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Stoermer's corn meal is pure. Ask for Stoermer's corn meal.
E. L. Mooney was a business visitor to Columbus Monday.
Stoermer's that's the best corn meal.
J. G. Traylor spent Monday at Columbus on business.
Pure corn clumps for less at Landa's than elsewhere.
Mr. John Dorman of Glen Flora spent Sunday in the city.
Patronize a home industry and always ask for Stoermer's corn meal.
Mr. Leland Montgomery of Columbus was here last Friday to see his best girl.
Get the very best corn meal obtainable—that's Stoermer's meal.
Meyer Nathan paid Columbus a business visit Monday of this week.
Corn by the sack just as cheap as you can buy a carload at Landa's.
We return thanks to Miss Mildred Thatcher for a renewal subscription this week.
If you need any wheat bran, you ought to try Landa's, you can buy it for less.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hahn spent Sunday in Columbus with relatives and friends.
Let Burger Bros. supply you with wood before that cold spell reaches here.
Mr. J. H. Courtney of Altheim was transacting business in the city last Saturday.
Any and all kinds of wood. Better order it now.
Burger Bros.
Rev. Geo. Coussey of Lissie, was in the city Monday for a few hours on business.
You ought to try a sack of oats which Landa sells at 50 cents a bushel, the best you ever saw.
Mr. Oscar E. Linderholm of Chesterville was transacting business in the city last Saturday.
Order your wood from Burger Bros. and let them deliver it before the cold spell gets here.
Mr. Henry Hahn spent last Sunday in Columbus, returning home on the afternoon train.
Attorney W. S. Strickland was transacting business in Columbus Tuesday.
Last week Landa unloaded four carloads of feed stuffs, and will sure pay you to give him a call.

The grand George Gray was here yesterday from Chesterville on business.
Miss Lillian Nathan spent several days visiting relatives in Hallettsville this week.
Mrs. O. Goode returned to her home in Lakeside Wednesday from a visit to relatives in Yonkum.
Burger Bros. predict a cold spell coming. Better let them take your order now and deliver your wood.
We are pleased to add the name of Mr. E. E. Via, the Southern Pacific's accommodating clerk, to our list of regular weekly readers.
I have just received a car of Tidal Wave Flour. If you will try a sack, you will buy again. At Landa's.
Leon Hill, a prominent citizen of Brownsville, was in the city yesterday en route home from the Eldridge trial at Bellville.
H. B. Bell, traveling agent for the Galveston News, spent a few days in Eagle Lake this week on business. He paid this office a pleasant call.
DENTIST—Dr. P. T. Gordon, Dentist, up stairs, Norris building. All kinds of dental work and all work guaranteed.
Dr. Howard Fitzgerald of San Antonio came in Sunday afternoon and left same night for Bellville, he being a witness in the Eldridge case.
Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Carothers left Tuesday night of last week for a visit to his parents in Tupelo, Mississippi, to be absent several weeks.

Mr. George [unclear] returned last Friday from a very pleasant two weeks' visit to Corpus Christi.
Mrs. J. R. Wooten left Thursday for her home in Columbus. After a pleasant visit to relatives here.
Mr. Leon D. Williamson of Del Rio was here the first of the week en route to attend the Eldridge trial at Bellville.
Mr. J. J. Lawrence of San Antonio was here the first of the week en route to Bellville to attend the Eldridge trial.
Very few farmers from the country have been seen in town this week which is a very good sign that farm work is in full blast.
Messrs. W. A. and John C. Thatcher returned Wednesday from a combined business, hunting and fishing trip to East Bernard.
S. B. Moody, postmaster at La Grange, Illinois, spent a day or so here this week, having been summoned to Bellville in the Eldridge case.
Miss Flew Garrison left Sunday afternoon for her home in Lissie after a pleasant visit to relatives here. She was accompanied home by Miss Ada Winfree.
Mr. O. E. Linderholm of Chesterville was here yesterday with about thirty prospectors from the north. He says real estate sales have been quite lively of late.
Quite a number of witnesses in the Eldridge trial from here left on the Cane Belt Sunday night for Bellville and a special train carrying twenty-five more left here for the same place at 9:30 Monday morning.

Millinery and Notions
I have purchased the Millinery business of Mrs. J. D. Odum & Co and will appreciate a share of your patronage
Mrs. O. W. Westmoreland.

Scholarship For Sale.
Any young man or young lady intending to enter a business college now or at any time later on will profit by calling on or writing this paper. We have a \$50 scholarship good for a complete course in any of the twenty-eight Draughon's Practical Business Colleges, the Texas Colleges being in Dallas, Denison, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Galveston, El Paso, Austin, Waco and Tyler. We have only one of these scholarships, so if you intend entering a business college, call on or write us at once as it will be sold for \$25 to the first person that applies. Address, THE HEADLIGHT.

MAKING GOOD CLOTHES
Is no experiment with us, but is the result of a life-time experience and careful study which enables us to offer the public a service regarding which there can be no question. Base your judgment on experience and not on idle words. Your experience will be that every garment made by us has been a substantial rock in the foundation of our reputation for high-grade tailoring.
GEO. REDFORD, Merchant Tailor.

MEN'S SUITS!
Now Is The Time To Buy!
Yourself a good Suit of Clothes.
We have still a nice assortment of **MEN'S CLOTHES** and as it is customary to our business methods not to carry over goods from one season to another anything in our clothing department, we are going to place on sale, beginning today, all Men's Clothing at **STRICTLY FACTORY COST!**
We would have you remember the class of merchandise we carry in this department, **Strictly High Standard Clothing, Clothes made to fit and fit to wear.**



This is a very opportune time to buy Clothing as the winter season is still in its height, besides the exceedingly low prices that we are making in our suits is quite a factor.
J. NATHAN & SON.

J. G. TRAYLOR
Merchant Tailor



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A \$5.00 GOLD PIECE
Given away on the first day of each month. You get a chance on each 50 cent purchase. Be sure to call for chance at time of purchase.
"Gold and Silver" Shirts, Collars and Neckwear—in fact everything for men can be found here.

WHO'S YOUR TAILOR?
American Eagle, W. L. Douglas and Courtney's Full Vamp Shoes and Boots are the best made—over 100 styles to select from. Also full line Stetson, Thoroughbred and Novelty Hats, \$1.00 to \$7.50. Snag Proof Rubber Boots and Shoes.
REMEMBER I Have Only One Price to All!



In discussing the prevalent mail order habit, Henderson Poe tells a good one that is worth repeating: The pastor of one of the churches at Memphis, Mo., where Mr. Poe formerly lived, was paid \$1000 a year and was giving good satisfaction. In an evil hour he got hold of a catalogue and studied its contents until he became a confirmed mail order fiend, sending to Chicago for all his family supplies. It happened that three of the pillars of the good man's church were local merchants. These three men paid the bulk of the minister's salary and other expenses of the church. When they overheard him recommending his favorite Chicago firm to members of his flock, they were not highly pleased. They held a little caucus and sent for their spiritual adviser, but not to talk theology. They first asked him where he traded. When he hesitated and stuttered, they asked him direct if he did not send to Chicago for his supplies. He admitted that such was the case but explained that he thought a man ought to trade where he could do the best. The merchants admitted the correctness of his position. In fact they had decided to do the "smiling themselves." They had received circulars from a Chicago firm that could send them sermons for two cents each. They had decided to get their religious instruction by mail and that they would not be held to pay for any more of the home made article. In a short time the pastor's resignation was accepted. Unfortunately many men who refuse to deal with the people who have made them all they have are not so easy to get at.

As we go to press that the "Hans Hansen" show will not fill its engagement here tonight on account of sickness of one of the members. The opera house managers, Messrs. Burger, inform us that the first number on the Lyceum course will be the attraction at the opera house Monday night.
Dr. Foote moved to Eagle Lake this week where he expects to make his future home. He has been closely associated with the business fraternity of our city in promoting the welfare of the people, and they feel that they have lost a useful citizen. While we regret to lose such people as the Dr. and wife, yet we wish their happiness in their new home.—Rock Island Enterprise.
Chas. Ramsey refused an offer of \$9000 for the Racker Store the other day because he didn't want to lose his job of sweeping out every morning. Colorado Citizen.
There is a refined selfishness that can sit in the chief seat in the synagogue, preach from the pulpit, sing in the choir, halloo "Amen" from the front seat, but which does not love his neighbor or do the square thing. Our Savior spoke of whitened sepulchres, clean on the outside, inside full of dead men's bones. The quiet man whose heart is tuned in harmony with the precept of true Christianity has more joy inside of him and sheds more radiance about him than the richest member in the congregation or the loudest amen in the meeting house. This is not said in prejudice to the man with the money or the fervent amen corner man who is doing his best according to his lights. The church needs all kinds except the bad ones.

Some one has asked the question, "What is a friend?" It is the fellow who will inconvenience himself for you. It is the man who will sit by your bedside when your frame has been touched by disease. It is the man who will come to you when the clouds are black; when the muttering thunder of misfortune grows about the sky. It is the man who says, don't be discouraged, I'll see you out." It is not the man who will do you a kindness only when he feels he will get back full pay for services rendered. Remember that all who write their names in script in your friendship album are not your friends.
"Girls are the sisters of boys and has long hair, wares dresses an' powder. The first girl was called Christmas Eve, tho' I never cud see why. Most every family has one girl while some of 'em that is in hard luck has two or three. We have a girl in ours, who is my sister. Girls can grow older and get younger. My sister has been fat for three years, and some day we may be twins. Girls play pianer and talk about each other. Fat girls want to be thin and thin girls want to be fat and all of 'em want to marry fods. Why the Lord made girls woady nos, but I think it were to go to church and eat ice cream. They is three kinds of girls, blond girls, brunet girls and them that have money. Girls is afraid of mice and bugs which make it fun to put them down their backs".—Exchange.
The Colorado County Abstract Company's office, books, papers, and fixtures have been purchased by Messrs. Harrison, Miller & Johnson of this city, who will in future conduct it in connection with their real estate business.—Colorado Citizen.

When He Was Wrong.
This story is told of a college professor who was noted for his concentration of mind.
The professor was returning home one night from a scientific meeting, still pondering over the subject. He had reached his room in safety, when he heard a noise which seemed to come from under the bed.
"Is some one there?" he asked.
"No, professor," answered the intruder, who knew of the professor's peculiarities.
"That's strange. I was positive some one was under my bed," commented the learned man.—Judge's Library.
Spring makes us feel young again, and feeling young again reminds us of our boyhood days, and a reminder of our boyhood days recalls the woods, and thinking of woods recalls the orchard, and when we think of the orchard we recall the green apples. And this brings us down to what we want to talk about. Winard Burbank has taken the seed out of the plum, increased the size of the apple, removed the spine from the yucca, and taken the seed out of the blackberry. If he wants to become the patron saint of all the small boys he will proceed to take the spine out of green apples. When he has done this his name will be as secure as Rock of Ages.—Will Maupin in The Commoner.
The Citizen regrets that its friend Billy Haas, of Weimar, was disappointed in his aspirations at Austin. We do not think, however, that any better man has been elected to the position he sought, or one who would serve Texas more honestly and efficiently, but that Bill happened to be living in the wrong part of our great State. Colorado Citizen.

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When old Uncle Weatherby was a poor farmer he used to go up to town and eat pie with a carving fork. The people smiled.
"You don't say!"
"Then later on he began eating it with a tablespoon. The people laughed."
"I don't blame them."
"From that he changed to a knife. They roared."
"Great Scott! And is he still sticking to the knife?"
"No. Since they found oil on his farm and rated him as a millionaire he eats pie with his fingers and everybody needs his approval and says he is bizarre."—Ex.
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