

The New Ribbon Hat

It reached us yesterday—the new season's novelty. This pretty creation of black moire ribbon is so cleverly made that it is sure to win instant favor. It will appeal particularly to the woman who seeks something decidedly smart in a tailored style.

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o'clock, any



FIRE DAMAGES TEA AND COFFEE PLANT

**Lighted Cigar Stump Thought to
Have Been Cause—Another Blaze
in Brackenridge Park.**

A lighted cigar stump, thrown into a pressed paper cuspidor filled with sawdust, in the opinion of Fire Chief Wright, was responsible for a fire which broke out in the Morrison Coffee Company plant, 214 South Comal street, at an early hour this morning, destroying approximately \$3000 worth of coffee, tea and spices and damaging the building about \$300.

The fire, it is thought had been smouldering from 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon until it broke out in a flame at 1:20 o'clock this morning. Notwithstanding the fire had gained good headway before the alarm was sounded, firemen quickly checked the blaze. The stock on hand, equip-

ment in the coffee storage house and machinery in the roaster room, valued at \$10,000 were saved by the fast work of the firemen.

The building, a story and a half ironclad structure, owned by Fest & Trawalter, was valued at \$1200 and was insured for \$800. Insurance on the stock amounted to \$8000.

Fire which broke out in a small frame building occupied by the family of P. Vasquez, and situated in Brackenridge park, threatened the destruction of the pump house building nearby and all machinery at 6:55 o'clock this morning. The damage to the building and furniture is estimated at about \$200. Firemen checked the fire with a single line of hose, which was connected with a fire hydrant on River Avenue.

The overturning of a pot of tar used in the construction of a roof at 3009 South Presa street, gave the department a long run at 10 o'clock this morning. No damage was occasioned by the fire. While responding to the alarm, the breaking of a spring on motor car No. 3, South Alamo street, came near causing the fire apparatus to overturn while within a short distance of the fire. No one was injured.

An alarm sounded yesterday caused