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FOR RENT.—Five room house with bath, sleeping porch lights and water. Phone 207, Nolan County Abstract Company. 14-3td

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SAN ANGELO IS AFTER SCHOOL

San Angelo must take heroic and immediate steps in the matter of securing the West Texas Agricultural & Mechanical college. Announcement is made in The Standard today in the article by Floyd Miles, press agent for the Seoville party, that this will be the last week of the revival. This suggests to The Standard that the mass meeting idea which has been advocated by City Commissioner Henry E. Jackson and others could be carried out in good advantage one day next week, using the tabernacle as the place of meeting. Properly advertised and boosted, The Standard believes that big tabernacle could be filled with citizens of Concholand who would get back of the proposition of locating the college at San Angelo with all the energy and influence they are capable of generating.

The proposition of locating the college is not one which is likely to be handed out to the first town or city asking for it. There is going to be an scramble for it; it is by far the biggest proposition that has fallen in the path of West Texas in the history of the State. That's putting it strong, but an analysis of the proposition will bear The Standard out in taking this view of it.

San Angelo stands as good, if not a better, chance to get the college as any other town or city, but it is going to require every ounce of strength we can command, because other towns and cities are strengthening their forts and are getting ready to fire their big guns from the topmost vantage hill when the time is ripe, which it will be soon, and San Angelo must be as well "prepared" as the rest and better "prepared," if possible, and The Standard believes it is possible.

—San Angelo Standard.

Miss Lucile Smith of White-wright, who has been guest of her aunt, Mrs. B. S. Burke, at Mrs. F. G. Robertson's left on last night's train to visit in Pecos as she is en route to El Paso.

Tomorrow---Saturday---the last day of McDavid's Big Dissolution Sale.
Sale closes tomorrow night at 10 o'clock. All goods at Actual Cost till
sale closes, just as advertised. It's bargain day. R. V. McDavid.

EXTRA SESSION OF LEGISLATURE

Austin, Feb. 16.—That an extra session of the present legislature will have to be called in order to pass the general appropriation bills, is the belief of many legislative leaders. Whether this session will be called at the end of the present session or during the summer months is a matter of conjecture.

It is said sentiment of the members of the legislature favor not remaining in session at two dollars a day. It is now only three weeks until the sixty-day period of five dollars a day will have expired.

It is contended that it will take at least sixty days more to clear up pending legislation.

MILES GROCER IS BANKRUPT

George Weber, who has been engaged in the grocery, bakery and restaurant business at Miles, Runnels county, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States federal court, northern district of Texas. The instrument as presented before Deputy Clerk Jesse Couch by Jennings & Bigler, Miles attorneys.

Weber places his liabilities at about \$7,000 and his assets at approximately \$6,000. The major portion of the latter amount is covered by mortgages, however, and only about \$100 worth of property is scheduled as being exempt.—San Angelo Standard.

FEDERATION NOTES

The City Federation held a business meeting at the City Hall Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Wight the first vice president presided. Plans for the entertainment of the District meeting of the club Federation which convenes here in April was the chief topic of discussion.

SANS SOUCI VALENTINE PARTY

One of the most brilliant social affairs of the season was the Valentine party given under the joint hostess ship of Misses Doris Musgrove, Berta Glass, Edna Kilsey, Estelle Stiles, Ruth Hamilton and Minnie Fowler Wednesday evening.

Their guest list extended beyond the club membership and included forty-four guests of both young ladies and young men who enjoyed an evening of rare pleasure with "Hearts" as the diversion.

Mrs. B. L. McDonald kindly lent her lovely home to the young ladies for the occasion and assisted them in entertaining. The whole reception suite was beautiful and artistic in its gay valentine decorations of hearts, cupids and arrows, on walls, curtains and entwined about the colonades. Red blossoms mingled with the valentine emblems in the dining room all making a most pleasing picture.

Ten tables were placed for the games, about the rooms and after many jolly games, it was found that Mrs. John Perry had scored highest and John Majors won the men's prize, both were kewpie dolls.

Miss Ruth Morgan delighted her friends by giving several voice numbers she was in exquisite voice and was heartily applauded. Little Miss Bessie Warren gave selections on the Victrola during the evening.

At the conclusion of the games, the hostesses served brick ice cream, centered with red hearts and angel food cake. Cupid's arrows were given as plate favors. At a late hour the guests thanked the hostesses for a lovely evening and the stars twinkled knowingly as cupid stormed more than one citadel on the walk homeward.

J. I. Payne received a message from a merchant at Longworth this morning for a casket for a small child that had died there. The name of the parents of the child was not given.

GOVERNOR SIGNS THE NEW BILL

Austin, Feb. 15.—Governor Ferguson has signed the bill creating the West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college, which carries an appropriation of \$500,000.

The bill is now complete, having been passed first in the house, then in the senate by a vote of 19 for to five against.

An amendment to the bill provides that in the event the governor, who is made a member of the locating commission, cannot act, that he may appoint a substitute to act in his stead.

The college is to be located in that portion of West Texas lying west of the ninety-eighth meridian and north of the thirtieth parallel. The bill carries the emergency clause.

WILL CALL MEETING SOON

Upon receipt of the news of the passage of the bill by the senate for the establishment of the West Texas A. & M. College, and the assurance that the governor would sign the same at an early date, Dr. P. C. Coleman of this city, who is president of the campaign committee, said he would call a meeting of that committee at some central point, soon after the adjournment of the present session of the legislature.

Now that the establishment of this institution is assured many other towns than those avowedly already in the lists, will hoist their lighting rods in the hope that the locating commission may strike them.—Colorado Record.

PIE AND CAKE SALE

The Ladies Aid of the First Presbyterian church will hold a bake sale at the Southern Mercantile store on Saturday Feb. 17th beginning at 10 o'clock A. M. and closing at 6 P. M. They will have pies, cakes and candy. Don't miss this sale.

The People's Store

We Keep the Price Down

Large shipment of Shoes just received. These were all bought before the advance, and we can save you money on your shoe purchases. Many other goods coming in, and we are crowded for room. Come and buy now while the prices are down. Prices will advance when present supply is sold out.

LADIES SPRING SUITS

New Spring Suits are coming in now, and are selling fast, they are all beauties and the prices are very moderate.

NEW SPRING WAISTS

Special lot new spring Waists for a few days only, we will sell \$1.50 Waists at only \$1.19 Ladies Waists new line beautiful \$2.00 sellers for a few days only on sale at \$1.48

LADIES SILK WAISTS ON SPECIAL SALE

\$6.00 Crepe de Chine Waists \$4.95
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CLEAN SWEEP SALE MEN'S SUITS

\$25.00 Suits now \$17.50
 \$22.50 Suits now \$16.85
 \$20.00 Suits now \$14.85
 \$18.00 Suits now \$13.48
 \$15.00 Suits now \$11.45
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MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS SPECIAL SALE

I big lot \$1.25 shirts new spring line on sale for a few days at 95c All winter underwear, wool shirts sweaters, corduroy pants at Reduced Prices. See our line of Phoenix Silk Hosiery. It wears.

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BIG LAND CASE IS SETTLED

A case of much interest in the Midland country was passed up on Wednesday by the Supreme Court. This was the case of Mrs. Edith Poole vs. J. T. Robison, commissioner, et al., pending on motion to file petition for mandamus to compel the Commissioner of the Land Office to award four tracts of University land in Andrews County to Mrs. Edith Poole. The court refused permission to file the suit, thus holding that the university lands could not be awarded to the petitioner.

Many files have been made on university lands in Andrews county, depending upon a favorable result of this suit for the petitioner and the effect of this decision is to hold that persons so filing have no rights to award and they will have to move off.

The settlers were represented by the Hon. Chas. Gibbs, now judge of the 70th judicial district, and Chas. Rogan, of Austin, and Clayton Bros., whose lease was attacked, were represented by Hons. J. M. Caldwell of Midland, and N. A. Stedman, of Austin.

The effect of this decision will be to set at rest the leases of the university land until some future law is enacted, providing for the sale thereof.

It may be further stated that almost all of the university land mentioned above has been settled upon by various persons, especially of Midland and Andrews counties, and many of the big ranches of the country had been placed in jeopardy thereby. Beside the Clayton Bros' ranch, commonly known as Clabber Hill, among others affected are the O. B. Holt ranch, the Scharbauer Cattle Company's "5WLS" ranch, the J. S. Means ranch, and some that we do not at present recall. Some settlers have

filed and lived on these lands as long as 8 or 10 months, and the court's decision affects them more or less seriously.

Settlers filed under the law of 1887, and under the lapped lease claim, which has been held invalid by the supreme court's decision. The opinion of the court, if it has been given in detail, would be of interest, but The Reporter goes to press before same can be obtained in the event, even, that one has been given. The telegram that conveys the above information is merely a decision, settling, for the present, the matter of the sale of university lands.

In passing, however, we wish to congratulate the Honorable J. M. Caldwell, whose decision, almost three years ago, is in exact accord with that of the Supreme Court.—Midland Reporter.

GOOD RAIN

Walter Boothe is in the city today from his ranch south of town. He reports about 3-4 inch of rain first of the week out his way and that the fall was even greater down around Maryneal where more than one inch is reported to have fallen. Mr. Boothe says many people out his way will sow spring oats right away as it is thought the danger of a freeze has about passed.

CHARLEY NOYES DEAD; RESULT HORSE FALLING

(Ballinger Ledger.)
 Charley Noyes, the nineteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Noyes, died at Brady Sunday morning at five o'clock from injury sustained when a horse fell on him late Friday afternoon. The news of the death was received in Ballinger shortly after it occurred and brought sorrow to the friends of this family in Ballinger, where they have made their home for a good part of the time during the past few years.

From the best information obtainable it seems that Charley was working with cattle on his father's ranch six miles east of Melvin, and was driving cattle on a horse when his horse ran over a calf, or the calf ran in front of the horse, tripping his mount, and in the fall the young man's neck was dislocated. He was hurriedly carried to Brady for medical attention, but the injury was of such nature that all the medical skill in the world could not have saved his life.

W. E. Roberts returned from an extended visit to his grand parents at Rio Vista, Johnson County. He also visited other points and reports a general good time. He says they are having an abundance of rain there.

MONDAY and McMURRY for PLUMBING

Opposite Post Office Phone 3-3-4