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Small accounts are given the same consideration and treatment as large ones; in other words we give every depositor on our books the same banking service, which we endeavor to make the best service.

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The Brady National Bank
Of Brady, Texas

RESIGNS POSITION.

Paul Calvert Will Leave for Waco in Near Future.

Paul Calvert, bookkeeper for the Brady Water and Light Co., for the past four and one-half years, has resigned his position the resignation to take effect just as soon as his position can be filled by another man. The cause of Mr. Calvert's resignation is that he has accepted an excellent position as bookkeeper with the Waco Machinery & Supply Co. Mr. A. M. Martin who was superintendent of the waterworks system for several years, was instrumental in securing this excellent promotion for Mr. Calvert, and his action attests much to the high esteem in which he held Mr. Calvert's work while the latter was employed under him.

Mr. Calvert has not decided just yet when he will leave for his new home, but will probably remain here until the end of the month.

In the meantime the Board of Managers of the Brady Water and Light Co. have a number of applications under consideration, and will probably be able to secure a man for the position within the next week or two.

Window shades. Broad Mercantile Co.

Get the Manhattan shirt—cheap at the price; cheap at any price. New shipment in at Kirk's. Nuf Sed.

COTTON CONDITION BAD.

Government Report of the United States Shown to Be 68.2.

Washington, Sept. 2.—The condition of the growing cotton crop of the United States on Monday, August 25, was 68.2 per cent of a normal, compared with 79.6 per cent on July 25 of this year, 74.8 per cent on August 25, last year, 73.2 per cent in 1911 and 74.7 per cent, the average condition on August 25 of the past ten years. This announcement was made at noon today by the Crop Reporting Board of the United States Department of Agriculture, the condition being estimated from reports of its correspondents and agents throughout the cotton belt.

Since the July report growing conditions had been generally favorable throughout the eastern section of the cotton belt and the condition of the plant in the states east of the Mississippi was expected to show up well. In the states west of the Mississippi conditions were not so favorable, drouths in Texas and Oklahoma, parts of Arkansas, Missouri, and Louisiana marking the early part of the period which today's report covers. High temperatures prevailed throughout most of this section. The drouth was partially relieved during the last week of the period.

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Our store will be headquarters for shoes, whether it be children's school shoes, or footwear for the grown-ups. We have purchased them in all the newest leathers and the latest styles.



We can fit your foot with the very shoe you want. Come and we can convince you.



YOU CAN PUT ALL YOU'VE GOT ON "STETSON HATS." THEY ALWAYS KEEP THEIR SHAPE.

Fall Styles in STETSON HATS Ready at this "Live Store"

Stiff hats in the latest styles, and Soft hats in all the new shapes, colors and finishes.

Hats Galore

And We Have The One That Will Suit You

The name "STETSON" carries with it the name of quality. We have purchased all styles both in Stetson and in cheaper ones and your selection of a fall hat will be an easy matter here. Remember it will be no trouble to show them to you. Whether or not you intend to buy, come here and have us show you what the latest and noblest styles are.

You can't buy wrong when you get the "Stetson"



Elasticity

At last

there is a stocking with a really elastic short ribbed top, and of course, it's an

"IRON CLAD"

This new stocking is made of combed yarn, with a very elastic top, double sole and high spliced heel.

ASK FOR NO. 76.

It is not made of iron, but like all Iron Clads it has lots of HARDWEAR in it.



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When you want hose for the school boy or girl, get "IRON CLAD" hose—nothing as good for hard wear and good service. Every pair guaranteed.

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NORTH SIDE SQUARE

BRADY, TEXAS

PERSONAL & LOCAL

Mike Jennings left last night on a business trip to Fort Worth.

Miss Annie Scott left last night for Moody to attend school.

Ross R. Wolfe left Wednesday for Mason and Fredericksburg on a business trip.

"Farmer" Jim Matthews was in town with a load of sweet "taters" yesterday.

Mike Jennings has been here the past several days from Fredonia on a business visit.

Mrs. J. T. Mann returned the first of the week from her visit at Brownwood and San Angelo.

Judges J. E. Shropshire and Joe A. Adkins are looking after legal business in Paint Rock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Espy returned Sunday from Lampasas where they spent several days visiting.

Mrs. John Wilson is here from Fort Worth for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutherford.

Miss Waldine Tauch is at home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tauch, and her brother and sister.

Judge F. M. Newman returned Wednesday from Paint Rock where he has been in attendance upon district court.

Miss Zella Roark has returned to her home at Ballinger after spending several months here the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Biggs.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Mrs. J. R. Baze left Tuesday evening for her home in Millersview after a visit of several days with her mother, Mrs. H. E. Jones.

R. B. McCarty, Clay Oldham, T. L. Sansom and Rev. J. T. Hamilton and W. P. Burleson were among the visitors here from Mercury yesterday.

Miss Mamie Baze of Millersview arrived Wednesday morning on a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. H. E. Jones, who is quite feeble yet from a spell of sickness.

Misses Chase Crothers and Rose Stallings; Messrs William Crothers and Broady Ogden are enjoying a house party this week at the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White.

Misses Marjorie McCall and Carmen Anderson went to Menard Saturday to attend a party given by Mrs. W. P. Bevans for Misses Olivia Bevans and Marjorie Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson returned Wednesday to their home at San Saba after a visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Bryson. Their daughter, Miss Mabel, will continue her visit here several days yet.

Henry Jordan returned Wednesday from a trip through the Houston and Galveston country and reports that section very dry. In fact, he states the McCulloch country is the best he has seen since starting on the trip.

Miss Marion Barry of Marlin accompanied Mrs. Will Ballou upon her return Sunday from a visit at that place, and is spending several days here the guest of Mrs. Ballou before going to Brownwood to enter Daniel Baker college.

S. C. Rowe of Menard passed through Brady last night enroute to Fort Worth where he will be in the office of J. L. Lock-

ett, assistant general attorney for the Frisco. Mrs. Rowe will join him there within the next few weeks.

Miss Lona Lyle returned Wednesday night to Sterling City after a visit of a few days with her uncle and aunt, Judge and Mrs. N. G. Lyle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood returned Wednesday from Austin where they have been spending several weeks visiting relatives. Mrs. Wood was taken ill with slow fever shortly before her return, and is still suffering from the malady.

F. H. Kruse of Chillicothe, Texas, arrived Sunday and will locate among us. His family will join him here some time next week. Mr. Kruse owns property in McCulloch county, and will make his home in Brady for the next five or six months after which he expects to move out

on his place.

Miss Christine Matthews, who has been spending the summer at the Peg Leg ranch, visited relatives here a few days this week before returning to her home at Fort Worth on last night's train. She was accompanied to Fort Worth by her sister, Mrs. H. K. McCully, who will take up her residence in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Steffins returned Wednesday from their vacation trip and visit. Mrs. Steffins visited a week in Brownwood while Karl included Fort Worth and Kansas City in his sight-seeing tour. He reports a splendid good time, but soon became tired of running about and decided to return to Brady and enjoy the rest of his vacation right at home.

Pat Hinnegan, the original Irishman, is spending several days in Brady with friends. Pat has resigned his position as traveling salesman for the Reynolds Tobacco Co. and expects shortly to leave for the Devil's River country, where he will spend some six months or longer enjoying camping, fishing and hunting in the hopes that the out-door life will restore his health.

J. M. Carpenter is here from Burnet county, where he is now making his home. It will be remembered that Mrs. Carpenter died in Burnet county a few months ago, after having been taken there by her daughter. Mrs. Carpenter had been in ill health for some time previously and had become practically helpless. The many friends of Mr. Carpenter will be glad to greet him again.

Anything in floor coverings. Broad Mercantile Co.

New velvet ties at Kirk's. The latest fad; the prettiest fad. Nuf Sed.

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months."

I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles. Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years. At all druggists. Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 156

BOUGHT TAILOR SHOP.

R. M. Elliott and Family to Locate in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Elliott and family are preparing to move to Denton about the first of next week to make their home at that place. During Mr. Elliott's recent visit to that section he became very much impressed with Denton—so much so, in fact, that he purchased a tailoring establishment, and also a house and lot.

The tailor shop Mr. Elliott has placed in charge of his son-in-law, Edward Snipes, who has been located at Groesbeck. Mr. Snipes is well known to Brady citizens, having at one time made his home here. He is a first-class tailor and should make a splendid success with the bus-

iness. Mr. Elliott still retains his property in Brady and reserves the privilege to return here at any time.

Get out the shoes you laid away this spring and see if they don't need repairing. Bring them to us, we will make them as good as new. It may save you the price of a new pair. Excelsior Shoe Store.

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SOCIETY

Ring 163 If You Have Items for These Columns.

SPECIAL CALENDAR.

Bible Study Class—Friday afternoon, September 5th, with Mrs. A. W. Tipton.
U. D. C.—Saturday, September 6th, with Mrs. Henry Miller.
Mothers and Teachers Club—Monday afternoon, September 15th, at the Presbyterian church.
Forty-Two Club—Wednesday afternoon, September 10th, with Mrs. J. T. Mann.
Mystic Weavers—Wednesday afternoon, September 17th, with Mrs. J. F. Montgomery.
Bible Class—Wednesday afternoon, September 10th, at the Church of Christ.
Beau Nots—Wednesday afternoon, September 10th with Miss Olga Scha. eg.

Mothers and Teachers Club.

The Mothers and Teachers club had a very pleasant meeting Monday afternoon at the Presbyterian church. Arrangements were made to meet again at the church in two weeks.

Bible Class.

The Bible Class of the Church of Christ met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. W. Spiller and had a very pleasant afternoon, there being quite a large attendance. The class meets next Wednesday afternoon at the church, at which time the first two chapters of the New Testament will be taken up for study and discussion.

Bible Study Class.

Mrs. W. S. Shropshire entertained the members of the Bible Study class at her home last Friday afternoon, and a good attendance was had in spite of the threatening weather. Miss Wilson of San Saba was a visitor. The class meets this afternoon at 4:00 o'clock with Mrs. A. W. Tipton and the members will be glad to have all who will come in attendance. Beginning with the 108th chapter the lesson will conclude the remainder of the Psalms.

With Miss Bradley.

Miss Leslie Bradley was hostess at a very enjoyable "Embroidery Party" last Friday afternoon, the following guests assembling at her home at 4:00 o'clock: Misses Minnie Jarvis Crothers, Sarah Johanson, Lucile Benham, Fay Wall, Gladys Wolf, Lessie Samuel, Sallie Miller, Flora Schaege, Wilda Ford, Carrie Sessions, Mabel Thompson, Ruby Wood, Bernice Wolf; Mrs. A. M. Martin.

Delicious lemon freeze, cake and candy were served at the close of the afternoon.

Five Hundred Club.

The members of the Five Hundred club and a number of invited guests were delightfully entertained last Friday afternoon, Mrs. Jack Nussbaum being hostess. In the afternoon's series of "500" Mrs. S. S. Graham won the club prize for high score and Mrs. R. W. Turner received the guest prize.

Refreshments consisted of a salad course.

Invited guests for the afternoon were Mesdames W. D. Crothers, Fred S. Abney of Brownwood, B. Simpson, R. W. Turner, Bailey Jones of Austin; Misses Nellie Anderson, Esther Anderson.

A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, removing gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Send for Texas testimonials. Sold by druggists.

He Carried an Umbrella.

A dear lady who was very "not" in her prejudices was asked just why she didn't like a certain man. She had no particular reason that she could think of at that instant, but she had been so emphatic in her expression of dislike that she knew she would have to find some excuse—at once. Just at that moment she happened to glance out of the window and saw him passing by. He carried a neatly rolled umbrella though it hardly threatened rain.

Quick as a flash she answered her questioner, "He carries an umbrella whether it's raining or not—he is a 'softie'."

"But," said her friend, also looking out of the window, "here comes your son, William, and he is carrying an umbrella."

This did not stump the old lady. "But that's another matter—I don't like him anyhow—and besides, it all depends on who carries the umbrella," she replied triumphantly.

That is the position some people have taken regarding that wholesome and refreshing beverage, Coca-Cola. They have said a good many unkind things about it and in each instance have had it proved that their tales were not true.

Finally they seized upon the fact that Coca-Cola gets much of its refreshing deliciousness from the small bit of caffeine that it contains. They looked upon that as a splendid argument against it. Then, like the old lady who was reminded of Son William, they were reminded that it was the caffeine in their favorite beverages—tea and coffee—(even more than in Coca-Cola) that gives them their refreshing and sustaining qualities.

But does that stop their criticism of Coca-Cola for containing caffeine? No—their answer is similar to the old lady's—they say "But that's another matter"—what they mean is "being prejudiced against Coca-Cola and liking tea or coffee, it all depends on what carries the caffeine."

We think the joke is on them—for caffeine is caffeine and if it is not harmful in one it can't be harmful in another. We all know that it is not harmful in tea or coffee—that it is really helpful in whatever it is—this is bound to include Coca-Cola.

Of course, the truth is, that having started an attack on false premises and having had what they thought were good reasons for criticisms proved to be no reasons at all, they are grasping at an excuse which does not exist, to explain a prejudice. So you see, after all, it all depends on who carries the umbrella to people who are determined to be unfair. Let us be fair.

King, Clarence Snider, Oscar Teairl, Coke Martin, Evans Adkins, Swen Swenson, Porter Cooke, Will Marsden.

Forty-Two Club.

Miss Laura Lee White entertained Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being the regular meeting of the Forty-Two club. Invited guests of the club were Mesdames A. M. Martin of Waco, R. K. Hallum; Misses Mary Johanson, Gillie Macy, Nellie Anderson, Mabel Thompson. The club members enjoying the occasion were Mesdames John Wall, S. A. Benham, R. W. Turner, Thos. Donnell, J. T. Mann, J. B. McKnight, Paul Willoughby, John Schaege, C. D. Allen, J. G. McCall, W. D. Crothers, S. W. Moffatt; Misses Addie Conner, Mary Anderson.

Following the usual number of games of "42," refreshments of tunny salad, sandwiches, pickles, raspberry ice and candy were served.

The club meets next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. T. Mann.

For Mrs. Mann.

Mrs. H. H. Negus entertained with a very pretty party Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. James Mann of Brady.

As the guests arrived they were directed to the punch bowl on the veranda, where Misses Ninah Valliant and Jewel King served them with refreshing punch.

Cut flowers in vases were artistically arranged about the house.

At the close of several interesting games of "42" Mrs. Howard Osburn was awarded high score prize and Mrs. Herbert

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Ragsdale consolation prize.

A salad and ice course was served to the following guests: Mesdames A. Howard Osburn, J. Herbert Ragsdale, Robert G. Prater, H. A. Carey, George Walshe, E. H. Lake, John H. McKee, Robert E. Lee, Charles J. Horn, Fay R. Looney, Chas. R. Miller, R. L. Miller, Lee Watson, A. L. Anderson, Joseph F. Renfro, Houston, Coil, Oklahoma, Emmett Ellison, Robnett, W. A. Roussel, McIntosh; Misses Dismuke and Long.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Calvert-Long.

The marriage of Mr. Paul Calvert and Miss Myrtia Zuma Long was celebrated Wednesday morning at 9:00 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Prof. and Mrs. R. A. Long, in Mason. The ceremony was read by Rev. Owens in the presence of only a few relatives and intimate friends. The bridal couple returned Wednesday afternoon to Brady and for the present are at home to their friends at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. Ballou in West Brady.

Mrs. Calvert is a most charming and accomplished young lady, and during her residence in Brady made a large circle of friends and admirers by her winsome ways and sweet disposition. Mr. Calvert has made his home in Brady for the past four or five years, during which time he has held the responsible position of bookkeeper for the Brady Water and Light Co. He is a splendid young man and his many friends here rejoice with him in his good fortune at having won so fair a bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvert will shortly remove to Waco, where Mr. Calvert has accepted a splendid position as bookkeeper for the Waco Machinery & Supply Co.

In their journey along life's rugged pathways, the happy couple have every good wish for happiness and success from their many friends.

Complimenting Miss Jackson.

"Come to our shower Wednesday, September 3rd, 1913, five o'clock, honoring Miss Nellie A. Jackson. Mrs. Nollie Embry, Miss Fannie Embry. (With Mrs. Embry.)"

The members of the Stitch and Chatter Club, with a few invited friends, spent a delightful afternoon participating in a kitchen shower, complimenting Miss Jackson.

The guests were met at the door by the hostesses and led into the parlors, which were tastefully decorated with ferns and other plants.

Cards and pencils were passed around and each guest was asked to write her favorite recipe. These were made into book form and presented to Miss Nell.

The dining room door was then thrown open and Miss Jackson was led into the shower, where all kinds of kitchen utensils were attached to pink and white streamers daintily festooned about the dining table. Miss Nell was given scissors to cut down the parcels, when many useful and handy gifts were found, and to each was attached directions for using. Among other things were two dozen unhemmed tea towels, which were made during the afternoon.

Miss Jackson was charming in a champagne silk pongee with trimmings of cream lace and velvet pipings and girdle.

Refreshments of bread and butter sandwiches, with white cake and iced tea, were served to Misses Nellie Jackson, Edith Morris, Erna Tauch, Jennie Westbrook, Bernice Bell, Clara Marsden, Fannie Jones; Mesdames Jackson, Ed Broad, O. D. Mann, Jim Mann, Julian Davis, Roe Stearns and the hostesses.

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Shower Wednesday.

A heavy shower, falling apparently from a cloudless sky, and with the sun shining brightly, was a phenomenon Wednesday afternoon. The shower lasted perhaps thirty minutes and was sufficient to make the streets quite muddy, and also incidentally to cool off the atmosphere. For the past week or two the sky has every day become overcast with clouds making the heat quite oppressive, but while dark clouds appear nightly on the horizon and distant flashes of lightning are to be seen, so far no rain has materialized.

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Take a look at our business, spring and delivery wagons. E. J. Broad.

Change Effected.

The invoicing of the stock of the local Harkrider house was completed Wednesday afternoon, and the branch formally turned over to the new owners. While the plans of the new company have not yet been announced, Doc Strickland will have charge of the business and look after the city trade.

The new firm is styled the Knox-Johnson Produce Co., D. F. Johnson having resigned as secretary of the commercial club at Brownwood to enter in the produce business with Mr. Knox. Both the Brownwood and the Brady houses will be continued as heretofore.

Mr. Johnson is well known to Brady folks, having at one time been the local Frisco agent. He is a booster and all-round good fellow, and the Brady citizens will be glad to know that he has again become interested, at least to some extent, in our city.

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Made of perfect, ripe, red tomatoes, carefully selected and prepared according to a genuine home recipe. Not made the cheapest but the very best way possible—the richness and delicious flavor prove this. Made more cleanly than it could be made even in the home kitchen. The last touch to the way it is put up is added with an extra glass stopper to be used after the cork has been extracted.

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FT. WORTH BANK SHORT

MIKE L. WOODS MISSING. ACCOUNTS SHORT.

Active Vice President of State National Bank—Once Cashier of a Bank in Brady.

Of peculiar interest to Brady citizens is the announcement in the Fort Worth daily papers Wednesday of the discovery of a shortage of \$25,165 in the accounts of Mike L. Woods, active vice president of the State National bank of Fort Worth. Mr. Woods was one of the organizers and held the position of cashier with the First National bank of Brady, which institution became defunct in May, 1903. At that time the books of the bank were said to have been in good shape, but the entire \$50,000 capital stock of the bank had been misappropriated and Woods was accused of loaning the money to his friends and appropriating part of it to his own use. Fourteen indictments were returned against him, the indictments pending some five years or more. In the meantime many of the witnesses had died or moved away, and the cases against Woods were finally dropped.

From Brady Woods went directly to Fort Worth, entering the employ of the First National bank to which institution he was said to be involved to the extent of about \$5,000. For the past twenty years he had been with that institution, climbing up the ladder of success until he reached the position of active vice president. The following story reprinted from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram tells the story of his latest supposed defalcations:

"A shortage of \$25,000 has been discovered at the State National bank.

"The shortage is in the State National's accounts with other banks and apparently is in the accounts of Mike L. Woods, active vice president, who handled these accounts for the State National through the clearing house association.

"Woods is in California where he went three weeks ago on what was to have been a two weeks' vacation. Efforts to locate him by wire have failed.

"The shortage was discovered two weeks ago during a periodical audit and reported to the American Bankers Association, of which the State National is a member, and the Burns Detective Agency, which handles cases for this association, was detailed at once to investigate.

"Officials of the bank, when asked Tuesday morning of the report of a shortage were true, frankly admitted that an apparent shortage of \$25,000 had been found in the accounts of Mr. Woods, but that they were hopeful he would return and could explain satisfactorily.

"Woods is one of the oldest officials in the State National. He has been connected with the bank for twenty years, having started as a bookkeeper and risen to the office of active vice president. He always had been regarded highly by officials of the bank. He has been a conspicuous religious worker and is a steward in the Central Methodist church.

"His eldest son, Dr. Baldwin

Woods, 25, is a professor of mathematics in the University of California at Berkeley, and another son, Leonard, 20, is a medical student in the same university. Woods, who is 55 years old, lived at 2100 Lipscomb street with his wife and two daughters, Josephine, 22, and Eloise, 13.

"On account of Miss Josephine's ill health, Mrs. Woods and the elder daughter went to Los Angeles early this summer. El-

oise stayed in Fort Worth to keep house for her father. Four weeks ago Saturday, Dr. Baldwin Woods, passing through Ft. Worth on his return from a European tour, took Eloise to California with him that she might join her mother and elder sister.

"Woods left one week later. He is said to have complained shortly before he left Ft. Worth that his health was bad and he seemed worried over his condition."

Suffers Severe Injury.

Mrs. Alice McGrew, mother of Mrs. Sid Espy, had the misfortune of a severe injury Monday. She had been visiting another daughter, Mrs. Sam Jones, near Sonora, and was upon her return to Brady. When near Menard the automobile in which she was riding encountered some rough roads and Mrs. McGrew was thrown up against the top of the automobile, alighting in such a manner as to severely wrench

her back, and necessitating her being brought to Brady on a stretcher. She was taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lee Sessions, where she is reported resting easily. Mrs. McGrew is about 70 years of age, and quite naturally the injury was a shock to her.

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H. W. DAY RETURNS.

Again in Employ of West Texas Telephone Company.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Day returned Tuesday from their trip to Tennessee, and this time they are quite likely to remain permanently in West Texas. They report a very pleasant visit among their old friends and at their old home, but are glad to be once more with us.

Mr. F. W. Greber, general manager of the West Texas Telephone Co., accompanied them to Brady and spent the day here looking over the local situation and noting the work of improvement now nearing completion. Mr. Greber expressed his delight and satisfaction at getting Mr. Day back in his employ once more, and stated that Mr. Day would remain here for several weeks looking up new business and pushing the extension of the local service. Now that the company has increased its investment here to a great extent by placing the local system on a metallic circuit and thereby enabled them to give the very highest class of service, they feel that they will be able to secure much new business—and so Mr. Day finds his work already laid out for him.

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C. W. Threlkeld arrived yesterday from San Angelo to take charge of Demp's tailoring establishment. Mr. Threlkeld is said to be one of the most expert tailors in this section of the state, as well as being proficient in the cleaning and pressing and hat blocking business. Mr. Branscum will take orders for suits, cloaks and skirts for ladies as well as clothes for men, and will be prepared to turn it out at home on short order. Mr. Threlkeld had charge of Mr. Branscum's shop in San Angelo, and proved himself so valuable a man that one of the first acts of the latter after deciding to engage in business here was to phone to Angelo and engage his services.

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