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## NORMAL LOCATING BOARD HERE TODAY

### SIMPLICITY OF PROGRAM IS FEATURED

VISITORS WILL HAVE TIME TO REST AND STILL A LOT OF PLEASURE IS IN SIGHT.

### BARBECUE BANQUET AT DOOR KEY RANCH

Drive Is to Be Made Over City and to the Head of the South Concho River—The Delegation Leaves San Angelo Friday.

- PROGRAM.**
- Arrive 9 a. m. in automobiles from Ballinger.
  - Half hour's rest at Landon hotel.
  - Ride in automobiles over the city.
  - Boating on Lake Concho.
  - Visit to normal site.
  - Lunch at Landon at 1 o'clock.
  - Leave in four autos at 2 o'clock for trip to head of South Concho and inspection of the springs.
  - All aboard for Door Key ranch at head of Pecan creek.
  - Barbecue during evening on the ranch.
  - Return to San Angelo Friday morning at 9 o'clock.
  - Joint meeting normal board and citizens' committee.
  - Lunch at Long's cafe at 12:30 o'clock.
  - Leave San Angelo Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**Arrival.**

Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, according to schedule, the state normal committee, composed of A. B. Davidson, R. B. Cousins and John Marshall, will arrive in San Angelo in automobiles, and from that time until the train blows its whistle Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, these distinguished visitors will be enjoying the hospitality of the citizens of San Angelo.

In preparing a program it has been the intention of the local arrangement committee to avoid all frills, and to cram all pleasure possible into the few hours the visitors will be here without overdoing things. In other words, the members of the board will be given an opportunity to see all of the city and a good portion of the surrounding territory, enjoy themselves, and at the same time take a much needed rest.

It is known to be a fact that they have been on the road a long time and have had a strenuous time—riding around most of the time in the day, and sitting up at banquet tables in hot hotels at night.

It was with some disappointment that the local committee learned that it would be impossible for the board to remain in San Angelo longer than Friday. An invitation was extended to the board over Sunday, but the committee feels as if it must hurry back to

Austin and formulate its report.

**Forenoon Entertainment.**

As soon as the visitors reach the city they will be escorted to the Landon hotel, where they will shake the Ballinger dust from their clothing and catch the San Angelo spirit. After mingling in the lobby for a half hour or more, or until such a time as they feel ready to leave, they will be seated in automobiles and taken for a figure eight drive over the city. At Lake Concho a boat ride will be a special feature. Following this the Civic League park, which has been offered as the site for the normal, will be visited.

Returning to the business section of the city at 12 o'clock, the visitors will be given a rest. Lunch will be served at the Landon at 1 o'clock.

Promptly at 2 o'clock four automobiles will drive up in front of the Landon and the start will be made for the head of the South Concho, the visitors being given an opportunity to see some of the country, and to make a personal inspection of the springs, from which San Angelo receives its splendid water supply. An hour will be spent at the springs, after which the autos will head for the famous Door Key ranch, on Pecan creek.

**On the Ranch.**

At the Door Key ranch the visitors will be welcomed by Willis Johnson, the owner, and a large delegation of San Angeliotes, who will leave here about 3 o'clock. Among those present will be the following:

C. B. Hudspeth, T. C. Wynn, L. L. Farr, W. T. Bartholomew, W. A. Guthrie, Joseph Spence, Jr., J. G. Murphy, J. P. Andersen, C. T. Paul, Jesse P. Sewell, Dr. Cooper, C. C. Walsh, Dr. DeLong, Dr. Bascom Lynn, J. W. Johnson, John Abe March, J. W. Timmins, George Hagelstein, G. W. Hay, R. Shield, Edgar Hamilton, J. S. McConnell, D. C. McCaleb, M. B. Pulliam, J. Y. Rust, J. D. O'Daniel, Dr. J. H. Brindley of San Antonio, C. B. Metcalfe, A. R. Burgess, J. W. Hill, Brown F. Lee, W. M. Crutchfield, C. A. Broome.

Mr. Johnson will entertain in his own way, and it is predicted that there will not be a dull moment from the time the crowd gathers until the gong is sounded for the crowd to retire. One of the events scheduled is a barbecue banquet, and it won't be beef barbecue, either.

**Joint Meeting.**

After spending the night at the ranch the entire party will leave early Friday morning for San Angelo, and should arrive here about 9 o'clock. During the forenoon a meeting of the board and a committee of citizens will be held. The speakers will be as follows:

"The general Health of This Section," Dr. Boyd Cornick.  
 "Boarding Facilities Here, the Health of the Students and the Moral Standing," Dr. Crutchfield, president of San Angelo Collegiate Institute.  
 "Fuel and Transportation," W. A. Guthrie.  
 "Water Supply," T. C. Wynn.  
 "Geographical Location," L. L. Farr.  
 "General Summary," C. B. Metcalfe.

Lunch will be had at Long's cafe and at 2 o'clock the visitors will tell San Angelo goodbye.

R. J. Waldeck, private secretary to Mr. Davidson, will accompany the board. Mr. Waldeck is known all over the state as Dick. He is a jolly good fellow and a man of ability. He was only recently admitted to the bar, but to hear him talk law you would think him an old-timer.

Mrs. A. J. Tippitt and children left Wednesday for their home in Bay City, after a two weeks' visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Abe Mayer.

### STOCK COMPANY FOR THIS WINTER

**Report Has It That Yale Theater Is Figuring on Furnishing Entertainment for Cold Weather.**

And the report is out to the effect that there are chances a stock company will hold forth at the Yale theater when the weather gets cold. If the deal for such a finale is on the fact is being reasonably well guarded. The fact, however, that a stock company is being considered ought to be an incentive to those having the real opera house in charge to get up and do some real hustling. San Angelo is filling out big enough to have plumb city clothes in every way from sporty socks to asbestos curtain opera houses.

But back to the stock company proposition. A good stock company is a fine thing. If a capable company condenses its wrestling to plays loaded with human interest, just enough horse to make good zest, and plenty of action, a positive excuse for the prevalence of such companies can be found. Stock companies, however, are under the new copyright law that carries a jail sentence for pirating plays, which takes a great deal of invitingness from that branch of the amusing business.

### HAMBICK ARRESTED. Wanted on a Misdemeanor Charge in Fort Worth.

Clay Hambrick, wanted on a misdemeanor charge in Fort Worth, was caught Wednesday morning at Seven Mile crossing by City Marshal Carroll Bates.

The evader thought himself secreted from the officers, being allied with a woman who was carrying him food. But the keen eye of Mr. Bates soon detected something strange in her actions. On following her Wednesday morning to the prisoner's place of refuge, he captured him and placed him in the county jail, awaiting further orders relative to his transfer.

### Pensions.

The following letter, which is self-explanatory, has been mailed from the office of the commissioner of pensions:

Austin, Aug. 25, 1909.—To County Judges: Under the act approved March 26, 1909, I have received since June 12 last several thousand applications for pensions. For want of assistance I shall not be able to mail out notices of approval or disapproval until during the months of September and October. The first quarterly payment under the new law is not due until December 1 next, which gives me ample time to provide every new pensioner with identification affidavits prior to that date.

In order, therefore, to prevent unnecessary urgency letters, I shall thank you to furnish a copy of this letter for the information of applicants for pensions to the local press of your county. Very respectfully,

E. A. BOLMES,  
Commissioner of Pensions.

### Henderson Returns.

C. B. Henderson, the dry goods man, is back from a trip to New York, where he went on business. "Just say I have returned and that I am glad to get back," said Mr. Henderson to a Press-News man on Wednesday.

### Breaks Bone.

Will Prather, horse shoer for McGregor, had a very painful accident Tuesday morning while shoeing a horse. Another horse ran against the one Mr. Prather was shoeing, causing it to step on Mr. Prather's instep, breaking the bone. He will likely be laid up for thirty days.

Miss Emma Joyce of Wall is visiting at the home of Rev. J. M. Earls this week.

Miss Mamie Farnham left Wednesday for her home in Alabama, after a pleasant visit to Dr. C. E. Mays and family.

### MAKES LONG TRIP IN HIS MERRY AUTO

**E. E. Bailey Returns from Old Home in Lamar County, Better Impressed Than Ever With San Angelo.**

"I went for two whole days and never saw a single bandit, a hold-up nor a man with big guns on," is the way Jesse E. Bailey, who chauffeurs his own benzine car, speaks of a great trip he made from San Angelo to Sonora and Ozona this week. It may be stated that Mr. Bailey belongs to Lamar county, where the people are somewhat effete and where the bottom lands raise chills and cotton to beat the band. "This is a great country out this way," continued Mr. Bailey. "It is the coming garden spot of the state. I have come all the way from Paris in my little honk-honk, and the best section that I have thrown my lamps on is the section around San Angelo.

"While I didn't see as many houses as I would have seen had I covered the same distance in my section of the state, the houses I saw are better built houses, striking a better general average than the East Texas houses. And hark to this, please: I never saw a single nigger cabin. The very ideal! "As I would slide and glide along over the dirt roads the thought would constantly come to me that some day all the country would be thickly settled. The crowded folk of the black waxey land will in time surely move to this section. I won't be so brash as to say this land out here is anywhere near as good as old Lamar county land, but I will say it can be bought a sight cheaper than land in old Lamar, and that is the thing that will induce immigration in goodly amounts."

### Storrs-Neal.

At high noon Wednesday, at the home of J. T. Neal, Miss Effie Neal and Harry Storrs were united in marriage, by Rev. J. W. Siler, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, the ceremony being performed in the presence of relatives and a few friends. The house was decorated with ferns, palms and cut flowers. Misses Frankie Harris and Willie Fuller presided over the punch bowl in the dining room, in which pink decorations predominated.

Misses Ruth Johnson and Annahlee Harris received the guests into the living room. Mrs. J. Currys Simmons, sister of the bride, sang "Always True," which was followed by Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Mary Henderson, as the bridal party descended the stairway.

The bride was attired in a beautiful gray Jersey traveling dress and carried a big bouquet of white roses and ferns. The bridesmaids, Misses Itasca Hill and Velma Fuller, were daintily attired in white dresses, large white hats, and carried pink rosebuds.

Mcara, Lawson Dailey and T. C. Atwood were groomsmen. As the solemn, sacred words were spoken Miss Neal and Mr. Storrs stood on a mass of roses beneath an arch from which hung a large white bell, showering them with rice and dainty silver horse-shoes.

Rev. Siler pronounced the words that united the destinies of the happy and popular couple, and immediately following the ceremony congratulations were showered upon them, after which all partook of a wedding luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Storrs left on the afternoon train for Chicago, where they will make their future home. Mr. Storrs will enter the Moody institute and study for the ministry.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abstract & Title company's report of real estate transfers recorded August 25:

I. A. Neal to Will Duncan, \$5000; conveys 273.4 acres of survey 91-2, Robert A. Traylor.

G. M. Sutherland to P. D. Swift, \$4275; conveys 42.39 acres of survey 962, Wm. Best; 5.75 acres abstract 8441. Jane Jones; 69.67 acres survey 1, C. T. & M. C. Ry. Co.; 82.19 acres survey 84, H. Diedrich.

S. J. Truman et ux. to P. S. Head, \$800; conveys 5 acres out of survey 186, Jos. A. Frick.

Miss Kate Corbett left Wednesday for El Paso, where she has accepted a position as teacher in the public school of that city. She has been teaching here for a number of years and has been very successful.

Jewell Wylie, A. B. Poe and "Skeet" Hall were passengers on Wednesday's train.

Nathan Passur left Wednesday for Fort Worth, his home, after spending a few days with his folks, L. Passur and family.

D. A. Dickey and wife left Wednesday for their home in Hartington, Neb., after a month's visit with Mr. Dickey's brother at Van Court.

Mrs. Chris Stumpp and daughter Miss Kate Stumpp arrived Wednesday from Bangs to visit their son and brother Louis Heitzler.

### PRETENTIOUS.

Edgar S. Hamilton will probably let contract next week for home. Work on the new home of Edgar S. Hamilton, to be built in Park Heights, will probably start early next week. The contract will probably be let next Monday. When completed this will be one of the most pretentious homes in the west. Mr. Hamilton moved here from Fort Worth last spring and is already one of the leading members of the local bar.



**HENRY S. PRITCHETT.**  
The president of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, who has aroused the ire of several university heads by his criticisms of the entrance requirements in their institutions, is himself an educator of note. He was formerly president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

### LETTER RECEIVED FROM SEN. BAILEY

Were It Not For Meeting of Currency Commission He Would Gladly Attend Fall Fair.

The following letter received here Wednesday is confirmatory of the telegram sent by Senator Bailey on Monday:

Gainesville, Tex., Aug. 23, 1909.—Messrs. John R. Nasworthy, Sam Hill, D. C. McCaleb, San Angelo, Texas. Gentlemen: On my return here from Hamilton county I find yours of the 20th instant among my mail, and according to your request I have just sent you the following message:

"Would be glad to come, but meeting of currency commission at Washington first Monday in October renders it impossible."

I know that I would enjoy a visit to San Angelo during the fair, and the last time I talked with my friend Sam Hill I promised him to come. I had no idea at that time, however, that I would be called to Washington by a public duty, and I am sure that all three of you, as well as all of my other friends in your section, will agree that the necessity of being in Washington on the first Monday in October is a good excuse for my not being at San Angelo on the 5th of October. It would be important under any circumstances for me to attend the sessions of the currency commission, but it is all the more important that I attend its future ones because of the sickness which prevented me from attending its sessions last year. Very truly your friend,

J. W. BAILEY.

### PAVING PLAN PLEASES ALL

PROPERTY OWNERS GREET ANNOUNCEMENT IN PRESS-NEWS.

### NO OBJECTIONS HEARD

Everybody Seems to Realize at Once the Many Benefits to Be Obtained by "Doing It Now."

Following the exclusive announcement in The Press-News regarding the intention of some of the property owners on Chadbourne street to work up interest with a view of having the thoroughfare paved from the depot to the Landon hotel, many favorable comments have been heard, and it is believed that the move will be a success.

Practically every owner seen Tuesday expressed himself as being strongly in favor of paving, and announced that he is ready to stand for his part of the expense. All seem to realize that a city the size of San Angelo should wake up and pay more attention to matters of this kind, and they also know that it is really money in their pockets to pave.

If Fritz Lanham of the Texas Bitulithic company can not make a personal visit and work up interest in the plan, a local committee is to take it up immediately. A petition will be circulated, and every man who owns property will be asked to sign it.

### MOONLIGHT PICNIC ON LAKE CONCHO

Knights of Pythias Planning for Gala Occasion—Boating, Dancing and Plenty to Eat.

Thursday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock, the west side of Lake Concho is to be a place of beauty, luxury and happiness, so made by a barbecue which is to be given by the Knights of Pythias.

The several committees are busy making preparations for the event. It is their earnest desire to bring joy and delight to the members of the lodge. All kinds of refreshments, meats and delicacies are to be had, which will occupy their time immediately upon arrival at the lake. After this those who desire to go boating will have at their disposal the necessary boats. Though there be a delicate maid who fears the restless waters, she will not want for other pleasures, for there will be a dance on a platform which is now being erected.

### Runaway.

A team of horses attached to a top buggy, the property of Rev. W. T. Renfro, ran away Wednesday afternoon, and after creating a lot of excitement on Main, Harris and Chadbourne streets, finally landed up in the building occupied by the Concho Land company. The horses ran up on the porch and knocked down an aged Mexican, but he was not badly injured.

### Christian Endeavor Social.

The senior Christian Endeavor society of the Harris avenue Presbyterian church will give a social at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. Wiggins, 108 Veck street, East San Angelo, Friday night.

### Missions.

The Woman's Home Mission society of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the church. Subject for discussion, "City Missions."

Rev. A. J. Cheatham, who has been here for a few days visiting his brothers Dan P. and E. M. Cheatham, left Wednesday for Comanche, where he will visit another brother before returning to his home in Fordyce, Ark., where he is pastor of the Presbyterian church.

The Ladies Aid society of the Harris Avenue Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock in regular missionary study.

W. W. Colpitta, chief engineer of the Orient, arrived in the city Wednesday with his wife.

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Thursday Morning, August 26, 1909.

**WELCOME, GENTLEMEN.**

Welcome to our city, gentlemen of the board to locate the West Texas normal. Men of your character are always welcome. When upon such a mission as is now and has been for several weeks engaging your attention, you are indeed thrice welcome.

San Angelo is an applicant for the location of the normal. We know that this city is the best place for such a school, but should you find different, we shall merely assign as a reason the brevity of your stay precluded you from ascertaining the facts. We state this because we know that you intend to locate the school where it will be of the greatest good to the greatest number.

We would call to your attention that San Angelo is today the western terminus of a most important branch of one railroad, and will before you render your decision be the terminus of a great trunk line.

Napoleon once urged his footsore and wearied soldiers forward with the congenial hope of "Beyond the Alps lies Italy."

We would say to the locating board, "Beyond San Angelo lies the hope of the home lovers."

The era of cheap lands in Texas is drawing to a close. Before another decade passes Texas lands will be of values that will look like fortunes compared with the present selling prices. The last of the cheap lands are contiguous to San Angelo. The men of tomorrow who own their homes must move upon these cheap lands, if they would pay for their homes by the sweat of their brows.

Don't, we pray these, good gentlemen, let this fact get away from you. This normal is not being located merely for today, or for tomorrow and tomorrow. When we shall all be gathered to our fathers, those who are to teach the youth will then be receiving their training from this institution.

Being built for the years, we invite your attention to the truth that it is better to build it where the center of population will be by the time the school gets firmly established. The center of population is moving westward just as certainly as the force of gravity makes aviation a serious problem. The manifest trend of population forces a reckoning to be made with a condition over which the people of today have no control. Even should the desire be rampant, the westward tide of people could not be stopped. But once you locate this normal, it is located for keeps, for ever and anon.

And so, gentlemen of the board, we suggest with due deference and respectful demeanor that the eternal fitness of things will be best served if you locate your normal where it will be close enough to the present center of population west of the 98th meridian to answer the full purposes of the establishing act, and yet close enough to what will be the center of population long before the school is an old as the one at Huntsville, for instance.

San Angelo, you will observe, made no gaudy cash bid for the school. The idea of auctioning off this school to the highest bidder. In the opinion of the good people of San Angelo, was not the intent of the legislators. To thus place a great educational institution upon the same plane that spoiled fish are disposed of, or decayed vegetables are sold, makes an idea at once repulsive and repugnant. San Angelo has, however, offered enough to bear good testimony of her earnest desire to have this school.

But these things are argumentative. Even before securing permanent advantages, San Angelo desires to assure each of you that her hospitality is as pure and unadulterated for littleness as the atmosphere that sweeps this section is pure and exhilarating. We want you to enjoy your stay. We want you to know us better, and if you know us well you will become evangelists of the west as it is found here when you return to your respective homes. You have received honors at the hands of your fellows that have been worthily bestowed. We want you to tell those who have trusted you what a great future and what an attractive present we have here in San Angelo. You can paint pictures as bright as your imaginations can conjure when talking about San Angelo, and you will never forfeit the faith that is lodged in you by your fellow citizens; for great indeed is this country, great, free and destined to still greater stations.

Again, let us say, welcome, thrice welcome.

Senator Bailey need have no fears as to how the people of Texas will take his course in congress. Texas wants no free raw material. Free raw material means free soup houses in the cities and misery in the country. You men of the west, remember you the days of free wool? Your sheep were not worth freight charges. Your clip brought hardly enough to pay the shearers. Your lands shrunk in values and woe was your portion. And for what? That the New England manufacturer could squeeze double profits. His finished product was protected against pauper labor, while your sheep bleated in competition with the sheep of the four winds. Here is where the rub is coming. Free hides will be followed by free wool. It is time that the people of Texas were organizing for self-protection. Free raw materials, with protected manufactured products means a concentration of wealth on the rock-ribbed New England coast, which wealth will be the result of the contributions of those who toll and sweat in prairie states. Joe Bailey is right. He is democratic. His conscientious enemies will admit this truth, for there are those opposing him who are big men with big brains.

The Thirty-first legislature exhibited, even under the stress of big sticks, a sane regard for material things. It passed fewer drastic laws crushing investments than any legislature in 20 years almost. And we are reaping the results. The Santa Fe is solidifying its lines in a manner that means millions to Texas land values; the Frisco is pushing the work of building to San Antonio, and all over Texas come reports of increased activity in the way of railroad promotion, with reasonable hope of speedy realization. Let Texas grow. Give the men who cause fields to spring where bald prairie once held forth; men who cause cities to rise where rustic scenery once enchanted; men who make it possible for the hungry to eat, the naked to have raiment and the oppressed to be freed from their burdens have an inning. The Thirty-first legislature has made a powerful good start in this direction. Let's keep the stride.

The suggestion that Chadbourne street be paved should be received with responsive appreciation. A city as large as San Angelo ought to keep pace with the times. While it is true that the growth of this city has been wonderful during the last three years, it is also true that a wonderful growth breathes a responsibility in the same proportions. Let's pave. The time to start is now.

J. R. Dillon, for many years one of the brightest minds connected with the Santa Fe railroad, has resigned from railroad work for the purpose of engaging in the freight brokerage business at Galveston. Dillon is a Texas product, a realized success and a magnificent fellow. May the loss of the Santa Fe system result in his personal gain. He is worthy of wearing the greatest of honors.

Sheriff Sweet of Fort Worth is the latest determinator to clean out the acre in that city. Sweet has adversities, as well as his uses. But just to keep the record straight, pray tell us where will you throw your sweepings after you have finished the job of cleaning the dirty spot?

Now comes the report that Hon. J. C. S Blackburn, erstwhile senator, now governor of the canal zone, is to resign his job. We were powerfully afraid of such a step when the report reached this country that the mint crop in Panama was a total failure.

To the prohibition crusaders of today: Please remember that the land for which the crusaders of old fought is still in the hands of infidels.

Harriman arrived home weak. Oh, very well, but just read the market quotations and you'll find his stocks are strong.

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**"His Master's Voice."**

New Daily for Ballinger.  
The Ballinger Weekly Banner-Leader is now getting out a daily as well as the weekly. Editor Sledge promises to give the citizens of Ballinger one of the best papers in West Texas, and those who know him have the greatest confidence in his ability to do just what he says he will. In his introductory editorial Editor Sledge says: The Daily Banner is an offspring of the Weekly Banner-Leader, and its policy, to some extent, at least, will be patterned after that of the parent paper. In the future, as in the past, we expect to stand out for those principles that we construe as right, just and to the best interests of the greatest number of people. Yet, we will not be on the extreme and use the columns of our paper to lambast those who do not see things as we do. Expressing our opinion, when the occasion demands it, on all questions of interest to our readers, and at the same time place conservatism ahead of personal ambition, will be the rule that will govern the editorial policy of this paper.

We realize that it is no easy task to put out a creditable daily paper in a town where there are days when there is a dearth of news and where we must depend on local news to make up the paper; yet we will employ the best labor and strive to meet the demand that we feel exists at the present time. As soon as arrangements can be perfected with the Western Union Telegraph company we will be able to give our readers a fairly good telegraph news service, giving the important happenings on the day they happen and the day before you get such news in the state papers. We have contracted for such service, but cannot get same at present, as will be seen and fully explained in another column of this paper.

To issue the paper it was necessary that we expend several thousand dollars in purchasing new machinery. This we have done, and now we have an office that we are proud of and that is a credit to Ballinger. The Banner will be for Ballinger first, last and all the time, and with your cooperation and support we intend to make the paper an important factor in the building of a greater Ballinger. Asking your forbearance for the mistakes we are bound to make, and soliciting your support, we promise to give you the best in stock.

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This coupon is good for a free 50c package (all charges prepaid) of Protone, the remarkable scientific discovery for building up thin people, together with our free book, telling why you are thin, if sent with 10 cents in silver or stamps to help cover postage and packing, and as an evidence of good faith, to The Protone Co., 1646 Protone Bldg., Detroit, Mich.

Street .....  
Name .....  
City ..... State .....

Notice.  
There will be a moonlight picnic and barbecue at Lake Concho, given by the Knights of Pythias tonight at 7 o'clock. Dancing, boat riding, etc. All Knights of Pythias are invited, whether in good standing or not.  
W. T. BARTHOLOMEW, C. C.

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Keep the body healthy at this season by using Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a necessary condition to successfully resist malarial germs. Central Drug Store, special agent.

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One Time ..... One Cent a Word  
Three Times ..... Two Cents a Word  
Seven Times ..... Four Cent a Word  
One-half cent a word each subsequent insertion.

**FOR SALE.**  
BIG AUCTION SALE--Trades Day, last Saturday in September, September 25, 1909. At the Doran & Van Court wagon yard. We will sell all classes of stock, containing Jersey cattle, jack colts, big jacks, broke horses, unbroke horses, unbroke cow ponies and shipping mares. See Dr. March for advice. Julius Thornton, Ira G. Yates. 26-1  
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## Weds] His Brother's Widow So She May Inherit His Estate

New York, Aug. 25.—News of the marriage in Bloomfield, N. J., July 25, last, of Capt. Nathan D. A. Sawyer of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mrs. Clara S. Sawyer of Belleville, N. J., widow of Capt. Sawyer's brother, Leverett Sawyer, became known when friends of Mrs. Sawyer learned for the first time that her brother-in-law had insisted on marrying her that she might inherit his property.

As soon as the marriage ceremony was performed by Recorder George W. Cadmus, Capt. Sawyer kissed his wife goodby and took the next train to his home in Jacksonville. He will continue to live there, the condition of his health making it inadvisable for him to continue to live in the north. His wife will continue to live in Belleville, her health rendering residence in the south unpleasant for her. She is 66 years old. Her husband is 68.

Captain Sawyer served through the civil war in a Massachusetts regiment. After the war he stayed in the south, entering the service of a railroad, for which he is still employed. He did not marry. Leverett married Miss Clara Ripley. He died thirty-three years ago. His widow and their daughter, Miss Bertha Sawyer, continued to live in Belleville and they corresponded regularly with Captain Sawyer.

months ago that he had made several profitable investments and that he was anxious that the widow of his brother succeed to his estate. He suggested that marriage would remove any possibility of doubt in this direction, and Mrs. Sawyer agreed with him. He came north and he and his sister-in-law were married. Miss Sawyer and the wife of Recorder Cadmus were the witnesses.

Friends of Mrs. Sawyer who met Capt. Sawyer in Belleville in July thought he was there simply on a visit. He and Mrs. Sawyer asked Recorder Cadmus to keep the news of the marriage a secret, and this he did until he had to comply with the law and make a return to the registrar of vital statistics in Bloomfield.

Captain Sawyer has never been able to stay long in the north, and Mrs. Sawyer's visits to the south have been brief. Even now that they are married they have made no plans. After the marriage Capt. Sawyer took the legal steps necessary to secure his wife possession of his estate at his death. Mrs. Sawyer's health is excellent so long as she remains in New Jersey, and Capt. Sawyer's health is good so long as he stays in Florida. Their friends think that each of them will live many years.

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## BATS A PLENTY IN AUSTIN CITY HALL

Thousands Have Taken up Their Abode There—Wholesale Killing by City Officials.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 25.—Setting the final seal of dilapidation on the \$75,000 city hall, thousands of bats have taken up their habitation in the roof of the building since the beginning of the week. Hundreds of the forerunners of ruin were slain in the office of the superintendent of streets yesterday afternoon, and one of the survivors of the slaughter flitted in mournful circles in the office of the mayor for several hours in the afternoon.

The grass on the west side of the city hall was covered with the bodies of slain bats this morning and several of the bats were removed from city offices. The number of bats in the roof is said to be beyond estimation. Sir Arthur Y. Uncless, F. R. G. S., in his dissertations on the bat, says: "One of the favorite habitations of this peculiar rodent is a dilapidated or abandoned building. The bat haunts ruins, and has been the cause of more than one story of spectre-haunted castles."

Hanging from the window ledges on the second and third floors of the city hall, the bats presented a weird spectacle. Hundreds of the winged rodents flitted around the building, giving it the air of a mysterious castle, wherein heads had fallen in reality as well as officially.

**The Mayor and the Bat.**  
A lone bat shared the mayor's office with Col. Woodriddle for several hours this afternoon. The bat soared over the head of the city executive, striking the walls in its blindness, but apparently unhurt, while the mayor busied himself with routine work. The mayor refused to allow the bat killed and efforts to show it the window proved unavailing, and the winged visitor was allowed the freedom of the office.

"His Master's Voice."  
"His Master's Voice."  
Mrs. Sam Price and daughter Lucile returned Tuesday from Rogers, where they have been visiting Mrs. Price's sisters, Mrs. Zacharias and Miss Balfanz.

"His Master's Voice."  
"His Master's Voice."

## HANDSHAKE STRONGLY MARKS CHARACTER SAYS DETECTIVE

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 25.—That a person's character can be told by his handshake may seem incredible to the layman, but such is the assertion of Louis A. Houllion, a Cincinnati detective, who is now in this city.

Men trained in running down criminals usually adopt some individual method by which they can size up those with whom they come in contact.

Some look for the criminal marks in the shapes and sizes of heads, others scrutinize the ears and many carefully weigh the tones and accents of the voice. But it is doubtful if anyone has developed handshaking into the art as has Houllion.

"I don't know much about metacarpals, phalanges, distals and thenar and hypotheran digits," said Houllion. "We'll leave it to the doctors to see poor circulation in mottled palms and blue finger nails and to pick out consumptives by club fingers. But I do know something about the way a man shakes hands."

"It's hard to tell anyone just how to pick a man's character from the way he grasps your hand. But it's something anyone can learn to do by close observation and experience."

"When you shake hands with your friends, that is with fellows you are sure are true blue, just remember how they do it. They'll grasp your hand something like the fellow who appears

to be very friendly but is all the time trying to do you up. But just note the difference.

"The second class will overdo it. They are so anxious to make a good impression with you that they give themselves dead away. If they are not very careful they will make your arm bob up and down like a pump handle. That's called the come-on shake."

"Watch out for the man who gives you the cold, snaky shake. He's lacking some place. He may run along all right for a while, but expect him to go off on a tangent at any time."

"The man who's bluffing nearly always gives himself away through his hand. His face may be as immovable as stone and he may never blink an eye, but he can not exert such perfect control over his hand. A first offender will show weakness in his hand before he will any place else. He will usually exert every effort to keep his voice cool and unstrained, but at the same time his hand will be as nervous as that of a schoolboy who is speaking his first piece."

"Of course, in applying these tests to a man his physical make-up and the general condition of his health must be taken into consideration. But anyone who makes a study of handshaking will find there is a great deal of character expression in it."

## GOLD STOLEN FROM A MINT

Los Angeles, Aug. 25.—Charged with one of the rarest offenses committed against the government—that of abstracting gold from the coin factory—Charles W. Dakin, a trust employee of the mint at Denver, was arrested by Secret Service Agent Hazen. He was committed to the county jail until arrangements are made for his extradition.

Dakin was overcome with remorse when apprehended and is reported to have said:

"I don't know why I took that gold. I did not need the money and I have always had a good reputation. This will almost kill my wife."

The prisoner was passing his furlough in this vicinity for a week or more had been rooming on South Olive street. He is said to have sold several hundred dollars' worth of gold to local dealers, disposing of it in small lots.

**Once a Fireman.**  
Dakin had been in the employ of the government at Denver for about four years. He had previously been a member of the Denver fire department. In order to secure a position in a government a man must possess a character that will pass muster with the officials of the treasury department. Every employee is a picked man. His past is carefully looked up and he must have every qualification as to honesty, sobriety and integrity.

Stealing from the mint is almost unheard of. With his experience of years as one of the leading secret service operators in the west, Hazen remembers but one other case in which he was called upon to ferret out the

offender. Some years ago he apprehended an employe of the mint at San Francisco and succeeded in securing a conviction.

**Constantly Watched.**  
When a man obtains a position in a mint he must submit to a constant watch by his superior officers. The opportunity for abstracting even the smallest particles of gold is reduced to a minimum. Though the workmen are surrounded by tons of bullion, there is seldom a chance to get any of it, even if an employe determines to become a criminal.

The exact manner in which Dakin secured hundreds of dollars' worth of gold will not be known until he is given his trial—if then. The government jealously guards the secrets of the massive stone buildings within which tons of precious metal are transformed into coins.

It may be presumed that Dakin devised a way in which to secure little particles of gold, and that bit by bit he accumulated his store of "spatter" gold. At first he was employed in the rougher work, but later was in the refining department.

In some way he managed to get his hoarded store in safety to his home, or some convenient cache. When he asked leave of absence for the purpose of spending his vacation in Southern California, it is supposed that no suspicion rested upon him.

But it was soon discovered that someone had made way with some of the jealously guarded gold and word was sent to all the secret service agents in the west.

**Strenuous Hunt.**  
In some way the head of the service in this district got a clue and went on the trail of Dakin, working without cessation for two weeks. His efforts were rewarded by his sensational capture. The officer had been without food or sleep for nearly two days and was almost exhausted when he finally landed his prisoner in the county jail. He refused to discuss the case, but admitted he had made an important

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Walter Murphy, second regiment of infantry, was on the way to the home front for the front with the era when he was arrested on drawing of Gustave Klingner, a decade ago at 710 Lexington avenue. "At the tin soldier," Murphy's barber called out as he was prices of the shop.

"His Master's Voice."

**FATE PLAYS A WINNING HAND AGAINST DEATH**

Los Angeles, Aug. 25.—Fate played a winning hand with death for the lives of the seamen on the little gasoline schooner Charles Hansen, when her cargo of dynamite exploded and blew the vessel out of the water. It sent an illness to the skipper's wife, who usually accompanied him on his voyages and forced him to stay at home. Her absence left him free to fight the storm and fire that beset his little ship, and so win out in the long bitter game, the stake of which was life.

Capt. Charles Burke, who recently returned from the voyage which ended so suddenly off Cleopatra island, north of Manzanillo, declared yesterday that had his wife and child been with him when the schooner's cargo of dynamite and blasting powder blew up in a storm on June 25, all hands would have gone to the bottom.

For the first time since the news of the destruction of the Charles Hansen reached this city, the full story of the events which preceded the wreck were given out last night by the vessel's skipper. Burke declared that many misrepresentations had been circulated regarding the manner in which he lost his ship, that he desired the public to know that his crew had behaved heroically in the face of an almost certain and most horrible death.

In his own words the story of the captain follows:

"We left San Pedro June 16, and under sail, for there was a favorable wind blowing; went south until we reached a point nearly twenty-five miles from Cleopatra island, 140 miles north of Manzanillo.

**Tons of Dynamite.**  
"We were carrying 6000 gallons of gasoline, thirty-five tons of dynamite, twenty-five tons of blasting powder, twelve cases of dynamite caps and six cases of fuses, as well as a quantity of general merchandise for the ship's owners, the Pacific Timber company of Philadelphia, which has large hardwood claims in Mexico.

"We had fair weather and winds until the morning of the 24th of June. Then it came on to blow. We started the engine, and as the wind increased and hauled to the southwest began to get into the canvas. Before we could do this, however, the gale carried the flying jib away, and that was soon followed by the jib, the staysail and the mainsail. For a time the rigging of the mainsail dragged in the water despite our effort to get it aboard. Then, in the afternoon, the head of the mainmast went over the side, soon to be followed by the entire stick, which broke off short at the deck.

"By this time it was impossible to stand on the deck without holding on, and the heavy spar alongside kept pounding at the planking, till I

thought it would drive a hole through us. After several hours of effort we managed to clear away the ruffe, and the ship rode easier.

**Trouble in Engine Room.**  
"About this time the engine began to give us serious trouble. Ever since we had started in the morning it had been back firing and missing, and toward evening it bucked as though the feed pipe had clogged. We were unable to get even steerage-way out of it, and the schooner drifted rapidly away from the island, until we were approximately fifty miles off shore.

"It was growing dark when I saw a flare of light in the engine room. We had been forced to keep the door closed, as the waves were constantly breaking over the decks, and we feared that they would flood out the engines. I suppose that gas formed in the closed space and a spark from the back fire set this on fire. At any rate, in less than no time the whole of the engine room was ablaze.

"The men behaved well and I at once started to get the cover off the after hatch, under which the dynamite was stowed, so as to flood it and drown out any fire there. As we raised the tarpaulin over the combing we saw smoke oozing out, and when the cover was off we found that the hold, containing the cases of dynamite, was on fire at one end.

**Boat Is Wrecked.**  
"I gave orders to get the life boat over the side and ordered three men to go into it, while the others lowered it away. Murillo, one of the forward seamen, let the tackle go with a run and dumped the boat into the water end up. I jumped to the other tackle and lowered away on it, as I had to get the boat on an even keel. I managed that, but hardly had she floated when a sea caught her and dashed her against the rudder of the schooner, smashing in her planks.

"The men in her were thrown into the sea, which every second threatened to sweep over the schooner. Fortunately, the seas washed them back into the boat, and we hauled them on board the schooner, badly bruised and breathless, but unhurt.

Leaving the injured lifeboat still hanging in the falls, I ran forward with the remainder of the crew to get the big work boat I had on deck. It was at this moment that the only trouble with the crew took place.

**Adrift in the Storm.**  
"Three men, Murillo, Rito Charvez and Harry Nordeck, the ship's cook, deserted us. They jumped into the damaged lifeboat and shoved off, preferring to trust their wits to the sea rather than face the certainly coming explosion.

"We soon followed them in the work boat. We were forced to leave the ship without oars, compass, food or water, and pushed off from her side with poles. We were not more than 300 feet from her when I saw a long vivid flash shoot upward and then she opened outward like a box of baby blocks, with the flames shooting from every bit of the wreckage.

The shipwrecked sailors landed on Cleopatra island, where they hoped to find a settlement, and tramped, barefooted, through the thorn-filled sand of the island, only to find it deserted. They lived for several days on mussels picked from the rocks on the

beach and water they found in a spring.

On the third day after their landing they ran across two of the three men who had deserted the ship. Nordeck, they learned, was dying of thirst and exposure ten miles away. They found his body later. After several attempts a number of them, under the charge of Chief Engineer Stitzer, managed to reach Magdalena island. There they communicated with the coast by signal fires and summoned aid.

**HEIRS PAY STATE NICE ROUND SUM**

**Inheritance Tax Law Brings in \$3000 Out of Estate of Edgar Wilbohn, Capitalist.**

Austin, Aug. 25.—Nearly \$3000 of the estate of Edgar Wilbohn, a capitalist of Austin and Manor who recently died will be turned into the state treasury under the inheritance tax law passed by the Thirty-first legislature. Wilbohn left all his property to two sisters, Mrs. J. E. Townes, wife of the head of the law department of the university, and Mrs. Martin of San Saba.

This is one of the first estates in Texas to be affected by the inheritance tax, the first having been filed in Dallas a few days ago.

Under the new law when property is left to a sister or brother the tax is graduated from 2 to 5 per cent, according to the amount of the estate. The Wilbohn estate amounted to about \$65,000 and is subject to a tax of 3 1/2 per cent. The will has been filed for probate with County Judge White. A schedule will be made and turned over to the county tax collector of Travis county, who will collect the amount of \$2983 from this estate and turn it over to the state. The collector receives a fee for collecting the inheritance tax, but the whole amount of the tax goes to the state, the county or city receiving no part of it.

The inheritance tax law was one of the laws proposed by Gov. Campbell for the purpose of raising state revenue during the Thirtieth legislature. It provided for an inheritance tax against estates of from 2 to 12 per cent, according to the nearness of a relative. Only direct lineal descendants are not taxed. The tax is subject to all estates outside of lineal descendants, where the amount is over \$2000.

Another estate filed for probate here will be subject to the inheritance tax when the will is probated. This is the estate of Elizabeth Faulkner, who died about six months ago, and the whole estate will be subject to the inheritance tax. There are about twenty heirs and for many of them the rate will be different.

Mrs. Frank Rosenthal left Tuesday for her home in Beaumont. She had been here at the bedside of her sick brother, C. B. Rives, who died Sunday night.

**FAMILY LOST ON DESERT**

**Were Rescued After Two Days Without Food or Water—Daughter Was Delirious.**

Spokane, Aug. 25.—Lost on the desert near Plush, Ore., without food or water for two days, and rescued just in time, is the story of hardship endured by J. H. Glasby, his wife and his daughter Nina, that reached Mrs. Glasby's brother here.

Glasby, with his wife and child, started in a wagon on a trip of thirty-five miles. They became lost and their provisions gave out. Glasby decided to abandon their wagon. He tied his daughter, who is thirteen years old, on one of their horses, while he and his wife alternately rode the other.

Finally, when Mrs. Glasby fell from her horse and the little girl became delirious, Glasby decided to seek help. He started off desperately and by a chance came upon the X. L. ranch. Here a rescue party was quickly organized and after several hours the unconscious woman and child were found. Both will recover.

**THIRD LARGEST TELESCOPE IN UNITED STATES**

Boston, Aug. 25.—The third largest reflecting telescope in the United States is on its way from Cambridge to Flagstaff, Ariz. The telescope was made at Cambridge for Prof. Percival Lowell. It is designed especially for planetary photography and will first be used in photographing Mars when the planet is nearest the earth next month.

The mirror is forty inches clear aperture, seven inches thick, and weighs 907 pounds. It was made from one piece of glass and has a focal length of eighty-one feet four inches. By means of the convex lens an equivalent focus of 1650 feet may be secured. The mirror is mounted on a cell of unique design, constructed of zinc and iron in such a way that it maintains a uniform diameter at all temperatures.

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# The Man From Brodney's

By **GEORGE BARR  
M'GUTCHEON**

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"I say, Geneva," he said, looking straight into her rebellious eyes, "you're in love with Chase. Why don't you marry him?"  
"You—you are really delirious, Deppy," she cried. "The fever has"—  
"He's good enough for any one—even you," went on his lordship coolly.  
"He may have a wife," said she, collecting her wits with rare swiftness. "Who knows? Don't be silly, Deppy."  
"Rubbish! Haven't you stuffed Aggy and me full of the things you found out concerning him before he left Thorberg, and afterward—the letters from the ambassador's wife and the glowing things your St. Petersburg friends have to say of him, eh? Besides, he'd give his head to marry you—having already lost it."  
"You are very amusing, Deppy, when you try to be clever. Is there a clause in that silly old will compelling me to marry any one?"  
"Of course not, my dear princess, but I fancy you've got a will of your own. Where there's a will there's a way. You'd marry him tomorrow if—"  
"If I were not simply prepared to contest my own will?" she supplied airily.  
"No; if your will was not wrapped in convention three centuries old. You won't marry Chase because you are a princess. I'm awfully sorry for you, Geneva."  
"Sorry for me? Dear me!"  
"You're tremendously gone on him."  
"Nonsense! Why, I couldn't marry Mr. Chase," she exclaimed, irritable at last. "Don't put such things into my head—I mean don't get such things into that ridiculous old head of yours. Are you forgetting that I am to become Karl's wife in June? You are babbling, Deppy."  
"Well, let's say no more about it," he said, lying back resignedly. "It's too bad, that's all. Chase is a man. Karl isn't. You loathe him. I don't wonder that you turn pale and look frightened. Take my advice—take Chase."

"Don't!" she cried, a break in her voice. She arose and went swiftly toward the window. Then she stopped and turned upon him, her lips parted as if to give utterance to the thing that was stirring her heart so violently. The words would not come. She smiled plaintively and said instead: "Good night! Get a good sleep."  
"The same to you," he called feverishly.  
"Deppy," she said firmly, a red spot in each cheek, her voice tense and strained to a high pitch of suppressed decision, "I shall marry Karl Brabetz. That will be the end of your Mr. Chase."  
"I hope so," he said. "But I'm not so sure of it if you continue to love him as you do now."  
She went out with her cheeks burning and a frightened stir in her heart. Her thoughts raced back to Neenah's airy prophecy.  
How could she face the charge, "I'm not so sure of it," unless she killed the indictment, "if you love him as you do now."  
Lady Agnes and Browne passed by without seeing her and entered the window. She heard him say something to his companion, softly, tenderly—she knew not what it was. And Lady Agnes laughed—yes, nervously. Ah, but Agnes was playing! She was not in love with this man. It was different. It was not what Neenah meant—nor Deppingham, honest friend that he was.

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## COLLEGE GIRLS COPY COLLEGE MEN SAYS DEAN

Boston, Aug. 25.—Le Baron Russell Briggs, dean of Harvard college and president of Radcliffe college thinks the college girls copy the college men too much. He also thinks that the college girl shows, frat and clubs are too often an imitation of those of the college men. In his annual report he warns girls against copying their male co-eds, and condemns various instances of imitation. Dean Briggs deplores the frequent attempts at female musical comedy, remarking that he thinks it time and money wasted. In athletics, he says, they too often affect boyish ways in a spirit of imitation that is undesirable. He says he hopes the girls will use better judgment than the poorer judgment of the boys.  
"I love to see girls take to dramatics. I think there are few more enjoyable spectacles than seeing our girls do 'Much Ado' or 'As You Like It' in Shakespearean style, al fresco or otherwise," says Dean Briggs. "I think that girls, however, should abstain as much as possible from copying the boys in their so-called musical comedies, which are so much in vogue."  
"I think girls should try to imitate the men—if they must imitate them—in their better moments. Let them give plays like the old English classics or the old mysteries. They are worth more as literature and as drama."  
"The musical comedy of the modern stage is, even in the opinion of many who frequent it, often dull and nearly always vulgar. The fact that it serves as a model for the theatricals of boys' social clubs should be to girls a cause of regret, not a stimulus to imitation."  
"I would not for a moment liken any dramatic work of college girls to such shows as many of the musical comedies are said to be. I mean merely that directly or indirectly these comedies affect for the worse some of the musical and theatrical performances of the girl students, from whom one has a right to expect not merely the unobjectionable, but the refined and charming."

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### War Against College Fraternities.

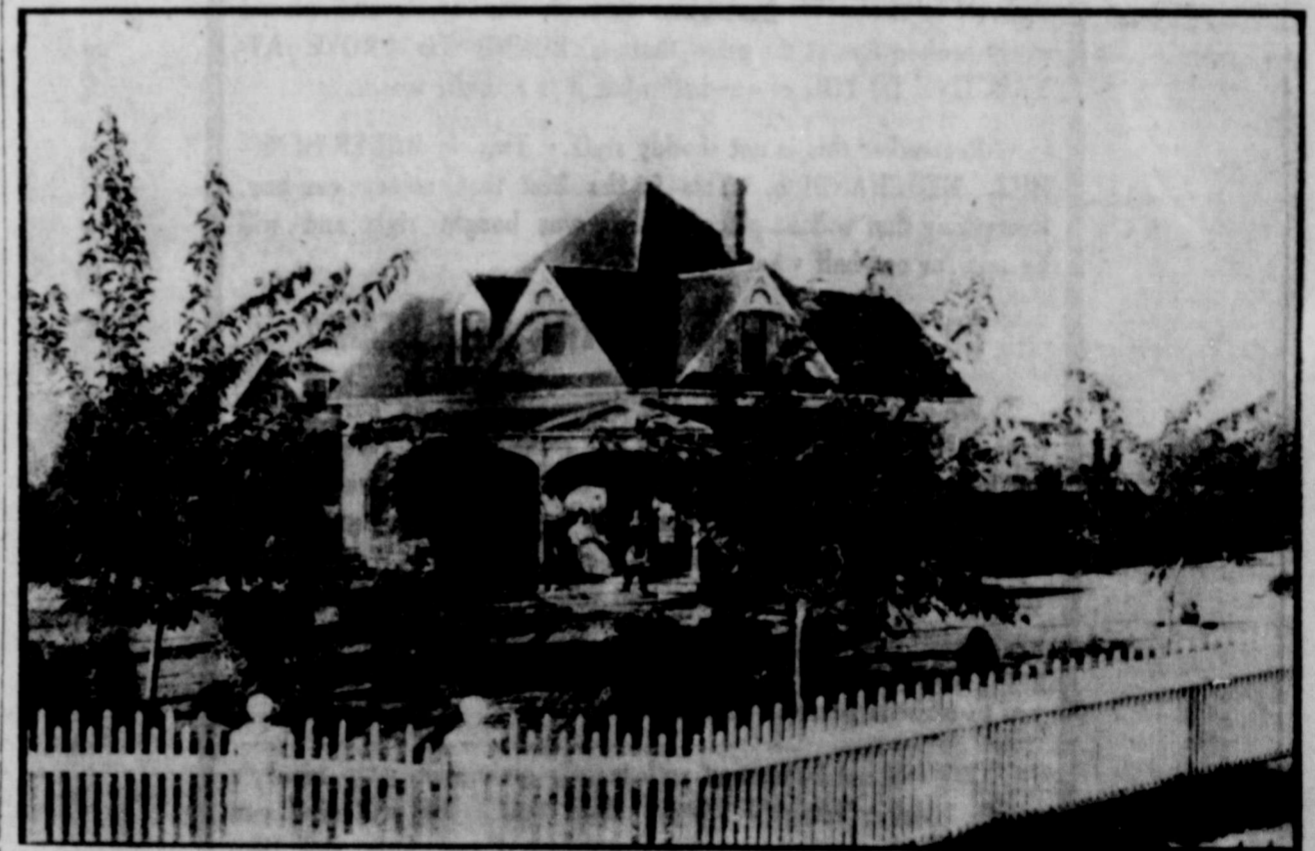
Chicago, Aug. 25.—War of extermination against fraternities and sororities in the public schools of Chicago has been declared by Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, the new superintendent. These secret societies, which, Mrs. Young says, create bitter class hatred in the schools, which maintain club houses where wild orgies prevail, and which tend in every particular to detract from the regular school work and harmony in the schools, are in for a fight to the end when the schools open in September.

Alfred R. Urion, president of the board of education, made this perfectly clear in an announcement which followed closely after an interview with Superintendent Young.

"An aggressive campaign of extermination," says President Urion, "is to be one of the first activities of the fall session, so far as the secret societies are concerned, and the young men and women of the tabooed organizations may as well make up their minds to

"The authorities are fully aware," he added, "that many of the societies have been meeting and conducting initiations at the homes of the members, relying on the fact that the school principles have been too busy to watch them closely. In view of this a definite method of detecting violations of the rule and punishing the violators has been decided on, the new plan to go into effect at the beginning of the fall term."  
"I am not ready to announce just what this plan is," said Mr. Urion. "It is enough to say now that the fraternities will receive no quarter, whether they hold their meetings secretly or openly. We are determined that the organizations shall not exist in the Chicago schools. The fight on the high school fraternities has reached a sort of crisis in the Chicago situation and it is up to us to do something vigorous. That we intend to do."

"His Master's Voice."



Home of Sam Crowther, A Home Worth While.

This is a picture of the home of Sam Crowther, in East San Angelo. The Press-News is publishing this picture because Mr. Crowther has demonstrated that homes in San Angelo can be made as attractive as homes anywhere else in this country. A wilderness of thriving young trees abounds in his yard. Gardens of sweet-scented flowers gladden the eye at every turn. One can not pass by the Crowther home without being attracted and impressed by the fact that the place is occupied by one who takes pride in his home and who has a will to please the eye for the beautiful.  
In the first place, Mr. Crowther has so many trees growing on his place that it takes a professional flora expert to keep tab on them. The weeping willows are easily recognized, but a lot of the other trees are not so quickly named. His fig trees, however, are fine specimens. He says that after the first two years figs do nicely in this country and need no protection. Lombard poplars grow well. Over 100 kinds of roses make a wealth of fine flowers. Fruitless mulberries give promise of fine shape. Here you can find in the yard a silver leaf poplar; there you will notice an umbrella

china, and over yonder you will see an althea. The privet hedge is an old friend and the catalpa is easy to ascertain. That pear tree you see is thriving splendidly, and the plum bears luscious fruit. And then Mr. Crowther will point out to you his pecan trees, growing into stout forest forming groves, and his peaches will come in for a fair share of praise. And then you will not see less than 250 varieties of chrysanthemums, and a single cotton plant in the yard is head high.

To classify all the trees, the flowers and the plants in Mr. Crowther's home yard is but to publish a rather bulky catalogue of plants and trees. Mr. Crowther has conducted many experiments. He has ascertained that dozens upon dozens of different kinds of trees grow here and thrive mightily. He has set the pace that others can follow with great pleasure to themselves and profit to the city.

The Press-News is publishing this picture for the reason that it ought to inspire the lovers of the beautiful who own homes here to give a little thought toward making their homes more home like still. We would remind the people that it takes but money, the crassest thing in the world, to build a fine

house. But the most costly mansion can be erected in a single season or so. It takes years of patient waiting to secure trees to give shade and to lend enchantment. The most humble is on the same plane with the most fortunate in the matter of home-making. The same earth that is to be found in the rich man's yard is to be found in the yard of those of lesser financial station.

Mr. Crowther has demonstrated that it is but a matter of patience and effort to have a home worth while. A drive by his place any time is enough to inspire others to follow his example. To those who say that the matter of shade trees is a matter of years, let the suggestion be whispered that no man waits so long for shade as the man who never plants trees. What Mr. Crowther and his good wife have done, you can do. But you can not do it in a week or a day or a year. It takes time. And while the work is progressing the joys of work become more intensified. In the end, when you find your labors are crowned with success there comes over you, with all the gentleness of a benediction, a feeling of delight and keen satisfaction that tells you you have not labored in vain.

# Great Last Days' Sale



THE last days of summer will witness a hotter movement than was witnessed during the last days of Pompeii. We have made arrangements to start a **GREAT HALF-PRICE LAST DAYS' SALE**, beginning Friday. We have about \$4000 worth of Spring and Summer merchandise on hand. We have got to move it. We need the room. We have marked everything in a summer-way at prices that will make it worth your while to think twice before deciding not to buy. We have fall and winter goods coming in **CAR LOAD LOTS**. Do you know what this means? It means that we have got to have all the room we can get. We could use 25,000 more square feet floor space than we now have and then not be able to display the many lines of fall and winter goods we are now receiving, and this, too, notwithstanding, we have the biggest Department Store in the West.

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We will not be content with merely giving you your money's worth. Baker-Hemphill always does that. We will give you your money's worth during this Great Last Days' Sale and then throw in just as much again for good measure.

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Imported Sirop de Vinaigre.  
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Royal Liquid Coffee.  
Maraschino Cherries and Pineapple.



## THIS TOWN HAD TO BORROW CORPSE

Had None for Cemetery and No Orphans for Asylum, So It Lured One Orphan With Prize.

Schafer, N. D. Aug. 25.—"They do funny things out west," said a man had just returned from registering for the land drawing at Cour d'Alene. "While I was traveling about Idaho getting impressions of the country a man down in Idaho Falls said to me one day: 'I reckon you have always supposed there were enough orphans everywhere to supply the demand, haven't you?'"

"I answered that I had not ever thought much about the matter, but I guessed that was about my impression."

"Well, then," says he, 'you drive out of town here a mile with me, and I'll show you, that although Idaho may have all the Mormons and coyotes she wants, she aint got a small fraction of as many orphans as she'd like to have.'"

"I was kind of mystified by his remarks, but being as I was out to see what I could see and had plenty of time. I went along. As we hit the pike my friend went on: 'You see, Idaho Falls was the place that was known as Eagle Rock until a bushy Mormon rose in meeting one day, and shaking the alfalfa out of his whiskers, said: "The man that asked the question, "What's in a name?" was not in Idaho at the time trying to get the moneyed classes to come out from the east and plant sugar beets. The town will die before it's born with such a name as Eagle Rock. I move that we change the name of this metropolis to Idaho Falls—long may he wave—that'll fetch the eastern capitalist. What do we care if after he gets out here he says, "Where's the falls?" We've got him. That's the important matter.'"

**Borrow Cadaver from Cemetery.**

"So you see, the name was changed and capital came raging out at such a pace that the citizens couldn't find enough ways to spend it. They made a cemetery, and then they had to borrow a defunct gentile from Wyoming to put in it, so it would be a truly burying ground. After they got the cemetery started that way, they decided to use the remainder of the surplus to build an orphan asylum. That was in 1904. They bought forty acres of land covered with a luxuriant growth of cactus, and they erected on it a three-story brick building that would accommodate 150 orphans. Then they sent back to North Dakota or some other woody spot and got trees and set them out in a grove for the orphans to play in."

"When it was all completed the contractors said, "Tis done. Bring on the orphans." Then it was that the citizens really began to consider the orphan question. They looked around the town and the neighboring sage brush for orphans. What was their surprise to find that there was no orphan in sight? You see, they hadn't thought about the orphan part of the enterprise before that. Out here in the great west everybody is so preoccupied in dodging opportunities that they

can't always take time for forethought. But I tell you, those asylum promoters were game. They sent out advertisements all over the state, saying: "Orphans wanted." They thought surely that way they'd get more than they wanted, and they got ready to receive them. Had a committee down to meet the trains, but if you'd believe it, nary an orphan came.

**Prize Offer Brings Orphan.**

"Then, realizing they were up against it, they printed another big lettered want ad, saying, "Idaho Falls must have orphans. A prize given the first orphan to arrive." Finally an orphan did come from up on the northern border. There was nothing in writing to prove his title to orphan-ship, but she said he knew he was an orphan, so they gave him the prize and took him out and put him in the orphan asylum. But to be an only orphan in a big brick building meant to accommodate 150 orphans was pretty lonesome, I guess, for they said he cried quite a little, and finally one day he said he was tired of being the whole thing in an orphan asylum, and so he went away up in the foothills and picked wool off of the sage brush for his living, and liked it much better than being an orphan. After he left the committee was so discouraged that it decided to close up the building and wait a few years until some orphans were born."

"There's the building now," he interrupted, as a brick edifice with its windows all boarded up hove in sight.

"You see, it's still empty. The grove spindles high in the air, if you will notice, with no voices of happy-hearted orphans to disturb its shade, and spiders are weaving webs, they tell me, over the little beds where the yellow curls of orphans should scatter in profusion. There's the gate over there. If you want to get out and look you'll find "Orphans Wanted" printed on it. They put up that sign when they closed things up, thinking some-

one might come along and see it. But none ever has. The committee is going to wait a little longer, and then, if no orphans pass beneath its portals, they are going to try to sell it to Mr. Carnele and get a library instead."

**Notice.**

There will be a moonlight picnic and barbecue at Lake Concho, given by the Knights of Pythias tonight at 7 o'clock. Dancing, boat riding, etc. All Knights of Pythias are invited, whether in good standing or not.

W. T. BARTHOLOMEW, C. C.

Mrs. B. F. Shaw, sister of Mrs. J. S. Potter, returned to her home in West Wednesday.

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## NORMAL LOCATING BOARD HERE TODAY

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VISITORS WILL HAVE TIME TO REST AND STILL A LOT OF PLEASURE IS IN SIGHT.

### BARBECUE BANQUET AT DOOR KEY RANCH

Drive Is to Be Made Over City and to the Head of the South Concho River—The Delegation Leaves San Angelo Friday.

- PROGRAM.**
- Arrive 9 a. m. in automobiles from Ballinger.
  - Half hour's rest at Landon hotel.
  - Ride in automobiles over the city.
  - Boating on Lake Concho.
  - Visit to normal site.
  - Lunch at Landon at 1 o'clock.
  - Leave in four autos at 2 o'clock for trip to head of South Concho and inspection of the springs.
  - All aboard for Door Key ranch at head of Pecan creek.
  - Barbecue during evening on the ranch.
  - Return to San Angelo Friday morning at 9 o'clock.
  - Joint meeting normal board and citizens' committee.
  - Lunch at Long's cafe at 12:30 o'clock.
  - Leave San Angelo Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

**Arrival.**  
Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, according to schedule, the state normal committee, composed of A. B. Davidson, R. B. Cousins and John Marshall, will arrive in San Angelo in automobiles, and from that time until the train blows its whistle Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, these distinguished visitors will be enjoying the hospitality of the citizens of San Angelo. In preparing a program it has been the intention of the local arrangement committee to avoid all frills, and to cram all pleasure possible into the few hours the visitors will be here without overdoing things. In other words, the members of the board will be given an opportunity to see all of the city and a good portion of the surrounding territory, enjoy themselves, and at the same time take a much needed rest. For it is known to be a fact that they have been on the road a long time and have had a strenuous time—riding around most of the time in the day, and sitting up at banquet tables in hot hotels at night. It was with some disappointment that the local committee learned that it would be impossible for the board to remain in San Angelo longer than Friday. An invitation was extended to remain over Sunday, but the committee feels as if it must hurry back to

Austin and formulate its report.  
**Forenoon Entertainment.**  
As soon as the visitors reach the city they will be escorted to the Landon hotel, where they will shake the Ballinger dust from their clothing and catch the San Angelo spirit. After mingling in the lobby for a half hour or more, or until such a time as they feel ready to leave, they will be seated in automobiles and taken for a figure eight drive over the city. At Lake Concho a boat ride will be a special feature. Following this the Civic League park, which has been offered as the site for the normal, will be visited. Returning to the business section of the city at 12 o'clock, the visitors will be given a rest. Lunch will be served at the Landon at 1 o'clock. Promptly at 2 o'clock four automobiles will drive up in front of the Landon and the start will be made for the head of the South Concho, the visitors being given an opportunity to see some of the country, and to make a personal inspection of the springs, from which San Angelo receives its splendid water supply. An hour will be spent at the springs, after which the autos will head for the famous Door Key ranch, on Pecan creek.

**On the Ranch.**  
At the Door Key ranch the visitors will be welcomed by Willis Johnson, the owner, and a large delegation of San Angeloites, who will leave here about 3 o'clock. Among those present will be the following:  
C. B. Hudspeth, T. C. Wynn, L. L. Farr, W. T. Bartholomew, W. A. Guthrie, Joseph Spence, Jr., J. G. Murphy, J. P. Andersen, C. T. Paul, Jesse P. Sewell, Dr. Cooper, C. C. Walsh, Dr. DeLong, Dr. Bascom Lynn, J. W. Johnson, John Abe March, J. W. Timmins, George Hagelstein, G. W. Hay, R. Shield, Edgar Hamilton, J. S. McConnell, D. C. McCaleb, M. B. Pulliam, J. Y. Rust, J. D. O'Daniel, Dr. J. H. Brindley of San Antonio, C. B. Metcalfe, A. R. Burgess, J. W. Hill, Brown F. Lee, W. M. Crutchfield, C. A. Broome. Mr. Johnson will entertain in his own way, and it is predicted that there will not be a dull moment from the time the crowd gathers until the gong is sounded for the crowd to retire. One of the events scheduled is a barbecue banquet, and it won't be beef barbecue, either.

**Joint Meeting.**  
After spending the night at the ranch the entire party will leave early Friday morning for San Angelo, and should arrive here about 9 o'clock. During the forenoon a meeting of the board and a committee of citizens will be held. The speakers will be as follows:  
"The general Health of This Section," Dr. Boyd Cornick.  
"Boarding Facilities Here, the Health of the Students and the Moral Standing," Dr. Crutchfield, president of San Angelo Collegiate Institute.  
"Fuel and Transportation," W. A. Guthrie.  
"Water Supply," T. C. Wynn.  
"Geographical Location," L. L. Farr.  
"General Summary," C. B. Metcalfe. Lunch will be had at Long's cafe and at 2 o'clock the visitors will tell San Angelo goodbye.  
R. J. Waldeck, private secretary to Mr. Davidson, will accompany the board. Mr. Waldeck is known all over the state as Dick. He is a jolly good fellow and a man of ability. He was only recently admitted to the bar, but to hear him talk law you would think him an old-timer.

Mrs. A. J. Tippitt and children left Wednesday for their home in Bay City, after a two weeks' visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Abe Mayer.

### STOCK COMPANY FOR THIS WINTER

Report Has It That Yale Theater Is Figuring on Furnishing Entertainment for Cold Weather.

And the report is out to the effect that there are chances a stock company will hold forth at the Yale theater when the weather gets cold. If the deal for such a finale is on the fact is being reasonably well guarded. The fact, however, that a stock company is being considered ought to be an incentive to those having the real opera house in charge to get up and do some real hustling. San Angelo is filling out big enough to have plumb city clothes in every way from sporty socks to asbestos curtain opera houses. But back to the stock company proposition. A good stock company is a fine thing. If a capable company condenses its wrestling to plays loaded with human interest, just enough horse to make good zeal, and plenty of action, a positive excuse for the prevalence of such companies can be found. Stock companies, however, are under the new copyright law that carries a jail sentence for pirating plays, which takes a great deal of inventiveness from that branch of the amusing business.

### HAMBRICK ARRESTED.

Wanted on a Misdemeanor Charge in Fort Worth.  
Clay Hambrick, wanted on a misdemeanor charge in Fort Worth, was caught Wednesday morning at Seven Mile crossing by City Marshal Carroll Bates. The evader thought himself secreted from the officers, being allied with a woman who was carrying him food. But the keen eye of Mr. Bates soon detected something strange in her actions. On following her Wednesday morning to the prisoner's place of refuge, he captured him and placed him in the county jail, awaiting further orders relative to his transfer.

### Pensions.

The following letter, which is self-explanatory, has been mailed from the office of the commissioner of pensions:  
Austin, Aug. 25, 1909.—To County Judges: Under the act approved March 26, 1909, I have received since June 12 last several thousand applications for pensions. For want of assistance I shall not be able to mail out notices of approval or disapproval until during the months of September and October. The first quarterly payment under the new law is not due until December 1 next, which gives me ample time to provide every new pensioner with identification affidavits prior to that date. In order therefore, to prevent unnecessary urgency letters, I shall thank you to furnish a copy of this letter for the information of applicants for pensions to the local press of your county. Very respectfully,  
E. A. BOLMES,  
Commissioner of Pensions.

### Henderson Returns.

C. B. Henderson, the dry goods man, is back from a trip to New York, where he went on business. "Just say I have returned and that I am glad to get back," said Mr. Henderson to a Press-News man on Wednesday.

### Breaks Bone.

Will Prather, horse shoer for McGregor, had a very painful accident Tuesday morning while shoeing a horse. Another horse ran against the one Mr. Prather was shoeing, causing it to step on Mr. Prather's instep, breaking the bone. He will likely be laid up for thirty days.

### MAKES LONG TRIP IN HIS MERRY AUTO

E. E. Bailey Returns from Old Home in Lamar County, Better Impressed Than Ever With San Angelo.

"I went for two whole days and never saw a single bandit, a hold-up nor a man with big guns on." is the way Jesse E. Bailey, who chauffeurs his own benzine car, speaks of a great trip he made from San Angelo to Sonora and Ozona this week. It may be stated that Mr. Bailey belongs to Lamar county, where the people are somewhat effete and where the bottom lands raise chills and cotton to beat the band. "This is a great country out this way," continued Mr. Bailey. "It is the coming garden spot of the state. I have come all the way from Paris in my little honk-honk, and the best section that I have thrown my lamps on is the section around San Angelo.

"While I didn't see as many houses as I would have seen had I covered the same distance in my section of the state, the houses I saw are better built houses, striking a better general average than the East Texas houses. And hark to this, please: I never saw a single nigger cabin. The very ideal! As I would glide and glide along over the dirt roads the thought would constantly come to me that some day all the country would be thickly settled. The crowded folk of the black waxey land will in time surely move to this section. I won't be so rash as to say this land out here is anywhere near as good as old Lamar county land, but I will say it can be bought a sight cheaper than land in old Lamar, and that is the thing that will induce immigration in goodly amounts."

### Storrs-Neal.

At high noon Wednesday, at the home of J. T. Neal, Miss Effie Neal and Harry Storrs were united in marriage, by Rev. J. W. Siler, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, the ceremony being performed in the presence of relatives and a few friends. The house was decorated with ferns, palms and cut flowers. Misses Frankie Harris and Willie Fuller presided over the punch bowl in the dining room, in which pink decorations predominated. Misses Ruth Johnson and Annahlee Harris received the guests into the living room. Mrs. J. Curtis Simmons, sister of the bride, sang "Always True," which was followed by Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Mary Henderson, as the bridal party descended the stairway. The bride was attired in a beautiful gray Jersey traveling dress and carried a big bouquet of white roses and ferns. The bridesmaids, Misses Itasca Hill and Velma Fuller, were daintily attired in white dresses, large white hats, and carried pink rosebuds. Messrs. Lawson Dailey and T. C. Atwood were groomsmen. As the solemn, sacred words were spoken Miss Neal and Mr. Storrs stood on a mass of roses beneath an arch from which hung a large white bell, showering them with rice and dainty silver horseshoes. Rev. Siler pronounced the words that united the destinies of the happy and popular couple, and immediately following the ceremony congratulations were showered upon them, after which all partook of a wedding luncheon.

### PRETENTIOUS.

Edgar S. Hamilton Will Probably Let Contract Next Week for Home.  
Work on the new home of Edgar S. Hamilton, to be built in Park Heights, will probably start early next week. The contract will probably be let next Monday. When completed this will be one of the most pretentious homes in the west. Mr. Hamilton moved here from Fort Worth last spring and is already one of the leading members of the local bar.



HENRY S. PRITCHETT. The president of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, who has aroused the ire of several university heads by his criticisms of the entrance requirements in their institutions, is himself an educator of note. He was formerly president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

### LETTER RECEIVED FROM SEN. BAILEY

Were It Not For Meeting of Currency Commission He Would Gladly Attend Fall Fair.

The following letter received here Wednesday is confirmatory of the telegram sent by Senator Bailey on Monday:  
Gainesville, Tex., Aug. 23, 1909.—Messrs. John R. Nasworthy, Sam Hill, D. C. McCaleb, San Angelo, Texas. Gentlemen: On my return here from Hamilton county I find yours of the 20th instant among my mail, and according to your request I have just sent you the following message:  
"Would be glad to come, but meeting of currency commission at Washington first Monday in October renders it impossible."  
I know that I would enjoy a visit to San Angelo during the fair, and the last time I talked with my friend Sam Hill I promised him to come. I had no idea at that time, however, that I would be called to Washington by a public duty, and I am sure that all three of you, as well as all of my other friends in your section, will agree that the necessity of being in Washington on the first Monday in October is a good excuse for my not being at San Angelo on the 5th of October. It would be important under any circumstances for me to attend the sessions of the currency commission, but it is all the more important that I attend its future ones because of the sickness which prevented me from attending its sessions last year. Very truly your friend,  
J. W. BAILEY.

### Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abstract & Title company's report of real estate transfers recorded August 25:  
I. A. Neal to Will Duncan, \$5000; convey 273.4 acres of survey 91-2, Robert A. Traylor.  
G. M. Sutherland to P. D. Swift, \$4275; convey 42.39 acres of survey 962, Wm. Best; 5.75 acres abstract 8441, Jane Jones; 69.67 acres survey 1, C. T. & M. C. Ry. Co.; 82.19 acres survey 84, H. Diedrich.  
S. J. Truman et ux. to P. S. Head, \$600; convey 5 acres out of survey 186, Jos. A. Frick.  
Miss Kate Corbett left Wednesday for El Paso, where she has accepted a position as teacher in the public school of that city. She has been teaching here for a number of years and has been very successful.  
Jewell Wylie, A. B. Poe and "Skeet" Hall were passengers on Wednesday's train.  
Nathan Passar left Wednesday for Fort Worth, his home, after spending a few days with his folks, L. Passar and family.  
D. A. Dickey and wife left Wednesday for their home in Hartington, Neb., after a month's visit with Mr. Dickey's brother at Van Court.

Mrs. Chris Stump and daughter Miss Kate Stump arrived Wednesday from Bangs to visit their son and brother Louis Heltzer.

### PAVING PLAN PLEASES ALL

PROPERTY OWNERS GREET ANNOUNCEMENT IN PRESS-NEWS.

### NO OBJECTIONS HEARD

Everybody Seems to Realize at Once the Many Benefits to Be Obtained by "Doing It Now."

Following the exclusive announcement in The Press-News regarding the intention of some of the property owners on Chadbourne street to work up interest with a view of having the thoroughfare paved from the depot to the Landon hotel, many favorable comments have been heard, and it is believed that the move will be a success. Practically every owner seen Tuesday expressed himself as being strongly in favor of paving, and announced that he is ready to stand for his part of the expense. All seem to realize that a city the size of San Angelo should wake up and pay more attention to matters of this kind, and they also know that it is really money in their pockets to pave. If Fritz Lanham of the Texas Bitulithic company can not make a personal visit and work up interest in the plan, a local committee is to take it up immediately. A petition will be circulated, and every man who owns property will be asked to sign it.

### MOONLIGHT PICNIC ON LAKE CONCHO

Knights of Pythias Planning for Gala Occasion—Boating, Dancing and Plenty to Eat.

Thursday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock, the west side of Lake Concho is to be a place of beauty, luxury and happiness, so made by a barbecue which is to be given by the Knights of Pythias. The several committees are busy making preparations for the event. It is their earnest desire to bring joy and delight to the members of the lodge. All kinds of refreshments, meats and delicacies are to be had, which will occupy their time immediately upon arrival at the lake. After this those who desire to go boating will have at their disposal the necessary boats. Though there be a delicate maid who fears the restless waters, she will not want for other pleasures, for there will be a dance on a platform which is now being erected.

### Runaway.

A team of horses attached to a top buggy, the property of Rev. W. T. Renfro, ran away Wednesday afternoon, and after creating a lot of excitement on Main, Harris and Chadbourne streets, finally landed up in the building occupied by the Concho Land company. The horses ran up on the porch and knocked down an aged Mexican, but he was not badly injured.

### Christian Endeavor Social.

The senior Christian Endeavor society of the Harris avenue Presbyterian church will give a social at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. Wiggins, 108 Veck street, East San Angelo, Friday night.

### Missions.

The Woman's Home Mission society of the First Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the church. Subject for discussion, "City Missions."

Rev. A. J. Cheatham, who has been here for a few days visiting his brothers Dan P. and E. M. Cheatham, left Wednesday for Comanche, where he will visit another brother before returning to his home in Fordyce, Ark., where he is pastor of the Presbyterian church.

The Ladies Aid society of the Harris Avenue Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock in regular missionary study.

W. W. Colpitts, chief engineer of the Orient, arrived in the city Wednesday with his wife.

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WELCOME, GENTLEMEN.

Welcome to our city, gentlemen of the board to locate the West Texas normal. Men of your character are always welcome.

The Thirty-first legislature exhibited, even under the stress of big sticks, a sane regard for material things. It passed fewer drastic laws crushing investments than any legislature in 29 years almost.

We would call to your attention that San Angelo is today the western terminus of a most important branch of one railroad, and will before you render your decision be the terminus of a great trunk line.

Napoleon once urged his footsore and wearied soldiers forward with the congenial hope of "Beyond the Alps lies Italy."

We would say to the locating board, "Beyond San Angelo lies the hope of the home lovers."

The era of cheap lands in Texas is drawing to a close. Before another decade passes Texas lands will be of values that will look like fortunes compared with the present selling prices.

Don't, we pray thee, good gentlemen, let this fact get away from you. This normal is not being located merely for today, or for today and tomorrow.

Being built for the years, we invite your attention to the truth that it is better to build it where the center of population will be by the time the school gets firmly established.

And so, gentlemen of the board, we suggest with due deference and respectful demeanor that the eternal fitness of things will be best served if you locate your normal where it will be close enough to the present center of population west of the 98th meridian to answer the full purposes of the establishing act, and yet close enough to what will be the center of population long before the school is as old as the one at Huntsville, for instance.

San Angelo, you will observe, made no gaudy cash bid for the school. The idea of auctioning off this school to the highest bidder, in the opinion of the good people of San Angelo, was not the intent of the legislators.

But these things are argumentative. Even before securing permanent advantages, San Angelo desires to assure each of you that her hospitality is as pure and unadulterated from littleness as the atmosphere that sweeps this section is pure and exhilarating.

Senator Bailey need have no fears as to how the people of Texas will take his course in congress. Texas wants no free raw material. Free raw material means free soup houses in the cities and misery in the country.

The suggestion that Chadbourne street be paved should be received with responsive appreciation. A city as large as San Angelo ought to keep pace with the times.

J. R. Dillon, for many years one of the brightest minds connected with the Santa Fe railroad, has resigned from railroad work for the purpose of engaging in the freight brokerage business at Galveston.

Sheriff Sweet of Fort Worth is the latest determinator to clean out the acre in that city. Sweet has adversities, as well as his uses. But just to keep the record straight, pray tell us where will you throw your sweepings after you have finished the job of cleaning the dirty spot?

Now comes the report that Hon. J. C. S. Blackburn, erstwhile senator, now governor of the canal zone, is to resign his job. We were powerfully afraid of such a step when the report reached this country that the mint crop in Panama was a total failure.

To the prohibition crusaders of today: Please remember that the land for which the crusaders of old fought is still in the hands of infidels.

Harriman arrived home weak. Oh, very well, but just read the market quotations and you'll find his stocks are strong.

Cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic troubles; sold by all druggists, or two months treatment by mail for \$1. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials.

Keep the body healthy at this season by using Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a necessary condition to successfully resist malarial germs.

New Daily for Ballinger.

The Ballinger Weekly Banner- Leader is now getting out a daily as well as the weekly. Editor Sledge promises to give the citizens of Ballinger one of the best papers in West Texas, and those who know him have the greatest confidence in his ability to do just what he says he will.

We realize that it is no easy task to put out a creditable daily paper in a town where there are days when there is a dearth of news and where we must depend on local news to make up the paper; yet we will employ the best labor and strive to meet the demand that we feel exists at the present time.

To issue the paper it was necessary that we expend several thousand dollars in purchasing new machinery. This we have done, and now we have an office that we are proud of and that is a credit to Ballinger.

Don't neglect the warnings of nature. If your appetite is poor, breath bad, tongue coated, you will be sick unless you take steps to put your system in good condition.

Up to date picture framing at Angelo Paint company. Phone 763.

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Any Man or Woman Who Is Thin Can Recover Normal Weight by the Remarkable New Treatment, Protone. I had been for years and began to think it was natural for me to be that way.

Protone is a powerful inducer of nutrition, increases cell-growth, makes perfect the assimilation of food, increases the number of blood corpuscles and as a necessary result builds up muscles and solid, healthy flesh, and rounds out the figure.

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It will cost you nothing to prove the remarkable effects of this treatment. It is absolutely noninjurious to the most delicate system. The Protone company, 1646 Protone Building, Detroit, Mich., will send to anyone who sends name and address, a free 50c package of Protone, with full instructions, to prove that it does the work.

FREE PROTONE COUPON. This coupon is good for a free 50c package (all charges prepaid) of Protone, the remarkable scientific discovery for building up thin people, together with our free book, telling why you are thin.

There will be a moonlight picnic and barbecue at Lake Concho, given by the Knights of Pythias tonight at 7 o'clock. Dancing, boat riding, etc. All Knights of Pythias are invited, whether in good standing or not.

Keep the body healthy at this season by using Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a necessary condition to successfully resist malarial germs.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Little Money--Large Returns

RATES One Time.....One Cent a Word Three Times.....Two Cents a Word Seven Times.....Four Cent a Word One-half cent a word each subsequent insertion.

FOR SALE. BIG AUCTION SALE--Trades Day, last Saturday in September, September 25, 1909.

WANTED--A horse and buggy for about two weeks. Will pay reasonable rent and feed well. Write lock box 786.

WANTED--Boarders--Phone 758 black

WANTED--A horse and buggy for feed. Light work only. F. L. Gifford, 23 West Harris.

LOST AND FOUND. LOST--Saturday evening, a silver chain purse. Finder please return to Elizabeth Smith, Landon hotel, and receive reward.

Notice. Miss Mary Roberts will reopen her music school September 1 at 110 Oakes street, and requests patrons to call at once, as class will be limited. Phone 155.

FOR SALE--Italian bees; frame hives. Fred Williams, Hagelstein Hardware company.

FOR SALE--Scholarship in the San Angelo Business College. See Press-News.

SAFES--For offices or lodges. Probandt Printing Co., save you money.

FOR SALE--Do you want to make money? Here's your chance. One Twentieth Century Talking Machine, cost \$115; one Enterprise moving picture machine, very latest model, complete with gas generator; three rolls of films and material enough to make gas three months. Will trade for city property. If you want these you had better hurry. T. W. Henning, The Furniture Man.

PRINTING--Figure with Probandt Printing Co., the old reliable.

FOR SALE--Combination driving and work horse, about 16 hands high, gentle and good goer. Priced right. See Wynn at Press-News office.

BRICK for sale. San Angelo Brick Manufacturing company.

FOR TRADE--New 5-room house with bath, closets, etc., barn and lot, on the corner of 70x150 foot lot, in Angelo Heights, for a small place closer in or vacant lot and part cash, or will sell very cheap for cash. Address 474 care Press-News.

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We knew what Kodol would do before ever the first bottle was sold. If we did not know just what it will do, we would not guarantee it the way we do.

It is easy for you to prove Kodol—the next (or the first) time you have an attack of indigestion. And you will certainly be surprised at the results. It is perfectly harmless.

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

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Go to your druggist today and get a dollar bottle. Then after you have used the entire contents of the bottle if you can honestly say that it has not done you any good, return the bottle to the druggist and he will refund your money without question or delay. We will then pay the druggist for the bottle. Don't hesitate, all druggists know that our guarantee is good. This offer applies to the large bottle only and to one in a family. The large bottle contains six times as much as the fifty-cent bottle.

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## BATS A PLENTY IN AUSTIN CITY HALL

Thousands Have Taken up Their Abode There—Wholesale Killing by City Officials.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 25.—Setting the final seal of dilapidation on the \$75,000 city hall, thousands of bats have taken up their habitation in the roof of the building since the beginning of the week. Hundreds of the forerunners of ruin were slain in the office of the superintendent of streets yesterday afternoon, and one of the survivors of the slaughter flitted in mournful circles in the office of the mayor for several hours in the afternoon.

The grass on the west side of the city hall was covered with the bodies of slain bats this morning and several of the bats were removed from city offices. The number of bats in the roof is said to be beyond estimation. Sir Arthur Y. Uncliff, F. R. G. S., in his dissertations on the bat, says: "One of the favorite habitations of this peculiar rodent is a dilapidated or abandoned building. The bat haunts ruins, and has been the cause of more than one story of spectre-haunted castles."

Hanging from the window ledges on the second and third floors of the city hall, the bats presented a weird spectacle. Hundreds of the winged rodents flitted around the building, giving it the air of a mysterious castle, wherein heads had fallen in reality as well as officially.

### The Mayor and the Bat.

A lone bat shared the mayor's office with Col. Woodruff for several hours this afternoon.

The bat soared over the head of the city executive, striking the walls in its blindness, but apparently unharmed, while the mayor busied himself with routine work.

The mayor refused to allow the bat killed and efforts to show it the window proved unavailing, and the winged visitor was allowed the freedom of the office.

"His Master's Voice,"

"His Master's Voice,"

Mrs. Sam Price and daughter Lucile returned Tuesday from Rogers, where they have been visiting Mrs. Price's sisters, Mrs. Zacharias and Miss Balfanz.

"His Master's Voice,"

"His Master's Voice,"

## Weds His Brother's Widow So She May Inherit His Estate

New York, Aug. 25.—News of the marriage in Bloomfield, N. J., July 25, last, of Capt. Nathan D. A. Sawyer of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mrs. Clara S. Sawyer of Belleville, N. J., widow of Capt. Sawyer's brother, Leverett Sawyer, became known when friends of Mrs. Sawyer learned for the first time that her brother-in-law had insisted on marrying her that she might inherit his property.

As soon as the marriage ceremony was performed by Recorder George W. Cadmus, Capt. Sawyer kissed his wife goodbye and took the next train to his home in Jacksonville. He will continue to live there, the condition of his health making it inadvisable for him to continue to live in the north. His wife will continue to live in Belleville, her health rendering residence in the south unpleasant for her. She is 66 years old. Her husband is 68.

Captain Sawyer served through the civil war in a Massachusetts regiment. After the war he stayed in the south, entering the service of a railroad, by which he is still employed. He did not marry. Leverett married Miss Clara Ripley. He died thirty-three years ago. His widow and their daughter, Miss Bertha Sawyer, continued to live in Belleville and they corresponded regularly with Captain Sawyer.

The captain wrote north several

months ago that he had made several profitable investments and that he was anxious that the widow of his brother succeed to his estate. He suggested that marriage would remove any possibility of doubt in this direction, and Mrs. Sawyer agreed with him. He came north and he and his sister-in-law were married. Miss Sawyer and the wife of a recorder Cadmus were the witnesses.

Friends of Mrs. Speer who met Capt. Sawyer in Belleville in July thought he was there simply on a visit. He and Mrs. Sawyer asked Recorder Cadmus to keep the news of the marriage a secret, and this he did until he had to comply with the law and make a return to the registrar of vital statistics in Bloomfield.

Captain Sawyer has never been able to stay long in the north, and Mrs. Sawyer's visits to the south have been brief. Even now that they are married they have made no plans. After the marriage Capt. Sawyer took the legal steps necessary to secure his wife possession of his estate at his death. Mrs. Sawyer's health is excellent so long as she remains in New Jersey, and Capt. Sawyer's health is good so long as he stays in Florida. Their friends think that each of them will live many years.

## HANDSHAKE STRONGLY MARKS CHARACTER SAYS DETECTIVE

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 25.—That a person's character can be told by his handshake may seem incredible to the layman, but such is the assertion of Louis A. Houllion, a Cincinnati detective, who is now in this city.

Men trained in running down criminals usually adopt some individual method by which they can size up those with whom they come in contact.

Some look for the criminal marks in the shapes and sizes of heads, others scrutinize the ears and many carefully weigh the tones and accents of the voice. But it is doubtful if anyone has developed handshaking into the art as has Houllion.

"I don't know much about metacarpals, phalanges, distals and thenar and hypothenar digits," said Houllion. "We'll leave it to the doctors to see poor circulation in mottled palms and blue finger nails and to pick out consumptives by club fingers. But I do know something about the way a man shakes hands."

"It's hard to tell anyone just how to pick a man's character from the way he grasps your hand. But it's something anyone can learn to do by close observation and experience."

"When you shake hands with your friends, that is with fellows you are sure are true blue, just remember how they do it. They'll grasp your hand something like the fellow who appears

to be very friendly but is all the time trying to do you up. But just note the difference.

"The second class will overdo it. They are so anxious to make a good impression with you that they give themselves dead away. If they are not very careful they will make your arm bob up and down like a pump handle. That's called the come-on shake."

"Watch out for the man who gives you the cold, snaky shake. He's lacking some place. He may run along all right for a while, but expect him to go off on a tangent at any time."

"The man who's bluffing nearly always gives himself away through his hand. His face may be as immovable as stone and he may never blink an eye, but he can not exert such perfect control over his hand. A first offender will show weakness in his hand before he will any place else. He will usually exert every effort to keep his voice cool and unstrained, but at the same time his hand will be as nervous as that of a schoolboy who is speaking his first piece."

"Of course, in applying these tests to a man his physical make-up and the general condition of his health must be taken into consideration. But anyone who makes a study of handshaking will find there is a great deal of character expression in it."

## GOLD STOLEN FROM A MINT

Los Angeles, Aug. 25.—Charged with one of the rarest offenses committed against the government—that of abstracting gold from the coin factory—Charles W. Dakin, a trustful employee of the mint at Denver, was arrested by Secret Service Agent Hazen. He was committed to the county jail until arrangements are made for his extradition.

Dakin was overcome with remorse when apprehended and is reported to have said:

"I don't know why I took that gold. I did not need the money and I have always had a good reputation. This will almost kill my wife."

The prisoner was passing his furlough in this vicinity for a week or more had been rooming on South Olive street. He is said to have sold several hundred dollars' worth of gold to local dealers, disposing of it in small lots.

### Once a Fireman.

Dakin had been in the employ of the government at Denver for about four years. He had previously been a member of the Denver fire department. In order to secure a position in a government a man must possess a character that will pass muster with the officials of the treasury department. Every employee is a picked man. His past is carefully looked up and he must have every qualification as to honesty, sobriety and integrity.

Stealing from the mint is almost unheard of. With his experience of years as one of the leading secret service operators in the west, Hazen remembers but one other case in which he was called upon to ferret out the

offender. Some years ago he apprehended an employe of the mint at San Francisco and succeeded in securing a conviction.

### Constantly Watched.

When a man obtains a position in a mint he must submit to a constant watch by his superior officers. The opportunity for abstracting even the smallest particles of gold is reduced to a minimum. Though the workmen are surrounded by tons of bullion, there is seldom a chance to get any of it, even if an employe determines to become a criminal.

The exact manner in which Dakin secured hundreds of dollars' worth of gold will not be known until he is given his trial—if then. The government jealously guards the secrets of the massive stone buildings within which tons of precious metal are transformed into coins.

It may be presumed that Dakin devised a way in which to secure little particles of gold, and that bit by bit he accumulated his store of "spatter" gold. At first he was employed in the rougher work, but later was in the refining department.

In some way he managed to get his hoarded store in safety to his home, or some convenient cache. When he asked leave of absence for the purpose of spending his vacation in Southern California, it is supposed that no suspicion rested upon him.

But it was soon discovered that someone had made way with some of the jealously guarded gold and word was sent to all the secret service agents in the west.

### Strenuous Hunt.

In some way the head of the service in this district got a clew and went on the trail of Dakin, working without cessation for two weeks. His efforts were rewarded by his sensational capture. The officer had been without food or sleep for nearly two days and was almost exhausted when he finally landed his prisoner in the county jail. He refused to discuss the case, but admitted he had made an important

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\$4.00	" "	\$3.00
\$3.50	" "	\$2.85
\$3.00	" "	\$2.25

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## Tin Soldier? Well I Should Say He is Not

New York, Aug. 25.—Walter Murphy of the Twenty-second regiment of engineers, militia, was on the way to the armory to set out for the front with his regiment when he was arrested on the complaint of Gustave Klingner, a barber, of 710 Lexington avenue.

"Look at the tin soldier," Murphy says the barber called out as he was passing the shop.

The militiaman followed the scuffer into the shop, where razors, shaving mugs and other things were upset.

"I suppose I'll be charged with desertion for being absent without leave," said Murphy to Magistrate Kernochan in court.

"Hurry along to the war and you may be in time for the second battle," said the court.

Charles Penay and Pete Klinge of Barry, Ill., and E. F. Struburg of Eldora, Ill., departed for their respective home Tuesday. They have been out here prospecting and invested some in Concho dirt. They will probably return later to reside.

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## FATE PLAYS A WINNING HAND AGAINST DEATH

Los Angeles, Aug. 25.—Fate played a winning hand with death for the lives of the seamen on the little gasoline schooner Charles Hansen, when her cargo of dynamite exploded and blew the vessel out of the water. It sent an illness to the skipper's wife, who usually accompanied him on his voyages and forced him to stay at home. Her absence left him free to fight the storm and fire that beset his little ship, and so win out in the long bitter game, the stake of which was life.

Capt. Charles Burke, who recently returned from the voyage which ended so suddenly off Cleopatra island, north of Manzanillo, declared yesterday that had his wife and child been with him when the schooner's cargo of dynamite and blasting powder blew up in a storm on June 25, all hands would have gone to the bottom.

For the first time since the news of the destruction of the Charles Hansen reached this city, the full story of the events which preceded the wreck were given out last night by the vessel's skipper. Burke declared that so many misrepresentations had been circulated regarding the manner in which he lost his ship, that he desired the public to know that his crew had behaved heroically in the face of an almost certain and most horrible death.

In his own words the story of the captain follows:

"We left San Pedro June 16, and under sail, for there was a favorable wind blowing; went south until we reached a point nearly twenty-five miles from Cleopatra island, 140 miles north of Manzanillo.

**Tons of Dynamite.**

"We were carrying 6000 gallons of gasoline, thirty-five tons of dynamite, twenty-five tons of blasting powder, twelve cases of dynamite caps, and six cases of fuses, as well as a quantity of general merchandise for the ship's owners, the Pacific Timber company of Philadelphia, which has large hardwood claims in Mexico.

"We had fair weather and winds until the morning of the 24th of June. Then it came on to blow. We started the engine, and as the wind increased and hauled to the southwest began to get into the canvas. Before we could do this, however, the gale carried the flying jib away, and that was soon followed by the jib, the staysail and the mainsail. For a time the rigging of the mainsail dragged in the water despite our effort to get it inboard. Then, in the afternoon, the head of the mainmast went over the side, soon to be followed by the entire stick, which broke off short at the deck.

"By this time it was impossible to stand on the deck without holding on, and the heavy spar alongside kept pounding at the planking, till I

thought it would drive a hole through us. After several hours of effort we managed to clear away the rigger, and the ship rode easier.

**Trouble in Engine Room.**

"About this time the engine began to give us serious trouble. Ever since we had started in the morning it had been back firing and missing, and toward evening it bucked as though the feed pipe had clogged. We were unable to get even steerage way out of it, and the schooner drifted rapidly away from the island, until we were approximately fifty miles off shore.

"It was growing dark when I saw a flare of light in the engine room. We had been forced to keep the door closed, as the waves were constantly breaking over the decks, and we feared that they would flood out the engines. I suppose that gas formed in the closed space and a spark from the back fire set this on fire. At any rate, in less than no time the whole of the engine room was ablaze.

"The men behaved well and I at once started to get the cover off the after hatch, under which the dynamite was stowed, so as to flood it and drown out any fire there. As we raised the tarpaulin over the combing we saw smoke oozing out, and when the cover was off we found that the hold, containing the cases of dynamite, was on fire at one end.

**Boat Is Wrecked.**

"I gave orders to get the life boat over the side and ordered three men to go into it, while the others lowered it away. Murillo, one of the forward seamen, let the tackle go with a run and dumped the boat into the water end up. I jumped to the other tackle and lowered away on it, as I had to get the boat on an even keel. I managed that, but hardly had she floated when a sea caught her and dashed her against the rudder of the schooner, smashing in her planks.

"The men in her were thrown into the seas, which every second threatened to sweep over the schooner. Fortunately, the seas washed them back into the boat, and we hauled them on board the schooner, badly bruised and breathless, but unhurt.

Leaving the injured lifeboat still hanging in the falls, I ran forward with the remainder of the crew to get the big work boat I had on deck. It was at this moment that the only trouble with the crew took place.

**Adrift in the Storm.**

"Three men, Murillo, Rito Charvez and Harry Nordeck, the ship's cook, deserted us. They jumped into the damaged lifeboat and shoved off, preferring to trust their lives to the sea rather than face the certainly coming explosion.

"We soon followed them in the work boat. We were forced to leave the ship without oars, compass, food or water, and pushed off from her side with poles. We were not more than 300 feet from her when I saw a long vivid flash shoot upward and then she opened upward like a box of baby blocks, with the flames shooting from every bit of the wreckage."

The shipwrecked sailors landed on Cleopatra island, where they hoped to find a settlement, and tramped, barefooted, through the thorn-filled sand of the island, only to find it deserted. They lived for several days on mussels picked from the rocks on the

beach and water they found in a spring.

On the third day after their landing they ran across two of the three men who had deserted the ship. Nordeck, they learned, was dying of thirst and exposure ten miles away. They found his body later. After several attempts a number of them, under the charge of Chief Engineer Stitzer, managed to reach Magdalena island. There they communicated with the coast by signal fires and summoned aid.

## HEIRS PAY STATE NICE ROUND SUM

**Inheritance Tax Law Brings in \$3000**  
Out of Estate of Edgar Wilbohn, Capitalist.

Austin, Aug. 25.—Nearly \$3000 of the estate of Edgar Wilbohn, a capitalist of Austin and Manor who recently died will be turned into the state treasury under the inheritance tax law passed by the Thirty-first legislature. Wilbohn left all his property to two sisters, Mrs. J. E. Townes, wife of the head of the law department of the university, and Mrs. Martin of San Saba.

This is one of the first estates in Texas to be affected by the inheritance tax, the first having been filed in Dallas a few days ago.

Under the new law when property is left to a sister or brother the tax is graduated from 2 to 5 per cent, according to the amount of the estate. The Wilbohn estate amounted to about \$65,000 and is subject to a tax of 2 1/2 per cent. The will has been filed for probate with County Judge White. A schedule will be made and turned over to the county tax collector of Travis county, who will collect the amount of \$2983 from this estate and turn it over to the state. The collector receives a fee for collecting the inheritance tax, but the whole amount of the tax goes to the state, the county or city receiving no part of it.

The inheritance tax law was one of the laws proposed by Gov. Campbell for the purpose of raising state revenue during the Thirtieth legislature. It provided for an inheritance tax against estates of from 2 to 12 per cent, according to the nearness of a relative. Only direct lineal descendants are not taxed. The tax is subject to all estates outside of lineal descendants, where the amount is over \$2000.

Another estate filed for probate here will be subject to the inheritance tax when the will is probated. This is the estate of Elizabeth Paulkner, who died about six months ago, and the whole estate will be subject to the inheritance tax. There are about twenty heirs and for many of them the rate will be different.

Mrs. Frank Rosenthal left Tuesday for her home in Beaumont. She had been here at the bedside of her sick brother, C. B. Rives, who died Sunday night.

## FAMILY LOST ON DESERT

Were Rescued After Two Days Without Food or Water—Daughter Was Delirious.

Spokane, Aug. 25.—Lost on the desert near Plush, Ore., without food or water for two days, and rescued just in time, is the story of hardship endured by J. H. Glasby, his wife and his daughter Nina, that reached Mrs. Glasby's brother here.

Glasby, with his wife and child, started in a wagon on a trip of thirty-five miles. They became lost and their provisions gave out. Glasby decided to abandon their wagon. He tied his daughter, who is thirteen years old, on one of their horses, while he and his wife alternately rode the other.

Finally, when Mrs. Glasby fell from her horse and the little girl became delirious, Glasby decided to seek help. He started off desperately and by a chance came upon the X. L. ranch. Here a rescue party was quickly organized and after several hours the unconscious woman and child were found. Both will recover.

## THIRD LARGEST TELESCOPE IN UNITED STATES

Boston, Aug. 25.—The third largest reflecting telescope in the United States is on its way from Cambridge to Flagstaff, Ariz. The telescope was made at Cambridge for Prof. Percival Lowell. It is designed especially for planetary photography and will first be used in photographing Mars when the planet is nearest the earth next month.

The mirror is forty inches clear aperture, seven inches thick, and weighs 907 pounds. It was made from one piece of glass and has a focal length of eighty-one feet four inches.

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**The Man From Brodney's**  
By GEORGE BARR M'UTCHEON  
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"I say, Geneva," he said, looking straight into her rebellious eyes, "you're in love with Chase. Why don't you marry him?"  
"You—you are really delirious, Deppy," she cried. "The fever has"—  
"He's good enough for any one—even you," went on his lordship coolly. "He may have a wife," said she, collecting her wits with rare swiftness. "Who knows? Don't be silly, Deppy."  
"Rubbish! Haven't you stuffed Aggy and me full of the things you found out concerning him before he left Thorberg, and afterward—the letters from the ambassador's wife and the glowing things your St. Petersburg friends have to say of him, eh? Besides, he'd give his head to marry you—having already lost it."  
"You are very amusing, Deppy, when you try to be clever. Is there a clause in that silly old will compelling me to marry any one?"  
"Of course not, my dear princess, but I fancy you've got a will of your own. Where there's a will there's a way. You'd marry him tomorrow if—"  
"If I were not amply prepared to contest my own will?" she supplied airily.  
"No; if your will was not wrapped in convention three centuries old. You won't marry Chase because you are a princess. I'm awfully sorry for you, Geneva."  
"Sorry for me? Dear me!"  
"You're tremendously gone on him."  
"Nonsense! Why, I couldn't marry Mr. Chase," she exclaimed, irritable at last. "Don't put such things into my head—I mean don't get such things into that ridiculous old head of yours. Are you forgetting that I am to become Karl's wife in June? You are babbling, Deppy."  
"Well, let's say no more about it," he said, lying back resignedly. "It's too bad, that's all. Chase is a man. Karl isn't. You loathe him. I don't wonder that you turn pale and look frightened. Take my advice—take Chase."  
"Don't!" she cried, a break in her voice. She arose and went swiftly toward the window. Then she stopped and turned upon him, her lips parted as if to give utterance to the thing that was stirring her heart so violently. The words would not come. She smiled plaintively and said instead: "Good night! Get a good sleep."  
"The same to you," he called feverishly.  
"Deppy," she said firmly, a red spot in each cheek, her voice tense and strained to a high pitch of suppressed decision, "I shall marry Karl Brabets. That will be the end of your Mr. Chase."  
"I hope so," he said. "But I'm not so sure of it if you continue to love him as you do now."  
She went out with her cheeks burning and a frightened stir in her heart. Her thoughts raced back to Neenah's airy prophecy.  
How could she face the charge, "I'm not so sure of it," unless she killed the indictment, "If you love him as you do now."  
Lady Agnes and Browne passed by without seeing her and entered the window. She heard him say something to his companion, softly, tenderly—she knew not what it was. And Lady Agnes laughed—yes, nervously. Ah, but Agnes was playing! She was not in love with this man. It was different. It was not what Neenah meant—nor Deppingham, honest friend that he was.

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**COLLEGE GIRLS COPY COLLEGE MEN SAYS DEAN**

Boston, Aug. 25.—Le Baron Russell Briggs, dean of Harvard college and president of Radcliffe college thinks the college girls copy the college men too much. He also thinks that the college girl shows, frats and clubs are too often an imitation of those of the college men. In his annual report he warns girls against copying their male co-eds, and condemns various instances of imitation. Dean Briggs deplores the frequent attempts at female musical comedy, remarking that he thinks it time and money wasted. In athletics, he says, they too often affect boyish ways in a spirit of imitation that is undesirable. He says he hopes the girls will use better judgment than the poorer judgment of the boys.  
"I love to see girls take to dramatics. I think there are few more enjoyable spectacles than seeing our girls do 'Much Ado' or 'As You Like It' in Shakespearean style, al fresco or otherwise," says Dean Briggs. "I think that girls, however, should abstain as much as possible from copying the boys in their so-called musical comedies, which are so much in vogue."  
"I think girls should try to imitate the men—if they must imitate them—in their better moments. Let them give plays like the old English classics or the old mysteries. They are worth more as literature and as drama."  
"The musical comedy of the modern stage is, even in the opinion of many who frequent it, often dull and nearly always vulgar. The fact that it serves as a model for the theatricals of boys' social clubs should be to girls a cause of regret, not a stimulus to imitation."  
"I would not for a moment liken any dramatic work of college girls to such shows as many of the musical comedies are said to be. I mean merely that directly or indirectly these comedies affect for the worse some of the musical and theatrical performances of the girl students, from whom one has a right to expect not merely the unobjectionable, but the refined and charming."

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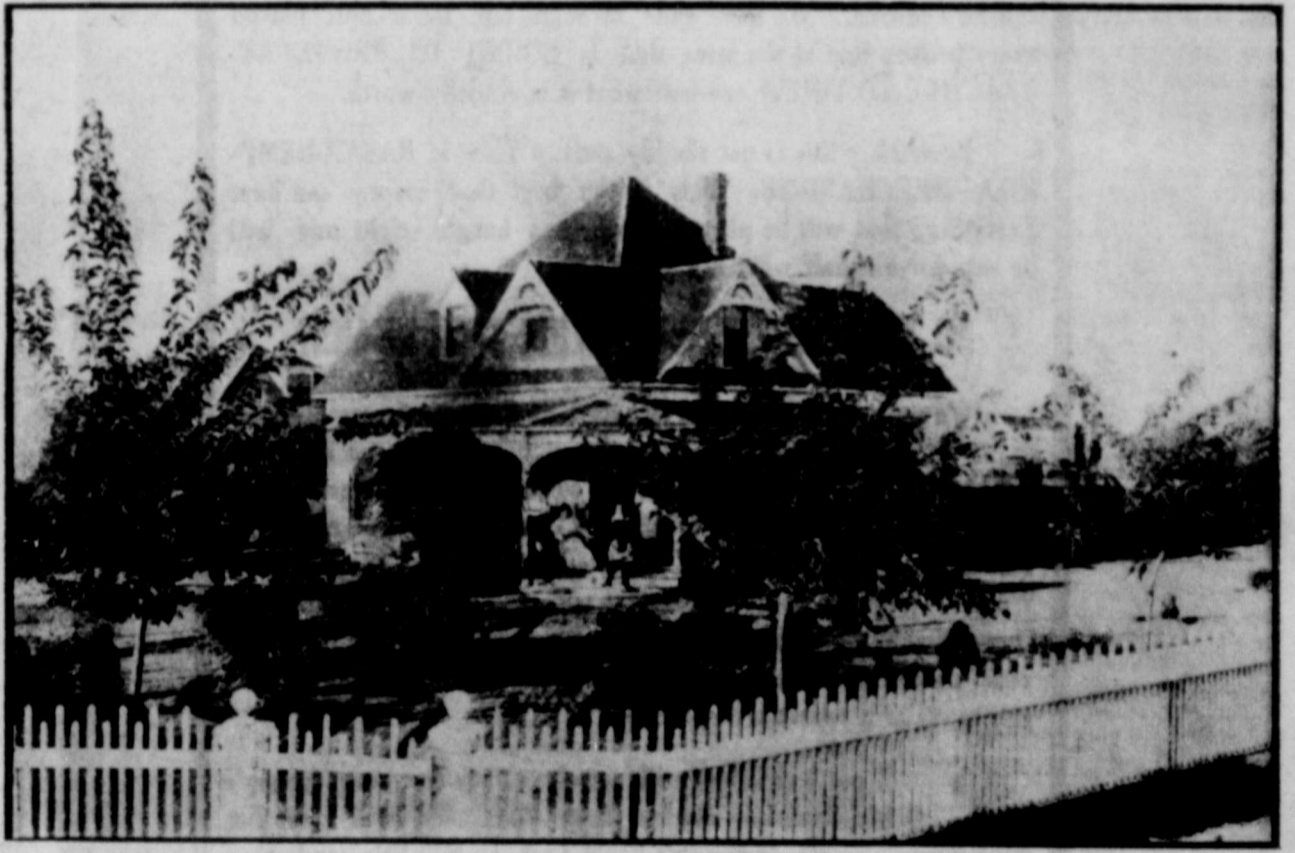
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**War Against College Fraternities.**

Chicago, Aug. 25.—War of extermination against fraternities and sororities in the public schools of Chicago has been declared by Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, the new superintendent. These secret societies, which, Mrs. Young says, create bitter class hatred in the schools, which maintain club houses where wild orgies prevail, and which tend in every particular to detract from the regular school work and harmony in the schools, are in for a fight to the end when the schools open in September.  
Alfred R. Urion, president of the board of education, made this perfectly clear in an announcement which followed closely after an interview with Superintendent Young.  
"An aggressive campaign of extermination," says President Urion, "is to be one of the first activities of the fall session, so far as the secret societies are concerned, and the young men and women of the taboored organizations may as well make up their minds to it."

"The authorities are fully aware," he added, "that many of the societies have been meeting and conducting initiations at the homes of the members, relying on the fact that the school principles have been too busy to watch them closely. In view of this a definite method of detecting violations of the rule and punishing the violators has been decided on, the new plan to go into effect at the beginning of the fall term."  
"I am not ready to announce just what this plan is," said Mr. Urion. "It is enough to say now that the fraternities will receive no quarter, whether they hold their meetings secretly or openly. We are determined that the organizations shall not exist in the Chicago schools. The fight on the high school fraternities has reached a sort of crisis in the Chicago situation and it is up to us to do something vigorous. That we intend to do."



**Home of Sam Crowther, A Home Worth While.**

This is a picture of the home of Sam Crowther, in East San Angelo. The Press-News is publishing this picture because Mr. Crowther has demonstrated that homes in San Angelo can be made as attractive as homes anywhere else in this country. A wilderness of thriving young trees abounds in his yard. Gardens of sweet-scented flowers gladden the eye at every turn. One can not pass by the Crowther home without being attracted and impressed by the fact that the place is occupied by one who takes pride in his home and who has a will to please the eye for the beautiful.  
In the first place, Mr. Crowther has so many trees growing on his place that it takes a professional flora expert to keep tab on them. The weeping willows are easily recognized, but a lot of the other trees are not so quickly named. His fig trees, however, are fine specimens. He says that after the first two years figs do nicely in this country and need no protection. Lombardi poplars grow well. Over 100 kinds of roses make a wealth of fine flowers. Fruitless mulberries give promise of fine shape. Here you can find in the yard a silver leaf poplar; there you will notice an umbrella

china, and over yonder you will see an althea. The privet hedge is an old friend and the catalpa is easy to ascertain. That pear tree you see is thriving splendidly, and the plum bears luscious fruit. And then Mr. Crowther will point out to you his pecan trees, growing into stout forest forming groves, and his peaches will come in for a fair share of praise. And then you will not see less than 250 varieties of chrysanthemums, and a single cotton plant in the yard is head high.  
To classify all the trees, the flowers and the plants in Mr. Crowther's home yard is but to publish a rather bulky catalogue of plants and trees. Mr. Crowther has conducted many experiments. He has ascertained that dozens upon dozens of different kinds of trees grow here and thrive mightily. He has set the pace that others can follow with great pleasure to themselves and profit to the city.  
The Press-News is publishing this picture for the reason that it ought to inspire the lovers of the beautiful who own homes here to give a little thought toward making their homes more home like still. We would remind the people that it takes but money, the crassest thing in the world, to build a fine

house. But the most costly mansion can be erected in a single season or so. It takes years of patient waiting to secure trees to give shade and to lend enchantment. The most humble is on the same plane with the most fortunate in the matter of home-making. The same earth that is to be found in the rich man's yard is to be found in the yard of those of lesser financial station.  
Mr. Crowther has demonstrated that it is but a matter of patience and effort to have a home worth while. A drive by his place any time is enough to inspire others to follow his example. To those who say that the matter of shade trees is a matter of years, let the suggestion be whispered that no man waits so long for shade as the man who never plants trees. What Mr. Crowther and his good wife have done, you can do. But you can not do it in a week or a day or a year. It takes time. But while the work is progressing the joys of work become more intensified. And in the end, when you find your labors are crowned with success there comes over you, with all the gentleness of a benediction, a feeling of delight and keen satisfaction that tells you you have not labored in vain.

# Great Last Days' Sale



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## THIS TOWN HAD TO BORROW CORPSE

Had None for Cemetery and No Orphans for Asylum, So It Lured One Orphan With Prize.

Schafer, N. D. Aug. 25.—"They do funny things out west," said a man had just returned from registering for the land drawing at Cour d'Alene. "While I was traveling about Idaho getting impressions of the country a man down in Idaho Falls said to me one day: 'I reckon you have always supposed there were enough orphans everywhere to supply the demand, haven't you?'"

"I answered that I had not ever thought much about the matter, but I guessed that was about my impression."

"Well, then," says he, "you drive out of town here a mile with me, and I'll show you, that although Idaho may have all the Mormons and coyotes she wants, she aint got a small fraction of as many orphans as she'd like to have."

"I was kind of mystified by his remarks, but being as I was out to see what I could see and had plenty of time. I went along, as we hit the pike my friend went on: 'You see, Idaho Falls was the place that was known as Eagle Rock until a bushy Mormon rose in meeting one day, and shaking the alfalfa out of his whiskers, said: "The man that asked the question, "What's in a name?" was not in Idaho at the time trying to get the moneyed classes to come out from the east and plant sugar beets. The town will die before it's born with such a name as Eagle Rock. I more that we change the name of this metropolis to Idaho Falls—long may he wave—that'll fetch the eastern capitalist. What do we care if after he gets out here he says, "Where's the falls?" We've got him. That's the important matter."

**Borrow Cadaver from Cemetery.**

"So you see, the name was changed and capital came raging out at such a pace that the citizens couldn't find enough ways to spend it. They made a cemetery, and then they had to borrow a defunct gentile from Wyoming to put in it, so it would be a truly burying ground. After they got the cemetery started that way, they decided to use the remainder of the surplus to build an orphan asylum. That was in 1894. They bought forty acres of land covered with a luxuriant growth of cactus, and they erected on it a three-story brick building that would accommodate 150 orphans. Then they sent back to North Dakota or some other woody spot and got trees and set them out in a grove for the orphans to pay in."

"When it was all completed the contractors said, "Tis done. Bring on the orphans." Then it was that the citizens really began to consider the orphan question. They looked around the town and the neighboring sage brush for orphans. What was their surprise to find that there was no orphan in sight? You see, they hadn't thought about the orphan part of the enterprise before that. Out here in the great west everybody is so preoccupied in dodging opportunities that they

can't always take time for forethought. But I tell you, those asylum promoters were game. They sent out advertisements all over the state, saying: "Orphans wanted." They thought surely that way they'd get more than they wanted, and they got ready to receive them. Had a committee down to meet the trains, but if you'd believe it, nary an orphan came.

**Prize Offer Brings Orphan.**

"Then, realizing they were up against it, they printed another big lettered want ad, saying, "Idaho Falls must have orphans. A prize given the first orphan to arrive." Finally an orphan did come from up on the northern border. There was nothing in writing to prove his title to orphanhood, but she said he knew he was an orphan, so they gave him the prize and took him out and put him in the orphan asylum. But to be an only orphan in a big brick building meant to accommodate 150 orphans was pretty lonesome, I guess, for they said he cried quite a little, and finally one day he said he was tired of being the whole thing in an orphan asylum, and so he went away up in the foothills and picked wool off of the sage brush for his living, and liked it much better than being an orphan. After he left the committee was so discouraged that it decided to close up the building and wait a few years until some orphans were born."

"There's the building now," he interrupted, as a brick edifice with its windows all boarded up hove in sight.

"You see, it's still empty. The grove spindles high in the air, if you will notice, with no voices of happy-hearted orphans to disturb its shade, and spiders are weaving webs, they tell me, over the little beds where the yellow curls of orphans should scatter in profusion. There's the gate over there. If you want to get out and look you'll find "Orphans Wanted" printed on it. They put up that sign when they closed things up, thinking some-

one might come along and see it. But none ever has. The committee is going to wait a little longer, and then if no orphans pass beneath its portals they are going to try to sell it to V. Carnele and get a library instead."

**Notice.**

There will be a moonlight picnic and barbecue at Lake Concho, given by the Knights of Pythias tonight at 7 o'clock. Dancing, boat riding, etc. All Knights of Pythias are invited, whether in good standing or not.

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