

COMMITTEE BACK FROM MEETING IN FORT WORTH

SEVERAL DAYS BEFORE LOCATION OF WEST TEXAS NORMAL WILL BE MADE.

SAN ANGELO HAS SPLENDID CHANGE

State Board Now Going Over Bids and Will Select Number of Towns to Be Visited—Recommendations to Educational Board.

Headed by Hon. Brown F. Lee, the committee of eleven that went to Fort Worth to present San Angelo's claims to the state normal board, returned Wednesday afternoon.

"I am of the opinion that we created a good impression before the board and that San Angelo will be one of the cities to be visited," said Mr. Lee. "Our chances of success are good, and of course we naturally feel that San Angelo has the best proposition, taking it all the way through."

"It will be a stubborn fight, though, and we will be in absolute darkness for several days yet. The board is now opening the bids submitted by the twenty-seven towns. Out of the twenty-seven places bidding, the best will be selected, and the board will start out immediately and visit the various locations offered—at least those that are attractive."

"After making the round, the board returns to Austin, where it will make its recommendations to the educational board. This will require several days."

Other members of the committee report that they are hopeful, and are complimenting Mr. Lee for the great speech he made before the board. He was selected to represent the delegation and submit San Angelo's offer. And, according to reports, he told a lot during the twenty minutes allotted to him, and in such a manner as to hold the undivided attention of his hearers.

Following is a report of the main points brought out by each town in presenting its claims before the board. The sessions were executive, and a great deal was said that was not given out for publication:

Abilene.

Abilene was first on the list and Prof. J. M. Wagstaff presented her claims. He said in part: "This committee will locate this school in the best place, and there can be no complaint at any town that may be selected. All the towns of West Texas are about on a parity as to citizenship and general inducements, and no mistake will be made in selecting any one of them. However, in locating this significant institution all the advantages of every town should be thoroughly investigated. All of the towns have advantages, but no town has an advantage that is not possessed by Abilene, but Abilene possesses many that other towns have not. First Abilene is almost in the center of scholastic population of West Texas. This argument will also apply to Merkel, Sweetwater and Stamford, but we have other advantages that offset the claims of those towns. Our railroad facilities make us the most easily accessible of any of the towns near the center of population."

He then spoke of the large water supply, saying that Abilene has the best fresh water lake in the state, which would supply pure, clean and abundant water for a year, though it never rained. As to healthfulness he said that deaths were so few that undertakers couldn't make a living and had to take up side lines, including with the statement that city could care for 1500 to 2000 students at a reasonable rate, he said: "After examining all the towns coming for this school, I can not find a single advantage in any of them not possessed by Abilene, but Abilene has not possessed by the other towns."

Amarillo.

W. Crudginton followed for Amarillo, saying that his city was in fact in the northwest of Texas, but, said, it has splendid railway facilities, making it easily accessible to parts of West Texas, and is the geographical center of a large territory with a large and constantly increasing scholastic population. He spoke of the altitude of the city, saying it was 6000 feet above sea level, laying particular stress upon the exceptional health of the place. "We have a superior summer climate," he said. "Even the far famed climate of Colorado does not excel ours either in summer or winter. We have a typical American city. The population is cosmopolitan, bustling and active. Come out to see us and we will be glad to substantiate every claim we have made."

S. H. Madden spoke for a few minutes, declaring that the question before the locating committee was whether the school should be placed on the Staked Plains or south of the plains, holding that for reasons of healthfulness it should be on the plains, and for accessibility in Amarillo.

Ballinger.

Judge B. B. Stone represented the claims of Ballinger. Stating that he would confine Ballinger's claims to a simple statement of facts, he based his argument on the ground that West Texas is too large for only one normal school, and held that it was undoubtedly the intention of the legislature to locate at least one more school in that part of the state, following out the plan of the east. He said that this normal should be placed in the south half of the West Texas territory or the north half, and then reviewed the advantages possessed by the southern portion. He stated that the south section had more than double the scholastic population of the north part, that its taxable valuations largely exceeded those of the Amarillo district, as he termed it, and was more easily accessible to students.

Big Springs.

R. Reagan and B. H. Morrison spoke in behalf of Big Springs. Mr. Reagan in prefacing his remarks, stated that he was just a business man and not given to oratory. He said that Big Springs is almost half way between El Paso and Fort Worth and in absolute touch with both the eastern and western parts of the state. "We are a charitable, hospitable and moral people," he said, "and the climate is healthful and the undertakers are constantly grumbling."

Mr. Morrison declared that the site they offered for the school must have been providentially preserved for this very purpose. He declared that the people of Big Springs would support, stand by and encourage the school if it were located there, and urged that the committee come out to investigate their claims.

Cherokee.

Cherokee is not on a railroad—it is 18 miles to the nearest line, but Dayton Moses presented the claims of the town in a most attractive manner. He was permitted to appear ahead of his time by the committee because he was compelled to go to Austin on urgent business and could not stay over. He stated that while they had no railroad at present, prospects for the future were bright and he predicted that by the time the school opened the line would be built. He offered a new modern building and dormitory in which it would be possible to begin school within a few weeks instead of waiting a year, as contemplated.

Brownwood.

Brownwood was the first to be heard at the Tuesday session. B. F. Johnson presented her claims. He filed an elaborate chart showing the comparative cost of tickets from every county seat in the state to Brownwood and to the other towns competing. The average cost of railroad fare was given at \$8.48 to Brownwood as against \$9.08 for Abilene, the nearest competitor. He dwelt at length upon the rapid increase of population in the territory contiguous to Brownwood and urged that the claims of the town be considered.

Clarendon.

A. T. Cole, speaking for Clarendon, stated that his town is not the center of the world and that it has not the best railroad facilities, but contended that the increased fare was not of moment when the other superior advantages of the city were considered. He cited excellent waterworks and sewerage system as arguments in favor of Clarendon and stated that if the school is located there the city will expend \$35,000 on the site.

A. L. Journey.

A. L. Journey, speaking of the high moral tone in Clarendon, said that a man was sent to the penitentiary six years ago for assault to murder and since that time not a felony had been committed.

Canyon City.

L. E. Cowling presented the claims of Canyon City, declaring that on account of the high altitude there are no bookworms there and students will be able to do the maximum amount of work the year around. "We have neither niggers, Mexicans nor political claims in our community—the citizenship is above criticism," he declared. R. A. Terrell stated that \$100,000 had been raised by 36 citizens of Canyon city for the school, of which \$40,000 was subscribed in forty minutes.

Major J. A. Hanie.

Major J. A. Hanie of Canyon City invited the committee to be the guests of the city at the Randall county fair and Confederate reunion the last of August.

Cisco.

Judge D. K. Scott, in behalf of Cisco, stated that the drainage and sanitary conditions of that town were ideal and that there is an abundant supply of fuel and water.

R. H. McCarty.

R. H. McCarty, secretary of the Cisco Commercial club, stated that a \$2 fare will bring 300,000 people into the city, and presented petitions from a number of surrounding counties asking that the school be located there.

Coleman.

W. A. Gillon of Coleman stated that the bonus being offered by that town was not an attempt to purchase the location of the school, but simply an expression of the public interest. He declared that Coleman is the best location from a geographical standpoint, asserting that there is a scholastic population of 118,034 within a radius of 100 miles.

E. W. Smith.

E. W. Smith based Coleman's claim to the school on the high moral and religious tone of the citizens, saying that there was none of that class known as "undesirables." He laid stress on the health conditions and general cleanliness of the town.

Dublin.

Dublin had a delegation of fifty to back up the claims of the town as presented by Prof. W. J. Clay. He urged the accessibility of Dublin as a strong argument for the location of the school there. He said that more teachers could be accommodated by Dublin than by any other town that was a candidate.

He said that the population of the city is 4000 and of this number 2000 are church members, and that the Sunday schools have an enrollment of over a thousand.

In an experience of 32 years, he said, he had never known the presence of any disease that was likely to produce an epidemic.

Haskell.

B. W. Bryan, E. L. Parrish and Mary T. W. Matthews presented Haskell's offer, each making a short address on the advantages of the town. Mr. Bryan declared that the committee was not going to locate the school too close to the New Mexico line, nor too near the 98th meridian, but that they would place it in the center of population and that Haskell was within a mile or two of that. He told how the town had come up from nothing the past five years; of the water, wells, railroad facilities, and that they had never had an epidemic of typhoid fever or other communicable disease. Mayor Matthews followed with an invitation for the board to pay the town a visit, and told of contracts recently let for the grading of twenty-five miles of streets and the laying of many miles of sidewalk. Mr. Parrish said that he was a traveling salesman and that he had gone to Haskell to live because it was one of the prettiest towns in the state and because he could obtain excellent railroad connection.

Iowa Park.

Hon. Randolph Clark spoke about Iowa Park and laid great stress on the fact that should the school be located there the students would be in a community that would have no other iron in the fire and one that would work for the upbuilding of the normal in every line. He described the climate as the happy medium between the plains and the lower lands, and the water as the best in the land, coming cool and sparkling from wells forty to 60 feet deep. He called the town a community of home builders, one that was striving not for commercial or railroad supremacy, but for the building of a great nation in the country. As to accessibility, the railroad connections at Wichita Falls, ten miles away, were cited, and the fact that a pipe line conduit for natural gas was but an equal distance away from the town.

Hamlin.

Hamlin was next to be heard, with W. W. Johnson as the spokesman. Hamlin, he said, was the youngest applicant, being but little more than two years old, yet a hustling town of 4000 people. He gave the altitude as 1750 feet and the soil a sandy loam with sections of the black waxy variety. The town's water supply comes from a lake impounding 3,500,000 gallons of water and a filter and system of distribution are now being built, according to the town.

CITY COUNCIL NOT AT FAULT

ALDERMAN BALFANZ REPLIES TO KICKS ON GUTTERS.

MAKES A PROPOSITION

If Merchants Will Keep Horses Away from Gutters, the Council Will Keep Them in Condition.



ELMER E. BROWN. Elmer E. Brown, United States commissioner of education, who represents the federal government at teachers' conventions, etc., has held his office since July 1, 1908. Before that date he was a professor in the University of California. Dr. Brown was born in New York state in 1861.

"If the merchants and others who are kicking on account of the filth in the gutters on Chadbourne and Beauregard streets would stop to consider what brings about that condition I am sure they would not jump on the council," said Alderman Balfanz Wednesday afternoon. "I realize that they are not in the very best of condition, but it is through no fault of the city council that they are in their present shape."

"All day long horses are hitched on both sides of the street, and they are constantly digging up the gutters, with the result that when the first rain comes he holes fill with water. Then the merchant comes along and fills in these holes, doing away with the water but destroying all means of drainage. When a second rain falls things are in a worse shape than ever. We have done our best to stop this practice of having outsiders fill in gutters, but our efforts have been of no avail. The street and alley committee is never consulted."

"Now, if the merchants will agree to keep the horses away from these gutters we will put them in first-class condition and will keep them that way; otherwise we can not promise much. It would be unfair to work our teams on Chadbourne street all the time, and what's more, the citizens would not stand for it. We have a world of ground to cover, and we are doing the very best we can under the circumstances."

"What really ought to be done is to put down concrete gutters. Those who own property on a street like Chadbourne should take enough interest in their holdings to go to a small expense and build good gutters. The city will keep them clean. This plan has been followed on the West side of Chadbourne, from Beauregard on down to the hotel, and you don't hear any complaint from the merchants along that side of the street. Now let the others follow the example and the city council will do the rest."

FUNERAL.

Touching Services Held Over the Body of Miss Eleanor Marberry.

It was a large and very sad concourse of people that attended the funeral of Miss Eleanor Marberry Wednesday afternoon. Long before the hour set for the funeral (5 p. m.) vehicles commenced to arrive and continued until after the service had begun. The services were opened by a song, "Sometime, Somewhere," by a chorus consisting of Mrs. Walter Robertson, Mrs. C. E. Hudson, Mrs. J. B. Taylor, Mrs. J. W. Hill, Mrs. Martha Clark, Miss Stella Spence with cornet, Harry Storrs, T. F. Owen, J. J. Spence, Jr., and Felix Dudley, Mrs. Malla Jones accompanying on the piano. This was followed by a prayer by Rev. J. W. Howel, which was very touching. Mrs. Walter Robertson then sang a solo, "Face to Face."

Remarks by Rev. W. E. Foster, touching upon the life and character of the young lady were followed by a quartet consisting of Mrs. Walter Robertson, Mrs. Martha Clark, Harry Storrs and J. J. Spence, Jr. Miss Ruby Hill played "Mexico" while friends viewed the body and the casket was being carried out.

Services were concluded at the grave as follows: "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," by the original chorus; prayer by Rev. Mr. Foster; favorite hymns by the chorus.

Rev. Mr. Howell closed with a prayer. The active pall bearers were J. B. Murrah, John Freeland, A. P. Holman, Chas. T. Paul, H. D. Lefell and W. D. Holcomb. The honorary pall bearers were nine young ladies who were friends and school mates of Miss Eleanor. They were Misses Katherine Thompson, Meta Nimitz, Louise Mills, Alma French, Annie Land, Marian Jones, Mary Bates, Margaret Flannagan and Perla Wyatt.

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HANKS CLOSES A DEAL FOR THREE CARLOADS BUCKS

SHIPMENT WILL BE MADE FROM FRESNO CAL., AUG. 16—HERE SHOULD ARRIVE HERE EIGHT DAYS LATER.

HIGHEST CLASS EVER SENT TO THIS STATE

Owner Intends to Revolutionize Sheep Industry in West Texas, Buying the Very Best Stock the Market Affords.

Declaring that he has purchased three car loads of the finest bucks to be found in California, D. T. Hanks of this city has written a letter to Joe Stocks in which he states that the shipment will be made from Fresno on August 16 or 17. The consideration is not made public.

"These bucks will average 225 pounds all the way through," writes Mr. Hanks, "and they will shear from thirty to forty pounds. They are without doubt the best ever bought for shipment to Texas. On some of them the wool is seven inches long."

It will take eight days to bring these bucks to San Angelo, and Mr. Hanks is afraid that he will lose some of them en route, despite the fact that they are to receive every attention. One car will be sent to Del Rio, and the other two will be placed on pasturage in San Angelo.

On the ranch of Martin & Jones in Del Rio Mr. Hanks has about 3500 head of sheep on pasturage. He will breed them to his new stock, and intends to raise the highest class of sheep ever shown in Texas. He has paid a fancy price for his buy, he states, but he intends to show the sheepmen of West Texas that in the long run the most costly will prove the cheapest.

In fact, Mr. Hanks hopes to be in a position to completely revolutionize the sheep industry in West Texas. He will go into the business on a much larger scale than in the past, and with plenty of grass and water for fall and winter, he predicts that his success will be marked.

With his letter Mr. Hanks sent several pictures of the best specimens. They were examined by local sheep men and all assert that they are indeed a great bunch—the best ever seen in Texas. Interest is already at fever heat, and it is probable that Mr. Stocks and one or two other local sheepmen will go to Fort Worth in order that they may meet the shipment before it gets here.

WHERE THERE'S A WILL THERE'S A WAY

Judge Davis Marries Couple on Stairway Leading to Rooms of the San Angelo Club.

Judge M. O. Davis made two hearts glad Wednesday night when he united in marriage J. D. Arnett and Miss Myrtle Murphy. The couple had spent an hour or more in an effort to locate Judge Davis, and had just about come to the conclusion that there would be no wedding bells that night when they met Judge Davis coming out of the rooms of the San Angelo club.

Preferring to tarry no longer, the couple readily agreed to be married on the spot, and while stading on the stairway the nuptial knot was tied.

Called Off. On account of the slim attendance, the wrestling match scheduled for Wednesday night was called off. It will be held some other night this week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Harris avenue Presbyterian church meets Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock with Mrs. Sawyer, corne. Tocco and Walt Twelfth street.

MAECHTEL LOCATED BY MARSHAL BATES

Man Wanted Here on Forgery Charge Found in Point Pleasant, W. Va. Being Held.

Due to the efforts of City Marshal Bates, Howard Maechtel, who has been wanted in San Angelo since last spring, has been located and is now being held at Point Pleasant, W. Va., pending the arrival of an officer from this city.

Maechtel is charged with having forged a check bearing the signature of Willis Johnson, on the San Angelo National bank, the amount obtained being \$185. He had been at work on Mr. Johnson's handsome home and in that manner became acquainted with his banking methods.

Immediately after the bogus check had been discovered a search was made for Maechtel, but it was learned that he had left town. City Marshal Bates sent out a lot of circulars and succeeded in locating his man on the Miller Brothers' ranch in Oklahoma, but before service could be obtained he skipped out. A day or two ago Mr. Bates received a letter from Point Pleasant, stating that Maechtel was there. The letter was turned over to Mr. Johnson, who in turn gave it to the sheriff's office, and a wire was sent ordering Maechtel's arrest.

CONSERVATORY.

School of Music Opens in Conerly Building September 1.

The San Angelo Conservatory and Correspondence School of Music, established by Ernest Buchwald and Horace N. Hill, will open September 1. Quarters will probably be secured in the Conerly building.

Instruction will be given in all the branches of music, including piano, organ, violin and other stringed instruments; vocal, harmony, arranging and composing.

These young men are thorough in their knowledge and great success is predicted for them in their new venture.

Custom Inspectors.

A detachment of Uncle Sam's custom inspectors arrived in San Angelo Wednesday at noon, coming from Del Rio. If the inspectors have any business in San Angelo they did not make it known. They spend Wednesday night at the wagon yard, resting, and state that they are headed for Coleman.

Real Estate Transfers.

Paul Abstract & Title company's record of real estate transfers reported August 12: Juan Flores to W. M. Gunter et al. \$2625; convey's half interest in 14.2 acres out of J. A. Fricke survey 163. Southwestern Improvement company to R. M. Vogel, \$220; convey's lots 7 and 8, block 23, Westmoreland addition. Susana Becerra to Juan Flores, Flores, \$600; convey's 8 acres out of survey 185 in name of J. A. Frick.

J. D. Daley and Joe Montgomery, who have been here in connection with the Orient work, will leave Thursday for Kansas City.

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CITY BEAUTIFUL

It takes sidewalks, trees and flowers to make a city beautiful. An ordinary home, if placed on a lot neatly kept, where the grass is pretty and green, and where there are shade trees, shrubbery and flowers, a cement sidewalk and cement curbing, will outclass a house twice as costly situated on a lot with no civic improvements.

San Angelo is sadly lacking in this respect. The citizens have depended almost wholly upon the natural beauty of the city to make their homes desirable. All over the state park leagues are being organized, and in places where they have gotten down to a working basis marked progress is being made. The Texas soil and climate is such that anything will grow—all you have to do is plant.

Within another twelve months San Angelo will have added almost one-third to its population, for with more railroads entering the city, large business buildings going up on every business corner, street cars in operation and big enterprises coming here an era of prosperity is at hand. Property values are to increase rapidly.

Now why not put down a few sidewalks and plant a few trees in the meanwhile? You will find that your property will not only have a much larger market value than otherwise, but the general appearance of the city will be beautified, and the temptation will be so great that the thousands of homeseekers flooding into this country can not fail to become interested in San Angelo.

Why not organize a park league and have an expert visit this city to make suggestions along civic lines, so that those at the head of the league will have only to follow directions?

GALVESTON DRY.

According to press reports, it was a sadly disappointed crowd of excursionists that went to Galveston last Sunday in the hope of being cooled off with something stronger than water, only to find that the town was "dry." Galveston has made promises to "be good," as the "flowing will show."

"Assurances that the anti-gambling laws and the Sunday closing laws for saloons will be rigidly enforced in this city were made to Adjutant General Newton, who, with Ranger Captain Rogers and two privates of the force arrived in the city yesterday, by Sheriff Thomas, Chief of Police Ferrett, Mayor Fisher and Commissioner Norman. These assurances followed a series of conferences held by the adjutant general and his assistants with the various city and county officers.

"Press representatives were not admitted to any of the conferences, but it is understood that the head of the ranger forces did not mince words in telling the authorities that the state laws must be enforced. He also, it is said, made it plain that he came here under orders from the governor with messages directed to the peace officers that could not be misunderstood or misconstrued, and had to do with their duties as to law enforcement and the result of failure to do their full duty.

"General Newton let it be known that it is not the intention of the rangers to do police duty in the closing of the saloons on Sunday. However, there was no uncertain note in the message coming from the governor that the laws must be obeyed."

An editor of a certain paper says there is nothing to prove that love marriages always turn out the happiest. Well, it's a good way to start.

The name of an Ohio girl who killed herself by tight lacing appears in the papers. There are hundreds of others whose names appear only on tombstones.

SPLITTING OF THE PIE.

President Taft has announced officially that Texas is to be included in the group of Southern states in which the census taking job is to be divided equally between the parties. Now, we do not care so much whether the jobs are given to republicans or democrats, and we are at a loss to understand the president's direct motives in splitting the pie. But that is neither here nor there. What we are interested in is that Texas be given full credit for all that it deserves. Texas wants all that is coming to it, and if it gets it this time—well, everybody knows Texas has never been given a square deal with reference to this matter.

So if Mr. Taft will see to it that only competent persons are appointed as enumerators and supervisors he will win the everlasting good will of the democrats of democratic Texas. Above everything else we want competent men in these places. The new laws are such that the task is made much easier than heretofore, and with the right sort of enumerators at the head of the census-taking stunt there is no reason why Texas should not at least receive an accurate representation.

Paul Waples of the Commercial Secretaries states that there are only three things in the way of the prosperity, growth and development of Texas—the boll weevil, the drouth and the demagogue. Col. Waples ought to know—he has lived in Texas a long time.

QUIET.

John Wanamaker's Son Weds Violet Kruger in London.

London, Aug. 11.—Rodman Wanamaker, son of John Wanamaker of Philadelphia, and Violet, daughter of the late Eugene Gido Kruger of New York, were married at St. Margaret's church, Westminster, by special license. Extraordinary efforts were made to keep the affair secret. Those who had been admitted into the confidence of the bridal couple were pledged to secrecy, and Mr. Wanamaker tried to throw off inquirers at his hotel by leaving word he had gone to Scotland.

The church was closed to everyone save a few invited guests and the officials informed would-be sight-seers that the building was closed for cleaning purposes until tomorrow. Even when the bride and the bridegroom drove up to the church in separate carriages their identity was denied, but shortly afterward Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador, arrived.

The chancel was lavishly decorated with white gardenias and orchids and orange blossoms. The ceremony, at which Rev. Mr. Knox, the curator of St. Margaret's, officiated, in the absence of Canon Henson, was fully choral and closed with Mendelssohn's wedding-march. Besides the bridal couple only three persons were present at the ceremony, Dr. Reid, Mrs. Tams and Barclay Warburton, all of whom signed the register.

After breakfast at a hotel here the couple started on an automobile trip through England. They will reside in Paris.

Rodman Wanamaker is well known in America and Paris. He is an officer of the French Legion of Honor, which decoration was bestowed upon him for his liberality to art students in Paris.

Mr. Wanamaker's first wife who was the daughter of Charles Ferdinand Henry of Philadelphia, died nine years ago.

A daughter by that marriage, Miss Fernanda Wanamaker, became engaged to Arthur O. Heeren, the son of Count Heeren of Paris and Biarritz.

Mrs. Wanamaker's father belongs to an old New York family and her mother was Miss Blanche Speddon of New Orleans.

The Krugers were divorced and Mrs. Kruger married J. Frederic Tams, a prominent yachtsman.

Caught.

Bellville, Ill., Aug. 11.—A man believed to be Sidney Baker, a photographer, wanted in connection with the mysterious death here several months ago of Peter Waelz, a 64-year-old farmer worth \$100,000, was arrested at Silver Plume, Col., on information furnished by Miss Mabel Waelz, daughter of the murdered man, who was found dead on the stairway leading to Baker's studio here. The prisoner denies he is Baker, insisting that Roy L. Griswold is his name.

Miss Freda Culp, visiting Denver with Miss Waelz, recognized Griswold as Baker, to whom she had sold chloroform on the night of Waelz's death, when she was clerking in a Belleville pharmacy. The girls induced him to have himself photographed with them, mailed the photograph to Belleville for identification, and when a reply was received caused Griswold's arrest. A young woman employed by Baker was in the studio with Baker and Waelz the night Waelz was killed, but proved her innocence and was released.

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

Preacher Has Two Wives; They Meet!

Visalia, Aug. 11.—About four months ago J. Preston Lewis arrived, here with flattering recommendations and became pastor of the Christian Church. The first Sunday he announced from the pulpit that he was a widower. Three Sundays latter he said his wife was to arrive in about a week. The woman who came was accepted as his wife. Correspondence of the officers of the church developed that a wife in Santa Rosa was not yet divorced; also information from Florida stated that Lewis had jumped bail for an unknown charge.

Last evening Mrs. Lewis No. 1 arrived at Visalia, and went to the Osburn house and asked for Mr. Lewis. She was told by a woman that Mr. Lewis had gone to Los Angeles and would return shortly. Conversation developed that both women were wives of Lewis. Wife No. 1 states that Lewis went to Santa Rosa, told her he would get a divorce from his second wife and remarry her if she would permit him to get a divorce without appearing against him.

Proceedings were begun, as wife No. 1 was made to think wife No. 2 was East, and Lewis never would return to her. However, at this time wife No. 2 was living in Visalia. Two weeks ago Lewis left for Los Angeles to secure employment. A letter came from Arizona, in which he asked for funds, stating he could secure no employment.

Everything goes to show that Lewis is a bigamist and perjurer, and the board is now trying to ascertain if his recommendations are not forgeries. Lewis left bills amounting to several hundred dollars for groceries and furniture.

St. John Is No Longer Loved With Ardor

South Orange, N. J., Aug. 11.—The last of the famous apostle cats is seeking a home. The apostle cats became celebrated when the will of Miss Anna A. Burnet of Hilton was probated. She left the twelve cats, each of which was named for an apostle, to various persons. Since Miss Burnet's death a year ago all of the cats have died of old age with the exception of St. John. If any one wants him the last of the twelve may be obtained from Mrs. Mary Edwards, who is about to move from Hilton to Belleville and does not want to take the cat with her.

Miss Burnet's will, which disposed of an estate of about \$500,000, was contested by some forty relatives, who contended that she was of unsound mind. Part of their allegations in support of this contention was her naming the cats after the apostles and buying gold collars for them. The court held that this did not denote testamentary incapacity and the will was admitted to probate.

St. John is a big Angora. Mrs. Edwards, to whom he was willed, has cared for the feline since Miss Burnet's death, but she wishes to be relieved of her charge. If she can not find anyone to take the animal it will be chloroformed.

"His Master's Voice." When hungry hunt the Legal Tender restaurant.

Bear This in Mind!

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The worry, the torment and trouble you miss will not cost you a penny. As a fuel Gas is cheaper than anything else. It is certainly safer, more convenient and less bothersome than anything else. Phone 76 and let us tell you more about our plans for making extensions

San Angelo Gas Company

"His Master's Voice." Neely Bros. buy hides. Courteous treatment and first class service at the Legal Tender restaurant.

"His Master's Voice." New Mexico alfalfa at Neely Bros. Mexican tube roses for sale at, Cos-Hart, Drugs.

TEXAS PRIDE

Surprising, What Kodol Will Do

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

And, of course, indigestion if neglected long enough, brings on serious diseases in which Kodol cannot benefit you. Some of these there is no help for at all.

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

When it is recalled that Apoplexy, Heart Disease, Cancer—and even Consumption—are due to poor digestion and poisons thus transmitted to the blood, and throughout the system—the importance of maintaining good digestion is at once realized.

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TO LIVE UP CAMPAIGN.

Mrs. Parkhurst, Militant Suffragette, Wins Aid New York Women.

New York, Aug. 11.—Mrs. Emmeline Parkhurst, the leading spirit among the militant suffragettes of England, is coming to America to put a little ginger into the "votes for women" campaign on this side.

It has been suspected for some weeks that the forthcoming campaign

in the cause of equal suffrage was going to be the warmest ever had in America, but now that the renowned English woman is to lead there can be no doubt of it.

Mrs. Parkhurst's coming is announced by Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch of the Equal Suffrage society and League for self-supporting Women. Under the latter's auspices Mrs. Parkhurst will open her campaign and she will fire the first gun from Carnegie hall at a reception given in her honor. She will also do some work outside of New York.

The famous British advocate does not expect to remain in this country long, because there is a little matter of going to jail in England that must be attended to. She is involved in a suit regarding her right to petition in person the premier.

Mrs. Parkhurst, a small, quiet woman, 50 years old, but as youthful looking as her daughters, has a remarkable personality. In her suite of thirteen offices in London she keeps in touch with the suffragist movement in every part of the world. She and her daughters are leaders of the political end of the suffrage agitation and call mass meetings, window smashing journeys, arrange for street parades and train speakers.

Mrs. Parkhurst is regarded by the house of parliament as a veritable "terror." She is widow of the late Dr. Parkhurst of Manchester. She was educated in Paris, is a vegetarian, a total abstainer. Already there is much speculation in New York on the effect of her visit on Mrs. Blatch's conservative equal suffrage friends. Mrs. Mackay is conservative and has been working all the year with Mrs. Blatch, and what part she will take in the demonstrations for the radical English woman remains to be seen. Equal interest is felt in whether or not Mrs. Belmont will take an active part in the proceedings.

Woman Sails High; Leaves Swain to Sigh

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 11.—Morris A. Heinmann almost went up in a balloon today. Instead of actually flying he stood on terra firma and watched Miss Julia Hoerner, whom he was to have taken for a sail in the clouds, soaring above him as he snouted for her to wait.

Heinmann agreed to take Miss Hoerner for a sail and accordingly arranged with John Berry, a friend and a balloon pilot, to guide them. Berry also is an admirer of Miss Hoerner.

Just as the balloon was ready, Miss Hoerner had a bystander call Heinmann to the telephone. Heinmann had just discovered the joke and started to return to the balloon when he heard a shout. Rushing out of the office he saw the balloon slowly sailing over his head. Miss Hoerner waving at him over the rim of the basket while Berry dumped out ballast to make sure of getting away.

The balloon landed at Barnhart, Mo., a distance of 29 miles from the starting place, at 3 o'clock. The bag dropped in a clover field, making a safe and easy landing. Having plenty of gas and ballast left, Miss Hoerner tied the drag rope to a tree and made several ascensions in the captive balloon with several natives who, drawn by curiosity, came to where the balloon was anchored.


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"I certainly do, sir. The mint is holding out well, though, sir. I think it will last."

"By George, that is a calamity!" groaned Chase. "How is a man to fight without cigarettes?"

Genevra quietly proffered the one she had not lighted, a quizzical smile in her eyes.

"My contribution to the cause," she said gaily. "What strange creatures men are! You will go out and be shot at all day and yet"— She paused and looked at the cigarette as if it were entitled to reverence.

"It does seem a bit silly, doesn't it?" lamented the stalwart Chase. Then he took the cigarette.

CHAPTER XX.

THE CHARITY BALL.

THEY were not long in finding out what had happened to Saunders. After luncheon, while Browne and the three ladies were completing the preparations for the entertainment, Miss Pelham appeared before Deppingham and Chase in the former's headquarters. She had asked for an interview and was accompanied by Mr. Britt.

"Mr. Saunders has deceived me," she announced steadily. "I leave it to you if his attentions have not been most pronounced. Of course, if I wanted to, I could show you a transcript of everything he has said to me in the last couple of months. He didn't know it, but I managed to get most everything down in shorthand. I did it at the risk, too, your lordship, of being considered cold and unresponsive by him. It's most difficult to take conversation without the free use of your hands. I must say. But I've preserved in my own black and white every promise he made and—"

"I'm afraid it won't be good evidence," volunteered her lawyer. "It will have to be substantiated, my dear."

"Please don't call me 'my dear,' Mr. Britt. Never you mind about it not being good evidence. Thomas Saunders won't enjoy hearing it read in court just the same. What I want to ask of you, Lord Deppingham, as a friend is to give Mr. Britt your deposition regarding Mr. Saunders' attitude toward me to the best of your knowledge and belief. I'll take it verbatim and put it into typewriting free of charge. I—I don't see anything to laugh at, Mr. Chase?" she cried, flushing pathetically.

"My dear girl," he said, controlling himself. "I think you are misjudging the magnitude of a lover's quarrel. Don't you think it is rather a poor time to talk breach of promise with the guns of an enemy ready to take a pop at us at any moment?"

"It's no worse than a charity ball, Mr. Chase," she said severely. "Charity begins at home, gentlemen, and I'm here to look out for myself. No one else will, let me tell you that. I want to get the deposition of every person in the chateau. They can be sworn to before Mr. Bowles, who is a magistrate, I'm told. He can marry people and—"

"By Jove!" exclaimed Deppingham suddenly. "Can he? Upon my soul!"

"His manner changed as soon as that horrid little wife of Selim came to the chateau. I don't like the way she makes eyes at him, and I told him so this morning down in the storerooms. My, but he flew up! He said he'd be— if he'd marry me." She began to use her handkerchief vigorously. The men smiled as they looked away.

"I—I intend to sue him for breach of promise," she said thickly.

"Is it as bad as all that?" asked Deppingham consolingly.

"What do you mean by 'bad as all that'?" He's kissed me time and again, but that's all."

"I'll send for Saunders," said Deppingham sternly.

"Not while I'm here," she exclaimed. "Just as you like, Miss Pelham. I'll send for you after we've talked it over with Saunders. We can't afford a scandal in the chateau, don't you know."

"No, I should think not," she said pointedly. Then she looked at Chase and winked, with a meaning nod at the unobserving Deppingham. Chase followed her into the hall.

"None of that, Miss Pelham," he said severely.

Saunders came in a few minutes later, nervous and uncomfortable.

"You sent for me, my lord," he said weakly.

"Sit down, Saunders. Your knees seem to be troubling you. Miss Pelham is going to sue you for breach of promise."

"Good Lord!"

"What have you promised her?"

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Pittsburg, Aug. 11.—Anna Miller, a young girl, attempted suicide here and the police are much mystified by her story. The young woman, who is well connected, says that on last Saturday she met a Dr. Lanor at a New York hotel, having gone there to marry him. She says they quarrelled and she returned without being married, and so she decided to die.

Miss Miller refuses to give any details about the physician whom she was to meet in New York. She will not give his first name, his address or anything which would lead to his identification. Before taking carbolic acid the girl left two pitiful notes for relatives, saying her life had been ruined, etc., and though she regretted leaving a blot on the family name she had decided to kill herself. She was hurried to a hospital soon after being found and probably will recover.

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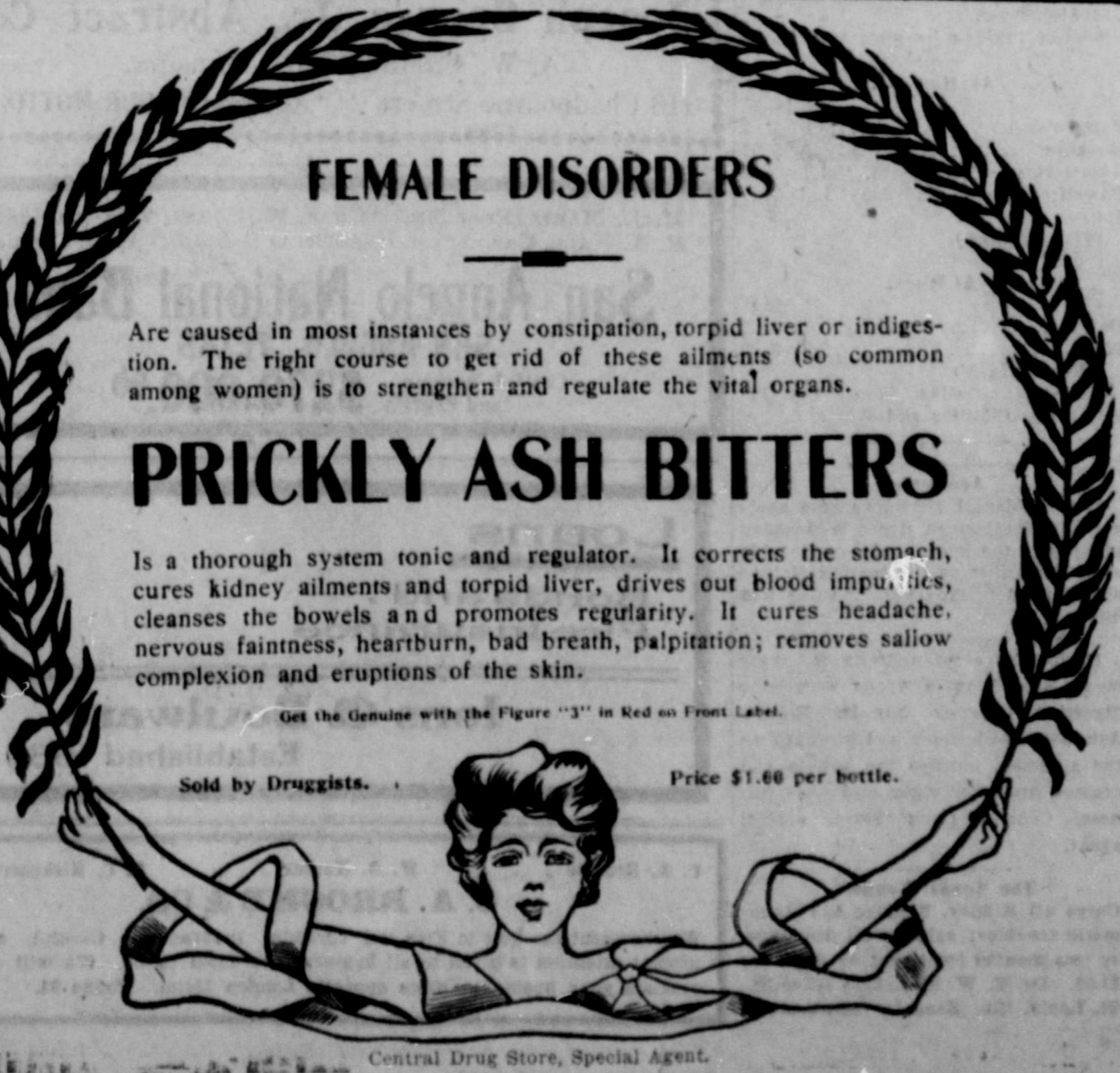
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ing to the speaker. Two railways enter the town, the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient and the Texas Central.

Lubbock.
"Lubbock seems to have plenty of friends," said Mr. Davidson when W. H. Bledsoe finished his talk in behalf of that town. "We have received upward of forty telegrams from all sections of the state," he continued, while the delegation modestly admitted that Lubbock was a great town. Mr. Bledsoe said the same thing in his argument. He told of the railroads the town would have within a year, of the purity of the water supply, and said that the school should have an independent water system if it came to his town.

Merkel.
"Why, there is an underground river at Merkel's feet and enough water to drown out hell in thirty minutes," said Judge Potter in telling of the water supply of that town. He made an eloquent talk to the committee, stating that he believed it would not locate the normal in any but a prohibition community and that would eliminate several towns. He also said that the committee would locate the normal in the center of population and that would eliminate many more, and that the center of population would fall either to Merkel, Sweetwater, Abilene, Stamford or Hamlin.

Abilene, Stamford, Sweetwater and Hamlin aspire to be railroad and commercial centers," he said, "and that unfits them to be the place to train the teachers who are to guide and teach the young of the state."
He asked the board to go and see for itself what Merkel offered, not in dollars and cents, but in real worth. George S. Berry followed with a short speech, in which he told of the never-falling water supply and of the 800 school children being educated there in the fine school houses that are now built. He also told of a magnificent high school to be immediately erected.

Midland.
"We take our name from the fact that we are in mid-land, half way between Fort Worth and El Paso," was the manner in which S. J. Isaacs began his speech in behalf of his town. He produced a map and drew a circle representing 200 miles, with Midland as the center, and told of the number of people who could be thereby served with the present railroad facilities as compared with the three other normals now in the state. He also said that the city was preparing to put in a water and sewerage plant, but that if they could secure the school and it was ready before the water and sewer system that they would put in a private system. He told the committee that Midland was willing to give a liberal amount of land and money, but they didn't want to buy the school, and didn't think that it could be bought. He was followed by Prof. Marcus, in charge of the Midland college, who explained in regard to the school spirit and the moral tone of the town.

Mineral Wells.
A five-acre tract on the top of South mountain was offered by F. S. Eberhart on behalf of Mineral Wells. He extolled the site and the mineral water. Two other sites were offered, one

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San Angelo.
Brown F. Lee made the address on the part of the San Angelo delegation and opened by declaring that although the committee allowed him twenty minutes, that he would require but five minutes and would tender back the balance of the allotted time. He warmed up to his subject, however, and consumed the whole of the twenty minutes. He also sympathized with the committee, declaring that it had a duty to perform and was being punished with a lot of hot air. Location, health and kindred matters justify the board in locating the school if not a single cent was given as a bonus, he said, and then went on to tell of San Angelo's railroad facilities, elevation, water and sewer system and kindred matters. Mr. Guthrie, superintendent of the waterworks, was called upon for a statement in regard to the filtration of the water supply. He answered the questions propounded to him by the board, and the members in turn asked Mr. Lee in regard to the number of people suffering from tuberculosis now in San Angelo. Mr. Lee stated that he did not know the number, but that San Angelo takes greater precautions in handling such cases than any other town anywhere, and the lieutenant governor said that he knew such to be the case.

Seymour.
J. M. A. Wheat and J. W. Hamilton represented Seymour, calling special attention to the fact that it was situated half way between the Fort Worth and Denver and the Texas and Pacific railway lines, and was accordingly in the proper place to handle the students who would attend the school. Mr. Wheat told of the water and fuel supplies, and the excellent building stone to be had for the purpose of erecting the necessary buildings, and Mr. Hamilton spoke in regard to the half dozen sites offered for the committee to choose from. He said that the altitude was over 1400 feet, and that there had been but two cases of typhoid fever and none of malaria in the town for the past five years.

Snyder.
Judge C. R. Buchanan spoke in behalf of Snyder, which he declared to be the exact center of population of the territory the legislature intended the West Texas normal to draw upon for students. He described the site they offered in the southwestern portion of the town and what provisions could be made for furnishing water and sewerage. He was followed by A. C. Wilmett, who spoke in regard to the railroads and the accessibility of the town, along with the health and exceptional morals of the community and country.

Stamford.
Judge J. M. Pressler championed the cause of Stamford. He complimented the committee on its decision that any money given as a bonus should be used in making a bigger school instead of returning it to the treasury of the state, and then made a rattling good talk. The location of the town, its railroad facilities, nearness to the coal fields, general health and excellent water were the points upon which he placed particular stress but the many minor advantages were not overlooked and were presented in a concise and lucid manner. Five sites from three to five blocks from the center of town were mentioned, one of eighty acres being but three-fourths of a mile from the depot. Dr. Duncan, president of the Stamford college, spoke in regard to his work and how the citizenship had evinced an interest and helped, and how his students came from all portions of West Texas, which, to his mind, made it clear that students for the normal could also reach that place with but little trouble and that they would be royally treated and helped in their work.

Stanton.
The Stamford delegation was one of the largest of those present, most of them wearing caps with the name of their town in front, and after having their photographs taken they gave way to the representatives of Stanton. J. S. Long was the spokesman of the committee, and he presented its claims in a forcible manner, telling of

the water, climate, railroad facilities and what they would give for the school.

Sweetwater.
J. S. Beall represented Sweetwater, whose claims and advantages he painted in glowing colors. He also told what his town would do in the way of water, sewerage, lights, land along other lines.

Tulla.
J. A. Simpson and T. W. Tomlinson composed the entire delegation from Tulla, and each helped to present the claims of the town. Their argument was that they were ideally located for a normal in the Panhandle country and were working to secure the school on the theory that another normal would later be built in the southern portion of the territory west of the 98th meridian. They said that out of thirty-one schools in Shackelford county at least twenty-five were now without teachers, and that a school for the training of teachers was badly needed in their portion of the state.

Vernon.
District Judge H. P. Huff, T. H. Shide and H. D. Hackensmith did the talking for the delegation from Vernon, and it was a clean cut, forcible argument that they presented. The town is now installing a sewer and water system, according to the statements they made, and is unexcelled for healthfulness and moral tone.

Wichita Falls.
Wichita Falls was the last on the list, and it was nearly 7 o'clock when the committee filed in to lay its offer before the board. The town was described as modern in every respect, with the largest water supply of any town in the competition. A street railway and seven railroad outlets were among the other advantages, as was natural gas at 31-1-2 cents per 1000 feet for household use and 9-1-2 cents for manufacturing purposes. The big lake as a means of recreation was also mentioned. They offered to donate many acres of land and to erect free of all cost the necessary buildings. The proposed site is on a bluff in the southwestern portion of the city and one of the best situated as to drainage, natural location, view, etc., submitted to the board.

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Fort Worth	116	59	57 .509
Waco	115	43	72 .374
Galveston	115	41	74 .356

RESULTS WEDNESDAY.

At Galveston.

	R. H. E.
First game—	
Shreveport	4 11 5
Galveston	3 11 2
Batteries: Shreveport, Bager and Henninger; Galveston, Crabble and Quisser.	
Second game—	
Shreveport	0 3 3
Galveston	1 3 0
Batteries: Shreveport, Reiger and Garvin; Galveston, Johnson and Quisser.	
(Seven innings by agreement.)	

At San Antonio.

	R. H. E.
First game—	
Oklahoma City	1 8 0
San Antonio	2 5 0
Batteries: Oklahoma City, Bandy and Kelsey; San Antonio, Ables and Schan.	
Second game—	
Oklahoma City	3 5 0
San Antonio	0 4 2
Batteries: Oklahoma City, Drohan and Kelsey; San Antonio, Winchell and Alexander.	
(Seven innings by agreement.)	

At Houston.

	R. H. E.
Fort Worth	1 3 2
Houston	2 5 2
Batteries: Fort Worth, McKay and Powell; Houston, Hornsby and Gordon.	
(Five innings.)	

At Waco.

	R. H. E.
Dallas	0 4 2
Waco	3 5 2
(Five innings.)	
Batteries: Dallas, Shontz and Onslow; Waco, Miller and White.	

Accidental.
The accidental discharge of a shotgun on Chadbourne street Wednesday night was the source of considerable excitement just as the moving picture shows were turning out. No one was hurt.

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Platform Dance.

The Misses Henderson entertained a few of their friends Tuesday night at the home of S. H. Henderson in Angelo Heights with a delightful platform dance. Misses Henderson throughout the entire evening proved themselves delightful entertainers.

Refreshments were served consisting of brick cream and assorted cakes. Afterward dancing to the sweet strains of Springer's orchestra was indulged in until an early hour.

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COMMITTEE BACK FROM MEETING IN FORT WORTH

SEVERAL DAYS BEFORE LOCATION OF WEST TEXAS NORMAL WILL BE MADE.

SAN ANGELO HAS SPLENDID CHANGE

State Board Now Going Over Bids and Will Select Number of Towns to Be Visited—Recommendations to Educational Board.

Headed by Hon. Brown F. Lee, the committee of eleven that went to Fort Worth to present San Angelo's claims to the state normal board, returned Wednesday afternoon.

"I am of the opinion that we created a good impression before the board and that San Angelo will be one of the cities to be visited," said Mr. Lee. "Our chances of success are good, and of course we naturally feel that San Angelo has the best proposition, taking it all the way through."

"It will be a stubborn fight, though, and we will be in absolute darkness for several days yet. The board is now opening the bids submitted by the twenty-seven towns. Out of the twenty-seven places bidding, the best will be selected, and the board will start out immediately and visit the various locations offered—at least those that are attractive."

"After making the round, the board returns to Austin, where it will make its recommendations to the educational board. This will require several days."

Other members of the committee report that they are hopeful, and are complimenting Mr. Lee for the great speech he made before the board. He was selected to represent the delegation and submit San Angelo's offer. And, according to reports, he told a lot during the twenty minutes allotted to him, and in such a manner as to hold the undivided attention of his hearers.

Following is a report of the main points brought out by each town in presenting its claims before the board. The sessions were executive, and a great deal was said that was not given out for publication:

Ablene.

Ablene was first on the list and Prof. J. M. Wagstaff presented her claims. He said in part: "This committee will locate this school in the best place, and there can be no complaint at any town that can be selected. All the towns of West Texas are about on a parity as to citizenship and general inducements, and no mistake will be made in selecting any one of them. However, in locating this magnificent institution all the advantages of every town should be thoroughly investigated. All of the towns have advantages, but no town has an advantage that is not possessed by Abilene, but Abilene possesses many that the other towns have not. First Abilene is almost in the center of scholastic population of West Texas. This argument will also apply to Merkel and Sweetwater and Stamford, but we have other advantages that offset the claims of those towns. Our railroad facilities make us the most easily accessible of any of the towns near the center of population."

He then spoke of the large water supply, saying that Abilene has the greatest fresh water lake in the state, which would supply pure, clean and abundant water for a year, though it ever rained. As to healthfulness he stated that deaths were so few that the undertakers couldn't make a living and had to take up side lines, concluding with the statement that the city could care for 1500 to 2000 students at a reasonable rate, he said: "After examining all the towns competing for this school, I can not find single advantage in any of them not possessed by Abilene, but Abilene has many not possessed by the other towns."

Amarillo.

J. W. Crudginton followed for Amarillo, saying that his city was in fact way in the north-west of Texas, but, he said, it has splendid railway facilities, making it easily accessible to all parts of West Texas, and is the geographical center of a large terri-

tory with a large and constantly increasing scholastic population. He spoke of the altitude of the city, saying it was 6000 feet above sea level, laying particular stress upon the exceptional health of the place. "We have a superior summer climate," he said. "Even the far famed climate of Colorado does not excel ours either in summer or winter. We have a typical American city. The population is cosmopolitan, bustling and active. Come out to see us and we will be glad to substantiate every claim we have made."

S. H. Madden spoke for a few minutes, declaring that the question before the locating committee was whether the school should be placed on the Staked Plains or south of the plains, holding that for reasons of healthfulness it should be on the plains, and for accessibility in Amarillo.

Ballinger.

Judge B. B. Stone represented the claims of Ballinger. Stating that he would confine Ballinger's claims to a simple statement of facts, he based his argument on the ground that West Texas is too large for only one normal school, and held that it was undoubtedly the intention of the legislature to locate at least one more school in that part of the state, following out the plan of the east. He said that this normal should be placed in the south half of the West Texas territory or the north half, and then reviewed the advantages possessed by the southern portion. He stated that the south section had more than double the scholastic population of the north part, that its taxable valuations largely exceeded those of the Amarillo district, as he termed it, and was more easily accessible to students.

"We of Ballinger are not boosters," he said. "We deliver the goods, but it is only fair to say that we have the largest local cotton market in the world. We have an unexcelled lighting plant and sewer system. We offer you a site that can not be equalled and will put on the ground the finest stone and sand in the world for the building. We are free from the cold blizzards of the Panhandle and the sand storms of the south. We ask you to come down and investigate our claims."

Big Springs.

R. Reagan and B. H. Morrison spoke in behalf of Big Springs. Mr. Reagan in prefacing his remarks, stated that he was just a business man and not given to oratory. He said that Big Springs is almost half way between El Paso and Fort Worth and in absolute touch with both the eastern and western parts of the state. "We are a charitable, hospitable and moral people," he said, "and the climate is healthful and the undertakers are constantly grumbling."

Mr. Morrison declared that the site they offered for the school must have been providentially preserved for this very purpose. He declared that the people of Big Springs would support, stand by and encourage the school if it were located there, and urged that the committee come out to investigate their claims.

Cherokee.

Cherokee is not on a railroad—it is 18 miles to the nearest line, but Dayton Moses presented the claims of the town in a most attractive manner. He was permitted to appear ahead of his time by the committee because he was compelled to go to Austin on urgent business and could not stay over.

He stated that while they had no railroad at present, prospects for the future were bright and he predicted that by the time the school opened the line would be built. He offered a new modern building and dormitory in which it would be possible to begin school within a few weeks instead of waiting a year, as contemplated.

Brownwood.

Brownwood was the first to be heard at the Tuesday session. R. F. Johnson presented her claims. He filed an elaborate chart showing the comparative cost of tickets from every county seat in the state to Brownwood and to the other towns competing. The average cost of railroad fare was given at \$8.48 to Brownwood as against \$9.08 for Abilene, the nearest competitor. He dwelt at length upon the rapid increase of population in the territory contiguous to Brownwood and urged that the claims of the town be considered.

Clarendon.

A. T. Cole, speaking for Clarendon, stated that his town is not the center of the world and that it has not the best railroad facilities, but contended that the increased fare was not of moment when the other superior advantages of the city were considered. He cited excellent waterworks and sewerage system as arguments in favor of Clarendon and stated that if the school is located there the city will expend \$35,000 on the site.

A. L. Journey, speaking of the high moral tone in Clarendon, said that a man was sent to the penitentiary six years ago for assault on murder and

since that time not a felony had been committed.

Canyon City.

L. E. Cowling presented the claims of Canyon City, declaring that on account of the high altitude there are no bookworms there and students will be able to do the maximum amount of work the year around. "We have neither niggers, Mexicans nor politicians in our community—the citizenship is above criticism," he declared. R. A. Terrell stated that \$100,000 had been raised by 36 citizens of Canyon city for the school, of which \$40,000 was subscribed in forty minutes.

Major J. A. Hanle of Canyon City invited the committee to be the guests of the city at the Randall county fair and Confederate reunion the last of August.

Cisco.

Judge D. K. Scott, in behalf of Cisco, stated that the drainage and sanitary conditions of that town were ideal and that there is an abundant supply of fuel and water.

R. H. McCarty, secretary of the Cisco Commercial club, stated that a \$2 fare will bring 300,000 people into the city, and presented petitions from a number of surrounding counties asking that the school be located there.

Coleman.

W. A. Gillon of Coleman stated that the bonus being offered by that town was not an attempt to purchase the location of the school, but simply an expression of the public interest. He declared that Coleman is the best location from a geographical standpoint, asserting that there is a scholastic population of 118,034 within a radius of 100 miles.

Ed W. Smith based Coleman's claim to the school on the high moral and religious tone of the citizens, saying that there was none of that class known as "undesirables." He laid stress on the health conditions and general cleanliness of the town.

Dublin.

Dublin had a delegation of fifty to back up the claims of the town as presented by Prof. W. J. Clay. He urged the accessibility of Dublin as a strong argument for the location of the school there. He said that more teachers could be accommodated by Dublin than by any other town that was a candidate.

He said that the population of the city is 4000 and of this number 2000 are church members, and that the Sunday schools have an enrollment of over a thousand.

In an experience of 32 years, he said, he had never known the presence of any disease that was likely to produce an epidemic.

Haskell.

B. W. Bryson, E. L. Parrish and Mayor T. W. Matthews presented Haskell's offer, each making a short address on the advantages of the town. Mr. Bryson declared that the committee was not going to locate the school too close to the New Mexico line, nor too near the 98th meridian, but that they would place it in the center of population and that Haskell was within a mile or two of that. He told how the town had come up from nothing the past few years; of the water, wells, railroad facilities, and that they had never had an epidemic of typhoid fever or other communicable disease. Mr. Matthews followed with an invitation for the board to pay the town a visit, and told of contracts recently let for the grading of twenty-five miles of streets and the laying of many miles of sidewalk. Mr. Parrish said that he was a traveling salesman and that he had gone to Haskell to live because it was one of the prettiest towns in the state and because he could obtain excellent railroad connection.

Iowa Park.

Hon. Randolph Clark spoke about Iowa Park and laid great stress on the fact that should the school be located there the students would be in a community that would have no other iron in the fire and one that would work for the upbuilding of the normal in every line. He described the climate as the happy medium between the plains and the lower lands, and the water as the best in the land, coming cool and sparkling from wells forty to 60 feet deep. He called the town a community of home builders, one that was striving not for commercial or railroad supremacy, but for the building of a great nation in the country. As to accessibility, the railroad connections at Wichita Falls, ten miles away, were cited, and the fact that a pipe line conduit for natural gas was but an equal distance away from the town.

Hamlin.

Hamlin was next to be heard, with W. W. Johnson as the spokesman. Hamlin, he said, was the youngest applicant, being but little more than two years old, yet a hustling town of 4000 people. He gave the altitude as 1750 feet and the soil a sandy loam with sections of the black waxey variety. The town's water supply comes from a lake impounding 3,500,000 gallons of water and a filter and system of distribution are now being built, according to the town.

CITY COUNCIL NOT AT FAULT

ALDERMAN BALFANZ REPLIES TO KICKS ON GUTTERS.

MAKES A PROPOSITION

If Merchants Will Keep Horses Away from Gutters, the Council Will Keep Them in Condition.

"If the merchants and others who are kicking on account of the filth in the gutters on Chadbourne and Beauregard streets would stop to consider what brings about that condition I am sure they would not jump on the council," said Alderman Balfanz Wednesday afternoon. "I realize that they are not in the very best of condition, but it is through no fault of the city council that they are in their present shape."

"All day long horses are hitched on both sides of the street, and they are constantly digging up the gutters, with the result that when the first rain comes he holes fill with water. Then the merchant comes along and fills in these holes, doing away with the water but destroying all means of drainage. When a second rain falls things are in a worse shape than ever."

"We have done our best to stop this practice of having outsiders fill in gutters, but our efforts have been of no avail. The street and alley committee is never consulted."

"Now, if the merchants will agree to keep the horses away from these gutters we will put them in first-class condition and will keep them that way; otherwise we can not promise much. It would be unfair to work our teams on Chadbourne street all the time, and what's more, the citizens would not stand for it. We have a world of ground to cover, and we are doing the very best we can under the circumstances."

"What really ought to be done is to put down concrete gutters. Those who own property on a street like Chadbourne should take enough interest in their holdings to go to a small expense and build good gutters. The city will keep them clean. This plan has been followed on the West side of Chadbourne, from Beauregard on down to the hotel, and you don't hear any complaint from the merchants along that side of the street. Now let the others follow the example and the city council will do the rest."

FUNERAL.

Touching Services Held Over the Body of Miss Eleanor Marberry.

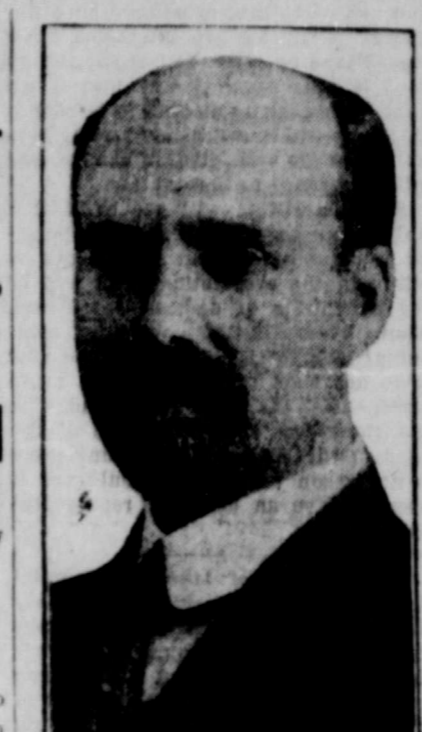
It was a large and very sad concourse of people that attended the funeral of Miss Eleanor Marberry Wednesday afternoon. Long before the hour set for the funeral (5 p. m.) vehicles commenced to arrive and continued until after the service had begun. The services were opened by a song, "Sometime, Somewhere," by a chorus consisting of Mrs. Walter Robertson, Mrs. C. E. Hudson, Mrs. J. B. Taylor, Mrs. J. W. Hill, Mrs. Martha Clark, Miss Stella Spence with cornet, Harry Storrs, T. F. Owen, J. J. Spence, Jr., and Felix Dudley, Mrs. Malla Jones accompanying on the piano. This was followed by a prayer by Rev. J. W. Howell, which was very touching. Mrs. Walter Robertson then sang a solo, "Face to Face."

Remarks by Rev. W. E. Foster, touching upon the life and character of the young lady were followed by a quartet consisting of Mrs. Walter Robertson, Mrs. Martha Clark, Harry Storrs and J. J. Spence, Jr. Miss Rubie Hill played "Mexico" while friends viewed the body and the casket was being carried out.

Services were concluded at the grave as follows: "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," by the original chorus; prayer by Rev. Mr. Foster; favorite hymns by the chorus.

Rev. Mr. Howell closed with a prayer.

The active pall bearers were J. B. Murrah, John Freeland, A. P. Holman, Chas. T. Paul, H. D. Leffel and W. D. Holcomb. The honorary pall bearers were nine young ladies who were friends and school mates of Miss Eleanor. They were Misses Katherine Thompson, Meta Nimitz, Louise Millspaugh, Alma French, Annie Land, Marian Jones, Mary Bates, Margaret Flannagan and Perla Wyatt.



ELMER E. BROWN.

Elmer E. Brown, United States commissioner of education, who represents the federal government at teachers' conventions, etc., has held his office since July 1, 1906. Before that date he was a professor in the University of California. Dr. Brown was born in New York state in 1861.

MAECHTEL LOCATED BY MARSHAL BATES

Man Wanted Here on Forgery Charge

Found in Point Pleasant, W. Va. Being Held.

Due to the efforts of City Marshal Bates, Howard Maechtel, who has been wanted in San Angelo since last spring, has been located and is now being held at Point Pleasant, W. Va., pending the arrival of an officer from this city.

Maechtel is charged with having forged a check bearing the signature of Willis Johnson, on the San Angelo National bank, the amount obtained being \$185. He had been at work on Mr. Johnson's handsome home and in that manner became acquainted with his banking methods.

Immediately after the bogus check had been discovered a search was made for Maechtel, but it was learned that he had left town. City Marshal Bates sent out a lot of circulars and succeeded in locating his man on the Miller Brothers' ranch in Oklahoma, but before service could be obtained he skipped out. A day or two ago Mr. Bates received a letter from Point Pleasant, stating that Maechtel was there. The letter was turned over to Mr. Johnson, who in turn gave it to the sheriff's office, and a wire was sent ordering Maechtel's arrest.

CONSERVATORY.

School of Music Opens in Conerty Building September 1.

The San Angelo Conservatory and Correspondence School of Music, established by Ernest Buchwald and Horace N. Hill, will open September 1. Quarters will probably be secured in the Conerty building.

Instruction will be given in all the branches of music, including piano, organ, violin and other stringed instruments; vocal, harmony, arranging and composing.

These young men are thorough in their knowledge and great success is predicted for them in their new venture.

Custom Inspectors.

A detachment of Uncle Sam's custom inspectors arrived in San Angelo Wednesday at noon, coming from Del Rio. If the inspectors have any business in San Angelo they did not make it known. They spend Wednesday night at the wagon yard, resting, and state that they are headed for Coleman.

Real Estate Transfers.

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

Juan Flores to W. M. Gunter et al., \$2625; conveys half interest in 14.2 acres out of J. A. Fricke survey 168.

Southwestern Improvement company to R. M. Vogel, \$220; conveys lots 7 and 8, block 23, Westmoreland addition.

Susana Becerra to Juan Flores, Flores, \$600; conveys 8 acres out of survey 186 in name of J. A. Frick.

J. D. Daley and Joe Montgomery, who have been here in connection with the Orient work, will leave Thursday for Kansas City.

HANKS CLOSES A DEAL FOR THREE CARLOADS BUCKS

SHIPMENT WILL BE MADE FROM FRESNO CAL., AUG. 10—HERE SHOULD ARRIVE HERE EIGHT DAYS LATER.

HIGHEST CLASS EVER SENT TO THIS STATE

Owner Intends to Revolutionize Sheep Industry in West Texas, Buying the Very Best Stock the Market Affords.

Declaring that he has purchased three car loads of the finest bucks to be found in California, D. T. Hanks of this city has written a letter to Joe Stocks in which he states that the shipment will be made from Fresno on August 10 or 11. The consideration is not made public.

"These bucks will average 225 pounds all the way through," writes Mr. Hanks, "and they will shear from thirty to forty pounds. They are without doubt the best ever bought for shipment to Texas. On some of them the wool is seven inches long."

It will take eight days to bring these bucks to San Angelo, and Mr. Hanks is afraid that he will lose some of them en route, despite the fact that they are to receive every attention. One car will be sent to Del Rio, and the other two will be placed on pasturage in San Angelo.

On the ranch of Martin & Jones in Del Rio Mr. Hanks has about 2500 head of sheep on pasturage. He will breed them to his new stock, and intends to raise the highest class of sheep ever shown in Texas. He has paid a fancy price for his buy, he states, but he intends to show the shepherds of West Texas that in the long run the most costly will prove the cheapest.

In fact, Mr. Hanks hopes to be in a position to completely revolutionize the sheep industry in West Texas. He will go into the business on a much larger scale than in the past, and with plenty of grass and water for fall and winter, he predicts that his success will be marked.

With his letter Mr. Hanks sent several pictures of the best specimens. They were examined by local sheep men and all assert that they are indeed a great bunch—the best ever seen in Texas. Interest is already at fever heat, and it is probable that Mr. Stocks and one or two other local sheepmen will go to Fort Worth in order that they may meet the shipment before it gets here.

WHERE THERE'S A WILL THERE'S A WAY

Judge Davis Marries Couple on Stairway Leading to Rooms of the San Angelo Club.

Judge M. O. Davis made two hearts glad Wednesday night when he united in marriage J. D. Arnett and Miss Myrtle Murphy. The couple had spent an hour or more in an effort to locate Judge Davis, and had just about come to the conclusion that there would be no wedding bells that night when they met Judge Davis coming out of the rooms of the San Angelo club.

Preferring to tarry no longer, the couple readily agreed to be married on the spot, and while standing on the stairway the nuptial knot was tied.

Called Off.

On account of the slim attendance, the wrestling match scheduled for Wednesday night was called off. It will be held some other night this week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Harris avenue Presbyterian church meets Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock with Mrs. Sawyer, corner Pecan and West Twelfth street.

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CITY BEAUTIFUL.

It takes sidewalks, trees and flowers
to make a city beautiful. An ordi-
nary home, if placed on a lot neatly
kept, where the grass is pretty and
green, and where there are shade
trees, shrubbery and flowers, a cement
sidewalk and cement curbing, will out-
class a house twice as costly situated
on a lot with no civic improvements.

San Angelo is sadly lacking in this
respect. The citizens have de-
pended almost wholly upon the natu-
ral beauty of the city to make their
homes desirable. All over the state
park leagues are being organized, and
in places where they have gotten
down to a working basis marked pro-
gress is being made. The Texas soil
and climate is such that anything will
grow—all you have to do is plant.

Within another twelve months San
Angelo will have added almost one-
third to its population, for with more
railroads entering the city, large busi-
ness buildings going up on every busi-
ness corner, street cars in operation
and big enterprises coming here an
era of prosperity is at hand. Prop-
erty values are to increase rapidly.

Now why not put down a few side-
walks and plant a few trees in the
meanwhile? You will find that your
property will not only have a much
larger market value than otherwise,
but the general appearance of the city
will be beautified, and the temptation
will be so great that the thousands of
homeseekers flooding into this coun-
try can not fail to become interested
in San Angelo.

Why not organize a park league and
have an expert visit this city to make
suggestions along civic lines, so that
those at the head of the league will
have only to follow directions?

GALVESTON DRY.

According to press reports, it was a
sadly disappointed crowd of excu-
sionists that went to Galveston last
Sunday in the hope of being cooled off
with something stronger than water,
only to find that the town was "dry."
Galveston has made promises to "be
good," as the following will show:

"Assurances that the anti-gambling
laws and the Sunday closing laws for
saloons will be rigidly enforced in this
city were made to Adjutant General
Newton, who, with Ranger Captain
Rogers and two privates of the force
arrived in the city yesterday, by Sher-
iff Thomas, Chief of Police Perrett,
Mayor Fisher and Commissioner Nor-
man. These assurances followed a
series of conferences held by the ad-
jutant general and his assistants with
the various city and county officers.

"Press representatives were not ad-
mitted to any of the conferences, but it
is understood that the head of the ran-
ger forces did not mince words in tel-
ling the authorities that the state laws
must be enforced. He also, it is said,
made it plain that he came here un-
der orders from the governor with
messages directed to the peace offi-
cers that could not be misunderstood
or misconstrued, and had to do with
their duties as to law enforcement
and the result of failure to do their
full duty.

"General Newton let it be known
that it is not the intention of the ran-
gers to do police duty in the closing
of the saloons on Sunday. However,
there was no uncertain note in the
message coming from the governor
that the laws must be obeyed."

An editor of a certain paper says
there is nothing to prove that love
marriages always turn out the hap-
piest. Well, it's a good way to start.

The name of an Ohio girl who killed
herself by tight lacing appears in the
papers. There are hundreds of
others whose names appear only on
tomstones.

SPLITTING OF THE PIE.

President Taft has announced offi-
cially that Texas is to be included in
the group of Southern states in which
the census taking job is to be divided
equally between the parties. Now, we
do not care so much whether the jobs
are given to republicans or democrats,
and we are at a loss to understand the
president's direct motives in splitting
the pie. But that is neither here nor
there. What we are interested in is
that Texas be given full credit for all
that it deserves. Texas wants all
that is coming to it, and if it gets it
this time—well, everybody knows Tex-
as has never been given a square deal
with reference to this matter.

So if Mr. Taft will see to it that
only competent persons are appoint-
ed as enumerators and supervisors he
will win the everlasting good will of
the democrats of democratic Texas.
Above everything else we want com-
petent men in these places. The new
laws are such that the task is made
much easier than heretofore, and with
the right sort of enumerators and with
the head of the census-taking stunt there
is no reason why Texas should not at
least receive an accurate representation.

Paul Waples of the Commercial
Secretaries states that there are only
three things in the way of the prosper-
ity, growth and development of Tex-
as—the boll weevil, the drought and
the demagogue. Col. Waples ought to
know—he has lived in Texas a long
time.

QUIET.

**John Wanamaker's Son Weds Violet
Kruger in London.**

London, Aug. 11.—Rodman Wana-
maker, son of John Wanamaker of
Philadelphia, and Violet, daughter of
the late Eugene Gido Kruger of New
York, were married at St. Margaret's
church, Westminster, by special li-
cense. Extraordinary efforts were
made to keep the affair secret. Those
who had been admitted into the con-
fidence of the bridal couple were pledg-
ed to secrecy, and Mr. Wanamaker
tried to throw off inquirers at his hotel
by leaving word he had gone to
Scotland.

The church was closed to everyone
save a few invited guests and the of-
ficials informed would-be sight-seers
that the building was closed for clean-
ing purposes until tomorrow. Even
when the bride and the bridegroom
drove up to the church in separate
carriages their identity was denied,
but shortly afterward Whitelaw Reid,
the American ambassador, arrived.

The chancel was lavishly decorated
with white gardenias and orchids and
orange blossoms. The ceremony, at
which Rev. Mr. Knox, the curator of
St. Margaret's, officiated, in the ab-
sence of Canon Henson, was fully
choral and closed with Mendelssohn's
wedding march. Besides the bridal
couple only three persons were pre-
sent at the ceremony, Dr. Reid, Mrs.
Tama and Barclay Warburton, all of
whom signed the register.

After breakfast at a hotel here the
couple started on an automobile trip
through England. They will reside in
Paris.

Rodman Wanamaker is well known
in America and Paris. He is an offi-
cer of the French Legion of Honor,
which decoration was bestowed upon
him for his liberality to art students
in Paris.

Mr. Wanamaker's first wife who was
the daughter of Charles Ferdinand
Henry of Philadelphia, died nine years
ago.

A daughter by that marriage, Miss
Fernanda Wanamaker, became engaged
to Arthur O. Heeren, the son of
Count Heeren of Paris and Biarritz.

Mrs. Wanamaker's father belongs to
an old New York family and her moth-
er was Miss Blanche Speddon of New
Orleans.

The Krugers were divorced and Mrs.
Cruger married J. Frederic Tama, a
prominent yachtsman.

Caught.

Bellville, Ill., Aug. 11.—A man be-
lieved to be Sidney Baker, a photog-
rapher, wanted in connection with the
mysterious death here several months
ago of Peter Waelz, a 54-year-old far-
mer worth \$100,000, was arrested at
Silver Plume, Col., on information
furnished by Miss Mabel Waelz, daugh-
ter of the murdered man, who was
found dead on the stairway leading to
Baker's studio here. The prisoner de-
nies he is Baker, insisting that Roy L.
Griswold is his name.

Miss Freda Culp, visiting Denver
with Miss Waelz, recognized Griswold
as Baker, to whom she had sold chloro-
form on the night of Waelz's death,
when she was clerking in a Belleville
pharmacy. The girls induced him to
have himself photographed with them,
mailed the photograph to Belleville
for identification, and when a reply
was received caused Griswold's arrest.
A young woman employed by Baker
was in the studio with Baker and
Waelz the night Waelz was killed, but
proved her innocence and was re-
leased.

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**Preacher Has
Two Wives;
They Meet!**

Visalia, Aug. 11.—About four months
ago J. Preston Lewis arrived here
with flattering recommendations and
became pastor of the Christian Church.
The first Sunday he announced from
the pulpit that he was a widower.
Three Sundays later he said his wife
was to arrive in about a week. The
woman who came was accepted as his
wife. Correspondence of the officers
of the church developed that a wife
in Santa Rosa was not yet divorced;
also information from Florida stated
that Lewis had jumped bail for an
unknown charge.

Last evening Mrs. Lewis No. 1 ar-
rived at Visalia, and went to the Os-
burn house and asked for Mr. Lewis.
She was told by a woman that Mr.
Lewis had gone to Los Angeles and
would return shortly. Conversation
developed that both women were wives
of Lewis. Wife No. 1 states that Lew-
is went to Santa Rosa, told her he
would get a divorce from his second
wife and remarry her if she would
permit him to get a divorce without
appearing against him.

Proceedings were begun, as wife
No. 1 was made to think wife No. 2
was East, and Lewis never would re-
turn to her. However, at this time
wife No. 2 was living in Visalia. Two
weeks ago Lewis left for Los Angeles
to secure employment. A letter came
from Arizona, in which he asked for
funds, stating he could secure no em-
ployment.

Everything goes to show that Lewis
is a bigamist and perjurer, and the
board is now trying to ascertain if
his recommendations are not forger-
ies. Lewis left bills amounting to sev-
eral hundred dollars for groceries and
furniture.

**St. John Is No
Longer Loved
With Ardor**

South Orange, N. J., Aug. 11.—The
last of the famous apostle cats is seek-
ing a home. The apostle cats became
celebrated when the will of Miss Anna
A. Burnet of Hilton was probated. She
left the twelve cats, each of which
was named for an apostle, to various
persons. Since Miss Burnet's death a
year ago all of the cats have died of
old age with the exception of St. John.
If any one wants him the last of the
twelve may be obtained from Mrs.
Mary Edwards, who is about to move
from Hilton to Belleville and does not
want to take the cat with her.

Miss Burnet's will, which disposed
of an estate of about \$500,000, was
contested by some forty relatives, who
contended that she was of unsound
mind. Part of their allegations in
support of this contention was her
naming the cats after the apostles
and buying gold collars for them. The
court held that this did not denote
testamentary incapacity and the will
was admitted to probate.

St. John is a big Angora. Mrs. Ed-
wards, to whom he was willed, has
cared for the feline since Miss Bur-
net's death, but she wishes to be re-
lieved of her charge. If she can not
find anyone to take the animal it will
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TO LIVE UP CAMPAIGN.

Mrs. Parkhurst, Militant Suffragette, Wins Aid New York Women.

New York, Aug. 11.—Mrs. Emmeline Parkhurst, the leading spirit among the militant suffragettes of England, is coming to America to put a little gin into the "votes for women" campaign on this side.

It has been suspected for some weeks that the forthcoming campaign

in the cause of equal suffrage was going to be the warmest ever had in America, but now that the renowned English woman is to lead there can be no doubt of it.

Mrs. Parkhurst's coming is announced by Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch of the Equal Suffrage society and League for self-supporting Women. Under the latter's auspices Mrs. Parkhurst will open her campaign and she will fire the first gun from Carnegie hall at a reception given in her honor. She will also do some work outside of New York.

The famous British advocate does not expect to remain in this country long, because there is a little matter of going to jail in England that must be attended to. She is involved in a suit regarding her right to petition in person the premier.

Mrs. Parkhurst, a small, quiet woman, 50 years old, but as youthful looking as her daughters, has a remarkable personality. In her suite of thirteen offices in London she keeps in touch with the suffragist movement in every part of the world. She and her daughters are leaders of the political end of the suffrage agitation and call mass meetings, window smashing journeys, arrange for street parades and train speakers.

Mrs. Parkhurst is regarded by the house of parliament as a veritable "terror." She is widow of the late Dr. Parkhurst of Manchester. She was educated in Paris, is a vegetarian, a total abstainer. Already there is much speculation in New York on the effect of her visit on Mrs. Hatch's conservative equal suffrage friends. Mrs. Mackay is conservative and has been working all the year with Mrs. Blatch, and what part she will take in the demonstrations for the radical English woman remains to be seen. Equal interest is felt in whether or not Mrs. Belmont will take an active part in the proceedings.

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Woman Sails High; Leaves Swain to Sigh

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 11.—Morris A. Heinmann almost went up in a balloon today. Instead of actually flying he stood on terra firma and watched Miss Julia Hoerner, whom he was to have taken for a sail in the clouds, soaring above him as he shouted for her to wait.

Heinmann agreed to take Miss Hoerner for a sail and accordingly arranged with John Berry, a friend and a balloon pilot, to guide them. Berry also is an admirer of Miss Hoerner.

Just as the balloon was ready, Miss Hoerner had a bystander call Heinmann to the telephone. Heinmann had just discovered the joke and started to return to the balloon when he heard a shout. Rushing out of the office he saw the balloon slowly sailing over his head, Miss Hoerner waving at him over the rim of the basket while Berry dumped out ballast to make sure of getting away.

The balloon landed at Barnhart, Mo., a distance of 29 miles from the starting place, at 3 o'clock. The bag dropped in a clover field, making a safe and easy landing. Having plenty of gas and ballast left, Miss Hoerner tied the drag rope to a tree and made several ascensions in the captive balloon with several natives who, drawn by curiosity, came to where the balloon was anchored.

This was Miss Hoerner's second ascension.

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"I certainly do," said the man, holding out well, though, sir. I think it will last."

"By George, that is a calamity!" groaned Chase. "How is a man to fight without cigarettes?"

Genevra quietly proffered the one she had not lighted, a quizzical smile in her eyes.

"My contribution to the cause," she said gaily. "What strange creatures men are! You will go out and be shot at all day and yet—" She paused and looked at the cigarette as if it were entitled to reverence.

"It does seem a bit silly, doesn't it?" lamented the stalwart Chase. Then he took the cigarette.

CHAPTER XX. THE CHARITY BALL.

THEY were not long in finding out what had happened to Saunders. After luncheon,

while Brown and the three ladies were completing the preparations for the entertainment, Miss Pelham appeared before Deppingham and Chase in the former's headquarters. She had asked for an interview and was accompanied by Mr. Britt.

"Mr. Saunders has deceived me," she announced steadily. "I leave it to you if his attentions have not been most pronounced. Of course, if I wanted to, I could show you a transcript of everything he has said to me in the last couple of months. He didn't know it, but I managed to get most everything down in shorthand. I did it at the risk, too, your lordship, of being considered cold and unresponsive by him. It's most difficult to take conversation without the free use of your hands, I must say. But I've preserved in my own black and white every promise he made and"

"I'm afraid it won't be good evidence," volunteered her lawyer. "It will have to be substantiated, my dear."

"Please don't call me 'my dear,' Mr. Britt. Never you mind about it not being good evidence. Thomas Saunders won't enjoy hearing it read in court just the same. What I want to ask of you, Lord Deppingham, as a friend is to give Mr. Britt your deposition regarding Mr. Saunders' attitude toward me to the best of your knowledge and belief. I'll take it verbatim and put it into typewriting free of charge. I—I don't see anything to laugh at, Mr. Chase?" she cried, flushing painfully.

"My dear girl," he said, controlling himself, "I think you are misjudging the magnitude of a lovers' quarrel. Don't you think it is rather a poor time to talk breach of promise with the guns of an enemy ready to take a pop at us at any moment?"

"It's no worse than a charity ball, Mr. Chase," she said severely. "Charity begins at home, gentlemen, and I'm here to look out for myself. No one else will, let me tell you that. I want to get the deposition of every person in the chateau. They can be sworn to before Mr. Bowles, who is a magistrate, I'm told. He can marry people and"

"By Jove!" exclaimed Deppingham suddenly. "Can he? Upon my soul!"

"His manner changed as soon as that horrid little wife of Selim came to the chateau. I don't like the way she makes eyes at him, and I told him so this morning down in the storerooms. My, but he flew up! He said he'd be— if he'd marry me." She began to use her handkerchief vigorously. The men smiled as they looked away.

"I—I intend to sue him for breach of promise," she said thickly.

"Is it as bad as all that?" asked Deppingham consolingly.

"What do you mean by bad as all that?" He's kissed me time and again, but that's all."

"I'll send for Saunders," said Deppingham sternly.

"Not while I'm here," she exclaimed. "Just as you like, Miss Pelham. I'll send for you after we've talked it over with Saunders. We can't afford a scandal in the chateau, don't you know?"

"No, I should think not," she said pointedly. Then she looked at Chase and winked, with a meaning nod at the unobserving Deppingham. Chase followed her into the hall.

"None of that, Miss Pelham," he said severely.

Saunders came in a few minutes later, nervous and uncomfortable.

"You sent for me, my lord," he said weakly.

"Sit down, Saunders. Your knees seem to be trembling you. Miss Pelham is going to sue you for breach of promise."

"Good Lord!"

"What have you promised her?"

(To be continued.)

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Pittsburg, Aug. 11.—Anna Miller, a young girl, attempted suicide here and the police are much mystified by her story. The young woman, who is well connected, says that on last Saturday she met a Dr. Lanor at a New York hotel, having gone there to marry him. She says they quarrelled and she returned without being married, and so she decided to die.

Miss Miller refuses to give any details about the physician whom she was to meet in New York. She will not give his first name, his address or anything which would lead to his identification. Before taking carboic acid the girl left two pitiful notes for relatives, saying her life had been ruined, etc., and though she regretted leaving a blot on the family name she had decided to kill herself. She was hurried to a hospital soon after being found and probably will recover.

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sidewalk and cement curbing, will out-
class a house twice as costly situated
on a lot with no civic improvements.

San Angelo is sadly lacking in this
respect. The citizens have de-
pended almost wholly upon the natu-
ral beauty of the city to make their
homes desirable. All over the state
park leagues are being organized, and
in places where they have gotten
down to a working basis marked progress
is being made. The Texas soil
and climate is such that anything will
grow—all you have to do is plant.

Within another twelve months San
Angelo will have added almost one-
third to its population, for with more
railroads entering the city, large busi-
ness buildings going up on every busi-
ness corner, street cars in operation
and big enterprises coming here an
era of prosperity is at hand. Prop-
erty values are to increase rapidly.

Now why not put down a few side-
walks and plant a few trees in the
meanwhile? You will find that your
property will not only have a much
larger market value than otherwise,
but the general appearance of the city
will be beautified, and the temptation
will be so great that the thousands of
homeseekers flooding into this coun-
try can not fail to become interested
in San Angelo.

Why not organize a park league and
have an expert visit this city to make
suggestions along civic lines, so that
those at the head of the league will
have only to follow directions?

GALVESTON DRY.

According to press reports, it was a
sadly disappointed crowd of excu-
sionists that went to Galveston last
Sunday in the hope of being cooled off
with something stronger than water,
only to find that the town was "dry."
Galveston has made promises to "be
good," as the following will show:

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laws and the Sunday closing laws for
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city were made to Adjutant General
Newton, who, with Ranger Captain
Rogers and two privates of the force
arrived in the city yesterday, by Sher-
iff Thomas, Chief of Police Perrett,
Mayor Fisher and Commissioner Nor-
man. These assurances followed a
series of conferences held by the ad-
jutant general and his assistants with
the various city and county officers.

"Press representatives were not ad-
mitted to any of the conferences, but it
is understood that the head of the ran-
ger forces did not mince words in tel-
ling the authorities that the state laws
must be enforced. He also, it is said,
made it plain that he came here un-
der orders from the governor with
messages directed to the peace offi-
cers that could not be misunderstood
or misconstrued, and had to do with
their duties as to law enforcement
and the result of failure to do their
full duty.

"General Newton let it be known
that it is not the intention of the ran-
gers to do police duty in the closing
of the saloons on Sunday. However,
there was no uncertain note in the
message coming from the governor
that the laws must be obeyed."

An editor of a certain paper says
there is nothing to prove that love
marriages always turn out the hap-
piest. Well, it's a good way to start.

The name of an Ohio girl who kil-
ed herself by light lacing appears in
the papers. There are hundreds of
others whose names appear only on
tombstones.

SPLITTING OF THE PIE.

President Taft has announced official-
ly that Texas is to be included in
the group of Southern states in which
the census taking job is to be divided
equally between the parties. Now, we
do not care so much whether the jobs
are given to republicans or democrats,
and we are at a loss to understand the
president's direct motives in splitting
the pie. But that is neither here nor
there. What we are interested in is
that Texas be given full credit for all
that it deserves. Texas wants all
that is coming to it, and if it gets it
this time—well, everybody knows Tex-
as has never been given a square deal
with reference to this matter.

So if Mr. Taft will see to it that
only competent persons are appoint-
ed as enumerators and supervisors he
will win the everlasting good will of
the democrats of democratic Texas.
Above everything else we want com-
petent men in these places. The new
laws are such that the task is made
much easier than heretofore, and with
the right sort of enumerators at the
head of the census-taking stunt there
is no reason why Texas should not at
least receive an accurate representa-
tion.

Paul Waples of the Commercial
Secretaries states that there are only
three things in the way of the prosper-
ity, growth and development of Tex-
as—the boll weevil, the drouth and
the demagogue. Col. Waples ought to
know—he has lived in Texas a long
time.

QUIET.

John Wanamaker's Son Weds Violet
Kruger in London.

London, Aug. 11.—Rodman Wana-
maker, son of John Wanamaker of
Philadelphia, and Violet, daughter of
the late Eugene Gido Kruger of New
York, were married at St. Margaret's
church, Westminster, by special li-
cense. Extraordinary efforts were
made to keep the affair secret. Those
who had been admitted into the con-
fidence of the bridal couple were pledg-
ed to secrecy, and Mr. Wanamaker
tried to throw off inquirers at his hotel
by leaving word he had gone to
Scotland.

The church was closed to everyone
save a few invited guests and the offi-
cials informed would-be sight-seers
that the building was closed for clean-
ing purposes until tomorrow. Even
when the bride and the bridegroom
drove up to the church in separate
carriages their identity was denied,
but shortly afterward Whitelaw Reid,
the American ambassador, arrived.

The chancel was lavishly decorated
with white gardenias and orchids and
orange blossoms. The ceremony, at
which Rev. Mr. Knox, the curator of
St. Margaret's, officiated, in the ab-
sence of Canon Henson, was fully
choral and closed with Mendelssohn's
wedding march. Besides the bridal
couple only three persons were pres-
ent at the ceremony, Dr. Reid, Mrs.
Tama and Barclay Warburton, all of
whom signed the register.

After breakfast at a hotel here the
couple started on an automobile trip
through England. They will reside in
Paris.

Rodman Wanamaker is well known
in America and Paris. He is an offi-
cer of the French Legion of Honor,
which decoration was bestowed upon
him for his liberality to art students
in Paris.

Mr. Wanamaker's first wife who was
the daughter of Charles Ferdinand
Henry of Philadelphia, died nine years
ago.

A daughter by that marriage, Miss
Fernanda Wanamaker, became engaged
to Arthur O. Heeren, the son of
Count Heeren of Paris and Harritz.

Mrs. Wanamaker's father belongs to
an old New York family and her moth-
er was Miss Blanche Speddon of New
Orleans.

The Krugers were divorced and Mrs.
Cruger married J. Frederic Tama, a
prominent yachtsman.

Caught.

Bellville, Ill., Aug. 11.—A man be-
lieved to be Sidney Baker, a photog-
rapher, wanted in connection with
the mysterious death here several months
ago of Peter Waelz, a 64-year-old far-
mer worth \$160,000, was arrested at
Silver Plume, Col., on information
furnished by Miss Mabel Waelz, daughter
of the murdered man, who was found
dead on the stairway leading to
Baker's studio here. The prisoner de-
nies he is Baker, insisting that Roy L.
Griswold is his name.

Miss Freda Culp, visiting Denver
with Miss Waelz, recognized Griswold
as Baker, to whom she had sold chloro-
form on the night of Waelz's death,
when she was clerking in a Belleville
pharmacy. The girl induced him to
have himself photographed with them,
mailed the photograph to Belleville
for identification, and when a reply
was received caused Griswold's arrest.
A young woman employed by Baker
was in the studio with Baker and
Waelz the night Waelz was killed, but
proved her innocence and was re-
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Visalia, Aug. 11.—About four months
ago J. Preston Lewis arrived here
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became pastor of the Christian Church.
The first Sunday he announced from
the pulpit that he was a widower.
Three Sundays later he said his wife
was to arrive in about a week. The
woman who came was accepted as his
wife. Correspondence of the officers
of the church developed that a wife
in Santa Rosa was not yet divorced;
also information from Florida stated
that Lewis had jumped bail for an
unknown charge.

Last evening Mrs. Lewis No. 1 ar-
rived at Visalia, and went to the Os-
burn house and asked for Mr. Lewis.
She was told by a woman that Mr.
Lewis had gone to Los Angeles and
would return shortly. Conversation
developed that both women were wives
of Lewis. Wife No. 1 states that Lew-
is went to Santa Rosa, told her he
would get a divorce from his second
wife and remarry her if she would
permit him to get a divorce without
appearing against him.

Proceedings were begun, as wife
No. 1 was made to think wife No. 2
was East, and Lewis never would
return to her. However, at this time
wife No. 2 was living in Visalia. Two
weeks ago Lewis left for Los Angeles
to secure employment. A letter came
from Arizona, in which he asked for
funds, stating he could secure no em-
ployment.

Everything goes to show that Lewis
is a bigamist and perjurer, and the
board is now trying to ascertain if
his recommendations are not forger-
ies. Lewis left bills amounting to sev-
eral hundred dollars for groceries and
furniture.

St. John Is No
Longer Loved
With Ardor

South Orange, N. J., Aug. 11.—The
last of the famous apostle cats is seek-
ing a home. The apostle cats became
celebrated when the will of Miss Anna
A. Burnet of Hilton was probated. She
left the twelve cats, each of which
was named for an apostle, to various
persons. Since Miss Burnet's death a
year ago all of the cats have died of
old age with the exception of St. John.
If any one wants him the last of the
twelve may be obtained from Mrs.
Mary Edwards, who is about to move
from Hilton to Belleville and does not
want to take the cat with her.

Miss Burnet's will, which disposed
of an estate of about \$500,000, was
contested by some forty relatives, who
contended that she was of unsound
mind. Part of their allegations in
support of this contention was her
naming the cats after the apostles
and buying gold collars for them. The
court held that this did not denote
testamentary incapacity and the will
was admitted to probate.

St. John is a big Angora. Mrs. Ed-
wards, to whom he was willed, has
cared for the feline since Miss Burn-
et's death, but she wishes to be re-
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St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 11.—Morris A. Heinmann almost went up in a balloon today. Instead of actually flying he stood on terra firma and watched Miss Julia Hoerner, whom he was to have taken for a sail in the clouds, soaring above him as he shouted for her to wait.

Heinmann agreed to take Miss Hoerner for a sail and accordingly arranged with John Berry, a friend and a balloon pilot, to guide them. Berry also is an admirer of Miss Hoerner.

Just as the balloon was ready, Miss Hoerner had a bystander call Heinmann to the telephone. Heinmann had just discovered the joke and started to return to the balloon when he heard a shout. Rushing out of the office he saw the balloon slowly sailing over his head, Miss Hoerner waving at him over the rim of the basket while Berry dumped out ballast to make sure of getting away.

The balloon landed at Barnhart, Mo., a distance of 25 miles from the starting place, at 3 o'clock. The bag dropped in a clover field, making a safe and easy landing. Having plenty of gas and ballast left, Miss Hoerner tied the drag rope to a tree and made several ascensions in the captive balloon with several natives who, drawn by curiosity, came to where the balloon was anchored.

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"I certainly do, sir. The mint is holding out well, though, sir. I think it will last."

"By George, that is a calamity!" groaned Chase. "How is a man to fight without cigarettes?"

Geneva quietly proffered the one she had not lighted, a quizzical smile in her eyes.

"My contribution to the cause," she said gaily. "What strange creatures men are! You will go out and be shot at all day and yet—" She paused and looked at the cigarette as if it were entitled to reverence.

"It does seem a bit silly, doesn't it?" lamented the stalwart Chase. Then he took the cigarette.

CHAPTER XX. THE CHARITY BALL.

THEY were not long in finding out what had happened to Saunders. After luncheon, while Browne and the three ladies were completing the preparations for the entertainment, Miss Pelham appeared before Deppingham and Chase in the former's headquarters. She had asked for an interview and was accompanied by Mr. Britt.

"Mr. Saunders has deceived me," she announced steadily. "I leave it to you if his attentions have not been most pronounced. Of course, if I wanted to, I could show you a transcript of everything he has said to me in the last couple of months. He didn't know it, but I managed to get most everything down in shorthand. I did it at the risk, too, your lordship, of being considered cold and unresponsive by him. It's most difficult to take conversation without the free use of your hands, I must say. But I've preserved in my own black and white every promise he made and—"

"I'm afraid it won't be good evidence," volunteered her lawyer. "It will have to be substantiated, my dear."

"Please don't call me 'my dear,' Mr. Britt. Never you mind about it not being good evidence. Thomas Saunders won't enjoy hearing it read in court just the same. What I want to ask of you, Lord Deppingham, as a friend is to give Mr. Britt your deposition regarding Mr. Saunders' attitude toward me to the best of your knowledge and belief. I'll take it verbatim and put it into typewriting free of charge. I—I don't see anything to laugh at, Mr. Chase!" she cried, flushing painfully.

"My dear girl," he said, controlling himself, "I think you are misjudging the magnitude of a lovers' quarrel. Don't you think it is rather a poor time to talk breach of promise with the guns of an enemy ready to take a pop at us at any moment?"

"It's no worse than a charity ball, Mr. Chase," she said severely. "Charity begins at home, gentlemen, and I'm here to look out for myself. No one else will let me tell you that. I want to get the disposition of every person in the chateau. They can be sworn to before Mr. Bowles, who is a magistrate, I'm told. He can marry people and—"

"By Jove!" exclaimed Deppingham suddenly. "Can he? Upon my soul!"

"His manner changed as soon as that horrid little wife of Selim came to the chateau. I don't like the way she makes eyes at him, and I told him so this morning down in the storerooms. My, but he flew up! He said he'd be— if he'd marry me." She began to use her handkerchief vigorously. The men smiled as they looked away.

"I—I intend to sue him for breach of promise," she said thickly.

"Is it as bad as all that?" asked Deppingham consolingly.

"What do you mean by bad as all that?" He's kissed me time and again, but that's all."

"I'll send for Saunders," said Deppingham sternly.

"Not while I'm here," she exclaimed. "Just as you like, Miss Pelham. I'll send for you after we've talked it over with Saunders. We can't afford a scandal in the chateau, don't you know."

"No, I should think not," she said pointedly. Then she looked at Chase and winked, with a meaning nod at the unobserving Deppingham. Chase followed her into the hall.

"None of that, Miss Pelham," he said severely.

Saunders came in a few minutes later, nervous and uncomfortable. "You sent for me, my lord," he said weakly.

"Sit down, Saunders. Your knees seem to be trembling you. Miss Pelham is going to sue you for breach of promise."

"Good Lord!"

"What have you promised her?"

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Pittsburg, Aug. 11.—Anna Miller, a young girl, attempted suicide here and the police are much mystified by her story. The young woman, who is well connected, says that on last Saturday she met a Dr. Lanor at a New York hotel, having gone there to marry him. She says they quarrelled and she returned without being married, and so she decided to die.

Miss Miller refuses to give any details about the physician whom she was to meet in New York. She will not give his first name, his address or anything which would lead to his identification. Before taking carbolic acid the girl left two pitiful notes for relatives, saying her life had been ruined, etc., and though she regretted leaving a blot on the family name she had decided to kill herself. She was hurried to a hospital soon after being found and probably will recover.

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New York, Aug. 11.—Mrs. Emmeline Parkhurst, the leading spirit among the militant suffragettes of England, is coming to America to put a little gin into the "votes for women" campaign on this side.

It has been suspected for some weeks that the forthcoming campaign

in the cause of equal suffrage was going to be the warmest ever had in America, but now that the renowned English woman is to lead there can be no doubt of it.

Mrs. Parkhurst's coming is announced by Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch of the Equal Suffrage society and League for Self-Supporting Women. Under the latter's auspices Mrs. Parkhurst will open her campaign and she will fire the first gun from Carnegie hall at a reception given in her honor. She will also do some work outside of New York.

The famous British advocate does not expect to remain in this country long, because there is a little matter of going to jail in England that must be attended to. She is involved in a suit regarding her right to petition in person the premier.

Mrs. Parkhurst, a small, quiet woman, 50 years old, but as youthful looking as her daughters, has a remarkable personality. In her suite of thirteen offices in London she keeps in touch with the suffragist movement in every part of the world. She and her daughters are leaders of the political end of the suffrage agitation and call mass meetings, window smashing journeys, arrange for street parades and train speakers.

Mrs. Parkhurst is regarded by the house of parliament as a veritable "terror." She is widow of the late Dr. Parkhurst of Manchester. She was educated in Paris, is a vegetarian, a total abstainer. Already there is much speculation in New York on the effect of her visit on Mrs. Blatch's conservative equal suffrage friends. Mrs. Mackay is conservative and has been working all the year with Mrs. Blatch, and what part she will take in the demonstrations for the radical English woman remains to be seen. Equal interest is felt in whether or not Mrs. Belmont will take an active part in the proceedings.

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ing to the speaker. Two railways enter the town, the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient and the Texas Central.

Lubbock.
"Lubbock seems to have plenty of friends," said Mr. Davidson when W. H. Bledsoe finished his talk in behalf of that town. "We have received upward of forty telegrams from all sections of the state," he continued, while the delegation modestly admitted that Lubbock was a great town. Mr. Bledsoe said the same thing in his argument. He told of the railroads the town would have within a year, of the purity of the water supply, and said that the school should have an independent water system if it came to his town.

Merkel.
"Why, there is an underground river at Merkel's feet and enough water to drown out hell in thirty minutes," said Judge Potter in telling of the water supply of that town. He made an eloquent talk to the committee, stating that he believed it would not locate the normal in any but a prohibition community and that would eliminate several towns. He also said that the committee would locate the normal in the center of population and that would eliminate many more, and that the center of population would fall either to Merkel, Sweetwater, Abilene, Stamford or Hamlin.

"Abilene, Stamford, Sweetwater and Hamlin aspire to be railroad and commercial centers," he said, "and that unfits them to be the place to train the teachers who are to guide and teach the young of the state."

He asked the board to go and see for itself what Merkel offered, not in dollars and cents, but in real worth. George S. Berry followed with a short speech, in which he told of the never-falling water supply and of the 800 school children being educated there in the fine school houses that are now built. He also told of a magnificent high school to be immediately erected.

Midland.
"We take our name from the fact that we are in mid-land, half way between Fort Worth and El Paso," was the manner in which S. J. Isaacs began his speech in behalf of his town. He produced a map and drew a circle representing 200 miles, with Midland as the center, and told of the number of people who could be thereby served with the present railroad facilities as compared with the three other normals now in the state. He also said that the city was preparing to put in a water and sewerage plant, but that if they could secure the school and it was ready before the water and sewer system that they would put in a private system. He told the committee that Midland was willing to give a liberal amount of land and money, but they didn't want to buy the school, and didn't think that it could be bought. He was followed by Prof. Marcus, in charge of the Midland college, who explained in regard to the school spirit and the moral tone of the town.

Mineral Wells.
A five-acre tract on the top of South mountain was offered by F. S. Eberhart on behalf of Mineral Wells. He extolled the site and the mineral water. Two other sites were offered, one

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on the Pasadena Heights and the other on Kidwell Heights, a bonus of \$25,000 in money accompanying any of the sites the board might care to select. He also mentioned the large auditorium and the Chautauqua lectures and like happenings at the wells as part of the inducement.

San Angelo.
Brown F. Lee made the address on the part of the San Angelo delegation and opened by declaring that although the committee allowed him twenty minutes, that he would require but five minutes and would tender back the balance of the allotted time. He warmed up to his subject, however, and consumed the whole of the twenty minutes. He also sympathized with the committee, declaring that it had a duty to perform and was being punished with a lot of hot air. Location, health and kindred matters justify the board in locating the school if not a single cent was given as a bonus, he said, and then went on to tell of San Angelo's railroad facilities, elevation, water and sewer system and kindred matters. Mr. Guthrie, superintendent of the waterworks, was called upon for a statement in regard to the filtration of the water supply. He answered the questions propounded to him by the board, and the members in turn asked Mr. Lee in regard to the number of people suffering from tuberculosis now in San Angelo. Mr. Lee stated that he did not know the number, but that San Angelo takes greater precautions in handling such cases than any other town anywhere, and the lieutenant governor said that he knew such to be the case.

Seymour.
J. M. A. Wheat and J. W. Hamilton represented Seymour, calling special attention to the fact that it was situated half way between the Fort Worth and Denver and the Texas and Pacific railway lines, and was accordingly in the proper place to handle the students who would attend the school. Mr. Wheat told of the water and fuel supplies, and the excellent building stone to be had for the purpose of erecting the necessary buildings, and Mr. Hamilton spoke in regard to the half dozen sites offered for the committee to choose from. He said that the altitude was over 1400 feet, and that there had been but two cases of typhoid fever and none of malaria in the town for the past five years.

Snyder.
Judge C. R. Buchanan spoke in behalf of Snyder, which he declared to be the exact center of population of the territory the legislature intended the West Texas normal to draw upon for students. He described the site they offered in the southwestern portion of the town and what provisions could be made for furnishing water and sewerage. He was followed by A. C. Wilmet, who spoke in regard to the railroads and the accessibility of the town, along with the health and exceptional morals of the community and country.

Stanton.
Judge J. M. Pressler championed the cause of Stanton. He complimented the committee on its decision that any money given as a bonus should be used in making a bigger school instead of returning it to the treasury of the state, and then made a rattling good talk. The location of the town, its railroad facilities, nearness to the coal fields, general health and excellent water were the points upon which he placed particular stress but the many minor advantages were not overlooked and were presented in a concise and lucid manner. Five sites from three to five blocks from the center of town were mentioned, one of eighty acres being but three-fourths of a mile from the depot. Dr. Duncan, president of the Stamford college, spoke in regard to his work and how the citizenship had evinced an interest and helped, and how his students came from all portions of West Texas, which, to his mind, made it clear that students for the normal could also reach that place with but little trouble and that they would be royally treated and helped in their work.

The Stamford delegation was one of the largest of those present, most of them wearing caps with the name of their town in front, and after having their photograph taken they gave way to the representatives of Stanton. J. S. Long was the spokesman of the committee, and he presented its claims in a forcible manner, telling of

the water, climate, railroad facilities and what they would give for the school.

Sweetwater.
J. S. Beall represented Sweetwater, whose claims and advantages he painted in glowing colors. He also told what his town would do in the way of water, sewerage, lights, land along other lines.

Tulia.
J. A. Simpson and T. W. Tomlinson composed the entire delegation from Tulia, and each helped to present the claims of the town. Their argument was that they were ideally located for a normal in the Panhandle country and were working to secure the school on the theory that another normal would later be built in the southern portion of the territory west of the 98th meridian. They said that out of thirty-one schools in Shackelford county at least twenty-five were now without teachers, and that a school for the training of teachers was badly needed in their portion of the state.

Vernon.
District Judge H. P. Huff, T. H. Shide and H. D. Hackensmith did the talking for the delegation from Vernon, and it was a clean cut, forcible argument that they presented. The town is now installing a sewer and water system, according to the statements they made, and is unexcelled for healthfulness and moral tone.

Wichita Falls.
Wichita Falls was the last on the list, and it was nearly 7 o'clock when the committee fled in to lay its offer before the board. The town was described as modern in every respect, with the largest water supply of any town in the competition. A street railway and seven railroad outlets were among the other advantages, as was natural gas at 21-2 cents per 1000 feet for household use and 9-1-2 cents for manufacturing purposes. The big lake as a means of recreation was also mentioned. They offered to donate many acres of land and to erect free of all cost the necessary buildings. The proposed site is on a bluff in the southwestern portion of the city and one of the best situated as to drainage, natural location, view, etc., submitted to the board.

TEXAS LEAGUE STANDING.

	Pld.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Houston	113	65	47	.584
Oklahoma City	112	63	49	.562
Dallas	115	63	52	.548
San Antonio	110	60	50	.545
Shreveport	114	60	54	.520
Fort Worth	116	59	57	.509
Waco	115	45	72	.374
Galveston	115	41	74	.356

RESULTS WEDNESDAY.

At Galveston.

	R.	H.	E.
First game—			
Shreveport	4	11	5
Galveston	3	11	2
Batteries: Shreveport, Bauer and Heninger; Galveston, Crabble and Quisser.			
Second game—			
Shreveport	0	3	2
Galveston	1	3	0
Batteries: Shreveport, Reiger and Garvin; Galveston, Johnson and Quisser.			

(Seven innings by agreement.)

At San Antonio.

	R.	H.	E.
First game—			
Oklahoma City	1	8	0
San Antonio	2	5	0
Batteries: Oklahoma City, Bandy and Kelsey; San Antonio, Ables and Schan.			
Second game—			
Oklahoma City	3	5	0
San Antonio	0	4	2
Batteries: Oklahoma City, Drohan and Kelsey; San Antonio, Winchell and Alexander.			

(Seven innings by agreement.)

At Houston.

	R.	H.	E.
Fort Worth	1	3	2
Houston	2	5	2
Batteries: Fort Worth, McKay and Powell; Houston, Hornsby and Gordon.			

(Five innings.)

At Waco.

	R.	H.	E.
Dallas	0	4	2
Waco	3	5	2
Batteries: Dallas, Shontz and Onslow; Waco, Miller and White.			

(Five innings.)

Accidental.
The accidental discharge of a shotgun on Chadbourne street Wednesday night was the source of considerable excitement just as the moving picture shows were turning out. No one was hurt.

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