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You will be both adding to your own comfort and helping in the conservation of leather by purchasing Low Quarters for wear during the summer, and saving your shoes for winter wear.

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Costs half—doubles mileage. No punctures, blowouts, slow leaks, repair bills, loss of time or worry. Guaranteed for three years. See BURT PRIDDY, at Murphy's Garage.

ORATION TO MASTER MASON'S MONDAY NIGHT BY REV. J. M. PERRY

Rev. J. M. Perry of San Angelo, one of the most ardent Masons of Texas, will deliver an oration at the Masonic hall Monday night, May 27, to Master Masons only. The event has been arranged in honor of the newly-made Master Masons, and the proceedings will begin promptly at 8:30 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended all Master Masons of surrounding lodges to attend.

HAIL INSURANCE.

Now is the time to get Hail Insurance on growing crops. See W. H. Ballou & Co., for particulars.

One week of Shoe Bargains. Popular Dry Goods Co.

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First Door East of Mann Brothers Tailor Shop, Brady, Texas.

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Special Table for ladies and gentlemen. Bring your family.

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Oats, Corn and Chops
Also the newest stock of Groceries—and our prices defy competition.

My stock is all new; I buy for cash and sell for cash—and you are assured of the best bargains when you buy here.

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Joe's Cash Grocery

JOE MYERS, Prop.

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LOCAL BOARD TO REGISTER BOYS 21, JUNE 5

The local exemption board of McCulloch county is in receipt of the following notice from the adjutant general's department at Austin, regarding the registration of boys becoming 21 since June 5th last year, and up to June 5th of this year:

"We have today received a telegram from General Crowder announcing that Congress has passed the Act providing for the registration of men who have become twenty-one years of age since June 5th, last, and further advising that a proclamation by the President will be issued shortly, naming June 5th, 1918, as the day of registration. General Crowder requests that the widest publicity be given to the fact that all men who have attained the age of twenty-one since June 5th, 1917, will be required to register on the day mentioned, and you are requested personally to see that each local newspaper in your county publishes this fact. The press can assist us very materially in notifying each young man, who is subject to registration and I feel sure that the press will co-operate with us to the fullest extent.

"Every person of the designated age (with certain exceptions to be defined in the President's proclamation and regulations) will be required to register under the supervision of the local board having jurisdiction of the area in which he permanently resides."

The local board announces that all men coming under the above call will report to the local board at its offices over Jones Drug Co., on June 5th for registration. According to statistics compiled by federal authorities it is anticipated that the registrations on June 5th will total about 10 per cent of the entire registrations had on June 5th last year. Accordingly it is anticipated that something over 90 boys will be registered here on the 5th of next month.

The local board has all their arrangements completed to handle the registrations in as short a time as possible, and to make their report to the federal authorities at the earliest moment. Local attorneys and other patriotic individuals will assist them in their work.

All boys who have or will become of age between the periods of June 5, 1917, and June 5, 1918, are earnestly requested to take notice of the date, time and place of registration, so that they may not lay themselves liable by neglecting to report.

How about your Sox? When you buy hose, don't just buy any kind because Phoenix Hose don't cost any more and wear twice as long. Both for men and women. Kirk, Nuf-Sed, Agent. One week of Shoe Bargains. Popular Dry Goods Co.

PROTECTION FOR CROPS.

There is no surer protection for growing crops than Hail Insurance. Let us write your policy for Hail Insurance. W. H. Ballou & Co.

BIG RED CROSS RALLY IN BRADY SUNDAY AF'NOON

McCulloch county must put forth every effort between now and Monday night, May 27th, if she would reach her allotted quota of \$7,500 in the Red Cross drive, according to W. D. Crothers, chairman of the McCulloch County Red Cross War fund. Up to Thursday McCulloch's total had only reached \$2,800, and renewed efforts must be put forth in every part of the county to bring McCulloch county up over the top. The committees are daily going out to the various communities where local committees are set to work with a certain quota to raise in order that the total may be correctly apportioned over the county. Some of these committees have been turning in excellent reports, while others have some not so good.

In order that the people of McCulloch county may be thoroughly aroused to the need of every man doing his full share, a big Red Cross rally will be held in Brady on the court house lawn on Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Not only are the people of Brady invited but every citizen of McCulloch is invited—in fact is urged to attend. Hon. G. N. Harrison and Hon. C. L. McCartney of Brownwood, two of the ablest speakers in this section have been asked and it is expected will respond to a request to address the citizens upon that occasion.

As will be noted from the following, McCulloch county does not show up favorably in her report as compared with the other counties in this district, although her quota is one of the highest.

Four of the counties in this district reported their quota subscribed, according to district representative F. W. Greber of Brownwood. These counties are:

Comanche county	\$5,482
San Saba county	3,362
Lampasas county	5,396
Mills county	4,224

The reports from other counties show that the following subscriptions have been reported:

Coleman county	\$ 8,600
Brown county	10,144
McCulloch county	2,800

Food Conservation Demonstration.

The last of the series of food demonstrations held during the past four or five weeks was given on Friday and Saturday of last week by the ladies of the Methodist church at O. D. Mann and Sons' store. Not only did the ladies have a splendid display of wheatless food products, but the menu they presented was a most attractive and appetizing one. The use of the large show window at the Mann store also enabled them to display various substitutes and food especially recommended by the government for use in the homes of all loyal citizens.

Altogether the series of five demonstrations held by the various churches of Brady have been not only interesting, but very instructive as well, and have excited a general interest and sympathy in the food conservation program advocated by Mr. Hoover, and generally adopted everywhere in the United States.

Announcement

To All Cylinder Edison Owners

We have just received the largest shipment of Amberola Records since opening the Edison store. All the latest songs and dances, including military lists.

B. L. Malone & Co.

Edison Dealers

More new Waists, Ladies, come and get pick of the lot. Popular Dry Goods Co.

When you need Underwear go to Kirk's. Nuf-Sed.

Library Tables, ranging in price from \$6.00 to \$17.50. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Gold medal Camp Cots. O. D. Mann & Sons.

We Must Eat 70 Per Cent More Potatoes

in the next two months than we have in the past two month. Millions of pounds of potatoes going to rot and ruin, while thousands of women and children starve in Belgium and France. We must eat more potatoes, if we help win the war. Eighty different ways to cook potatoes. Eat more potatoes.

Jones Drug Co., Inc.

Retail Store

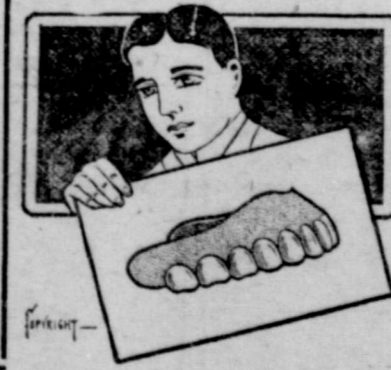
C. A. Trigg, Manager

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Gold Crown, 22k	- - -	\$5.00
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Congressional \$15.00
District 10.00
County 7.50
Precinct 5.00

Fees do not include subscription to The Brady Standard.

The Standard is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:

- For District Clerk:
P. A. (Pete) CAMPBELL
T. J. KING
- For County Judge:
EVANS J. ADKINS
ABNER HANSON.
- For County Tax Collector:
ARTHUR L. NEAL
S. H. MAYO, (re-election)
- For County Superintendent:
W. M. (Marion) DEANS
- For County Sheriff:
J. C. (Jim) WALL
E. H. ELLIOTT
- For County Clerk:
W. J. YANTIS
- For County Treasurer:
JUNE COORPENDER
- For County Tax Assessor:
H. R. HODGES
CHAS. SAMUELSON
- For County Attorney:
E. P. LEA
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1:
W. M. BRYSON
G. A. BOYD
HENRY MILLER
L. M. PARKER
- For Public Weigher, Prec. 1:
J. U. SILVERS
J. F. TINDEL
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:
R. L. BURNS
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:
J. M. CARROLL
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4:
H. E. McBRIDE
- For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1:
N. G. LYLE

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Carter's Inks—every kind—every color. Writing ink, fountain pen ink, rubber stamp ink, check writer ink, show card ink, indelible ink. At The Brady Standard.



THE BLIND AND THE MUTILATED

By Dr. ESTHER LOVEJOY

IN the years to come this war will prove a blessing to the blind. A new world is being evolved. Nature has at least one extraordinary sense in reserve for those who lose any of the five ordinary senses. The blind feel things that are not within reach. They are conscious of vibrations that are not perceptible to seeing men.

The sightless learn to read very quickly by the Braille method. It is interesting to watch the face of a blind man as his fingers pass over the upraised dots of a Braille book and his mind perceives the mysteries recorded there for him. They have special stenographic machines and special printing presses. Books and magazines are translated into the written language of the sightless.

Men blinded in battle are acquiring great skill in the textile arts, as moulders, and in other industries where a highly developed sense of touch is essential to good work.

The higher type of blind men have great personal charm. Their souls seem nearer the surface. They are peculiarly beloved people, and their clairvoyance makes them conscious of the kindness and affection with which they are regarded. Naturally they react to it. Perhaps that is why they usually seem so happy and cheerful.

Unfortunately there are forms of mutilation which have the opposite effect. When a man knows that he is repulsive to every man, woman and child who looks upon him; when he shrinks from the reflection of his own disfigured face in the mirror, and shudders at the strange sound of his own voice, he wants to die.

A great deal is being done for these mutilated men. They are being refitted with arms and legs. Plastic surgery is doing its part, too, in the way of restoring palates, teeth and facial contour, and the American Red Cross in Paris is attempting to make life more livable for them by providing masks which restore their original features. They will be useful members of society, but the soul of man craves more than service. Life and liberty are precious possessions, but the pursuit of happiness is the dearest right of man. We are all alike. We want to go through life with the sweet illusion that the blue bird of happiness is just within reach, and this illusion is almost impossible to the disfigured man.

It is the sacred duty of all those who have been benefited by their sacrifice to leave nothing undone to restore their usefulness; to employ every art to increase their mental and physical powers and the charm of personalities, to the end that their lives may be enriched rather than impoverished by the fortunes of war.

How Would You Get Rid Of Miles of Barbed Wire?

One of the Many Problems the Red Cross Has to Meet.

Have you ever thought what strange and baffling problems must come up to the Red Cross workers when they start out to rebuild a French town—just the problem of the barbed wire, for instance? This letter tells it: "We have nearly every day about half a dozen German prisoners working amongst us, who are escorted in to work in the morning by a poltu and called for in the evening. They appear quite harmless, but we have too many evidences all around us to prove that their race is quite to the contrary. "You should see the barbed wire—miles and miles of it. How any one could ever get through it, let alone under fire, is beyond me. It's usually

colled and stretched around iron stakes or crosses about four feet long, and the whole thing makes a waist high mass sometimes 15 or 20 feet wide. There are really acres of it around here, and when you think how many strips of it there are, stretching from Belgium to Switzerland—why, it's going to be a real problem after the war to get it all up and out of the way. I bet a lot of people walk into it through the snow this winter. "We came across unexploded shells now and then and hand grenades of various shapes and sizes also; but, believe me, we leave them alone. There are four on the wall in our back yard and several in a field near by."

The Red Cross Answers

By THEODOSIA GARRISON
Of the Vigilantes.

Dear God, to leave this sheltered place wherefrom I may not go To give my service to a world torn through with war and woe, To heal the wounds of broken men, to mend the shattered mind, To lend my hands unto the maimed, my eyes unto the blind; To give a woman back her man from out the very dead— "But I will do this for you," said the great Cross of Red.

Nay, but there are little towns that once were white and fair Now burned and bleak and desolate 'mid blackened fields and bare; If I might bring its people back to find there as before The staunch roof, the decent hearth, the vines about the door; If I might lift a frightened child and leave it comforted— "But I will do this for you," said the great Cross of Red.

"You may heal the wounded and you may guide the blind, You may bring new comfort and joy to humankind, If so within your sheltered place you give me for your part The strength within your two hands, the pity at your heart; Through you, from you, of you I am, by your own heart-strings led, I fall but if you fall me"—said the great Cross of Red.

IN THE MATTER OF THE QUARTERLY REPORT OF JUNE COORPENDER, TREASURER, McCULLOCH COUNTY, TEXAS.

In the Commissioners' Court, McCulloch county, Texas, May Term A. D., 1918. On this, the 13th day of May, A. D., 1918, in regular quarterly session of the Commissioners' Court of McCulloch County, Texas, came on for examination the quarterly report of June Coorpende, treasurer of McCulloch County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 25th day of February, A. D., 1918, and ending on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1918, filed herein on the 14th day of May, A. D., 1918, and the same having been compared and examined by the court, and found to be correct.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the same be and is hereby approved, and it appearing to the Court that during said time the said County Treasurer had received for account and credit of, and paid out of each of the several County funds, the amount set forth, and leaving balance to each of said funds as follows, to-wit:

Received for account and credit of Jury Fund the sum of	\$ 1,763.09
Paid out and disbursed out of said Jury Fund the sum of	21.40
Leaving and showing to credit of said Jury Fund on May 13, A. D., 1918, a balance of	1,741.69
Received for account and credit of Road and Bridge Fund the sum of	17,028.84
Paid out and disbursed out of said Road and Bridge Fund the sum of	4,628.13
Leaving and showing to credit of said Road and Bridge Fund on 13th day of May, A. D., 1918, a balance of	12,400.71
Received for account and credit of General Fund the sum of	16,900.81
Paid out and disbursed out of said General Fund the sum of	2,697.52
Leaving and showing to credit of said General Fund on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1918, a balance of	14,203.29
Received for account and credit of Special Road Tax Fund the sum of	7,815.99
Paid out and disbursed out of said Special Road Tax Fund the sum of	6,628.12
Leaving and showing to the credit of said Special Road Tax Fund on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1918, a balance of	1,187.87
Received for account and credit of C. H. Bond interest Fund the sum of	6,671.30
Paid out and disbursed out of said C. H. Bond interest Fund the sum of	638.06
Leaving and showing to the credit of said C. H. Bond interest Fund on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1918, a balance of	6,033.24
Received for account of New B. B. Interest and Sinking Fund the sum of	9,853.63
Paid out and disbursed out of said New B. B. Interest and Sinking Fund the sum of	1,092.08
Leaving and showing to the credit of said New B. B. Interest and Sinking Fund on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1918, a balance of	8,761.55
Received for account and credit of Road District No. 1 Interest and Sinking Fund the sum of	14,084.53
Paid out and disbursed out of said Road District No. 1 Interest and Sinking Fund the sum of	1,902.85
Leaving and showing to the credit of said Road District No. 1 Interest and Sinking Fund on the 13th day of May, A. D., 1918, a balance of	12,181.68
Received for account and credit of Road District No. 1 Available Fund the sum of	563.70
Leaving and showing to the credit of said Road District No. 1 Available Fund the sum of	563.70
Received for account and credit of State Highway Fund the sum of	3,828.32
Paid out and disbursed out of said State Highway Fund the sum of	30.90
Leaving and showing to the credit of said State Highway Fund on the 13th day of May, 1918, the sum of	3,797.42

And that said amounts were received and paid out of each of the respective funds since the filing of the preceding quarterly report of said County Treasurer; and during the period above stated, and that the said separate amounts as therein shown are correct. It is therefore further ordered by the Court, that the said detailed report be and the same is hereby, in all things approved, and the Clerk of the Court is hereby ordered to enter the said report, together with this order, upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of McCulloch County, Texas, and that the proper credits be made in accounts of said County Treasurer in accordance with this order.

Witness our hands this 14th day of May, A. D., 1918.

J. E. BROWN, County Judge.
CHAS. SAMUELSON, Commissioner, Prec. No. 1.
R. L. BURNS, Commissioner, Prec. No. 2.
J. M. CARROLL, Commissioner, Prec. No. 3.
H. E. McBRIDE, Commissioner, Prec. No. 4.

Notice of Leasing Minors Lands for Oil and Gas.

Notice is hereby given that I, Mrs. Agnes Webb, temporary guardian of the estates of James A. Webb and Frank Webb, Jr., minors, have this day filed my application in cause No. 324 in the Probate Court in and for McCulloch county, Texas, for an order of the County Judge of McCulloch county, Texas, authorizing me as guardian of the estates of said wards to make mineral leases upon such terms as the court may order and direct of the following described real estate belonging to estate of the minor, James A. Webb, to-wit: 160 acres, more or less, situated in McCulloch county, Texas, the southeast quarter of State School Survey No. 290, Cert. No. 33-3348, Abstract No. 2233, filed on by and patented to J. M. Jonas, by patent No. 299, Vol. 29, and being the same land conveyed to said minor, James A. Webb by his father, Frank Webb, Sr., on January 31, 1917, by deed of that date recorded in Vol. 38, page 209, deed records of McCulloch county, Texas; and also to lease for such purposes the following described real estate belonging to the estate of the minor, Frank Webb, Jr., to-wit: 160 acres of land, situated in McCulloch county, Texas, being the northeast quarter of H. & T. C. R. Co. Survey No. 293, Abstract No. 740, Certificate No. 33-3349, patented to said Railway Company by patent No. 260, Vol. 44, and being the same land conveyed to Frank Webb, Jr., by his father, Frank Webb, Sr., on the 31st day of January, 1917, by deed of that date recorded in Volume 38, page 210, deed records of McCulloch county, Texas; said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in the city of Brady, Texas, on the 1st day of June, A. D., 1918.

MRS. AGNES WEBB,
Temporary Guardian of Estates of James A. Webb and Frank Webb, Jr., minors.

Mrs. Hampton Dead.
Mrs. Martha Carline Hampton, wife of W. J. Hampton, former resident of McCulloch county, passed away at her home in El Dorado, Texas, Friday, May 17th, at 5:05 a. m. She had been in failing health for several months, the last two weeks she suffered all that mortal could, and death came as a relief to her. She leaves a husband and fourteen children, eight daughters and six sons. Two of the boys, Wade and Duke, are in the U. S. navy, on board ships in the Atlantic fleet, and were unable to be with their mother at time of her death, all the other children being present. Mrs. C. M. Owen of this place, Mrs. O. W. Carroll of Lohn, Mrs. W. D. Price of Rochelle, Mrs. B. L. Isaacs of El Dorado, Mrs. L. J. Shuzart of Kaffir, Mrs. J. C. Myrick of El Dorado, Misses Lou Ella and Loye Fay of Dallas, Monta and Guy of Dallas, Leonard and Rex of El Dorado.

Two new ensilage cutters at the old price.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

10,000 ACRES NEAR MENARD LEASED FOR OIL DEVELOPMENT

Ten thousand acres of ranch land in adjoining tracts north of Menard have been leased by William Bevans, Ed Mears, Joe Decker, H. A. Murchison and others of Menard to Harrison, Ladd & Huber of Oklahoma City for oil and gas development purposes. The contracts, signed only a few days ago, specify that the sinking of a 3,000 foot test well be started within six months. This was information obtained in San Angelo Thursday by William Bevans, Menard ranchman. Several thousand acres of Menard county land have been leased to oil men, according to Mr. Bevans. Irve Ellis has leased 20,000 acres, located fifteen miles south of Menard, to Harrison, Ladd & Huber, with the agreement that two wells are to be started within a half year. These wells will not be as deep as the one to be drilled on the property owned by Mr. Bevans and his associates.—San Angelo Standard.

All the news all the time. The Brady Standard.

Nothing Missed.
They arrived hurriedly at the fifth inning. "What's the score, Jim?" he asked a fan. "Nothing to nothing," was the reply. "Oh, goody!" she exclaimed. "We haven't missed a thing!"—Life.

"A SPLENDID TONIC"

Says Hixson Lady Who, On Doctor's Advice, Took Cardui And Is Now Well.

Hixson, Tenn.—"About 10 years ago I was..." says Mrs. J. B. Gadd, of this place. "I suffered with a pain in my left side, could not sleep at night with this pain, always in the left side..."

My doctor told me to use Cardui. I took one bottle, which helped me and after my baby came, I was stronger and better, but the pain was still there.

I at first let it go, but began to get weak and in a run-down condition, so I decided to try some more Cardui, which I did. This last Cardui which I took made me much better, in fact, cured me. It has been a number of years, still I have no return of this trouble.

I feel it was Cardui that cured me, and I recommend it as a splendid female tonic.

Don't allow yourself to become weak and run-down with womanly troubles. Take Cardui. It will surely help you, as it has helped thousands of other women in the past 40 years. Headache, backache, sideache, nervousness, sleeplessness, tired-out feeling, are all signs of womanly trouble. Other women get relief by taking Cardui. Why not you? All druggists.

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And you will have no more tire trouble for such a long time you will almost have forgotten what tire troubles are.

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GASOLINE, OIL AND GREASE

just remember that no place in Brady is better prepared to serve you nor none have better grades of all necessities, than

BRADY AUTO CO.

B. A. Hallum, Mgr.
N. Bridge St., Brady

Red Cross Drive May 20 to 27

A Thought for the Mother

CONSTIPATION makes children uncomfortable, cross and irritable, just as it does older people. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a mild, pleasant tasting combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, that acts easily and naturally and promotes normal regularity. Children like it and take it willingly. It contains no opiate or narcotic drug.

Druggists Sell
Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin
50 cts. (two sizes) \$1.00

A trial bottle can be obtained, free of charge, by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 457 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

COW CREEK CALLINGS

Baum-Cornils Wedding—Will Be at Home in Wichita Falls.

Editor Brady Standard: Lohm, Texas, May 20.—Misses Maggie Petty and Arebell Harrison went to Lohm Tuesday.

Born, a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Will Haines Friday, May 17th.

J. F. Moore and P. C. Clifton were Brady visitors Wednesday.

Several of the Creek folks dipped their cattle Saturday.

Ernest Cornils attended the dance at Mr. Tetens Friday night.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nixon's has been sick this week.

Mrs. Frank Shield and little daughter, Anna Leigh, of Millersview, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Killingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smart of Pasche visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Tom Mitchell and daughters, Misses Ethel and Gay of Fife called at the Killingsworth home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Elizabeth Cornils came in on Monday from Cisco where she attended school the past term.

On the morning of May 20th, Miss Marie Cornils, accompanied by her sisters, brother, and Miss Mary V. Plummer, met at the Union station her fiancé, Mr. C. L. Baum, who arrived on the morning Frisco.

From there they drove to the Presbyterian manse where they were united in marriage by Rev. Jones. Immediately after the ceremony they drove to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Cornils, where the wedding dinner was served.

The couple left on the night train, being accompanied by the family, Miss Mary V. Plummer and Messrs. Joe and Tom Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Baum will visit Waco and other southern points. They will be at home to their friends in Wichita Falls after June 1st, where Mr. Baum is engaged in the drug business.

LITTLE WILLIE

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's.

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless 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. 60 cents.

You'll be surprised at Shirt prices later. Better stock a few now while I have a lot at the old prices. Kirk, of Course! Nuf-Sed.

Perfection Oil Stoves.
O. D. Mann & Sons.
Macy & Co., have a full stock of cane seed.

HYDRAULIC PRESS.
We have this week had our new 200-ton hydraulic press for truck tires installed, and are now in position to re-fit your truck with new tires. Save your truck or trailer from unnecessary hard wear by keeping them well tired—it's money in your pocket.

BRADY AUTO CO.

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.

Combination Offer.

One Year's subscription to each The Temple Telegram and The Brady Standard for only \$4.50 per year. The Telegram is the only paper published in Texas reaching Brady the same day as date of publication—no pre-dated issues.

NEWSY ROCHELLE

Good Showing Oil in Slush at Crews Well—R. C. Sheep Bring \$110.

Editor Brady Standard: Rochelle, Texas, May 21.—The Southwestern Petroleum Oil Co., of Tulsa, Okla., who are operating a well one mile south of Rochelle, are placing and replacing the casing this week. The packer failed to do the work, so another packer has been ordered. Quite a lot of on-lookers are at the well each day. Sunday afternoon a large crowd was present and the "slush" brought up from the well showed an immense quantity of oil.

Russell Doran and family of San Angelo passed through enroute to San Saba to visit relatives.

The Great Eastern Oil company of Tulsa, Okla., began operating last Wednesday on the Baker ranch, three miles northeast of here. They are at a depth of one hundred feet.

The Frisco E. R. Co., have their rig here and will begin a well this week near the depot. This is only for watering purposes.

Mrs. J. P. Waddell and son, Ottis, went to Richland Springs last Sunday, guests of relatives and friends.

Tom Heath and family came Sunday from Miles to visit relatives and friends here.

Miss Xora Doran came in Sunday from Winters, and is guest of relatives and friends.

W. F. Rankins and John Humphrey went to Brownwood Tuesday of this week.

J. B. Miller was up from Richland Springs Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. D. Epley of Fort Worth is here visiting relatives and friends.

Bacon Matlock went to Holt this week, looking after their farming interests at that place.

Earl Haddow left Tuesday for Ft. Worth to visit his brother, Paul, in the training camp stationed at Camp Bowie.

Quiet a little patriotism was shown in our town on last Saturday afternoon when a sheep, presented to the Red Cross by Kid Jeffers, was auctioned off. Fifteen dollars was the largest personal offer given. A company of several persons gave the sum of thirty dollars. The total given was one hundred and ten dollars.

J. C. Renfro and son, Willard, was over from Menard last Wednesday.

Jerry Williamson came in last week from May to visit home folks here.

Alvie and Emmitt Hall left last Wednesday for San Antonio after several days furlough here with home folks.

Mrs. Alvin Neal went to Ft. Worth last week, guest of her sister, Mrs. D. Epley at that place.

Prof. Ernest Keeling was over from Brady this week in interest of the Young Men's Business League at Brady.

Other Williams and Miss Minnie Boyd were with those who attended the show at Brady Saturday night.

Aaron Yeager and wife of Brownwood were guests last week of relatives and friends here.

When you need Underwear go to Kirk's. Nuf-Sed.

Old Reliable Bill Planters.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

Cause of Headache.

By knowing the cause, a disease may often be avoided. This is particularly true of headache. The most common cause of headache is a disordered stomach or constipation, which may be corrected by taking a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets. Try it. Many others have obtained permanent relief by taking these Tablets. They are easy to take and mild and gentle in effect.

STACY HAPPENINGS

Red Cross Auxiliary a Live Organization and Doing Good Work.

Editor Brady Standard: Stacy, Texas, May 19.—Stacy people are rejoicing over the splendid rain which fell here Thursday night. Much benefit will be derived by this rain, as it will bring up all the crops that has been planted and will enable the farmers to finish planting. Quite a number have cotton and feed up from the rain the week before.

The river has had an eight foot rise since the rain. Quite a number were lucky enough to catch a number of large fish, which came to the bank on account of the muddy water.

Stacy Red Cross workers entertained quite a number with a dance Tuesday night. Most of all the communities were represented and a most enjoyable time was spent by those in attendance. \$43.75 was made for the Red Cross after music funds and other expenses were paid. Two cakes were sold for \$15.00. Stacy has some live wire Red Cross workers and lots of things have been made here. Some time we will give an account of the garments made by this auxiliary.

Would very much like to hear of a report from some of the other communities on Red Cross work.

Miss Bessie Burrow, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Ward, left the latter part of the week for Cleburne where she will visit for some time.

Miller Hammons is here this week visiting relatives. Miller has been at Orange, Texas, the past winter where he has had some cattle on pasture.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis has been enjoying visit from the former's sister the past week. Miss Lavada Davis returned home with her for a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. Pink Hinds and little daughter are visiting relatives at Post this week.

SUNFLOWER

For a Sprained Ankle.

As soon as possible after the injury is received get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and follow the plain printed directions which accompany the bottle.

Invoice Files. The Brady Standard.

United States Tires are Good Tires

Tire-buying Economy

Your car must give greater service this year than ever before. It speeds up your work—increases your working power. The highest car economy lies in utmost service. The most economical tires are those which will give you greatest use of your car. That's just what United States Tires will do for you. You can depend on them for continuous service—most mileage at lowest mileage cost. Equip with United States Tires. Our nearest Sales and Service Depot dealer will be glad to assist you in selection.

Chain Tread

Capital Stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits	\$28,565.33
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	5,290.07
Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
Net amounts due to National banks	5,276.35
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in Items 13, 14 and 15)	4,104.27
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than included in Items 13, 14 and 15	590.70
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	1,108.59
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
Total	\$473,884.31

MOUNT TABOR TATTLES

Hall-Wilson Nuptials—Red Cross Picnic May 25th.

Editor Brady Standard: Fredonia, Texas, May 20.—Crops greet these parts are looking very good with the present time. Everybody seems busy as a bee.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Sunday evening at 3:30 o'clock with their at the home of the bride, when Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hirm spot in Camp Bowie, were united in wedlock.

The parlor was decorated with evergreens and Old Glory waved gracefully over the soldier boy's head while he took unto himself a most charming and lovely helpmate. They will visit here till his furlough is up and then return to Fort Worth for the present. We wish for them all happiness and good luck.

Well, our picnic we have been telling you about will sure enough be pulled off on May 25th, so come one, come all.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bratton have gone to Cherokee and will bring back their son, Van, who has been attending school at that place.

Jim Williams and wife, Mrs. Mollie Hays and children, and Miss Annie Williams made a trip to Brady today.

Mrs. C. H. Longley and Miss Lillian Hill attended the school entertainment at Pontotoc Friday night.

Oscar Hill and Willie Porch went among the finny tribe Saturday night and report good luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kyzar of Union Band visited at C. H. Longley's Saturday and Sunday.

Letter Files. The Brady Standard.

TIME IS THE TEST.

The Testimony of Brady People Stands the Test.

The test of time is what tells the tale. The public soon finds out when misrepresentations are made, and merit alone will stand the test of time.

Brady people appreciate merit, and many months ago local citizens publicly endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills; they do so still. Would a citizen make the statement which follows unless convinced that the article was just as represented? Below is testimony such as the sufferer from kidney illness is looking for.

Mrs. B. P. Brown, Brady, says: "My back ached a great deal especially when I was on my feet or after over-exertion. My kidneys didn't act right at all. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, bought at the Central Drug Store, soon cured me of these troubles."

OVER THREE YEARS LATER. Mrs. Brown said: "I haven't had any return of kidney complaint since using Doan's Kidney Pills. I still recommend this medicine very highly."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Brown had twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Manufacturers, Buffalo, N. Y.

PECKS ON OTHER BANKS IN THE SAME CITY OR TOWN AS REPORTING BANK (OTHER THAN ITEM 17)

Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)	590.70
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	1,108.59
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
Total	\$473,884.31

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits	\$28,565.33
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	5,290.07
Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
Net amounts due to National banks	5,276.35
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies (other than included in Items 31 or 32)	3,453.34
A number of our undivided items 31 or 32	270,179.36
Red Cross dance as subject to check	1,600.00
The young people enjoyed and Travelers' Checks outstanding	100.00
ing at Mr. Spraggin's	
also one at Mr. Seym	
Total	\$473,884.31

Harley Smith went on, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear week, returning with me this 17th day of May, 1918. School as his bride. E. L. OGDEN, Cashier. a former Pear Valley sworn to before me this 17th day of May, 1918. BEN ANDERSON, Notary Public. T. J. E. Bell, F. M. Richards, E. E. Willoughby, Directors.

FREE ASSESSMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF FOR YOUR STARTIERCURY STATE BANK

As, at the close of business on the 10th day of the Brady Standard, a newspaper printed and published, on the 24th day of May, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Real estate	\$33,199.97
Notes and collateral	650.00
Loans	300.75
Deposits	1,500.00
Accounts receivable	2,303.09
Agents, net	10.00
Other	1,272.00
Reserve	796.34
Guaranty Fund	512.53
Loan	15.00
Total	\$40,559.69

WE want you to get in your battery (regard). This we do free of charge the life of your battery. We will make them at moderate prices.

The "Exide" Starting gives you a service on which you at the very minimum of cost. Remember, it's the battery choice hard to beat. Take advantage of our free service.

BRADY AUTO CO.
FRANK HURD, Cashier.

and Geo. C. Parker, as cashier, of said. GEO. C. PARKER, Cashier. this 20th day of May, A. D., 1918. A. C. WRIGHT, Notary Public, McCulloch county, Texas. A. Cawyer, Mrs. Will Fry Weaver.

NATIONAL HIGHWAY VULCANIZING

THE MOST MODERN EQUIPPED VULCANIZING PLANT IN THE SOUTHWEST. Can handle any kind of job. \$58 was realized for Casings or Inner Tubes. No matter what job school piano fund, while a Tires, if it can be done in 7 days we can do it for \$47 was raised for the Lohm Tires. A splendid platform was offered for the Red Cross, only disappointed at the small number of boxes offered for the Red Cross, only and dancing was enjoyed. The whole is a number of the great very well pleased with the results obtained. In the auction sale.

O. H. ...

THE BRADY STANDARD

H. F. Schwenker, Editor

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Entered as second class matter May 17, 1910, at postoffice at Brady, Tex., under Act of March 3, 1879.

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North Side Square, Brady, Texas

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Within Radius of 50 Miles of Brady
One Year \$1.00
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Brady, Texas, May 24th, 1918.

FOURTH CLASS POST-MASTER EXAMINATION AT BRADY, JUNE 8th

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Brady, Texas, on June 8, 1918, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Holt, Texas, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$293 per year.

Professors have reached their destination. The date of the examination is June 8, 1918.

DRS. ANDERSON & O'BANION

Practice limited to diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and fitting of Glasses.

WILL BE IN BRADY, MONDAY, MAY 20th.

Will make regular visits to Brady on 1st and 3rd Mondays.

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Position to furnish contracts of all McCulloch County lands.
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Carter's Inks—every kind—every color. Writing ink, fountain pen ink, rubber stamp ink, check writer ink, show card ink, indelible ink. At The Brady Standard.

THERE'S A TIME FOR EVERYTHING
Now is the time to
Clean Up!
ECONOMY IN EVERY CAKE
with **SAPOLIO**

WITH THE CHURCHES

Methodist Church, Brady.
Sunday school at 9:45, L. P. Cooke, superintendent.
Church services as usual at 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning by the pastor.
Night services at 8:30 o'clock, with Rev. J. M. Perry, presiding elder of the San Angelo district, in charge.
J. G. Forester, Pastor.

Evangelical Lutheran Church, Brady.
Service at the Episcopal church at Brady next Sunday, May 26th in the afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Theme: "The Wonderful Outpouring of the Holy Ghost on Pentecost Day." The public is cordially invited to attend our services.
F. Huebner, Pastor.

Steel Couches for sleeping porches.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

Clifford Lawrence Slaughter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Slaughter of Voca, Texas, was born October 24, 1918, at about sunrise on the morning of Wednesday, October 24, 1918, at about sunrise.

They are being refined to him is doing its part, and his facial contour, and attempting to make him into a useful member of society, than service. Life and liberty—the pursuit of happiness is the goal of all alike. We want to go through the blue bird of happiness is an illusion is almost impossible to attain. It is the sacred duty of all of us to be fitted by their sacrifice to leave their usefulness; to employ every talent and physical strength at the end that the hands placed in our hands by God in a humble prayer as spoken and then as banked with His charge of our service. He has One of our side factory and its repair or take care tery in the best manner on him for service.

Have and befit the Rear Mops and Polish. O. D. Mann & Sons. Popular Dry Goods Co. or any pain, burn, scald or bruise, Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil—the old remedy. Two sizes, 30c and 50c at all drug stores.

Our Exide Battery service is free to you. Call on us at any time. Brady Auto Co. Macy & Co., have a full stock of cane seed.

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32 MEN TO CAMP TRAVIS MONDAY MAY THE 27TH

Thirty-two McCulloch county boys will be entrained at Brady Monday noon, May 27th, for Camp Travis, in response to the latest call for men from the adjutant general's office.

The following will compose this new draft movement:
Robert Newton Beakley, Mercury.
Cecil Turel Calk, Fife.
M. C. Stearns, Brady.
Asa Talley, Mercury.
John Robert Sample, Stacy.
James Alva Stowe, Crockett.
Irvine Joe Russell, Pear Valley.
John T. Sellman, Ozona.
Guy Singleton, Melvin.
S. F. M. Wallace, Voca.
John Jerry Jones, Pear Valley.
Wm. Lee Yeargen, Lohn.
Wm. Henry Cagle, Lohn.
Clifford Olin Wilkin, Mexia.
Axil H. Johnson, Fort Worth.
Robert S. McVay, Brady.
Floyd Sommerville, Voca.
Edmund Claud Kinney, Brady.
Ed Scoggin, Mercury.
James Trammell, Placid.
James Darling, Lordsburg, N. M.
Oscar Deering, Lohn.
Hilary Tindel, Brady.
Everett Taylor, Crowley.
Jesse Livingston, Coleman.
Ulmer Kirklen, Camp San Saba.
Elbert Holland, Mercury.
Claud Newby, Brownwood.
Ivan Mannering, Stacy.
Chas. Powell, Mercury.
Wm. Hunter, Santa Anna.
Conrad Carlson, Brady.
Silas Wooten will entrain on June 1st in response to the call for locomotive firemen.
Three negroes are also scheduled to be entrained some time next week for camp. The exact date has not so far been set and the negroes to make up this quota have not yet been named.

Do You Enjoy Life?
A man in good physical condition is almost certain to enjoy life, while the bilious and dyspeptic are dependent do not enjoy their meals and feel miserable a good share of the time. This ill feeling is nearly always unnecessary. A few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets to tone up the stomach, improve the digestion and regulate the bowels is all that is needed. Try it.

Matting Art Squares.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

THE BRADY STANDARD'S WONDERFUL FLAG OFFER CLOSING SATURDAY, JUNE 1

County Superintendent Marion Deans phoned us the other day. "What do you sell your flags for?" he asked. "\$1.35 and two coupons from The Standard; 10c extra for postage." "What do you sell about forty flags?" inquired Deans. "I can't do it. We have a limited number and we want them out exclusively among the people."

The Standard's flag offer will positively close at midnight, Saturday, June 1st.

Hall-Wilson.
The marriage of R. J. Hall and Miss Jennie Wilson occurred Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson at Fredonia, Rev. Robinson of Fredonia, officiating.
The bride is a most charming and accomplished young lady, and is deservedly popular with all her friends and acquaintances in the Fredonia neighborhood. Mr. Hall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hall of Pontotoc and a young man of highest esteem. Since October he has been in Uncle Sam's service, and at present is stationed at Camp Bowie, where he is a member of the 133rd Infantry. He took advantage of a ten-day furlough to return home and claim the young lady of his choice, and all his friends congratulate him on his good fortune and wish the newly-weds every happiness and success. Following a honey-moon with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Hall will go to Fort Worth, where they will make their home.

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. H. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

Card of Thanks.
To the many friends and neighbors who did so much for us during the illness of our darling baby we wish to express our heartfelt appreciation, and those who mourn his loss with us and who have offered us comfort, and consolation, we shall ever hold in grateful remembrance. May He Who doeth all things well, reward you, is our prayer.
Mr. and Mrs. Tol J. Roberts.

For Indigestion, Constipation or Biliousness
Just try one 50-cent bottle of LAX-POS WITH PEPSIN. A Liquid Digestive Laxative pleasant to take. Made and recommended to the public by Paris Medicine Co., manufacturers of Laxative Bromo Quinine and Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

The Standard's Classified Ad rate is one cent per word for each insertion, with a minimum charge of 25c. Count the words in your ad and send 1 cent for each word. Terms cash, unless you have a ledger account with us.

LOST—May 22nd, Elgin watch, gold case; initials "L. S. T." on back; full name inside case and date, "June, 1909." Finder please return to Queen hotel for further identification and reward.

LOST—Bundle containing six boy's shirt waists, between Brady and Nine Mile hill or Peg Leg crossing. Reward for return to Brady Standard office.

FOR SALE—Small bunch of high grade cattle. H. B. Murphy, Nine.

FOR SALE—Five passenger Ford in first class condition. F. R. Wulf.

FOR SALE—Couple good milk cows. See J. C. Koerth.

FOR SALE—At a bargain 3454 casing and inner tube—good condition. Brady Standard office.

MISCELLANEOUS—**FOR RENT**—Five room furnished house, with bath. See O. D. Mann, Sr., Brady.

STRAYED—About 6 head goats, probably 3 nannies and 3 muttons. Marked crop right and sharp left. Will pay liberal reward for information leading to recovery. Phone or write T. A. Wyres, Lohn, Texas.

Posted!
All hunting, trapping, camping, fishing or trespassing of any nature is positively prohibited on the ranch property, controlled by Mrs. M. J. Kidd and B. P. Kidd at Camp San Saba, McCulloch county, Texas. All violators of the law will be prosecuted.
B. P. KIDD, Mgr.

TRESPASS NOTICE.
Positively no hunting or fishing allowed on my ranch or property under my control.
Frank Wilhelm.

If you intend to buy a Buick soon you had better come and arrange for one. Cars will soon become impossible to get. Brady Auto Co.
More new Waists, Ladies, come and get pick of the lot.
Popular Dry Goods Co.

MESSAGE FROM Y. W. C. A. HEADQUARTERS THANKS ALL CONTRIBUTORS TO FUND

Mrs. W. H. Ballou is in receipt of a message from the headquarters of the Y. W. C. A. fund, thanking all contributors from Brady, and especially Mrs. Ballou for her special efforts as chairman of the McCulloch county fund for this organization. While McCulloch county's quota was \$100, through Mrs. Ballou's efforts the county went "over the top" with a contribution of \$101.

Hat headquarters, Mens, Ladies and Childrens.
Popular Dry Goods Co.
Porch Swings and Rockers.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

Word received by S. J. Striegler from his brother, Attila, states that the latter is now in England, having been returned there from France. Attila is engaged in ground work in the Aero Squadron, and not only writes in a most optimistic vein, but even predicts that he will be back home before winter comes on. He is highly pleased with the service.

Death of T. J. Roberts, Jr.
The death of T. J. Roberts, Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Roberts, occurred Tuesday night at 9:30 o'clock. The little child was but one month and five days old. Since birth it had suffered with an affection of the heart for which neither medical skill nor science could offer remedy, and its death came as a merciful relief.

Funeral services were held at the residence of W. N. Roberts in Brady at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. H. Taylor conducting, and interment was made in Brady cemetery. In their loss, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts have the sincere sympathy of all.

A new lot of all cotton Mattresses at reasonable prices.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

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.

THAT GLOSS FINISH

That makes the Oldest Shoes Look New, is only to be had in SAM'S SHINES at DEMPS TAILOR SHOP

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SOCIETY

Five-Forty Club.

The members of the Five-Forty club were pleasantly entertained last Friday afternoon by Mrs. Roy Wilkerson.

Five Hundred Club.

No meeting of the Five Hundred club was had last week. The club meets this afternoon with Mrs. Wiley W. Walker.

Wilkensy-Ornish.

The marriage of Mr. Hyman Wilkensy and Miss Becky Ornish was celebrated Sunday night at 8:30 o'clock at Dallas.

Some three hundred or more guests were in attendance upon the ceremony and following congratulations and best wishes, a wedding supper was served to all in attendance.

Mr. Wilkensy is a member of the firm of Wilkensy Bros. and is a young

and prosperous business man of Brady who enjoys a wide circle of friends and whose astute business sagacity has marked him as one of the most successful of business men.

Following a wedding trip to Galveston and other points, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkensy will return to Brady the end of the week and be at home to their friends here.

Bell-Moore.

Friends here will be interested to learn of the marriage at San Saba on Saturday evening at 6:15 o'clock, of Lieutenant J. E. Bell and Miss Annette Moore.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Bell will make their home in San Antonio.

Attending the wedding from here were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Roberts, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Dick Winters and Mrs. John Wall.

pointed Messrs. W. N. White and H. C. Samuel as the committee to call on the people of Brady for their donations.

STORAGE BATTERIES

We sell storage batteries. We charge storage batteries. We rent storage batteries. We rebuild storage batteries. Brady Auto Co.

CLAXTON SCHOOL CLOSED LAST FRIDAY LARGELY ATTENDED AND ENJOYED

The Claxton school closed last Friday, with appropriate exercises marking the occasion. The Claxton school is not only one of the neatest schools in the county, but it ranks among the leaders in educational merits.

About 85 were present at the closing exercises, and dinner on the ground was one of the features of the occasion. In the afternoon splendid addresses were made by Prof. E. Keeling, Mrs. W. H. Ballou and B. D. Black, all of which were given close hearing by those present.

Miss Estelle Miller arrived last Friday in the city from Brownwood, and will have charge of the office of Dr. H. W. Lindley, assisting the doctor in caring for his patients. Miss Miller for the past several months has had complete charge of the Hall garage and auto sales room at Brownwood.

Will Close Millinery Store. I will close my millinery store June 1st, and all who want hats should come and see me at once as I will sell my hats at low prices and at bargains to my customers. MRS. M. J. MOORE.

Cotton Hoes and Garden tools. O. D. Mann & Sons.

We have an Exide Battery for any make car. Brady Auto Co.

Listen Men! \$1.00 will go to the Red Cross on every suit we sell next week, beginning Saturday. Popular Dry Goods Co.

HEATHER PLAIDS

FANCY LAWS—the most economical dress fabric on the market today, an excellent range of patterns, at a yard.....12½c, 15c and 20c

A beautiful new Wash Fabric in a wonderful assortment, of the latest plaid colorings, suitable for both Ladies' and Children's dresses, 32 inches wide, a yard.....50c

Thrill Stamps--War Saving Stamps on Sale Here



SOUTH SIDE

PERSONAL MENTION

J. S. Wilson and Sim Brown were visitors here Saturday from Fredonia. Mrs. J. D. Branscum left Wednesday for Richland Springs for a visit with relatives there.

Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Craddock will spend the summer on their ranch in the Melvin community. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. King and family have moved to Mayer and will spend the summer on the ranch.

C. C. Ledbetter of Pasche, and W. T. Molloy of Eden were business visitors here last Friday. Mrs. J. A. Bowers of Hext and Mrs. J. H. Bradshaw of Calf Creek were visitors in Brady Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gallemer of San Angelo spent Sunday here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hodges. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Anderson of San Saba were guests of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Steelhammer, last Saturday and Sunday.

G. C. Miller of Troup, Texas, arrived Monday for a visit with his brother, V. C. Miller, and family at Voca.

Mrs. Forest Wallace of Wells, Texas, will receive The Standard for a year through the courtesy of Paul Allen of Whiteland.

Ellis Gocher went to Brownwood Sunday where he has accepted a position in the mechanical department of the R. D. McClelland garage.

Misses Mable and Flora Brown and Jennie and Alma Wilson were here from Fredonia Saturday shopping and visiting in the city.

Mrs. Lillian Glover returned last week from Brownwood, where she had spent a few days as a guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. B. E. Hurlbut.

Mrs. W. L. Hughes and children left yesterday for San Antonio, where they will visit some time. Mr. Hughes carried them as far as Fredericksburg in his car.

W. J. Moore has received word from his children, who live at Austwell, on the coast, that conditions are very good there and corn already in silk and tassel.

Miss Dora Arrington has ordered The Standard sent to her brother, Claude Arrington, who is stationed on board the flag ship Brooklyn in the U. S. Asiatic fleet.

Mrs. Clara Millerkin has been quite seriously ill the past week or so. Her many friends, however, will be rejoiced to learn that her condition shows signs of gradual improvement.

Frank Atkinson of Sterling City and Mrs. James Atkinson of Knickerbocker have returned to their homes after a visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Westbrook.

Mrs. Ike Rainbolt and son are here from San Antonio for a visit with relatives and friends. They have also been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rainbolt of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Allen Brock orders her paper changed from Odessa, Texas, where she has been visiting relatives, to Inspiration, Ariz., where Mr. Brock is now located.

Miss Frances Nowaski, who is employed as a nurse at Seton Infirmary at Austin, is spending a two weeks' vacation here as a guest of Mrs. W. H. Ballou.

Ray Lovelace arrived Monday morning for a short visit with Mrs. Lovelace and family here, leaving again Wednesday night for Thurber, where he is now located in the barber business.

Walter Caldwell returned the end of last week from Ranger, where he had been on a business visit, and reports everything selling at a premium there, and beds readily commanding prices of \$1.50 per night and up.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Benham, daughter, Lucile, and Mrs. Wiley Walker returned Sunday evening from San Antonio, where they had been visiting a few days. They report a very enjoyable trip and visit.

F. R. Wulff went to Marlin last week after Mrs. Wulff, son, Fred, and mother, Mrs. Laura White, who had been spending several weeks there at the wells. The party returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mayhew and children were in the city last week as guests of his father, J. C. Mayhew and brother, Ira Mayhew and wife. They made the trip here in their car and report a most enjoyable trip and visit.

E. B. Venable, who has been a guest here of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. White has gone to Bowling Green, Ky., for his first visit in twenty years to his old home. From there Mr. Venable will return to his home at Silver City, New Mexico.

A wire received here last Friday by A. Steelhammer announced the birth of a fine girl at the home of his son, Bill Steelhammer, at Greenville, Texas. Congratulations are extended Mr. and Mrs. Steelhammer on their first-born.

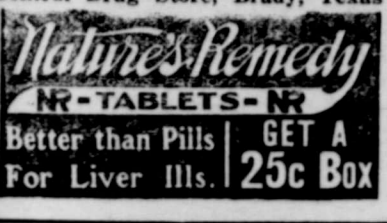
Mrs. Sarah L. Scott of Clarendon, Donley county, arrived Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. M. J. Moore. Mrs. Scott formerly lived in McCulloch county and later resided in Brown county, but since taking up her residence in Donley county, she has become an ardent booster for that section.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Campbell and Grover Gattis were here Wednesday from the Waldrip community. Mrs. Campbell reports her son, Collis, as now in France, while John is at one of the naval stations.

Word received by home folks from Chas. E. Koerth, who is attending the Jefferson Medical university in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, is in effect that he has finished his first year medical course in good standing, and will enter the summer medical school.

Quit Laxatives, Purges; Try NR

It is a mistake to continually dose yourself with so-called laxative pills, calomel, oil, purges and cathartics and force bowel action. It weakens the bowels and liver and makes constant dosing necessary. Why don't you begin right today to overcome your constipation and get your system in such shape that daily purging will be unnecessary?



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Miss Louise Hoskins has gone to Cameron, Texas, where she will spend a couple weeks as a guest of friends. From there she expects to go to San Antonio for a visit with her father and friends in that city.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wade are greatly concerned over Mrs. Wade's condition. On last Sunday morning at 9:00 o'clock Mrs. Wade suffered a stroke of paralysis, since which time she has been very low.

J. E. Carlson made us a pleasant visit Saturday. He reports the windmill at his place a few miles east of town, which had weathered the storms of the past ten years, as having been totally wrecked by the storm of the 11th inst.

S. M. Richardson arrived Sunday morning from Denton for a brief visit on combined business and pleasure, and remained over Monday to greet his many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Charnquist enjoyed something of a family reunion here from Saturday morning until Monday night, having as their guests, Mr. Charnquist's brother, H. L., of Coleman, and sisters, Miss Hannah Charnquist of Taylor, Mrs. A. C. Johnson of Dallas, and Mrs. Ota Bengtson of Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Kruse and sister, Mrs. H. F. Miller of Rushville, Ill., were here the first of the week for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Kruse of this city.

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A Grippe Epidemic

Every winter Health Boards warn against this weakening disease which often strikes those who are least prepared to resist it. You should strengthen yourself against grippe by taking



which is the cream of cod liver oil, refined, purified and so skillfully prepared that it enriches the blood streams, creates reserve strength and fortifies the lungs and throat. Don't delay--It may mean much.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

Table with columns for RESOURCES, LIABILITIES, and Total. Resources include Loans and discounts, U. S. bonds, Liberty Loan Bonds, etc. Total is \$964,497.64.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BRADY NATIONAL BANK

Table with columns for RESOURCES, LIABILITIES, and Total. Resources include Loans and discounts, U. S. bonds, Liberty Loan Bonds, etc. Total is \$473,884.31.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE MERCURY STATE BANK

Table with columns for RESOURCES, LIABILITIES, and Total. Resources include Loans and Discounts, Loans, real estate, Overdrafts, etc. Total is \$40,559.69.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of McCulloch: We, J. F. Cawyer, as president, and Geo. C. Parker, as cashier, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Successful Event at Loh. A total of about \$58 was realized for the Loh school piano fund, while a fund of \$47 was raised for the Loh school piano fund.

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LIQUIDS AND PASTES
FOR BLACK, WHITE, TAN, DARK BROWN OXFORD SHOES.

LOST CREEK ECHOES.

Editor Brady Standard:
Voca, Texas, May 22.—The earliest corn is beginning to tassel. While the most of the corn is late, it is looking very promising.

Nearly everybody has a big crop of beans and they are loaded down with beans. Think we are all safe on that score.

Grass is now good and stock is fattening fast.

The big Red Cross drive is on here. W. W. Henderson has been appointed to assist in the drive in this community.

D. H. Henderson has had his artesian well sunk deeper in the artesian sand and now has a much stronger flow—six thousand, six hundred gallons per hour.

I haven't appeared in the correspondents' column for some bit. Every since the 1st of April, when the drouth was broken up, I have been one of the busiest chaps you ever have seen trying to get our crop in shape to make something for the folks at home to live on and a little to spare for the boys over yonder. Everything is now in a most promising condition and I feel somewhat encouraged over the prospects.

We have had the most timely rains I have ever seen. We have had five and one-half inches of rain fall since the 1st of April, coming every eight or ten days apart.

A CITIZEN.

NINE NEWS ITEMS.

School Closes—Velma Murphy "Star" Actor—Pet Harkrider Entertains.

Editor Brady Standard:
Nine, Texas, May 20.—Rev. H. D. Martin of Menard preached to a full house Sunday afternoon, also made an interesting talk in the interest of the Red Cross and War Savings societies.

Rev. Burk, the Baptist missionary, preached Sunday night.

Quite a crowd of Dodge people visited at Nine Sunday. We are always glad to have you.

Our school closed last Friday and the program rendered Friday night was excellent. Especially do we wish to compliment Miss Velma Murphy for her splendid acting. She is "star" of the Nine actors.

Grandma Alcorn is visiting friends at Nine this week.

J. A. Butler and boys made a flying trip to Eden Sunday morning.

Grandma Harkrider is visiting relatives at Nine this week.

Miss Lillie Pearson of Eden, who visited at Nine last week, returned home Sunday.

Little Miss Pet Harkrider was hostess to the following little girls and boys on Monday afternoon, from 3:00 to 6:00 o'clock: Misses Olene Murphy, Ida Murphy and sister, and Masters Auvin, Claud Elden and Clarence Butler, James Mason Joe, Wesley and Robert Jay, Elton Murphy, Leo Smith and J. B. Abernathy. After playing various games, ice cream and cake was served by Miss Wina Harkrider, assisted by Misses Mary Hanson, Margaret Harkrider, Velma and Rosa Murphy. The occasion was a most enjoyable one.

LITTLE WILLIE.

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"Extra-Tested" reflects the Racine Rubber Company's sincere effort to lessen the cost of using your automobile.

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To make most value certain, these Extra-Tests were devised. And actually, one inspector works with every seven tire builders to see that each tire meets each extra test.

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For your own protection be sure you buy every Racine tire you buy bears the name

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SIMPSON & CO
Local Dealers
Brady, Texas

FIFE FINDINGS

River on Twenty Foot Rise — Rain Will Bring Up Cotton.

Editor Brady Standard:
Fife, Texas, May 21.—We had another rain last Thursday amounting to nearly one-half inch over most of this community. It will enable most farmers to get their cotton all up. Feed looks good and some are chopping cotton.

W. F. Roberts, Jr., was here from Lohn Monday on business.

The young people enjoyed singing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Farmer Sunday evening.

The river came down Saturday on a twenty foot rise, the biggest for a long time. On account of so much mud in the water fish were made sick and came to the top, some weighing as much as 50 pounds were caught by hand and of course we are all full of fish now.

Prof. J. L. Francis was a visitor at Brownwood Monday.

W. W. Tedder is down with a bad case of mumps this week.

Jim Scott was a business visitor here from Santa Anna Thursday.

R. K. Finlay and daughter, Miss Maggie, were shopping at Brady on Thursday.

W. A. Finlay is able to be out again after a ten day siege of the mumps.

W. C. Jones and daughter, Miss Fannie Fay of Shields, visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Bradley Monday.

H. A. Kincaid and family of Menard are here on a visit to his sister, Mrs. J. P. Horne.

E. Z.

When you need Extra Pants, Kirk can fit you. He has a large assortment on hand and the price is right. Kirk, Nuf-Sed.

CAMP SAN SABA SCRAPS.

Red Cross Speaking at Camp San Saba Friday Night.

Editor Brady Standard:
Camp San Saba, Texas, May 20.—I am proud to say that the people of our community are interesting workers of the Red Cross.

Bro. Robinson, the Methodist pastor, filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday at 11:00 o'clock.

Messrs. J. E. Russell and Lawson Russell of Pear Valley visited friends in our community from Saturday until Monday.

The little children of Mr. Shirley of Eden visited relatives here this week. Singing Wednesday night was enjoyed by all who were present.

Miss Maudie Bell Robinson of Fredonia visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

U. D. Kirklan has returned home from Lampasas, where he has visited the past two weeks.

Mrs. J. Kirklan is on the sick list this week.

Red Cross speaking here Saturday evening, May 25. Everybody come.

RAINBOW.

About Rheumatism.
Rheumatism causes more pain and suffering than any other disease, for the reason that it is the most common of all ills, and it is certainly gratifying to sufferers to know that there is a remedy that will afford relief, and make rest and sleep possible. It is called Chamberlain's Liniment.

A few Buicks not spoken for—get busy if you want one of them. Brady Auto Co.

Big things are nappening, or about to happen in the World's War. Do you want to keep posted? Here's How! All subscribers to The Brady Standard may secure a three months' subscription to the Daily Temple Telegram, "The Nation's Greatest Small City Daily," for \$1.00. If you are not a subscriber to The Brady Standard, you can get both the home news for one year and the daily news for three months for \$2.00. Come in today—this offer subject to withdrawal at any time.

Doan's Regulets are recommended by many who say they operate easily, without griping and without bad after effects. 30c at all drug stores.

Avery Joy Rider Cultivators.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

Ink, Pencil and Typewriter Erasers.
The Brady Standard.

A Protective Policy.
A colored recruit said he intended to take out the full limit of Government insurance, \$10,000. On being told by a fellow-soldier that he would be foolish to pay on so much when he was likely to be shot in the trenches, he replied:
"Huh! I reckon I knows what I's doin'. You-all don't s'pose Uncle Sam is gwine to put a \$10,000 man in the first-line trenches, do you?"—Boston Transcript.

FAIRVIEW AGRICULTURAL CLUB PROGRAM LAST FRIDAY UNIQUE

The Fairview school closed a very successful session last Friday, and the Boys' Agricultural club rendered the closing program Friday night. There were about eighty-five people present at this, the most unique program the writer has had the opportunity of attending.

The house was called to order by the president, Clarence Terry, who introduced Miss Tempa Davis, the teacher, Miss Davis gave a short explanation of the program, which was very appropriate, and well done. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Miss Ora Lee Kenney. The following program was then rendered:

Roll call, (each member gave a short report of condition of his project.)

"What Boys Can Do to Help Win the War," Eric Johnson.

Poem, "The Army First," Hicks Campbell.

Paper on "Propagation of Plants," Laura Baird.

Song, "Don't Bite the Hand that's Feeding You," six girls.

Poem, "Hoover's Going to Get You," Perry Campbell.

Essay, "Caring for Your Pigs," Olliver Lee.

Recitation, "Mary's Lamb," Mary Oma Black.

Reading, "What Sid Says," Maud Lee Robertson.

Talk by the County Agent B. D. Black.

Talk on the Red Cross work, Mrs. W. H. Ballou.

FARM HINTS

By B. D. Black, County Agent

Look out for the young grass and weeds in the crop. Use the harrow freely to keep them from getting a start. They will choke out the growing crop and sap the ground of its moisture.

Don't let crusts keep you from getting good stands. Here is another case where the harrow is the thing.

Watch your terraces, mend all the breaks before they get past mending.

Keep sane; don't go "cotton crazy." "Foods and feeds first" must be the slogan. The posted man knows that the cotton prices are uncertain. We are learning that we can market feed stuff through livestock and beat the cotton grower making money. DIVERSIFY and thereby build up the land, make more money, and HELP WIN THE WAR.

Keep up your plantings in the garden, so that you may have plenty of fresh vegetables all thru the growing season. Radishes should be planted every ten days as long as they are relished. In fact, we should plant something in the garden every week in the growing season.

Now is the time to begin to save your barn yard manure if you have not already begun. Do not let this valuable fertilizer go to waste. Throw it in piles, under the shed if possible, and keep it from wasting away. Well rotten manure is worth many times what it costs us to scatter it on our soil. However, do not put green manure on growing crops. Pile it and let it rot. Thousands and thousands of dollars worth of this valuable fertilizer is going to waste on McCulloch county farms. Let's stop this waste.

The PRACTICAL farmer will look after the details. When the weather is bad he will mend his harness and oil them so he will not be leaving the team in the middle of the field to hunt a string or a piece of wire to

patch a line or a chain with when the weed are running up in his crop, sapping the ground, and saving him work at harvest time. The practical farmer will have to forge and sharpen and mend his plows when the weather is too bad for him to be in the field. This same practical farmer will, in the harvest time, reap bountifully and be able to help his country go over the top. If you run to town every time a little shower comes, leaving undone many things you know you should do, don't complain next fall when your practical farmer neighbor is prosperous and you are not.

Entertaining Johnny.
One afternoon the ticket agent on an Iowa railroad was called to the brass-barred window of his little office. Before the window stood a motherly-looking woman. At her side was a bright-faced boy.

"Please, sir," said the woman, addressing the agent, "what time does the next train leave for Des Moines?"

"It leaves at 2:48, madam," answered the agent, with just a trace of annoyance. "I have already told you that no less than six times during the last half hour."

"I know you have, sir," gently replied the motherly-looking woman, "but Johnny likes to see you come to the window. He says it reminds him of the zoo."—Dayton News.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, Soc.

Got One in Your Home?
Captain Anderson Dana, who has just got married at Plattsburg, is a grandson of the journalist, Charles A. Dana, and in an interview he said: "My grandfather believed in marriage. He thought it steadied a man. I remember a story he used to tell. 'It's a story about a chap who asked a man: 'Have you ever heard anything about a machine for telling when a man is lying?' 'Sure,' said the man. 'Have you ever seen one?' said the chap. 'Seen one!' said the man. 'By gosh, I married one!'—Washington Star.

PATRIOTISM THE KEYNOTE OF THE CHAUTAUQUA

LECTURERS HELPING WIN THE WAR.
President Wilson terms the Chautauqua "An integral part of the national defense." He says the Chautauqua lectures are "effective messengers for the delivery and interpretation of democracy's meaning and imperative needs."

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Men like "the South's most finished orator" have helped make the Chautauqua the force for good that it is. Camp is a brilliant speaker, nationally known. His subject is "The War and Its Greatest Lesson."

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Mr. O'Connor is one of the eleven survivors of England's senior regiment, The First Life Guards, Desperately wounded, left for dead in "No-Man's Land," in hospital seven months; personally decorated for bravery by King George; in every important battle, including The Marne, Hill 60, and The Somme; a successful lecturer; tells a thrilling story of "Twenty-Two Months In the Trenches."

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Having heard Dr. Wassam once people clamor to have him back. He is a whirlwind speaker—one of the biggest "finds" of recent years, and a great popular success. Lectures on "The Stuff That Wins."

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One of the platforms brightest ornaments; a poet, philosopher and humorist. Like Riley, his name is a household word, known for quiet wit, canny wisdom and tender sympathy. "The House of Man," is his subject.

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It reduces the cost more than one-half. Get it of the Committee today. You'll be instructed, benefited and helped by these fine lectures. And besides these, there is a host of musical and entertainment numbers. Adult Season Tickets \$2.00; Child's \$1.00

BRADY CHAUTAUQUA
June 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
PAUL CALVERT, Secretary

TEXAS PRESS COMPLIMENTED.
To the Editor Addressed: "The greatest compliment I can pay the Press of the Eleventh Federal Reserve district is to point to the constantly growing totals of the Third Liberty Loan subscription list. The work you have done so generously and so freely is its own reward. Allow me, however, to say what a pleasure it has been to me and to our Publicity Manager to have such a splendid spirit of mutual helpfulness displayed by the Press. With my kindest regards, Very truly yours, J. W. HOOPES, Deputy Governor.

Broad Mercantile Co.

We are in a position to save you money on Cultivators. We offer Jno. Deere and Texas Ohio at less than wholesale cost. Get your order to us now. Buy Cultivators, cultivate large crops, give to the Red Cross, and do your part of winning the war.



Save Till it Hurts



WHY?

BECAUSE—The United States is at war.

BECAUSE—The only safe road to Peace is Victory.

BECAUSE—Soldiers and sailors cannot win unless the entire American people—every man, woman and child refrains from everything not absolutely necessary to health and efficiency, and thus releases labor for the production of materials of war and the support of our army and navy.

BECAUSE—Every pair of shoes, every suit of clothes, every hat, every suit of underwear, etc., not necessary, used by us at home, means one less pair of shoes, one less uniform, one less overcoat, one less muffler for our boys who are fighting to make our homes safe.

BECAUSE—U. S. Bonds, War Savings Stamps and U. S. Thrift Stamps must be purchased by the people from money saved from their incomes—every dollar spent for an unnecessary thing is a force for evil. When that dollar buys labor and materials for equipping our army and navy it has a double force—first it ceases to aid the enemy and second it is fighting for us in behalf of mankind. Be sure that your pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters and dollars are enlisted in the cause of your country. An idle dollar is a SLACKER dollar, but a dollar wasted in war time is a TRAITOR dollar.

BECAUSE—You should not let another day go by until you have actually given up some real thing—for your country —“until it hurts.”

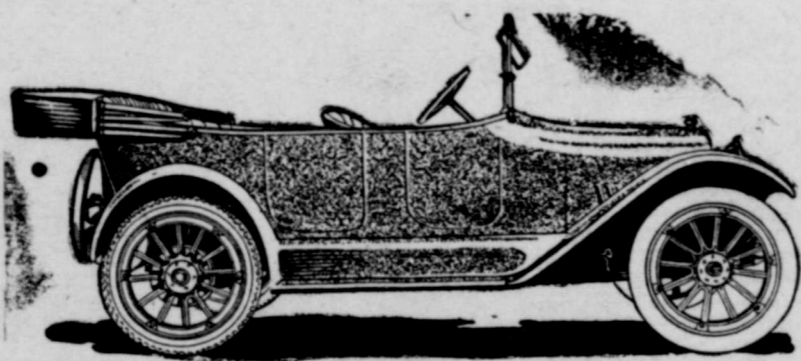
The United States Government Offers You the Opportunity to Save and Serve

You can buy a United States Thrift Stamp for 25 cents. A card is furnished you on which to paste it. Sixteen of these, plus a few cents cash will buy a War Savings Stamp. On January 1, 1923, the United States Government will pay you \$5.00 for each stamp pasted on a War Savings Certificate—this is 4% compounded quarterly when the Stamps are held till January 1, 1923. A simple and secure investment—yielding a good income on your money. When you do this, you become an actively loyal American citizen—one who is saving lives by saving money.

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The new model Chevrolet "Four-Ninety" Touring Car and Roadster, attain a standard of excellence uncommon of cars at these prices. This is a claim we would be delighted to prove—we would ask no greater favor than to do so.

Would you have a good-looking car? The Chevrolet has it in full measure. Would you have strength? Vanadium steel is used wherever unusual strength is required. Would you have comfort? Proper spring suspension together with comfortable upholstery and roominess meet your comfort-wishes to the fullest degree. Would you have power and low upkeep? The wonderful valve-in-head motor with which each Chevrolet is equipped provides power far in excess of ordinary requirement or emergency; and the direct-application-of-power principle insures maximum power on minimum fuel. Twenty-five miles per gallon is a common thing for this Chevrolet. And the car is fully equipped.

Suppose you let us demonstrate that we have not overstated Chevrolet quality.

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Brady, Texas

BOYS REACHING 21 TO REGISTER WED'DAY, JUNE 5

Washington, May 18.—June 5 has been fixed as the date for registration of youths who have attained 21 years since the first army draft registration, June 5th, last year. The resolution authorizing the new registration is awaiting the President's signature but the provost marshal general's office virtually has completed preparations for carrying it into effect. It is estimated that about 800,000 men available for military service will be found among the new registrants this year. During the year beginning June 5th, it is planned to have quarterly registrations.

Washington, May 18.—The American expeditionary force has become such a military factor on the western front, members of the senate military committee were advised today at their weekly conference with Secretary Baker and the war council, that they now rank third in mileage held. The French hold most mileage, the British rank second and the Americans third, exceeding the mileage held by the Belgians.

To the Lady Voters.

Under a ruling of the attorney general of Texas, we are advised that ladies desiring to vote in the primaries this year in McCulloch county will not have to register, as the law applies only to cities of 10,000 inhabitants or over.

Parental Instruction.

When father came home to dinner he observed a vacant chair at the table. "Where's the boy?" he asked, nodding to the chair.

"Harold is upstairs," came in a tone of painful precision from the mother.

"I hope he is not sick?" "There was an anxious pause. "No, he is not sick," continued the mother. "It grieves me to say, Richard, that our son, your son, has been heard swearing on the street. I heard him myself."

"Swearing!" exclaimed the father. "I'll teach him to swear!" And with that the angry parent started upstairs in the dark. Half-way up he stumbled and came down with his chin on the top step.

When the confusion had subsided Harold's mother was heard saying, sweetly, from the hallway: "That will do, Henry dear. You have given him enough for one lesson."—Harper's.

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Quite often we hear about the fellow who "knows" more about "how to run a newspaper" than the man that has devoted the best part of his life in trying to learn the game. Occasionally a real gem comes to light. Among the many letters giving advice, we know of none with a greater "kick" than that contained in a letter to H. L. Lyons, publisher of the Patriot, at Laurel, Miss., saying: "Here is my advice on how to run your paper"—Pinned to the note was a check for \$1.50.

Carbon Paper. The Brady Standard.

San Saba Troop Mustered In. San Saba, Texas, May 16.—Major Clark of Houston was here yesterday mustering into service 130 men of Capt. W. A. Smith's new cavalry troop which has been recruited within the past three weeks. This is troop H, Third Regiment, and is made up of San Saba, Llano, Menard and McCulloch county men.

Disarmament.

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GOES TO AUSTIN TO REGISTER CITY'S \$25,000.00 WATER WORKS BONDS

Councilman A. H. Broad left Wednesday at noon for Austin, carrying with him the \$25,000 waterworks bonds voted some time ago for waterworks improvement by the citizens of Brady and duly approved by the attorney general's department some weeks ago. Mr. Broad will have the

bonds registered, following which they will be placed on the market for sale.

The Brady city council is only awaiting this final step to begin its plans for enlarging and improving our present water supply. Preliminary survey of two local dam sites have been made by Frank Merritt, chief engineer for the Santa Fe, and his report will largely guide the council in their actions.

LEASE FIGURES JUMP RESULT OF SHOWING OF OIL

Lease prices in McCulloch county have taken a sudden jump skyward as a result of showings of oil found in two wells in the county. The baling out of the Southwestern Petroleum Oil Co. well at Rochelle showed a large quantity of oil in the slush, and the news of the oil strike has excited greatest interest in oil circles. Hundreds of visitors have visited the well since the oil sands were first reported. An effort was made to cut off the water in the well to enable baling it out and testing the well, but unfortunately the packer was damaged and failed to work; so the baling out is awaiting arrival of a new packer.

The Standard was guilty of an unintentional injustice last week in reporting the well standing 1400 feet in salt water, which was contrary to facts. After drilling at a depth of 1490 feet through red shale, the same as is found at a depth of 1700 feet in the Mitchell well at Coleman and in the well at Ranger, Texas, oil sand was struck at 1595 feet. The utmost confidence prevails that once the packer is set in this well it can be drilled in as a good oil well. Just at present, according to reports, the drillers have a fishing job on hand, having lost a string of casing.

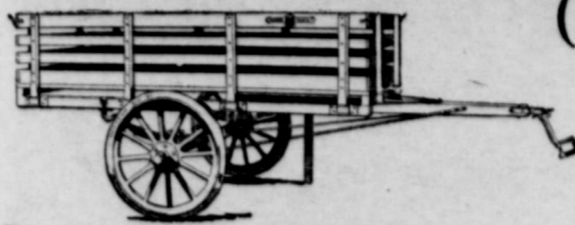
Another well rig has begun operation in the Rochelle neighborhood, the Great Eastern Oil Co., of Tulsa, Okla., having spudded in on the Baker ranch, three miles northeast of Rochelle, and they are now at a depth of several hundred feet.

There is more activity now than for some time in the Rochelle section, and among others, G. W. Young of Rochelle has leased his land during the past week, \$8.00 per acre being the price paid.

In the Cunningham well on the J. R. Beasley tract in the Milburn section, a showing of oil was struck at a depth of between 1,000 and 1,100 feet. Several barrels of oil, said to be of highest grade were taken out, but the showing was not great enough to satisfy Mr. Cunningham, and drilling is progressing night and day as heretofore. It is thought the oil encountered in the well leaked up thru crevices in the rock, and it is confidently stated that oil sands are expected to be struck at a depth of between 1,400 and 1,500 feet.

As a result of the oil strike leases on desirable tracts have advanced to \$25, \$30, \$40 and as high as \$50 per acre, while some tracts have been withdrawn from the market.

The Barford & Brimm well on the Cawyer tract, two miles east of Mercury, is said to have reached a depth of about 1,000 feet, and is making favorable progress, although so far no indications of oil have been struck. The rig unloaded at Mercury a couple



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CHIEF ENGINEER MERRITT REPORTS FAVORABLY ON BRADY CREEK DAM SITE

Frank Merritt, chief engineer of the Santa Fe, was here from Galveston last Friday and made a preliminary report to the Brady city council on the respective merits of the two proposed dam sites for Brady, the one on Brady creek and the other on Bowie hollow. Mr. Merritt gave his endorsement to the former project, and recommended the raising of Brady dam, as high as twelve feet above its present level. According to his estimate, such action would be not only but slightly in excess of the cost of the dam on Bowie hollow, but the tremendous watershed for this dam would assure an abundance of water, and the dam itself would create a reservoir giving Brady an inexhaustible supply.

Mr. Merritt was here a month or so ago and went over the two sites with local parties, and has since been

going over figures and estimates submitted to him by the council at his request. He expects later to submit a writer's report, setting forth in detail the reason for his choice of the Brady creek site, substantiating his statement with exact figures compiled by him.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hurd.

ple weeks ago has been placed on the Cox tract, but operations have not yet begun.

W. A. Bowen Wednesday began operation on the well which he spudded in on the Hall and Dutton tract, eight miles north of Brady on May 15th, and a depth of some two hundred feet has been reached. A car of coal consigned to Brady for this well has been lost in transit, but undaunted by this delay, coal has been purchased from local dealers and the work will go steadily ahead until the missing coal can be located and obtained.

No developments of note are reported at Comfort Well No. 1 at Whiteland, other than the erection of the derrick is now in progress and it is thought within another week or so the well will be spudded in.

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Joe A. Adkins of Brady, candidate for Congress, in the new Seventeenth district, was in Brownwood Wednesday doing a little missionary work among the voters. Judge Adkins says that he has just completed a canvas of San Saba, Mills, Burnet, Lampasas, Llano and other counties in the south end of the new district, and is now headed for the "enemy's territory" in the north end. He states that his campaign of a portion of the new district two years ago, when he was a candidate against Mr. Slayden, has been a great help to him in this campaign, as the former campaign broadened his acquaintance among the voters and paved the way for the work of the present year. Judge Adkins says he has felt like a winner on other occasions, but the confidence he experienced then was nothing like the confidence he now feels. "Everywhere I have been in the southern counties of the district," he said, "the people tell me I will win, and I believe it confidently myself." — Brownwood News.

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