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MASS MEETING FOR WEDNESDAY

Railroad Committee in Final Effort to Raise Balance of \$50,000 Bonus

BUSINESS SUSPENDS FOR OCCASION

But Three Days In Which Money May Be Secured--Situation Becoming Serious--Only \$26,000 is on Hand at Present

With only three days more in which to raise the Lanin bonus of \$50,000, and but \$25,681.80 on hand, the committee in charge of the local fund has become desperate. The time is at hand when all play must be stopped, for a delay of another day will mean that San Angelo will have lost the splendid offer that Mr. Lanin has submitted. To lose the Sterling City railroad will mean a set-back that this city will never get over. The splendid growth of San Angelo will not only be stopped but the merchants will be relieved of the healthy trade they have been drawing all these years. Towns that have been straggling in this place will of necessity throw their business to other fields.

ton, Lamesa and other places. But all have been refused for the present. Mr. Lanin has his eye on San Angelo, and will not budge an inch until he learns whether or not the \$50,000 bonus here is to be raised. Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock a meeting of the soliciting committee was held in the First National bank, and by actual count the lists showed a total of only \$25,681.80, being not quite \$3000 in excess of the amount on hand last Saturday. It has been realized that it is useless to dilly-dally along in this manner any longer, for with but three days left in which to get up the amount, further efforts under this plan would mean defeat. So the mass meeting idea has been adopted, and if the citizens who have property and should support a movement of this kind do not attend and lend their financial aid the whole matter will be lost.

Chairman Webb states that practically every man of small means has given up his 2 per cent, and that it is now up to the people with money to pull this thing through. Several of San Angelo's leading business men who usually make heavy contributions to such enterprises are out of the city, and it has been decided to send them telegrams, making a final plea. In fact, the messages were sent out Monday night. In an effort to reach those who might subscribe. These people were told that it is a case of give up a little money or lose the railroad. Another meeting has been called for Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Practically every bank in the city has called a meeting of its directors, and the matter of subscribing to the bonus will be considered. The First National bank is so far the heaviest contributor, having voted to give \$2500.

RETAIL MCHTS. AFTER MEETING

SAN ANGELO DECIDES TO MAKE STRONG PULL FOR 1910 CONVENTION OF ASSOCIATION.

LOCAL MEN PLANNING

Arrangements Made for a Smoker to Be Given on the Night of August 9--More Members Are Desired.

Inasmuch as San Angelo has been successful in every effort during the past two years in the matter of bringing conventions here, the Retail Merchants' association has decided to put in a bid for the 1910 annual meeting of that organization. On the convention floor a vote is allowed for every twenty members. In order to create a general good feeling among the merchants of San Angelo, and to build up as large a membership as possible before the next state meeting is held, a smoker is to be given on the evening of August 9.

A meeting of the association was held Monday afternoon in the directors' room of the San Angelo Bank and Trust company, President John Froelich presiding. Plans for the smoker were discussed, but only a general outline was presented. Committees were appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

Attend the big mass meeting at the Yale theater Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Lusk and daughter, Miss Callie Lusk, of Roswell, N. M., who have been visiting W. K. Beatty of this city lately, left Monday for Hamlin.

Mrs. W. R. Johnson and daughter Willie and son Sam left Monday for Palacios, on the sea coast, for a two weeks pleasure trip.

WEST TEXANS LIKE THE AUTO

SAN ANGELO IS THE HOME OF NO LESS THAN 150 CARS, RANKING AS TOP-NOTCHER.

SMITH GIVES REASONS

Ranchmen Having No Railroad Facilities Tire of Oldtime Conveyances and Many of Them Are Owners of Hook-Hooks.

In San Angelo today there are about 110 automobiles registered and about fifty more registered at other places that practically belong here. This is a record that is hardly excelled by any town the size of San Angelo in the state. But that fact is not so remarkable. San Angelo has lots of tributaries that are not connected by railroads and many wealthy ranchmen who are weary of the oldtime method of conveyance and have naturally taken up with the automobile.

"That the automobile is rapidly becoming the most practical method for conveyance is undoubted, and the improvements that have been made in the last few years have beyond a doubt brought the touring car out of the category of experiments," said Roy C. Smith, one of the genial proprietors of the San Angelo Auto Supply company, Monday.

"It is peculiar, not to say comical, to see one of the old-time West Texas ranchmen, who formerly mounted the hurricane deck of the Texas broncho or drove one of those big white topped ranch buggies that are fast becoming a thing of the past, sitting with true grace at the wheel of a modern monster of travel.

"It is a proven fact that an automobile can go through water as easily as a horse, and by the chain being attached to the rear wheel they are unequalled at pulling through mud."

ALL WEST TEXAS WANTS LANIN ROAD

Colorado City Offers Bonus of \$250,000, Right of Way, Grounds etc.

STERLING CITY DELEGATION IS HERE

Party of Eleven Meets Local Committee, Offering to Assist in Raising Balance of Amount Necessary to Make Up the Bonus

San Angelo was a scene of unusual activity Monday afternoon. Delegations composed of real, live hustlers were here from Colorado City, Water Valley and Sterling City. The Sterling City people were here for the purpose of lending the San Angelo committee any assistance possible in getting up the Lanin railroad bonus. The good citizens of Sterling City having already signified their intention of signing whenever Mr. Lanin is ready, Colorado City wants Mr. Lanin to build a railroad, and Water Valley announces that it is ready, or will be, whenever San Angelo is, to turn things over to Mr. Lanin and let the good work of construction get started. This much is certain. All eyes are on San Angelo, and if it does not take advantage of the liberal offer Mr. Lanin has made, other places are to profit by this city's default.

to other cities. We don't want to do that. "Why, I am surprised to see such a large committee. Looks to me as if you could raise that \$50,000 right among yourselves. We didn't have many more people at our mass meeting and we had as much to dig up as you have."

H. Q. Lyles told of the many propositions that have made to Mr. Lanin. He said that Stanton has offered a bonus of \$50,000 and right of way; Lamesa is willing to give up \$50,000 and forty miles of graded roadbed; Midland has \$200,000 in the bank, and Big Springs is very enthusiastic. "All West Texas wants this road that Mr. Lanin offers you," declared Mr. Lyles, "and if San Angelo passes it up it will be good bye to the Queen City of the Conchos."

O. H. Graham said that although there are but 262 poll tax payers in his county, no great difficulty was experienced in raising the money. "In fact, we realized from the start that we just had to get up that \$50,000, and by grabs we did it in the proper spirit," remarked Mr. Graham. "I'll wager that not more than twelve men in our whole county refused to help in a financial way."

The method used by Sterling City was to assess 25 cents against every acre of land within four miles of the city, 15 cents for the next three miles, and 10 cents for the balance. One per cent was assessed against personal property. W. L. Foster contributed \$6000 and J. T. Davis gave \$5000, these subscriptions being the two heaviest.

"We will have no trouble in getting a road to Colorado City and Big Springs," continued Mr. Graham, "but we would rather come to San Angelo. You fellows know we have been banking with you ever since this town was first placed on the map, and it would almost break us up in business if it becomes necessary to do our trading elsewhere."

In concluding Mr. Graham recommended to the San Angelo committee B. F. Roberts. "He is a regular drifter," said Mr. Graham, "and you will find him a past master at getting the money."

Mr. Roberts was called on for an address, and although he at first declined, he was finally induced to tell how he went about parting the people from their "hard earned."

"The ranchmen were our heaviest contributors," said Mr. Roberts. "You see our little town is only composed of a few hundred people, and with us it was a case of seeing everybody in the whole county. Our people want this road and they want it bad, and therefore when approached they responded. Many of them increased their subscriptions two or three times."

Those from Sterling City who attended the meeting included J. T. Davis, cattleman; H. Q. Lyles, merchant; N. A. Austin, merchant; B. F. Roberts, merchant; Jeff Glass, cattleman; Walter Allen, cattleman; Allie Ruthenford, real estate; Emmett Westbrook, bank cashier; R. W. Foster, ranchman; Chas. Colson, druggist, and O. H. Graham, general utility man.

Water Valley was then heard from. J. G. Cooper was present, and said that although the entire amount has not been signed for, not more than \$400 is lacking, and it can be secured in less than an hour. "We are ready," said Mr. Cooper, "and if necessary we could sign the contract Tuesday."

It was suggested by L. L. Farr that the Sterling City delegation remain over Tuesday and help the local committee. A round will be made of all the leading business houses.

SCARCITY OF LABOR BUILDING BOOM ON

August Balfanz Starts For Dallas and Fort Worth to Secure Help in Order That Progress May go on

Building material and expert mechanical help are going at a premium in San Angelo nowadays! This fact was exemplified Monday when August Balfanz started on a hurry trip to Fort Worth and Dallas to get material and help to supply the demand for the vast amount of work that is going on in San Angelo.

Bricks are going up and the trowel that is not in action in this city is the one that has no expert hand to wield it. The amount of building that is now going on has seldom been surpassed in the history of the city, and if present prospects count for anything a new record will soon be made in the line of substantial improvement. This goes to show that even the doubters have regained their lost confidence and are untying their purse strings preparatory to letting it go, but with such a string attached that it will eventually come back to them extensively multiplied.

San Angelo is not a boom town, one of those that arise in the night and fall to ashes with the first streak of light in the morning. Every step taken, though it is indeed rapid, is substantial and only a pretty breezy cyclone can demolish the work that is now being done.

"Talk about your building booms," said R. E. Scott, one of San Angelo's most prominent architects, Monday. "But San Angelo has anything on the map skinned a city block. A good many bricks and fine residences are going up now, but that isn't a circumstance to what is going to be done this fall. Now that the chances for good crops are practically assured, and with the Orient a sure thing and other railroad prospects booming, the way buildings are going up this fall is going to be something startling."

"I have lived in San Angelo for many years and I can truthfully say

that I never saw the chances for progress and improvement half as bright. People are more confident of the future of San Angelo than ever before, and are displaying confidence in the most satisfying way possible--by turning their money loose in such building improvements as will rebound in great benefit to themselves as well as the city in general.

"I have several big propositions on hand of which I am not permitted to speak at present, but suffice to say that they will cause some people to open their eyes when they hear of them, and I am also informed that the other architects are equally busy."

"The architects are smiling, the contractors are smiling and in fact everyone who has the interest of San Angelo at heart is wearing a great big broad grin, for everybody believes that we are now entering upon an era of almost undreamed-of prosperity."

BALL GAMES.

Lamasas Plays Here Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Something will soon be doing in the realm of old King Swat! It has been over a week since the San Angelo Blues had their colors dragged in the dirt by the husky bunch of braves from the rural city of Ballinger, but they have come up from the ground since then and are prepared to do deeds of valor this week, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, when they tackle the strong team from Lamasas.

In former years the Lamasas boys have proven too strong for the home team, but the blue-shirted heroes of this city well remember the fact and are practising up to show them that history can't repeat itself, in this instance, anyway.

BRACHFIELD? WELL JUST GLANCE

CHARLES L. BRACHFIELD OF TARRANT COUNTY SAYS HE IS COMING TO MEETING.

MEMBER OF SENATE

Speaker He Is in a Class With Louis J. Wortham, Cone Johnson and M. M. Crane--Will Be a Strong Card.

Mr. Hugo Harrison Hawkins, who Austin is affectionately termed "Mother of the Senate," is in receipt of a letter from Senator Charles Brachfield of Tarrant county to the effect that he will be present at the convention.

Brachfield is in point of service the oldest member of the present senate of Texas, with the exception. As an orator with Louis J. Wortham and Cone Johnson of Tarrant county of Dallas and others type. Brachfield has never shrivelled localisms to sentiment, and his record on legislation is as clean as snow. Personally he is intellectually he is a giant among giants. His sobriquet "The Beau of Texas," and this title fits

him with all the nicety that could be conjured.

Brachfield will be a strong card at the mayors' meeting. He will exemplify the dignity and the wisdom and the science of government to be found in the state senate with as much skill as H. Bascom Thomas will seek to bend the best body of lawmakers that has assembled in Austin since the days of the Twenty-second legislature. Brachfield and Thomas! The best and the worst! How fortunate is San Angelo.

Mysterious Shooting.

Two mysterious shots were fired in the red light district Monday night. One was heard about 10 o'clock, and about twenty minutes later a second report rang out. The shooting was at Clarence Rose's place.

City and county officers appeared on the scene shortly before midnight, and for two hours were driving around to different parts of the city. Their actions seemed to indicate that they were working some great clue, but when seen at an early Tuesday morning they declared that their presence on the streets at such an hour was due to some official business in connection with a sequestration writ.

The officers claimed to have made an investigation of the shooting, but said that it was accidental. No arrests were made. Nobody was hurt, according to the report of the officers.

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SHOW YOUR COLORS.

Catch the San Angelo spirit. Show you are proud of your colors. Join the procession of city builders. Get your name on the Lanin bonus proposition and shout "On to Sterling City" like you were sending forth glad some hosannas and that you felt a patriotic tingling all through your body.

BRANDS, WHERE ART THOU?

As far as The Press-News is able to learn, the question of what becomes of the millions upon millions of pins turned out by the dozens of pin factories annually has never been properly solved, nor satisfactorily answered. The great pin question is at this time entitled to space in even such a metropolitan paper as The Press-News, for this is the revival season.

Right now there are not less than 1000 revivals holding forth in this state, and the season has not yet reached its full swing. It is presumed that each of these revivals will result in not less than 100 brands being snatched from the burning and given good seats among the anointed. That will give us 100,000, or the usual crop, judged by newspaper reports, for the season's work.

The Press-News makes no profession to and it scorns all pretense of being a theological authority. It can not solve to its own satisfaction the great question of whether Balaam's ass spoke with the voice of a human being fashioned in the image of his Maker; or whether Balaam's ass brayed in a manner that Balaam interpreted and understood. This confession at once places this paper at once in the role of being without fine knowledge of the fine parts incidental to the necessary forms and formulas needed to reach the great up yonder.

After this begging-your-pardon bow, The Press-News would like to ask, what becomes of the crop of converts made last year during the revival season? At the rate of 100,000 converts a year it means that one-fortieth of the people of Texas—basing our population at four million—has got to be saved yearly, or the regions dim will get an unjustifiable share of the souls that go hence from Texas. The Press-News resents the hidden implication that one-fortieth of the people of Texas this year or any other year since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, have, up to the hour when they felt the moving spirit and the saving grace, been serving flesh and devil to the exclusion of good works.

Allowing one-fortieth as a fair sample, we must still keep in mind that men whose shibboleth is the cross and whose efforts are consecrated to holy purposes every day in the year, including the revival season, do a great work. If, then, revivalists average 100,000 a year in Texas, it is not a wild guess to assert in a gentle, argumentative sort of way that the good and evangelizing weavers of clerical robes at least bring into the sacred folds not less than 100,000 each year.

This brings our total up to one-twentieth of the people of Texas. Now if one-twentieth of the people of Texas are saved every year, it would appear that in twenty years every one in this state would be inside the fold. We will admit that there is a chance for geometrical progression to have a play here, and rather than go into the minutia of the situation we are willing to grant that it will take ten years to get every one in the ways of the pious and good, with revivalists working in season and their fellows working all the time.

With these astounding truths, self-evident and backed by newspaper reports, is it not a bit remarkable that the revival season is starting a little earlier and lasting a little longer each year? From the conditions that actually prevail, one is entitled to believe that revival conversions don't ring right very long, or else our population is increasing at an abnormal rate, everyone in the influx to Texas as being a heathen and fit food for the revivalist.

If press reports are true, reviving has been greatly commercialized in many parts. We are informed, for instance, that the Rev. Billy Sunday, who was once a professional baseball player, has to be guaranteed \$10,000 for a meeting before he will agree to go any place to snatch brands from the blazes of hell's fire. At several places he has been paid \$2000 and more a week for his reviving. Other reviving combinations can be secured at cheaper cost. The Press-News knows of two splendid workers, high-salaried fellows in the metropolitan field, who are drawing \$100 a week each expenses for press-agenting their respective evangelists—and neither of these chaps has any more

religion of the revival brand in him than there is blood in a turnip.

But the season is now here. Reviving is in full blast. At least 100,000 people will be converted in Texas along before the fall winds bring welcome succor from the torrid heat waves now playing over this state, and it is our earnest prayer that each of these 100,000 will always tread in the way the light from on high shines, after he has the way pointed by the revival guide.

What's the matter with getting a car of crude oil and fighting the dust devil on the streets of San Angelo?

Insurance Commissioner Love has invited to address the laboring men of Galveston on Labor Day. Wonder if his gum shoes are union made?

A man in Denton county was overcome by the heat while working in an ice factory. F. Fitzhugh Hill must be spouting an unusual amount of hot air this month.

To the Dallas News: Will you reproduce the latest thoughts of Marse Henry Watterson on the tariff, especially as these thoughts connect the two Texas senators with that subject? Just dare you!

The latest report from Abilene has it that that city has resolved to just continue to grow, notwithstanding the Santa Fe cut-off. Bully for Abilene. It is not the first time on record that Mahomet had to go to the mountain.

Col. Don Louis J. Wortham, the erudite editor of the Fort Worth Star Telegram and the best poised and most eloquent orator in Texas, is conducting a campaign to induce the Texas farmers to raise more hogs. Don Louis never struck out in his life, and here's hoping he knocks a homer in this instance.

Bailey and Free Raw Materials.

In his elaborate speech of the 24th of June, in general answer to criticisms provoked by certain votes of his, Senator Bailey of Texas makes a very strong case. He shows conclusively that the "doctrine" of "free raw materials" is of recent origination; that it had no place in the doctrines laid down by Walker, whose famous re- prore constitutes the bedrock of the Democratic Tariff Gospel; and he defends himself with spirit and success from the accusations of his critics. The senator from the Lone Star state is conspicuously and confessedly the most brilliant democrat now in official public life. That he should be required to enter upon such a defense attests the confusion in the average mind. That his argument, exhaustive and unanswerable as it is, will leave the incidents in dispute where they were, attests the opaque character of the question itself, its deep complications and intricacies and mystifications defying explanation and driving away the common perusal and popular interest.

Briefly, Senator Bailey declines to give the manufacturer free raw material without a corresponding reduction of the duties on his finished product. No democrat can contest that proposition. Nor can any democrat successfully dispute the senator's history of the appearance of the "doctrine" of "free raw material" as an adjunct to a democratic tariff measure. It was the quasi-protectionist device of the quasi-protectionist Cleveland administration to placate the manufacturers of the east, and it finally wrecked us.

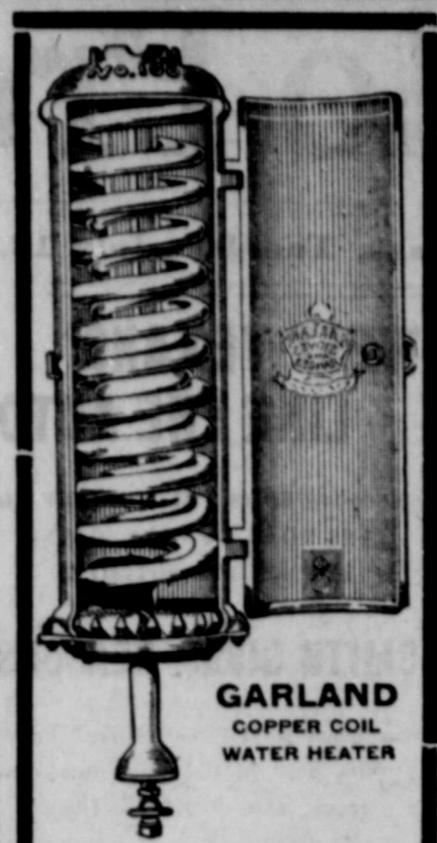
In concluding his very luminous and wholly convincing speech Mr. Bailey eloquently says:

"When we have parted from this theater and have been gathered to our fathers, no democrat who has studied and who understands the history of our party can ever charge that I have helped to destroy the ancient landmarks which our fathers set in this inheritance. They may say that I was wrong; but if they do, they must admit that I have erred in following the immortal men who led the democratic party when it wrote the most glorious chapters in the history of this republic. At their side I stand, and with them I am ready to be judged, declaring, as I have always done, and as I shall do with my latest breath, that the sum of good government is comprehended in the maxim that all shall enjoy equal rights and none shall have special privileges. When my course is run there may be many who think that I have not fought a good fight, but there shall be none who can justly say that I have not kept the faith; and I would not exchange that consciousness for all the offices which demagogues have ever won by a servile flattery of the people."

This is the language of a statesman and an honest man. Senators and members of the house being charged with certain specified duties cannot escape their obligations. They must perform address themselves to the field as it is and the work as they find it. It is cut out for them and they can not escape it.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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C. A. PROBANDT TALKS

San Angelo Will Have to Hustle If It Is to Continue to Draw Patronage from Surrounding Towns. Railroads Active.

"I think the trades excursion would be a profitable thing for the merchants as well as the city at large," said C. A. Probandt of the firm of Probandt & Raphael, Monday. "We want to hold onto what we have—that's natural, and to increase our trade wherever possible. The several railroads that are being constructed now or are a matter of the future may serve to cut off a portion of our trade if we are not strictly diligent and vigilant.

"In my estimation this excursion should not be carried on in the general manner of such affairs. I mean that in a great many instances a trades excursion is simply a guise for a big time and a general jollification. By this I do not mean to say that this is a rule, but it has happened and several times, too. I believe that the business men of San Angelo should get together and look into this matter, arrange a satisfactory schedule and find what the expense would be.

A great deal of advertising should be done, and I believe the best form of advertisement is to go see the people, become personally acquainted with them and cultivate their friendship, so that when other means of securing supplies from other trade centers are open to them, they will stay with San Angelo, the trade center where they have always been fairly dealt with.

There is much comment over the trades excursion and it seems to be the general consensus of opinion among the leading business men that such a move would be profitable in the extreme, and when the boosters get together and go around the country in their autos and other means of transportation, there is going to be something moving, for San Angelo hustlers are real hustlers.

UNION REVIVAL.

Evangelist Speaks on "Topless Heaven and Bottomless Hell."

"Topless Heaven and Bottomless Hell" was Evangelist Cates' subject at the union revival meeting Monday night. He declared that the greatest mystery in the world is the fact that men reject heaven and turn their faces toward hell.

Men and women sat through the entire sermon awed with the vivid and terrible picture of hell as painted by the eloquent evangelist. Two souls were saved.

The mothers' meeting takes place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

The morning theme was "Taking Prisoners for Christ." The evangelist exemplified the fact that the soldiers of the cross were well armed. The weapon of their armament is the word. He gave four scriptures that are effective in convincing men.

Luke 13:3: Except ye repent, ye shall likewise perish.
Psalms 9:17: The wicked shall go unto hell with all the nations that forget God.

Mark 9:44: Where the worm dieth not and the fire is not quenched.
John 3:16: For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son so that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

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ALMOST DOUBLES.

Lot Bringing \$1500 Two Years Ago, Sells for \$2681.25.

Two years ago Dr. R. A. Paul sold a lot on Chadbourne street to J. E. Downes for \$1500. Monday morning a deal was consummated by J. C. Wren whereby Mr. Downes transfers the same property to R. A. Porter for \$2681.25. This shows a gain of almost \$1500 and reflects the true condition of the real estate market in San Angelo.

The lot in question has a frontage of 25 feet on Chadbourne street and is more than 150 feet deep, being described as lot 11, W. C. Johnson's subdivision of acre lots 5 and 6. It lies just north of Hall Bros.

Mr. Porter is now in Michigan, and before leaving the city gave Mr. Wren instructions to close the deal for him on the basis mentioned in the foregoing. The purchase is made as an investment.

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Stops Run-away; Saves Three Lives

C. A. Robinson, undertaker for the Angelo Furniture and Undertaking company, stopped a dangerous runaway Sunday evening on West Beauregard avenue.

He was on his way to church and there were two little girls and a boy in a buggy going west. In some way the bridle fell off of the horse's head and he started on a run west.

Mr. Robinson ran out in the street and caught the horse by the nose and held him while the children scrambled out of the buggy, badly frightened, but not injured.

Had Mr. Robinson not stopped the animal, some or all of the children would surely have been killed or injured.

BUSY DAY.

Deputy Constable Dave Hanley Makes Several Arrests.

Monday was a busy day with Dave Hanley, the deputy constable. He was called upon to arrange the difference between three gentlemen belligerently inclined, which he did with his accustomed grace.

He also gave an inebriated individual the accommodations extended by the county to those who are incapacitated physically and mentally as well to behave as betta a sober citizen.

The cases of the aforesaid will be looked into Tuesday by Judge M. O. Davis.

Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abgram & Title company's report of real estate transfers recorded July 12:

R. H. Clem to A. L. Miles, \$900; conveys lots 6, 7 and, block 61, Park Heights addition.

R. H. Clem to A. L. Miles, \$750; conveys lots 12 and 13, block 60, Park Heights addition.

T. J. Ellis to independent school district of San Angelo, \$2800; conveys lots 8 to 14, inclusive, block 13, Ellis addition.

E. C. Perry to W. R. Coulter, \$3021.33; conveys block 29, M. P. Co's subdivision No. 4, Collyns' ranch.

R. H. Clem et ux. to J. H. Jordan, \$675; conveys lots 10, 11 and 12, block 46, Park Heights addition.

Married in New Mexico.

On July 5 Lee Hanks and Miss Laura Lutz were married at Albuquerque, N. M. Mr. Hanks is a brother of R. M. Hanks of this city and until five years ago resided in San Angelo. He is in the furniture business in Albuquerque and doing well. His many friends here will be pleased to learn of this.

Frank Russell, wife and little daughter Mary Elizabeth, left Monday morning for a month's fishing trip. Their first stop will be on Spring creek. From there they will go on to the Pecos.

K. G. Haydon and family departed Monday for Rushville, Ind., for a visit of about three weeks, after which they will visit at their old home in Lexington, Ky.

J. D. O'Daniels and wife and two sons Pat and J. D., Jr., returned from a visit to Coleman. They came through the country in Mr. O'Daniels' big Cadillac.

Miss Laura Strong, who has been visiting the Misses Hicks at their parents' home on West Twelfth avenue, returned to home in Coleman Monday.

Eat cold watermelons at the Angelo; 10 cents a slice.

Santa Fe
SPECIALS

Austin, \$10.80, July 13 to 14th, limit July 21st.
Lampasas, \$6.20, July 13 to 14th, limit August 2nd.
Lampasas, \$5.30, July 13 to 14th, limit two days.
Palacios, \$14.50, July 13 to 14th, limit July 24th.
San Antonio, \$15.15, August 9th, limit August 18th.
Waco, \$9.40, July 13 to 14th, limit July 18th.

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C. A. Davis, who lives at home and who has been prospecting country for several days, is pleased with the country prospects to make this city his home.

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For you, when you need it. But the longer you neglect indigestion, the more you will suffer before Kodol can restore Good Digestion.

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Use Kodol and prevent Nervous Dyspepsia. Kodol will effectually assist Nature to secure a complete restoration of good digestion. It does in the stomach and keeping it digested, until the stomach is rested and can resume its own work. Kodol removes the cause—and the effect quickly removes itself.

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There can be no harm in trying something that may do you a deal of good—when it costs nothing if it doesn't.

Our Guarantee
Go to your druggist today and get a bottle. Then after you have read the entire contents of the bottle if you honestly say, that it has not done you good, return the bottle to the druggist and he will refund your money without question or delay. We will then pay the cost of the bottle. Don't let your druggist know that our guarantee is this offer applies to the large bottles sent to but one in a family. The small bottle contains 24 times as much as the cent bottle.

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FOR RENT—Several good houses close in. W. H. Collins. Phone 278. Spence Building.

FOR RENT—Two upstairs rooms, southeast exposure. Phone 827 black.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—\$5 bill by not buying my paint and wall paper from the Angelo Paint company. Phone 763.

FOUND—Bunch of keys on the causeway. Call at Press-News office.

FOUND—A Waltham watch and chain with fob marked "J. M." Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad.

LOST—Between San Angelo and Mertz, a Remington 12-gauge double-barrel hammerless shotgun. Return to Hunter & Russell, San Angelo, and receive reward.

FOUND—The prettiest line of picture moulding at Angelo Paint company's. Phone 763.

STRAYED—From our yard, roan mare known as the Trimble mare. Reward for return. Grant Lumber Company. Phone 224.

PERSONAL.

DR. E. R. FORBES, V. S.—Veterinarian, having closed his office at the stock yards, Fort Worth, until October 1, will practice in San Angelo until that time. Riverside Hotel, Oakes street; phone 399.

Ice cold melons to take home, at the Angelo.

S. H. Bean, who resides within the precincts of Coke county, passed through the city Monday enroute for Onalaska.

Let The Press-News get it for you.

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The Man From Brodney's

By **GEORGE BARR M'UTCHEON**

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"Gone?" half shrieked her ladyship. "Into the bank," he added, scratching a match.

"Deppy," she said after a moment, "I hope I was not too hard on the poor fellow."

"Perhaps you won't be so nervous if you sit down and look at the sea," he said gently, and she immediately knew that he suggested it because he expected a tragedy in the opposite direction.

They expected every minute to hear the shouts of assassins and the screams of the brave Mr. Saunders. Their apprehensions were sensibly increased by the mysterious actions of the half naked loiterers. They made off in various directions, more than one of them handling his ugly creese in an ominous manner. Bromley was not slow to acquaint his lordship with these movements. Deppingham felt a



Bowles wore the tight red jacket of a British trooper.

cold chill shoot up his spine, but he refused to encourage the maid's fears by turning around.

"Your lordship," said Mr. Saunders three minutes later, "this is Mr. Bowles, his majesty's agent here. He is come with me to—"

It was then and not until then that his lordship turned his stare from the sea to the clerk and his companion.

"Aw," he interrupted, "glad to see you, I'm sure. Would you be good enough to tell us how we are to reach the—er—chateau and why the devil we can't get anybody to move our luggage?"

Mr. Bowles, who had lived in Japan for sixteen years, was a tortuously slow Englishman, with the curse of the climate still growing upon him. He was half asleep quite a good bit of the time and wholly asleep during the remainder.

"Everything is transferred by hand, my lord, and the chateau is two miles farther up the side of the mountain. It's quite a walk, sir."

"Do you mean to say we are to walk?"

"Yes my lord, if you expect to go there."

"Of course we expect to go there. Are there no horses on the beastly island?"

"Hundreds, my lord, but they belong to the people, and no one but their owners ride them. The servants at the chateau turned Mr. Skaggs' horses out to pasture before they left."

"Before who left?"

"The servants, my lord."

Lady Deppingham's eyes grew wide with understanding. "You don't mean to say that the servants have left the place?" she cried.

"Yes, my lady. They were natives, you know."

"What's that got to do with it?" demanded Deppingham.

"I'm afraid you don't understand the situation," said Mr. Bowles patiently. "You see, it's really a triangular controversy, if I may be so bold as to say so. Lady Deppingham is one of the angles; Mr. Bowles, the American gentleman, is another; the native population is the last. Each wants to be the hypotenuse. While the interests of all three are merged in the real issue, there is nevertheless a decided disposition all around to make it an entirely one sided affair."

"I don't believe I grasp"—muttered Deppingham blankly.

"I see perfectly," exclaimed his wife. "The natives are allied against us, just as we are, in a way, against them

and Mr. Bowles. Really, it seems quite natural, doesn't it, dear?" turning to her husband.

"Very likely, but very unfortunate. It leaves us to broil our brains out down here on this pier. I say, Mr.—er—old chap, can't you possibly engage some sort of transportation for us? Really, you know, we can't stand here all day."

"I've no doubt I can arrange it, my lord. If you will just wait here until I run back to the bank I dare say I'll find a way. Perhaps you'd prefer standing under the awning until I return."

It was fully half an hour before he was seen coming down the street, followed by a score or more of natives, their dirty white robes flapping about their brown legs. At first they could not believe it was Bowles. Lord Deppingham had a sharp thrill of joy, but it was short lived. Bowles had changed at least a portion of his garb. He now wore the tight red jacket of the British trooper, while an ancient army cap was strapped jauntily over his ear.

"It's all right, my lord," he said, saluting as he came up. "They will do anything I tell 'em to do when I represent the British army. This is the only uniform on the island, but they've been taught that there are more where this one came from. These fellows will carry your boxes up to the chateau, sixpence to the man, if you please, sir, and I've sent for two carts to draw your party up the slope. They'll be here in a jiffy, my lady."

Then, turning majestically to the huddled natives, he waved his slender stick and said: "Lively now! No loafing! Lively!"

Whereupon the entire collection of boxes, bags and bundles figuratively picked itself up and walked off in the direction of the chateau.

(To be continued.)

Announcement.

Angelo and the public:

The Orient hotel and ice cream parlor, commencing today, will be run on a different style, under the proficient management of Prof. J. R. Johnson. Everything will be first-class. Located on the corner of Third and Randolph streets. No. 306.

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 Corn chops, 100-pound sacks ... 1.70
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 June corn 1.50
 Choice alfalfa 18.00
 Trico, 100-lb. sacks80
 Wheat 1.50
 Irish potatoes, bushel 1.35
 Bananas, lb.04
 Onions, lb.24
 Tomatoes, crate 1.25

Hay.

Johnson grass 12.00
 Prairie 12.00
 Alfalfa meal, 100-lb. sacks 1.35
 Cotton seed meal and cake, per ton 32.00

James Harris and Robert Hemphill of Coleman, who have been in the city on business, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Steiffel of Fort Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Dougherty and family in Fort Concho addition.

Life 100,000 Years Ago.

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure sore lungs, obstinate coughs and prevent pneumonia, it's the best medicine on earth. 50 cents and \$1. Guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottle free.

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The Livery Stable of San Angelo
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Woman Battles With a Mad Cat

Gainesville, Texas, July 12.—Mrs. W. W. Burch and her 2-year-old baby girl had a fight for their lives with a mad tomcat at their home twelve miles southeast of here, near Mount Springs. The baby was playing in the yard near a window where Mrs. Burch sat, and she saw the big red-eyed approach and spring upon the child and terribly lacerate its face, hands and legs before she could get into the yard and beat the animal off with a broom handle. The cat sprang at the face of the woman several times and fastened its teeth and claws in her shirtwaist, but Mrs. Burch kept up her fight with the broom handle and finally had her mad foe near enough exhausted to take time to throw her baby into the house. When the child was jerked from the ground the cat again made a leap at it and cut a long gash on its leg as it was thrown in the room. Before the frightened woman could get in the house and close the door the cat had again fastened its claws in its sleeve and she had another battle with it, but came out without a scratch upon herself.

Mr. Burch, who was working in the field some distance away, heard the screams of his wife and ran to the house to find the cat still jumping against the closed door and frothing at the mouth. Mrs. Burch handed him his shotgun through the window and a load of buckshot put an end to the cat.

Mr. Long, living near Valley View, applied the madstone to the wounds on the child and it adhered a number of times. Mr. Burch thinks the poison was all drawn from the wounds by the madstone and the child will not be taken to the Pasteur Institute.

Eat cold watermelons at the Angelo; 10 cents a slice.

All kinds of grain and hay at Neely Bros'.

DIRT and Gravel Hauled, Houses Moved, Plowing, etc. Anything in the teaming line.

JIM CUMMINGS
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City Marshal Would Duel; is Indicated

Ventura, July 12.—The grand jury has returned a true bill indicting City Marshal Russell upon a charge of having issued a challenge to fight a duel.

The case grows out of the recent arrest here of John Nicholson upon a charge of having violated the liquor law. The marshal engaged in an altercation on the streets with Nicholson, who called the officer a liar.

Russell struck him, then threw a pistol toward him and told him to fight with that if he would fight no other way. The marshal was arrested and gave bail, with D. S. Blackburn and E. S. Dunning as sureties. Blackburn, a well known capitalist, is on the marshal's official bond.

Eat cold watermelons at the Angelo; 10 cents a slice.

Neely Bros. buy hides.

I will be at home in San Angelo, and ready to train horses for the fall Fair.

BOSE MOTLEY.

A Walking Advertisement

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Attend the big mass meeting at the Yale theater Wednesday afternoon.

WATERMELON SPREAD NEAR BEN FICKLIN

Sidney Smith, Who Leaves Soon for Fort Worth, Entertains Friends On the "Silver Concho."

To illustrate the fact that peace and amity exist between the different lumbermen of San Angelo, Sidney Smith of the West Texas Lumber company gave a farewell entertainment Monday night to his many friends among the lumber kings of the city. It consisted of a picnic on the banks of the "Silver Concho" at the famous picnic grounds of Ben Ficklin.

There was no want of delicacies in the line of good things to eat, and the lumbermen and their wives could not have desired finer fare, as they signified by their intense appetites. Watermelon was king of the feast, and the red-blooded old chap was a master of the art of entertainment.

It is a matter of regret to their many friends that Mr. and Mrs. Smith will soon leave for Fort Worth, where they will make their future home.

Among those present and paying due respect to the delicacies set before them were Messrs. and Mesdames W. S. Kelly, V. C. Kelly, I. E. Kuehne, W. R. Humphreys, Frank Armstrong, J. Ross, B. B. Hall, Sidnel Smith, and Messrs. Ornsdorff, Burns, Cole and Campbell.

ALFALFA PAYS.

P. W. Howe Will Receive More Than \$3000 from Two Cuttings.

P. W. Howe, who operates the Tankersley farm near Mertzon, is in the city on business.

Mr. Howe has already cut and baled 6200 bales of fine alfalfa hay from his farm, which, at present prices, means more than \$3000. This hay was obtained from two cuttings, and about three more cuttings are expected.

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Tom Cody, who lives on the Loomis ranch near Mereta, is in the city on a business and pleasure trip.

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JOINT COMMITTEE OF HOUSE AND SENATE TO HEAR REPORTS ON PENITENTIARY SYSTEM.

HON. B. F. LEE LEAVES

Opportunity for Great Good—No Telling How Long Session Will Last.

The Members Are to Receive \$5 per Day and Expenses.

Hon. Brown F. Lee, member of the legislature, ditto member of the committee appointed to investigate the alleged shortcoming of the penitentiary system of this state, will leave Tuesday afternoon for Austin, where the joint committee from the house and senate will convene on July 15.

Sweeping aside all local pride, it can be truthfully remarked that Lee is the strongest member of the house committee. He and Hudspeth, also of this district, will dominate the committee through sheer force of intellectuality. The opportunities at hand for this committee to do a great service for Texas are manifold and easily apparent. That grievous wrongs and frightful mismanagement have from time to time characterized the penal institutions of this state is a fact all too patent to be disputed.

During the session of the Thirty-first legislature it was reported from the highest sources that this investigating committee was to Gov. Campbell as a terrible burbear and a thing of horrid form. John Marshall, the governor's Friday, who was elected speaker of the house, swept his eyes carefully for unsuited material to form the personnel for the house's part of this committee, and with the single exception of Mr. Lee, Speaker Marshall succeeded most admirably in getting men totally unfitted by training, inclination or environment to perform the work at hand. The senate has a bully good committee.

Mr. Lee does not know how long the committee will continue its labors. Lest some misapprehension arise, it may be declared that the members of this committee are to receive \$5 per day each and their expenses.

SAM CROWTHER COMING HOME

HEAD OF STREET RAILWAY FAIRS IN SAN ANGELO IS LEAVING CHICAGO.

THINGS SHOULD GO NOW

Effort Will Be Made to Have Subscription Lists Completed Before the Week Ends Everybody Anxiously Awaiting Results.

R. A. Hall is in receipt of a telegram from Sam Crowther dated Sunday, to the effect that he would leave Chicago Monday for home.

This announcement has created considerable stir in San Angelo, for Mr. Crowther is generally recognized as the high mogul in the San Angelo Power and Traction company, and things are expected to begin milling around when he gets back.

"It is confidently hoped and expected by all those connected with this enterprise that the subscriptions will all be up by the time Mr. Crowther gets back," said J. C. Sompres Monday. "This has been a long, hard fight, but we believe we can see daylight far ahead. Of course there is still a great amount of work to be done before the street cars are running again, but the prospects are exceedingly bright."

This statement from a gentleman who is prominently connected with the street car situation should cheer up those who have declared time after time that a street railway in San Angelo is impractical. The street railway is not impractical, nor is it a wildcat speculating scheme. It might be well to remember that the men who are behind it are of that class of citizenship that aided to make San Angelo the city it is today.

This city is fully qualified as regards population and other advantages to support a tip-top system, and that is undoubtedly what the company is preparing to build.

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Joe Kirk, who has been visiting his uncle S. S. Kirk of this city for the last few weeks, returned to his home in Madill, Okla., Monday.

Charley Allen, who has been visiting in the city, returned Monday to his home in Ballinger.

The LePearl Sisters

AT The Yale "Nuf Sed"

IT COSTS MORE TO BUILD NOW

PRICES ON LUMBER HAVE SCORED BIG ADVANCE IN ALL PARTS OF THE STATE.

MILLS CAUGHT ASLEEP

Supplies Are Running Low, While Building Activity Is at Its Height—Situation as It Appears Locally.

It now costs between \$200 and \$300 more than it did two weeks ago to build an ordinary five or six-room house. The price of lumber has taken on a sudden advance, and no relief is expected any time real soon. This raise is due, according to the statement of L. E. Kuehne of the West Texas Lumber company, to the wonderful improvements that are going on throughout the state, and likewise due to the fact that this usually being the dull time of the year, most of the mills have either closed down or have been running on short time.

"Everything has an air of prosperity at present," says Mr. Kuehne, "and building is going on at such a rapid rate that the mills have hardly been able to keep up with the demands made upon them. They had almost run out of stock on hand, and so had the lumber yards."

"The yards of San Angelo get most of their lumber from the eastern portion of the state, down around Beaumont, and from Louisiana, where the great timber belts abound."

It is noticeable that the price of lumber has advanced, but in justice to the yards of San Angelo it may be said that they have advanced their prices much less than most yards throughout the state, and this, as seen by the foregoing, has been forced upon them by necessity.

No matter if lumber is going higher, that is not going to stop the great rejuvenation in the building line in San Angelo. Now is generally recognized to be a time of progression, and a little rise in the value of building materials is not going to cause San Angelo's city builders to even waver in their onward movement.

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Married at High Noon.

Miss Nettie Griffin, one of San Angelo's most popular belles, was united in marriage to Thomas Head at high noon Monday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Griffin, in Angelo Heights.

The happy couple departed on the afternoon train for a two weeks' honeymoon at Paloclos on the coast, after which they will be at home on East Beauregard avenue.

Miss Griffin has lived in San Angelo for something like five years, and during that space of time she has become extremely popular.

Mr. Head has for several months been the bookkeeper for the Angelo Furniture and Undertaking company. Sincere wishes for the utmost happiness that results from "the tie that binds" follow the happy couple.

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Business Notice.

The undersigned, having purchased the interest of R. W. Reynolds in the grocery firm of J. P. Reynolds & Bro., also all outstanding accounts, etc., and in order to close the books of the old firm, all accounts must be settled promptly or they will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Respectfully,
J. P. REYNOLDS.

Rev. F. F. Wyatt left Monday for a visit to Wichita Falls and Amarillo.

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CLUB DANCE.
One Will Be Given Thursday Night. John Abe March, Jr., Has List.
The San Angelo club will entertain with a dance Thursday evening at the club rooms. John Abe March, Jr., has the list, and all members of that organization are requested to locate him. A large crowd is expected to turn out, for the club is noted for the excellent dances and all around good times that have always been a matter of history with it.

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Wins; Widow Must Dig up

Undertaker Wins; Widow Must Dig up
 Olympia, Wash., July 7.—Widows at pay the funeral expenses of their dead husbands, even if they have dip into their own private bank account, according to a decision of a supreme court in the case of Butch & Sons against Sarah Teale, a company sued for \$561 undertaker services and got judgment for \$500. This judgment was affirmed in an opinion by Justices Fullerton and Edwick, establishing the rule that

it is just as essential that the widow bury the husband as that the husband shall meet the funeral expenses of his wife. Mrs. Teale had fought the case bitterly in all the courts.
 Mrs. G. T. Willis, who lives out at Wall, passed through the city Wednesday on her way to visit relatives in Bellville.
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 Henry Cattet and family departed Wednesday for Corpus Christi, where they will make their future home.
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PAULINE'S BAIT LURE OF UNKEL

Stunning Keeper of Seattle Rooming House Is Alleged to Have Been Gay Deceiver.

Los Angeles, July 8.—William Unkel of Seattle, Wash., in a petition filed in the superior court, tells about a woman's love and prays to have his money back.
 The defendants in the action are Pauline Robinson, the gay deceiver in the case, according to Unkel's claims, William H. Moore, who is said to have some interest in the piece of property owned by the Robinsons in Los Angeles, and Louis Zinnaman, administrator of the estate of Harry Robinson, late husband of the fair Pauline.

Unkel, so he says, was in April, 1905, a cook employed in Seattle, where he was paid \$17 a week for his services. From April 25 to November 1 of that year he roomed in a lodging house roomed and managed by Pauline Robinson, at the corner of Fourth and Pike streets, Seattle. While there it is alleged that the Robinson woman represented herself as a widow, and professed much friendship for her roomer, to the end that on July 14, 1905, they were formally engaged to marry, but the ceremony was not to take place until August 12. Then the "touch" began, and Unkel proved that he was a good fellow by investing \$450 in two diamond earrings and one finger ring, which he gave to his bride-to-be. It was then represented to him that she needed about \$300 to buy a trousseau for the happy occasion, and the rooming house business being a little slow in Seattle, he was asked to put up that amount. In the language of the street, he "came across" with the money. This was so easy that the Robinson claim department began to work overtime, according to the allegations.

Pauline informed the trusting and confiding William that she could use about \$2000 to clear up a mortgage on property she owned in Los Angeles, and made it so strong that he gave her \$2000 without a word of protest—handing her "certificates of deposit," he alleges. The payment of this money served to remind Pauline that she could use more, and she told her husband to-be that there was a little matter concerning a right of way across some of her land in Santa Rosa county, which a railway desired to acquire, that needed a little money, and he gave her \$463 on that account.
 Meanwhile she talked love to him and in her mind's eye pictured the beauties of their new home when they should have become man and wife. So enthusiastic did Unkel become that he handed over to the woman his salary as cook at the restaurant from July to November, 1905, in addition to other contributions to the Robinson conscience fund. About August 1, as the date of their marriage approached, she asked Unkel for \$300, saying that she needed the money to secure a divorce from her husband, Harry Robinson, and that the latter had agreed to make no contest if she paid him \$500. Unkel handed over to her these sums and looked pleasant.
 Then the plaintiff became suspicious and concluded that he had been played by the woman, after advancing to her in all \$4217. The Robinsons moved to Los Angeles soon afterward, and invested in a piece of property—lot 14, block 6, in the Charles Victor Hall tract, Robinson dying last March and Zinnaman being named as administrator. Unkel asks that the real estate referred to be considered a trust for his benefit, that it be sold and the proceeds paid over to him.

Teddy as an Author.
 Boston, July 8.—In the limited area of an ordinary-sized open-face postal card G. Bernard Shaw, the Irish playwright, has written a Bostonian a blistering criticism of former President Roosevelt as an author on "Socialism."

Recently C. F. McCotta of a publishing company of this city mailed Mr. Shaw at Ayot, St. Lawrence, England, a copy of the Outlook Magazine, in which was marked Mr. Roosevelt's article on "Socialism."
 Mr. Shaw sent his opinion of the article and of Mr. Roosevelt, as its author, back to Mr. McCotta on a postal card, which reads as follows:
 "A serious reply to Mr. Roosevelt's article on 'Socialism' in the Outlook cannot be written in this country. In England the article is only the noodles eater up to date. Its sentiments would be very proper and suitable for the sheriff of a district on the pioneering edge of a territory in the United States, but coming, as it does, from the pen of one who has been president for nearly eight years, it is a staggering revelation of how little an American president may know about his own business. He might almost as well be a king. Are you quite sure that Theodore is not pulling your legs in the first flush of high spirits following his release from the white house?"

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Widow Will Have Meat Rest of Life

Sacramento, July 8.—If the request of Amos C. Remick in his last will is carried out, his widow will be supplied with meat free of charge for the remainder of her life. Remick was a butcher and left an estate valued at about \$12,000. A half interest in his butcher shop was owned by his son, Amos H. Remick, and the other half interest was bequeathed to him in the will. In the document, however, the father requested that the son supply the mother with meat for the rest of her life. The rest of the estate goes to the widow, with the exception of bequests of \$100 each to four children.

Methods of Dutch.
 Victoria, B. C., July 8.—The unrelenting methods of the Dutch soldiers in the Dutch East Indian possessions in dealing with natives among whom piracy continues as an industry rather than a crime were illustrated in the deliberate suffocation of thirty-one Achinese men, women and children by a punitive expedition on the Sumatra coast in early June. The story reaches here by Canadian Pacific steamer.

The victims were supposed to be the daring and bloodthirsty party which a few weeks previously attacked and plundered a trading junk of Japore, killing the majority of her crew. The perpetrators of this outrage, being pursued by police boats from Singapore, took refuge in southern Sumatra in a rocky cave. They were tracked by the Dutch troops assisted by local guides whose enmity the fugitives had incurred by cruel forays.
 Overtures were at first opened for the surrender of the party and the pirates asked that one of the military officers be sent to discuss the situation. For this duty a young lieutenant volunteered. He was promptly driven back fatally wounded with spears. The pirates were then called upon to surrender unconditionally, safety for their women and children being still guaranteed.
 The reply was a shower of spears and a volley from the ancient firearms they possessed. Orders were thereupon given that no mercy be shown. The commanding officers had fires built at the cavern mouth, the smoke from which poured inward in dense clouds. When it was thought that the outlaws had been sufficiently smoked out to be amenable the blazing pyres were extinguished and an entrance gained.
 The work of punishment was found to have been complete, for of the thirty-one Achinese not one remained alive. The bodies of twenty-eight, including several women and two children, were buried in one huge trench, and the avenging force returned to Batavia.

Enjoying Life.
 Reno, Nev., July 8.—Considerable interest was manifested in this city for the departure for Lake Tahoe of a party of wealthy New Yorkers who are either visiting or residing here. They started from the fashionable Riverside hotel with loads of trunks, fishing rods and other outfit that required three large automobiles loaded to the guards.
 Among the party are several of the prominent eastern women, wives of well-known New York men, who are here for the purpose of securing divorces from their husbands. Mrs. Clara Dillon is one of them. Mrs. Dillon is the wife of a famous acrobat and was herself a well known actress and singer with Weber & Fields. She is playing a conspicuous part in Reno social life. Her New York companion, Miss E. Parfitt, is with the party, as are also Mrs. M. E. Jenkins and Mrs. W. E. Jenkins. Dr. O'Neil, a local physician and social leader in the divorce colony, is with them. There are several others and they expect to extend the outing for several days.

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MOTHERLY BROTHER.

Youth of 13 Years Cares for Younger Children Following Mother's Death

New York, July 8.—"Oh, please, Mr. Judge, don't take my children from me," pleaded 13-year-old Percy Nourse as he sat on the witness stand in the Brooklyn children's court, the arms of his tiny 2-year-old brother Eugene clasped tightly around his neck.
 "Every day since mother went away six months ago, Genie has had his bed, and Charles and Leonard and Daisy have had the best of care. Only once I had to spank Daisy, when she threw her doll out of the window."
 The five little children were all in court, and the four younger ones, who range from 2 to 11 years, were shining

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proofs of the big brother's applications of soap and water.
 Neighbors living near the Nourse home reported the case to the Children's society, and Officer Charles A. Blood found that Percy had undertaken all the household duties since his mother disappeared. His father worked all day, leaving the household duties entirely to Percy. There was a pathetic scene in the court when the children were separated for the first time in their lives, the younger ones being sent to the Children's Aid society until permanent action can be taken.

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MASS MEETING FOR WEDNESDAY

Railroad Committee in Final Effort to Raise Balance of \$50,000 Bonus

BUSINESS SUSPENDS FOR OCCASION

But Three Days In Which Money May Be Secured--Situation Becoming Serious--Only \$26,000 is on Hand at Present

With only three days more in which to raise the Lanin bonus of \$50,000, and but \$26,681.80 on hand, the committee in charge of the local fund has become desperate. The time is at hand when all play must be stopped, for a delay of another day will mean that San Angelo will have lost the splendid offer that Mr. Lanin has submitted. To lose the Sterling City railroad will mean a set-back that this city may never get over. The splendid growth of San Angelo will not only be slipped in the bud, but the merchants will be relieved of the healthy trade they have been drawing all these years. Towns that have been patronizing this place will of necessity throw their business to other fields.

As a final resort the local soliciting committee has decided to hold a big mass meeting Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Yale theater. Every merchant in the city will be requested to close his doors, and an effort will be made to have all business of every nature suspended in order that every citizen in San Angelo and surrounding territory who has the interests of the city at heart may attend this gathering and give the financial aid that is necessary.

The meeting is to be held in the afternoon, so that it will not conflict with the union revival, and it is believed that it will be one of the most representative gatherings ever held in San Angelo. It is a case of do or die, and do it now.

Carlsbad, Water Valley and Sterling City are ready to sign a contract with Mr. Lanin right now, but Mr. Lanin refuses to act until he knows what San Angelo is going to do. He has been besieged with offers of bonuses ranging from \$200,000 on up to \$250,000 to build to Colorado City. Stan-

ton, Lamesa and other places. But all have been refused for the present. Mr. Lanin has his eye on San Angelo, and will not budge an inch until he learns whether or not the \$50,000 bonus here is to be raised.

Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock a meeting of the soliciting committee was held in the First National bank, and by actual count the lists showed a total of only \$26,681.80, being not quite \$3000 in excess of the amount on hand last Saturday.

It has been realized that it is useless to dilly-dally along in this manner any longer, for with but three days left in which to get up the amount, further efforts under this plan would mean defeat. So the mass meeting idea has been adopted, and if the citizens who have property and should support a movement of this kind do not attend and lend their financial aid the whole matter will be lost.

Chairman Webb states that practically every man of small means has given up his 2 per cent, and that it is now up to the people with money to pull this thing through.

Several of San Angelo's leading business men who usually make heavy contributions to such enterprises are out of the city, and it has been decided to send them telegrams, making a final plea. In fact, the messages were sent out Monday night, in an effort to reach those who might subscribe. These people were told that it is a case of give up a little money or lose the railroad.

Another meeting has been called for Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Practically every bank in the city has called a meeting of its directors, and the matter of subscribing to the bonus will be considered. The First National bank is so far the heaviest contributor, having voted to give \$2500.

ORATORS? WELL JUST GLANCE

CHARLES L. BRACHFIELD OF RUSK COUNTY SAYS HE IS COMING TO MEETING.

MEMBER OF SENATE

Speaker He is in a Class With J. Wortham, Cone Johnson and M. M. Crane--Will Be a Strong Card.

Hope Harrison Hawkins, who is affectionately termed "Mother of the Senate," is in receipt of a letter from Senator Charles Brachfield of Rusk county to the effect that he will be present at the convention. Brachfield is in point of means service the oldest member of the present senate of Texas, with the single exception. As an orator he ranks with Louis J. Wortham, J. Wortham, Cone Johnson of Tyler, M. M. Crane of Dallas and others of high type.

Statesman Brachfield has never admitted shriveled localisms to his judgment, and his record on legislation is as clean as a tooth. Personally he is a giant among giants. His name is dubbed him "The Bear of Texas," and this title fits

him with all the nicety that could be conferred.

Brachfield will be a strong card at the mayors' meeting. He will exemplify the dignity and the wisdom and the science of government to be found in the state senate with as much skill as H. Bascom Thomas will seek to baffle the best body of lawmakers that has assembled in Austin since the days of the Twenty-second legislature. Brachfield and Thomas! The best and the worst! How fortunate is San Angelo.

Mysterious Shooting.

Two mysterious shots were fired in the red light district Monday night. One was heard about 10 o'clock, and about twenty minutes later a second report rang out. The shooting was at Clarence Rose's place.

City and county officers appeared on the scene shortly before midnight, and for two hours were driving around to different parts of the city. Their actions seemed to indicate that they were working some great clue, but when seen at an early Tuesday morning they declared that their presence on the streets at such an hour was due to some official business in connection with a sequestration writ.

The officers claimed to have made an investigation of the shooting, but said that it was accidental. No arrests were made. Nobody was hurt, according to the report of the officers.

Attend the big mass meeting at the Yale theater Wednesday afternoon.

RETAIL MCHTS. AFTER MEETING

SAN ANGELO DECIDES TO MAKE STRONG PULL FOR 1910 CONVENTION OF ASSOCIATION.

LOCAL MEN PLANNING

Arrangements Made for a Smoker to Be Given on the Night of August 9--More Members Are Desired.

Inasmuch as San Angelo has been successful in every effort during the past two years in the matter of bringing conventions here, the Retail Merchants' association has decided to put in a bid for the 1910 annual meeting of that organization. On the convention floor a vote is allowed for every twenty members. In order to create a general good feeling among the merchants of San Angelo, and to build up as large a membership as possible before the next state meeting is held, a smoker is to be given on the evening of August 9.

A meeting of the association was held Monday afternoon in the directors' room of the San Angelo Bank and Trust company, President John Freeland presiding. Plans for the smoker were discussed, but only a general outline was presented. Committees were appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

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Mrs. J. M. Lusk and daughter, Miss Caille Lusk, of Roswell, N. M., who have been visiting W. K. Beatty of this city lately, left Monday for Hamlin.

Mrs. W. R. Johnson and daughter Willie and son Sam left Monday for Palacios, on the sea coast, for a two weeks pleasure trip.

WEST TEXANS LIKE THE AUTO

SAN ANGELO IS THE HOME OF NO LESS THAN 150 CARS, RANKING AS TOP-NOTCHER.

SMITH GIVES REASONS

Ranchmen Having No Railroad Facilities Tire of Oldtime Conveyances and Many of Them Are Owners of Hook-Hooks.

In San Angelo today there are about 110 automobiles registered and about fifty more registered at other places that practically belong here. This is a record that is hardly excelled by any town the size of San Angelo in the state. But that fact is not so remarkable. San Angelo has lots of tributaries that are not connected by railroads and many wealthy ranchmen who are weary of the oldtime method of conveyance and have naturally taken up with the automobile.

"That the automobile is rapidly becoming the most practical method for conveyance is undoubted, and the improvements that have been made in the last few years have beyond a doubt brought the touring car out of the category of experiments," said Roy C. Smith, one of the general promoters of the San Angelo Auto Supply company, Monday.

"It is peculiar, not to say comical, to see one of the old regime of West Texas ranchmen, who formerly mounted the hurricane deck of the Texas broncho or drove one of those big white topped ranch buggies that are fast becoming a thing of the past, sitting with true grace at the wheel of a modern monster of travel.

"It is a proven fact that an automobile can go through water as easily as a horse, and by the chain being attached to the rear wheel they are unequalled at pulling through mud."

SCARCITY OF LABOR BUILDING BOOM ON

August Balfanz Starts For Dallas and Fort Worth to Secure Help in Order That Progress May go on

Building material and expert mechanical help are going at a premium in San Angelo nowadays! This fact was exemplified Monday when August Balfanz started on a hurry trip to Fort Worth and Dallas to get material and help to supply the demand for the vast amount of work that is going on in San Angelo.

Bricks are going up and the trowel that is not in action in this city is the one that has no expert hand to wield it. The amount of building that is now going on has seldom been surpassed in the history of the city, and if present prospects count for anything a new record will soon be made in the line of substantial improvement. This goes to show that even the doubters have regained their lost confidence and are untying their purse strings preparatory to letting it go, but with such a string attached that it will eventually come back to them extensively multiplied.

San Angelo is not a boom town, one of those that arise in the night and fall to ashes with the first streak of light in the morning. Every step taken, though it is indeed rapid, is substantial and only a pretty breezy cyclone can demolish the work that is now being done.

"Talk about your building booms," said R. E. Scott, one of San Angelo's most prominent architects, Monday. But San Angelo has anything on the map skinned a city block. A good many bricks and fine residences are going up now, but that isn't a circumstance to what is going to be done this fall. Now that the chances for good crops are practically assured, and with the Orient a sure thing and other railroad prospects booming, the way buildings are going up this fall is going to be something startling.

"I have lived in San Angelo for many years and I can truthfully say

that I never saw the chances for progress and improvement half as bright. People are more confident of the future of San Angelo than ever before, and are displaying confidence in the most satisfying way possible--by turning their money loose in such building improvements as will redound in great benefit to themselves, as well as the city in general.

"I have several big propositions on hand of which I am not permitted to speak at present, but suffice to say that they will cause some people to open their eyes when they hear of them, and I am also informed that the other architects are equally busy.

"The architects are smiling, the contractors are smiling and in fact everyone who has the interest of San Angelo at heart is wearing a great big broad grin, for everybody believes that we are now entering upon an era of almost undreamed-of prosperity."

BALL GAMES.

Lamasas Plays Here Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Something will soon be doing in the realm of old King Swat! It has been over a week since the San Angelo Blues had their colors dragged in the dirt by the husky bunch of braves from the rural city of Ballinger, but they have come up from the ground since then and are prepared to do deeds of valor this week, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, when they tackle the strong team from Lamasas.

In former years the Lamasas boys have proven too strong for the home team, but the blue-shirted heroes of this city will remember the fact and are practicing up to show them that history can't repeat itself, in this instance, anyway.

ALL WEST TEXAS WANTS LANIN ROAD

Colorado City Offers Bonus of \$250,000, Right of Way, Grounds etc.

STERLING CITY DELEGATION IS HERE

Party of Eleven Meets Local Committee, Offering to Assist In Raising Balance of Amount Necessary to Make Up the Bonus

San Angelo was a scene of unusual activity Monday afternoon. Delegations composed of real live hustlers were here from Colorado City, Water Valley and Sterling City. The Sterling City people were here for the purpose of lending the San Angelo committee any assistance possible in getting up the Lanin railroad bonus, the good citizens of Sterling City having already signified their intention of signing whenever Mr. Lanin is ready.

Colorado City wants Mr. Lanin to build a railroad, and Water Valley announces that it is ready, or will be, whenever San Angelo is, to turn things over to Mr. Lanin and let the good work of construction get started.

"This much is certain. All eyes are on San Angelo, and if it does not take advantage of the liberal offer Mr. Lanin has made, other places are to profit by this city's downfall.

For an hour or more the Colorado City delegation was closeted with Mr. Lanin. Of course the conference was held behind closed doors, where reporters have no right, but it was learned, nevertheless, that Colorado City is willing to give right of way, depot grounds and a bonus of \$250,000 if Mr. Lanin will build a road from that place through Miles and on to Brady. Miles is ready to give a bonus, and it was pointed out that there would be absolutely no trouble in getting up any amount that would be asked.

But Mr. Lanin would make no promises. He told the gentlemen from the enterprising little town that he appreciated their visit, would like to give them some satisfaction, but until San Angelo has decided whether or not it will give \$50,000 for the road from here to Sterling City, he would not entertain any proposition from them.

The party included the following: J. E. Hooper, bank cashier; C. M. Adams, merchant; R. M. Webb, president Colorado City Commercial club, and P. C. Coleman, physician.

Mr. Webb acted as press agent for the delegation, but did not make known just what his city offers. "Why, we want a railroad--one that Mr. Lanin will build--and as for money, why, that's no object. We know he is a man who will do exactly what he says. If he will agree to give us a road we will make up for him any kind of a bonus asked."

The party from Colorado City came in an automobile, making the trip in about three hours. After the conference with Mr. Lanin the crowd went home, leaving about 3:30 o'clock.

For the purpose of hearing from the Sterling City aggregation a special meeting of the local committee was held Monday afternoon about 6:30 o'clock.

Chairman Webb extended the visitors a warm welcome and asked them to make themselves perfectly at home. Emmett Westbrook was introduced as the "spokesman" for his crowd. Mr. Westbrook said that having raised about all of their bonus of \$50,000, he and other business men of Sterling City had climbed into autos and come to San Angelo for the purpose of lending assistance. "We can't give you any financial assistance," said Mr. Westbrook, laughing, "for we have about gone our limit, but if there is anything else that we can do for you we are at your command."

"First of all, we love San Angelo. We have been trading with you for all these long years. We belong to you, and now that the opportunity has presented itself, we want to become connected by means of a railroad.

"Now, if San Angelo lets this thing fall through, we will still have a railroad, but we will be connected with the Texas & Pacific, and we will be throwing our business and our money

to other cities. We don't want to do that.

"Why, I am surprised to see such a large committee. Looks to me as if you could raise that \$50,000 right among yourselves. We didn't have many more people at our mass meetings and we had as much to dig up as you have."

H. Q. Lyles told of the many propositions that have made to Mr. Lanin. He said that Stanton has offered a bonus of \$50,000 and right of way; Lamesa is willing to give up \$50,000 and forty miles of graded roadbed; Midland has \$200,000 in the bank, and Big Springs is very enthusiastic. "All West Texas wants this road that Mr. Lanin offers you," declared Mr. Lyles. "and if San Angelo passes it up it will be good bye to the Queen City of the Conchos."

O. H. Graham said that although there are but 262 poll tax payers in his county, no great difficulty was experienced in raising the money. "In fact, we realized from the start that we just had to get up that \$50,000, and by gobs we did it in the proper spirit," remarked Mr. Graham. "I'll wager that not more than twelve men in our whole county refused to help in a financial way."

The method used by Sterling City was to assess 25 cents against every acre of land within four miles of the city, 15 cents for the next three miles, and 10 cents for the balance. One per cent was assessed against personal property. W. L. Foster contributed \$6000 and J. T. Davis gave \$5000, these subscriptions being the two heaviest.

"We will have no trouble in getting a road to Colorado City and Big Springs," continued Mr. Graham, "but we would rather come to San Angelo. You fellows know we have been banking with you ever since this town was first placed on the map, and it would almost break us up in business if it becomes necessary to do our trading elsewhere."

In concluding Mr. Graham recommended to the San Angelo committee B. F. Roberts. "He is a regular driller," said Mr. Graham, "and you will find him a past master at getting the money."

Mr. Roberts was called on for an address, and although he at first declined, he was finally induced to tell how he went about parting the people from their "hard earned."

"The ranchmen were our heaviest contributors," said Mr. Roberts. "You see our little town is only composed of a few hundred people, and with us it was a case of seeing everybody in the whole county. Our people want this road and they want it bad, and therefore when approached they responded. Many of them increased their subscriptions two or three times."

Those from Sterling City who attended the meeting included J. T. Davis, cattleman; H. Q. Lyles, merchant; N. A. Austin, merchant; B. F. Roberts, merchant; Jeff Glass, cattleman; Walter Allen, cattleman; Allie Ruth-erford, real estate; Emmett Westbrook, bank cashier; R. W. Foster, ranchman; Chas. Colson, druggist, and O. H. Graham, general utility man.

Water Valley was then heard from. J. G. Cooper was present, and said that although the entire amount has not been signed for, not more than \$400 is lacking, and it can be secured in less than an hour. "We are ready," said Mr. Cooper, "and if necessary we could sign the contract Tuesday."

It was suggested by L. L. Farr that the Sterling City delegation remain over Tuesday and help the local committee. A round will be made of all the leading business houses.

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SHOW YOUR COLORS.

Catch the San Angelo spirit. Show you are proud of your colors. Join the procession of city builders. Get your name on the Lanin bonus proposition and shout "On to Sterling City" like you were sending forth gladsome hosannas and that you felt a patriotic tingling all through your body.

BRANDS, WHERE ART THOU?

As far as The Press-News is able to learn, the question of what becomes of the millions upon millions of pins turned out by the dozens of pin factories annually has never been properly solved, nor satisfactorily answered. The great pin question is at this time entitled to space in even such a metropolitan paper as The Press-News, for this is the revival season.

Right now there are not less than 1000 revivals holding forth in this state, and the season has not yet reached its full swing. It is presumed that each of these revivals will result in not less than 100 brands being snatched from the burning and given good seats among the appointed. That will give us 100,000, or the usual crop, judged by newspaper reports, for the season's work.

The Press-News makes no profession to and it scorns all pretense of being a theological authority. It can not solve to its own satisfaction the great question of whether Balaam's ass spoke with the voice of a human being fashioned in the image of his Maker; or whether Balaam's ass brayed in a manner that Balaam interpreted and understood. This confession at once places this paper at once in the role of being without fine knowledge of the fine parts incidental to the necessary forms and formulae needed to reach the great up yonder.

After this begging-your-pardon bow, The Press-News would like to ask, what becomes of the crop of converts made last year during the revival season? At the rate of 100,000 converts a year it means that one-fortieth of the people of Texas—basing our population at four million—has got to be saved yearly, or the regions dim will get an unjustifiable share of the souls that go hence from Texas. The Press-News resents the hidden implication that one-fortieth of the people of Texas this year or any other year since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, have, up to the hour when they felt the moving spirit and the saving grace, been serving flesh and devil to the exclusion of good works.

Allowing one-fortieth as a fair sample, we must still keep in mind that men whose shibboleth is the cross—and whose efforts are consecrated to holy purposes every day in the year, including the revival season, do a great work. If, then, revivalists average 100,000 a year in Texas, it is not a wild guess to assert in a gentle, argumentative sort of way that the good and everlasting wearers of clerical robes at least bring into the sacred folds not less than 100,000 each year.

This brings our total up to one-twentieth of the people of Texas. Now if one-twentieth of the people of Texas are saved every year, it would appear that in twenty years every one in this state would be inside the fold. We will admit that there is a chance for geometrical progression to have a play here, and rather than go into the minutia of the situation we are willing to grant that it will take ten years to get every one in the ways of the pious and good, with revivalists working in season and their fellows working all the time.

With these astounding truths, self-evident and backed by newspaper reports, is it not a bit remarkable that the revival season is starting a little earlier and lasting a little longer each year? From the conditions that actually prevail, one is entitled to believe that revival conversions don't ring right very long, or else our population is increasing at an abnormal rate, everyone in the influx to Texas as being a heathen and fit food for the revivalist.

If press reports are true, reviving has been greatly commercialized in many parts. We are informed, for instance, that the Rev. Billy Sunday, who was once a professional baseball player, has to be guaranteed \$10,000 for a meeting before he will agree to go any place to snatch brands from the blazes of hell's fire. At several places he has been paid \$2000 and more a week for his reviving. Other reviving combinations can be secured at cheaper cost. The Press-News knows of two splendid workers, high-salaried fellows in the metropolitan field, who are drawing \$100 a week each expenses for press-agenting their respective evangelists—and neither of these chaps has any more

religion of the revival brand in him than there is blood in a turnip. But the season is now here. Revivalism is in full blast. At least 100,000 people will be converted in Texas along before the fall winds bring welcome succor from the torrid heat waves now playing over this state, and it is our earnest prayer that each of these 100,000 will always tread in the way the light from on high shines, after he has the way pointed by the revival guide.

What's the matter with getting a car of crude oil and fighting the dust devil on the streets of San Angelo?

Insurance Commissioner Love has invited to address the laboring men of Galveston on Labor Day. Wonder if his gum shoes are union made?

A man in Denton county was overcome by the heat while working in an ice factory. F. Fitzhugh Hill must be spouting an unusual amount of hot air this month.

To the Dallas News: Will you reproduce the latest thoughts of Marse Henry Watterson on the tariff, especially as those thoughts connect the two Texas senators with that subject? Just dare you!

The latest report from Abilene has it that that city has resolved to just continue to grow, notwithstanding the Santa Fe cut-off. Bully for Abilene. It is not the first time on record that Mahomet had to go to the mountains.

Col. Don Louis J. Wortham, the erudite editor of the Fort Worth Star Telegram and the best poised and most eloquent orator in Texas, is conducting a campaign to induce the Texas farmers to raise more hogs. Don Louis never struck out in his life, and here's hoping he knocks a homer in this instance.

Bailey and Free Raw Materials.

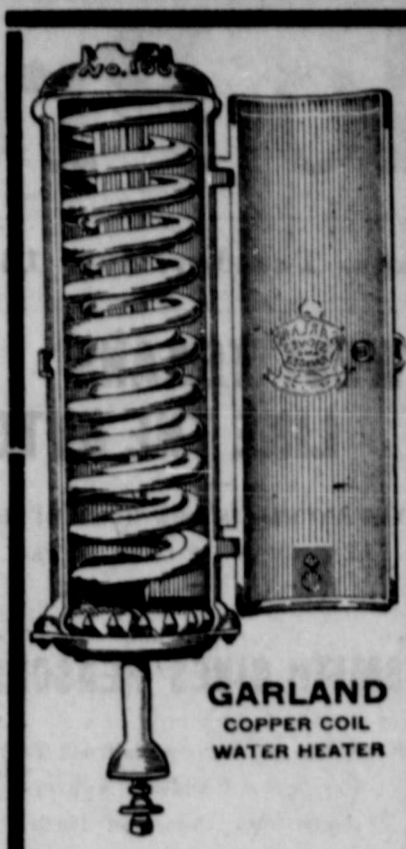
In his elaborate speech of the 24th of June, in general answer to criticisms provoked by certain votes of his, Senator Bailey of Texas makes a very strong case. He shows conclusively that the "doctrine" of "free raw materials" is of recent origination; that it had no place in the doctrines laid down by Walker, whose famous report constitutes the bedrock of the Democratic Tariff Gospel; and he defends himself with spirit and success from the accusations of his critics.

Briefly, Senator Bailey declines to give the manufacturer free raw material without a corresponding reduction of the duties on his finished product. No democrat can contest that proposition. Nor can any democrat successfully dispute the senator's history of the appearance of the "doctrine" of "free raw material" as an adjunct to a democratic tariff measure. It was the quasi-protectionist scheme of the quasi-protectionist Cleveland administration to placate the manufacturers of the east, and it finally wrecked us.

In concluding his very luminous and wholly convincing speech Mr. Bailey eloquently says: "When we have passed from this theater and have been gathered to our fathers, no democrat who has studied and who understands the history of our party can ever charge that I have helped to destroy the ancient landmarks which our fathers set in this inheritance. They may say that I was wrong; but if they do, they must admit that I have erred in following the immortal men who led the democratic party when it wrote the most glorious chapters in the history of this republic. At their side I stand, and with them I am ready to be judged, declaring, as I have always done, and as I shall do with my latest breath, that the sum of good government is comprehended in the maxim that all shall enjoy equal rights and none shall have special privileges. When my course is run there may be many who think that I have not fought a good fight, but there shall be none who can justly say that I have not kept the faith; and I would not exchange that consciousness for all the offices which demagogues have ever won by a servile flattery of the people."

This is the language of a statesman and an honest man. Senators and members of the house being charged with certain specified duties cannot escape their obligations. They must perform address themselves to the field as it is and the work as they find it. It is cut out for them and they can not escape it.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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C. A. PROBANDT TALKS

San Angelo Will Have to Hustle if It Is to Continue to Draw Patronage from Surrounding Towns. Railroads Active.

"I think the trades excursion would be a profitable thing for the merchants as well as the city at large," said C. A. Probandt of the firm of Probandt & Raphael, Monday. "We want to hold onto what we have—that's natural, and to increase our trade wherever possible. The several railroads that are being constructed now or are a matter of the future may serve to cut off a portion of our trade if we are not strictly diligent and vigilant."

"In my estimation this excursion should not be carried on in the general manner of such affairs. I mean that in a great many instances a trades excursion is simply a guise for a big time and a general jollification. By this I do not mean to say that this is a rule, but it has happened and several times, too. I believe that the business men of San Angelo should get together and look into this matter, arrange a satisfactory schedule and find what the expense would be."

A great deal of advertising should be done, and I believe the best form of advertisement is to go see the people, become personally acquainted with them and cultivate their friendship, so that when other means of securing supplies from other trade centers are open to them, they will stay with San Angelo, the trade center where they have always been fearily dealt with."

There is much comment over the trades excursion and it seems to be the general consensus of opinion among the leading business men that such a move would be profitable in the extreme, and when the boosters get together and go around the country in their autos and other means of transportation, there is going to be something moving, for San Angelo hustlers are real hustlers.

UNION REVIVAL

Evangelist Speaks on "Topless Heaven and Bottomless Hell."

"Topless Heaven and Bottomless Hell" was Evangelist Cates' subject at the union revival meeting Monday night. He declared that the greatest mystery in the world is the fact that men reject heaven and turn their faces toward hell.

Men and women sat through the entire sermon awed with the vivid and terrible picture of hell as painted by the eloquent evangelist. Two souls were saved.

The mothers' meeting takes place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. The morning theme was "Taking Prisoners for Christ." The evangelist exemplified the fact that the soldiers of the cross were well armed. The weapon of their armament is the word. He gave four scriptures that are effective in convincing men.

Attend the big mass meeting at the Yale theater Wednesday afternoon. ALMOST DOUBLES.

Lot Bringing \$1500 Two Years Ago, Sells for \$2681.25.

Two years ago Dr. R. A. Paul sold a lot on Chadbourne street to J. E. Downes for \$1500. Monday morning a deal was consummated by J. C. Wren whereby Mr. Downes transfers the same property to R. A. Porter for \$2681.25. This shows a gain of almost \$1500 and reflects the true condition of the real estate market in San Angelo.

The lot in question has a frontage of 25 feet on Chadbourne street and is more than 150 feet deep, being described as lot 11, W. C. Johnson's subdivision of acre lots 5 and 6. It lies just north of Hall Bros.

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Stops Run-away; Saves Three Lives

C. A. Robinson, undertaker for the Angelo Furniture and Undertaking company, stopped a dangerous run-away Sunday evening on West Beaugard avenue.

He was on his way to church and there were two little girls and a boy in a buggy going west. In some way the bridle fell off of the horse's head and he started on a run west. Mr. Robinson ran out in the street and caught the horse by the nose and held him while the children scrambled out of the buggy, badly frightened, but not injured.

Had Mr. Robinson not stopped the animal, some or all of the children would surely have been killed or injured.

BUSY DAY.

Deputy Constable Dave Hanley Makes Several Arrests.

Monday was a busy day with Dave Hanley, the deputy constable. He was called upon to arrange the differences between three gentlemen belligerently inclined, which he did with his accustomed grace.

He also gave an inebriated individual the accommodations extended by the county to those who are incapacitated physically and mentally as well to behave as befits a sober citizen.

The cases of the aforesaid will be looked into Tuesday by Judge M. O. Davis.

Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abstract & Title company's report of real estate transfers recorded July 12:

R. H. Clem to A. L. Miles, \$900; convey lots 6, 7 and block 61, Park Heights addition.
R. H. Clem to A. L. Miles, \$750; convey lots 12 and 13, block 60, Park Heights addition.
T. J. Ellis to Independent school district of San Angelo, \$2800; convey lots 8 to 14, inclusive, block 13, Ellis addition.
E. C. Perry to W. R. Coulter, \$3021.33; convey block 29, M. P. Co's subdivision No. 4, Collyers' ranch.
R. H. Clem et ux. to J. H. Jordan, \$675; convey lots 10, 11, and 12, block 46, Park Heights addition.

Married in New Mexico.

On July 5 Lee Hanks and Miss Laura Lutz were married at Albuquerque, N. M. Mr. Hanks is a brother of R. M. Hanks of this city and until five years ago resided in San Angelo. He is in the furniture business in Albuquerque and doing well. His many friends here will be pleased to learn of this.

Frank Russell, wife and little daughter Mary Elizabeth, left Monday morning for a month's fishing trip. Their first stop will be on Spring creek. From there they will go on to the Pecos.

K. G. Haydon and family departed Monday for Rushville, Ind., for a visit of about three weeks, after which they will visit at their old home in Lexington, Ky.

J. D. O'Daniels and wife and two sons Pat and J. D. Jr., returned from a visit to Coleman. They came through the country in Mr. O'Daniels' big Cadillac.

Miss Laura Strong, who has been visiting the Misses Hicks at their parents' home on West Towhig avenue, returned to home in Coleman Monday.

Eat cold watermelons at the Angelo; 10 cents a slice.

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Dallas	86	48	38
Shreveport	83	46	47
Oklahoma City	82	41	47
Fort Worth	84	37	47
Waco	86	36	34
Galveston	85	33	32

At Shreveport.
Fort Worth 1
Shreveport 1
Batteries: Fort Worth, M. and Powell; Shreveport, Bole Henninger.

At Dallas.
Oklahoma City 1
Dallas 1
Batteries: Oklahoma City, M. and Kelsey; Dallas, Ogles, Owsen Moore.

At Waco.
Galveston 1
Waco 1
Batteries: Galveston, Cooper Quisser; Waco, Loudell and W.

At San Antonio.
Houston 1
San Antonio 1
Batteries: Houston, Stewart Killifer; San Antonio, Mitchell Schan and Balford.

C. A. Davis, who lives at home and who has been prospecting country for several days, returned Monday. Mr. Davis is pleased with the country prospects to make this city his home.

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For you, when you need it. But the longer you neglect indigestion, the more you will suffer before Kodol can restore Good Digestion.

And, of course, indigestion if neglected long enough, brings on serious diseases in which Kodol cannot benefit you. Some of these there is no help for at all. There are, in fact, very few ailments which cannot be traced directly to impure blood. And impure blood is always due to a disordered stomach. Use Kodol and prevent Nervous Dyspepsia. Kodol will effectually assist Nature to secure a complete restoration of good digestion. It does this by at once digesting all food in the stomach and keeping it digested, until the stomach is rested and can resume its own work. Kodol removes the cause—and the effect quickly removes itself. When it is recalled that Apoplexy, Heart Disease, Cancer—and even Consumption—are due to poor digestion and poisons thus transmitted to the blood, and throughout the system—the importance of maintaining good digestion is at once realized.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One hive of bees. Call at 17 Jefferson street.

BRICK for sale. San Angelo Brick Manufacturing company.

FOR SALE—Fairbanks-Morse gasoline engine; good as new, with wood saw equipment attached. See R. S. Rainey & Co.

FOR SALE—Nearly new 6-room frame house, with bath, galleries and modern conveniences, city water, barn, etc. House nicely finished. Situated in Angelo Heights, on lot 70x160 feet. Will sell cheap and take two or three good lots in on deal. Can give some terms. Address, Owner care Press-News.

FOR SALE—Home at 66 Avenue G, Billingspaugh addition; 4 rooms and hall, lot 120 by 120 feet. Inquire Tom Kemp at Santa Fe passenger station.

WANTED.

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen. See E. S. Rainey & Co.

PIPE, GASOLINE ENGINE, Wind Mill and general repair shop. R. S. Rainey & Co., North Chadbourne St. Give us a trial.

WANTED—A cook. Phone 563 red.

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen. See R. S. Rainey & Co.

WANTED—To figure with you on estimates. Phone me at Angelo House. C. E. Harrigal.

WANTED—Surrey, gentle horse and harness, at a big bargain, for cash. Address X37 care Press-News.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Several good houses close in. W. H. Collins. Phone 278. Spence Building.

FOR RENT—Two upstairs rooms, southeast exposure. Phone 827 black.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—\$5 bill by not buying my paint and wall paper from the Angelo Paint company. Phone 763.

FOUND—Bunch of keys on the causeway. Call at Press-News office.

FOUND—A Waltham watch and chain with fob marked "J. M." Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad.

LOST—Between San Angelo and Mertz, a Remington 12-gauge double-barrel hammerless shotgun. Return to Hunter & Russell, San Angelo, and receive reward.

FOUND—The prettiest line of picture moulding at Angelo Paint company's. Phone 763.

STRAYED—From our yard, roan mare known as the Trimble mare. Reward for return. Grant Lumber Company. Phone 224.

PERSONAL.

DR. E. R. FORBES, V. S.—Veterinarian, having closed his office at the stock yards, Fort Worth, until October 1, will practice in San Angelo until that time. Riverside Hotel, Oakes street; phone 399.

Ice cold melons to take home, at the Angelo.

S. H. Bean, who resides within the precincts of Coke county, passed through the city Monday enroute for Onalaska.

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The Man From Brodney's

By GEORGE BARR M'GUTCHEON

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"Gone?" half shrieked her ladyship. "Into the bank," he added, scratching a match.

"Deppy," she said after a moment, "I hope I was not too hard on the poor fellow."

"Perhaps you won't be so nervous if you sit down and look at the sea," he said gently, and she immediately knew that he suggested it because he expected a tragedy in the opposite direction.

They expected every minute to hear the shouts of assassins and the screams of the brave Mr. Saunders. Their apprehensions were sensibly increased by the mysterious actions of the half naked loiterers. They made off in various directions, more than one of them handling his ugly creese in an ominous manner. Bromley was not slow to acquaint his lordship with these movements. Deppingham felt a



Bowles wore the tight red jacket of a British trooper.

cold chill shoot up his spine, but he refused to encourage the maid's fears by turning around.

"Your lordship," said Mr. Saunders three minutes later, "this is Mr. Bowles, his majesty's agent here. He is come with me to—"

It was then and not until then that his lordship turned his stare from the sea to the clerk and his companion.

"Aw," he interrupted, "glad to see you, I'm sure. Would you be good enough to tell us how we are to reach the—er—chateau and why the devil we can't get anybody to move our luggage?"

Mr. Bowles, who had lived in Japan for sixteen years, was a tortuously slow Englishman, with the curse of the climate still growing upon him. He was half asleep quite a good bit of the time and wholly asleep during the remainder.

"Everything is transferred by hand, my lord, and the chateau is two miles farther up the side of the mountain. It's quite a walk, sir."

"Do you mean to say we are to walk?"

"Yes, my lord, if you expect to go there."

"Of course we expect to go there. Are there no horses on the beastly island?"

"Hundreds, my lord, but they belong to the people, and no one but their owners ride them. The servants at the chateau turned Mr. Skaggs' horses out to pasture before they left."

"Before who left?"

"The servants, my lord."

Lady Deppingham's eyes grew wide with understanding. "You don't mean to say that the servants have left the place?" she cried.

"Yes, my lady. They were natives, you know."

"What's that got to do with it?" demanded Deppingham.

"I'm afraid you don't understand the situation," said Mr. Bowles patiently. "You see, it's really a triangular controversy, if I may be so bold as to say so. Lady Deppingham is one of the angles; Mr. Browne, the American gentleman, is another; the native population is the last. Each wants to be the hypotenuse. While the interests of all three are merged in the real issue, there is nevertheless a decided disposition all around to make it an entirely one-sided affair."

"I don't believe I grasp"—muttered Deppingham blankly.

"I see perfectly," exclaimed his wife. "The natives are allied against us, just as we are, in a way, against them

and Mr. Browne. Really, it seems quite natural, doesn't it, dear?" turning to her husband.

"Very likely, but very unfortunate. It leaves us to broil our brains out down here on this pier. I say, Mr.—er—old chap, can't you possibly engage some sort of transportation for us? Really, you know, we can't stand here all day."

"I've no doubt I can arrange it, my lord. If you will just wait here until I run back to the bank I dare say I'll find a way. Perhaps you'd prefer standing under the awning until I return."

It was fully half an hour before he was seen coming down the street, followed by a score or more of natives, their dirty white robes flapping about their brown legs. At first they could not believe it was Bowles. Lord Deppingham had a sharp thrill of joy, but it was short lived. Bowles had changed at least a portion of his garb. He now wore the tight red jacket of the British trooper, while an ancient army cap was strapped jauntily over his ear. "It's all right, my lord," he said, saluting as he came up. "They will do

anything I tell 'em to do when I represent the British army. This is the only uniform on the island, but they've been taught that there are more where this one came from. These fellows will carry your boxes up to the chateau, sixpence to the man, if you please, sir, and I've sent for two carts to draw your party up the slope. They'll be here in a jiffy, my lady." Then, turning majestically to the huddled natives, he waved his slender stick and said: "Lively now! No loafing! Lively!"

Whereupon the entire collection of boxes, bags and bundles figuratively picked itself up and walked off in the direction of the chateau.

(To be continued.)

Announcement.

The Orient hotel and ice cream parlor, commencing today, will be run on a different style, under the proficient management of Prof. J. R. Johnson. Everything will be first-class. Located on the corner of Third and Randolph streets. No. 300.

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Corn meal, 17 1-2 lb. sacks	.36
Feed oats	.67
Oklahoma ear corn	.90
Texas ear corn	.88
Sacked mixed corn	.92
Sacked white corn	.94
Corn chops, 100-pound sacks	1.70
Kaffir corn chops	1.65
Milo maize	.75
Poultry Food, 100-lbs.	1.75
White rice pop corn, lb.	.05
Bloody Butcher corn, bushel	1.57
No. 2 alfalfa	17.00
Millet, 100 lbs.	2.75
June corn	1.50
Choice alfalfa	18.00
Trico, 100-lb. sacks	.80
Wheat	1.50
Irish potatoes, bushel	1.35
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Tomatoes, crate	1.25

Hay.

Johnson grass	12.00
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Alfalfa meal, 100-lb. sacks	1.35
Cotton seed meal and cake, per ton	32.00

James Harris and Robert Hemphill of Coleman, who have been in the city on business, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Steffel of Fort Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Dougherty and family in Fort Concho addition.

Life 100,000 Years Ago.

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure sore lungs, obstinate coughs and prevent pneumonia, it's the best medicine on earth. 50 cents and \$1. Guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottle free.

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Woman Battles With a Mad Cat

Gainesville, Texas, July 12.—Mrs. W. W. Burch and her 2-year-old baby girl had a fight for their lives with a mad tomcat at their home twelve miles southeast of here, near Mount Springs. The baby was playing in the yard near a window where Mrs. Burch sat, and she saw the big red-eyed cat approach and spring upon the child and terribly lacerate its face, hands and legs before she could get into the yard and beat the animal off with a broom handle. The cat sprang at the face of the woman several times and fastened its teeth and claws in her shirtwaist, but Mrs. Burch kept up her fight with the broom handle and finally had her mad foe near enough exhausted to take time to throw her baby into the house. When the child was jerked from the ground the cat again made a leap at it and cut a long gash on its leg as it was thrown in the room. Before the frightened woman could get in the house and close the door the cat had again fastened its claws in its sleeve and she had another battle with it, but came out without a scratch upon herself.

Mr. Burch, who was working in the field some distance away, heard the screams of his wife and ran to the house to find the cat still jumping against the closed door and frothing at the mouth. Mrs. Burch handed him his shotgun through the window and a load of buckshot put an end to the cat.

Mr. Long, living near Valley View, applied the madstone to the wounds on the child and it adhered a number of times. Mr. Burch thinks the poison was all drawn from the wounds by the madstone and the child will not be taken to the Pasteur institute.

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City Marshal Would Duel; is Indicated

Ventura, July 12.—The grand jury has returned a true bill indicting City Marshal Russell upon a charge of having issued a challenge to fight a duel.

The case grows out of the recent arrest here of John Nicholson upon a charge of having violated the liquor law. The marshal engaged in an altercation on the streets with Nicholson, who called the officer a liar.

Russell struck him, then threw a pistol toward him and told him to fight with that if he would fight no other way. The marshal was arrested and gave bail, with D. S. Blackburn and E. S. Dunning as sureties. Blackburn, a well known capitalist, is on the marshal's official bond.

Eat cold watermelons at the Angelo; 10 cents a slice.

Neely Bros. buy hides.

I will be at home in San Angelo, and ready to train horses for the fall Fair.
BOSE MOTLEY.

Dr. E. R. Forbes, V. S.—Veterinarian, having closed his office at the stock yards, Fort Worth, until October 1, will practice in San Angelo until that time. Riverside Hotel, Oakes street; phone 399.

Ice cold melons to take home, at the Angelo.

S. H. Bean, who resides within the precincts of Coke county, passed through the city Monday enroute for Onalaska.

Let The Press-News get it for you.

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WATERMELON SPREAD NEAR BEN FICKLIN

Sidney Smith, Who Leaves Soon for Fort Worth, Entertains Friends On the "Silver Concho."

To illustrate the fact that peace and amity exist between the different lumbermen of San Angelo, Sidney Smith of the West Texas Lumber company gave a farewell entertainment Monday night to his many friends among the lumber kings of the city. It consisted of a picnic on the banks of the "silver Concho" at the famous picnic grounds of Ben Ficklin.

There was no want of delicacies in the line of good things to eat, and the lumbermen and their wives could not have desired finer fare, as they signified by their intense appetites. Watermelon was king of the feast, and the red-blooded old chap was a master of the art of entertainment.

It is a matter of regret to their many friends that Mr. and Mrs. Smith will soon leave for Fort Worth, where they will make their future home.

Among those present and paying due respect to the delicacies set before them were Messrs. and Mesdames W. S. Kelly, Van Kelly, I. E. Kuehne, W. P. Humphreys, Frank Armstrong, J. F. Ross, B. B. Hall, Sidnel Smith, and Messrs. Ornsdorff, Burns, Cole and Campbell.

ALFALFA PAYS.

F. W. Howe Will Receive More Than \$3000 from Two Cuttings.

F. W. Howe, who operates the Tankersley farm near Merton, is in the city on business.

Mr. Howe has already cut and baled 6300 bales of fine alfalfa hay from his farm, which, at present prices, means more than \$3000. This hay was obtained from two cuttings, and about three more cuttings are expected.

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Tom Cody, who lives on the Loomis ranch near Mereta, is in the city on a business and pleasure trip.

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INVESTIGATING BODY TO MEET

JOINT COMMITTEE OF HOUSE AND SENATE TO HEAR REPORTS ON PENITENTIARY SYSTEM.

HON. B. F. LEE LEAVES

Opportunity for Great Good—No Telling How Long Session Will Last. The Members Are to Receive \$5 per Day and Expenses.

Hon. Brown F. Lee, member of the legislature, ditto member of the committee appointed to investigate the alleged shortcoming of the penitentiary system of this state, will leave Tuesday afternoon for Austin, where the joint committee from the house and senate will convene on July 15.

Sweeping aside all local pride, it can be truthfully remarked that Lee is the strongest member of the house committee. He and Hudspeth, also of this district, will dominate the committee through sheer force of intellectuality. The opportunities at hand for this committee to do a great service for Texas are manifold and easily apparent. That grievous wrongs and frightful mismanagement have from time to time characterized the penal institutions of this state is a fact all too patent to be disputed.

During the session of the Thirty-first legislature it was reported from the highest sources that this investigating committee was to Gov. Campbell as a terrible bugbear and a thing of horrid form. John Marshall, the governor's Friday, who was elected speaker of the house, swept his eyes carefully for unsuited material to form the personnel for the house's part of this committee, and with the single exception of Mr. Lee, Speaker Marshall succeeded most admirably in getting men totally unfitted by training, inclination or environment to perform the work at hand. The senate has a bully good committee.

Mr. Lee does not know how long the committee will continue its labors. Least some misapprehension arise, it may be declared that the members of this committee are to receive \$5 per day each and their expenses.

SAM CROWTHER COMING HOME

HEAD OF STREET RAILWAY AFFAIRS IN SAN ANGELO IS LEAVING CHICAGO.

THINGS SHOULD GO NOW

Effort Will Be Made to Have Subscription Lists Completed Before the Week Ends Everybody Anxiously Awaiting Results.

R. A. Hall is in receipt of a telegram from Sam Crowther dated Sunday, to the effect that he would leave Chicago Monday for home.

This announcement has created considerable stir in San Angelo, for Mr. Crowther is generally recognized as the high mogul in the San Angelo Power and Traction company, and things are expected to begin milling around when he gets back.

"It is confidently hoped and expected by all those connected with this enterprise that the subscriptions will all be up by the time Mr. Crowther gets back," said J. C. Sempres Monday. "This has been a long, hard fight, but we believe we can see daylight far ahead. Of course there is still a great amount of work to be done before the street cars are running again, but the prospects are exceedingly bright."

This statement from a gentleman who is prominently connected with the street car situation should cheer up those who have declared time after time that a street railway in San Angelo is impractical. The street railway is not impractical, nor is it a wild speculation scheme. It might be well to remember that the men who are behind it are of that class of citizenship that aided to make San Angelo the city it is today.

This city is fully qualified as regards population and other advantages to support a tip-top system, and that is undoubtedly what the company is preparing to build.

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Joe Kirk, who has been visiting his uncle S. S. Kirk of this city for the last few weeks, returned to his home in Macmill, Okla., Monday.

Charley Allen, who has been visiting in the city, returned Monday to his home in Ballinger.

The LePearl Sisters

AT The Yale "Nuf Sed"

IT COSTS MORE TO BUILD NOW

PRICES ON LUMBER HAVE SCORED BIG ADVANCE IN ALL PARTS OF THE STATE.

MILLS CAUGHT ASLEEP

Supplies Are Running Low, While Building Activity Is at Its Height—Situation as It Appears Locally.

It now costs between \$200 and \$300 more than it did two weeks ago to build an ordinary five or six-room house. The price of lumber has taken on a sudden advance, and no relief is expected any time real soon. This raise is due, according to the statement of L. E. Kuehne of the West Texas Lumber company, to the wonderful improvements that are going on throughout the state, and likewise due to the fact that this usually being the dull time of the year, most of the mills have either closed down or have been running on short time.

"Everything has an air of prosperity at present," says Mr. Kuehne, "and building is going on at such a rapid rate that the mills have hardly been able to keep up with the demands made upon them. They had almost run out of stock on hand, and so had the lumber yards.

"The yards of San Angelo get most of their lumber from the eastern portion of the state, down around Beaumont, and from Louisiana, where the great timber belts abound."

It is noticeable that the price of lumber has advanced, but in justice to the yards of San Angelo it may be said that they have advanced their prices much less than most yards throughout the state, and this, as seen by the foregoing, has been forced upon them by necessity.

No matter if lumber is going higher, that is not going to stop the great rejuvenation in the building line in San Angelo. Now is generally recognized to be a time of progression, and a little rise in the value of building materials is not going to cause San Angelo's city builders to even waver in their onward movement.

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Married at High Noon.

Miss Nettie Griffin, one of San Angelo's most popular belles, was united in marriage to Thomas Head at high noon Monday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Griffin, in Angelo Heights.

The happy couple departed on the afternoon train for a two weeks' honeymoon at Palochos on the coast, after which they will be at home on East Beauregard avenue.

Miss Griffin has lived in San Angelo for something like five years, and during that space of time she has become extremely popular.

Mr. Head has for several months been the bookkeeper for the Angelo Furniture and Undertaking company. Sincere wishes for the utmost happiness that results from "the tie that binds" follow the happy couple.

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Business Notice.

The undersigned, having purchased the interest of R. W. Reynolds in the grocery firm of J. P. Reynolds & Bro., also all outstanding accounts, etc., and in order to close the books of the old firm, all accounts must be settled promptly or they will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

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 J. P. REYNOLDS.

Rev. F. F. Wyatt left Monday for a visit to Wichita Falls and Amarillo.

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CLUB DANCE.
 One Will Be Given Thursday Night.
 John Abe March, Jr., Has List.

The San Angelo club will entertain with a dance Thursday evening at the club rooms. John Abe March, Jr., has the list, and all members of that organization are requested to locate him. A large crowd is expected to turn out, for the club is noted for the excellent dances and all around good times that have always been a matter of history with it.

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