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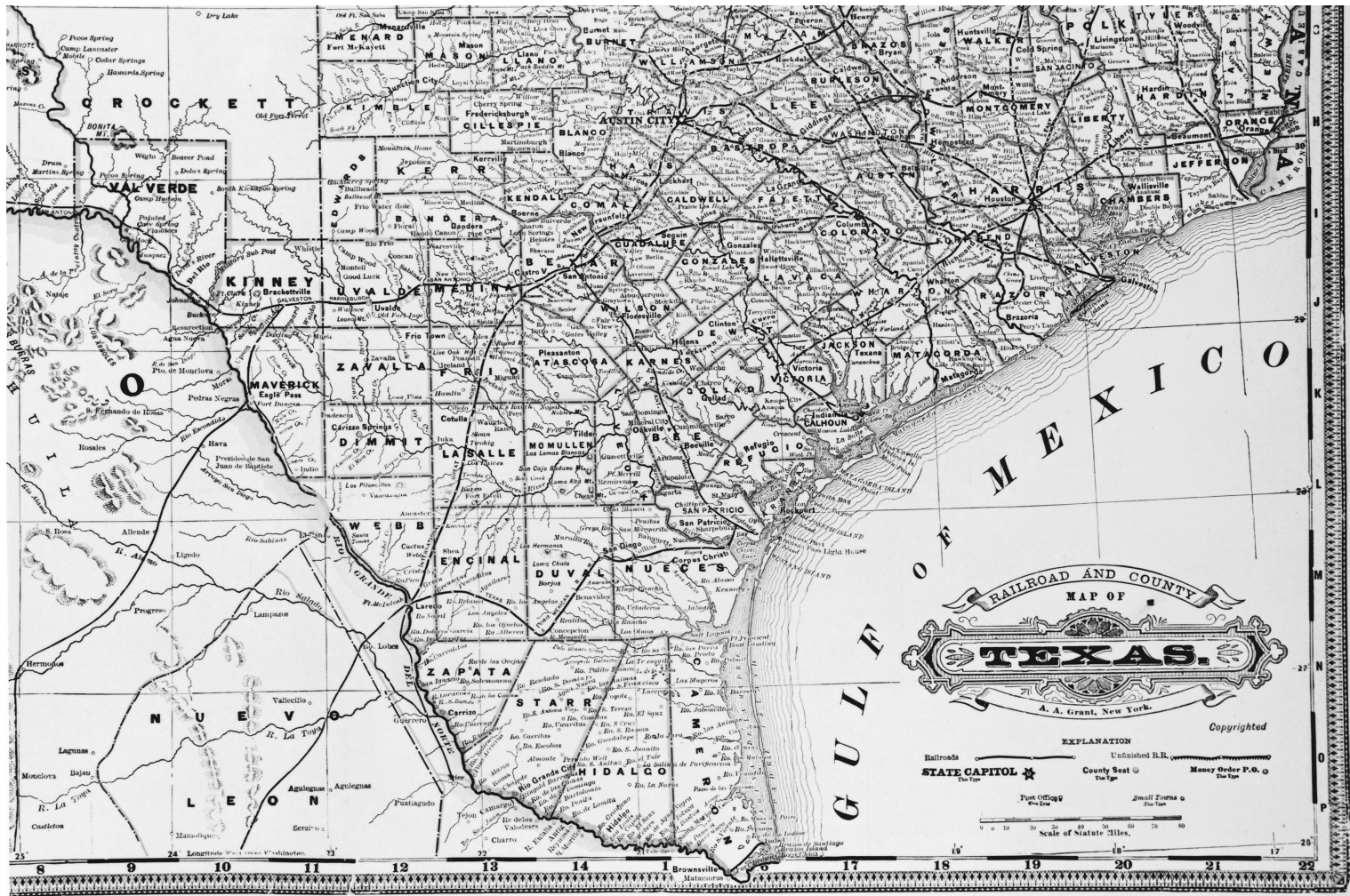
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Francisco Gutiérrez Garza and his wife, Manuela García, circa 1900. (Courtesy Mrs. Sylvia Lozano Trzaskoma)

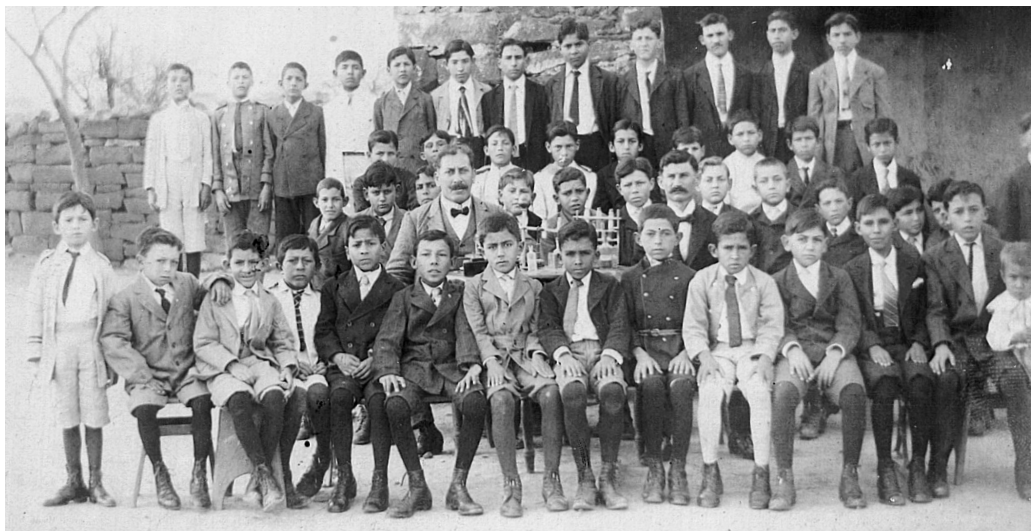
PREVIOUS PAGE: South Texas counties and railroad lines, circa 1890. (Courtesy Mrs. J. Conrad Dunagan)



Manuel Gutiérrez García at his wedding in 1895. (Courtesy Mrs. Sylvia Lozano Trzaskoma)



Francisca Peña, twenty-two years old, at her wedding to Manuel Gutiérrez in 1895. (Courtesy Mrs. Sylvia Lozano Trzaskoma)



Boys' school in Ciudad Guerrero, Tamaulipas, Mexico, circa 1910, where Francisco Gutiérrez Peña studied before his family moved to Laredo. (From the author's collection)



Double funeral procession for Francisco Gutiérrez and his son, Manuel Gutiérrez, August 16, 1912.
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Group of mourners and horse-drawn hearses at Gutiérrez funeral. (Courtesy Mrs. Sylvia Lozano Trzaskoma)



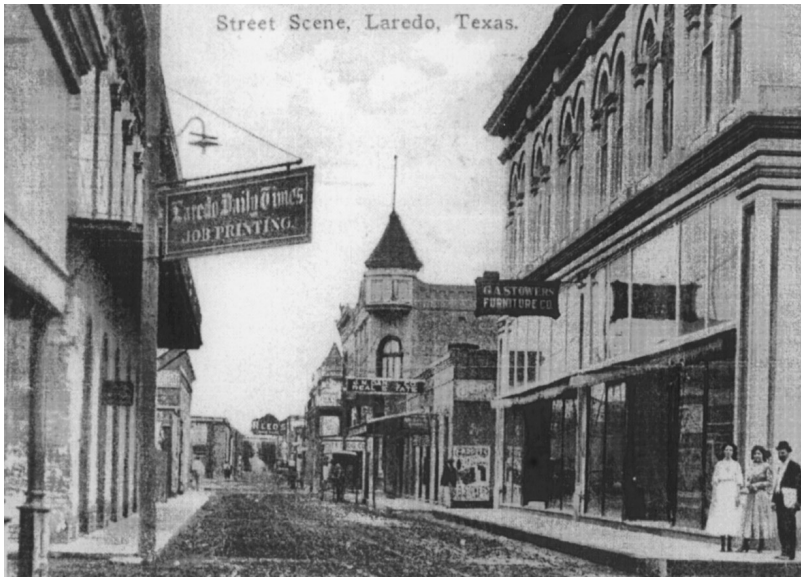
Virginia Gutiérrez, oldest child of Manuel Gutiérrez and Francisca Peña, in 1914 at eighteen years of age. (From the author's collection)



Francisco Gutiérrez Peña, oldest son of Manuel Gutiérrez and Francisca Peña, circa 1916, at eighteen. (From the author's collection)



Francisca Peña, Viuda de Gutiérrez, with one of her children, circa 1920. (From the author's collection)



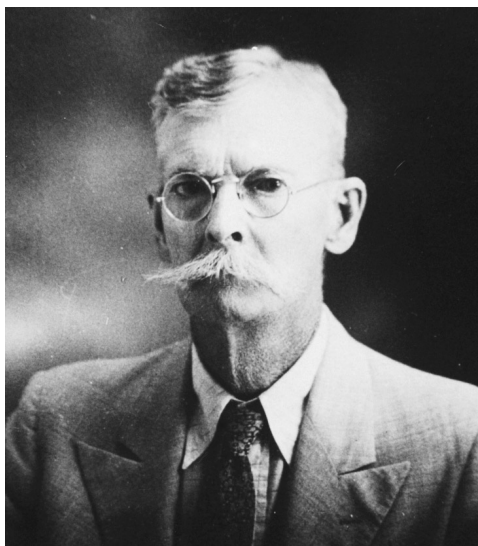
Street scene showing the *Laredo Daily Times* offices, circa 1910. (Courtesy Laredo Public Library, Laredo, Texas)



Webb County Courthouse, constructed in 1909. (Courtesy Webb County Heritage Foundation)



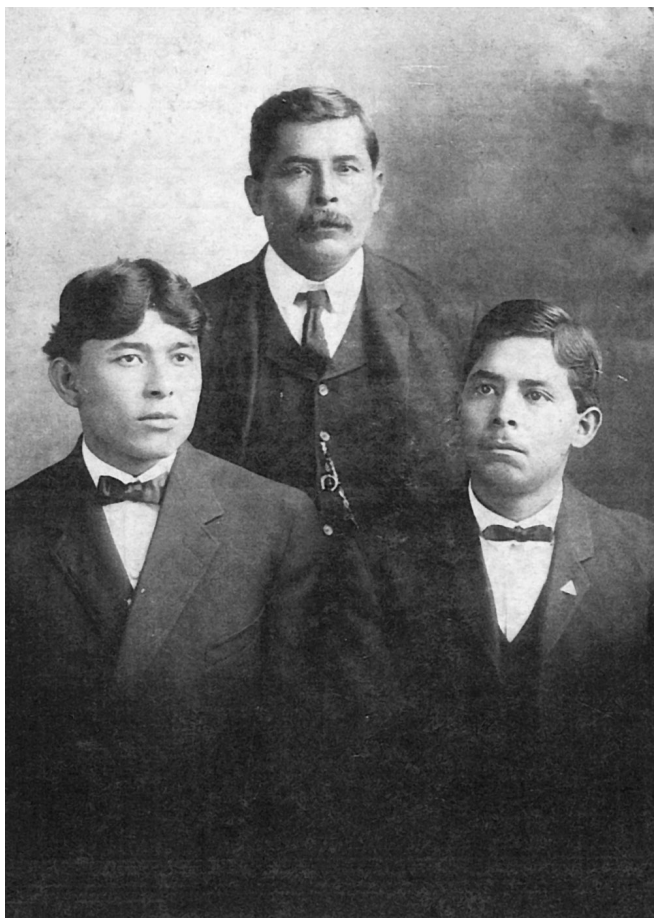
District Attorney John Anthony Valls.
(Courtesy Webb County Heritage
Foundation)



ABOVE RIGHT: District Judge John F.
Mullally. (Courtesy Webb County Her-
itage Foundation)



Webb County sheriff Amador Sánchez,
circa 1907. (Courtesy Texas State
Library and Archives Commission)



Justice of the Peace Nicasio Idar (center) with his sons, Clemente (left) and Eduardo (right), 1907. (Courtesy Mr. Ed Idar, Jr.)



District Attorney John Anthony Valls in his office, circa 1935. (Courtesy Laredo Public Library, Laredo, Texas)



The newsroom of the *Laredo Daily Times* in March 1913. Jim Falvella is on the left, Justo S. Penn on the right. (Courtesy Webb County Heritage Foundation)



Justo Sabor Penn, publisher of the *Laredo Times*, when he was a member of the Texas Legislature in 1910. (Courtesy State Preservation Board, Austin, Texas)



Defense attorney Marshall Hicks, circa 1920. (Courtesy Texas State Library and Archives Commission)