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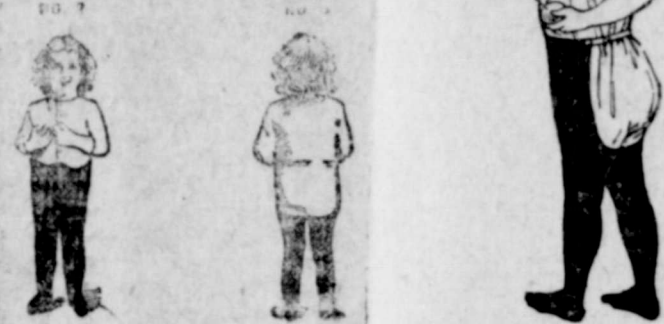
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## Abney & Vincent

South Side Square Brady, Texas

Phone 93 for Dry Goods. We deliver Dry Goods.

**Services at Christian Church.**

All members of the Christian church are urged to be present next Sunday at both morning and evening hours, when services will be conducted by the evangelist of the Brownwood district.

A few nice winter lap robes left that we will sell cheap. See H. P. C. Evers Saddle Shop.

P. D. Jordan of Lohn could not wait to come in to renew his subscription, so he sends it in by mail.

**To The Public.**

The firm of Drs. McCall, Anderson & McKnight has been dissolved, Dr. J. B. McKnight retiring. All accounts and notes due the firm should be paid the undersigned.

**DRS. McCALL & ANDERSON.**

R. E. Peel is one of the progressive farmers of the Melvin community who believes in keeping posted on the happenings of the country through the columns of The Standard and accordingly has his subscription figures set up to '15.

**CLOSE BIG DEAL.**

Stacy Telephone Co. Property Sold to Schleicher Co. Man.

Messrs. Best F. Jones of Stacy and Arthur Hall of Lohn, owners of the Stacy Telephone Co., were here Wednesday closing up a deal with C. A. Buie of Eldorado, whereby the latter becomes owner of the property of the Stacy company. The deal was tentatively agreed upon several months ago, but was not finally closed up until this week, and involved a consideration of \$17,000.00.

The property of the Stacy Telephone Co. consists of the exchanges at Lohn and Stacy, as well as a number of toll lines extending into both Coleman and Concho counties, and also lines to a number of small towns in this county. They also have a line into Brady. Messrs. Hall and Jones have in the past four or five years built up the business and improved the plants until the property is now one of the best revenue producers in this section.

In the trade they acquire the ranch property of Mr. Buie near Eldorado, together with the stock and implements. The ranch consists of 3122 acres, much of which is good agricultural land, although a small portion of it is now being worked. They also purchased 1358 acres adjoining the Buie property,

which gives them a 7-section ranch. The live stock figuring in the deal consists of well bred mares, and the new owners will devote their attention largely to the raising of good horses. Mr. Jones will have charge of the ranch, and expects to leave Stacy within the next few weeks for his new property.

Mr. Buie will shortly move to Lohn to look after his newly acquired business, and has been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Hall, who will continue with the new owner as manager of the business.

**Installing New Soda Fountain.**

The Central Drug Store has placed an order for a new and strictly modern soda fountain, and will have same installed by March 1st. The new fountain is of white Italian marble, fourteen feet in length, and is of the latest approved type, and will prove a valuable addition to this already well equipped store.

Leslie, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Townsend, was the victim of a painful accident Sunday, February 1st, when he suffered a broken arm in attempting to crank an automobile. The injured member is healing nicely and it is thought that he will have fully recovered the use of the limb in the course of a week or so.

**New Dental Equipment.**

Dr. Wm. C. Jones is justly proud of the new equipment recently received and installed in his already well equipped dental offices over the Brady National Bank. The new additions consist of a chair and work cabinet and both are the very latest patterns. The chair is of Spanish gray leather, finished in mahogany, and is adjustable to any position and to accommodate any patient from the largest to the smallest. The cabinet is of solid mahogany and is lined throughout with white enamel steel, making it thoroughly sanitary in every particular. The trays are of vitrolite glass, and are arranged to slide in and out of the cabinet on steel runs. The lower part of the cabinet is arranged with a number of receptacles for linen, etc., and is a beautiful piece of furniture, as is also the chair.

The cost of the two pieces of furniture is about \$450, and with their addition gives Dr. Jones one of the best and most modernly equipped offices in West Texas, and one which would be a credit to any city.

E. J. D. Peters was in the city the first of the week and paid The Standard office a pleasant call.

Hats cleaned and blocked. Williams & Branscum.

**Buys Interest In Shop.**

John Mayse has acquired a half interest in the blacksmith shop of his father, J. S. Mayse, on San Saba street, and the business will hereafter be conducted under the firm name of Mayse & Son. John is a native of Brady and was for a long number of years employed in the shop of C. R. Alexander on North Bridge street, continuing with L. M. Baker, who bought the Alexander shop about three months ago, until the first of the present month, when he resigned to enter a partnership with his father. He is considered one of the best horse shoers in this section and is equally proficient in other lines of the business.

C. R. Alexander has accepted Mr. Mayse's position with Mr. Baker.

**FOR CORRECT TIME PHONE 90. H. C. Boyd, Jeweler.**

Phone 295 when you want any feed or coal, and we will make prompt delivery. Macy & Co.

### Mack's Place

For the best of everything in the way of Fruits, Candies and Cigars. All kinds of Nuts.

**SPECIAL—EXTRA FINE LOT OF GRAPES JUST RECEIVED FROM CALIFORNIA.**

### WATCH, CLOCK and JEWELRY REPAIRING

I desire to announce to the citizens of McCulloch county and adjoining territory that I am opening up a stock of High-Class Jewelry at the Jones Drug Co. stand on the Southeast Corner of Square, and will appreciate your business when in need of anything in my line.

I will make a specialty of Watch, Clock and Jewelry Repairing of all kinds. I have had four years experience in this work and am well qualified to handle any business entrusted to my care, and guarantee absolute satisfaction in every particular.

Give me a call when in need of anything in my line. Your Business Will Be Appreciated.

### OSCAR T. DOELL

At Jones Drug Store Southeast Corner of Square

Save Money on Groceries by Buying at ACOSTA BROS. : : Live Stock For Sale



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## COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

**ONION GAP SAYINGS.**

Rochelle, Texas, Feb. 9.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
It's looking awfully like rain, but maybe ye scribe can send in a few items as a few moments to spare has come.

Farmers are very busy breaking land in this community at present.

Miss Leona Reynolds visited her aunt, Mrs. Hanford, Monday.

Grandma Bratton has been visiting her son, Mr. Jud Bratton, of Rochelle, this week.

Mr. Hubert Crump of Rochelle visited his friend, Mr. Gladys Howard, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frankum visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Harrison, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. George Mooring visited her sister, Mrs. Oscar Turner, of Rochelle Saturday.

Mr. John Mooring visited his brother, Mr. Walter Mooring, Monday.

Quite a number of the people of this community enjoyed the service at Live Oak Sunday.

Mr. O. P. Sallee went to Brady Saturday.

Mr. Haniford went to Rochelle Monday.

Mr. Irven Crider of Fife visited his sisters, Mrs. Charlie Sallee and Mrs. Clint Bell Saturday and was accompanied back home by his brother Albert, who has been spending a week with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Sallee.

Mr. E. J. Howard went to Rochelle Saturday.

Mr. W. C. Clayton went to Brady Saturday.

Mr. O. P. Sallee went to Rochelle Monday.

Miss Cora Clayton went to Rochelle Monday.

Little Miss Bernice Howard is on the sick list this week.

Miss Ella Mooring visited at the John Mooring home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coats are visiting relatives at the Sand this week.

Mrs. Jim White visited at the Chas. Sallee home Monday.

Mrs. Willie Turner is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Curtis Reynolds visited at the home of Mr. Henry Haniford Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sallee visited at the home of Mr. O. P. Sallee several days last week.

Mr. Robert Frankum visited at Mr. Walter Mooring's Monday.

Mrs. Susan Townsend and little son, Fred, visited at the home of Mrs. Virgil Chandler Monday.

Mr. H. Anderson went to Rochelle Tuesday.

Mr. Chas. Sallee is progressing very slowly, but we hope for him a speedy recovery.  
Will ring off and cast my vote for "Aunt Susan."  
**COWBOY GIRL.**

**The King of All Laxatives.**  
For constipation use Dr. King's New Life Pills. Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says they are the "king of all laxatives. They are a blessing to all my family and I always keep a box at home." Get a box and get well again. Price 25c. At all druggists or by mail. H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

**COWBOY ROUNDUPS.**

Cowboy, Texas, Feb. 11.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
Well, news is scarce and I can't write much, but I will come along, as Cowboy has not been represented lately.

We are having some pretty weather, but the ground is very dry. The farmers can't hardly break land.

S. M. Jonas' baby is not well. The little infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dobbs is not doing well.

Misses Thersie and Myrtle Jonas visited their brother, S. M. Jonas, Saturday and Sunday.

Aubrey Jorden happened to a painful accident Tuesday at school while playing ball when a foul ball hit him in the face. We hope it will not be so bad as to make him absent from school.

There was a singing at Mr. J. F. Powell's Sunday afternoon. Had a large attendance and a nice singing.

Miss Brittie Gamblin was the guest of Miss Lillie Mae Jordan from Friday evening until Monday morning.

Miss Nellie Turnell, Mr. Aubrey Jorden, Mr. Elbert Jones, Misses Lillie Mae Jordan and Brittie Gamblin were present at the singing Sunday at Mr. Powell's.

Mrs. Parks was a visitor at Milburn Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Mittie Gamblin and Necie Hughes attended the singing at Mr. J. F. Powell's Sunday.

**COWBOY.**

A healthy man is a king in his own right; and unhealthy man an unhappy slave. For impure blood and sluggish liver, use Burdock Blood Bitters. On the market 53 years. \$1.00 a bottle.

**PEAR VALLEY SAYINGS.**

Pear Valley, Texas, Feb. 10.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
Winter at last. But I suppose everyone is enjoying it, especially those who are feasting on backbone and spare ribs.

The winter has been so mild the farmers are getting along nicely with their work.

Mrs. Jno. Beck has been quite ill, but is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mrs. M. C. Ludwick spent the day with Mrs. Beck Saturday.

Mr. Willie Nicks is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nicks. It must have been a joyful meeting, this being his first trip home in five years.

Just listen! There was a wedding in the Valley Sunday. Did someone say who? Mr. Willie Watkins and Miss Elva Fowler sailed out on the sea of matrimony. Now my dear young friends, keep in your hearts the gift of love and all days will be glad, for love will lift your souls above the things that make you sad.

Th pound suppr given by Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ludwick Friday night was enjoyed by all present. The weather being so disagreeable there was only a few present.

Miss Ora Bullock spent the night with Misses Ludwick Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vineyard were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Gault Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Bill Page was in our midst Sunday.

**TEXAS RANGER.**

**Cough Medicine for Children.**  
Never give a child a cough medicine that contains opium in any form. When opium is given other and more serious diseases may follow. Long experience has demonstrated that there is no better or safer medicine for coughs, colds and croup in children than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is equally valuable for adults. Try it. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

**FIFE FINDINGS.**

Fife, Texas, Feb. 10.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
Farmers are about through their winter plowing and those who are not through are complaining of the ground getting dry already.

The freeze last week did not do any damage in this community.

Deputy John Martin of Brady

**JUST RECEIVED CAR OF BLACKSMITH COAL. O. D. MANN & SONS.**

**EAST BRADY.**

Brady, Texas, Feb. 10.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
Well, how is this for cold weather we have been having? It certainly has been cold here the last few days, but I rather enjoy it.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davis and daughters, Misses Lizzie and Pearl, were in East Brady Monday night. Miss Lizzie will be the guest of Miss Pearl Castleman this week.

Mr. Jack Nixon of this place made a flying trip to Brownwood Monday night, returning Tuesday morning on the train.

Mr. Alfred Reissner made a flying trip to the Wilhelm ranch Sunday.

Miss Millie Castleman is spending several days with Mrs. Johnson of East Sweden.

Mrs. J. E. Tindle and son, Hilary, were the guests of Mrs. Joyce of East Sweden Sunday.

Mrs. Bernice McMillian of West Brady was the guest of Miss Pearl Castleman Monday.

Mr. Charlie Down of Nine was in town Tuesday on business.

**We Want a Few Good Ranches**

A few tracts of 640 acres. A few tracts of 340 acres, and a few smaller tracts. We do not want everything in McCulloch county listed with us, but what we have we want it to be good stuff with the right price placed on it, and we will sell it. Do you want to sell? See

**MEERS BROTHERS,**  
BRADY, TEXAS.

was here on business one day last week.

Mrs. D. Doole returned to her home at Mason Wednesday last after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Finlay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Royal of Byers are visiting this week with their daughter, Mrs. R. H. Coonrod.

R. K. Finlay was at Brady Monday on business.

G. R. Baisden of Lohn was here on business Monday.

Dr. J. E. Powell and Benton Willey of Waldrip were callers here Monday.

Jack Hule of Lohn was here on business Sunday.

The young people enjoyed a hop at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Tedder Friday night.

Master Albert Crider returned from a visit to relatives at Onion Gap Sunday.

Colbert Penn, Allen Bush and J. M. Beasley of Mercury were here on business Monday.

E. Z.

Accidents will happen, but the best regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil for such emergencies. Two sizes, 25 and 50c at all stores.

**WALDRIP WARBLINGS.**

Waldrip, Texas, Feb. 9.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
Waldrip is still on the map, if you haven't heard from us lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Koerth of Brady were pleasant callers at the home of Dr. Powell Monday.

Lois Bratton and Mary Daniels visited Sybil Hayes Saturday night.

The Crochet Club met at Mrs. H. L. Bratton's last Wednesday.

Miss Bertie Hayes and brother, Henry of Christoval, are visiting their mother at this place.

Messrs. Marshall Bratton and John Winstead, accompanied by Misses Mary Bratton and Maggie Powell, attended the debate at Rockwood Saturday.

Mr. Roy Davison and Jess Haley of Whiteland were in town Friday on business.

Mr. Truman Allen of North Brady was in East Brady Sunday.

Mrs. Millard Fuller of this place was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Louis Baker of North Brady Thursday.

Miss Pearl Castleman has returned home from North Brady where she has been the guest of Miss Evie Allen the past week.

Mrs. Anne Woods is on the sick list this week. She has been in bed a week, but is up again now.

I will ring off for this time as news is scarce and give room for a better writer. I was certainly glad to see so many old correspondents back again this year.

**GLADDIE.**

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. The result was lasting."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala.

**MELVIN MIXUPS.**

Melvin, Texas, Feb. 10.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
Well how is all by now? I went to Brady last week and paid The Standard office a call. My, how they were all working! No wonder we have such a dandy paper.

The little infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Scott has been right sick, but is better at this writing.

Services were held on last Sunday at the Swedish church by the Swede missionary.

Mrs. Johnnie Satterfield left Sunday night for her home in Gorman, after an extended visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. Bert Maxwell returned to Texarkana after a week's visit with his brother-in-law, Walter Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. McGonigall are now located in their new home

on the east side of the square.

Rev. Dunsworth went to Brownwood Wednesday on business.

Mr. Tom Jean returned from Temple Sunday, where, he had gone to the hospital for his health and is much improved.

Rev. J. Joyner made a flying visit to Melvin Wednesday.

Mr. Charley Danielson made a flying trip to Brady Wednesday.

Mr. H. P. Wrightinger came in on Sunday's train to make his future home in Salt Gap.

Mrs. P. G. Hanes and children returned Sunday from Brady where she had been visiting her mother.

Many thanks "Jerry" for your vote, it is certainly appreciated. I, in my turn will vote this time for "Blue Eyes," the Placid correspondent.

Well, as I have written all I know for this time will close.

**BLUE BELL.**

One of those nobby caps for spring is just the thing you are looking for—we have one for you. Call and get it before someone else grabs it. Kirk, the old reliable Nuf Sed.

**BROADMOOR ROUNDS.**

Brady, Texas, Feb. 9.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
The weather is very unsettled here, but we are not the least bit surprised, for it is time for north wind, sleet and snow.

A quiet conversational party at Mr. Pinard's Saturday night was enjoyed by those who attended.

Mr. Harry Schwenker of Brady was a guest of E. W. Harris, at the ranch, Saturday. Mr. Schwenker, make your visit longer next time, as there are quite a few who would appreciate your acquaintance.

Mr. Bob Harrell and family visited relatives down near Brady Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Pate Owens of Colorado City has a month's vacation from his work and is spending it at Broadmoor visiting his father, brother and sisters.

Miss Bessie Pinard was the guest of Miss Katie Cowan Sunday.

Miss Brice Balch went home to see her family Saturday in Brady, but she is now back to resume her duties as the competent teacher of Broadmoor school.

Many friends we still extend you an invitation to join us in our Sunday school on Sunday evening at 3 o'clock. Come once and you cannot resist the temptation of coming the next Sunday.

Welcome "Texas Ranger," glad to hear from you. Write often.

We are grieved to give up Editor Schwenker, but we earnestly believe Mr. Richardson will give us justice and satisfaction.

Yours for success in every way this year. 1914.

**STACY NEWS.**

Stacy, Texas, Feb. 10.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
Well nearly all of the correspondents were present last week. I am going to continue writing and will try not to be absent any at all.

Mr. Dubois and daughter, Miss Altha May, went to Coleman Friday and returned Saturday.

Mr. Jesse Stacy returned to San Antonio last Sunday and will continue going to the Peacock military school.

Mr. C. M. Hammons returned Thursday from Paint Rock where he has been to court.

Mr. Joe Hinds of Fisk was in Stacy last Thursday.

Mr. Aaron Bowen made a business trip to Brady last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jarrett went to Brady Wednesday and returned Thursday.

Mrs. M. J. Stacy and little daughter, Agnes, went to Ballinger Monday.

Mr. C. A. Doose of Ballinger was in Stacy on Monday afternoon.

**JERRY.**

Place your order for winter coal now with Macy & Co. Just phone 295.

M. S. Middlemiss likes to get The Standard. He's a paper hanger.

## PLAIN TALK

From Two Prosperous Housewives, About Peruna.



Mrs. E. T. Gaddis, of Marion, North Carolina, writes to the Peruna Co., Columbus, Ohio: "Before I commenced to take Peruna I could not do any hard work without suffering great pain. I took Peruna and Man-alin, and can say with pleasure they have done more for me than any other medicine I have ever taken. Now I am as well as ever. I do all my own work and it never hurts me at all. I think Peruna is a great medicine for womankind."

Mrs. Sarah Frys, No. 165 Sylvan Ave., Asbury Park, N. J., writes: "I have no words to express my gratitude for the wonderful cure that Peruna has done for me. It is a godsend to all suffering women. Peruna has done wonderful work for me."

"I was sick over half of my life with systemic catarrh. I want this letter published far and wide, as I was a great sufferer, but to-day I feel as well as anybody can feel."

"Nearly all my life I have spent nearly all I could rake and scrape for doctors, but none of them did me any good. But since I started on your Peruna one year ago I have at last found relief in your wonderful Peruna. I had begun to think that I was not going to get well, but thank God I am well to-day."

"I hope and pray you may live long to help others as you have helped me. Instead of being a walking drug store I am growing fat and doing well. I will never be without Peruna."

Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna Tablets.

## SHE HAD MADE A MISTAKE

Questionable Commercial Transaction, However, in No Way Abashed the Old Lady.

Wherever buying and selling go on, there are those who do not scruple to take a little extra profit if it can be done secretly. The deed is not always carried off so boldly as in this amusing adventure related in Mrs. Phillimore's book of travel, "In the Carpathians."

The yellow horse—the Phillimore's journey was made in a peasant's cart drawn by a horse whose "skin was the color of honey when the sun shines on it," and driven by a romantic and elegant Pole, whose name was Milak—the yellow horse was preparing to shake the dust of Jostiska from his heels when an elderly Jewess detached herself from an excited crowd in the market-place and hurried toward the cart.

"My weight!" she demanded in a loud voice.

"What weight?" inquired Mr. Phillimore.

"In the sugar," replied the old lady.

"What sugar?" queried Mr. Phillimore.

Milak came to the rescue. "I bought loaf sugar," he explained.

"The weight is in the sugar. I made a mistake," volunteered the aggressive lady with much wrath and no embarrassment. "Am I to wait all day?" she continued, impatient at the stupidity of these foreigners.

Guilelessly, Milak produced the bag of sugar. A more knowing villager offered a bowl, into which the old lady hastily dumped the sugar, disclosing in the bottom a brass weight of three or four ounces.

"That's it," she said, unblushingly. "I forgot to take it out," and hastily restoring the sugar to her customers, she turned and marched back to the market-place.—Youth's Companion.

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A good price on mattresses. Broad Mercantile Co.

**NERVOUS PEOPLE**

are usually thin and easily worried, sleep does not refresh and the system gradually weakens from insufficient nourishment.

Scott's Emulsion corrects nervousness by its force of concentrated medical nourishment—it restores the healthy action of body cells, enriches the blood, sharpens the appetite, and feeds the nerve centres by distributing energy and power all over the body.

Don't resort to alcoholic mixtures or drug concoctions that stimulate and stupefy.

Get a bottle of Scott's Emulsion for your nerves—nothing equals or compares with it, but insist on Scott's.

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 Draying and Heavy Hauling of All Kinds  
 Will appreciate your draying and hauling business. Your freight and packages handled by careful and painstaking employees.

**Matthews Bros**  
 Excellent for Stomach Trouble.  
 "Chamberlain's Tablets are just fine for stomach trouble," writes Mrs. G. C. Dunn, Arnold, Pa. "I was bothered with this complaint for some time and frequently had bilious attacks. Chamberlain's Tablets afforded me great relief from the first, and since taking one bottle of them I feel like a different person." For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

The Standard has lots of friends out at Fife, but one of the best is M. L. Burrell, who the other day contributed to our superannuated printers' fund.

Get the best—King's candies, delicious, pure and wholesome. Fresh shipments all the time at Allman's Bakery.

J. B. Cottrell thinks the best way to induce his son, J. M. Cottrell, who is now located at Ryan, Okla., to come back home is through the medium of The Standard, and accordingly has us send him the paper for a year. That ought to fetch him.

King's candies—fresh and pure. At Allman's Bakery.

**FROM SWEDEN.**  
 Rochelle, Texas, Feb. 2.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 "Whatever you are be noble; Whatever you do do well; Whenever you speak, speak kindly; Give joy wherever you dwell."

On last Saturday afternoon we received word that our little friend, Master Willie Samuelson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Samuelson, sweetly passed away to meet Jesus, death resulting from a snake bite, which has already been mentioned in The Standard. Willie was loved by all who knew him. Death comes to some as a friend and comforter and to others as a bitter enemy and eternal tormentor. Rev. I. T. Morris of Brady spoke those beautiful words which made us feel that hell was some way off and heaven very near. Rev. Morris has always been with us in times of need. What we owe to Dr. Morris is more than a little. Several beautiful flowers intermixed with evergreens adorned the beautiful white casket. Mr. Wilkerson in all his kindness and dignity took charge of the remains. The hearse was used in carrying the remains from the residence to the church and from there to the cemetery, where the dear little boy was laid to rest. Little Willie leaves a mother, father, sister and two brothers, besides several other relatives to mourn his loss. "Aunt Susan" extends her sympathy.

"Trouble never comes singly," said Longfellow. We can vouch for the same as we have had the experience. On last Sunday morning we received a message from Marlin stating that Mr. Oscar Samuelson, brother of Emil and Chas. Samuelson, was in a dying condition. Later we received a report that he was dead. The remains were shipped here via the Santa Fe last Tuesday afternoon and interment was made in the East Sweden cemetery. Rev. T. P. Grant conducting the ceremony. Death comes to one and all sooner or later. So I say to you prepare, for ye know not the day and the hour when you shall depart. Mr. Samuelson was an uncle of Master Willie Samuelson mentioned above. Mr. Samuelson leaves a daughter, an aged father and two brothers, besides his many friends to mourn his loss.

Last Saturday evening Misses Alma, Myrtle and Nina Hurd entertained a few of their girl friends with a party. The most popular amusement was "42." At the proper hour luncheon was served. Among those present were Mrs. Ethel Abernathy and Misses Hilda and Victoria Johnson, Stella Hilderbrand and Sigred Johnson. Several young ladies were invited but a few could not come. This little party was given in honor of Miss Hilda Johnson and Miss Agnes Plahn.

Mrs. R. B. Spears and mother-in-law, Mrs. Spears, of Brady, were guests of home folks last Saturday.

Master Cecil Nelin was on the sick list last week, but is better at this writing. I was very sorry to hear that "Good Mr. Schwenker" is going to leave us. We can never forget his kindness. "Leaving Brady?" No, he can't stay stay away. He will come back just as the others did that left. Perhaps he is going on a "bridal tour" and just said that he was going to leave to lay aside suspicion. I guess he thought some of his good looking correspondents might want to go with him. As my letter is rather lengthy I will close.

Success and prosperity for everybody is my wishes.

**AUNT SUSAN.**  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 If you are ever troubled with biliousness or constipation you will be interested in the statement of R. F. Erwin, Pera, Ind. "A year ago last winter I had an attack of indigestion followed by biliousness and constipation. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets so highly recommended, I bought a bottle of them and they helped me right away." For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

**DUSTY DOINGS.**  
 Voca, Texas, Feb. 9.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 Here I come with my budget of news.

Breaking land seems to be the order of the day. My, but what weather we have been having. This morning it looks as if it might rain, and I guess the farmers would sure be glad to see it.

There was a good crowd at church Sunday, considering the weather. Bro. Mayo's regular appointments here are the second and fourth Sundays. The Sunday school is trying to raise enough money to buy an organ, so we would appreciate any help. Mr. Henry Behrens has just closed a deal with Mr. Tom Lemons for a place. The place he has adjoins his other place. A crowd of Camp San Saba boys, Messrs. Ross and Hardy Slaughter and Edd Williams, went to Spy Rocks Sunday. They had a cool day to go but all reported a nice time.

Dusty school children have been talking of having a box supper to pay for the painting of the school house, but it is reported that the people of Fredonia have been exposed to the measles, so they have decided to put off their box supper until some future date. The singing at Mr. Teague's Sunday night was well attended considering the cool weather. O. I. C. U. R. Right, your letters are certainly interesting. As it is getting late will ring off for this time. **ROB ROY.**

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, will lead to chronic constipation. Doan's Regulents operate easily. 25c a box at all stores.

**LOHN NEWS.**

Lohn, Texas, Feb. 11.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 Most of the farmers, taking advantage of the pretty weather, are nearly through preparing their land. Rev. J. M. Burrow filled his regular appointment with another of his good sermons Sunday.

The birthday party given by Mr. Guy Ellis in honor of his fifteenth year last Saturday night was enjoyed by all present.

The birthday dance given at the home of Miss Rena Lohn Saturday night was attended by a large crowd, and enjoyed by all present. Miss Ruby Hill spent Friday night with Miss Myrtle Huie. Mrs. Knotts, the wife of J. H. Knotts, died Sunday night after having been sick for several weeks with tuberculosis. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. W. Shirley at the Baptist church, after which the remains were interred in the Lohn cemetery. Mr. Knotts and children have many friends in this community who sympathize with them in their bereavement.

Misses Stella Mae Cumby and Lola Webb were the guests of Misses Grace and Carlina Barton Sunday.

Miss Hannah Hill spent the week end with her brother, Joe Hill.

Dr. W. M. Land left for Alabama Friday night to visit his sick mother.

Misses Josie and Jewel Butler were the guests of Miss Pearl Bissett Sunday.

Miss Helen Tetens spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Rena Lohn.

**SENIOR CLASS.**

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**NORTH BRADY.**

Brady, Texas, Feb. 11.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 Well, here I am this fine morning. No snow yet. I haven't much news this week but must thank "Gladdie" for her compliment, and I feel very much flattered. And indeed we do have lots of flowers out this way. We have sweet spring daisies out here in bloom in the pastures in January, and have sweet williams and clover now

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in bloom in our pastures. As I was in trouble last week, it being real early for roses to be out, I forgot to comply with our good editors wish, so will vote this time for "Blue Bell." I see some very interesting new writers this year, and hope I may be able to stand the contest and do well enough to be of interest to you all.

Oats are all grazed down very good. Some have quit pasturing on account of the dry weather.

Health of this community is some better, although little Pearl Johnson had to miss school Wednesday on account of colds.

Isn't it about time to start some of our gardens? I'm afraid some of us will be behind this spring with our garden stuff.

Mr. J. M. Johnson was up to the Schramm farm plowing wire grass last week and finished plowing for the present.

Mrs. Nannie Cottrell and mother, Mrs. Northcutt, made a trip to Calf Creek Tuesday.

Grandma Pulliam is under the weather very much again this winter, but we hope she will soon regain her health.

Mr. Jonah Bell and family went to Brady Saturday.

Mrs. H. D. Cottrell and children visited Mrs. J. M. Johnson Saturday evening.

We were sorry indeed to hear of our kind editor, Mr. Schwenker taking his leave of Brady, and hope he will see fit to return in the future.

Mr. A. J. Johnson and G. A. Nelson delivered, some cattle to Rev. Hansen Tuesday.

Miss Dollie Wren has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Kirby Huffman, the past three weeks.

Mr. Jesse Green baled cane for Mr. Jonah Bell and Mr. H. D. Cottrell the past week.

Mrs. Jonah Bell visited Mrs. J. M. Johnson one day last week.

Mr. J. M. Johnson is working for Mr. G. A. Nelson this week. As news is scarce will bid you adieu till next time. **ROSE.**

**Feel Miserable?**

Out of sorts, depressed, pain in the back—Electric Bitters renews your health and strength. A guaranteed liver and kidney remedy. Money back if not satisfied. It completely cured Robert Madsen, of West Burlington, Iowa, who suffered from virulent liver trouble for eight months. After four doctors gave him up, he took Electric Bitters and is now a wall man. Get a bottle today; it will do the same for you. Keep it in the house for all liver and kidney complaints. Perfectly safe and dependable. Its results will surprise you. 50c and \$1.00. H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

**WONDER WORDS.**

Wonder, Oregon, Feb. 5.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 Here is an authentic and reliable report of the amount of precipitation for the past part of the present winter.

The following statement of rainfall this season to end of January, is taken from reports of John B. Paddock, Observer at Grants Pass for National Weather Bureau:

October	0.21
November	4.40
December	4.81
January	11.35
<b>Total</b>	<b>20.77</b>

The average rainfall of this district is reckoned to be 30 inches, so that there is yet a shortage of 9.23 inches.

You may imagine that with so much rain as we have here that the ground would become so soft as to stop travel altogether with wagons, and I presume it does in some localities, but in this immediate vicinity the soil texture is so firm and full of gravel that where the roadbed is graded up and kept well drained it remains reasonably firm.

Wonder is 13 miles west of Grant's Pass on the only road in Southern Oregon that leads to the Pacific coast at Crescent City, California, hence it is graveled and macadamized most of the way, and two good teams of two horses can haul 4,000 to 5,000 pounds. A great many teamsters use wagons with tires four inches wide, especially those who haul lumber. Logging trucks have tires 6 to 8 inches wide.

This country is exactly like Texas in one respect, only exactly the reverse. Here our protracted rains come from the west, and the further west you go toward the ocean the greater the rainfall, and the farther east you go, the less rainfall. While in Texas, (as Aunt Samantha says) it is "vic versa and the same." In a former letter I told you

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about the tops of the mountains protruding out of the level sea of fog into the sunshine above. Well it just resembles islands. That is as near as I can describe it. It is far more beautiful to behold than to imagine.

This country could appropriately be called greenland, as nearly all of the timber and shrubs are evergreens, and some of the trees are the most symmetrical in form by nature that I ever saw, especially the cedars and firs.

This is a great country for mosses and ferns of a great many varieties; most of them the ferns grow as high as your head in favored localities.

One of the greatest pests the farmer has to contend with is fern, which has long roots similar to Johnson grass roots.  
 O. I. C. U. R. RIGHT.

Let the McCulloch County R. E.—Exchange advertise your property for you.

Bub Crawford was in the other day from Pasche and called us a liar. We fined him a dollar for the offense and then decided the punishment was not severe enough, so we are going to send him The Standard for another year.

We can match you a trade. See us. McCulloch County R. E. Exchange.

Window shades. Broad Mercantile Co.  
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Somewhat Ambiguous.  
 A missionary stationed in a land where the natives were cannibals, wrote for assistance as follows: "Our small force of brethren seems to be unable to cope with the distress which prevails in the dark and benighted land. Please send a few more missionaries."—Sunday Magazine.

Get your typewriter ribbons, typewriter paper, typewriter oil and typewriter supplies of all kinds at The Standard office.

**Killed Despite Handicap.**  
 Napoleon's wars were fought w/ blindlocks; but he was a pretty successful killer, despite the handicap. —Chicago News.

**Lucky Adam.**  
 Another advantage Adam had was that when he came back from a party he didn't have to tell to Eve about what the women had on.

**Getting There.**  
 The fellow who gets there does depend so much on inspiration as perspiration. —Philadelphia Record.

**Application.**  
 The important end of historical knowledge is a prudent application of it to ourselves, with a view to regulate and amend our own conduct.—Thomas Paine

**Aphorisms of Lady Grant.**  
 It is such a relief to "let go," as my aunt said when she gave up keeping a waist! Women find a man dull and uninteresting when he poses to another woman. —Cheque Board by Lady Grant

Cleaning and pressing good as the best. Williams & Branscum.



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BRADY, TEXAS, Feb. 13, 1914.

FROM FAR OFF WASHINGTON.

Editor Brady Standard,  
Brady, Texas.

Dear Sir:—

"I am sending you by parcel  
post four apples. The red one  
is a Virginia Beauty, the long  
yellow one is a Bellflower and  
the two flat ones with pink  
cheeks are of the Winter  
Banana variety.

"Last year was very un-  
favorable for fruit, especially  
apples, so I am unable to send  
you any extra large ones, as I  
had hoped to do.

Yours very truly,

J. T. ROBERSON."

They came all right, but they  
didn't last much longer than  
one of those Oregon snowballs  
would have lasted. For size and  
quality of flavor they were hard  
to beat, and if they were a fair  
sample of an "Oregon failure"  
we suppose he would have had  
to ship them by freight instead  
of parcel post had they been  
from a good crop.

The box in which the fruit  
was sent was about 5x5x13 in-  
ches and the four apples filled  
it entirely. The entire Stand-  
ard force enjoyed them and Mr.  
Roberson has our hearty thanks  
for his kindness in thus remem-  
bering us.

BRADY-MASON PIKE.

The editor of The Standard  
last week announced a series of  
articles on the proposed Brady-  
Mason pike road to begin in this  
issue, but we regret to announce  
that through a misunderstanding  
the article failed to reach  
the office in time for publica-  
tion this week.

We hope to be able to present  
the initial number in next Fri-  
day's paper, and trust that the  
readers will give the matter the  
attention and thought which its  
importance to the community  
demands.

Note the suit samples on dis-  
play in our window. We have  
the prettiest line of samples ever  
seen in Brady, and the prices  
are in keeping with the quality.  
Come in today and have a look.  
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J. D. Stewart of Rochelle is  
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world. He keeps all his sons  
and daughters well supplied  
with high-class literature. He  
sends them The Standard, and  
last week sent in the renewal  
of his son, G. F., at Beukiss,  
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ing tools. Let us show you  
through our large assortment.  
Get prices and terms. E. J.  
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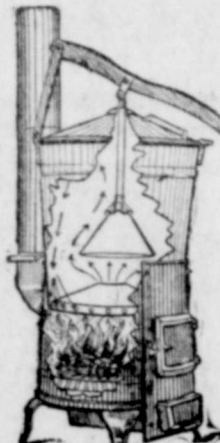
**At This Season**

you should exercise great care to have your home  
in a perfect sanitary and healthy condition. Among  
other things, your plumbing system is the most im-  
portant feature that  
requires careful  
attention.



When you con-  
sider that the health  
of your family is  
governed absolutely  
by domestic sanitary  
conditions you can  
readily see the ex-  
treme necessity to  
guard against any  
possible defects in  
your plumbing  
system.

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quote you a price on  
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tive piping or installing new fixtures. "Standard"  
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We appreciate our customers' pa-  
tronage and try to show our appre-  
ciation by giving you your money's  
worth, dollar for dollar, either in  
merchandise or service.

If you haven't an account with us  
and are in need of anything we  
would be glad to have you call and  
we will fill your requirements either  
on a cash or credit basis. Our old  
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—all the time. Bring us your  
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to your interest to deal with us.

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Texas, decided he could not stay  
away from dear old McCulloch  
unless we would agree to send  
him The Standard, so, after con-  
siderable persuasion—in the  
shape of a dollar—we decided  
to let him have the paper.

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that this is the wagon you will  
eventually want. Get one now.  
Our price and terms are reason-  
able. Broad Mercantile Co.

Do you need a good second  
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season. Broad Mercantile Co.

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tried to get along without The  
Standard, but found that he  
couldn't do it, so he came in the  
other day and dug up.

Keep in mind the fact that  
the Peter Schuttler is the best  
wagon made, irrespective of  
price or anything else. For  
sale by O. D. Mann & Sons.

Burette Tipton has added  
The Standard to his list of  
studies while at Howard Payne  
college at Brownwood.

M. B. McKnight of San An-  
gelo will learn of doings in Mc-  
Culloch for the next twelve  
months through the columns of  
The Standard, compliments of  
his brother, Dr. J. B. McKnight,  
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Get your planter now and  
have it on hand against plant-  
ing time. Our line is far super-  
ior to all. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Rev. D. R. Hardison is now  
living over at Lampasas, and to  
compensate for the inconven-  
ience of living away from  
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Standard.

Needing some new table sil-  
ver? We have it in all grades,  
from the best to the cheapest.  
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D. C. Middleton never lets  
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Get a Moon Bros. Buggy, the  
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ly kept clean.  
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entering into the con-  
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for strength and  
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Because they are  
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**Why?**

Remember the name "Darling"

**CLAUDE GALLAN'S COLUMN  
"CRACKS AT THE CROWD"**

From Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

At one place in Siberia the  
thermometer reaches 85 degrees  
below zero. That must be the  
place where bank cashiers come  
from.

Gaby Deslys says she would  
be afraid to marry a poor man.  
Almost every day some new  
blessing—some additional charm  
—is added to poverty.

An exchange says that in  
China the man who adulterates  
food is punished with death. He  
should be. A man who will  
adulterate rice deserves no  
mercy.

An Iowa man hanged himself  
with a United States flag. Such  
sentiment is touching. It was  
probably the thought of his  
country that caused him to do  
the rash deed. Suicide is not to  
be encouraged, but when a man  
does it for the good of his  
country he becomes a hero, and  
the country would be better off  
if it had many such heroes.

Some vile wretch in Michigan  
placed a stick of dynamite in a  
lawyer's office. It could not have  
been worse. When a criminal  
goes to destroy a lawyer he  
should use blasting powder. The  
explosive force of dynamite is  
downward, while the force of  
blasting powder is upward. If  
you are going to send a lawyer  
off of this earth, at least give  
him a start in the right direc-  
tion.

Surgery has advanced so far  
that they have taken six stitches  
in the heart of a man who  
was stabbed. It is queer that a  
knife wound in the heart will  
not heal of its own accord.  
There are any number of cases  
where a young lady has had her  
heart broken all to pieces by  
the actions of a lover, and in a  
few weeks it had healed so per-  
fectly that she was able to get  
out to the theatre with another  
fellow.

Kermit Roosevelt will marry  
a Virginia girl. Like all other  
girls of the South, they are  
great, but it requires some  
patience to listen to their talk  
about Roanoke, Lynchburg and  
Norfolk. Even if a girl's father  
spent only a week in Virginia,  
dodging a grand jury in some  
other state, she will always con-  
tend that she is an F. F. V.,  
and tell how her grand father  
watered his horse at a pond  
where John Randolph's ducks  
used to swim.

Says the Brady Standard:  
"You never can tell what in-  
fluence a single act or word may  
have upon the life of another."  
There is much in just a word,  
to be sure. Frequently we have  
made what we considered busi-  
ness propositions to men who  
had money to lend, and the  
quick, gruff "no" chilled us  
through and through—even in  
midsummer. We don't know  
how the word "yes" sounds un-  
der such circumstances. The  
only times we ever heard that  
word was during our proposal.  
We were so slow popping the  
question that she said "yes"  
three times before we finished.

Our full line of spring sam-  
ples is now in and on display  
and we are not going to be satis-  
fied until you inspect the lines.  
Come in today and make your  
selection—we'll do the rest. You  
know what a Nuf Sed suit  
means. Kirk, the old reliable.

E. J. D. Peters thinks The  
Standard and Dallas News a  
combination that can't be beat,  
so he sends in his renewal.

For feed and field seed, gar-  
den seed, flower seed. E. J.  
Broad.





Ring 163 If You Have Items for These Columns.

**SOCIAL CALENDAR.**

U. D. C.—With Mrs. L. Ballou Saturday afternoon, March 7th. Bible Study Class—With Mrs. G. M. Bennett Friday afternoon, February 18th. Five Hundred Club—With Mrs. S. W. Moffatt Wednesday afternoon, February 18th. Forty-Two Club—With Mrs. F. W. Henderson Wednesday afternoon, February 18th. Bible Class—At Church of Christ Wednesday afternoon, February 18th. Mothers Club—With Mrs. L. A. Williams Tuesday afternoon, February 17th. Young Ladies Missionary Society—With Mrs. J. T. Mann Friday afternoon, February 20. Beau Nots—With Misses Ruth and Ruby Wood Wednesday afternoon, February 18th. Ladies Social Club—With Mrs. F. M. Richards Friday afternoon, February 18th. Mothers and Teachers Club—With Mrs. J. C. McShan Monday afternoon, February 16th. Stitch and Chatter Club—With Miss Jennie Westbrook Friday afternoon, February 13. Loung Ladies Missionary Society. The Young Ladies Missionary Society held a most profitable meeting last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jas. T. Mann, the subject for the meet-

**Sunbeam Program.**  
The following program has been arranged for the meeting of the Sunbeam band at the Baptist church next Sunday afternoon:  
Song 171.  
Prayer.  
Roll call and minutes.  
Matt. 19:19-29, Faye Alexander.  
Talks on the week's trial by all the members.  
Song No. 5.  
Bible drill, Marguerite Lynch.  
Closing exercises.

**U. D. C.**  
The members of the local chapter U. D. C. enjoyed a most pleasant meeting on last Saturday afternoon, Mrs. R. A. Rutherford being hostess. Ten members of the chapter were in attendance, and Mesdames Frank Ogden and F. P. Phillips were visitors.  
The following was the program for the meeting:  
Subject—"Secession of Texas From the Union."  
Roll Call, with answers by the naming of some Texas regiment, either cavalry or infantry.  
Song, "My Country 'Tis of Thee" by the chapter.  
Reading, "Only a Private,"

mitt Wood received guest prize. Guests of the club for the afternoon were Mrs. Dimmitt Wood and Miss Hayde Willoughby.  
A dainty refreshment course of orange ice, angel food cake and candy was served to the following: Mesdames S. S. Graham, C. T. White, G. R. White, S. W. Moffatt, J. R. Stone, J. S. Anderson, W. L. Hughes, Dimmitt Wood; Misses Addie Conner, Gille Macy, Elizabeth Souther and Hayde Willoughby.  
The club meets next week with Mrs. S. W. Moffatt.

**Bible Class.**  
A splendid meeting of the Bible class last Wednesday afternoon is reported, a goodly number of the members being in attendance, and with well prepared lessons. For next Wednesday afternoon the 21st and 22nd chapters of St. Matthew will be taken up for study and discussion.

**Birthday Party.**  
Master Albert Rose entertained a number of his little friends on Saturday afternoon celebrating his tenth birthday. The little folks were entertained delightfully with a number of in and outdoor games, following which they were invited to the dining room where a large birthday cake on which ten candles were brightly burning, was cut. The little host was the recipient of many remembrances from his guests.  
Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, chocolate, cake and can-

**BROTHERHOOD OF YOEMEN**  
New Lodge Instituted Here Wednesday Night.  
G. C. Craddock of Killeen and Rev. Pledger of Belton instituted a new lodge of the Brotherhood of American Yoemen at the I. O. O. F. hall Wednesday night. These gentlemen have been here for the past few weeks in the interest of the order and have started the new organization off with a live and enthusiastic membership.

This is a new lodge in this territory, but they seem to be gaining popularity at a rapid pace. It is a fraternal insurance order and is said to be one of the strongest in the country. At the meeting Wednesday night temporary officers were selected to serve for a period of three weeks, when permanent officers will be named.

The following list comprises the temporary officers named at Wednesday night's session: Foreman, Dan Cottrell; Master of Ceremonies, Jim Anderson; Master of Accounts, J. W. Townsend; Chaplain, C. R. Joyner; Overseer, R. A. Brown; Sentinel, Ben Lovelace; Watchman, Dallas Holmes; Correspondent, Ike Rainbolt.

Friday night of each week has been named as the regular meeting dates.

Furniture. Our price is the best, our terms are liberal. Broad Mercantile Co.

Mrs. B. W. Honeycut adds her name to the list of Standard readers.

**Married Wednesday Afternoon**  
As a surprise to the many friends of the contracting parties will come the announcement of the marriage on Wednesday afternoon of Mr. C. J. Danielson and Mrs. Vona Bell Wilhelm, which occurred at the Morrow hotel, Rev. C. R. Joyner performing the ceremony in the presence of a few friends of the bride and groom.

The groom is one of the most prominent citizens of the Melvin community, where he has extensive farming interests, and enjoys the esteem of a large circle of friends. His bride has been a resident of Melvin for some time and for a while held a responsible position with one of the largest mercantile firms of that thriving little city, and has a host of friends and admirers.

Mr. and Mrs. Danielson returned to Melvin on the afternoon train and will make their home at that place. The Standard joins with their many friends in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Have you seen those nobby spring caps now on display? They are the very latest styles and are going to be very popular this season. Better drop in and make your selection while the stock is complete. Kirk, at the "Bright Spot."

Mrs. Walter Ake doesn't want to miss a copy of The Standard, so we have her renewal for another year.

A large stock of hardware, wire, etc. Broad Mercantile Co.

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**CREAM BAKING POWDER**  
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**Married Wednesday Evening.**  
At the Methodist parsonage on Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock Mr. Roger Q. Edgell of Bakersfield, Cal., and Miss Allie Lee Hall of Pontotoc were united in marriage, Rev. I. T. Morris officiating in the presence of a few friends of the contracting parties.

After a few days spent with relatives and friends at Pontotoc the happy couple will leave for Bakersfield, where they will make their future home. The Standard joins with the many friends of the happy young people in extending congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

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ing being a study of "Women of Other Lands." Eight members of the society were in attendance.

The next meeting of the society will be on Friday afternoon, February 20, with Mrs. Mann, and will be a business session.

**Stitch and Chatter Club.**  
(Overlooked last week.)

The members of the Stitch and Chatter club enjoyed a splendid meeting on Friday afternoon, January 31st with Mrs. Britton Embry. The afternoon was most pleasantly spent in stitching and gay conversation, and as one of the members reported, "with more chatter than stitching."

Before the departure of the guests Mrs. Embry served a delicious course of refreshments consisting of chicken salad, hot chocolate and candy.

Miss Jennie Westbrook will be hostess to the club members this afternoon.

Mrs. Will Day.  
Song, "Juanita" by the chapter.

Paper, "Secession of Texas." Outline the events immediately preceding the secession of Texas and those immediately following, Mrs. J. P. Jones.

Song—"Bonnie Blue Flag," by the chapter.

Biographical sketch of Owen M. Roberts, Mrs. C. W. Scott.

At the close of the program delicious tea, cake and candy was served the guests.  
The next meeting of the chapter will be with Mrs. L. Ballou on Saturday afternoon, March 7th.

**Five Hundred Club.**

Mrs. J. G. McCall was the charming hostess on last Wednesday afternoon to the members of the Five Hundred club at their regular weekly meeting. Five Hundred was enjoyed at three tables, and at the close of the games the club prize was awarded to Mrs. Sam W. Moffatt for high score, while Mrs. Dim-

my were served to the following: Little Misses Gertrude Trigg, Marjorie McCall, Carmen Anderson, Maggie Doole, Mildred Yantis, Louise Richardson, Mabel Doty Stone, Beryl Bradley, Margaret Frances McClure, Mary Louise Davis; Masters Walter Adkins and William Charles Jones, Jr.

**Bible Study Class.**

On account of the cold weather of last week no meeting of the Bible class was held, but the class will meet this afternoon with Mrs. G. M. Bennett, at which time the lesson assigned for last week will be taken up for study and discussion.

It took a wagon 36 years old to even qualify for the 68th prize in the Studebaker "Old Wagon Contest." We handle this line of goods. E. J. Broad.

E. A. Marshall sends in a renewal of his mother's subscription, Mrs. T. C. Marshall, at Tahoka, Texas.

**To the Public.**

I have resigned my position with L. M. Baker and have purchased an interest in the blacksmith shop of my father, J. S. Mayse, located on San Saba street, where I will be glad to have all my friends and former customers call on me when in need of first-class blacksmithing. I will do the horse shoeing and guarantee absolute satisfaction in every particular. Give me a call when in need of anything in my line.

Respectfully,  
JOHN MAYSE.

J. M. Page has us believing that he enjoys reading The Standard. There is no telling how many dollars he has given us for the privilege. We got one only last week.

For sale at a bargain one good second hand farm wagon. E. J. Broad.

All kinds of flower and garden seed at Jones Drug Co., the Rexall Store.

**Mr. Storekeeper—**What about a new delivery wagon? We have some light draft wagons, prices reasonable, that would be quite an improvement on your old, heavy running wagon. O. D. Mann & Sons.

J. L. Slaughter of Pear Valley thinks life would not be worth living without The Standard. We want him to keep on living, so we are sending him the paper a while longer.

Do you need a good gentle team of horses? See E. J. Broad.

One of the first things Lynn B. Young did after coming to Brady was to have us enter him on our honor roll of 1915 subs.

All kinds of flower and garden seed at Jones Drug Co., the Rexall Store.

Lee Miers is another progressive Pear Valley farmer who thinks that his crops would be a complete failure if he didn't have The Standard to help him out.

**For Sale Cheap.**

We have on hand a 1-cylinder Cadillac and a Maxwell roadster which we offer for sale at a bargain for cash or will take some trade. Both these cars are snaps at the price we have on them.

BRADY AUTO CO.

Carl Carlson lives way out at Burbanks, Cal., now. He sent us a dollar the other day for The Standard another year, and we are going to bring him back to Brady by the time the dollar is used up.

We want you to try one of our Mark Cross safety razors. The equal of any \$5.00 razor on the market and only costs 25c. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Tom Jordan likes The Standard so well that he has decided to put up with it for another year.

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## Cheap Money

If you owe money on your farm or wish to sell land notes or borrow money upon land or land notes, we have money to lend on long time, easy terms and reasonable interest rates. See S. W. HUGHES & CO. of Brady for information.

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One Peter Schutler wagon, and complete set of leather harness, slightly used, cost \$154.00, will sell at bargain. McCulloch County Real Estate Exchange.

Gin for sale at a bargain or trade for good land. McCulloch County Real Estate Exchange.

List your lands with us for quick sale. If you want to sell we can find you a buyer. If you want to trade we have a trade ready for you or can match a trade.

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No. 46, mixed, lv. 1:25 p. m. on  
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**G. C. & S. F.**  
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Arrive Leave  
No. 54 9:10 a. m. 11:40 a. m.  
West Bound  
No. 53 2:55 p. m. 4:40 p. m.

### COURT CALENDAR.

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

**DISTRICT COURT**—Convenes second Mondays after first Monday in February and September; each term, three weeks. Civil docket second week; criminal docket, first week.

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For Sale—Horses, mares and mules, broke to harness. See Acosta Bros.

Business and dwelling houses to rent. See McCulloch County Real Estate Exchange.

For Sale—One 2-year old registered Jersey bull. Apply A. F. McCoy, Nine, Texas.

For Sale Cheap—First-class second hand bicycle. Apply this office.

For Sale—144 feet of 3-inch galvanized pipe at 25c per foot. Oscar Thompson, at Broad Mercantile Co.

Barred Plymouth Rocks—50 cents for setting of 15 select eggs, delivered at Brady. Good hatch guaranteed. Mrs. J. Meers.

Notice—The best horse shoeing and rubber tiring to be found in Brady at Mayse & Son on San Saba street. All work guaranteed.

Our soda fountain for sale on easy terms on account installing a larger new one.  
CENTRAL DRUG STORE,  
Brady, Texas.

### Attention, Please.

All those who are indebted to me either by note or account, must come forward and make some satisfactory arrangement—money preferred.

J. F. SCHAEG.

Posted—Positively no hunting or fishing allowed in any of the pastures or land controlled by me. Trespassers will be prosecuted. M. L. Bailey, Waldrip, Texas.

Wanted, one or two good men to sell nursery stock for the Hoffman Nurseries, Denton, Texas. Good money for hustlers. Cash advanced monthly. Apply to R. A. Crocker, Dublin, Texas, Sales Manager.

Strayed or Stolen—One mouse colored horse mule, 3 years old, about 14 hands high, wire cuts on right lip and right shoulder. \$10.00 reward for recovery of animal. Notify J. C. Wall, Sheriff, or J. M. Anderson, City Marshal, Brady, Texas.

### \$5.00 Reward.

For information leading to recovery of brand new and complete set of hand-made hack harness, without bridle, stolen some time during September. Big nickle-knobbed iron harness. Notify Oscar Thompson or J. C. Wall, Sheriff, Brady, Texas.

### What Do You Think of This?

For Sale—Stock of dry goods and groceries in live McCulloch county town. Good proposition for right man.

Also have stock of groceries and merchandise in McCulloch county for sale either together with building, or separate. Postmastership goes with stock. See McCulloch County R. E. Exchange, R. D. Dyer, Manager.

Here's what Claud McClellan says about The Standard: "Can't do without The Standard, so change my address from Corpus to Denison, care of the Texas Co."

New and second hand buggies. E. J. Broad.

## CITIZENS CORNER

Under this heading The Standard will publish contributions from citizens on subjects pertaining to the general good of the people of Brady and McCulloch county. Items intended for this column must reach the office on Monday to insure publication on the following Friday. The editor reserves the right to censor any and all articles.

May I call attention to a few things that seem to me are being overlooked in our educational work at the present time and possibly has been neglected in past years as well.

First we note the seeming departure from true mind development to muscular, with greater emphasis being placed on this part of the work to the greater losses to the proper mental development.

For instance we find the school girl and school boy being paraded before the public in modes of dress that would never have been tolerated in years ago and by so doing there is a growing tendency of disregard for the finer feminine modesty that once was our pride, and an utter disregard for our former ideals of womanhood.

At the rate we are now traveling in a few more years, with the advent of "Sex Hygiene" being taught in the schools, as now being advocated by some, all respect for the finer and holier ideals of womanhood will be blotted out. You may ask "Who is to blame for this state of affairs?" I will say with all due respect, teachers who should be doing other than school work. Another thing we call attention to is the use of the "bat," Governor Colquit's "Yellow Heifer," "Old Betsy" in the schools. The only difference we can see is the difference in the size of the bat used and on whom used.

How many of you have praised the governor for abolishing the bat in the penitentiary system and yet have not thought of the fact that we use it in our schools, that is we use the infant while the other used the full grown bat. If we mistake not this was at one time ordered out of the Brady school by the board, but understand it was a year or two ago reinstated. You may ask, "What must they use if not the bat?" That is easily answered, just use a little common sense in teaching, and we want to say right here, that the teacher who can not teach with patience and perseverance should be pulling a line over "old hulda" instead of in the school room.

The teacher who says that he or she can not teach without corporal punishment only admits his or her inability to properly teach school, that is specially natural ability as a teacher. We want to assert that schools with the proper environments can be more successfully taught without the use of corporal punishment than with its use.

But above all abolish the strap in the punishment, as a relic of barbarism, for if it is barbarism to use the bat in the penitentiary system then it is more to use it in the schools of the great state of Texas. As stated before the only difference in the kind used is that the one is only a child while the governor's bat is of a kind that

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(Re-election)

For District Clerk:  
P. A. CAMPBELL  
(Re-Election)

### COUNTY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For County Judge:  
N. G. LYLE  
JOHN E. BROWN

For Sheriff:  
E. H. ELLIOTT

For County Treasurer:  
JOHN RAINBOLT  
(Re-Election)  
MELVIN A. PEARCE  
J. W. ATTAWAY

For Tax Collector:  
S. H. MAYO  
(Re-Election)

For County Clerk:  
W. J. YANTIS.

For County Assessor:  
JUNE COORPENDER  
JIM WATKINS  
HENRY HODGES  
J. L. SMITH  
J. B. MORGESON.

For County Superintendent:  
E. L. WHITE.

For J. P. Pre. No. 1:  
E. P. LEA  
T. J. KING.

For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 1:  
J. U. SILVERS  
BOB SPARKS.  
TOM ALLEN.

For Commissioner Pre. No. 3.  
J. M. CARROLL  
J. M. BURROW.

### CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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

For City Secretary:  
R. E. LUHN, JR.  
J. C. McSHAN

has attained full stature of a full grown man.

We also note great stress or more stress is being placed on the use of books in numbers instead of books of quality. In fact it seems we sometimes want to experiment with parents money. Why not establish a full line of work and strictly adhere to that line. What would you think of a physician who was continually changing his treatment without giving time for the effects of the medicine then being used, and what would you think of a banker or business man who goes into the year's work without a fixed line of work to be accomplished and then all work to that end with a fixed purpose in view.

I am not registering kicks, but let us discuss such things that we may come to a better understanding of our educational institutions and all work for the betterment of the school, and this can be done as well by mild and proper criticism as any other method. I don't think in the nine years I have lived in Brady that any one has given more of his time to the school work than your humble servant.

Yours for a good work,  
A. C. BAZE.

Bring your eggs to Tom Ball, He buys 'em all.

C. J. Haines of Lohn ought to think lots of his brother, W. J., for sending him The Standard.

If you want terms—we can take care of you. E. J. Broad.

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### Answer To A Challenger.

A young Democrat orator unknown outside of his home county, but since famous as Representative K. O. Stanley, investigator of the Steel Trust, once challenged Senator Bradley, who was one of the ablest rough and ready stumpers in the south, to divide time with him in a speaking campaign. Bradley refused to meet the ambitious young Democrat and Stanley reported that Bradley was afraid to meet him.

A few days later Senator Bradley began a speech before an assemblage of Kentucky voters with:

"My friends, young Mr. Stanley says that I am afraid to divide time with him. Well, there is some truth in what he says, I am afraid, but afraid just as the Indians were during the Sioux outbreak in the eighties. The Indians were resisting the advance of a file of our troops. They lodged themselves in a defile, while the United States troops occupied the heights above. The soldiers had a howitzer with them, pulled by a mule. The Indians were making it uncomfortable for them. The troops backed the mule to a ledge overlooking the defile and fired the howitzer. At the first shot of the big gun the mule wheeled and ran down the defile, dragging the cannon after him. Then, to their amazement, the soldiers saw the chief of the Sioux raise a white flag.

"After the Indians had surrendered, Gen. Cook asked: 'Why did you surrender after we lost our cannon? Nothing we did seemed to frighten you before.'

"To which the noble redman replied: 'When white man

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Bill is back at his old stand at Polk's barber shop and waiting to give you one of those good shines.

## Bill Pulliam At Polk's Barber Shop

shoot musket, Indian no afraid. When white man shoot cannon, Indian no afraid. But when paleface shot whole jackass at Indian he run like hell.

"My friends, since the Democrats have discharged a whole donkey at me, I freely confess my timidity."

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Roy Holliday says that all good clerks should read The Brady Standard, and accordingly adds to our immense bank account.

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As evidence that poultry raising is one of the most profitable industries for the farmer, and that as a mortgage lifter the great American hen is unexcelled might be cited the business handled by H. P. Roddie & Co. of this city during the past few weeks.

This firm has been giving special attention to the handling of eggs since the first of the year, and the volume of business is really astonishing. During the time from January 17th to Wednesday of this week—just twenty-five days—this firm has handled 153,570 eggs and the price has averaged a fraction less than 13-cents a piece, totaling the very respectable sum of \$3,024.30.

Mr. Roddie states that this is an unusual record for this season of the year and attributes it to the warm weather and to the fact of the fowls having plenty of green feed.

The poultry business is one that has never received much

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

PHIL, THE CHAUFFEUR

By EDWARD BRANDON.

"Ten miles to Albany," the sign read. Phil, the chauffeur, glanced inquiringly at Mr. King, for whom he had been driving all through the summer.

"Shall I let her out, sir?" Mr. King nodded, then, turning confidently to Phil, he began to tell him what Phil had long suspected, that he was deeply in love with the beautiful Miss Meeks, whom he had visited every week-end for many months.

Phil listened attentively to every word, and by a subtle understanding invited further confidence.

"I don't quite know," Mr. King spoke apologetically, "why I always have had a desire to confide in you, but I simply must."

Phil smiled proudly, and opening up the valves slowly increased the speed, until the trees and fences were mere specks, so quickly were they passed. Finally they slowed down, then drew up in front of a low white house.

"Come for me about nine," Mr. King called as he ran up the path to the house.

In the garage Phil removed his visored cap and coat to work on the car, and for an hour he cleaned vigorously.

He was a slight chap, with soft eyes and a winsome smile, really too refined looking for his position, though as he worked he scowled, and his face was not quite pleasant.

He was still bending over the car when he was called to the telephone.

"Phil," Mr. King called, "come for me at once, and bring all our stuff. We're going home tonight."

A lump came in Phil's throat, and he couldn't answer. When he did, no one was there.

Scarcely fifteen minutes later they were on their way to New York.

For over an hour neither spoke, though several times Phil cast covert glances at Mr. King to find he was locking with unseeing eyes at the road ahead bathed in the moonlight.

At length Phil laid his hand understandingly on Mr. King's shoulder. The quiet sympathy brought a half sob, and he turned and faced him.

"Old chap," he said, brokenly, "she's only been playing with me; she loves another man."

He gently pressed the shoulder, but said nothing, and they sped on and on over rough roads and smooth, fast and ever faster, following the trail of the night into the dawn. Just as the gray was giving way to the roseate hues of early morning they reached the top of a long hill; at the foot was a railroad crossing. Never slackening, they started the descent.

About half-way down he shut off the power and applied the brakes. There was no slackening of the terrific speed, and he realized that he could not stop the car; and on the crossing, reaching entirely across the road, was a freight train.

"I've lost control," his voice was scarcely more than a whisper.

Mr. King looked at him as one in a trance. Phil steered for the side of the road where the grass was long and soft.

When they were near enough for one jumping to land on the soft sod he said in a commanding tone: "Jump!"

"But you—" Mr. King looked hopelessly at Phil.

Clear and incisive, the command was repeated. He hesitated for a second, half standing, then he leaped, and knew no more.

Phil, afraid to look at him, moved quickly from under the steering wheel, still keeping his hand on it, his left hand on the arm of the seat. Suddenly releasing his hold, when about ten feet from the track, he jumped, landing flat in the dusty road.

A second later the car crashed into the freight.

When Mr. King came to, several hours later, in a farmer's house, his first question was for Phil.

"Your chauffeur is safe," he was told, "but—"

"What?" he questioned.

"Your chauffeur is—a woman."

"A—oh, my God!" he dropped back on the couch.

A year later they were in a brand-new car. Phil, in a long coat and tiny hat, was driving.

"Phil, dear," he said tenderly, "you must be proud of having been a chauffeur, for it isn't every fatherless girl who would do so much to support her mother. I love you for it, and a thousand other things. You saved my life, you know, and all I can do is to lay it at your feet." He took the hand resting on the wheel.

"Then you don't think I did wrong to disguise myself as a man?" She turned her head slightly and looked into his eyes, instantly reading much more than forgiveness there.

"I—I think I must command you to take up the life you lay at my feet," she smiled happily, "and to ride through life with your chauffeur." Suddenly his arm was around her and his lips pressed to hers.

Second Nature. Crawford—New York is dancing man. Crabshaw—No wonder. Whenever we ride in a public conveyance we are told to "Step lively."—Judge.

PERSONAL & LOCAL

Frank Kiser of Katemey was here Wednesday on business.

Alf Cook and J. S. Thorne Were Mason visitors here Wednesday.

H. L. Winstead was a business visitor to the city from Lohn Wednesday.

D. H. Henderson of Voca was transacting business in the city Wednesday.

Will Galaway was here from the East Sweden community Wednesday.

R. D. Dyer left Wednesday for a business trip of a few days to San Angelo.

Clyde Cowan of the Pear Valley country was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Lee Miers and J. L. Slaughter of Pear Valley were in the city Monday on business.

H. P. C. Evers is reported on the sick list this week, suffering from an attack of lagrippe.

Tom Allen was up from Voca Wednesday and paid The Standard office an appreciated call.

Fritz Jordan, the genial postmaster at Katemey, was a business visitor to the city Wednesday.

Ed Broad and son, Bertram, left Tuesday night for a visit of a few days with relatives in Fort Worth.

W. M. McMorries and family have moved to Doole, where Mr. McMorries will engage in farming this year.

J. B. Cottrell, living on R. F. D. No. 1, north of Brady, was in the city the first of the week on business.

M. L. Burrell, a prominent farmer of the Fife community, was a business visitor to the city Wednesday.

Dr. J. G. McCall returned Wednesday afternoon from a business trip of several days to Lake Charles, La.

Boyd Rainbolt left last night for Brownwood, where he will enter the commercial department of Howard Payne college.

Frank Kiser, a prominent young stockman and farmer of the Katemey neighborhood was here on business Wednesday.

Miss Lillie King of Brown county arrived yesterday for a visit of a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Ed S. Clark, and family.

R. E. Peel, one of the progressive farmers of the Salt Gap community was in the city yesterday looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Crump are here from Cherokee for a visit of a few days with the family of Mr. Crump's father, Q. V. Crump.

Albert Bierschwald was here Wednesday en route to his home at Mason from Brownwood, where he has been spending a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Anderson left Wednesday afternoon for Temple, where Mrs. Anderson will enter a sanitarium for treatment. Their many Brady friends trust that Mrs. Anderson may be speedily restored to her full health and strength.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn B. Young are new additions to the citizenship of Brady, having recently moved here from Brownwood.

Mr. Young is the popular representative of the Waples-Platter Grocery Co. in this territory, and finds Brady more conveniently located for him.

E. S. Noble, Jr., returned Wednesday afternoon from San Antonio, to which place he accompanied Lewis Brook and son,

Remedy Used By Three Generations

Mothers Who Took It When Children Now Giving It To Their Children.



WM. ROSWELL TAYLOR.

There must be genuine merit to an article that has stood the test of two generations of users.

In the field of medicine none has had greater success, nor retained that success to a greater degree, than Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is now being used by three generations of people. Its use in families is constantly becoming more general. The reason, primarily, is that it has merit. It is what it represents itself to be, a laxative- tonic; it does not make exaggerated claims nor use coarse language to set forth its virtues.

It is a medicine, but so mild and gentle a medicine that thousands of mothers give it to tiny infants, and yet, in a slightly larger dose, it is equally effective for grown-ups. It is for any disorder of the stomach, liver or bowels, for constipation no matter how chronic, for dyspepsia no matter how severe, for biliousness, sour stomach, gas on the stomach, headaches, drowsiness after eating and similar complaints arising from a clogged-up condition of the bowels. It can be used with safety and good results by anyone at any age or in any condition of health, and that person's health will improve. Every druggist sells it and the

price is only fifty cents and one dollar a bottle.

Thousands of families throughout the country are never without Syrup Pepsin in the house, among them Mrs. W. A. Taylor, 717 Lincoln Ave., Beloit, Wis. She has five children and gives Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin to all of them as needed. Little William used to cry half the night with cramps and pain, but since being given Syrup Pepsin he does so no longer. The use of this remedy, will teach you to avoid cathartics, salts, purgatives and physics generally as they are entirely too harsh. Syrup Pepsin cures gradually but the cure is comfortable, safe and permanent.

Families wishing to try a free sample bottle can obtain it postpaid by addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 419 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. A postal card with your name and address on it will do.

GOOD BREEDING IMPORTANT

Live Stock Industry of Texas Built Up by Improved Blood.

The Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, November 22-28, is one of the most potential agencies that is working for the upbuilding of the Texas livestock industry. It points out the pathway of progress to feeders and breeders and presents living lessons of profits and actual demonstrations of the advantages of higher types in classes and breeds. The scarcity of the world's meat supply has brought the livestock industry into the limelight and the necessity for increasing the herds and improving the grades is one of the most important economic problems of the day.

The Texas steer of a quarter of a century ago, compared with the present thoroughbreds, presents the most convincing argument in favor of good breeding the world possesses. From wild, dangerous and worthless beasts of the plains, they have become cultured, docile and profitable. These dumb brutes have so completely mastered the science of breeding that they have remodeled their shape, reformed their habits and rebuilt their character. Each generation has contributed toward the uplift of the breed, until today the cattle have more purple blood in their veins than any other family of the animal kingdom.

They can teach the human race many lessons in the science of improved lineage. By carefully conforming to the laws of nature, they have bred out deformities of flesh and blood. Their blood, which once made weak and scrubby stock, now produces rich and powerful thoroughbreds. Each breed is known by the color it keeps, by its distinct type and purpose in life.

This work has been accomplished largely through the instrumentality of the National Feeders' and Breeders' Show, which holds its eighteenth annual meeting at Fort Worth on November 22-28, and new models and higher standards will be taught at the coming convention. During this time each annual meeting has gauged and registered the advancement of the livestock industry of Texas and it is here the leaders of all classes and breeds assemble to report progress to the management. Each year has been one of glorious triumph but, none will eclipse the present aggregation of thoroughbreds.

Only shop this side of St. Louis carrying brass eyelet shipping tags. The Brady Standard.

Jamie, last week in the Brook car. Mr. Brook is undergoing treatment in San Antonio and was unable to return at this time, so Ernest made the return trip via Santa Fe.

Paul T. Orlopp left Wednesday morning for his home at Corpus Christi. He is making the trip in a car and went via Fort Worth, where he will spend a few days with relatives and friends before proceeding to Corpus. He expects to return to Brady within the next week or ten days to spend some time here.

Messrs. Ed Jackson and Howard Broad returned Wednesday morning from Fort Worth, where they had been called on Saturday by a telegram announcing the serious burning of their nieces, Mesdames Harry Hart and T. O. Reardon, in an explosion of gasoline. They remained over Monday for the funeral of Mrs. Hart, who died Sunday morning. Mesdames Jackson and Ed Broad will remain in Fort Worth a few days to attend the bedside of Mrs. E. J. Broad, who is suffering from a nervous breakdown as a result of the terrible accident. Mrs. Reardon is said to be resting easy, and her complete recovery is anticipated.

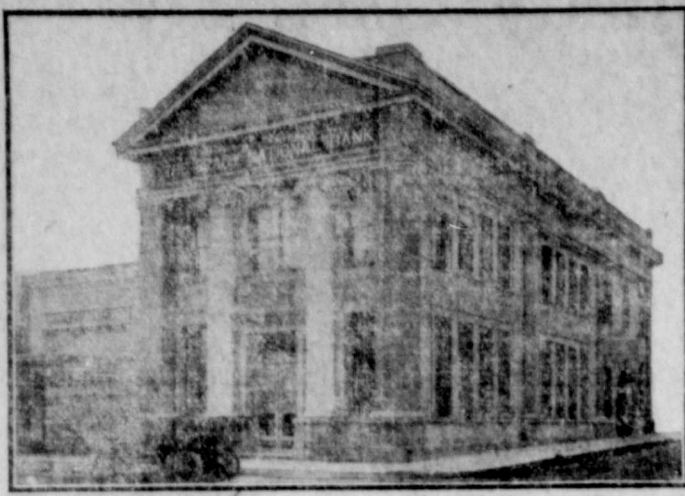
A Winter Cough.

A stubborn, annoying, depressing cough hangs on, racks the body, weakens the lungs, and often leads to serious results. The first dose of Dr. King's New Discovery gives relief. Henry D. Sanders, of Cavendish, Vt., was threatened with consumption, after having pneumonia. He writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery ought to be in every family; it is certainly the best of all medicines for coughs, colds or lung trouble." Good for children's coughs. Money back if not satisfied. Price 50c and \$1.00. At all druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

E. J. Haines of Grit don't live in McCulloch county, but his brother, W. J. Haines of Lohn is trying to bring him, and wants us to help by sending him The Standard. That'll bring him.

Charter Oak Stoves. Broad Mercantile Co. Have your suit made at home. Williams & Branscum.





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# The Farmer's Headquarters

When you wish to transact private business or make business appointments in town, we will be glad to have you use the Brady National as your "town office." We provide facilities for your free use, and will place at your disposal all the business conveniences and financial information at our command. We have one vault and two rooms especially furnished for the free use of customers, friends and strangers. Our building is steam-heated, and made as attractive and comfortable as possible. Make the Brady National your "Banking Home."

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A. N. BRYSON

### For Public Weigher.

Tom Allen of Voca this week places his formal announcement as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of the Brady precinct before the voters. Mr. Allen has been a resident of McCulloch county for the past twenty-seven years, during which time he has proven himself a worthy citizen in every respect. He made the race for this office in 1910 and was defeated by a narrow margin of only eighteen votes.

If he should prove to be the choice of the voters in the coming primary he promises a faithful and conscientious performance of the duties of the office to the very best of his ability, and he asks a favorable consideration of his candidacy.

### JUST RECEIVED CAR OF BLACKSMITH COAL. O. D. MANN & SONS.

No. 132 will get you a first-class job of cleaning and pressing. Williams & Branscum.

### Two Buicks at a Bargain.

Two Buicks—one used for demonstration car; still has first set of casings, and is in excellent condition. Will sell cheap for cash, or will take short term approved notes.

BRADY AUTO CO.

### Now Located at Denison.

The many Brady friends will be interested to know that Mr. and Mrs. Claud McClellan are now living in Denison, to which point Mr. McClellan was transferred the first of the present month.

They have been making their home for the past several years at Corpus Christi, where Mr. McClellan was in charge of the district sales force of the Texas Co., but the low altitude of that country proved unhealthy for the children, and the change was made on that account. Mr. McClellan writes that they are well pleased with their new home.

The Standard—\$1.00 a year.

### COMMISSIONERS COURT.

#### Holds Busy Session This Week —Mostly Road Matters.

The commissioners court met in regular monthly session Monday with all members present. The following orders were entered on the minutes:

The clerk was ordered to pay M. C. Jones the sum of \$10 per month for caring for Steve Powell, a pauper.

A. P. Pearce, a pauper, was allowed \$8 per month.

J. A. Evans was appointed Justice of the Peace in the Rochelle precinct and the county clerk was authorized to receive and approve Mr. Evans' bond.

The Waldrip Telephone Co. was granted franchise over certain county roads for the erection of poles for their lines.

It appearing to the court that the rendition of \$8 per acre on land owned by E. O. Kerr was excessive, it was ordered that the tax collector reduce the valuation on said land to \$5 per acre, and that he collect taxes on said property on the valuation set by the court.

The following officers for all general elections to be held during the year were appointed:

Brady—A. B. Reagan, presiding judge; S. T. Ward, J. M. Duke and Thos. Wood, judges.

Nine—A. F. McCoy, presiding judge; D. Harkrider, judge.

Camp San Saba—A. F. Turner, presiding judge; Fred Otte, judge.

Voca—John Deans, presiding judge; S. B. Vance, judge.

Rochelle—J. P. Waddill, presiding judge; S. H. Gainer, O. E. Rice, T. J. Ivy, judges.

Cow Boy—Robert Stewart, presiding judge; W. S. Lee, judge.

Milburn—C. P. Cain, presiding judge; John Cummins, judge.

Lohn—W. J. Reed, presiding judge; A. J. Ricks, J. A. F. Carroll, B. A. Cornils, judges.

Waldrip—W. T. Stacy, presiding judge; D. C. Randals, judge.

Stacy—W. S. Dickinson, presiding judge; Clarence Trott, judge.

Mercury—Luther Stevens, presiding judge; J. R. Beasley, judge.

Fife—J. T. Smith, presiding judge; Will Bradley, judge.

Pear Valley—J. H. Smith, presiding judge; J. W. Jones, judge.

Melvin—R. B. Hardin, presiding judge; T. C. Ward, judge.

Mt. Tabor—E. M. Bratton, presiding judge; Alex Arledge, judge.

Calf Creek—T. H. Alexander, presiding judge; C. B. Whitehead, judge.

Placid—S. W. Turnell, presiding judge; W. O. Long, judge.

Lost Creek—W. W. Henderson, presiding judge; J. E. Spiller, judge.

Gansel—G. E. Cobern, presiding judge; D. C. Middleton, judge.

The officers for school trustees elections were also appointed by the court.

Price Scott was allowed \$40 for land for road purposes; R. K. Finlay and F. M. Bradley \$60, and J. M. Carroll \$16 for a 10-foot right-of-way across his land for a public road.

G. R. Baisden, J. B. Russell, J. H. Marshall, J. R. Harrell and J. F. Weldon were appointed as a jury of view for a new road to be opened in the Lohn community.

The court will probably adjourn today.

### Still More Buicks.

Manager B. A. Hallum of the Brady Auto Co. reports having placed an order for another car load of Buicks and expects the shipment to arrive here some time about the first of March. Several of the cars in the shipment have been sold and will be delivered immediately on arrival.

The company also has a car load of Overlands on the road, and they are expected about the same time as the other shipment.

Since Christmas day eight Buicks have been sold and delivered by Mr. Hallum, and in the lot were some of the best and highest priced cars put out by this company. The aggregate sales amounted to more than \$10,000.

### GIRLS! DRAW MOIST CLOTH THROUGH HAIR.

Try This! Hair Gets Thick, Glossy, Wavy and Beautiful at Once.

Immediate?—Yes! Certain? That's the joy of it. Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a Danderine hair cleanse. Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excessive oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is scraggy, faded, dry, brittle or thin. Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few week's use, when you see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair, and lots of it, surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and just try it.

Will Galaway plays even with his dad down at Manor by sending him The Standard for a year.

New and complete stock of jewelry, all guaranteed. H. C. Boyd, Jeweler.

Prof. J. C. Robbins is nothing if not progressive. He had us set his subscription figures up another year the other day. That's what it takes to be progressive.

The Springfield Wagon is a good looker, as well as a good wearer. The wagon with the 5th wheel. Broad Mercantile Co.

### WORK HAS COMMENCED.

#### Work Considerably Delayed By Failure of Material and Equipment to Arrive.

Though handicapped by the failure of material and equipment to arrive, work on the filter plant is being rushed as fast as possible. Mr. Hornaday, supervisor of the work, is on the ground and directing the work of digging ditches and doing other preliminary work. Much of the machinery and equipment of the company is now in San Angelo, where it has been in use during the construction of the viaduct, and a part of the material to be used, though ordered, has not arrived.

Forms are now being made for the concrete work, and a tower 65 feet high will be erected over the forms. With this tower the concrete will be hoisted and poured into the forms, so that after all is in readiness for work the tanks may be built very rapidly. Reinforced concrete will be used in the construction of the plant, which is to be completed, according to the contract, during April.—Brownwood Bulletin.

### JUST RECEIVED CAR OF BLACKSMITH COAL. O. D. MANN & SONS.

#### Banks Close Yesterday.

About the only institutions of the city observing the natal day of Abraham Lincoln yesterday were the two banks, which remained closed for the day. The postoffice force was on duty the entire day and none of the business houses were closed.

Extra heavy two-piece matting art squares at \$3.00 each. This week only. O. D. Mann & Sons.

#### Attractive Show Window

G. C. Kirk, the old reliable tailor, is nothing if not wide-awake and energetic, and is always on the lookout for the latest things in his line. One of his hobbies is the displaying of his goods to attract the attention of the passerby, and he is becoming quite an adept at the art of window dressing. This week he has a most attractive display of tailoring samples and gets furnishings in his window which draws the attention of all who pass that way.

He has just received some of the latest designs in window dressing furniture which makes his displays even more attractive than heretofore and shows his goods off to better advantage.

Victor talking machine records for sale by O. D. Mann & Sons.

The Commercial National Bank is presenting to its customers a very useful book, "Practical Home Veterinarian". This is a valuable book on the treatment of diseases of animals and any customer can get one by asking for it.

We have some second hand planters and cultivators on hand that we will make at a good price. Broad Mercantile Co.

Bench-made suits at Williams & Branscum's.

### DODSON'S GUARANTEE EXPLAINED BY DODSON.

#### Read What Dodson Says About His Liver Tone to You Who Suffer From Constipation.

"Dodson's Liver Tone takes the place of calomel. Instead of being dangerous, it is harmless and works easily and naturally, without bad after-effects. I have authorized Jones Drug Co. to refund purchase price, 50c, to you instantly without question if you are in any way dissatisfied with it. If Dodson's Liver Tone can't help you, I don't want your money."

That's how Dodson feels about this pleasant-tasting vegetable-liquid liver regulator and reliever of constipation and biliousness.

The lives of so many people have been brightened and bettered by this great remedy that leading druggists now recommend it and seven of America's most prominent physicians O. K'd it after thorough analysis of its ingredients and effects.

It is generally known that calomel, being a poison, is a peril to many. It stays in the system and, while it may seem to give you a temporary relief, often "knocks you out" for several days.

With Dodson's Liver Tone you are set right without ache or gripe and with no bad results to interfere in the slightest way with your regular occupation and habits. So great a number of former sufferers from constipation and inactive liver have been vastly benefitted by Dodson's Liver Tone that it would seem wise for you to give it a trial now. Children like it and it does wonders for them.

E. G. Nelin is another progressive farmer of the East Sweden community who can't farm successfully without the aid of The Brady Standard.

Automobilists, attention! Buy your ignitor cells from O. D. Mann & Sons. They carry the best.

J. D. Hipp was up from the Voca community yesterday and paid The Standard office an appreciated visit.

### WISHED SHE COULD DIE

#### And Be Free From Her Troubles, but Finds Better Way.

Columbia, Tenn.—"Many a time," says Mrs. Jessie Sharp, of this place, "I wished I would die and be relieved of my suffering, from womanly troubles. I could not get up, without pulling at something to help me, and stayed in bed most of the time. I could not do my housework."

The least amount of work tired me out. My head would swim, and I would tremble for an hour or more. Finally, I took Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I am not bothered with pains any more, and I don't have to go to bed. In fact, I am sound and well of all my troubles."

Cardui goes to all the weak spots and helps to make them strong. It acts by nature—not against her. It is for the tired, nervous, irritable women, who feel as if everything were wrong, and need something to quiet their nerves and strengthen the worn-out system.

If you are a woman, suffering from any of the numerous symptoms of womanly trouble, take Cardui. It will help you. At all druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "How to Treat Women." In plain wrapper, No. 128

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Big Stock of NEWEST PATTERNS  
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DID YOU EVER SEE A BETTER TIME FOR PLANTING TREES AND SHRUBBERY?  
The Brownwood and West Texas Nursery has as fine a stock of Fruit and Shade Trees, Roses, Shrubs and Vines of all kinds as can be grown, and at reasonable prices.  
Send and get my price list before ordering your trees; I have no agents; and so save you the middleman's profit.  
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