

Announcement

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A greater variety of styles and a bigger stock than ever, and we give value for your money.

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"YOU MUST BE SATISFIED"

Off to El Paso.

Frisco Agent A. J. Graham reports fourteen tickets sold Saturday night for the Cattle Raisers convention at El Paso. Two sleepers were picked up at Brady Saturday night, and a large sale of tickets for the convention was anticipated along the route. The trip by way of Fort Worth covers 805 miles, or practically the same distance as to St. Louis, and consumes one day and two nights, the excursionists reaching El Paso about 9:00 or 10 o'clock in the morning—just a few hours longer than it takes to make the trip to St. Louis.

Included in the visitors to the convention from Brady were Messrs. and Mesdames J. E., G. R. and C. T. White and Miss Laura Lee White; Messrs. W. D. and Q. C. Walker, S. E. McKnight, M. Z. Bates and Johnny Gibbons.

Screen against the miserable fly before he gets the upper hand of you. Remember we carry everything in the screen wire and door line. Our price is absolutely right. Broad Mercantile Co.

R. K. HALLUM & CO.
Repairing. Engraving
Everything we sell
we guarantee.

Moving Well Machinery.

G. V. Mong is here this week from Oklahoma preparing to move the well machinery from the E. W. Harris ranch at Pasche. The drill will be freighted to Hobart, Okla., where Mr. Mong states oil is being found in paying quantities at a depth of only 400 feet. Mr. Mong is under contract to have the machine in operation within thirty days at that place.

Our new dry cleaning machine makes the oldest and dingiest garment as clean and bright as new, and it takes the dirt out. If you want a rush job of dry cleaning we can do it for you. We can show you. The old reliable Kirk. Oldest and best. Nuf Sed.

Did you know that the Moon Bros. buggy is the highest grade buggy or vehicle made today, and do you know that we are not asking as much for this buggy as others are asking for cheaper makes. Take notice of our prices and let us figure with you. Broad Mercantile Co.

You will need a pair of low quarters. We have the latest styles in black and colors. Come and see them before buying. Excelsior Shoe Store.
Phone Willbanks when you have auto troubles.

Eggs! Eggs! Eggs!

For hatching from my undefeated FULL-BLOOD PERFECTION WHITE WYANDOTTES and FULL-BLOOD RHODE ISLAND REDS. These are the best chickens from the best strains; also the best layers in America. I know how to mate and take care of them. I keep my breeders yarded, and this assures you clean, full-blood stuff. I guarantee every egg sold. Will have only a limited number for sale at \$1.50 for setting of 15. I want to show you these fine chickens when in Brady. Some stock for sale cheap.

S. J. STRIEGLER

Secretary Poultry Association BRADY, TEXAS

You Will Find a Full Line of

EASTER CANDIES

Novelties, Post Cards, Etc., at

The Star Cash Store
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SILVER WEDDING DAY

MR. AND MRS. ANDERSON
OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

Many Guests Present Saturday
Night to Offer Congratulations
and Good Wishes.

One of the most joyous as well as unusual occasions was the celebration last Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Anderson of their silver wedding anniversary. The occasion was made a most memorable one by the presence of many of the friends of the family, who filled the house to overflowing, and who rejoiced with Mr. and Mrs. Anderson that it had been their privilege to see the happy day.

Promptly at 8:30 o'clock to the strains of the wedding march softly played by Mrs. Tom Elliot, the bride party entered the parlor, Little Miss Ella May Anderson being flower girl, while Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Jones attended the bride and groom. Then Rev. T. P. Grant of the Presbyterian church read the beautiful marriage service, in which the couple, after twenty-five years of happily wedded life, again plighted their troth for all time until death doth them part. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held, the couple being the recipients of many congratulations and good wishes. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moffatt, Mrs. J. S. Moffatt and Miss Tilda Burk.

Refreshments of a salad course and steaming coffee with ice cream, cake and mints was served throughout the evening by Miss Minnie Elliot.

The guest register showed 100 names, and it is estimated that something like 125 were in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson received many beautiful and invaluable articles of silver in commemoration of the event and as tokens of the esteem in which they were held by their friends, as well as many telegrams and letters of congratulation from parties who were unable to be present. Besides the articles received from Brady friends, the list included friends in Austin, Elroy, Temple, Houston, Gatesville, Brownwood, Jackson, Miss., and many other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson were both born in Sweden, coming to the United States and to Texas in their early twenties. They both made their homes in Austin for several years before their marriage, which took place at the Austin Cumberland Presbyterian church March 15, 1888, Dr. Shaw officiating at the service. The marriage was blessed with four children, three of whom are living: Mrs. Bailey Jones of Austin, and Misses Esther and Ella May of this city.

They continued their residence in Austin for nineteen years after their marriage, Mr. Anderson being engaged in the grocery business, and being one of the most prominent and well known business men of that city. Six years ago they moved to Brady to make their home, Mr. Anderson again engaging in the grocery business together with S. W. Moffatt. Mr. Anderson is one of the leading and most influential citizens of Brady, and is held in universal esteem by all citizens. Two years ago he was elected alderman

from his ward, and during his service in this capacity he has ever had the best interests of the city and the citizens at heart, devoting his time and energies unselfishly to the up-building of Brady and Brady's interests.

SEVERE COLD SPELL.

Freezing Weather Arouses Fear
For Fruit Crop.

A cold wave has been sweeping the state the past several days, arriving in Brady early Friday morning in the form of a blue norther. The mercury dropped to about 32 degrees within a short space of time and Saturday and Sunday nights the freeze was repeated, ice being formed where water stood. There is considerable speculation as to the amount of damage the fruit may have suffered, a number of orchardists reporting their fruit having been killed, while others state that the most dangerous times for a freeze are when the blossoms are just budding or just beginning to drop off. The fact that trees were in full bloom is held out as a hope that the damage has not been severe. The next few days will tell the extent of the damage.

W. J. West was up from Rochelle yesterday on business, and reports that he will engage again this year in extensive farming operations. Mr. West has recently acquired several more farms in the sandy belt of San Saba county, which he will operate in addition to his farms at Lohn and Rochelle. Mr. West will have 900 acres in cultivation this year, of which 700 will be in cotton—400 acres in San Saba county and 300 acres in McCulloch. Last year he had about the same amount of land in operation, part of it being leased, however. He has just received 220 bushels of genuine Rowden seed which he will use in planting, and he believes nothing pays so well as the best seed.

About Your Milk.

Be patient with us a little while, if your milk tastes a trifle bitter. Spring is here, and with it the National flower, the bluebonnet, for which the cows have the greatest liking. It will be but a short while until your milk will be as sweet as ever, and guaranteed 5 per cent cream. Brady Sanitary Dairy. Phone 365 when in need of sweet milk, cream, butter milk and butter.

Fishing tackle! Don't these warm days give you the fever? Broad Mercantile Co.

Dry Cleaning Machine.

Nuf Sed Kirk has a new hobby, and it rides well. A dry-cleaning machine, that cleans and dries the garments with astonishing results and rapidity. A number of garments are placed in the machine and it is set in motion. When thoroughly cleaned, the same machine evaporates the gasoline from the garment, and within ten minutes they can be put on the ironing board without the least thought of danger. The machine is an ingenious contrivance, with a double bottom permitting of the heating of the gasoline with hot water which makes the cleaning operation all the more perfect.

No one has a larger line of matting than we are carrying and our price is absolutely right. Broad Mercantile Co.

JOHNSON GRASS FRIEND

AGRICULTURIST SAYS DO
NOT DIG UP GRASS.

H. A. Halbert Tells Farmers
"Raise It, Kill It, and Leave
the Roots as Fertilizer."

Not many years ago I fought Johnson grass vehemently with tongue, pen and the grubbing hoe, until I discovered and published to the world in 1905 that Johnson grass is an annual plant and a great fertilizer. Since that time I have been its friend and have boldly proclaimed it to be a friend in disguise to the Southern farmer. As soon as the farmers are convinced that the above claims are correct, they will concede my proclamation.

First, let us see what constitutes an annual. Webster says: "That which requires to be renewed every year." Most plants are annual or perennial. Some are biennial; that is have to be renewed every two years. A perennial is defined by the same author as quoted above to be: "In botany continuing more than two years, as a perennial stem or root." Botanists and all authority in agricultural departments have taught that Johnson grass is a perennial ever since it was introduced from Turkey about the year 1830 by Governor Means of South Carolina. Now if it is perennial and cannot be killed in one year as any annual, I admit that it is a great pest. But if it is an annual and can be destroyed in one year by preventing it from producing seed for the next year, it is not a pest; for its good qualities as a drouth resisting grass and its fertilizing qualities make it more a blessing than a pest.

Let us now apply the test of Webster's definition to see if it is a perennial plant. We know that the top is not for we see it die down and must be renewed annually. Then if any part of the grass is perennial it must be the roots or the root stocks. Now, to make it more interesting and to make you investigate for yourselves, I will give any farmer a \$100 reward to bring or mail me a sprig or a single stalk of Johnson grass, with proof that it grew on a root, rootstock or rhizoma that is even two years old and not "more than two years," as Webster says to constitute a perennial. I know that I am as safe to offer this \$100 as I would be to offer it for a cockle burr that grew on two-year-old roots. But maybe you don't think so. Hence it is up to you to capture this \$100.

I admit that Johnson grass is twice as hard to kill, if not still harder, than most all other annuals, because Johnson grass has two methods of forming seed to perpetuate itself—one above ground, the grain, and the other below the ground, known as rootstocks or rhizomas. They are called roots, but are not, in the proper sense of the word,

roots. They have no power to gather food for themselves or for the parent stalk. The small, thread-like fibrous roots gather food from the soil exclusively and feed these rootstocks just as they do the stalk above the ground. The rootstocks or underground seed always start at the crown, just at or a little below the surface, where the roots and the top of the grass join. They are supported by the parent plant for the first few inches of growth, until they dip into the earth and send out fibrous roots of their own. Then they are independent of the parent stalk. It is always the rootstocks that form, say in 1911, that send up the grass tops in 1912. The old rootstock that formed in 1910 and sent up tops in 1911 have no more power to send up tops in 1912 than will a cockle burr root that grew a stalk in 1911 have vitality to grow another top in 1912.

This being the case, we see that all that is necessary is to prevent these rootstock seeds or any of the grain seed from forming and the grass is destroyed. I have stated where they form—shallow, close to the surface—so the next step is when do they form? Then we can intelligently fight the grass after knowing all its habits. These rootstocks always form at a certain stage of growth and that is just as the grass bunches to bloom or to send out a seed head. Hence the two seeds above and below ground begin to form simultaneously. Knowing these facts, all the intelligent farmer has to do is to watch the growth of this grass and shave it off with a weeding hoe or a sweep behind a horse at this critical stage when no seed will form, and will destroy it in a single year. It takes light but constant effort and not the old back-breaking, ditch digging process with a grubbing hoe, taught us by our blind leaders in authority. In olden times when the blind led the blind the good book tells us that both shared the same fate and fell in the ditch together. But in these modern days the blind leader sits back in the shade of an office and makes the blind farmer dig the ditch by himself and by the "sweat of his own face." Not only was the farmer led to do hard, unnecessary work, but work greatly detrimental when he dug up and carried out the rootstocks that rot every year and enrich the soil.

This brings me to my second point—that Johnson grass is a great fertilizer and renovator of depleted soils. When this fact is established beyond a doubt, then the up-to-date farmer will plant Johnson grass on one side and cotton on the other of his turning row. Then when his cotton land begins to show deterioration, he will swap sides with these two products and sow Johnson grass on his worn-out cotton land, plant cotton on his enriched Johnson grass land, make a bale to the acre on it and kill out the Johnson grass with

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A. B. Carrithers

Brady Land Company

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LAND AGENTS

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Official Paper of the City of Brady

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BRADY, TEXAS, Mar. 18, 1913

CREDITABLE EDITION.

The Brownwood Bulletin last Saturday greeted its readers with a splendid 32-page Easter edition, and for once the Bulletin carried a line of advertising that justified the publishers' enterprise. The Bulletin is a splendid paper, and one of the most creditable small-city dailies in Texas. It not only furnishes its readers with the important news of the day twelve hours in advance of any other paper, but has always been one of the liveliest factors in advancing Brownwood's every interest. Just how the Bulletin maintains its position in newspaperdom with the limited support it ordinarily receives is hard to explain, and the Easter edition is merely an indication of the paper the publishers would give Brownwood if the merchants gave it deserved support.

A PIONEER, WE ARE.

The Kilgore Chronicle has adopted the cash-in-advance subscription plan. This makes two county papers in Texas which are now run on business principles. In a few years a publisher who keeps sending his paper after time paid for has expired will be as scarce as blue redbirds.—Garland News.

There are more than two, to Hallford. This paper has been on such a basis for more than two years, and has found it to not only pay, but is far more satisfactory in every way than the old credit system. And, best of all, it pleases our customers and brings us lots of subscribers who would not take the paper under other conditions.—Granbury News.

Count us in on the list, and remember, too, Bro. Gaston, that we were the pioneer cash-in-advance man in Hood county. It has been something like five years ago that we had our first try-out with the pay-as-you-go plan, and at that time the editor of the Granbury News commended our move as a good one, but doubted that we would carry out our intentions. We "stuck," however, and you can put us down as one publisher who never expects to conduct a newspaper upon any other basis.

Fruit and frost have been having a several round bout the last several nights, and we are afraid the money we have bet on fruit has been lost.

Over in Arkansas the Legislature is attempting to pass a law that will compel the newspapers to print news of crimes

and divorces under small heads and on inside pages. Evidently the Arkansas Legislature believes in hushing what can't be helped.—Dallas News.

ENDED THE AGONY.

It's an ill wind that blows no one good, and the recent norther may be credited with having put a stop to the spring poetry effusiveness of the Menard editor. Claude was inspired, and by the light of a tallow candle stuck in the top of a beer bottle he was indicting the following spasm in blank verse: "Dost not see the blossoming of the trees? Hear'st not thou the babbling of the brook? Hast not spring fever in thy knees? Longst not for thy rod and hook?" Just here the norther struck him, and gently, very gently, froze up the little hook worm.

Burn Up Your Papers.

Please burn your papers. John Schaege is the right kind of a citizen. He is still working on his block of tenant houses. Brady Civic League.

We have everything in the way of tools for the spring garden. Phone us for what you want. Broad Mercantile Co.

Automobile tires at Willbanks.

Going to paper your house this spring? See our big stock of wall paper. 1800 rolls newest patterns. Ramsay Planing Mill.

Anything needed in a bed spring. Broad Mercantile Co.

You'll find nearly everything in household necessities at the Wonder Store.

If the jack rabbits are about to take you, get a .22 and some hollow-point bullets. They will do the work. Broad Mercantile Co.

Make our store your home store. E. J. Broad.

Notice.

The partnership heretofore existing between W. S. Gattis, Benton Willey, D. C. C. S. and Nat Randals, W. T. Stacy, H. L. Bratton, John R. Winstead, L. E. and J. S. Hays and W. S. Briscoe, and known as the Waldrip Gin Co., was, on January 27th, 1913, dissolved by mutual consent, John R. Winstead taking over the old business for the purpose of organizing a new company and building a new gin at Waldrip.

WALDRIP GIN CO.,
Per Acting Pres.

THE STANDARD'S PHONE NUMBER IS 163. CALL US WHEN YOU HAVE NEED FOR GOOD PRINTING OR WHEN YOU WANT THE BEST ADVERTISING

NINE SCHOOL BONDS.

Bought By State School Board and Money Received.

Judge Harvey Walker has just deposited with the Commercial National bank \$2066.67, representing the principal sum of the Nine school bonds together with accumulated interest. The school bonds were purchased by the State School board, and the warrants were received Saturday. This means that another handsome school building will soon be added to the list of improvements for McCulloch County.

Easter Will Soon Be Here.

For style, quality and comfort, get a pair of our oxfords. Try one pair and you will buy no other. Excelsior Shoe Store.

Cotton and feather pillows—50c to \$2.50 each. Broad Mercantile Co.

If you want to save money, do your trading at the Wonder Store.

List of Mail.

List of unclaimed mail matter remaining in the postoffice at Brady, McCulloch county, Texas, for the week ending March 15, 1913.

1. Cate, E.
2. McConnell, W. M.
3. Moranes, Ynasio.
4. Scott, J. G.
5. Hall, Miss Minnie.
6. Stephens, Mrs. Ollie.

Card List.

1. Bortam, Miss Latitia.
2. Lyles, Lee.
3. Miller, Frank.
4. Morris, W. N.
5. Whitman, Wm. T.
6. Wilkinson, Elder W. G.

Photos.

1. Smith, Miss Alice.
2. Pickard, W. S.

Packages.

1. Schooley, Mrs. Serenia. When calling for any of the above listed letters or cards, please say that they are advertised and give the number of the piece claimed and the date shown at the top of this list.

Advertised mail is held in this office two weeks before being forwarded to the Dead Letter office at Washington, D. C.

D. DOOLE, JR.,
Postmaster.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rate 5c per line per insertion.
For Sale—One good farm horse. E. J. Broad.

For Sale Cheap—Baled maize, 30c per bale. See Aug. F. Behrens.

W. J. West's Rowden Cotton Seed for planting at E. J. Broad's.

Wanted—Clean cotton rags in exchange for subscription to The Standard.

For Sale—Missouri jack, ready for range or any other service. See J. F. Schaege.

Wanted—To rent three or four-room house close in, water and lights. Apply this office.

Found—Overcoat. Owner describe property and pay for this notice. Chas. Tupman, Allen Grain store.

For Sale or Trade—Coming 3-year-old stallion, German coach and English shire; 16 hands high; weight, 1300. Apply to J. M. Smart, Lohn, Texas.

Indian Runner ducks, pure stock of all types. American and imported. Eggs, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50. Pure white runners, \$1 per setting. Write for catalogue and mating list. Harrison's Runner Duck Farm, Paris, Tex.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Hooper*

"MAJOR."

The 4-year-old all purpose Percheron and German coach, will open the season April 1st, at the Glenn ranch, four miles south of town. Coal black; weight 1525; stands 16 3/4 hands high. Terms: To insure living colts: \$12.50. Where as many as three are bred in a season, \$10, or will charge \$7.50 by the season. Will stand at the stock pens in Brady on Saturdays. W. E. Simpson, Owner. J. M. Connolly, Manager.

Who dumped the cans on the Episcopal church lot? Better move them. Brady Civic League.

Easter egg dye, and candies at the Wonder Store.

We have everything needed for spring house cleaning. Let us fill your wants in this line. Broad Mercantile Co.

Coal! Coal!

Macy & Co. are making the price on coal. See them before you place your order for the winter.

Worth looking into—we can fit you up with buggy, harness and horse. E. J. Broad.

After next meeting of the League all who have paid their dues are going to get their names on the roll of honor. Up to date there are only six, and they are modest so we won't publish it this time. Brady Civic League.

Get an adjustable ironing board. Only costs \$2.50. Broad Mercantile Co.

Ramsay Planing Mill for all kinds of woodwork.

Teach your child to burn his lunch papers and not toss it on the school grounds to be an eyesore to everybody in town. Brady Civic League.

Phone 76 when you have trouble work. Brady Auto Shop.

See our line of linoleum. Broad Mercantile Co.

G. C. HILL

The Old Reliable "HORSESHOER"

Is again in Brady, and has opened up a horse-shoeing shop at the Bumguardner (Old Conner) wagon yard.

Wants to see all his old friends, and give them the same good service as before.

What's the matter with Wm. Connolly's alley? Go look. Brady Civic League.

You may miss some bargains this week at our store. E. J. Broad.

Who cleaned the cotton yard? Brady Civic League.

We have a broad tire 3 1/2-inch Bain wagon with 14-foot frame, second hand. A bargain if you need something in this line. Broad Mercantile Co.

Better have those tin cans hauled off before the heavy rains fill them with water. Soon they will be full of mosquitos, which will not only make you miserable by biting you, but will give you all sorts of diseases. Brady Civic League.

Liquid Veneer—the very thing for house cleaning. Broad Mercantile Co.

We buy and sell second hand cars. Brady Auto Shop.

Burn the papers. Brady Civic League.

Scott & Co. have the prettiest lot in town decorated with canned goods. Brady Civic League.

Rubber and cotton hose and lawn sprinklers. Broad Mercantile Co.

Why is not every householder in Brady a member of the Civic League? Don't you take a pride in your home or your town? Don't you care about the health of your family? Join it and burn your papers. Brady Civic League.

Get your oils and gasoline at Willbanks'.

The lot in front of the residence of the president of the Civic League is a thing of beauty and a joy forever. Brady Civic League.

If you want to sell your old car, see Brady Auto Shop.

Ask about Kant-Burn paint—it's fire and water proof. E. B. Ramsay, sole agent. At the Planing Mill.

A large line of collars, brides, etc. Broad Mercantile Co.

Don't laugh. You are next. Brady Civic League.

There is to be a clean-up day soon for the cemetery and all the good looking men and boys in town are going to help. Brady Civic League.

A large line of cartridges. Broad Mercantile Co.

At your service. Ring up 41. E. J. Broad.

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COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

SWEDEN NEWS.

Rochelle, Texas, March 11.
Editor Brady Standard:
(Delayed from last week.)
"Honor and shame from no conditions rise;
Act well your part—there all the honor lies."
Misses Ruby Hurd and Ellen Hendrickson and Messrs. Paul Johnson, Raleigh Ake, Walter and Irvine Hurd and Freeman Hurd dined at the S. L. Hurd home last Sunday afternoon. The above named guests and their host and hostesses, Misses Myrtle and Nina Hurd and Mr. Frank Hurd, joined them in a pleasant ride to Rochelle, where they attended the B. Y. P. U. of that place. After the B. Y. P. U. the gray crowd returned to the Hurd cottage, where they were served with supper, after which the same cars of young people attended the Christian Endeavor society at Sweden. A pleasant time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Nelin celebrated the occasion with an informal dinner. Among those who attended were Messrs. and Mesdames D. A. Hurd, Carl Johnson, W. T. Galloway, C. J. Nelin, C. G. Nelin and families. We are most assured that they enjoyed themselves to their hearts' content. That's so, I forgot to mention Hon. A. M. Sandquist's presence at this gathering.

Messrs. and Mesdames T. A. Dial and W. F. Dutton left last Sunday night for the Fat Stock show at Fort Worth. We wish for them the times of their lives.

Mr. W. J. McCartney of near Melvin was a caller at the S. L. Hurd home last week.

Miss Segred Johnson is visiting in Whiteland this week.

Should Mr. Editor call on me for my decision for the best writer, I couldn't tell, I don't believe. But let me tell you, I don't like this foolish gibberish—I like to read news. I think "A Citizen" should be commended for his good letters. I try each week to write better letters, but don't know whether I am improving or not. I don't hear anyone say. But one thing you correspondents could pat me on the head for and that is I am a little more prompt than I was last year.

Best wishes. AUNT SUSAN.

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The worst sores, no matter of how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

Don't overlook our large stock of buggies, wagons, implements. E. J. Broad.

The colored population near he compress had a misunderstanding Sunday night in which Vill choked Lizzie, and when has, interferred he was cut for is trouble. The bunch was led to the colored population t the jail.

We are making some splendid bargains in dressers. Broad mercantile Co.

For trouble work, phone 76. ady Auto Shop.

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PERSONAL & LOCAL

Henry Hoerster was here from Mason Monday.

Mrs. N. T. Cook is visiting in Brownwood this week.

W. H. Gibbons was here from Richland Springs Saturday.

J. M. Stephens was in the city Saturday returning to Eden.

Judge Joe A. Adkins went to Menard Monday on legal business.

Tom Heath was a business visitor here from Rochelle Saturday.

Dr. McKnight returned Monday from a professional visit to Menard.

Frank Hopkins, the sage of Liberty, was here Monday on business.

Miss Mabel Wallace is the guest of her brother, Principal J. O. Wallace, and wife.

Will Brice was here Friday and Saturday from East Gansel, where he is teaching school.

Mrs. Dave Camp arrived Sunday morning from Pecos for an extended visit with relatives here.

J. Q. Triplett was here Sunday morning enroute home to Pasche from a business trip to Dallas.

G. W. Henderson returned last night from the Sorrell ranch, where he had been looking after stock.

J. D. Branscum came over from San Angelo Friday to spend a few days here on business.

Mrs. S. E. McKnight and Miss Mina Wright accompanied Mr. McKnight to Brady Saturday from the ranch.

Claud McClellan is here for a few days greeting his many friends with his usual cheerful smile and glad hand.

Attorney Roy Walker is here from Lampasas for a visit with his mother, Mrs. A. G. Walker, while attending to business.

Claude Ledbetter, accompanied by Misses Ola Parks and Josie Durptry, were visitors here from Pasche Saturday.

Carl Salter is here from Brownwood preparing to do some artistic sign painting for some of the Brady merchants.

N. G. Lyle, Sr., left Sunday morning for Lockhart, where he will enjoy a visit of several weeks with old friends and relatives.

Miss Tilda Burk of Granger, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Anderson the past week will return today to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Finlay drove in from Fife Sunday for a visit here. Mrs. Dave Camp accompanied them to Fife upon their return.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bengtson and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bengtson were here from Lightner Saturday to attend the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Anderson.

Mrs. H. H. Finley, who has been the guest of her daughters, Mesdames C. D. Allen and W. P. Yeary, the past several months, left Saturday night for her home at Allen, Texas.

Roy Medley of Sulphur Springs has accepted a position

with R. E. Luhn, Jr. & Co. in the cleaning and pressing department. Mr. Medley comes highly recommended as an expert in his line.

P. O. Neel left Sunday for Rockdale, where he is thinking of locating and engaging in the gents furnishing business. While on the prospecting trip he expects to visit several points in the coast country.

H. P. C. Evers left Sunday morning for Castelle and other points, where he will visit relatives and friends for a few weeks. Mrs. Evers and children, who have been visiting there the past week or two, will return with him.

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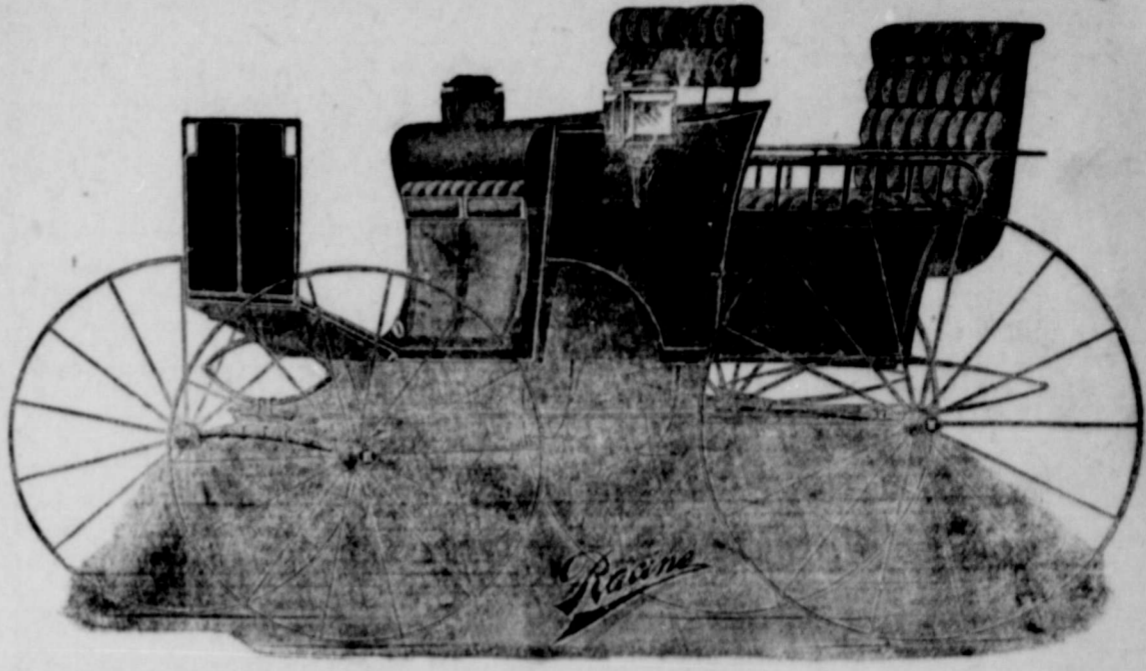
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MILLINERY SHOWING.

Mrs. Benham Displays Many Beautiful Hats.

Despite the cool wind last Friday quite a number of ladies were present at Mrs. Benham's showing of new spring millinery, and the display was a pleasant surprise to all. The hats are unusually attractive this season, varying from the small hat with scarcely the suggestion of a brim, to the larger hat much admired by the fair sex. The small hats are finding great favor, being exceedingly becoming to almost every type of femininity. The trimmings are likewise becoming, many odd shades being used, and which add to the attractiveness of the hats.

Quite the most elaborate hats of the season were on display in the show window; there being three of extraordinary beauty. They were the object of much admiration.

Bain wagons—best made. Broad Mercantile Co.

Put phone 76 in your telephone directory—it's the Brady Auto Shop.

BOLD ROBBERY OCCURRED HERE MONDAY EVENING.

Perhaps one of the bold-st robberies ever known in the history of Brady was perpetrated in the leading tailor shop of this city on Monday evening while the proprietor was busily engaged in serving customers. A man, very nice in appearance, entered and attracted no especial attention. However, immediately after having his wants supplied he left the store declaring he had been robbed. Friends rushed to his aid to find that he really had been relieved of belongings, but nothing of real value, as Kirk, the tailor, had only robbed his suit of the grease spots and wrinkles that made it appear shabby and worn.

Moral: Let Kirk rob you of the spots and wrinkles in your clothes. Nuf Sed.

Just Received.

A car of fresh, re-cleaned cane, maize and kaffir seed, at the old, original Macy & Co.

Mattresses—any kind, any price. Broad Mercantile Co.

Who owns the jail? We want you to clean it up. Brady Civic League.

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IT CLEANS AND INVIGORATES.

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COURT CALENDAR

McCULLOCH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT—Two meets second Mondays in each month not COUNTY COURT—Convenes third Mondays in January, April, July and October; each term, two weeks. Criminal docket, first week; Civil docket, second.

DISTRICT COURT—Convenes second Mondays after first Mondays in February and September; each term, three weeks. Civil docket second week; criminal docket, first week.

TIME TABLE

Frisco
South Bound
No. 5 ar. 9:00 a. m.; lv. 9:10 a. m.
No. 45, mixed, ar. 12:15 p. m.
Monday, Wednesday, Saturday.

North Bound
No. 3 ar. 7:50 p. m. lv. 8:00 p. m.
No. 46, mixed, lv. 1:25 p. m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday.

G., C. & S. F.
East Bound
Arrive Leave
No. 54 9:40 a. m. 11:40 a. m.
West Bound
No. 53 2:55 p. m. 4:00 p. m.

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To suffer from skin diseases (itch, eczema, ringworm, etc.) when one 50c box of Hunt's Cure is positively guaranteed to cure or your money promptly refunded. Every retail druggist in the state stands behind this guarantee. Ask your druggist and see the guarantee with each box. You don't risk anything in giving it a trial.

GALLAN CONCOCTIONS FOR MAGNIFICENT MENARD

From the Messenger.
The Standard says that Johnnie Baker of Brownwood is supporting us for congress. Everybody is supporting us except the slaves of Wall street and the enemies of the downtrodden toiling masses.

F. B. Parker of the Menard Land Co., sold last week the Russell and Jenkins irrigated farm, 382 acres, to Dr. L. A. Suggs of Fort Worth for \$34,380. He also sold the A. J. Menzies place, 1228 acres to Joe Lockhart of Menard and W. E. Livingston of Fort Worth for \$18,420.

The president attended a theatre a few days ago with only one secret service man to catch the bullets fired at him. This country is fast becoming civilized.

Mrs. W. C. Kiehne left Sunday night for Corsicana to visit her newly arrived grandson.

We do not believe in signs to any great extent, but there is something that makes us nervous about the democratic congress being called to meet on all fool's day.

The people of Del Rio have at last rewarded the Herald editor by electing him school trustee—a position that is all pleasure and pay, and no work.

An exchange says "the man who can drink or let it alone always drinks."

Wonder if Al Burleson remembers the time we gave him a chaw of tobacco when he was out. We want a postoffice.

Mrs. L. E. Callan visited in Brady last week.

We remained away from the inaugural at Washington because it is our purpose not to go too far in our support of President Wilson until we learn what he stands for. If a breach comes between us we do wish him to have the advantage of saying that we once made an ass of ourself over him. Mr. Bryan could throw that very thing up to us now, if he had kept a complete file of the Messenger.

This week a visitor from another town said we are hiding our light under a bushel—that we ought to go to the city and let it shine. This reminds us that only recently we received a letter from one of the great Texas dailies. Our heart fluttered and our Adam's apple expanded until it almost choked us. We hurried to our office to read it, making plans on the way to sell our shares in the lost Bowie mine and raise funds to buy tickets and a city hat for our wife. We knew the daily was offering us a job—that within the envelope rested our future, a future resplendent, brilliant and amazing, a future that would cause not only America but the world to marvel. After locking the door we opened the letter and it read in effect that the paper's exchange list had grown to such an extent that the management had decided to cut off a considerable number, and the Messenger was among the first selected—to cut off. We burned the letter and commenced distributing an accumulation of pied type.

Mrs. Wilson thinks she can dress on a thousand dollars a year, but she can't do it. Of course if she did her own sewing, she might; but with that big house to keep a body just can't do a body's own sewing. And too when there's anything going on in town she'll often have to get up and iron the president a shirt before breakfast, and cook a little of something extra when the preacher comes for dinner. She just simply can't sew. It would be asking too much of her.

Clean up your back yard by

all means. The front yard is not so important. And it is about time you were at it. The flies are coming.

Schwenker has been taking a week's holiday. It is the calm before the storm. His barge has been sailing smoothly on the tranquil seas of bachelorhood, but the tempest is coming, and before many moons he will be led to the altar by one of Brady's army of old maids, and The Standard will thenceforth float at its head that touching demand—Votes For Women.

For Weakness and Loss of Appetite

The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S FASTELESS TONIC, drives out Malaria and builds up the system. A true tonic and sure Appetizer. For adults and children, 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Satterwhite are packing their household goods for shipment to Bentonville, Texas, in the next few days, and expect to leave with their family the latter part of the week for that point to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Satterwhite are numbered among Brady's most highly esteemed citizens, and their many friends will learn with regret of their intended removal. Mr. Satterwhite was for a number of years a prominent farmer of the Brady country, and up to two years ago was engaged in the hardware business in Brady. Their new home is located in the coast country, about thirty miles west of Corpus Christi, and Mr. Satterwhite was very favorably impressed with the new country upon the occasion of a recent visit. He has rented a place there and will engage in farming.

Hunt's Cure rapidly destroys itch, ringworms, itching piles, eczema, tetter and like troubles. Under its influence the diseased cuticle scales off, leaving a smooth white, healthy skin in its place. A wonderful remedy, and only 50c a box.

MASON MAVERICKS.

From the News.

Erv Hamilton recently sold Dave Kiser a small bunch of coming 2-year-old steers at \$37.

R. O. Green, one of the successful farmers of the Behrens community, five miles north of Mason, has already engaged 2000 cans of tomatoes to our merchants. For several years Mr. Green has been operating a home cannery and it has proven quite profitable. He finds a ready market for all his canned goods.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Evelyn Hutchison and Mr. John L. King, prominent young people of Fredonia. The young lady is a graduate of Mason high school, which she attended a few years ago. The wedding will take place Sunday night, March 23, at the Fredonia Methodist church.

In district court: State vs. Walter Williams, assault with intent to murder; hung jury. State vs. Ed Wiedemann, unlawfully killing a wild deer; plea of guilty, fined \$10.

The grand jury adjourned Monday, after being in session seven days, and returning nine indictments as follows: Two assault with intent to murder; two forgery; one unlawfully killing a wild deer; one unlawfully injuring personal property; one theft of property value less than \$50; one carrying pistol; one giving intoxicating liquor to minor.

Miss Elva Payne was here a short time last week from Fife, where she is teaching.

Fredericksburg has a fund for paying a bounty on the heads of crows killed in Gillespie county. They have paid for 212 at 25 cents each.

Calomel is Bad.

But Simmons' Liver Purifier is delightfully pleasant and its action is thorough. Constipation yields; biliousness goes. A trial convinces. (In yellow tin boxes only). Tried once, used always.

LIVE LOCAL LINEUPS IN RUSTLING ROCHELLE

From the Record.

Mrs. T. E. Price, who received a phone message that her father, Mr. Cane, of Milburn had a very severe attack of pneumonia left on Monday night's train to be at his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Price and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones, who attended the Odd Fellows and Rebekah convention at Houston last week, returned home Saturday.

Tom Ivy made a business trip to Brady Monday.

Miss Georgia Williamson of Brady, who visited relatives and friends here the past two weeks, returned home Tuesday.

J. P. Williamson made a business trip to Brady Monday.

We are glad to state that Dr. Head, who had the misfortune to have his ankle severely sprained while working on a shed, is able to be about by aid of crutches.

W. H. Adkins of Brady was mingling with friends in town Saturday, returning Sunday.

Newt Williamson, formerly of this place, but now of Brady, transacted business in Rochelle Monday.

Elvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Cottle, died Tuesday at 12 m. Elvin was born in Bell county June 22, 1900. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Wilsford, and interment was made in the Rochelle cemetery Wednesday at 10 o'clock. Elvin was a good boy and will be missed by his companions, as well as his place in the home will indeed be missed and his absence mourned by the father, mother, three brothers and five sisters.

County Commissioner H. E. McBride of Mercury was called Monday to the bedside of his father, who is seriously ill out near the Noyes ranch. He and his wife returned Thursday, and reports his father not much improved.

E. E. Willoughby and wife were over Thursday from Brady in their auto.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Haddow made a business trip to Brady Thursday.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.
I, FRANK J. CHENEY, being duly sworn, depose that I am a resident of the City of Toledo, Ohio, and that I have seen and know the contents of the foregoing instrument, and that said instrument is a true and correct copy of the original thereof, and that I have signed the same in the presence of the undersigned, who are competent to depose.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Subscribed to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 10th day of December, A. D. 1918.
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.
Hunt's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
E. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 7c.
Take Hunt's Family Pills for constipation.

EDEN ECHOES

From Eden Echo:

Sam Waring has refused \$30 round for his graded yearling Herefords. Mr. Waring's herd is known far and near as one of the best in the state.

The city council has set March 22 for clean-up day. You are requested to pile up the trash around your premises and the council will furnish wagons to haul it off.

Mr. Earle McCollom and Miss Mattie Williams, two of Eden's most popular young people, were happily married Thursday morning and left immediately for Hillsboro, where they will make their future home.

PEOPLE SHOULD GUARD AGAINST APPENDICITIS.

Brady people who have stomach and bowel trouble should guard against appendicitis by taking simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc as compounded in Adler-I-ka, the German remedy which became famous by curing appendicitis. A SINGLE DOSE relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation. INSTANTLY because this simple mixture antiseptically cleanses the digestive organs and we off the impurities. Central Drug Store.

SAN SABA SAYINGS

From the Star.

The city election has been ordered for April 1st. There is not an over supply of candidates as the salary attachment to the offices is not sufficient to induce men to get out and exert themselves for the places.

At an informal meeting of a large number of Masons in the court house Monday night, it was the unanimous opinion that their temple recently destroyed by fire should be rebuilt.

G. W. Edmonson made a business trip to Brady and Menard this week.

From the News.

Grandma H. Ballew died at the family home in San Saba at 1:30 o'clock Sunday, March 9, 1918, and was buried in the old Senterfitt graveyard in Lampasas county Monday afternoon. Elder F. W. Dent of Lometa the former home of the family, conducted the funeral services in the church house near the graveyard.

Miss Lucy Rector came down Friday from Brady and spent to Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rector.

Alex McLaren, superintendent of the Llano Gold and Rare Metal Mining Co., was in Llano on Tuesday and informed the News Reporter that he recently sent a quantity of platinum metal from the Heath mine to the Pittsburgh testing laboratory, one of the greatest authorities in America on rare metals, and that an assay gave a result of 69.44 per cent pure platinum.

The commissioners court of Mills county recently appropriated \$2,000 for good roads work, and an expert road builder has been employed to superintend the work to be done.

A near-fatal difficulty occurred between J. W. Smith and Dave Northcott in the Spring Creek settlement Saturday evening about dusk. Northcott used a Winchester target and Smith used a pocket knife. Northcott received two dangerous wounds, one about six inches and the other considerably longer and both deep wounds. From reports it seems that Smith was driving some cows past the home of Jack Whitley, a brother-in-law to Northcott. The two gentlemen were alone, except a hired hand, the women folks being away from home. A difficulty arose between Smith and Northcott, and a fist fight first took place, which ended with the weapons. One shot was fired by Northcott which brushed the side of Smith's face. Smith came to town Monday and gave bond to await the action of the grand jury. His bond was fixed at \$1,000.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box.

We still have a complete line of poultry netting. We brought on a large shipment this year, expecting a large business in this line, and it is just as we expected. Better get your poultry netting before the size you want is gone. Broad Mercantile Co.

To Raise Good Chickens.

Count Henry Bradley in on the list of poultry fanciers, and when you go to Fife remember he has some chickens worth seeing. Henry was in Brady recently to receive a coop of seven fancy Barred Plymouth Rocks from the renowned Rock Poultry Farm at Cleburne; the shipment including six hens and one cockerel. The birds were splendid specimens, and their owner is fully justified in the pride he takes in them. We have a hunch that he is grooming to capture some blue ribbons at the next poultry show.

JOHNSON GRASS FRIEND

(Continued from Page 1.)

the same labor it takes to make the cotton. Any worn land can be restored to its virgin fertility by running it in Johnson grass, generally from three to five years, with a solid mass of grass on it. It consider it a better balanced fertilizer than legumes. The latter, such as peas, clover, etc., give an excess of nitrogen making plants run too much to weed, unless counteracted by the minerals to make the plants set fruit. Johnson grass yields great quantities of humus—decayed vegetable matter—from the great mass of these large, fleshy rootstocks that decay annually. It is equivalent to many tons of barnyard manure distributed over the field and much deeper and better distributed than can be done by man. Johnson grass does more—it prepares the minerals already in the soil for available plant food by mechanical action. When these large, fleshy rootstocks penetrate deep into the soil—much deeper than man ever plows—and then decay, they open up the soil and the air enters and comes in contact with the crude potash and phosphorus that exists in the soil and by aerating makes them available plant food. Most every farmer has seen a practical illustration of how this is done, when soil is brought from the depths of a well or ditch and thrown upon the surface. For a year or so nothing will grow on it. But after the atmosphere comes into contact with it and dissolves or aerates it, vegetation will then grow on it.

If all the above statements be true—and I challenge any practical scientist to refute them—then Johnson grass is one of the best fertilizers of the South. Alfalfa with its restricted area in which it can be grown and the necessity of abundant water for it is not in it with Johnson grass. Suppose that each farmer of the South had five or ten acres of Johnson grass to fall back on this dry year when he lost his corn crop, how much better off he would be today. With Johnson grass and cotton the South ought to be the richest and most independent portion of the globe, and by proper rotation the lands will never wear out.

H. A. HALBERT,
Coleman, Texas, in San Antonio Express.

People are learning the value there is in a Moon Bros. buggy. Moon Bros. buggies do stand, and we are not afraid to back them up. Broad Mercantile Co.

The Wonder Store is a new enterprise. It has this name because you will wonder about the low prices. G. A. Krueger, next to Nuf Sed, Brady.

CARDUI WORKED LIKE A CHARM

After Operation Failed to Help, Cardui Worked Like a Charm.

Jonesville, S. C.—"I suffered with womanly troubles," writes Mrs. J. S. Kendrick, in a letter from this place, "and at times, I could not bear to stand on my feet. The doctor said I would never be any better, and that I would have to have an operation, or I would have a cancer.

I went to the hospital, and they operated on me, but I got no better. They said medicines would do me no good, and I thought I would have to die.

At last I tried Cardui, and began to improve, so I continued using it. Now, I am well, and can do my own work. I don't feel any pains.

Cardui worked like a charm."

There must be merit in this purely vegetable, tonic remedy, for women—Cardui—for it has been successful use for more than 50 years, for the treatment of womanly weakness and disease.

Please try it for your troubles. N. B.—Write for Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chas. F. Meyer Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-cent Book, "Home Treatment of Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.