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## LANIN RAILROAD---SAN ANGELO TO STERLING CITY---IS NOW ASSURED

### Something Slightly in Excess of \$17,000 Raised in Less Than One Hour Wednesday Afternoon at Citizens' Mass Meeting, Running Subscriptions up to About \$43,000—Lanin Says Work on Line Will Begin By August 1st.

### BANKS WILL BUY SHEEP

GOES TO CALIFORNIA, WHERE HE WILL SPEND TWO MONTHS MAKING PURCHASES.

### INTRODUCE NEW BREED

Count Country Produces Much Better Grade Than Can Be Obtained Here, He Says—Means Business.

"I'm going to bring back a bunch of sheep from California that will make San Angelo people open their eyes," said D. T. Hanks, who left Wednesday for San Francisco to rejoin his family. "The California sheep are certainly an improvement on the Texas breed, and I am going to introduce them in our country. I expect to spend the summer out there, but will be back by September."

Mr. Hanks is one of this section's premier sheep and cattle men and undoubtedly knows whereof he speaks. California is noted as a fine sheep country, where they graze on a thousand hills, and it may be of great advantage to the sheep raisers of this country, this innovation of Mr. Hanks'.

### Runaway Accident.

In a runaway at Mertzton Thursday Mrs. Frank Russell was slightly injured. Mr. and Mrs. Russell went out a few days ago to camp on Spring creek, near Mertzton, and were driving a big white covered hack near the springs when the horses became unmanageable and the hack was overturned. Mrs. Russell and the baby were thrown out.

### COLLECTS BILL LEAVES TOWN

TOM CODE ARRESTED ON WARRANT CHARGING HIM WITH SWINDLING \$523.

### RELEASED ON BOND

Examining Trial Set for Thursday Morning—Dream Warns Sheriff to Make Inquiry Which Led to Arrest.

Tom Code, formerly connected with the Concho Mill and Grain company, was arrested at Miles Wednesday by Constable Dellinger of that city, on a warrant charging him with swindling the firm out of \$523. Immediately upon receiving intelligence of the arrest Sheriff McConnell, accompanied by Justice of the Peace M. O. Davis and J. Struff of the Concho Mill and Grain company, left for Miles in an auto and returned before noon with prisoner.

According to A. J. Struff, Tom Code has his interest in their business today and his connections with the firm were completely severed. On Monday, the day preceding the sale, he claimed that Code collected a bill \$23 from James Shield in the name of the company, giving him a cash draft on the bill. This amount, according to members of the firm, was turned in, and Wednesday morning Code engaged a rig from the San Angelo Livery stable and left town. The rig was made Wednesday afternoon in the sum of \$1000. The examining trial will take place Thursday morning.

Code is well known in San Angelo, having been connected with the Concho Mill and Grain company with A. Struff and J. E. Robbins.

A peculiar incident attached to the case is the statement made by A. J. Struff in regard to a peculiar dream he had on the night in which he received a message that Code had collected this bill Wednesday morning and that the dream had come true that Code had really collected the bill.

"Do or die" seemed to be the slogan of the citizens' mass meeting at the Yale theater Wednesday evening. From the actions of a majority of the sturdy San Angeliotes present it was early apparent that there would be no dithering, for most of them showed their true colors and caused the old-time spirit of the citizens to assert itself.

George E. Webb, president of the First National bank and chairman of the Business club railroad committee, called the meeting to order. Mr. Webb in his customary graceful manner stated the object of the gathering and told as briefly as possible why it was up to San Angelo citizens to dig deep down into their pockets to raise a total sum of nearly \$50,000 to accept the proposition made by J. J. Lanin to build a road from here to Sterling City. Mr. Webb then suggested a secretary. The names of Maurice E. Hornish and N. S. Rives were offered in nomination for secretary. Mr. Rives gracefully withdrew in favor of Mr. Hornish, who was chosen. J. D. Rawls was then unanimously chosen as assistant secretary.

Mr. Webb then again addressed the gathering and told what was needed in the way of money and right of way. He showed his sincerity in his remarks and told plainly and simply why it was up to San Angelo citizens to show their colors. He put the matter before the meeting so frankly and with such oratorical ease that he had convinced all that the crucial moment was at hand. He told why he had not taken such a great interest in a former proposition to build a railroad up the North Concho valley. At that time he said he did not have faith in the proposition, but he added that he now had faith in this one and was anxious to see the road constructed, for he believed that it meant a great deal to San Angelo. He pictured the future of the road and what it really means to this city.

"Mr. Lanin expects to sign his contract by the 15th," said Mr. Webb, "and his associates have announced that all papers must be sent to headquarters by the 20th."

"This road that Mr. Lanin proposes to build will not stop at Sterling City. It will develop into a great system, running from the northeast to the southeast, and connecting this city with San Antonio and the gulf."

"All this has kept San Angelo from being much larger than it is today is the lack of railroad facilities. The people of this town have never yet fallen down on a thing of this kind, and I am sure that they will not do it now."

Col. Andrew J. Baker was then called by the audience, and stepping to the front of the platform made one of his usual soul-stirring addresses, although he admitted he was not trying to make a speech at all. When the colonel gets right down to business in the oratorical line something has got to come, and come it did. One of the audience asked him to "give 'em a little ginger," and the colonel handed it out. He gave them not only ginger, but he gave them much food for thought and sketched in words two pictures. One was of the desolate San Angelo of two or three years from now should the citizens permit the North Concho valley road to slip by; the other was a picture of what San Angelo might expect should her citizens rally to the occasion and raise the money needed.

He told of how a cackling gander saved Rome, and he repeated the words of Lord Nelson, the great English admiral, to his men just before the English navy was about to go to battle. Lord Nelson said: "England expects every man to do his duty." Mr. Baker said that San Angelo expected every man to do his duty, and that to shirk it was an unpardonable offense. The colonel told of the people of the south forty years ago when many disagreed with each other, and how when the moment for action came they were united and went forth to do their best. He compared these things with what San Angelo had done in the past and put all on notice that they could do it again.

He quoted Patrick Henry on his celebrated remark about being patriotic and the price of liberty. Mr. Baker told also about the farmer and the planting of seed, as well as about the person who does not eat food and thus makes blood. He pictured what would happen to San Angelo should

In less than one hour Wednesday afternoon at the citizens' rally, San Angelo raised \$17,000 for the J. J. Lanin railroad bonus. This, added to the \$26,000 previously reported, brings the sum up to \$43,000, leaving a balance of \$7000 still due. This could have been secured as easily as not before the meeting broke up had the committee known that the full amount had not been pledged. In fact, the subscriptions came in so fast that it was impossible to keep a complete record of them all. It is for the purpose of rechecking and obtaining an official count, therefore, that a meeting of the collecting committee has been called for Thursday morning.

San Angelo has demonstrated in no uncertain terms that it wants the Lanin railroad and is going to have it, too. It will be an easy matter to get the \$7000 still lacking, and the lists will be complete by Thursday afternoon, and Friday the contract should be signed.

Mr. Lanin has not yet received the signed contracts of Sterling City, Water Valley and Carlsbad, but it is thought everything will be settled Thursday, as each town has the money up.

Mr. Lanin is greatly pleased, and stated Wednesday night that he will begin the actual work of construction on Aug. 1, and that he will give the people along the line a ride for a Christmas gift.

Although Mr. Lanin only contracts to build from San Angelo to Sterling City, a distance of about forty-two miles, he has strongly intimated that he has far greater things in view. With forty-two miles of track laid, it will be an easy matter to bond the road and by that means a sufficient amount may be secured to make extensions. It is a well known fact that West Texas offers the greatest opportunities in the state at present for railroads, and some line, running from this section, is to seek a gulf connection. That road, most likely, will be constructed by Mr. Lanin.

this railroad slip away from the town and be constructed some few miles away. He explained what this railroad means and that he had no doubt that in time it would connect with Kerrville and be extended on the north to Denver, Col. Morgan Jones' road might extend around to some other town and other roads would come into San Angelo's trade territory and miss this city, but be sure to cut off its trade.

Continuing, Col. Baker said that in the early days citizens of San Angelo dug deep into their pockets and brought up \$10,000 for the Santa Fe. He pictured the early days as graphically as any man could, and then he pictured what San Angelo might be should this road slip by. The colonel said that the missing of the road would make San Angelo a very small city, and that property would lower greatly in value. He put it as straight as a man could ever talk, and his every word carried conviction to the minds and hearts of the several thousand patriotic listeners. The speaker called attention to the fact that this opportunity might be the last one to get a railroad which would mean as much to the city as the Lanin proposition. He pictured it all out so plain that the hearts of all the listeners immediately became convinced that the railroad was what San Angelo needed and should have, and that same spirit prevailed throughout the rest of the meeting. He explained several things regarding the proposed road and what the committees had been doing. At the conclusion of his spirited and pleading talk he was given a royal applause and the customary West Texas yell of exuberance. Mr. Baker increased his subscription.

Judge W. A. Wright was then called for. The judge was a little too modest and wanted to make a few remarks from his seat in the audience, but this was not to be permitted, and W. A. Guthrie escorted the brilliant attorney to the platform. Judge Wright handed the slow ones a few and scattered a little humor and a lot of good sense in his remarks. He said that he knew enough in Mr. Lanin's proposition to have faith in it and he believed that Lanin was the man to deliver the goods. He told of what other towns had done and what the Lanin road meant to San Angelo and that it would eventually be extended to other points, as shown in the visitation of delegations of delegations from other towns, anxious to have the road come to their cities. Judge Wright recited how the citizens of Sherman slept on on their rights when they had an opportunity to get the Katy road. The line went to Denison and so did the people. Dallas wholesale merchants are figuring on establishing branch houses at Sweetwater, he said, whereas if San Angelo gets a few more railroads this business will come here. The judge told how one merchant was afraid if the Sterling City road were constructed it would hurt his trade in San Angelo. "I remarked that there would be

enough additional ladies in the new trade territory which would be built up to more than offset his trade with the country people and the Sterling City people, and that there would be ladies enough to buy dresses to more than repay him for the loss he might incur."

The speaker drew a graphic picture of other towns dancing around San Angelo and getting roads and leaving poor old San Angelo far behind. He asked everybody to help and told why they should help. He said that all were keepers of the town and it was up to them; that no live town was a place for mossbacks, and most certainly San Angelo was not. He compared the construction of railroads and the making of towns over Texas, citing Dallas and Fort Worth as two illustrations. The judge carried conviction in his words and things began to warm up considerably.

Col. John R. Nasworthy, that veteran old wheelhorse of San Angelo, was next called upon. Editor J. G. Murphy of the Standard escorted him to the platform. The colonel was "there" as usual. He stated plainly and bluntly that at first he had taken no interest in the proposition, but he had seen the error of his way and was now going to try to make reparation. He said that he had almost unintentionally handed out "cold turkey" on the proposition and that now he was sorry and was willing to make amends, as he saw that his friends were all interested, and what interested them most concerned him.

He also said that he had been paying during the past nine years for his interest in the Orient, but now he could see the time when he and the faithful others would soon be enjoying the profits of that investment and rejoice on account of it. He added that he had made many mistakes and had made and lost money in San Angelo. He also added that he was willing to try it again and that he was going to increase his subscription to this road, as he had a year to make it in. The colonel also said that he didn't own a foot of ground in San Angelo except his home place, and he was sure he was not selfish enough to think the road would not benefit his property south of town as much as it would benefit those who owned property north of the city. He didn't care for the road, but he wanted to help the town. He asked that all spite feelings be buried and that the citizens get up and get the money. He suggested that he had a plan that he had figured out with the assistance of another man that was a good one, so he believed. His plan was that ten men increase, or give \$5000 each; twenty give \$2500; thirty give \$1000 each; forty give \$500 each, and fifty give \$250. Then the colonel added \$250 additional to his subscription.

The old warhorse was given a real and genuine West Texas round of applause when he had concluded.

Col. M. B. Pulliam arose and suggested that those who wished to sign

come up to the platform where they could be seen. At this point he was, himself, escorted to the platform by Col. L. L. Farr. Mr. Pulliam plainly stated with no attempt at an oratorical stunt, that the proposition was squarely up to these people and it was the most important proposition of the day. He said that San Angelo was destined to become the greatest city west of Fort Worth as well as the most substantial. He also said that securing the road meant that San Angelo would be a bigger and better town, and that not getting it would mean a great loss for San Angelo.

No sooner had the speaker concluded his remarks than things began to warm up in great style. M. L. Mertz arose and subscribed \$1500 for the San Angelo National bank. Col. C. C. Walsh doubled for the second time his individual subscription, making it total \$500. Then others started and in a moment Chairman Webb, the secretary and his assistant and the members of the various committees scattered about and subscriptions of almost every sum came bounding in, and in less than an hour from the beginning of the meeting nearly \$17,000 had been raised. All took an active part and everyone present seemed to be willing to give as best their means would permit.

At this point Jerry Rust of the local telephone company was forced upon the stage by some of the railroad enthusiasts and called upon for a speech. Mr. Rust stated that the Telephone company had dug up about all it could for the proposition. However, he urged others to do their share. Mr. Rust then withdrew from the platform amid cheers, and later announced that he would double his subscription.

During the excitement of getting the subscriptions and at the close of this work several resolutions were offered and adopted. A vote of thanks was tendered C. J. Coggin for the use of the Yale theater; thanks were tendered L. N. Snow and Loftin Henderson for the use of their automobiles, and to the band boys for the excellent music given in and outside the hall, for meeting, as well as thanks for all who had in any way aided in the meeting. It was also suggested and so ordered by Chairman Webb that all the committees meet in the directors' room of the First National bank at 9 o'clock Thursday morning. He especially urged that the members of the various committees attend this meeting and to be sure and bring their subscription lists with them. At this meeting all sheets will be carefully checked over and the exact amount raised will be positively ascertained. Several lists have not yet been turned in, and it is expected that this will make the total amount a little more than \$43,000. For this reason The Press-News is unable to publish the entire amount subscribed and who subscribed it.

The amounts subscribed and the names of the subscribers which were given at the great mass meeting of Wednesday evening are given below. In the haste and excitement of the moment some of the names and amounts may be incorrect. If this should be so in anyone's case it is desired that the proper committee be notified the first thing Thursday morning. Some on the list below added to their former subscriptions, while others are new subscriptions:

W. E. Newton company \$150, W. D. Currier \$25, Wright & Wynn \$100, W. S. Cunningham \$50, Dwight L. Hunter \$25, J. W. Moore \$25, J. C. Sempres \$50, L. L. Shepherd \$25, R. L. Gibson \$25, Hawley Allen \$25, W. H. Shaw \$25, A. P. Johnson \$25, Walter Foreman \$5, J. B. Sanders \$25, San Angelo Realty company \$250, B. F. Cornelsen \$25, W. F. Mauldin \$25, O. C. Simmons \$10, Bank Barber shop \$25, Kirtley Watson \$25, Sam Jones \$15, Standard employment \$25, Shipman & Izard \$50, J. A. Burns \$10, S. H. Hills, 25 hogs at \$10 each; F. E. Miller \$25, San Angelo Business college \$50, L. H. Brightman \$30, A. J. Baker \$75.80, John R. Nasworthy \$350, M. B. Pulliam \$500, T. H. McCloskey \$250, San Angelo National bank \$1500, C. C. Walsh \$250, San Angelo Bank and Trust company \$1500, E. E. Bailey \$500 (conditional or approval of street car company), W. B. Hunter \$43, Broome, Farr and Lee \$85, J. G. Murphy \$100, Walker-Smith

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### NEW CARS FOR ST. R. R. LINES

ST. LOUIS AGENT ARRIVES HERE FRIDAY FOR PURPOSE OF TAKING ORDER FOR THEM.

### OUTLOOK IS BRIGHT

E. E. Bailey Predicts That the System Will Be in Operation Within Less Than Sixty Days from Today.

Promoter Bailey of the San Angelo Traction company is vigorously declaring that in less than sixty days at the very outside the good people of San Angelo—and all others besides—will be hearing the clang of the motorman's gong and will be asking to be let off on this or that street.

"A street car man—that is, a fellow who sells the real cars—will be here from St. Louis Friday and the chances are that we will contract for additional rolling stock for our company," said Mr. Bailey in telling of his plans.

### In His Merry Auto.

Sheriff John Allison of Sutton county was in San Angelo Wednesday en route home from a trip to Mineral Wells, where he left his family. Mr. Allison will return to Mineral Wells as quickly as he concludes some important business that brought him here. On his go-back he used his automobile, and he declares that hook-horning it to the watering place is a slight more agreeable than making it on the choo-choo cars.

Miss Mamie Meers of the Standard left Wednesday for a vacation at Corpus Christi.

### DIES AT AGE OF SIXTY-NINE

MRS. MARY ANN JOHNSON, POST-MISTRESS AT FORT STOCKTON, ONE OF EARLY SETTLERS.

### SHE LED USEFUL LIFE

Came to Texas in 1856, Having Resided in Old Boston, Jefferson and Colorado City—Pecos County Thrown into Gloom.

Fort Stockton, July 13.—Fort Stockton and Pecos county is thrown into gloom over the death of Mrs. Mary Ann Johnson, one of the earliest settlers of Pecos county, who died here Saturday afternoon from an acute case of cholera morbus.

At her death Mrs. Johnson was 69 years, 9 months and 14 days old.

At the age of 5 years she crossed the waters from London, where she was born, and settled in the then small town of St. Louis, Mo. On the 26th day of August, 1856, Mrs. Johnson (nee Miss Mary Ann Kelly) was married to George W. Johnson and immediately afterward moved to Old Boston, Texas, and afterward to Jefferson, Texas, where her husband engaged in the mercantile business, which he pursued for several years. In about 1885 Mr. Johnson, with his family, moved to Colorado, Texas, where in 1887 Mr. Johnson died, leaving a widow and four children.

Mrs. Johnson being thus thrown upon her resources, with the exception of a small estate, and having a son then a young lawyer of this place, moved to him, and lived here until her death.

Mrs. Johnson always led an active life, refusing aid except when it was thrust upon her, though her son, Howell Johnson, an attorney of wide acquaintance, and Mrs. John Odum were always ready to administer to her wants, she preferred to look after herself until the last.

During the first year of President Cleveland's second term Mrs. Johnson was appointed postmistress of the postoffice at Fort Stockton, which position she held without complaint until her death.

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## ON TO STERLING CITY.

Gee! But wasn't the San Angelo spirit fairly seething at the big rally at the Yale theater Wednesday afternoon?

The splendid demonstration of faith in the future of this city made on that occasion means that THE LANIN ROAD WILL BE BUILT.

Put that in your pipe. Smoke it. Chew on it if you want to. Lanin has the means at his disposal and the people here have called his hand.

The people who subscribed at the rally did not make a donation. It was either an investment for defense or for progress. Those who have property will at least prevent the value of such holdings from falling below what is now the case. That's the pessimistic view to take of the situation.

The Press-News prefers to look on the brighter side of the picture. The Press-News believes that the building of this road will mean the dawning of brighter days for San Angelo. The Press-News believes that when this line is built the North Concho valley will be locked to San Angelo, not only with bonds of love, but with hoops of steel. Trade follows the inclination, all things else being equal. It is the natural inclination for the people of the North Concho valley to want to trade with San Angelo, and San Angelo will in the future, as has been the case in the past, always see that all things else are equal.

But the greatest lesson to be drawn from the meeting is that San Angelo has never yet touched the powers she has at her command. A united force composed of such sterling, determined people could move mountains, turn the flow of rivers or cause prosperity to spring from despair and desolation. United into one force, moving all the time, with the momentum and the enthusiasm that marked the meeting Wednesday, if the city building forces of San Angelo could only keep up the tempo—if they only could!

It was a great occasion. It marks an epoch in the future of San Angelo. Like in Fort Worth the talk of the Old Guard is of the time when souls had to be secured before shekels could be secured for bonuses, so in the future years will the Old Guard of this city walk about the occasion when the Lanin road was insured to this city.

Much remains yet to be done. But the start has been made. The first and the second and the third mile-posts have been passed. The others will be cared for when they are reached.

And now that victory is in sight and is within grasp, let us felicitate ourselves upon the opportunities at hand and upon the good fortune that has favored them in locating among us such doers of things.

Now that the Orient is in sight; the Lanin road is secured, let's take up the trade excursion proposition. With these additional lines of transportation, additional competition will be encountered by San Angelo. All things else being equal, San Angelo can secure the trade of this additional territory. The overland trade excursion will go a long way toward making all things else equal.

Sing in glad some shouts: "On to Sterling City!" for the hosanna has taken on a new meaning and is vibrate with a great hope.

With hogs selling on the Fort Worth market for close on \$7 a hundred it would pretty nearly pay a lot of people to swap off whiteface cattle for pigs.

A dispatch from Darkest Africa says that Roosevelt is short of food. Betcher as long as he gets a dollar a throw for them he will never be short on words.

Don Louis J. Wortham, the most eloquent man in the state and a statesman of the constructive school, is coming to the mayors' convention. Now for the silver notes and rhythmic rounding of well fashioned sentences. Wortham can put 'em over every pop.

Let The Press-News get it for you.

## I TOLD YOU SO.

(Contributed.)

Now all you scheming villages Go 'way back and sit down. San Angelo has proven sure That she's the only town. You've been laughing in your sleeve. But now's our time to crow. We knew that bonus would be raised; Why, yes, I told you so.

And little sister Miles came 'round And kind o' figured some, Then let us know she'd like to have A finger in the plum. But Angelo just said "Go home; 'We're going to raise that dough.' Then she got busy and came through— But then I told you so.

And Midland cried out for a slice, Big Springs and Stanton, too, And Colorado City yawned And interested grew. But Angelo, she just kept on A-digging up the dough. We knew that bonus would be raised— Why, yes, I told you so.

Adown the years not distant far: I see a vision grand— A city rising in her might, The fairest in the land. And through her gates a ceaseless stream Of intellect will flow; Then we'll sit back and laugh and laugh And say "I told you so."

## Robber Uses Bicycle to Make Escape

Everett, Wash., July 13.—A lone bandit held up Assistant Cashier E. C. Olsen of the Bank of Commerce, shortly before the bank closed, wounded Cashier J. L. Lyon and escaped with a few hundred dollars, the exact amount not being known.

The robber, who was unmasked, escaped on a bicycle, which he appears to have hidden in the vicinity of the bank. He rode to the north end of the city and from there went to the water front, where pursuers found a satchel in which the robber had carried his loot. Fifteen dollars was left in it.

When the bandit entered the bank he thrust two revolvers into Olsen's face, and commanding him to throw up his hands, laid down one gun, seized all the money in reach and placed it in the satchel. The thief paid no attention to a few customers in the bank.

Cashier Lyon, who was in the rear of the building, ran out the back way and around to the front door, where he caught the robber and grappled with him. The robber shot three times, one bullet passing through Lyon's jaw and neck, making a serious wound. He then fled, both Lyon and Olson shooting at him. The thief's hat was shot off and it is believed he was slightly wounded.

A few moments later he was seen on the bicycle frantically riding away.

Buy it of Cos-Hart, drugs.

## CHRISTOVAL'S SCHOOL.

Waller, Shaw & Fields, the architects, have about completed the plans for the new school building at Christoval. This will be a magnificent structure of brick, fashioned after the Central school of this city.

Some complication has ensued with the contractors, who declare that the building as now planned can not be erected for less than \$10,000. Only \$7,000 has been raised at Christoval for its erection, but the citizens declare that the remaining \$3,000 can be raised.

This is a splendid structure for such a little town as Christoval to put up, and is a tribute to the good sense of its citizens, inasmuch as they realize that education is a matter of primal importance. They are of the opinion likewise that Christoval was not destined simply to remain a small wayside town. They are dreaming dreams of the days when Christoval will be a "city of skyscrapers."

Bids are now being advertised for.

Buy it of Cos-Hart, drugs.

## Those Who Are Coming.

Mayor Paul received several letters Wednesday dealing with the mayors' convention to be held here next week. Below is a list of those who promised, through, those letters, to be here:

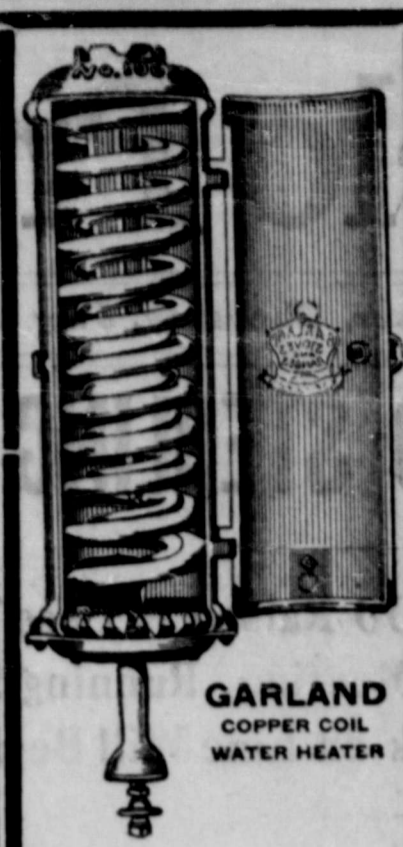
Hon. Cone Johnson, Tyler; W. D. D. Davis, Louis J. Wortham, Heppner Blackman and Carl Crow of Fort Worth; L. B. Platt, Cisco; A. C. Perker of Midland and Geo. D. Lee of Big Springs.

Louis J. Wortham, Heppner Blackman and Carl Crow, who are to accompany Mayor Davis in an automobile trip to San Angelo, are with the Star-Telegram. They will start Saturday.

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company \$1000, J. W. Hill \$500, J. E. Douglas \$150, L. O. Hicks \$100, March Bros. \$500, L. F. Heltzer \$100, Hatcher addition \$500, W. M. Crutchfield \$100, E. C. Perry \$500, W. R. Woodall \$42, R. S. Henderson \$100, J. S. Shupert \$300, George E. Webb \$350, G. W. Shield \$50, T. C. Wynn \$102, S. S. Kistler \$100, D. C. McCaleb of Press-News \$200, O. E. Stevens \$50, J. T. Garrett & Co. \$50, Chas. T. Paul \$100, C. H. Tupper \$50, W. C. Johnson \$100, J. P. Andersen \$50, San Angelo Sewer company \$50, Household Furniture company \$15, Dr. Yates \$50, B. S. Head \$50, J. P. Sewell \$25, M. A. Lightfoot \$50, C. W. Hobbs \$250, R. C. Ledford \$30, G. H. Cumberland \$50, C. R. Fox & Co. \$25, E. A. Hartman \$25, J. W. Relley \$50, Henry Schroeder \$100, G. W. Snyder \$50, S. W. Merchant \$50, B. L. Thorne \$50, Dr. A. T. Mayfield \$25, T. M. Vaughan \$50, Jack Brick \$10, C. R. Hallmark \$10, J. V. Clements \$10, E. M. Taylor \$10, Sam Henshaw \$20, D. J. Burke \$30, T. M. Cannon \$25, W. P. Humphrey \$100, Pat Conway \$10, Dr. F. R. Baker \$10, T. S. Mason \$250, Lester Wheeler \$10, Walter S. Robertson \$25, S. H. Jenkins \$5, W. R. Hughes \$10, Ivan J. Curtissinger \$5, Edgar S. Hamilton \$250, E. O. Kerr \$10, W. B. Clark \$50, T. E. West \$25, R. H. Rainey & Co. \$25, Dr. DeLong \$25, P. W. West \$25, J. L. Parchman \$25, Rev. J. W. Howell \$25, P. T. Jack \$25, Dr. C. T. Cooper \$25, E. A. Beyette \$25, T. M. Rawls \$25, Loftin Henderson \$25, J. L. Clore \$25, Dr. Nibling \$50, Lawson O. Dalley \$25, W. E. Caldwell \$50, Austin Spencer \$50, T. W. Taylor \$25, J. D. Hassell (conditional) \$25, M. M. Boynton \$25, Garden & Farr \$50, T. J. Clegg \$500, R. M. Hanks \$25, Mark Williams \$25, A. A. McGill \$50, W. C. Nolte \$50, R. P. Smith \$25, Dr. T. K. Proctor \$50, Maurice E. Hornish \$25, E. T. Jett \$25, J. E. and E. E. Garnett \$42, Mrs. J. S. Bailey and J. A. Williams are each to give 2 per cent of their last year's assessment. The total raised at the meeting was close to \$16,917.

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## Business Notice.

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

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## MORGAN JONES ROAD.

First Passenger Coach Over New Line Ran into Winters Wednesday.

R. A. Hall returned Wednesday from a trip to Ballinger and Winters with the latest intelligence about the Morgan Jones railroad.

"The first passenger train was run into Winters on a mixed train today," he said. "The road was completed to Winters about a week ago and they have been running freights, but this is the first passenger coach betw n Abilene and Winters. The people are much enthused and think they are coming to the front right off."

"The work between Winters and Ballinger is progressing at a great clip and it will not be long before the trains are running into Ballinger."

"It is the intention of the men behind this road to extend it further and make a trunk line of it."

"Things down at Ballinger are lovely. Everybody is smiling and progress is being made rapidly along many lines."

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All kinds of grain and hay at Neely Bros'.

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Cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic troubles; sold by all druggists or two months treatment by mail, for \$1.00. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St. St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials.

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Ice cold melons to take home, at the Angelo.

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Gus Weathered went to Miles Wednesday on business.

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

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W. C. Blanks went to Austin Wednesday on legal matters.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sheldon went to Ballinger Wednesday on a visit.

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**Purity Accuracy Promptness**  
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Our drugs are pure, are fresh, our compounding is accurate and is done by skilled pharmacists and we do not keep you waiting for your prescriptions.  
Are not these essentials deserving of your consideration?  
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### Standing of the Clubs.

	P'd.	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Antonio	\$1	49	39	.605
Houston	\$7	48	39	.552
Dallas	\$8	48	40	.545
Shreveport	\$4	46	38	.548
Oklahoma City	\$2	42	40	.521
Fort Worth	\$6	39	47	.453
Waco	\$8	37	51	.432
Galveston	\$7	34	53	.390

### WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS.

#### At Galveston.

	R.	H.	E.
San Antonio	10	13	1
Galveston	3	6	4

Batteries: San Antonio, Miller and Schan; Galveston, Johnson and Quisser and Robb.

#### At Houston.

	R.	H.	E.
Waco	4	5	3
Houston	1	6	1

Batteries: Waco, Herbert and White; Houston, Blakeney and Killifer.

#### At Fort Worth.

	R.	H.	E.
Dallas	5	8	5
Fort Worth	6	14	4

Batteries: Dallas, Peters, Onslow and Maloney; Fort Worth, Sorrells, Burke and Powell.

#### At Oklahoma City.

Off day.



## SPECIALS

Austin, \$10.80, July 7th to 14th, limit July 21st.  
Lampasas, \$6.20, July 21st limit, August 2nd.  
Lampasas, \$5.80, July 24, limit two days.  
Palacios, \$14.50, July 12th and 13th, limit July 24th.  
San Antonio, \$15.15, August 9th, limit August 15th.  
Waco \$9.40, July 11th, limit July 18th.

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Get the Genuine with Figure "3" in Red on Front Label.

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 One Time.....One Cent a Word  
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### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A splendid little business well located and paying nicely. Rent \$30. Price \$700. J. C. Wren.

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

FOR SALE—Cheap, good rubber tire surrey. \$50. See R. A. Rushing.

BRICK for sale. San Angelo Brick Manufacturing company.

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

FOR SALE—Nearly new 5-room frame house, with bath, galleries and modern conveniences, city water, barn, etc. House nicely finished. Situated in Angelo Heights, on lot 70x160 feet. Will sell cheap and take two or three good lots in on deal. Can give some terms. Address, Owner care Press-News.

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

### WANTED.

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

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

WANTED—A cook. Phone 503 red.

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

WANTED—To figure with you on cisterns. Phone me at Angelo House. C. B. Harrigan.

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

WANTED—To do your hauling. Quick service, careful drivers. Especial attention to trunks and baggage. J. M. Miller, residence phone 633 green; office phone 48.

### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Several good houses close in. W. H. Collins. Phone 378. Spence Building.

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

FOR RENT—Two or three nice large rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 679.

### LOST AND FOUND.

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

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

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

### PERSONAL.

CONTRACTORS—Sealed bids will be received at the First National bank, San Angelo, until 2 p. m., July 24, for the erection of a two-story stone and brick school building at Christoval, Texas. Certified check for \$200 required and right reserved to reject any and all bids. Plans on file at architect's office, Waller, Shaw & Field, Shupert building, San Angelo, and at office of secretary of board of trustees, Jas. Ford, Christoval.

DR. E. R. FORBES, V. S.—Veterinarian, having closed his office at the stock yards, Fort Worth, until October 1, will practice in San Angelo until that time. Riverside Hotel, Oakes street; phone 299.

MAN AND WIFE without means want employment as housekeeper, at home work or work of any kind; one or both. Address X, Press-News.

In warm weather Prickly Ash Bitters helps your staying qualities. Workers who use it occasionally stand the heat better and are less fatigued at night. Central Drug Store, special agent.

### STILL SUBSCRIBING.

W. E. Newton Company Signs up for Donation of \$150.

"When we go over the lists Thursday morning we will find that practically all of the bonus money has been secured," said a member of the soliciting committee Wednesday afternoon. "However, if we are a little bit shy, the remainder will be forthcoming."

"Several prominent business men could not attend the rally, and they are to be heard from. As an example, W. E. Newton company subscribed \$150 Wednesday following the meeting. Mr. Newton could not be present when the fun was going on, but as soon as he heard what had happened he went right after our list. We will find several others who are only waiting for an opportunity."

Buy it of Cos-Hart, druggs.

# The Man From Brodney's

By GEORGE BARR M'GUTCHEON

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According to his own records, the chateau, fashioned quite closely after a famous structure in France, was designed and built by La Marche, the ill-fated French architect who was lost at sea in the wreck of the Vendome. Three years and more than \$700,000—to make it seem more prodigious, nearly 18,000,000 francs—were consumed in its building.

Apartment suits for a king abounded. Suits which took one back to the luxuries of Marie Antoinette were common. Banquet halls, ballrooms, reception halls, a chapel and even a crypt were to be found if one undertook a voyage of discovery.

Lord and Lady Deppingham, being first in the field, at once proceeded to settle themselves in the choicest rooms—a Henry VI. suit, which looked out on the sea and the town as well. It is said that Wreckholme slept there twice, while Skaggs looked in perhaps half a dozen times—when he was lost in the building and trying to find his way back to familiar haunts.

There was not a sign of a servant about the house or grounds. The men whom Bowles had engaged carried the luggage to the rooms which Lady Deppingham selected and then vanished as if into space.

"They say these Americans are a wonderful people, my lord," ventured Mr. Bowles. "I dare say when Mr. and Mrs. Browne arrive they'll have some way of—"

"Browne!" cried her ladyship. "This very evening I shall give orders concerning the rooms they are to occupy. I suppose, however, that the rooms we have taken are the best?"

"The choicest, my lady," said Bowles, bowing.

"See here, Mr.—er—old chap, don't you think you can induce the servants to come back to us? By Jove, I'll make it worth your while."

"What are we to do?" wailed Lady Agnes, sitting down suddenly upon the edge of a fountain.

"You see, my lady, they take the position that you have no right here," volunteered Bowles. "They've got the ridiculous idea into their heads that you can't be the heiress unless Lord Deppingham passes away inside of a year, and—"

"I'm— if I do!" roared the perspiring obstacle. "I'm not so obliging as that, let me tell you. If it comes to that, what sort of ass do they think I'd be to come away out here to pass away? London's good enough for any man to die in."

"You are not going to die, Deppy," said his wife consolingly, "unless you starve to death," she supplemented, with an expressive moan.

### CHAPTER VII.

#### THE BROWNES ARRIVE.

CONTRARY to all expectations, the Browns arrived the next morning. The Deppinghams and their miserably frightened servants were scarcely out of bed when Saunders came in with the news that a steamer was standing off the shallow harbor. Bowles had telephoned up that the American claimant was on board.

The deepest gloom pervaded the household when Lady Deppingham discovered that not one of their retinue knew how to make coffee or brew bacon—not that she cared for bacon, but that his lordship always asked for it when they did not have it.

Bromley upset the last peg of endurance by hoping that the Americans were bringing a cook and a housemaid with them.

"The Americans always travel like lords," she concluded, forgetting that she served a lord and not in the least intending to be ironical.

"That will do, Bromley," said her mistress sharply. "If they're like most Americans I've seen they'll have nothing but wet nurses and chauffeurs. I can't eat this vile stuff. Come on, Deppy. Let's go up and watch the approach of the enemy."

Scarcely half an hour passed before the advance guard of the Browne company came into view at the park gates below. Deppingham recalled the fact that an hour and a half had been consumed in the accomplishment yesterday. He was keeping a sharp lookout for the magic red jacket and the Tommy Atkins lid. Quite secure from observation, he and his wife watched the forerunners with the hand bags; then came the sweating trunk bearers and then crated objects in—what? Yes, by the Lord Harry, in the very carts that had been their private chariots the day before!

Deppingham's wrath did not really explode until the two were gazing open-mouthed upon Robert Browne and his wife and his maid-servants and his am, for that was the name which his lordship subsequently applied, with

no moderation, to the unfortunate gentleman who served as Mr. Browne's attorney. The Americans were being swiftly, cozily carried to their new home in hatters of oriental comfort and elegance, fanned vigorously from both sides by eager boys. First came the Brownes, eager faced, bright eyed, alert young people, far better looking than their new enemies could conscientiously admit under the circumstances; then the lawyer from the States; then a pert young lady in a pink shirt waist and a sailor hat; then two giggling, utterly un-English maids, and all of them lolling in luxurious ease. The red jacket was conspicuously absent.

It is not to be wondered at that his lordship looked at his wife, gulped in sympathy and then said something memorable.

Almost before they could realize what had happened the newcomers were chattering in the spacious halls below, tramping about the rooms and giving orders in high, though apparently efficacious voices. Close at their heels trooped the servants, all of whom took part in the discussion incident to fresh discoveries. At last they came upon the great balcony, pausing just outside the French windows to exclaim anew in their delight.

"Great!" said the lawyer man after a full minute. "Finest I've ever seen! Isn't it a picture, Browne?"

"Glorious!" said young Mr. Browne, taking a long breath. The Deppinghams, sitting unobserved, saw that he was a tall, good looking fellow. They were unconsciously amused when he suddenly reached out and took his wife's hand in his big fingers. She was very trim and cool looking in her white duck.

"What does Baedeker say about it, Bobby?" asked Mrs. Browne. Her voice was very soft and full—the quiet, well modulated Boston voice and manner.

The pert girl in the pink waist opened a small portfolio, while the others gathered around her. She read therefrom. The lawyer drew a compass from his pocket and pointed vaguely into what proved to be the southwest.

"We must tell Lady Deppingham not to take the rooms at this end," was the next thing that the listeners heard from Mrs. Browne's lips. Her ladyship turned upon her husband with a triumphant sniff.

"What did I tell you," she whispered. "I knew they'd want the best of everything. Isn't it lucky I pounced upon these rooms? They shan't turn us out. You won't let 'em, will you, Deppy?"

"The impudence of 'em!" was all that Deppy could sputter.

At that moment the American party caught sight of the pair in the corner. For a brief space of time the two parties stared at each other, very much as the hunter and the hunted look when they come face to face without previous warning. Then a friendly, half-abashed smile lighted Browne's face.

"I beg your pardon," said Browne. "This is Lord Deppingham?"

"Yes," drawled Deppy, with a look which was meant to convey the impression that he did not know who the deuce he was addressing.

"Permit me to introduce myself. I am Robert Browne."

(To be continued.)

Mrs. W. S. McDonald and baby left Monday for Sherman to visit relatives, after which they will go to Kansas City to join Mr. MacDonald, who is now in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Nash, Jr., who have been camping out on Dove creek for the last few weeks, returned Wednesday to their home in Waco. They report a splendid time and excellent fishing.



The finest watch in the world is made in America. It is the Howard.

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**Divorced, She Works Him For Money**

Atlanta, July 13.—Alleging that his wife got a divorce from him and remarried while on a visit to Atlanta, though all the time she was writing him affectionate letters and asking him for money, Jacob Bloomer, a wealthy resident of Louisville, Ky., filed suit here for annulment of the divorce granted to his wife, who is now Mrs. Lucy Froelich. The second husband is a prominent Atlanta merchant.

Bloomer says that his wife came here in 1906 to visit relatives, and that she protracted the visit for two years. During that time, he says, his wife wrote him of the enjoyable visit she was having, professed her love for him and asked for money.

In one letter she said it was necessary to undergo an operation, for which \$500 was needed. Bloomer says promises to return continued and culminated in her setting January 22 of this year, his birthday, as the date of the homecoming. Bloomer says he prepared for feasting and merrymaking, but discovered just before the date fixed for her return that she got a divorce several months before and was then the wife of Froelich.

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Established 1890 by A. N. Gantt  
 Funeral Directors and Embalmers  
 Day Phone 11; Night Phones 920 and 99.

Fred Wills, one of the disbanded ball team, returned Wednesday to his home at West.

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

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



**Why Swelter?**

**Cook With GAS**

PHONE 76

And let us tell you what

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Keep your system in perfect order and you will have health, even in the most sickly seasons. The occasional use of Prickly Ash Bitters will insure vigor and regularity in all the vital organs. Central Drug Store, special agent.

Miss Eva Kirby left Wednesday to visit friends and relatives in Tyler and Waco.

If you have no appetite for your meals something is wrong with your digestion, liver or bowels. Prickly Ash Bitters cleanses and strengthens the stomach, purifies the bowels and creates appetite, vigor and cheerfulness. Central Drug Store, special agent.

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to special effort by "tonics" and "stimulants" doesn't cure anything, or accomplish any good. Neither does dieting. Indigestion and the serious ailments which it induces can be averted and corrected only by natural means.

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 We guarantee that if you use 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 is not valid in a family. The large bottle contains 24 times as much as the 5-cent bottle.  
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## ON TO STERLING CITY.

Geel! But wasn't the San Angelo spirit fairly seething at the big rally at the Yale theater Wednesday afternoon?

The splendid demonstration of faith in the future of this city made on that occasion means that THE LANIN ROAD WILL BE BUILT.

Put that in your pipe. Smoke it. Chew on it if you want to. Lanin has the means at his disposal and the people here have called his hand.

The people who subscribed at the rally did not make a donation. It was either an investment for defense or for progress. Those who have property will at least prevent the value of such holdings from falling below what is now the case. That's the pessimistic view to take of the situation.

The Press-News prefers to look on the brighter side of the picture. The Press-News believes that the building of this road will mean the dawning of brighter days for San Angelo. The Press-News believes that when this line is built the North Concho valley will be locked to San Angelo, not only with bonds of love, but with hoops of steel. Trade follows the inclination, all things else being equal. It is the natural inclination for the people of the North Concho valley to want to trade with San Angelo, and San Angelo will in the future, as has been the case in the past, always see that all things else are equal.

But the greatest lesson to be drawn from the meeting is that San Angelo has never yet touched the powers she has at her command. A united force composed of such sterling, determined people could move mountains, turn the flow of rivers or cause prosperity to spring from despair and desolation. United into one force, moving all the time, with the momentum and the enthusiasm that marked the meeting Wednesday, if the city building forces of San Angelo could only keep up the tense—if they only could!

It was a great occasion. It marks an epoch in the future of San Angelo. Like in Fort Worth the talk of the Old Guard is of the time when souls had to be scared before shekels could be secured for bonuses, so in the future years will the Old Guard of this city walk about the occasion when the Lanin road was insured to this city.

Much remains yet to be done. But the start has been made. The first and the second and the third mile-posts have been passed. The others will be cared for when they are reached.

And now that victory is in sight and is within grasp, let us felicitate ourselves upon the opportunities at hand and upon the good fortune that has favored them in locating among us such doers of things.

Now that the Orient is in sight; the Lanin road is secured, let's take up the trade excursion proposition. With these additional lines of transportation, additional competition will be encountered by San Angelo. All things else being equal, San Angelo can secure the trade of this additional territory. The overland trade excursion will go a long way toward making all things else equal.

Sing in glad shouts: "On to Sterling City!" for the hosanna has taken on a new meaning and is vibrate with a great hope.

With hogs selling on the Fort Worth market for close on \$7 a hundred it would pretty nearly pay a lot of people to swap off whiteface cattle for pigs.

A dispatch from Darkest Africa says that Roosevelt is short of food. Betcher as long as he gets a dollar a throw for them he will never be short on words.

Don Louis J. Wortham, the most eloquent man in the state and a statesman of the constructive school, is coming to the mayors' convention. Now for the silver notes and rhythmic rounding of well fashioned sentences. Wortham can put 'em over every pop.

Let The Press-News get it for you.

## I TOLD YOU SO.

(Contributed.)

Now all you scheming villages  
Go 'way back and sit down.  
San Angelo has proven sure  
That she's the only town.  
You've been laughing in your sleeve,  
But now's our time to crow.  
We knew that bonus would be raised;  
Why, yes, I told you so.

And little sister Miles came 'round  
And kind o' figured some,  
Then let us know she'd like to have  
A finger in the plum.  
But Angelo just said "Go home;  
"We're going to raise that dough."  
Then she got busy and came through—  
But then I told you so.

And Midland cried out for a slice,  
Big Springs and Stanton, too,  
And Colorado City yawned  
And interested grew.  
But Angelo, she just kept on  
A-digging up the dough.  
We knew that bonus would be raised—  
Why, yes, I told you so.

Adown the years not distant far  
I see a vision grand—  
A city rising in her might,  
The fairest in the land.  
And through her gates a ceaseless stream  
Of intellect will flow;  
Then we'll sit back and laugh and laugh  
And say "I told you so."

## Robber Uses Bicycle to Make Escape

Everett, Wash., July 13.—A lone bandit held up Assistant Cashier E. C. Olsen of the Bank of Commerce, shortly before the bank closed, wounded Cashier J. L. Lyon and escaped with a few hundred dollars, the exact amount not being known.

The robber, who was unmasked, escaped on a bicycle, which he appears to have hidden in the vicinity of the bank. He rode to the north end of the city and from there went to the water front, where pursuers found a satchel in which the robber had carried his loot. Fifteen dollars was left in it.

When the bandit entered the bank he thrust two revolvers into Olsen's face, and commanding him to throw up his hands, laid down one gun, seized all the money in reach and placed it in the satchel. The thief paid no attention to a few customers in the bank.

Cashier Lyon, who was in the rear of the building, ran out the back way and around to the front door, where he caught the robber and grappled with him. The robber shot three times, one bullet passing through Lyon's jaw and neck, making a serious wound. He then fled, both Lyon and Olson shooting at him. The thief's hat was shot off and it is believed he was slightly wounded.

A few moments later he was seen on the bicycle frantically riding away.

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## CHRISTOVAL'S SCHOOL.

Waller, Shaw & Fields, the architects, have about completed the plans for the new school building at Christoval. This will be a magnificent structure of brick, fashioned after the Central school of this city.

Some complication has ensued with the contractors, who declare that the building as now planned can not be erected for less than \$10,000. Only \$7000 has been raised at Christoval for its erection, but the citizens declare that the remaining \$3000 can be raised. This is a splendid structure for such a little town as Christoval to put up, and is a tribute to the good sense of its citizens, inasmuch as they realize that education is a matter of primal importance. They are of the opinion likewise that Christoval was not destined simply to remain a small wayside town. They are dreaming dreams of the days when Christoval will be a "city of skyscrapers."

Bids are now being advertised for.

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## Those Who Are Coming.

Mayor Paul received several letters Wednesday dealing with the mayors' convention to be held here next week. Below is a list of those who promised, through, those letters, to be here:

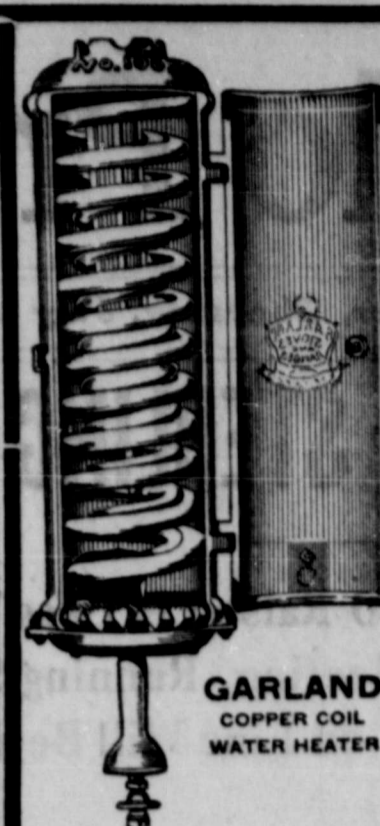
Hon. Cone Johnson, Tyler, W. D. D. Davis, Louis J. Wortham, Heppner Blackman and Carl Crow of Fort Worth; L. B. Platt, Cisco; A. C. Perker, of Midland and Geo. D. Lee of Big Springs.

Louis J. Wortham, Heppner Blackman and Carl Crow, who are to accompany Mayor Davis in an automobile trip to San Angelo, are with the Star-Telegram. They will start Saturday.

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Respectfully,  
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First Passenger Coach Over New Line Ran into Winters Wednesday.

R. A. Hall returned Wednesday from a trip to Ballinger and Winters with the latest intelligence about the Morgan Jones railroad.

"The first passenger train was run into Winters on a mixed train today," he said. "The road was completed to Winters about a week ago and they have been running freights, but this is the first passenger coach between Abilene and Winters. The people are much enthused and think they are coming to the front right off."

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Gus Weathered went to Miles Wednesday on business.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sheldon went to Ballinger Wednesday on a visit.

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CONTRACTORS—Sealed bids will be received at the First National bank, San Angelo, until 2 p. m., July 24, for the erection of a two-story stone and brick school building at Christoval, Texas. Certified check for \$200 required and right reserved to reject any and all bids. Plans on file at architect's office, Waller, Shaw & Field, Shuppert building, San Angelo, and at office of secretary of board of trustees, Jas. Ford, Christoval.

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"When we go over the lists Thursday morning we will find that practically all of the bonus money has been secured," said a member of the soliciting committee Wednesday afternoon. "However, if we are a little bit shy, the remainder will be forthcoming."

"Several prominent business men could not attend the rally, and they are to be heard from. As an example, W. E. Newton company subscribed \$150 Wednesday following the meeting. Mr. Newton could not be present when the fun was going on, but as soon as he heard what had happened he went right after our list. We will find several others who are only waiting for an opportunity."

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# The Man From Brodney's

By GEORGE BARR M'GUTCHEON

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According to its own records, the chateau, fashioned quite closely after a famous structure in France, was designed and built by La Marche, the ill-fated French architect who was lost at sea in the wreck of the Vendome. Three years and more than \$700,000—to make it seem more prodigious, nearly 18,000,000 francs—were consumed in its building.

Apartments fit for a king abounded. Suits which took one back to the luxuries of Marie Antoinette were common. Banquet halls, ballrooms, reception halls, a chapel and even a crypt were to be found if one undertook a voyage of discovery.

Lord and Lady Deppingham, being first in the field, at once proceeded to settle themselves in the choicest rooms—a Henry VI. suit, which looked out on the sea and the town as well. It is said that Wyckholme slept there twice, while Skaggs looked in perhaps half a dozen times—when he was lost in the building and trying to find his way back to familiar haunts.

There was not a sign of a servant about the house or grounds. The men whom Bowles had engaged carried the luggage to the rooms which Lady Deppingham selected and then vanished as if into space.

"They say these Americans are a wonderful people, my lord," ventured Mr. Bowles. "I dare say when Mr. and Mrs. Browne arrive they'll have some way of."

"Browne?" cried her ladyship. "This very evening I shall give orders concerning the rooms they are to occupy. I suppose, however, that the rooms we have taken are the best?"

"The choicest, my lady," said Bowles, bowing.

"See here, Mr.—er—old chap, don't you think you can induce the servants to come back to us? By Jove, I'll make it worth your while."

"What are we to do?" wailed Lady Agnes, sitting down suddenly upon the edge of a fountain.

"You see, my lady, they take the position that you have no right here," volunteered Bowles. "They've got ridiculous ideas into their noddies that you can't be the heiress unless Lord Deppingham passes away inside of a year, and—"

"I'm—if I do!" roared the perspiring obstacle. "I'm not so obliging as that, let me tell you. If it comes to that, what sort of ass do they think I'd be to come away out here to pass away? London's good enough for any man to die in."

"You are not going to die, Deppy," said his wife consolingly, "unless you starve to death," she supplemented, with an expressive moue.

### CHAPTER VII.

CONTRARY to all expectations, the Brownes arrived the next morning. The Deppinghams and their miserably frightened servants were scarcely out of bed when Saunders came in with the news that a steamer was standing off the shallow harbor. Bowles had telephoned up that the American claimant was on board.

The deepest gloom pervaded the household when Lady Deppingham discovered that not one of their retinue knew how to make coffee or broil bacon—not that she cared for bacon, but that his lordship always asked for it when they did not have it.

Bromley upset the last peg of endurance by hoping that the Americans were bringing a cook and a housemaid with them.

"The Americans always travel like lords," she concluded, forgetting that she served a lord and not in the least intending to be ironical.

"That will do, Bromley," said her mistress sharply. "If they're like most Americans I've seen they'll have nothing but wet nurses and chauffeurs. I can't eat this vile stuff. Come on, Deppy. Let's go up and watch the approach of the enemy."

Scarcely half an hour passed before the advance guard of the Browne company came into view at the park gates below. Deppingham recalled the fact that an hour and a half had been consumed in the accomplishment yesterday. He was keeping a sharp lookout for the magic red jacket and the Tommy Atkins lid. Quite secure from observation, he and his wife watched the forerunners with the hand bags; then came the sweating trunk bearers and then crated objects in—what? Yes, by the Lord Harry, in the very carts that had been their private chariots the day before!

Deppingham's wrath did not really explode until the two were gazing open mouthed upon Robert Browne and his wife and his maid-servants and his ass, for that was the name which his lordship subsequently applied, with

no moderation, to the unfortunate gentleman who served as Mr. Browne's attorney. The Americans were being swiftly, cozily carried to their new home in letters of oriental comfort and elegance, fanned vigorously from both sides by eager boys. First came the Brownes, eager faced, bright eyed, alert young people, far better looking than their new enemies could conscientiously admit under the circumstances; then the lawyer from the States; then a pert young lady in a pink shirt waist and a sailor hat; then two giggling, utterly un-English maids, and all of them looting in luxurious ease. The red jacket was conspicuously absent.

It is not to be wondered at that his lordship looked at his wife, gulped in sympathy and then said something memorable.

Almost before they could realize what had happened the newcomers were chattering in the spacious halls below, tramping about the rooms and giving orders in high, though apparently efficacious voices. Close at their heels trooped the servants, all of whom took part in the discussion incident to fresh discoveries. At last they came upon the great balcony, pausing just outside the French windows to exclaim anew in their delight.

"Great!" said the lawyer man after a full minute. "Finest I've ever seen! Isn't it a picture, Browne?"

"Glorious!" said young Mr. Browne, taking a long breath. The Deppinghams, sitting unobserved, saw that he was a tall, good looking fellow. They were unconsciously amused when he suddenly reached out and took his wife's hand in his big fingers. She was very trim and cool looking in her white duck.

"What does Baedeker say about it, Bobby?" asked Mrs. Browne. Her voice was very soft and full—the quiet, well modulated Boston voice and manner.

The pert girl in the pink waist opened a small portfolio, while the others gathered around her. She read therefrom. The lawyer drew a compass from his pocket and pointed vaguely into what proved to be the southwest.

"We must tell Lady Deppingham not to take the rooms at this end," was the next thing that the listeners heard from Mrs. Browne's lips. Her ladyship turned upon her husband with a triumphant sniff.

"What did I tell you," she whispered. "I knew they'd want the best of everything. Isn't it lucky I pounced upon these rooms? They shan't turn us out. You won't let 'em, will you, Deppy?"

"The impudence of 'em!" was all that Deppy could sputter.

At that moment the American party caught sight of the pair in the corner. For a brief space of time the two parties stared at each other, very much as the hunter and the hunted look when they come face to face without previous warning. Then a friendly, half blushed smile lighted Browne's face.

"I beg your pardon," said Browne. "This is Lord Deppingham?"

"Yes," drawled Deppy, with a look which was meant to convey the impression that he did not know who the deuce he was addressing.

"Permit me to introduce myself. I am Robert Browne."

(To be continued.)

Mrs. W. S. McDonald and baby left Monday for Sherman to visit relatives, after which they will go to Kansas City to join Mr. MacDonald, who is now in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Nash, Jr., who have been camping out on Dove creek for the last few weeks, returned Wednesday to their home in Waco. They report a splendid time and excellent fishing.

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Atlanta, July 12.—Alleging that his wife got a divorce from him and remarried while on a visit to Atlanta, though all the time she was writing him affectionate letters and asking him for money, Jacob Bloomer, a wealthy resident of Louisville, Ky., filed suit here for annulment of the divorce granted to his wife, who is now Mrs. Lucy Froelich. The second husband is a prominent Atlanta merchant.

Bloomer says that his wife came here in 1906 to visit relatives, and that she protracted the visit for two years. During that time, he says, his wife wrote him of the enjoyable visit she was having, professed her love for him and asked for money.

In one letter she said it was necessary to undergo an operation, for which \$500 was needed. Bloomer says promises to return continued and culminated in her setting January 22 of this year, his birthday, as the date of the homecoming. Bloomer says he "put his house in order" and prepared for feasting and merrymaking, but discovered just before the date fixed for her return that she got a divorce several months before and was then the wife of Froelich.

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I have sold my interest in the grocery store at my old stand, 123 South Chadbourne Street to Messrs Boldt and Wofford and I bespeak your patronage for the new firm. I am assured that the high standard that has always marked this store in the past will be continued and maintained in the future. I wish to thank those who have given me their trade in the years gone by.

# John Freeland

## THIS THE PLACE FOR BIG NORMAL

SUCH THE VERDICT OF C. M. CARPENTER OF BUDA, WHO MAKES PERSONAL INSPECTION.

## WIDE STREETS PLEASE

San Angelo's Hustle Attracts Attention—Visitor Sees Wonderful Changes Here and Predicts Great Future.

"San Angelo is the place for the West Texas normal, but I do not wish to be suspected of trying to influence any one in the selection of the location of the normal and I will not give my reasons for my conclusion in the matter. Think of a city of 16,000 people with only a city marshal and one deputy to keep the peace of the city. In the four days I spent in the city I did not see a single person so much under the influence of alcohol that he could not take care of himself and let others alone."

The foregoing statement comes from C. M. Carpenter of Buda and was made on his return from a trip over the country between Lampasas and San Angelo. He spent several days here, and declares that San Angelo is the best city west of Fort Worth, and northwest of San Antonio. In writing of his trip, he says:

"We reached San Angelo at 2:10 o'clock and here are seen wonderful changes in twenty-nine years. Then the writer went as a missionary of the Methodist Episcopal church, South to the Concho country. San Angelo was then a mere village of a few hundred souls, many of them not residents, merely temporary denizens. Notwithstanding this the writer then predicted that San Angelo would be some time the finest town or city west of San Antonio, and today this is true. The little village has grown to be a city five miles square, or about that, with a population of over 16,000, with numerous banks and an immense trade. The week I got there 1,600,000 pounds of wool was sold and reliable men told me that that was not half of what was there and on the road. I saw every day trains of wagons with loads of from five to eight thousand pounds to the team (two wagons to the team) coming into the city. Some of the men told me that they had hauled the wool 150 miles. I visited the First Methodist church on Sunday and found it a beautiful church. Here was a notable change; twenty-nine years ago there were only seven or eight Methodists in San Angelo, and the Sunday school never had an attendance of 20 children. On the 20th of June, 1909, the roll call of the First church Sunday school showed over 400 present and I was told that the Methodist membership in San Angelo is over one thousand."

"San Angelo is beautifully situated. Its streets are the widest of any I have seen in Texas. The Methodist people have here the foundation of a fine school. It is under the wing of the West Texas annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, and the conference stands pledged to advance the interests of the school. "Notwithstanding the drouth, the city was filled every day with people from the surrounding country, and the banks and the mercantile houses were busy from 9 o'clock a. m. until late in the evening. "Brownwood is the county site of Brown county and is situated on Pecan bayou, a branch of the Colorado river. It is a very nice little city, the only drawback being that the land is too near level to please the eye of a man used to the rolling prairies and timbered hills of Travis and Hays counties. "All the way from Lampasas to Brownwood we passed sections where the rainfall had been sufficient to answer the farmers' purposes and prospects were good for a fair crop of cotton and corn. Small grain was entirely a failure in nearly all this territory. When we left Brownwood we entered the drouth-stricken region. The next town west of Brownwood is Bangs. This is in a fine country, entirely different from that east of Brownwood and from that farther west. Here we saw fine orchards, some of them covering many acres, and here and at Lampasas we saw a few peach trees with fairly good crops of peaches, but they were very few in number. In fact, in all my rounds over the country and as far as I can get reliable information, this year is the most complete failure of fruit I have known in the past twenty-five years, so far as peaches are concerned. The Bangs country is certainly finely adapted to fruit raising. "Just west of Bangs we leave the timber, that is the post oak and black-jack region, and enter a beautiful country. Over this country forty-three years ago I hunted the deer and the buffalo and dodged the Indians. "The next town west is Santa Anna. It is on the south side of Santa Anna mountain, known in the early days as Santa Anna peak. This mountain is quite a curiosity to a man who knows just a little about geology. Here is the magnesian limestone, the mountain

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of blue limestone, several kinds of clay and sandstone mixed and the finest sand I have ever seen, all in a mountain whose top covers less than 300 acres of land and whose sides are not far from perpendicular.

"The next town, Coleman, is the county seat of Coleman county. Notwithstanding the severe drouth, we saw many evidences of prosperity. Twelve miles north of this place on November 25, 1866, the writer was married to the woman who has shared his joys and sorrows from that day to this. Many hundreds of acres of land between Coleman and Brownwood and Coleman and San Angelo have never had a plow in them this season. Yet last year they made fine crops of cotton, as evidenced by the stalks still standing in the fields.

"Valera and Thelma are nice towns on the road between Coleman and Ballinger, the latter being in the forks of what in the early days was called Elm fork of the Colorado and the Red fork. Part of the town is in the valley and part on the side of a bluff. I think it is a much prettier town than either Coleman or Brownwood. All the country from Brownwood to San Angelo is with a good season a fine agricultural country.

"Between Ballinger and San Angelo are two fine towns, Rowena and Miles. If the writer had the naming of Miles he would call it Wind Mill Town, for to the square mile there are more wind mills than he ever saw anywhere."

### DEATHS.

#### Mrs. Etta Willoughby.

Mrs. Etta Willoughby, aged 37 years, died Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock. Surviving her are her husband and six children—two boys and four girls. Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from her late residence on North Randolph street, Rev. Mr. Howell to officiate. The Angelo Furniture and Undertaking company has charge of the arrangements.

#### Hugh Brown.

Hugh Brown, who recently left San Angelo, died Monday at his home in Eagle Lake. Mr. Brown was a member of the law firm of Brown, Caruthers & Brown, and having spent several months here, was well known.

#### Sitch in Time.

Watchman E. H. Waldron, who looks after the swating rink where the big revival is being held, reports that on Tuesday night some bad boys threw their smoking cigarettes into the sawdust, causing the same to become ignited.

"As is my custom, I made my rounds over the entire building just before going to bed," says Mr. Waldron. "It was on this final round that I found the burning sawdust. Had I not made the discovery the chances are that the building would have been destroyed, if the fire had gotten sufficient headway."

E. N. Daniels returned Wednesday from a round of all the big cities of the east. Mr. Daniels says that he has been away on business, but he won't tell what it is.

F. B. Groves, formerly circulation manager of The Press-News, is in the city from a ranch near Water Valley. He is looking well and states he is feeling fine.

G. W. Hay and S. S. Dumas of this city and Walter Barron of Van Alstyne left Wednesday for Kickapoo, to be gone about two weeks on a fishing trip.

Mrs. Effie Runyon and Mrs. C. C. Hudson left Wednesday for a summer visit to Boulder, Col., where they will enjoy themselves among the mountains.

Miss Mildred Carroll and brother John left Wednesday for their home in Comanche, after a three weeks' visit to their aunt, Mrs. John Cox.

Miss Estelle Thornton, who has been visiting Miss Eva Kirby of this city, returned Wednesday to her home in Tyler.

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### Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abstract & Title company's report of real estate transfers recorded July 14:

Mrs. Lula O. Dalley to E. T. Hart et ux., \$300; conveys lots 7 and 8, block 3, Marx & Blum addition.

Trustees of Cumberland Presbyterian church to First Presbyterian church, U. S. A. \$1; conveys lots 8, 9 and 10, block 19, main part.

S. M. Scott et ux. to J. M. Blocker et al., \$600; conveys lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, block 20, Miles addition.

B. F. Cornelison to V. F. Cornelison, \$165; conveys lots 7 and 8, block 93, Angelo Heights addition.

A. L. Miles to M. A. Williams, \$400; conveys north half of lots 6, 7 and 8, block 61, Park Heights addition.

John P. Lee to H. P. Heard, \$600; conveys lots 8 and 9, block 30, Fort Concho addition.

J. E. Downey to R. A. Porter, \$2681.25; conveys lot 11 of W. C. Johnson's subdivision of acre lots 5 and 6 of Miles addition.

R. D. Barron et ux. to E. A. Patterson, \$13,237.20; conveys 735.4 acres of survey 69, S. P. R. R. Co.

A. G. Atkinson et ux. to J. C. Clark, \$1150; conveys lot 7 and west half of lot 6, block 18, Miles addition.

E. C. Perry to C. M. Carter, \$800; conveys 40 acres out of southeast side of block 41 Mason-Perry subdivision No. 4 of Collins ranch.



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