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### Some Windy.

The Brady High School laboratory boasts of some as fine instruments as can be found anywhere, and under the instruction of Prof. Wallace this branch is proving very popular with the students. As a practical demonstration, Prof. Wallace took the anemometer up in the cupola of the school building during the high wind Tuesday, the instrument registering the velocity of the wind at 69 miles per hour. Some of our citizens were inclined to make light of the report, but dispatches from Austin in the state papers proved its correctness. Prof. Wallace states that the barometer showed 70.8 centigrade last Tuesday, the lowest it has ever been in Brady.

Among the improvements at Melvin is reported the building of a handsome \$2500 Swedish Free Mission church, work already being well under way.

We want at least to figure on your furniture bill. Broad Mercantile Co.

### CASE OF MENINGITIS.

#### Sporadic Case Develops—Patient Doing Nicely.

The first case of spinal meningitis in Brady developed Wednesday morning, the patient being Doyle, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tindle, who live in East Brady. The child had been sick since last Saturday, but the case appeared nothing out of the ordinary until Wednesday, when the symptoms of meningitis were first detected.

The serum treatment is being used, the little girl responding nicely and showing every mark of improvement both Wednesday night and yesterday. The Tindle home has been quarantined, and all necessary precautions have been taken to assure immunity from the disease.

In view of the knowledge gained through study of the disease since it was brought to attention in the larger cities, it has not been deemed necessary to suspend the school or any

public gatherings, as it has been held to be non-contagious, the germ being spread through personal contact.

The services of a trained nurse, Miss Thau, of Ft. Worth, have been secured, and the case will be in her charge. Contrary to expectations, no alarm has been occasioned by the news everybody seemingly looking upon the matter in a sensible manner, and aside from the resumption of the use of the usual precautionary measures, there is nothing to indicate the presence of a case in the city.

Mr. A. McDonald, one of the oil men interested in the Lohn field, arrived yesterday morning from Tulsa, Okla. Mr. McDonald had the unpleasant experience of losing his pocket-book and not missing it until after he had gone out to Lohn. Immediately upon his return to town he went to the sleeper and had the porter search his berth for the missing article with the result that it was found under the covers. The porter showed Mr. McDonald every courtesy, and lent every assistance in making the search, and as a result Mr. McDonald's opinion of the African has undergone a remarkable transformation.

It is to your interest to buy the best there is made, and if you fail to take a look at the Canton cultivator or planter, you will find that you have bought wrong. Broad Mercantile Co.

### BANKS CONSOLIDATE

#### COMMERCIAL NAT'L. ABSORBS FIRST STATE.

Capital Increased to \$130,000, Surplus \$67,000—Effective Today.

The merging of the First State Bank & Trust Co., into and consolidation with the Commercial National Bank of Brady, is announced, the final steps being taken today. The deal has been pending for some time, and the final steps in the matter have been awaiting the report of the bank examiner, who arrived Wednesday for the purpose of going over the books of the banks.

In order to take over the First State bank, the capital stock of the Commercial National has been increased to \$130,000, with \$67,000 surplus, and the wants of the customers of both banks will be looked after by the Commercial National at their bank building, the accounts of all depositors with the First State bank having been transferred yesterday. No change in the directorate has yet been made. Both Mr. Graham, formerly cashier, and Howard Ogden, formerly assistant cashier of the First State, will be with the Commercial National.

It is the intention of the directors to enlarge the quarters of the Commercial National bank, and the entire interior of the building will be remodeled. The offices at present in the rear of the bank will be discontinued, and the vault will be torn away and moved to the rear. The fixtures of the First State bank will be used in enclosing the additional space to be used by the bank, and more room and greater convenience is assured the employees. Until these changes are completed the vault of the First State bank will be used by the bank, which will necessitate the retention of that building for a period of a month or more.

Being grandpa twice over doesn't fall to the lot of every man, that is why Grandpap Fuller's face is wreathed in smiles ever since a pretty 9-pound young lady arrived at the home of his son, Millard, last Thursday.

If you need shirts, see us. We have them for less. Wm. Connolly & Co.

### A FEW WEEKS LONGER

For just a few weeks longer my special reduced prices hold good. If you are needing any manner of dental work, you should not let this opportunity pass by. I have been in Brady over three years, and am here to stay. I refer you to any of my customers as to the quality and satisfaction of my work. Note the following prices and act at once:

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### ADAIR MEETING MARCH 3

#### Arrangements Concluded for a Great Revival at Brownwood.

It has been arranged to start the Lockett Adair meeting in Brownwood on March 3rd. Such was the announcement made at the various churches on yesterday. In this meeting the pastors of the city will unite in an effort to have one big revival. The meeting will be led by Evangelist Lockett Adair, whose success in that line is too well known to need any comment. The evangelist has been spending a couple of months in New Mexico and will arrive here on

Sunday week and begin the meeting that night.

The meeting will be held at the Christian tabernacle, and a general invitation is extended the people of the town to attend —Brownwood Bulletin.

O. A. May, who has been in charge of the auto repair shop at A. Steelhammer's left last week for Brownwood, where he has purchased an interest in the Moody foundry. Mr. May is a first-class machinist, and his many friends are pleased to learn that he has engaged in business for himself.

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### BROOM CORN GROWING.

Some Interesting Points from  
Experienced Grower.

Editor Brady Standard:

I have noticed some interest being taken, that of the farmers in your county, concerning the planting and culture of broom corn. I have also noticed some writing that might lead some farmers to make a mistake in planting and the culture and handling of this important product, so I feel that it is my duty and also a pleasure to give to the farmers my experience in this, as I have been in the business about twenty-five years.

First, I will say that a man should not plant any kind other than the Dwarf variety, for reasons as follows: That this variety is much easier handled, and yields fully as much per acre and does not grow so tall as the Standard variety. The Dwarf grows about five ft. high and the Standard about twelve feet high; the stalk and fodder of the Standard variety is not worth anything for feed for stock, but you have first class feed in the Dwarf variety, that of the stalk and fodder.

I see someone's writeup as to how much broom corn seed that it would take to plant an acre in your county. I guess he had planted on land that was watered or where it rained whenever he needed it from the amount of seed he allows per acre. You should plant twenty acres with one bushel of seed on dry farming; the seed should be well cleaned before planting; the seed should be broken and then the seed planted a little below the level of the surface in rows, three feet apart. Cultivate like maize. You may plow if deep the first plowing; then just plow to keep down weeds. Your broom corn will be ready to harvest in 90 days after its comes through the ground.

Now, when you see the majority of the brush in the doe state it is ready to pull, or jerk as we would call it; this is done by taking hold of the boot with the left hand and the brush with the right hand, then give a slight side jerk and it will break off at first joint down in the boot, just the right length. Throw the brush down on row, putting four rows on two, and get over as soon as possible. Now take team and wagon and haul to thresher and thresh the seed off, being careful to handle the brush straight. Save the seed, for they are good for your chickens and hogs and horses.

Now, when you get your broom corn off of the ground, hitch to your row binder and cut the stalks as you would your cane, shock it up and let it stand in the shock about ten days, then haul in and stack and you can winter horses and cattle on the same. Then this stubble will sucker out and will make two or three to one, and will make fine filling for a high-grade broom, and would be worth \$65 or \$70 on the market now per ton. But it will be the best to plow your stubble after the first rain; then after you get the brush off the second crop you have better feed than the first.

Now, if you sell this brush to your home manufacturer you just tie it up in bundles, but if you ship your brush you will have to bale it, but your home man can pay you as much as you will realize out of it when you ship to the foreign market.

This is all I will write now. If anyone wants to know anything further about this product they can see me or write me at Eden. I think I will write to The Standard again soon and give a cheap plan for making a broom corn thresher, but will state now where I order my seed from, because it is time to order your seed if you are going

to plant. This is the address: Boggs Broom Corn Co., St. Louis, Mo., or St. Louis Commission Co., St. Louis, Mo.

J. D. MOODY.

### The Model Market.

A cordial invitation is extended the public to call at the Model Market, opposite the U. S. Express office. We are ready to serve you with the choicest and best to be had in fresh and cured meats. We kill nothing but meal-fed cattle, and also have a nice lot of veal and make a specialty of pure sausage. Phone 75 for your meat. We deliver.

J. C. IRWIN.

### Mrs. Moore's Milliner Store.

Mrs. Moore will be ready for business on the 1st of March. Her goods are in already. Don't bother about your hat—I have 100 pattern and tailored hats ready trimmed, so you can get a hat any time you like, at any price and in any color.

Seeing is knowing, so all are invited to come to the same old stand on the west side.

A heavy cold in the lungs that was expected to cure itself has been the starting point in many cases of disease that has ended fatally. The sensible course is to take frequent doses of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP. It checks the progress of the disorder and assists nature to restore normal conditions. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

We will sell you a range on two years' time if you will give us as much again as our regular price. The next year payment would be all profit above our regular asking price. That is what you do when you buy from a peddler, you just make him a present of about \$40.00 and you can buy two Charter Oak ranges for the price you pay for one from the peddler. You know what a Charter Oak range is and you don't know what the peddler's range is. We will guarantee that a Charter Oak range will out cook or out bake and will last longer than any peddler's range ever sold. We are here to stay, the other fellow, well you don't know where he is. Give us a call. Broad Mercantile Co.

### B. Y. P. U. Program.

Subject—Japan.  
Song.  
Prayer.  
Leader—Zula Meers.  
Scripture reading.  
Topic Explained: "Our Missionaries in Japan", Annie Scott.

Give names and tell something of missionaries in Japan, Erin Yantis.

Japan, the leader of the East, Chas. Doole.

Helps and hindrances in mission work in Japan, Louise Bates.

Needs of Christian schools in Japan; Our work in Japan, Wm. Joyce.

Requests of our missionaries, Bessie Snow.

Sunday school and evangelistic work in Japan, Willie Martin.

Song.  
Prayer.

We have a large stock of section harrows. Broad Mercantile Co.

Agent Hundley is feeling quite good over his passenger business, and states that it has picked up surprisingly for this time of the year.

Gas in the stomach or bowels is a disagreeable symptom of a torpid liver. To get rid of it quickly take HERBINE. It is a marvelous liver stimulant and bowel purifier. Price, 50c. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

J. J. Dent was in Brady yesterday from a business trip to Lometa and other Santa Fe points, returning to Mason.

Seed oats and choice alfalfa hay for sale at Miller & Co., Bumgardner's old stand.

## "Talk of the Town"



Our Tailoring is the talk of the town. The goods are right, and the price is right—and there's satisfaction for every buyer. Let us show you through our samples—and let us give you a practical demonstration of "Toggerly Tailoring." We are never too busy to wait on you.

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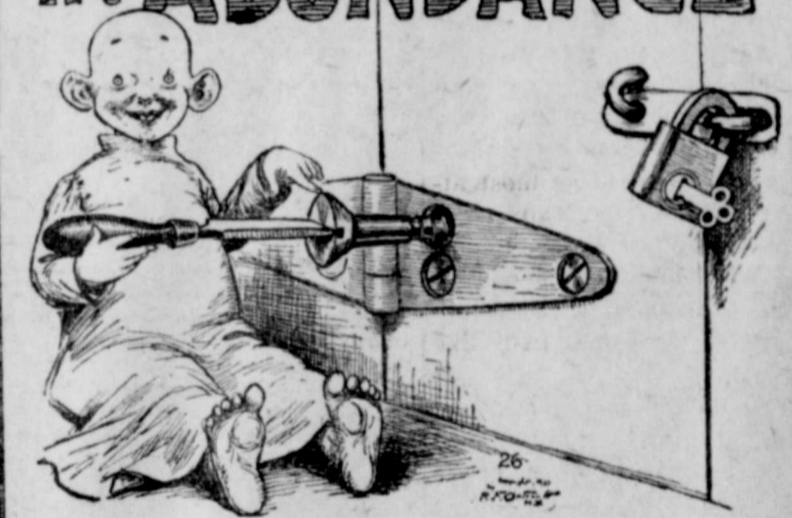


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BRADY, TEXAS

Judge John W. Goodwin, District Attorney Walter U. Early and Court Stenographer Chas. Miller left this morning for Brady, where they convene court this afternoon. Judge Goodwin was not sure that the people would petition him not to hold court on account of the meningitis scare.—Brownwood Bulletin, Monday.

## SPARKLING EYES.

A Story.

Many otherwise beautiful women have been neglected by nature with a lack of glossy, lustrous, dark eyebrows; many blonds of true Norseman type, with beautiful eyes, cannot show them off to an advantage through lack of dark, heavy, lustrous eyebrows.

To meet a universal and popular demand among the fair sex we have, after experimenting, produced a compound termed "DABRO" consisting of harmless Organic Substances, Essential Oils, Balsams, etc., yielding by our process a stiff emulsion which will stimulate growth of the eyebrows and darken them to the desired shade.

**Harmful Eyebrow Pencils** Should be discarded, as they only tend to envelope your hair with a film of greasy matter, preventing access of fresh air and thus to your detriment serve the opposite purpose, namely, beautifying yourself.

A more modern, absolutely harmless, hygienic and effective medium is

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It will not only stimulate the growth of your Eyebrows and darken them if too light, but will produce a lustre and glossiness not duplicated by any other means. We guarantee that Dabro will do what we claim for it if used as directed or we will cheerfully refund your money.

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A Pretty Store.

It's just like a touch of Spring to visit the store of C. B. Watters & Co., for the Spring goods are already on display, and are displayed in so attractive a manner that visitors are profuse in their compliments. Mr. Watters always has maintained one of the neatest and most attractive stores in Brady, but this week all his previous efforts have been outdone. To use the expression of one of his customers, "It looks just like Sanger Bros."

Mr. Watters has purchased one of the best selected and most attractive lines of goods ever brought to Brady, and a visit to his store is one of combined pleasure and profit.

When you have visitors, or have items of personal interest, phone 179 or 163.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Song of praise.  
The Lord's Prayer in concert.  
Leader, Vivian Jordan.  
Scripture Readings—  
Isa. 1:1-20, John Doole.  
Isa. 2:7-22, Maud Taft.  
Paper—"People of Japan," by Katie Alexander.  
Song, Misses Georgia Nash and Katie Westbrook.  
Paper—"Our Missions of Japan" by Miss Lowrance.  
Song.

Agents' Easy Task.

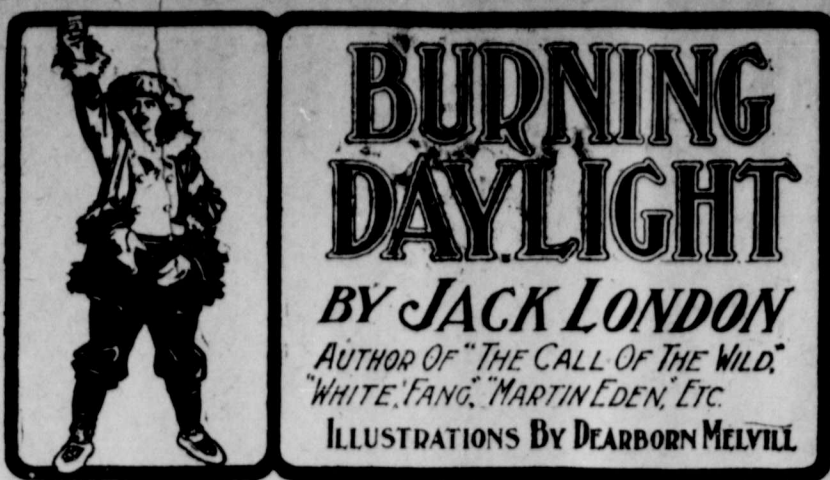
Some people are so easy, a Republic County (Kan.) editor says, that a smart agent could sell them a contagious disease.

**Cause Enough.**  
"You think she will marry again?" "I consider it probable. Her late husband left some tobacco coupons, but not enough to get anything with."—Washington Herald.

Most Easily Discovered.

There are few things reason can discover with so much certainty and ease as its own insufficiency.—Collier.

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# BURNING DAYLIGHT

BY JACK LONDON

AUTHOR OF "THE CALL OF THE WILD," "WHITE FANG," "MARTIN EDEN," ETC.

ILLUSTRATIONS BY DEARBORN MELVILL

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### SYNOPSIS.

**CHAPTER I.**—Elam Harsh, known all through Alaska as "Burning Daylight," celebrates his 30th birthday with a friendly crowd of miners at the Circle City Tivoli. He is a general favorite, a hero and a pioneer in the new gold fields. The dance leads to heavy gambling in which over \$100,000 is staked. Harsh loses his money and his mine but wins the mail contract of the district.

**CHAPTER II.**—Burning Daylight starts on his trip to deliver the mail with dogs and sledges. He tells his friends that the big Yukon gold strike will soon be on and he intends to be in it at the start. With Indian attendants and dogs he digs over the bank and down the frozen Yukon and in the gray light is gone.

**CHAPTER III.**—Harsh makes a sensational rapid run across country with the mail, appears at the Tivoli and there is another characteristic celebration. He has made a record against cold and exhaustion and is now ready to join his friends in a dash to the new gold fields.

He experienced a thrill of surprise as the roar of welcome went up and as every familiar detail of the Tivoli greeted his vision—the long bar and the array of bottles, the gambling games, the big stove, the welcher at the gold-scales, the musicians, the men and women, the Virgin, Cella, and Nellie, Dan MacDonald, Bettles, Billy Rawlins, Olaf Henderson, Doc Watson—all of them. It was just as he had left it, and in all seeming it might well be the very day he had left. The sixty days of incessant travel through the white wilderness suddenly telescoped, and had no existence in time. They were a moment, an incident. He had plunged out and into them through the wall of silence, and back through the wall of silence he had plunged, apparently the next instant, and into the roar and turmoil of the Tivoli.

He drew a deep breath and cried: "The winner pays, and I'm the winner, ain't I? Surge up, you-all Malemutes and Siwashes, and name your poison! There's your Dyea mail, straight from Salt Water, and no hornswogglin about it! Cast the lashings adrift, you-all, and wade into it!"

A dozen pairs of hands were at the sled-lashings, when the young Le Barge Indian, bending at the same task, suddenly and limply straightened up. In his eyes was a great surprise. He stared about him wildly, for the thing he was undergoing was new to him. He was profoundly struck by an unguessed limitation. He shook as with a palsy, and he gave at the knees, slowly sinking down to fall suddenly across the sled and to know his consciousness.

"Exhaustion," said Daylight. "Take him off and put him to bed, some of you-all. He's sure a good Indian."

A few minutes later, Daylight was whirling around the dance-floor, waltzing with the Virgin. And small wonder it was that the Virgin yielded herself to his arms, as they danced dance after dance, and sick at heart at the knowledge that he found nothing in her more than a good friend and an excellent dancer. Small consolation it was to know that he never loved any woman. She was sick with love of him, and he danced with her as he would dance with any woman, as he would dance with a man who was a good dancer and upon whose arm was tied a handkerchief to conventionalize him into a woman.

At one in the morning he saw Elijah Davis herding Henry Finn and Joe Hines, the lumber-jack, toward the door. Daylight interfered.

"Where are you-all going?" he demanded, attempting to draw them to the bar.

"Bed," Elijah Davis answered.

"Got to," Joe Hines added apologetically. "We're mushing out in the mornin'."

Daylight still detained them.

"Where to? What's the excitement?"

"No excitement," Elijah explained. "We're just a-goin' to play your hunch, an' tackle the Upper Country. Don't you want to come along?"

"I sure do," Daylight affirmed.

But the question had been put in fun, and Elijah ignored the acceptance.

"We're tacklin' the Stewart," he went on. "Al Mayo told me he seen some likely lookin' bars first time he come down the Stewart, and we're goin' to sample 'em while the river's froze. You listen, Daylight, an' mark my words, the time's comin' when winter diggin's 'll be all the go. There'll be men in them days that'll laugh at our summer scratchin' an' ground-wallerin'."

Elijah laughed, gathered his two partners up, and was making a second attempt to reach the door.

"Hold on," Daylight called. "I sure mean it."

The three men turned back suddenly upon him, in their faces surprise, delight, and incredulity.

"G'wan, you're foolin'," said Finn, the other lumber-jack, a quiet, steady, Wisconsin man.

"There's my dawgs and sled," Daylight answered. "That'll make two teams and halve the loads; though

we-all 'll have to travel easy for a spell, for them dawgs is sure tired."

The three men were overjoyed, but still a trifle incredulous.

"Now look here," Joe Hines blurted out, "none of your foolin', Daylight. We mean business. Will you come? Daylight extended his hand and shook."

### CHAPTER IV.

This time the trail was easier. It was better packed, and they were not carrying mail against time. At Forty Mile they laid over two days for the sake of the dogs, and at Sixty Mile Daylight's team was left with the trader. Unlike Daylight, after the terrible run from Selkirk to Circle City, they had been unable to recuperate on the back trail. So the four men pulled on from Sixty Mile with a fresh team of dogs on Daylight's sled. The following night they camped in the cluster of islands at the mouth of the Stewart. Daylight talked town sites, and, though the others laughed at him, he staked the whole maze of high, wooded island.

"Just supposing the big strike does come on the Stewart," he argued. "Mebbe you-all 'll be in on it, and then again mebbe you-all won't. But I sure will. You-all'd better reconsider and go in with me on it."

But they were stubborn. "You're as bad as Harper and Joe Ladue," said Joe Hines. "They're always at that game. You know that big flat just below the Klondike and under Mooshide Mountain? Well, the recorder at Forty Mile was telling me they staked that flat a couple of weeks ago."

"The Harper & Ladue Town Site! Ha! Ha! Ha!"

Elijah and Finn looked in his direction, but Daylight was merely looking at the ground.

"There she is! Well, it's a hunch is working. It's a hunch, but I tell you-all! What'd you-all staked the big flat for if they-all didn't get the hunch? Wish 'd staked it!"

The regret in his voice was provocative of a second burst of laughter. "Laugh, dang you, laugh! Why your eyes ain't open yet. You-all are a bunch of little mewin' kittens. I tell you-all if that strikes come on Klondike, Harper and Ladue will be millionaires. And if it comes on Stewart, you-all watch the Elam Harsh town site boom. In them days, when you-all come around makin' poor mouths, . . ."

He heaved a sigh of resignation. "Well, I suppose I'll have to give you-all a grub-stake or soup, or something or other."

In the meantime there was naught to show for it but hunch. But it was coming. As he would stake his last ounce on a good poker hand, so he staked his life and effort on the hunch that the future held in store a big strike on the Upper River. So he and his three companions, with dogs, and sleds, and snowshoes, toiled up the frozen breast of the Stewart, toiled on and on through the white wilderness where the unending stillness was never broken by the voices of men, the stroke of an ax, or the distant crack of a rifle. Gold they found on the bars, but not in paying quantities, and in the following May they returned to Sixty Mile.

Ten days later, Harper and Joe Ladue arrived at Sixty Mile, and Daylight, strong to obey the hunch that had come to him, traded a third interest in his Stewart town site for a third interest in theirs on the Klondike. They had faith in the Upper Country, and Harper led down-stream, with a raft-load of supplies, to start a small post at the mouth of the Klondike.

"Why don't you tackle Indian River, Daylight?" Harper advised, at parting. "There's whole slathers of creeks and draws draining in up there, and somewhere gold just crying to be found. That's my hunch. There's a big strike coming, and Indian River ain't going to be a million miles away."

"And the place is swarming with moose," Joe Ladue added. "Bob Henderson's up there somewhere, been there three years now, swearing something big is going to happen, living off'n straight moose and prospecting around like a crazy man."

Daylight decided to go Indian River a fluter, as he expressed it; and lingered a few days longer arranging his meager outfit. He planned to go in light, carrying a pack of seventy-five pounds and making his five dogs pack as well, Indian fashion, loading them with thirty pounds each. Depending on the report of Ladue, he intended to follow Bob Henderson's example and live practically on straight meat.

When Jack Kearns' scow, laden with the sawmill from Lake Linderman, tied up at Sixty Mile, Daylight bundled his outfit and dogs on board, turned his town-site application over to Elijah to be filed, and the same day was landed at the mouth of Indian River. He continued down Hunker to the Klondike, and on to the summer fishing camp of the Indians on the Yukon.

Here for a day he camped with Carmack, a squawman, and his Indian brother-in-law, Skookum Jim, bought a boat, and, with his dogs on board, drifted down the Yukon to Forty Mile. Then it was that Carmack, his brother-in-law, Skookum Jim, and Cultus Charlie, another Indian, arrived in a canoe at Forty Mile, went straight to the gold commissioner, and recorded three claims and a discovery claim on Bonanza Creek. After that, in the Sourdough Saloon, that night, they exhibited coarse gold to the skeptical crowd. Daylight, too, was skeptical, and this despite his faith in the Upper Country. Had he not, only a few days before, seen Carmack loafing with his Indians and with never a thought of prospecting? But at eleven that night, sitting on the edge of his bunk and unlacing his moccasins, a thought came to him. He put on his coat and hat and went back to the Sourdough. Carmack was still there, flashing his coarse gold in the eyes of an unbelieving generation. Daylight ranged alongside of him and emptied Carmack's sack into a blower. This he studied for a long time. Then, from his own sack, into another blower, he emptied several ounces of Circle City and Forty Mile gold. Again, for a long time, he studied and compared. Finally, he pocketed his own gold, returned Carmack's, and held up his hand for silence.

"Boys, I want to tell you all something," he said. "She's sure come—the up-river strike. And I tell you-all, clear and forcible, this is it. There ain't never been gold like that in a blower in this country before. It's new gold. It's got more silver in it."

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

Lost—Green egg basket, about one peck in size—an old relic. Lost near Brady. Finder will please leave at Standard office. W. S. Gattis.

Lost between Melvin and Brady Monday, purse containing checks as follows: J. L. Helge to P. H. Leander, \$10.00; C. J. Danelson to Morrow, \$5.00; Wm. Bailey to Morrow, \$4.75; Wm. Bailey to Morrow, \$3.25; Lewis Baker to Morrow, \$1.25; George Baker to Morrow, \$1.00; currency as follows: four bills \$10, bills, \$2.00, \$6.00; total \$101.25. Twenty dollars reward for return to Commercial National bank.

Eggs for Sale—S. C. Barred Plymouth Rock, 15 for \$1.00. Best Utility strain. Eggs can be had at Marsden Bros. grocery. R. A. Rutherford.

For Rent—Two desirable houses. For terms and particulars, see S. T. Ward, Brady, Texas.

For Sale Cheap—Two Buff Orpington cockerels. See F. T. Fowler, two blocks south of high school.

Warning—Anyone hauling wood off my land without permission will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. E. A. Davis, by Meers Land Co.

Wanted—A few steer yearlings. Would buy a few heifers if cheap enough. C. C. Bumgardner.

For Sale—320 acres good farm land; 65 acres in cultivation, balance timber and good grass, 3 miles east of Sweden school. Onion creek runs through place. Apply this office.

For Sale—Blooded bird dogs. See Fred Spiller.

Place for Sale—Apply to W. T. Lake, Camp San Saba, Texas.

Money Maker—Agricultural device approved by agricultural experts. Want a man with a small amount of capital and good business ability to assist me in getting patent, for half interest in device. Apply this office.

For Sale—100 bushels pure Mebane cotton seed, \$1.00 per bushel. See W. M. Harris, Route 1, Rochelle, Texas.

For Sale or Exchange for Ranch Land or Stock—220 acres half tillable, 80 acres in cultivation, well improved, 2 1/2 miles southeast of Lohn; \$25.00 per acre. R. D. Draper, Lohn, Tex.

shaft that day, nor the next, nor the next. Instead, capped and mitted, a light stampeding outfit, including his rabbit skin robe, strapped on his back, he was out and away on a many-days' tramp over creeks and divides, inspecting the whole neighboring territory. On each creek he was entitled to locate one claim, but he was chary in thus surrendering up his chances. On Hunker Creek only did he stake a claim. Bonanza Creek he found staked from mouth to source, while every little draw and pup and gulch that drained into it was likewise staked. Little faith was had in these side-streams. They had been staked by the hundreds of men who had fallen to get in on Bonanza. The most popular of these creeks was Eldorado, which flowed into Bonanza, just above Carmack's Discovery claim. Even Daylight disliked the looks of Eldorado; but, still riding his hunch, he bought a half share in one claim on it for half a sack of flour. A month later he paid eight hundred dollars for the adjoining claim. Three months later, enlarging this block of property, he paid forty thousand for a third claim, and, though it was concealed in the future, he was destined, not long after, to pay one hundred and fifty thousand for a fourth claim on the creek that had been the least liked of all the creeks.

(To Be Continued)



"Who-all's Got Faith to Come Along With Me?"

You-all can see it by the color. Carmack's sure made a strike. Who-all's got faith to come along with me?"

No one volunteered.

"Then who-all 'll take a job from me, cash wages in advance, to pole up a thousand pounds of grub?"

Curly Parsons and another, Pat Monahan, accepted, and, with his customary speed, Daylight paid them their wages in advance and arranged the purchase of the supplies, though he emptied his sack in doing so. He was leaving the Sourdough, when he suddenly turned back to the bar from the door.

"Got another hunch?" was the query.

"I sure have," he answered. "Flour's sure going to be worth what a man will pay for it this winter up on the Klondike. Who'll lend me some money?"

On the instant a score of the men who had declined to accompany him on the wild-goose chase were crowding about him with proffered gold-sacks.

"How much flour do you want?" asked the Alaska Commercial Company's storekeeper.

"About two ton."

The proffered gold-sacks were not withdrawn, though their owners were



The Whole Bottom Showed as if Covered With Butter.

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# THE BRADY STANDARD

TWICE-A-WEEK

Absorbed the Brady Enterprise and the McCulloch County Star, May 2nd, 1910.

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BRADY, TEXAS, Feb. 23, 1912

## NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.

A sporadic case of spinal meningitis has made its appearance in the city. There is no occasion for alarm, and none should be entertained. There was no exposure, no contact—the case merely developed of its own accord, and in all probability will be the only one in the entire vicinity.

During the past few weeks, the fears of the Brady people have become greatly allayed, and at present there is no cause for any more apprehension than there has been during the past few weeks. The situation is well in hand, and with the usual precautions, that of observing cleanliness and strict sanitary measures, as well as the use of the usual sprays and throat wash, no further outbreak need be anticipated.

## EVER OCCUR TO YOU?

We are sending The Standard to a former Brady business man (several of them, in fact, but this one in particular). He recently wrote to his former associates in business: "Why don't you do some advertising? I see the paper twice every week and never notice your name in it."

He probably shared the opinion of everyone who lives at a distance and who judges the local business concerns and the town by the newspaper, that the concern referred to was not progressive enough, and did not possess the requisite amount of energy to make a good showing. In this he was mistaken. The members of the firm are as live and progressive a set of men as there is in the city—but they devote their energies too much in personal efforts and not enough through the medium of printer's ink.

For putting you in close touch with the discerning buyers, for giving you prominence and prestige, nothing can surpass the newspaper. Then back your advertising with your personality, with the right goods and the right prices, and you are well started on the road to success. But when you attempt to ride to success on your personality alone, you are hiding your light under a bushel, and the chances are that the candle will be burned out before the bushel is accidentally overturned.

## THE DIFFERENCE.

Brady is going to have an ice plant. Schwenger had better have them water the stock considerably so they will have the raw material from which ice is made.—Menard Messenger.

Sure thing. In Brady we water the stock so that it at any time be liquidated. In Menard they water the stock so that the first time anyone gets cold feet they can play "freeze-out".

Brady has good water. Some inducement to factories, eh, Brady?

## THE ROUNDUP.

Pursuant to announcement made some time ago, we will place the balance of The Standard subscription list on a strictly cash-in-advance basis March 16th. This will give our subscribers who are in arrears ample time to make the necessary arrangements for a settlement and a continuance of the paper should they so desire. The following are the remaining lists which will be placed on the new basis on date named: Fife, Eden, Broadmoor, Fredonia, Lohn, Melvin, Mercury, Milburn, Millersview, Nine, Pasche, Pear Valley, Rochelle, Stacy, Salt Gap, Tucker, Voca, Waldrip.

Statement of account will be mailed to each subscriber, and the entire lists gone over as rapidly as possible, but delinquents are urged not to wait for this action on our part, but to come in and make settlement as soon as possible.

Any error on our part in the account of any subscriber will be cheerfully adjusted.

## NO DANGER.

Mayor W. P. Bevans, S. C. Rowe, John Moore and Leonard Moore have been over from Menard since yesterday with the laudable intention of making a purchase of McCulloch county land. Little by little the Menard citizens are beginning to realize what a blessed privilege it is to be the owner of McCulloch county dirt, and no sooner do they realize the fact than they prepare the way to independence by investing, which is one step removed from shaking the dust of Menard from their feet.—Brady Standard.

We have to 'fess up. Menard folks did buy Brady land, but a peep into the records will convince Editor Schwenger that they took it in "on account." When a Menard farm sells "under the hammer" we'll let you know by telephone, Harry—at your own expense.—Menard Messenger.

"Have they any farms in Menard?" queries the inquisitive subscriber from Satuit. To which we reply in the Comper-Shakespearean language—Go to, that was one of Callan's pet jokes.

## THE JUDGE A CORKER.

Jack Corker went as far west as Brady on Sunday's train, returning that evening. Jack says Brady still has lots of pretty girls, but that Richland Springs' beauties are still holding the blue ribbon. Jack's a judge.—Richland Springs Eye-Witness.

Who ever heard of a Jack being a judge? Not we. Brady has become so famous for her beautiful girls that every time Menard has any to do they have to borrow a bunch of Brady girls to make the affair worth while.

Brady has good roads. Sounds good, doesn't it?

If you have any business downtown after nightfall, just wait until the moonlight is working a little better. Bugger man'll get you if you don't.

We are in receipt of advertising literature in the form of folders and leaflets from Cuba, which goes to prove that this little island is not left behind in the march of progress, but rather is claiming place in the front rank. The matter contains many interesting facts concerning the island, and presents sufficient inducements to make anyone believe a home in Cuba would be worth while.

# Good News Travels

"Standard advertising gets results, doesn't it?" was the greeting Sunday of W. A. Andrus, circulation manager for Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

"Sure thing," we replied, "but where did you find it out?"

"The cattlemen and other visitors in Fort Worth tell me so," was Mr. Andrus' answer. "I know them nearly all, and have often talked with them about The Standard getting results."

## Moral: We are Advertised By Our Loving Friends:

### THE SECRET OUT.

Last Saturday we learned D. G. Benchoff had received a barrel of good things to eat from relatives in Pennsylvania and that it would be unpacked in time for dinner Sunday, so we decided to invite our family to accompany us and drop down to the Benchoff home to spend the day. It worked.—Menard Messenger.

For some several decades it has been a mystery to the world how the folks over in Mammoth Menard continued to eke out an existence. Callan discloses the secret. THEY HAVE RELATIVES IN PENNSYLVANIA.

### Teachers to Get Pay.

Answering several inquiries on the subject, F. M. Bralley, state superintendent of public instruction, yesterday afternoon ruled that where the board of trustees of any school in the state suspends school and the teachers hold themselves in readiness to resume work at any time, and the suspension is ordered without any agreement between the board and the teachers as to salaries, such teachers are entitled by law to their salaries during such suspension. This ruling was the result of a large number of the schools in the state being closed on account of the meningitis scare, and according to this ruling teachers will get their pay while school remained closed.

### Try This One.

Here is a puzzle that puzzles everybody: Take the number of your living brothers, double the amount, add to it three, multiply by five, add to it the number of your living sisters, multiply the result by ten, add the number of deaths of brothers and subtract 150 from the result. The right hand figure will be the number of deaths, the middle figure will be the number of living sisters and the left hand figure will show the number of living brothers. Try it and see.

Whenever there is an improvement made in any implement you will always find that the Canton has it too. Broad Mercantile Co.

For rheumatism you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. Try it and see how quickly it gives relief. For sale by Jones Drug Co.

### COURT CALENDAR.

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

COUNTY COURT—Convenes third Mondays in January, April, July and October; each term, two weeks. Criminal docket, first week; Civil docket, second.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT—Meets second Mondays in each month.

I am always glad to see you, and am yours for business. H. C. Boyd, Jeweler, east side sq.

### FREE IF IT FAILS.

Your Money Back if You Are Not Satisfied With the Medicine We Recommend.

We are so positive that our remedy will permanently relieve constipation, no matter how chronic it may be, that we offer to furnish the medicine at our expense if it fails to produce satisfactory results.

It is worse than useless to attempt to cure constipation with cathartic drugs. Laxatives or cathartics do much harm. They cause a reaction, irritate and weaken the bowels and tend to make constipation more chronic. Besides, their use becomes a habit that is dangerous.

Constipation is caused by a weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestine or descending colon. To expect permanent relief you must therefore tone up and strengthen these organs and restore them to healthier activity.

We want you to try Rexall Orderlies on our recommendation. They are exceedingly pleasant to take, being eaten like candy, and are ideal for children, delicate persons and old folks, as well as for the robust. They act directly on the nerves and muscles of the bowels. They apparently have a neutral action on their associated organs or glands. They do not purge, cause excessive looseness nor create any inconvenience whatever. They may be taken at any time, day or night. They will positively relieve chronic or habitual constipation, if not of surgical variety, and the myriads of associate or dependent chronic ailments, if taken with regularity for a reasonable length of time. 12 tablets, 10c; 36 tablets, 25c; 80 tablets, 50c. Sold in Brady only at our store.—The Rexall Store. Jones Drug Co.

## NIGHT HORSE SHOW IS LEADING EVENT

By Far Outclasses Like Affairs In This Section.

### ANIMALS ARE PURE BRED

Practically All of the Blue-Ribbon Equines in the United States Are to Be Found Competing For the Tempting Prizes.

The Night Horse Show, which is held regularly in connection with the annual Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, is by far the leading amusement feature of the entire event. The grand display of pure-bred animals for outclasses all other horse shows of this section of the country, and it is properly placed in a class with the three other horse exhibitions of National reputation: The Madison Square Garden at New York City, The International at Chicago and the Royal at Kansas City. These three and the Fort Worth Horse Show are looked upon as the four largest and best events of their kind in America. The National Feeders' and Breeders' Association, Fort Worth and Texas in general are proud of this fact, and they always exert their best efforts to make each succeeding show outshine all previous ones. Their success will be proven by the coming Horse Show, which will be held each night during the next National Feeders' and Breeders' Show at Fort Worth, March 18-23, 1912. At this show practically all of the blue-ribbon horses of the United States will be entered for competition and the contests for the big prizes in all classes will be exciting and interesting. Premiums will be offered in virtually all of the classes heretofore provided and many new classes will be added to include some novel and unique exhibits.

The gait, carriage and manners of the horses will be taken more strictly into account this year and it will be interesting to note the contrasting characteristics of these aristocratic and beautiful animals.

Stables of the largest and most noted of America will be represented and there will be many exhibitors who have never before shown their horses at Fort Worth.

Like the day show, the Horse Show is a great educational exhibition, and with the official program as a guide, patrons can learn many interesting things about the horse family. This, at first, may seem unimportant to the average individual, but if you attend this horse show, you will want to learn all you can about the many breeds and individuals on exhibition. From time immemorial the horse has been more admired and more in demand than all other domestic animals combined, and as far as usefulness and beauty are concerned, no other member of the animal kingdom can compare with him.

A collection of the purest bred prize-winners, such as will be shown at the 1912 horse show, will be a rare and pleasing sight and whether one is directly interested in horses or not, one will be repaid a hundred times for attending. Not only horsemen and stockmen, but thousands of other citizens, representing all walks of life, turn out each night to see this grand display of thorough-bred animals, and to hear the musical selections which are rendered at each performance. Just as the day show has long been recognized by stockmen as the greatest sale show in America, so the night horse show is known throughout the country as the one real horse show of the south and southwest, and the leading society event of the year. The big coliseum, the largest enclosure of its kind south of Kansas City, seating seven thousand five hundred people, is always packed each night.

### SWINE DEPARTMENT.

Meat or Market Hogs Will Be Elaborately Featured.

By the classifications in the preliminary catalogue it can be seen that meat or market hogs will be featured in the Swine Department of the coming National Feeders' and Breeders' Show at Fort Worth, March 18-23, 1912. Big premiums are offered for hogs in car lots, hogs in pens or live and single barrows, including the following breeds: Tamworth, Berkshire, Poland China, Essex, Duroc-Jersey, Hampshire and Yorkshire. Special prizes are also offered by the American Berkshire Association, American Poland China Record, National Duroc Association, Armour and Swift and others. Such inducements as these will undoubtedly attract the largest and most comprehensive collection of swine ever exhibited in this section of the country.

The Fat Stock Show management is offering special inducements to junior hog raisers and they have been urged to enter their pigs for competition in the 1912 show. Several clubs in Texas and Louisiana have already signified their intentions of participating in the contest in the regular men's classes, and they will also compete for the special premiums offered to them exclusively. This being the first year the future farmers have show stock at the Fat Stock Show, their exhibits will be a big drawing card for the show. The Swine Department, as a whole, will be much larger and better than last year and should attract a far greater number of visitors.

### HORSE DEPARTMENT.

Of all the attractions at the coming National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, at Fort Worth, March 18-23, 1912, none will prove more interesting and entertaining than the Horse Department. To this department is due more largely than probably to any other the credit for the enormous attendance each year, and as the Horse Exhibits of the 1912 Show will be far more numerous than at any previous exhibition at Fort Worth, they will accordingly attract a much larger crowd of visitors.

## Announcements

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District ..... 10.00  
County ..... 5.00  
Precinct and City ..... 3.00

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

For Representative, Dist. No.—  
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J. K. RECTOR, JR.

For County Judge:  
HARVEY WALKER.  
J. P. SHERIDAN.

For County Sheriff:  
J. C. (JIM) WALL.

For Tax Assessor:  
W. S. LEE.  
J. A. WATKINS.

For County Tax Collector:  
S. H. (SILAS) MAYO.

For County Treasurer:  
JOHN RAINBOLT.

For County Clerk:  
W. J. YANTIS.

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:  
E. L. WHITE.

J. K. BAZE.  
C. H. GLAZNER.  
S. D. JONES.

For County Surveyor:  
W. P. DOTY.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3:  
J. L. SMITH.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 1:  
HENRY MILLER.

For Commissioner Prec. 2:  
MARION DEANS.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1:  
N. G. LYLE.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 2:  
MARION DEANS.

For Public Weigher:  
TOM JORDAN.  
BOB SPARKS.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.  
Election April 2, 1912.

For City Recorder:  
N. G. LYLE.

For City Marshal:  
J. M. (JIM) ANDERSON.

P. J. MARTIN.  
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For City Secretary:  
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VIA



"All the Way"

To All Points in

South and Southwest  
Texas

Through Trains to White-land, Melvin and Eden.

Train makes connections both East and West.

G. M. BENNETT

Agent

# Weekly Calendar of Good Cheer

Get into the habit of looking for the silver lining of the cloud, and when you have found it, continue to look at it rather than the leaden gray in the middle. It will help you over many hard places.

## Our Morning Train

LEAVES BRADY AT 8:45

Close connections made at Fort Worth with the

**"TEXAN"**

For St. Louis and Chicago.

Night Train Leaves at 9:00

Through Sleeper to Fort Worth.

ASK US



### Missionary Meeting.

Program for the Missionary meeting of the Baptist Ladies Aid society to be rendered at the home of Mrs. J. L. Jordan Monday, February 26, at 4 p. m.:

Leader, Mrs. Bates. Subject, "A Study of Our Baptist Schools."

Scripture reading directed by leader.

Prayer.

"Correlated Schools of the Baptist General Convention and Their Locations," Mrs. S. W. Hughes.

"Baylor University," Mrs. J. L. Jordan.

"Thirteen Reasons Why," Mrs. Lee Jones.

Special Music, Mesdames Wroten and Williams.

"His Mother's Example," Mrs. C. W. Scott.

"Baylor College," Mrs. Abney.

"Christian Education for Women," Mrs. Yantis.

"Value of the Christian Teacher," Mrs. Alexander.

Offering.

Closing prayer.

### \$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: J. C. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

We are always prepared to serve you in the cold drink line. Palace Drug store.

Lawn sprinklers soon be in season. Broad Mercantile Co.

## FREE REMEDY HELPS CHILDREN

Many a mother has learned of a way of avoiding sickness in her family, especially among the children, by the use of a free sample bottle of the famous laxative, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This offer of the doctor's to send a free sample bottle has been responded to by thousands of women in all parts of America.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a truly wonderful laxative and especially adapted to the needs of babies and children because it is pleasant to taste and no child will refuse it. Then, it is mild and never gripes. It is all that a child's remedy should be, though it is a good laxative for the whole family because it is effective at all ages. It is not dynamic like salts, pills and powerful cathartics, which should not be given to children under any circumstances.

## COMMERCIAL CORNER By the Secretary.

There seems to be considerable interest in the development of the Lohn oil fields. Some of our strongest men financially are making investments and are watching the issue with increasing interest. Something doing all the time has become the motto of our citizens and we already begin to see results.

Mr. George D. Marshall, U. S. Road Director and Supervisor, is here and giving his time to our road construction. We are all glad to hear his favorable comment upon the work now being done by the superintendent of road work, Mr. Daugherty. Mr. Marshall has had years of experience in several states in actual road construction and fully understands the work.

We visited the work on the dam sites above the city this week and found everybody getting ready for placing the concrete.

We also note the work under way for the ice plant by J. and D. Mann. Also the opera house by Mann Bros is showing up in good shape. The new passenger depot on the joint trackage of the Frisco and Santa Fe will be a source of pride to all the people of Brady. It is a beautiful building. With all the work now under way in our county, and around Brady, we will not have to "sing with the croaker."

We have been notified by the Agricultural Department at Washington that there has been a lot of seed sent to my address for the distribution to our farmers who will consent to make a report at the end of the season on the results obtained. There are eight varieties of the maize and sorghum seeds. These seeds will be for the farmers without cost. It has been the desire of the Brady Commercial club to assist at all times the farmers in their efforts to secure the best results on the farms of our county. We are pleased to note just here that our demonstrator, Mr. Griffin, is getting in touch with the work and doing much good for our farmers. We expect to see the results this fall.

I am a solicitor of fine watch repairing and appreciate your patronage. H. C. Boyd, Jeweler, east side square.

**Empty Bags.** We will pay you 3c apiece for good empty cotton seed meal bags; 4c apiece for good mixed feed bags.

**BENCINI OIL MILL.**

## DISTRICT COURT.

Special Venire in Each of Three Cases Third Week.

District Court is in full grind this week.

State of Texas vs. Will McCoy, assault with intent to rape went to the jury late yesterday evening. The balance of the jury has been dismissed for this week. The non-jury cases on the Civil docket will be taken up today.

In the case of State of Texas vs. W. H. Cowser, the case was continued until the next term of court owing to the illness of the child of T. A. Christianus, one of the jurors.

The case of State of Texas vs. Frank Brown, colored, rape, resulted in acquittal.

In the case of Walker-Smith Co. vs. Wm. Graham and S. V. Wood, suit on account, a compromise was effected in the sum sued for, \$1139.76, and stay of execution granted for one year.

A special venire of 72 men has been ordered in each of the three cases to be taken up the third week of the court, viz: A. J. Cottrell, rape; Will Edmondson, rape, and Tiburcio Hernandez, murder. The first two have been set for trial on Monday, March 4th, and the latter, Tuesday, March 5th.

You will look a good while before you find a better medicine for coughs and colds than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It not only gives relief—it cures. Try it when you have a cough or cold, and you are certain to be pleased with the prompt cure which it will effect. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

In every department of our store you'll find bargains in all the lines. We make the price that meets the pocket book. Wm. Connolly & Co.

R. G. Cutter, the new agent for the United States Express Co., requests us to state emphatically that the rumors to the effect that his company had been bought out by the Wells-Fargo are not true in any sense of the word. The United States Express will continue to do business at the same stand and Mr. Cutter will appreciate all the business that may be accorded him.

A. F. Rose is able to be up again after a seige of four weeks with inflammatory rheumatism, from which he is slowly recovering. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Men's half soles sewed on and material guaranteed. Excelsior Shoe store, Brady National bank building.

"The Brady Standard, \$1.00. "Had dyspepsia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

### \$25.00 Reward.

For information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone removing posts or stays from any of my fences or fences controlled by me. W. F. DUTTON.

## TIME TABLE.

Frisco.	
North Bound	
No. 4	8:45 a. m.
No. 6	9 p. m.
South Bound	
No. 5	8:30 a. m.
No. 3	4:45 p. m.
G. C. & S. F.	
East Bound	
No. 54	4:15 p. m.
West Bound	
No. 53	12:28 p. m.

## To Occupy New Quarters.

The Jones Drug Co. has secured the former location of the First State bank and will occupy the building as soon as it is vacated. Owing to the fact that the vault will be continued in service by the Commercial National bank for some weeks yet, the removal will not be made for a matter of a month or more. The First State bank building is one of the most desirable locations in Brady, and the Jones Drug Co. may be congratulated upon securing so excellent a stand.

Mr. Trigg states that they will install new and up-to-date fixtures, giving the people of Brady one of the most modern drug stores in West Texas. Among the improvements will be one of the handsomest soda fountains ever seen outside the large cities, the fountain representing an investment of between \$1400 and \$1800. No pains or expense will be spared in making the store one of the handsomest to be found anywhere, and with the advantage of one of the choicest locations in town, the Jones Drug Co. will no doubt experience an era of unprecedented prosperity.

## Cattlemen's Convention.

The Cattlemen's convention holds forth at Fort Worth March 18th to 23rd, and you will not want to miss this great event. You'll need a new suit, too, and now is the best time to order it, so that it will reach you in ample time for the occasion. Look over our samples, and we know you won't be able to resist them. And then remember that our tailoring is the best there is. Kirk, the tailor. Nuff Sed.

W. D. Crothers, president of the district bankers' association is here from Brady today and is presiding over the sessions of that association being held at Carnegie library this morning. —Brownwood Bulletin, Tuesday.

Window Glass—A complete stock of all sizes and can cut it to order, and put it in on short notice. Ramsay's Planing Mill.

Extra low prices on men's and boys' Excelsior shoes all this month. Excelsior Shoe store, Brady National bank building.

## FOR DYSPEPSIA.

You Risk No Money if You Try This Remedy.

We want everyone troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia to come to our store and obtain a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. They contain Bismuth Subnitrate and Pepsin carefully combined so as to develop their greatest power to overcome digestive disturbance.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are very pleasant to take. They tend to soothe the irritable, weak stomach, to strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, to relieve nausea and indigestion, thus promoting nutrition and bringing about a feeling of comfort.

If you give Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets a reasonable trial we will refund your money if you are not satisfied with the result. Three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies only at our store—The Rexall Store. Jones Drug Co.



**BEACON SHOE**  
A Firm Foundation  
For Men \$3—\$3.50—\$4.00  
UNION MADE

Beacon Shoes at above prices challenge any shoes at any price. In all but cost Beacon Shoes equal any other shoe made.

Wouldn't you rather pay \$3, \$3.50, \$4, for Beacon Shoes than more for shoes no better?

Examine the leather, the seams, the workmanship, the last and the up-to-date styles and you will see that no matter how much more you pay for shoes you can not beat Beacon Shoes.

Union made, by the Goodyear Welt Process and fashioned in the advance styles from Paris, London and New York.

Beacon Shoes are made for you at a price that makes them the world's greatest shoe values.

Buy a pair of Beacon Shoes and prove it. See the new line we have just opened.

# BENHAM

## THE SHOE MAN

F. M. HOYT SHOE COMPANY, Makers, Manchester, N. H.

## Road Work.

The road work in District No. 1 is going merrily forward. Mr. Daugherty just having commenced work on the Eden branch of the Coleman road. Camp was moved to this point Wednesday. About three and one-half miles of road had been graded up to yesterday.

The graders arrived this week and are being put into commission. Commissioners court has made a contract with G. A. Rudolph for the use of his traction engine in operating the graders until the arrival of the traction engine purchased, and in case the engine purchased does not prove satisfactory it is very likely that Mr. Rudolph will be employed permanently.

The court has divided the roads in the district into two classes—the dominant and the minor roads. Of the former, there are four: The Voca, Coleman, Sweden and London. These roads will be improved first and given special attention with the view to their later forming a part of a county system of roads in the event that bonds are voted in other parts of the county at any future date.

Canton goods have been on the market too long to be an experiment. While they cost no more they are worth considerably more. Broad Mercantile Co.

Canton implements actually cost us more money than any other line of implements sold, but we will sell them at the same price the other fellow asks for an inferior goods. Canton is the best, and we want you to at least let us show you. Broad Mercantile Co.

The Brady Standard, \$1.00.

## MRS. LARAMORE TELLS TROUBLES

Lady in Goodwater Describes Her Distressing Experience and Tells How She Was Finally Relieved.

Goodwater, Mo.—"Ever since I was a little girl," says Mrs. Riley Laramore, "I was a great sufferer from dyspepsia."

I suffered misery after eating, and had terrible heartburn.

I thought I had to suffer this way as long as I lived, but when I began to take Theford's Black-Draught, in small doses, every night, the heartburn was all gone in a few days, and I could eat without distress.

I took two small packages in all, and although that was some time ago, the dyspepsia has not returned.

I speak a good word for Theford's Black-Draught whenever I have the opportunity."

If eating causes distress, we urge you to try Theford's Black-Draught. It cleanses the system, helps the stomach to digest its food, regulates the bowels, and stimulates the liver.

It acts gently and is without bad after-effects. Try A. Price 25c.

**Santa Fe**  
**Farm Demonstration Special**

Will Be Operated  
**MARCH 6th**

On the Following Schedule:

Lometa	Ar	6:00 am	Lv	7:00 am
San Saba	"	8:00 "	"	10:30 am
Richland	"	11:05 "	"	12:35 pm
Brady	"	1:35 pm	"	3:00 pm
Eden	"	4:20 "	"	8:00 pm

The Demonstration Special will be under the direction of Prof. H. M. Bainer, Agricultural Demonstrator of the A. T. & S. F. Ry., assisted by H. E. Singleton, of McKinney, an expert on hogs; Prof. Evans, of the A. & M. College, an expert on dairying, and Prof. Johnson, who will lecture on poultry raising. Prof. Bainer will lecture on "Improved Agricultural Methods."

Farmers are cordially invited to visit the train and hear the following lectures, which will be of practical interest and assistance to them:

- "Better Farming."
- "Profitable Hog Raising."
- "Our Farm Poultry."
- "The Need for More Dairying."

The above lectures will not be of interest to school children under the Sixth Grade.

R. J. Kennedy, Col. Agt., G. C. & S. F. Ry., Galveston

We Carry the Biggest and Best Assortment of  
**Hand-Made Stock Saddles**

Team and Buggy Harness, Collars, Bridles, Whips, Etc.

Will Give You Close Figures. Make Our Store Your Headquarters. Repairing Done of All Kinds.

**H. P. C. EVERS**  
BRADY NATIONAL BANK BUILDING

**City Barber Shop**

Next Door to City Bakery

Is the place to get a nice smooth shave or any kind of first-class barber work. Make us a call and be convinced.

**Reeves Sellers, Prop.**

**WALDRIP WHISPERINGS.**

Waldrip, Texas, Feb. 18.

Editor Brady Standard:

Last week The Standard was better than ever before and I see clearly that this contest between we correspondents is going to make The Standard famous for the "country news."

I see Aunt Susan was absent last week. What I enjoy your letters so much.

There is quite a lot of excitement caused by scarlet fever in our community. There has only been two cases to date, yet it is feared several were exposed. Every precaution is being taken to prevent the disease spreading. The one case left now is the baby of J. W. Hill, which is reported better—a fact we are glad to state.

Last Thursday night at 10 o'clock the spirit of little John Hill silently wended its way back to its maker. He was a bright, lovable little fellow of about seven years of age. The cause of his death was scarlet fever, which he took Sunday, and although all that medical skill could do was done, the little life passed away. He was laid to rest in the Marion cemetery.

etery. The Standard readers and staff extend sympathy to the bereaved parents.

School closed last Thursday for fear of scarlet fever, also all public gatherings have ceased pro. tempore.

Prof. Wright is moving across the river to the Fluellen place.

Mr. Poole's family have moved back to Fife, but Mr. Poole is here yet.

H. D. Bradley is having a new smoke house built.

Mr. and Mrs. Briscoe and Miss Maggie Powell spent Saturday night with Miss Verna Mae Briscoe.

S. H. and T. R. Briscoe went to Lohn Sunday.

Mr. Reeves, representing the Wilder Music Co., of Brownwood, was in our village last week and incidentally repaired Dr. Powell's piano.

**THE KID.**

When the bowels become irregular you are uncomfortable and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. You can get rid of this misery quickly by using HERBINE. Take a dose on going to bed and see how fine you feel next day. Price 50c. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Wm. Connolly & Co. is the place to make the least money go farthest.

**COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE**

**CALF CREEK WINDIES.**

Nine, Texas, Feb. 18.

Editor Brady Standard:

As I see nothing in The Standard from this bouquet. I thought I'd send a lonely blossom.

We had a nice rain last week which put smiles on the farmers' faces.

Our school is progressing very nicely under the leadership of Prof. Cowles, principal, and Miss Bessie Surles, assistant.

The Sunday school at this place has revived since the new year began. Let the good work go on.

Farmers in this locality are very near up with their work; all are going to plant about 40 per cent feed and grain.

Mrs. Sallie Bingham is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Attaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan are the proud parents of a fine girl at their home.

Grandma Northcott is spending the week with J. T. Gressett and family.

Well, the auto has been taking the day with the men; and the latest thing out with the housewife is a Home Comfort range. The salesmen are doing a very good business in this vicinity, considering the three hard years just past.

Mr. J. T. Gressett is suffering from a broken rib. He was dreaming he was a boy again, and to his astonishing surprise found himself in the lot riding a yearling. It must have thrown him, causing the painful accident.

Mr. H. L. Blasdell happened to a painful accident the other day. I suppose he must have been pushing on the lines, as his hold gave way and he fell to the beam, breaking his hand.

Tom Bingham had the misfortune to lose a fine \$150 mare.

Well, if this scribbling escapes the waste basket I may come again.

Good wishes to all who read The Standard.

**THE OLD WOMAN.**

**Shocking Sounds**

In the earth are sometimes heard before a terrible earthquake, that warn of the coming peril. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape those dangerous maladies, Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's Disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. "My son received great benefit from their use for kidney and bladder trouble," writes Peter Bondy, South Rockwood, Mich. "It is certainly a great kidney medicine." Try it. 50c. at Jones Drug Co.

A large stock of refrigerators just received. Broad Mercantile Co.

We are giving the service that makes pleased customers and permanent ones. Wm. Connolly & Co.

**A TEXAS WONDER**

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, removing gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two month's treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for Texas testimonials. Sold by druggists

**EAST BRADY NEWS.**

Brady, Texas, Feb. 17.

Editor Brady Standard:

Here I come for my first time to ask how you enjoyed your Valentine. Am very sorry to say that mine was not accepted.

Mrs. S. P. Allen visited her son, Dock Morrow, of East Brady, this week.

Miss Millie Castleman has returned from Pontotoc, where she has been visiting friends, and reports a nice time.

Miss Carrie Berry and her Sunday school class spent the day Sunday on the creek.

Mr. Arthur Hall is in Brady this week on business.

Little Raymond Coot is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Fuller are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl on the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Young and children are visiting Mrs. I. J. Castleman this week.

I will ring off for this time.

**THE BABE.**

**Almost Lost His Life.**

S. A. Stid, of Mason, Mich., will never forget his terrible exposure to a merciless storm. "It gave me a dreadful cold," he writes, "that caused severe pains in my chest, so it was hard for me to breathe. A neighbor gave me several doses of Dr. King's New Discovery which brought great relief. The doctor said I was on the verge of pneumonia, but to continue with the Discovery. I did so and two bottles completely cured me." Use only this quick, safe, reliable medicine for coughs, colds or any throat or lung trouble. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Jones Drug Co.

**EAST GANSEL NEWS.**

Lohn, Texas, Feb. 17.

Editor Brady Standard:

Will send you a few locals from this part of the country.

We have had a fine rain since our last report, and never was the country in better shape for a big crop.

Oats are coming up nicely and grass is putting out rapidly.

Plowing is the order of the day.

We are enjoying reasonably good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Smart, of near Lohn, visited at Mr. C. M. Coalson's Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coalson celebrated the twenty-fourth anniversary of their marriage on the 16th by giving a musical to the young people of this community.

Bro. Mayo preached at East Gansel last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Jesse Nicks returned from London this week.

Mr. Johnnie Mayo and family visited Mrs. Mayo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicks, this week.

With best wishes.

JOSHUA.

Constipation causes headache, nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation. Drastic physics gripe, sicken, weaken the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regulets act gently and cure constipation. 25 cents. Ask your druggist.

Crow bars and octagon tool steel. Broad Mercantile Co.

The highest grade of watch repairing done at Palace Drug store.

A man near Brady one leg broken, foot badly crippled should get a pair of crutches of Jones Drug Co.

**Melts in Your Mouth**

Here's a dainty delicacy—served hot; or cold as a salad. Luscious, tender down to the last bite (tip and stalk)—it's better than the fresh.

**White Swan Asparagus Tips**

All of America is our asparagus buyer—only the pick of the asparagus crop in the finest asparagus growing districts is prepared the "home cooked" way and put up under conditions of superior cleanliness. Every taste a treat.

**Ask Your Grocer**

For White Swan Food Products. There are few, very few, who do not carry them, but you may be one of the few—so be sure to get them for you. Use 'em, easy—be well, of course.

**Waples-Platter Grocer Co.**  
Dallas—Denison—Ft. Worth  
BRANCH HOUSES:  
Gainesville, Tex.—Greenville, Tex.—Dubin, Tex.—Brownwood, Tex.—Stanford, Tex.—Haskell, Tex.—Chillicothe, Tex.—Amarillo, Tex.—Ada, Okla.—Chickasha, Okla.

**MILBURN MIXUPS.**

Milburn, Texas, Feb. 19.

Editor Brady Standard:

As I did not see any news from here last week, I will send in some.

We had a nice rain Monday evening that put all the farmers to smiling. Some of them have gone to plowing this morning.

Mr. F. M. White spent Saturday night and Sunday with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Beckham spent Sunday with Mr. J. D. Griffith's family.

Mr. Wess Ballard is visiting his sister, Mrs. Griffith.

Mr. Bud Penn is improving fast. Think that he will soon be able to be with us once more.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradford visited Mrs. Bradford's home folks Sunday evening.

There were a few who went up to the party at Mrs. Gray's, but on account of sickness, Mr. and Mrs. Gray were called away from home, but we all went to Mr. Jim Sansom's and had a nice time.

If this comes out in print I will write again.

**PUG MUGGINS.**

A child that has intestinal worms is handicapped in its growth. A few doses of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE destroys and expels worms; the child immediately improves and thrives wonderfully. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

A woman found near the road side, eyesight badly damaged, should come to our store and be fitted with a pair of our Hawkes glasses. Jones Drug Co.

Folks that are particular about having the right kind of cleaning and pressing done, never go wrong when they have it done at Kirk's—Oldest and best. Phone 54. Nuf Sed.

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### PRAIRIE VIEW ITEMS.

Brady, Texas, Feb. 19.

Editor Brady Standard:

Well, I thought I would try to write again.

The health of our community is good.

G. W. Young and Charlie Young, of Eden, were the guests of Lee Young last Friday night.

Mr. Marion Ranne, of Midway, was the guest of his brother, Jim, Sunday night.

Mr. Clem Little and Miss Maggie Barker visited Miss Winnie Carroll last Sunday eve at Brady.

Messrs. George Little and Roy Young attended the party at Mr. Henry Dunham's at Midway Saturday night.

Rev. Manney and Mr. Wicker, of Placid, were the guests of Lee Young Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Lewis West made a business trip to Brady Saturday.

Mr. Charlie Young and his sister, Miss Elsie, attended the socialist rally at Brady Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson visited Mr. Jim Ranne Sunday evening.

Mr. George Little, of Ward, was the guest of Roy Young Saturday night and Sunday.

The singing at Mr. Campbell's Sunday night was enjoyed by all who attended.

You boys needn't get scared when you go to a party and break some of your harness just use your belt like George and Roy did.

Mr. Jim Ranne and family visited his parents at Midway Sunday.

E. B. Kennedy, of Waldrip, visited friends here last Monday.

Misses Maggie and Mamie Barker made a flying trip to Brady Friday evening.

Well, B. Wise, you wanted all the correspondents who attended the Socialist campaign at Brady to mention it in their letters. Well, I, for one, attended it. I think it was fine.

Well, I will ring off. If this escapes the waste basket, I will write again.

BLUE EYES.

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# COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

## FIFE FINDINGS.

Fife, Texas, Feb. 18.

Editor Brady Standard:

Our farmers being so busy since the rain find little time to drive "Old Dobbin" to the village, so we are short on news this week.

Ludwig Ramsey, who has recently returned from Seymour, was shaking hands with old friends Saturday.

Messrs. Darley and Lowrey, traveling men, were interviewing our merchants this week.

Rob Finlay and Henry Bradley were in Brady taking work taking work in the Masonic order several days.

Mrs. J. F. Watson and Miss Dovie were the guests of Mrs. Jim Long Saturday.

Mr. Millsap and family spent a pleasant day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Larkin.

Little Miss Lena Priest was reported on the sick list, but we hope she has fully recovered.

B. W. Bradley, Mrs. L. Bradley and their guests, Misses Payne, were viewing the "silvery Colorado" Sunday.

As usual, Fife contributed her share of visitors to Brady: Jack Mitchell, Dair and Bright Baldrige, Loyal and Lester Walker were among the number.

I. H. Lawson and Boly Horn "rode the goat" into the Woodmen Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Finlay, Sr., were host and hostess at a big turkey dinner Sunday. A most sumptuous repast was served and such ample justice was done the good things that Lazarus would have fared poorly on the crumbs. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Jas., Alex. and W. A. Finlay, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bradley, Rob, Donald and Misses Mary and Maggie Finlay.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Elliott is going away: Mr. Cross, of Bandera, will occupy the place.

R. K., James and Allie Finlay and Frank Bradley were at the Lohn oil wells Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bradley and Miss Elva Payne were guests of Mrs. Thos. Mitchell Friday.

We are glad to see an interest in singing again, and we rise up in meeting to say that there will be singing at Fife school house Sunday afternoon, March 3rd, 1912, at 3 o'clock. We extend a cordial invitation to all our neighboring singers and lovers of music to come and be with us. Y's ACRE.

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### Why He Was Late.

"What made you so late?"  
"I met Smithson."  
"Well, that is no reason why you should be an hour late getting home to supper."  
"I know, but I asked him how he was feeling, and he insisted on telling me about his stomach trouble."  
"Did you tell him to take Chamberlain's Tablets?"  
"Sure, that is what he needs." Sold by Jones Drug Co.

## KATEMCY NEWS.

Katemcy, Texas, Feb. 17.

Editor Brady Standard:

Hello! I will give a few items from this part of the country, as I haven't seen anything from here.

Health is very good at this writing.

The farmers are rejoicing over the fine rain Monday as it was very much needed.

Most everyone is through breaking and waiting for planting time, which is not far off.

Katemcy's new school house is about completed and the boss went home Wednesday.

Those who went to Brady from this part of the country this week: Will Coots, G. F. Hurley, George Jones and Lee Amorie.

Mrs. Mattie Amorie visited Mrs. George Jones Thursday.

The masquerade party given by Mrs. Parsons was well attended, and all report a good time.

Well, as news is scarce and this is my first attempt, will ring off.

With best wishes to The Standard and its many readers. CAULIFLOWER.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it.

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## WARD WHISTLINGS.

Brady, Texas, Feb. 20.

Editor Brady Standard:

As it is almost sundown and I have my work done up, I will give in the "whistlings."

This morning the wind began to raise and get harder and has been ever since. The wind is blowing on the house now so hard that it makes such a noise that I can hardly write. If the ground was as dry now as it was during our last sand storm we would have a harder one this time than ever before, if it were possible.

The party at Mr. R. M. Russell's last night was enjoyed by all present. Would have been much nicer if the town boys and girls had not turned their part of it into a dance.

The party at Mr. Leslie Boyles' last Friday night was enjoyed by all present.

The teacher of our school walked to town this evening.

Mr. W. W. Barker has been attending court this week.

Mr. Jess Barker left for Cedar Creek last week.

Singing at Mr. Campbell's last Saturday night was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Clem Little was visiting at Fife last Sunday. Clem, what is your business at Fife so often?

Mr. G. J. Burger has had business at the court house all this week.

Mr. Roy Young was at Mr. J. W. Little's last Sunday.

Miss Veria Evans is going to school at Prairie View.

Mr. Jones attended singing at Mr. Campbell's last Sunday night.

B. WISE.

## LIGHTNER NEWS.

Lightner, Texas, Feb. 21.

Editor Brady Standard:

Hello, Mr. Editor and readers! Here I come again. I hope you will forgive me for being absent so long for really the news in our community has been going so fast that I couldn't run fast enough to catch it.

We have had two weddings in our community since last I wrote. Miss Anola McGaughey and Mr. Tom Armistead, Miss Julia McLeod and Mr. Ace Turk. We wish both couples a prosperous and happy life.

A crowd of young people from Lightner attended the concert at the Loveless school house on Saturday night. They report a jolly time.

Mr. Hiram Turk, who has been working at Menard since November, returned home last week. We are glad to have him home again.

Miss Irene Green, of Menard, spent several days with her sister, Miss Cora Green, last week.

Miss Ivy Thigpen, of Loveless settlement, spent Saturday night and part of Sunday with Miss Ora Allison at Lightner.

Miss Effie Heaton spent Saturday night with Miss Dovie Turk.

Messrs. Ernest Thigpen and Alex. Wilkerson made a trip to Brady last week.

Mr. Marion Tally made a trip to Brady week before last, but the poor boy happened to a serious accident before he reached town. His horse started to run away with him, upsetting the buggy and throwing Marion out on his head. Poor boy, he always lights on his head. The horse kicked him several times in the face, hurting him pretty badly, but he has quite recovered now.

There is to be a box supper at the Noyes school house February 24th.

Mr. McGaughey and family have left our community. We were all sorry to see them go.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Allison, of Lightner, visited relatives near Eden Saturday and Sunday.

Well, as I have told all the news, I will ring off. Ta, ta.

THE HAPPY KID.

Don't be surprised if you have an attack of rheumatism this spring. Just rub the affected parts freely with Chamberlain's Liniment and it will soon disappear. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

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E. L. Hoover writes from Mt. Vernon, N. M., the following cheerful message: "Inclosed find \$1.00 to run my subscription till 1913. I like to read The Standard." Think of that!

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## ONION GAP ITEMS.

Rochelle, Texas, Feb. 19.

Editor Brady Standard:

Birds are singing sweet song notes, making spring come as fast as possible.

Mr. Isaac Russell and Miss Coreene Finegan visited their friends, Misses Beulah and Gladys Morris, at Cow Gap.

Messrs. Andy Brown, Albert Finegan and Curtis Reynolds went to Rochelle Friday.

Miss Leona Reynolds visited her friend, Miss Myrtle Clary, Sunday.

There was quite a crowd of the Gap people who enjoyed themselves at Midway Sunday.

Messrs. Charlie and Lewis Bratton went to Brady Saturday.

Miss Katie Crider visited the home folks Sunday.

Mr. Bud Clary went to Brady Saturday.

Mr. Clint Bell has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. B. F. Harrison went to Brady Saturday.

Mrs. C. W. Clayton spent the day with Mrs. W. W. Terry Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dobbs and children, of Fife, were visiting at the Sallee home Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Nannie Harrison visited her cousin, Miss Hattie Crider, Sunday.

The dear old Standard is getting interesting now, there are so many nice correspondents' letters in it. All come again, I am glad to see everyone.

The singing at Mr. Andy Brown's Sunday night was enjoyed until a late hour.

There will be a box supper at the school house Friday night, Feb. 23. All are cordially invited.

Good luck to one and all.

SUGAR DOLLY.

Plenty of shovels, picks, etc. Broad Mercantile Co.