

UNDER A LOG.

Tom Lockett Crushed Beneath a Heavy Stick of Timber at the Furniture Factory.

Tom Lockett, son of Mr. C. C. Lockett, met with a serious accident at the furniture factory Tuesday morning, as a result of which he will be a cripple for many weary weeks. He was assisting in unloading some heavy timbers from a flat car. In some manner the end of the log at which he was working suddenly rolled down on him, striking him just above the right knee, and knocking him down, fell across his leg. An immense bruise marks the place where the ponderous log struck, and it is feared the muscles of the limb may be permanently injured. Dr. W. A. Lockett dressed the wound, and gave it as his opinion that no bones were broken.

STATE NEWS.

—Burglars are "working" Yoakum.

—Austin is to have a four-cornered Mayorality contest.

—Hon. John D. McCall is the democratic nominee for mayor of Austin.

—Wilbarger county took the premiums for wheat and cotton at the Dallas fair.

—Houston is to have four days fruit, flower and vegetable exhibit, commencing Dec. 6th.

—Hill county farmers will plant wheat and make an effort to raise their own pan cakes next year.

—The San Antonio horse market report quotes good American bred mares at \$10 and scrub stock at \$5.

—It is reported that an old Spanish mine, with ore running \$240 to the ton, has been rediscovered near Cisco.

—The difference in the price of cotton this year and last is about \$6.25 per bale. This means a loss to the Texas farmers of about \$16,000,000.

—The Knights and Ladies of Honor Lodge of Yoakum is defunct—suspended on account of failure of Secretary to forward assessments.

—Over 500 head of horses have died in the coast country within the past 90 days of a disease pronounced anthrax. Many remedies have been tried, but none with any great success.

—Members of the D. Y. K. club, of Bryan, have begun preparation for their eighth annual ball and banquet, which will take place during the holidays.

—The Texas Military Institute, at Llano, has a fine attendance of students and bids fair, at no distant day, to rank as one of the leading educational institutions of grand old Texas.

—J. H. Davis, an old citizen of Cedar Hill, Dallas county, committed suicide by shooting himself through the temple, on board the Cotton Belt railway as the train rolled into Nevada, in Hunt county, last Wednesday.

—Burglars entered the store of Smith & Sneed at the town of Hewitt, in McLennan county, last Thursday night, blowed open the safe and stole about \$300 in cash and forty or fifty dollars in postage stamps, the postoffice being in their store. A part of the money stolen was postoffice funds. No clue to the perpetrators.

Dr. B. O. McLEAN, one of the most popular disciples of Esculapius in Caldwell, spent Monday in the city, and paid his respects to the BANNER.

Mr. J. M. COUNTRYMAN, of Felder, received a telegram from Galveston Sunday announcing the death of his little son, Donie, which occurred Saturday.

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Anniversary Entertainment.

There are scenes to which with lingering fondness the heart turns to refresh itself. Tuesday evening represented such a scene at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. Epstein. The occasion was one of a dual nature, commemorating as it did the third anniversary of the order's existence, and being also a complimentary gathering in honor of the Lady Lieutenant Commander, Mrs.

W. T. Ball, who will shortly cease to be an active member by reason of her contemplated removal to Purcell, I. T.

Brenham Hive No. 17, L. O. T. M., was organized in November, 1894, by Miss Annie L. Carlton, of Detroit, Michigan, and as its enumeration indicates, is the pioneer organization of the Lone Star Commonwealth. It is commonly supposed that a secret organization with a distinctively

feminine membership cannot exist for any great length of time, but in the light of this three years record it must be admitted that such a proposition is not only erroneous but also absurd. The organization has from time to time temporarily discarded the rigor of its seclusion and laid aside the mystery of its secrets sufficiently for the general public to get glimpses of its precepts, principles and purposes,

and to be convinced that as an organization it ought to be encouraged and perpetuated. The evening was devoted to vocal and instrumental music, recitations, refreshments and conversation, and despite the frowns of old Jupiter Pluvius the attendance represented nearly the entire membership of the organization. Of course it was a musical company, and the music it goes without saying was such as an artist would deem a rare treat. Mrs. L. M. Simon's "When the

Heart is Young" and Mrs. Epstein's "Birds in Springtime" and "Bobolink" were heartily enjoyed. Both singers have joyful rippling voices which manifest wonderful handling and evidence the skill with which they have been trained. Miss Julia Epstein, in her rendition of "Tommy's Little Star," made by far the happiest hit of a most happy evening. —Rev. M. J. Allen, a Methodist minister of Llano county, has been adjudged insane.