

FORMER BROWNWOOD GIRL IS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED AT ANGELO

WAS RIDING WITH FRIENDS WHEN MAN WITH SHOT GUN OPENED FIRE ON AUTO

The following is from the San Angelo Standard, of February 5, Ruth Shumate and her brother, Ernest Shumate, are well known in Brownwood, being son and daughter respectively of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shumate, and Case and Marie Haseldon also formerly lived here, moving with their parents about 18 months ago to San Angelo.

"Beulah Green, 17 years old; Ruth Shumate, 17; and Case Haseldon, 18, are in the San Angelo hospital suffering painfully from sun shot wounds inflicted when a charge from a shot gun penetrated the back of the Nash car in which they were riding at about 10 o'clock Thursday night. Attending physicians state none are seriously injured.

"C. B. Metcalfe, long-time resident of this county, president of the Cotton States Protective League, and a former state representative, voluntarily reported the incident to Sheriff Bob Hewitt.

"Leslie Davenport, the driver of the car, received a number of shots in his head, but he is able to be out today. The two other occupants of the car, Marie Haseldon, a sister of one of the injured, and Ernest Shumate, a brother of Ruth Shumate, were not hurt.

"Ruth Shumate with a badly injured arm is the most painfully wounded of the group. She was seated in the back seat at the point where the charge entered, breaking part of the rear glass. Marie Haseldon, also in the back seat, was not hit, neither was Ernest Shumate, who was sitting next to Miss Haseldon. Beulah Green has head wounds and an injured hand; Case Haseldon lies in his bed with a head injury.

"Ruth Shumate and Ernest Shumate are the children of R. D. Shumate, 609 Hill St.

Car Belonged to H. G. Bullock The car, the property of H. G. Bullock, has a front seat covered with blood. Davenport's hat was muddled with holes from the flying shot. Case Haseldon from his bed at the hospital gives this story of the shooting:

"My sister and I worked until 10 o'clock Thursday night, when the other four came by to take us home. We rode around for awhile. While out on the Christoval road we came to a lane and the driver wanted to know where it led to. Turning into it, Leslie Davenport said that he thought that we were lost and turned around after passing a house. A car was driving up behind us. We started in low, shifted into second and went into high. The car which had been following us was facing us when we turned around. When we got within about twenty yards of it a man jumped out and cried: 'Hold up your hands or something like that. We want on, and then he fired. Continuing to town we stopped at a restaurant and inquired for a hospital to which we were directed.

Davenport, the driver of the car, said that the body of the car grazed the body of the man.

Had Been Bothered by Cars "Friends of Mr. Metcalfe on the other hand assert that according to information received, Mr. Metcalfe was disturbed by unknown persons passing his house at night, and on going to investigate met the same car which had circled past the house and after going some distance was returning; that he tried to halt them and ascertain their mission on his premises and that an attempt was made to run the car over him from which he barely escaped; and that in this connection the gun was discharged; that if anyone was injured it was wholly unknown to Mr. Metcalfe and was entirely unintentional. Members of Mr. Metcalfe's family are understood to have expressed regrets to the relatives of the injured persons.

"Investigation seems to show that the car driven by Davenport turned up a private road off the Christoval pike, which leads to the Metcalfe home, passed through the back yard and turned left around the front of the house and drove north down into a field. Mr. Metcalfe got in his car and drove down toward the other automobile, where the shooting took place."

Finger Prints Made Plain by Photographic Skill—Excites Wonder

Recently a burglary and robbery was committed in Brownwood. The story was printed in the Bulletin. Special officers in conjunction with the officers of Brownwood were set to work on the case. On a window frame, the window where the alleged burglars entered the building, seen dimly in the dust were what appeared to be finger prints. The window frame, or rather the piece of plank on which the finger prints appeared was carefully removed by the officers and taken to Rogers, to photograph. Rogers looked at the dim outline in the dust and shook his head. "Can't be done," he said, "nothing there to develop." But the officers insisted and the photo was made, when to the surprise of everybody the plain and unmistakable prints of the thumb of the right hand of a man were brought out as plain as day. The sequel of the story is that some sensational developments are expected to be made within the next few days.

PLANTING SEED—We have a car of the seed on the road direct from Amarillo, which will be here in a few days and will book your orders now. Included in the car are Millet, Higera, Feterita, Milk Maize and Sudan. It will pay you to plant the best and as we will have these at prices that will move them quickly we advise you to come in now and let us book your order. HARTER FLOUR & FEED CO.

Santa Fe's Rock Crusher a Most Interesting Industry

A DETAILED description of the operation of the Santa Fe's giant rock crusher in Brownwood was given by John L. Starkie, engineer in charge, before the Rotary Club Friday at noon. It was part of Mr. Starkie's "initiation" into the club, he said, and following the reading of his paper he was voted to full membership. Upon motion by the club, the paper is published herewith, because of its general interest to the people of Brownwood.

Chairman Tom, Fellow Rotarians: Being a one-time resident of Galveston, I have come prepared with a seawall of preparedness in the form of those notes which it is my purpose to read weekly luncheons.

When our chairman, last Friday, appointed me on the program committee for today's meeting I suspected nothing untoward. I felt in that capacity the situation was well in my control and the job of entertaining you today could easily be saddled off on some one else. I soon had my eyes opened, however. Ernest Morris, called me to one side and informed me it was a part of the initiation ceremonies to require new members to pass through the ordeal of trying to entertain you at one of these weekly luncheons, and the least resistance offered on my part the better it would be for me. He made me feel that until I had done this I was not a full-fledged member. He said he went through with it once and has never been called on since. You probably know why and I can venture a pretty good guess.

The committee informed me it would be my duty today to tell you all about the Brownwood Rock Crusher in ten or fifteen minutes and told me to be sure and make my talk interesting and entertaining—if I knew how.

Engineering Problem. A lot of people may wonder why the Railway Company should contract with an engineer to run their rock crusher for them. It surely doesn't appear at first glance that crushing rock is an engineering job as generally understood. After all in a broad interpretation anything whatever which has to do with directing the economical construction, maintenance or operation of any branch of human endeavor can consistently be classified as engineering.

Probably the most interesting and at the same time the most hazardous portion of our work is the blasting operations. These are handled in accordance with a set of rigid safety instructions, the violation of any term of which, if discovered, means instant dismissal from the service. We have a very enviable record of absence from accidents, much to the disgust of Dr. Joe Diddy, and I hesitate to say too much about it for fear of changing the direction of the fates. Our powder magazines and methods are subject to supervision of and inspection by the U. S. Bureau of Explosives. We have been given a clean bill of health.

Drilling Blast Holes. The drilling of the larger portion of the blast holes for the primary shooting is performed by self-propelled well drills operated by gasoline engines which make holes about 5 1/2 inches in diameter and by piston type tripod air drills making holes 2 1/2 inches in diameter. Both of these drill to an average depth of 22 feet which is the approximate height of our quarry face. The air drill holes are sprung, that is they are first given a light charge of dynamite at the bottom, to form a pocket in order to make room for the main charge which is to be later placed therein. The well drill holes, however, are not sprung having plenty of room on account of the larger diameter, and this has certain advantages which will be readily understood. Ira Hall understands it anyway. The small holes are loaded with dynamite which ordinarily comes in sticks weighing one-half pound each but in the well drill holes we put larger sticks four inches in diameter, weighing about two pounds

each. Several hundred pounds of explosives are sometimes loaded in each hole, the amount varying depending on the overburden of material to be broken up and the spacing of the holes. An ordinary blast may run as high as thirty or forty holes. Our explosive consumption runs as high as eight to ten car loads of 2,000 pounds each in a year's time. All primary shots are exploded with a safety fuse known in the trade as Cordau Bickford, which is nothing more nor less than a continuous lead pipe, slightly smaller in diameter than a lead pencil, filled with the well known T. N. T. Contrary to general belief this is one of the safest explosives made as well as one of the most powerful; it is in fact considered so safe it is shipped all over the country by express. Its safety lies in the large amount of force necessary to set it off. It cannot be exploded by dropping from ordinary heights and is rarely encountered while handling. Beside this advantage Cordau Bickford when it is exploded, detonates simultaneously the full length of the charge, whereas the ordinary exploder only detonates at one point. This gives the blast great power estimated at about 10 per cent.

The secondary shooting or breaking up of the larger boulders to a size which can easily be loaded is accomplished by what we call block-holding, which means drilling a small hole part way into the block of rock with a jack-hammer operated by compressed air, loading with from one-half to two or three sticks of dynamite and exploding with cap and fuse. These are the shots which make most of the noise at the quarry which is broadcast to the world that we are an industrious bunch out here at Brownwood.

Handling Material. The material after the secondary shooting is loaded by steam shovel on the quarry cars which are operated by dinky engines to the initial crusher. The steam shovel is operated with oil as fuel and is mounted on caterpillar tractors, and is the latest development in this class of equipment. The tractor feature is the result of war experiences with fighting tanks. This steam shovel weighs 80 tons and is the only one in the state or was until very recently, anywhere near its class, mounted on caterpillar tractors. We operate two dinky locomotives of 26 tons tractive force each and twenty-four of the quarry cars which are of 6 cubic yards capacity. We believe in good track and have almost two miles of it, standard gauge, on the quarry floor on which operate two dinky locomotives of 26 tons tractive force each and twenty-four of the quarry cars which are of 6 cubic yards capacity. We believe in good track and have almost two miles of it, standard gauge, on the quarry floor on which operate two dinky locomotives of 26 tons tractive force each and twenty-four of the quarry cars which are of 6 cubic yards capacity.

His Invitation. Those whose interest in this subject exceeds their fear of the shooting and who are willing to assume the risk of the hazard at the quarry are invited to pay us a visit and go through the crusher face literally, (and never). In addition to seeing our plant I can promise you a bird's eye view of Brownwood which alone is well worth the price of admission which in this case is the extra effort necessary in climbing the mountain. Our only requirement is that you first call at the office, sign the visitor's register assuming the risk in the event of accident, and giving your address so that we can send your remains if any, to your family. For Rotarians, we are calling off the blasting long enough to let you look us over thoroughly and waving the register requirement. I hope that I have now qualified for full membership.

Santa Fe Train is Derailed Near Santa Anna Sunday

The Santa Fe passenger No. 75, operating between Brownwood and San Angelo arrived in San Angelo several hours late Sunday afternoon due to a derailment near Santa Anna.

According to information received here in regard to the wreck the train left the track some two or three miles east of Santa Anna. No one was injured in the derailment, but several hours delay was recorded at the San Angelo office.

and dissolving said marriage, for the restoration of her maiden name to wit: Lillie Lambert, for costs of suit and for such other and further relief, general and special, in law and in equity, to which she may be entitled.

Herein fail not but have before said court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Brownwood, Texas, on this 19th day of January, A. D. 1926.

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

New Spring style Ladies' Shoes.—J. L. King.

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CITATION. THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Brown County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon Fred W. Floyd by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Brown county, to be held at the court house thereof, in Brownwood, Texas, on the second Monday in March, A. D. 1926, the same being the eighth day of March, A. D. 1926, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the sixth day of January, A. D. 1926, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 4802, wherein Lillie Floyd is plaintiff and Fred W. Floyd is defendant and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were legally married in Brown county, Texas, on or about the 23rd day of April, 1920, and that they lived together as husband and wife until on or about the first day of May, A. D. 1922, when said defendant disregarding his marriage vows, abandoned this plaintiff with the expressed intention of never living with her as husband and wife again, and since which time they have never lived or cohabited as such.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited in terms of the law to appear and answer this petition, she further prays that upon hearing hereof she be granted judgment of this court annulling

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PROGRAM STAGED BY M. W. A. IS WITNESSED BY LARGE AUDIENCE

NATIONAL LECTURER WAS THE CHIEF SPEAKER; MCGAUGH DELIVERS ADDRESS.

The program staged at Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall Thursday night was of a most entertaining and instructive nature. A large audience witnessed the various features from start to finish and every day was well pleased.

A. Glanville presided and introduced the various speakers, desiring a brief preliminary address of his own, at the beginning, and dispersing the various introductions with appropriate prelates.

AGED MAN INJURED BY MADDENED STEER AT RODEO EXHIBITION

HALF-BRED BUFFALO STEER GOES ON RAMPAGE AND RUNS INTO CROWD.

J. R. Shackelford, age 64 years, is in a local hospital today in a serious condition following his encounter with a half-bred buffalo steer last evening when the animal became uncontrollable on the vacant lot on Center Avenue, at Lee Street.

Praternalism was discussed at some length and Christ was held up as the outstanding example of all time and in this connection the speaker placed special emphasis on the fact that he placed his church duties above all other earthly duties.

The parade and drill features were as fine as they could be. Homer McGarrity, in charge of the M. W. A. forrester team and the Royal Neighbor team carried both teams through all the intricate evolutions that go to make the complete drill and at times it seemed that the entire drill program must get inextricably mixed, but McGarrity kept it going, without a single hitch, and without speaking a word.

Band Mascot Ready for Paris Program Set for February 22

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PARIS, Feb. 4.—Sarah H., successor to the original Old Gray Mare mascot of the Old Gray Mare 'eterans' Band of Brownwood, is being groomed here for her first formal public appearance.

Stockman Awarded Damages in Suit Against Railway

A jury in the county court yesterday awarded J. L. Karr, local stockman, damages amounting to \$248, against the Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railway Company.

New Spring Coats and Dresses at J. L. King's.

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JUDGE DAVIS FOR RE-ELECTION OFFICE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

Judge E. M. Davis today made formal announcement of his candidacy for re-election as County Judge of Brown County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

In presenting his announcement Judge Davis said that he solicits the support of the people on the basis of his record since taking the office of county judge. He has been steadily "on the job" always, attending to the business of the court and striving earnestly to be fair and just in all official actions.

Much interest attaches to rumors of an ex-service men's meeting to be held here soon for some purpose so far kept secret. One explanation is that it foreshadows a political move by the ex-service men who have never presented a united front in state politics.

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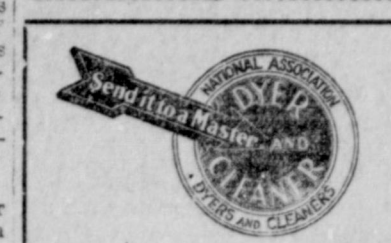
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Start your baby chicks on Superior Chick Starter for best results. It is a complete baby chick feed in itself.—Central Produce Company.

Beautiful Coats \$18.50 to \$45.00—The Famous Empress line. Dresses \$9.50 to \$35.90—The Martin Hat Shop.



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Your Dollar Comes into Its Own Here! I have just returned from New York and the Eastern markets where a large stock of spring merchandise was bought for our store, and they are now arriving daily. We are listing a few of our many items that mean great savings to you. These are our regular every day prices. Specials at the Acorn Store DRESSES Newest styles, in silks and crepes, all shades \$13.95 ONE SPECIAL LOT \$8.10 EXTRA QUALITY HOUSE DRESSES \$1.75 NEW SPRING COATS Same as you pay \$25.00 to \$30.00 for usually. \$16.95 MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS Good grade English Broadcloth, assorted colored and sizes. \$1.29 The Acorn Store J. E. BLAIR, Manager 105 W. Broadway Successor to Warr Dry Goods Co.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Sheriff: CARL ADAMS, W. C. TOLLESON. For County Treasurer: R. L. LEWIS, R. C. GUTCHER, MRS. E. C. DEAS. For County Clerk: S. E. STARKS, (Re-election). For County Attorney: T. C. WILKINSON, JR.

WARRANTY DEEDS

John W. C. Mullins to J. W. Newton, 81 acres of the Roland Honeycutt survey No. 825, June 5, 1925, for the sum of \$2,268. D. P. Plyler and wife to O. L. Plyler, a part of lot No. 2 of block D of the Bernay, Smith and Weakley addition to the city of Brownwood, February 4th, for the sum of \$1,000.

PRIZE AWARDS TO BE GIVEN TO PRODUCERS

BEST YIELD OF LONG STAPLE COTTON ON FIVE ACRES IS STANDARD. For the double purpose of increasing the yield per acre and of improving the staple of Brown county cotton, a movement has been inaugurated by local cotton dealers and merchants for conducting a cotton contest this year, following in a general way the plans of the Dallas News contest.

IT PAYS TO SET PECAN TREES IN YARDS FOR SHADE AND UTILITY

NOT ONLY IS TREE VALUABLE FROM ECONOMIC POINT OF VIEW BUT ALSO BEAUTIFUL. It pays to set pecan trees in yards. True a pecan tree does not "come on" as quickly as a mulberry tree or other varieties of trees but when it does arrive it is "a thing of beauty and a joy forever," combining utility and beauty in a most desirable way.

Brownwood People Married 55 Years May Hold Record

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dozier of Brownwood, living at 1615 Hawkins Street, are apparently at the head of the list as to the number of years of married life. Of course there may be others, but so far there seems to be no record. On the 5th day of February, this year, Mr. and Mrs. Dozier observed their 55th wedding anniversary.

Richardson & Elms Well on Sand; May Come in Any Time

The Richardson & Elms well being drilled on the Arant tract of land three miles north of Brownwood is now the centre of interest in regard to local development in the oil fields. The drill is in the sand and a very strong flow of wet gas was struck today. This gives the owners strong assurance of a good oil well and it may come in at any time.

Tax Collector is Still Busy Writing Receipts for Taxes

"We are still at work," one of the deputies in the County Tax Collector's office stated this morning, when a reporter for the Bulletin walked into the office at the courthouse. "And we have just lots of work to do yet," he continued.

Tax Collections in City Unusually Good This Year

Clyde McIntosh, city secretary, announced this morning that only eight and two-tenths per cent of the city taxes were delinquent this year. The total amount of taxes collected before February 1st was \$168,000. This was considerably more than collected last year.

MONEY TO LOAN

We make Farm and Ranch Loans in Brown and adjoining counties. Attractive rates, prompt service, liberal repayment. Cubirth & Kubirth (Formerly Kubirth & Seals) "ABSTRACTS AND LOANS" at the Abstract & Title Co., Brownwood, Texas.

LEASES

W. W. Beard to Joseph Burt, et al, 120 acres of the Stuart Perry Surveys, December 9, 1925, for the sum of \$5. J. A. McClatchy et ux to Joseph Burt, et al, 320 acres of the Brooks Smith lands, near Trickham, December 8, for the sum of \$5.

LOOK FOR OLD TOBY.

The Copeland Brothers Big Tent show will play Brownwood all next week starting Monday, February 15th. Every one who goes to a tent show will remember the Copeland company with the four Copelands, comedy quartette, Gene Walsh, Alvena Standard and Baby Barbara, all vaudeville features out of the ordinary in conjunction with a well balanced company of comedy players headed by Miss Andrews Walsh.

Automobile Show to Be Most Interesting Feature Ever Staged

Plans for the automobile show to be held here on dates yet to be announced but which are tentatively either the last week in April or first week in May, are moving along in a very satisfactory way. The show will be held at Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall and no pains will be spared to make it the largest and best show of the kind ever staged in the central west.

Great Honors Will Be Awarded Girls in Memorial Coin Work

The following interesting information has been issued in regard to the Stone Mountain Memorial Coin contest, with special reference to the awarding of prizes and other honors to girls who sell the greatest number of coins. As will be noticed the time is short and those in the contest should lose no time in getting busy.

Big Home Coming Celebration—Cow Boy Round Up in April

Under the auspices of the Colts Band of which Rex S. Gaither is leader and manager, Hackberry Slim, who is well known to the people of Brownwood by reason of the fact that he was the star performer in a big rodeo staged here about four years ago, a big home coming celebration will be staged in Brownwood, April 8th, 9th and 10th.

Bengs School Leader Teaches Live Class in Farm Development

The following is from the Bangs Gazette: "Regular session of Prof. Miller's Farm School was held Monday night and a larger crowd than usual was present, about twenty five in all. The subject of preparing the seed bed for planting cotton was taken up and discussed extensively."

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Aged Coleman County Citizen Falls Into Fire and Is Burned

From information received today by several parties who were visiting in the locality where the tragedy happened, Cleo Barker, about 76 years old, living in the Goldenbush neighborhood, in Coleman county, fell into the fire of an open fire place last Friday morning, while the people of the house were out of calling distance and burned to death. While the details of the tragedy are unavailable it seems that he had been left sitting in a chair in front of the fire place and had probably gotten up when he stumbled and fell into the fire.

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J. H. ALLEN FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT TWO.

Mr. Allen has been making his home in the Blake community since the spring of 1891. He has taken a very active part in the building of good schools and churches and has taken an active part in the improvement of roads throughout the community in which he lives. He began work on roads when he was 18 years old and his least number of days was five days, the most thirty-five days in one year of road work, for which he received \$1.35 for fifteen days of the work, the rest being a donation because he saw the necessity of the work for community road improvements. He says to the good people of Commissioner Precinct Two that if they think his financial ability is sufficient to serve them as commissioner, and make it to their interest, if his judgment in building roads they think is sufficient to justify them to support him, it will certainly be appreciated. If they think he is not suitable as a citizen of Precinct Two of Brown county, they ought to vote for somebody else. If they should want to elect him commissioner he will put forth all the power that he possesses to make them one of the best commissioners they have ever had.

T. C. WILKINSON, JR. FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

T. C. Wilkinson, Jr., this afternoon announced that he is a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Brown county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Mr. Wilkinson has been engaged in the practice of law here with his father, Judge T. C. Wilkinson, for the past several years, and for the past two years has served as City Recorder. He is an enterprising young man, a close student of the law, and is of unimpeachable integrity. His one purpose, he says, will be to give the law strict enforcement, with impartiality toward all. He was reared in this city and is widely acquainted throughout the county, and solicits the support of all those who desire capable administration of the county attorney's office.

Springtime

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