

Strong Representatives Of the Bar

JUDGE ALBERT BACON FALL.

The bench and bar of El Paso are second to none in the entire southwest, in the ability, scholarly attainments, and the high quality of legal talent displayed by its members. Of these none have won higher esteem or more universal respect from the fraternity and the people than Judge Albert B. Fall, who maintains his offices and a large library at rooms 403-404 Guaranty Trust building.

Judge Fall was appointed associate justice of the supreme court of New Mexico by Grover Cleveland, which position he held for a number of years, and when Gov. Curry was appointed he was again appointed attorney general. During the Spanish-American war he was captain of company H, in the 1st territorial regiment, United States volunteers.

Judge Fall is and has been for 23 years a resident of New Mexico. Retiring from the practice of law several years since, he has devoted himself principally to Mexican business and to Mexican law in connection with companies and private enterprises in which he is interested. Realizing the importance of El Paso as a business point, after withdrawing from the firm of Clark, Fall, Hawkins & Franklin, and ceasing active practice, he built a home in El Paso, and while living on his ranch in New Mexico, his family spend a great deal of time in this city.

Judge Fall is interested to a considerable extent in El Paso real estate and in the banking business. He is also interested in mines and ranches in New Mexico and in Chihuahua and other states of the republic of Mexico.

ALLEN H. HUGHEY.

So favorable are the opportunities and advantages to the young men who adopt the profession of the law in El Paso, that it is seldom necessary to labor and struggle for a long period of years for a reputation and profitable practice. The triumphant course of Allen H. Hughey serves as a striking example of the fact that cultured talent, industry and learning in the law, count for all they are worth in El Paso. Mr. Hughey graduated from the law department of George Washington university in 1907, going to Weatherford, Texas, where he remained for a while, coming here in last July. At an early stage of his practice at the bar of El Paso he distinguished himself by his learning and talented ability as a practitioner, and won recognition by the fraternity and the people for his unusual tact and shrewdness in an attorney of his age and experience. Mr. Hughey is a man of versatile ability and favored with a pleasing personality, both in actual life and the practicing of his profession. He is highly esteemed in all circles and has many friends. His office is at room 9, Stevens building.

J. H. M'BROOM.

In large part the membership of the El Paso bar is made up of men of talented genius and learning from other states, and they have come from all parts of the union. One of the well known and popular young attorneys of the latter class is J. H. M'Broom, who came from Indiana seven years ago, and has gained a position of prominence at the bar. Mr. M'Broom is well educated, soundly read in the law and an attorney of force and ability in the trial of cases before judge and jury, while he is a painstaking, conscientious and reliable legal adviser. He practices in all the courts and has a good office business as counselor in civil cases, giving special attention to important business affairs. Mr. M'Broom is a gentleman of personal excellence, and very much esteemed by the fraternity and the people. He occupies office at 27 and 28, Austin & Marr building.

This City Attracts Men Of Conspicuous Talent.

WYCLIFFE J. BRYAN.

One of the young men of prominence in the legal profession in this city is Wycliffe J. Bryan, who has been practicing in the courts of Texas and New Mexico for the last two years. Mr. Bryan graduated from the Jefferson Law school in 1908, and also studied at the A. and M. college of New Mexico. He is an accomplished Spanish scholar, and makes a specialty of Spanish translation, and the handling of litigation for Spanish speaking persons, as well as other nationalities. He is a young man of brilliant attainments and well grounded in all branches of the law, especially mining and irrigation laws. He has offices in the Austin-Marr building, which are well equipped with a good legal library. Mr. Bryan's ability to speak and understand Spanish is an accomplishment that not only benefits him, but is of great value to his clients.

CHARLES R. LOOMIS.

El Paso and the state of Texas offer an attractive and varied field for the active practice of law. The best abilities of the most experienced members of the profession are tested continually. Charles R. Loomis, who has a splendid suite of offices in the Trust building, rooms 418-420, is the equal of the best talent of the local bar in general knowledge and practice, and has a large clientele in the city and southwest.

Mr. Loomis holds the position of referee in bankruptcy in the United States courts, to which position he was appointed by Hon. T. S. Maxey. Mr. Loomis came to El Paso from Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1903, and is a graduate of the law department of the university of Michigan. He has formed many valued business and personal acquaintances, and is esteemed by both bench and bar of the city. Mr. Loomis is also largely interested in valley land investments.

M. W. STANTON.

Mr. Stanton has had an experience of 26 years in practice as an attorney, and, having passed the larger part of his professional career in this city, his reputation as a lawyer and citizen is well known to the most substantial portion of this community, while among his conferees of the bar he holds a prominent and most honored place. M. W. Stanton is a graduate of a branch of the university of Georgia in 1883, and of the St. Louis Law school in 1886, having entered the law school from El Paso, where he then resided. Thus prepared with proper education and gifted with a talented genius, Mr. Stanton started in professional life with everything to commend.

He has had a successful practice in this city with credit to himself and benefit to his clients, among whom are a large number who depend upon his deep learning of the law and his wise counsel as legal adviser, these including corporations, business firms and individuals. He is regarded as an effective advocate and a conservative and reliable counselor, while he is equally efficient as attorney for prosecution or defense in trial cases. Mr. Stanton occupies office, with a good library at rooms 3 and 4, Bronson block, and pursues a general practice.

GEORGE ESTES.

El Paso has many talented lawyers who have risen to eminence in their profession and attained distinction in offices and in public affairs. Among those who are noted for learning of the law and ability in practice, and who have been honored by promotion to positions of high responsibility, is George Estes, than whom no lawyer in western Texas is better known or more highly esteemed. Mr. Estes graduated from the law department of the university of Missouri in 1887 and has been for more than seven years a resident of El Paso and a leading member of the

bar. For the successive terms covering a period of eight years, Mr. Estes was county attorney of Reeves county, Texas. In 1904 he was elected district attorney for the 34th judicial district, and served with ability in that responsible office until the expiration of his term in 1905.

Mr. Estes occupies room 12, Stevens building, where he is equipped with a good library and successfully pursues the general practice in all the courts. He is well versed in all departments of the law and handles his cases with ability in all branches of practice. He is highly esteemed in social and professional circles and is an influential and progressive citizen.

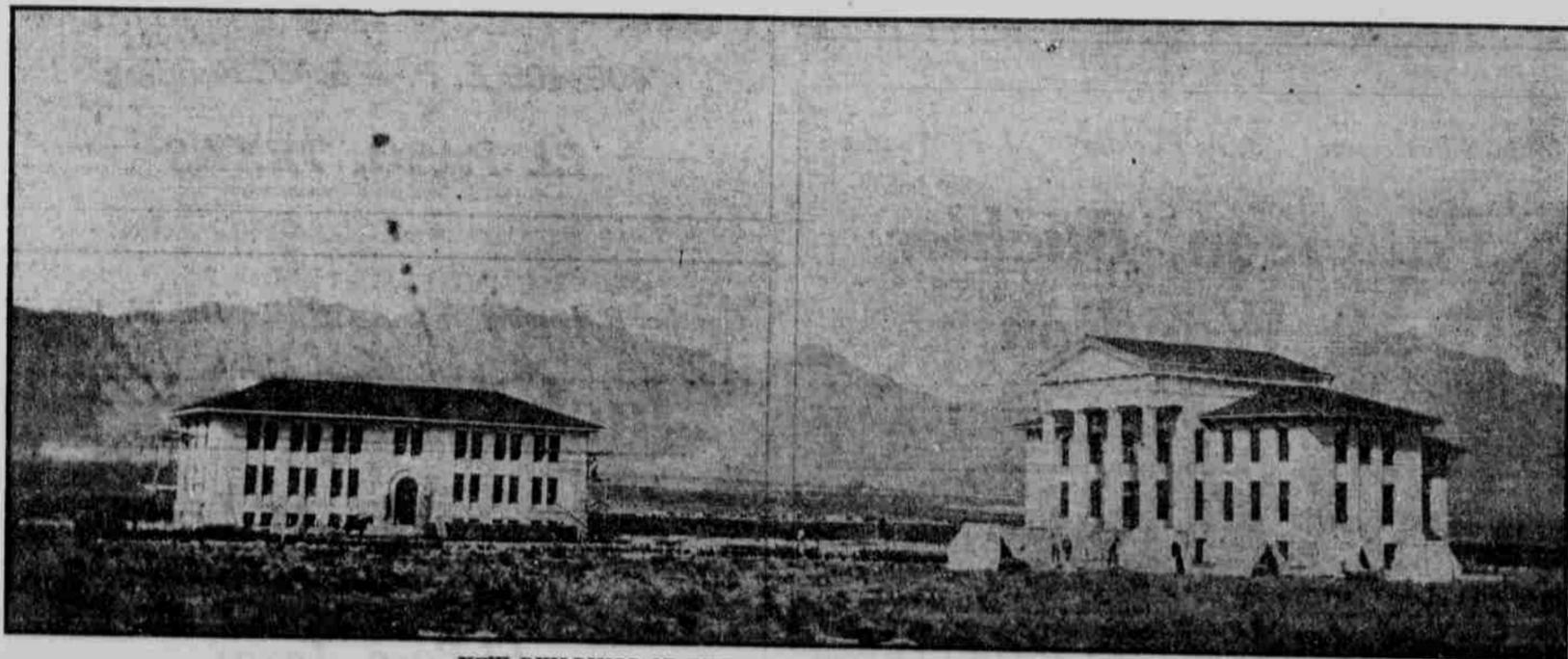
MOORE & MOORE.

A large proportionate part of the membership of the local bar is composed of young attorneys, well advanced in practice at the bar. One of the most prominent and successful firms of the younger class is that of Moore & Moore, Victor C. Moore and E. T. Moore, Jr., are brothers and natives of Texas, Victor C. Moore graduated from the law department of the university of Texas in 1898; E. T. Moore, Jr., graduated from the same institution in 1902, and in that year the firm was organized. Victor Moore, as the senior in years and senior in the firm, has advanced well to the front as one of the leading members of the bar, while E. T. Moore is equal in talented ability and knowledge of the law. They are well known in the state as shrewd and successful attorneys, and are often retained in connection with important and difficult cases of litigation. They practice in all the courts, and, while adopting no exclusive line, they give special attention to business affairs and have a good office business as legal advisers in civil practice. The Messrs. Moore occupy rooms 45, 46 and 47, City National bank building, where they are equipped with a very large and complete library.

A number of new irrigation enterprises are being organized for the Sacramento valley, northeast of El Paso, aiming at the reclamation of nearly 10,000 acres of land along the foothills of the Sacramento range.



NEW RESIDENCE OF TROST BROTHERS



NEW BUILDINGS OF THE EL PASO MILITARY INSTITUTE

More than \$50,000 has already been invested in the plant of this splendid educational establishment, which has 114 cadets enrolled in the second year of its existence