

LYRIC THEATRE FRIDAY, FEB. 23

PRESENTS
WILLIAM COLLIER

IN THE GREAT DRAMA

"The No-Good Guy"
5 REELS

—ALSO—

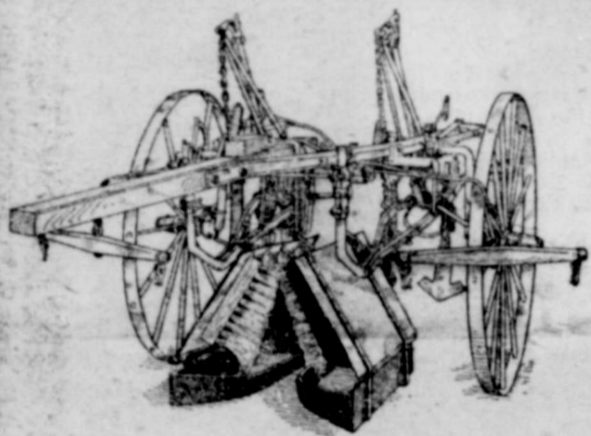
"DASH OF COURAGE"

Two Reel Keystone Comedy

Prices: 25c, Children 10c

Only one show starting at 7:45

Coming: "Hindoo Ann."



THE HITT BOLL WEEVIL CATCHER

Just out! A simple, yet wonderful invention devised to catch and destroy the boll weevils. Sold under a strict guarantee. This catcher is now on exhibit at E. J. Broad's Hardware Store. For the present leave your orders with above firm. Will work the county personally beginning a little later.

R. L. EILER, San Saba, Texas

Millinery Store Open.

I have purchased a most attractive line of millinery this season, and invite all my friends and customers to call and see my display. My stock is entirely new and up-to-date, and my prices are reasonable. At the same old stand.

MRS. M. J. MOORE.

Advertise it in The Standard.

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

Get busy! Fence your LAND HOG PROOF with that patent LOCK FENCE. E. J. BROAD.

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

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

DISTRICT COURT.

Judge J. O. Woodward convened Court Monday.

District court convened Monday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock, Judge J. O. Woodward occupying the bench for the first time since his election last November to the office.

The following cases on the criminal docket were disposed of:

State vs. Robert Hughes, Joe Thompson and Robert Sawyer, theft of hog. Dismissed on motion of district attorney.

Cases against Dennis Armor and Dick Schooley, each charged under separate count of theft of hog, were continued on account of absence of witnesses.

Case of Daniel Casas, violating local option law, a felony, was continued by the state and attachment ordered for witness.

Civil Docket

J. H. White vs. N. E. Johnson, suit on note. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

J. H. White vs. Hal N. Beekham, suit on note. Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Thos. Bell vs. Jas. T. Mann et al, suit on contract and damages. Judgment affirmed and case settled.

Inez Haywood vs. John Haywood, suit for divorce. Dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

G. D. Hill vs. Winnie Hill, suit for divorce. Dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

J. W. Moore, et al, suit to try title as well as for damages. Judgment for plaintiffs for the land described in deed from J. B. Boatright and wife to J. W. Moore. Also \$10.00 for E. P. Lea, attorney representing unknown owners.

W. M. Johnson vs. M. J. Stacy et al. Judgment for plaintiff as prayed for.

Racine-Sattley Co., vs C. W. L. Schaeg, et al, suit on note and foreclosure of deed of trust lien. Judgment for plaintiff by default as prayed for.

Richard Sellman et al, vs. Lawrence Haddow, et al, suit on note and foreclosure of lien. Dismissed by F. M. Newman, attorney for plaintiffs.

Mariana De La Cruz vs. Jose De La Cruz, suit for divorce. Judgment for plaintiff and costs to be paid by plaintiff.

W. R. Davidson vs. G. W.

Long et al, suit to foreclose mortgage lien. Judgment by default and foreclosure as prayed for.

The George Deiker Co. vs. C. W. L. Schaeg, suit on notes. Judgment by default as prayed for.

Charles R. Ewing, vs. J. V. Ewing, partition. Judgment as agreed by all parties and confirmed by court.

Full stock of castings and inner tubes at Murphy's.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and help during the illness and death of our baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Vance.

FRIDAY'S FEATURE.

"The No-Good Guy" Featuring Wm. Collier.

Those who saw the great preparedness picture, "The Battle Cry of Peace" at the Lyric last night for the first time, unhesitatingly declared it one of the greatest pictures of the age and those who saw it for the second or third time, thought it more wonderful than ever before. To those who had never given thought to the idea of preparedness, the picture was a revelation, and the subject was presented in a light that should be observed by every citizen in the United States. "Preparedness" not FOR war, but AGAINST war.

For Friday night, William Collier features in the comedy, "The No-Good Guy." Since leaving the legitimate state for the screen, Collier has made rapid strides until now he is one of the foremost of movie actors. In this picture he is said to be a "scream." In addition to this 5-reel feature, there will be the usual 2-reel Keystone comedy.

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.

Books! Books! Books!

Hundreds of values in Good Books. We offer them at about Half Price

FOLLOWING IS A SPECIMEN LIST

Old Gordon Graham, regular 75c value, at \$1.40	Hall's Brinker, regular 40c value, at 20c
Girl of the People, regular 40c value, at 25c	The Love Lady of the Arabella, regular \$1.00 value, at 55c
Flat Iron for a Farthing, regular 40c value, at 25c	David Harum, regular 75c value, at 40c
'Round the Moon, regular 40c value, at 25c	Book of Golden Deeds, regular 40c value, at 25c
By England's Aid, regular 35c value, at 20c	Homer's Iliad, padded leather, regular \$1.50 value, at 95c
Gulliver's Travels, regular 40c value, at 25c	Return of Peter Grim, 75c

Jones Drug Co., Inc.

C. A. TRIGG, Manager
Rexall Store On the Corner
"Your Money Back if You Want It"

WANTED CHICKENS

Will load a car
of Live Poultry

Sat., Feb. 24

Bring in your chickens and take advantage of the special prices we will be able to offer you.

H. P. RODDIE & CO.

BRADY TEXAS

Don't wait until you are out. Phone Macy & Co. today for McAlister coal.

Auto Tires! We handle an A1 Tire; gives best of satisfaction. E. J. BROAD.

Preliminary Spring Showing SILKS, WOOLENS AND WASH FABRICS

The patterns are new. The colorings are new. You will be able to find STYLES and COLORINGS here that are

Especially Adapted to Your Individual Taste

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C. H. Vincent

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BRADY, TEXAS, Feb. 20, 1917

WISDOM FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

The present governor of North Carolina said something the other day to his constituents that may not become as famous as the observation which a certain predecessor of his is said to have made to the governor of South Carolina, but it was more forceful and contained a deal more of practical wisdom.

Here is what he said: "If I were the czar of North Carolina instead of governor, I would issue an edict declaring that from and after five years from date any man who imported into North Carolina any corn or meal, wheat or flour, beef or bacon, should be forthwith hanged without trial by jury and without benefit of clergy. Of course, in the beginning I would be denounced as an infamous tyrant, but after the law had been in effect for ten years the richest state in the Union would build a monument to me as the financial redeemer of my people."

All of which is our idea of a mouthful. And what is more, it could be said with a great deal more of truth about Texas. If we could establish five years of universal safe farming, with every farmer raising his keep and having his money crops as clear surplus, the material wealth of the state would be increased to such a degree and more equitably distributed in such fashion that Texas would become the home of the happiest people under what the gentleman from Hill county is wont to describe as "the caniper of heaven."

The present legislature is doing many things which should assist materially in attaining this end. For one thing, it is providing a highway commission which, with the co-operation of the Federal government should supply Texas with a system of highways that will bring the city and the country closer together and do much to create community spirit in the rural districts. It is considering a compulsory tick eradication bill which in time should free the state entirely of the fever tick and thus promote, not only the livestock and dairy industries, but the growing of feed crops as well, and contribute generally to the cause of safe farming. A standard package bill, which should have the effect of raising the standard of all farm products and thus increase their

market value, is also on the calendar. A reclamation act and a constitutional amendment, are companion measures, together designed to reclaim swamp lands and provide ways and means of irrigating arid lands, are two other projects under consideration. A pure seed bill, designed to raise the standard of seed, and a number of other measures in the interest of agricultural development are to be passed upon, and all seem certain of passage.

In short, the legislature seems to recognize the needs of the hour and is tackling the big problems of the state with the proper spirit. But all the legislature could do in a generation would not be comparable with what two or three years of persistent effort on the part of the farmers themselves to institute a system of safe farming in the state could do. That "God helps those who help themselves" is an old saying and a true one, and it is true also that beneficial legislation, fertile soil, kindly climate and such help those who help themselves. The legislature has just created a West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College which will work toward the solution of the peculiar agricultural problems of West Texas and the Panhandle, and the fitting of the next generation to cope with those problems. But even this will be of little worth unless the farmers themselves begin to get business sense enough to tackle the problem of making farming a safe, paying business. We agree, therefore, with the governor of North Carolina, and without casting any reflection upon our prohibition friends, we think that a realization of his wish as applied to Texas would do even more for the material, mental and moral welfare of the state than the ushering in of that day when it can be said with truth in this imperial commonwealth that "It's been a long time between drinks!"—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

\$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 thru 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.

Farmers! If you are in the market for a Planter or Cultivator, I have the most complete stock in West Texas. I can make you money by selling you either John Deere, Texas-Ohio or Canton Cultivators. I defy any one to meet my prices, and I will sell you one on Fall Time or good note. E. J. BROAD.

Brighten up the furniture and floors with varnish from our store. O. D. Mann & Sons. Don't sell your cattle and hogs without getting our bid. Hanson & Strickland.

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.

Tanks, well casing and everything from a first class tin shop. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Two shipments of Tanlac just received. Jones Drug Co.

Be at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let every new year find you a better man.

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

MRS. CHAS. PEDEN GAINS 27 POUNDS.

Twice Examined and each Time Told Operation Was Only Hope.

"I have just finished my third bottle of Tanlac and have gained twenty-seven pounds," was the truly remarkable statement made by Mrs. Charles Peden, residing at 550 Mill street, Huntsville, Ala. Mrs. Peden is one of the best known and highly respected women of that thriving little city, where she has made her home for a number of years.

"When I commenced taking the medicine," she continued, "I only weighed ninety-eight (98) pounds; now I weigh 125 pounds, and never felt better in my life. For years I have suffered with a bad form of stomach trouble, constipation and pains in my side and back. At times the pains took the form of torture and I was twice examined and each time I was told that I had appendicitis and that an operation would be my only hope. I had fallen off until I only weighed ninety-eight pounds and was so weak I could hardly get around."

"I had no appetite at all scarcely, and what little I did eat would cause gas to form in my stomach which gave me palpitation of the heart, sick headaches and a dizzy feeling about the head. When these spells came on me I would get awfully nervous. I worried about myself until I could rest and sleep but little."

"I had fallen off until I was almost 'skin and bones,' and my strength and energy were slowly leaving me. I had a dread of the future and could see nothing but the operating table and the knife. I had a perfect horror of an operation, but I had made up my mind that it was either life or death, and prepared to submit to it. I had made all preparations for the operation and called on my sister to tell her good-by, as I did not know whether I would live to see her again or not. My sister begged and pleaded with me not to allow them to cut on me and told me to wait and try a good tonic for a while. The next day as I came from a consultation room I thought of what she said and as I had heard so much about Tanlac I decided to try it as a last resort and stopped at Gilbert's Drug Store and got a bottle. Of course, I had lost heart and had no faith in the medicine, but to please my sister I made up my mind to take it, and, oh, what a happy day that was for me!

"I never returned for the operation, but just kept taking the Tanlac. Right from the start I began to feel better. The medicine seemed to take hold right at once. It had a soothing effect, and in a few days I felt no pain at all. I was so happy over the great improvement in my condition that I sent for my neighbors to tell them how much better I felt. I sent and got another bottle of Tanlac, and have just finished taking my third bottle and feel like I have been made over again into a new woman."

"As I said before, I now weigh 125 pounds, and my improvement has been so rapid that none of my clothes are big enough for me. I will have to make them all over again. I now have a ravenous appetite, and my husband says I am simply eating him out of house and home. I have even gone back to my coffee, which I was told not to touch. Those terrible pains in my back and head have all disappeared and I sleep like a child. I am no longer nervous, and when I get up mornings I feel refreshed, cheerful and bright. I am now able to attend to my household duties,

and I feel as if I had started life all over again. My husband is delighted, and my recovery is the talk of the neighborhood. I do nothing but rejoice all day long over the recovery of my health and praise Tanlac to everybody."

"I feel so grateful for my escape from the operating table and the knife that you may publish what I have said; you may, if you wish, tell other women suffering as I was, to come and see me and I will be glad to tell them all about my case."

Tanlac is sold in Brady by the Jones Drug Co., and in Melvin by Oscar Sellers.

Phone or write us if you have cattle or hogs for sale. Hanson & Strickland.

Second hand Ford Cars for sale; also two other good cars for sale cheap. E. J. BROAD.

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.

Truly a Genius.

"Tommy," said the boy's mother, "ought to make a success in life. He shows great determination to stick to anything he undertakes."

"Does he?" queried the proud father.

"Yes she replied. "Why, he put in the whole day making soap bubbles and trying to tie strings to them."—New York Times.

The price of Hoosier Kitchen cabinets is not advancing although it is still the best cabinet in the world. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Having been poor is no shame, but being ashamed of it is.

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 6 to 14 days. The first application gives ease and rest. 50c.

Mistakes.

When a plumber makes a mistake he charges twice for it.

When a lawyer makes a mistake, it's just what he wanted, because he has a chance to try the case all over.

When a carpenter makes a mistake, it's just what he expected, because the chances are 10 to 1 he never learned his business.

When an electrician makes a mistake, he blames it on "induction" because nobody knows what that is.

When a doctor makes a mistake, he buries it.

When a judge makes a mistake, it becomes the law of the land.

When a preacher makes a mistake, nobody knows the difference.

But a salesman, he is different. He has to be careful. He cannot turn his mistakes into profit or into a profession, as other people do.

In fact, my boy, you've got to "go some" to be a salesman.

SPRAINS! RUB PAINS AND SWELLING AWAY.

Don't Suffer. Go About Your Duties—Relief Comes the Moment You Apply "St. Jacobs Oil."

Don't stay crippled! Rub this soothing, penetrating oil right into the sprain, ache or strain, and out comes pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling.

Nothing else penetrates, heals and strengthens the injured muscles, nerves, tendons and ligaments so promptly. It does not burn or discolor the skin and can not cause injury. Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store now—limber up! Rub the misery right out. A moment after "St. Jacobs Oil" is applied you can not feel the slightest pain or soreness, and you can go about your regular duties.

"St. Jacobs Oil" conquers pain. It has been used effectively for sprains, strains, soreness and stiffness for 60 years—six gold medal awards.

THE COUPON SYSTEM

In Paying for Ice Will Save You Time and Money

If you want to pay cash for your ice and buy a coupon book we allow a discount of 25c on a \$5.00 book, then you do not have to keep a lot of change in the house and each time the ice man comes drop your work and count out the amount. But with a coupon book you can keep the book near your refrigerator. The ice man delivers the ice, tears out amount of coupons due him and you are not interrupted.

When you pay the ice man this way always insist on his filling the receipt in the back of the book. This will be your protection against any mistakes.

MANN BROS. ICE CO. BRADY TEXAS

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED—A position as stenographer or as general help in office work. Miss Gertrude Schrier. 1104 Main Ave., Brownwood, Texas.

WANTED—Will pay good price for Flying Eagle copper cent, date 1856 in good state of preservation. No holed or plugged coins wanted. Will also buy large copper cents of certain dates. See editor The Brady Standard.

FOR RENT—4-room house. Apply to E. B. Ramsay.

FOR SALE—A good No. 5 Oliver typewriter, cheap. Easy terms. A. B. Carrithers.

FOR SALE—Piano in good condition for sale cheap. Phone 299.

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

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

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

FOR SALE—400 bales bright new oats straw. See C. W. L. Schaeg.

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.

REGISTERED JACK. J. T. H. Miller has purchased a mammoth Kentucky registered Jack. Will stand him at his barn, 8 miles west of Brady in Dodge community.

Farmers are all using the Six Shovel CULTIVATORS. I have lots of them. E. J. BROAD.

Money to Loan

We have \$150,000 to loan on McCulloch County Improved Farms at a reasonable rate of interest. No red tape—We have the money and want to loan it.

JORDAN & McCOLLUM

The Abstract People. Over Com. Nat'l. Bank, Brady, Texas

LOOK! Who's Back In the Game.

C. J. WELCH

Wants to paint or revarnish your car, and guarantees the same good work he has always given. See him at

C.W.L. Schaeg Old Stand

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System. The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROW'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

Two hundred and fifty bears were killed in Pennsylvania during the season just closed. This is a greater number than were killed in many of the Western states; eighteen bears were killed in Maine. —Ex.

Genuine Edison Mazda lamps. O. D. Mann & Sons.

An old letter recently rescued from the files of the United States Patent Office shows that in 1833 the head of that department wished to resign because he felt that the limit of human invention had been reached and there would be no further need of his services. Think of it, the limit of invention reached, and that was before the telegraph, telephone, electric light, the aeroplane, the motion picture, the X-Ray, the automobile, the linotype, the submarine and many other inventions.—Ex.

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

The bureau of Standards is hoping to establish a standard test for gasoline. Grades of gasoline vary so much, however, that while some simple test would benefit the user, such a result is hardly possible.

Hard on the Youngsters. The inventor of a new feeding bottle for infants sent out the following among his directions to mothers: "When the baby is done drinking it must be unscrewed and laid in a cool place under the hydrant. If the baby does not thrive on fresh milk, it should be boiled."—Ex.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Gifford*

Most Effective Remedy Mother Had Evr Used

**Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin
Relieves Baby When Other
Medicines Failed.**

There is nothing so necessary to a child's health and comfort as regularity of the bowels. All children are especially susceptible to stomach trouble and any overstrain of the sensitive organs has a tendency to obstruct elimination. This condition is responsible for much of the illness of childhood.

To relieve constipation a mild laxative should be employed. Cathartics and purgatives are violent in their action and should be avoided. Mrs. Alfred Du Bois, Mt. Holly, N. J. says Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is without doubt the most effective remedy for constipation she has ever used and that it is the only remedy she could find for her baby. Little Earl was badly constipated during his first year and nothing she tried seemed to help him until she got a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Now he is a fine, strong, healthy boy, and she thanks Dr. Caldwell for it.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, free



from opiates or narcotic drugs; it acts gently without griping or other discomfort, and appeals to children because of its pleasant taste. Druggists everywhere sell it for fifty cents a bottle, and every mother should have it in the house for use whenever occasion arises.

To avoid imitations and ineffective substitutes always be sure to ask for Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. See that a facsimile 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.

The fact that the submarine "Deutschland" before landing at Norfolk seems to have had mysterious communication with the tug "Timmins," which does not apparently carry wireless apparatus, suggests a method of submarine signaling which seems to be limited to German engineers. The Electrical World compares the current reports of the new contrivance to the sea oscillator of R. A. Fessenden, which resembles a huge polarized Bell telephone, and can transmit messages under water to a distance of some thirty miles.

We want to buy your cattle and hogs. Hanson & Strickland.

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

Matting and matting rugs and linoleum. O. D. Mann & Sons.

**MOTHER! GIVE CHILD
"SYRUP OF FIGS" IF
TONGUE IS COATED.**

**If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious,
Clean Little Liver and
Bowels.**

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child will simply not stop playing to empty the bowels and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleeper act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of California Syrup of Figs, and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Judge Joe A. Adkins returned from Dallas Sunday morning.

S. J. Striegler made a business trip to Dallas Sunday evening.

Miss Ida Mae Souther came in from Eden Sunday morning to visit home folks.

T. Stearnes, of Brownwood, was in the city on business Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jordan left Saturday night for Dallas where they will undergo treatment by a specialist.

Julius Levy and family made a pleasure trip to San Saba Sunday in their Studebaker. They report a rather pleasant trip.

Mrs. S. Goldwasser is in Brownwood this week visiting relatives and friends. She expects to return home within two weeks.

Prof. E. L. White left Sunday for Brownwood for the purpose of assisting in arranging program for the Mid-Texas Teacher's meeting.

Miss Ruth Babb spent Sunday in Santa Anna where she visited relatives and friends. The trip was made overland in an automobile.

Miss Loise Bradley has returned from the McKnight ranch, where she has been spending several days enjoying a visit and recreation.

Duke Marsden came over from Paint Rock Sunday to visit relatives here, and to spend a few days with his brother, Will, who has been quite ill.

Mrs. Henry Hodges, who has been visiting in Menard for the past several weeks returned home this week accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jordan left Sunday night for Dallas with their little daughter, Pauline, who will undergo an operation for an affection of the ear.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Yantis and family drove to Brownwood Sunday in their car to meet Mrs. George Yantis, who was called here from Amarillo on account of the serious illness of her father, J. L. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Winters returned yesterday morning from Stephenville, where they were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Winters, several days, and are at home to their friends at the residence of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Wall.

Mesdames H. H. Sessions and M. P. Wegner, who have been spending the past couple months at Corpus Christi, are expected to return tomorrow. All will be interested and pleased to learn that Mrs. Sessions is much improved in health, following her stay on the coast.

Messrs. C. A. Thornbloom and R. A. Johnson came over from Belton yesterday, the former to visit relatives and to renew old acquaintance, while the latter was a guest of his uncle, J. M. Johnson, and family. Mr. Thornbloom is now engaged in the garage business in Belton.

WHAT IS LAX-FOS

LAX-FOS is an improved Cascara (a tonic-laxative) pleasant to take. In LAX-FOS the Cascara is improved by the addition of certain harmless chemicals which increase the efficiency of the Cascara, making it better than ordinary Cascara. LAX-FOS is pleasant to take and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. Adapted to children as well as adults. Just try one bottle for constipation. 50c.

while Mr. John... one of the leading real estate men of that city.

Claud McClellan is in the city for a few days on business, and is incidentally greeting his many friends here. Claud has advanced to the position of traveling representative in the Dallas district for the Texas Company, working directly under the superintendent, and making his home in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Suhr arrived Sunday from Austin to spend a few days with the lady's father, J. S. Mayse. Mr. Mayse expects to accompany them, on their return to Austin today, to spend some time with them, and will incidentally try his hand at fishing in the San Antonio country. He will also visit his nephew in Waxahachie, relatives in Oklahoma, and may journey over to Tennessee to look up his brother and sisters, whom he has not seen in thirty odd years, before returning to Brady in the latter part of the summer.

The Magic Washing Stick.

We want the people of Brady to know that we positively guarantee that the Magic Washing Stick will in fact wash clothes without the use of a washboard or machine, thus saving all the hard work on washday. We will let you try the Magic Washing Stick five times at our risk and if at the end of that time you do not say it is the best thing you ever saw, we will give you your money back. Come and let us explain it to you. The Jones Drug Co., Brady, Texas.

We are making shipments every week, and are in the market for your cattle and hogs. Hanson & Strickland.

All kinds of lubricating oils. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The tones of the xylophone and the accordion are clearer than the notes of any other musical instruments when transmitted by wireless telephone, though the brass band also can clearly be heard by the listener.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has a well-regulated system of utilizing scrap material either by reclaiming the material or by selling it. The metal yard at Altoona, Pa., is the largest of "scrap headquarters." There the average accumulation per month is said to be about four thousand tons, every pound of which is weighed, inspected, sorted, and properly disposed of.

Industrial Progress.

The only sphinx ever made in America stands on the lawn of one of the residences of Blue Point, Long Island. This image weighs 42 tons, and is but one seventh the size of the Egyptian original. The sphinx was made of sand, iron scrap, and concrete. At the back of the image is an arched doorway leading into a circular room fitted with stone benches.

The sneezewood tree, a native of South Africa, yields a wood which is invaluable in building docks, piers, and jetties, for it remains unusually sound under water. Sneezewood is so bitter that even the worms refuse to have anything to do with it. Something in the make-up of this wood causes those who handle it to sneeze violently—hence its peculiar name.

A new museum devoted exclusively to the study of the American Indian is now being built at Broadway and 155th Street, New York City. The collection of specimens began in 1903 through the efforts of George G. Heye, of New York, plans and gifts of material and data have formed the nucleus of the institution and the basis for further investigation and exploration.

Since only the skin of the seal has any commercial value, the flesh of the animal is completely wasted. Those who have sampled it, say that seal meat is pleasant to the taste, and there seems to be no good reason why this wasted product may not become a food of real value in the United States.

As the result of a new process, the French have produced a light waterproof fabric from cork. A chemical bath removes the resinous part of the thin sliced cork, and when the substance has been rolled into a thin sheet, it is tough and flexible. Upon combining this leathery sheet with light, strong cloth, an excellent rainproof material is secured.

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

Returns from New York.

Dr. R. A. Lindley returned Saturday morning from New York city where he spent the past month taking a course in the treatment of pyorrhea. Incidentally the doctor visited his brother, Dr. H. W. Lindley, who has been practicing dentistry there since leaving Brady over two years ago. He also availed himself of the opportunity to contract for his supplies of chemicals and dyes, and reports having secured these in sufficient quantities to fill all orders for his chemical marking ink during the coming season. Last year he was obliged to refuse many large contracts because of his inability to secure materials.

Dr. Lindley has also perfected and is preparing to market a new blueing, which has proved to be superior to any now on the market. While in New York he visited a number of laundries and had thorough tests made of the blueing, in comparison with the best blueings now on the market. While others bleached the clothes and whitened them, compared with the results obtained through Dr. Lindley's product, the clothes looked dingy, while his blueing gave them an incomparable whiteness. The result was that he secured strong and enthusiastic endorsements of his blueing from four of the leading laundrymen of that city.

Returning, Dr. Lindley visited in Washington, D. C., and was one of the spectators who saw President Wilson officially elected. This privilege was had by courtesy of Congressman James L. Slayden, who procured admission for him to the joint session of the Senate and the House on last Wednesday, at which time the tellers chosen by these two bodies counted the electoral votes, and formally announced that Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey and Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana were declared to be elected president and vice-president respectively of the United States for the term beginning March 4, 1917. The Democratic candidates, it was announced, had received 277 electoral votes, while the Republican candidates, Charles E. Hughes of New York and Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana had 254 electoral votes.

Dr. Lindley speaks in terms of highest praise of the many courtesies extended him by Congressman Slayden, and says our congressman stands in universal favor in the Capitol City. Among other interesting sights was the "silent picketing" of the executive mansion by the advocates of woman's suffrage. Two of the suffragettes were stationed at the gate of the executive mansion holding aloft banners, one of which bore the phrasing "How Long, Mr. President Will We Have to Wait for Our Rights?"

Dr. Lindley says that he not only enjoyed the trip and stay in New York immensely, but that it has proven of immense benefit to him in that he will, in future, have no trouble in securing chemicals and dyes but will be enabled to purchase them at much lower prices than he ever thought possible.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

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

Fishing poles, fishing tackle, seines and minnow buckets. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Full stock of casings and inner tubes at Murphy's. Next to Standard office.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The condition of C. P. Gray, who is very ill with pneumonia, is reported as having taken a decided turn for the better Sunday, much to the gratification of his friends and family.

Will Marsten, who has been quite seriously ill, is reported somewhat improved, although he is still quite ill and very weak. It is hoped that he will soon recover his health and strength.

The many friends of the family are very much concerned over the illness of J. L. Jordan, who is suffering with enlargement of the heart and liver and a complication of ailments. His condition is reported as very serious.

Messrs. Abner Hanson and Ben Strickland have associated for the purpose of handling carload shipments of hogs and cattle. Mr. Hanson has been buying all during the past year and shipping with uniform success. So far this year he had, up to last Friday, shipped a total of 25 carloads of hogs and cattle to Fort Worth markets.

Mrs. Clara Millerkin returned Sunday morning from market, where she spent tendays selecting the spring and summer goods for the Popular Dry Goods Co. Mrs. Millerkin reports the markets loaded down with new goods of most attractive designing and coloring, and great throngs of buyers eager for the new goods, illustrating the peace and prosperity of the United States. Mrs. Millerkin made extensive purchases in all lines for the Popular store, and customers will be surprised and delighted at the great range of the new goods now being received at this store.

NO INDIGESTION, GAS, OR STOMACH MISERY IN FIVE MINUTES.

"Pape's Diapepsin" for Sour Acid Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapepsin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which does not agree with them or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

Farming implements at prices within reason. Let us show them to you. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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WISDOM FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

The present governor of North Carolina said something the other day to his constituents that may not become as famous as the observation which a certain predecessor of his is said to have made to the governor of South Carolina, but it was more forceful and contained a deal more of practical wisdom.

Here is what he said:

"If I were the czar of North Carolina instead of governor, I would issue an edict declaring that from and after five years from date any man who imported into North Carolina any corn or meal, wheat or flour, beef or bacon, should be forthwith hanged without trial by jury and without benefit of clergy. Of course, in the beginning I would be denounced as an infamous tyrant, but after the law had been in effect for ten years the richest state in the Union would build a monument to me as the financial redeemer of my people."

All of which is our idea of a mouthful. And what is more, it could be said with a great deal more of truth about Texas. If we could establish five years of universal safe farming, with every farmer raising his keep and having his money crops as clear surplus, the material wealth of the state would be increased to such a degree and more equitably distributed in such fashion that Texas would become the home of the happiest people under what the gentleman from Hill county is wont to describe as "the caniper of heaven."

The present legislature is doing many things which should assist materially in attaining this end. For one thing, it is providing a highway commission which, with the co-operation of the Federal government should supply Texas with a system of highways that will bring the city and the country closer together and do much to create community spirit in the rural districts. It is considering a compulsory tick eradication bill which in time should free the state entirely of the fever tick and thus promote, not only the livestock and dairy industries, but the growing of feed crops as well, and contribute generally to the cause of safe farming. A standard package bill, which should have the effect of raising the standard of all farm products and thus increase their

market value, is also on the calendar. A reclamation act and a constitutional amendment, are companion measures, together designed to reclaim swamp lands and provide ways and means of irrigating arid lands, are two other projects under consideration. A pure seed bill, designed to raise the standard of seed, and a number of other measures in the interest of agricultural development are to be passed upon, and all seem certain of passage.

In short, the legislature seems to recognize the needs of the hour and is tackling the big problems of the state with the proper spirit. But all the legislature could do in a generation would not be comparable with what two or three years of persistent effort on the part of the farmers themselves to institute a system of safe farming in the state could do. That "God helps those who help themselves" is an old saying and a true one, and it is true also that beneficial legislation, fertile soil, kindly climate and such help those who help themselves. The legislature has just created a West Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College which will work toward the solution of the peculiar agricultural problems of West Texas and the Panhandle, and the fitting of the next generation to cope with those problems. But even this will be of little worth unless the farmers themselves begin to get business sense enough to tackle the problem of making farming a safe, paying business. We agree, therefore, with the governor of North Carolina, and without casting any reflection upon our prohibition friends, we think that a realization of his wish as applied to Texas would do even more for the material, mental and moral welfare of the state than the ushering in of that day when it can be said with truth in this imperial commonwealth that "It's been a long time between drinks!"—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

\$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 thru 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. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Farmers! If you are in the market for a Planter or Cultivator, I have the most complete stock in West Texas. I can make you money by selling you either John Deere, Texas-Ohio or Canton Cultivators. I defy any one to meet my prices, and I will sell you one on Fall Time or good note. E. J. BROAD.

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

Don't sell your cattle and hogs without getting our bid. Hanson & Strickland.

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.

Tanks, well casing and everything from a first class tin shop. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Two shipments of Tanlac just received. Jones Drug Co.

Be at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let every new year find you a better man.

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

MRS. CHAS. PEDEN GAINS 27 POUNDS.

Twice Examined and each Time Told Operation Was Only Hope.

"I have just finished my third bottle of Tanlac and have gained twenty-seven pounds," was the truly remarkable statement made by Mrs. Charles Peden, residing at 550 Mill street, Huntsville, Ala. Mrs. Peden is one of the best known and highly respected women of that thriving little city, where she has made her home for a number of years.

"When I commenced taking the medicine," she continued, "I only weighed ninety-eight (98) pounds; now I weigh 125 pounds, and never felt better in my life. For years I have suffered with a bad form of stomach trouble, constipation and pains in my side and back. At times the pains took the form of torture and I was twice examined and each time I was told that I had appendicitis and that an operation would be my only hope. I had fallen off until I only weighed ninety-eight pounds and was so weak I could hardly get around."

"I had no appetite at all scarcely, and what little I did eat would cause gas to form in my stomach which gave me palpitation of the heart, sick headaches and a dizzy feeling about the head. When these spells came on me I would get awfully nervous. I worried about myself until I could rest and sleep but little."

"I had fallen off until I was almost 'skin and bones,' and my strength and energy were slowly leaving me. I had a dread of the future and could see nothing but the operating table and the knife. I had a perfect horror of an operation, but I had made up my mind that it was either life or death, and prepared to submit to it. I had made all preparations for the operation and called on my sister to tell her good-by, as I did not know whether I would live to see her again or not. My sister begged and plead with me not to allow them to cut on me and told me to wait and try a good tonic for a while. The next day as I came from a consultation room I thought of what she said and as I had heard so much about Tanlac I decided to try it as a last resort and stopped at Gilbert's Drug Store and got a bottle. Of course, I had lost heart and had no faith in the medicine, but I please my sister I made up my mind to take it, and, oh, what a happy day that was for me!

"I never returned for the operation, but just kept taking the Tanlac. Right from the start I began to feel better. The medicine seemed to take hold right at once. It had a soothing effect, and in a few days I felt no pain at all. I was so happy over the great improvement in my condition that I sent for my neighbors to tell them how much better I felt. I sent and got another bottle of Tanlac, and have just finished taking my third bottle and feel like I have been made over again into a new woman."

"As I said before, I now weigh 125 pounds, and my improvement has been so rapid that none of my clothes are big enough for me. I will have to make them all over again. I now have a ravenous appetite, and my husband says I am simply eating him out of house and home. I have even gone back to my coffee, which I was told not to touch. Those terrible pains in my back and head have all disappeared and I sleep like a child. I am no longer nervous, and when I get up mornings I feel refreshed, cheerful and bright. I am now able to attend to my household duties,

and I feel as if I had started life all over again. My husband is delighted, and my recovery is the talk of the neighborhood. I do nothing but rejoice all day long over the recovery of my health and praise Tanlac to everybody."

"I feel so grateful for my escape from the operating table and the knife that you may publish what I have said; you may, if you wish, tell other women suffering as I was, to come and see me and I will be glad to tell them all about my case."

Tanlac is sold in Brady by the Jones Drug Co., and in Melvin by Oscar Sellers.

Phone or write us if you have cattle or hogs for sale. Hanson & Strickland.

Second hand Ford Cars for sale; also two other good cars for sale cheap. E. J. BROAD.

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.

Truly a Genius.

"Tommy," said the boy's mother, "ought to make a success in life. He shows great determination to stick to anything he undertakes."

"Does he?" queried the proud father.

"Yes she replied. "Why, he put in the whole day making soap bubbles and trying to tie strings to them."—New York Times.

The price of Hoosier Kitchen cabinets is not advancing although it is still the best cabinet in the world. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Having been poor is no shame, but being ashamed of it is.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Your druggist will refund money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, bleeding or protruding piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives ease and rest. 50c.

Mistakes.

When a plumber makes a mistake he charges twice for it.

When a lawyer makes a mistake, it's just what he wanted, because he has a chance to try the case all over.

When a carpenter makes a mistake, it's just what he expected, because the chances are 10 to 1 he never learned his business.

When an electrician makes a mistake, he blames it on "induction" because nobody knows what that is.

When a doctor makes a mistake, he buries it.

When a judge makes a mistake, it becomes the law of the land.

When a preacher makes a mistake, nobody knows the difference.

But a salesman, he is different. He has to be careful. He cannot turn his mistakes into profit or into a profession, as other people do.

In fact, my boy, you've got to "go some" to be a salesman.

SPRAINS! RUB PAINS AND SWELLING AWAY.

Don't Suffer. Go About Your Duties—Relief Comes the Moment You Apply "St. Jacobs Oil."

Don't stay crippled! Rub this soothing, penetrating oil right into the sprain, ache or strain, and out comes pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling.

Nothing else penetrates, heals and strengthens the injured muscles, nerves, tendons and ligaments so promptly. It does not burn or discolor the skin and can not cause injury. Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store now—limber up! Rub the misery right out. A moment after "St. Jacobs Oil" is applied you can not feel the slightest pain or soreness, and you can go about your regular duties.

"St. Jacobs Oil" conquers pain. It has been used effectively for sprains, strains, soreness and stiffness for 60 years—six gold medal awards.

THE COUPON SYSTEM

In Paying for Ice Will Save You Time and Money

If you want to pay cash for your ice and buy a coupon book we allow a discount of 25c on a \$5.00 book, then you do not have to keep a lot of change in the house and each time the ice man comes drop your work and count out the amount. But with a coupon book you can keep the book near your refrigerator. The ice man delivers the ice, tears out amount of coupons due him and you are not interrupted.

When you pay the ice man this way always insist on his filling the receipt in the back of the book. This will be your protection against any mistakes.

MANN BROS. ICE CO.

BRADY TEXAS

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED—A position as stenographer or as general help in office work. Miss Gertrude Schrier, 1104 Main Ave., Brownwood, Texas.

WANTED—Will pay good price for Flying Eagle copper cent, date 1856 in good state of preservation. No holed or plugged coins wanted. Will also buy large copper cents of certain dates. See editor The Brady Standard.

FOR RENT—4-room house. Apply to E. B. Ramsay.

FOR SALE—A good No. 5 Oliver typewriter, cheap. Easy terms. A. B. Carrithers.

FOR SALE—Piano in good condition for sale cheap. Phone 299.

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

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

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

FOR SALE—400 bales bright new oats straw. See C. W. L. Schaeg.

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.

REGISTERED JACK. J. T. H. Miller has purchased a mammoth Kentucky registered Jack. Will stand him at his barn, 8 miles west of Brady in Dodge community.

Farmers are all using the Six Shovel CULTIVATORS. I have lots of them. E. J. BROAD.

Money to Loan

We have \$150,000 to loan on McCulloch County Improved Farms at a reasonable rate of interest. No red tape—We have the money and want to loan it.

JORDAN & McCOLLUM
The Abstract People.

Over Com. Nat'l. Bank, Brady, Texas

LOOK! Who's Back In the Game.

C. J. WELCH

Wants to paint or revarnish your car, and guarantees the same good work he has always given. See him at

G. W. L. Schaeg Old Stand

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System. The Old Standard general strengthening tonic. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

Two hundred and fifty bears were killed in Pennsylvania during the season just closed. This is a greater number than were killed in many of the Western states; eighteen bears were killed in Maine.—Ex.

Genuine Edison Mazda lamps. O. D. Mann & Sons.

An old letter recently rescued from the files of the United States Patent Office shows that in 1833 the head of that department wished to resign because he felt that the limit of human invention had been reached and there would be no further need of his services. Think of it, the limit of invention reached, and that was before the telegraph, telephone, electric light, the aeroplane, the motion picture, the X-Ray, the automobile, the linotype, the submarine and many other inventions.—Ex.

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

The bureau of Standards is hoping to establish a standard test for gasoline. Grades of gasoline vary so much, however that while some simple test would benefit the user, such a result is hardly possible.

Hard on the Youngsters. The inventor of a new feeding bottle for infants sent out the following among his directions to mothers: "When the baby is done drinking it must be uncrowded and laid in a cool place under the hydrant. If the baby does not thrive on fresh milk, it should be boiled."—Ex.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children

In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of

W. L. Stearns

Most Effective Remedy Mother Had Ever Used

**Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin
Relieves Baby When Other
Medicines Failed.**

There is nothing so necessary to a child's health and comfort as regularity of the bowels. All children are especially susceptible to stomach trouble and any overstrain of the sensitive organs has a tendency to obstruct elimination. This condition is responsible for much of the illness of childhood.

To relieve constipation a mild laxative should be employed. Cathartics and purgatives are violent in their action and should be avoided. Mrs. Alfred Du Bois, Mt. Holly, N. J. says Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is without doubt the most effective remedy for constipation she has ever used and that it is the only remedy she could find for her baby. Little Earl was badly constipated during his first year and nothing she tried seemed to help him until she got a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Now he is a fine, strong, healthy boy, and she thanks Dr. Caldwell for it.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, free



from opiates or narcotic drugs; it acts gently without griping or other discomfort, and appeals to children because of its pleasant taste. Druggists everywhere sell it for fifty cents a bottle, and every mother should have it in the house for use whenever occasion arises.

To avoid imitations and ineffective substitutes always be sure to ask for Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. See that a facsimile 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.

The fact that the submarine "Deutschland" before landing at Norfolk seems to have had mysterious communication with the tug "Timmins," which does not apparently carry wireless apparatus, suggests a method of submarine signaling which seems to be limited to German engineers. The Electrical World compares the current reports of the new contrivance to the sea oscillator of R. A. Fessenden, which resembles a huge polarized Bell telephone, and can transmit messages under water to a distance of some thirty miles.

We want to buy your cattle and hogs. Hanson & Strickland. Tires and inner tubes. Murphy, the auto accessories man. Next to Standard office.

Matting and matting rugs and linoleum. O. D. Mann & Sons.

**MOTHER! GIVE CHILD
"SYRUP OF FIGS" IF
TONGUE IS COATED.**

**If Cross, Feverish, Sick, Bilious,
Clean Little Liver and
Bowels.**

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely.

A child will simply not stop playing to empty the bowels and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little ones become cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleepor act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Judge Joe A. Adkins returned from Dallas Sunday morning.

S. J. Striegler made a business trip to Dallas Sunday evening.

Miss Ida Mae Souther came in from Eden Sunday morning to visit home folks.

T. Stearnes, of Brownwood, was in the city on business Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jordan left Saturday night for Dallas where they will undergo treatment by a specialist.

Julius Levy and family made a pleasure trip to San Saba Sunday in their Studebaker. They report a rather pleasant trip.

Mrs. S. Goldwasser is in Brownwood this week visiting relatives and friends. She expects to return home within two weeks.

Prof. E. L. White left Sunday for Brownwood for the purpose of assisting in arranging program for the Mid-Texas Teacher's meeting.

Miss Ruth Babb spent Sunday in Santa Anna where she visited relatives and friends. The trip was made overland in an automobile.

Miss Loise Bradley has returned from the McKnight ranch, where she has been spending several days enjoying a visit and recreation.

Duke Marsden came over from Paint Rock Sunday to visit relatives here, and to spend a few days with his brother, Will, who has been quite ill.

Mrs. Henry Hodges, who has been visiting in Menard for the past several weeks returned home this week accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jordan left Sunday night for Dallas with their little daughter, Pauline, who will undergo an operation for an affection of the ear.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Yantis and family drove to Brownwood Sunday in their car to meet Mrs. George Yantis, who was called here from Amarillo on account of the serious illness of her father, J. L. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Winters returned yesterday morning from Stephenville, where they were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Winters, several days, and are at home to their friends at the residence of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Wall.

Mesdames H. H. Sessions and M. P. Wegner, who have been spending the past couple months at Corpus Christi, are expected to return tomorrow. All will be interested and pleased to learn that Mrs. Sessions is much improved in health, following her stay on the coast.

Messrs. C. A. Thornbloom and R. A. Johnson came over from Belton yesterday, the former to visit relatives and to renew old acquaintance, while the latter was a guest of his uncle, J. M. Johnson, and family. Mr. Thornbloom is now engaged in the garage business in Belton.

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while Mr. John... one of the leading real estate men of that city.

Claud McClellan is in the city for a few days on business, and is incidentally greeting his many friends here. Claud has advanced to the position of traveling representative in the Dallas district for the Texas Company, working directly under the superintendent, and making his home in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Suhr arrived Sunday from Austin to spend a few days with the lady's father, J. S. Mayse. Mr. Mayse expects to accompany them, on their return to Austin today, to spend some time with them, and will incidentally try his hand at fishing in the San Antonio country. He will also visit his nephew in Waxahachie, relatives in Oklahoma, and may journey over to Tennessee to look up his brother and sisters, whom he has not seen in thirty odd years, before returning to Brady in the latter part of the summer.

The Magic Washing Stick.
We want the people of Brady to know that we positively guarantee that the Magic Washing Stick will in fact wash clothes without the use of a washboard or machine, thus saving all the hard work on washday. We will let you try the Magic Washing Stick five times at our risk and if at the end of that time you do not say it is the best thing you ever saw, we will give you your money back. Come and let us explain it to you. The Jones Drug Co., Brady, Texas.

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The tones of the xylophone and the accordion are clearer than the notes of any other musical instruments when transmitted by wireless telephone, though the brass band also can clearly be heard by the listener.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has a well-regulated system of utilizing scrap material either by reclaiming the material or by selling it. The metal yard at Altoona, Pa., is the largest "scrap headquarters." There the average accumulation per month is said to be about four thousand tons, every pound of which is weighed, inspected, sorted, and properly disposed of.

Industrial Progress.
The only sphinx ever made in America stands on the lawn of one of the residences of Blue Point, Long Island. This image weighs 42 tons, and is but one seventh the size of the Egyptian original. The sphinx was made of sand, iron scrap, and concrete. At the back of the image is an arched doorway leading into a circular room fitted with stone benches.

The sneezewood tree, a native of South Africa, yields a wood which is invaluable in building docks, piers, and jetties, for it remains unusually sound under water. Sneezewood is so bitter that even the worms refuse to have anything to do with it. Something in the make-up of this wood causes those who handle it to sneeze violently—hence its peculiar name.

A new museum devoted exclusively to the study of the American Indian is now being built at Broadway and 155th Street, New York City. The collection of specimens began in 1903 through the efforts of George G. Heye, of New York plans and gifts of material and data have formed the nucleus of the institution and the basis for further investigation and exploration.

Since only the skin of the seal has any commercial value, the flesh of the animal is completely wasted. Those who have sampled it, say that seal meat is pleasant to the taste, and there seems to be no good reason why this wasted product may not become a food of real value in the United States.

As the result of a new process, the French have produced a light waterproof fabric from cork. A chemical bath removes the resinous part of the thinly sliced cork, and when the substance has been rolled into a thin sheet, it is tough and flexible. Upon combining this leathery sheet with light, strong cloth, an excellent rainproof material is secured.

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Full stock of casings and inner tubes at Murphy's. Next to Standard office.

Returns from New York.

Dr. R. A. Lindley returned Saturday morning from New York city where he spent the past month taking a course in the treatment of pyorrhea. Incidentally the doctor visited his brother, Dr. H. W. Lindley, who has been practicing dentistry there since leaving Brady over two years ago. He also availed himself of the opportunity to contract for his supplies of chemicals and dyes, and reports having secured these in sufficient quantities to fill all orders for his chemical marking ink during the coming season. Last year he was obliged to refuse many large contracts because of his inability to secure materials.

Dr. Lindley has also perfected and is preparing to market a new blueing, which has proved to be superior to any now on the market. While in New York he visited a number of laundries and had thorough tests made of the blueing, in comparison with the best blueings now on the market. While others bleached the clothes and whitened them, compared with the results obtained through Dr. Lindley's product, the clothes looked dingy, while his blueing gave them an incomparable whiteness. The result was that he secured strong and enthusiastic endorsements of his blueing from four of the leading laundrymen of that city.

Returning, Dr. Lindley visited in Washington, D. C., and was one of the spectators who saw President Wilson officially elected. This privilege was had by courtesy of Congressman James L. Slayden, who procured admission for him to the joint session of the Senate and the House on last Wednesday, at which time the tellers chosen by these two bodies counted the electoral votes, and formally announced that Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey and Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana were declared to be elected president and vice-president respectively of the United States for the term beginning March 4, 1917. The Democratic candidates, it was announced, had received 277 electoral votes, while the Republican candidates, Charles E. Hughes of New York and Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana had 254 electoral votes.

Dr. Lindley speaks in terms of highest praise of the many courtesies extended him by Congressman Slayden, and says our congressman stands in universal favor in the Capitol City. Among other interesting sights was the "silent picketing" of the executive mansion by the advocates of woman's suffrage. Two of the suffragettes were stationed at the gate of the executive mansion holding aloft banners, one of which bore the phrasing "How Long, Mr. President Will We Have to Wait for Our Rights?"

Dr. Lindley says that he not only enjoyed the trip and stay in New York immensely, but that it has proven of immense benefit to him in that he will, in future, have no trouble in securing chemicals and dyes but will be enabled to purchase them at much lower prices than he ever thought possible.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

The condition of C. P. Gray, who is very ill with pneumonia, is reported as having taken a decided turn for the better Sunday, much to the gratification of his friends and family.

Will Marsden, who has been quite seriously ill, is reported somewhat improved, although he is still quite ill and very weak. It is hoped that he will soon recover his health and strength.

The many friends of the family are very much concerned over the illness of J. L. Jordan, who is suffering with enlargement of the heart and liver and a complication of ailments. His condition is reported as very serious.

Messrs. Abner Hanson and Ben Strickland have associated for the purpose of handling carload shipments of hogs and cattle. Mr. Hanson has been buying all during the past year and shipping with uniform success. So far this year he had, up to last Friday, shipped a total of 25 carloads of hogs and cattle to Fort Worth markets.

Mrs. Clara Millerkin returned Sunday morning from market, where she spent tondays selecting the spring and summer goods for the Popular Dry Goods Co. Mrs. Millerkin reports the markets loaded down with new goods of most attractive designing and coloring, and great throngs of buyers eager for the new goods, illustrating the peace and prosperity of the United States. Mrs. Millerkin made extensive purchases in all lines for the Popular store, and customers will be surprised and delighted at the great range of the new goods now being received at this store.

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 1912, Unknown, Lt 7, Blk 1, R&T A, Value \$25, Gen Fund 10c, Int and Snk Fund 2c, Pen 1c, Total 13c.
 1913, Unknown, Lt 7, Blk 1, R&T A, Value \$50, Gen Fund 20c, Pen 2c, Total 22c.
 1914, Unknown, Lt 7, Blk 1, R&T A, Value \$50, Gen Fund 21c, Int and Snk Fund 4c, Pen 2c, Total 27c.
 1912, Unknown, Lt 8, Blk 1, R&T A, Value \$25, Gen Fund 10c, Int and Snk Fund 2c, Pen 1c, Total 13c.
 1913, Unknown, Lt 8, Blk 1, R&T A, Value \$50, Gen Fund 20c, Pen 2c, Total 22c.
 1914, Unknown, Lt 11, Blk 2, R&T A, Value \$50, Gen Fund 21c, Int and Snk Fund 4c, Pen 2c, Total 27c.
 1914, Unknown, Lt 8, Blk 1, R&T A, Value \$50, Gen Fund 21c, Int and Snk Fund 4c, Pen 2c, Total 27c.
 1914, Unknown, Lt 12, Blk 2, R&T A, Value \$50, Gen Fund 21c, Int and Snk Fund 4c, Pen 2c, Total 27c.
 1910, Unknown, Lt 4, Blk 3, C&W A, Value \$150, Gen Fund 60c, Int and Snk Fund 15c, Pen 7c, Total 82c.
 1911, Unknown, Lt 2, Blk 13, C&W A, Value \$100, Gen Fund 42c, Int and Snk Fund 8c, Pen 5c, Total 55c.
 1912, Unknown, Lt 4, Blk 3, C&W A, Value \$60, Gen Fund 25c, Int and Snk Fund 5c, Pen 3c, Total 33c.
 1913, Unknown, Lt 4, Blk 3, C&W A, Value \$75, Gen Fund 30c, Pen 3c, Total 33c.
 1914, Unknown, Lt 4, Blk 3, C&W A, Value \$50, Gen Fund 21c, Int and Snk Fund 4c, Pen 2c, Total 27c.
 1911, Unknown, Lt 1, Blk 12, C&W A, Value \$100, Gen Fund 42c, Int and Snk Fund 8c, Pen 5c, Total 55c.
 1912, Unknown, Lt 1, Blk 12, C&W A, Value \$60, Gen Fund 25c, Int and Snk Fund 5c, Pen 3c, Total 33c.
 1910, Unknown, Lt 1, Blk 13, C&W A, Value \$100, Gen Fund 40c, Int and Snk Fund 10c, Pen 5c, Total 55c.
 1912, Unknown, Lt 1, Blk 13, C&W A, Value \$60, Gen Fund 25c, Int and Snk Fund 5c, Pen 3c, Total 33c.
 1910, Unknown, Lt 2, Blk 13, C&W A, Value \$100, Gen Fund 40c, Int and Snk Fund 10c, Pen 5c, Total 55c.
 1912, Unknown, Lt 2, Blk 13, C&W A, Value \$60, Gen Fund 25c, Int and Snk Fund 5c, Pen 3c, Total 33c.
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