in communion with Nature, learning the beautiful lesson of quiet and repose.

Nature is lovorable in her ways. She is kind and considerate and patient, but when a person or a nation has been thoroughly tried and tested and found tested and found inadequate for the responsibilities placed upon them, nature relieves them of the burden, and some one else is chosen for the purpose. When there are great deeds to be performed and great sacrifices to be made in the name of humanity, there are always willing men to make the sacrifice. In the evolution of the great eternal plan, which has been in course of progress ever since the world began, it often necessary that men yield up their lives and nations be tried and tested with the horrors of war, before the right men and the right nation are selected for the work of enlightening the other nations of the world. Men who lead a nation to greatness and nations who light the way for higher civilization must not be selfish, but must be thoroughly imbued with a desire to do those things that will be the most helpful to those who now live and those who are to follow after. They must have in their hearts that willingness to suffer and to die that the world may be happier and better.

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A New Novel.

C. L. Patterson, of Floresville, is the author of a new novel, which is to come from the press shortly under the title of "The Two Conspiracies." Mr. Patterson formerly lived here, and for two years was editor of the old Bandera Enterprise, and also served as county attorney of this county. The scenes for his book are laid in Bandera and Wilson counties, and it will be a book of which every good man and woman will be proud. It will be suitable for any home library, office or business. You will see Bandera and Medina in it, with all the trimmings. Announcement will be made when the book is ready for distribution, but if you want to be sure to get a copy send two dollars to C. L. Patterson, Floresville, and get your order in early.

It requires a brave man to laugh when adversity comes, and pursue his duties cheerfully and willingly, even though there are sobs in his throat and sighs in his heart. There are many such people, full of kindliness and sympathy, comforting the distressed, consoling the fearful, bearing the burdens and sharing even while their own burdens and responsibilities press sorely upon them. It requires bravery and fortitude and self-forgetfulness to do this and it can only be acquired by patience.

People are always wondering why the other fellow does not do as they do. The truth is, they do not know what they would do, if they had the other fellow's money, and the chances are that they would not make half as much use of it, or spend it as the other fellow, and that is just why they have not been favored by fortune. Nature generally has a pretty good idea of the value of things, and gives possessions to those who have some peculiar fitness to use them or care for them. We may not be able to discern this fitness, but it is there just the same. And thus the world goes, world over, those who do not have the means are criticising those who do have it, and those who have it are perpetually doing the wrong thing, doing just as they please.

The Ending Of Rural Isolation.

Farm people and folks living in country towns and villages filing their locations and going into larger cities might well consider the effect that is going to be produced in the near future by the ending of the old rural isolation. The lonely country life is soon largely to be made a thing of the past by the use of the automobile. The dull country town can become a very live one as the result of bringing the people closer together by automobile transportation.

The result of this is already to be seen in the people living in outlying neighborhoods easy access to all the things going on in the nearby towns. And the people in the towns can go out into the country districts, the majority of people living there, and drive into the towns with their automobiles.

These two elements have not yet formed themselves into one to work together. But they are learning to do so every day. The country people should be associating themselves with the towns in movements in the town centers. They are already joining business associations, farmers clubs, and are active in their improvement, and attending entertainments and lectures more than ever before.

This should unify the town and the country, so that civic movements would prosper more, the people should organize better for their mutual advantage, for obtaining industries and promoting better marketing methods.

The isolation of the old time country held it back and prevented its progress. That isolation is gone or going. The people of town and country should unite in many ways for better business, closer relations, more prosperity, more culture, more enjoyment. The results thereby gained will make country towns and rural neighborhoods better places to live and make money in.—Ex.

Ranch For Sale or Lease.

My Cypress Creek ranch on Medina lake is for sale or lease. For price and terms come and see me.—Joe Spettle, Riomedina Texas.

Animals Bring Big Prices At Auction Sale.

Registered sheep and goats from all parts of America on the auction block at the three-day auction sale held in connection with the 1927 convention of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association are selling at unusually high prices, according to officials.

The first day of the sale, which opened at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday saw a registered, Angora stud buck sell at $1,075. The purchaser was O. W. Cardwell of Uvalde and the seller was C. A. Pepper of San Antonio.

Sheep are also going at top prices. Twenty-one Rambouillets sold at auction brought an average price of $250 each and five Delaines were sold at an average of $580 each. Six Angoras sold at an average of $310 each.

Bullard Bros. well known breeders of Woodlawn, Calif., sold a two-year-old Rambouillet ram to Guy Rochelle of Sanderson for $825. W. S. Hansen of Parowan, Utah, sold a registered Rambouillet ram to Otto Stolley & Son of Austin for $600. A. F. Gombert of Wakeman, Ohio, sold a two-year-old registered Delaine ram to Jacoby Bros. of Menard for $825 and a two-year-old registered Delaine to J. B. Cameron of Fredericksburg for $625.

John I. Liles of Celina, Ohio, sold a registered two-year-old Delaine ram to John Rosenow of Carta Valley for $1,000 which topped the record for sheep sales on the first day.

The sale opened again Wednesday afternoon and will continue Thursday afternoon under the direction of D. T. Jones of Angora, secretary of the Sales Committee.

Approximately 1,000 of the best sheep and goats to be found in the United States are entered for sale during the seven days. Buyers from all parts of Texas are bidding at the sale.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas
County of Bandera.

By virtue of a writ of Execution issued out of Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1 of Bexar County, Texas, on the 2nd day of July 1927, for the sum of $185.00 and interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from March 14, 1927, until paid, and all costs of suit, and the further costs of executing such writ under a judgment rendered in the hereinafter described property in her favor, rendered in a certain cause in said court No. 29022, and styled Lera Johnson vs. Mildred A. Lewis, placed in my hands for service, I, E. Hicks as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1927, at 4 o'clock P. M. levy on certain real estate situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 35 and 36, Block 4, Silbydivision A, Lake Medina Highlands,

and said real estate having been levied upon as the property of the said Mildred A. Lewis, and that on the first Tuesday in August 1927, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the courthouse door of Bandera County, in the town of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the said Mildred A. Lewis in and to said property.

Witness my hand this the 7th day of July, A. D. 1927.

E. HICKS, Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas.

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Boys, bring your stone arrow heads to the New Era office. We are paying 5 to 25 cents each, according to size and condition. We want other stone relics also.

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New Model Buick Now on Display.

Beauty, style and luxury make a new venue in automotion, distinguish the entire line of Buicks for 1928, according to R. L. Schmerbeck, Kerrville dealer, in announcing the displaying of the new models. Low swung and rakish, the new Buick elicits gasps of admiration at first glance, and the deeper the investigation, the warmer the response.

In the models which Buick is presenting today, it sets a precedent. Every model of the line comprising the Buick line is as luxurious as a fine drawing room—as tastefully appointed, as painstakingly executed, and as comfortable.

Seat cushions and backs have been shaped with the same regard for comfort as makers of high grade furniture bestow upon their finest offerings. The principles established by the world's foremost body engineers in keeping with the highest dictates of modern interior decoration, and applied in a manner of which the most fastidious owner may well be proud.

Still a striking improvement in the general appearance of every Buick interior results from the new color scheme adopted for the Buick line for 1928. Contrasting colors are used, the seats taking a different shade than the side walls and head lining. The material used is a special fine quality mohair plush with soft and very durable close woven nap. All closed models are fitted with arm rests, and to add to the car's comfort as well as to its completeness.

Harmoniously combined Duco colors, emphasizing the stylish low contour of the cars, and resplendent with heavy nickle on radiator, bumpers and the beltline moldings of the Buick for 1928. Greens, blues, tans, gray, brown and maroon, all used in combination with black, and set off tastefully with brightly-striped moulding, make up the Buick color list.

A new development adding to the beauty of the new Buicks is the handsome washable top material, of light color, applied to several of the de luxe models.

One of the pleasing features on the new sedan bodies is the elimination of the vertical moulding at either side of the rear lining panel. This change produces a sweeping effect, which emphasizes the car's lowswung grace, a result to which the elocation of other moulding also contributes.

All Buick models for 1928 are fitted with new roofing material, and all present new roof lines which help to account for their stylish appearance. All have clear vision fronts, achieved by narrowing the windshield side pillars and the horizontal top bar. As with other improvements, Buick has gained better vision without sacrifice of any desirable quality. The pillars are still of the famous Fisher wood and metal.

Viewed from any angle, Buick for 1928 displays a beauty, grace and thoroughgoing luxury calculated to extend its already remarkable conquest of the fastidious. Yet beauty is only one of the new Buicks outstanding qualities. Performance, long life, and riding comfort entirely consistent with this beauty give the Buicks greater ground than ever for its claim to value beyond compare, according to Mr. Schmerbeck.

War Is Declared On Flies By Ranchmen

Over 1900 gallons of flies were burned in a few month's time.

Menard County ranchmen are forming actifly associations and have declared war upon their great menace to the cattle of that county. They have about 900 traps going now, and new ones are being built daily.

We have been informed by prominent ranchmen of that county, that they are just getting started, and they have set their goal—Make Menard a county Without a Fly.

To successfully combat this pest, the natural enemy to cattle raising, it must be carried on as a business in a business like manner. One man or a few men undertake such a stupendous job would be time and money wasted, but unwisely managed.

We are living under great the forming these days. We are uplifting as our fathers never dreamed it could be done. We are doing away with the sections announcing them. But is the heart of man being "washed and made clean."

We have chased the saloon away from the corner, thank God! But is it possible we have concluded that, since the saloon and dance hall are so much need the revival with its message of blood-red redemption? Having done those mighty things that we have ceased to be charged against us that we have left something else even more important undone.

My brethren, let the church look to Golgotha for the only cure and to the heart of man as having the one spot that must be reached. I do not desire to be counted a pessimist by my forward looking friends, but I fear that we are neglecting very much indeed this weightier matter. The world may be advancing in flying machines and sewers and radios and fine cities and hospitals and the breeding of fancy lap dogs and undoubtedly it is but we are not of the world. The heart of man is a universe all within itself and wrapped up within its hopes and its despairs, its joys and its griefs, its successes and its failures are the real issues of life and destiny. Is the heart of man becoming a better heart? Is the heart a fresh sin more free, a heart more loyal to the Christ of, the blood stained palms, a heart washed and made holy, a heart that knows the infinite joys of the indwelling of a personal Savior? If this question can be answered in the affirmative, then we are indeed advancing.

It Is A Better World

(By Bob Shuler, in Texas Christian Advocate.)

I have not yet joined those who delight to point to reeking filth as a kind of testimony and sum to feel that Texas is without blemish. Nor do I feel that there are not many sores to be found in the 'Hardware and Grocery Departments and decent people all energies to selling and taking care of the Chevrolet business. So, the Kuehne Chevrolet Co. was founded with Wa

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The 8:30 dancing was temporarily halted and Dr. L. J. Gregory, President of the Boerne Chamber of Commerce, made a short talk mentioning the ten splendid weeks' purchase of a automobile should demand in a car. The Chevrolet car meets all these requirements and added one point. Miss Chevrolet" in the person of Miss Gretchen Soef who had been concealed in a beautiful Chevrolet Landau was escorted on an attractive bridge spanning a stream. This stream was an electrical effect, which could easily be detected from real running.

After Dr. Gregory's talk Mr. Allen, Sales Promotion Manager of the Houston Zone thanked the public for their acceptance of the Chevrolet and for their splendid attendance at the opening. He stated that the Chevrolet Co. had and would continue to make better cars as the years went by. Cars were turned out. They are making over 4000 cars daily now and he said that soon the factories would be turning out 5000 cars daily. Mr. Allen is a splendid speaker.

Next Tuesday Manager Kuehne had a sales-room large enough to display the models and cars. Thus a modern up-to-date Service shop with two expert mechanics to take care of your car's needs, and a modern paint shop where a factory job of painting can be done. After this short talk they danced on until midnight.

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What Is The River Bank

What is the bank of a public stream as applied to the law of the fisherman. How much space a fisherman has along the water's edge is fairly described by the opinion handed down by the Texas supreme court.

This definition by the supreme court, of what is the river bank largely puts an end to controversies as to the dividing line of state streams and private property.

The banks of a stream or river are the water-washed and relatively permanent elevations or acclivities at the outer lines of the river bed which separates the bed from the adjacent upland whether valley or hill and serve to confine the waters within the bed and preserve the course of the rivers when they rise to the highest point attained before they overflow in a definite channel."—Exchange.

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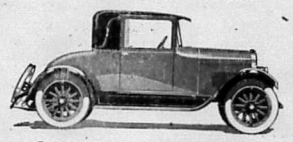

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Capt. T. P. Grant, of Tarpley, was in Bandera Monday, on business.

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AN OPERETTA

On Saturday night, July 30th, at Cox Hall an operetta will be given under direction of Mrs. V. C. Powell, instructor in music of San Antonio. The company of entertainers proposed of about fourteen young people, ranging in age from five to fourteen years. It will be a musical play which will please everyone. Admission 25c and 15c.

A. Habenicht brought in an extra large cabbage for which we thank him very much.

Mrs. E. H. Rose, of Fort Smith, Ark., is here visiting her son, W. E. Rose.

Thos. J. Baten, prominent attorney of Beaumont, was a Bandera visitor last Tuesday. While here he called to see us.

Clean Shaves at the Bandera Barber Shop.

C. H. Krause was in Bandera from Pipe Creek, Monday.

Billy Sunday, of San Antonio, is here visiting George Lane.

Remember the Operetta to be given at Cox Hall Saturday night, July 30, under direction of Mrs. V. C. Powell of San Antonio. Admission 25c and 15c.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter of Harper, were here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eckhart and family, of West Verde, were in Bandera Saturday.

Mrs. Don Rugh was quite ill several days last week with an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Snow, of Ingram, and Jim Snow and son, of Utopia, were guests of Mrs. Amasa Clark, Sr., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Eckhart and Miss Eva Thalman are attending the reunion of the Texas Ex-Rangers at Menard this week.

Orange Clark informs us that he sold about 2,000 pounds of choice honey to dealers and consumers at Fredericksburg last week.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler went to San Antonio last Tuesday. From San Antonio Mrs. Butler went on to Tyler to visit relatives and the Dr. returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Caffal are moving to the Anton Place, place, which they purchased recently.

Joe Newcomer, of Medina, was seen in Bandera one day last week.

Mrs. Richard Irving and son, Preston, were visitors in San Antonio Thursday.

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John Walker and son, Willie, of Chalk Creek, were in Bandera last Friday.

Richard Irving and son, Russell, were in Bandera from Mason Creek Thursday.

Glenn Meadows, of Houston, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows.

Mrs. Billie Burns and children and Mrs. J. S. Burns are visiting relatives at Rockdale.

The Misses Fuller entertained with a delightful social at the Riverside Inn last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sewall, of Medina, spent through Bandera Friday on their way to San Antonio.

Ben Clark and his sister, Mrs. Chas. Schindler and children went to San Antonio last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Elam attended the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Convention at Kerrville last week.

Mrs. L. B. Stokes and daughter, Mrs. Foster Boerlin, of Medina, spent several days in Bandera last week.

Miss Fannie Duke, of Little Creek, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Grace and Sylvia Duke last week.

Mrs. H. Zumberg and Mrs. W. M. Walker, of Red Bluff Creek, were guests of Mrs. Annie Rect, on last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt Chipman and family, of Rocksprings, are here visiting his mother, Mrs. Harriett Chipman.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Stevens, of Camp Verde, attended the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention at Kerrville last week.

Misses Grace and Sylvia Duke have been quite ill the past week with Malaria fever. We hope they will recover soon.

Mrs. J. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Guy McKay and two children visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart and family last week.

Mrs. I. T. Duke and daughter, Miss Opal, returned last week from Smithville, where they spent awhile with relatives.

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John Eames Olliff, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Olliff, of Medina, visited his grandparents, Judge and Mrs. J. D. Eames, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange Clark brought in some fine pears last Saturday, for which we are grateful. Their crop this year is large, and the early pears are ready for marketing.

Rev. Fleming, the Presbyterian missionary, will preach at the Methodist church Sunday at 11 o'clock. Rev. Gossett will go to Medina for that hour. Rev. Gossett will preach here Sunday night. Public cordially invited to attend these services.

Sam McGee, who has had charge of the Hildebrand Ranch for several years, is moving his family to town. They will occupy the Cheap Walker cottage, North Center Point.— Center Point correspondent in Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar M. Stile of Shelby, North Carolina, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watts and Miss Dorothy Watts of Austin, were visitors in Bandera last Saturday and paid the New Era a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Stile maintain the Loose Leaf Library, well known to writers and librarians throughout the United States, who use the system to a great advantage. They are thinking of removing it to Texas, and when we suggested Bandera as an ideal location they were quite favorably impressed.

Mrs. Britsch attended the Sheep and Goat Raisers' convention at Kerrville last week, and while there he purchased a splendid Angora yearling billie from Fred Whisenhunt for $300. Mr. Britsch has an animal for a flock leader which he is justly proud of.

O Boy! See those samples at the tailor shop.—They will fit too. Hold their shape and will not cost any more than a-hand me down.

Marriage license were issued to Ed Wolf and Miss Watson, of San Antonio, last Monday.

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FOR SALE—Ford Truck with big Warford gear shift, in very good shape, priced right. Chevrolet Touring car, 1925, in fair condition, $65. 1918 Ford Touring at $60. A 1917 Ford Roadster truck for $15; two Dodge touring cars in very good shape. Will take sheep or goats in trade on any of these cars.—Oscar W. Perner.

FOR SALE—P. & O. Canton double disc plow for $25.—O. W. Freeman, Pipe Creek, Texas

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. Olliff Adams and children, of Ozona, have moved to Tuff.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adams, O. C. Adams and Dr. C. A. Sherfey left Friday to San Antonio last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Mayfield spent last week-end with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lee, and children, in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Reaves and Mr. Reaves' sister, Miss Reaves, of Camp Verde, visited Mrs. M. D. Kelly.

Miss Lenaone Anderson, of Comanche County, visited Mrs. M. D. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Curtis and son, Ray, are visiting their daughter at Junction.

Henry Bonnet has returned from San Marcos where he has been working.

Johnnie Adams has returned from a trip to Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adams and son James, of Pearsall, visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Bonnet is visiting Miss Beulah and Valentine Smith.

A picnic was given on Ernest Adams' place last Sunday. Everyone had a real good time. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adams and son, James of Pearsall, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frost Adams and son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Adams, and an Indian boy of Oklahoma; Miss Fannie Adams, Mrs. Mattie Adams, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Watson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Stovall, Mrs. J. C. Collins, Mrs. Mary and Miss Cora Cooper, Mrs. L. G. Reams and baby, Mrs. J. Reams and her granddaughter, Helen Reams.

Master Glenn Hay, of Port Arthur, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kirkland.

One of the best baseball games of the season was played on the local diamond Sunday afternoon, between the Medina Furniture Company of San Antonio and the local team. In the first inning—the Furniture Co. scored, in the fifth inning both teams scored, and remained a tie score until the first half of the ninth when the local team scored again and ended the game.

Medina and Kerrville will play a baseball game at Medina next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Carpenter and daughter, Miss Carpenter, of California, are visiting relatives at Medina.

Miss Anna Carpenter, of San Antonio, was the guest of Mrs. H. L. Carpenter and other relatives at Medina this week.

LIMA LINES

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yeast, of Port Arthur, are visiting Mrs. Yeast's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Palmer, of Fredericksburg, came over last week and visited Mrs. Palmer's daughters, Misses Sadie and Inez, accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and daughter, Miss Ola Belle and son, Richard, of Tuff, visited relatives here Wednesday.

Ted Dillman has leased a good ranch near Panco and will move there soon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Coose and little son, of San Antonio, are spending their few days vacation with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips and Mrs. Coose.

Mrs. G. G. Hinds is visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. Kelley has returned to San Antonio after a few weeks visit with Mrs. C. A. Reed.

Miss Mary Ella Whitehead of Tuff visited Miss Sadie Miller last Friday.

Mrs. John Phillips received sad news of the death of her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Hale at Port Arthur. We extend our sympathy to the bereved family.

RIVERSIDE ITEMS

Mrs. A. W. Rabb, Mrs. F. O. Watrous, Mrs. Rabb and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Rabb from Hallettsville, and Mrs. Rabb's grandson, Edward Lacy of Weimar, are visiting Mrs. F. O. Watrous.

Miss Elizabeth and Neva Fine, of Wingate, are visiting Riverside and helping in our revival.

Rev. M. J. Scott, of Utopia, is assisting Rev. J. W. Storms in the meeting at Riverside.

To Meet With Trustees.

George P. Barron, representative from the State Department of Education, will meet with the county and local trustees at the court house in Bandera on Thursday, August 11th, to discuss the new laws and other matters pertaining to public school education. The meeting will begin session from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., and Judge A. L. Mansfield urges that all trustees, patrons and friends of the schools be present.

Amendments Defeated.

The vote cast last Monday in Bandera county on the constitutional amendments was overwhelmingly against all four of the proposed measures. The total vote of the county, as near as we could gather it being as follows:

Judiciary amendment, 27 for; 268 against.

Governor's salary, 40 for; 287 against.

Tax separation, 36 for; 305 against.

Abolishing fee system, 33 for; 15 against.

Railroad Talk.

A movement is under way to construct a railroad line from Corpus Christi to San Antonio, and north to San Angelo or Ballinger. Kerrville, Junction, and Sonora are taking steps to secure this road, as are Fredericksburg, Mason and Brady. A charter has been issued to the Texas, Gulf & Northern to build from Fredericksburg to Ballinger via Mason. At a meeting held at Sonora a $100,000 and right of way for 180 miles was put up as an inducement for a railroad. Menard and Eldorado offered the same proposition. It seems to us that certain big railroad companies are going to enter the field unless something is done for some railroad building before many months pass.

Gravelling Highway

W. T. Hill, section foreman on Highway No. 91, has a crew of men gravelling the highway between Bandera and Medina, and on to the county line. Mr. Hill informs us that about $4,000 is available for this work, and he will gravel the places most needed during this month.

Will Vote on Consolidation.

Acting upon a petition presented to him by voters of Independent School District No. 5 and Common School District No. 3, Judge A. L. Mansfield this week ordered elections to be held in Medina and Laxson Creek districts on September 3, to determine whether a majority of the qualified voters of those districts desire to consolidate those districts, for school purposes.

Chicken Fry.

Friday afternoon supper was spread at Dripping Springs in honor of several out-of-town visitors. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chipman and children of Sonora, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Hamilton and daughter of Abilene, Mrs. and A. Proudfoot, Mrs. Minnie Duncan and daughter of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wolf, Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. Joy L. Tilley, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Surber, Mrs. Harriett Chipman, Mrs. T. A. Laxson, Mrs. Mena Hamilton, Mrs. Jack Olliff, Mrs. J. H. Surber, Mrs. C. W. Manning. Misses Mable Hamilton, Margaret Pickens, Annetta Pickens, Louise Surber, Edith and Hettie Tilley, Louise Manning. Messrs. Merlin Tilley, Jack Tilley, Jr., L. Tilley, Jr., Thomas Pickens, Fred Hamilton Montie Chipman, Leonard Surber, Howard Surber, and Chas. Manning, Jr.

Recital at Medina.

Miss Melba Sawyer will give a recital at the Methodist church in Medina next Wednesday night, August 10. Miss Sawyer is an unusual entertainer on the violin, piano, and as a reader. She is just returning from Chicago, where she has been playing violin with the Chicago College Symphony Orchestra. She has been taking piano under Marssay Bogualaurski, a Russian master, and interpretation under Percy Grayson, the noted Austrian pianist. Admission 20c and 40c.

Remember Our Rates.

The New Era's advertising rate on local readers, want ads and legal notices is 7½ cents per line. In sending in advertising of this kind write out your advertisement and count six words to the line. For example, a four-line ad will cost thirty cents for one insertion, an eight-line ad will cost sixty cents, and so on. Enclose amount with ad, and thus save us the trouble of sending bill.

Are you preparing for the County Fair? Remember the dates are August 25, 26 and 27. Let your friends Bandera will have the best fair this year ever held here.

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The book, "Herman Lehmann the Indian Captive," is just off the press, and we expect to receive a supply from the printer in a few days for distribution to those who want a copy. This book was written by J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera. It tells of Lehmann's life among the Apache an Comanche Indians, and will interest all who are thrilled by frontier tales. Bound in cloth, illustrated, and well printed. Sent postpaid for $3. per copy.

Wedding Anniversary.

Walter Godkin and family gave a party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woeltz, of San Antonio, the occasion being the fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Woeltz. The Tropical Hawaiian Trio, of San Antonio and Ralph Rodriguez, of San Antonio, baritone soloist, furnished the music and songs for the day. Those present were Mrs. Maloney and family, Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Arciniega, Uvalde; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Collins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woeltz and family, Mrs. Kate Woeltz, Miss Mary Woeltz, Miss Carmela Woeltz, Miss Carrie Feeel, Miss Clem Feeel, Miss Amalia Perez, Miss Veda Mae Collins, Mrs. Bertha Godkin, Mr. Pete Guajardo, Mr. Joe Garcia, Ed Godkin, Leo Godkin, Mr. Fred Castilano, Mr. Larugoso Penalver, Mr. Manuel Lafaza, Mr. Homer Almaguer, Mr. Pete Ortiz, Mr. Ralph Rodriguez, Mr. Ray Byler, Mr. Ellis Byler, all of San Antonio.

Misses Carmela Woeltz and Dot Collins, of San Antonio, are visiting Miss Juanita Godkin at Spicewood Springs Ranch this week.

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PIPE CREEK.

Miss Ruby Hay, of Medina, is visiting her sister Mrs. Lee Montel.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thorson, of Watson, visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCabe who have been visiting relatives here returned to their home at Batson. They were accompanied home by T. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf and children, of Los Angeles, Calif., have been visiting relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brown and children of Sanderson, returned to their home after an extended visit with Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. Anderson.

Miss Louise Villemain who has been attending school at San Marcos is at home.

Mrs. Eva Hamilton and children, Robert, Myrtle, Hazel and Roy Lee, and Mrs. H. H. Price and daughter, Yvon, of Quanah are visiting here.

Mrs. H. Deane, of San Antonio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Edwards.

Mrs. B. Edwards has been quite sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rotge, of Kerrville, spent the week-end with Mr. J. H. Newcomer.

Mr. E. E. Devol of Kerrville, visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Mable Newcomer, of Bandera, spent Sunday with Mrs. S. B. Odem.

Miss Ida Pepper who is employed in San Antonio spent the week-end with home folks.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Edwards was taken to Kerrville Sunday where she is to undergo an operation. We hope she will soon recover.

Quite a large crowd enjoyed a picnic and barbecue on the river Sunday in honor of Misses Ernestine and Annie Mae Rohrbach's birthday. The table was decorated with two pretty birthday cakes. Ice cream was served in the afternoon.

Elbert and Webb McKandless, Jack Tilley and Hamilton of Quanah; Messrs. McVin Babbitt, Chester Krause, Tom Odom, Earl Buck, Arthur Edmundson, Arthur Pickens, Webb McKandless, Sidney Hammond, Murray, Howard and Woodrow Ruede, Raymond and Claude Buck, Orville McCarthy, Willie Crist, Bertis and Elvius Pepper, Robert and Milton Lewis, Joe Dees, and Robert Hamilton of Quanah.

Fishing Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Risinger and family, Mrs. Mullin and family of San Antonio, and Mrs. Ike Stevens and little son Joe, went on a fishing party last Saturday at the Tarpley Crossing. They enjoyed it very much and want to make another trip.

Birthday Party.

Last Saturday Misses Ernestine and Annie Mae Rohrbach, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rohrbach of Pipe Creek, celebrated their birthday anniversaries, and entertained a large number of friends with a delightful party and a splendid dinner on the river. The New Era editor and family received a special invitation to be present, but as Pipe Creek, the Rangers reunion at Menard and could not get back in time. However, we received a generous portion of delicious birthday cake, for which we are grateful. Among those present on the happy occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Rohrbach, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ruede and infant son, Mr. and Mrs. Bush and son, Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rock, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McCarthy, Mrs. Claud McCarthy and son, Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Crist and son Jean Loyd, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Newcomer, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pepper, son and daughter Eugene and Arline, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pickens and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Villemain, John Scott, Mrs. John Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Edwards, son and daughter, Milton and Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Edwards and son, Louis, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomason, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamilton, Mrs. E. Hammond, Mrs. Bess Canafax and little daughter, Georgene, of Medina, Mrs. Eva Hamilton and son, Roy Lee, Mrs. H. H. Price and little daughter, Yvonne, of Quannah; Misses Ernestine and Annie Mae Rohrbach, Hulda, Arlie and Mildred Ruede, Grady Mae and Lorine Buck, Ethel McCarthy, Lorine Crist, Irene Pepper, Ida Pepper, Edna, Leona and Ethel Lewis, Louise, Elsie and Emily Villemain, Myrtle and Hazel Hamilton of Quanah; Messrs. McVin Babbitt, Chester Krause, Tom Odom, Earl Buck, Arthur Edmundson, Arthur Pickens, Webb McKandless, Sidney Hammond, Murray, Howard and Woodrow Ruede, Raymond and Claude Buck, Orville McCarthy, Willie Crist, Bertis and Elvius Pepper, Robert and Milton Lewis, Joe Dees, and Robert Hamilton of Quanah.

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It was the editor's pleasure and privilege to attend the reunion of the Texas Ex-Rangers, at Menard last week, and there we met many of the Old Guard, among them being Captain and Mrs. D. W. Roberts, of Austin, Captain John R. Hughes of El Paso, Captain J. J. Bush, of Marfa, R. F. Gholson of Evant, S. P. Elkins, of Tishomingo, Oklahoma, and others whose ages ran about eighty years. Uncle John Lane, the veteran fiddler was also there with his old fiddle and entertained the gathering of bygone days. Colorado City was selected as the meeting place next year.

The Bandera County Fair will be held at Mansfield Park August 25, 26 and 27. Preparations are now being made to make it the best fair we have ever held. There will be all kinds of stock and farm exhibits, ladies' work, school work, and plenty of entertainment each day. Make your plans to attend the fair at Bandera.

A Reunion.

On Monday, July 28, there was a meeting of relatives of Mrs. Bud Richardson and sister, Miss Velma of Ozona, on the Medina River at the mouth of Rocky Creek. Mrs. Richardson lived here many years, but has been away for many years. Those present were Mr. Richardson and daughter and husband of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and children and Mr. H. Graham of Kerrville, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor and son Hugh, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Keese and grandson, Lewis Keese, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Keese and family, Mrs. Oscar Hillman and children, Mrs. Gus Finney and little granddaughter, Nell, Mrs. Joe Finney and little daughter and brother, Mrs. Kinney, Mrs. Jeff Keese and children and Alfred Keese, all of Medina.

A Good Entertainment.

Mrs. V. C. Powell and her company of little girls, came up from San Antonio last Saturday and gave an enjoyable musical entertainment at Cox Hall Saturday night. The program was well arranged and was highly pleasing to the large crowd which attended.

Captain J. W. Fitch, of Eagle Pass, is here for a month's stay. Captain Fitch has been quite a prominent figure in the development of the resources of the Rio Grande Valley, being the first to introdrce citrus fruit growing in that region.

Family Reunion.

A crowd of relatives and friends met at the old home of D. T. Lewis, just south of Pipe Creek, for a reef reunion. This is the first time in several years that the whole family has been together but as Mrs. Eva Hamilton and children of Quannah, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. McCabe of Batson, Texas were here visiting at the same time this happy day was made possible. And what could be a better, happier crown to the days of a father than to have his children and his children's children gathered about him to spend a few hours in joyous accord. Then there were relatives and friends of the family to add to the enjoyment of the day. By the time the guests had all arrived it was time to spread the dinner and such a spread as it was. There were all kinds of good things to eat. I could name some of them for you but I will not make you hungry. The were the good old fashioned things that are always good.

After dinner was finished and all had rested awhile some one suggested that a few songs would fit in the program of the day very appropriately. There were quite a few good singers in the crowd so a number of them sang songs in the old fashioned way; it gladdened your heart and made you feel you were glad to be living.

Before the end of the day was a feast of watermelons which had been gathered earlier in the day and kept cool.

All too soon was the day over and it was with a feeling of sadness mingled with regret that the goodbyes were said.

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The Bandera County Fair will be held at Mansfield Park August 25, skipping 27. Preparations are now being made to make this the best fair we have ever held. There will be all kinds of stock and farm exhibits, also the school work, and plenty of entertainment each day. Make your plans to attend the fair at Bandera.

A Reunion.

On Monday, July 26, there was a reunion of relatives of Mrs. Bud Richardson and daughter, Miss Verna of Ozona, at Medina River at the mouth of Rocky Creek. Mrs. Richardson lived here many years and has been away for six years. Those present were: Mrs. Richardson and daughter, Miss Verna of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and children and Mr. H. Graham of Sarvaiba; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tobey and son Roy, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Reese and grandson, Lewis Reese, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hillman and children, Mrs. Gus Finney and little granddaughter, Nell; Mr. Joe Finney and Miss Sheridan, a brother, Mrs. King, Mrs. Jeff Reese and children and Alfred Reese, all of Medina.

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He termed the present tariff system as "deplorable," explaining that Texas, with this inadequate protection, must compete with great sheep-producing countries like Australia, Mexico, South Africa, Australia and New Zealand. This condition, he claimed, has directly brought about the sale of stolen meats in the Texas cities. Most of the stolen meat marketed in San Antonio, it was explained, comes from within an area of 100 miles.

Flaying John Garner of Uvalde for over twenty years a member of Congress, for alleged unfaithfulness to his district, C. C. Belcher of Del Rio, former attorney for the sheep and goat raisers, made a vigorous plea for better protective tariffs.

Old officers re-elected are T. A. Kinkaid, president; J. G. Whitten, Eldorado, first vice president; Robert Real, Kerrville, second vice president; N. W. Graham, Ozona, secretary; James Torrey, San Angelo, attorney, and Roy E. Aldwell, Sonora, treasurer.

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Would Extend to San Angelo and Ballinger

An amendment to the charter of the Fredericksburg and Northern Railway, which extends from Fredericksburg Junction on the Southern Pacific, to Fredericksburg, giving it the right to extend its line to San Angelo and Ballinger, was authorized Saturday by the Secretary of State in Austin.

Engineers have been in the field and most of the preliminary work incident to the proposed extension has been completed for some time, and the present move is in no sense meant as opposing efforts of business men to promote the Gulf and West Texas Railway, recently organized, according to John H. Haile, director of the Fredericksburg and Northern.

Tentative plans call for the extension from Fredericksburg through Mason and Brady to San Angelo Connections would be made at Brady with the Santa Fe and Frisco, at San Angelo with the Orient, and at Ballinger with the Texas and Pacific through the Abilene and Southern line. These connections would give San Antonio and the Port of Corpus Christi access to the Panhandle, the low plains and the high plains, according to Haile.

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Three routes are being proposed for the new line, one from Fredericksburg, through Mason, Brady and Eden into San Angelo, a second from Kerrville through Bandera and a third through Bandera and Eldorado.

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"This is not a sudden move on our part. For more than 18 months we have been studying the proposition. Engineers have been in the field and a reconnaissance survey and report by competent engineers have been made. This survey shows that a line 141 miles in length on the proposed route with a one per cent grade. A tonnage survey shows that there is now enough tonnage in sight to pay the operating expense, interest and sinking fund on such a railroad.

"The survey shows a cost to build and equip of not less than $35,000 a mile. We have had access to two other estimates of cost by engineers employed by bank-line railroads. One estimate was at $45,000 a mile, the other at $55,000. Your engineering estimate of $35,000 a mile is based on securing free rights-of-way, which partially accounts for the difference. Our engineers insist that $35,000 a mile is the irreducible minimum. As the proposed line is 184 miles from Fredericksburg to San Angelo, and our branch to Ballinger, this gives a minimum cost of $6,540,000.

"During the past 18 months we have discussed this piece of railroad building with all of the big lines in the territory it connects with, but have had no definite encouragement. We have, however, negotiations pending with financiers of high standing, who have the matter under consideration. We have strong grounds to hope that they will finance and build this extension.

"By connecting with the Santa Fe and the Frisco at Brady, with the Orient at San Angelo, with the Texas and Pacific through the Abilene and Southern at Ballinger, with the Texas and the Port of Corpus Christi would get access to the Panhandle, the low plains and the high plains. It would open a great trade territory and shorten the running time to Denver and the whole Northwest.

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"To begin with, we are now a going, operating railroad on an earning basis, and the policy of the Interstate Commerce Commission is to protect existing railroads and not allow the building of new, competing lines, unless the traffic already developed is sufficient to support two lines. That condition no one can claim successfully exists at this time in the Fredericksburg, Brady, San Angelo territory.

"We expect also, when we are financed, to furnish San Angelo, San Antonio and other cities and towns, indubitable proof of that fact and to ask their cooperation. We feel sure that the time is ripe for the construction of this northwest railroad and are confident that we will be able to secure the necessary finances to build it. Our interests are identical with those of San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Fredericksburg, Mason and Brady and Ballinger. What we want is the railroad to the Northwest, and we will have solid reasons to believe we are in a position to get it."

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The grasshopper swarms over a large areas of agricultural land and destroys grain of every description. The rabbits often ruin the apple crop with their nightly nibbling of the tender bark at the foot of the trees.

Every farmer dreds the thought of these pests that year after year harass his work toward promising a good crop. In agriculture, as in all other business, the margin between success and failure is often very small. It hurts to lose an apple crop, a wheat or corn crop. For the farmer it has put in days of hard work to produce this crop He depends on it for his profits in order that he can meet his financial obligations.

What the chinchbug, grasshopper and other pests are to the farmer the nibblers are to profits home-to-house canvassers are to the merchants of Bandera.

Like the pests to the farmer so are these nibblers always on the flanks of the merchant Swarming in and out of the homes of the community—grabbing at every business here and there—nibbling away on the profit of the merchants who support our city.

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He is no our city and community for only one reason and that is to get good, easy money that he can spend somewhere else. Because of this he has no interest in Bandera.

The average peddler is the parasite who feeds on business that should stay right here at home. By subtle means he leads you to believe that the bargains he offers are better than the home quality and are better than you can obtain here at home. As a matter of fact it is the reverse and can easily be verified by looking for the articles he has for sale here in your own stores and making comparisons.

Every dollar spent at home is a dollar invested. Every dollar spent with the peddler is gone—never to return.

We are now fully equipped to rebuild and recharge storage batteries of all kinds. New batteries in stock. Prompt service and good work guaranteed.—Ruge's Filling Station and Battery Shop.

Our service can't be beat.—Oco W. Saunders Livestock Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

If you want good oil we have it. Texaco and Mobiloil.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Efforts To Remove Road Signs

For the past few years sentiment toward the beautification of state highways has been growing, and much is heard relative to the moving on all roadsigns. Aside from the appearance much is being said on this subject from the standpoint of safety.

Commenting on this very subject Monday's Star Telegram had this to say:

Dallas County takes a decisive step toward highway beautification, it is officially announced that all signs on highway property and adjoining property which may come under the jurisdiction of the highway authorities are coming down. Only official markers will be permitted.

In addition, telephone poles too near the roadway or which interfere in anyway with traffic are to be moved as fast as possible.

The Dallas County example is a good one for other counties to follow. The State Highway Commission is working to eliminate unsightly and vision-impending signs on designated highways throughout the State. Counties can expediate this work locally by taking it into their own hands. In addition, the businessmen roads designated as state highways may also be enlisted in the clean-up.

The public has condemned roadway advertising signs which are of a nature to detract from the pleasure or safety of travelers along the highways. Merchants and business men have pretty generally come to the conclusion that such advertising is a mistake, since it creates resentment more than it does good will toward the advertiser. It ought not to be a difficult matter to clean up Texas' highways in this respect.

Puss On The Praise

"You're a great little wife, and I don't know what I would do without you." And as he spoke he put his arms about her and kissed her and she forgot all the cares in that moment. And forgetting it all, she sang as she washed the dishes, and sang as she made the beds, and the song was heard next door, and a woman there caught the refrain and sang also, and two homes were made happier because he had told her that old sweet story—the story of the love of a husband for a wife. As she sang, the butcher boy who called for the order heard it and went out whistling on his journey, and the world heard the whistle, and one man hearing it thought how is a lad who loves his work, a lad happy and contented."

And because she sang, her heart was mellowed, and as she swept about the back door the cool air kissed her on each cheek and she thought of a poor old woman she knew, and a little basket went over to that home with a quarter in it for a crate or two of work to do.

So, because he kissed her and praised her, the song came and the influences went out and out.

Pass on the praise.

Did you ever ask one of these peddlers to help support a local charity fund, or any other worthy movement? If so how surprised he must have been at your suggestion as he told you, "why I don't live here."

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Body of Mystery Man Laid to Rest in Potter's Field

After lying in the morgue of John H. Ward & Co. for six weeks, the body of Peter Moyer, man of mystery, was buried Saturday in the Potter's field at Glen Rest Cemetery.

Moyer, 32 years old, died in the infirmary at Legion Hospital on June 16 from a wound in the head alleged to have been received in an altercation. All efforts of Federal and county authorities to find relatives of the dead man proved futile. A movement finger print expert was sent to Kerrville in an attempt to check up War Department records and determine whether the fight victim was an ex-service man; but the finger prints failed to reveal anything of the man's past.

At the time of his death, Moyer was employed by the U. S. Veterans Bureau on new construction under way at Legion Hospital.

A Legion resident is out on bail in connection with the death of Marcello Mountain Sun.

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Regular meeting Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S. on Friday night, August 12. Work in the Masonic hall Al members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hudgens, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

NOTICE.

That all leases, contracts, or sales made on my account must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

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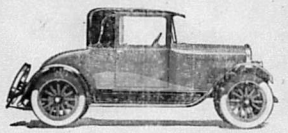

OSCAR W. PERNER

Local Star Dealer

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Santhoff were in town Monday from their home on Middle Verde.

H. W. Felt, of the San Antonio Evening News force, is spending the week in Bandera.

Mrs. H Rohrbech and daughter Miss Ernestine, were in town from Pipe Creek Tuesday.

Mrs. Doc Stokes and mother, Mrs. Vowell, of Medina, were Bandera visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Tom Crist and Miss Georgie Cox, of Pipe Creek, were in town shopping yesterday.

Warren Davenport, who lives at Uvalde, is here visiting his brother, Clayhourne Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stein of San Antonio were visiting home folks here during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Frederick, son, of Pleasanton, are here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. H. L. Atkins.

Miss Annie Mae Robichaux, of Pipe Creek, is spending this week with Mrs. J. T. Canafax, near Medina.

Paul Atkins is attending a Citizens' Military Training Camp near Bowie, Arizona, having gone there last week.

Just received a line of good trousers. Priced to sell. Come and see them.—Davenport's Store.

Mrs. Ola Croisdale, returned to her home in Austin, Tuesday after spending several weeks with her mother Mrs. Geo. Hay.

Frank Hunt returned to San Antonio last week where he underwent a serious operation. He is improving and will soon be strong again.

1927 Ford Roadster, 30 day guarantee. Price, $225.00.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Mrs. Flora Walfrath, Otto Walfrath and Carlos Walfrath of San Antonio spent the week-end at the home of Otto Weltner near Camp Verde.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Rippy and children, of Mount Sharp, were in Bandera Tuesday en route to Uvalde to attend the Sheep and Goat Raisers Show there this week.

Old Time Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time dance to be held at Mansfield Park next Saturday night, August 6. Everybody invited to come and have an old time good time. Old time music.

They've Arrived

The big line of new fall and winter samples of men's suits. You are invited to come and look them over.—L. Coughran's Tailor Shop.

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We have bought the establishment of B. H. Stokes and will appreciate your trade. We carry a good line of dry goods, shoes, hats, groceries, hardware, notions, etc.

Card of Thanks.

I have sold the Bandera Cafe to Mrs. W. M. Pingleton, and take this means to express my thanks to all for their generous patronage and good will, and I kindly request that my successor be favored with the same generous patronage accorded me.

—Mrs. M. Hamilton.

Charley Gray was in town on business Saturday.

R. T. Holcomb was here from Medina Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane visited Medina last Sunday evening.

Milton and Howard Swears, of San Antonio, visited Georgie Lou Saturday.

We sell Star Brand Shoes. Guaranteed all leather.—at Davenport's Store.

Mrs. Chas. Beiser and daughter, of Pipe Creek, were in town shopping Monday.

Mrs. Charley Gray and daughter, Mrs. Pearl Berger were shopping here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stein of San Antonio were visiting home folks here during the week-end.

Famous Poor Brand Dress Shirts, Guaranteed fast color.—Price $1.50 Davenport's Store.

Misses Minnie and Emmie Gray are spending the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Fred Berger.

Miss Vilma Robinette, of San Antonio, came up last Wednesday to spend awhile with Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane.

Mrs. Herman Harper spent Sunday in San Antonio with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Burris, and family. She returned home Monday.

Sam Allen, of the Hildebrand Ranch, has bought out the restaurant of Byron Woolsey at Center Point and has taken charge. We wish him luck in his new venture.

D. S. Simpson, who recently came here from Kingfisher, Oklahoma, has decided to locate here permanently. He has leased Mrs. W. M. Pingleton's farm on Indian Creek.

Miss Alma Irving entertained with a delightful chicken roast last Sunday evening at Ranger Crossing. Quite a number of young people were present and everybody had a good time.

Visitors at the ranch of Pat Moravitz last week were E. G. Degen and son, Emmett, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kolodzig, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Plach, and Miss Celia Kolodzig, all of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burney of Center Point, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boothe of Sweetwater were here yesterday visiting W. H. Fitzgerald and other relatives. Mr. Fitzgerald will likely return to Sweetwater with Mr. and Mrs. Boothe.

J. R. Fletcher, the live-wire insurance man, was here from San Antonio yesterday. Every time Mr. Fletcher comes into the New Era office he makes us feel better, for when he leaves he carries away with him one or two new policies, and we feel protected.

1923 Ford Touring Car. New Top, good rubber, 30 day guarantee. Price, $148.00.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Have you overlooked the date which appears on the margin of your paper, showing when your subscription to the New Era expires? We kindly ask you to watch your date, as we are now remodeling our list and removing names in arrears.

Drop in at Bandera Barber Shop.

Mrs. W. M. Pingleton this week purchased the Bandera Cafe, located on Eleventh Street from Mrs. M. Hamilton, and has taken charge of the business. This cafe has enjoyed a good patronage under Mrs. Hamilton's management, and we bespeak for Mrs. Pingleton a continuation of the same patronage.

Clean Shaves at the Bandera Barber Shop.

L. Hicks, of Tarpley, was a Bandera business visitor last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rugh made a trip to Boerne Tuesday to consult a dentist.

Judge C. W. Harris, of Medina, was a business visitor in Bandera Tuesday.

Miss Emma Hodges spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Wallace in San Antonio.

Master Wirth Langford is spending a while with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter at Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Evans, of San Antonio, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. Amasa Clark.

Miss Alma Irving, of Kerrville, was the guest of Misses Jennette and Rachel Hunter the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Brock and son, Norman, of San Antonio, Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks of this city.

Mrs. Jessie Barrett and family, of San Antonio, are spending the week here visiting relatives and friends.

D. S. Simpson and Misses Lula and Emily North went to Sabinal and Uvalde to spend the week-end last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Q. Mullin and family, of San Antonio, came up Saturday to spend a while camping on the river.

Lieutenant and Mrs. John L. Hill, of San Antonio, are visiting Mrs. Hill's mother, Mrs. Sam Cook, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wallace, of San Antonio, spent Sunday in Bandera with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hodges.

Lots of wood cedar fence posts at Davenport's Store.

Mrs. Cora Shied and little daughter, Mary Selma, of San Antonio, visited friends and relatives here this week.

Miss Lurene Surber returned last Thursday from Austin, where she spent three weeks with her aunt, Mrs. W. O. Quick.

Mrs. Robert Cosgrove and little son, Robert Lee, spent last week in Hondo visiting, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parsons.

We are indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart for some lovely peaches and pears they brought us and we thank them very much.

Rev. Gossett, in company with Mrs. H. L. Atkins and Mrs. Rose Gardiner, visited Misses Daisy and Pauline Poe near Medina last Thursday.

Mrs. Ena Robinette and daughter, Miss Helen, and Mrs. Dee Caskey, of San Antonio, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Cohen Langford Miss Gayda Croisdale, Ethel and Elder Langford and Elsy Peters, Jr spent last week on a fishing trip at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Sam Clark and three sons, Elmo and Lloyd, of San Antonio, were here the first of the week visiting Ed Langford and family and Gid Lane and family.

Mrs. R. G. Surber received word this week that her brother-in-law, Wm. O. Quick of Austin, is in a hospital there suffering from severe bruises and a broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parsons and little daughter, Ruth, left Saturday for Brackettville, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wickham for a few days.

Mrs. J. O. Butler returned last Saturday from a visit to relatives and friends at Tyler and Dallas. She was accompanied home by her father, Street Hodgepeth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows visited Mr., and Mrs. T. A. Buckner, at San Marcos Saturday and Sunday. They say Mrs. Buckner is improving but is still in a critical condition.

Mrs. Henry Riestenberg and son, Richardson, are here from San Antonio to spend several months at the City Hotel. Mrs. Riestenberg resided in Bandera several years ago, and has many friends here to welcome her.

The P. T. A. will serve Ice cream and cake on Mrs. O. C. Surber's lawn Saturday, Aug. 6 from 3 to 10 p. m. There will be games and contests for children at 5 p. m. Music and other entertainment. Admission free except ice cream and cake. Come, eat and be merry.

WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—Fine yearling Delaine-Merino buck, at a bargain. J. A. Head.

PEARS—Several bushels fine pears at $1.00 per bushel.—J. A. Head.

FOR SALE—Seed oats at 50c a bushel. —C. Jenschke, Southwestern Phone. 4tp

WANTED—Permanent Range for from 500 to 700 goats. Address Box 132 Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Ford truck, Warford shift, new rubber, with front and rear spares; recent motor overhaul. Can be seen at Gray's Garage.

FOR SALE—John Deere disc plow, 8-in sulkey plow, $15. H. Zumberg, Pipe Creek, Independent phone. 2tp

FOR SALE—45 nannies Call Fred Maass, Southwestern phone

FOR SALE—White Leghorn Pullets of State accredited, blood tested, 200-egg strain and pedigreed parent stock. Well matured and thrifty, 8 to 10 weeks old 75c to 90c each. Kerrville Chick Hatchery.

SORGHUM—New made sorghum molasses by gallon.—Chas. Gray Independent phone. 4tp

BLACK Jersey Goat Cockerels for sale, from prize birds.—Mrs. Lee Burney, Center Point, Texas.

LOST OR STRAYED, from my pasture one Delaine-Merino buck branded fed cross on left side. Vomits 2 years old. Will pay reward for return.—A Habenicht. 2tp

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Fire Sunday Night.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a feed house and part of the First National Bank building here last Sunday night, and for a time threatened the destruction of the whole business district. The feed house belonged to W. L. Davenport, and contained a quantity of corn and other feed stuff. The fire had gained good headway when discovered about 9:30, and within just a few moments the building was developed in flames. The crowd soon collected and with buckets proceeded to fight the fire. The rear of C. B. Corley's grocery store was in line with the fire and a shed room which was used as a storeroom, became ignited, but by thorough and heroic work on that part of the building was saved. Everybody worked heroically, else the fire would have spread and there is no telling how much damage would have been done. Mr. Corley's entire stock of groceries was moved across the street by willing hands and deposited on the sidewalk, and while he sustained some loss in the burried removal, Mr. Corley realizes that the loss would have been much greater had not his stock been removed. A call was sent in for aid from Boerne, San Antonio and Kerrville, but it seemed that the fire fighting district of the Bandera people will attend the town would burn, and the call was generally ignored in and is included in the program.

Revival Meeting.

The revival meeting begins at the Methodist church next Sunday. This meeting will be conducted by Rev. John N. McKay, and the song service will be in charge of the pastor, Rev. B. J. Cossett. Everybody cordially invited to attend the services, morning and evening.

Garrison-Autry.

Paul Garrison and Miss Jewel Autry were quietly married at the home of Rev. W. H. Price near Medina last Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, Rev. Price performing the ceremony. The happy couple left immediately after the ceremony for a trip to Corpus Christi, the Lower Rio Grande Valley, and Mexico. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Garrison and the bride is the daughter of Mrs. J. H. Autry, all of the Medina community. These are popular young people, and have the congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends.

Barbecue at Castroville.

Castroville will entertain with a grand barbecue next Saturday, August 13th, under auspices of the Old Trail Drivers' Association. A number of prominent people will attend the barbecue. An old time dance is generally enjoyed on such occasions and is included in the program.

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MEDINA.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Moon and two children and Mrs. Robert Arthur, visited Mrs. R. B. Forest and daughter, Miss Vida, Mrs. Forest accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bertaloni, of Port Arthur, are visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sorrell of Shreveport, Louisiana, spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sorrell last week.

Mrs. Roy Hildebrand and two daughters spent last week in San Antonio with Mrs. Decker and Mrs. Chisolo.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chisolo and children spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whitehead.

Mrs. Ethan Smith and daughter, Mrs. Milton Cunningham of San Antonio, spent last week with Mrs. Smith's father, J. W. Walker. Mr. Smith visited here also and accompanied his wife and daughter home.

Misses Vinnie and Lois May Flint of San Antonio visited relatives here.

The Junior Sunday School class of the Baptist church gave a watermelon, fruit and flower shower to their Sunday school superintendent and teacher, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Caton, last Thursday night. Those present were: Margerite Johnson, Armelie Fries, Zeta Ray Davis, Reba Banta, Bucks Johnson, John D. and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Craddock.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wyatt and son, of Macon Creek, brought some home-grown watermelons to Medina Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Berneffy, of Fort Worth, have been visiting at the home of Mrs. W. Harris. They left for Corpus Christi Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Harris to visit relatives.

A watermelon supper was given for Mr. Nance at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Sewell Friday afternoon. A number of nice presents were received.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Fee, August 6, a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cumming, Jean and children of San Antonio visited Mrs. Cunningham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Price.

Mrs. A. B. Hale, of Voth, Texas, died Friday afternoon, July 29, at 2 o'clock at the Kirby Hospital in Silsbee after a brief illness. Funeral services were held at the home near Voth Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Services were conducted by Rev. Wilkes, pastor of the First Baptist church at Silsbee. Burial took place in the Silsbee cemetery.

Mrs. Hale was widely known in the northern part of Jefferson

Celebrates Birthday.

Uncle Tom Stevens celebrated his birthday last Sunday at his home on Mystic Creek. A large crowd of guests were present. The Stevens received a baby pipe and useful gift. Those present to help him celebrate were: Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Stevens, Mrs. Vic Saul and little daughter Sevens, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and son, Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Vane Stevens and little son, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Crist, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Stevens, Mrs. Mattie Jones, O. A Stevens, Misses Aleen and Velma Stevens and Avis Smith, Messrs. Forrest and Roy Stevens and Harmon and Thomas Smith.

Mrs. J. F. Tait spent last week in San Antonio. She was accompanied there by Mrs. Louis Munk of Fairwell.

Rev. Lon Joiner and daughter, Miss Fleta, of Mason Creek are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gray.

Howard Eckhart went to San Antonio Monday.

Henry Adams and John Fee and children, of Medina were in Bandera Tuesday.

Mrs. Jim Gravey Dead.

The sad news of the death of Mrs. Jim Gravey came as a shock to Bandera last Sunday. Mrs. Gravey died suddenly at her home in Benson, Arizona, on Friday, August 5th. She had a large number of friends here, and a host of sympathizing friends will regret to learn of her death.

Old Settlers' Day at Fair.

Saturday, August 27, has been designated as Old Settlers' Day at the Bandera County Fair. On this day a prize of five dollars in cash will be given to the largest native born Bandera county family in attendance at the fair on that date. Parents and children all must have been born in this county. Heads of families entering this contest are requested to report to Mr. Hunter, on the fair grounds.

Charlie Fee, of Medina, was a Bandera visitor yesterday.

Indictment Returned For Killing in 1922

Junction, Tex., Aug. 9.—Kimble County district court for the present session of the civil docket with the exception of a few minor cases and very nearly all the criminal docket.

The grand jury returned five indictments, two for assault and one perjury, and one for murder. The two murder charges were against Homer Fleming, who is serving a term in the penitentiary for the murder of his wife, and the new charge of murder is for the killing of O. L. Freeman, who was assassinated in 1922. Troy Fleming is the oldest son of Ed Fleming, who was killed by Freeman in a saloon battle.

Troy Fleming had been placed under bond by the county judge after the killing of Freeman, but was not held after the grand jury met, but ever since the killing of Freeman every effort of Sheriff Lewis and deputies and Mrs. T. A. Wilson and Mrs. T. A. Wilson, district court stenographer, to locate the whereabouts of Troy Fleming was placed under $10,000 bond.

A Big Picture Coming.

Don McIntire, manager of the Bandera Theater, announces that he has secured for showing tomorrow night in the local playhouse that wonderful comedy drama, "Beyond the Line," featuring Roy Hatton and Wanda Berry. This is a great picture, full of human interest and plenty of laughs. The admission charge will be fifty cents for grown-ups and twenty-five cents for children. Mr. McMains says it is one of the best he has ever shown, and he considers himself fortunate in booking it for showing here. Remember the date, Friday night, August 12, at Bandera Theater.

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County Teachers' Institute.

The Bandera County Teachers' Institute will be held in the High School building Septmber 5th and 6th, 1927, for two days only. As it usually takes two days to get down to get started, it is expected that the teachers will go from the Institute to their respective schools to open their schools on the 7th of September, get the pupils enrolled, books requisitioned where necessary and have their work well under to get down to actual work by the first of the next week.

Every teacher in the County is expected to be present at the opening exercises of the institute and remain the full time, and be prepared to discuss any topic which may have been assigned them. The Institute is for the benefit of the teachers and pupil's alike. Come prepared to help each other and help the school by working with the school room. If we all do our best we will have an Institute worth while. The Demonstration Lesson will be given by the greatest number" is a familiar one, the county trustees local trustees, and Parent Teachers' Associations of the county and any and all who are interested in the education of the children of Bandera county are invited to meet with us and help build up the school spirit of Bandera county.

A. L. MANSFIELD
Superintendent

The program for the County Teachers' Institute will be published in the New Era next week.

The V. W. A. Social at the home of Mrs. M. L. Sachse Saturday evening was a delightful affair, and a neat sum was realized from the sale of cake and ice cream.

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of Bandera

WINAN'S CREEK.

F. A. and V. C. Masters motored here in San Antonio Monday.

Mrs. Ben Hall is visiting relatives in Medina.

Mrs. R. S. Purdue and grandson of San Antonio, returned to her grandparents at Fredonia for a few weeks.

Mrs. R. L. Morris, two little sons, and Joe Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reed Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall and children visited Mrs. R. L. Morris Sunday.

Mrs. Grant Seale and two sons visited Mrs. R. L. Morris Sunday.

Miss Lillian came in from Pecan Branch, Calif., where he has been working the past two months.

Miss Marie Wilson visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reese, last Friday night.

A number of little friends enjoyed Mrs. Ruby Hoek's birthday party last Saturday afternoon.

A rodeo and Ted Hillman have gone to Blanco county to do some work on the ranch Ted has leased.

Mrs. Hillman is staying with her mother, Mrs. Tobey White while they are gone.

A large crowd enjoyed the dance at Mrs. Reese's home last Friday night.

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Mrs. C. H. Kruse is visiting relatives at Handley, Texas.

Miss Ina Letcher is visiting her sister at Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch McKandes and son, J. A., are visiting relatives at Midland.

J. R. Patterson and daughter, Miss Jessie, and Miss Myrtle Lee Goodlett, are visiting relatives here.

Among those who spent Sunday in San Antonio were J. E. Crist, of Medina, were J. M. Pepper and family, Rev. W. Lewis and family, and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wilson.

Children's Clinic.

Mrs. Frank W. Montague, who will be in charge of the Baby Clinic at the County Fair, informs us that Dr. Boehs, the eminent eye, ear, nose and throat specialist of San Antonio will attend the clinic on Saturday, August 27, and will give free examination to children. Dr. Mary Harmon, the baby specialist will also be present both days of the fair, and will be in charge of the baby clinic. Other points of interest will also be added, amusement of which will be made in the New Era. We consider the Baby Clinic one of the best features of the County Fair, and the community owes Mrs. Montague a debt of gratitude for untiring efforts in arranging the clinic and securing the nurses and specialists' services.

LIMA LINES

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Hibbs went to San Antonio this week, where Mrs. Hibbs will undergo a medical treatment.

Miss Vivian Keese is visiting her grandparents at Fredonia for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cowan came in from Pecan Branch, Calif., where he has been working the past two months.

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Editor and Publisher
MISS JENNETTE HUNTER
Associate Editor

What a wonderful thing is hope. It cheers the weary toiler on his way, and comforts those whose passing years have almost reached their end. It is the inspiration that gilds the day with glory for the morrow and paints upon the brain exquisite pictures of that by and by which we will come in, and for which we gather treasure. It cheers its humble devotee in the darkest hour of trial, and when we see them great and full of honors, wearing them all with grace and ease. We do not wonder at their success, but still the hope is born that each dawning day and our darkest hour full of happiness, for desperate work and strange thrilling, while deep hidden springs of reality sometimes flow. When hope dies there is nothing else left but despair. Hope is the thing we hope for and holds us waiting for a smile.

There is an irresistible charm about currency and counterfeiting. Some people accumulate a great deal more than others because they are active, energetic and at once grasp the situation, the hearts of others all around them they come in contact. It is not easy thing to learn to be considerate and thoughtful of others, and when we have practiced its precepts for years, dends, then we are rewarded by faithful, loving friends.

The Big Spring Herald, one of a Texas exchanges, is a daily that has come to our table on canvas. It is a credit to the school of journalism with which it is connected. It is well edited, well printed, and is a credit to the town in which it is published. There is a simple little magazine that comes to our table that we always look forward to with pleasure. It is published by the students of the Simmons College, Abilene, Texas. The Simmonite is a typical college paper, and is a credit to the school and to the state. It is well edited, well printed, and is a credit to the town in which it is published. There is a simple little magazine that comes to our table that we always look forward to with pleasure. It is published by the students of the Simmons College, Abilene, Texas. The Simmonite is a typical college paper, and is a credit to the school and to the state. It is well edited, well printed, and is a credit to the town in which it is published.

Sunday night's fire should serve to call attention to the immediate steps he takes in order to provide some adequate protection for Bandera. Had the fire occurred in the daytime or at night, when everybody was asleep, there is no question but that a greater portion of the town's business district would have been wiped out. As it was plenty of help was immediately available to fight the fire, and although water was lacking at first, the fire was held in check and confined to one small building. Bandera needs a fire brigade and equipment with which to cope with the fire demon.

The strenuous age in which we live has a tendency to dull sentiment and stress commerce. It is, of course, quite important that we engage business diligently and develop it to the highest possible point, but, in doing so, we should never lose sight of the value of a proper development of our regard for one another, and the importance of enjoying our sympathies and our tenderness. It is only in real life its human interest, the mutual regard for the comfort and the prosperity of our neighbors and our friends, we have very little left but the husks of living. Money can be made a useful medium in the progress and development of the world, but money in the hands of one whose life has developed selfishness and avarice, is of no use in the attainment of happiness.

Frontier Times for September.

The September number of Frontier Times will be issued from the press early next week. This number marks the close of the fourth year of this popular little magazine's existence, and it is a typical number of the high character of service and preserve Texas history. The magazine will enter its fifth year with most encouraging prospects, and with thousands of friends and admirers scattered all over the United States. The September number will contain many interesting sketches, among which are mentioned "Our Life in Southwest Texas," "The Hatt's at Ball's Ranch in 1868," "Old time Puncher Reviews Cowboy Attack in Box Canyon in 1880," "Build a Monument to Texas Rangers," "John Booker Bowles, a Pron ter Character," "Treed Negro Robs His Master," "Amos Alexander and His Son Killed by Indians," "A Story of Buried Treasure in Austin," "Captain June Peak, a Texas Ranger," and other thrilling tales of early days in Texas. The price of this interesting little magazine is $1.50 per year, or fifteen cents per copy.

Joe Leighton was over from Tarpley Saturday and dropped in to see the New Era folks. Joe informs us that his good wife and children returned last Thursday from Sabinal, where they spent a week with Mrs. Leighton's sister, Mrs. Carrie Mc Quinn.

A delightful party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berger, one evening last week, honoring Miss Lee Joiner, of Mason Creek. A large crowd was present and everyone had a fine time.

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"There is a Reason"

Interesting Show.

The showing of the film, "From Flock to Fabric," put on at the Bandera Theater last Friday night in connection with the regular show, proved much interest to those who saw it. Making the public acquaint with what manufacturing is and dispelling the mistaken notions aligut it, is the job tackled by A. C. Gage, editor of the Angora Goat and not entirely. Not one-tenth of the people of the United States know where mohair comes from, nor what it is. Mr. Gage convinced that the little animals so profitable in Texas should be called mohair goats, because mohair has been advertised and is known to the householders of America, while Angora, the former, is in faraway Turkey and has no significance to the user of mohair draperies and upholstery and that which mohair is used to produce. There are angora cats, angora rabbits, and there is only one mohair goat.

In his address, the speaker recited how much the quality of the mohair depends upon the grease in the natural state. This makes it pliable, elastic and suitable for cloth making. Texas produces eighty per cent of the mohair in America, and each pound or thousandth of the world creatures on her vast ranges.

The films of the industry were supplied by L. C. Chase & Co., of Boston, distributors for Sanford Mills in Maine. Eight hundred feet of film were made Tuesday in Uvalde. Mr. Gage declared that seven counties in Texas produce more mohair than any other area in the world, and that Texas' tak clip is the finest quality mohair that comes to the mills.

An Appreciation

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation to each and every one who so liberally helped with donations of cash or labor in the assembling of our Christmas School house. In a special way do we appreciate the labor donated by Messrs. M. F. Johnson and J. R. Price, and the cash donations by the three following ladies; The Commissioners Court, County School Board and the Bandera P. T. A.

Others too numerous to mention here have given liberally of their means and time and we fully appreciate each gift.

The house is now completed and painted. Our equipment will be meager, but we hope to get it fully equipped again in time.

We wish also to thank in advance to bring in donations later.

The Trustees and Community of Vinan's Creek.

Center Point Hotel Destroyed By Fire

Center Point, Tex., Aug. 5.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Fuller Hotel at this place Thursday night. The building was of frame, two-story construction and contained 20 rooms. It was one of the landmarks of the town, having been built some 30 years ago. Mrs. Fuller had occupied it for the past 12 years. The fire was well under way when discovered and Mrs. Fuller, her daughter and two grandchildren and other guests barely escaped with their lives. Fortunately a two-story brick building stood between the building burned and other frame buildings and helped prevent the spread of the flames.

A volunteer bucket brigade was formed and with the aid of chemical fire extinguishers the flames were confined to the upper story of the brick building until the fire company from Kerrville arrived. They quickly had hose to the river some 1,200 feet away, and were soon pumping a large stream of water on the flames. Mrs. Fuller's loss is estimated at $5,000, with no insurance. The damage to other buildings was slight.

Straw Arrow Heads.

Boys, bring your straw arrow heads to the New Era office. We will pay 5 to 25 cents each, according to size and condition. We want other stone relics also.

'Drop in' at Bandera Barber Shop.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The State of Texas.
County of Bandera.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 3rd day of September, 1927, at Lawson Creek school house in Common School District No. Three (3) of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said District with the Medina Independent School District No. Five (5), thereby forming Consolidated Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County.

A. V. Pue has been appointed presiding officer for said election, and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For Consolidation" and those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against Consolidation" Dated this the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1927.

A. L. MANSFIELD
County Judge, Bandera County, Texas.

Delightfully Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pardue, of San Antonio, have been entertaining the past ten days with a house party at the Bruce Ranch on the Medina City Road six miles from Bandera. Their delightful time has been had by all in fishing, hunting, swimming parties, and horseback ride parties. The personal of the party was: Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pardue, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carraway and daughter, Betty Jean, Mrs. J. S. Boyd, Jimmie Givens.

Those coming up for the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Noel, Mrs. O. G. Bevers, Mrs. W. M. Osmon, of San Antonio, and Mrs. H. S. Corrington of Galveston.

I am now able to book orders for Big-Boned Extreme large type Duroc China pigs to arrive August 25th. To be delivered when six weeks old. See my hogs at Gillespie County Fair August 19, 20 and let them your orders early. They're going fast—Henry Thiele, Harper, Texas.— (Adv.)

HENRY THIELE PURCHASES PIGS DESCRIBED BELOW

Mr. Henry Thiele,
Harper, Texas.

Dear Sir:—In response to your letter of June 19 will say I have some very choice real first class sow pigs I can sell you. A litter farrowed April 16, eleven pigs in litter, sired by my junior herd boar, Armistice Model 2nd, and the best sow out of the World's Grand Champion, "Armistice Boy." I paid $2500.00 for my boar when he was 6 weeks old. He will weigh over 700 pounds a year old in ordinary condition. He is going to be shown at the fairs this fall and will be my boar in the herd best prospect of being a ring winner. The dame of these pigs is sired by the Iowa Junior Grand Champion of Iowa in 1924. Her dame is a 1st prize winner of the 1925 Wisconsin State Fair. Her sire in turn is sired by Buster the Grand Champion at the Wisconsin State Fair in 1924. These pigs have the best breeding and pedigree the breed has ever produced. They are big, smooth, growthy of good feeding type with the highest quality, have good heavy bones, and straight feet are well marked and are real herd and show prospects. These pigs are Cholera immunized (vaccinated) Each certificate furnished with. Registration papers. I guarantee satisfaction.

Hoping you will give this matter your best attention, I believe I have the kind of pigs you will like and want.

Sincerely yours,
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Teachers of County Schools.

Teachers have been employed in Bandera county schools as follows:

Bandera—A. K. Briggs, C. M. Black, E. R. Teel, Mrs. E. B. Little, Miss Bess Campbell, Miss Harriet Emerson.

Myrtle Creek— Miss Emily Ruth Ramble.

Medina—W. O. Hatfield, Miss Jennie Kirkland, Mrs. Clyde Elam, Mrs. Mae Pryde.

Wallace Creek—B. C. Fleenor

Lima—Miss Inez Gilbert, Miss Jewel Autrey.

Taylor—Supt. J. Scott, Miss Ozell Crouch.

Tarpley—Miss Zolla Kelley.

Crockett—Miss Vivian Reese, Miss Katherine McBryde.

East Verde—Miss Lois Taylor

Lone Star—Miss Margaret Pickens.

Privelege—Mrs. Norma Davenport.

Pipe Creek—Frank Thomas, Mrs. J. T. Canafax, Miss Alberta Babbitt,

Vanderpool — Miss Thrash, Mrs. A. E. Noel.

Elm—Miss Louise Villemain.

Mason Creek—Mrs. E. E. Wyatt.

Wiman's Creek—Mrs. A. Meadows.

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The book, "Herman Lehmann the Indian Captive," is just off the press, and we expect to receive a supply from the printer in a few days for distribution to those who want a copy. This book was written by J. Marvin Hunter of Bandera. It tells of Lehmann's life among the Apache Indians of Texas, and will interest all who are thrilled by frontier tales. Bound in cloth, illustrated, and well printed. Sent postpaid for $1 per copy.

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ELECTION ORDER

The State of Texas.
County of Bandera.

Whereas, on the 16th day of July A. D. 1927, a petition was presented to me for an election in Medina Independent School District Number Five (5) of this County, and the territory authorizing the said District to consolidate with the Lawson Creek Common School District No. Three (3), and the Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County, and

L. O. Bauerlein Sr. has been appointed to preside at said election and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County, and who are resident qualified voters in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For Consolidation" and those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against Consolidation"

Dated this the 2nd day of August A. D. 1927.

A. L. MANSFIELD
County Judge, Bandera County, Texas.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The State of Texas.
County of Bandera.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 3rd day of September A. D. 1927, at the School house in Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that District desire to consolidate the said District with the Lawson Creek Common School District No. Three (3) thereby forming the Consolidated Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County.

A. V. Pue is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County, and who are resident qualified voters in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the Consolidation," and those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their Ballots the words "Against the Consolidation."

Dated this the 2nd day of August, D. 1927.

A. L. MANSFIELD
County Judge, Bandera County, Texas.

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Texas Angora Goat Raisers.

Attendance at the annual convention, show and sale of the Texas Angora Goat Raisers' Association was in larger volume this year than ever before. There were 3,000 visitors here from surrounding districts, including Rest, Edwards, Gillespie, Menard, Bexar and Blanco counties on the opening day. To these must be added the townspeople who have shown interest in the three days' program and helped the Retail Merchants' Association and the convention committees to welcome the huge crowd.

Tuesday morning's program opened with the film "From Flock to Fabric," shown at the Strand Theater. The attendance was excellent, and the same feature also was the opening event on each morning's program.

Displays of mohair fabrics were exhibited in show windows together with silver cups awarded by the Angora Goat Breeders' Association, had a display of ribbons awarded to the best fleeces of the goat raisers.

Leading breeders from all parts of West Texas were represented in the show pens. A special line of goats was credited to J. O. Lander, John Wheat, Dr. W. W. Nyman, Mrs. Wheat, Dr. W. H. Rollings, J. A. Pepper, Fred T. Harwood, W. B. Patterson, Joe Cooper, J. B. Robbins, W. J. Childress, and other prominent breeders and growers either had goats in the show or were interested spectators of the judging.

The auctioneer of the Mohair Industry was commended on by many because goat raising is one of the few lines of business responsible for the name chevron as applied to the flesh of the goat. Herbert is recognized as a leading auctioneer of mohair growing and paid the highest price for a single sire at the 1925 sale of imported South African Angoras, held at Camp Wood.

Wednesday afternoon an informal reception was held at the Kincaid hotel parlors and five-thirty tea guests were taken for a ride over the city by the ladies of Uvalde. A six o'clock banquet dinner was served in the outdoor dining room and one hundred guests met at the home of Mrs. John N. Garner and a reception was held there. The reception committee was composed of Mrs. Garner and the presidents of the various clubs of the town. Punch was served in the dining room and other refreshments later to about eighty-five guests. The visitors expressed their enjoyment and appreciation of the afternoon's entertainment.

The natural theater in the grove of live oak trees in Sycamore City Park was a beautiful setting for the pageant. "Texas Under Six Flags," staged and directed by Mrs. Guy Hall, was the entertainment of the visitors. Twenty-five hundred is a conservative estimate of the number who attended the pageant and many expressed praise of this colorful pantomime which depicted the different stages of Texas history.

The dance on the roof of the hotel was attended by many of the visitors, although the attendance was smaller than the dance given the night before when over two hundred couples were dancing. The dance tonight is expected to be given of greater attendance.

The trophies on exhibition at the Kincaid hotel, in the window of Dyer & Thompson's office, have caused considerable interest. One that Frank Landrum prizes very highly is a silver cup, won in 1861 by William Landrum, pioneer of this country and the goat industry in California for the best Cashmere buck. There are other fine Landrum awards in the silver cups won by Frank Landrum at the various fairs and association meetings. One is for five (5) of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that District desire to consolidate the said District with the Lawson Creek Common School District No. Three (3) thereby forming the Consolidated Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County, and petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of resident, qualified voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law.

Now, therefore I, A. L. Mansfield in my official capacity as County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1927, at the school house in said Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said District with the Lawson Creek Common School District No. Three (3) and the Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County, and petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of resident, qualified voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law.

Now, therefore I, A. L. Mansfield, in my official capacity as County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1927, at the school house in said Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that District

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Parent-Teachers' Association

Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Jr., entertained the Parent-Teachers' Association at the April regular meeting. Mrs. E. B. Little, the first vice-president, took charge of the business session. Mrs. C. C. White, president, went in for resignation, and Mrs. J. E. Chisum was elected. After the business session, Mrs. Davenport and Mrs. E. B. Little entertained with a Back to Girlhood Days social of games and contests, after which punch was served to the guests: Mesdames H. Johnson, John H. Reed, J. E. Chisum, Old Lane, A. L. Mangold, Ed Vaughan, A. O. Butler, W. J. Davenport, Sr., B. F. Langford, Jr., Cohen Langford, Austin Carlton, Dan Buck, O. C. Barber, E. B. Little, F. C. Billings, Chas. Eckhart, John F. Hodges, Misses Weldon, Bahnette, Alcon Cash, Ruth Davenport, Margaret Deery, Mary Lou Davenport, and Messrs. Dan Chisum, Jr., and Bob Hodges.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. J. T. Chisum, president; Mrs. E. B. Little, first vice-president; Mrs. John H. Erwin, second vice-president; Mrs. O. C. Barber, third vice-president; Mrs. Dan Buck, treasurer; Mrs. F. C. Billings, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Matthews and daughter, Lois, of Beeville, are here on a visit to Mrs. Matthews' mother, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr., and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Ballentine of San Antonio visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Paris, of this city, last Sunday.

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Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all who so generously assisted in removing my stock of goods to safety during the fire Sunday night, and to those who helped to replace the goods on my shelves. I am grateful to each and every one for this aid in time of need.—C. B. CORLEY.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billings and children went to San Antonio yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Heimsath and two children, of Pipe Creek, were in town Tuesday.

George Ham left yesterday for a visit with friends and relatives in Fort Worth.

Misses Minnie Bruce and Minnie Mae Mansfield spent several days in San Antonio last week.

Mrs. Billy Burns and children returned one day last week from a visit to relatives at Rockport.

Mrs. M. M. Stokes and son, Ezell, of Post Arthur are spending several weeks with Mrs. M. E. Paris.

Edward Ehrke, of San Antonio, is spending awhile with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Perner.

Mrs. J. A. Barnett and children, of Del Rio, are here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr.

Mrs. Ernest Scheele and pretty daughter, Miss Malinda, were shopping in the city Monday and paid this office a call.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod of San Antonio, visited Mrs. McLeod's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks, here last Friday.

J. J. Tait went to San Antonio Sunday, returning the same day accompanied by Mrs. Tait, who spent last week in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gray (Dorothy Gibson), Roby Lee and A. C. of Medina, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Gray.

Miss Katherine Padgett, of Turpley, returned last Friday from California where she has spent the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lancaster, of Somerset visited their nephew, Roy Deery, here last Saturday and Sunday.

1927 Ford Roadster, 30 day guarantee. Price, $325.00.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

G. H. Nichols and son, Myron, of San Antonio, visited his sister, Mrs. C. Y. Billings last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Estes and son, of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane and family last Sunday.

Just received a line of good trousers. Priced to sell. Come and see them.—Davenport's Store.

Miss Iris Paris accompanied her sister, Mrs. Neil Smith on a visit to relatives in Mason and Llano last Friday.

El Mansfield Rodeo at Mansfield the last Sunday was well attended. There will be another one given there next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Glaser, of Comfort, attended the baseball game here last Sunday. While here Dr. Glaser paid a visit to The Bandera Echo.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Blakeney went to Morris Ranch last Sunday to attend the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mrs. Blakeney's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Roeder.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Evans and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Evans and son, Mr. and Mrs. Beckenbach and Miss No'a Evans of San Antonio, visited Mrs. J. N. Evans last Saturday.

Mrs. R. B. Ruge of Fort Smith, Arkansas, Mrs. Maimie Mahaffey, Rose Oschwald, and Almira Adamietz, of Thibodeaux, La., left this week for their respective homes after a delightful visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge.

Mrs. W. M. Pingleton, who recently purchased the Bandera Cafe, wishes to announce in this issue of the New Era, inviting the patronage of the public. Mrs. Pingleton is a splendid cook and offers regular dinners and short orders that will please the most fastidious.

Dr. Laurie Montague, of Edinburg, was here Friday on a visit to home folks. We are pleased to know that Dr. Montague is building up a splendid practice at Edinburg. He specializes in surgery, and is now rated as one of the best surgeons in the Rio Grande Valley.

PEARS: Several bushels of fine pears at $1.00 per bushel.—J. A. Head.

Mrs. Chas. Montague of Bandera and her daughter, Miss Victoria Montague of San Antonio, departed Sunday for Waterbury, Connecticut, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. John Montague. Miss Montague will return in about thirty days, but Mrs. Montague will remain there until about October 1st.

WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—Seed oats at 50c a bushel.—C. Jenschke, Southwestern phone. 4tp.

FOR SALE—Ford truck, Warford shift, new rubber, with front and rear spare, recent motor overhaul. Can be seen at Gray's Garage.

FOR SALE—45 nannies. Call Fred Maass, Southwestern phone

SORGHUM—New made sorghum molasses. 60c gallon.—Chas. Gray Independent phone. 4tp.

BLACK Jersey Giant Cockerels for sale, from prize birds.—Mrs. Lee Burney, Center Point, Texas.

LOST OR STRAYED, from my pasture one Delaine-Merino buck branded red cross on left side. Coming 2 years old. Will pay reward for return.—A Hadbey. 2tp.

PERMANENT WAVES—Nestle-oil and Circlenecs, 15c and 20c per curl.—Mrs. John O'Larnie, No. 312 E. Hamilton St., San Antonio. Phone Travis 1283-J.

LOST—32x5 Goodyear Tire, tube and rim, on Kerrville and Medina road, between Bluff and Center Point. Reward. Notify or return to J. W. Fee, Medina. 2tp

FOR SALE—250 nannies, 350 kids, 90 ewes, 30 lambs, 100 mutton sheep, all young. Will sell cheap.—A. McMains, Hilderbrandt Ranch. tf.

FOR SALE or trade—Good saddle horse, cheap.—M. M. Fitzgerald.

W-I Thresh Cane.

Will thresh cane at my place August 22 and 23.—Otto Stein.

Lots of good cedar fence posts at Davenport's Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Shields, the photograher, was here from San Antonio Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Hayes, of San Antonio, were visitors in Bandera Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Arthur Laneaster, of San Antonio, visited Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler Sunday.

We sell Star Brand Shoes. Guaranteed all leather — at Davenport's Store.

Mrs. Jennie Lewis and little son, Stanley, of Shreveport, La., are visiting here.

Mrs. Fred Risinger and children, of San Antonio, spent last week with her father, J. F. Tait.

FOR SALE—Fine yearling Delaine Merino buck, at a bargain. J. A. Head.

Mrs. O. C. Surber and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson are spending this week-end in San Antonio.

Mrs. Pete Hinkin and Miss Magdalene Dugos went to San Antonio last Friday on a shopping trip.

Miss Thelma Surber left yesterday for Corpus Christi, where she will enter Draughon's Business College.

Alex Mangold has purchased a fine Chevrolet Sedan, touring through Cesar Perner, the local star agent.

Miss Aleen Stevens, of Falfurrias, spent last week here visiting friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Allie Stevens.

Miss Lee Joiner is spending several days with her cousins, Misses Bettie and Emma Gray and Fred Berger.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Jackson and bright daughters, Misses Hallie and Hattie Mae, were here from Medina Regular Monday.

O Boy! See those samples at the tailor shop. They will fit too. Hold their shape and will not cost any more than a hand me down.

Charlie Perner and family, and Mrs. Emil Leismann and little daughters, Elsie and Margaret, of Riverside, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Burger and children, of San Antonio, are spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kindla, of this city.

Mrs. R. C. Bowles returned home one day last week from San Antonio where she underwent a serious operation. She is greatly improved.

Fred Maas came in to consult a doctor last Thursday about his hand which he thinks he poisoned with oil. His hand was in a bad condition but at the last report it seems better.

H. H. Deering and family came up from San Antonio last Sunday on a visit to Mrs. Deering's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks. Mr. Deering has returned home, while his family will remain here several days.

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Card of Thanks.

We take this means of expressing our thanks to all who have extended to us so many kind words of sympathy and kindness in our grief over the death of our beloved daughter and sister, Mrs. A. B. Hale, which occurred at Voth, Texas, last Friday. The comforting words spoken and the manifestation of real sympathy binds closer the golden cords of friendship that have endured for many years.—E. R. Sutherland and family, Medina, Texas.

Card of Thanks.

To all who rendered assistance to my family last Sunday night during the fire excitement, especially to George Elam and Othell Langford, I extend my sincere thanks, and assure them that I greatly appreciate the service rendered.—J. F. Tait.

George Lane, of this place, and Roscoe Estes Jr., of San Antonio, attended the Boat Races at the Medina Lake Sunday.

They've Arrived

The big line of new fall and winter samples of men's suits are here. You are invited to come in and look them over.—L. Coughran, Tailor Shop.

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Mrs. C Davis, of Philadelphia, and her niece, Mary Ellen Bace, of Houston, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Akin and children have returned from a visit to relatives at Evant, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morgan accompanied them there.

Mrs. R. L. Hanna and son, Marcos Hanna of Sabine Pass are visiting her sister, Mrs. W. D. Smith and her brother, Mr. Marvin Akin and family.

Mrs. Charlie Baker and children, of Port Arthur, are visiting her mother, Mrs. C. D. Wyatt, and her sister, Mrs. Judith Baker.

Wm Hatfield has returned from a visit to relatives in Alabama and Georgia.

Miss Sadie Hatfield, County Demonstrator of Cleveland, spent several days at home last week.

Mrs. Bagnell Bryan, Misses Ethel Maude and Joyce Newcomer of Austin, are at home for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Smith, Jr., and daughter of China, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Smith and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis have as guests Mrs. Davis' father and brother, Mr. Reasoner and sister, Mrs. G. Gore and a niece, all from Corsicana, Texas.

Rev. Merrill, of Kerrville, is conducting a meeting at the Baptist church, he is doing some fine preaching.

Medina enjoyed a special treat last week in the recital given by Miss Melda Bowers. She was returning from Chicago, where she has been studying under some of the best musicians in the country, to her home at Globe Arizona. She stopped here for a visit to visit her grandfather, Mr. Peterson.

A very interesting gabe of ball was played on local diamond last Sunday evening between 42nd Squadron, Kelley Field and Medina. Medina was in a score of 3 and 5 in favor of the visiting team. A controversy over the decision of the umpire resulting in a compromise. The team will have another game next Sunday afternoon.

A Birthday Celebration

A birthday celebration was given at the home of Miss Ruth Krause on Miss Elsie Villemain at the home of Miss Zelda McKandree, near Pipe Creek, Sunday. A delicious dinner was spread on the beautiful banks of Pipe Creek. The table was decorated with two large birthday cakes bearing white candles. They had ruffled candy chicken and weiners which were very delicious. They were sorry that the rains of the early part of the day until afternoon because of car trouble but they received their guests at the refreshments in the afternoon. The two young ladies received a few beautiful presents. An enjoyable evening was spent by all. Those present were: Misses Nettie Bell Krause, Elsie Villemain, Zelda McCandrins, Arleen and Allie Ray Young, Lena Collins, Messrs. Lonnie Smith, Ralph Caldwell, Ervin Sewell all of San Marcos.

Boy Scouts Entertainment Tonight.

The Boy Scouts of Troop No. 19 and 31 in camp at the Ranger Crossing, will give an entertainment at the Hall tonight, which will be free to the public. A varied program has been arranged, which will be both instructive and humorous, and will be of interest to all who attend. You are cordially invited.

Lotto Turner, of Privilege Creek was in town yesterday on business.

LIMA LINES

Mrs. R. L. Morris and little sons, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keese and Miss Ruby Hamon spent several days in San Antonio last week.

Dance at Medina Lake on each will be given to the largest number present. Everybody welcome. Also the grounds on Old Settlers' Day. Parents and children must all be accompanied by their parents whether or not they all live here now. Look the kids over on the truck and bring them to the Fair; you may get the prize.

In the Baby Clinic to be held at the Fair Dr. Mary Harper San Antonio baby specialist, will be in attendance. Mothers bring your babies. The eye, ear, nose and throat specialist and a dentist will be present on Saturday afternoon, to give free examination to all children. Parents should take advantage of this opportunity and bring their children to the clinic.

Refreshing Showers.

Copious and refreshing showers fell over the county yesterday breaking a drouth of several weeks' duration. The rains came very early Sunday morning, resulting in heavy loss to the corn crop. Many cars of automobile, wagon, harness, farm implements, several hundred bushels of oats and corn and much feed stuff. Origin of the fire is unknown.

John Butler Dead.

The New Era deeply sympathizes with Mrs. Lula Cavitt, of Center Point in the loss of her brother, John Butler, who died at Lima last Friday. Mr. Buster was engaged in business at Taft, and his death occurred while he was visiting relatives at Lima. The remains were taken to Taft for burial. Mr. Butler had been in ill health for several months. He was a man of splendid character, and had a host of friends by all who knew him.

Autos Take Heavier Toll Than World War.

Washington, Aug. 13.—More people have been killed by automobiles in the United States during the past eight years than the American soldiers dead in the World War the National Automobile Chamber says.

From January 1, 1919, to December 31, 1926, 371,909 persons were killed by automobiles, while the total casualties of the World War in the American United forces was 320,518. The injured in automobile accidents, however, was 3,500,000 since the armistice.

Twenty-six per cent of the killed and injured were children under the age of 15 years, according to the figures. Last year it was over 30,000 persons were killed, an increase over 1926. The largest automobiles for

County Fair Opens Thursday.

The Seventh Annual Bandera County Fair opens at Mansfield Park next Thursday, August 25th. The fair managers are enthusiastic over the prospects of this year's fair being the most successful ever held and record-breaking crowds are expected to be in attendance each day. The exhibits promise to be bigger and better than ever, both agricultural and live stock.

Nothing is being left undone by the management to make the entertainment features the best ever. This includes baseball games each day, big free rodeo each day, dancing, and carnival concessions. The admission price of fifty cents for all over twelve years of age entitles visitors to Mansfield Park to the various attractions provided by the management. Barbecued meals can be purchased on the grounds or those who want to spend the day there can be assured of plenty.—Ad.

There will be plenty of amusement for old and young, and the various exhibits will be interesting and instructive. The Baker Clinic is one feature that will be worth much to the parents of the county.

Saturday, August 27th, has been designated Old Settlers' Day at the Fair. Every old settler in the county is urged to be there on that day. Dances in San Antonio last week.

Mrs. David H. Brewer, of Kerrville, is the guest of Mrs. C. C. Miller this week.

Joe Morris returned from Laredo Monday.

Jack Coose, of San Antonio, came up last week end to see his mother, Mrs. J. N. Coose and two sons accompanied him to San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman, Mrs. J. C. Hillman and Miss Ethel and Ruth Hillman motored to Kerrville Sunday to see R. L. Morris.

Mrs. Ben Knoch Moffit visited in the W. O. Keese home Sunday.

John Walker, of Bluff, visited his sister, Mrs. C. A. Reed Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Haught have returned from Menard where they had gone to see Mr. Haught's mother, who had another stroke of paralysis last week. She was better at last report.

Miss Lutie Miller is visiting in Fredericksburg this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller are spending a few days visiting relatives in Fredericksburg.

Meeting in Progress.

The revival meeting in progress at the Methodist church, being conducted by Evangelist John N McKay, is drawing large audiences. Prof. W. Saunders, president of the Old Trail Drivers' Association, announced that the moving pictures of the Trail Drivers' parade and other scenes will be shown in the hall at Helotes on the night of the ball.

Apportioned County School Funds.

The County School Trustees met in regular session last Monday, and apportioned the county school money. The apportionment amounting to $3 per capita.

Fair Catalogues.

Anyone wanting a copy of the fair catalogue can get it at the New Era office, free. We have quite a number of the catalogues remaining on hand which we will be glad to furnish to who want them.

At the Picture Show.

The picture to be shown at Bandera Theater tomorrow night will be a Fred Thomson feature entitled "Behind the Lines," and is a good one. We all know Fred Thomson and his horse, Silver King don't we? Well, if you do you'll miss a good one. The comedy to be shown in connection with this picture will be "Dots and Dashes."

Squirrels Cut Pecan Crop

Brackettville, Texas, Aug. 16.—The pecan crop in certain sections of this county, which started out under the most promising of conditions in spring and early summer, has fallen victim to squirrels and storms, and before the presence of numbers of squirrels in the pecan groves practically cleaned up the nut crop. Indications are that despite other favorable conditions, the pecan harvest will be low this year here.

Boy Scouts Camped Here.

"Two troops of Boy Scouts, some thirty-seven in number, in charge of Scout Master Harry M. Koester of Troop 19, and Scout Master Wm. S. Hennessey of Troop 31, are here from San Antonio for the week and are encamped near the Ranger Crossing. The young fellows have been having a wonderful time scouting, hiking, swimming, and indulging in the various sports provided. The names are given as follows:

Troop 31—Harry M. Koester, scoutmaster; Woodrow Palmer, Grover Chilton, Jr., John Griffith, Milton Grosenbacher, Chester Hollis, Frank Knapp, Lester Marshall, Clifton Nash, Francis Stanish, Murray Starr, Murray Walker, Levi Old, Edward Old, Joe McHaney, Alfred Abbott, Leonard Abbott, John Newton, Marcial Knapp, Herbert Harges.

Troop 31—Wm. S. Hennessey, scoutmaster; Joe Hennessey, Jack Hunting, Curt Kallenberg, Arthur Langston, Chris Schaester, Reagan South, Edward Sweeney, Bunie Hudman, Robert Miller, Austin Peay, Jack Worlington.

Troop 1—Wallace Scales, Tom Burtschell.

Troop 1—Carl Adamietz, Chef de Quesione—B. H. Nottingham.

From Department of Education.

Mr. Geo. P. Barrow, of the State Department of Education, was here last Thursday, and at the court house addressed about fifty county trustees, teachers and patrons, from Bandera, Medina, Pipe Creek, Crockett, Lima, Rocky, Bluff, Mason Creek, Verde, and Myrtle Creek. Mr. Barrow discussed recent school legislation and school consolidation for the right school purposes. Mr. Barrow is a forceful speaker and was much appreciated by all who heard him. He went from here to Leakey.

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Barbecue Supper.

A barbecue supper was given on the Public Square Saturday night by the Bandera Band. Among those present on this occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Head, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hutchison, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Chipman, Mrs. Jack Cliliff, Mrs. Emma Whitley, Mrs. Maudine and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Whitley, Mrs. Ruth Hamilton, Miss Maida Hamilton, Miss Edith Cliff, Monte Chipman, Maggie and Lunette Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Schmidt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chipman and children.

Family Reunion.

The fourteenth annual gathering of a family reunion on the river at Bandera will be held on Sunday, Aug. 28th. Adolph Huffmeyer, F. V. Huffmeyer, Mrs. W. I. Seymour and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Wagner and son, all of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. M. Huffmeyer and daughter of San Antonio, Colo; and Mrs. R. E. Simpson and little daughter of Dallas.

F. T. A. Play.

The Parent-Teachers' Association is arranging to give a play, entitled "A Bunch of Fuh," at the Ranger Crossing auditorium on Saturday night, September 3. Full announcement and cast of characters will be given later.

And Then It Happened.

Little things hafe often caused big wars. A Medina man's wife was working a cross-word puzzle the other night when he arrived home. She asked him, "What is a female sheep?" He said "ewe," and that is how one big fight started.

Meeting Starts at Pipe Creek.

Beginning next Saturday night there will be a series of meetings held at the Pipe Creek school house. This meeting will be conducted by Elder H. E. Winegar of San Antonio. On Sunday there will be an all day meeting with dinner on the grounds and all are cordially invited to come and bring their baskets and enjoy the day. It is hoped to have special music and singing, also illustrated lectures and sermons during this meeting, which will be very interesting.

Coolidge May Make Race

Rapid City, S. D. Aug. 12 (AP).—Whatever President Coolidge intends to do next year regarding the Republican nomination, a group of his friends, including a Cabinet member, a Senator, a Governor and several Congressmen who were his guests Thursday predicted that he would run if the convention nominates him.

They all were convinced that Mr. Coolidge meant exactly what he said in his statement that "I do not choose to run for President in 1928." but the opinion was held by some of them that the President would be drafted, and they all agreed that if he were, he would run.

The group which visited at the summer white house included Secretary Work, Senator Pepe of Ohio, Governor Pinchot of Pennsylvania, Representatives William E. Hull of Illinois, Emerson Seeley of Minnesota and M. C. Brush, president of the International Mercantile Marine. Also included was an old friend of Mr. Coolidge, William J. Donovan, assistant to the Attorney General also was present, but he declined to discuss politics.

"To all of this group who expressed their sentiments to Mr. Coolidge regarding his choice not to run, the President replied substantially, it was said, that "this is not a country for any man to be President. There are several men who would make good Presidents."

The most outspoken of the group were Senator Pess and Representative Hull. Both predicted that the convention would deadlock and that Mr. Coolidge would be named in spite of his statement.

"It is likely," Mr. Hull added, "that Coolidge will be nominated for President in 1928, just as he was nominated for Vice President in 1920."

Amplifying that declaration, he said that there possibly would be no concerted effort to nominate Mr. Coolidge, but that out of a clear-sky his name would be proposed and the convention would result. Senator Pess declared that the President would decline to run if the nomination were forced upon him, something he told Hoiy.

Mr. Brush, the President's old friend, said that when asked his opinion of the statement.

"In the twenty-five years I have known Mr. Coolidge he has always been right."

Mr. Work volunteered that the President, by his statement, "has not put up a definite bar to being drafted, and Secretary Work declared that no one can forteli "what will happen on March 4, 1929."

Texas Allows $15 Per Pupil

Austin, Texas, Aug. 16—Texas per capita public school apportionment was fixed at $15 for the coming year by the state board of education.

Rodeo Next Sunday.

Ed Mansfield will stage a rodeo next Sunday at Paul's Grove, a resort on the Culebra Road, location being midway between San Antonio and Leon Springs. Bucking, bulldogging, steer-riding, calf and goat roping, and the usual cowboy sport will make up the rodeo.

Brother Died.

Mr. Street Hudspeth, of this city has the sympathy of a host of friends in the loss of his brother, George Hudspeth, who died in Dallas a few days ago. Deceased was known to many of the older citizens here who regret to hear of his death.

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Frontier Times Is Featured.

In a recent issue of the Dallas Times-Herald appeared a feature story of Frontier Times, J. Marvin Hunter's growing monthly magazine, which is published in Bandera. The story, a splendid one, was written by Matthew Paxton, a well known newspaper writer of San Antonio. Among other good things Mr. Paxton had to say about Frontier times is the following paragraph:

"But let it not be supposed that Frontier Times is for the illiterate. It is found in many university libraries. Like the old men who have seen the life of the frontier, students find mental pabulum in the untrod trails of Hunter's journals. Copies also may be found on more than one broad mahogany desk in private Street. In a few years the editor has gained a circulation of 3,000 in Europe. He has purchased a modern printing plant and owns a small but well lighted building. He is also to create almost his entire time to the magazine and to volumes of pioneer memoirs. His oldest daughter, Nettie, edits and gathers news for the weekly; Rachel, 17, politics and Mary Jane, 13, and Marvin, 19, runs the presses. J. Marvin Hunter, the oldest son, who until recently was his father's principal assistant, publishes the Herald at Hamer, Texas, but in his spare time he contributes creditable illustrations to Frontier Times. Thus does not idle in the accumulation of a fortune, nor in any other thing except so far as a man contributes to the stimulus of hope into reality. J. Marvin Hunter is one of the men of the million fifties of his years, he works among the beautiful hills where Hamer, Texas, and other small but battles in Central Texas and other states. Davis would be nominated for the only cannot post on this continent. History ground for a project that is as much entitled to the attention of history."

We have never met Mr. Paxton, the writer of this feature story, and while in his splendid article he refers to us as a man of fine fellow qualities of our years, which is probably in years wrong, we are grateful to him for the good words he has spoken of the work we have undertaken to do through the kindness of such good writers as Paxton, Cunningham, Dobie and others, that Frontier Times is being brought to the notice of people everywhere, and that the purpose for which the work was set them for being helpful to this work.

Just a Little Want Ad.

It is remarkable what a little 25-cent want ad will do sometimes. If you have anything for sale, a little cost it is, you can insert a small want ad in the New Era at very little cost, and the purchaser will hereby learn that you want to sell it, a trade, or maybe you have purchase while you are telling a dozen or two people that you have something to sell. We are known of a 5-cent ad selling a farm. No need buying anything you have lands which you do not need, and which there want to buy and would buy if you knew it for sale. Our advertising rates are 7½ cents per line for insertion; count six words to the line; 24 words will make your line, and cost on. Try a want ad and be convinced. In sending in your want ads send cash with order.

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I. M. HUNTER,
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MISS JANNETTE HUNTER
Associate Editor

Entered asoecond-class matter at the postoffice at Bandera, Texas.

The New Era is changing its dress from 10 point type to 7 points. By this change we gain about four columns of space in our regular weekly issue, which on Twenty Thirty will gain eight full pages. And the face of type we are going to use is Ionic No. 5, 7-point, while smaller, will be plainer and easy to read. In fact, it is highly endorsed by opticians as being restful to the eye. This new style of type was recently brought out by the Mergenthaler Linotype Co., and the New Era is one of the first papers in this part of Texas to adopt this new and more readable type.

This week we publish the program of the County Teachers' Institute, to be held in Bandera September 9th and 6th. It is compulsory for teachers of the county to attend the Institute so a full attendance is urged. The program as arranged contains many interesting subjects, not only of interest to the teachers, but to the patrons of the county schools as well. Be sure to read it, and if you are disposed to attend the meeting of the Institute you will be welcome there.

One of the best weekly newspapers which comes to our exchange table is the Menard Messenger, published by Leo O. Warren. Mr. Warren has recently moved his up-to-date printing plant into a handsome new building, which he owns. Menard is our old home town, for that is where this editor entered the newspaper game thirty-seven years ago, and naturally we rejoice that the present editor is achieving that degree of success which comes as a reward of earnest effort.

The County Fair starts next Thursday, August 25, and continues through the 26th and 27th. Three big days of entertainment and education, which you made your plans to be here, and to put on display some of the products of Bandera county profits more than you can estimate by holding this County Fair each season. Even our home people learn what others are doing in the line of farm products and live stock when they attend the fair and see what is on display, while visitors from other sections who attend the fair can readily see what can be raised in this county and they go away with the conviction that Bandera county is one of the best counties in the State. Last year some people from East Texas attended our county Fair, and we noticed them said to the editor: "I see always under the impression that Bandera county was a poor county agriculturally; I thought your land was too rocky and rough to even cultivate a garden patch on. This display of farm products has certainly been an eye opener to us. The stuff you raise here will compare with anything we raise in East Texas, and besides, you seem to raise it with less labor and expense." And this is so true. Let's boost our County Fair and get some more of these East Texas people to come here and get their eyes opened.

Commissioner R. C. Boales, with a crew of road hands, has been doing some good work out on the road to Center Point. Some bad stretches have been graded and others gravelled, all of which helps wonderfully. Old Bandera county will have first class roads some of these days if perseverance counts for anything.

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PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Monday, September 5th.

9 A. M.—Opening exercises—Miss Emily Ruth Ramble and Mrs. W. J. Davenport.
Invocation—Rev. B. J. Gossett.
Address—J. M. Hunter.
Response—Mr. O. Hatfield.
9:30 to 10:15.—Outline of the work for the Institute by the County Superintendent, registration of the teachers, and intermission in which to shake hands and get acquainted with each other.
10:15 to 10:45.—The Teacher and His Work.—M. J. Scott.
10:45 to 11:10.—Interest in School Work on the Part of Teacher, Parent and Pupil.—A. K. Briggs.
11:10 to 11:40.—Problems of School Work" (1) e school room and play ground.—W. O. Hatfield.
11:40 to 12.—The Benefits of visits to the Schools by Patrons. Trustees and County Superintendent.—Mrs. Mae Coon.
12 to 1:15. Noon Intermission.
1:15 to 1:30.—Grading One-Teacher Schools. Teacher Honey Creek school.
1:30 to 1:45.—Should Grades Above the Seventh Be Taught in One-Teacher Schools Under any Condition?"—N. C. Feenor.
1:45 to 2.—Beginners or Primary Work in One-Teacher Schools. How Managed."—Mrs. Mattie Noel.
2 to 2:30.—Promotion" in One Teachers Schools of Not More Than Six Months.—Mrs. A. Meadows.
2:30 to 3.—Is the P. T. A. or Community Club a Benefit in the Rural Communities?"—Frank Thomas.
3 to 3:15.—How to Lead the Rural Community to Want a Better Type of School.—Miss Vivian Krese.
3:15 to 3:30.—"The Physical Comfort of the Pupils in the Rural Schools," building and seating conditions.—Miss Wyatt.
3:30 to 4.—General Discussion Questions and Answers.

Tuesday, September 6th.

9 to 9:15.—Opening Exercises Conducted by 32m. W. J. Davenport and Miss Emily Ruth Rambie.
9:15 to 9:30.—"Head Teachers Term Reports."—Hon. J. A. Eames.
9:30 to 10.—Teachers' Monthly Reports by County Superintendent and Cashing of Teachers' Vouchers."—A. Meadows.
10 to 10:15.—"Care of Test Books."—Miss Inez Gilbert.
10:30 to 10:45.—"Texas Flag Law and Holidays."—Miss Thrash.
10:45 to 11.—"Hygiene in the Public Schools."—Dr. J. H. Erwin.
11 to 11:30.—"Is the County Merit Wreth from a Physical Standpoint?"—Evelyn Mansfield.
11:20 to 11:45.—"Should a Teacher Take Part in the Games on the School Grounds?" Miss Winnie Hamil.
11:40 to 12.—"The Teacher in the Social Affairs of the Community."—Mrs. Bess Carafax.

Intermission.

1:15 to 1:45.—"Teaching Penmanship. What It is Worth, and How to Teach It. Demonstrate."—Miss Jennie Kirkland.
1:45 to 2:15.—"Does the High School Course of Study Fit the Pupil to the Industrial and Commercial Life"—Prof. Black.

Intermission.

2:30 to 2:45.—"Are You Employed for Five or Seven Days?"—Mrs. R. N. Chaddick.
2:45 to 3.—Suggestions for the Benefit of New Teachers (Beginners)"—Mrs. R. N. Little.
3 to 3:15.—Announcement of the Classification of the Schools of the County."—By the County Superintendent.
3:15 to 3:30.—"Score Card and Standardization."—Prof. Teel.
3:30 to 4.—"Interscholastic League."—A. K. Briggs.

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Results of Scoring.

Below is given the scoring results at the Angora Goat Raisers' meeting and show held at Uvalde early this month:

Yearling buck: G. I. Perkins, 88 points; C. P. Briggs 87½ points; W. W. Nipper, 87½ points.
Aged bucks: Sim Reid, 88 points; J. A. Ward & Son, 84½ points; Sim Reid, 83½ points.
Yearling doe: J. A. Ward & Son, 93¼ points; W. W. Nipper, 86½ points; Bob Davis, 85 points.
Get of one sire: M. D. Taylor, 356½ points; Lee Winans, 333½ points; C. F. Briggs, 352¾ points.
Three does, get of sire: W. W. Nipper, 265½ points; W. D. Taylor, 261½ points; W. H. Rawlings & Son 259¼ points.
Breeder's flock: M. D. Taylor, 351 points; M. D. Taylor, 347½ points.
Yearling doe, B type: C. A. Pepper, 91½ points; C. A. Pepper, 91¼ points M. D. Taylor, 90¾ points. C type: C. A. Pepper, 93½ points; Edgar Chisum 90¼ points; M. D. Taylor, 90¼ points. Buck Kids, A type: W. B. Patterson, 90¾ points; C. A. Pepper, 89 points; M. D. Taylor, 87½ points. C type: W. W. Nipper, 90½ points; W. W. Nipper 89 points; W. W. Nipper 86 points.
Yearling buck, B type: M. D. Taylor, 88 points; M. D. Taylor, 88 points; Gray Bros. 87½ points. C type: W. H. Rawlings & Son, 87½ points; W. W. Nipper, 87½ points; R. N. Padgett, 86½ points.
Aged bucks, B type: Sim Reid, 90 points; C. A. Pepper, 87½ points; Sim Reid, 85½ points. C type: F. O. Lendrum, 92¾ points; M. D. Taylor, 92¼ points.
Yearling bucks, B type: Gene Mayes, 93½ points; K. Guthrie, 91½ points; M. D. Taylor, 90¾ points. C type: C. P. Briggs, 93 points; W. W. Nipper, 91½ points; L. K. Guthrie, 86½ points.
Aged doe, B type: Bob Davis, 91 points; R. N. Padgett, 89½ points; A. Bonner, 36½ points. C type: M. D. Taylor, 92¼ points; W. W. Nipper, 89½ points; W. H. Rawlings & Son, 89 points.
Champion buck: Sim Reid and G. I. Perkins, 88 points.
Champion doe: J. A. Ward & Son, 93¼ points.
Ram champion division B, short mohair class B type: Champion buck, Gene Mayes, 93½ points.
Champion doe: C. A. Pepper, 91½ points.
Grand C type, champion buck: F. O. Landrum and Bob Davis, 92¾ points. Champion doe: C. A. Pepper, 90¾ points.
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Grand C type, champion buck: F. O. Landrum and Bob Davis, 92¾ points. Champion doe: C. A. Pepper, 90¾

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Tires! Tires!

Buy your tires in Bandera. We have the largest stock and tubes to meet mail order competition, as follows:

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George Washington was a great man! And we all love him for being himself. Such is Mr. Caudle is almost as important. Have you met him? He is at the Bandera Barber Shop, ready to give you service. His motto is "To Please the People". Prices reasonable. Hair cuts 35c and shaves 15c each or 1000 for $150.

Old Time Dance.

Ed Mansfield announces an old time dance in Bandera Hall next Saturday night. Old time music will be furnished and an old time good time is promised. Don't miss it.

A Bakery Needed.

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C. L. Patterson, of Floresville, was in Bandera last Thursday.

We sell Star Brand Shoes. Guaranteed all leather.—at Davenport's Store. 4tp.

Mrs. L. J. Keese, of Medina, spent several days last week with Mrs. Mark McBryde.

Claude Fletcher came home from Austin last Thursday where he is attending the University.

Just received a line of good trousers. Priced to sell. Come and see them—Davenport's Store.

Mrs. George Barnes and little son, Clinton, of Amarilla, Texas, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Towers and little son, Roy, Jr., spent last week here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gid Lane.

A. Habenicht and family and Mr. Schmitt paid Hondo a visit last Sunday.

Mrs. C. Y. Billings has been quite ill the past week, but we are glad to report that she is now recovering.

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Mrs. E. H. Cocke, of San Antonio, is a guest at the City Hotel for a week or so.

Mrs. Robert Burnett and son, of San Antonio, are spending a few days in Bandera.

N. H. Rose, the photographer, of Rose Studio, Austin, has moved to Junction, Texas.

Slick Jones was awarded first prize, a fine saddle, in calf-roping at the Uvalde 4th of July Rodeo, at Uvalde, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bartlett, of Randoll, Ill., spent several days last week here visiting Mr. Bartlett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shannon and Mrs. E. P. Shannon, of Houston, are spending their vacation at the City Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Verde Robinette and daughter, Miss Helen and Richard Richards, of San Antonio, visited Old Lane and family last Sunday.

O Boy! See those samples at the tailor shop. They will fit too. Hold the shape and will not cost any more than a hand me down.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman, of Lima, were in Bandera last Tuesday, to consult a doctor about their small son.

Ed Mansfield and two sons, Bruce and Bill returned from San Antonio and Floresville last week, they stayed a rodeo at Peacock's Military Academy last Tuesday.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Bullings' Drug Store.

Misses Martha and Hermine Habenicht and Mr. Schmitt were up from San Antonio to spend a week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Lewis and son, of Uvalde, came in last Thursday to visit Mrs. Lewis' grandmother, Mrs. George Hay, for a few weeks. Mr. Lewis returned to work.

Miss Kathryn McBryde and her grandmother, Mrs. O. W. McBryde, of Medina, and Miss Beth McBryde, of Hondo, are spending awhile at Gonzales visiting Mrs. Dee Low.

Mrs. Cid Lane and two sons, George and Stanley and Miss Vinna Lee Kuntz, of Austin, are here attended the funeral of the little Kuntz child in San Antonio last Monday.

The Ladies of the Womans Missionary society of the Methodist church will hold their social the 5th December the place and date will be announced later through this paper.

We are now fully equipped to rebuild and recharge storage batteries of all kinds. New batteries in stock. Prompt service and good work guaranteed.—Ruge's Filling Station and Battery Shop.

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Nat B. Jones, the well known Texas Ranger, was here from Kerrville Tuesday. Mr. Jones, familiarly known as "Slow Jones," is a field representative for the Uncle Sam Stock Medicine Co., and is doing a world of good in helping to rid Bandera county flocks of sheep and goats of mange and tapeworms.

Rev. Father Boivin, pastor of the Catholic church here was compelled to return to the Santa Rosa Infirmary at San Antonio last week for further treatment. He has been in ill health for some time and spent several weeks at the infirmary recently returning to Bandera to look after his flock here, but his condition grew worse and he was taken back to the hospital. We hope he will soon be restored to health.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cox, of Goat Hill, had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Tom Matthews and Miss Lois Matthews, of Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shirley, of Raulhol, Ill., Mrs. John Barnett and children, of Del Rio, Preston, and Monroe Langford, of San Antonio, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. August Whitley and son.

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FOR SALE—Seed oats at 50¢ a bushel.—C. Jenachke, Southwestern phone. 4tp.

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LOST—32x5 Goodyear Tire, tube and rim, on Kerrville and Medina road, between Bluff and the mountain. Reward for return to J. W. Fee, Medina.

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I WILL THRESH Cane Seed at my place on Hicks' Creek on Wednesday, August 24.—A. V. PUE.

FOR SALE—I have some choice young bulles and Persian Holstein males for sale. See me before buying elsewhere.—J. H. Bruce. 6tp.

LOST—12-gauge hammerless shotgun, in heavy leather case, on Medina river at second crossing above Bandera. Finder please return to Pestoffice at Medina and claim liberal reward.—Mrs. Ben Lee Hall, Buena Vista St., San Antonio, Texas.

FOR SALE—100 goats, mostly nannies; also 90 ewes.—Mrs. W. M. Hamilton.

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Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hermes, Jr., of Tarpley, August 12, a girl.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Edwards, of Pipe Creek, August 11, a boy.

Judge Ed A. Kelley, county Judge of Real county, was here from Leakey last Monday.

Miss Stella Planer, of Moran, was here this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Pingleton.

Bandera baseball team will go to Comfort Sunday to cross bats with the team there.

Famous Pool Brand Dress Shirts. Guaranteed fast color. Price $1.50.—Davenport's Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Saathoff accompanied by Miss Jewel Surber visited in Mason last week.

M. A. Turner and two grandsons are here from Oklahoma visiting old friends and R. P. Lee.

Mrs. Mary Carmichael returned this week from San Antonio and other places. She has been absent several months.

Elmer Coughran was here, the first of the week from his home in La-Vernia, visiting his mother, Mrs. W. W. Coughran.

Mrs. Henry Hall returned last week from San Antonio where she spent about three weeks with her sons in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Montague and sons, Mrs. Rose Gardiner and Miss Margaret Montague attended the barbecue given by Masons Saturday. They report a splendid time there and met many old friends.

R. N. Padgett and R. A. Robison, of Tarpley, were here Monday on their way to Boerne. Mr. Padgett informs us that he will take some of his fine goats to the fair at Boerne, and also to the Fredericksburg fair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toudour and family and Sydney Johnny Toudour and Miss Dannie Palmer, of San Antonio, are here spending several weeks with Mrs. and Mrs. Pete Arwood and family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Hodges, of Galveston, left last Friday for Dallas, after spending a few days with Mr. Hodges' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hodges, of this city. Mr. Hodges holds a lucrative position in Galveston, and was on a two-weeks' vacation.

Miss Margaret Montague is in receipt of a letter from her mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, who is visiting John Montague and family at Waterbury, Connecticut. Mrs. Montague writes that she and her daughter, Miss Victoria, made the long trip without mishap, and are having a delightful time in the New England State.

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Austin Bank Robbed

All highways and crossroads between San Antonio and Austin were being patrolled Monday by Texas rangers and heavily armed riot squads from both cities in effort to apprehend three youthful bandits who held up the University bank in the shadow of the state university, and escaped with $26,300 loot in an automobile.

The armed trio sauntered in soon after the bank opened, whipped out pistols, and forced employes to flatten themselves against the walls. The cashiers' cages, inner drawers and vaults then were rifled systematically, according to Associated Press dispatches.

Miss Maud Potts, one of the employes, was in the rear of the bank when the bandits gave the command for all to "hands up", and shot out the bank entrance, sounding the alarm and obtaining the license number of the bandit-car.

In communications between San Antonio authorities and Austin officers, in which it was reported that the bandits were fleeing toward Austin, it was discovered that the automobile had been stolen from D. F. Youngblood, manager of the Southern Dairy company, Aug. 16.

With Austin posses closing in from all directions, county sheriffs and police were dispatched toward Austin from here about 10 a. m.

Chief Deputy Sheriff Alphonse Newton and Detective Chief Bain Street Maddox departed were awaiting word from their men. Other searchers will be sent out if necessary, they announced.

According to press reports, the bandits got a fifteen-minute jump on Austin police.

They nonchalantly stepped into the bank while University students passed to and fro on the conventional manner, but without looking

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The Kendall County Fair

The Kendall County Fair is advertised in next week's issue of the New Era. There is a big exhibit for this year. There is no question that the Kendall County Fair is one of the best in this part of the State, and we understand that the management is trying to put on a better fair this year. Fair is moving along this week. The floor is down and will be bigger and better. The exhibits in all departments will be larger and better as before, including Agricultural, Horticultural, Floral and Needle Work Exhibits. The Secretary says there will be amusements galore. One of the greatest amusement features at the Fair on the night of the second day will be the great Historical Pageant depicting the gorgeous pageants given by the Kendall County Girl Scouts every night. He has been drilled and trained by experienced talent, and the show will be great. The Military Parade, Pageant of the Flowers, Children of the Wilderness, 1836, Texas Little, Cowboy Activities Finale; Mirth, Melody Music, Spectacular Pageantry, Colored Fantasy Tableau, Fancy Dancing. He also says there are about 100 thoroughbred cattle on the ground already and will be the best race program in the history of the Fair. Fancy dancing, the old time fiddler will prevail, accompanied by the old guitar and banjo. The second night will be on, so get ready and be on time and enjoy life. The second and third nights the Henry's Happy Seven out of San Antonio will furnish the music for dancing and everybody will dance the fantastic and be happy. Schaeffer's Band will furnish music during the day. The hobby horse for the young and old will be there, rides, shows, etc. Also but not the least the First Battalion, Twelfth Field Artillery, Captain Percy C. Black, commanding, with the necessary regimental medical and veterinary personnel attached, will be at the Fair and assisting, giving and rendering daily performances, acts, stunts and army drills.

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The First National Bank of Bandera

Chicken Roast on Verde.

Last Friday evening Messrs. Frank Anderwald, Sidney Saathoff and Allie Thallmon delightfully entertained a large number of their friends with a chicken roast.—The "meat" was cooked to "Queen's taste." Those present serve Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Evans, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderwald and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Tilley, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clark and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Evans and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Saathoff, Mrs. John Eckhart, Mrs. Jack Oliff, Mrs. J. N. Ewald, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Jenkins, Mrs. Oliff and children, Mrs. Chas. Manning and children, Mrs. H. J. Barber, Mrs. Mena Hamilton; Misses Della Saathoff, Mads Hamilton, Sylvia Duke, Lena Jennings, Mary Mae Mansfield, Tiny Duke, Lelo Bratton, Lorene Surber, Allene Bruce, Edith and Hettie Tilley, Dorothy Eckhart, Ellis Evans; Messrs. R. F. Evans, Roy Eckhart, Bernard Duke, Fred Cosgrove, Henry Stietz, Allie Thallmann, Sidney Saathoff, Merlin Tilley, Herbert Jennison, Levi Evans, Clinton Saathoff, Jack Tilley, Filo Evans, Byron Barber, Ben Evans, Howard Surber, Joy L. Tilley, Jr., and John Dugosh.

Trail Drivers' Ball at Helotes.

An old time dance will be given at Helotes on Saturday night, August 27, for the benefit of the Old Trail Drivers' monument fund. Georg. W. Saunders, president of the Old Trail Drivers' Association, informs us that the moving pictures of the Trail Drivers' parade and meeting here will be shown in the hall at Helotes on the night of the ball.

At the Picture Show.

The picture to be showed at Bandera Theater Friday night will be "The New Klondike," featuring Thomas Meighan and Lila Lee. This is a baseball comedy drama and will keep you interested from start to finish. Usual prices.

Will Teach at Eagle Pass.

Miss Stella Coughran, who taught at Marfa the past three years, informs us that she has accepted a position in the Eagle Pass City schools and will leave for that place next week. Miss Coughran is an efficient teacher, and her many friends here rejoice that she has been employed at Eagle Pass.

Man and Boy Escaped from Jail

Fredericksburg, Texas, Aug. 23.—Two prisoners escaped from the Gillespie County jail here Monday night when some one passed a key to them and leaned into the "run around" and later sawed the lock to the cell of one of the prisoners.

Clemente Garcia, held in connection with a wood theft, escaped and Monroe Pate, 11, held in connection with a burglary charge, was freed but Tuesday morning returned to the jail and surrendered.

The Pate boy told officers that some one first sawed the bars of a window and entered the "run around" and then the key was loaned. The door of Garcia's cell was next opened and Garcia and the boy fled with their deliverer. The Pate boy went to the cares of his relatives where he remained until last Saturday morning, reported to to officers.

L. A. Heder was in from his ranch yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mangold were in from the ranch last Saturday.

Read Frontier Times. $1.50 per year.

A Bunch of Fun.

The P. T. A. will present "A Bunch of Fun" at the Bandera High School auditorium on Saturday night, September 3. This play will be the fun-filled thing of the season. Dainty girls, handsome men, the elderly people and a blundering Swedish maid combined make a snappy play. The young people taking part in this play are: Misses Selma Grace Mansfield, Lorene Cox, Hazel Moore, Glayda Crondale, Ruth Davenport, Lois and Fletcher Pate, Ruth Thomas, Rachel Hunter; Messrs Bob Mansfield, Marvin Hunter Jr., George Hunter and Joseph Leon.

Mrs. J. J. Erwin and Mrs. J. E. Chisum, Sponsors.

Returns from Delightful Trip.

Mrs. Anton Pyka of Bandera and Miss Ida Henderson of San Antonio returned this week from a tour through California, Colorado and Utah. They visited Los Angeles, San Diego and from there they went to San Francisco for several days sight-seeing. From there they went to Salt Lake City, Colorado Springs, Denver, Byron Barber, Ben Evans, Howard Surber, Joy L. Tilley, Jr., and John Dugosh. Byron Hot Springs and Boulder. While in Colorado they passed through snow, sleet and rain. Mrs. Pyka informs us that they had a most delightful trip.

Great Picture Coming To Kerrville

"The Big Parade," which will be shown at the Arcadia Theatre, Kerrville, next Sunday and Monday, is perhaps the greatest picture ever produced. It has continuously run nearly two years in New York and is still running here, is packed every night even nearly equaled by any other picture. It has broken all records records in many of the large cities of both this country and Europe. The Arcadia management is fortunate in being able to secure this picture for its first showing outside the larger cities.

Bandera Boy To Wed.

The editor and wife are in receipt of the following wedding invitation.

"Mr. and Mrs. H. Jackie invite you to be present at the marriage of their daughter, Mary Cecilia to Mr. W. Short Tilley on Tuesday morning, August thirtieth, nineteen hundred twenty-seven, at eight o'clock, St. Joseph's Church, San Antonio, Texas. At home after September 12, 547 E. Whittier Street."

The groom to be is a Bandera raised boy who is now holding a lucrative position in San Antonio. He is the son of Mrs. Henry Haby of this place, and has many friends here who will be pleased to know that he is choosing for his life's companion a young lady from San Antonio.

Bays Small Residence.

R. F. Power last week purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harper the Jack Chisholm residence on Main Street. Consideration $1,000.

Opens Meat Market.

Harry Gallia opened a meat market in the Wright building, fronting on Cedar Street, and will handle only choice meats for the trade. He has an ad in this issue of the New Era inviting the patronage of the public.

Out of Hospital.

The many friends here of Mrs. Tom Boyle will be pleased to learn that she has fully recovered from her recent operation at a San Antonio hospital and has returned to her home in Crystal City. Mrs. Boyle was in the hospital several weeks.

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ELECTION ORDER

The State of Texas.
County of Bandera.

Whereas, on the 16th day of July A. D. 1927, a petition was presented to me for an election in Medina Independent School District Number Five (5) of this County on the question of authorizing the said District to consolidate with the Laxson Creek Common School District No. Three (3), thereby forming the Consolidated Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of resident, qualified voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law.

Now, therefore I, A. L. Mansfield, in my official capacity as County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1927, at the school house in said Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said District with the Laxson Creek Common School District No. Three (3), thereby forming the Consolidated Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County.

L. O. Bauerlein, Sr., is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the Consolidation" and those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the Consolidation."

Dated this the 2nd day of August A. D. 1927.

A. L. MANSFIELD
County Judge, Bandera County, Texas.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

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County of Fandera.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 3rd day of September A. D. 1927, at the School house in Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that District desire to consolidate the said District with the Laxson Creek Common School District No. Three (3) thereby forming the Consolidated Medina Independent School District No. Five (5) of this County.

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Whereas on the 1st day of August A. D. 1927, a petition was presented to me for an election in Common School District No. (3) Three of this County on the question of authorizing the said District to consolidate with the Medina Independent School District No. (5) Five, thereby forming the Consolidated Medina Independent School District No. 5 of this County, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of resident qualified voters of said district and being in every respect in conformity with law.

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A. V. Pue is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davenport and children, of Comna, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Caffall here Sunday and Monday.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas
County of Bandera.

Notice is Hereby Given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1 of Bexar County, Texas, on the 2nd day of July 1927, for the sum of $185.00 and interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from March 14, 1927, until paid, and all costs of suit, and the further costs of executing such writ under a judgment in favor of Ora Johnson establishing her debt for said sum, and foreclosing an attachment lien on the hereinafter described property in her favor, rendered in a certain cause in said court No. 29022, and styled "Ora Johnson vs. Mildred A. Lewis," placed in my hands for service, I. E. Hicks as Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, did on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1927, at 2 o'clock P. M. levy on certain real estate situated in Bandera County, Texas, described as follows, towit:

Lots 25 and 36, Block 4, Subdivision A, Lake Medina Highlands, ...

and said real estate having been levied upon as the property of the said Mildred A. Lewis, and that on the first Tuesday in Septemb - 1927, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the courthouse door of Bandera County, in the town of Bandera, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the said Mildred A. Lewis in and to said property.

Witness my hand this the 7th day of July, A. D. 1927.

E. HICKS Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas.

NOTICE

That all leases, contracts or sales made on my land must be authorized in writing and signed by H. C. Hansen, owner of Hansen Ranch.—H. C. Hansen.

George Washington was a great man, and we all love him for being himself. But Miles M. Caudle is almost as important. Have met him? He is at the Bandera Barber Shop, ready to give you service. His motto is: "To Please the People." Prices reasonable. Hair cuts 25c and shaves 15c each or 10tf3 for $150.00.

PHOTO BY W. D. SMITHERS

Here's another proof that everything is grown in and around S. A. Miss Cecil Ferts of Bandera is shown with a real apple tree which produces real apples. The tree is two miles from Medina City on the Farts ranch. W. D. Smithers local photographer pictured the picture for the —San Antonio Light.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claud Alston and children of San Antonio visited Mrs. Alston's mother, Mrs. M. D. Kelly, and other relatives here.

Miss Ruth Harper Carpenter has returned to Junction to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis, Mrs. Lucile James and son, David, and Miss Adell Davis spent several days visiting friends and relatives at Bandera.

A birthday shower was given in honor of Mrs. Arthur Poet's birthday last Friday. A nice basket full of presents were carried to her.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Olcott and children, Bonnie Merle and Douglas, of Post City, are visiting Mr. Olcott's uncle, Wm. McMahan, and family.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Creed White, a head, August 31, baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dawson, of Hinton, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice.

Miss Zetha McInnis of the Extension Service of A. & M. College visited Miss Belle Hatfield this week.

The Bandera and Medina baseball teams played ball on the Bandera diamond Sunday the 27th, last day of the fair, resulting in a score of 6 and 4 in favor of Medina. Batteries for Medina, Fate and Hatfield; Woods-Thornberry pitched for Bandera.

Good Road Work.

Commissioner H. E. Barnes of the Pipe Creek precinct is doing some splendid road work on the Bandera and Boerne road, gulling the bad places on that thoroughfare in good condition. The county funds at his disposal for this work are being supplemented by funds contributed by the Boerne Gasoline Co. for advertising and the afternoon is being expended in such a manner as to get best results. The Bandera-Boerne road has needed improving for some time and the traveling public will now rejoice that the work is being done.

BANDERA

Forced Down in Hunt.

San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 29.—Diplomatic and military authorities were today making an effort to locate Capt. C. H. Reynolds and his aide, Master Sgt. Dan Revlin, of the Second Division Air Service, who are believed to be prisoners in Mexico after a forced landing there.

Although advices from Washington said that no word of the incident had reached army or State Department heads there, Consul General Alejandro P. Carrillo at Mexico City, when informed by the Government from San Antonio asking that the men, who are supposed to be held at Valle de Rio Blanco, be located and released.

News of their capture came from Col. C. F. Sweeney, the First Cavalry at Camp Marfa, who wired friends of Reynolds here that the aviators had been forced down and captured some place near Huitosio. Reynolds was on record in San Antonio at the time, after an unsuccessful attempt to locate Alfred C. Menard, child-kidnaper star veteran, who is loc on the Arizona desert.

Col. J. C. McArthur of the Second Division took the matter up with Consul General Carrillo as soon as it came to his attention. Officials at Washington said that even if the men were prisoners in Mexico the event was not fatal, since rights between the two countries are made only by special permit. Officials favored by hand between their own lines are usually taken into custody as a formality until the landing is investigated.

The telegram from Colonel Babcock said that the plane was not damaged and that he was trying to arrange for the men to be brought to Ojinaga, Mexico, on the border southwest of Marfa, and released.

A Bunch of Fun.

The play to be given at the High School auditorium next Friday night, under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association, promises to be a "Bunch of Fun" indeed as well as in name. The cast of characters will be found in another column of this issue. Musical numbers will also be given by A. P. Carl, Miss Lillie Adler and others. You will miss a treat if you miss the "Bunch of Fun."

Leaves for Lubbock.

M. M. Cobb and family left this week for Lubbock, where they will reside. Mrs. Cobb is operated, a barber shop in that city for the past several months, and made many friends who wish him success in his new location. He is a splendid young man, a good barber, and deserving success. He resigned the office to Sheriff Behrens thanks to all for the patronage they accorded him while he was in business here, and for the many kind-nesses shown him.

Schott Family Reunion.

The annual reunion of last Sunday contained a write-up of the Schott family reunion, held at Rio Medina a few years ago, and showed group pictures of F. A. Schott, pioneer, and his family. The Express said:

"Ninety-six years old and still going strong is Fred Schott, Sr., pioneer of this section, who last Sunday was one of the livest members of the party when he had his nine sons and two daughters and their children and grandchildren gathered under the family roof. The eldest of the children is 69 years old and the youngest is 32. Schott still lives at Rio Medina, where he settled in 1846. The old homestead is occupied still stands near the present Schott home."

The pictures in the Express showed Fr. A. Schott, Sr., 96, with his brother, Dominic Schott, who is 92. Pictured, also, are Emil Schott, Charlie Schott, Joe Schott, Josephine Schott, August Schott, Tom Schott, Albert Schott, Boerne Schott, Robert Schott and Bertha Schott.

Saw a Good Picture.

Quite a number of Bandera folks went to Kerrville Saturday and Monday to see the showing of "The Big Parade," a super war picture at the Schreiner Theater in that city, the management of the Arcadia is to be congratulated on securing this wonderful picture, and the people of our town who sent over to see it were highly pleased. The picture has a splendid play-house now, equal in its appointments to theaters in towns fifty thousand population. Our showing folks do not have to go to San Antonio any more to see. People in Arcadia, in Kerrville meets the demand, and Kerrville is twenty-five miles nearer Bandera than San Antonio.

You Can Kill Squirrels.

We have heard many complaints against the law which prohibits the killing of squirrels during certain season of the year. It will be gratifying to our farmers and ranchmen to know that the last Legislature changed this law to some extent, and now it is not unlawful to kill squirrels here at any time of the year. Squirrels greatly damage growing crops in this section every year, and in the early fall they do much damage to young pecans. Why a closed season was placed on them at all has always been a mystery to us.

A. W. Wright, of Smiley, was in Bandera last week on business.

The County Fair.

The Seventh Annual Bandera County Fair has been held and passed into history with the many events of like nature which have taken place at Bandera. The crowds Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week were not large, but everybody seemed to enjoy the fair to the fullest extent. The agricultural, live stock and other exhibits were of the best. Beautiful displays of ladies' work there to light the visitor, and there was plenty of entertainment in the way of rodeo and baseball games and other carnival concessions provided novelties and sport, too. Altogether, it was a good fair, as all will acknowledge, and the premiums awards will be found elsewhere in the New Era.

School Starts Next Wednesday.

Bandera public schools open next Wednesday, September 7th. Get the children ready and reported as direct the opening. We are all looking forward to a successful term, and this can be made possible by hearty co-operation of parents with the faculty. The faculty for the coming school year of Bandera High School is composed of A. K. Briggs, superintendent, mathematics; Miss Lucile E. B. Teel, principal, history and economics; C. Hamilton Moses, science; Miss Harriet Harrison, English and sixth grades; Miss Bess Campbell, third and fourth grades; Miss R. B. Hall, first and second grades.

The program for all parents on the opening day is kindly requested.

Premium List Next Week.

The New Era will publish the list of premiums awarded at the Bandera Fair, in the Agricultural department and the ladies' department, in our issue next week. It was impossible to prepare the list in time for this week's issue.

Accidently Shot.

Earl Mansfield was painfully wounded last Friday night, when a revolver dropped on the running board of an automobile and was discharged. The bullet entered his leg below the knee and came out above the knee, the course of the leaden missile scattering fragments in its flight. Fortunately no bones were struck, and the shot made only a flesh wound. He is getting along nicely, and no serious results are anticipated.

Returns After 26 Years.

James R. Ross, of Washington, D. C., was here Friday, Saturday and Sunday visiting at the home of his brother, John H. Ross, and sister, Mrs. Eli Buck. Mrs. Ross was Miss Ross' first visit to the old home town in over twenty-six years, and he had been mourned. Bandera friends, while he was a soldier in Uncle Sam's service, he was reported as drowned in Galveston bay, but it must have been some other Jim Ross, for, as he says, the report of his death was greatly exaggerated. He has been on a visit to friends in California, and dropped in to Bandera to see the old town and the folks at home again. He departed for Washington Monday.

Baseball at the Fair.

The baseball game played on the fair grounds last Thursday between Bandera and Harper teams resulted in a victory for the home team, by a score of 4 to 3. It was a lively game from start to finish.

The game played Saturday, on the fair grounds between Bandera and Medina teams resulted in victory for the latter team; score 7 to 5. This was also a lively game and Medina players covered themselves with glory.

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Consolidation Election Saturday.

An election will be held Saturday in Rio Medina and Laxson's Ranch school districts for the purpose of voting on consolidation of these two districts for school purposes. We have not heard the question discussed, and cannot predict the outcome.

Have You An Old Relic?

If you have any old relics of early days, which you would like to have preserved, send or bring them to the New Era office. We are particularly in hopes to procure a 44 calibre Winchester, rim-fire.

Married Tuesday.

Stuart Haley and Miss Mary Cecilia Jaekle were married at St. Joseph's Catholic church in San Antonio Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, Rev. Father Ignatius officiating. Following the groom's brother, was best man, and Miss Vesy Jaekle the bride's sister, was maid of honor. It was a beautiful ceremony and was witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Jaekle of San Antonio, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Henry Haley of Bandera. They are worthy young people, and the New Era joins in wishing them joy and happiness through life.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a honeymoon trip to Austin. They will be at home after September 12 at 347 East Nueltzer street San Antonio.

Young Man Badly Burned.

Foster Howland, who is employed on the Humble pipe line construction crew at Tuff, was badly burned last Saturday night when he was pouring gasoline from a can, a lighted lantern sitting some distance away ignited the gasoline, causing an explosion and within an instant the young man was enveloped in flames. By heroic action in camp saved his assistance and extinguished the flames but not before he was seriously burned. The sufferer was taken to a hospital at Kerrville, where, at last report, he was resting well.

J. F. Rogers and children, Leslie, Ira and Thelma, of the Imperial Valley, California, were here last week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Chas Schmidtke. They were accompanied by Merrill Hotchkiss, also of the Imperial Valley.

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At the Picture Show.

The picture to be shown at the Bandera Theater Friday night will be a splendid entitled "Fighting Fury," featuring Joseph Kennedy. Manager Jack McMains has provided a number of pictures for the week's showing here during the past several months, and this picture will be no exception to the rule, but will thrill you from the very start. Don't miss it.

Teachers' Institute.

The Bandera County Teachers' Institute will be held in the Hulth School Auditorium next Monday and Tuesday. A very interesting program has been arranged, and each day Teachers from all over the county will be present to take part in the Institute. Judge A. W. Mansfield, ex-officio county school superintendent, has been actively engaged in preparing for the meeting. The public generally is invited to attend.

More Than $250,000 Spent.

New York, Aug. 30.—The seven-year vain search to save Sacco and Vanzetti from death in the electric chair entailed expenditures totaling more than $250,000 Aldino Felicani, treasurer and founder of the Boston defense committee, announced here tonight.

Of this amount, less than $6,000 was contributed by communists throughout the country, Felicani said, with the New York Sacco-Vanzetti emergency committee sending a total of $300 for the defense, of the anarchists.

Reports that communists in the United States had raised $500,000 in the interest of the pair were branded as false by the founder of the defense committee. The Third International at Moscow was said to have sent $1,000 but the money was never received, Felicani declared.

The Boston defense committee's funds, he explained, plans from time to time to provide for the future of Mrs. Sacco and her two children.

The last pleadings of Sacco and Vanzetti, which have been on display here will remain here for another week and then returned to Boston.

Under present plans, Felicani disclosed, half of the ashes of each man will be taken to Italy in separate urns for burial beside the graves of Madeo Mass., the former home of Sacco and the present residence of Gov. Allen T. Fuller.

The above news dispatch will give the reader some idea of the activities of the Sacco-Vanzetti case. America Sacco and Vanzetti paid the penalty for a murder committed seven years ago, and in these fellows, and send them back where they came from.

Mrs. Jim Lewis, and little son, who has been visiting relatives here the past month, will leave this week for Norphlet, Arkansas, to join Mr. Lewis, who has a position there.

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Shadowland Resort Closed.

An order granting permanent injunction to close Shadowland Club, Blanco road resort, for one year and assessing costs of the case against the defendants was handed down Tuesday morning by Federal Judge Charles A. Boynton. Ringing in a clause which has attracted wide interest during the four days of the trial, Defendants gave notice of appeal.

Padlocking of one of the operators of the club was given by Judge Boynton in his decision, declaring that the evidence showed that they "wilfully allowed liquor to be kept and consumed on the premises," and that evidence of the purported reputation of the club was given little weight in the face of positive proof of evidence showing and convincing the court that intoxicating liquors were used for beverage purposes on the premises and mixed openly on the tables; that waiters assisted in the serving of such drinks, and that the proprietors of Shadowland served cracked ice and ginger ale for such purpose."

Remarks of the court were addressed for the most part to the owners, Ben Ruby, Earl Ramsey, Joseph Newton, O. Barnett, and A. J. Nix. Jack Avalon, Lonnie Wilson and Mickie Rieth, also named as defendants were known to be employes.

Commenting on the fact that Ramsey was the only defendant to take the witness stand, Judge Boynton declared that his testimony showed that "the club is a den of iniquity, and that liquor was being consumed in the building."

Ramsey testified that no one was allowed in the club when intoxicated and that more than 100 persons had been removed from the building because of drunkenness.

"This testimony alone shows that these persons must have become intoxicated while under the influence and that the defendants must have been aware of the fact."

Referring to defendants' pleas that they were unknowingly the victims of "bad actors," Judge Boynton and Judge Boynton declared, "This court does not control in the suggestion that these five defendants were innocent lambs led to slaughter by their patrons."

The back-bone of the defense attack on government testimony of alleged bootlegger and call girl lower on the premises was a long list of witnesses testifying that the resort had a good reputation.

In addition to assessing all costs of the trial against the defendants, Judge Boynton enjoined the property

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The Teachers' Institute meets at the High School Auditorium next Monday and Tuesday. The teachers of the county will all be present. Let's give them a greeting and a welcome and make them feel at home in the county capital.

Always there is a new field in business for those of good intent.

A hundred and forty years before Columbus sailed for the Indies and bumped Kentucky Jones, Sir John Mandeville wrote a book claiming that One might with a vessel, sail around the world low above it and not under it.

The unique collection of old relics gathered by Mrs. H. Davenport at Mason creek, attracted much attention, as did also the display of beetles, butterflies and other insects gathered and arranged by Mrs. Davenport. She takes much interest in such matters and has a wonderful collection of these things and we are glad she decided to bring some of them to the fair.

The fact that the human heart is continually craving something, longing for something, searching for the thing that it has not found is an evidence that there is another life beyond the stars and that there is no life as we know it here that will run down to the earth and touches resting place just a little of the unsatisfying, but always unsatisfied heart of man. There are so many things that we all know that this is but a transient life, and that the real life that lasts through all eternity is another life, so much above the things here and fleeting, unmoved by motor floating as we are by currents, to strengthen us in our faith and in our hope.

Laughter is an asset. The possessor of a genuine hearty laugh has a fortune in his grasp. It is much easier to laugh the world off its axis valuable than to take it from them with a sneer and a mask. Every human mind is susceptible to the influence of a rippling laugh, and under the influence of its warm glow a load is often seemed to be thought of as others that could not be obtained in any other way. People like to be around a man who is continually jolly and constantly laughing. They like a good story or a funny joke that has a laughable point. The world loves laughter, but does not like tears. It pays to be jolly.

It seems incomprehensible that human beings would be guilty of the fiendish crime that fills the records of our courts. Good people every where are earnestly endeavoring to find the cause and if possible to apply a remedy. Men are often swept into this homicidal condition by overpowering pressure due to a diseased condition of the mind because of ignorance, impoverished nerves, abnormal sympathies and enervating indulgences that divert the mind, rendering them an easy prey to every temptation that perverted nature has developed throughout all the generations that have passed. The normal healthy individual craves companionship with those who have felt the thrust or temptation of every person their social life. We should not hate the individual who is stricken with the plague. Isolate him if you will, but try to find the origin of the contagion, and sterilize the microbes that breed in the filth and fever that arouse plants where poverty sits huddled in a gloomy shroud, clothed in rags while famine gnaws at its heart.

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The world is full of stranded hulks of human craftwood, washed upon the shores of time by the winds and waves of fate. These unhappy derelicts of fortune are to be seen all along the long path of life, helpless beings who have given up the struggle and who lie panting by the roadside, craving your help and succor as you pass by with your full sail and the song of success upon your lips. May your joyous journey be just a little while and stoop to lend a helping hand to lift the unfortunates from the gutter and you will be happier for it. Perhaps your friends will be heartlessly onward, but potential but you have hesitated. Let those who such friends are not worthy of the name; and you will find solace in the fact that here you have new acquaintances who will probably repay you a thousand fold for your little act of human kindness, and whose gratitude is worth more than the happy place in the jogging crowd you forsook to help them.

The gold of friendship has a very compelling value. It is rich and not counterfeit. It gives genuine happiness to one who inquires it in another and feels it warming his own breast for one of friends? Of all the arts which beautify civilization, the fine art of living is the most pathetically neglected. We engage professors to teach our children music and painting and give them advantages of the best intellectual culture, but how very few of us bestow one hour's time in studying exercises in the art of living? It is a fine art. How often were each one kind to the people in the home household, how beautiful were all cheerful and gracious, courteous in tone and manner to every one who comes to their door. Little tenders of neighborly courtesy, how much they count for pleasure in the everyday routine "In her tongue is the law of kindness," wrote the author of Proverbs. The Law of Kindness! How sadly we infract that statute! Hear how many vituperative comments are made when two or more human souls find themselves temporarily associated. In praise of some absent friend's (?) good qualities they are speaking? Let us hope the recording angel is at gaze over the fields of blowup asphodels and does not hear the ill-natured, envious and near-tempered criticisms that shatter the law of kindness to indistinguishable fragments. Are we always considerate of our servants? At the marriage feast in Cana of Galilee, the holy Mother saith unto the servants, "Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it." Can one imagine any but the gentle exercise of authority in her womanly anxiety for the entertainment of the wedding guests? Be kind to employees. It is claimed that Colonel William Cody (Buffalo Bill) controlled the heterogeneous make up of his Wild West show by gentlest means. He never raised his voice in displeasure, but by the uniform graciousness of his personality

kept Indians, foreigners, et al. in perfect obedience to his will. A fine friendliness to all is the abstract of the Golden Rule made concrete by action. Its observance would inaugurate the dawn, nay, it would bring in to meridian influences in realization of the Golden Age of Song and Story.

Evolution

We need go no further than the evolution of the peach for an assurance of this fact. If all fruit growers power that performs this wonderful miracle can gather from the great world and from the air the elements that have combined to our earthly body and establishes them and transmutes their shape and form and feeling. We anticipate the marvelous improvements of the peach without a single thought as to its processes. The first wards idea of splicing the wild stock from the roots into the trunk and branches of the fruit and a bud of perfect form, color, flavor, ripeness and fragrance, then the sap and from the vigor inherited from the wild stock, the bud feeds its rich aroma all around perfumes the air and attracts bees humming bees and exotic butterflies to gather sweets within the petaled enclosure of the perfect flower.

Where do the beautiful flowers come from? Do you know the wonderful process by which they are created from the elements that—you don't anything together with which to make a single bud? But the wonderful process has been going on and completed. The florist retails them all one by one and full upon the floral counters, and we buy them. Others fall from out of the sky and mingle with the dust, to be gathered again for the next wonderful process by which they are created. At the earth grow and flourish. Man compasses the earth and its golden fruits, but he cannot create the peach nor flowers nor shape and rich color and odorous evening odors its damask cheeks, nor the violet its modest blue, nor the lily its purity. These are the miracles beyond human comprehension.

This example of the peach is multiplied repeated in the realm of natural growth. Let us not be guilty of ingratitude. If we do not believe the Supreme Power that created us and subject to believe things that we cannot see or comprehend. Thoughtfulness is the only antidote for unbelief. Let us kneel down and down deep in the bosom of the earth.

The True Art of Living.

Contemplate the sacred depths of the eternal azure, study the crystal secrets of the dewdrop, the flower with scented breath and looks an invitation, and the visible token of the upbuilding of that are the soul of this great universe.

Despise the granite pages of God's great volume of geology, yet pierce in the deep evolutions of Brownian movements of humanity, hear a story in every grove and every picture in every wave. How full life is! How rich the opportunities to make it by our own folly, by our own want of respectivity, by inaction of our faculties.

Dove Season Opens.

The dove shooting season opens today, September 1st and will last for two months.

The bag limit for wild mourning and white winged doves is 25 in any one day and not more than forty-five in a week of seven days. Hunters are not permitted to hunt from an automobile and all hunters outside of the county of their residence must have a hunting license.

Revival Closed.

The revival meeting conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. John N. McKay closed on Wednesday night of last week. Several additions to the church resulted from this meeting, and this membership was greatly strengthened by the preaching of this good man. He left early Thursday for his home at Uvalde, carrying with him the high regard and esteem of many newacquaintances.

Notice to Medina Subscribers.

Miss Bessie Smith, of Mayfield's Store in Medina, is the New Era's duly authorized representative in Medina, and subscribers wishing to pay their subscription accounts are requested to hand in the money to Miss Smith. A number of our subscribers in that community are in arrears, and we will appreciate settlement and renewal.

Try a Want Ad

The New Era's Want Column is being well patronized these days. Our readers realize that this column is a regular bargain counter, and some good trades have been made through the insertion of just a small ad therein. If you have anything to sell, or want to buy anything, a three or four line want ad will easily accomodate you, and the price is very low. A four line advertisement will cost you only thirty cents for one insertion. Cash should accompany all orders for want ads, as we carry no charge accounts on these ads.

Robbers Sought.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 29.—Search is being made for two men said to be from San Antonio who are suspected of having taken part in the daylight robbery of the University Bank here a week ago, and escaping with $30,500 in cash and securities, Horace G. Burleson, Travis County sheriff, announced Monday.

Pictures of them have been taken from the rogues' gallery have been positively identified by employes of the robbed bank, as two of the bandits, Sheriff Burleson said. Travis county officers, according to Sheriff Burleson, have taken up the trail at San Antonio, but no arrests have yet been made.

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Aged Nannie, C Type—R. N. Padgett & Sons, first; R. L. Walker, second; F. E. Whisenhunt, third.

Yearling Nannie, B Type—R. L. Walker, first; B. N. Padgett & Sons second; Lee Winans, third.

Yearling Nannie, C Type—R. N. Padgett & Sons, first; R. L. Walker, second; F. E. Whisenhunt, third.

Aged Buck, B Type—Lester Lohmann, first; F. E. Whisenhunt, second; Lee Winans, third.

Aged Buck, C Type—R. N. Padgett & Sons, first; R. L. Walker, second; F. E. Whisenhunt, third.

Grand Champion Billie—R. N. Padgett & Sons.

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Aged Pair—Thalmann Bros. first; F. E. Whisenhunt, second.

Pieces—Mahler, F. E. Whisenhunt, first; Wood, Thalmann Bros. first; W. E. Mansfield, second; Raymond Hicks, third.

Aged Ram, B Type—F. E. Whisenhunt, first; Lee Winans, second.

Yearling Ram, B Type—Thalmann Bros. first and second.

Aged Ewe, B Type—Thalmann Bros. first; R. N. Padgett & Sons, second; Thalmann Bros. third.

Yearling Ewe, B Type—Thalmann Bros. first; R. N. Padgett & Sons, second; Thalmann Bros. third; Wood, Thalmann Bros. fourth; Lester Lohmann, fifth.

Yearling Ewe, C Type—Lester Lohmann, first; Thalmann Bros. second; F. E. Whisenhunt, third.

Aged Ewe, B Type—Thalmann Bros. first; F. E. Whisenhunt, second and third; Lester Lohmann, fourth.

Yearling Ewe, B Type—F. E. Whisenhunt, first; Thalmann Bros. second; Lester Lohmann, third.

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Shelton Felton and his sister, Mrs. Tom North, visited Kerrville Tuesday.

Mrs. Amanda Lane and Mrs. Emil Schmidt, of Privilege Creek, were in town last Tuesday.

Rev. P. C Bailey, of Artesia Wells, is here this week holding a meeting at the Baptist church.

Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Curl, of Bandera, were here Sunday visiting friends. Rev. Curl was pastor of the Methodist church some six or seven years ago.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

Captain Chas. de Montel and daughters, Misses Ruth and Aileen, were here Friday from the ranch above Camp Verde to attend the fair. They were accompanied by Misses Irene Haas and Hazel de Montel of Honda.

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Regular meeting of Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, September 9, 7 o'clock. All members are requested to attend visitors cordial-

ly invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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Mrs. W. Massie, Sr.

Funeral services for Thomas Warren Massie, pioneer of Bandera county, were held at the Vanderpool cemetery Saturday afternoon and were very fittingly attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives. Death came to this pioneer after an illness of some days, but last week he was stricken with smothering attacks resulting in his death Friday morning. Mr. Massie was one of the real pioneers of this section of the state, having located in this section some forty years ago at the age of thirty-five, coming from Atascosa county. He is survived by seven children, as follows: Thomas W. Massie, George Massie, Richard Massie, Mrs. Sam Bowden and Andrew Massie, all of this part of the country, and Charles of Port Arthur, Texas, and Mrs. Sweetwater. His wife, daughter and one son had gone on before. Loved ones and friends, including physicians, did all they could to help ease the life of the stricken one, but the hands of men were too feeble and the powers of men too limited. All efforts to stay the hand were about it all is that there were many prayers possible for loving friends and anxious hearts, but the call came for the summons from on high. The death of this splendid, pure and noble man has thrown a shadow that will cover many communities in which he lived and labored. Mrs. Massie was a Correspondent in Uvalde-Leader News.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield, of Tarpley, attended the Fair here last week.

Mrs. Mabel Pond, of San Antonio, spent last week-end with her mother, Mrs. M. R. Thalmann.

Ed Ross returned last week from Yoakum where he spent several days with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burney, of Center Point, visited relatives here and attended the Fair last Saturday.

Raymond McBryde returned home this week from Houston where he has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Engle and infant daughter spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht.

Mrs. E. Hammond and her good daughter, Mrs. A. J. Davenport, and Mrs. Lalkuhl, Creek Friday to attend the fair.

Robert Roeder, of Los Angeles, California, and Mrs. Albert Kerrville, spent a few days with Doc Blakeney last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kerrville, were here Sunday visiting friends. Mrs. Fred Wilsenhunt, went to Kerrville last Sunday to see "The Big Parade."

Mrs. Elmer Huff and daughters, Misses Frieda, Stella, Annie Mae and Helen, of Kerrville, spent a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Blakeney. Mrs. Huff is Mrs. Blakeney's mother.

Miss Stella Mae Willis spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Willis, at Tarpley. Miss Willis has just completed a course to teach in the Donna High School again this term and left this week for that place.

Mrs. R. A. Chipman left Saturday for Canada, Texas, Tulsa, Oklahoma, Sedalia, Mo., and Missouri City, Texas, to visit relatives. She accompanied Mrs. and Mrs. Homer Floyd as far as Canada. Mrs. Floyd will visit in Tulsa, Oklahoma, and expects to be absent several weeks.

J. W. Hamilton and Dee Chipman returned last week from a flying trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico. While on the trip they made a flying visit to Roswell, but it was not known that they went by an airplane; just a fine ride in a car. According to Dee, they went through in a day and a half.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Anderson, of Tuff, accompanied by Miss Jessie Tuff, attended the fair on Saturday. Colonel Anderson was making inquiries as to the number of people on hand looks, and was disappointed when informed that Bandera A. & M. Matisfield had a ready claimed the ribbon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dock Lloyd and children, of Port Arthur, spent several days last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lloyd, at Bluff. They returned home Monday and as they passed through Bandera Dock carried at the New Era office long enough to renew their subscription to the New Era and Frontier Times.

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County Attorney C. L. Patterson, of Florresville, and mingled with his many old time friends. Mr. Patterson was at one time editor of the Bandera Enterprise. He has recently written a thrilling novel, entitled "The Two Conspiracies," which is to be off the press within a few weeks. The appearance of the book is awaited with much interest by the friends of Mr. Patterson here, inasmuch as it has for its setting a Bandera county background, and as soon as the book is ready for delivery announcement will be made in these columns.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Batto were in Kerrville Monday.

Dr. J M. Boyle and family, of Uvalde, are here visiting his brother, M. Boyle.

Mrs. H. F. Haas and Charlie de Montel, of Honda, attended the fair here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomason were up from Pipe Creek Saturday for the fair.

Mit Nichols and family, and Grandma Nichols, of Privilege Creek, attended the fair Saturday.

Walter Short, of near Hondo, was here during the fair and visited his brother, J. W. Short.

We saw H. E. Buck, of Pipe Creek, at the fair Saturday, and we are guessing Mrs. Buck was there too.

Misses Lora Thalman and Annie Cherry and Noland Thalman attended the Rodeo at Comfort last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Davenport and daughter, Miss Joe Davenport, were down their ranch on Mason Creek to attend the County Fair Saturday.

Mrs. Jim McElroy, of Bandera, underwent a knife operation at the hospital the last of the week and is doing fine at last report.—Kerrville Times.

Misses Irene Haas and Hazel de Montel, of Hondo, were guests of Misses Annie and Aileen de Montel last week at the ranch near Camp Verde.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Garrison, of Tarpley, were attending the fair Friday and Saturday and handed the editor a dollar and a half to keep the little old home paper coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Head and little daughter, Hazel Lee, Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey, who visited Colonel and Mrs. J. A. Head here last week, left Saturday for their home at Tulsa, Oklahoma. They went to Canada to see Mr. Head's sisters, Mrs. J. E. Holt and Mrs. Eugene Black.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Keller, Jr., of Houston, visited Mrs. M. D. Kelly.

Mrs. J. H. Whitmore and two boys, of San Antonio, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Fitzpatrick.

Miss John Lunsford and children, of Bandera, visited Mrs. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Shoestrine.

Mrs. Barbara Hunter and baby, of Georgia, are visiting her mother, Mrs. B. Y. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitton Justice and Miss Freeman, of Crystal City, are visiting Mr. Justice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justice.

Mrs. B. F. Gourley, of Boerne, has returned home after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bauerlein visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Parsons and Miss Ruth Parsons.

WINAN'S CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reese and family, who have been visiting for months in California, are visiting Mr. Reese's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Benedikt. W. L. Burke and family, and other relatives here.

Mrs. J. H. Burke and daughter, Miss Ruth, visited Mrs. Burke's father, Rev. J. M. Wilt and other relatives.

Mrs. J. L. Monsivais spent last week in San Antonio visiting the latter's family and friends.

Mrs. P. A. Masters attended the Baptist association at Kerrville last week.

Paul Gilbert, wife and little daughter, of Philadelphia, Pa., accompanied by Miss Gertrude Moore of Boerne, spent Monday with their cousin, Mrs. J. H. Burke and family. Paul was formerly in this community and has many friends who welcome him back and plans to locate again in the South.

School Opens.

St. Joseph's Parochial School opened Tuesday with full attendance.

Brother Huth School opened yesterday with splendid prospects of a most successful year. This is the assignment of A. K. Briggs, superintendent; E. L. Trel, principal; Miss Black, Mrs. Bess Campbell and Mrs. Bess Campbell and Mrs. P. B. Little assistants.

Pardue's Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben B. Pardue of San Antonio entertained quite a party of friends at the latter's home on Medina road the first of the week among them being Mr. and Mrs. Lindle Holland, "Pop" Nielson, Harold Nielson, Mrs. D. V. Adams, Mrs. Flossie Siebert, Terry Adams, Miss Flossie Siebert, Miss Dorothy Adams, Miss Ruth Frederick, Miss Will E. Hunter, Harold Ford, and Lafayette Warren.

Notice to Medina Subscribers.

Miss Bertha Smith at Hatfield's store in Medina, is the New Era's only authorized representative in Medina and subscribers wishing to pay their subscription accounts are requested to hand the money to Miss Smith. A number of our subscribers in that community are in arrears and will appreciate settlement and renewal.

Sojourning in Bandera

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hancock, of San Antonio, are spending the week at the Riverside Inn. We have known Mr. Hancock several years, having worked with him when he was connected with San Antonio newspapers. For many years he was proof-reader on the San Antonio Express and was president of the San Antonio Typographical Union several terms.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Dora Hinds of San Antonio are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Sutton was called to Port Arthur to her daughter, Mrs. Zula Miller, who underwent an operation for appendicitis.

We are glad to know Mrs. Miller is doing well and we welcome home Mrs. Sutton.

Mrs. Sutton's little grandchildren, Lois Palmer, of Fredericksburg, also underwent a serious operation for appendicitis about two weeks ago. We are glad to report her improving also.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker and children of San Antonio, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Josephine spent a few days visiting in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Keese and family visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Keese Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hillman are moving to their goat ranch near Blanco.

Mrs. Bill Haught died at Brownfield. She was buried in the West Prong Cemetery. Rev. Palmer conducted the funeral services. Mrs. Haught was an old citizen of Bandera.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilliland of San Antonio visited here last Saturday.

Remodeling Home.

Ernest Schrele is remodeling his home, about four miles out on the river, Pecan Road. The large two-story dwelling was considerably damaged by the cyclone which visited that section on the 12th of April, and Mr. Schrele decided to tear the house down and rebuild it more substantially. When the work is finished he will have a beautiful residence.

Play Last Saturday Night.

The play "A Bunch of Fun," presented by the Parent-Teachers' Association last saturday night at the Huth School Auditorium, was greatly enjoyed by all who attended, and netted the association a neat sum.

Wiener Roast.

A delightful wiener roast was given on the river last Saturday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jurecki and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jurecski, Philip Manuel, John Marovitz, Laurie Jurecski, Antone Jurecski, Gilbert Jurecski, Herbert Dupuis, Lee Jurecski, Harry Jurecski, David Jurecski, John L. Jurecski, Miss Edna Fischer and Frances Fischer.

Real Quality Bread.

Quality Bread is a product of the Kerrville Bakery, and it is real bread. Recently this bread was placed on sale in Bandera groceries and it has become so popular that the demand is fast outstripping the Kerrville Bakery has an ad in this issue of the New Era. Read it. Let the name "Quality Bread" become fixed in your memory, and when you buy bread ask for the "Hill Country" product. We know you'll like it.

Picture Show Friday Night.

Polli Negri, the famous star will be featured in that wonderful film production, "The Crown of Life," at the Bandera Theater tomorrow night. A good comedy will also be shown. You will miss a treat if you fail to go to the picture show Friday night. Usual prices.

Joseph Keller and family, of the Julian, attended the fair at Boerne last Saturday. It is reported it was a splendid fair this year.

Miss Johanna Tetsch, of New Ulm, has accepted position as teacher in the Blanco school. She attended the Institute here Monday and Tuesday.

County Teachers' Institute.

The Bandera County Teachers' Institute met at the High School Auditorium last Monday and Tuesday, with about fifteen present. The meeting was called to order by Judge A. T. Mansfield. Invocation was offered by Rev. B. J. Gossett, after which J. Marvin Hunter gave an address of welcome. Mrs. W. J. Davenport, Jr., and Miss Emily Huth Hamble were in charge of the musical program.

W. O. Hatfield, of Medina, responded to the address of welcome, after which Judge Mansfield outlined the work of the Institute. Miss Mansfield was chosen chairman of the Institute.

The following subjects were discussed:

"The Teacher and His Work."—M. J. Scott; "Interest in School Work on the Part of the Teacher, Parent and Pupil," R. E. Briggs; "Interest of School Work," W. O. Hatfield; "The Benefits of Visits to Schools by Patrons, Trustees and the County Superintendent," Mrs. Mae Pate; "Should Grades Above the Seventh be Taught in One-Teacher Schools Under Any Circumstances?" R. C. Flenor; "Beginners' or Primary Work in One Teacher Schools," Mrs. Mattie Noel; "Duties of the Teacher in Schools of Not More Than Six Months," Mrs. M. Davenport; "P. T. A. or Community Club a Benefit in the Rural Communities?" Frank Thomas.—Hon. J. A. Rands; "Teachers' Community to Want a Better Type of School," Miss Vivian Keese; "The Physical Comfort of the Pupils in the Rural Schools," Mrs. Kate Wyatt.—Dr. Thomas.

On Tuesday the following program was given:

Cutting Exercises, Conducted by Mrs. W. J. Davenport and Miss Emily Ruth Hamble; "Head Teachers' Verbal Drill."—Hon. J. A. Rands; "Teachers' Monthly Reports by County Superintendent and Cashing of Teachers' Vouchers."—A. Meadows; "Cure of Text Books."—Miss Inez Gilbert; "Hygiene in the Public Schools."—Dr. H. H. Irvin; "Is the County Meet Worth While from a Physical Standpoint"—Hon. A. T. Mansfield; "Should a Teacher Take Part in the Games on the School Ground."—Miss Mamie Hall; "What Is a Worth, and How to Teach It, Democratic"—Miss Amelia Schreiber; "Has the High School Course of Study Fit the Pupil to the Practical Life"—Miss Mamie Black; "C. M. Black; "Are You Employed for Five or Seven Months?"—Mrs. Wm. Crude; "Suggestions for the Benefit of Book Agents and Standardization of Text Books"—Mrs. Inez Gilbert; "Announcement of the Classification"—By the County Superintendent; "Score Card and Standardization"—R. E. Briggs Tied; "Interscholastic League."—A. E. Briggs.

The following teachers were registered at the County Institute Monday and Tuesday:

Mrs. Monica Davenport, Privileg; Miss Oren R. Rankin, Middle Verde; Miss Ruth Huth Hamble, Myrtle Creek.

M. J. Scott, Taylor.
Mrs. Selma Meadows, Winan's Creek.
Benjamin C. Flenor, Wallace Creek.
Miss Harriet Emerson, Bandera.
Miss Ruth Chastain, Pipe Creek.
Mrs. B. N. Chaddock, Rocky Creek.
Miss Dora Pearl Brown, Middle Verde.
Miss Vivian Keese, Bandera.
Mrs. Kate Wyatt, Mason Creek.
Carl Monroe Black, Bandera.
Mrs. E. B. Little, Bandera.
Miss Jennie Kirkland, Medina.
Mrs. W. B. Camp Verde.
Mrs. Margaret Lewis, (nee Pickens) Lone Star.
Miss Muriel Ward, Indian Creek.
Miss Zollie Kelley, Tarpley.
Miss Willie Kelley, Tarpley.
R. Elbert Teel, Bandera.
Miss Inez Bass, Medina.
Miss Bess Campbell, Bandera.
Frank M. Thomas, Pipe Creek.
Miss Jessie Chastain, Pipe Creek.
Mrs. Mattie Noel, Vanderpool.
Miss Johanna Tetsch, Blanco.
Mrs. Thelma Sherrill Elam, Medina.
W. O. Hatfield, Medina.
E. C. Brazil, Camp Verde.
Miss Kathryn McBryde, Crockett.
Miss Inez Gilbert, Lima.
Miss Maude Stroud, Little Creek.
A. K. Briggs, Bandera.
Miss Ouil Crouch, Taylor.
Miss Ida L. Pepper, Pipe Creek.

Mrs. Bill Haught Dead.

Grandma Haught, wife of Uncle Bill Haught, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cade, at Brownfield, Texas, one day last week, and her remains were brought to Medina and interred in the West Prong Cemetery last Saturday, Elder D. S. Palmer conducting the funeral services. Mrs. Haught lived in Bandera county many years, and was well and favorably known to all of the older citizens of the upper river region. She was a splendid type of the pioneer mother, and her death will be mourned by all who knew her. She is survived by her aged husband, several children and grand children, who have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

Attends Family Reunion.

Mrs. J. S. Burns and Mrs. Billie Burns and children went over to Center Point to attend a family reunion last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Burns' brother, Mr. M. Hermes. It was quite a family gathering, among the crowd present being Mrs. Burns' sister, Mrs. Dora Huffman and children of Tivoli, Texas. Jim Newcomer and wife of San Jo also attended, and it is said that Jolly Jim ate so much at the big dinner spread before the guests that he busted his belt.

Called to Pastorate.

Rev. Ed Brown, of Ingram, preached at the Baptist church last Sunday morning. Rev. Brown was called to the pastorate of the church and a congregation of the deacons held last Sunday, and while he has not definitely decided, he and wife and family will give his answer at a meeting tonight, and it is expected to be favorable. Rev. Brown is an able minister and a conscientious worker, and if he accepts this pastorate, the Baptist congregation here may be congratulated in securing his services.

Alleged Austin Bandit Identified

Austin, Sept. 4.—Miss Maude Potts Sunday told officers the officers had a bandit. Victor Nelson was the man she saw leaving the University Bank after the $25,000 robbery there two weeks ago. She was called to the sheriff's office, after Sheriff Horace Burleson arrived in Sunday morning from Houston with Wilson and identified the youth as the same man whose appearance she has previously identified and the same man who was among the bank robbers.

The youth's father, Horace E. Wilson, is also a prominent attorney and Austin during the day.

Wilson brought sensational his interrogation of the bank robbery officers said, and questioning failed to shake his story. Nothing was found when he was searched which had any relation to affair. Under the offices of Sheriff Parrish and Bruce O'Keefe of the University Bank told officers Wilson had told them of whose face they saw during the held up. One man held the bank officials covered from a gun while two others scooped up $26,000 in cash bonds and checks. Wilson was taken to the finger print office at the police station and later returned to the county jail.—San Antonio Express.

Registered a Kick.

Several of the New Era's readers have expressed their appreciation of the face of type which we are now using. The Mergenthaler Company's regular face, seven-point Ionic No. 5, which gives our columns more room for news matter. But few readers have been heard from as being dissatisfied with the new face as easily as he could the type we formerly used, and he "could not understand why we changed it." When we asked him how he knew the change had been made he replied that he "borrowed the neighbor's paper to see." We know that old fellow has a good neighbor.

We appreciate the good things that are being said about the New Era's new dress. Compliments from a contemporary serves, and also its our subscribers encourage us to redouble our efforts to give them a better New Era every week.

Otto Weltner and son, Henry, of Camp Verde, were visitors at the New Era office Tuesday.

John Wise Played Safe.

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Clark Monument Unveiling.

The monument of red granite colossal bust of the Pioneer Freighters' Association to the memory of Amasa Clark, Mexican War veteran and pioneer freighter, who died at his home in Bandera last February, will be the first of its kind placed in the new National Cemetery on the military reservation at Arch Park, Denver, and it will be unveiled and dedicated on September 15, 80th anniversary of the birthday of Mr. Clark. Mrs. Clark, widow of the deceased, and the program will be in charge of the Pioneer Freighters' Association, of which Mr. Clark was a member of the Third Infantry of death.

The memorial was placed in the National Cemetery with consent of Major General John L. DeWitt, commanding officer of the Seventh Corps Area, and Brig. Gen. W. O. Connor, commanding officer of the Second Cavalry Brigade. The address will be delivered by Brig. Gen. Paul B. Malone, now retired commander of the Seventh Corps Area. Mr. MacArthur, chief of staff, also aided Krempkau, it is said.

Saturday marked the 102d anniversary of Clark's birth. He was born when he died William B. Kreml, president of the Pioneer Freighters' Association, who personally undertook to finance the monument, planned to unveil and dedicate the memorial on the 102d birthday anniversary, but this was prevented by a delay which came when Bandera county first attempted to have the monument placed there.

The granite monument was donated by Nagel Brothers, owners of Beat Mountain near Fredericksburg. It weighs about 7,000 pounds and was being transported to San Antonio Saturday by Capt. B. F. Schmidt, cash contribution towards the monument was made by the 3rd Infantry at Fort Snelling, Minn., commanded by Col. W. E. Welsh.

Veterans of foreign Wars will participate in the unveiling. These, with pioneer freighters, will assemble at the Gunter Hotel at 2 p. m. The program will begin at 3 p. m.

Charles Guenard made the plat for the bronze panel and the Third Infantry band of Army Post, which had the foundation for the monument prepared. The San Antonio Portland Cement Company contributed the cement and the Turner Crane Company furnished sand. Krempkau said.

Officials of the Pioneer Freighters' Association who will participate in the unveiling include James O. Luckie, president; Mrs. Mary Brooks Bingham, secretary; Mrs. Ida Belle Johnson of Gonzales and Reid Tecbriardt, both of Cuero, field agents of the Express.

Returns from Connecticutt.

Miss Victoria Montague was home from San Antonio to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rose Gartner and Miss Margaret Montague. She recently went from a trip to Waterbury, Connecticutt, where she spent a month with her brother, Alex Montague, Jr., and mother, Mrs. Chas. Montague, who remained in Connecticutt for a long visit.

Consolidation Defeated.

The election held in Medina and Lassen Creek School Districts on Saturday for the purpose of consolidating those two districts resulted in the measure being defeated by but a few votes. This is the second time the proposition has been voted down, the first election being held nearly four years ago.

Mr and Mrs. Bruce Mayfield, of Medina, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben New Era office yesterday morning. They were returning from a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Sam Antonio, and report a very pleasant trip.

A Timely Discovery.

Late Monday afternoon, when R. P. Power started to drive his Ford car out of the garage on his premises he discovered the cushion on the front seat to be on fire, directly over the gasoline tank. How the fire started is a mystery. He is of the opinion that some one passing by while the car was standing on the street in front of his store, tossed away a lighted cigarette or cigar, which fell in the car and caused the fire.

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The monument to the memory of Veteran Frank Clark will be unveiled at Fort Bam Houston, next Wednesday, September 16, with appropriate ceremonies. We hope the Bandera people will attend the presentation. Clark was a Bandera settler of Bandera county coming here in 1857. He was born in Tennessee and was in the 19th year of age when he came to Texas. His family purchased the Clark ranch which is now owned by Mrs. Clark. It was a wilderness when they settled in Bandera, where they endured the hardships of pioneer life. Frank Clark joined the Confederate army and was in the battle of Galveston. He was also in the battle of Sabine Pass. He was a brave soldier and a good citizen. He was a member of the Methodist church for many years. He was married to Miss Sarah Ann Clark in 1866. To this union were born eight children, seven of whom survive him. Mrs. Clark is now living with her daughter, Mrs. Ella Clark Bandy, at Bandera. Mrs. Clark is a member of the Methodist church and has been for many years. She is the oldest member of the Methodist church in Bandera. She is the first woman to become a member of the Clark family. She is the first woman to become a member of the Clark family. She is the first woman to become a member of the Clark family

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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Carlton went to Kerrville last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews, of San Antonio, were in Bandera Monday.

W. D. Basthers, the San Antonio photographer, was here last Saturday.

Miss Mary Leonard, of San Antonio was the guest of Mrs. Old Lane last Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Hunter and son, Marvin, Jr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter at Harper last Friday.

R. N. Padgett was over from Tarpley Saturday to attend the quarterly meeting of the directors of the Ranchmen & Farmers' Association.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brazil, who will teach the Camp Verde school, were here for the Teachers' Institute Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Lela Keese, of Medina, left this week for Junction, where she has been engaged to teach the North Llano school again this term.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

Rev. M. J. Scott, who will teach the Taylor School this term, was here for the Institute. He came over Saturday, and occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church Sunday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hayden D. Harris, of San Antonio, were here to spend Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends. Mr. Harris called Saturday and renewed his subscription to the New Era.

Mrs. E. Hammond and daughter, Mrs. Bess Canafax, of near Medina, were here for the Teachers' Institute Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. Canafax will teach at Pipe Creek again this year.

I am now able to book orders for Big-Boned Extreme large type Poland China pigs to arrive August 25th. To be delivered when six weeks old. See my hogs at Gillespie County Fair August 19, 20 and 21. Book your orders early. They're going fast.—Henry Thiele, Harper, Texas.—(Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. John Hay and daughter, Miss Ione, were up from San Antonio to spend Sunday with relatives and friends. Miss Thelma Surber, who is attending Draughon's Business College, came with them. They returned to San Antonio Sunday night.

Misses Jessie Kirkland and Vivian Keese, of Medina, were guests of the editor's family Monday and Tuesday. Miss Kirkland is a teacher in Medina School and Miss Keese is principal of the Crockett school. They were here attending the Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Kuchell and Mrs. Frank Priestley, of San Antonio, were here Friday afternoon and paid this office a visit. Mr. Kuchell is owner of the Globe Printing Co., one of the largest job printing establishments in San Antonio. Mrs. Priestley taught school in Bandera many years ago, and while she was here Saturday she visited several of her old friends.

An Old Relic.

Mit Nicholas and children were in from Privilege Saturday. Mr. Nichols brought in an old time Spencer carbine, of the 1860 model, to place in the New Era's collection of relics.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Simpson, of Uvalde, and Jack Hart, of Batesville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom North last Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Elam, of Medina, were here Monday and Tuesday, attending the Institute. Mrs. Elam is a teacher in the Medina High School.

D. O. Tallman and O. E. Bonnett, of Medina, were visitors at the New Era office last Thursday. Mr. Tallman was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff in the recent primaries, and in the New Era for a visit.

J. E. Clowers and family moved to San Antonio this week, where they will reside. Mr. Clowers served several terms as County Judge of this county, completing several months ago, to accept a responsible position with a well known firm. We regret to lose him and his excellent family from our midst.

Suits to Measure.

I will be in Kerrville about September 15th with a shipment of fine Delaney Woolens. Orders will be located at the Mansfield-Bonner yard and hope you will come and see them before buying elsewhere.—Adv.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gallard, of Medina, are visiting relatives in Houston county.

Mrs. Otis Lane is spending a few weeks with relatives at Waco and San Antonio.

Mr. J. R. Hurley of San Antonio, was a visitor at the home of Otto Wellmon's and Camp Verde last Thursday.

Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co. this week delivered to Alex Adair a new 1927 Chevrolet Landau Sedan.

Mrs. W. P. Hippey and children, of Mt. Sharp, were here this week visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Hippey informs us that she will teach the Mt. Sharp school this term.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Carlton went to Kerrville Sunday and from there they proceeded on to Hosper, where they spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hatfield.

Miss Zollie Kelley of Huntsville, and Miss Winifred Bradley, of Dodge, Texas, are teachers of the Tarpley school the coming term. They arrived Saturday and attended the County Institute Monday and Tuesday.

Visitors at the ranch of Paul Mayfield Saturday, Sunday and Monday were Mr. Stewart, Mr. Volmer, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hollenbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Pitch, E. G. Degen and Charlie Degen, all of San Antonio.

O. T. Hodges, accompanied by his children, Miss Elsie Hodges and Errol Hodges, came up from Pipe Creek Saturday to attend the Teachers' Institute. The young folks paid this New Era sanctum an appreciated visit.

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Miss Edna Fischer is spending a few days in San Antonio with friends and relatives.

J. R. Price is spending awhile at Tarpley, where he is building a house for R. A. Rubsam.

Mrs. B. R. Lebtourneau and Miss Mattie Mae Newcomer, of Medina, attended the Teachers' Institute Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whitmire and children, of San Antonia, visited Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Shuptrine at Medina this week.

R. F. Power is preparing to make some improvements on the building he recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Hermes Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Munaw and daughters, Misses Lois and Ruby, of Tarpley, are here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billings.

Laurie Jurecski, of Los Angeles, California, was here this week on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jurecski.

Lennie Maass has returned from San Antonio and is spending a few days with relatives here before going to Medina where he will engage in business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E Stevens have returned to Lovington, New Mexico, after spending several days with Mr. Stevens' mother, Mrs. J. T. Stevens, and other relatives near Medina.

Miss Will E. Hunter and her protege, Master Harold Ford, of San Antonio, is spending the week at the Bruce Ranch, on the Medina road, the guest of Mrs. R. S. Pardue.

Bob Kuykendall, Sterling Gage and Misses Velma Allen and Dora Pearl Brown, of Blanco, came over Sunday to bring Miss Eunice Surber home. Miss Brown remains here, having accepted the East Verde school.

Don't forget Dennis, the Jeweler and Optometrist.

Lucius Hicks and pretty little daughter, Dorothy, were over from Tarpley Tuesday.

Sidney Hammond was down from Medina Tuesday and dropped in to renew his mother's subscription to the New Era.

Oren R. Rankin, of Center Point, who will teach the Middle Verde school, attended the Institute Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Jennette Hunter, the New Era's associate editor, is spending this week with Mrs. A. P. Hagen, near Junction.

Mrs. George W. Elam, of Tuff, was here Tuesday on a visit to her sisters, Mrs. B. F. Langford, Jr., and Mrs Leo Risinger.

Miss Estelle Surber, who spent the past two months or so with Reverend and Mrs. H. H. Washington at Bandera, returned home Saturday.

Harold Mansfield, who holds a position in the State Hospital in San Antonio, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Mansfield.

C. C. White returned Saturday from Eagle Pass where he took Miss Stella Coughran and her mother, Mrs. W. W. Coughran. Miss Stella will teach school at Eagle Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett L. Pyka left last Friday for Hereford, Texas, where they will reside. Their many friends here wish them prosperity in their new location.

Q. C. Hodges and D. T. Lewis, of Pipe Creek, were here Monday, and were enrolled Institute members of County Teachers' Institute. Mr. Hodges is a Member of the County Board of Trustees.

Misses Grace and Sylvia Duke left Sunday for San Antonio to attend the Teachers' Institute there. From San Antonio they go to Hobson, Texas, where they will teach in the Hobson High School.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Coose and children, and Harold Phillips of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Phillips and daughter, Miss Joyce Phillips, of Lima, met here Sunday and spent the day together on the river near town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Noel and little son, James A. Jr., were over from Underwood Monday and Tuesday to attend the Teachers' Institute. Mr. Noel called at the New Era office while here and put in his subscription to the little old home paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Clark, of Tarpley, returned from San Antonio yesterday. Mrs. Clark remained for the Teachers' Institute opening. These young people are on the faculty of the Bandera High School and entered upon their duties yesterday.

Walter P. Carr, field representative of the Crate Realty Co., of Kerrville, was a visitor in Bandera yesterday, and left a check in place at the New Era. This live firm has business in Bandera county lands and live stock and are making listings throughout this section.

B. H. Mayfield, of Medina, has asked in this issue of the New Era. Mr. Mayfield does all kinds of shoe repairing, harness repairing and leather work and will appreciate your orders. He guarantees all of his work promptly turns it out, and his charges are very reasonable.

H. E. Bamble was called to Kerrville Monday to the bedside of his daughter, Mrs. Edith McElroy, who is ill with pneumonia. Mrs. McElroy recently underwent a serious operation and her condition became worse. Her many friends hope she will soon be well.

Lieutenant Colonel Ralph H. Dunlap and wife, arrived here from San Antonio and paid the New Era an appreciated visit. Mrs. Durkee, known to the readers as Mary Carter, has been on the staff of the San Antonio Express and the Evening News for several years. They spent to come to Bandera in a short time and spend a month end.

Among those who spent Sunday and Monday at the ranch home of Joseph Keller, on the Julian, were Mr. and Mrs. Poller Grasso and children, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Grasso and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green and little daughter, and Miss Selma Keller, all of San Antonio. A big dinner, prepared by Mrs. Keller, was served on that day. This was the first visit of some of the party to Bandera and they avow that they will return some time when they can stay longer.

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Mrs. W. S. Eldridge returned last week from a five-weeks visit to relatives and friends at Galveston, Houston and San Antonio. At Galveston she visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Drake, and brother, Earl Drake. It was the first time she had seen her brother and his family since 1918. At Houston she visited her sister, Mrs. Ethel Sawyer for two weeks, and then went to San Antonio where she spent awhile with her daughter, Mrs. Pauline Wright. Mrs. Eldridge says she had a most delightful time while away.

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FOR SALE—Good bicycle, with fenders, carrying basket, extra tire, etc. Price $15.00.—Charles Batte.

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IMPROVE YOUR GOATS—We have billies that will put bone, size and vigor into your goats as well as more and heavier mohair at prices you cannot equal. We had good goats when they were a curiosity in Texas. —F. B. Klein & Sons, Hunt, Texas.

WANTED—Ranch in Bandera county. Submit full description and price first letter.—A. L. Aycock, Lufkin, Texas. 4tp

FOR SALE—Carbide Light Plant, in good condition, practically new, very cheap.—Oscar W. Perner.

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car, new paint, good rubber. Also Ford roadster, in good condition.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

TO LEASE—Forty five Hundred acre ranch in Travis and Hays Counties. Good sheep and goat country. Henry E. Brooks, Austin National Bank Bldg., Austin, Texas.

FOR RENT—One large room, furnished for light housekeeping.—T. S. Dennis.

Fabian Garrison of Tarpley, was here yesterday.

Miss Inez Gilbert, of Medina, was here Monday and Tuesday, attending the Institute. Miss Gilbert will teach at Lima this term.

We have for sale two 1926 Ford Touring Cars, priced right, 30-day guarantee. Good condition.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Westover, Miss Margaret Westover, and Mrs. Wm. Masterson, of Boerne, were visitors in Bandera last Friday and paid this office an appreciated call.

Miss Bess Campbell, of San Marcos, and Miss Ruth Morrison, of Marlin, came in Saturday. These young ladies are teachers in Bandera High School. Miss Campbell having taught her last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellis and Miss Geraldine Erwin, of San Antonio, were visitors at the Ellis' office yesterday. Mr. Ellis is a linotype operator on the San Antonio Express, and one of the editor's old time friends.

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I will be in Kerrville about September 15th with a Ghevrolet truck to see Delaine Morino ranch. I will be located at the Mountain Lumber yard and hope you will come and see me before buying elsewhere.

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LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Felders and little son of San Antonio, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Burton and Misses Inez and Hattie Miller have returned home from Port Arthur. We are very glad to know Mrs. Miller is improving.

Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Hollingsworth, Miss Ola Belle and son Richard, visited Mr and Mrs. Billie Batte in Medina last week.

The Lima school began last week with Miss Gollopie and Miss Inez Gilbert as teachers.

Notice to Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's store in Medina, is the agent for the daily San Antonio Express in Medina, and subscribers wishing to pay their subscription account or to renew it, can do so by calling on Miss Smith. A number of our subscribers in that section are in arrears, and we will appreciate settlement and renewal.

Cross Monument Unveiling.

Unveiling ceremonies for the imposed granite boulder, memorial to Captain Joseph Twohig and Mexican War veteran, was held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Twohig monument at Fort Sam Houston, with friends and members of the Pioneer Texans Association of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and of the Second Division taking part in the rites.

Col. J. C. MacArthur, chief of staff of the Second Division, was master of the ceremonial program which included the dedication address by Gen. Geo. Van Horn Moseley, and an address of tribute by William B. Krumpkas. Evelyn Grace Hill, granddaughter of the veteran, unveiled the monument. The Second Infantry band led by Otto Majewski, played during the program, opening with "The Old Guard" and closing with the Third Infantry hymn, more than half a century.

A rough granite boulder brought from the hills beyond Bandera where old Mexican Clark Clark served through the greater part of his 101 years of life, the memorial shaft has been highly polished and inscribed except for the words and the weather. No decoration is to be placed on the stone except three small bronze tablets, two at irregular distances. Opposite the name of Joseph Twohig, one of the Texas Infantry volunteers in the Mexican War under Gen. Winfield Scott, and the date of his service from 1846 to 1851. Slightly lower and to the left is a tablet commemorative of the pioneer Texan's service in the Texas Army, showing his head in sculptured relief against a low background of the Texas flag. Gen. Twohig died at Corpus Christi, Texas. This tablet bears the date of his birth, September 14, 1810, and that of his death, January 28, 1877. The third plate shows the emblem of the Texas Pioneers' Association, and below Clark was a member, and the inscription of dedication.

According to W. B. Krumpkas, who served as general chairman of the Pioneer Texans Association police and fire departments co-operated in helping the Association. Some of the older members of the O. A. K's, the Pioneer Freighters' Association and the Forum War Veterans to the National Cemetery for the interment of Clark. The group assembled at the Gunter Hotel at 2:30. Members of all three organizations came from Southwestern points to be present, according to Krumpkas, and among them Judge Frank O. Luby, from San Diego, Texas.

P. G. Dudding and Tom Wallace, of San Antonio, stayed at the City Hotel one day this week.

Shoot To Kill Is Wright's Order

With the tense order to "shoot to kill," Police Commissioner Phil Wright Monday morning started a drive to rid San Antonio of gangsters and racketeers. Wright's order of Detective Chief Sam Stowers of Dallas.

Orders given to Chief of Police T. O. Miller and every captain, detective and patrolman in the city to arrest every suspicious character with whom they come in contact.

Squads of officers left police headquarters early Monday to scour the city in an effort to round up the "bad men" said to have been operating in the city for several months. Purely Wisely several fugitives have been their principal victims.

"I intend to realize our police force is limited," Commissioner Wright said, "if ten hoodlums start trouble Monday night. We can't have a repetition of Saturday night's gun battle."

Chief Street was one of the best peace officers in the country and his death was a severe loss to the police department but to the citizenship at large. His death was a severe blow to me personally."

Commissioner Wright said his men would work day and night shifts if necessary until every suspicious character and criminal in the city has been rounded up.

Sheriff Jeff Boyd Jones, co-operating with Wright, has given orders to his deputies to increase their efforts to round up criminals. District Attorney C. M. Chambers, who will call a special grand jury to investigate the recent gun battle, has promised quick prosecutions.—San Antonio Light.

Everett Briggs, of Medina, was in Bandera one day this week on business.

F. E. Adams, of San Antonio, visited at the City Hotel one day this week.

Bruno Schindler gave a delightful dance at his ranch near Pipe Creek last Saturday night. Everybody said they had a fine time, and want Bruno to give another one.

A dance was given at the ranch home of Jesse Williams, on Saturday evening. Refreshments of Lemonade and cake were served to a large crowd of young people. Music furnished by Herman Hargrove.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhett, of Kerrville, were here last Thursday, and called at this office to insert an advertisement. Mr. Rhett is the grocery man of the city. We make new matters, renovate old mattresses, and collect the patronage of Bandera people.

Just a Little Want Ad.

It is remarkable what a little 25-word want ad will do sometimes. If you have anything to sell, no matter what it is, you can insert a small want ad in the New Era at very little cost, and hundreds of people will read it and that you want to sell the article. This paper can tell hundreds of times more by letting a small ad do the selling than you can by talking to each one personally. We have known of a farm being sold by selling a farm. No need keeping something on your hands which you do not need, and which others want to buy and would buy if they knew you have it for sale. Rates for advertising rates are 7½ cents per line each insertion; count 5 words to the line. 24 words will make four lines, and son on. Try a want ad and be convinced. In sending in your want ads send cash with order.

Pipe Line Nearing Completion.

The Humble Oil Company's Pipe Line, which extends from McCamey, in Upton county, to Port Lavaca, near Aransas Pass, a distance of 400 miles is nearing completion. The pipe passes through the western part of Bandera county for a distance of about thirty miles, passing near Tuff and Tarpley. Construction crews have been at work on the line in these neighborhoods for the past three months, laying ten-inch matrix, which will be garnished with twelve-inch mains. We understand connections have been made for the entire distance of the line and the oil from the wells at McCamey will be turned in just as soon as the storage tanks are ready to receive it. The work of constructing these tanks is being rapidly pushed to completion, some 275 men being engaged in the work at Port Lavaca.

The building of this pipe line through Bandera county has been the means of putting a lot of money in circulation, as a large number of men have been employed at good wages.

Monument to Anson Clark Unveiled.

The editor of the New Era attended the ceremonies at Fort Sam Houston yesterday when the monument to Anson Clark, Medina War veteran, was unveiled by Gen. Geo. Van Horn Mosely, Brig. Gen. Paul B. Malone delivered the oration. The monuments were erected by the Pioneer Freighters' Association and the United States Army. Veteran Clark was Bandera county's first settler, and the New Era urged the erection of a monument here to him some months ago, but the funds for the purpose could not be raised here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pardue and Miss Estelle Surber, who spent about ten days at the Bruce Ranch on the Medina road, returned to San Antonio Sunday.

Congressman Hudspeth Recovering.

Washington, September 10.—Congressman C. B. Hudspeth, who has been in John Hopkins Hospital at Baltimore for the past eight weeks, is leaving today for his home at El Paso, from where he will go, under the doctor's orders, to northern California.

Mr. Hudspeth has suffered greatly from the strain and overwork incident to his office, and this is the cause of the nervous trouble which took him to the hospital. He is now well on the road to recovery, and after a complete rest will be ready for the long and busy session of the Congress which convenes in December.

Mrs. Hudspeth has been with the Congressman during the entire time he has been in the hospital, and will also accompany him to California.

Mr. Hudspeth deeply appreciates the many kindnesses he has received from his friends over the district during his illness, and wishes them to know that his office at Washington is open every day, and that all matters coming to him will have immediate attention.

Asking for Sunday Mail.

A petition is being circulated and numerously signed, asking the Postoffice Department to give Bandera county mail service. At the schedule now exists we receive mail from San Antonio only six days in the week, and no mail Sunday. When the daily papers come to us Monday the Sunday editions are a day old. The seven-day service will be much appreciated by all of the patrons of the Bandera office.

Gives Sedan to Daughter

Mr. Street Hudspeth presented his daughter, Mrs. J. O. Butler, with a handsome new Oldsmobile Sedan this week. It is a beauty, and a most appropriate daughter.

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Selling Chickens.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will sell fried chicken dinners. The members are donating chickens, and will cook them. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the school, and the money derived from the sales goes into the P. T. A. fund. Last Saturday the Association sold $13.75 worth of chickens, and those members who did not get to bring in chickens on that date are requested to bring them next Saturday and leave the fowls at C. B. Curley's store.

Mrs. J. M. Hunter, Marvin Hunter, Jr., Miss Will E. Hunter, and Master Harold Ford went to Kerrville Saturday to meet Miss Jennette Hunter, who was returning from a delightful visit to Mrs. A. P. Hagen at the ranch above Kerrville.

Distinguished Visitors.

The New Era office appreciated a visit Sunday from Commissioner of Banking Chas. O. Austin, of Austin, and Hon. Edwin Hobby of Dallas. These gentlemen turned in Bandera only a few hours and went from here to Kerrville. Mr. Hobby is a brother to former Governor W. P. Hobby.

Mrs. Andrew Pyka and daughter, Iris, and Miss Isabell Maasen, visited friends in San Antonio. Corpus Christi and New Braunfels last week.

The Wyoming Wildcat.

The attraction to be offered at the Bandera Theater tomorrow (Friday) night will be "The Wyoming Wildcat," featuring Tom Tyler. It's a western, and the kind you always like. Tom Tyler is known as the "Gold Stack" star, full of laughs. Usual prices.

Building Addition to Home.

Mrs. M. Hamilton is having her residence near the court house remodeled and an addition built thereto. When completed it will be one of the prettiest cottages in town.

F. E. Hoffmeyer and son, Frederick, of San Antonio, visited Chas. Hough and family last week.

A. C. Henson, of Oklahoma City, visited at the City Hotel this week.

J. C. Boddingfeed, of Kerrville, was registered at the City Hotel one day this week.

Mrs. Bill Buskey and small daughter have moved to Greenville, Texas.

W. P. Carr, of Kerrville, was registered at the City Hotel this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schmidtke, Jr., and others attended the unveiling of the monument to Veteran Amasa Clark at Fort Sam Houston yesterday. Veteran Clark was Mrs. Masas' father.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, this morning, September 15, a girl.

Miss Lois Reinen went to San Antonio Sunday to enter school.

If your sheep and goats have stomach worms use Nema Capsules. They do the work. You can get them at Billings & Son's Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maass and children attended the unveiling of the monument to Veteran Amasa Clark at Fort Sam Houston yesterday. Veteran Clark was Mrs. Maass' father.

Good Tract For Sale.

320 acres across river from Bandera, $25 per acre. I have several good farms and ranches at bargain prices. See me if you want a farm or ranch.—Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man.

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John Wise Played Safe

John Wise was not stingy—he was just a careful spender. Although young in years he had already learned from experiences of others that saving or later—he would need money.

It might be for a home—to go in business—buy a farm, or it might be for sickness, an operation or any number of emergencies that demand money now—they will not wait!

So John Wise saved—true, it was only a small amount but he saved it week in and week out. His savings grew—paid him well in interest. Now he's prepared to take advantage of opportunity or thwart failure.

The First National Bank of Bandera

Parent-Teachers' Association.

The Parent-Teachers' Association held its regular meeting on Wednesday of last week at the High School building. Mrs. A. L. Mansfield was elected president. The regular time of meeting was changed to the first Saturday in each month instead of the first Wednesday. The sum of $35.00 was given to the High School for the purchase of reference books. There are several things the teachers need in their work, and the Association asks the help of all patrons in raising funds to properly equip the teachers. The Association is striving to make this the best term of school Bandera has ever had, and asks the co-operation of the people in making it so.

Quick Action

Just one hour and thirteen minutes after this investigation began a special grand jury in Ninety-fourth District court at 11:12 o'clock Monday morning returned a murder indictment against John A. McKenzie, alias Pete McKenzie, admitted two-gun slayer of Chief of Detectives Sam Street, who was the quickest indictment in the history of Bexar county.

McKenzie must stand trial at 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

This was the speediest hour that could be set for the trial since a defendant must be given four days time after no has served with the indictment. He also must be given a copy of the same one day before trial.

At 11:20 o'clock Deputy Sheriff F. N. Flores went to his heavily guarded cell in the Bexar county court house and informed McKenzie of the indictment.

Special Judge C. J. Matthews immediately granted District Attorney C. M. Chambers' request for the summoning of a special venire of 100 men. At 12:05 o'clock, only 25 minutes after the grand jurors began, the venire had been completed.

Eighteen deputies were then dispatched from the courtroom to serve the 100 men from whom twelve will be selected to try the confessed slayer of Chief Street, who was shot down in front of the Purely Wisely at San Pedro avenue and Laurel street Saturday night.

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In about three hours a special grand jury was summoned, impaneled and an indictment returned.

The grand jurors reported at 9 o'clock and were impaneled in 10 minutes after 10 o'clock.

Then came the indictment after the grand jury had heard four witnesses. The witnesses were George Cunningham, the last person to see Street in the store in front of which Street was mortally wounded. Ancel Thurmond, who thrust his head up into the attic to first view slayer; R. F. Tate, detective, Street's side, and Wayne Parks, also accompanied Street.

McKenzie was remanded to without bond when he waived preliminary hearing before Justice of Peace Louis F. Boltz early Monday morning—San Antonio Light.

Milam Faris and family who have been living on the Faris ranch above Medina have moved to the Schott ranch at Heintes.

MEDINA.

Mrs. J. C. Goldbeck, Jr. Mrs. Clyde McKinney and children have returned from a visit to relatives at Houston.

Miss Dennis Mayfield has returned from Austin to stay awhile with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Fleenor have moved to Medina.

Mrs. Josie Justice was operated on at Kerrville last Thursday and is doing very well at present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Harris and wife and Mrs. O. H. Benefly were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harris last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wyatt and son of Uvalde, Creek visited relatives here last week.

Miss Sadie Hatfield left Sunday, September 4 for Greenleaf to continue her demonstration work. Miss Hatfield was accompanied by Miss Glennie Patterson, who returned Tuesday. Miss Hatfield spent her vacation here and at Kerrville.

A shower was given in honor of Miss Pauline Fox this week by the Baptist W. M. U.

The Medina school opened Monday morning with a fine program. A talk by Prof. J. O. Hatfield, and interesting talk by Rev. H. S. Palmer. The president of the P. T. A. and several other ladies made talks showing their interest and help which a good school. And a song by the school.

Mrs. W. Davis has returned from a visit to Corpus Christi.

The P. T. A. will entertain the teachers at a party Friday night. At the school house Friday night, September 16, at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

J. C. Goldbeck and family have returned from a visit to relatives and friends near Rockdell. Leonard and other children of the Goldbeck family remained.

WINN'S CREEK

Our school opened last week with 30 pupils enrolled. Miss Ola Mae Meadows as teacher. It promises to be a most successful term.

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Governor Dan Moody is developing quite a liking for aviation. Texas has had other governors who were high flyers.

It is easy to sit around and think how easy it is to write things to put in the paper each week. But doing it—that's another matter.

Banders should be incorporated and for several years the unincorporated town has seldom forges ahead very far. When it gets to forging incorporation comes as a matter of course. And incorporation encourages every kind of improvement.

If a move is ever started to incorporate Bandera you will hear the old cry of the timid from those who would oppose incorporation. They might be taxed, but the benefits of incorporation would far over-balance the increase in taxes.

Do you stand for progress in your community, or are you content to sit idly by and see everything else turn up? That will put you on the high water mark of prosperity. You can just bet that the people will not "turn up" unless it is turned up by effort.

Banders have had a good many fine last months and the prospects for a plenty of fairs produces and live stock did not fail to produce their share. But we can have a better fair, and we will have a better fair next year. The fair will be arranged on different lines, and there will be something for all to do. And you will be called upon to do it.

The passions are said to be the winds that fill the sails of human barque, the grand sentiments that shattered the reefs of human generosity by which she was characterized, the moral lineaments and likeness of her still survive and appear in the absence of eventide an hour of night and on the sable, and though dead, she yet breathes in the midst of us. She is missed from the family circle when her presence was so a kindly benefactor; her cheerful greeting and welcome will no longer radiate the sun of all her wifely devotion; the tour of her beautiful hands in friendship they will no more extend in the church and social circles for those dear hands are forever vanished from our sight; the memory of her sweetness of her kindness and her generosity will remain with us through the long years that may follow us. A distant father is bereft in grief and anguish from her brothers and sisters in deep sorrow, and an affectionate husband mourns from the affliction that has descended so suddenly upon them. The entire community feels the weight of this great sorrow, and our hearts are heavy with grief. May God in His infinite mercy, comfort the bereaved ones.

Bandera Leeds electric lights and power. About a year ago a big corporation supplied to the Commissioners Court and was granted a franchise to operate an electric plant in Bandera. A large dynamo and engine was moved here and installed in Tom North's ice plant. But that is as far as the plant went. The dynamo and engine are standing idle, and no attempt has been made to furnish the current for the lights and power. There was some talk of the Bandera Commercial Club pushing the matter to a finish, but it seems to have died out, and we have nothing in regard to it now. If that corporation is not going to use the franchise granted by the Commissioners' Court, they ought to surrender it, and give somebody else an opportunity to put in lights and power.

Bandera, with a little effort on the part of our people, could secure a number of encampments to be held here during the summer season. These encampments bring people here for recreation and enjoyment. We have the ideal environments to make such things attractive. Everybody who comes here and spends awhile in these glorious old hills go away with the expectation of returning again. Other towns offer some inducements for such visitors to come, even spending vast sums of money in advertising to tell the outside world what they have to offer. Bandera sits idly by and in seeming indifference to the opportunity which can be hers. Now before another summer season rolls around let's bestir ourselves and get on foot a movement to land several encampments.

EDITH FANNIE McELROY.

Mrs. James McElroy died at a hospital in Kerrville on Thursday evening, September 8, after an illness of several weeks, during which time she underwent two operations. When the news of the death of this splendid woman came it caused great sorrow in the hearts of hundreds of people of this county who had known her from infancy and loved her devoted life. She was raised here, and has taught school in various parts of the county, and by her charming way and gentle disposition, won to all.

Edith Rambie was born at Pipe Creek, Bandera county, Texas, November 27, 1899, and was reared in this county. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rambie. On April 26, 1923, she was happily married to Mr. James McElroy of Center Point, and later they moved to Texas Oklahoma to reside. A few weeks ago Mrs. McElroy came from Oklahoma on a visit to her father and while here she was stricken with illness that necessitated her removal to the hospital at Kerrville, where a serious operation was performed. For a time she seemed to be recovering, but her condition changed for the worse an she never rallied.

She is survived by her father, H. E. Rambie, four sisters, Mrs. Annie Cain Moon of Turpley; Miss Emily Rambie of Bandera, Miss Leora Rambie of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Mrs. Mildred Rambie of Bandera; two brothers, Guy S. Rambie of Bandera and Marcellus Rambie of Bandera and her husband, James McElroy.

Funeral services were conducted at the home of her father on Masonic Hill Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. J. W. Storms of Center Point and interment was made in the family cemetery in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives. All members of the family were present except Misses Leora and Emily Rambie, who were in Oklahoma City and could not reach here.

Some fifteen years ago she joined the Baptist church and was a faithful and consistent member until the hour of her death. Her mother and an brother preceded her in death several years.

Sister sleep is removed, visibly from the outward eye, but the lessons she hath left, the grand sentiments that shattered the reefs of human generosity by which she was characterized, the moral lineaments and likeness of her still survive and appear in the absence of eventide an hour of night and on the sable, and though dead, she yet breathes in the midst of us. She is missed from the family circle when her presence was so a kindly benefactor; her cheerful greeting and welcome will no longer radiate the sun of all her wifely devotion; the tour of her beautiful hands in friendship they will no more extend in the church and social circles for those dear hands are forever vanished from our sight; the memory of her sweetness of her kindness and her generosity will remain with us through the long years that may follow us. A distant father is bereft in grief and anguish from her brothers and sisters in deep sorrow, and an affectionate husband mourns from the affliction that has descended so suddenly upon them. The entire community feels the weight of this great sorrow, and our hearts are heavy with grief. May God in His infinite mercy, comfort the bereaved ones.

MRS. ANNIE E. BROWN.

Mrs. Annie E. Brown, a pioneer mother of this county, died at her home in Turpley, Thursday evening, September 8, and was buried at Turpley Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. J. J. Gossett, pastor of the Bandera Methodist church, conducting the funeral service.

In the passing of this pioneer mother Bandera county loses an early settler, a woman who has had much to do with bringing about the refining influences of civilization. She shared all of the hardships and dangers of frontier life and lived to see the crowning glory and triumph of civilization's progress.

She was born in Thibedeaustville, Plaquemine Parish, Louisiana, in 1832. Her father was a planter and invested an interest in a steamboat company. Her mother died when the subject of this sketch was only four years old, and her father died when she was seven years old. He left a fortune of considerable wealth, and when Annie was ten years old her grandmother would provided for. A guardian took charge of the orphan and gave her splendid educational advantages, employing private teters to give her instruction in the various studies, including the languages, French and Latin. From she reached the age of 14 years she was given the charge of her father's estate, and she went to live with relatives at Alexandria, where she continued her studies. At Alexandria she met Thomas Brown, a civil engineer by profession and a sport, and they were married October 15th, 1850. Soon after the wedding they set out on the verge of civil war. The young people decided to go to California, and started on their honeymoon trip. They went by steamboat from there to El Paso to fall in with a wagon train conducted there. After waiting a month at El Paso they learned that they could not reach El Paso on account of the Indian troubles so they decided to go to Eagle Pass. Here they met Mr. Medlen, and found that was then called Fort Duncan, now Uvalde. When they reached Eagle Pass they were not allowed to enter Mexico and had to turn around and go back. When they reached Rose Creek, four miles from Uvalde, where Mr. Brown left his wife to board with a relative, and from there Mr. Brown went to San Antonio to enlist. In January 1863 Eagle Pass, which was occupied, he followed a few months afterwards Mr. Brown moved to Fort Inge, on a ranch, where they settled there from typhoid fever. Mrs. Brown took her claim and improvements, near Devine, and moved there for a year or two. Then to Bandera county, where they lived on a ranch on Eagle Pass and this made her home for a while. She afterwards took boarders, Buford Wallace being one of them. She purchased some land about four miles south of Bandera on shooter bluff in San Antonio and built a cottage on the property and later moved to her across that the land belonged to a man who had died and left a family, and Mrs. Brown and the settlers suffered greatly. Mrs. Brown then moved to Turpley in Bandera county in November, 1884, and died on it homestead. Her husband preceded her to the grave about two years and she was employed to teach school in the settlement for several months. She had nine pupils and tuition was paid in work. The following year she was employed to teach school at Medina, an invalid. The next spring she was employed on the Antonio Ranch where she remained for three years and when Mr. Mavericks sold out she went with them to San Antonio in charge of nursing.

Mrs. Brown nursed for about thirty years, most of the time in San Antonio, and among the prominent physicians and surgeons whose services were Dr. Cupples, Dr. Ferdinand Herff, Dr. Dr. Adolph Herff, Dr. Barnett, Dr. Kingsley, and Dr. Boerne. She often made trips to Boerne, Kerrville and Bandera to do nursing. At Del Rio once she was in a terrific storm and sustained injuries which prevented her from nursing for three years.

She returned to her home on Williams Creek, near Turpley, and built another home on her property and lived there for some time. When E. H. Terrell, of San Antonio, was appointed minister to Belgium by President Harrison Mrs. Brown was engaged to accompany him as Belgium as nurse and companion. While there she visited Switzerland, and other countries of Europe. She was away for nearly three years, but returned to her home in Bandera

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SAN ANTONIO DETECTIVE KILLED

Sam Street, chief of detectives, was killed in his home in Arizona by a bandit last Saturday night. Chief Street was shot four times. The bandit was later captured and is now in jail at San Antonio. The San Antonio Express, Sunday, gives the following account of the killing:

A "tip" that the Lone Eagle was going to stage his fourth holdup in two weeks was followed up by Chief Street and resulted in the killing.

The "tip" had included a description of the man and Chief Street, together with City Detectives Tate and Stendebach, and Warren Parks early Saturday night began their manhunt.

Several times they spotted the "Lone Eagle" but each time, judging his "layout" over, he would move on. Finally, about 8:30 p. m. they came upon him in front of the Piggly Wiggly Store at San Pedro Avenue and West Laurel Street. He was just standing with his hand on his hip, apparently waiting for the lights of approaching cars to leave the store before holding up the store.

Chief Street jumped out of the car and walked over to the man and started a conversation. Tate and Parks started to leave the car behind the chief but before they could get to the bandit, he had whipped out his gun, a small automatic, and shot the chief four times. Chief Street pulled his gun but fell before getting in an effective shot.

Tate and Parks began firing at the bandit, who ran towards Cypress Street but was forced to withhold their fire when Stendebach jumped out of the car and dashed after the bandit firing as he ran. The bandit did fire at the officers as he ran.

Stendebach ran through the alley on the corner of San Pedro Avenue and Cypress Street but scrambled to his feet and dashed across the street. Two cars passed by causing the detective to hold his fire momentarily but he again shot at the bandit after they passed. The bandit fell again only to stagger to his feet and dive into some shrubbery.

A trail of blood on the sidewalk near the corner of Cypress and North Flores Streets led officers to believe that the bandit ran four blocks but the scene of the shooting to a waiting automobile in which he made his escape.

An expensive black sedan had been seen at the mouth of an alleyway opening into Cypress Street half a block from the corner, were told. The car was driven by a young woman of about 20 years of age, who was dressed in an expensive sporting black silk dress.

City Detective P. C. Hardcastle and Deputy Sheriff Angel Barloco found the blood trail in the walk across the street from the alley. P. J. Faulk, who works at a Pig Stand at the corner, told them of the car he had seen in the alley.

About the time that the bandit should have been able to reach it, a door was slammed and the car speeded south in the alley, Smith said.

A woman living in the alleyway told the officers she had noticed the car when it drove up. She thought it was going to stop at her house, she saw it turn into the alley and then stop. She gave the officers a description of the car and the young woman driving it.

The "Lone Eagle" used two guns in shooting his way out, Miss Edith Morris, daughter of the owner of The Laurel Store, adjoining the Piggly Wiggly Store, declared after the shooting. She was standing within three feet of the bandit when the shooting began.

The man had come up to the corner a moment before and was standing unconcernedly as if he might be waiting for a friend, she said. When the detective car drove up, the man turned half to one side, but made no move for no gun, she said. Chief Street got out of the car and began up to the bandit, flashing his flashlight in his face, asking, "What are you up to?"

As the chief said this the bandit first held his hide, his face and then whipped out two guns and began firing according to Miss Morris. One bullet passed within inches of her and struck a show case in the rear of the Laurel Store, whereupon she ran into the shop. When she returned to the door the bandit had disappeared and Chief Street was lying in a pool of blood, Miss Morris said.

She was unable to give a description of the bandit other than that he was young and was wearing a blue suit and straw hat.

She found out after the shooting that the bandit had broken through a fender of a car belonging to a Mrs. Ferdinand, Miss Morris said.

Miss Morris added that a young married woman, whose name she does not know, said her that the bandit stopped into her as he fled across San Pedro Avenue at the Cypress Street corner. He was holding his left arm as if it was wounded, she said. She saw him dive into the shrubbery, but did not know which way he then went.

The Saturday night job at Laurel Street and San Pedro Avenue would have been the "Lone Eagle's" fourth holdup in slightly less than two weeks' time but for the intervention of Chief Street.

On August 24 he entered the Gulf Petroleum Station, Main and San Pedro Avenue, and ordered the attendants, to line up against the wall while he rifled the cash register of $15. He made his escape on foot.

His next job was at the Piggly Wiggly Store No. 15, 1134 North Flores Street, October 3. Here he lined F. E. Grobe, the manager, and two clerks against the wall and took $45 from the cash register. He escaped after firing several shots in the air and in the floor at the men's feet.

Friday night he walked up to the Texas Filling Station No. 274, Water and North streets, while automobiles and pedestrians passed by and at the point of a pistol forced E. T. England, the manager, to enter the restroom. He locked England in and then stole $60 from the cash register. It was while investigating these three holdups that Chief Street received the tip that the San Pedro Avenue store was to be held up.

The Bandit Captured.

Monday's San Antonio Express continues the account of the killing:

A man identified as Pete McKenzie, 23-year-old escaped convict, is being held by police in connection with the fatal wounding of Chief Detectives Sam Street Saturday night. Chief Street died at 3 a. m. Sunday at the Physicians and Surgeons Hospital, five hours after he was shot four times in a gun battle at San Pedro Avenue and West Laurel Street.

The escaped convict was arrested at a West Poplar Street house, where he was hidden in an attic, less than a mile after the detective chief breathed his last.

The man was wounded three times, once in the right heel and twice in the left leg. Investigating officers believe that one wound was inflicted by the detective chief as he fell to the ground. The other two wounds were inflicted by City Detectives Tate and Stendebach.

In addition to the escaped convict, his brother and sister-in-law and the man and woman living at the Poplar Street house are being held. A woman who lived at the same hotel with the murder suspect is being held on a charge of vagrancy as is a man room-mate of the suspect. The man was arrested Sunday afternoon by Detectives Harris and Shipp.

The man under arrest was convicted of El Paso in 1924 on a charge of killing a policeman and given a sentence of five to 99 years. He was received at the Eastham State Prison Farm at Weldon on April 4 of the same year.

He escaped from the prison farm September 4, 1925 but was later recaptured. He again escaped July 16 of this year and was unheard of until his arrest early Sunday.

The speedy arrest of the alleged slayer was largely due to the detective force of City Detectives. A service car driver's "hunch" that Poplar Street house she passed on her route to and from the Post Street house she passed on her route to and from the Post Street house she played a prominent part in the case.

Detective Harris, together with City Detectives Shipp and Vogler, Identification Officer Owen Fogle and Assistant Identification Officer Lt. A. S. Mdonald, began work to make a search of all possible hideouts in the city. When the East Commerce Street Harris car turned to his co-workers pointed out while back I the man they were investigating. He has a brother who escaped recently from the State prison farm, where he was serving a term. A woman, fitting the description, said is the one that killed Officer Street.

The officers then went to a Carnegie Street home and found out that the man they were after was not there. They then went to a West Poplar Street house. Here they found the man they were looking for. A quantity of ammunition for a gun such as used in killing Chief Street.

Frontier Times for October.

Frontier Times for October is being issued this week. This highly interesting and instructive magazine is always full of good things and has splendid prospects. It has made splendid progress in the short time that has been very satisfactory to the publisher. The October number contains the following well written articles: "Big Tree's Raid in Montague County," "Captain Hughes," "Old Texas Rangers," "Trail Drivers Helped to Make History," "A Texas Boy's First Experience on the Trail," "Some Panhandle History," "Bill Heffington, Pioneer Farmer," "Ab Blocker Tells About Trail Days," "The Long Bought Placer of the Malpais," "Old Pioneer Gets Out on a New Adventure," "The Indians of Polk County," "Dosh's Store on Red River," "Three Months With the Indians," "Jane Peak's Last Scout," "The Coming of the Railroad," "Bill Cook," and other articles. Beginning in the November number will be a serial story, "Life of Big Foot Wallace," which is the only authorized story of this famous frontiersman ever published. It was written at his dictation, and was published in pamphlet form in 1909. If you are not a subscriber to Frontier Times you ought to be. Bandera county teachers will use this little magazine in their school work this year, for it contains much good, reliable material for teaching the history of our great state.

Moody Wants to Fly With Lindbergh

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 8.—Gov. Dan Moody, who will fly from San Antonio to El Paso to take part in this city's reception to Col. Lindbergh on Sept. 24, wants to fly with Lindbergh when he leaves here for Fort Worth, according to a telegram from the Governor to Mayor R. E. Thompson Tuesday. Mayor Thomason forwarded the Governor's request to Col. Lindbergh.

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Man Found to Be Living.

Carthage, Texas, Sept. 5.—For the second time in his life Joe George, 22 years old, has been pronounced dead by friends and relatives notified and mourners assembled.

George had started Sunday from his home in Henderson to return to Carthage, where he is employed, and when three miles from Henderson the car he was driving turned over and hurled him through the windshield.

An ambulance and medical aid were summoned by passing motorists from Henderson and the physicians pronounced George dead, the neck having been broken and the body cut by the windshield.

Relatives and friends in Henderson and Carthage were notified and funeral arrangements made. Preparation was being made for burial when some one thought he noticed a slight sign of life. Heroic efforts were resorted to, the vertebrae of the neck replaced and in a short time George was sitting up talking to friends. He returned to Carthage Monday, where he was congratulated by his friends who had made preparations to attend his funeral.

A few years ago George, with two companions, was in an automobile wreck and all three were pronounced dead. The two companions were buried and a casket bought and a grave dug for George. However, the "body" was held overnight to await the arrival of relatives. Before morning signs of life appeared and his recovery was more rapid than in this second instance wherein he was pronounced dead.

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Lon Perkins and Mr. Campbell of the Rio Grande Valley, visited W. H. Davis and family last week. We understand they are looking for a location.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Banta visited Mr. and Mrs. Lan Seale Stokes last week.

Jim McMahon and niece, Miss Vivian Robertson, went to Lubbock last week. Miss Robertson will return to Fredericksburg the first of October to teach school.

Fred DuBose and son, Roy, of Carizo Springs, visited his uncle, W. H. Davis, and family last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keese, September 19, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hatfield and Mrs. Ernest Adams and daughter, visited Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Pue last Sunday.

Now in California.

John Marshfield writes us from Ventura, California, to send the New Era to him there, instead of Globe, Arizona. Among other things he says: "We have had a wonderful trip since I wrote you last, and have seen a great many interesting things in California, which includes the citrus fruit belt largely. The oil industry is a big feature, too, and employs hundreds of men; wages are good and living cheap. My wife and I are both well, and I have a good position with he Shell Oil Company. We have seen the finest thing we had. Now we are settled for the winter at least down at the beach, where the climate is ideal; never have cold weather, so they tell us. So far we have found it very pleasant, but like the negro, our hearts go creeping, creeping back to Texas and Jack and friends, and our home back yonder. Regards to all of you good fellows."

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Michael and son, and his cousin, Sheldon, of Antonio, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Callahan, of Pipe Creek.

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Boy Killed in Auto Crash.

Word has been received in Bandera of the death of Clyde Murdoch, who was killed September 2, in an auto crash near Fort Worth. Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Murdoch of Marvin, Oregon, and was about 19 years old. The boy's mother will be remembered by many of our people, for she was raised here at Bandera, and before her marriage was Miss Zaura Chipman, daughter of Mr. Robert Chipman of this place. Her many friends sympathize with her in this sad hour. The Murdoch family moved to Oregon a number of years ago.

Negroes to Die

Austin, Tex., Sept. 20.—Gov Dan Moody decided Tuesday not to interfere with the electrocution of two negroes, Fillman Simmons convicted of the murder of R. F. Jury in August, 1924, near San Antonio, and Willie Robinson, slayer of J. C. Terrell, farmer, in Denton County.

Robinson is to be electrocuted Thursday, September 22.

Simmons is to die in the electric chair Monday, September 26. He has been three times reprieved.

The State Board of Pardons had made adverse reports to the Governor on applications for commutation of the death sentences to life imprisonment. In refusing to grant executive clemency Governor Moody made no statement. He merely wrote on each application "refused."

McKenzie Gets Death Penalty

John A. (Pete) McKenzie, charged with the murder of Detective Chief of San Street in San Antonio a few two weeks ago, was tried in that city this week and was given the death is about all that is known about them.

According to information from Austin, the men are believed to have escaped from the tank in a small sedan which they later changed for a larger car. The sedan was turned back toward Austin and the large one speeded toward San Antonio, it was declared.

Marrs Candidate to Succeed Himself

Austin, Texas, Sept. 20.—S. M. N. Marrs announced Tuesday that he would be a candidate for re-election as State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Marrs is serving his third term, having first been elected State Superintendent in 1922, defeating his opponent by a large majority. He had had no opposition for re-election in 1924, and in 1926, defeated both of his opponents in the first primary. Both of these were interested in the Democratic ticket.

In announcing his candidacy, Marrs said that he would later issue a formal statement.

"A number of the county school institutes are indorsing my administration and I have been asked if I would seek re-election," Marrs said. "For that reason I am making an early announcement."

Ice Cream Party

An ice cream party was given at the home of Paul Moravietz last Saturday night, honoring Miss Grandma Moravietz, Jesse Moravietz, John Moravietz, Mrs. Albert Jurecki and family, Paul Moravietz, Louie Jurecki, Miss Edna Fischer, Albert Jurecki, Frances Fischer, Felix Hideck, Mr. and Mrs. John Manoch and family, Phillip Manoch and Hubert Dugosh. Everybody had a good time.

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The writer of this notice will preach at the Methodist church at Bandera at the first Sunday in every month at 11 a. m. and at the Methodist church at Medina the fourth Sunday in every month at 7:30 p. m. All messages will be Christian and fraternal, and members and those who are not members, of any and all churches are cordially invited to attend these monthly services. There will be occasion to administer the ordinance of baptism at Medina next Sunday at the 7:30 service. Hence the sermon will be on the subject of Holy Spirit baptism and water baptism, the subject and the mode will be considered in the message. Those desiring baptism for themselves or their children may be present.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams and children, of Victoria, were visiting Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. L. H. Hayes.

42nd Citizen Dead.

Henry J. Zinsmeister aged 74 years, 9 months and 17 days, died at the home of his son, L. H. Zinsmeister, Medina Lake, September 10, and was buried at Castroville. Deceased was born in New Orleans, La., November 24, 1853, and moved to Medina county with his parents when he was three years old. For the past thirty-five years he lived in Bandera county. He had been an invalid for some time. Surviving are his wife and three children, Hubert Zinsmeister, of Brackettville, L. H. Zinsmeister and Mrs. Anten Leibold. Our sympathies are extended to the bereaved family.

People Want Locations.

There is a growing demand here for small tracts of land along the river front. Scarcely a week passes but what some prospector is in Bandera looking for a homesite, or a small farm on the river near this town. Yesterday we had two callers who are anxious to secure a home near town where they can raise chickens and turkeys. Last week a prominent citizen of San Antonio was here looking for a homesite and a few days ago what he wants will build a summer home here. If you have land for sale a little ad in the New Era will help you to sell it.

Send Items In Early.

The New Era appreciates any news items you may send in, and we kindly ask that you do not wait until the last minute to send such items to us. Our forms are closed Wednesday afternoon; all items for publication should reach us on Tuesday preferably, but not later than Wednesday noon. Call us when you have visitors, or when you visit somebody else. The New Era is interested and we want you to help fill it with local news.

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On Trip to Arizona.

Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler accompanied by Street Hudspeth, left last Sunday for an extended tour through Arizona. They will visit Tucson, Seligman and various other cities while in Tucson they will probably see Lindbergh who is scheduled to be there some time this week.

Married

Judge H. Harper united in matrimony last Saturday John Cottle and Mrs. Kathleen Black, of Reno, Nevada.

Carlton's Orchestra.

Prof. Austin Carlton's Orchestra gave a special musical program at the Bandera Theater last Friday night in connection with the picture show. This orchestra will go to Hondo next Sunday for a special program at the Presbyterian church. Mr. Carlton's orchestra is composed of Prof. Austin Carlton, director; Miss Irene Carlton, pianist; Miss Jeanette Hunter and Glayda Creisdale, violins; Marvin Hunter, Jr., cello.

Lightning Strikes Comfort Power Plant

Comfort, Texas., Sept. 20.—Comfort was visited by a severe electrical storm, accompanied by rain, on Sunday night. The sub-station and switching tower of the Central Power and Light Company was struck by lightning. Two huge transformers were burned out, the entire switching and metering equipment, housed in a reinforced brick building was destroyed.

The fire alarm was sounded and the Comfort volunteer fire department responded promptly, and under the direction of the local manager, O. B. Wright, the resulting flames were extinguished. It was stated that the damage would run to about $10,000.

E. W. Franke, the company's district manager, came to Comfort on Monday and by 9 a. m. the connection between the distribution system and the electric light plant at Fisch's Mill was made. The same day a spare transformer was brought down from Fredericksburg and with the spare one here, replaced the one that was burned out. By 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning Comfort was again connected up with the "high line."

Lightning also struck a corner of D. Holekamp and Sons' store, burning up all electric, telephone and radio wires and the panes in five windows.

Girl Found Murdered

Fredericksburg, Tex., Sept. 20.—Officers of Austin and Houston were called on Tuesday night by Sheriff Alfred Kiserner of Gillespie County to assist in identifying the body of a girl, believed to have been between 12 and 14 years old, found in a shallow grave 10 miles north of here on the Fredericksburg-Mason Highway, about 100 yards from the much-traveled road.

Sheriff Kiserner expressed the belief that the girl had resided at either Austin or Houston, but he refused to divulge the nature of the clues which led him to this decision.

Residents of Fredericksburg saw a girl of her description with two men in an automobile a week or 10 days ago and also observed the same car coming back into town on the highway from the north.

A handkerchief and other articles found near the body may serve as clues to the identity of those responsible for the girl's death, officers said. Ashes found where a fire had been kindled were those of the girl's clothes, they believe. Her body was made waterproof by oil.

She was about four feet 10 inches tall, had red, bobbed hair and wore a 10-carat gold ring set with a ruby on the little finger of her right hand.

She had been murdered one week and she had been dead between eight and 10 days, according to Dr. Victor Keidel and Dr. O. B. Witte, both of Fredericksburg, who conducted an examination.

Sheriff Kiserner said he was positive neither the girl nor those implicated in her murder resided in the Fredericksburg section. No one had been reported missing, he said.

The body was found by Willie Scott and Henry Jost. The grave was not more than five or six inches deep and was hidden from view by a small clump of bushes, officers said.

The doctors who examined the body said the girl's skull had been crushed with some blunt instrument.

Of Interest to Ranchmen.

With the approach of the hunting season some of our ranchmen are beginning to lease hunting rights on their lands, and we deem it timely to call attention to the law governing the leasing of land for hunting purposes. It is required of the owner or manager of such land that he secure a license from the Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner, granting him the right to operate, and authorizing such person or persons on the lands leased for hunting purposes. The cost of this license is five dollars.

Married

Miss Ruth Hudspeth and Mr. Ben Hall were married in Kerrville last Saturday by Rev. Mr. Tabor. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Street Hudspeth, and is a popular young lady of Bandera. The groom is employed at the Bandera Garage, and is a young man of good character. The New Era joins their many friends in congratulations.

Sheriff Sells Cattle.

Sheriff Ben Hall sold a bunch of cattle belonging to Mrs. Ella Hall, at the Bandera Garage last Saturday afternoon. The cattle were sold to satisfy a judgment against Mrs. Hall.

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LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Coose and little son, of San Antonio, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Morris and little son is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale. We regret to report that Mr. R. L. Morris, who is in Kerrville under treatment, is not doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Reese and family visited in the home of W. A. Tobe Sunday.

Mrs. Hudspeth and Mr. Allen made a business trip to Laredo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reed were Kerrville visitors last Sunday.

The Law West of the Pecos

Judge Roy Bean. The Law West of the Pecos, sits on the front porch of his saloon, home, office and residence, still standing in the town of Langtry on Texas. He is the only peace officer west of the Pecos. Judge Bean sits on a bench, trying a horse thief who is a friend of his. Behind him. The stolen horse is Exhibit A in the right foreground. The law book is a well worn, dog eared, tattered and torn volume entitled "Martin Hunter's Rangers." Martin Hunter at Bandera, Texas, a copy having been received by the New Mexican. It is devoted entirely to stories by old timers of old times in Texas, tales of the Texas rangers, of border warfare, of battle and murder and Indian raids, of horse-stealing and bandits, of brave pioneer men and women of grim manhood and womanhood. Tales of his quaint justice grow and are told and retold around the campfires of the Rio Grande. Judge Bean's court is the most picturesque in the world. Tales of his quaint justice grow and are told and retold around the campfires of the Rio Grande. Judge Bean's court is the most picturesque in the world.

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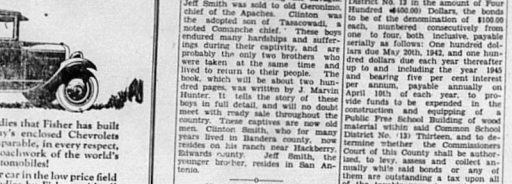

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A man who has a strong ambition to accomplish some specific purpose will eventually accomplish it if he clings to it, for the law of averages will not fail him.

Junction has taken another step forward. The citizens of that progressive town recently voted to incorporate. We hope to see the day soon come when Bandera will follow Junction's example.

Each well rounded life is when action expresses inner impulses. Concepts will die if life throbs are stifled by inaction. "Mute, inglorious Miltons leave no songs." The greatest social life has over savage is that social life gives man the opportunity of expression. It is by comparison of our own impressions with those of others that we are sure of our own.

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Abraham Lincoln said: "This country with its institutions belongs to the people who inhabit it. Whenever they shall grow weary of the existing government they can exercise their constitutional right of amending it, or their revolutionary right to dismember or overthrow it. Why should there not be a patient confidence in the ultimate justice of the people? Is there any better or equal hope in the world?" The consolidation of wealth, credit, resource and opportunity has gone steadily forward almost beyond the reach and against the best interests of the people through their own neglect to apply the means in their power—Lincoln's "ultimate justice." If consolidation of government is the handiwork of a few can also be accomplished beyond supervision control and regulation of the "mob" than, indeed, will "government of the people, for the people and by the people have perished and these dead will have died in vain."

What profiteth a man if he can speak Latin, Creek, Sanskrit and Hebrew, if his knowledge has not put him in touch with mankind? What the world needs is not so much information on ancient history and dead languages, but practical information that will enable people to render assistance to others with whom he has to mingle in various relations of commerce and society. Education that does not prepare one for usefulness and helpfulness, but tends rather to make one hypercritical and superciliousness, worth one's time. What we are most concerned about is how to live so that we will have both health of body and vigor of mind, kindliness of spirit and tenderness of soul. We want to be able to love sincerely, unselfishly and to create a return a friendly interest. Knowledge is a splendid thing, when by the application of the knowledge something good can be accomplished and the work of the world be made more congenial for all those who are struggling hard to earn an honest living.

Power, and the firm will now be known as H. P. Power & Son. I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to all who have favored me with their patronage in the past, and I respectfully solicit a continuation of their trade, with the assurance to all that we will sell you the best goods at the lowest prices.—H. P. Power.

Miss Zella Mae Price is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eldridge Brazil, at Camp Verde, this week.

Frank E. White and his father, J. A. White, were over from Kerrville yesterday on business.

Mrs. Jone Fuller spent Monday and Tuesday with friends in San Antonio.

Just received a new lot of Ladies' Fall Hats, newest styles.—Mrs. T. Dennis.

G. W. Banta, at Medina, will pay 10c per pound for peach seed.

Another New Book.

"The Boy Captives," a book dealing with the captivity of Clint and Jeff Smith, will be off the press in a few days and ready for distribution. The Smith brothers, who are known to nearly all of our old timers, were captured by Comanche Indians near Dripping Springs in- 1869, and spent about five years among the savages. Jeff Smith was sold to old Geronimo, chief of the Apaches. Clinton was the adopted son of Tasacowadi, a noted Comanche chief. These boys endured many hardships and sufferings during their captivity, and probably the only two brothers who were taken at the same time and lived to return to their people. The book, which will be about two hundred pages, was written by J. Marvin Hunter. It tells the story of these boys in full detail, and will no doubt meet with ready sale throughout the country. These captives are now old men. Clinton Smith, who for many years lived in Bandera county, now resides on his ranch near Hackberry, Edwards county. Jeff Smith, the younger brother, resides in San Antonio.

Watch the Country Boy

Speaking of a farm boy friend of his that recently graduated with honors, though paying all his school expenses by work before and after school hours, Dick McCarty, editor of the Albany News, paid tribute to the country boy.

"You can't tell about these country boys. They take polish like a diamond, and, invariably, they sparkle and shine in the race up the ladder of knowledge. Oh, yes, keep your eyes on the country boy; he may have corns in his hands, his shoulders may be somewhat stooped from plowing and grubbing but when he pitches the grubbing hoe into the corner and bangs up the plow shares and gets into the chase after a mental diet, he usually has the ball over the fence and crosses the home plate and tallies a score. No, you can't tell. A farm boy has just hopped across the Atlantic and lit in Paris.

The country boy is no smarter than the town or city boy, but if you will watch the school reports you will see that most of the honors are being carried off by country boys—the country girls also. And a little study will give you the answer to why this is so. Most country boys and girls begin performing useful labor early in life. They help earn the money that pays their expenses in school, and knowing that the money comes only after hard toil, they see that they cannot afford to throw their time away, and so they make every hour in school count. And there are so many things to attract their attention after school hours, that, instead of spending the nights at entertainments or on the streets, they give their time to their studies. Also, as a rule, you will find that the country furnishes the salutatorian and valedictorian.—Honey Grove Signal.

Auto Killings Gaining Rapidly

Chicago, Sept. 17.—The great national army of automobile killings continues at a quickened pace—so much in fact that it is becoming something like a natural catastrophe.

So far this year auto killings have been running 3 hundred per cent to 5 per cent above 1926, and according to the National Safety Council, past experience shows that the probability will be about 5 per cent for the year. The months have always run heavier in the number of deaths than during the first half of the year.

This means that nearly 25,000 persons will have been killed by automobile accidents before the year is out. For the first seven months the deaths by 11,455, compared with 11,000 a year ago.

People are being slaughtered at such a rate in Chicago that the city is suddenly becoming concerned over the problem. So far train men have been killed in this county—an increase of approximately 50 per cent over last year.

The National Safety Council reports that whatever real safety campaigns are on foot and laws properly enforced, the deaths from auto accidents decrease rapidly. They urge the licensing of drivers, the examination and strict enforcement of traffic laws. "When drivers are licensed there will naturally is a special incentive to drive carefully because of the fear of having this license revoked. The council advises. "Of course, these laws are much like the prohibition law—they must be enforced to be effective, but professional drivers bread and butter depends upon having a license to operate a car. The threat to take it away in case they are careless induces careful driving. One community we know of with 11,000 licensed drivers, never has had an accident in speeding among its men."

In its campaign Chicago is going to employ the radio and the schools principally. All radio stations are to have five-minute talks on safety while special instruction is to be provided for the children, a start in which that already provided for. Posters are being distributed and safety pledges provided to be signed by parents and pupils.

The trouble in Chicago is, however, as pointed out by newspapers and the safety council, that the city makes very little effort to enforce most of the laws and has no provision for controlling drivers. There are many laws on other cities in the same boat.

To prevent big slaughter it could be ed on eventually to awaken the people to the need for regulation.

Good Tract For Sale.

320 acres across river from Bandera, $25 per acre, 1½ have several good farms and ranches at bargain prices. See me if you want a farm or ranch.—Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 8th day of October A. D. 1927, at the Crockett School house in Common School District No. Thirteen (13) of this County, as established by order of the County Commissioners Court on the 30th day of May, 1915, which is of record in the Minutes of the Commissioners Court of Bandera County, Texas, in Book No. 6 at pages 247 et seq, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property tax paying voters of said district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said Common School District No. 13 in the amount of Four Hundred ($400.00) Dollars, the bonds to be of the denomination of $100.00 each, numbered consecutively from one to four, both inclusive, payable serially as follows: One hundred dollars due May 20th, 1942, and one hundred dollars due each year thereafter up to and including the year 1945 and bearing five per cent interest per annum, payable annually on April 10th of each year, to provide funds to be expended in the construction and equipping of a Public Free School Building of wood material within said Common School District No. (13) Thirteen, and to determine whether the Commissioners Court of this County shall be authorized, to levy, assess and collect annually while said bonds or any of them are outstanding a tax upon all of the taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident property tax payers in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "For the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof" and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof".

Carl P. Wheeler has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two Judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County by order made on the 7th day of September, and this notice is given in pursuance thereof.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the day of publication before the return day hereof:

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the estate of Henry Y. Zinsmeister Deceased, Louis H. Zinsmeister has filed in the County Court of Bandera County an application for the Probate of the Last Will and Testament of said Henry Y. Zinsmeister, Deceased, together with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, convening on the Third Monday in October A. D. 1927, the same being the 17th day of October A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 20th day of September A. D. 1927

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Regular meeting of Bandera Chapter, No. 643, O. E. S., on Friday night, October 7, 7 o'clock, in the Masonic hall. All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

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Pioneer-Indian Battle.

An Indian-Pioneer battle, the like of which has not been seen since the palmy days of Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show, is a surprise feature of the coming meeting of the Old Trail Drivers' Association in San Antonio next month, it became known when George W. Saunders announced that he had obtained a band of full blood Comanche Indians from Fort Sill, Okla., to supply the Indian part of the action.

The pioneers in the battle will be genuine Texas pioneers and their descendants and in this respect the show will be more authentic than any Buffalo Bill ever was able to produce.

The battle will be given four nights at Garrett Field on North Flores Street, beginning October 6 during the Old Trail Drivers' convention and will be preceded by fully two days under the Old Trail Drivers' Association auspices for the benefit of the Old Trail Drivers' monument fund.

George W. Saunders has written the battle story and stage directions and the title which is "Full Blooded Comanches from Fort Sill Okla., Attacking Colonel Bowers's Immigrant Train on the Texas Plains."

The stage directions begin as follows: "Dance of thrills for the spectators, and are as follows:

First Act—Indians with their squaws will enter the grounds with their drags attached to their ponies, camp and unload their equipment, put up their tepees, build campfires, showing their mode of living in their wild state. They will play tom-toms and dance different dances.

"An old scout from Colonel Bowers' immigrant train will ride into the an Indian scout from this band of Indians. The dead Indian is found and brought to camp, which causes great confusion. The Indians break camp and move off to prepare for war. The immigrant train appears on the ground, led by the old scout and Colonel Bowers, each wagon has a guard, riding, carrying a gun. They circle the grounds, the old scout leaves the train for a short time, comes back excited and informs the Indians coming. They corral the wagons, put all women and children in the corral, tie all horses to wagon wheels and prepare for the attack.

The Indians charge the wagons under heavy fire from the immigrants. Indians circle the corral on fleet ponies in single file, shooting into the corral, the fire from the immigrants sets lighter and lighter and circle, nearer, thinking they had killed most of the immigrants. Several Indians are killed, riderless horses running pell-mell, confusion intense, screams from the women and children heard. Smart-rendering. Colonel Bowers attempts to get a scalp from a dead Indian nearby and is wounded, his high hat is taken by an Indian, who carries the hat in front. An Indian shoots a burning arrow into one of the wagons and sets it afire, more screams and more confusion.

"One girl thinking that all the wagons are afire, takes chances of escaping across the plains, running like a deer. An Indian pursues and captures her, lifts her on his horse and darts away only to be killed by a guard, who rescues and takes the girl back to the corral. The old scout on the plains and gets 13 cowboys allys out and goes to some trail herds and returns just in the nick of time. 13 cowboys charges the Indians, yelling, the Indians retreat and hold council. Cowboys dismount at wagons and give first aid, remount and charge the Indians. Indians run, cowboys pursue, and they have a running battle for several miles. Dead and wounded Indians and cowboys are scattered on the plains. They have a hand to hand battle, cowboys show courage and bravery. Indians falling fast. Colonel Bowers kills Indian, recovers his high hat. Cowboy victory."

Born, to Mr and Mrs. Bays Atkins, September 17, a boy.

Elmo Newcomer of Pipe Creek, was in town Saturday.

Chas. Gray and family, of Medina Lake, were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Saul, of Pipe Creek, were in town Saturday.

T. B. Welch and Mrs. H. Rohrbach were here from Pipe Creek Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker and infant son, of Kerrville, were in Bandera Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton were given a delightful surprise party at their home last Friday night.

Mr and Mrs. O. Hicks have our thanks for a generous supply of extra large pears, brought in Monday.

Mrs. Lon Joiner and daughters, Misses Lee and Fleeta, and Miss Annie Belle Stevens, were in from Mason Creek Saturday.

Misses Irez and Neva Silvers and Louis Dean, of Tarpley, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Burnes Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. O. Brock, of San Antonio, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hicks. She returned home Monday.

C. W. Davis favored the editor with a nice string of fish which he caught in the Medina Sunday, and for which he has our thanks.

Misses Martha and Hermine Habenicht and Edward Schmitt, of San Antonio, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht last week.

R. N. Piggott and son, Jesse Padgett, of Tarpley, went over to Kerrville last Saturday and bought a fine ram from J. T. Liles, the well known breeder.

Frank Hodges who has been employed in San Antonio for the past few months was here over the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hodges.

R. E. Buck, of Pipe Creek, was in town Saturday and dropped in to renew the New Era subscription for his sister, Mrs. J. E. Callaham, at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows, Mrs. W. Meadows and Mrs. Hall Meadows and Mrs. A. F. Carlton were among the Bandera visitors to San Antonio Saturday.

James Emerson, principal of the Utopia School, was here over last week-end, visiting his sister, Miss Mattie Emerson, who is a teacher in Bandera High school.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Williams, Mrs. Lorenzo Lowery and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Walker, and baby, all of Kerrville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John T. Walker on Chalk Creek.

Rev. Irs Garrison, pastor of the First Baptist church at Pipe City in this section, renewed subscription to the New Era this week and says: "We enjoy the New Era very much; it is just like a letter from home. You are giving us a splendid paper."

Trail Drivers' Dance.

There will be a big dance given at the Fuller Hall at Medina next Saturday night for the benefit of the Old Trail Drivers' Monument Fund. Everybody invited to come and have a good time.

Mrs. L. Derry, of San Antonio and Mrs. Pat Lenore, of Dallas, were here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart and son, Leo, went to San Antonio last Saturday.

L. H. Zinsmeister, of Medina Lake, was a business visitor to Bandera, Saturday.

Old Lane and son, George, and Frank Lankford went to San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Fisher, of San Antonio, were registered at the Riverside Inn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bishop and family, of San Antonio, spent Sunday at the Riverside Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Schultz and little daughter, of San Antonio, spent several days at the Inn last week.

Fred A. L. Daggett, of San Antonio, was here several days last week and a guest at the Riverside Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Whitfield and little daughter, Elizabeth, of San Antonio, visited at the Riverside Inn last week.

Mrs. Amelia Clark, Sr., and Mrs. Charlie Schreiber, Jr., have our thanks for a varied assortment of fresh vegetables from their gardens. We appreciate the kindness of these good ladies.

We are putting in a new line of Mansfield Tires, in connection with our Firestone line. These tires are giving splendid satisfaction wherever used, and they carry a standard guarantee. Come in and see them.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

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Mrs. Mary Pue was adjudged insane by a jury here Monday morning and Will A. Pue, her son, was appointed guardian.

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MISCELLANEOUS NEWS ITEMS.

Ferdinand Herff, 74, pioneer San Antonio business man died this city last Sunday night. He was the son of the late Dr. Ferdinand Herff, well known throughout Southwest Texas.

Wybel Crigs, age twelve, of Santa Rosa, Texas, was struck by lightning and instantly killed late Saturday. His father standing nearby was stunned by the same stroke.

Ida T. Schreider, and Adele Addicks, 16-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Addicks, recently from Georgia, were killed in a Riverside Washington Terrace bus of the Houston Company collided with a light sedan at a street intersection in Houston Sunday.

The bodies of Lieut. Eaten Booth, Naval aviation mechanics, C. S. Harrison and Kenneth McCrae, who were killed in the crash of their Naval plane on the Mobawe desert near Lancaster Saturday, were sent to San Diego in an automobile hearse.

Mrs. Ada Simms, 75, of Dallas was burned to death early Sunday when her dress was ignited while filling a kerosene stove. The fire from her clothing spread to the room and did approximately $1,000 damage to the rooming house in which she lived.

Matthew Brentwood Oklahoma outlaw was found guilty of murder by a district court jury at Okmulgee, Okla. and given the death penalty.

William Fraser, 65, a herdsman on a farm near Dodson, a few miles south of Kansas City, was pawed and gored to death by a maddened bull Sunday. William Piper, another employe at the farm, was slightly injured when he attempted to rescue Fraser.

Probably several thousand families of refugees, many with their homes destroyed in consequence of the flooding of perhaps 20 towns and villages and large areas of farm land in the States of Guanajuato, Morelos and Mexico by the inundations from the Lerma river.

Ed Henry 219½ North St. Mary's Ed Henry, 219½ North St. Mary's Phone San Antonio, 3 in a hospital with a bullet hole in his head, not expected to live, following a shooting in the 500 block on Matamoras Street Sunday.

T. A. Shockley, who lives near Mansfield, stopped to pick up a good looking hat near the Sycamore Creek bridge just outside the city limits early Sunday Morning. No sooner had the hat been brought to the side than two negroes stepped out and robbed him of $22.

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Frank Montague went to San Antonio Monday.

L. A. Heiser, of near Medina, was in town Tuesday.

Lee Walker, of Medina, was a visitor in town Friday.

Mrs. Adolf Kutner and children, visited Boerne last Monday.

Miss Hazel Geeslin is visiting friends and relatives in San Antonio.

I. D. Adamietz went to San Antonio on business last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Reyfield visited friends in Austin last week-end.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rose, at San Antonio, September 16, a girl.

Miss Edna Fischer spent last week in San Antonio with friends and relatives.

Charles Neal, and Charlie Bauer, left, of Medina, were in Bandera last Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Wyatt and children were visiting Monday from their home on Mason Creek.

Ed Langford had a very seriously wounded hand caused from being bitten by a dog.

Ed Mansfield announces a vlance at his Drill on next first Saturday in the month.

Pat Perot was over from Comfort Tuesday, shaking hands with his many friends in Bandera.

Miss Evelyn Mansfield left last Monday for Austin where she will attend the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cordes and two daughters, Thomas Dwyer and Hazel went to Hondo last Friday.

Fred Cordes, Bandera, will pay four cents per pound for peach seeds delivered at his place, this month.

Jesse Monavetz, of Hobson, Texas, was here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Thomas Monavetz, last week.

Vincent Zamora, of San Antonio, is here to spend a month visiting his daughter, Mrs. Old Lane, and family.

Mrs. Old Lane returned home last Sunday from San Antonio where she has been visiting the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson and children, of Victoria, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes a few days this week.

If your sheep and goats have stomach worms use Nema Capsules. They do the work. You can get them at Billings & Lee's Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Villeneuie of Pipe Creek, visited Mr. and Mrs. Philip Villeneuie of Privilege, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Thornton, and baby, of Fairview, are here for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billings have moved back to Tarpley from Calliham where they have spent the last few years.

F. A. Whitley and Ayler Callahan, of Pipe Creek, left last Sunday for El Rio, Uvalde, New Mexico and other points on business.

We have for sale a new 1926 model Chevrolet Touring Car, good rubber, newly painted; Thirty-day guarantee. Price $550.00.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

"Let's Get Married," at Bandera Theater tomorrow night.

The Davenport Mill.
A. P. Carlton, manager of the Davenport Grist Mill, announces that he can supply corn meal, chops etc. in any quantity. Custom grinding a specialty. Newly equipped with modern machinery. Your patronage will be appreciated.

Peach Seeds Wanted.
We are in the market for peach seeds, and have arrangements with Mr. O. W. Burris to buy for us at Medina, and with Fred Coerrove to buy for us at Bandera. Will pay four cents per pound delivered to either of the above named during this month.—Monty Brothers, Kerrville Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Heinen and children went to San Antonio last Saturday.

Hayden Mansfield returned yesterday from Paul's Grove where he has been giving rodeos every Sunday.

Mrs. Janet Currie has returned from San Antonio and is spending awhile with her mother, Mrs. George Hay.

Dr. Butler was called to see Mrs. Pete Anderwald one day last week. She was quite ill for awhile, but we are pleased to report that she has fully recovered.

Our little friend, Lucile Mason, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mason, has been quite sick this week.

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The First National Bank has just received the first one dollar per capita on the tax appropriated for the Bandera County Scholastics.

Lane Langford, who is in training at a barber college at San Antonio, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Langford.

Mrs. Frost Woodhull and Mrs. Susie Gamel, of San Antonio, spent an enjoyable outing here Thursday and Friday, and while here they were pleasant visitors at the New Era office.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gamel and fishing party, of Harper, were in Bandera last Sunday enroute home from the Medina Lake. They spent the day on the Lake and report a splendid time.

Capt. Leopold Haby and son, Arnold, were here from Medina Lake region Monday, and Captain Haby took occasion to renew his subscription to both the New Era and Frontier Times.

Hon. L. W. Kemp, of Houston, was a business visitor in Bandera Monday, and paid this office an appreciated call. Mr. Kemp is connected with the Texaco Oil Co. in an official capacity, and was here in the interest of that firm.

WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—Ford truck. Warford shift, new rubber, with front and rear gears, recent motor overhaul. Can be seen at Gray's Garage.

FOR SALE—I have some choice young bulls and Persian Holstein males for sale. See me before buying elsewhere.—J. H. Bruce. 6tp.

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WANTED—Ranch in Bandera county. Submit full description and price first letter.—A. L. Aycock, Luling, Texas. 4tp

FOR SALE—Carbide Light Plant, in good condition; practically new; very cheap.—Oscar W. Perner.

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car, new paint, good rubber. Also Ford roadster, good condition, upholster, tires, etc. If you want a good car cheap see Oscar W. Perner at once.

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The Kalka Mill

I have leased the Henry Kalka Mill, near the court house, and beginning September 26, will grind corn, corn meal, etc. Your patronage solicited.—Elton Clark. 3tc

Old Lane and family went to Kerrville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short made a short visit to San Antonio last Monday.

Just received a new lot of Ladies' Full Hats, tweed styles.—Mrs. T. R. Dennis.

Shelton Simpson and Miss Edith North made a visit to Kerrville last Saturday.

Ed Mansfield has discontinued his rodeo at Paul's Grove and moved his stock back home.

Frank Hodges left yesterday for College Station where he will attend A & M College.

Oscar Perner is offering some bargains this week, for quick sale. See him at his shop on Main street.

O. W. Davis, at Medina, will pay four cents per pound for peach seeds during this month.

Miss Lizzie Hamilton, who recently came here from Hondo, has accepted a position as saleslady in the dry goods department of M. Boyle's store.

We are putting in a new line of Mansfield Tires in connection with our Firestone line. These tires are giving splendid satisfaction wherever sold, and they carry a standard guarantee. Come in and see them.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Good Tract For Sale.

220 acres seven miles from Bandera, $25 per acre. I have several good tracts and sizes at cheaper prices. See me if you want a farm or ranch.—Hal S. Hudspeth, the Texas Man.

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I. C. Caton, of Snyder, is visiting his son, Ed Caton, and wife.

Mrs. Ira T. Bell, of Houston, is visiting her brother, Ed Caton, and wife.

Miss Kate Gillespie, who teaches at Lima, spent last week-end with Miss Inez Gilbert.

Mrs. Ed Crist and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Holcomb made a trip to Kerrville Monday.

Mrs. Schotta, of Kerrville, and Mrs. Kate Winkler, of Stockdale, visited Mrs. Wm. Hatfield Monday. Mrs. Winkler left with Mrs. Sherrill at Kerrville.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Adams and children, of Tuff, spent last week-end with Mrs. Adams mother, Mrs. Judith Baker.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mrs. Ed Caton last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mayfield, of San Marcos, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. DuBose, of Houston, visited Mrs. DuBose's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. A Sherrill, last week.

Mrs. Josie Justice has returned from the hospital and is doing nicely at present.

W. H. H. Davis is at Comfort taking medical treatment.

Notice to Medina Subscribers.

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Married Last Monday.

Judge Thomas Harper performed the ceremony last Monday which united in marriage Mr. Richard Lambert and Miss Nellie Dromgoole, of San Antonio. Mr. Lambert is a member of the San Antonio fire department.

Uvalde County Clerk Indicted and Resigns

Uvalde, Texas, Sept. 24—J. W. Graham, County Clerk, was named in three indictments returned by the grand jury here Saturday charging him with giving false certificate, forgery and extortion.

Graham is alleged to have changed a warrant issued to himself from $11.65 to $511.65. The warrant was cashed at Sabinal. Graham resigned and A. B. Luce was appointed to act in his place.

Principal at Fairview

Noel Varner and wife, of Marfa, came in last Sunday and will make their home in Fairview where Mr. Varner will be principal of the school the coming year.—Floresville Chronicle-Journal.

Community Club

A meeting was held at the Pipe Creek school house Saturday night, September 17th, for the purpose of organizing a club. A Community Club was organized with Mrs. Edith Edwards, president, and Mrs. Bush, secretary and treasurer. A Chicken Day was set for the following Monday, September the 19th. Thirteen dollars and twenty cents was received for chickens. A pie and box supper was given on Saturday the 25th. Twenty six dollars and eighty cents was netted.

The boys have constructed a sand table, and the girls have put up curtains.

REPORTER.

2 Soldiers From Fort Sam Taken To Austin

Austin, Sept. 27—Two additional soldiers from Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, were taken by Fredericksburg examined and questioned Tuesday night in connection with the slaying of a young girl whose body was discovered in a hole near Fredericksburg, the College County aberiff said in a long distance telephone message here Tuesday night.

The sheriff declined to reveal whether either man had been identified as the slayer, but does not want to talk tonight. We may have something to-morrow."

Meanwhile, Fredericksburg authorities said that a third soldier was under arrest at Camp Mabry, San Antonio, suspected of the slaying. Crane City, Texas, girl is safe in Wichita Falls, Miss Crane's mother and sister who came to Fredericksburg to look at the body disagreed the motive saying that it was not that of her child, the daughter believing it to be.

Man Thinks Victim His Wif.

Fredericksburg, Texas, Sept. 27.—Believing the body of a young girl found in a shallow grave near Fredericksburg may be that of his wife, 16.—J. L. Marsden of Childress Tuesday night left for Fredericksburg to view the body.

Young Marsden, who is 21, went from the Fredericksburg district to Childress Sept. 19, expecting to locate there and later send for his young wife, who expected to join him. He said Tuesday night he had been unable to get any word from her since his departure.

Church and Parsonage to Be Painted.

We understand the Baptist church building in this city is to be given a new coat of paint, and will also be repainted inside. The parsonage nearby will also be painted and renovated.

No Mistake About It.

We have said a remedy some time ago that he did not believe people, as a rule, read the advertisements in a newspaper, as he himself never read them. Just a few days ago the same man came to our office to inquire about a certain tract of land we had advertised. He must have read the advertisement. Everybody reads the advertisements in the Bandera New Era. Better try one. Just place an ad in our News Column when you desire for sale and Graham is alleged to have changed a warrant issued to himself from $11.65 to $511.65. The warrant was cashed at Sabinal. Graham resigned and A. B. Luce was appointed to act in his place.

Will Wed Today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Jr., and Leslie and Jake Short went to Ozona yesterday to attend the wedding of Jake Short and Miss Floy Clark Stuart, which takes place at the home of the bride at Ozona today.

Visiting in Arizona.

The New Era is in receipt of a card from Dr. and Mrs. I. O. Butler, who are visiting in Arizona, stating that they had arrived at Tucson safely and would attend the Lambert reception there. They will be absent from home two weeks.

Mr. John Heinen spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, who spent the past month in Bandera, have removed to Pipe Creek, where Mr. Thomas is teaching school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B Dix and little daughter, Dorothy, of San Antonio, were visitors at the Riverside Inn during the week-end.

Parcel Post Mail Rifled

Postal authorities at Austin were starting investigations into a theft of a quantity of parcel post mail rifled from a mail storage car destined for San Antonio, it was learned Monday night.

The lock was broken from the car and the package rifled somewhere between Texarkana and Longview Junction, according to local postal officials. The robbery was discovered at the Palmetto transfer and postal clerks immediately relocked the car and forwarded it to San Antonio.

When the train arrived at Austin J. C. Lindland, inspector in charge of the district, ordered all undelivered packages removed from the car there and ordered the car to proceed to San Antonio.

Postal inspectors in San Antonio declared Monday night that there was no way of checking up for further losses because no record was kept of packages carried in the car.

Rifled packages taken from the car at Austin are expected to furnish a clew for inspectors for running down the theft.

The robbery Sunday night was the second reported on that division of the Missouri Pacific within the last six months. Three men were arrested six months ago following a series of similar thefts. In that car they shattered the glass from the end door of the car and removed the latch to gain entrance.

Will Build Garage.

We are informed that Lester Heinen has secured the lot on the corner opposite the postoffice, belonging to the Woodmen of the World, and will at once erect a garage and filling station thereon. We understand he will take over the agency for Star automobiles, now held by Oscar Perner, and will also handle the Fisher agency for Case farm implements.

Jailed on Complaint of Girls

Arrested on the complaints of four young Boerne-hearted girls who claim he enticed them away from their homes to serve as "nurse" in bootlegging establishments in San Antonio, a middle-aged Burnett street man was held in the city jail Monday pending the filing of formal charges against him.

Declaring that they have been shamed since the man brought them here from the country on the pretense of getting them good jobs, the girls, who were discovered by detectives, have signified their willingness to appear against the man in court.

The man was placed under arrest by Chief of Detectives William F. Green Sunday night.

According to the girls' story, they came here and were forced to work in bootlegging houses with the promise that they would get better jobs soon.

Instead, however, they reported that they were compelled to dispense Austin ale and whiskey and to accept the attentions of strange men to whom their employer introduced them.

All of the girls said that they lived near San Antonio and that they had tired of rural life.—San Antonio Light.

"At the Picture Show.

The picture to be shown at Bandera tomorrow night will be "Devil Dodger," featuring Rob Leonard, a comedy is to be "Busy Birds." As usual, you can expect a good picture for that will furnish plenty of thrills and excitement. Usual prices.

Raiss Fall Over County.

Good rains have fallen in various parts of the county this week, which are of great benefit to the range, also will help the grain crops which have been recently planted. A cold norther arrived Tuesday to remind us that winter is not so far away.

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Mrs. Poe Critically Ill.
We regret to learn that Mrs. A. V. Poe, of Larson's Creek, who has been seriously ill for some time, is no better, but her illness has reached a critical stage. Mrs. Poe is under the most skilled nursing and medical attention, and we truly hope her condition will soon change for the better.

Buying Bandera County Products.
Frank Davila, enterprising San Antonio business man has an advertisement in this issue of the New Era. Mr. Davila, whose establishment is located at 1102 E. Pecan Street, is in the market for cattle, corn and oats, and will pay best prices. If you have such things to sell call him up at Travis 2314.

Leased Ranch.
A. E. Merritt, of Kerrville has leased the Booker Davenport ranch on West Verde and bought about 2200 goats from Love and Elam.

Attends Association Meeting.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hicks, Misses Allen Buck, Eloise Corley, Elizabeth Bryde, Ruth Latimer, Ruth Davenport and Tommy Mansfield and Raymond Hicks attended the annual convention of the Medina River B. Y. P. U. association at Kerrville last Sunday.

Bean Geste.
That wonderful picture, "Beau Geste," will be shown at the Arcadia Theater in Kerrville today and tomorrow. See the advertisement on this page. If weather conditions permit quite a number of Bandera people will go to Kerrville to see this big picture.

Injured Hand.
Miss Elsie Corley very painfully hurt her finger while she was sewing last week, by running a needle through the finger nail and also through the nail. It did not prove serious and is healing fast.

Remodeling Residence.
C. Y. Billings, the druggist, is remodeling his residence in the western part of the city. A room is being added and other improvements are being made.

J. R. Burns was over from Tarpley Tuesday, and reported everything flourishing in his community.

Misses Cecilia and Estell Blakeney, of San Antonio, attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Clyde Ellis, which took place here yesterday.

Mrs. Heck Jones Dead.
Mrs. Ida Jones died at her home in Kerrville on Wednesday night, September 21, after an illness of several months duration. Funeral services were conducted at the Jones cemetery on Myrtle Creek last Thursday by Rev. C. E. Wheat, pastor of the Kerrville Methodist church.

Deceased was born in 1873, and was the wife of John Henry Jones. She is also survived by her four children, Rand, Earl, Andrew and Miss Vida Jones, one brother, Hill Jones, of this county, and one sister, Mrs. Margie Horton, of El Paso. Before her marriage she was Miss Ida Jones.

Mrs. Jones resided in Bandera county practically all of her life, and was highly esteemed by all who knew her, for she was a splendid neighbor, a devoted wife and tender mother. She was stricken with illness several months ago, which necessitated her removal to Kerrville for treatment, and there all that medical skill could suggest and careful nursing could do was done to relieve her, but to no avail. The news of her death came as a great shock to all of her friends throughout this section. We deeply sympathize with the bereaved family.

Mrs. Thelma Gene Ellis Dead.
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Mrs. Ira T. Bell, of Houston, is visiting her brother, Ed Caton, and wife.

Miss Kate Gillespie, who teaches at Lima, spent last week-end with Miss Inez Gilbert.

Mrs. Ed Crist and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Holcomb made a trip to Kerrville Monday.

Mrs. Schotts, of Kerrville, and Mrs. Kate Winkler, of Stockdale, visited Mrs. Wm. Hatfield Monday.

Mrs. Whaler has been visiting Mrs. Shotts at Kerrville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliff Adams and children, of Tuff, spent last week-end with Mr. Adams mother, Mrs. Judith Baker.

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mrs. Ed Caton last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mayfield, of San Marcos, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. DuBose, of Houston, visited Mrs. DuBose's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Sherrill, last week.

Mrs. Josie Justice has returned from the hospital and is doing nicely at present.

W. H. H. Davis is at Comfort taking medical treatment.

Notice to Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's Store in Medina, is the New Era's duly authorized representative in Medina, and subscribers wishing to pay their subscription accounts are requested to hand in the money to Miss Smith. A number of our subscribers in that community are delinquent, and we will appreciate settlement and renewal.

Married Last Monday.

Judge Herman Harper performed the ceremony last Monday which united in marriage Mr. Richard C. Lambert and Miss Thelma Dromgoole, of San Antonio. Mr. Lambert is a member of the San Antonio fire department.

Uvalde County Clerk Indicted and Resigns

Uvalde, Texas, Sept. 24.—W. Graham County Clerk, was named in three indictments returned by the grand jury here Saturday charging him with giving false certificate, forgery and extortion.

Graham is alleged to have changed a warrant issued to himself from $11.65 to $511.65. The warrant was cashed at Eakel. Graham resigned and A. B. Lace was appointed to act in his place.

Principal at Fairview

Noel Varner and wife, of Marfa, came in last Sunday and will make their home in Fairview where Mr. Varner will be principal of the school the coming year.—Floresville Chronicle-Journal.

Community Club

A meeting was held at the Pipe Creek school house Saturday night, September 17th, for the purpose of organizing a club. A Community Club was organized with Mrs. Ruth Edwards, president, and Mrs. Bush, secretary and treasurer. A Chicken Day was set for the following Monday, September the 19th. Thirteen and twenty cents was received for chickens. A pie and box supper was given on Saturday the 20th. Twenty six dollars and eighty cents was netted.

The boys have constructed a sand table, and the girls have put up curtains.

REPORTER.

Soldiers From Fort Sam Taken To Murder Scene

Austin, Sept. 27.—Two additional soldiers from Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, were taken to Fredericksburg examined and questioned Tuesday night in connection with the slaying of a young girl whose body was discovered in a hole near Fredericksburg, the Gillespie County sheriff said in a long distance telephone message here Tuesday night.

The sheriff declined to reveal whether either man had been identified, saying "We don't want to talk tonight. We may have something tomorrow."

Meanwhile, Fredericksburg authorities said that a message had been received saying that Billie Owens, missing Crane City, Texas, girl is safe in Wichita Falls. Miss Owens' mother and sister who came to Fredericksburg to look at the body disagreed the mother saying that it was not that of her child, the daughter believing it to be.

Man Thinks Victim His Wif.

Amarillo, Texas Sept. 27.—Believing the body of a young girl found in a shallow grave near Fredericksburg may be that of his wife, 16-r. L. Marsden of Childress Tuesday night left for Fredericksburg to view the body.

Young Marsden, who is 21, went from the Fredericksburg district to Childress Sept. 19, expecting to locate there and later send for his young wife, who expected to join him. He said Tuesday night he had been unable to get any word from her since his departure.

Church and Parsonage to Be Painted.

We understand the Baptist church building in this city is to be given a new coat of paint, and will also be renovated inside. The parsonage property will also be painted and renovated.

No Mistake About It.

We heard a man remark some time ago that he did not believe people, as a rule, read the advertisements in a newspaper, as he himself never read them. Just a few days later the man came to our office to inquire about a certain tract of land we had advertised. He must have read the advertisement. Everybody reads the advertisements in the New Era. If you don't think so, just place an ad in our Want Column offering something for sale and see if you don't get answers to your ad. No mistake about it.

Will Wed Today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Jr., and Leslie and Jake Short went to Boerne yesterday to attend the wedding of Jake Short and Miss Foy Clara Stuart, which takes place at the home of the bride, at Onona, today.

Visiting in Arizona.

The New Era is in receipt of a card from Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler, who are visiting in Arizona, stating that they had arrived at Tucson safely and would attend the Lindbergh reception there. They will be absent from home two weeks.

Mrs. John Heinen spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, who spent the past month in Bandera, have removed to Pipe Creek, where Mr. Thomas is teaching school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dix and little daughter, Dorothy, of San Antonio, were visitors at the Riverside Inn during the week-end.

Parcel Post Mail Rifled

Postal authorities at Austin were starting investigations into a theft of a quantity of parcel post mail rifled from a mail storage car destined for San Antonio, it was learned Monday night.

The look was broken from the car and the package rifled somewhere between Texarkana and Longview Junction, according to local postal officials. The robbery was discovered at the Palestine transfer and postal clerks immediately rebolted the car and forwarded it to San Antonio.

When the train arrived at Austin J. C. Lindland, inspector in charge of the district, ordered all mutilated packages removed from the car there and ordered the car to proceed to San Antonio.

Postal inspectors in San Antonio declared Monday night that there was no way of checking up for further losses because no record was kept of packages carried in the car.

Rifled packages taken from the car at Austin are expected to furnish a clew for inspectors for running down the thief.

The robbery Sunday night was the second reported on that division of the Missouri Pacific within the last six months. Three men were arrested six months ago following a series of similar thefts. In that car they shattered the glass from the end door of the car and removed the latch to gain entrance.

Will Build Garage.

We are informed that Lester Heinen has secured the lot on the corner opposite the postoffice, belonging to the Woodmen of the World, and will at once erect a garage and filling station thereon. We understand he will take over the agency for Star automobiles, now held by Oscar Perner, and will also handle the agency for Case farm implements.

Jailed on Complaint of Girls

Arrested on the complaints of four young broken-hearted girls who claim he enticed them away from their homes to serve as "lures" in bootlegging establishments in San Antonio, a middle-aged Burnett street man was held in the city jail Monday pending the filing of formal charges against him.

Declaring that they have been shamed since the man brought them here from the country on the pretense of getting them good jobs, the girls, who were discovered by detectives, have signified their willingness to appear against the man in court.

The man was played under arrest by Chief of Detectives William F. Green Sunday night.

According to the girls' story, they came here and were forced to work in bootlegging houses with the promise that they would get better jobs soon.

Instead, however, they reported that they were compelled to dispense beer and whiskey and to accept the attentions of strange men to whom their employer introduced them.

All of the girls said that they lived near San Antonio and that they had tired of rural life.—San Antonio Light.

'At the Picture Show.

The picture to be shown at Bandera tomorrow night will be "Hell's Gulch," featuring Bob Custer. The comedy is to be "Busy Birds." As usual, you can expect a good picture, one that will furnish plenty of thrills and excitement. Usual prices.

Rains Fall Over County.

Good rains have fallen in various parts of the county this week, which are of great benefit to the range, and will also help the grain crops which have been recently planted. A cold norther arrived Tuesday to remind us that winter is not so far away.

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We regret to learn that Mrs. A. V. Pue, of Jones's Creek, who has been seriously ill for some time, is no better, but her illness has reached a critical stage, and yesterday the most skilful nursing and medical attention and we truly hope her condition will soon change for the better.

Buying Bandera County Products.

Frank Davila, enterprising San Antonio business man has an advertisement in this issue of the New Era. Mr. Davila, whose establishment is located at 1102 El Paso Street, is in the market for cattle, corn and oats, and will pay best prices. If you have such things to sell call him up at Travis 2344.

Leased Ranch.

A. E. Morrill, of Kerrville has leased the Booker Davenport ranch in West Verde and bought about 2200 goats from Love and Elam.

Attends Association Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Meadows, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hicks, Misses Allen Buck, Eloise Corley, Elizabeth McBryde, Ruth Little, Ruth Davenport and Tommy Mansfield and Raymond Hicks attended the business meeting of the Medina River B. Y. P. U. association at Kerrville last Sunday.

Bean Geste.

That wonderful picture, "Bean Geste," will be shown at the Arcadia Theater in Kerrville today and tomorrow. See the advertisement on this page. If weather conditions permit quite a number of Bandera people will go to Kerrville to see this big picture.

Injured Hand.

Miss Eloise Corley very painfully hurt her finger while she was sewing last week, by running a needle through the finger and also through the nail. It did not prove serious and is healing fast.

Remodeling Residence.

C. Y. Billings, the druggist, is remodeling his residence in the western part of the city. A new porch is being added and other improvements are being made.

J. R. Burns was over from Tarpley Tuesday, and reported everything flourishing in his community.

Misses Cecilia and Estell Blakeney, of San Antonio, attended the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Clyde Ellis, which took place here yesterday.

Mohair Accumulating.

Up to yesterday noon more than 100,000 pounds of mohair has been brought in to the warehouse of the Bandera County Ranchmen & Farmers' Association, and more is expected to be brought in within the next week or two. It is not known just when the mohair will be sold.

Trade With Bessler.

Mat Bessler's Dress-Up Store at Boerne has an ad in this issue of the New Era. If you are going to buy a fall and winter suit Bessler invites you to inspect his splendid stock when you are in Boerne drop into this up-to-date gents' furnishing establishment and get acquainted.

From Far-Away Maine.

As an instance of how Frontier Times, Bandera's growing magazine, is appreciated, we give the following extract from a letter written to us by Larry Chittenden, the well known poet-ranchman, who says:

"I greatly appreciate Frontier Times, and have placed it on file here in The Autograph Library, Christmas Cove, Maine, and mentioned it in the publicity department. I have had the full page Sunday story from the San Antonio Express of October 4, 1924, displayed here in the Texas Corner—all about you—ever since it appeared. Hence you, and your good work, are well known in The Only Autograph Library in the World." I hope it will be my privilege to entertain you here in my Library home by the sea some day. The latch string is always out and the doors are wide open to all traveling Texans, in the summer time. You would like this place and truly love this library, now showing about 4,000 signed volumes. I am off on my travels again soon. With all good wishes and kind regards, and hopes of seeing you here next summer."

Larry Chittenden owns a large ranch property in Jones county, near Anson, and spends a portion of his time there, a portion in Florida, and his summers at his delightful home, Sea Bird's Nest, Christmas Cove, Maine. His book, "Ranch Verses," has gone through seventeen editions, and is still in great demand. Some day, perhaps, we will accept his kind invitation and journey to Christmas Cove to revel in his wonderful Autograph Library.

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The Kerrville Mountain Sun announces the construction of an electric light and power line to the city of Kerrville, along the Bandera road, for several miles, and that it is done with the proper effect. Bandera could endure the Texas Power & Light Company to run a line from the Kerrville station to this place, and would give us light and power at a reasonably a matter which should be considered.

The good news comes that the Walker & Van Dorn interests which company drilled a test well at Center Point this year, and had to abandon it at 3,000 feet because of salt water, will probably sink another test somewhere in that territory. Indeed they can get certain concessions from Walker and Van Dorn have faith in that region, and they should be given all encouragement. The territory has not been prospected, for one dry hole does not prove that there is not an oil pool in that region. Surface indications and oil sand were found in the well abandoned, and there is belief that there is oil there somewhere in San Antonio is growing, growing, growing. Within the past three or four years quite a number of sky-scraper buildings have been erected, the latest being the Milam building, a 21-story structure. And more of them are being drawn for a 32-story office building to be erected within the next few months. At the rate San Antonio is growing now, we predict that within another ten years the city of Alamo City will rival New York in population. Did it ever occur to you that Bandera is right at San Antonio's door, or more properly speaking, San Antonio is Bandera's front door? Some day, and by no means distant, Bandera will be the playground for the South's greatest city, and right now is the time for providing for that day.

Three prominent Texans have announced their candidacy for the United States Senate, entering the race against Hon. Earle B. Mayfield, the present incumbent. They are Col. Alvin Owsley, Former Governor O. B. Colquitt, and Hon. Tom B. Connally.

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Fredericksburg Murder Mystery

When Chester Schuch, the sixteen-year-old son of Albert Schuch of the Cherry Mountain section of this county, was coming down the Mason Highway with a herd of sheep, on Monday of this week, his attention was attracted by a strong smell coming from the direction of a dense chaparral thicket 15 yards from the highway. He went to see what caused the odor, and found the body of a girl about 18 years of age. Her head was crushed in by a blow from a rock, and her body was badly decomposed. Buzzards were circling over the thicket.

No one has been reported missing in Gillespie or adjoining counties so far as known, and the girl must have been brought here from quite a distance. We are inclined to think that neither the victim nor the brutal fiend who committed this inhuman crime reside in our county.

While the young girl's victim's murder, lies unidentified, our sheriff Kluerser, County attorney Petsch and District Attorney Fridtjof Hammond, who came immediately when he heard of the crime having been committed, are working on several clues which we hope will end in the arrest of the responsible parties.

Sheriff Kluerser is to be highly complimented for the local officers have not been prospected, for one dry hole and in this way instead of assisting does not prove that there is not oil the officers help the murderer to make pool in that territory. Indeed are his get-away, still as daily papers are showings and oil sand were found in reporting, and very move the local the well abandoned, and there is belief officers make we see no reason why that there is oil there somewhere. not. Near the shallow grave were found a Hartenmaier's record of a Fort Sam Houston soldier and a pocket knife bearing the name of Ladies Handkerchief and other articles Allyn Walter Petsch and Justice of of clothing, but nothing to solve the the Peace Fetzmeyer, undertakers Joseph and Arthur Schuch crime. Friday morning of this week a blood-stained wagon sheet. Still later Sheriff Kluerser found a Kothmann's pasture, seventeen miles from the scene of the murder, and that the murderer buried the dropped these articles in the wagon sheet. Since then a pair of Schuld's old blue denim trousers, a Ranger Captain Frank J. Hamer who is assisting them in running down their clews, has rented this cottage out to two men and a girl who fits the description of the dark girl, on Thursday of last week. Before he awoke next morning the three were gone. When he went in the room to clean up in the evening he found the cot

NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BANDERA

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 4th day of October A. D. 1927, at the Crosbyside School house in Common School District No. Thirteen (13) of said County, as established by order of the County Commissioners Court on the 30th day of May, 1915, which is of record in the Minutes of the Commissioners Court of Bandera County Texas, in Book No. 6 at pages 247-8 and to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property tax paying voters of said district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said Common School District No. 13 in the amount of Four Hundred ($400.00) Dollars, the bonds to be of the denomination of $100.00 each, numbered consecutively from one to four, both inclusive, payable serially as follows: One hundred dollars due May 20th, 1942, and one hundred dollars each year thereafter up to and including the year 1945 and bearing five per cent interest per annum, payable annually on the April 20th of each year, to provide funds to be expended in the construction and equipping of a two teacher School Building of wood material, within said Common School District No. 13; Thirteen, and to determine whether the Commissioners Court of this County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually such said bonds or any of them as are outstanding a tax upon all of the taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity.

All persons who are legally qualified electors of this State and County and who are resident property taxpayers in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election. All voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the Issuance of Bonds" and all those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof."

Carl F. Wheeler has been appointed presiding judge of said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make his return thereof to the Commissioners Court of this County as is required by law for holders of general elections.

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County by order made on the 7th day of September A. D. 1927.

E. HICKS
Sheriff Bandera County, Texas

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Our service can't be beat.—Geo W. Saucier, Livestock and Commission Co., San Antonio and Fort Worth, Texas. (adv.)

NO TRESPASSING

No hunting, trapping, cutting of bee trees, or trespassing allowed on my land. I will pay a liberal reward for information that will lead to conviction of any party or parties tearing down and destroying any of my fences.—Hansen Ranch. H. C. Hansen, prop. Mar 13,27-12mc

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby Commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published, for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Bandera, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be published at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the estate of Henry Y. Zimmerleir Deceased, Louis H. Zimmerleir has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of said Will and Testament of said Henry Y. Zimmerleir, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term, of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in October A. D. 1927, the same being the 17th day of October A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera this the 20th day of September A. D. 1927.

MISS MARIE McBRYDE, Clerk
County Court, Bandera County, Texas

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When you get around to buy a tire, no matter whether price or quality is your first consideration, you can make a safe, certain selection by doing what the largest single group of car owners in the world does—buy a Goodyear.
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Bandera's Leading Store
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No order too Large or too Small for our Prompt and Courteous Attention
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MONITION

United States District Court, Western District of Texas, San Antonio Division, 1084 Law.

United States vs one Chevrolet Roadster, Motor 505, Serial License No. 577-645. Whereas an attachment and monition was duly issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Texas, San Antonio Division on the 22nd day of September, 1927, directed to the marshal of the Western District of Texas to attach one Chevrolet Roadster, Motor No. 2800221, License No 577-645, owned by John Gillon, Ira Franks and Vernon Merritt, officers of the law from the 2nd session of Orear Vinon Coorpender, while being used in the transportation of intoxicating liquor and now in the possession of Deputy Prohibition Administrator at San Antonio, Texas, for reasons and causes alleged and set forth in the libel filed herein, and directing the marshal of the Western District of Texas to cite all persons having or pretending to have any right, title or interest therein, to appear and answer all an in singular the allegations in said libel set forth and, Whereas, in obedience to said attachment and monition, the said one Chevrolet Roadster was attached by me on the 23rd day of September, 1927 while in the possession of the Deputy Prohibition Administrator at San Antonio, Texas, and is now in storage at Terry-Hight's Garage, San Antonio, Texas, therefore, all persons claiming said one Chevrolet Roadster or any portion thereof, or knowing or having any thing to say why the same court should not condemn, forfeit, pronounce and proceed against same according to the prayer of the libel are hereby cited to be and appear before said court to be held in and for the Western District of Texas, in the United States court room, in the city of San Antonio, Texas, on the 10th day of October next, if that be the day of jurisdiction, if not, then on the next day of jurisdiction thereafter, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on that day, then and there to interpose a claim to same and make their allegations in that behalf

SCOTT C. WHITE, U. S. Marshal.
By J. E. Bacon, Deputy
Dated September 29, 1927

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

No. 1030. Mabel Pond vs. Chas. M. Pond.

In the District Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County —Greeting:

You Are Hereby Commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bandera once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Chas. M. Pond, whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Bandera, on the Third Monday in November, A. D. 1927, the same being the 21st day of November, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of September A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1030, wherein Mabel Pond is plaintiff, and Chas. M. Pond is defendant; the nature of plaintiff's demand being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce and for maiden name restored and for costs of court.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Bandera, this the 26th day of September A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk of District Court in and for Bandera County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You Are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. A. E. Brown Deceased, W. W. Whitley has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. A. E. Brown Deceased, and for letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said County commencing on the Third Monday in October, A. D. 1927, the same being the 17th day of October A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Bandera, this the 24th day of September A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE, Clerk
County Court Bandera County, Texas

Governor Dan Moody has posted a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the slayer, or slayers, of the red-haired girl whose mutilated was found in a shallow grave near Fredericksburg last week.

Robert Russell, a young man of Wills Point, Texas, fell from a flat car on a railroad and was thrown under the wheels, which cut off his leg. He died in a short time, at a hospital in Furney. His father, Robert Russell, Sr., started to Furney in a car when he heard of the accident. The car overturned a few miles west of Wills Point, killing him almost instantly.

Read Frontier Times. $1.50 per year.

Old Trail Drivers to Hold Reunion

Congressman Claude Hudspeth of El Paso and State Senator Julius Real of Kerrville will make addresses at the Old Trail Drivers Reunion Friday October 7, 8 and 9, according to the official program released Monday by George W. Saunders, president of the association. A number of the old trail drivers also are on the program. Judging from the number of inquiries he is receiving about the program, this reunion will be one of the largest held, Saunders said.

A pageant, "Indians Attacking an Emigrant Train," depicting some of the drama of early days in Texas, arranged under Saunders' personal direction, will be presented at Schwab Field at 8 p. m. four nights, beginning October 6 and continuing through October 9.

The official program is as follows:

October 6, reunion headquarters open in Gunter Hotel at 8 a. m. collection of dues and issuance of badges to members; 9:30 a. m. meeting called to order by President Saunders; invocation, Chaplain J. Stuart Pierce; address of welcome on behalf of San Antonio, Mayor John W. Tobin; address, Congressman Claude Hudspeth of El Paso; address, Judge S. H. Woods Alice; address, Col. Ike T. Pryor of San Antonio; appointment of committees; noon intermission; 2 p. m., meeting called to order by President Saunders; report on progress of the monument fund, Mrs. R. R. Russell, president of the Old Trail Drivers Memorial Association; general discussion; annual address of president, George W. Saunders.

October 7, 8:30 a. m., showing of "The Thundering Herd," complimentary to members and guests, Empress Theater; 10 a. m., convention called to order; address, "Cattle Trails Before the Northern Cattle Trails," J. Frank Dobie of the University of Texas; address, Walter P. Webb of Wells; noon adjournment; 2:30 p. m., old trailers' roping contest at Schwab Field; 8:30 p. m., grand ball at Gunter Hotel.

October 8, 9:30 a. m., convention called to order; address, Senator Julius Real of Kerrville; unfinished business, general discussion; songs and other entertainment. San Antonio firmen; noon adjournment; 2:30 p. m., meeting called to order; memorial services for departed members, songs and recitations; election of officers.—San Antonio Express.

Frontier Times Museum.

It may be of interest to the people here to know that a small museum is being established right here in Bandera, at the New Era office, and if anyone has any old relics that wish to contribute to the museum we will be pleased to receive them. Among the collection now on hand will be found a number of very interesting things. There is an old holster pistol used by one of the early Texas pioneers; an old cap and ball Colt's pistol found out in Charlie Eckhart's pasture; an old cap and ball Colt's pistol lost by Andy Mansell's dad and found by John Hillman in 1926; also an Indian lance made of steel, found in the hills of Bandera county, an old Springfield rifle 50 calibre used in the buffalo days, two old Remeer carbines, one of which probably belonged to Polly Rodgers, famous old Bandera scout and trailer; A German Mauser rifle used by Pancho Villa in the battle of Ojinaga; a Swiss army rifle; an old musket found where a fight took place between white men and Indians; a Colt's repeating rifle, first type of pump gun; various kinds of cartridges, old spurs, Indian arrows and bow, bullet moulds in old fire, a gas mask, three arrow heads and various other relics which have historical interest. Look around your premises and see if you haven't something, which is of no use to you, but which would be a valuable additions to our collection. Anything contributed will be appreciated.

Humble Pipe Line Nearing Completion

If crude oil is running through the pipe line under construction by the Humble Pipe Line company from the Luling oil fields to West Texas to Port Ingleside, San Patricio county, by October 1, as planned, one of the largest undertakings of commercial nature ever begun in Southwest Texas will have been completed. The enterprise is being put through by the Humble Company at an approximate cost of $12,000,000. The line is 440 miles long, and the most of it is off the railroad routes, in some places as far as 60 miles. Necessary masking; the work more difficult of completion on account of hauling. Several power stations have been installed along the route of the line to augment the flow of the oil.

Storage facilities to take care of the flow of the Corpus Christi line are nearing completion at the tank farm at Ingleside, on Aransas Bayside, a large force of men being at work to complete the job by October 1.

Seven of the first ten 64,000 barrel steel tanks for its tank farm at Ingleside have been completed by the Humble, and work is progressing on the other three. The plans call for a total of thirty tanks of that size to be erected as fast as needed. It is understood that the company is now planning some 80,000 barrel tanks for that farm also. Several 85,000-barrel tanks are already up and have been in use by the line running from Laredo.—Sinton News.

Drilling Soon to Start On Oil Well Location

Weatherford, Texas, Sept. 25.—Carter Moseley of this city has leased 200 acres of the Moseley ranch on the Brazos River, twenty-five miles west of here, to G. C. Shaw of Fort Worth and Shaw will drill on it to the depth of 4,500 feet unless gas or oil is struck at a lesser depth. The Moseley ranch now has two producing gas wells on it and several producing oil wells have been drilled in only a short distance from it across the river.

The drilling will be watched with unusual interest because of the fact that Shaw has agreed to donate his share of production, if the well comes in as a producer, to the American Legion. Part of it will go to Bell-well Kane Post in Fort Worth and part to the Veteran Hospital at Kerrville.

Another Test for Oil to Be Made

Prospects are extremely good for another oil test in the Center Point area, according to Mainor Rhumard, Center Point banker, who was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Judge A. W. Walker and E. W. Van Duyn of Dallas have made a tentative offer to sink another well in the vicinity if property holders will waive the annual rentals now being held by them. Influential business men and citizens are aiding the company to effect this agreement with the land owners. Under the provisions of the proposal made Walker and Van Duyn the second well will be started not later than November 1 of this year.

The location of the second test, if the plans are carried out, is as yet undetermined.

Walker and Van Duyn recently abandoned their No. 1 well on the W. B. Leuh farm in Survey 38, after going down to 2,200 feet. Several line oil and gas showings were encountered. This well attracted considerable attention from scouts representing large oil companies, and the failure of the well to produce oil and that the showing in the No. 1 justifies further development of the Center Point area.

The syndicate holds about 22,000 acres in leases in Center Point.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

New Power Line Will Be Built

Work was started the past week and on a new light and power line for the Ft. Mason Power & Light Company south of the city.

The transmission which will be approximately 15 miles in length, will serve a number of farms in the Split Rock community.

The line will carry 11,000 volts and connect with the main high tension line of the Texas Power & Light Company, Leon Section. Service will be supplied the Medina Electric & Power Company south of the city.

The contract for the construction of the line was awarded the past week following consideration for several weeks and is now awaiting the approval of high officials at the Dallas headquarters of the company.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

Junction Again Hit By Destructive Fire

Junction, Tex., Sept. 24.—Junction had another disastrous fire Friday night with a loss of $40,500, as follows:

J. M. Hankins Drug Company Building and stock, $14,500; E. G. Lockley picture show building and equipment, $12,000; Kindrick Grocery Company building and stock $8,000; J. M. Hodges building, $2,000

Leases were partially covered by insurance.

The fire started in the picture show at 8 p. m. Friday. Fire apparatus from Menard and Mason, Kerrville with arrived within one hour and half after fire started but the fire had burned itself out before they arrived.

Pete McKenzie, convicted of the murder of Detective Sam Street at San Antonio, and given the death penalty last week, was released a new trial in the 94th District Court in San Antonio last Saturday. McKenzie's attorneys gave notice of, appeal.

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Regular meeting of Bandera Chapter No. 643, O. E. S. on Friday night, October 7th, 8 o'clock. In the Masonic hall All members are requested to attend and visitors cordially invited.—Mrs. Ollie Hodges, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Janet Curry, Secretary.

"Dude" Ranch to Get Additional Buildings

Contracts have been awarded for the erection of additional buildings at the Gallagher ranch, located on the Bandera Road, which has been acquired by a San Antonio syndicate as a "dude" ranch.

R. J. Edwards of San Antonio, has been awarded the contract and work will be under way Monday. New buildings will include a community structure, 30 by 60 feet, and a building containing seven guest rooms. Both buildings will be rock structures.

The Gallagher ranch, one of the outstanding his orical spots of Southwest Texas, has been purchased by the Gallagher Ranch Company, a new corporation composed of V. H. McNutt, San Antonio oil man; L. A. Casey, R. A. Richey and P. E. Cragg of the realty firm of Richey, Casey & Cragg, and Pete Crawford, a Texas Ranger and the operator of a "dude" ranch at Alpine, who will be manager. The new "dude" ranch is 25 miles north and west of San Antonio. —San Antonio Express.

You can get the San Antonio Express, San Antonio Evening News, and the San Antonio Light daily and Sunday editions at Billings' Drug Store.

The Kalka Mill

I have leased the Henry Kalka Mill, near the court house, and beginning September 26, will grind corn, chops, crushed corn, corn meal, etc. Your patronage solicited.—Amasa Clark, Jr.

We are putting in a new line of Moorehead Tires. We guarantee with our Firestone line. These tires are giving splendid satisfaction wherever used, and they carry a standard guarantee. Come in and see them.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

We have for sale a 1926 model Chevrolet Touring Car, good rubber, newly painted; Thirty-day guarantee, price $300.00.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

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Beginning Monday, October 3, these prices will be in effect on grinding and crushing:

Crushing Corn, 15c per 100 lbs.
Crushing Oats, 20c per 100 lbs.
or One-Eighth Toll

Grinding Cornmeal, One-fourth toll
Cornmeal, 1 1-2c per pound

Watch our prices. We have several hundred pounds of Crushed Corn for exchange. Cornmeal always on hand.

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Ike Evans, of Tuff, was in town Monday.

T. Jeff Lowe, of Kerrville, was in Bandera Monday.

Walter Epperson, of Boerne, was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Dan Rugh spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Coy Presley, of San Antonio, was a Bandera visitor last Saturday.

August Hahn, of Utopia, was a business visitor in this city Monday.

Webb McCandles, of Pipe Creek, was transacting business in the city Monday.

Stanley Lewis, of Uvalde, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Carmichael last week.

Lennie Wilkerson and Roy Brewer, of San Antonio, were Bandera visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Newcomer, of Pipe Creek, were visitors in the city last Thursday.

Little Miss Roberta Fletcher was quite ill the past week, but is improving now.

Mrs. Chas. Manning and Mrs. John Odell, of East Verde, were in town Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davenport, of Cuero, spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Snelling, of San Antonio, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ike Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Heinen and son Billy, of Los Angeles, California, are here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield, of Tarpley, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks.

Mr. Albert Eckhart and son, Albert Jr., were in town Saturday from their ranch on Middle Verde.

Lone Langford left the first of the week for San Antonio where he will resume his work in a Barber College.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tait, of Harlingen, are here on a visit to Mr. Tait's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod and Mr. McLeod's mother, of San Antonio, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Schott and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Newcomer, of Pipe Creek, attended the New Braunfels Fair last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hardy, who have bought the Fritz Eckhart place on East Verde, returned last week from a visit to Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ike Stevens and little son Joe, returned from a visit in San Antonio last week, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hank Snelling.

G. T. Simpson, who spent the past several months with his daughter, Mrs. Tom North, left last Friday for his home at Batesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerdes went to San Antonio the first of the week to visit their daughter Miss Hazel, who is employed at the Fox Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mills and son Joe, of Alice, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Price and family here last week. From here they went to Rocksprings.

Miss Cecil Faris who is attending Breckenridge High school in San Antonio spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Faris.

Gervis Carmichael, of Sabinal, and Hal Carmichael and two daughters, of Uvalde, visited their mother, Mrs. Mary Carmichael, during the past week-end.

Misses Celesa White and Hazel Heinen and Messrs. Lester Heinen and Lone Langford went to New Braunfels last Sunday to attend the Fair.

We have for sale two 1927 Ford Touring Cars, priced right, 30-day guarantee. Good condition.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pardue, of San Antonio, spent last week-end at the Bruner ranch on Medina Road. They had as their guests Mrs. Leta Larkin, Lafayette Warne and Master Jimmie Givens.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Jr., were given a delightful surprise party at their home on West Verde, last Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Short are royal host and hostess and every one had a splendid time.

Game Wardens S. D. Turner of Dallas, and Mr. Barber of Austin, who are stationed at the South Fork Ranch, of the Schreiner Reserve, were here one day this week visiting Game Warden Dan Rugh.

Captain Ben Batto dropped in to see us last Friday, and found a family welcome here. Captain Batto is one of the early settlers of the Hill Country, and has lived in this and Medina county over eighty years.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hill and son, Jim Hill, and J. K. Miller, who reside above Medina, were in Bandera Tuesday. Mr. Hill called at this office and renewed his subscription to the little old home paper. He informs us that splendid rains have fallen in his section of the county.

The Kalka Mill

I have leased the Henry Kalka Mill, near the court-house, and be ginning September 26, will grind every day. Will sell chops, crushed corn, corn meal, etc. Your patronage solicited.—Amasa Clark, Jr.

WANT COLUMN

FOR SALE—Ford "truck" Warford shift, new rubber, with front and rear spare, recent motor overhaul. Can be seen at Gray's Garage.

FOR SALE—I have some choice young billies and Persian Holstein males for sale. See me before buying elsewhere.—J. H. Bruce. 4tp.

IF YOUR SHEEP AND GOATS are afflicted with stomach and tapeworms, use Uncle Sam's Stock Medicine Co's medicine. Agent, Nat B. Jones, Kerrville, Texas.

IMPROVE YOUR GOATS—We have billies that will put bone, size and vigor into your goats as well as more and heavier mohair, at prices you cannot equal. We had good goats when they were a curiosity in Texas. —F. B. Klein & Sons, Hunt, Texas.

WANTED—Ranch in Bandera county. Submit full description and price first letter.—A. L. Ayock, Luling, Texas. 4tp.

FOR SALE—310 acres of land, more or less, one mile west of Medina. Six-room house; about 55 acres in cultivation; more can be put in. Pasture and field fence in first class condition. Fronts on Medina river; well timbered with pecan, cypress and other timber. Terms one-third cash, balance as low as $500.00 per annum, 8 per cent.—C. W. Harris, owner, Medina, Texas.

WANTED—Complete set of Frontier Times magazines, from the first number down to and including September, 1927, four complete volumes. Will pay $12 for the lot if in good order, and no copies missing. Notify New Era office.

FOR SALE—Good seed oats, clear of bad weeds, Johnson grass, etc., at 50c per bushel at my place.—Ben Batto.

WANTED—Will receive bids Saturday, October 1, for four cords oak wood for Bandera Postoffice. Right reserved to reject any and all bids.—F. A. Mansfield, Postmaster.

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Crushing Corn, 15c per 100 lbs.
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Grinding Cornmeal, One-fourth toll
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Watch our prices. We have several hundred pounds of Crushed Corn for exchange. Cornmeal always on hand.

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The reason it's so good is because so much milk is used in it's manufacture.

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Jeff Love, of Kerrville, was in Bandera Monday.

Waller Epperson, of Boerne, was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Dan Rugh spent several days in San Antonio this week.

Coy Presley, of San Antonio, was a Bandera visitor last Saturday.

August Hahs, of Utopia, was a business visitor in this city Monday.

Webb McSandles, of Pipe Creek, was transacting business in the city Monday.

Stanley Lewis, of Dvalle, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Carmichael last week.

Lennie Wilkerson and Roy Brewer, of San Antonio, were Bandera visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Newsomer, of Pipe Creek, were visitors in the city last Thursday.

Little Miss Roberta Fletcher was quite ill the past week, but is improving now.

Mrs. Chas. Manning and Mrs. John Gulf, of East Verde, were in town Tuesday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davenport, of Ozona, spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Snelling, of San Antonio, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ike Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Heinen and son Billy, of Los Angeles, California, are here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield, of Tarpley, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks.

Mrs. Albert Eckhart and son, Albert, Jr., spent last Saturday from their ranch on Middle Verde.

Lane Langford left the first of the week for San Antonio where he will attend school this year in a Barber College.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tait, of Harlingen, are here on a visit to Mr. Tait's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod and Mr. McLeod's mother, Mrs. Mary Monroe, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Schott and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schott, of Pipe Creek, attended the New Braunfels Fair last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hardy, who have bought the Fritz Eckhardt place in East Verde, returned last week from a visit to Oklahoma.

Mrs. Ike Stevens and little son Joe, returned from a visit in San Antonio last week, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hank Snelling.

G. T. Simpson, who spent the past several months with his daughter, Mrs. Tom North, left last Friday for his home at Beeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerdes went to San Antonio the first of the week to visit their daughter Miss Hazel, who is employed at the Fox Co.

Mr. and Mrs J. S. Mills and son Joe, of Alice, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Price and family here last week. From here they went to Rocksprings.

Miss Cecil Paris who is attending Draughon's Business College in San Antonio spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Paris.

Gervis Carmichael, of Sabinal, and Hal Carmichael and daughters, of Uvalde, visited their mother, Mrs. Mary Carmichael, during the past week-end.

Misses Odessa White and Hazel Heinen and Messrs. Lester Heinen and Lane Crawford went to New Braunfels last Sunday to attend the Fair.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pardue, of San Antonio, spent last week-end at the Bruce ranch on Medina Road. They had as their guests Mrs. Leta Larkin, Lafayette Warne and Master Jimmie Givens.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Jr., were given a delightful surprise party at their home on West Main the Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs Short are royal host and hostess and every one had a splendid time.

Game Warden A. D. Turner of Dallas, and Mr. Barber of Austin, Texas are stationed at the South Park Ranch, of the Schreiner Reserve, were here one day this week visiting Game Warden Dan Rugh.

Captain Ben Batto dropped in to see us last Friday, and found a hearty welcome here. Captain Batto is one of the early settlers of the Hill Country, and has lived "in this and Medina county over eighty years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hill and son, Jim Hill, and J. L. Miller, who reside above Medina, were in Bandera Tuesday. Mr. Hill called at this office and renewed his subscription to the little old home paper. He informs us that splendid rains have fallen in his section of the county.

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WANT COLUMN

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Dr. C. A. Sherrill has returned from San Antonio where he took treatment from a doctor there.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fee, September 29, a baby girl.

Frank Smith underwent a serious operation at a hospital in San Antonio one day last week. He is doing very well at this writing.

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. Ray Davis' birthday at her home October 1. A number of nice presents were received. Those present were: Mrs. Henry Lewis, Mrs. Artie Reed with a basket of fine fruits, Mrs. Ben Hatfield, Mrs. Ella Hatfield, Mrs. Ada Hatfield, Mrs. Ada Shoultz, Mrs. Ella Hatfield, Mrs. Ada Shoultz, Mrs. Ella Hatfield, Mrs. Ada Shoultz, Mrs. Ella

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Looking in on the English Courts

In a recent issue of Farm and Ranch there appeared an article by Edgar Scott, Chairman of the Fifth Texas Congressional District, entitled "Looking in on the English Courts," which is well worth reading. Congressman Summers is a close observer and a most careful student of every law of the country, bent of reform in our methods of procedure in our courts, his remarks on the subject are timely.

Congressman Summers would not have the United States adopt the English system of courts, for the reason the English have taken many years to develop and suit to a people are different temperamentally and would not have us adopt all the features of their system, but would have us in the opening of court, but would have us profit by the example of the judge, court officials and lawyers in trying cases.

In his article Mr. Summers says, "the judge is given wide latitude and decides all questions of law. He would be appalling to our lawyers to observe with what little interference the cases are tried before the jury. He is not a mere figurehead, or a referee, but actually tries the cases and explains to the jury, in fact, the entire process seems to be one of trying to get at the facts in the case in the fairest and quickest possible way."

Mr. Summers also refers to the fact that there are no exceptions to the charge, but the attorney on the other side is not allowed to interrupt him in his way in his attempt. He must lay the facts before the court and jury which is selected by the judge. This is done in quickly. First and a

Marder Victim Unidentified

Autopsy Performed by Corpus Christi and Mission County officers, the body of a man found near San Antonio, Bangor Captain Hanger, and Sheriff Schwartz yesterday, the young girl victim was found in a shallow grave on the Mission Road and had been identified, neither have worked out as to who or how it was of the murderer.

Sheriff Schwartz in this connection declared yesterday it was running down every clue that could lead to the identity of the murderer, and that he had been working on the case for the past week. Sheriff Schwartz said that he had been working on the case for the past week. Sheriff Schwartz said that he had been working on the case for the past week. Sheriff Schwartz said that he had been working on the case for the past week.

Brings Picture Here

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Old Trail Drivers to Hold Reunion

Confederate Home Association Will Meet in San Antonio Nov. 6 and 7

The annual reunion of the Old Trail Drivers Association will be held in San Antonio on November 6 and 7, according to the official program announced by Secretary Frank Hastings. The program will be announced. A complete program will be announced. A complete program will be announced. A complete

MONITION

United States District Court, Western District of Texas, San Antonio Division. 1084 Law.

United States vs. one Chevrolet Roadster, Motor No. 2800321, License No. 977-645. Whereas, an attachment and monition was duly issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Texas, San Antonio Division on the 22nd day of September, 1927, directed to the marshal of the Western District of Texas to attach one Chevrolet Roadster, Motor No. 2800321, License No. 977-645, seized by John Gillis, Ira Franks and Verner Triplett, officers of the law from the possession of Oscar Vinson Cooperender while being used in the transportation of intoxicating liquor and now in the possession of Deputy Prohibition Administrator at San Antonio, Texas, for reasons and causes alleged and set forth in the libel filed herein, and directing the marshal of the Western District of Texas to cite all persons having or pretending to have, any right, title or interest therein, to appear and answer all an in singular the allegations in said libel set forth, and, Whereas, in obedience to said attachment and monition, the said one Chevrolet Roadster was attached by me on the 23rd day of September, 1927 while in the possession of the Deputy Prohibition Administrator at San Antonio, Texas, and is now in storage at Terry-Haight's Garage, San Antonio, Texas, therefore, all persons claiming said one Chevrolet Roadster or any portion thereof, or knowing of having any thing to say why this court should not condemn, forfeit, pronounce and proceed against same according to the prayer of the libel, are hereby cited to be and appear before said court to be held in and for the Western District of Texas at the United States Court room, in the city of San Antonio, Texas, on the 19th day of October next, if that be the day of jurisdiction, if not, then on the next day of jurisdiction thereafter, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on that day, then and there to make due answer and make due and legal allegations in that behalf.

SCOTT C. WHITE, U. S. Marshal.
By J. E. Bacon, Deputy
Dated September 29, 1927

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
No. 1030. Mabel Pond vs. Chas. M. Pond.

In the District Court, Bandera County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Bandera County —Greeting:

You Are Hereby Commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bandera once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Chas. M. Pond, whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Bandera, on the Third Monday in November, A. D. 1927, the same being the 21st day of November, A. D. 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of September A. D. 1927, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1030, wherein Mabel Pond is plaintiff and Chas. M. Pond is defendant; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce and for maintenance restored and for costs of court.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Bandera, this the 26th day of September A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk of District Court in and for Bandera County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You Are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Bandera County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas

To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. A. E. Brown Deceased.

W. W. Whitley has filed in the County Court of Bandera County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said Mrs. A. E Brown Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in October, A. D. 1927, the same being the 17th day of October A. D. 1927, at the Court House thereof, in Bandera, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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MRS. MARK McBRYDE, Clerk
County Court Bandera County, Texas

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Mrs. W. W. Charles and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Thomas F. Dodge, Deceased, the said Mrs. W. W. Charles being a non-resident of the State of Texas, and the names and residences of the heirs and legal representatives of Thomas F. Dodge, Deceased, being unknown, defendants in the hereinafter named cause, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, in any newspaper published in the 38th Judicial District of Texas, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Bandera County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof in the Town of Bandera, on the Sixteenth Monday after the First Monday in August, 1927; the same being the 21st day of November, 1927, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 26 day of September, A. D. 1927, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1031, wherein Charles W. Fisher is plaintiff and Mrs. W. W. Charles and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Thomas F. Dodge, Deceased, are defendants; said petition alleging:

I

That Mrs. W. W. Charles is a non-resident of the State of Texas; that the names of the heirs and legal representatives of Thomas F. Dodge, Deceased, are unknown to plaintiff.

II

That on the first day of January, A. D. 1927, the plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract of land, situated in Bandera County, Texas, to-wit:

Six Hundred and forty (640) acres of land, patented to H. J. Graham by Patent No. 250, Vol. 71, as Assignee of the G. C. & S. F. R. R. Co. by virtue of Land Scrip No. 4687, issued to said Company by the Commissioner of the General Land office of the State of Texas and transferred to H. J. Graham December 8th, A. D. 1881. Beginning at a stone mound at the S. E. corner of Survey No. 921 Bandera County on line of Survey No. 918 State;

Thence West 1385 varas with Survey No. 921 to N. E. Corner of Survey No. 918, H. E. & W. T. Ry Co.;

Thence South 1344 varas with Survey No. 924 to its S. E. Corner, a 12" R. bears S. 48 E. 18 varas; a do 12" brs. S. 26.2 E. 21 varas, 1846 varas to stone Mound, on the line of Survey No. 923, H. E. & W. T. Ry Co;

Thence East 2729 varas to a stone mound for S. E. corner of this Survey;

Thence North 784 varas to the S. E. Corner of Survey No. 918 G. N. & C. N. G. R. R. Co.;

Thence West 1344 varas, with Survey No. 913 to its S. W. corner;

Thence North 1064 varas with Survey No. 918 to the beginning.

III

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withheld same from him, to his damage in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00).

IV

That the plaintiff and those under whom he holds have had and held under color of title from and under the State of Texas, peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the above described lands and tenements for a period of more than three years before the commencement of this suit, claiming during all of said period to be true and lawful owners of said land.

V

Plaintiff further alleges that he and those under whom he claims claiming the above described tract of land under deeds duly registered have had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the above described tract of land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying all taxes thereon, for a period of more than five years before the commencement of this suit.

VI

Plaintiff further alleges that he, claiming to have good and perfect title to the above described tract of land, has had and held peaceably the same and adverse possession of the same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, for a period of more than ten years before the commencement of this suit.

VII

That plaintiff's chain of title consists of the following instruments.

1. Patent from the State of Texas to H. J. Graham, dated the 29th day of May, 1882.

2. Deed from H. J. Graham to W. B. Baker, dated the 30th day of June, A. D. 1882.

3. Deed from W. B. Baker to B. F. Baker and C. O. W. McBryde, dated August 11th, 1884.

4. Deed from W. B. Baker to J. F. Cook, dated January 1st, 1887.

5. Deed from J. F. Cook to J. B. Cook, dated December 24th, 1887.

6. Deed from J. B. Cook to J. F. Cook, dated October 19th, 1888.

7. Deed from C. O. W. McBryde to John F. Cook, dated June 14th, 1888.

8. Deed from B. F. Baker to W. B. Baker, dated July 26th, 1887.

9. Deed from C. O. W. McBryde to W. B. Baker, dated June 21st, 1888.

10. Deed from W. B. Baker to W. J. Layton, dated January 19th, 1894.

11. Deed from W. J. Layton to O. D. Keese, dated December 4th, 1899.

12. Deed from O. D. Keese to R. C. Phillips, dated June 20th, 1901.

13. Deed from R. C. Phillips to C. H. Benson, dated August 1st, 1901.

14. Deed from C. H. Benson and wife to B. P. Hale, dated April 30th, 1902.

15. Deed from J. F. Cook to J. F. Barwick, dated May 3rd, 1898.

16. Deed from B. P. Hale to J. F. Barwick, dated January 6th, 1903.

17. Deed from J. F. Barwick and wife to Charles F. James, dated 18th 1909.

18. Deed from Charles F. James to Farmers National Bank, dated September 18th, 1909.

19. Deed from Farmers National Bank to Thomas G. Prater, dated May 3rd, 1912.

20. Deed from Thomas G. Prater and wife to Charles N. Fisher, dated October 4th, 1912.

21. Deed from Charles N. Fisher and wife to W. W. Charles, dated November 19th, 1912.

22. Judgment in favor of Charles N. Fisher, granted in Cause No. 58,-910, styled J. M. Peters, et als. vs. J. B. Cochran, et al, on the 6th day of May, 1914.

23. Abstract of the foregoing judgment recorded in the Clerk's Office of Bandera County, Texas, on the 4th day of May, 1914.

24. Assignment of the foregoing judgment by Charles N. Fisher to J. V. Tackaberry and Charles W. Fisher, dated July 22nd, 1915.

25. Execution issued out of District Court of Bandera County, Texas, in said Cause No. 58-910, September 4th, 1915, with return thereon.

26. Deed from R. S. Smith, Sheriff of Bandera County, Texas, to J. V. Tackaberry under the foregoing execution, dated October 5th, 1915.

27. Deed from J. V. Tackaberry to Charles W. Fisher, dated March 10th, 1919.

VIII

That the plaintiff does not know what the claim of title of the defendants are to said premises.

Premises considered, plaintiff prays that the defendants be cited according to law and that upon a hearing hereof he have judgment for the title and possession of said premises, for his damages and for full, general and equitable relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court on this the 26 day of September, A. D. 1927.

MRS. MARK McBRYDE
Clerk District Court of Bandera County, Texas.

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The New Era's Want Column is being well patronized these days. Our readers realize that this column is a regular bargain counter, and some good trades have been made through the insertion of but a small ad therein. If you have anything to sell, or want to buy anything, a three or four line want ad will easily accomodate you, and the price is only 5c per issue. Four insertions will cost you only thirty cents for one insertion Cash should accompany all orders for want ads, as we carry no charge accounts on these ads.

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Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912

Of The Frontier Times published weekly at Bandera, Texas for October 1, 1927.

State of Texas
County of Bandera

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. M. Hunter, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Publisher of the Bandera New Era and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 111, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

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Managing Editor J. M. Hunter, Bandera, Texas

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2. That the known bondholders, mortgages, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: (If there are none, so state.)

None.

J. M. HUNTER, Publisher

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of October 1927

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Crushing and Grinding

Beginning Monday, October 3, these prices will be in effect on grinding and crushing:

Crushing Corn, 15c per 100 lbs.
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In re Estate of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, Minors, No 440. In the County Court of Bandera County, Texas. In vacation.

To the Honorable Judge of said Court: Notice is hereby given that I, H. E. Rambie, guardian of the estates of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Bandera County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of the estates of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the Court may order and direct on the below described real estate belonging to the estates of said wards, to-wit:

First. Survey No. 101 Certificate No. 64 Abstract No. 106 in the name of J. Howard and containing 320 acres of land and being all of said Survey.

Second. Survey No. 98 Certificate No. — Abstract No. 265 in the name of Peter Moser and containing 320 acres of land and being all of said Survey.

Third. Survey No. 2,7 Abstract No. 161 in name of S. Ridley and containing 160 acres of land and being all of said Survey.

Fourth. 320 acres out of Survey No. 2015 Certificate No. 18 Abstract No. 107 and being all of that part of said survey owned by us.

Fifth. Survey No. 65 Certificate No. 1898 Abstract No. 1324 G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., containing 127 acres of land and being all of said survey.

The above application will be heard by the County Judge at the court house in the town of Bandera, Texas, on the 15th day of October, 1927.

H. E. RAMBIE,
Guardian of the Estates of Emily Ruth Rambie and Mildred Rambie, Minors

Tom Finney and Louie Hader, of Medina, were in town Monday.

Douglas Press, of San Antonio, was a Bandera visitor last Saturday.

C. W. Fleischmaker and wife, of San Antonio, were in Bandera last Saturday.

Exie Hodges and family, of Pipe Creek, were in town last Monday morning.

Elmo Neiswenter and two small children, of Pipe Creek, were in town last Monday.

J. E. Browning, of Medina, passed through here last Monday en route to San Antonio.

Frank M. Montague, Miss Margaret Montague and Wesley Haby visited San Antonio's Saturday.

Robert Cosgrove and family have rented property of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rugh and will move in in a few days.

Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Gossett went to San Antonio last Monday to visit his brother, B. H. Gossett, of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Custer, of Hext, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bush, on Laxson's Creek, last week.

Mrs. Emil Villemain has our sincere thanks for a nice lot of sweet potatoes which she brought us Thursday.

Geo. Fee, of Winans' Creek, was in town last Monday and renewed his subscription to the little old hen of paper.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, and daughter, of Ingram, were here last Sunday and Rev. Brown preached at the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Charles Schmidtke, Jr., sent the editor's family a generous supply of choice mutton Saturday, for which she has our thanks.

Mrs. Richard Jeffers and daughter, Miss Alice, and Mrs. Mary Gibson, all of Moncel, spent last week with Mr and Mrs. A. Kutzer.

Mrs. R. A. Chipman returned last week from a visit to relatives in Oklahoma, Missouri and Louisiana. She was absent about six weeks.

We have an old model Dodge and 1925 model Overland in good shape. Will sell cheap.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Miss Victoria Montague returned to San Antonio last Sunday accompanied by her sister, Miss Margaret Montague and Mrs. Mary Carmichael.

Dallas Hicks, of Utopia, was a visitor in the vicinity last Thursday and while here a new Chevrolet touring car was delivered to him.

Misses Josie and Ruby Haly, of Medina, left last Thursday for Port Aransas on a visit to relatives. They will visit points in Mississippi before returning home.

Miss Cecil Faris, who is attending Brackenridge High School in San Antonio came home last Saturday to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Faris.

Anton Leibold, of near Medina Lake was a pleasant visitor in our vicinity last Saturday and while here he called to renew his subscription to the Old Reliable Bandera Times.

FOR SALE—One 1926 Model Ford Touring Car, good rubber, new tires, new paint, and seat covers. Price $300.—Mansfield & Blakeney Chevrolet Co.

Misses Martha and Hermine Habenicht, Edward Schmidt and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Habenicht, daughter, of San Antonio, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Habenicht the past week-end.

J. J. Leighton was over from Tarpley Friday, and paid this office a call while here he renewed the subscription of his boss, Mr. C. O. Leighton, to the New Era and Bandera Times.

Mansfield and Blakeney Chevrolet Co., has delivered the past week the following cars; Chevrolet roadster, Bandera, to Medina Middleton; Chevrolet Sedan, Fred Whisenhunt, of Medina; Touring car, Dallas Hicks, of Utopia.

Presiding Elder Sessions, of San Antonio, was here Sunday to conduct quarterly conference at the Methodist church. He occupied the pulpit Sunday morning. Rev. and Mrs. Sisson and daughter accompanied him to Bandera.

W. C. Swinney was down from Bluff Monday, and dropped in to see us. He is in the market for several young jersey heifers to use in dairy work. Anyone having good Jerseys for sale will do well to get in touch with him, at Bluff, Texas.

Mrs. H. Zumberg, who has been at the bedside of her husband in San Antonio the past two weeks, returned to her home on Red Bluff last Friday. Miss Annie Reitzer, who looked after the Zumberg ranch during her absence has returned to her home in Bandera.

L. H. Hayes returned Sunday from a business trip to Victoria. He says he traveled a first class road all of the way from Bandera to Victoria, with, the exception of about thirty miles from Smiley to Cuero, and that stretch is to be improved before long, as grading is now being done.

Col. George A. Hay, of Medina, was a business visitor in the city last Friday. Col. Hay reports everything in good shape on his range. He is the pioneer goat breeder of this section of Texas, having been engaged in raising fine goats for the past thirty-six years. His animals are among the best in the land, and are in constant demand.

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FOR SALE—310 acres of land, more or less, three miles west of Medina, 8-room house; about 55 acres in cultivation; more can be put in. Pasture and field fence in first class condition. Pronts on Medina river; well timbered with pecan, cypress and other timber. Terms one-third cash, balance as low as $500.00 per annum, 8 per cent.—C. W. Harris, owner, Medina, Texas.

FOR SALE—Pedigreed oats. No. 76, permanent, best years crop. Mr basket sacked, at barn.—Ernest Schiele.

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FOR SALE—150 Nannies, ages from 1 to 7 years. Price $4.50 per head.—A. G. Eckhart, old Thalliman Ranch, Southwestern part of town.

LOST—On Pipe Creek and Boerne Road, a black Stetson hat, size 7. Finder please return to Bowie Rose office.

Rams For Sale.

I still have a few nice rams on hand. Will be broke to run with goats near Medina any time—F. E. Whisenhunt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sewall, of Medina Lake, were town visitors Monday.

W. R. Blackwell was in town Monday from his home on West Verde.

Mrs. C. J. Nichols is visiting her son, Newt Nichols, at Ingram, for a few days.

Dr. Laurie Montague, of Edinburg, Valley and homefolks in Bandera the first of the week.

Judge A. L. Mansfield and Dr. John Erwin made a trip to Tarpley and Hondo last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Billings and small daughter, Lois Estell, made a trip to San Antonio last Tuesday.

Mrs. B. F. Langford, Sr., returned Sunday from Kerrdey, where she visited her son. M. B. Langford, and family.

Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Butler and Mrs. Butler's father, Street Hudspeth, returned from a tour of Texas and Old Arizona. They had a splendid trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Billings went to San Antonio yesterday. Mrs. Billings remained there to spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. L. L. DeLamure and Mr. Billings returned home.

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MEDINA.

Sam Kelly, wife and two children of Hawley, Texas, visited Mrs. M. D. Kelly and other relatives here.

The P. T. A. will meet at the school house Friday, October 14, at 4 p. m. Everyone is urged to be present, as there will be important business to attend to.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H Van Hoop, of Shreveport, La., spent last week-end with Mrs. Van Hoop's brother, E. H. Sewall, and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Briggs, October 7, a baby boy, John A.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitmore have moved from San Antonio to Ed Caton's place, which Mr. Whitmore recently purchased.

A birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. Dick Whitehead's birthday on Tuesday. A number of nice presents were received and a large crowd was present.

Mrs. Wm Hatfield and daughter, Miss Hadie Hatfield, have returned from a short visit to relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. H. L. Carpenter, Mrs. O. L. Freeman, and George Freeman went to San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Armond Grechon last week to attend the funeral of Pra Rosel, who was killed by coming in contact with a high-powered electric line.

Upton Lorentz and Mrs. Mimi Faust visited friends in Medina Wednesday.

LIMA LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Council and little son and Harold Phillips, of Kerrville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hillman and family have moved to their great ranch near Blanco. We regret very much to lose these good citizens but we wish them success in their new location. Their son, Oscar Hillman, is living on their place here.

Mrs. John Phillips and children are visiting relatives at Ottsthwaite Lake.

Mrs. Alfred Keese and little daughters and Miss Amy Nowlin, of Bandera, were in the Keese home Sunday.

Alfred Keese took two bales of cotton to Fredericksburg to the gin last Monday for S. A. Keese.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hillman and children visited Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Seale Sunday.

Val Crick and Ben Johnson are enjoying their carbide lights installed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hillman were up from San Antonio last Monday.

Cattle Trails.

Down at San Antonio Harry H. Williams holds forth, and writes things for the San Antonio Express about the stockmen of Texas, under the head of "Texas Trails." In a recent issue he talks Bandera and folks as follows:

Joe Short lives in Bandera, ranches, is 74 years old and hasn't a gray hair. How does it happen, you ask? Well, Joe says he doesn't know any more about it than anybody else. But there he is and his old-time sweetheart, as gray and scant of hair, and keeps it that way. That's all there is to it. He was down in Seguin to see his mother and sisters. And when he got there they rallied 'round him, asking "how come." They begged for the receipt. But he did it. But he had none.

Frank Montague came down from Bandera for the week-end, bringing his wife and two of the young sons. Frank always brings them down for circusses and Old Trail Drivers' reunions.

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Adds New Line.

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The New Era Buys Larger Press.

The New Era this week placed an order for a larger newspaper press, a Universal, two-revolution, drum cylinder, with a No. 2 Eclipse folder. We expect to receive and install this machinery by December 1st. The press we are now using, a two-page seven column Potter cylinder press, will be sent to Harper to be used by Warren Hunter in printing the Harper Herald. Warren has been struggling along for nearly two years wrestling with an old Washington hand press, which has almost wrecked his good morals, and hindered his progressiveness. With a cylinder press he will now be in position to give Harper a still better newspaper, although it is conceded to be the best weekly in Kerr county. We have a big mouthful magazine, and the expanding circulation of the New Era will certainly "strut our stuff." When we purchased the New Era nearly seven years ago the paper was printed on a little two page Vaughn Acme press. My soon-pull crew that, and three years later we purchased the Potter cylinder press. We ready growth of Frontier Times, the mouthful magazine, and the expanding circulation of the New Era has been a tax on our press facilities. The burden will now be overcome when the machinery is installed, which will be within the next few weeks, and we are glad.

Big Potatoes.

Mrs. Armand Grechon brought us some extra large Porto Rico Yams last Thursday. These potatoes are about the largest we have seen raised here, and Mrs. Clark says she has plenty more yield like that. We want to honestly believe that sweet potatoes would not be raised successfully on any but sandy soil, but the yams raised in Bandera county will equal any produced in the sandy land belt.

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Scalped by Indian.

Ed Mansfield returned from San Antonio Monday where he spent Sunday with relatives. Mansfield participated in the Old Trail Drivers' reunion. Mr. Mansfield was scalped by an Indian in a battle fought in defense of the Texas frontier. Mansfield is very proud of his battle scalp, and he was among the murdered victims of savage ferocity which many times he was scalped and scalped by an old squaw who had but one eye. As soon as he could make his escape from the Indian camp he secured a quantity of Wilson's Dyer and applied to his bleeding top-knot and it immediately healed all of the wound, and up to this good day he has had no time his scalp was just as good as ever and ready to be killed in the fight. After that every "Tronsgesman" in the performance had to use Wilson's Dyer, for the best dope on the market, heals the cuts and drives away the flies.

Returns From Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Langford and children came in last Thursday from Mooringsport, La., where they have resided for the past year or more. We understand that they will remain here, which is pleasing news to their many friends.

Grand Plate Barbecue.

A lunch plate party will be given at Indian Creek school house Saturday night, October 15, beginning at 7 o'clock. Barbecued, meat, cake lemonade, bread, coffee, pickles and other eatables will be served. There will be plenty of entertainment, and everybody invited to come and have a good time. Admission 25c. School children 20c. Funds to go toward repairing the Indian Creek school house.

Chas. Neal, a young ranchman of Tuff, was a Bandera visitor Tuesday.

Nat B. Jones, of Kerrville, was a pleasant visitor at our office Tuesday.

George Lane and Burgin Davenport went to San Antonio last Tuesday on business.

Miss Evelyn Gerdes has accepted a position in Billings Drug Store and entered upon her duties Tuesday.

Miss Inez Ross returned home yesterday after having spent several days with her sister Mrs. Clayborne Davenport on West Verde.

D. E. Dater Dead.

One day last week while D. E. Dater, aged 69, was handling a team of mules, one of the animals kicked him in the side, and so badly injured him that he died at his home on Bandera Creek Wednesday night, October 5th. Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church by Elder J. D. Slater, minister of the Church of Christ, of San Antonio, and interment was made in Bandera Cemetery at 6 o'clock last Thursday evening.

A wife and five children survive, the children being Mrs. Amanda Pinner of San Antonio, Monroe Dater, Jonas Dater, John Dater and DeWitt Dater of Bandera.

Deceased was born in Oklahoma December 13, 1858, and came to Bandera about five years ago. He was a quiet, law-abiding citizen, honest and upright in all of his dealings, and his tragic death is greatly deplored by all who knew him. The New Era extends sympathy and condolence to the bereaved family.

Sells Ten Litter.

Last week G. L. Vawter, of Pipe Creek, sold a ton litter of pigs in San Antonio at 5½ cents per pound. The pigs were born January 2, this year, and the litter weighed 2,000 pounds when sold. Not so bad for Bandera county hogs. They were of the Poland China stock.

When a Dog Loves.

The picture to be shown at Bandera Theater Friday night, will be "When a Dog Loves," featuring the famous German police dog, Ranger. Ranger needs no introduction, as "Sharps and Flats" which will keep you laughing, Manager Dan Dietz states is also a very splendid pictures these days, and the local picture show is receiving a good patronage from an appreciative public.

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Commissioners Court.

Commissioners Court was in session the first part of the week with all commissioners present except J. V. Porter, of Vanderpool. Besides other routine business Oscar Gray was appointed car light tester.

Old Fashioned Candle Mould.

County Commissioner A. V. Pue, of Medina, brought in an old fashioned candle mould this week for the New Era's inspection. In this day and time, when candles are about a thing of the past, especially the home-made candles, the old candle mould is considered as quite a relic. In the early days, before the introduction of kerosene lamps the settlers were forced to make their own candles by reason of the fact that they could not be obtained otherwise. The old fashioned candle mould consisted of a tallow candle, and provided light for the frontier home when the shades of darkness descended. Every old pioneer well remembers the days of the tallow candle.

Yesterday Mr. Pue brought us an old Citizens' rifle which his father, J. A. V. Pue, brought from Maryland to Texas in the 60s. The old rifle is in good condition, and if its entire history could be told we are sure, it would be interesting. Mr. Pue says he would not part with this old gun, but generously loaned it for display in our museum.

Miss Eratha Garrison, of Medina Lake, was a Bandera visitor Tuesday.

If you are not a subscriber to the New Era you ought to be.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufee Mayfield, of Medina, were seen in Bandera yesterday.

Oscar Mangold, of West Verde, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Hayden Mansfield has accepted a position on the Dude ranch near Hondo.

Mrs. W. E. Ruge and Miss Johanna Ruge went to San Antonio yesterday.

W. J. Davenport, Sr., and Clayborne Davenport, made a business trip to Hondo last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elam and son, Clyde, of Medina, were here Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Langford and family.

Read Frontier Times.

John Wise Played Safe

John Wise was not stingy—he was just a careful spender. Although young in years he had already learned from experiences of others that sooner or later—he would need money.

It might be for a home—to go in business—buy a farm, or it might be for sickness, an operation or any number of emergencies that demand money now—they will not wait!

So John Wise saved—true, it was only a small amount but he saved it week in and week out. His savings grew—paid him well in interest. Now he's prepared to take advantage of opportunity or thwart failure.

The First National Bank of Bandera

TARPLEY TOPICS.

Tarpley has had several good showers. As a result, grain is up and fall gardens are pretty.

The pipe line through this section is completed and oil is flowing through. Most of the men are home and everything is quieter than it has been in some time.

School is getting well started under the management of Miss Kelly and Bradley. We are hoping for a successful term.

Rev. Gossett accompanied by Mrs. Gossett and Mr. and Mrs. James Pepper were here Sunday and preached to a good sized crowd. He appointed Mr A. A. Jeffers as superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School, to succeed Mrs. H. E. Willis who has resigned after years of faithful service.

Members of the P. T. A. entertained a large crowd last Friday evening in honor of the teachers. They will also organize a basket supper to be given at the school house next Friday night. Proceeds to go to the school. Every one cordially invited.

We understand that R. R. Pue is having extensive improvements done on his home.

R. A. Robinson has just completed a fine little cottage.

Lucius Hicks is having his home repainted and a house and barn built for his renters.

Frontier Times Next Week.

The November number of Frontier Times will be issued next Monday and, as usual, will be full of thrilling stories of the Frontier. The contents of the forthcoming number will be as follows: "Sculping of Matilda Friend. "The Bowie Mine Found Again," Col. J. Sicker, Texas Ranger. "Early Settlement of Northeast Texas." "The Dave Crockett Relic." "The First Fence-Cutting Case in Texas." "The Battle of Salado." "Where's a serial." "The Truth About the Hickok-McCanles Affair." "Jefferson Davis' Ships of the Desert." "Was a Texas Banger Fifty Years Ago." "Boys Fight Indians in Llano County." "John Joyce, Pioneer." "Story of Mrs. J. W. Mears." Tom Scudder Had Lived in Texas Seventy-One Years," and many other interesting sketches of people and events that happened in the early history of Texas. Frontier Times is published by year, but each number is worth the annual subscription price.

Jess O'Brien, of San Antonio, accompanied by Miss Lucille Hall, of Pipe Creek, was in town Monday.

Edwin Langford was in from Pipe Creek Monday and informed us that conditions in his section are very good, but more rain is needed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brault and little son, Hal, and Mrs. Pearl Pound went to Fredericksburg last week-end to visit Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young.

Fred Thalmann went to Harper Tuesday to get two Ford Coupes. Extreme Big Bonnet Polaid Chevs stock from Henry Trieble, the well known hog breeder.

Notice to Medina Subscribers.

Miss Beulah Smith, at Hatfield's Store in Medina, is the New Era's only authorized representative in Medina, and subscribers wishing to pay their subscription accounts are requested to hand in the money to Miss Smith. A number of our subscribers in that community are in arrears, and we will appreciate settlement and renewal.

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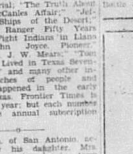
Buy Goats in New Mexico.

P. A. Whatley and Aylor Callahan returned last week from Alamogordo New Mexico, where they purchased about 1500 head of goats, which they will run on the Mimmack ranch on Verde Springs.



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ADVERTISING RATES

The New Era's advertising rates are as follows: Display rate, per column inch, one time 35 cents; contract, 30 cents. Local readers and want ads, 5½ cents per line each insertion.

Incorporation would be the greatest step forward Bandera could take. Let's incorporate.

To induce people to locate here we must first offer something to attract them here. Let's turn old Bandera upside down, wring out the dirt and then clean her up to shine like new money. Point up, rebuild, improve. Make the old town look like new. And while we are doing all of those things, let's build a beautiful park on the court house square.

A mother in Georgia last week thought her little daughter in a dark closet "so terrify her into obedience." The instant the door was closed the child began to cry out declaring "something is under the bed." Then the mother declared after the servant cry she opened the door and she found fellow out dead, a victim of the mother's threat having choked her. We trust the coroner's verdict that she was duly stronger than we do else a negligent homicide charge may result. It seems a severe punishment for one who is willing to terrify their children into obedience, such disobedience reflects more on the parent than the child.

The New Era stands for progressiveness in every form of the word. We realize that in this day and time when towns all around us are building and improving that Bandera cannot afford to sit still. We must move forward with the rush of progress, or else we will go backwards. There is no reason for Bandera to stand still. We have all of the natural resources to make for a splendid commercial center and we should hasten to capitalize these resources not only for our own welfare but for the welfare of future generations. To the North of us only twenty-five miles away, Kerrville is growing by leaps and bounds. To the South of us San Antonio is spreading out as we that section growing, growing, growing. San Antonio is only fifty-four years old, in another fifty-four years that city will rival New York in population. Bandera has a real location to attract people, a real industry to attract people, a real industry to attract people, a real industry