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HIGH SCHOOL PLAY.

Students Acquit Themselves Creditably in "Mr. Bob."

The High School Dramatic club gave a highly creditable play at the opera house last night, presenting the two-act comedy "Mr. Bob." The play was a splendid one and could not have been better adapted to the talents of the player. Quite the most realistic of the players was Irvin Marshall as the butler. In make-up and performance alike he was an ideal English manservant. Miss Willie Martin as the maid-servant proved a likewise pleasing character, and her apt quotations from Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" keep up a constant merriment. Chas. Morris as "Mr. Bob," the man of many mistaken identities acquitted himself in his usual creditable manner, as did also Miss Anita Fahrenthold in the role of the aunt, Misses Edna Schaefer and Bernice Hall and Mr. Gibbon Roberts as the leading characters showed unusual talent in their interpretation of the various comic situations and won the approval of the audience throughout the play.

It is very much to be regretted that unfavorable weather conditions contributed to only a small attendance. The play reflected much credit not only upon the efforts of the pupils, but of their teachers, Mrs. W. B. Anderson, as well, and was entirely deserving of a packed house, which was certain to have been accorded it had the weather been favorable.

County School Board.

The county school board will meet Monday, May 22nd, at 2:00 P. M. in the office of the county superintendent.

E. L. WHITE.

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Our triple motion White Mountain ice cream freezers make making ice cream as easy as making a pudding. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Our competitors have circulated the report that we cannot get harvesting machinery this year. This was caused for a purpose, but we have a car of harvesting machinery that will be here this week, also a car of twine. You can always depend on getting your goods from us.

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R. P. CARR DEAD.

Passed Away at Victoria Thursday Afternoon.

A letter received Saturday by W. J. Moore from his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Beasley, at Austwell brought news of the death of R. P. Carr, a former well known McCulloch county citizen, at the home of his son, John Carr at Victoria, Thursday afternoon at 5:30, death being due to dry gangrene, superinduced by old age.

At the time of his death Mr. Carr was 85 years of age and had been in ill health for the past several months and his death was not unexpected. Up to a few years ago he made his home in Brady for a period of between twenty and twenty-five years, and is well known throughout this section of the State. Before the advent of the railroad into Brady, Mr. Carr was for a number of years engaged in freighting between Brady and Brownwood, continuing this business for a period of some ten or twelve years and until the railroad was built in.

Mr. Carr was twice married, his second wife having died several years before his removal to Brady. Of the first union there are two surviving children—John Carr of Victoria and Mrs. Newcomb, living near that place. To the second union there was born one daughter, Mrs. Maggie McCann, who resided here for a number of years, but who now lives at Austwell. All of the children were at the bedside when death came.

Funeral services and interment took place Friday at Victoria.

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Two Young Men Jailed Here Last Week.

Deputy Sheriff John Martin returned Friday afternoon from Lampasas, where he had gone to bring back Robert Alexander wanted here on a charge of burglary, and arrested at the latter place the middle of the week on advice of the local officers. Roy Young, alleged accomplice of Alexander in various burglaries, was arrested at Fife by the sheriff's force and brought to jail.

The charge against the two young men grew out of complaints made by several citizens of the East Sweden community that their barns and smoke houses had been broken into and quantities of meat, lard, provisions, harness and bridles taken. The local officers traced the suspected men to Brownwood, where it was found that a number of the stolen articles had been disposed of. The men separated there, Alexander going toward Lampasas and Young returning to the Fife community. Sheriff Mace at Lampasas was notified to keep a lookout

for the man and arrested him on the public road between Lometa and Lampasas.

A 16-year-old boy said to have been implicated in the crimes, has made a full confession to the officers, but no charge has been filed against him and likely none will be.

An examining trial will probably be held Friday before Justice of the Peace T. J. King.

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ular rates.

BRADY, TEXAS, MAY 16, 1916.

A man who has kept count of
the number of kisses with his
wife since their union consents
to its publication as follows:
First year 35,500; second year,
16,000; third year, 3,650; fourth
year, 120; fifth year, 2. He then
left off keeping the record.—Ex.

TEXAS POPULATION FACTS.

There is a child born every
four minutes in Texas. We build
seven homes in Texas every
working hour in the day. Four-
teen percent of our population
is in the cradle. There are 241-
000 young women in Texas be-
tween fifteen and twenty-four
years of age that are unmarried.
We have 466,562 men in Texas
that have never braved the ma-
trimonial seas. There are 20-
000 old maids in Texas. We have
a half million unmarried women
in Texas. There are 10,000 grass
widows in Texas and 117,000 of
the sod variety. The average
size of a Texas family is 4.9.—
"Texas Facts."

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When we exhaust the last oil
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idle; investments aggregating
billions of dollars will be thrown
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the statute will become a dead
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ized human being, and there is
no line of business that does not
at some point demand petroleum
or its products, for it lights the
pathway of the poor, furnishes
joy rides for the rich, lubricates
most every wheel in commerce,
and propels a large percentage
of them, and during the last
quarter of a century it has pro-
duced more material for writers,
orators and speakers than any
other known product in the
world.—Cullinan.

How about your watch? Is it
keeping correct time? If not,
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you. Satisfaction guaranteed.
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Go over your binders and get
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fore the rush starts. We are
able now to fill your wants on
most any piece you want.
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MEMBERSHIP MEETING.

Open Meeting and Smoker by M. B. L. Tuesday Night.

An open meeting and smoker
will be given by the Brady Y. M.
B. L. next Tuesday night at the
court house, at which time sev-
eral matters of interest and im-
portance will be taken up and
disposed of.

Heading the list is the annual
election of officers and directors
for the ensuing year. The pres-
ent board of directors and effi-
cient corps of officers have
been zealous in the discharge of
their duties and much good has
been accomplished for the town
and county since the organiza-
tion of the League last July.

At least two other matters of
vital importance to come before
the meeting is the improvement
of the Brady-Mason road and
preliminary arrangements for
the Confederate reunion to be
held here in August. The League
has had the road proposition un-
der consideration for some time,
but no definite steps toward the
actual work of improvement
have been taken, but final dis-
position will be made at the
meeting Tuesday night.

It is planned to give the old
soldiers just such another enter-
tainment as was given them
when their meeting was held
here some six or seven years
ago, and to this end the neces-
sary committees will be appoint-
ed and other preliminary steps
taken.

A full attendance of the mem-
bership is urged.

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Manager H. E. Jones of the
Rochelle-Brady Motor Car Co.,
reports sales of 5-passenger Dort
touring cars to the following
parties the past few days: J. E.
Willis, Rochelle; A. C. Wright,
Mercury; Ard Mask, Placid;
Mrs. M. A. Bumgardner, Brady.
Mr. Jones states that his com-
pany has two carloads of these
cars on the road and expects
their arrival here within
the next few days. He has also
placed an order with the factory
for two more carloads to be ship-
ped as soon as the order can be
filled.

C. W. Carr of Rochelle has
purchased the Chalmers demon-
strator recently received by the
company, and Mr. Jones expects
to leave tonight for Dallas to
try to arrange for a shipment of
these popular cars, and will put
forth every effort to fill the de-
mand for them.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

The Tindel hardware stock
purchased last week by W. M.
Murphy was moved yesterday
from the Syndicate building to
the King building, next to The
Standard office. Mr. Murphy
will close out the stock as quick-
ly as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Polk and
son, John Allison, were quite
seriously ill last Thursday night
of ptomaine poisoning, caused
by eating canned lunch tongue.
Their guest, Mrs. Jim Matthews,
was also a victim of poisoning,
and physicians worked with
them several hours before pro-
nouncing them out of danger.
All have fully recovered, and
their many friends are gratified
to know that they escaped with
no more serious consequences.

BEGINS TONIGHT.

Revival Meetings at Christian Tabernacle Open Tonight.

A series of revival meetings
under the auspices of the Chris-
tian church, will begin tonight
at 8:00 at the Christian taber-
nacle under the leadership of
Rev. Arthur W. Jones of Dallas,
assisted by Omar S. Jones of
Marshall as choir director.

The evangelist has an enviable
reputation throughout the state
as a successful revivalist and is
a strong and eloquent preacher.



ARTHUR W. JONES.
Evangelist at Christian Tabernacle.

At one time he was pastor of the
local church and has a host of
friends in Brady who will be glad
of the opportunity of hearing
him again. Omar S. Jones is like-
wise favorably known through-
out the State for his ability as
a choir leader. His work as a



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sweet tone.

Two services will be held daily
—10:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.,
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to the members of the various
choirs of the city to attend and
assist in the song services.

For windmills, pipe and mill
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Bauhof, or phone 109.

COMMISSIONERS COURT

Sitting as A Board of Equaliza- tion—Routine Business.

Commissioners court met
last week for the regular
May term, with all members
present.

Orders entered upon the min-
utes are as follows:

The sum of \$807.50 interest
on county deposits collected by
the county treasurer ordered
to the credit of the general fund.

Quarterly report of J. C. Watt,
sheriff, for the quarter ending
May 8 was examined and ap-
proved.

Quarterly report of T. J. King,
Justice of the Peace Precinct
No. 1 was examined and ap-
proved.

Monthly report of S. H. Mayo,
tax collector, was examined and
approved.

On petition of fifty-seven of
the qualified voters of Rochelle
Justice Precinct No. 7, a pool
hall election was ordered held on
Saturday, June 3. J. P. Waddill
was appointed presiding judge;
E. E. Mitchell, J. W. Burk and
S. H. Gainer assistant judges of
the election.

Quarterly report of Marvin
Hunter, Justice of the Peace of
Precinct No. 3, was examined
and approved.

Quarterly report of John Rain-
bolt, county treasurer, was ex-
amined and approved, and the
following amounts of county
scrip ordered cancelled:

Jury fund	\$ 919.50
Road and Bridge fund	7,056.89
General fund	3,458.55
Old Bridge Bond fund	200.00
Court House Bond fund	632.10
New Bridge Bond fund	1,078.30
Road Dist. No 1 Sink- ing	1,879.08
Road Dist. No. 1 Avail- able	24.00
	\$15,248.42

Tabular statement of W. J.
Yantis, county clerk, for the
quarter ending May 8, showing
receipts and disbursements of
county funds, was examined and
approved.

After finishing routine mat-
ters for the term, the members
of the court qualified Wednes-
day afternoon as a board of
equalization and at once began
the work of going over the ren-
ditions for 1916 taxes as pre-
sented by Assessor H. R.
Hodges. This work will require
the time of the court the re-
mainder of the week and a large
part of next week.

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The Old Standard general strengthening tonic,
GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out
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RICHLAND SPRINGS RIPPLES

From Richland Springs Eye-Witness:

J. D. Branscum and wife of
Brady spent Sunday here with
Mrs. Branscum's father, Mr. L.
C. Davanport.

The baccalaureate sermon was
preached Sunday by Bro. Hard-
ison. The sermon was beautiful-
ly delivered and was both in-
structing and entertaining. The
house was beautifully decorated
with pot plants and was crowd-
ed to its utmost capacity.

\$100 Reward, \$100

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been able to cure in all its stages, and
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PUBLIC RECITAL

Given by Pupils of Miss Todd at Christian Tabernacle.

The pupils of Miss Margaret Todd's piano class gave an excellent recital at the Christian tabernacle last night, the attendance, however, being very light on account of the threatening weather.

An interesting program was rendered and the manner in which the pupils acquitted themselves bespoke studious preparation on their part and the thorough competency of their of their teacher.

Following is the program rendered:

- "Haymaker's March"—Zimmerman—Misses Euba and Mary Bailey.
- "Moorish Dance No. 2"—Kern—Miss Katherine Ballou.
- "Rose Petals"—Lawson—Miss Maurine Wolf.
- "Farewell to the Piano"—Beethoven—Miss Inez Day.
- "In Martial Spirit"—Christiant—Miss Ina Mae Braly.
- "A Carnival Sketch"—Betcher—Miss Mary Butcher.
- "Sylvia"—Valse Op 25—Norris—Miss Marjorie McCall.
- "Yvonne"—Kittredge—Miss Ora Nell Martin.
- "Flying Doves"—Heins—Nautie and Inez Day.
- "At Versailles"—Becker—Miss Mary Bailey.
- "1st Valse"—Durand—Miss Georgia King.
- "Light Hearts"—Andrews—Miss Adelia Hendrickson.
- "Valse Venitienne"—Ringuet—Misses Willie Yantis and Ora Nell Martin.
- "All Smiles"—Lieurance—Miss Lucile Henderson.
- "Midsummer Nights Dream"—Mendelssohn—Misses Henderson and Todd.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

W. H. Caldwell made a business trip to Brownwood Friday.

Dewitt McClellan was here Friday from Brownwood on business.

Joe Hall of Brownwood was a business visitor to the city Saturday.

E. W. Woods of the Cow Creek community was in the city yesterday.

John Fullagar of Lohn was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Walter Browning of Lohn was shopping in the city yesterday.

Messrs. Alvin Neal and Jack Crew were here yesterday from Rochelle.

Mrs. Jim Kirksey of Brownwood spent Friday in the city, the guest of friends.

Judge Joe A. Adkins left Sunday night for San Angelo on professional business.

Mrs. W. A. Newton and daughter were shopping in the city yesterday from Lohn.

T. C. Henry, one of San Saba's progressive merchants, spent a few hours in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Stewart Scott and children of Brownwood were guests of friends in the city Saturday.

W. T. House came in yesterday morning from Comanche to spend several days here on business.

Messrs. J. D. McCaughan, J. M. Fletcher and W. T. Whalen were among the Melvin visitors here yesterday.

J. E. White left the latter part of last week for a business trip to Corpus Christi and the Kingsville country.

Mrs. J. H. White and daughter, Miss Maggie, returned Sunday morning from a short visit with friends in Dallas.

Miss Mary McKnight arrived in the city last night from Carlsbad and is a guest of Miss Maggie White for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Macy returned Friday from San Angelo, where they spent several days as guests of relatives and friends.

Miss Maid J. Allen of Georgetown is in the city for a several week's visit with her cousins, Mesdames R. B. McClure and A. B. Reagan.

Messrs. E. R. Stiles and Harmon Flannigan returned Friday to their homes in Georgetown, after spending a few days here as guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carrithers and little daughter, Helen, accompanied by Mrs. C. A. Gavit, returned Friday from a visit with friends in San Angelo.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Granville, accompanied by Mrs. J. Schaeg, returned Friday from a pleasant visit of several days in San Antonio, Kerrville and Comfort.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Huey, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Isaacs and little son, arrived Sunday from Eldorado for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wolf and children returned Sunday from Carlsbad, where they were guests of Mr. Wolfe's mother, Mrs. Callie Wolf, for a few days.

Messrs. and Mesdames B. A. Hallum and J. C. Jones returned Friday from a fishing trip to the Llano river. They report a very pleasant outing and an abundance of fish.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Anderson returned Friday afternoon from Galveston, where they attended the meeting of the Texas Medical Society in session there the first of last week.

Mrs. A. W. Gordon, daughter

and son arrived yesterday morning from Brownwood to spend the week as guests of the families of her brothers, Messrs. Reeves and M. S. Sellers.

Ben Jackson of the firm of Jackson Bros., ranchmen of the Rudd country, was a guest of H. P. Roddie yesterday while enroute to Fort Worth market with a shipment of four carloads of sheep.

Mr. and Mrs. Burke Yeager and little daughter, who have been guests of the former's mother, Mrs. H. B. Yeager, and family the past few days, left Sunday night for their home in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pence will leave tomorrow in their new Reo touring car for a month's visit at El Paso and other points of interest on the border. Mr. Pence promised to settle the Mexican troubles during his stay there.

W. C. Preston, traffic manager; C. O. Jackson, assistant general passenger agent, and Elmer Mitchell, district passenger agent composed a party of Frisco officials who were here today from the general offices at Fort Worth.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. O'Banion and son, Jack, accompanied by Mrs. O'Banion's sister, Miss Nell Fritz, of Denton and Mrs. B. E. Hurlbut, were over yesterday from Brownwood to spend the day with friends, making the trip in the doctor's car.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bradley and son, Oscar, returned Sunday from an auto trip to San Angelo, Sweetwater and other western points. Mrs. W. L. Hughes and son, Bill, who have been visiting in San Angelo, returned home with them.

Dr. Wm. C. Jones returned Saturday morning from Dallas, where he had been in attendance upon the sessions of the State Association. He reports a most pleasant and profitable meeting, with a large attendance of the members of the association.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ogden returned last Wednesday from a trip to New York City and Boston, where they spent several days while Mr. Ogden was looking after business interests. Enroute home they stopped off for a few days' visit with relatives at Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Allen, representing Chas. J. Webb & Co., one of the largest wool buyers of Philadelphia, is here this week on business for his company. In company with H. P. Roddie, he left yesterday afternoon in the latter's car for a trip through the Menard and San Angelo country.

G. W. Woodress, a former well known McCulloch county citizen, is here from Millersview this week on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Calliham. Mr. Woodress is slowly recovering from painful bruises received in a runaway accident about three weeks ago. Although no bones were broken, he sustained numerous bruises and a rather painful injury to the left shoulder, but congratulates himself upon escaping with no more serious consequences.

Messrs. Coke Martin and Doc Strickland returned yesterday morning from New Braunfels, where they attended the annual meeting of the Texas Volunteer Firemen's association, as representatives of the local fire department. Both are loud in praise of the manner in which the delegates were entertained by the people of New Braunfels, and state that the meeting was one of the most enjoyable and profitable in the history of the association. Ben Moffatt, who accompanied them to the meeting, stopped off in Georgetown for a short visit with home-folks and is expected to return home today.

The Finest and Best Equipped Garage In Central West Texas



As the accompanying clipping from the Brownwood Bulletin of May 5th would indicate, it may be customary and necessary in Brownwood and other neighboring places to look to livery stables and like places when wanting gasoline, oils, auto tires or auto supplies, BUT—

Brady Boasts of the Largest and Most Modern Garage in This Section of the State--- The Brady Auto Co.

The Brady Auto Company is most conveniently located on one of the main traveled streets of Brady, just one block from the business center of the town. The building covers nearly a half block and has a FLOOR SPACE OF 15000 SQUARE FEET, affording ample storage facilities for the hundreds of McCulloch County cars, as well as the visiting cars. The main section of the garage houses Brady's \$8500 auto fire truck and provides quarters for the firemen, thus making the garage as nearly FIRE-PROOF as is humanly possible.

THE AUTO REPAIR DEPARTMENT HAS A COMPLETE EQUIPMENT OF THE VERY LATEST MACHINERY AND TOOLS FOR THE REPAIRING AND OVERHAULING OF CARS, AND OFFERS EXPERT SERVICES IN THIS LINE.

IN ADDITION TO CARRYING THE LARGEST STOCK OF CASINGS, TUBES AND AUTO ACCESSORIES OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, IN THIS SECTION, THE BRADY AUTO COMPANY BOASTS OF A FILLING STATION THE EQUIPMENT OF WHICH IS THE LATEST WORD IN AUTOMOBILE CIRCLES. THE 280-GALLON TANK IS PROVIDED WITH A 5-GALLON PUMP WITH INSTANTANEOUS CUT-OFF; DOUBLE GAUGES, ENABLING BOTH PURCHASER AND SELLER TO SEE EXACT AMOUNT OF GASOLINE SUPPLIED, AND OTHER FEATURES OF UNUSUAL SERVICE.

In addition to this, the garage has an auxiliary filling station, and free air and water is provided, both within and without the building to supply the autoist's needs without inconvenience, and every possible courtesy as well is extended customers.

The Brady Auto Company has the representation in this territory for both the Buick and the Ford automobiles. The tremendous popularity of these cars, as well as the enviable reputation built up by the Brady Auto Company in their dealings, is indicated by the sales of Buick cars SINCE JULY 1ST OF LAST YEAR, which, to date, TOTAL 70 CARS. Provided the cars can be obtained from the factory, the total number of Buick cars sold for the year ending JUNE 1, 1916, will be approximately 90 CARS. The sales of Fords run up into the hundred of cars, and the best illustration of the handling of these cars may be had from the fact that in December a consignment of 8 CARLOADS (64 CARS) was received, all of which were disposed of before the month was out.

When in Brady, Visitors are Cordially Invited to Make Their Headquarters at, and Take Advantage of the Superior Accommodations Offered by

The Brady Auto Co

HARD TO BUY GAS IN SLEEPY VILLAGE

Brownwood Man Had Difficulty in Waking Up a Neighboring City.

That it is a difficult matter to find anybody sufficiently awake in Brady to sell a man a few gallons of gasoline is the testimony offered by a Brownwood citizen who recently jilted to the neighboring city.

Arriving at Brady after midnight, the Brownwood man found that his gas tank was about empty, and decided to fill it before starting back home. He had been told that one could, if necessary, buy gasoline at a livery stable, which was next door to the fire station; and that in case there was nobody home at the livery stable, some one at the fire station would measure out the gasoline and take the money.

Brady was sleeping peacefully, dreaming that times were good and business brisk, when the Brownwoodite reached the city. He visited the livery stable and found nobody at the place. He then visited the fire station, and there was also a noticeable scarcity of humanity there. As a last resort, the Brownwood man decided to telephone somebody and start something. He approached the telephone apparatus in the fire station, gave the crank a vicious twist—and bedlam broke loose. It seems the telephone was automatically connected with the fire alarm, and when the crank of the apparatus was turned the lights in the fire station were turned on, the fire alarm sounded, and half a dozen firemen came tumbling down from the regions above. Brady citizens were rudely awakened from their slumbers, and within a few minutes everybody was out looking for the flames.

In the meantime the autoist was having troubles of his own explaining to the sleepy-eyed firemen that all he wanted was a chance to buy some gasoline. For a time there were fears of mob violence, but the gasoline purchase was finally made, and peace again reigned in McCulloch county.



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For Judge 35th Judicial Dist.: J. O. WOODWARD.

JOHN W. GOODWIN.

For District Clerk: P. A. CAMPBELL

W. M. (Marion) DEANS.

For County Judge: JOHN E. BROWN.

For County Sheriff: J. C. (Jim) WALL

R. B. McCLURE

For County Clerk: W. J. YANTIS.

For County Tax Assessor: H. R. (Henry) HODGES

For County Tax Collector: S. H. (Silas) MAYO.

JERRY L. SPILLER.

S. M. RICHARDSON.

ARTHUR L. NEAL.

For County Treasurer: JOHN RAINBOLT.

JUNE COOPENDER.

LUTHER M. PARKS.

For County Attorney: EVANS J. ADKINS

HARVEY WALKER.

For County Superintendent: E. L. WHITE.

For Commissioner, Pre. No. 1: CHAS. SAMUELSON.

For Commissioner Pre. No. 2: R. L. BURNS.

J. E. (Jim) SPILLER

For Commissioner Pre. No. 3: D. C. MIDDLETON.

J. M. CARROLL.

For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 1: T. J. KING.

N. G. LYLE

For Public Weigher: J. U. SILVERS.

ERNEST F. TETENS.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is the list of letters remaining unclaimed at Brady, Texas, for the week ending May 13, 1916.

Ladies List.

1. Wallace, Mrs. L. J.

2. Elliot, Mrs. Joe

Gentlemen's List

3. Medlock, J. F.

4. Sherman, Dr. C. H.

5. Webb, Dillard

6. Williams, Odie

When calling for any of the above listed letters please say that they were advertised, and give number and date of advertisement.

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MELVIN MENTIONS

From Melvin Advocate:

J. A. Maxwell, E. T. Jordan and C. E. Taliaferro visited Brady Tuesday.

Last Saturday the citizens of Melvin precinct expressed their condemnation of a pool hall by casting their ballots against it. Fifty-eight votes were cast, and all but seven against the proposition. We understand that three of those who voted for the pool hall, intended to vote against it but made a mistake in marking their ballots. However, in the face of this overwhelming majority, the will of the people of the precinct, we presume the pool hall will close within the time allowed by law.

Wm. McMorris, living near Doole, was shot in the hand last Wednesday by the accidental discharge of a gun. The wound was quite serious, but it is thought that amputation will not be necessary.

Jesse Sherman and family and Mrs. R. E. Peel spent yesterday in Brady.

Charlie Smith was a passenger to Brady Wednesday.

Mesdames John and Clyde Westbrook, accompanied by Albert Farquhar, spent Wednesday in Brady.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Underwood was kicked by a horse Monday and painfully injured. A few months ago another of their children was kicked by the same horse. Bob sold the animal Monday evening.

While hoisting brick on the Mason Co's building last Monday, Sam Winn was painfully injured by having several brick fall from the top of the building and striking him on the head. He is recovering.

Henry Fuller, chief constable of Brady was here Monday and favored us with a pleasant call.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents

SAN SABA SAYINGS

From The News.

During the heavy rain storms last week the house of Joe Roswell, in the McMillan community, was struck by lightning. The charge struck the chimney and following this into the house gave the family a considerable shock. One prong of the lightning followed the roof line to the cook stove pipe and went down this, jarring open the stove door, ripping open the pipe and breaking some dishes. The family were at the table eating breakfast and other than a severe and startling shock suffered no consequences.

From The Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sparks and Mr. and Mrs. Callahan of Brady were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lum Russell the first of the week.

Mrs. J. E. Bell was here Friday enroute to her home at Brady from a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Scott at Cherokee.

Mrs. D. H. Callahan has returned from a pleasant visit with friends at Brady.

Ulric Carroll of Brady was the guest of friends the first of the week.

Have your vulcanizing done by steam at the Brady Auto Co.

I want to buy your cattle and hogs. Abner Hanson.

JOHN DEERE BINDERS. E. J. BROAD.

Let us sell you that mower and rake. O. D. Mann & Sons.

We will sell you an oil stove or refrigerator on the installment plan. See us. O. D. Mann & Sons.

DREADED LARGE WINE BILL

Pretty Dancer Attempts to Evade Consequences as Result of "Swallowing Bean" at Fete.

That evening the management of the little theater in Montmartre had invited players, authors and some privileged friends of the house to come and share a cake and "draw the bean," as the French say, for it was the day of the Fete des Rois and that is the way to celebrate it. It was agreed on this occasion, however, that whoever drew the bean, and by that favor became king or queen, must pay for the wine for all the company.

The cake was distributed. Suddenly a pretty young dancer got between her teeth an object as to the identity of which she could entertain no doubt at all; at the same moment she had a vision of the lot of money her brief hours of royalty were going to cost her—and heroically she swallowed the bean. Unfortunately this little byplay did not quite escape notice. It was observed, or rather divined, by the young woman's right-hand neighbor, a youthful scribbling person, who had enjoyed some small success as a sketch writer, to use the language rather of Broadway than of Montmartre. He did not tell on the young woman exactly. He waited till the cake was all eaten and no bean had been forthcoming, and all the company were looking at each other with un concealed surprise not unmingled with suspicion.

"Good heavens," he cried then, "I do hope nobody has swallowed the thing. A dry, uncooked bean is one of the most violent and deadly poisons!"

"Mercy," burst out the dancer, "I'm done for!"

And she turned as pale as a ghost and almost toppled from her chair, while the rest of the company shook with laughter. This unfeeling conduct was near putting a finishing touch to the simple-minded young thing, but the author of the remark hastened to comfort and reassure her—and to square himself completely assumed the obligation of the wine bill besides.

PLAN TO SAVE YOUR MONEY

Best Way to Place It in a Depository and Then Forget It—Large Sums Spent Foolishly.

Well, Mr. Man, how much did you spend foolishly last night?

Have you stopped to think how much you must have in the bank to earn that sum in a year?

You blew in five dollars? Do you realize that at the best interest you can get in bank or in building and loan that this represents the year's earnings on \$100?

This is not a new thought, but perhaps you have never considered your expenditures in this way.

Ten to one you have often wished for a thousand dollars. If you had it what would you do with it?

"Put it out at interest." But what would it be worth to you as an earning force if you spent the whole amount of interest in the rounds of one or two nights?

If you are not paying a home you should be laying aside a certain part of your salary each week.

Leave it in a depository; forget that you have it.

When you begin to draw interest on interest, you are on the right track toward a snug little nest egg.

Had Nothing to Sell Her.

In a certain English provincial town there lives an old maid who has the reputation of being about the fastest talker on record, added to which her tongue has more than the average amount of venom. One day recently, however, she met her match. A peddler called on the lady, and had the impudence to ring the front-door bell. A moment later the door was opened, and when the lady saw who it was she at once gave him a piece of her mind, finally concluding with:

"And now then you can be off. There's nothing you can sell me that will be of any use to me!"

The peddler, who was evidently no novice at getting his own back, turned on his heel, sweetly saying as he did so:

"No, mum, seeing as 'ow I'm only sellin' mouse-traps an' not muzzles, I don't see as 'ow there is!"

Questions and Answers. A Cherrysvale historian has gone back through the files and produced this story:

A woman with a rapid-fire interrogatory apparatus approached a news butcher on a Frisco train out of Cherrysvale during the high water a few days ago and asked excitedly:

"Say, when is the train due at the next stop? How is it running? How deep is the water on the track? How do you sell your bananas?"

The vender of fruit and literature, who was something of a poet, answered:

"Nine o'clock. On time. Knee deep. Three for a dime."—Kansas City Star.

In Boudoir Dress.

It is related that a scene showing the interior of a racing stable was thrown on the screen at a certain theater. Each horse was covered with a bright colored blanket. Little two-year-old Nan, who had never seen a stable before, exclaimed to her mother:

"Oh, mamma, see the horses with their kimonos on!"

MASON MAVERICKS

From The News.

The examining trial of W. E. Stone, charged with the shooting of F. W. Jenkins, came up Monday morning at 10 o'clock in Justice Thorne's court. Mr. Stone waived examination to await the action of the grand jury. He was renewed bond in the sum of \$2,500, which was again given.

Judge Joe A. Adkins of Brady was in Mason the first of the week on professional business.

Mrs. R. B. Sheppard is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cooper, at Brady this week.

Irl Larimore left Tuesday for Brady where he will be employed by the Standard for several weeks to operate the linotype during the absence of the editor, H. F. Schwenker who will visit his home in the north for about a month.

V. E. Boston and John Faulkner came in Wednesday afternoon from a trip to McCulloch and Coleman counties, where they have been doing concert work for several weeks. Mr. Faulkner went on to his home in Llano the same afternoon.

The Magic Washing Stick.

"The Magic Washing Stick is the thing—it sure will do the work. It makes the clothes so white and clean," says Mrs. M. L. Beaver, Canton, Texas. We want you to try this article at our risk. If you don't like it, it don't cost you one cent. It washes clothes without rubbing. Makes washing a pleasure instead of a drudgery. Call and let us tell you about the Magic Washing Stick. The Jones Drug Co., Brady, Texas.

EDEN ECHO

From Eden Echo:

Chas. Ballard, Mrs. A. T. Ballard and Miss Emma Ballard went to Brady Saturday to bring in the Ford they had to leave there on account of the mud. They were accompanied home by Mrs. C. M. Honeycutt of Temple who is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ballard.

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CLOSES REVIVAL.

Successful Revival Conducted by Rev. G. W. Sherman Ends.

With the baptismal service at the bridge over the Brady creek on the Coleman road yesterday afternoon the series of revival services of the Baptist church conducted by Rev. G. W. Sherman of Denison for the past two weeks came to a successful close.

As a result of the meeting the membership of the church was greatly revived and a total of twenty-four were added to the church—nineteen by profession of faith and five by letter. There were four other conversions, but these have not, as yet, identified themselves with the church.

Rev. Sherman proved himself a strong gospel preacher, his sermons teeming in eloquence and appealing to all in their simplicity and beauty. He is a man of strong personality and won a host of friends during his stay in Brady.

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MENARD MESSAGES

From The Messenger.

J. D. Peterson brought in a fifty-two pound cat, Thursday, caught in the San Saba. It dressed 33 lbs of meat.

Prof. Russell and Rev. Boatman made a flying trip to Live Oak, Melvin and Brady, Monday.

S. Goldwasser and H. W. Zwieg of Brady were visitors at the Zidell home, Sunday.

Mrs. Marion Callan and son returned home Thursday from a visit with relatives at Brady.

H. R. Hodges and wife of Brady were guests at the Rufe Graham home Sunday. Miss John Crump came over with them for a visit at the Maddox home.

Bill White, Boy Crothers, Blain Simmons, Misses Ada Wilson, Rachel Walker of Brady and Miss White of San Saba were here Friday.

Pat Hennigan, representing Walker-Smith of Brady, was in Menard last week.

Why not profit by past experience. The man who owns the Deering & McCormick Binders is the man that gets there. Why take a chance on a new brand of goods when you positively know there is nothing better than the McCormick & Deering. Besides you are getting no inducement whatever to buy an off brand line.

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ROCHELLE RUSTLINGS

From The Record:

John Martin was out from the county capital mingling with the citizenship of our town Monday.

June Coopender was out from Brady Tuesday. He was passing through Rochelle enroute to Mercury and stopped over here a few minutes to greet his friends and incidentally to look after business matters.

A. L. Neal and wife and Misses Alta Ranne and Virginia Mullen motored to Brady Wednesday.

The oil well machinery is being shipped away from here this week. It is being shipped back to Wichita Falls.

J. H. Martin, Praetorian organizer of this county, was out from Brady Thursday.

The Magic Washing Stick. "I received your Magic Washing Sticks and have tried them and think they are just fine. They make the clothes so clear and clean," writes Mrs. Fay Collins, Route 1, Box 20, Ponta, Texas. Washes clothes without rubbing. Guaranteed to please you. Ask the Jones Drug Co., Brady, Texas.

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