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ANOTHER CASE.

J. W. Hopkins Stricken With Malady Tuesday Night.

A second case of meningitis has made its appearance in Brady, the latest sufferer being J. W. Hopkins, who was taken down last Tuesday night. Mr. Hopkins is well advanced in years, being between 67 and 68 years of age, and his case is reported much more severe than the first, and grave fears are entertained for his recovery. Up to the time of the attack Mr. Hopkins had been as well as usual. Yesterday morning the doctors gave a very encouraging report as to his condition, and if the patient continues to respond to the treatment there is an excellent chance for recovery. The case of Doyle Tindle is reported showing great improvement and there is small doubt of her recovery.

Calvin Thaxton and son, Willie, were in Brady Wednesday from near Mason on business. While returning home with a load of supplies, Mr. Thaxton had the misfortune to break an axle on his wagon, and was compelled to return for repairs. Mr. Thaxton took advantage of his stay here to renew his subscription for The Standard, which is a good evidence of his appreciation of the paper.

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BRADY MEN ATTACKED

MEXICAN BANDITS BESIEGE NELSON MORRIS RANCH.

Joe Miller and Brown Paschal, Former Bradyites, in Fight in Mexico.

Considerable alarm has been felt the past few days for the safety of "Smokey" Miller and Brown Paschal, former Bradyites, who have been surrounded on a ranch in Mexico by Mexican bandits. The first news of the trouble came through press reports, and it was not until a telephone message to the Fort Worth Record brought the news of their safety that the fears were allayed.

Both parties are well known here, "Smokey" Miller being a brother of Uncle Marion Miller, and known all over McCulloch county as Joe Miller, while Brown Paschal is a brother of John Paschal, Mrs. S. A. Duke and Mrs. Julia Wigginton, and father of Mrs. Ellen Strickland.

The following is the press report of the attack:

"The headquarters of the Nelson Morris ranch, opposite Sierra Blanca, is surrounded by insurgents and a battle between American ranchmen and Mexicans has been going on for twelve hours.

"A band of American cowboys, well armed, have started southward for the Rio Grande to relieve the besieged men. A Mexican cowboy brought news of the fight late tonight.

"He brought an appeal to the Texas cowboys for assistance. Brown Paschal, manager of the ranch; four Americans and five friendly Mexicans are said to be barricaded in a large adobe ranch house at Cuervo, the headquarters of the big ranch. The insurgent band that is attempting the capture of the ranch is said to number fifty.

"The T O ranch, the scene of the fighting, is owned by the Nelson Morris Packing Co., and is one of the largest ranches in Northern Mexico.

"According to the story of the courier, the insurgents approached the ranch this afternoon and demanded the surrender of the stores, saddles, horses and guns. Paschal refused, and with the bookkeeper, "Smokey" Miller, the foreman, and two other Americans took refuge in the house.

"A Mexican blacksmith at the

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THE COURT RULES

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ranch is said to have been killed.

"When the courier arrived at Polaris, a small settlement on the Rio Grande, he found several Americans. They immediately scattered among the neighboring ranchmen and a call for assistance was sent to Sierra Blanca. A telephone announces that twelve Americans had gathered at Polaris and a company of fifteen are within a few miles of the river. When the two camps are united they declare that they will make a dash for the besieged ranch, twenty-two miles inland."

Later the following report was published:

Marfa, Texas, Feb. 27.—After several hours' fighting, the American ranchmen defending the Nelson Morris ranch at Cuervo, Mexico, near the Texas line, drove off the Mexican bandits who attacked the ranch headquarters yesterday.

Twenty armed American cowboys gathered in this section of Texas were on the point of invading Mexico to rescue the "boys" on the Nelson Morris ranch when a messenger met them at Polaris, on the American bank of the Rio Grande, and told them their friends

were safe.

The messenger told the story of the Cuervo fight. He said the bandits attempted to loot the ranch, demanding the surrender of ammunition and money. Brown Paschal, manager of the ranch, refused and barricaded the main adobe building. It is not known here whether anyone was hurt in the several hours' fighting which followed. The bandits finally withdrew, threatening to return to the attack later. Paschal refused to retreat to the American side of the river, declaring he would be ready to fight it out if the bandits return. Hearing this, a number of cowboy friends of the Americans have gone to Paschal's assistance. Meanwhile, a band of Americans, said to be of fair proportions, is reported to be gathering at Polaris to dash into Mexico if the ranch needs aid.

Norma Easterwood, while at work on the Mann building last week happened to a bad fall, which laid him up for a few days.

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BRADY, TEXAS

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

FIFE FINDINGS.

Fife, Texas, Feb. 26.

Editor Brady Standard:

Surely, we must have slipped a cog and gotten into March, for nothing but March winds could have equaled those of Tuesday and Sunday.

Rev. Young filled his regular appointment Sunday, but owing to the inclemency of the weather, the congregation was small.

We are sorry to note the continued illness of Grandma Glover; hope she improves with warm weather.

Mr. Sam Tedder has been suffering from a bone felon.

If Fife is not original, she's nothing; and while diseases are the fashion, we are in the swim with several well developed cases of chicken pox.

Ed Mitchell and Dair Baldrige were on the sick list this week.

F. M. Bradley, C. M. Tedder, D. C. Priest and John Briscoe were in Brady this week.

R. K. Finlay, Sr., Robert Finlay and E. B. Baldrige attended a telephone meeting at Lohn Saturday. There will be a meeting here Tuesday night.

Misses Mary Thurber, Vane Baldrige and Ida Mae Lawson were the guests of Misses Finlay Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Walker and guests Misses Walker and Macy, were visitors of Mrs. H. D. Bradley Saturday.

The new bridge over Elm is completed and it is a splendid piece of work, adding much to the convenience of travelers.

The recent rains have brought the small grain up and prospects are good for a splendid crop.

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KATEMECY NEWS.

Katemecy, Texas, Feb. 24.

Editor Brady Standard:

Here I come again with a few more happenings.

Well, we had a fine day Monday, but I think the worst sand storm I ever saw on Tuesday.

Gardening is the order of the day.

Among the sick this week were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davenport's baby, Mrs. Long and Mrs. Addis Turner, but we hope for them a speedy recovery.

The Baptist preacher, Bro. Rankin, filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday, preaching at Fikes school house Saturday night.

The Presbyterian preacher, Bro. Tyler, preached here Sunday evening.

Mr. Charlie Turner is making some new fence at his place, which improves the looks very much.

Mr. G. F. Hurley made another trip to Brady this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davenport made a trip to Brady Wednesday, returning Saturday.

A bad accident happened Saturday night. While out hunting, Jim Gray accidentally shot his uncle, causing his death Saturday night at 10 o'clock. Deceased leaves a wife, one child and other relatives to mourn his death. We regret to lose him, and his family have our greatest sympathy.

I will ring off with best wishes to The Standard and its many readers.

CAULIFLOWER.

MILBURN MIXUPS.

Milburn, Texas, Feb. 26.

Editor Brady Standard:

On account of the sand storm last Tuesday and the small showers the rest of the week, the farmers have not worked much this week. The high winds are sure drying the earth.

The Milburn News extends its sympathies to Mr. Ed Gray. He seems to be unfortunate for a young man; just in the prime of life and lost his second wife. We hope that in the future Mr. Gray will be more successful than he has been in the past.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Painter, the 18th, a fine boy.

There was a sad accident happened Thursday. One of Mr. Huddleston's children got its head blown open with a shot gun cartridge. The child put the cartridge on a rock and set fire around it, thinking it was a fire cracker. The child was only four years old and did not know better. Parents should be careful and keep such things out of reach of the little fellows.

Mr. John Sanders made a flying trip to Brownwood this week. He said they were all busy dusting from the sand storm.

We sure had another hard sand storm Sunday and that put the women all to dusting again.

Mr. F. W. White came home Wednesday from his work sick with lagrippe, but was able to return Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Bishop says that he is going to commence planting cotton the 20th of March.

Mr. Joe Dillard was on the sick list the past week.

There will be preaching here Saturday and Sunday. Hurrah for Milburn; preaching here once more.

Our Sunday school was almost a failure Sunday, but all come out again and let's build it up again.

Spring is almost here and everything is putting out. There have been some who have taken advantage of the pretty days and went fishing.

Hoping to see this in print, I am the same.

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EAST BRADY.

Brady, Texas, Feb. 24.

Editor Brady Standard:

I suppose the farmers are all smiles over the prospects of rain this morning, but it was very disappointing to some of the little girls down in our community, as they had a pleasure trip to the country planned for Friday.

Little Miss Doyle Tindle, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tindle, who has the meningitis, I am glad to report, is much better. Hope she will soon recover.

Little Master Anderson Castleman is visiting at Whiteland this week.

Mrs. Suhr made a trip to Brownwood this week on business.

Mrs. F. Young and children were here to see her husband this week who is here at work.

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Mr. Bruce Wren made a flying trip to Brady Sunday.

We are certainly smiling over our little gardens in this end of town. You can see their eyes for a hundred yards. We will

soon have vegetables to eat.

You will have to excuse my short letter for this time, as they have most of East Brady quarantined.

THE BABE.

WALDRIP WHISPERINGS.

Waldrip, Texas, Feb. 28.
Editor Brady Standard:
After a light norther and a terrible sand storm Saturday night and Sunday, we are again enjoying beautiful weather.

Another light rain broadened the grins of the farmers.
Garden planting is the latest excitement. People are planting everything on a larger scale this year for the bumper crop that is predicted.

School opened up again this morning, as the scarlet fever scare has died down. We surely hope there will be no other cause for delaying the school.

J. H. Briscoe braved the sand storm to Brady Sunday—but there is a reason why.

Mrs. Mae Wright, our Prof.'s wife, has been on the sick list but is improving.

Quite a number of our prominent citizens attended court last week, among them were: Dr. J. E. Powell, H. L. Bratton, Marion Lohn, E. W. Frost, M. J. Hutto and others.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Metts will be glad to learn that another son came to make his home with them in Coleman the 23rd.

Miss Irma Woodard was taken ill quite suddenly Saturday night, and at first meningitis was feared, but we are glad to state that it was not, and she is getting along nicely.

Mr. C. L. Bell's father is visiting him.

Mrs. C. L. Bell's baby has been on the sick list.

THE KID.

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SWEDEN ITEMS.

Rochelle, Texas, Feb. 28.

Good morning, Mr. Editor, correspondents and readers! Here I come again, but hope you will forgive me for waiting so long. It isn't because I don't want to write, but the news is a little bit scarce.

On last Friday afternoon, a bouncing baby boy made his arrival at the O. E. Hurd home, and the young man says: "I am going to make a booster like daddy."

Miss Alma Hurd is chief cook

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Dr. W. M. Burgess filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning, but in the afternoon guess the weather was too stormy. There were twenty individuals present in the afternoon. This was the first time Dr. Burgess failed to come on appointed time.

Mrs. S. L. Hurd and Mrs. H. C. Johanson and son, "Little Master George", Mrs. H. T. Knappe and son, "Little Master Wilber", Mrs. Franz Johnson and daughter, Miss Victoria, Mrs. J. E. Wilson and son, "Little Master Chester", Mrs. O. E. Engdahl and "Little Miss Gladys" and "Little Master Raymond" were guests at the O. E. Hurd home last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ake are rejoicing over a fine boy which arrived last Monday.

AUNT SUSAN.

Repels Attack of Death.

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NINE NUGGETS.

Nine, Texas, Feb. 23.

Editor Brady Standard:

Well, we had another one of McCulloch county's good rains Tuesday—sand, though.

J. S. Smith was in Brady with a load of McCulloch county produce one day this week.

Grandma Ebar is very low at this writing. Otherwise, the health of this community is good.

Mr. J. A. Harkrider was marketing cotton in Brady this week.

A. F. McCoy started out to Eldorado last week to see his new grandson, but met Tom Smith at Menard and Tom said it was a girl, and Mac came back.

The bad weather is holding Mr. J. M. Israel here yet. Hope he won't get off at all, as we need him here.

There was a lady asked me the other day if the editor would take cats on subscription. I told that the editor being an old maid, that I guessed that it would be all right.

Say, Mr. Editor, do all editors have the same breakfast as Claude? If so, invite me down.

My, the wind did blow here Tuesday! Wallace Scales said it turned his disc wrong side out; Ben Smith said it blew the tires off his John Deere, and it unearthed Ebbie Beard until he had to shave.

JIMMIE.

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SOUTH VOCA BARKINGS.

Voca, Texas, Feb. 24.

Editor Brady Standard:

Well, after a long absence, I will again try to write a few items to the dear old Standard, which is as good a paper as there ever was in McCulloch county and some few surrounding counties.

I notice the editor is going to give prizes to the best correspondents, so get busy, all of you, for I think we all should do our best, as the editor is so kind as to give prizes, and I for one am sorry that I stayed out so long and am from this on standing at my post.

Mrs. Carroll, after a long illness, died this morning at seven o'clock. She had been sick three weeks and had been at the point of death for a week, and it seemed every day that she could not live much longer, but she lingered long as a fading lily does when cut from the stem. Deceased was 51 years of age and had only moved to this community a short time ago. She leaves four children to mourn her loss, Mr. Jim Carroll, of this place, Mr. Walter Carroll, of Fredonia, a 17-year-old son, Frank, and a daughter who lives in the Panhandle.

Death had been expected for some five years, and she had been traveling for her health. Death was caused by Bright's disease. Many friends grieve over the loss of such a good neighbor, but we all have a time and that time will be set by God alone, and He will decide whether we shall suffer or not. The funeral will be held at the Mt. Tabor cemetery tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

Burglars entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Childers on the night of the 11th and stole about 100 pounds of meat. No trace of the thieves have been found.

Another quite sad death in this community was that of an old Texas veteran, Grandpa Crutsinger. He died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. Z. Lemons, Saturday night, the 17th, death resulting from old age. On Saturday morning he told them all not to grieve over him for he would not die until that night and strange to say, true to what he said, he died that night at 11 o'clock. The funeral took place at the Voca cemetery Monday at 10 o'clock, Rev. Howard Childers conducting the service.

Say, what is the matter with some of our correspondents? We have not heard from some of them for a long time.

Mr. Andy Somerville, wife and son, Floyd, made a business trip to Brady today.

Edgar Hobbs has accepted a position with J. J. Ogles in his barber shop. We hope them a profitable business and may you party and dance men eat lots to make your hair grow so they can roll in 35 cents to make business pleasant for them.

There were recitations at the Dusty school Friday eve. The evening passed off most pleasantly. The visitors were Mr. Jim Darley, Morris Schafer, Andy Lewallen, Euie Allen and Mr. Henry Behrens.

Say, we notice with some surprise, that Mr. C. H. Glazner, our school professor, is a candidate for superintendent of public instruction. We hope he will have the success to gain the vote of many, or at least enough to gain the office.

Well, I must ring off, but you will see me very often, or my name in the good old Standard. Now, let everyone try for the prize the good editor is going to give.

So ta, ta, until next Saturday and you will hear from me again.

OLD CARLO.

ONION GAP SCRAPINGS.

Onion Gap, Texas, Feb. 25.

Editor Brady Standard:

My, my! such strong winds as we are having now.

A good many of the Gap folks had to attend court this week. Mr. C. M. Bell went to Brady Saturday.

Miss Mandy Williams, of Rochelle, is visiting her friend, Miss Coreene Finegan.

Misses Beulah and Gladys Morris, of Cow Gap, visited in the Gap two days this week.

Most of the Gap people were seen in Rochelle Saturday; among them were Misses Coreene Finegan and Hattie Cridder, Messrs. Herbert Anderson, and son, Byron, H. E. Finegan and son, Ed, Clint Bell, Albert Finegan, Dewey Pence, Ernest Clary, Charles and Lewis Bratton, O. P. Sallee and two sons, Guy and George, Sam Cridder, Walter Mooring, W. W. Terry, Bud Clary, Frank Harrison, Elbert Bentley and Isaac Russell.

Mrs. Nettie Sallee of Rochelle visited in the Gap Saturday and Sunday.

On account of bad weather, our box supper was postponed but will be on Friday, March 1, 1912. Everybody come.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bell and son, Clarence, visited at Jim Davis' Saturday.

The singing at Mr. Edd Finegan's Sunday eve was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Ta, ta until another sweet day.

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PEAR VALLEY PEELINGS.

Pear Valley, Texas, Feb. 27.

Editor Brady Standard:

As I haven't seen anything from here in a long time, I thought I'd write.

Miss Ellen Watkins, of Gansel ranch, visited Miss Jessie Baisden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hester visited Mr. John Hester and family, of Lohn, Sunday.

Quite a crowd of the Valley young people attended the speaking at Lohn on Saturday night.

Mrs. Monte Haywood is spending a few weeks with her mother at Burnet.

Mr. Boy Horn, of Fife, paid his regular visit to Rev. Shirley's Sunday.

Mr. Robert Cantrell had a jolly time Sunday chasing his hat. After quite a chase he found it down in Mr. Gault's pasture. You had better get Miss ——— to sew you some ribbon strings on it, Robert.

Well, as news is scarce in this part of the world, will quit.

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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."

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- "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

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.

SWEDEN NEWS.

(Too late for last week.)

Rochelle, Texas, Feb. 22.

Editor Brady Standard:

Well, as we have received such a good rain, I feel that I should write again.

On last Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hurd had the honor of entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith and daughter, Katherine, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hardin and daughter, Louise, of Rustling Rochelle. Said party went to Brady on Monday afternoon in Mr. Smith's auto and the rain caught them so they could not return to Rochelle that day. It was through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Hurd that these good people were so royally entertained. We are glad to have these Rochelleites in our midst. Come again, Rochelle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCartney and children, Opal and Buster, and Miss Myrtle Hurd were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Spears last Sunday.

Dr. G. P. Callan, wife and children, of Brady, attended 4 o'clock services here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hibdon are the proud recipients of a fine girl. The young lady made her arrival a week or so ago. Mr. Hibdon says she looks just like her papa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dutton threw open the doors of their palatial city home in honor of St. Valentine, Feb. 14th. The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hendrickson, Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dial, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Saunders. When the time came for supper, each lady was to draw her partner's heart, and the

man whose heart she drew was to be her partner at supper. After the drawing had ceased the guests were led by Mrs. Dutton, ye hostess, into the beautiful dining room where a bountiful table was uncovered. The color scheme was the National colors, red, white and blue. After the luncheon was over each guest present was to call for their mail, and as luck happened, each guest had mail. A comic valentine for each was the mail Mr. Postman gave. Quite a lot of fun was had reading the mottoes on each valentine. Mr. and Mrs. Dutton are splendid entertainers, so you can readily see that the old folks had more than a nice time. The old folks are taking the day in our settlement.

Mrs. S. G. Swenson has undergone a successful operation by Dr. W. M. Burgess. Three adenoid growths were removed from her nose. Mrs. Swenson is getting along nicely and we wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. J. S. Abernathy is on the sick list this week.

Our Christian Endeavor society is growing larger and larger. Mrs. F. W. Hurd is president, Mr. Carl Carlson, vice president and Miss Victoria Johnson is secretary. The society meets every Sunday night and a cordial invitation is extended to all. A special program is to be had on Easter night. We want a full house on that night. We want a representative from every community.

Best wishes to the correspondents, good Mr. Editor and the dear old news Standard.

AUNT SUSAN.

This Is So.

We wish to state in as plain and vigorous way as words can express it that Hunt's Cure will positively quickly and permanently cure any form of itching skin disease known. One box is guaranteed to cure. One application affords relief. All druggists stand behind the guarantee. Ask yours.

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BRADY, TEXAS, March 1, 1912

CUTTING THE ACREAGE.

There is scarcely a farmer to whom we have talked but who volunteers the information that he is cutting his cotton acreage, and is going in for feed. The past three years have been unfavorable ones, and they have taught lessons that none will forget. Experience is an expensive teacher, but she teaches the lessons well. And in the renunciation of allegiance to King Cotton, is proclaimed the freeing of the farmers, and an era of prosperity hitherto unknown. The farmer who raises his living at home is independent of all money powers and trusts—he is lord of all he surveys.

HAVE YOU LEAPED?

This being leap year, and February having furnished the extra day, we suppose yesterday was Leap Day.

Get inoculated with the sidewalk building fever. It's better than taking elixir of life.

"Keep right in after them until we get street lights," said one of our readers the other day. We will—if we live.

Nothing succeeds like success. Observe the successful men everywhere about you, and follow their plans.

If you can't say a good word for your community, say something bad. Folks know where to place you.

The knocker throws a boom-erang; the booster casts bread upon the waters that is sure to return buttered on both sides.

Boost your neighborhood, your town, your section of the county; it will make you feel good and the returns are surer than interest on your investments.

BEST CONNECTIONS

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

THE RIDDLE.

We are ready to discard the "How Old Is Ann" problem in favor of the latest out, which emanates from Magnified Menard. It is thusly: When the Frisco extended to Menard, they contracted for the erection of the depot; but when the material had all been placed on the ground, they decided that an ordinary-sized depot would take up too much of Menard's extremely limited ground space, and accordingly cut down the specifications and reduced the original size of the building considerably. Nevertheless, they paid the contractor the original contract price. The question that stands out like a wart on a pickle and looks us boldly in the face is: Did the Frisco have to pay the contractor over and above the actual worth of the building in order to get him to stay in that vile burg long enough to complete the depot, or did they just hate to waste the material on the insignificant fly speck?

Tree planting is a favorite pastime with Brady citizens. Nothing makes more for a home.

Brady has no boom on, but her growth and improvement is none the less rapid and steady. Come to Brady and get infected with the "busy" germ.

Of course this weather isn't what the doctor ordered, but console yourself with the thought that it is saving McCulloch county's immense fruit crop.

If you believe we are doing good work in the upbuilding of McCulloch county, lend us your support. Our mutual co-operation means mutual benefits and advantages.

Owing to the fact that the moon has cast its halo about our benighted city, we have decided to suspend the prosecution of the street light question, for the time being.

Despite the fact that the grass is turning green, and the violets are budding in Beautiful Brady, we refuse to be interviewed on the fishing question until we develop a genuine case of hookworm.

We take pleasure in announcing that we will soon be "to home" in our handsome new union depot. Come and view the prettiest structure on the Santa Fe and Frisco systems, and the city for which it was built.

A city's growth depends entirely upon the enterprise and progressive spirit of its citizens. Brady's remarkable development in the past years evidences the class of citizenship that it possesses. Come to Brady and grow with us.

Rome was not built in a day; but her highways have lasted through the ages, and still reflect the glories of this once great kingdom. McCulloch county's good roads will not be completed in a few weeks, or a few months, but future generations will rise up and bless the day that the good roads movement was started here.

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.

THE BRADY STANDARD PRINTERS AND PUBLISHERS

The Letter

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Is the most beautiful in the English alphabet, more especially when crossed by a line, thus:

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We take \$\$\$ on subscription

THE BRADY STANDARD
ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

With The Candidates

Oscar Latta.

Oscar Latta is a candidate for City Marshal. Mr. Latta has, for some time been considering entering the race, and has been strongly urged to place his name before the citizens, and has at last consented to do so. As an officer, Mr. Latta needs no recommendation. He has proven himself both fearless and efficient in the discharge of duties, first as a ranger, and later as deputy marshal and also deputy sheriff, and has won a large circle of admirers for his capable services in each of the above named capacities. Mr. Latta feels confident of his ability to serve the citizens of Brady in a manner reflecting credit upon himself and upon the office, and respectfully requests the voters to give him every consideration, assuring them that their will will be his pleasure, and that the laws will be enforced without fear or favor.

August Young.

August Young, one of McCulloch county's foremost farmer citizens, has allowed his name to be presented to the voters as a candidate for Commissioner in Precinct No. 1. Mr. Young

SHE GAVE UP ALL HOPE

Physicians Failed To Help Mrs. Green, But She Finally Found Relief in Cardui.

Meets, Va.—Mrs. J. C. Green of this place, says: "I suffered with womanly troubles so that I could hardly sit up. Two of the best doctors in our town treated me, and I tried different medicines, until I gave up all hope of ever getting well."

One day, I decided to try some Cardui. It did so much for me that I ordered some more, and it cured me! Today, I feel as well as I ever did in my life.

The pains and the trouble are all gone. I feel like another person in every way. I wish every sufferer could know what Cardui will do for sick women."

A few doses of Cardui at the right time, will save many a big doctor bill, by preventing serious sickness.

It tones up the nervous system, and helps make pale cheeks fresh and rosy. Thousands of weak women have been restored to health and happiness by using Cardui. Suppose you try it.

It may be just the medicine you need.

N. B.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 10-cent box, "How Treatment of Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

has been a resident of McCulloch county for the past five years, making his home in the West Sweden settlement, and is well known to the citizens of the precinct, and highly esteemed by all. He enters the race upon the urgent solicitation of scores of friends, who believe him to be the man for the place, and who will use every effort and endeavor to secure his election. Mr. Young promises his faithful and best efforts in the upbuilding of the county, and will do all in his power toward the successful administration of the affairs of the county, and the most economical handling of funds and lowest possible tax rate consistent with good government. He solicits the support and influence of every voter in sympathy with his views.

P. A. Campbell.

P. A. Campbell, the popular district clerk of McCulloch county, is a candidate for reelection, his announcement appearing in this issue. Mr. Campbell has the distinction of being the first district clerk for McCulloch county, the offices of district and county clerk having been divided a year and a half ago; and needs no better recommendation than his record during the time he has served the people. Ever courteous and accommodating, Mr. Campbell has proven one of the most efficient and capable officers that ever filled an office to the credit of the citizens. In announcing, Mr. Campbell asks a careful consideration of his claims and promises the same painstaking, careful service that has characterized his work in the past. The voters cannot go wrong in selecting Mr. Campbell to again fill the office.

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

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.

CATTLE DEPARTMENT.

Hundreds Will Be Seen at Fort Worth's Great Event.

The purest-bred, most aristocratic ladies, gentlemen and children of the bovine family will disport themselves, done up in their best bib and tucker at the great exhibition of the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, at Fort Worth, March 18-23, 1912. This will be the greatest show ever held in the south or southwest, and the entry lists show that more cattle and better cattle of the standard beef breeds will be on view and compete for the grand prizes, than ever before. The honor of winning a blue ribbon, at the Fort Worth Show is so well recognized that all of the great breeders in the country enter in the keenest competition for them. But the big breeders do not always win them. The small breeder, if he produces or shows a better individual than his big competitor, is sure of the honor.

This competition makes for a grand exhibit, which this year will be more complete, instructive, and full of interest not alone to the experienced breeders, but to all those who are interested in the great question of food supplies.

It is a revelation to those who have never attended the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth to see the intelligent effort of these breeders of standard cattle to make two pounds of beef grow where only one grew before. The individuals are groomed to a nicety and their assembly in the show-ring, and their exhibition in their stalls, as they are shown to visitors by courteous attendants, make of the show an exhibition every man, woman and child will want to see. While there will be a big increase in the number of entries from the northern states, Texas and Oklahoma will send more cattle than were ever before exhibited at Fort Worth.

PATHOLOGICAL DISPLAY.

There Will Be Nothing Better From Educational Standpoint.

From an educational standpoint, no exhibit at the coming National Feeders' and Breeders' Show at Fort Worth, March 18-23, 1912, will be more interesting to an intelligent public than the Pathological display, which will be shown on the east side of the Coliseum.

This unusual exhibit will be furnished the Fat Stock Show management by Dr. A. D. Melvin, chief of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry at Washington, and will be in charge of Dr. R. F. Eagle, inspector in charge of this territory. This exhibit will consist of an enormous refrigerator, in which will be specimens of diseased meats of all kinds. A special representative of the department will be present to explain the display and the steps being taken by the United States government to prevent diseased meats from reaching the consumers and to prevent the spread of such diseases among both meat-producing and dairy animals. He will demonstrate the poisons of disease found in food-producing animals, showing what classes of meat are condemned by the Federal inspectors at the packing houses. This most commendable work of the department is meeting with great success all over the United States and the people of the Southwest will be fortunate indeed in having an opportunity to witness this wonderful demonstration. The exhibit will especially appeal to livestock raisers and consumers of fresh meat and dairy products. Short lectures will be delivered each day by an able scientist from Washington, and no charge will be made for either his lectures or the exhibit.

POULTRY SHOW.

Attractive Exhibition Building Has Been Erected For This Purpose.

At a special meeting recently the executive committee of the Fort Worth Poultry and Pigeon Association arranged for an attractive exhibition building which has been erected on the Fat Stock Show grounds. In which the big annual Poultry Show will be held. This building, which is a substantial structure 36 by 50 feet, will accommodate about 2000 birds.

The Poultry Show will be held in connection with the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, March 18-23, 1912, and will be conducted under the auspices of the Fort Worth Poultry and Pigeon Association.

Some of the most noted bird-fanciers of the United States will bring their best prize-winners, and the collection will be the largest and most costly ever shown in the southwest. Fully two thousand fowls including chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and pigeons will be on display; and among the states to be represented will be Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Arizona, New Jersey, New York, Maine, and practically all of the states of the "Old South."

The committee in charge composed of: M. C. Allison, secretary of the association, W. J. Newcomb and L. C. Malone, has completed every arrangement for the event. There will be a large list of special prizes, and, in addition to these, prizes will be offered in all classes common to an exposition of this character.

This being the largest exhibition of poultry ever held in connection with the Fat Stock Show, it will prove one of the feature attractions.

SPECIAL PROGRAM DAILY.

The management of the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, which will be held at Fort Worth, March 18-23, inclusive, will arrange special programs to suit the various days on which excursions will be run from the various sections of the country. For instance, special features of amusement, entertainment, and education will be provided for "West Texas Day," "North Texas and Oklahoma Day," and so on. And special interest to the people of the sections named. The days devoted to the entertainment of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association, Texas Boys and Girls' Hog Clubs, Southwestern Farmers, and Homesteaders from the North and East will doubtless prove the leading features of the week's program.

Announcements

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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.—
MATT F. ALLISON,
J. K. RECTOR, JR.

For District Clerk:
P. A. CAMPBELL.

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.
AUGUST YOUNG.

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.
H. M. KENNEDY.

WILL VAUGHN.
R. M. (Dick) ELLIOTT.

OSCAR LATTA.

For City Secretary:
S. M. RICHARDSON.

Some Folks That Pay.

The following subscribers of The Brady Standard have taken us unawares and slipped a dollar or two by us since last report on the 15th: S. A. Newton, J. A. F. Carroll, Dr. J. B. McKnight, M. B. McKnight, Sam C. Wilks; A. B. Crump, C. C. Horn, R. P. Hammack, Marion Deans, W. F. Schultz, Geo. Sartwell, W. T. King, W. H. Burrows, A. Miers, C. P. Gray, J. C. Duff, J. D. Gattis, Geo. E. Youngdale, L. B. Holland, J. I. Peel, G. R. Mitchell, A. N. Bryson, Jas. L. Slayden, E. W. Marshall, J. T. Gressett, Claude Hester, R. M. Hill, Calvin Thaxton, John Stoneberg, Mrs. C. J. Hundley, A. R. Carlson.

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

Weekly Calendar of Good Cheer

Do not look for wrong and evil, you will find them if you do; as you measure for your neighbour he will measure back to you. Look for goodness, look for gladness—you will meet them all the while; if you bring a smiling visage to the glass, you meet a smile.

DISTRICT COURT.

Dismissed Till Monday—Three Cases Next Week.

District court was dismissed last Monday until next Monday, when the Cottrell and Edmonson cases will be taken up. Tuesday the case of Tiburcio Hernandez, the Mexican charged with murder, will come up. A special venire of 72 men has been ordered for each case.

The following cases were disposed of since last Thursday:

State vs. Will McCoy, guilty of assault and battery; fined \$25.00.

Bessie Moore vs. Luther Moore, divorce; granted defendant, who was awarded custody of the child.

E. A. Jeter vs. Sam Brown, et al., foreclosure of vendors lien note. Judgment for plaintiff.

G. W. Hinds vs. Gustavus C. Schmidt, et al, to try title; judgment for plaintiff.

T. P. Grant vs. C. A. Parker, et al, foreclosure of vendors lien note; judgment for plaintiff.

D. E. Spiller vs. Hattie Spiller, divorce; dismissed.

Abner Hanson vs. L. Carlisle, suit on note; judgment for plaintiff.

A. F. Curtis vs. Albert Steelhammer, foreclosure of vendors lien note; judgment for plaintiff.

B. L. Craddock vs. Mrs. Mary Hall et al, to try title and damages; judgment for plaintiff.

J. T. Mann et al vs. J. N. Waller, suit on debt; judgment for plaintiff.

\$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 literature.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sole by all Druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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.

See our complete line of rings. Palace Drug store.

All our new Spring shoes are ready for inspection. The most popular brands and the best shoes on the market today. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Claude Lawing, who has been with The Standard the past several weeks, leaves tonight for his home at Tolar, where he goes to assume management of The Tolar Standard. Claude is a good newspaper man and printer, as well as a most likable young man, and we predict success in the very highest degree for him.

FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE

One of the most remarkable proofs of the unusual laxative merit contained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is that it is effective not only in people in the prime of life, but at the extremes of ages. As many letters are received from mothers regarding the cures of children, as from men and women of sixty, seventy and eighty years of age. It must be truly a wonderful laxative.

In the cure of constipation and bowel trouble in old people it has no equal. It corrects the constipation, digests the headache, biliousness, gas, drowsiness after eating, etc. People advancing in years should see to it that their bowels move freely, and if they do not take Dr. Caldwell's

A GREAT DISCOVERY.

Certain Ingredients That Really Promote Hair Growth When Properly Combined.

Resorscin is one of the most effective germ destroyers ever discovered by science, and in connection with Beta Naphthol, which is both germicidal and antiseptic, a combination is formed which destroys the germs which rob the hair of its natural nourishment, and also creates a clean, healthy condition of the scalp, which prevents the development of new germs.

Pilocarpin, although not a coloring matter or dye, is a well-known ingredient for restoring the hair to its natural color, when the loss of hair has been caused by a disease of the scalp.

These ingredients, in proper combination, with alcohol added as a stimulant and for its well-defined nourishing properties, perfect perhaps the most effective remedy that is known for scalp and hair troubles.

We have a remedy which is chiefly composed of these ingredients, in combination with other extremely invaluable medicinal agents. We guarantee it to completely remove dandruff and to grow hair, even though the scalp in spots is bare of hair.

If there is any vitality left in the roots, it will positively cure baldness, or we will refund your money. If the scalp has a glazed, shiny appearance, it's an indication that baldness is permanent, but in other instances we believe baldness is curable.

We want every one troubled with scalp disease or loss of hair to try Rexall "93" Hair Tonic. If it does not cure dandruff and grow hair to the satisfaction of the user we will, without question or quibble, return every cent paid us for it. We print this guarantee on every bottle.

It has effected a positive cure in 93 per cent of the cases where put to a practical test.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is entirely unlike, and we think in every particular, better than anything else we know of for the purpose for which it is prescribed. We urge you to try this preparation at our entire risk. Certainly we know of no better guarantee to give you. Remember, you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Brady only at our store—The Rexall Store. Jones Drug Co.

Come today and have first pick of our new Oxfords. Wm. Connolly & Co.

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

We will fill your prescriptions both day and night. Palace Drug store.

THREE CASES SMALLPOX.

In One Family in the Onion Gap Community.

County Health Officer, Dr. G. P. Callan, reports three cases of smallpox in the Onion Gap community, all cases being in one family. The sufferers are Mrs. Polly A. Fuller, her 7-year-old daughter, Lena B., and a 4-months-old babe. The patients are quarantined at the home of Mrs. Fuller's mother, Mrs. Mary E. Fraime. Mrs. Fuller's case is of a very malignant form, and there is small hope for her recovery. The children are not quite so ill, and there is a chance for them.

The case is a pitiful one. The family is in poor circumstances, and there is no one to assist in the care of the patients but the aged mother, who is almost crazed with grief and sleepless watchings at the bedside of her loved ones. Dr. Callan yesterday succeeded in finding a man who consented to go with him to Onion Gap and look after the sick folks, and an endeavor will be made to install a telephone in order to give them a means of communicating with the world.

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.

We bought a big lot of hats this season, because we know we have the most popular styles and colors out. Ask to see them. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Mrs. Hollie arrived yesterday from Temple for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Winfrey, who is reported quite ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Campbell. At last reports Mrs. Winfrey was somewhat improved.

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.

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

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. Nuf Sed.

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.....	12:23 p. m.

HUNDLEY IS PROMOTED

MADE GEN. SUPT. FOR THIS LOCALITY.

Nixon Plan Being Tried Out on Frisco—Greatly Enlarges Duties of the Agents.

A month's trial or more of the plan inaugurated by Vice President Nixon of the Frisco lines to enlarge the duties and responsibilities of the station agents of that line to deal with the public in matters of settlement of claims, etc., has strongly increased the confidence of the officials of the system in the wisdom of the innovation. Vice President and General Superintendent J. S. Pyeatt, of the Frisco Lines in North Texas, is much impressed with the workings of the plan.

The plan, crudely stated, seeks to eliminate all of the red tape which has heretofore tied up settlements with railroads for minor damage claims until ill feeling has been engendered that destroyed the harmony the management of this system contends should exist between the railway and its patrons. The management of the railway feels that it is an agency for the up-building of the state, a means of helping the people; that it is for the people, and their good will must be gained and held to insure the results that the railway wishes, securing the largest volume of business possible in its territory. In practical experience it has been found that a better feeling toward the railway company has followed the operation of the Nixon plan. The management of the road recognizes that it is an experiment, but there is already a confidence that the experiment will prove a great success. Anyway, said Mr. Pyeatt, it will be tried out fully.

Under the Nixon plan the station agent is made claim agent and all else that is in direct contact with the people whom the railway serves. If a man has a claim, instead of waiting several weeks, perhaps, and then get a notification that his claim has been referred the settlement can be made as between friends or at least neighbors, and that at once, provided the claim is supported by the proper evidence and is a just claim. The prompt settlement of the losses is but one of the matters that the station agent will have to assume and manage under the new plan, but it is purely typical and a matter that has been so productive of vexation in the past that the elimination of this source of friction alone, the management of the road feels assured, will redound to the great good of the company and its business.

Mr. Pyeatt was in Brady on Tuesday and while here instructed Agent Hundley in the workings of the new plan and assigned him a large territory in this section of the state to look after.

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For Men \$3.00-\$3.50-\$4.00
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Nearly everybody who has tried calomel for constipation or a sluggish liver has found that it gives only a temporary relief. For calomel is such a powerful drug that it shocks and weakens the liver and makes it less able afterward to do its duty than in the first place.

This is why Jones Drug Co. would rather sell Dodson's Liver-Tone to you than calomel. We know that Dodson's Liver-Tone is a pure vegetable liver tonic that will cure constipation quickly and gently without any danger of bad after-effects. We guarantee it to do this with a fair trial. If you buy a bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone for yourself or your children and do not find that it is a perfect substitute for calomel, then come back to the store and get your money. If you don't get value for your money out of this tonic, it's your right to expect your money back, and we will gladly give it to you.

Died.

The death of Wm. Lee Johnson occurred Tuesday night at his home in Rochelle. Mr. Johnson was taken ill Wednesday of last week with pneumonia, and from the beginning small hopes were held out for his recovery. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, services being conducted by Rev. D. R. Hardison, and interment was made in the Rochelle cemetery.

Mr. Johnson was one of the most prominent and popular citizens of Rochelle, and for the past several years was the mail carrier on Rural Route No. 1. He was the only son of Elder Wm. Johnson. Besides his father, the deceased is survived by a widow and three small children, who have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

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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.

Easter

Is the time when every man, woman, and child follows the example set by Nature, and arrays himself in new Spring clothes.

You'll feel out of place Easter unless you have a new suit, and we're the boys to fit you up. We have the samples to please you, and we "deliver the goods" that give satisfaction.

Note the nifty, classy, well dressed appearance of a "Toggery Tailoring"



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BURNING DAYLIGHT

BY JACK LONDON

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

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Eliam Harnish, 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. Harnish 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 dips over the bank and down the frozen Yukon and in the gray light is gone.

CHAPTER III.—Harnish makes a sensation on his 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.

CHAPTER IV.—Harnish decides where the gold will be found in the up-river district and buys two tons of flour, which he declares will be worth its weight in gold before the season is over.

CHAPTER V.—When Daylight arrives with his heavy outfit of flour he finds the big flat desolate. A comrade discovers gold and Harnish reaps a rich harvest. He goes to Dawson, begins investing in corner lots and staking other miners and becomes the most prominent figure in the Klondike.

In the meantime, and from the day he washed seven hundred dollars from a single pan, and squatted over it and touched a long thought, he never again touched hand to pick and shovel. As he said to Joe Ladue the night of that wonderful washing:

"Joe, I ain't never going to work hard again. Here's where I begin to use my brains. I'm going to farm gold. Gold will grow gold if you'll have the savvy and can get hold of some for seed. When I seen them seven hundred dollars in the bottom of the pan, I knew I had seed at last."

The hero of the Yukon in the younger days before the Carmack strike, Burning Daylight now became the hero of the strike. The story of his hunch and how he rode it was told up and down the land. Certainly he had ridden it far and away beyond the boldest, for no five of the luckiest held the value in claims that he held. And, furthermore, he was still riding the hunch, and with no diminution of daring.

Back in Dawson, though he remained true to his word and never touched hand to pick and shovel, he worked as hard as ever in his life. He had a thousand irons in the fire, and they kept him busy. Heavy as were his expenses, he won more heavily. He took lays, bought half shares, shared with the men he grub-staked, and made personal locations. Day and night his dogs were ready, and he owned the fastest teams; so that when a stampede to a new discovery was on, it was Burning Daylight to the fore through the longest, coldest nights till he blazed his stakes next to Discovery. In one way or another (to say nothing of the many worthless creeks) he came into possession of properties on the good creeks, such as Sulphur, Dominion, Excelsis, Siwash, Cristo, Alhambra, and Doolittle. The thousands he poured out flowed back in tens of thousands.

Dawson grew rapidly that winter of 1896. Money poured in on Daylight from the sale of town lots. He promptly invested it where it would gather more. In fact, he played the dangerous game of pyramiding, and no more perilous pyramiding than in a placer camp could be imagined. But he played with his eyes wide open.

Corner lots in desirable locations sold that winter for from ten to thirty thousand dollars. Daylight sent word out over the trails and passes for the newcomers to bring down log-fats, and, as a result, the summer of 1897 saw his saw mills working day and night, on three shifts, and still he had logs left over with which to build cabins. These cabins, land included, sold at from one to several thousand dollars.

Two-story log buildings, in the business part of town, brought him from forty to fifty thousand dollars apiece. These fresh accretions of capital were immediately invested in other ventures. He turned gold over and over, until everything that he touched seemed to turn to gold.

With the summer rush from the Outside came special correspondents for the big newspapers and magazines, and one and all, using unlimited space, they wrote Daylight up; so that, for as the world was concerned, Daylight loomed the largest figure in Alaska. Of course, after several months, the world became interested in the Spanish War, and forgot all about him; but in the Klondike itself Daylight still remained the most prominent figure.

CHAPTER VI.

It was held by the thousands of hero-worshipping chechaquos that Daylight was a man absolutely without fear. But Bettles and Dan MacDonal and other sourdoughs shook their heads and laughed as they mentioned women. And they were right. He had always been afraid of them from the time, himself a lad of seventeen, when

Queen Anne, of Juneau, made open and ridiculous love to him. For that matter, he never had known women. Born in a mining-camp where they were rare and mysterious, having no sisters, his mother dying while he was an infant, he had never been in contact with them.

But it was left to the Virgin to give him his final fright. She was found one morning dead in her cabin. A shot through the head had done it, and she had left no message, no explanation. Then came the talk. Some wit, voicing public opinion, called it a case of too much Daylight. She had killed herself because of him. Everybody knew this, and said so. The correspondents wrote it up, and once more Burning Daylight, King of the Klondike, was sensationally featured in the Sunday supplements of the United States. The Virgin had straightened up, so the feature-stories ran, and correctly so. Never had she entered a Dawson City dance-hall. When she first arrived from Circle City, she had earned her living by washing clothes. Next, she had bought a sewing-machine and made men's drill parkas, fur caps, and moosehide mittens. Then she had gone as a clerk into the First Yukon Bank. All this, and more, was known and told, though one and all were agreed that Daylight, while the cause, had been the innocent cause of her untimely end.

And the worst of it was that Daylight knew it was true. Always would he remember that last night he had seen her. He had thought nothing of it at the time; but, looking back, he was haunted by every little thing that had happened. In the light of the tragic event, he could understand everything—her quietness, that calm certitude as if all vexing questions of living had been smoothed out and were gone, and that certain ethereal sweetness about all that she had said and done that had been almost maternal. He remembered the way she had looked at him, how she had laughed when he narrated Mickey Dolan's mistake in staking the fraction on Skookum Gulch. Her laughter had been lightly joyous, while at the same time it had lacked its old-time robustness. Not that she had been grave or subdued. On the contrary, she had been so patently content, so filled with peace. She had fooled him, fool that he was. He had even thought that night that her feeling for him had passed, and he had taken delight in the thought, and caught visions of the satisfying future friendship that would be theirs with this perturbing love out of the way.

And then, when he stood at the door, cap in hand, and said good night, it had struck him at the time as a funny and embarrassing thing, her bending over his hand and kissing it. He had felt like a fool, but he shivered now when he looked back on it and felt again the touch of her lips on his hand. She was saying good-by, an eternal good-by, and he had never guessed. At that very moment, and for all the moments of the evening, coolly and deliberately, as he well knew her way, she had been resolved to die. If he had only known it! Untouched by the contagious malady himself, nevertheless he would have married her if he had had the slightest inkling of what she contemplated. And yet he knew, furthermore, that hers was a certain stiff-kneed pride that would not have permitted her to accept marriage as an act of philanthropy. There had really been no saving her, after all. The love-disease had fastened upon her, and she had been doomed from the first to perish of it.

Six thousand spent the winter of 1897 in Dawson, work on the creeks went on apace, while beyond the passes it was reported that one hundred thousand more were waiting for the spring. Late one brief afternoon, Daylight, on the benches between French Hill and Shookum Hill, caught a wider vision of things. Beneath him lay the richest part of Eldorado Creek, while up and down Bonanza he could see for miles. It was a scene of a vast devastation. The hills, to their tops, had been shorn of trees, and their naked sides showed signs of goring and perforating that even the mantle of snow could not hide. Beneath him, in every direction, were the cabins of men. But not many men were visible. A blanket of smoke filled the valleys and turned the gray day to melancholy twilight. Smoke arose from a thousand holes in the snow, where, deep down on bed-rock, in the frozen muck and gravel, men crept and scratched and dug, and ever built more fires to break the grip of the frost.

Organization was what was needed, he decided, and his quick imagination sketched Eldorado Creek, from mouth to source, and from mountain top to mountain top, in the hands of one capable management. Even steam-thrashing, as yet untried, but bound to come, he saw would be a makeshift. What should be done was to hydraulic the valley sides and benches, and then, on

MELVIN MIXUPS.

Melvin, Texas, Feb. 25.

Editor Brady Standard:

We are glad to say that Grover Sipe, who we reported as having pneumonia, is able to be out among his friends once more.

The Swedes are building a \$2,000 church in the Malmstrom addition, which is going to add much to the looks of Melvin.

George Hale and wife were shopping in Brady one day last week.

Mr. Clyde Yocham returned last week, after a week's stay at Pasche, the guest of Mrs. Satterfield.

E. D. Hale and wife went to Brady Thursday.

Jack Taliaferro and bride went to Brady Monday and purchased their housekeeping outfit.

Joe Jean, of Blum, is visiting his cousin, Paten Yocham.

Howard Rambo and wife, of the Whiteland community, visited Charlie Woods and wife on last Sunday.

Lee Graham was in Brady on business Thursday.

Mack Roberts and wife were the guests of Bill Cottrell and wife Sunday.

The pound supper at Bill Cottrell's Thursday night was well attended.

Little Theo Robbins entertained her little friends Friday with a doll party.

As news is scarce, will ring off for this time.

Good luck to The Standard and its many readers.

POOR JOHN.

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EAST ROCHELLE DOTS.

Rochelle, Texas, Feb. 26.

Editor Brady Standard:

How I do congratulate The Standard on its correspondents! There were more and better letters last week than I've ever seen before and I feel almost ashamed to write, for this will seem so insignificant by the side of the others. I do hope they will keep this going and make our paper even more interesting, if possible.

The farmers are all wearing smiling faces now since the fine rain on the 12th. It was badly needed and highly appreciated by all. The farmers are going right ahead with their work and the grain fields are beginning to look so green and the weather is beginning to put on Spring appearance and the birds to sing. The farmers will plant corn in the near future.

Mrs. Pearl Ware, of Zephyr, is visiting relatives this week at Rochelle. Her father, Mr. Frank Hardin, is on the sick list this week, but we hope for

Miss Ruth Sellman made the parental home a visit Saturday.

The creek bottom, to use gold-dredges. There was the very chance for another big killing. He had wondered just what was precisely the reason for the Guggenhammers and the big English concerns sending in their high-salaried experts. That was their scheme. That was why they had approached him for the sale of worked-out claims and tailings. They were content to let the small mine-owners gather out what they could, for there would be millions in the leavings.

(To Be Continued)

returning to her school at Richland Springs Sunday.

We are glad to report Mrs. Bob Sellman, after an illness of six weeks, to be convalescent and able to begin to pick up a few little indoor duties.

Mr. Jim Combs, of Brownwood, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Moseley, of this place; he being over on horseback to get the outing. Then, he is one of McCulloch county's early settlers and lived here when horseback riding was our means of transportation, and when our post-office was at Cowboy, ten miles below here, and was kept in a log house. It was the only business house in the place and was occupied at the time by W. G. S. Hughes, who afterward got to be our county judge. He moved to Brady and learned to put on style, so the old post-office was made a crib of and Mr. Hughes now resides in a big white house.

Miss Ethel Waddill visited her sister, Mrs. Henry Hardin, last week at Rochelle.

Mr. Lee, one of the salesmen working for the Home Comfort Range Co., has resigned his position with this company and will leave in a few days for the Plains, where he will take control of a ranch in Lynn county.

Henry Hardin and wife visited at the Waddill home Sunday and enjoyed an outing in the sand storm.

Bro. Willsford filled his first appointment here Sunday, having been recently employed by the Baptist people of this place for the ensuing year. Owing to the weather being so blustery there was not a full congregation, but the few present heard a splendid spiritual sermon which was very much appreciated.

Mrs. Dr. McGarity, who was called to the bedside of her sick mother at Como some time ago, writes that her mother has taken a turn for the better and is doing nicely at present.

Olin Altizer, who has been working on a ranch in Sutton county, has returned to the parental roof and will work with his father on the farm this year.

Well, as the wind is still blowing such a gale and everything is so disagreeable, I'll ring off, with best wishes to the dear old Standard and its many readers and correspondents.

Happy and prosperous New Year to all.

BLUE BLOSSOM.

Nine, Texas, Feb. 24.

Editor Brady Standard:

Well, here I come again, but news is as scarce as money in this dry country.

We have been having some mizzling weather this week which is fine on small grain.

The Home Comfort range men have been delivering stoves in this locality. Put one up for Messrs. Bradshaw, Frank Miller and Tom Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wren were shopping in Tucker today.

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Good luck to you.

OLD WOMAN.

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They come in three size packages, 12 tablets, 10 cents; 36 tablets, 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Remember, you can obtain them only at our store—The Rexall Store. Jones Drug Co.

CALF CREEK EXTRAS.

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Complimentary Event.

Honoring Miss Candice Bing-
ham, of Indiana, and Miss Myra
Walker, of Eagle Lake, a deli-
cious two o'clock luncheon
was given by Miss Laura Lee
White at her home on last Fri-
day. The charming hostess,
clad in red crepe de chine, met
her guests and led the way to
the dining room, where profu-
sions of red carnations with
ferns carried out the tasteful
color scheme. Appropriate hand-
painted place cards, designed as
a red carnation, were used and
the souvenirs for the occasion
were a tiny bouquet of a red
carnation and hyacinth, tied
with red maline. Several deli-
cious courses were served to

Misses Carlita Matthews, Ollie
Souther, Addie Conner, Alice
Ballou, Myra Walker, Ida Mae
Souther, Myrtle Wall, Gillie
Macy, Eda Gansel, of Wisconsin,
Candice Bingham, of Indiana,
Laura Lee White and Mrs. Wm.
Davidson.

"Five hundred" was enjoyed
until 5 o'clock.

Six O'Clock Dinner.

Mrs. William Davidson was
hostess on Wednesday to a six
o'clock dinner for her friend,
Miss Eda Gansel, of Wisconsin.
Plates were laid for Mr. and
Mrs. W. D. Crothers, Mr. and
Mrs. Wm. Davidson, Mrs. F. W.
Henderson and the honoree,
Miss Eda Gansel.



Miss Laura Lee White spent
this week in Menard.

Mr. Edd Walker, of Waldrip,
spent Wednesday and Thursday
in our city.

Mr. Chas. Bogusch, of Mason,
came in Tuesday and will be
here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brannum
returned Monday from their trip
through the North.

Mrs. Frank Hardin, of Fort
Worth came in Sunday and will
visit relatives for some time.

Mr. Claud Baker spent Sat-
urday and Sunday at Pasche
visiting his brother, Mr. Louie
Baker.

Mr. Ward Yeager will leave
today for Menard where he has
accepted a position as bookkeep-
er with a drug firm.

Mrs. Otto Probst, of Mason,
was here the first of the week
the guest of her sister, Mrs. T.
A. Christianus.

Rev. F. X. Gagnon left for
Menard Thursday morning and
will hold services at the Catho-
lic church in that place next
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cham-
bles returned home Tuesday
from Houston where they were
called on account of the illness
of Mr. Chamblis' brother.

Misses Gillie Macy, Myra
Walker, of Eagle Lake, and Mr.
Wiley Walker returned Sunday
from the Walker ranch, where
they spent a pleasant week.

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thermore it will lose its life and lus-
tre and will become dull, faded and
even look slovenly.

If you have any signs of dandruff
you ought to go right to your drug-
gist today and get a bottle of PAR-
ISIAN SAGE. This delightful and
refreshing hair tonic is guaranteed by
Central Drug Store to kill dandruff
germs, clean the head of filthy dan-
druff, stop falling hair and itching
scalp or money back. And it does
just what it is guaranteed to do and
that's why its sales are so enormous
the country over. PARISIAN
SAGE is the favorite of refined wo-
men. One bottle proves its superi-
ority.

**TRIED
SEVEN
DOCTORS**

My Life Saved by Pe-ru-na.

Mr. S. S.
Johnson,
Greenville,
Ill., writes:
"I was for
five years
troubled
with cat-
arrh. Two
years ago I
had one foot
in the grave.
I had tried
seven doc-
tors and al-
so went to
a catarrh
specialist in
St. Louis,
and took
several
kinds of
medicine a day. I could not walk more
than a hundred yards without resting.
"My friends told me to take Peruna,
and I did so. I now feel that Peruna
has saved my life. It is the best medi-
cine on earth, and I would not be
without it."



Mr. S. S. Johnson.

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Sale—Dark Cornish Indi-
an Game eggs. 15 for \$1.00.
Mrs. A. T. Jordan.

For Sale—I will have a load
of pigs for sale on the streets
of Brady Saturday, March 9.
Just the size and age to make
good meat hogs another year.
This is your chance to get some
good stuff cheap. J. B. Davis.

For Sale—Pure Mebane cot-
ton seed, 75 cents per bushel at
my barn; \$1.00 per bushel sack-
ed for delivery. A. L. Johnson,
Route No. 1, Gouldbusk, Texas.

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

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

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.

DUSTY ITEMS.

Voca, Texas, Feb. 24.

Editor Brady Standard:

Well, here's for old Dusty.
The editor and readers will have
to excuse Uno for not writing
more, but it seems as if it
couldn't be helped, but will try
to do better in the future.

Health of this community is
very good at this writing.

The death angel visited the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lem-
ons and took the dear old father
of Mrs. Lemons, Grandpa
Crutsinger. Grandpa left sev-
eral children and a host of
friends to mourn his loss. We
extend to them our best love
and wishes in their bereave-
ment.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Lawson are
the happy parents of a new girl.
The young lady has been real
sick, but is well and doing nice-
ly at present.

Rev. Moran, of Brady, preach-
ed here Saturday night and
Sunday at 11.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lewallen
and children went to Eden to
visit relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Carter
were down from Eden visiting
relatives and friends this week.

Mr. J. H. Allen made a busi-
ness trip to Brady Thursday.

Mr. Tom Allen and son, Vir-
gil, spent the night with Mr. J.
H. Allen Thursday.

Mr. Jim Lemons, of Camp
San Saba is visiting a good
many of his friends around Vo-
ca, and gives them somewhere
to go. I think that is a good
idea, for some people stay at
home too much.

Now, I think we correspond-
ents ought to be more prompt,
as our good editor is so kind as
to give us space in his paper and
is so nice he would let us write
ugly things about each other,
and now has offered us prizes
to get us to be more prompt.
We ought to just do our best,
so let us just try ourselves.

Say, let someone get up a
subject to write on and make
our page interesting.

Mr. Tom Crutsinger, of Ro-
chelle, and Mrs. Pope, of Pear
Valley, were called to the bed-
side of their father, Grandpa
Crutsinger, last Saturday, but
Mrs. Pope did not get here in
time to see him living.

Misses Lora Fitzgerald and
Evie Allen and Messrs. Morris
Schafer and Jim Darley were
visitors at Dusty school Friday
evening.

Mr. H. N. Lewallen and fam-
ily spent the night at Noah Al-
len's Friday night.

Miss Bertha Hipp has return-
ed from Katemey, where she

**NO. 7827
REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
Brady National Bank**

At Brady, in the State of Texas, at the close
of business, Feb. 20th, 1912.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$138,055.45
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,571.38
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	1,496.08
Banking house, furniture, fixtures	32,383.38
Other real estate owned	6,939.45
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	1,983.90
Due from state banks and bankers	3,427.66
Due from approved reserve agents	25,794.91
Checks and other cash items	2,047.87
Notes of other national banks	2,500.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	55.00
Legal money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$9,075.35
Legal Tender Notes	10,475.25
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas-urer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,500.00
Bills of Exchange	328.55
TOTAL	\$282,708.89
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	16,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	2,101.92
National bank notes outstanding	20,000.00
Due to other national banks	965.73
Dividends unpaid	80.00
Individual deposits subject to check	113,465.24
TOTAL	\$282,708.89

STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF McCULLOCH.)
I, J. F. Montgomery, Cashier of the above
named bank, do solemnly swear that the above
statement is true to the best of my knowledge
and belief.
J. F. MONTGOMERY, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th
day of Feb., 1912. Katherine Proctor
Notary Public.

CORRECT ATTEST:
E. M. Richards,
R. E. Willoughby,
John P. Sheridan,
J. E. Bell, Directors.

has been the past week with her
sister, Mrs. Pearl Butler.
Miss Myrtle Crumbley reports
a nice time at Voca last Satur-
day evening. She says Henry
Powell was there.
Messrs. Lee Polvado and
Frank Corbell made a business
trip to Brady Thursday.
Well, as the plow is waiting
and breakfast is over, I will quit
and give room to Rover.
UNO.

The Secret Is Out

Hortense Cavalla was known
as the most beautiful woman in
Europe.
It was common knowledge
that a prince of the royal blood
heir to the throne of one of the
oldest European countries, was
so enamored with her charms
that he had repeatedly offered
to marry her and relinquish his
kingdom.
She was the envy and despair
of all the ladies of the Court as
the men had eyes for no one but
her in her presence. And while
her figure and features were
beautiful it was the surpassing
loveliness of her complexion
which was her greatest charm.
Her skin was white as alaba-
ster, smooth and velvety of
texture and her colour rich and
warm.

**No Greasy Face Creams for Her
WHAT DID SHE USE?**

That was the question so
many women were dying to
know. Cavalla would not tell
and others could not tell the
secret, because they did not
know.
Just how a certain chemist
discovered her secret would
make an interesting story alone,
one we have not the space to
tell; suffice it to say that money
could not buy her famous re-
cipe and one of the conditions
was that it should never be sold
in Europe where her envious
rivals could obtain it.

**She Used a
Face Retenoid**

The Siloron Mfg. Co. has
been organize to manufacture
her famous recipe and they have
termed it after the properties
it possesses, "ALABASTROL."
The story told above is true
in every particular with the
single exception of the famous
European beauty's name, as she
does not want newspaper noti-
riety.

Alabastrol is something en-
tirely new; not a face powder.

neither a lotion nor a cream.
Yet possesses the properties
of all to a more intense degree
accomplishing far better results
in a shorter space of time.
Why use face creams if you
only offset their beneficial qual-
ities a moment later through
the application of skin drying
face powders of often doubtful
origin? Powders blow off, soil
your clothes and give your face
a chafed appearance at once in-
dicating their use.
'Tis not so with Alabastrol, it
is rubbed into the skin much as
you would a cream (only after
its use you won't need any
creams) and in a few seconds
the beneficial and essential oils
are absorbed by the skin and
presto—
Now Note the Skin.
Not oily or greasy appearing,
but a dull velvety looking,
smooth surface will be reflected
to you from your mirror—a
truly alabaster effect—and
what is more, will remain that
way for hours and no one will
be able to detect its use.
We do not claim that all can
possess the beauty of Cavalla,
but we do claim that anyone
may obtain a beautiful complex-
ion by using Alabastrol.
Now, remember our claims
are not the origination of a fer-
tile mind as the Siloron Mfg.
Co. is incorporated under the
laws of the state of Colorado,
and that Alabastrol is guaran-
teed under the U. S. Pure Food
and Drug Act to contain nothing
but the purest ingredients, and
is manufactured under modern
and hygienic methods.
Alabastrol is healing and an-
tiseptic in effect, and though it
has been on the market but a
short time everyone who has
used it says it is "The Most Per-
fect Complexion Beautifier" and
mail orders from all over the
country are pouring in.
We send Alabastrol in plain
wrapper to any address in the
U. S. on receipt of 50 cents sil-
ver.

**THE SILORON MFG. CO.,
Pueblo, Colo.**

Brady Auto Co. solicits your
business. Phone 152.

Report Of Condition Of The Commercial National Bank

Of Brady, Texas

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 20TH, 1912.

United States Depository

Loans and Discounts	\$344,233.11	Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Overdrafts	337.82	Surplus and Profits	57,307.36
Bonds	36,000.00	Circulation	35,000.00
Banking House	5,000.00	DEPOSITS	388,314.43
Cash & Exchange	\$174,871.05		
Cotton	20,179.81		
	195,050.86		
Total	\$580,621.79	Total	\$580,621.79

STATE OF TEXAS } I, W. D. Crothers, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly
County of McCulloch } swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowl-
edge and belief. W. D. CROTHERS, Cashier

Succeeded The Commercial Bank, of Brady, March 11, 1907

The stock in this bank is owned by some of the most progressive business men, farmers and stockmen of the country, whose individual responsibility is over Six Million Dollars.

We Want Your Business

Resolutions by Veterans.

Ben McCulloch Camp U. C. V., is in receipt of resolutions passed by the committee at Austin appointed to investigate the Old Soldiers' Home, in which the committee expresses their gratitude toward the people of Texas for providing this home, and the governor of Texas, the 32nd Legislature and all who have had anything to do with its care and maintenance. The resolutions also commend very highly the services of Col. R. M. Wynne in looking after the home and the interests of its occupants; also those of Mrs. Wynne, Quarter Master Ben. E. McCulloch and various other officers. The resolutions will be read at the next regular meeting of the local camp Saturday.

"My little son had a very severe cold. I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. Silks, 29 Dowling Street, Sydney, Australia. This remedy is for sale by Jones Drug Co.

E. H. Allcorn is the possessor of a remarkable document in the form of a will drawn for Catherine Allcorn on the 12th day of December, 1793, over 118 years ago. Despite the wear of time, which has caused the paper to fade and become moth-eaten, the ink still shows clear and legible. Mr. Allcorn also possesses documents drawn up in Texas over a hundred years ago, all of which he values highly. One of his relics is in the form of curiously wrought solid gold ear pendants, purchased in the last century by Mrs. Allcorn's mother when a mere girl.

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.

We keep the most up-to-date line of stationery to be found anywhere. Palace Drug store.

A leap year boy is reported at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Satterwhite. The young man will be four years old to a day before he will know what it is to have a birthday.

Meningitis at Brownwood.

The Brownwood Bulletin records the first case of meningitis in Brownwood last Tuesday. The case is at the City Hotel, the sufferer being Dewey Cates, the 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cates. While the case is said not to be as severe as the one at Elkins reported a few weeks ago, the lad does not respond as readily to the serum treatment, and the physicians are unable to foretell the outcome until further developments.

Another child is reported ill in the second story of the Seitz building on Broadway with pneumonia, and the doctors admit that it has a form of meningitis, although not the cerebro spinal meningitis, but a form not considered dangerous.

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.

Messrs. D. C. Middleton, T. B. Cobb and J. M. Pate, accompanied by their sons, were in Brady Wednesday and Thursday, bringing six loads of cotton seed, and carrying back supplies with them. They give good reports from their community, and are looking forward to some prosperous times.

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR.

Hundreds of Brady Citizens Can Tell You All About It.

Home endorsement, the public expression of Brady people, should be evidence beyond dispute for every Brady reader, of the merit of Doan's Kidney Pills Surely the experience of friends and neighbors, cheerfully given by them, will carry more weight than the utterances of strangers residing in far-away places. Read the following:

C. V. Globber, Brady, Texas, says: "For many years I have been troubled by a dull ache in my back and across my kidneys. I consulted a doctor and he pronounced my complaint lumbago. He gave me a prescription, but it gave me no relief, and I tried other remedies. I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and procured a box. Before long I noticed that my trouble was beginning to disappear and I have not lost a day from work since. After taking two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I was cured. I think this remedy is well worthy of recommendation."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FINANCE COM. REPORT

MESSRS. BROOK, BAZE AND JORDAN FINISH WORK.

Find Books of County Officials In Good Shape—Make Recommendations to Court.

Brady, Texas, Feb. 26th.

The Honorable District Court of McCulloch County, Texas, as:

We, the undersigned finance committee appointed by the Honorable District Court of McCulloch county, Texas, to examine into and report the condition of the finances of said county, respectfully submit the following:

We began our investigations with the February term, 1910, of the commissioners court of said county—beginning with date of February 10, 1910, where ended the report of the former finance committee that last preceded us and finished our examination to date of Feb. 16th, 1912.

We find all books and records pertaining to accounts of the county fairly well kept and generally correct and so far as we have been able to ascertain all moneys collected for the county for all purposes have been paid into proper funds.

We found some irregularities and met the commissioners court in open session and with their aid and assistance and the assistance of our county clerk, tax collector and county treasurer, all matters apparently irregular have been corrected and books and accounts nicely balanced and all orders entered that we think were necessary.

We believe and would recommend that all warrants drawn on county funds be drawn on specific order and no warrant issued on general orders, as has been done in several instances. And we believe that before any account is ordered paid that the account should be itemized and sworn to by party presenting same for payment.

The account of J. M. Burrow, J. P. shows that he is due 35c on commissions.

The account of O. B. Porter, J. P. shows that he is due 30c

FORT WORTH AND RETURN ACCOUNT OF Fat Stock Show AND Cattlemens' Convention



ROUND TRIP RATES

\$6.85 Tickets on sale Mar. 17th to 22d inclusive. Limit March 26th.
\$5.95 Sell March 17th to 23rd inclusive. Limit 2 days from date of sale.
\$3.60 Sell March 20th only. Limited to leave Ft. Worth night of 22nd.

THROUGH SLEEPERS TO FT. WORTH

For Further Information PHONE OR WRITE

W. M. Hundley
Agent,
Brady, Texas.

Notice

The G. C. & S. F. Ry. has on the press, a very comprehensive pamphlet, entitled

"Practical Information For the Farmers of Central West Texas."

written by the Santa Fe's Practical Demonstrators. The pamphlet treats of better methods of general farming, and is written in a simple, concise way, to cover that portion of Texas that you are interested in.

I will be glad to send you this pamphlet, FREE OF CHARGE, if you will drop me a line.

R. J. KENNEDY,
Colonization Agent, Santa Fe,
Galveston, Texas

on commissions.

The account of C. R. Bailey, J. P. shows that he is due 20c on commissions.

Scrip No. 4171 was issued to Bowman Lumber Co. for \$6.40, when order calls for \$6.30. This is only a very small error and we merely call attention to it.

The only account that we were unable to make satisfactory balance was the occupation tax account. In this we made forced balance as the matter was of such long standing that we were unable to locate the difference in charges and credits.

We find the following amounts in the various funds belonging to the county now in the hands of the county treasurer:

Jury Fund	\$ 1782.64
R. and B. Fund	2962.97
General Fund	18817.87
C. H. Bond Fund	910.61
Estray Fund	141.43
Old Bridge Bond Fund	2387.49
New Bridge Bond F.	3641.19
Road Dist. No. 1, Interest and Sinking Fund	8629.94
Available Road Dist. No. 1 Fund	72083.26
Total	\$111355.40

We find by examination of the county treasurer's accounts with the Commercial National bank that he has on hand with said bank the sum of \$112,239.70, leaving a difference to the credit of said treasurer of \$884.30, which he is entitled to draw as commissions.

We believe that in a few instances the anti nepotism law has been violated and suggest that the county attorney look into the matter.

Our attention has been called to the fact that for several years no suits for delinquent taxes have been brought and that the list of delinquent taxes show quite a number of tracts of land on which suit should be brought to collect said delinquent taxes. We suggest that the commissioners court take this matter up with the county attorney.

We suggest that the county judge take up with the attorney general the matter of the payment of the sum of \$2600.00 paid in the sale of bonds for Road District No. 1, and if said payment was illegal that proper steps be taken to recover the amount.

We think the amounts paid out to paupers and for road damages and work on public road and some other matters are excessive. Of course we are not familiar with the circumstances surrounding some of these payments, but we call attention to these matters for reason that there are now large sums of money in the hands of the county treasurer for which there seems to be no immediate need and that should be carefully guarded. We refer especially to the general fund of the county, which we believe if handled judiciously the rate of taxation might be materially decreased for present year.

We believe it would be a saving of money in the purchasing of stationery, books, etc., to make one of the county officers purchasing agent for the county, and we would respectfully suggest our sheriff, J. C. Wall, for this position.

Our examination has covered a period of twelve days as it covers the period for which two finance committees have been appointed.

Before closing our report, we wish to express our satisfaction for the orderly and neat way in which our janitor, Mr. W. F. Davis, keeps the court house and grounds, and the kind and courteous treatment to us during our work.

Respectfully submitted this 26th day of February, 1912.

H. P. JORDAN,
LEWIS BROOK,
A. C. BAZE,
Finance Committee.

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.

Let me sell you a good watch, the price and quality will please you. H. C. Boyd, Jeweler, east side square.

Messrs. Joe Souther and P. P. Phillips left Wednesday over the Santa Fe for Corpus Christi and Rockport, to be gone for thirty days. Mr. Souther goes to visit his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, at Corpus Christi, while P. P. goes on to Rockport, where he expects to work on a new hotel sufficiently long to secure the wherewith to purchase a small quantity of fishing tackle. Look out for some fish stories about thirty days hence.

Wm. Connolly & Co. lead in low price and high quality.

A petition has been circulated about town this week requesting F. M. Richards to allow his name to be presented to the voters as a candidate for mayor of Brady. Other petitions also requested Messrs. A. C. Baze and D. F. Savage to allow their names to be used in the forthcoming city election as candidates for aldermen. All petitions were liberally signed, and the popular demand seems to indicate that these gentlemen are the men for the places.

HOW OLD PEOPLE

May Prolong Their Lives
At an advanced age waste is more rapid than repair. The organs act more slowly and less effectually than in youth. The circulation is poor, the blood thin and watery, the appetite poor and digestion weak.

We want to say to every aged person in this vicinity that Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic (without oil) will prolong life. It creates an appetite, aids digestion and makes good blood. In this natural manner Vinol retards waste and replaces weakness with strength, giving new life to the worn system.

If people in this vicinity only realized how Vinol invigorates old people we would not be able to supply the demand.

Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you. **CENTRAL DRUG STORE, Druggists, Brady**

SHOE SAVINGS

We are making a big cut in the price of our Ralston Shoes in order to move them and make room for our new stock. Just think! You can get

\$5.00 Ralston Shoes at	\$4.25
\$4.00 Ralston Shoes at	\$3.25
\$3.50 Ralston Shoes at	\$3.00

Now is the time to get your Ralston Shoes at these low prices.

Also have a few Automobile Gloves left that are going at cost. You'll find them at

P. O. NEEL & CO.

Leading Tailors of Brady

Teachers and Advanced Students

If you want a better position write at once to

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We guarantee positions to teachers pursuing our courses by mail. We make a specialty of placing teachers in the Southern schools.

Our courses prepare you for examinations in any state. We give diplomas on about twenty different courses.

The Reputation of This School is Established Incorporated under the laws of the State of Tennessee with an authorized capital stock of \$10,000.00.

If you are already a teacher it is not necessary for you to complete any of our courses before taking a position through us. We place numbers of teachers before our courses are half completed.

Write us for one of our late catalogs, stating the course that would interest you.

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