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County Notes

Zephyr

Miss Helen Cunningham who has been visiting in Abilene returned home Saturday night. Mr. Dale Keeler who has been visiting his brother, Alton Keeler, returned to his home in Idaloo, Saturday. Last Thursday night the Baptist Sunday School gave a moon-light picnic. Those who enjoyed the outing were: Misses Nona Cobb, Lulu Cunningham, Mary Houston, Verne Stenson, Ina Pfler, Opal Pearson, Shirley Baker, Mary Joe Shelton, Ida Driskill, Mrs. W. D. Dixon, Mrs. J. A. Cunningham; Messrs. Bill Hart, Dale Keeler, Burl Oist, Morris Reasoner, Oin Hart, Carl Geivin, Leslie Bumbell, Harvey Keeler, Alton Keeler, W. H. Dixon. The program which was given on Sunday night was enjoyed by all who attended. The attendance of the Sunday school Sunday were: Methodist 73, Baptist 36, Presbyterian 25. Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty were shopping in Brownwood Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Buck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dabney. Miss Ida Petty was shopping in Brownwood Tuesday.

Bangs

Rev. and Mrs. Daniel went to Dublin last Thursday, returning Friday. Rev. Daniel's mother returned with them for a visit. Miss Virginia Mae Sheffield is re-

ported greatly improved after several days' illness. Mrs. Chester Wilson and children spent last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. McCreery near Thrifty. Mrs. Bill Yarbrough and children visited relatives here last week. Mrs. S. P. Martin and daughters, Billie and Melba, are reported up after several days' illness. Misses Lexie Mae Williams and Ines Gibson of Cross Plains visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gibson Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Leland Allen of Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Medcalf Monday. Miss Leona Hill returned Monday to Brownwood after spending her vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hill. W. J. Gilbert is able to be up after ten days' illness. A deal was made last week in which Robt. Martin and Emmett Knight became the owners of the Reynolds' garage. A message was received here Monday of the death of N. L. May of Port Worth. Mr. May has been a resident of Bangs for many years until several months ago he with his family moved to Fort Worth to make their home. Mr. May's health has been failing him for some time. The remains will reach here Wednesday morning, carried to his former home here, and funeral services will be held at the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon. The remains will be laid to rest in the Mukewater cemetery. Miss Oda Martin has returned to Fort Worth after several days' visit

to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Martin. Mrs. F. R. Early returned Sunday from Fort Worth. Mrs. Maggie Martin, clerk in the Guyger's store is reported on the sick list at her home here. C. O. Hardwick and family visited relatives at Meridian Saturday and Sunday. Gee Martin of Fort Worth visited relatives here last week. Mrs. C. McDonald and baby have returned to their home at Wall after a visit to Mrs. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange returned from Rocksprings Friday, where they went in answer to a message that their brother and daughter had been killed in the tornado there last Tuesday. The sympathy of the entire citizenship of our little town is extended to Mrs. Strange in this sad hour. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis went to Winters Saturday to attend the church with a number of his daughter, whose remains were sent from Rocksprings to Winters, and laid tenderly away. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Griffith of Santa Anna visited their daughter, Mrs. Fred Strange Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Tom Martin is up after an attack of flu. Her little daughter, Virginia, is a victim of measles this week. Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Sanders and small daughter of Reising Star visited in the home of Mrs. Sanders' parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Who Saturday. Mrs. W. J. Miller of Brady is now at Jackson's store, where she will be glad to meet the public, and will do sewing and mending, also all kinds of alterations on clothing brought to her.

Blanket

The Sunday school report for Blanket last Sunday was Baptist 81, Methodist 74, Presbyterians U. S. A. 33, Cumberland Presbyterians 17. The many friends of Rev. Pleasant will be glad to learn he has again accepted the pastorate of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at this place. Rev. Pleasant is a splendid speaker and has a host of friends here who are glad to have him back on this work again. The rain Monday afternoon prevented the Ladies' Aid and Woman's Missionary Society meeting. Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. W. E. Harrell entertained her Sunday school class with an egg hunt and little party. She invited the little folks to be on hand at 3 o'clock and by that time quite a number were present. Some time was spent in romping games they all enjoyed. Then all were invited to the dining room where delicious ice cream and cake was served. After the refreshments they were told to go to the lawn between the church and parsonage and look for eggs. Soon the eggs were found. Then a few more games were played before going home. Those present were Linnie Mae and Frankie Parson, Francis and Ruth Thowell, Edwin Ferguson, Inez Strickland, Emma Gene Eff, Billie Starling, Burton and Dorris Harrell. Rev. J. B. Henderson filled his regular appointment in the Baptist church here Sunday and Sunday night. Last Saturday the school children and their teachers entertained a large crowd of patrons and friends of the school with a parade. It was a very enjoyable affair and was a credit to the school. In the afternoon the Howard Payne band came over from Brownwood and rendered some fine music. They had planned a match game of ball between the Howard Payne team and the Blan-

ket team but from some cause the Howard Payne players failed to come and some of the band boys and the Blanket boys made up a fine and played a beautiful game of Blanket. A large crowd attended and showed they really enjoyed the game from the beginning to end. Rev. W. E. Harrell filled his regular appointment here in the Methodist church Sunday and Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stewart and son, Charles of Brownwood visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. J. C. Hicks was shopping in Brownwood last Saturday. We are glad to report Earl Ashley much improved after a severe attack of flu and pneumonia. Last Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson got home from church they were very much surprised to find a big crowd of people at their home and a beautiful dinner was laid out. Monday was Mr. Ferguson's birthday and a number of his friends and relatives planned the dinner as a surprise for him. Those present to enjoy the happy occasion and partake of the delicious dinner were: Irvin Pinkas and family, two boys, F. J. Dean and family, Mr. and Mrs. Croker, Mrs. N. J. Franklin, D. W. Bean and family, V. H. Ferguson and family, all of Comanche. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin, W. W. King and family, Cecil Parrow and family. The day was spent very pleasantly and Mr. Ferguson hopes they will surprise him again. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wims of Houston came Saturday morning to spend Easter here with Mr. and Mrs. Wims' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Deen and other relatives. Mrs. S. E. Lacy is in Lamesa visiting her son and family. Miss Mary Smith, who is teaching in one of the Brownwood schools spent the week end here with her family. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knox have moved to Blanket to make their future home. Mr. Knox having bought the Magnolia agency from Harry Betts. The Blanket high school ball team went to May last Friday afternoon and played the May ball team in a match game. The result was a victory for the Blanket team. Last Thursday Mrs. R. L. Eaton received a telegram stating that her mother, Mrs. Dodson had died at her home in Missouri. She had not been in good health for some time, but the news of her death was a shock to Mr. and Mrs. Eaton. The many friends of the family sympathize with them in their great sorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Joy Deen of Brownwood spent Saturday night and also Sunday here with relatives. There will be a special service held in the Baptist church here next Sunday morning. The sermon will be preached by Rev. J. B. Henderson, pastor the Baptist church. The subject of the discourse will be, "Fraternity" and will be in honor of the Old Folgers. They are celebrating their 100th anniversary.

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THE MAJESTY AND GLORY OF CHRIST



AND after six days Jesus taketh with him Peter, and James, and John, and leadeth them up into a high mountain apart by themselves; and he was transfigured before them: and his raiment became shining, exceeding white as snow; so as no fuller on earth can white them. And there appeared unto them Elias, with Moses; and they were talking with Jesus. And Peter answered and said to Jesus, Master, it is good for us to be here: and let us make three tabernacles: one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elias. For he wist not what to say: for they were sore afraid. And there was a cloud that overshadowed them; and a voice came out of the cloud, saying, This is my beloved Son; hear him. And suddenly, when they had looked round about, they saw no

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for April 24th. The Majesty and Glory of Christ. Mark 9:2-10; 2 Peter 1:16-18.

BY WM. E. GIBROY, D. D. Editor of The Congregationalist. THE story of the Transfiguration of Jesus is found in three of the four Gospels. The crucial time for a new convert is not in the hour of some great emotion, when he goes forward to the altar and commits his life to Christ. The very intensity of that experience is apt to produce a very dangerous reaction the next morning, or after the series of meetings, with their incident excitement, have passed, and the normal tasks and temptations of life have to be met once more. This is not always realized and many evangelistic campaigns fail in their ultimate results because such reactions are permitted to take place without proper safeguards.

The Hour of Trial The falling away of converts does not always mean that they were not sincere in their confession of conversion, nor does it mean even that they were necessarily weak, but it does mean that in the moment of trial, or temptation, when the tempter has, perhaps, suggested the folly of their having given way to such emotion, there has not been the reassuring voice of conscience and of some good angel in human form ministering a word of comfort and encouragement. Even in the very hour of Peter's great confession, Jesus had rebuked his lack of spiritual understanding, and almost at the very verge of the cross he found the disciples strangely dull in spiritual comprehension and unresponsive to the deeper things in his life and message. Jesus understood the dangers of spiritual reaction, and this apparently was underlying the manifestation of his majesty and glory in the Mount of Transfiguration. He took up into the mount with him Peter and James and John, the three strong and impulsive spirits upon whose allegiance so much depended. And there in the mount there came to these men some visible manifestation of his glory, and such a glor-

Jones Chapel TRAFFIC LIGHT LAW WELL OBSERVED SAYS POLICE OPENING DAY

Rev. Cooper filled his regular appointment Sunday and Sunday night here at this place. Mr. Archie Ouling preached to a large crowd here Saturday night. His subject was "God Winning" which was enjoyed very much. Ode Ouling is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Palmer, in Fort Worth this week. We have a fine season in the ground now and farmers are surely getting busy planting feed crops and cotton. Mr. and Mrs. Robinet Cason and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper and little son took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Green Sunday. Ramon and Doll Matlock took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller Sunday. Miss Ellie Cason and Willie Daniel took dinner with Ruby McKan Sunday. The following took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Godwin Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Salyer Inez and James, and John, the three sons of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kelum and children, Wilbur Salyer and wife, all of Brownwood, and Lillie Belle Jenkins Darrell Godwin. They all enjoyed a good dinner and a nice time. Rev. Cooper and wife spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gorman at this place. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Owings ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jenkins Sunday.

WEARY BILL COLLECTOR: Your account has been running for a long time, Mr. JONES. Exactly, sir. It must be very tired. Let's just let it lie for awhile.—Answers. THAT TRAIT ALL HUSBAND (to wife who has been shopping): What do you want with a new frock? WIFE: How thoughtful of you, darling! Of course I'd like a new hat to go with it.—Punch.

THE BALL-BEARING CREAM SEPARATOR. This is the Machine that set the pace in modernizing the Cream Separator. The McCormick-Deering Ball-Bearing Cream Separators are Best by Test. Come in and see this separator, or we will bring one out to your farm and demonstrate it. We can also furnish you with a Refrigerator or Ice Box to take care of your cream and milk. Whenever you need Hardware or Implements—Come to see us. "WE DELIVER ANYWHERE" Brownwood Implement Company. McCormick-Deering Dealers. Hardware—Tractors—Implements. Brownwood, Texas. Phone 179.

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Franke's Candy Factory. Big Values in Refrigerators. WHEN you buy a Refrigerator make your choice with care. A "cheap" refrigerator is an extravagance—wastes ice, does not properly protect food, and it soon wears out. For a little more you can buy the famous GLACIER Sanitary Refrigerator with its 1 1/2-inch Pressed Corkboard Insulation, its seamless porcelain food chamber, its scientific system of dry air circulation. The Glacier Refrigerator is built to give years of steady service. It saves ice as well as food. Come in and let us show you its many superiorities. We have a variety of sizes, styles and prices. G. L. Bowden Furniture Co. 101 Center Avenue.

"Well Worth It!" The extra trousers give you two Suits for the price of one. Why not convince yourself? Our \$25.00 specials for this week-end offer the finest of tailoring and of fabric in this double-wear feature, and we suggest that you see what this means to you. White attending the Pure Food Show next week, drop in and let us show you the newest Spring Styles. King's BAKERS' SUPPLY BROWNWOOD

The Fifth Annual Pure Food Show And Manufacturer's Exhibit --- April 25 - 30

COCA COLA BOTTLING CO. VALUABLE ASSET TO BROWN COUNTY

A very common and yet attractive picture that is seen on most all advertisements of Coca Cola is that of a beautiful young lady, usually dressed in sporting attire, on the beach, the soft links or other similar pieces of pleasure, and this beauty always has in hand or near a bottle of the famous beverage. The whole picture represents contentment, cleanliness, the entire aspect being very appealing and refreshing, but even with all of this, seldom if ever do the millions who drink this favorite beverage give much thought to the methods used in the manufacture or preparation of the drink for the public.

To fully appreciate the truthness of the impression created by the famous advertisement of Coca Cola one needs only to step into the Brownwood Coca Cola Bottling Plant, located at 405 Hawkins street and there watch the process of bottling this favorite beverage for the thirsty public. The daily program begins each morning with the preparation of the syrups and other ingredients, this being done in a screened in enclosure that is as spotlessly clean as any housewife's kitchen. After this is completed the containers of syrup that have been prepared are put in place and the machinery is started. The bottles are placed in the machine and from that time until they are filled and capped human hands have nothing to do but watch and see that all goes well. The bottles are thoroughly washed and then are carried by the machinery to the spigots that drop down into the mouth of each bottle and pour forth the exact amount of ingredients. Another slight touch and the bottle is capped and carried out of the way where a man stands ready to pick the filled bottle up and examine it by passing it over a light in order to detect any flaw that might be in the bottle or any foreign substance that perhaps could have gotten into the bottle. Such is the daily routine of the local Coca Cola Bottling Company that supplies this popular drink to the many thirsty men, women and children in this section of the state.

When any one orders a bottle of Coca Cola that comes from the local Coca Cola plant they are assured that their drink is absolutely sanitary, made in a sanitary plant by skilled workmen.

Many counties are served in this section of the state by this popular concern. The capacity of the local company is between one thousand and fifteen hundred cases daily. The company is under the management of J. Claude Smith and Hugh Latham.

31 Members of Troop 5 Attend Friday Meeting

Scout Troop 5 met at troop headquarters Friday evening at 7:30. The four patrols went immediately into their meetings where they attended to all patrol business and discussions.

At the close of these meetings, each patrol was sent in a separate direction to find a package containing instructions for the Patrol Leader. About thirty minutes was consumed in finding and following the instructions in the packages, the patrols being in action for that length of time with the patrol leaders in charge.

Hold Troop Meet
The four patrols reassembled at Scoutmaster Rogan's home where the troop meeting was held. A big fire was built in an adjacent lot and the boys gathered around for their business meeting. Each patrol leader reported the business attended to and the experiences encountered during the evening's hike.

Plans were made for a hike to be held next Wednesday evening, and all day Thursday, dependent upon a holiday from the schools. Announcements made included the following: The Scoutmaster Patrol Leader Powe will meet Sunday at 2:30 p. m., the bicycle patrol will meet Monday afternoon at 4:30 p. m. During the closing period the troop was entertained by Scout John Paul Kilgore with humorous readings. A few songs were sung and the troop dismissed to meet again Wednesday afternoon at 7:30 for an overnight hike to the troop cabin at Lakewood. Thirty-one were in attendance at the Friday night meeting.

The troop was to assist in patrolling the grounds for the Lion's club Easter egg hunt at Coggin Park.

Less than one per cent of the beef produced in the United States is exported.

In this issue of the Banner-Bulletin will be found many advertisements from business firms of Brownwood in regard to the Pure Food Show which is to be staged at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial Hall April 25th to 30th, inclusive, being an entire week of recreation and enjoyment, while at the same time featuring a vast number of very fine features in the industrial life and growth of Brownwood.

This is the fifth annual Pure Food Show to be held in Brownwood, and goes to show, in fact is conclusive evidence that the work done by these shows is not only of importance, but is growing of importance, and that they have come to be regarded as permanent industrial assets of Brownwood and of the Brownwood country.

The show is sponsored by the women of the First Methodist Church, and has been for the last five years. When the first show was put on five years ago, it was undertaken with no very encouraging prospects. But it was a complete success, and each show since that time has not only been a success but has been of much larger volume and of more importance in every way. The show is made up of exhibits placed by the merchants and business people of Brownwood. The people who will have exhibits, will see that their offering, so far as displayed is concerned, is placed in the most attractive form, so that it will not fail to attract attention. The object of each exhibitor, of course, is to show in the concrete form, and in an attractive way, his business or at least the leading features of his business at a glance. This is a splendid way to advertise and the business people of Brownwood have found it out a quite awhile ago.

The Pure Food Show is one of the permanent assets of Brownwood. It will be noticed by giving it a close personal study that it is simply a co-operative business program on the part of all the people, and it is this co-operative feature that makes it so interesting. As long as this spirit of co-operation prevails the future is secured, so far as local business development is concerned. With several new added attractions this year's Pure Food Show promises to surpass all other shows in the number and attractiveness of exhibits.

Knights Templar Easter Services Held in Coleman

Easter Services of the Knights Templar were held at the First Baptist church in Coleman Sunday, with Rev. C. E. Lancaster in charge. Brownwood Commandary No. 22 left here at 9 o'clock Sunday morning for Coleman.

About 40 members went with Commander G. E. Berry from here. Luncheon was served by the Coleman Knights to 120 persons, including members and their families. The services were well attended by other Coleman people, it was said.

Brownwood Manufacturing Plants

While Brownwood has a large number of manufacturing plants, it would be better for the community generally if the number in operation could be doubled. The basis of the right kind of manufacturing plant is that it gives employment to labor and that money received by labor is turned into the never-ending channels of local trade by the labor which gets its pay from the manufacturing enterprises. Of course this is sound philosophy, for if Brownwood had a large number of manufacturing concerns, which have remunerative employment to labor, all the time, a vast amount of money would be thrown into the channels of trade.

But there is another angle, from which to view the operation of manufacturing enterprises and that is from the standpoint of being able to convert unmarketable raw material into marketable products, or something the people need, and for which they are willing to pay a fair price. It was the idea that led to the establishment of a large number of poultry yards in Brown county, and it was that idea that led to the location of the big Santa Fe rock crusher and the huge brick plant that is just being started at Brownwood—the conversion of raw and unmarketable material into material that was in demand and which supplies the public with something that is needed. No community can hope

to take important position in the line of progressive industry, unless it has a large number of manufacturing enterprises. History is replete with towns and cities that have grown, started in a most satisfactory way and then failed, simply because they did not possess that inherent principle of self-perpetuation—manufacturing enterprises that created a demand, by converting raw products into marketable products, giving employment to labor and encouraging the creation of the raw material on which the manufacturing enterprise depended for its existence. Brownwood, while very fortunate in having many manufacturing enterprises, needs as many. It is one of the designs and hopes of the Pure Food Show, to bring out these things and emphasize them in such way that they may be readily appreciated and understood by all the people.

A new grain elevator of a very large capacity is an added attraction for the Austin Mill & Grain Co., which will be built right away. When this is completed no doubt it will be the largest of its kind in this part of the State. Another important enterprise which has just been installed is the new cream route by the Austin Manufacturing Company, which serves the whole county and is of great advantage to the farmers.

CRYSTAL ICE CO. HAS GROWN MUCH SINCE INSTALLED

The Crystal Ice Company, located at 600 East Lee Street, was constructed by Mr. J. L. Thomas, who has been a citizen of Brownwood for many years, and was formerly in the lumber business. Mr. Thomas opened the ice plant for operation on November 1st, 1924. The plant was originally a fifteen-ton daily capacity; but the first year's operation was compelled to be added another complete unit of fifteen tons, which now makes a daily capacity of thirty tons. In addition to the ice capacity, there is 40,000 cubic feet of cold storage, which makes it possible to handle large quantities of perishable products. The plant now handles product poultry, fresh meats and etc., for the following concerns that are doing business in Brownwood.

Armour & Company are using two large hold storage rooms in their packing house products; Swift & Company handle their poultry and eggs through the plant; The Witcher Produce Co. handle large car shipments of poultry and eggs; Schenecker Produce have three cold storage rooms, as well as dry storage for their entire produce business, handling fruit and vegetables in car lot shipments.

The plant operation was under the direct management of the founder, Mr. J. L. Thomas, with Mr. J. M. Bowman, as sales manager, until January 1st, 1927, at which time the management of the business was turned over to Mr. Bowman, who is now in charge of the business.

In a statement to the news writer, Mr. Bowman says that the remarkable success of the Crystal Ice Co. has been due to the vision of its founder, Mr. Thomas, to that of rendering a real service to the people, and there is no matter so small for the close of attention, of its management, when it may be of

a service to the customers of the plant.

The Crystal Ice Co. is the most modern equipment that can be bought, a raw water system, treated and filtered water which is indorsed by all leading health authorities as the most modern system of pure ice manufacturing.

Through the treating and filtering process, all hard and alkali matters are removed, the treatment of the water not only purifies the water, but makes it soft and the water is not exposed to the atmosphere from the source of supply to the ice cans where it is frozen into a pure crystal clear block of ice.

Mr. Bowman extends a hearty invitation to the public to visit the plant and assures all that it will be a pleasure to show them through the plant, and explain any thing pertaining to the manufacturing of a pure ice.

Hartgroves Well, Concho Co., Has Showing at 2,580

The well on the Hartgroves ranch in Concho county, on which reports have been made here from time to time, and which has been watched with considerable interest by oil men in this section, is reported as having another good showing at 2,580 feet. Five and three-eighths casing is being set today and the well may be drilled in tomorrow, it is stated.

The average English family of five persons drinks 35 pounds of tea annually.

NOW SHIPPING—Porto Rico Sweet Potato Linn. express, 3,000, \$7.50, postpaid; 1,000, \$2.75; 500, \$1.75. Tomatoes, 3,000, \$3.25, postpaid; 1,000, \$1.75; 500, \$1.00. Sweet Peppers, postpaid, 1,000 \$4.00; 500, \$2.25. Count and arrival guaranteed. White or wire for prices on large quantities. SEWELL COMPANY, Texas Pioneer Plant Shippers, Pearsall, Texas.

PASTORS EXCHANGE
Rev. Henry Francis, of Vega, Texas, will serve as pastor of the May Methodist Church, an exchange having been made recently with the pastor of that church, Rev. Hester, the latter to go to Vega. Rev. Francis will spend several days with his son, Bruce M. Francis and family, in Brownwood.

Employe of Ice Factory is Badly Injured by Saw

While sawing ice, Roy Davis, an employe of the Brownwood Ice & Fuel Co., in some way got his right foot caught in a circular saw and received an ugly gash on the inside of his foot. Mr. Davis was rushed to a local hospital for treatment and statements coming from the hospital today report that he is resting very well. Hospital attendants have not been able to determine whether it will be necessary to amputate any part of his foot. The accident occurred about four o'clock Monday afternoon. The saw cut through Mr. Davis' shoe, through the flesh part of the foot and sawed into the bone just above the big toe.

Jury Dismissed After Hearing of Anderson Trial

In the Brown county court now in session the case of the state of Texas versus Claude Anderson, charged with the theft of an automobile casing in July, 1926, from a car parked on Austin avenue near the Brownwood senior high school, was called and both the defense and the state answered ready for trial. This case was tried last October but resulted in a hung jury. The case went to the jury this morning about 11:30 and at 2:30 this afternoon the jury reported that they could not agree, so Judge Davis dismissed them.

The case of C. B. Snody, charged with adultery and called for trial when court was resumed at 1:30 this afternoon. The state answered ready but the defense read a motion for continuance, claiming that some of the material witnesses were not present although they had been summoned. Judge Davis over-ruled their motion and the case went to trial.

BROWNWOOD ICE AND FUEL CO. QUARTER OF CENTURY BROWNWOOD

Twenty-two years ago the Brownwood Ice and Fuel Company began its business career in Brownwood from a very modest beginning until now it is one of the leading industries in the city or in this section of the state. At all times its growth has been in keeping with the industrial expansion of the city. It might be well and truthfully said that a sure indication of the progress of any town is marked by the growth and expansion of its ice and fuel business. As in the past fuel is an absolute necessity to every household. The growth and continued development and business expansion of the Brownwood Fuel and Ice Co., constitutes an important chapter in the history of Brownwood. The people of this city count it an absolute necessity to keep the company during the greater part of the year and even during winter artificial ice is still a necessity to many phases of business.

The plant of the Brownwood Ice and Fuel Company is being constantly enlarged in order to keep pace with the development of the city until at the present time it is one of the largest in this section of the state. In addition to the daily capacity of the plant it has a storage capacity of at least 600 tons and fifty thousand cubic feet of cold storage room on hand ready to supply not only the demand of the moment but to meet any emergency that might arise. Too much cannot be said in praise of the Brownwood Ice and Fuel Company as an asset worth while to Brownwood. The advertisement of this big enterprise appears elsewhere in the Banner-Bulletin this week.

A special invitation is given every person in Brown county to visit this plant and see how this pure, wholesome necessity is manufactured.

Canada claims to have the largest trading balance per head of any country in the world.

Behind Our Trade Mark CAKE FLOUR AND GOLD ARROW ARROW FEEDS

There stands a far-reaching organization, backed by a quarter of a century milling experience and sound business principles. Our name on our products means our unlimited guarantee behind them.

Visit the Pure Food Show All Next Week



"Satisfied Customers Means More Customers"



CAKE FLOUR
"Satisfies Them All"
The Flour With a Reputation
Secure your Flour from one of the many Brownwood dealers who handle it.

GOLD ARROW
Signifies a Line of Poultry Feed as complete as can be found, and is manufactured in the Heart of Texas, using Texas-grown products throughout our plant.

Austin Mill & Grain Co.
MODERN MILLERS

The Merchants of Brownwood request the readers of this paper to note their advertisements and see the display that many of them will have at THE PURE FOOD SHOW, April 25th to 30th.

White Crest

is the flour by which all other high grade flours are judged. This will make Looney Mercantile Company's 18th year of handling this flour.

Walker-Smith Company contracted for 50 cars of White Crest for their various wholesale houses—Which, in our judgment, is a very high compliment to the quality of this flour.

Order it in 6-12-24 and 48 lb. sacks from



Looney Mercantile Company
Adams Cash and Carry No. 1 and 2
BE SURE AND VISIT THE WHITE CREST BOOTH AT THE PURE FOOD SHOW

Leper Cured

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—(AP)—The New Orleans States said today that a five year old Minnesota girl had been dismissed from the United States leprosarium at Carville, Louisiana, as cured of leprosy. The child came to the colony two and a half years ago with her mother who still is there. Under the Chalmers oil treatment her condition improved steadily until she was pronounced cured. She has been adopted by a Minnesota family. The disease, once thought incurable, now is being cured by the Chalmers oil treatment, the efficacy of which was discovered by Dr. Esadore Dyer, member of the Tulane University faculty and president of the first board of control of the Louisiana leper home.

PROGRAM IS OUTLINED FOR MAY CONVENTION OF MID-TEXAS PRESS

The Mid-Texas Press Association will hold its first semi-annual convention in this city May 13. The association was organized here last September and this will be the first meeting of the association since its organization at that time. H. F. Mayes of the Mayes Printing Company, was elected as the first president of the association, and H. M. Jones of the Brownwood Printing Company, was elected secretary-treasurer of the organization. H. H. Jackson, of Coleman, James C. White of Brownwood and M. S. Sellers of Rising Star comprise the executive committee of the association. R. L. Scott of DeLeon, Harry F. Schwenger of Brady and H. M. Jones of Brownwood, who were appointed as members of the program committee to arrange the program for the one-day session May 13, met Friday afternoon and outlined what promises to be a very interesting program for that date.

Program Outlined
As outlined by the committee the program for the first semi-annual session will be as follows:

- "Does it Pay to Carry an Advertising Message?" H. H. Jackson, Coleman. Round table discussion of this subject, H. F. Schwenger.
- "Is a Sliding Scale for Newspaper Advertising Practical?" Troy Simpson, Ballinger. Round table discussion by Glenn Hill of Winters.
- "Discussion of Texas Press Weeklies," W. A. Smith, San Saba.
- "How to distinguish between good and bad advertising agencies," John M. Aiton of Hico.
- "Should papers take stands in civic affairs," James C. White, of Brownwood.
- "Benefits of establishing friendly relations between competitive newspapers in the same town," R. F. Helges, of Stephenville.
- "How to arrive at proper job printing costs," R. L. Scott, DeLeon.
- "Is the profession of printing and publishing as honorable and remunerative as other lines the editor might engage in," M. S. Sellers of Rising Star.
- "How is the best method of getting country correspondence?" John T. Williamson of Coleman.
- "Should advertising be run on the front page," J. J. Gregg of Santa Anna.
- "Is a newspaper publisher ever to be excused for grafting on the public?" H. F. Schwenger of Brady.

Many Gamblers in Police Dragnet Over the Week-End

C. S. Thigpen, assistant chief of police, and Carl Adams, city detective, had a busy week-end with gamblers which culminated Sunday night with the arrest of nine that were dining at one game, eight negroes and one white man. The nine arrested in that game brought the total number of gamblers arrested by these two officers to 21 after noon Saturday. Two other games that were broken up and the participants arrested netted 12 men, five white men in one game and seven negroes in the other. One "vag" was rounded up to bring the total number of arrests by these two men to 22. The city jail was filled to capacity Sunday night and some of the prisoners had to be transferred to the county jail.

LEAGUE PROGRAM FOR APRIL

Subject—New League Year Program.
Leader—League President.
Scripture—Reference to be selected by leader.
Song—"More Like the Master."
Prayer—Leader.
Song—Roll Call by Secretary.
President's Address on the plans for the new year.
The Duty of First Department Superintendent by First Department Superintendent.
Dues—Mrs. H. L. Moore and Louise Baker.
The Duty of the Second Department Superintendent by Second Department Superintendent.
The Duty of Third Department Superintendent by Third Department Superintendent.
Song.
Announcements.
Benediction.
Program—Subjects to be gotten from League Handbooks, and by new officers to be elected Friday night, April 22-27.
Every one is invited.

SCOTS TO SNUB KING
GLASGOW.—Labor members of the Glasgow city council have decided that when King George and Queen Mary visit this city next July there will be no official honor accorded them. The Socialists hold the majority in the council and no one can over-ride the snub.

MERCHANTS OF BROWNWOOD TO SEND TEACHERS FROM BOTH COUNTY AND CITY SCHOOLS TO COOL COLORADO FOR VACATION.

All teachers in public schools, either in the city of Brownwood or in Brown County outside the city, have an opportunity to get this wonderful free trip with railroad fare, Pullman fare, both ways, and all expenses for 30 days paid, or its equivalent in cash. Only one teacher will be sent from each group, so the rural teachers will not be in competition with the city teachers. This is done to prevent any possibility of both being elected from the same group. If you are a teacher in a public school anywhere in Brown County it would be advisable for you to tell your classes that you want this trip and thereby enlist their support in your behalf. Voting will start in a few days and your school will soon be out, so you had better start your campaign while your students are still with you. We will furnish you all particulars and a list of the merchants who are making this possible. Your friends will appreciate this opportunity for your pleasure and will trade with these merchants and give the votes to you. We can tell you how to get a fine vote, if you will take our counsel NOW. Come in and register at headquarters, second floor Ellis building, corner of Fisk and East Baker Sts., entrance at 213 1/2 E. Baker.

Rosenfield Et Al Get Small Well on Smith Tract

The well of Rosenfield et al on the Smith tract northeast of the Fry field has been completed for small producer. The production is reported as around 15 barrels a day.

DRILLING IN OWENS WELL

The Owens Oil Company well on the Sewall land, J. M. Steiner survey, which has shut down last week with a good showing of oil at the top of the sand to await casing, is being drilled in this afternoon. The well is four miles west of Brooksmith.

RIGHT DRESS

"Don't you wish you was a boy again, Abner?"
"Sure. Then I could travel half fare."—Smith Weekly.

CHAMBER COMMERCE MAKES PLANS ATTEND WICHITA FALLS MEET

Plans to attend the convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held at Wichita Falls, May 16-17 were discussed at the meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and Young Men's Business League today. J. M. Harrison, special representative of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, met with the directors, and Secretary Carl Blassig of the Brady Chamber was also at today's session. A special train will probably go from here with delegates from Brownwood, Brady, Coleman and possibly other cities. A monster band, including members of the Old Gray Mare, Howard Payne College, Blue Devils and Daniel Baker Hill Billies, will go from here. Musicians from neighboring cities will also be asked to co-operate. The band will be used to advertise the proposed "Heart of Texas" organization. A. C. Cox will be in charge of the band. A sponsor for Brownwood will be named soon.

Storm Relief Funds

The question of raising funds for the relief of Rocksprings was brought up by Secretary Hilton Burks, Secretary Day of the Rocksprings body, a former citizen here, was in Brownwood Saturday. He stated that the Red Cross was in charge of the rehabilitation of the town and that they would care for those who were destitute, and for widows and orphans. Funds are urgently needed, he said. A resolution was passed asking the mayor and the president of the Chamber of Commerce to call for assistance. Mr. Burks was instructed to confer with the presidents of the local luncheon clubs.

E. J. Weatherly spoke of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church which is to meet here in a three day session beginning Tuesday. A motion was made that the entertainment committee be instructed to aid in the task of entertaining the visitors.

Bluford Adams, chairman of the budget committee, asked that aid be given him, and J. H. McKee and Tom DeHann were appointed to help in this work.

Modern Electrical Equipped Kitchen
Being Displayed by us at the—
PURE FOOD SHOW
NEXT WEEK
Call and secure information on Electric Ranges, Refrigerators, Washers, and other electric household labor saving devices.
Texas Power and Light Co.

This district Led by Brown County With 13 Producers

The Lone Star State oil areas, notably West Texas, the Panhandle, Central and North fields, joined hands the last fiscal week to lead the midcontinent oil district, says a summary in the Dallas News under an Amarillo date line. Of the 264 official completions in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas, 147 were oil wells with an initial flow of 70,213 barrels. Seven gas wells made 135,000,000 cubic feet a day. Dry holes totaled 105. The four Texas areas had eighty-two oil wells for an initial of 35,566 barrels, compared with 33,942 barrels from Oklahoma's fifty-three oil wells, Kansas had twelve oil wells doing 605 barrels. The summary follows: Texas 82 oil wells and 57 dry holes for an initial production of 35,566 barrels; Oklahoma 53 oil wells, 10 gas wells, 32 dry holes for 33,942 barrels of oil and 128,000,000 cubic feet of gas; Kansas 12 oil wells, 2 gas wells, 15 dry holes for 605 barrels and 7,000,000 cubic feet of gas; total 147 oil wells, 12 gas wells, 105 dry holes for 70,213 barrels of oil and 135,000,000 cubic feet of gas. West Texas took the lead to put Texas ahead of Oklahoma. Crane County had four wells making 10,434 barrels, Upton had five doing 4,340 barrels, Winkler one for 2,100 barrels, Reagan two doing 400 barrels, Jones one for 233 barrels and Howard one for sixty five barrels. North Texas Texas was also active. Brown county led with thirteen wells making 6,700 barrels. Archer had five for 1,010 barrels. Cooke five doing 285, Eastland three for 595, Coleman three for 50 barrels, Jack one for 35 barrels, Montague two for 10 barrels, Shackelford ten for 597, Throckmorton one for 145, Wilbarger one doing 65 and Young one for 20. In the Panhandle the eight wells in Carson led the 2,920 barrels, 12 in Hutchinson made 2,000 barrels and three in Wheeler made 1,925 barrels.

AUSTIN MILL & GRAIN TO DOUBLE CAPACITY WITH LARGE ELEVATOR

Perhaps the leading industrial agency in Brownwood and surrounding country is the Austin Mill & Grain Company, manufacturers of several high grades of flour and other kindred products among which might be mentioned the famous Cold Arrow brand of different kinds of produce. Although for the past decade or two in the history of Brownwood and Brown county the Austin Mill & Grain Company has been simply carrying for the small grain crops raised in this section of the state, the company officials have seen fit to double their present capacity by building a large concrete grain elevator. The new elevator will face on Washington street at the side of the present warehouse just south of the flour mill and will be built of concrete throughout. The ground measurements of the new structure will be 37 by 82 feet and will consist of eight tanks, all of which will tower in the sky 90 feet above the ground, these to be surmounted by a headhouse 30 feet high that will give a total height of 120 feet. With the completion of the new elevator the storage capacity of the

Austin Mill & Grain Company will be more than doubled the present storage plant now being able to care for 140,000 bushels and when the new plant is finished 300,000 bushels of grain can be stored in all of the elevators. This new addition to the present storage plants will represent an expenditure of approximately \$80,000, according to the statement of Henry Stallings, president of the company. The Stevens Engineering Company of St. Louis is in charge of the work which was begun several weeks ago.

The Austin Mill & Grain Company has been of untold value to the wheat growing industry in this and surrounding counties for many years and with the erection of these added facilities assurance is given to the farmers in this section of the state that their products will always have a ready market close at hand. One of the chief benefits to be derived by the farmers is the ease and quickness with which grain can be handled by the new elevator. The modern facilities to be installed will unload a truck full of grain in two or three minutes, or at the rate of 100 bushels per minute.

The Austin Mill & Grain Company was organized in 1884. Their present plant has risen from a very modest beginning until the holding company includes the downtown office and retail store located at Fisk and Lee streets; a large hay barn on East Anderson street; the large flour mill and powerhouse in connection, their feed mill and three large warehouses.

About one year ago the company began a big expansion program when the feed mill was installed and the manufacture of Gold Arrow feeds on a large scale was begun. The building of the new elevator is only a part of the expansion program inaugurated at this time. This feed business of the firm is being almost doubled by the installation of a new feed grinder.

The officers of this outstanding company are: Henry Stallings, president; W. P. Logan, vice president; and Louis Walker, Jr., secretary and treasurer.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT FOR APRIL 17

On Easter Sunday the attendance at the Brownwood Sunday Schools was 2,997, 25 more than the previous Sunday. The report follows:

First Baptist	541
First Methodist	454
Coggin Ave. Baptist	439
Church of Christ	331
Central Methodist	331
First Christian	290
First Presbyterian	200
Austin Ave. Presbyterian	115
Melwood Ave. Baptist	100
Belle Plain Baptist	98
Johnson Memorial Methodist	68
Edwards St. Presbyterian	43
Central Methodist Mission	41

Feeding Thousands

That's what we have been doing for nearly thirty-five years—distributing pure foods to the multitudes.

You are especially invited to visit our booth at the Pure Food Show, where we will be serving that excellent

PECAN VALLEY BRAND COFFEE

If you are not now using this brand, come to our booth and try it. Let us prove to you this wonderful Coffee is really in a class by itself.

We will not be satisfied until you try it; after you try it you will be satisfied with nothing else.

Buy It From All First Class Grocers

Walker-Smith Co.

Twenty-Two Years of Service!

Manufacturing Pure Ice — Meeting the Demands of the People in Every Particular

Almost a quarter of a century ago the Brownwood Ice & Fuel Company opened for business with a small ten-ton plant, and during each year has enlarged and developed to meet the needs of this fast growing city until today it ranks with the largest, best equipped ice plants in the state—a plant of seventy-five tons daily capacity and 600 tons ice storage capacity. And in addition to the daily manufacturing capacity, has a cold storage capacity of fifty thousand cubic feet. It is now using all modern equipment and rendering to its customers, a service unexcelled.

Steadily growing from year to year in an ever widening circle of industrial influence and capacity for service; keeping always abreast of the times in modern machinery and facilities until now it is unsurpassed anywhere in the great southwest.

Many times in the past several years excessive demands throughout the country, especially during the hot season, have taxed the capacity of the various plants throughout the South to their utmost and in some instances plants have at times had to limit the citizens of their communities to a certain extent daily, in order to serve the whole community. But there has never been a time in Brownwood when this plant was not able to furnish any customer with all the ice they needed or wanted.

We appreciate to the fullest extent our obligation to the public and shall always use every energy towards giving this city and its surrounding territory a product which is pure and a service which is dependable.

Our Success is Due to Public Confidence and Public Confidence Was Built on Service

There Is No Substitute for Ice!

BROWNWOOD ICE & FUEL CO.

Pure Food Show Week

Specials

LOOK!

We handle the famous line of SUN-KIST Products of canned goods.

Attend the demonstrations and know the value of these delicious foods and then buy them at ALL-BRIGHTS where there are savings on every purchase.

We also have everything in good groceries, just BRIGHTS where there are savings on every purchase of a few of which we list here

THE SUN-KIST LINE OF CANNED GOODS.

- BRAZOS COFFEE, 3 lb. \$0.50
- PEABERRY COFFEE, 4 lbs. \$1.00
- MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE, 1 lb. 55c
- 8 lb. WILSON SHORTENING \$1.15
- 8 lb. FLAKE WHITE SHORTENING \$1.15
- 48 lb. SACK FLOUR \$1.90

J. E. ALLBRIGHT

"ON THE SQUARE"

CROSLEY RADIOS

BETTER • COST LESS
GILLIAM RADIO-CYCLE STORE

213 FISK PHONE 110

THE HOME of GOOD EATS

KEMP GROCERY CO

We Give S. & H. Stamps - Save Them - They are Valuable
305 Fisk Avenue Phone 530

A New and Growing Industry

The Keen Bottling Company, located near the Santa Fe railroad yards, is a comparatively new industry in Brownwood as the company is just completing their second year of business in this city. The Keen Company celebrated their first anniversary at the Pure Food Show held last year. The company had a very attractive booth at the show last year and announce that they plan to have a booth again during the food show next week.

Much progress has been made during the past year, the plant has been enlarged until the capacity of the plant has been almost doubled. New machinery has been installed. A new and most modern washer and sterilizer has been added to the equipment which assures all who drink from one of these bottles that they are thoroughly cleaned and sterilized. Each and every bottle is closely inspected and sterilized in boiling water at a temperature of from 120 to 140 degrees.

All the syrups that are used in the making of the various sodas and drinks manufactured by the company are cooked which guarantees to the consumer perfect sanitation and a product that one does not get in many bottled beverages.

Roy McDonald is manager of the Keen Bottling Company, and he is an experienced man having had many years of experience in the bottled beverage business. The Company has a fleet of trucks that deliver their products to all sections of the city and to the surrounding towns in this and adjoining counties.

The Keen Bottling Company invites one and all to visit their booth at the Pure Food Show to be held here next week.

HOME INDUSTRIES

The universal desire to patronize home industries is evidence of this great fact of human existence—the natural instinct of self preservation. A man's first duty and inclination is to provide for himself and his own. His next is to help his neighbors to provide for themselves. This is the beginning of the community spirit.

Extended still further, the community becomes a state and the state a nation. Therefore, when people of a community, and logically of the nation as a whole, is achieved when each community within reasonable limit has first to heed its own welfare. Thus not only is interest in one's immediate community not to be disparaged but it is highly desirable for individuals, their neighbors, and the county as a whole. This is analogous to the spirit which is so highly prevalent in our own section, and indeed in most of our state, as a whole—probably more so in Texas than in any other state—that endeavors to first promote home industries and keep home money at home. It is human nature for one to want first to make his home town great before adding his endeavors to the common one which help one's neighbors, other sections, and other states.

Walker-Smith Company are pioneer wholesale grocers of this section. Since the beginning of their career, it has been their policy to sell high grade merchandise and deal fairly with their customers. When first they established the large candy factory which now stands as a monument to years of work given for the community, their slogan was to make and sell only high class confections. The same idea prevailed when the small factory was established for making Pecan Valley Peanut Butter, and now the large factory, enabled to ship more than eight thousand pounds of the famous Pecan Valley Peanut Butter daily, stands virtually saying in so many words, "The people of this community, this section, and this state appreciate honest values." Also when the coffee roasting plant was first established, the amount of equipment was small, the capacity being only large enough to take care of the demands of the two houses—Brownwood and San Angelo, handled at the time. More equipment has been added from time to time, and a few years ago when the plant was moved from Galveston to Brownwood, the most modern equipment that was to be had was installed. Now the plant is not the largest but as modern as can be found in the state, with a capacity of ten thousand pounds daily, turns out the famous Pecan Valley Brand for distribution not only by the Company's branches, scattered throughout Texas, but by selected distributors in the surrounding states as well.

More than one hundred men are on this Company's local pay roll. Their homes are in this community; their salaries are spent with home people, helping to build up local commercial enterprises. Local schools, churches, and to pay local taxes. They offer their products to the consuming public, knowing that nothing better can be obtained. They say to the local merchants, "Tell your trade that every item purchased from you, sold by us to you, must be as represented."

This is one of Brownwood's big institutions of which the community is justly proud. They are among the consistent exhibitors at the Pure Food Show.

SATURDAY'S FRY POOL RUN WAS 18,000

The pipe line run from the Fry pool last Saturday was 18,000 barrels. Some good new production has been added to the field since that time.

I HAVE several nice ranches for sale ranging in size from 1,500 acres to 14,000 acres, at very attractive prices, all located within two hours drive of Fort Worth. Address W. P. Jullif, Granbury, Texas.

Prisoners Grateful for Services Held on Sunday Evening

The inmates of the Brown county jail express their appreciation of the services conducted for them every Sunday afternoon by the Howard Payne college students and they also express their sincere thanks to Mrs. G. E. Cameron and the members of the Junior Epworth League of the First Methodist church for the company extended the prisoners last Sunday afternoon, according to a statement given out by the prisoners for publication. In regard to the services by Mrs. Cameron and the Epworth League the prisoners have the following to say: "We enjoyed the songs, we enjoyed the refreshments and most of all we enjoyed Mrs. Cameron's Bible lesson and the little children who accompanied Mrs. Cameron with a wonderful lot of lovely flowers."

The communication was not signed by the prisoners but was handed to Sheriff White with the request that he in turn give it to The Bulletin for publication.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IS PLANNING TRAIN TO WICHITA FALLS

Hilton Burks, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and Young Men's Business League, is working today in an effort to complete plans for the special train to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention to be held at Wichita Falls May 15-17.

J. M. Harrison, special representative from Wichita Falls, who was here Monday, is in Coleman today. Mr. Burks is expecting word from Comanche today. It is proposed to send a special train from here which will carry delegates from Brownwood, Coleman, Comanche, Brady, San Saba, and possibly other towns. Bluford Adams, chairman, J. H. McKee and Tom Dezman are working on the collection of subscriptions to the Chamber of Commerce budget. A final report will probably be ready some time this week.

The board of directors of the Brown County Fair Association are to meet at the Chamber of Commerce rooms this afternoon. Misses Carrie Reaves, and Mayest Malone, and other women interested in the fair work, are to meet with the board.

Mr. Berks has bought a home on the corner of Coggin and Fifth Streets and will move his family from Comanche May 1st, he stated this morning.

Negro is Convicted in Connection With Wrecking of Wagon

In county court Monday afternoon the case of the State of Texas versus Son Davis, charging him with aggravated assault in connection with an accident that occurred on the Brownwood-Bangs road last

May, was called and tried. The state alleged that Davis, due to negligent driving, struck a wagon with his car while driving from Bangs to Brownwood. Curtis Alexander, a youth who was in the wagon, was thrown to the ground when his team became frightened and ran away, receiving a broken leg in the accident. Davis claimed that he was blinded by the lights of an approaching car and did not see the wagon until he had hit it, and also stated that he was not going more than 20 miles an hour when he struck the wagon. The jury, composed of J. K. Wilkes, T. C. Brown, W. E. Chambers, John T. Cason, H. Enfinger and Lee Sherrod, after deliberating less than 30 minutes returned a verdict of guilty and assessed Davis' punishment at a fine of \$25.00. Davis is a local negro and has been living in Brownwood for 17 years and has worked at the Brownwood compress most of that time.

Jury is Dismissed After Completion of Snody Hearing

In the case of the State of Texas versus C. B. Snody, charging him with adultery, tried in county court Tuesday afternoon the jury returned a verdict of guilty and assessed a \$100.00 fine as punishment. Following the completion of this trial Judge Davis dismissed the jury panel for this term of court.

The non-jury docket was called this morning and the case of the State of Texas versus J. H. Montgomery, charged with swindling was heard. The charges in this case were brought against Montgomery after he was alleged to have cashed several checks, totaling a little more than \$100.00, given on an Amarillo bank and signed by another man, made payable to Mr. Montgomery and indorsed by him when they were cashed.

After hearing the testimony of witnesses in the case of the State of Texas versus J. H. Montgomery charging him with swindling, Judge Davis withheld judgment pending action on the part of the defendant, or rather gave Mr. Montgomery a chance to make good on the checks.

Weekly ... WCNED: CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES
Worms and parasites in the intestines of children undermine health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the health or activity of the child. Price 50c. Sold by Camp-Bell Drug Co. (Adv.)

NOW SHIPPING—Porto Rico Sweet potato plants, Express 3,000 for \$7.50 postpaid, 1,000 for \$3.00, 500 for \$1.90. Tomatoes, 3,000, \$5.25 postpaid; 1,000, \$1.90; 500, \$1.10. Sweet peppers, postpaid 1,000, \$4.00; 500, \$2.25. Count and arrival guaranteed. Write or wire for prices on large quantities. STEWELL COMPANY, Texas Pioneer Plant Shippers, Pearall, Texas. —w15p



Alamo
ICE CREAM
"None Better"

A Home Product
Made From Brown
County Products by a
Home Institution.

Nothing so coolly
appeases the appetite as
fresh, fruit flavored Alamo
Ice Cream. It is so pure, so
tasty, so refreshing, that it
never tires the appetite.
Ice Cream made the Alamo
way—of rich cream,
sugar and pure fruit flavors
—is more than a tasty
delight.

Made in all popular flavors.
For sale at all leading
fountains.

Alamo
ICE CREAM
"None Better"

GOT SOMETHING TO SELL? USE A CLASSIFIED AD

PURE FOODS

Are to be Displayed all Next Week
at the Pure Food Show

We handle most every line of Nationally advertised high Grade merchandise, that you will find on demonstration at the Memorial Hall.

We are especially anxious that you give us an opportunity to show you our goods and quote you prices.

We hope you will attend the Pure Food Show all next week

And Visit Our Booth

—but don't fail to come to our New Self-Serve Store, only one block from the show, and buy your groceries for the week.

Special offerings will be given during the entire week, and our prices at all times are as low as is possible to sell good groceries.

WE INVITE YOU

Where Buying Means Saving

Mitchell & Hooper

"CASH IS KING"

Phone 1808 — Cor Fisk and Baker

Caution--Be Sure Each Drinks Are Bottled the "Coca-Cola way"

The manufacturers of Coca-Cola must meet the rigid requirements of the Coca-Cola Bottling Company of Atlanta, Ga., which insures the public against an inferior product. Cleanliness, purity and the methods employed must measure up to the standard.

BOTTLED SODAS

Our sodas are manufactured under the same restrictions and precautions as are used in the manufacture of Coca-Cola, thus assuring you in each and every bottle a product healthful and wholesome.

In the following flavors: Lime Squeeze, Orange Squeeze, Grape, Lemon, etc.
SEE OUR DEMONSTRATION AT THE PURE FOOD SHOW ALL NEXT WEEK

Coca-Cola
Bottling Co.

405 Hawkins



We Want You to Visit
Our Booth
at the Pure Food Show
—and see—
The
Kolster
Radio
Pecan Valley Electric Co.



One of the photos was that of a woman of 50.

"Broken Threads"

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE
To the home of PROF and MOL-
LIE ELWELL in Camdensville, Ind.,
one night in October of 1898, comes
MARTHA DALTON, a nurse, bearing
a woman who had fainted on
the train on which Martha had
been traveling.

Elwell is an artist. He has a son,
JIM, aged 15. Late that night twin
girls are born to the woman, who
dies without revealing her name.
The Elwells adopt the girls.
The story then moves forward 18
years. The twins, now growing to
beautiful womanhood, have been
named MARGARET and ELIZA-
BETH and nicknamed RUSTY and
BETTY.

America enters the World War
and Jim Elwell enlists. He then
discovers that one of the twins loves
him and he loves her. He tells his
mother this but does not tell her
why.

Over in France he is wounded in
his first big battle and sent to the
hospital. He is discharged again and
sent to the front and put in charge
of a machine gun detail. He goes
back to a creek for water and a
shell obliterates their nest, killing
him, including a JOHN POW-
ELL, whom Jim had promised to
small some letters for in the event of
his death. Jim removes Powell's
coat containing the letters, puts it
on and another shell explodes near-
by, destroying his memory. He is
taken to a hospital as John Pow-

ell, and James Elwell is reported
dead.

NOW BEGIN THE STORY
CHAPTER XVII
THE package left by the doctor
contained two addressed but un-
sealed letters and two small photo-
graphs. One of the photos was that
of a woman of fifty and the other a
pretty girl of twenty or thereabouts.
The nurse turned them over. On
the back of the first was written in
ink: "From Mother to Son—John W.
Powell, Jr., Newark, N. J., U. S. A."
On the other was the name, Helen
R. Craig.

She would write to both of them
that night, the nurse whispered soft-
ly to herself. She would mail his
letters to them. "I'll tell them he's
in the hospital here. But, oh, dear,"
she added a moment later, "I just
can't tell them the terrible shape
he is in."

Perhaps, she was thinking, he
would recover. Doctors couldn't al-
ways tell for certain how such a
case was going to turn out.
And so, because of the kindness
and pity in the heart of the young
nurse from New York, four letters,
two addressed to Mrs. John W.
Powell, Newark, New Jersey, and
two to Helen R. Craig, reached their
destinations on November 27th and
brought joy and thanksgiving to the
hearts of two who were close to de-
spair. Thus did destiny place her
pawns in the strange game she was
playing in the lives of a soldier in

"I—I don't understand," faltered
the mother.

The girl whirled on the nurse,
"Why that's not him!" burst from
her in a sharp cry. "That's not
John Powell. You've made a mis-
take. Somebody's made a mistake."

"I have not made any mistake,"
the nurse answered with positive as-
surance. "He's the John Powell
brought here from off the transport
from Brest. And he came from the
hospital at Metz, France, where—"

"But I tell you there IS a mis-
take!" interrupted the little mother
excitedly. "That isn't my son, John
Powell. Don't you suppose I know
my own boy when I see him? I
never saw this man before!"

The nurse retorted, stubbornly,
that she couldn't help that. "He's
the only John Powell we have, and
the pictures of both of you are in
that bag at the head of the bed."
They were turned over to us by
Lieutenant Cardy, who brought him
here. Wait, I'll get them."

She stepped quickly across and,
reaching into the bag brought out
two small photographs which she
held up for the inspection of the
visitors.

"Do you see?" she asked sharply.
"They are your pictures, and your
names are on the backs, too."

Mrs. Powell and Helen Craig stared
in bewilderment at the two pic-
tures.

"I can't understand it—oh, I can't
understand it at all," came in wail-
ing tones from the mother of John
Powell. Her voice trembled and her
chin began to quiver. "I can't under-
stand how this man has the photos
we—we sent to John in August and
why he's here now under my—my
son's name. There is a slight re-
semblance between him and John
and that is all. I tell you a terrible
mistake has been made somewhere!
Each of us received a letter from—
from John in November from that
hospital in France—in Metz. Oh,
my boy, my boy—what has become
of you?"

This outbreak was followed immedi-
ately by a hysterical breakdown and
the elderly woman sank into a
chair at the bedside, her frail body
shakes by sobs. Heart-breaking
grief, sudden and cruel, had replaced
the joy that had been hers for
weeks.

Helen Craig knelt down in front
of the little mother of the man she
had loved for years and had expect-
ed to marry on his return from the
war. She took the trembling hands
in her own.

"Don't give up, dearest," she said,
trying bravely to keep her own voice
from breaking. "There's been a ter-
rible mistake made somewhere, but
we'll hear from John soon. I am
sure."

The nurse stood by, a baffled ex-
pression on her face. "Could it be
that this man, after all, was not
John Powell? Who, then, was he,
and what had become of John Pow-
ell?"

Another uniformed woman was
approaching. "The supervisor," the
nurse whispered, and waited for her
to draw near.

The supervisor, a woman with
years and years of hospital train-
ing, was better equipped for emer-
gencies than the nurse who had so
stubbornly insisted that the man on
the bed was John Powell. To her
the nurse, in a few words, explained
the situation.

The supervisor placed her hand on
the shoulder of Mrs. Powell. Warm
sympathy was in her eyes. A mis-
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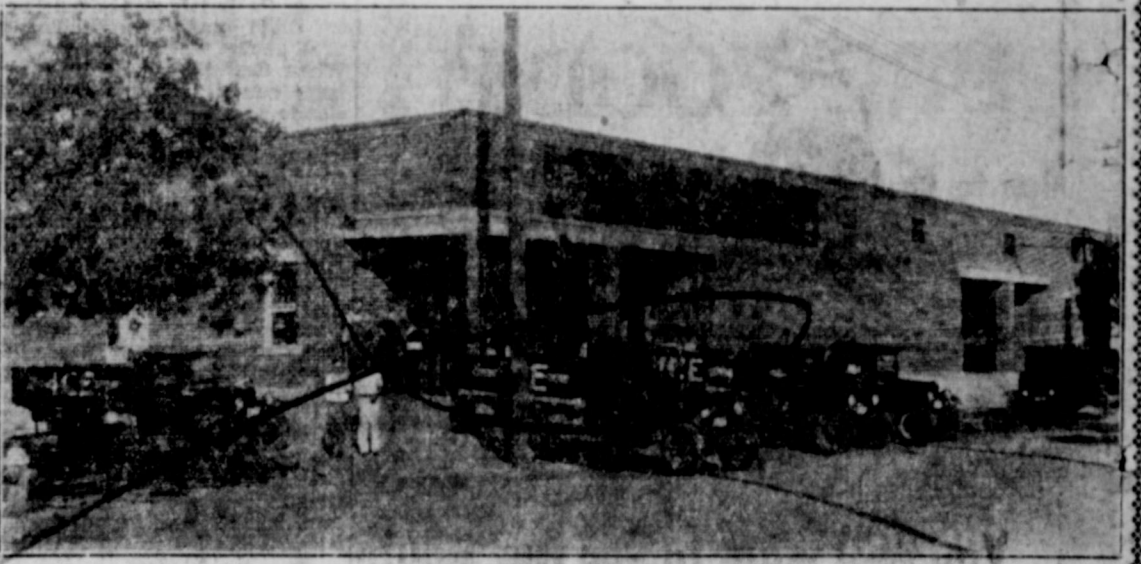
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before her began
look of anticipation
motherly face faded at
sagged and placed her
to her heart.

"What do you mean
brain gone? Is
mean? Oh, tell me!"

"I am very sorry,
nurse said, recover-
bearing and taking
hand in "but
nothing but the truth
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the truth here before
see him."

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MEET HIGHWAY TEN BODY IS HELD AT BRADY

Five counties were represented in the meeting at Brady Thursday of the Sherman to Del Rio Highway No. 10 Association...

The importance of Highway No. 10 as an international highway was stressed, as well as the fact that this highway having the support of every county...

Tarvia Highway Advocated F. W. Greber of Brownwood called attention to the great and growing production throughout this section...

The committee named to take charge of future activities and to consider with the State Highway Commissioner looking toward the receiving of state and federal aid on the project was headed by the following county members:

SCHOOL REVENUE WILL GO UP AS CENSUS IS SHOWN MUCH LARGER

Scholastics in Brownwood public schools will number approximately 2696 this year, or about 504 more than in 1926, W. E. Wilson, director of the recent census, estimates...

Educable children are all persons between the ages of 6 and 18 inclusive. The census is taken throughout the state...

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The Shores tract in the south part of the Fry field yielded two good producers to Tower & McKanna in one day with the completion of their Nos. 5 and 7 yesterday.

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To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Brown County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. H. McMullen and Horace J. McMullen by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof...

Second: Also lease from L. V. Edgington and wife, R. L. Edgington to M. S. Englelight dated April 24th, 1925, and recorded in Volume 197, page 359, of the Deed Records of Brown County, Texas...

It is alleged that plaintiff, Continental National Bank of Fort Worth, and the defendants, James B. Douglas, C. F. Spencer, J. H. McMullen, Horace J. McMullen, The Texas Company, a corporation, and Phillips Petroleum Company, a corporation...

First Tract: Being an undivided one-half interest in Subdivisions 1-4 and 2-4, as made by M. S. Englelight of 300 acres of said Survey No. 142, as shown in lease from L. V. Edgington and wife, to said M. S. Englelight of date April 24th, 1925...

Second Tract: An undivided one-half interest in 80 acres out of said R. G. Milliken Survey, No. 142, in an oil and gas lease executed by L. V. Edgington and wife, to J. E. Vaeth, of date, October 31, 1923, of record in Volume 197, page 540, Deed Records of Brown County, Texas...

Plaintiff further alleges that on the dates as hereinafter set out it made the following loans of money to defendant, Douglas, to-wit: on May 4th, 1926, the sum of \$2500.00, and on June 5th, 1926, the sum of \$5000.00, aggregating the total sum of \$7500.00...

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendants, and each of them be cited to appear and answer hereto, for judgment against the defendants and each of them for its debt, for costs of suit, for foreclosure of its said lien; that said leases as above described be decreed to be sold...

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Harwell Federal Home Private Ambulance Service Phone 342 Ring 1 313 East Baker

MISS MALONE HEADS BETTER HOMES WORK FOR BROWN COUNTY

Miss Marye Malone has been appointed by Secretary Hoover of the "Better Homes in America" campaign to serve as county chairman to conduct a better home campaign in Brown county during the week beginning next Monday...

Programs are to be held in both the Barber and Ricker communities by Miss Malone. The demonstrations of better homes in these two communities will be held at the homes of Mrs. Gus Nunn, in the Barber community, and Mrs. W. M. Phillips in the Ricker community.

RIGHT DRESS "Have you seen Nora's new evening gown?" "No, what does it look like?" "Well, in most places it's very like Nora's." - London Evening News.

CHAS. S. BYNUM, Clerk, District Court, Brown County, Texas.

S. M. Black of Ricker, Miss Vada Franklin of Bangs and Mrs. Jim Garnett of May have been appointed as chairman of the "Better Homes" campaign in their respective communities...

Firemen Elect Sponsors for June Race Meet

At the call meeting of the Brownwood Fire Department held Friday evening at the city hall sponsor and maids of honor for the June 14th racing meet to be held in San Antonio were elected.

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