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Make Your Feet Glad Get Them in Shape for Spring

We have a full line of Scholl's appliances for correcting any troubles of the feet. Come in and let us make your feet glad.

Next in importance, is to wear shoes that are comfortable, durable and classy in appearance. The EXCESIOR shoe combines all these features. Let us be your shoe man.

Excelsior Shoe Store

F. T. FOWLER, Manager

Back from St. Louis.

Mrs. I. G. Abney and Miss Kate Bumgardner, who have been to St. Louis markets purchasing the spring and summer goods for the I. G. Abney store, returned Tuesday morning. They report having spent a very profitable ten days, and of having availed themselves of the opportunity to select one of the most attractive and prettiest stocks imaginable. Their purchases include a beautiful line of dress goods, in all the new fabrics and weaves, and in an assortment of bright and fascinating colors that is sure to appeal to all. Another line in which they used special care in selecting was ready-to-wear. Most important of all is their announcement that the goods are most reasonably priced. These new purchases are now being received and placed on display for their customers.

We have an Overland car second hand, that is in first class condition, that we will sell or give good trade. Broad Mercantile Co.

Making Improvements.

G. C. Kirk is spreading himself. Nuf Sed. But to explain: Since occupying his splendid and altogether most attractive quarters, his business has grown to such an extent that additional room became imperative. Consequently he has had a deck placed at the rear of his building to accommodate his surplus stock. The deck has a depth of 20 feet and a 25 ft. width and the additional floor space aids in the splendid display of his lines, inasmuch as it relieves the congested arrangement of the first floor. Co-incident with the improvement, Nuf Sed has had additional window lights placed in the rear of the building, which adds to the "Bright Spot" of which he boasts.

Get the boy a Crown bicycle. O. D. Mann & Sons.

A CAR OF BARB WIRE just received. E. J. BROAD.

Large stock hardware, and we are prepared to take care of your business. Broad Mercantile Co.

Christian Church Ladies Aid.
The Ladies Aid of the Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Virgil Jones on Wednesday afternoon, February 29th. All members are requested to be present.

At Christian Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. followed by the regular morning hour address by the pastor, entitled "THE UNPARDONABLE SIN."

Evening hour service beginning at 7:30, an illustrated sermon on "THE SOCIAL GOSPEL."

On Wednesday the Ladies Aid will meet at 3:00 o'clock. You are welcome to attend all these services. Come.

New Perfection oil stoves. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Our Furniture prices are right, we can certainly take care of your Furniture needs. Broad Mercantile Co.

Phone your orders for coal to 295. Best McAlester coal. Macy & Co.

Tires and inner tubes. Murphy, the auto accessories man. Next to Standard office.

Woman's Exchange.

The Woman's Exchange will open for business Monday morning, February 26th, in the building with Mrs. Moore's Millinery parlors, under the management of Mesdames Hurley & Butler. We will do a general exchange business and solicit your patronage. Come in and see and find out how much trouble we can save you. Mesdames Hurley & Butler.

EL PASO HIGHWAY.

T. P. Grant to Hold Meetings Next Week.

Rev. T. P. Grant announces the following dates for meetings to be held in the interest of the proposed Fort Worth, San Antonio and El Paso highway. He will be at the towns below on announced dates:

Rochelle, Saturday March 2, 8:00 p. m.; Placid, Saturday March 3, 10:00 p. m.; Mercury, Saturday March 3, 3:00 p. m.; Milburn, Saturday March 3, 5:00 p. m.

All those interested in the highway are earnestly requested to be present and hear what Mr. Grant has to say.

Advertise in The Standard.

CITY BEGINS WORK.

Has bought Team of Mules for Street Improvement.

The City of Brady has resumed the work of gradually improving the streets within the corporate limits, which was halted last year by lack of funds. This year in addition to the regular funds available for this purpose, there will be an additional amount by reason of the special road tax of 15 cents which was voted last year. This will bring the total fund up to a point where the work can, most likely, be continued uninterruptedly throughout the year.

A deal for the purchase of a team of mules was closed Wednesday, which together with the



On Friday last at Brownwood, Texas, Miss Elizabeth Spencer stood on the stage at the Lyric theater beside Thomas A. Edison's new invention and sang in direct comparison with Edison's Re-Creation of her glorious voice. From time to time she paused, and the audience confessed that it had to watch Miss Spencer's lips to tell when she was singing and when she was not. In other words, Edison's new art Re-Creates Miss Spencer's brilliant voice with such absolute perfection that one is indistinguishable from the other.

Come to Our Store Today

and hear examples of this new art. Hear Edison's Re-Creation of the voices of Spencer, Rappold, Destinn, Matzenauer, Heinrich, Case, Verlet, Bori, Urlus, Middleton, Anselmi, Martinelli, Bonci and other great artists. Do not delay. Come to us and hear this wondrous new art which has baffled and astounded musical New York.

B. L. Malone & Co.

Jewelers and Opticians

Blue streak bike tires are the best made. Try a pair. O. D. Mann & Sons.

See Macy & Co. for "Nutraline" feed for horses, cows and hogs; or phone orders to 295.

equipment already in possession of the city, will enable much effective work to be done. Councilman N. T. Cook, as street foreman, has charge of the work and the initial efforts are being directed towards the

grading of the hill on Mesquite street, east of the Christian church and making it passable. The excess dirt accumulated in the grading process is being used to fill in on North Bridge street from the bridge approach south, and serves to bring it up to grade and incidentally to smooth out the many ruts that have developed since the work was halted last year.

We are headquarters for John Deere and Rock Island Implements. We have a good price on Implements, as we bought before the last advance came and we are in position to name you good prices. Our stock is all new stuff, the latest improvements, and it will pay you to figure with us before you buy a Cultivator or Planter. Broad Mercantile Co.

Bring your auto troubles to us. Expert mechanic and electrician at your service. Simpson & Co.



A Cordial Invitation

Is extended to all my friends and patrons to visit my display of the Season's newest and most popular offerings in Millinery, in my new location with the Popular Dry Goods Company.

My stock has been selected with great care in the St. Louis market, and you will be pleased with my display and the very reasonable prices.

MRS. B. SIMPSON
AT POPULAR DRY GOODS COMPANY

Attend Recital.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Malone went to Brownwood last Thursday to attend the recital given at the Lyric theatre by Miss Elizabeth Spencer, the noted soprano, for the purpose of demonstrating the New Edison. They report the affair one of the most entertaining, as well as unique, ever witnessed.

The theatre was packed, about 1100 gaining admittance, while several hundred were turned away. Miss Spencer's voice was charming, indeed, and her singing in unison with records made of her voice in Edison laboratories and reproduced on the New Edison, demonstrated the latter to be so perfect that it was impossible to tell whether it was the singer herself or the reproduction of her voice that the audience heard. This fact was clearly demonstrated when, at the close of the wonderful recital, Miss Spencer announced that she would sing "Silver Threads Among the Gold" in unison with the Edison. To prove to the audience that it was impossible to distinguish between the original voice and the reproduction, the stage was left in total darkness. As the notes of the beautiful song swelled out, everyone in the audience felt assured that it was the voice of the singer herself they heard—but just then the lights were flashed on, and Miss Spencer was found to have disappeared, and the Edison alone was creating the wonderful harmony that had delighted and mystified the hearers.

Receiver's Sale.

I offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, 640 acres of Surveys Nos. 1599 and only 1564 and 1265, MACY & CO.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CROWLEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, Inc.

Wash Goods in Great Variety

Most all Mothers are Interested in Sewing for Their Children at This Time of the Year.

Our stock of fine Gingham, Percales, Linens, Wash Suitings, etc., presents such a pleasing opportunity for selections, we are confident every taste and every purse can be satisfied.

New Gingham

C. L. Bailey where he has been visiting at the past month. "Uncle Jack" Smith was here from Lohm Tuesday trying out his new Ford.

Porter Squyres of Brady was here Friday talking up the good points of the Matco trailer to some of our citizens.

B. Simpson was out from Brady Saturday on business.

James Finlay and family visited relatives at Brady Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sam Crider received the sad news that her sister at Johnson City had died Tuesday. Mrs. Crider left Wednesday night for that place to be present at the

New Tissue Gingham

Price simply ask for assortment of Plaids, Stripes and Checks Doan's Kidney Pills—Mrs. Coopender had. Foster's Buffalo Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Full stock auto casings, inner tubes and accessories. Brady Auto Co.

We have the most complete stock of Implements in Brady and we want a chance to show you what we have. You will find our price is right, and you cannot beat the quality of a John Deere or Rock Island Planter or Cultivator. Broad Mercantile Co.

Davenport. O. D. Mann & Sons.




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SHOE POLISHES

10¢ - BLACK-WHITE-TAN - 10¢

FF Dalley Co. of New York, Inc.
Buffalo, N.Y.



COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

SWEDEN NEWS.

"Aunt Samantha" Asks Co-Operation in News Gathering.

Rochelle, Texas, Feb. 20
Editor Brady Standard:

Well, we haven't got any rain yet.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hurd were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hurd at Brady last Tuesday.

Little Miss Beda Hendrickson who has been on the sick list, is staying this week with Mrs. W. F. Dutton.

Little Miss Jewel Salter is on the sick list. We hope she will soon recover.

Miss Viola Prickett is on the sick list also. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Abb Salter had the sad misfortune of hurting his back. Last reports were that he is resting very well.

Miss Eva Prickett has returned from a long visit up in

North Texas and Oklahoma. She reports plenty of rain up in that part of the country. She also had a splendid time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. House and Miss Inez Irvine, and Mrs. R. B. Spears were guests at the "Sylvania Cottage" last Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Hurd and Misses Myrtle and Nina Hurd, and Misses Iva and Viola Prickett, and Mr. C. J. Hendrickson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walker last Sunday.

Mr. Oscar C. Johnson has purchased a new "Ford."

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. F. W. Hurd last Thursday. Shower was also planned for Mrs. Chas. A. Johnson our latest bride. Many useful articles were showered upon her. After the shower several new members were admitted into the Ladies' Aid Society.

Misses Eva and Iva Prickett were guests of Misses Myrtle

and Nina Hurd last Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hurd and Mrs. M. H. Wilson and little daughter Margaret, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCartney of Onion Gap, last Sunday.

Mr. Bert Irvine will spend a few days visiting his sister Mrs. C. C. House.

Messrs. C. A. Hurd and John Green are digging a well for Mr. H. C. Johanson.

If anyone has any news that they would like to add to my letters, phone 1602, or write or send me word. I would be only too glad to do all I can for my Sweden people and anyone else that I can. I need your co-operation. So don't fail to help me all you can. I haven't got eyes and ears all over the country and I can't get all the news.

Happiness and prosperity and plenty of rain to everybody.

AUNT SAMANTHY

Stiff, Sore Muscles Relieved.
Cramped muscles or soreness following a cold or case of grippe are eased and relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment. Does not stain the skin or clog the pores like mussy ointments or plasters and penetrates quickly without rubbing. Limber up your muscles after exercise, drive out the pains and aches of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, strains, sprains and bruises with Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle to-day. At all Druggists, 25c.

Don't get the "mulleygrubs"—it is going to rain. Just hit the BALL and buy your Wire and Hardware of E. J. BROAD.

Casting lines, reels and minnows. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The best-equipped repair shop this side of Fort Worth. Brady Auto Co.

TO AUTOISTS.

Have secured the services of a first class vulcanizer and rubber man. Don't throw your castings away—bring them in and have them vulcanized and get additional miles out of your tires.

MURPHY'S GARAGE.

BREAKS A COLD IN JUST A FEW HOURS

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends grippe misery—Don't stay stuffed-up!

You can end grippe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

COW CREEK NEWS.

School Children Give Interesting Valentine Program.

Lohn, Texas, Feb. 19
Editor Brady Standard:

Mrs. Plummer went to Lohn Tuesday.

Mrs. B. A. Cornils and daughter, Miss Elsie, were Brady visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Killingsworth and daughter, Miss Delta, went to Brady Thursday.

The school children had an interesting program at the school house Valentine night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Young went to Brady Friday.

I am glad to report all the sick folks doing nicely the last few days. Last week was a grippe week on Cow Creek.

Dee Smith was a Brady visitor Friday.

Driscoll Woods, Willie Cagle and Joe Cunningham went to Lohn Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Ake spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Kinsel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wood took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sellman, of Fife.

Walter Larrimore and Miss Ella Nelin of Prairie View, attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cornils spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith.

Dr. McCann of Lohn, visited at the Cornil home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hanley visited Mrs. Alley, near Fife Sunday.

LITTLE WILLIE

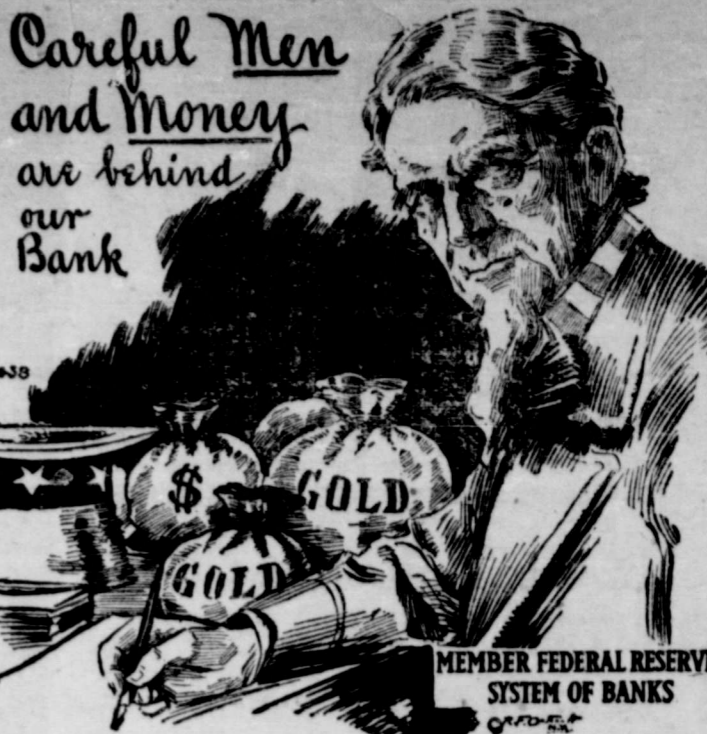
How about your watch? Is it keeping correct time? If not, let us remedy the trouble for you. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Grant, jeweler, east side square.

FAMILY AVOIDS SERIOUS SICKNESS

By Being Constantly Supplied With Theford's Black-Draught.

McDuff, Va.—"I suffered for several years," says Mrs. J. B. White, of this place, "with sick stomach trouble.

Careful Men and Money are behind our Bank



MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM OF BANKS

The "Federal Reserve" Banking System, of which our bank is a member, is the best banking system ever thought out.

The Member Banks have put 137 millions of Gold into the U. S. Treasury. On this gold the Government issues money.

We can get money when we want it by taking our securities to our District "Federal Reserve" Bank.

You can get your money when you want it when you are a depositor in our bank.

Let's do business. Come in.

BANK WITH US.

Commercial Nat'l Bank
BRADY Capital and Surplus \$200,000 TEXAS

Camp Cots. Broad Mercantile Co.

For monuments, any size or description, see J. W. Embry.

A Hoosier cabinet makes kitchen work a pleasure. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Can't look well, eat well, or feel well with impure blood. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean, and good health is pretty sure to follow. \$1.00 a bottle.

Brighten up the furniture and floors with varnish from our store. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The Fishing Fever! HAS IT STRUCK YOU YET?

You'll need tackle and fishing equipment, and we have it. Complete line doliagiacs, trot lines, throw lines, minnow seines, jointed rods, reels, hooks, floats, sinkers—in fact, complete supplies.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY

Central Drug Store

"HAS IT"

North Side Square Brady, Texas

Give us a Fair Show



and we will prove that our paints are not only the best, but are also the cheapest. They are the best because they are the truest to color and retain it fresh and bright much longer than ordinary kinds. They are the cheapest because they don't have to be renewed so often, and because so little of them cover so much surface.

Ramsay's Paint and Paper Store

E. E. REYNOLDS LUTHER MASSEY National Highway Supply Station

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR OLD CASINGS Improved Double Tread Tires. Makers of Automobile Tops, Auto Seat Covers. Work Guaranteed FREE AIR AND WATER

Blackburn Street Phone 63 Brady, Texas OLD TIRES

Sewed and cemented together so as to make them better than new. Reconstructed to be 90 per cent puncture proof. Send us one good Bead and one good Tread—Rimcut preferred—and we'll make you a Double Tread Tire, practically puncture and blowout proof, with the mileage at least doubled, but costing you less than one-fourth the price of new tires.

Full Line of Automobile Accessories EXPRESS PAID ONE WAY

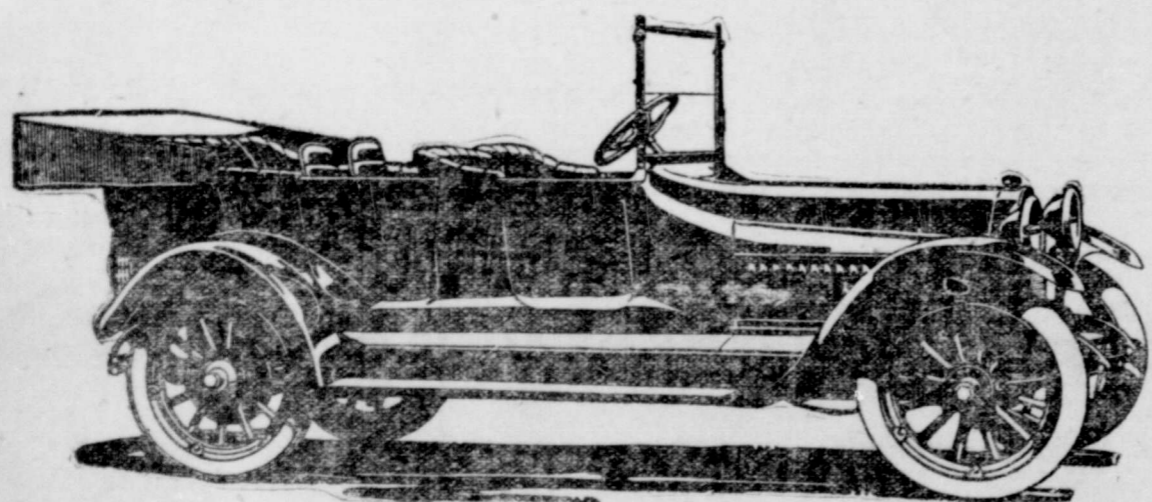
Chevrolet Four-Ninety

Expecting carload to arrive this week. New Model—Stream Line Bodies—Two Fore Doors and Other Improvements.

The Chevrolet, \$598, Delivered

SEE US AT ONCE—PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW

Studebaker THE NEW '18 Series
Automobiles



No car on the market today selling for less than \$1,000 will give you the power, roominess, comfort and size of the Studebaker FOUR 7-passenger. No car will give better service or stand harder usage.

Studebaker \$1,005

Authorative Spring Styles in Womens' Apparel

SUITS, DRESSES, COATS, SKIRTS, WAISTS, ETC.

This big store now announces complete readiness for the new Spring season. Here is found everything that woman desires, in style and quality unsurpassed, honest values and courteous service. Styles were never so attractive, so varied, as this spring. Come and see, or send mail orders for garments to be sent on approval, or for samples of silks, dress fabrics, etc.

This is a store that grows. The women of Brownwood and all the surrounding country have put their stamp of approval on Jennings' values and recognize Jen-

nings' styles as authority.

It is with modest pride that we point to the enormous increase in our business of the past season. But not only has our mail order business doubled and trebled but the personal visits from our friends and customers from all over the country are far more frequent, since they find their visits here to be most pleasant as well as most profitable.

Join this host of pleased customers, you can do all your spring shopping here.

A TENDENCY TOWARD MANNISH SUITS

The greater portion of the new Spring suits are already on display. Strictly tailored, most of them, with coats either short or just medium. Modistes class them as "straight-line" and "semi-fitted" effects. You will surely be delighted with the offerings in this department, as well as with the low prices asked.

Suits in materials of wool jersey, velours, gaberdine, tafetas, serges and poplins, in all the season's newest and best colors, including gold, green, mustard, electric blue, purple, navy, grey, tan, brown, copen, and rose.

Priced \$15.00 to **\$27.50**

STYLES IN SEPARATE COATS FOR SPRING

Seven-eights and full length coats are conspicuous, many of the sport coats, or a goodly share of them, will come below the knee; many are belted or half-belted. Unique pockets are one of the many new features.

Now on display here in a variety of popular materials and the the best colors in both solids and novelty plaids.

Special values at each price \$6.50 to **\$35.00**

Jennings' Policy for the New Season

In the face of the extreme high cost of all merchandise, food stuffs, etc. in order to help the people meet these high prices, have decided to mark all goods down to the very lowest possible margin, that is, lower the price to an equal profit-sharing basis. The volume of business that will result will repay us; the saving you will gain will be on every purchase you make here.

Another policy is that there will be absolutely "one price to all" and in no instance will we vary from our, the standard price set.

Watch the steadily increasing volume of our business—the accurate measure of the degree of satisfaction with which we serve.

THE NEW DRESSES FOR SPRING

There has been much activity in our dress department during the past few weeks. New arrivals in dresses are constantly arriving to take place of the large number already sold. The styles are a bit dressier, more "extreme" in cut, gayer in hue, and have therefore made a lasting appeal to all women who have seen them. Have a new dress to wear among the first, buy now while choosing is at its height.

Shown in materials of Yo-San silk, Jersey silk, georgette crepe, gros-de-londre and taffeta, in colors of gold, green, chartreuse, rose, electric blue, champagne, grey and navy.

Priced from \$15.00 to **\$45.00**

CHARMING STYLES IN SPRING HATS

Beautifully becoming models. And certainly interesting are these early assortments. In novelty straws, horse hair and winged effects, and varied new styles in sport hats.

We are exclusive agents in Brownwood for the famous "Gage" hats, and scarcely a day passes that does not bring new models to be added to this splendid showing. May we have the pleasure of showing you?

Priced from \$3.00 to **\$20.00**

DRESS MAKING DEPARTMENT

Now Open for the Season

Our friends and customers will be glad to learn that we have secured Mrs. Laura De-Norton of Chicago, to take charge of our dressmaking department. She is a woman of wide experience in both dressmaking and designing, and will be glad to receive your orders for Spring garments to be made to your measure. All work guaranteed.

J. W. JENNINGS

BROWNWOOD, TEXAS
THE LARGEST EXCLUSIVE LADIES STORE IN THE CENTRAL WEST

SPRING SILKS

When you fail to find the silks you want elsewhere you will find them here. All the new weaves and designs, including, genuine "Yo-San" silks, "Silk La-Jerz" Suiting, Jersey cloth, Pongees, Khaki-Kool, Cros-de-londre and Georgettes. Order by Mail.

SPRING FOOTWEAR

With distinctive smartness that makes for a distinguished air in Spring footwear—the certain fine styles so often sought and so seldom found—invites the cleverly gowned woman here now. As true in quality as they are in style. Order by MAIL.

HAPPY BAND TELLINGS.

School Closed Three Weeks and Other Happenings.

Union Band, Texas, Feb. 18. Editor Brady Standard:

Nearly every one has the measles.

Messrs. Eddie Erwin and Ernest Peel have been real sick with the measles the past week.

School closed last Wednesday, for three weeks longer on account of measles.

Miss Eula Burleson went home Sunday, and returned Saturday to stay until Monday.

Mr. Tom Burrow and Arthur Peel spent Saturday night at the home of R. E. Peel.

Mr. Dave Peel and Miss Eula Burleson took supper with Miss Myrtle Peel Sunday night, and then went to East Gangel to the teaching service.

Mrs. Carrie Ridinger called the home of Mrs. Conley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peel spent Sunday with Mr. Tom Burrows.

There was no Sunday school as people are afraid of measles.

Mrs. J. I. Peel visited her daughter Mrs. Ethel Brooks, Sunday evening.

Mr. Arthur Sockwell made a business trip to Brady Saturday.

Miss Ruby Thompson and Miss Eula Burleson spent Saturday night at the home of S. M. Peel waiting on the sick.

Master Hugh Shaver is real sick with the measles at present.

Mr. Arthur Sockwell and Mr. John Peel went to Doole Monday.

Miss Myrtle Peel visited Miss Sallie Peel Monday evening.

Yes, and Mr. Lonnie Peel was caught out in his field plowing Monday.

RED BILL.

STACY HAPPENINGS

Young Folks Enjoyed Dance at Hall Saturday.

Stacy, Texas, Feb. 19. Editor Brady Standard:

Misses Mattie and Essie Williams have returned home from a several days' visit with relatives at Bertram, in Burnet county.

Ivan Mannering, Prof. Emmet Hall and John Dickinson were in San Angelo Saturday on business.

Lloyd Burrow has been visiting at Brownwood this week.

Mr. Q. Cockran of Oklahoma has been visiting Ivan Mannering the past week.

Will Griffin has been quite ill with pneumonia, but is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Idle of Gouldbusk were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cox Sunday night.

Quite an enjoyable dance was had by the youngsters at the hall Saturday night. Several couples from Gouldbusk were there and a most enjoyable time was had by those in attendance.

Tewel and Guy Hammons left this week for Oklahoma after spending several weeks with home folks.

Ivan Mannering and C. Cochran left Saturday for Burkett to visit friends and relatives, a few days.

SUNFLOWER.

The Best Recommendation. The strongest recommendation any article may receive is a favorable word from the user. It is recommendations of those who have used it that makes Chamberlain's Cough Remedy so popular. Mrs. Amanda Gierhart, Waynesfield, Ohio, writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my family off and on for twenty years and it has never failed to cure a cough or cold." Obtainable everywhere.

Let us sell you "Gall Cure," Paste or powder, and heal up your horses shoulders. H. I. C. Evers.

FIFE FINDINGS.

March 15th Time Limit for Jubiter Pluvius.

Fife, Texas, Feb. 21. Editor Brady Standard:

We got another thunderstorm last week, but failed to get anything else, and haven't found anyone who did.

Small grain crops that were sown last fall still look fairly well, and farmers say that it will make yet if it rains by the 15th.

E. L. Hill and G. T. Gattis were down from Waldrip Monday on business.

Miss Eula Amorine of the Waldrip community visited with Miss Jessie Dell Coonrod here Sunday.

Chick Rehm and Red Smith Whon Sunday visiting friends here.

R. K. Finlay and daughter, Miss Maggie, and F. M. Bradley and family left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Austin.

A. M. Finlay visited relatives at Mason over Sunday.

Mrs. L. Bradley and son, B. W. were down from the McKnight ranch Saturday visiting and transacting business here.

C. L. Bailey is back from Mason where he has been visiting for the past month.

"Uncle Jack" Smith was here from Lohn Tuesday trying out his new Ford.

Porter Squyres of Brady was here Friday talking up the good points of the Matco trailer to some of our citizens.

B. Simpson was out from Brady Saturday on business.

James Finlay and family visited relatives at Brady Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sam Crider received the sad news that her sister at Johnson City had died Tuesday. Mrs. Crider left Wednesday night for that place to be present at the

funeral. The trip was made in J. H. Long's car.

R. K. Finlay, F. M. Bradley and Jas. Finlay were at Pear Valley Monday on business.

E. U. Wade is serving his country as a grand juror from this place at Brady this week.

Dain Baldrige left Monday for El Paso where he had a job awaiting him.

E. Z.

RHEUMATISM IS TORTURE.

As Many a Brady Reader Knows Only Too Well.

Many pains that pass as rheumatism are really due to weak kidneys—to the failure of the kidneys to drive off uric acid thoroughly. When you suffer aching, bad joints, backache, too, dizziness and some urinary disturbances, get Doan's Kidney Pills the medicine that is publicly recommended by over 150,000 people in many different lands. Doan's Kidney Pills help weak kidneys to drive out uric acid, which is often the cause of the headache, rheumatism and lumbago. Brady people have learned their worth. Read this Brady resident's experience.

Mrs. J. Coepender Brady, says: "I was annoyed with kidney complaint for some years and the trouble was diagnosed as uric acid poisoning. I always felt heavy and depressed and had attacks of rheumatism. I was frequently very nervous. Doan's Kidney Pills reduced the uric acid in my system, the drowsiness, nervousness and rheumatic pains went away and I enjoyed much better health. I nearly always have Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from the Jones Drug Co., on hand and use them as needed."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Coepender had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Full stock auto casings, inner tubes and accessories. Brady Auto Co.

We have the most complete stock of implements in Brady and we want a chance to show you what we have. You will find our price is right, and you cannot beat the quality of a John Deere or Rock Island Planter or Cultivator. Broad Mercantile Co.

Davenport. O. D. Mann & Sons.

PEAR VALLEY WHISPERS

Pound Supper Saturday Night Enjoyed.

Pear Valley, Texas, Feb. 21. Editor Brady Standard:

Bro. Ferguson, the Christian preacher filled his regular appointment here Sunday night.

We are sorry to say that Miss Rachel Walker, our primary teacher is sick and not able to teach, so Miss Estha Reed will teach this week.

Ivan Elliott of Onion Gap was a welcome visitor at the Valley last Saturday and Sunday night.

The pound supper at Mr. Fowler's Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Bertha Peel is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. C. Curry at Rochelle.

Mrs. W. H. Bullock returned home Saturday after a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Reams at Lampasas.

Mr. J. Reed and J. C. Reed made a business trip to Brady Monday.

Miss Eunice Goodale who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Low Watkins of this place returned to her home at Roosevelt last week. Mrs. Watkins accompanied her home and will spend a few days there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Reed returned home after a week's visit with their daughter, Mrs. Fought of Lampasas.

Marvin Goodall is a welcome visitor to the Valley once more.

Virgel Fought is visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Reed.

Athen Baisden and Byron Mires left last week for Sonora.

Cleve Draper of Lohn attended church here Sunday morning and night.

S. J. Howard has purchased him a new Dodge car, having sold his old Ford to Mr. Weldon.

Jimmie Nichols and Elden Trichell of Melvin were welcome visitors to the Valley Sunday and Sunday night.

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FT. WORTH-EL PASO HIGHWAY.

Now that the legislative process of making a state highway commission is done with, Texas ought to begin to think of work for the commission to do.

Doubtless there will be applications galore for Federal aid, but the roads to receive this benefit must be selected with discrimination, for both Federal and state money ought to be spent where it will do the most service.

Georgia is the first state to outline a definite policy. That state's highway commission, which, like that of Texas and several other states, as been created only since the Federal good roads act was passed, has adopted a definite program for five years, covering the entire period of Federal aid.

Within that five years, the Federal government will spend \$85,000,000 on good roads, dollar for dollar, as states and counties spend it Texas' share is the largest of any state, and it would be poor business to proceed even upon the first year's expenditures without some sort of program for the entire five-year period.

One of the first roads to which application will be made for Federal aid in Texas is the Fort Worth and El Paso highway and the Texas Good Roads Association regards this highway as of such importance to the whole state that it already has promised its endorsement. An endorsement from such an organization in itself ought to carry great weight with the state highway commission, and if the advice of Capt. Fautleroy, the government engineer for the Texas-Oklahoma-Arkansas and Louisiana district, is sought there is no doubt that he would recommend it for the very first to be done under government supervision.

The Fort Worth-El Paso highway is a part—the big part—of a road that would traverse the state at its greatest breadth with a 900-mile stretch from Texarkana in one corner to El Paso in another. It would be the main stem for tourists from the North entering Texas in the winter, and with such good roads most of the way between the big northern cities and the Southwest, the motorists would fare well once they were inside the Texas boundaries.

This highway deserves the unanimous support of Ft. Worth and El Paso and every city and town and rural community between the two, and for more reasons than that it will make travel from city to city along this route easy and comfortable. The road will be an asset to the state that will be paid back within a few years by the tourists seeking the balmy Texas winter.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

There is every likelihood that the main route of this great highway may be swung down

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along the line of the Frisco railway, provided the good roads work contemplated along this route is actually executed. McCulloch county must put her shoulder to the wheel if she would profit. There are many stretches of road between here and the county line on the Brownwood road that must be smoothed out, widened and straightened before this road can even be considered in the line for the highway. T. P. Grant, the liveliest good roads man in this section, will address the citizens of Rochelle, Placid, Mercury and Milburn next week on this subject, and his message will be worth an inestimable sum to the county, if the citizens interest themselves in the good roads movement and back up Mr. Grant's efforts.

The Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railway in the electric line over the Rockies, is said to be generating in its trains on down grades power which can be used to help other trains up grade. On reaching the top of a grade, the engineer reverses the motor, thereby transforming it into a dynamo which is operated by the weight of the train on the down grade. The electricity thus generated adds to the general current by means of the wire above.

Space, in many Texas newspapers, heretofore devoted to urging suppression of the pistol toter is now occupied with criticism of reckless autoists. Pistol toting and reckless driving of motor cars fetch up sooner or later with the same result—killing. Possibly a way may be found to bring each delinquent to a realization of the rights of others and consequent respect for the laws of the land. Of course there always will be some pistol toters abroad and some reckless drivers speeding to a disastrous finish. The point is to decrease both tribes to a minimum by the interest of public security and safety.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Quotations.
Work as though you owned the place, and some day you probably will.

The only knowledge that a man has is the knowledge he can use.—Macaulay.

Weak men wait for opportunities; strong men make them.—Marden.

If any one speak ill of thee, consider whether he hath truth on his side; and if so, reform thyself, that his censures may not affect thee.—Epictetus.

The greatest homage we can pay to truth is to use it.

A strenuous soul hates a cheap success.—Emerson.

A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market.—Lamb.

Mother's Troubles
Mother's unending work and devotion drains and strains her physical strength and leaves its mark in dimmed eyes and careworn expressions—she ages before her time.
Any mother who is weary and languid should start taking

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FAT STOCK SHOW IS READY TO START SATURDAY, MARCH 10

BLUE BLOODS OF EXHIBIT ARENAS NOW STABLED IN BARN BACK OF COLISEUM.

ROUND-UP COMPLETE
Railroads Optimistic as to Crowds—Special Rates Fixed For Certain Days of Week.

Preparations are complete for the twenty-first exhibition of the National Feeders and Breeders Show, which will open in Fort Worth Saturday night, March 10, with a spectacular pageant and festival. Never before have the entry books been so crowded and already the pens and barns back of the Coliseum are filled to capacity. There is not a doubt in the minds of the management of the exhibition but that the performance this March will outclass any past performance by long odds.

More live stock and more entertainment, more exhibits and greater interest upon the part of all concerned, is proof that the Show opening Saturday night will entertain record-breaking crowds. The advance ticket sale has been abnormal and the railroads are responsible for the information that thousands upon thousands of people from all over the Southwest will be on hand for the events scheduled.

The Round-Up, the stellar entertaining feature of the exhibition, is ready to open Monday night. Every class has been more than filled and it is possible extra stunts will be provided in order that all qualifying may have an opportunity to participate. Plenty of hair-raising stunts have been supplied to satisfy the most hardened and calloused frontiersman who may stray into the Coliseum.

Fort Worth has put on its holiday attire. The streets have been draped with bunting and flags and many of the buildings are decorated appropriately. The "welcome" sign to cowmen is hanging over every door and unless all signs fail there will be a plenty of the boot and spur gentry on hand to take up a good piece of this hospitality.

The athletic carnival has been satisfactorily arranged and hundreds of the best youths, physically, of Texas, will be ready for the events.

Both cattle divisions are full. Hundreds of blue ribbon aristocrats of other shows are penned and stabled back of the Coliseum and thousands of the uncrowned champions await the pinning of the colors. Developments indicate that competition will be keener this show than at any previous exhibition. Cattle from Northern states and as far East as Mississippi are ready and waiting to divide honors with the blue bloods of the prairie ranges of the Southwest. The Agricultural colleges of the Southwestern states are showing big and unusually good herds. The class of pen animals and stock for killing was never better.

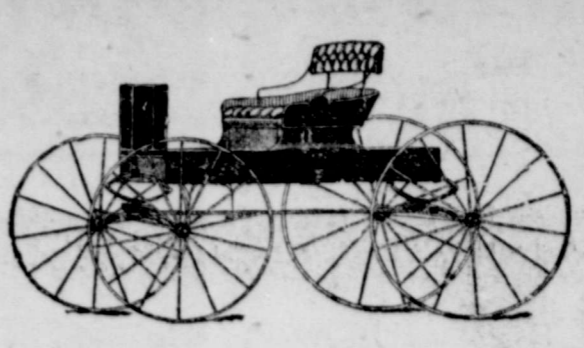
Monday the newspaper men of the state will be entertained. Fort Worth Fourth Estaters have been designated to look after the wants, joys and ills of their brethren who may stray into the jungles once ruled over by the only Panther cat Fort Worthians ever heard of.

The poultry buildings are full to the doors. The exhibit is representative of the chickens, ducks and turkeys most favorably known to breeders and people of the Southwest.

Practically all of the exhibits in the industrial department have been installed and by Saturday afternoon the last piece of bunting and flag will be hung. The Coliseum and carnival grounds are in readiness to receive the crowds that will push through the gates from Saturday night until Saturday afternoon, March 17.

The management, ring masters and all connected with the big show are ready and waiting to begin the distribution of more than \$25,000 which is to fall into the hands of the exhibitors and live stock growers of the Southwest.

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It is the Hercules

The Hercules people situated at Evansville, Ind., in the very heart of the hardwood district of the country, are of the few people who have stayed in the buggy business the last few years. Most buggy manufacturers have either quit altogether or gone to building automobiles. The Hercules have not but have grown and in the last five years have built over 390,000 vehicles. That, in it self, would recommend the Hercules buggy.

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FOR SALE—1914 Cadillac, electric lights and starter. At a real bargain. See car at Murphy's garage.

A few settings of choice white leghorn eggs. Write or see Mrs. E. D. Stearns, Brady, Texas.

FOR SALE—A nice lot of pigs, cheap. Address M. E. Abernathy, Calf Creek, or phone No. 1904.

FOR SALE—Cheap for Cash, one Ford Delivery, one Ford Touring car, one 1915 Model Reo Car and one 1916 Pullman car. All in perfect condition. See Rochelle-Brady Motor Co. North Side Square, Brady Texas.

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Plains Land for Sale.
640 acres near Brownsfield, Terry county. New railroad being built within three miles of this land. Cheap at the price listed. 1-4 cash, balance good terms. Meers Land Co.

LOST—Sterling silver vanity. Monogram "C A W" on one side; English "W" on reverse. Return to Standard office.

LOST—Between oil mill and Camp San Saba, old-style, plain barreled automatic shot gun, with leather pad on butt. Finder please return to J. H. Hill, Brady.

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High-grade Sand and Gravel for sale. Car load lots. Write for prices. Wm. Scott, San Saba, Texas.

WIT AND HUMOR.

"Isn't that a pretty big bill, doctor?" "Well, living costs more than it used to, you know," returned the man of medicine.—Life.

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If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

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If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?

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A cough that racks and irritates the throat may lead to a serious chronic cough, if neglected. The healing pine balsams in Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey—Nature's own remedy—will soothe and relieve the irritation, breathing will be easier, and the antiseptic properties will kill the germ which retarded healing. Have it handy for croup, sore throat and chronic bronchial affections. Get a bottle to-day. Pleasant to take. At all Druggists, 25c.

Hope Almost Abandoned When She Found Remedy

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin Relieves Chronic Case of Long Standing.

After a long period of suffering with liver and bowel trouble that brought on piles, during which she had tried many remedies without obtaining relief, Mrs. Mary J. Jewell, of Berrien Springs, Mich., heard of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and obtained a bottle from her druggist. This simple, inexpensive laxative compound brought almost immediate relief and Mrs. Jewell wrote to Dr. Caldwell about her case.

In her letter Mrs. Jewell says, "I had tried so many things for the piles, without being helped at all, I had about given up all hope of ever being any better. I knew it was in the condition of my bowels that caused them, and after I had taken a bottle of your Syrup Pepsin I knew it was just the medicine I needed. I am very grateful to you for sending me the little book—the advice and instructions it gives would teach anyone how to get well and how to keep well."

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Druggists everywhere sell Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for fifty cents a bottle. To avoid imitations and ineffective substitutes be sure you get Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. See that a fac-simile of Dr. Caldwell's signature and his portrait appear on the yellow carton in which the bottle is packed. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 455 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

dred club most pleasantly last Tuesday night, the gentlemen being invited guests. Cut flowers adorned the rooms, and added to the pleasure. Six tables were set for "500," the following being in attendance: Messrs. and Mesdames J. S. Anderson, W. E. Campbell, R. G. Prater, J. R. Stone, John Wall, B. Simpson, S. W. Moffatt; Mrs. Lewis Brook. Guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Bailey Jones, Dick Winters, G. R. White; Mesdames C. T. White, Marion Bingham of Ohio; Mr. Jamie Brook.

Club prize was received by Mrs. Anderson and gentlemen's prize was awarded Mr. Wall. Guests receiving prizes were Mrs. Winters and Mr. Jones.

The hostess served chicken salad, bread and butter sandwiches, candy and cake and an ice.

The club meets next Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. E. Campbell.

Miss Florence Ryan Honored.

Among the celebrations resulting from Washington's birthday, perhaps none was more enjoyed than the spread with which Camp Minnehaha ended the day. The girls hiked from high school to Dutton grove, where, to win an honor, they cooked supper. Despite the "high cost of living," they were able to dine upon fried chicken, broiled bacon, scrambled eggs, chipped potatoes, pickles, toasted bread and marsh-mALLOWED chocolate at the rate of only seventeen cents a plate.

Much zest was added to the supper by a surprise planned for the guardian. In honor of that lady's birthday the Camp had ordered her a guardian's pin. Having wrapped it in tissue paper and tucked it into a chicken wing—they served it with a sandwich. She, very unsuspectingly ate everything else first, saving her chicken sandwich as the most palatable morsel. As she lifted the top layer from it and caught sight of the paper, she flung it into the debris of dead leaves with a laugh at the girl who had fried the chicken. When she was informed that it was supposed to be there she warily recovered it.

Not only is the entire camp pleased to have the pin in evidence, but the guardian seems indeed proud to wear it as a gift from her girls. When the camp song had been sung, and the sun had set, each went home entirely content with the outing. A new note was sounded in chapel on the 22nd. In honor of the day, the band boys accompanied the songs "America," and "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," and rendered as a special feature, the "Boy Scout March." An added patriotism was felt in chapel, and the members showed their enjoyment of and appreciation for the favor granted by the boys with a very hearty applause.

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A DELINQUENT HUSBAND

By ERNE OLMSTEAD.

Beatrice straightened up from her darning and glanced across the living-room table at her husband engrossed in the evening paper. Her appraisal was silent, but comprehensive. Except for a little thinning of the hair above the temples and the addition of a little flesh and eyeglasses, Fred was the same fine-looking fellow she had married.

She sighed, then got up and went to a hall mirror and began an investigation of herself. She felt pretty ancient, with eight-year-old twins asleep upstairs. It had been a long time since she had given herself much thought, but now she looked searchingly at each individual feature, her hair, her eyes, the curve of her mouth and her smooth, velvety cheeks. She gazed long and carefully, but finally turned away satisfied.

Fred's magnetism—the thing that had caught and held her when she struggled against marriage and the loss of her freedom—unfortunately had the same effect upon other women that it had upon herself.

The effect had been slow, but sure. Fred had been spoiled and had got away from her.

Beatrice had never cared much or resented all this. She was busy with home duties and her children, and she argued that Fred would come back to her when the children were older and she had more time. But now the children were older and she had plenty of time—too much, but Fred had not come back.

"I think I'll run over to the club, Bee." Her husband came out of the living room and went for his hat. "If I am not home by eleven, go to bed. Good-by." He kissed her lightly on the cheek and went out.

She went to her desk and took out two letters. The first was a business letter inclosing a check for \$500, her own dividend that she received from some family stock. The second was from Evelyn Warren, in New York, urging her to make them a visit. "We are in the midst of a merry whirl, dearie," she wrote, "so you'll have no chance to be bored. Besides, Cecil Prampton is here and not married yet. (He never got over losing you, Bee.) Two weeks away from that poky old place will make a new woman of you. Do come. Lovingly, Eva."

"Fred," she asked at breakfast, "when do you think you will make your business trip to New York? You always go about this time, don't you?" "Yes, I've been thinking about it. About the 25th, I suppose. Why?"

"When you are away I think I'll take the children and—go to Aunt Martha's. She's been writing for us, you know. I'm getting some new clothes."

"That's right. You won't get so lonely." Time was when he would have said: "Can't you get Aunt Martha to come and stay here with the children so you can go with me? The trip would do you good."

That day she filled in the date of the letter and mailed it; then betook herself to the tailors and dressmakers in a nearby city. Time was short for what she had to do.

Fred, too, made the preparations for his trip East, and when he finally arrived in the great metropolis he was received by a certain pleasure-loving set with wide-open arms. A few hours with business men through the day and long evenings of dining, dancing, theaters and cabarets.

"Freddie," declared pretty Mrs. Huntleigh, "you have saved my life. Tom's niece is visiting us and we need an odd man for her. We have a thousand things to do in the next two weeks and I am going to expect you to see us through." So Freddie was helping them out to the best of his ability.

One night at the theater, a party came in late and occupied a box quite near them. At the close of the act Fred leaned over to Isabelle. "What do you think of it, Miss Murtland? Good music, eh?" For answer she merely nodded her head toward the newcomers. "I was wondering," she said, "who that stunning looking woman is talking to Cecil Prampton. They are with the Warrens."

He followed her glance and started with dismay. For it was Beatrice whom Isabelle Murtland had noticed. Beatrice, so bewilderingly beautiful and looking so wonderfully happy and animated that he had to look again to be sure it was she. Beatrice did not see him and he drew back into the shadow of the box.

In the next week, he saw her four times with Prampton and the Warrens, at different places of amusement, but he always managed some way to remain unnoticed.

"My wife's the best looking woman in New York," he cried, savagely one evening. "I don't know how she happens to be here, but I know she isn't going to flirt with that fool any longer." And he called up the Warrens on the phone.

"Beatrice went home this morning," said Evelyn Warren in answer to his inquiry. "She tried to find you everywhere when she was here. She was so sorry and disappointed."

"Heavens!" she exclaimed when he had rung off. "If that man ever finds out how we worked and contrived to follow him about and how the Huntleighs helped us out, he'll shoot every one of us. The silly man did need a lesson, though, and I hope he's got it."

A VISIT TO BRADY'S FAIRY WONDERLAND

All of us are familiar with the adventures of "Alice in Wonderland," and the many other fairy tales that delighted us in childhood, and still delight the little folks—but who would have imagined that right here in Brady there is a wonderland—as wonderful a fairyland as was ever described in any book. Yes, it's true! Which goes to prove that, after all, we are but children grown up—for we still delight in seeing and hearing wonderful things—and, more than all else, of possessing these same wonders.

Perhaps you would like to know about this newest wonderland! Well, it's no secret, so we'll whisper it to you—It's at Benham's. A really, truly fairyland spread out right before your eyes.

Such a galaxy of materials! Such a riot of wonderful colors! Such charming, fascinating styles!

Reaching almost the length of the store is the most dazzling array of dress goods and materials that ever greeted your eye. There is most gorgeously striped and colored Crepe de Chine for men's shirts; an unending variety of silks for dresses, skirts and waists, all carefully selected, with bright colorings and countless new weaves and designs. There are the Yo-San silks, in all the new sport stripes—and the striking colors and designs are certain to make sport suits more popular this season than ever. The new Silk Jersey comes in 72-inch width, and includes every conceivable shade—new gold, orange, chartreuse, electric blues, green and others. Silk Pongee in plain and plaid designs, and the new Georgette Crepe in the new plaids and every conceivable shade, are beautiful beyond description. Special attention must be given the Khaki-Kool Silks for suits, in charming designs and brilliant colorings. Then there are the new paisley effects in Marquisette; Gros de Londre in the prettiest

of solid colors and the most fascinating of sport stripes, and all the new and varied articles so dear to women's heart.

Not to be overlooked is the display of crepe de chine underwear and hand embroidered gowns and teddies, all of daintiest design and the sheerest of material.

Another display that is sure to cause the visitor to stop and look and linger is that of petticoats. Such an assortment—ruffled and tucked and frilled—in coque de roche, in solid colors and in delicate shades. And there are the new collars, in sailors and in round, of silk, pongee and of organdie, in all the new effects and shades of coloring. And with them and in endless variety and every imaginable style and color are the daintiest and most attractive of ear-rings and bar pins; ultra-smart in designs and most adorable in appearance.

When you have feasted your eyes and your heart on this gay bit of fairyland, but part of the whole has been seen, for there still remains the millinery department. When returning from Chicago and St. Louis, Mrs. Benham reported bright colors very popular, and this is true in hats. All the new shades and designs have been artfully interwoven into the make-up of the new millinery, and the effect is altogether charming. The line is complete. Here milady will find a representative showing of Ach, Gage, Gair and Regina hats—than which there are none better—and the great variety of dainty, chic and striking models makes a selection merely a matter of individual taste.

When you have read this, you must agree that Benham's is a real, sure-enough Wonderland—but when you see the new goods, you will have to admit that nothing short of a Fairyland itself could equal the display of the new goods to be found at BENHAM'S.

Will Hold Bazaar.

The Ladies Aid of the Christian church will hold a bazaar at Lankford's bakery on Friday and Saturday before Easter, being the 6th and 7th of April.

U. D. C. Program.

The chapter will meet Saturday, March 3rd, with Mrs. Will Ballou.

Roll Call: To the answer write some current event.

Events of 1861—Bombardment of Fort Sumter. "Who was the Confederate commander, and who was in command of the Fort?"—Mrs. Jesse Ballou. "Lincoln's call for 75,000 volunteers to coerce the South, and the proclamation of blockade of the Southern coast."—Mrs. Lee King.

"Baltimore riot, April 19th, where the first blood of the war was shed. Tell of this conflict."—Mrs. R. Dyer.

Round Table Discussion—

"Was the firing on Fort Sumter by the Confederates, or by re-enforcements sent to the fort by the Federal government the beginning of the war?"

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Complimenting Visitors.

Complimenting Mrs. Marion Bingham of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. F. Wulff of Laredo, Texas, Mrs. J. H. White will entertain a few friends this afternoon.

Five Hundred Club.

Mrs. B. Simpson entertained for the Five Hundred club on last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Burl T. Wiley. Members present were Mesdames J. S. Anderson, C. T. White, F. R. Wulff, J. R. Stone, R. G. Prater, W. E. Campbell, Lewis Brook. Guests were Mesdames Marion Bingham, G. C. Kirk, W. D. Crothers, Bailey Jones; Miss Esther Anderson.

The usual series of "500" was enjoyed, Mrs. Campbell receiving club prize, and Mrs. Kirk, guest prize.

A salad course was served by the hostess.

Five-Forty Club.

The Five-Forty club spent a very pleasant afternoon last Friday with Mrs. S. H. Mayo, members and guests being pres-

ent as follows: Mesdames Ben Anderson, Jesse Ballou, J. D. Branscum, Dave Camp, A. B. Campbell, N. A. Collier, John F. Schaege, J. E. Shropshire, J. M. Fuller, O. S. Macy, Alice Smith, Roy Wilkerson; Misses Ruth Campbell, Mattie Anderson, Lillian Mayo.

At the conclusion of the series of "5-40," the hostess served refreshments of salad and coffee. Mrs. John F. Schaege entertains for the club this afternoon.

North Side Bible Class.

North Side Bible Class No. 1 met last Friday with Mrs. J. M. Carlson, ten members being present. Good lessons were had considering one of the teachers as absent on account of illness. After the lessons, the members enjoyed several selection on the player-piano.

The class meets this afternoon with Mrs. J. T. Freeman. The lesson is from the 95th to the 105th Psalm, in connection with the Sunday school lesson, John V, 1-15. All members urged to be present, and visitors are welcome.

With Mrs. Wulff.

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**More Than 3,000 Cowmen Will
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More than \$22,000 in cash and several thousand dollars in trophies will be distributed among the cattle breeders of the Southwest at National Feeders and Breeders Show to be held in Fort Worth from March 10 to 17, inclusive. The prize lists have been prepared and are now ready for distribution among the breeders and stockmen who desire to show animals.

Not since the initial performance of the National Feeders and Breeders Show, has such preparation been made for staging really big and wonderful show. The cattlemen have enjoyed a prosperous year, the farmers have been prosperous and the city people have profited and from every nook and cranny of the Southwest comes word that the people are deeply interested in the March show and are simply biding time between now and the opening night.

The National Feeders and Breeders show is attracting attention all over the United States and for this reason the management has found it necessary to enlarge the prize list. Classes, in almost every division, have been enlarged and special attention is given this year to the Jack and mule industry. The saddle horse industry has not been overlooked and several of the draft horse divisions have been amplified.

The cattlemen, the men who raise and market the Texas steer, will be in Fort Worth during the show. It is a homecoming for the men who are supplying the cattle markets of the world and they will spend the week in jollification. Fort Worth is the cowman's home. His cattle market is in the shadow of the big Coliseum and pens that house the blue bloods of the range and stable. Fort Worth will entertain these cattlemen, their families and their friends.

Besides the feature of the Fat Stock Exhibit, the management of the National Feeders and Breeders Show, has arranged for a continual round of entertainment. Every afternoon and night stunts of the range and corral will be depicted. Cowboys, broncho busters, ropers and bulldozers will contest for the championship in their respective classes. The Round-Up, it is to be remembered, is to be the headliner in entertaining features. The meanest buckers, the best riders, the wildest cattle and the nerviest bulldozers, will pitch in to each other for business. Big prizes have been hung up so as to attract cowboys from all over the United States.

Miss Lucille Mulhall and Homer Wilson and hundreds of the best men and women riders in America have agreed to appear during the week. Busters who startled the people at Kansas City, at Cheyenne and at Pendleton are coming to Fort Worth. Merchants are contributing costly prizes and in addition to these gifts the National Feeders and Breeders Show has hung up \$2,000 to be carried away by the winners.

There will be the division for the baby beef and pig clubs. The poultry show is to be larger and better and the carnival grounds will be covered with the best carnival show money can procure.

The management is making the claim that there will not be a dull moment between the Texas & Pacific station and the stock pens from Saturday night to Saturday night. All of Fort Worth has entered into the carnival spirit and the Fat Stock Show and Round-Up has the assurances of being the biggest thing of its kind ever staged in the Southwest.

**Former Brady Girl is Asked to Compete
in Nation-Wide Contest for Statuette**

**RECOGNITION IS COMING TO
MISS WALDINE TAUCH
FOR HER WORK IN CLAY
—PUPIL OF COPPINI.**

The Standard takes pleasure in reproducing herewith an article appearing in the San Antonio Express on Friday, February 11th, concerning a former Brady young lady, Miss Waldine Tauch. The article describing the success of this talented young sculptress is all the more of interest, since the Ladies Tuesday club of Brady made it possible for her to study under the great artist, Pompeo Coppini.

Miss Tauch's unusual talent as a sculptress first attracted attention at the holding of the first fair in Brady. Mrs. F. W. Henderson had charge of the dairy exhibit, and, knowing of Miss Tauch's talent, asked if she would design something in butter for exhibit. Miss Tauch had never before undertaken such molding but said she would try. A pound of butter was delivered to her at six o'clock one evening and the next morning she delivered the finished work—a dairy maid clad in long apron, arm akimbo, with one hand on the dasher of an old-fashioned churn, at the foot of which lay a pound of butter. The molding had been done with only crude instruments fashioned by her father. The exhibit aroused the greatest of interest, and occasioned widespread comment. Editor W. D. Cowan of the Brady Enterprise gave it considerable comment and suggested that if the ladies of Brady would take an interest in this slip of a girl, she could develop into a great artist. Mrs. Henderson and Mr. J. H. White of Mason were among the number interested, and the Ladies Tuesday club then took up the matter of placing her under the tutelage of Pompeo Coppini of San Antonio, where she studied for two years, without, however, receiving any special praise for clever work from Coppini. That the great artist was interested in her, though, was evidenced by the fact at the end of the two years he made the proposal that if the Ladies Tuesday club would release all claim to her, he would make her his protegee and do all he could for her. With only the thought of Miss Tauch's



MISS WALDINE TAUCH
—Courtesy San Antonio Express

success in mind, the Tuesday club gladly accepted the proposal—and the story in the Express tells the result.

In dreaming, working and waiting, that makes up the sum total of an artist's life, and O, how long the waiting is for some! It often is not until the artist has laid down his life, overwhelmed by the cruel fight against an unemotional world, that recognition of genius comes. There is no line of art that takes the time and patience for the world's appreciation as does sculpture. It is a form of art that is most difficult for the laity to understand. There is, however, a San Antonio sculptress, Miss Waldine Tauch, whose waiting has not been so long, for although she is still a young woman her dreams are commencing to be realized. Encouragement is being shown her, for last week word came that she would be allowed to complete for the official Boy Scout statuette and the best model of which will be accepted by the Boy Scouts of America.

Miss Tauch received a letter last week from F. N. Cook, Jr., who has the matter in charge. He said: "We want very much to have the help of sculptors and artists in working out a very distinctive figure of a Boy Scout which will be inspirational and

at the same time accurate so far as technical details are concerned. It has been suggested that we invite a public competition as a means of producing a statuette to which we can give official endorsement and if this plan is carried out, we should like very much to have Miss Tauch take part. It is helpful to have seen her present figure as with others which have been received, we shall be enabled to formulate concrete suggestions for an official statuette."

Miss Tauch, who frankly says she owes all her knowledge to Pompeo Coppini, under whom she studied five years, exhibited talent for modeling in early childhood. When a small child and living in Schulenburg she carved figures from chalk to the delight of her teachers and schoolmates. Later when her parents, recognizing the budding talent of the child, moved to Brady, where better educational facilities were to be found, she soon became popular for her unusual accomplishment. When a fair was held there she was asked to exhibit a pound of butter, and the girl carved the figure of a woman churning butter. That created a sensation.

So delighted were the women of Brady the Tuesday club of that town decided to take the young girl under charge as its protegee. The clubwomen first thought of sending her to a Texas college, but after deliberation they decided they wanted to give her the best opportunity possible, so they sent her to Pompeo Coppini. She made rapid progress under this master, and her instructor became hopeful of big things for her. However, he did not fill her mind with premature praise, but showed in a much more substantial manner his hopes for his young pupil.

"Come and be my own protegee," was the word he sent her the next year, and for four years she worked under him as his protegee.

"It is only very recently," said Miss Tauch, "that Mr. Coppini has given me any praise, and that was in a recent letter when he wrote he felt perfect confidence that he could put me on a big work and feel no fears of my not doing it."

Miss Tauch has sold a number of her models in San Antonio and other parts of the state. Among her most pretentious work is the splendid fountain on Commerce street given the city by the San Antonio Express.

Miss Tauch's studio in Commerce street is filled with her models, many of most original and artistic conception. Mr. Le Blanc, who was here recently, visited Miss Tauch's studio and with French enthusiasm said: "Why, girl, you are wasting your time here; you ought to be in Paris."

The statuette of the Boy Scout which Miss Tauch sent on to the Boy Scouts of America has been much admired, so much so, in fact, that the artist had a number of copies made and they were sold for Christmas gifts.

Miss Tauch is one of the leading spirits in the Art Guild, which was recently organized for the purpose of bringing the artists together for mutual help and inspiration.

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I learned that nothing can constitute good breeding that has not good nature for its foundation.—Butcher.

Men must know that in this theater of man's it remaineth only to God and the angels to be lookers-on.—Bacon.

Every man should keep a fair-sized cemetery in which to bury the faults of his friends.—Henry Ward Beecher.

Advice.

Did it ever occur to you that now is the future that you longed for several years ago?—Daily News.

Our observation is that most of the men who try to look like Napoleon in public are henpecked at home.

And sometimes a girl who can sing like a canary bird is about as useful as a goldfish.

Personally, about the only thing we have to be proud of is that the wolf at our door can whip any dog in our neighborhood.

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At left is Miss Tauch's statuette of the Boy Scout and on the base of which is this inscription: "Do a Good Turn Daily." Above is her conception of a matador. —Courtesy of San Antonio Express

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 Editor Brady Standard:
 Everybody in the Gap is all smiles despite the dry weather. Some have put out onions and potatoes.

There have been lots of colds in our community, but no serious sickness. Church meeting and Sunday school is progressing nicely. We are going to have a box supper in the near future for the purpose of buying us a new organ. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Dennis.

Mrs. Neal and daughter were visitors at the P. O. Neal home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Benton Taylor spent Sunday at the Elliott home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dobbs spent Sunday at S. M. Dobbs' Mrs. Carrol spent Sunday at Mrs. Engdahl's.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Ola Reynolds called at the Taylor home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hattie Bell was shopping in Brady Monday. Miss Willie Hartley was the guest of Misses Lessie and Nila Elliott Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ola Reynolds took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Anderson Sunday.

Mr. Gressett has the contract to kill the dogs on Jim Bell's ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stewart spent Sunday at S. M. Dobbs. Mrs. Ola Reynolds and Mrs. Galaway were shopping in the burg Saturday.

Mrs. C. M. Bell visited her daughter, Mrs. Burley Lively at Lohn Saturday night.

Mr. McNatt, the well-drill man came very near breaking his arm while working with the engine. The hurt was so severe he will have to lay off a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gressett, Master Lester Whalen and Jim Gressett spent Sunday at Calf Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Gressett visited Grandma Northcott who is very ill, while the boys took in the Baptist Rally which was going on at that place.

Mrs. Crider of Fife, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hattie Bell last week.

Mrs. Rossie Davis called at the Bell home Tuesday evening. FAIRY.

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Mother Died.
 Mrs. W. L. Hughes has the sympathy of all in the loss of her mother, Mrs. F. B. Mason, who died suddenly Monday Morning while visiting at Orlando, Florida. Mrs. Hughes and children left Tuesday for San Angelo, to which place the body will be shipped for burial.

The news was a shock to Brady friends of the family, Mrs. Mason having visited here in the early part of the winter, at which time she was in excellent health. She had gone to Florida only two weeks ago Wednesday to be with her sister and family, who have been spending the winter there.

The first news of her illness was received last Saturday, and her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Dowty of San Angelo, started for Florida to be with her. Before she could reach that place, news of the death was received.

Mrs. Mason was 65 years old, and had been a sufferer with Bright's disease. An attack of pneumonia brought on complications that caused her sudden death.

The body is being shipped to San Angelo, and it is expected the funeral will be held there Saturday. Surviving are her husband, who had been a resident of San Angelo for over thirty years, and who is one of the prominent and best-known citizens of that section. Also three daughters, Mrs. W. F. Dowty of San Angelo, Mrs. W. L. Hughes of this city and Mrs. C. E. Stowe of San Antonio; and one son, Milton Mason of San Diego.

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Edwin Tindel Pardoned.
 Edwin Tindel returned Wednesday evening from Huntsville, Tex., having been pardoned by Governor Ferguson. Tindel was convicted in district court at Brady on a statutory charge, and sentenced to serve three years in the penitentiary. On appeal, his case was affirmed, and he voluntarily went to Huntsville and surrendered himself to the prison authorities.

Recent evidence brought to light, proved so convincingly that Tindel was innocent of the charge that the petition for his pardon was signed not only by the members of the jury convicting him, but by the trial judge, prosecuting attorney, and the business men of Brady as well. His pardon came after having served but three months of the sentence imposed.

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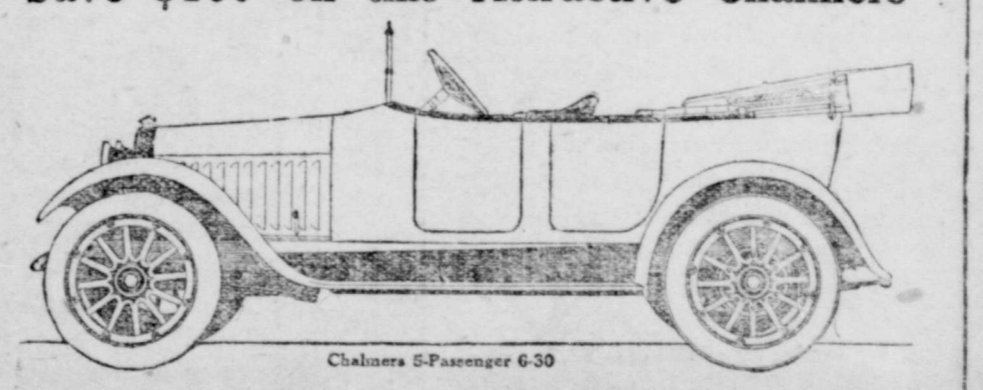
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LOCAL BRIEFS.

Chas. Willman is here from Mason, and announces that the Automatic Cotton Packer Co. will shortly be capitalized and incorporated for the manufacture of packers for gins. Stock in the company is now being sold, and every effort will be put forth to have the new invention ready for the gins before the opening for the cotton season.

Petty thieving seems to continue unabated in Brady. Automobile owners are among the victims, the latest being Henry Hodges, who had two brand new tires lifted off his car Monday while attending lodge. The high price of metals and junk has also caused loss to owners of machinery temporarily idle or unguarded. N. B. Embry reports the loss of brass fittings, brass oil cups and sundry brass articles from his gin machinery, and at the Santa Fe pump house brass fittings were removed from the machinery. Sooner or later the plunderers will be caught and an example should be made of them that will stand as a warning to other would be depredators.

From Tree To Press In Only 145 Minutes.

A trial has been made in Austria to decide in how short a time living trees can be converted into newspapers. At Elsenthal recently at 7:35 in the morning three trees were cut down; at 9:34 the wood, having been stripped of bark, cut up and converted into pulp, became paper and passed from the factory to the press, whence the first printed and folded copy was issued at 10 o'clock. So that in 145 minutes the trees had become newspapers.—Ex.

We, Each of Us.
Each of us inevitable.
Each of us limitless—each of us with his or her right upon the earth.
Each of us allowed the eternal purposes of the earth.
Each of us here as divinely as any is here.—Walt Whitman.

Plenty of Them.
The Devil could quote scripture to his purpose, and if he had been a lawyer—as some cynical people contend he must have been—he could doubtless have found abundant legal precedents to the same end.

Satisfied.
Switzerland does not care what nations have access to the seaboard as long as she has access to the pocketbooks of the American tourists.

Considerable Operations.
Perhaps Mr. Wilson made a rear-admiral of a doctor so he could direct operations on the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

In order to lessen the danger of swallowing poison tablets by mistake, it has been suggested that a special shape be used in making such tablets.

An electric current applied to freshly cut timber will have the same effect on the wood that months of ordinary drying could bring about. England is responsible for this new timber-curing process.

All your Greek will never advance you from secretary to envoy, or from envoy to ambassador; but your address, your air, your manner, if good, may.—Chesterfield.

All that is worth while is as slow and sure as Time—You cannot stop it, nor can you hurry it one second in eternity.—Live Wires.

Do good to thy friend to keep him to thy enemy to gain him. He that waits upon fortune, is never sure of a dinner.

Three may keep a secret, if two of them are dead.

He that falls in love with himself, will have no rivals.

Pride and gout are seldom cur'd throughout.

All would live long, but none would be old.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

E. L. White returned this morning from a business trip to Austin.

J. E. Keeler was over from Menard Wednesday on a business trip, and was greeting his many friends here.

Mrs. Harry Irwin returned yesterday morning from a business trip to Snyder, Lutlock and other points in the Plains country.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roach and little son, and H. S. Espy were here Wednesday from Sonora on business, and to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Erin Yantis went to Brownwood last Friday to visit relatives and to attend the recital given by Miss Elizabeth Spencer in demonstrating the New Edison.

J. G. H. Lange, who has been following his profession as painter and paper-hanger in various parts of the country the past couple years, was here last week visiting his family.

Austin Strickland arrived Tuesday morning from Dallas, where he has been employed in the M., K. & T. Ry. offices the past couple years, and will spend some time here recuperating his health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pence left Wednesday, Mr. Pence going to Pittsburg, Pa., and Washington, D. C., for a visit of a month or longer with relatives and friends, while Mrs. Pence goes to Houston to spend several weeks.

E. M. West was in from Lohn last Friday and reported having just completed the digging of a well six feet across in which he struck an abundant supply of water at a depth of 20 feet.

Quite naturally he is feeling mighty good over his water supply.

Traveling in their private car, Mr. G. H. Schleyer, vice-president and general manager, and Mr. C. O. Jackson, general passenger agent, for the Frisco visited Brady Thursday. Accompanying them was C. H. Bencini, of Fort Worth, owner of the Bencini oil mills.

Messrs. J. H. White and F. R. Wulff returned Sunday from San Antonio, where they had spent several days on business. They were joined at that place by Mr. Wulff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wulff, of Laredo, who returned to Brady with them and who will be their guests for a week or two.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. McCall and daughter, Majorie, returned yesterday morning from New Orleans, where they have been the past three or four months, while the doctor took a post-graduate course in medicine. He reports a very enjoyable, as well as profitable stay in that city, but was delighted to be back in Brady once more.

Expert Mechanician.

Chas. Vernon arrived Wednesday to accept a position with Simpson & Co. Mr. Vernon is an expert mechanic and electrician, and will be employed in this capacity at the Simpson garage. He comes well recommended, and his work has already brought him commendation and approval from patrons of this garage.

Something Good.

Those who hate nasty medicine should try Chamberlain's Tablets for constipation. They are pleasant to take and their effect is so agreeable and so natural that you will not realize that it has been produced by a medicine. Obtainable everywhere.

You auto tell your troubles to our expert. Simpson & Co.

Illustrates Sermons.

Rev. Owen Hornburg, pastor of the Christian church, has an innovation that is proving interesting and popular with members and the attendants at the Christian church. In his Sunday night sermons, Rev. Hornburg strikingly illustrates his sermons with stereopticon views. These illustrated sermons are given every alternate Sunday night, his next one being arranged for next Sunday.

Flower pots and jardinières. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Light Occupations.

Adding up a column of smoke. Making keys for the Panama locks. Fixing the teeth of a gale. Taking care of self-winding clocks. Sweeping the room with a glance. Painting the shadow of a doubt. Manicuring the hand of fate. Gathering the eggs from a mare's nest. Polishing the shoe on the foot of a hill. —Boston Transcript.

The Virtue of Silence.

At his best, Elmer was not noted for his brilliancy, consequently he was not likely to shine in his history examination. One stumbling block in the world's record concerned Nero. Elmer had heard of Nero, but he had absolutely no recollection of his achievements. But for once his intellect was equal to the task imposed upon it. "The less said about Nero the better," he wrote. The examiner apparently thought likewise, and marked him perfect. —New York Times.

The Merry Girl and the Parson.

Edith was light-hearted and merry over everything. Nothing appealed to her seriously. So one day her mother decided to invite a very serious young parson to dinner and he was placed next to the light-hearted girl. The Canadian Magazine relates that everything went well until she asked him: "You speak of everyone having a mission. What is yours?" "My mission," said the parson, "is to save young men." "Good!" replied the girl. "I'm glad to meet you. I wish you'd save one for me." —Ex.

A member of the Texas Legislature has introduced a resolution to stop all law making, and abolish all new offices and commissions, in the event of war with Germany. This resolution might be a good one to enact even if we do not have war. —Ex. Sundried oysters are considered a rare delicacy in China.

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