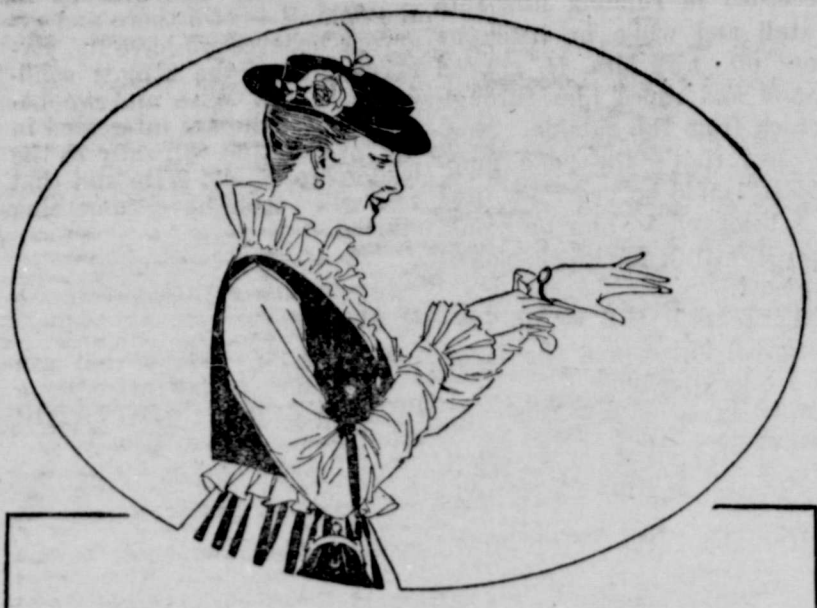


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Oscar T. Doell, Jeweler

DISSOLVE ORGANIZATION.

Brady Fair Association Property To Be Sold.

At a meeting of the Brady Fair association Wednesday afternoon at the court house, it was voted to dissolve the organization and to dispose of the grounds and improvements. A committee composed of Messrs. John Wall, D. F. Savage and W. N. White was appointed to have charge of the disposition of the improvements, and a committee will be named by the board of directors to offer the grounds for sale.

The meeting Wednesday was presided over by W. D. Croth-

stock placed at these latter figures.

The fair grounds are a desirable piece of property, their location upon an elevation overlooking the city, as well as their proximity to the city, making them a very valuable addition. It is probable that the grounds will be cut up into blocks and sold as an addition to Brady. In this manner, it is very likely that every stockholder will realize in full upon his investment.

For Imperial Gasoline Iron, see Hugh Jones, Brady, Texas. \$3.50 postpaid.

Bring your cleaning and pressing to Kirk for the best job of work. Nuf Sed.

CONTESTANTS' STANDING.

Piano Contest of B. L. Malone & Co.

Contestant No. 5 of Club No. 152 this week won the weekly prize of a set of silverware.

The standing of the contestants is as follows:

152	1st
149	2nd
32	3rd
107	4th
123	5th
22	6th
111	7th
112	8th

B. L. Malone & Company

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CITY COUNCIL.

Hold Brief Session—Tax Collector Reports.

Council met in regular session Tuesday night, with Aigner Williams, Cook, Tipton and Hallum present, and H. P. Roddie acting as mayor.

Report of J. M. Anderson, showing the following collections, was received and ordered filed: City taxes, \$8,679.06; sanitary fund, \$488.50.

S. J. Durnett came before the council with a petition to regulate the parking of cars in the streets so as to facilitate traffic. His petition was taken up and filed for future reference.

The following accounts were allowed and ordered paid:

J. M. Anderson	\$2.53
C. D. Allen Grain Co.	7.05
Brady Standard	4.60
Brady Standard	4.65
J. S. Mayse	7.10
O. D. Mann & Sons	2.30
O. D. Mann & Sons	.75

No further business appearing, council adjourned.

Shore's Remedies.

A full line of the famous Shore's Remedies is now on sale at the Wonder Store, east side square. The line consists of remedies for both man and beast, as well as a complete assortment of spices and extracts. If you want the best, specify Shore's.

I keep the best of lubricating oil. F. B. Morgan.

Phone 41 during the day, or 188 at night for jitney service to any part of the city. E. J. BROAD.

Varnish the furniture when you do the spring cleaning. O. D. Mann & Sons.

New Manager Brady Lumber Co.

W. D. Bullock and family arrived Monday from Galveston county and will make their home in Brady, Mr. Bullock being the newly appointed manager of the Brady Lumber Co. O. W. Williams, state manager for the Carey-Lombard-Young & Co., has been here this week for the purpose of checking Mr. Bullock in.

Mr. Bullock expresses himself as well pleased with Brady as a location, and both he and his family are welcome additions to our citizenship. They will occupy the new home recently completed by C. A. Anderson.

Figure with us on your PLANTERS and CULTIVATORS. E. J. Broad.

Wood material and blacksmith supplies. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Our pies are the talk of the town. City Bakery.

Ginning Notice.

I will make my next run on Saturday, February 26th, 1916. J. C. KOERTH, Ginner.

Want More Studebakers.

B. Simpson leaves tonight for Dallas on business, the main purpose of his visit being to see if he can secure another shipment of the popular Studebaker cars. Mr. Simpson has disposed of the last Studebaker car on hand, and he has been unable to have another shipment assured, consequently he hopes for better success at shorter range.

Recent sales of Studebakers by Simpson & Co. not heretofore reported, are as follows: A. J. McLaughlin, Blanket, four, 7-passenger; Lee Vaughn, four, 7-passenger; Mrs. A. E. Helge, four, 7-passenger.

GO TO THE CITY BAKERY
For Fresh Bread, Pies and Cake every day. A full line of fancy Cookies and Cakes. Special orders for baking given prompt attention.

Pro Election in Runnels.

The Runnels county commissioners court Monday ordered a local option election for that county to be held March 4th. The situation is interesting to say the least, and as the time is short the campaign is already said to be warming up. Rowena, a settlement composed largely of Germans and Bohemians, is overwhelmingly anti; Miles, owing to a peculiar agreement entered into between the pro and anti factions some years ago, cannot have saloons within a period of twenty years—consequently Miles is intensely pro, and pro orators from Miles are said to be invading the Ballinger environs and preaching their doctrine. The result will, no doubt, be worth observing.

The fair association was organized about ten years ago with a capital stock of \$8,000. The association acquired 46 acres of land three-quarters of a mile north of the court house and just at the edge of town. Considerable improvements were made upon the grounds, it being fenced, grandstand erected, exhibit hall built and race track provided, as well as stables for the horses. For the first several years the association flourished, and upon one or two occasions made a profit over operating expenses. Following the depression in 1912, the annual fair was abandoned, and no fair has been held since.

In order to take up indebtedness, additional stock was issued and subscribed, since the organization, so that at present there is \$10,235 worth of stock outstanding. In order to take care of this stock, it was voted Wednesday to have the charter amended and have the capital

Card of Thanks.

Words cannot express our deep gratitude to our friends and neighbors for their aid and assistance during the illness and death of our wife and daughter, and the words of sympathy and encouragement will always be dear to us. We ask God's blessings upon you all.
M. C. ALLMAN,
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. STARKEY.

Get your cup grease at F. B. Morgan's.
Windmills, pipe and pipe fittings. O. D. Mann & Sons.
SEED POTATOES. E. J. Broad.

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We carry Scholl's Appliances for every foot trouble. If you are having trouble with your feet, consult us. We can give you relief. Call and get a pamphlet telling of the treatment and care of the feet by Dr. Scholl, foot specialist.

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Shed Destroyed.

Fire Tuesday noon destroyed a small shed at the L. A. Williams residence. An alarm was turned in and the fire boys responded promptly and speedily quenched the blazing structure, thereby preventing a spread of the fire. The blaze was started from matches dropped in a pile of hay by the little son of Mr. Williams. No insurance was carried on the shed.

WE have a nice meat market and carry a nice line of all kinds of meat. E. J. Broad.
Our bread is fresh every day. City Bakery.

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Just Arrived—A car of the famous "Queen of the Pantry" flour, put up under the same name as our other high-class goods, "Renown" brands. Try a sack. Baze's Grocery. Phone 196.
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Beginning February 21

Monday
Blown Glass Tumblers, bell top per set..... **25c**

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1-2 gallon Milk Crock..... **5c**

Wednesday
1-2 gallon Stone Pitchers..... **10c**

Thursday
12-quart Heavy Tin Buckets **15c**

Friday
Ladies' and Men's Hose, pair **5c**

Saturday
Boys' Heavy Hose, size 6 to 8, **10c**

These are special prices and we advise an inspection. Only two pair Ladies' or Men's Hose to a customer

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We have a full assortment and prices to suit your pocketbook.

Just received a new lot of
FACE CREAM AND TOILET ARTICLES

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SAN SABA SAYINGS

From The Star.

Larkin King informs us that he is in receipt of a message from a Michigan stock company stating that after carefully considering the report of the geologist who was sent here to inspect what is known as the "Lost Mine," situated on Mr. King's place a few miles west of town, they had decided to commence development work in the near future. The "Lost Mines" were used in the early days as a fort, and an old cannon and other relics of bygone days still exist. The Mexicans later worked the mine and gave it the name of "Minie de las Alamagra," meaning the "Lost Mines."

Lee Jones was a business visitor from Brady this week, and while here was a guest in the home of his brother, C. T. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Campbell and little daughter, Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Campbell of Brady were guests in the home of Mrs. E. Campbell Sunday.

Knowledge of the death of Mr. Robert Gilder Corvill, mayor of San Saba, and one of the county's most influential citizens, was received as a shock by a wide circle of friends early Saturday morning of last week. Although for the past several months suffering from the dread white plague, he expressed himself as feeling unusually well Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gartman of Goldthwaite spent a few days here Friday of last week while enroute to Brady for a visit with relatives.

WHAT CHILDREN NEED NOW.

In spite of the best care mothers can give them this weather brings sickness to many children. Mrs. T. Neureuer, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of a severe attack of croup after other remedies had failed. It is a wonderful remedy for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." It stops lagrippe coughs. Central Drug Store.

CANTON and JOHN DEERE PLANTERS and CULTIVATORS are well known to you and they are no experiment. E. J. Broad.

New typewriter ribbons for all makes of machines just received. Purple and black record, and purple and black copy ribbons. Standard office.

ONION GAP ITEMS.

Rochelle, Texas, Feb. 16. Editor Brady Standard: Here comes "Fairy" with the news from the Gap.

We are having quite a spell of pretty weather. It looks like spring is here.

Miss Zola Anderson visited Miss Leona Reynolds Sunday.

Gladys Howard, who has been attending school at Tyler, returned home Saturday.

Miss Lena Clark visited Mrs. J. K. Baze Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gressett visited relatives at Brady Saturday and Sunday.

B. F. Harrison and family of Fife have been visiting friends in the Gap this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Bell visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis Sunday.

Floyd Ince spent Saturday night as the guest of Jim Gressett.

We are going to have better roads in our community, as the citizens have been working on them the past week.

A few of the Gap people attended Sunday school at Corn Creek Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Engdahl and daughter, Miss Edna, visited Mrs. E. J. Howard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hall entertained pleasantly for the young people of the community Friday night with a party. The usual games were enjoyed until a late hour, when they returned home wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hall many more such happy occasions.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Reynolds spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sparks.

FAIRY.

A scald, burn or severe cut heals slowly if neglected. The family that keeps a bottle of BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT on hand is always prepared for such accidents. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Central Drug Store.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

H. Wilensky was the second victim of a "balky" auto this week, and is nursing a broken wrist as a result. The accident happened Wednesday night, while he was attempting to crank the car.

Miss Nanny Braly, who has been making her home here for some time, has gone to Temple where she will have her eyes examined and treated by a specialist. Incidentally Miss Braly will visit her sister, Mrs. H. E. Jones, at Rogers, Texas. Her many friends trust she will have a pleasant visit, and return in improved health.

J. Q. Lankford and family arrived the first of the week from Santa Anna, and are making arrangements to open up their bake shop here. Mr. Lankford is having the north side of the Martin building on Blackburn street remodeled and refitted to accommodate his bakery, and expects to be ready for business within the next few weeks.

E. J. Broad requests us to correct a statement made several weeks ago in an article reprinted from the Menard Messenger to the effect that he had traded his Fort Worth residence for hotel property in Menard. Mr. Broad says it was the Tillman residence in Fort Worth that he traded, and says he has no intention of disposing of his home there.

J. H. Hill left last night for Temple, following receipt of a message from Mrs. Hill stating the doctors had decided she was able to return. Mrs. Hill has been undergoing treatment at the sanitarium the past two months, and the many friends of the family will be pleased to learn that she is again on the road to complete health. Mr. and Mrs. Hill expect to be back Saturday.

Capt. H. J. Wilson of San Saba has been spending several days here as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Bryson, and also visited in Camp San Saba, where he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Awalt. The captain is quite well known in both San Saba and McCulloch counties, being author of several popular Southern songs, as well as publisher of a song book. In spite of his advanced years, he is still active and enjoys life to the fullest extent.

Burl T. Wiley left last night for Chicago in response to a message from Hibbard, Spencer, Bartlett & Co., wholesale hardware dealers, who offered him a very attractive contract as representative in Texas for them. Mr. Wiley was employed by the company a year or two ago, resigning his position on account of ill health, and since that time has been the recipient of several offers from the company to again enter their employ as traveling salesman. The last offer was so attractive that Mr. Wiley could not refuse. He will very likely make his headquarters in Waco and travel the central and western portions of the state.

W. R. Sneed and Sam Crider were here from the Fife community yesterday. Mr. Sneed was very much concerned over the fact that his 16-year-old son, Allen, had left home Monday without any apparent reason, and he is very anxious to find trace of the lad. The boy is described as being about 5 feet, 7 inches in height, weight 130 or 135 pounds, medium complexion, light brown hair. Third

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MENARD MESSAGES

From The Messenger.

A deal was consummated last week between Irv Ellis of Menard and George W. Littlefield of Austin and J. W. White in which Mr. Ellis acquired the 40,000-acre ranch known as the "Little Saline" ranch located in Menard, Kimble and Mason counties. Messrs. Littlefield and White took in on the deal Mr. Ellis' San Angelo property at a valuation of \$120,000. This is one of the best pieces of business property in San Angelo. It is the Lascar block, located opposite the Landon hotel. Mr. Ellis, in addition to the ranch secured 200 horses and mules and 4500 high grade Herefords. The ranch is estimated to be fully half tillable and fronts 17 miles on the Llano river, 300 acres are now under irrigation.

Poll tax receipts for 1916: Menard legal voters, 578.

Dr. Miller and Miss Lucille Matthews and her brother, Jewel, left Saturday for San Angelo where Miss Lucille will be placed in a hospital. It is feared that the young lady was hurt much more seriously in the auto accident of week before last than was at first supposed. It is feared that her skull was fractured and that an operation will be necessary.

The Mason hack driver with his Ford car had an experience Friday coming in from Hext that he will remember for some time. He was "hitting the breeze" at a good gait when he lost control of his car which, after turning from one side of the road to the other, finally turned turtle and half way over again. Fortunately he had no passengers, and he himself was uninjured.

Dr. Leggett purchased of Claud Callan the fine piece of residence property formerly occupied by A. Smith. The consideration was \$2,000.00. The price, considering the beauty of the home, was very reasonable.

The school board met last week and decided upon February 28th as the day when new school house bids will be let.

H. R. Hodges and wife were over from Brady Sunday, guests at the Rufe Graham home.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is the list of letters remaining unclaimed at Brady, Texas, for the week ending Saturday, February 12, 1916:

Ladies' List.
Duncan, Mrs. W. W.
Hampston, Mrs. Elнора.
Johnson, Miss Dora.
Parker, Mrs. Bertha.
Gentlemen's List.
Coulberson, Bennie.
King, Johnnie.
Phillips, V. M.
Vanhoozer, T. H.

Mexican Letters.
Jimenez, Isabel.
Soliz, Manuel.

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I keep the best of lubricating oil. F. B. Morgan.

MELVIN MENTIONS

From Melvin Advocate:

J. A. Broman went to Brady Monday. He informs us that he sold his blue ribbon winner Bourbon turkeys to W. P. Bevans of Menard.

The Melvin Baptist church has called Rev. Whisenant of Brady as pastor for this year. We understand he is a preacher of great ability and the Baptist brethren were fortunate in securing him.

George Lyckman, Frank Johnson and Andrew Bengtson of Travis county were here this week visiting relatives. They had been attending court at Paint Rock.

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BRADY, TEXAS, Feb. 18, 1916

THE WOUND OF FORGETFULNESS.

The four banks of Brownwood are to close on Saturday, February 12, in honor of Abraham Lincoln's birthday, the same being a national holiday. This is the first time within the memory of this writer that the banks of Brownwood, or of Texas, ever closed their doors in observance of a Lincoln anniversary. It is rather startling and it leads one to wonder if after a while our Southern institutions will be found celebrating the anniversaries of the battle of Gettysburg and the surrender at Appomattox. Southern banks do not close in honor of the birthdays of Jefferson Davis or General Lee, although these events are fixed as holidays by the governments of the several Southern states, nor do they in Texas observe the birthday of the Old Confederate Roman, John H. Reagan, which has also been declared a state holiday. National holidays are fixed by the Federal government, and national banks, having connection in Federal affairs, have been accustomed to being governed to observe all national holidays, to the exclusion of nearly all others, but there is no existing law compelling them to do so. It is a voluntary act. Doubtless the News is trying to raise a mountain out of a molehill, and there is little reason for an expressed feeling in this matter, particularly when seemingly so few remember there was once a cause upon which the flower of Southern manhood consecrated their lives and their homes. Perhaps there will be few who will follow us to the extent of saying that a Southern observance of this particular holiday is an act of forgetfulness near to disloyalty, but it seems so to the News, and we are certain that if we owned a national bank, out of memory of the dead that are dear to us, we should never close its doors to honor the birthday of Abraham Lincoln.—Brownwood News.

Perhaps the Brownwood News will call to mind that "Time heals all wounds." Fifty-seven years ago on February 21st, Lincoln in New York gave expression to the following words: "Let us have faith that right makes might; and in that faith let us dare to do our duty as we understand it." That is the principle for which both the North and the South contended in the '60's. Then the North triumphed by force of arms; but time has vindicated the South, and the truths for which she fought have become triumphant in the end. The South recognized in the death of Lin-

coln the loss of her best friend, and in the observance of his birthday anniversary the South is displaying that wonderful and admirable spirit that characterized Lincoln's words at the close of the great conflict, "With malice towards none; with charity towards all."

Some men's stock of preparedness consists of an ample supply of terbacker and a place to sit and spit.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

Easter Sunday comes late this year—April 23rd—but the women, God bless 'em, will do their millinery shopping early.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

"Backward, turn backward, O Time in your flight; make me a boy again, just for tonight." Cause the druggists report a great scarcity of castor oil, owing to the European war.

The opposition to half-and-half cotton is increasing. It is intimated that cotton buyers will not locate in communities where that kind of cotton is raised. A few bales may be bought without suspicion but, as the cotton is not tenderable on any contract, the market will be closed as soon as the fraud is discovered. The lint is not long enough to meet the standard demanded by the cotton factors.—Temple Telegram.

McGregor is a town not quite as large as Brady. It is located in McLennan county about 20 miles west of Waco and has two railroads—the Cotton Belt and the Santa Fe. The McGregor Mirror is just rejoicing because the fire insurance key rate for that city has been reduced from 80c to 62c, a saving of \$1.80 per thousand. Just compare Brady's key rate of 42c with the McGregor key rate—and figure the annual saving to Brady citizens. Ample fire protection is a good investment.

Quite a number of shareholders of the Brady Fair association have placed themselves on record as favoring the applying of their stock in the association towards the securing of a city park on Brady creek, preferably in the vicinity of the dam. This is an admirable position to take in the matter, and the time is now ripe to push the idea of a city park. With an abundance of shade and water right at hand, and with the most beautiful of pecan groves, the banks of Brady creek alongside the dam are the most attractive of Nature's beauty spots, and a city park here would leave but little to be desired.

The Standard does not want to be an alarmist, but it appears to us that our next-door neighbor, Coleman county, must be overrun with pests. We are not advised as to the two-legged article, but there appears a superabundance of the four-legged variety. Jack rabbits have been shipped out by the carload, and now comes the announcement that Santa Anna will pay two cents for each rat killed in that city by March 1st. McCulloch county extends a cordial invitation to these "pestered" citizens to come to McCulloch, where pests of any variety are unknown quantities—but leave your rabbits and your rats at home.

OLDER BUT STRONGER

To be healthy at seventy, prepare at forty, is sound advice, because in the strength of middle life we too often forget that neglected colds, or careless treatment of slight aches and pains, simply undermine strength and bring chronic weakness for later years.
To be stronger when older, keep your blood pure and rich and active with the strength-building and blood-nourishing properties of Scott's Emulsion which is a food, a tonic and a medicine to keep your blood rich, alleviate rheumatism and avoid sickness. No alcohol in Scott's.
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FIVE P'S.

In planning your crops for this year do not forget the five P's—pigs, peas, potatoes, peanuts and poultry.—Mineral Wells Index.

Will it bring peace, plenty and prosperity?—Savoy Star.

Sure pop. It will push poverty over the precipice and produce prosperity poco pronto.—Mineral Wells Index.

Yes, the five P's will put profit into the producer's pockets, perpetuate his pleasures and permanently improve his property.

The many friends of W. A. Hamilton, formerly editor of the Rochelle Record, will be interested to learn that he has established in the job printing business in Victoria, Texas. Mr. Hamilton makes announcement of his new endeavor in a neatly printed folder, and urges the motto upon Victoria people, "Purchase It In Victoria." We extend best wishes for success.

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Cause and Cure of Pellagra Discovered.

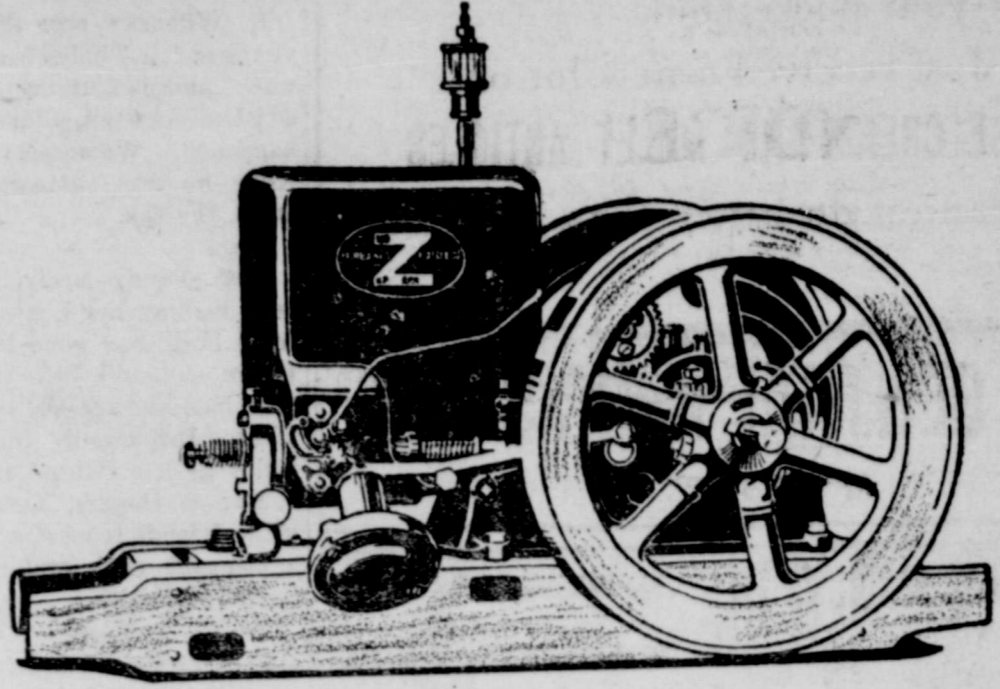
A government bulletin dated November 12, announces that the U. S. Public Health Service has discovered both the cause and the cure of pellagra, been increasing alarmingly throughout the United States during the last eight years. 75,000 is the estimated number of new cases that occurred in the year 1915 in the United States. In many sections only tuberculosis and pneumonia exceed it as a cause of death.

Previous investigations, as we have stated before, indicated that diet lacking certain elements of nutrition was the cause, and that the cure consisted in a well-balanced ration. The correctness of this conclusion is now deemed to have been proved conclusively by a recent experiment in which pellagra was produced in six out of eleven healthy men simply and wholly by keeping them on a restricted diet for five months. The subjects of the experiment were eleven convicts on the Mississippi State Prison Farm who volunteered for the purpose under inducement of the Governor's offer of pardon.

They were given a diet bountiful in quantity, but restricted in variety to biscuits, fried mush, grits and brown gravy, syrup, corn bread, cabbage, sweet potatoes, rice, collards and coffee with sugar, but no meat, milk, eggs, beans or peas. The unfavorable effects of the diet were noticeable within a few weeks in the appearance of nervous and digestive troubles, but it took five months to develop the characteristic skin symptoms of pellagra which finally showed on six out of the eleven subjects. With the exception of the difference in diet, these eleven men were treated the same as the other seventy convicts on the farm who showed no symptoms of pellagra. In fact these six are the only cases of pellagra they have ever had at this institution.

So the surgeons of the Health Department of U. S. and of the state of Mississippi are confident that they have produced six well marked cases of pellagra by means of a diet consisting chiefly of cereals, and have confirmed their previous discovery that the prevention and cure of this disease consists in a liberal allowance of meats, milk, eggs, beans and peas. Diet is the only effective treatment of this disease.

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Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.

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A Stover feed cutter will do your work. O. D. Mann & Sons.

NOW FEELS ENTIRELY WELL.

A. H. Francis, Zenith, Kas., writes: "I had a severe pain in my back and could hardly move. I took about two-thirds of a 50c box of Foley Kidney Pills and now feel entirely well." Middle-aged and older men and women find these safe pills relieve sleep-disturbing bladder ailments. Central Drug Store.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

Odd Fellows Served With Banquet by Rebekahs Monday.

The local members of the Odd Fellows were agreeably surprised Monday night, at the conclusion of the initiation of new candidates by the Rebekahs, who descended upon them loaded with refreshments of the most appetizing kind. Needless to say the Odd Fellows speedily recovered from the surprise and a very enjoyable evening was spent by the members and the auxiliary.

A short program was rendered as follows:

Piano Solo—Miss Fannie Lyle. Toast, "The Guests," Oscar Westbrook.

Response, and Talk on Advantages of Being a Rebekah, Miss Kate Westbrook.

Toast, "What Do You Think of the Rebekahs?" Dave Pliner. Response, Mrs. Nona Montgomery.

Toast, "To the Best Lodge in Texas," Mrs. Lovelace. Music.

Following the program the refreshments claimed attention, and proved not the least of the evening's enjoyment.

The following is the toast given by Mrs. Lovelace, and which is treasured by every Odd Fellow, and every Rebekah as well:

Officers, members and visitors, too. Our heartiest greetings are extended to you. We planned this surprise and hope you'll agree that we want to get better acquainted and be a help to you all, so that 1916 will find great things accomplished. Real, hard work, I mean. A toast to our brothers, their sweethearts and wives: May they be blessed with the longest of lives—

DR. LENA McCRARAY OSTEOPATH

Graduate of the American School of Osteopathy.
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to the best lodge in Texas, No. 257, so true; so eat, drink and be merry, ere we bid you adieu.

Can't look well, eat well or feel well with impure blood. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean, and good health is pretty sure to follow. \$1.00 a bottle.

If your gun is sick, take it to F. B. Morgan.

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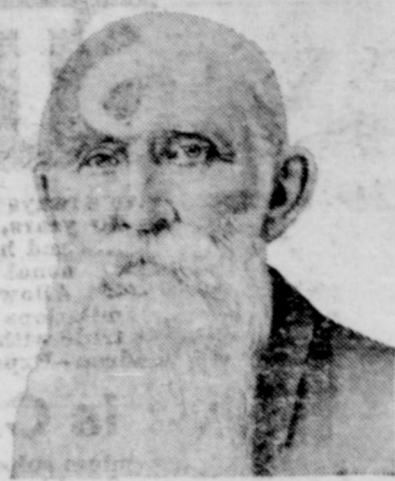
Healthy Old Age Brings Happiness

Simple Remedy Promotes Health By Overcoming Tendency to Constipation.

Advancing years impair the action of the vital organs. Old age should be the period of greatest happiness, but good health is necessary. Constipation should not be tolerated—it is often the direct cause of ill health.

Headache, belching, biliousness, bloat, drowsiness after eating and other symptoms of constipation can be readily relieved by the use of a simple laxative compound sold in drug stores under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Mr. H. J. Bristol, 1412 Geddes Ave., Ann Arbor, Mich., who is 83 years old, says "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best remedy I ever used for constipation and I always have a bottle of it in the house to use when I feel the need of it; it never disappoints."

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin



MR. J. H. BRISTOL.

is a mild laxative preparation, positive in its effect, acting easily and naturally without griping or other pain or discomfort. For over a quarter of a century it has been the standard household remedy in thousands of homes. Druggists everywhere sell it for fifty cents a bottle. A trial bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin can be obtained, free of charge, by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 454 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

ERECTING RESIDENCE.

H. H. Sessions Building Modern Home in North Brady.

Among the noteworthy improvements in Brady is the residence now in course of erection by H. H. Sessions on the north side, the new dwelling being located on the lots west of Mr. Sessions' home and on the south side of Crothers avenue. The home, when completed, will be occupied by Mr. Sessions and family.

The contract for the new residence calls for one of the most modern and complete dwellings in the city, the estimated cost being in the neighborhood of \$10,000. The residence will be built on the bungalow order, but will have several upstairs rooms. The walls are to be of brick veneer, and the roof of tile. Work is now progressing nicely in charge of Contractor Cnas. Horn, and it is expected that the building will be completed in about 60 days.

County Taxes.

Tax Collector Mayo reports the following collections of county taxes: Total roll, \$44,444.57; collected to date, \$42,999.00. For the month of January the state taxes collected were \$31,710.59.

TAKE "CASCARETS" IF HEADACHY, BILIOUS AND CONSTIPATED

Best for Liver and Bowels, Bad Breath, Bad Colds, Sour Stomach.

Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and fowl gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

Senior Press Report.

Ninth Grader in English class (after bragging of his knowledge of literature): "Miss Ryan, was King Arthur buried in Westminster Abby?"

The Algebra exam was held Saturday and in this the Seniors still shine as the bright lights of the school.

Mr. Nissle, while working a problem in Physics class: "Oh, I lost my idea!" Finder please return same to owner.

Some may be wondering what has become of the famous B. H. S. D. C. Well, we have not disbanded yet, and expect to make a new start as soon as we finish all our examinations.

Knox (in English class): "Miss Ryan, Burns' poetry doesn't appeal to me."

Miss Ryan: "That is because you can't read it."

Knox (referring to the Scotch dialect): "He don't use good English."

Seventh Grade Report.

Raymond Hutto has been absent from school this week.

Gladys Squyres was absent from school Monday.

Seventh Grader: "Theodore Roosevelt."

The High School.

So prevalent is the newer tendency in high school administration that one may hardly doubt that the next few years will see a nation-wide effort that secondary education shall become as universal as elementary education has now become. Courses in agriculture, household arts, commerce, trade and business are growing so rapidly in favor that high school administrators, however devoted to classical scholasticism, are forced to yield to public insistence, because—the public pays. A pleasant digression might be made here along the line of the futility of attempting to attain a higher culture by means of an uncultured domination at the hands of a democracy, but we will not digress. Being one of the "barbarians" it is painful to contemplate the more civilized (cultured) viewpoint.—Better Schools.

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Precinct 3.00

Wanted.

Mules from 14 to 16 hands high, from 4 to 8 years old, good flesh, broke to harness. Horses and mares from 15 to 16 hands high, 5 to 8 years old, broke to saddle, good flesh, sound. Will be in Brady until Saturday, February 26th.

C. B. WHITE.

Wanted—To buy a young cow on monthly payments. Must be a good milker and in good condition. Address P. O. Box M., Brady, Texas.

Wanted—Bronze turkey eggs. Write P. O. Box M., Brady, Texas.

Good work mule for sale. \$25.00 for quick trade. Abney & Vincent.

For Sale—Some good Jersey cows, fresh in milk. Also a good steer yearling, and some young, all-purpose horses. Good ones. J. F. Schaeff.

For Sale or Trade—4-cylinder Maxwell roadster, good tires, top and lights. Car in good running order. See A. B. Carithers, Brady.

For Sale—Scotch collie dog. Male, age 11 months. Subject to registration. See L. P. Cooke at Brady National bank.

Lost—Between Cow Gap and Brady, hood for Ford auto. Finder please return to Standard office.

Lost—Gold brooch set with cameo and two pearls, on public road between Pear Valley and Mr. Will Priest's residence. Finder please return to Oschae Slaughter, Pear Valley, and receive reward.

For Sale—Blooming hyacinths, oxalis, begonias, ferns and other pot plants, at Aug. F. Behrens, S. Blackburn St.

PERSONAL MENTION.

F. M. Hopkins and P. G. Lewis of Voca were attending to some business matters here Saturday.

J. F. and W. D. Priest were among the traders in town Saturday from Pear Valley. They said that they could stand a good rain.

S. S. Graham left Saturday night for Kansas City to meet Mrs. Graham, who is visiting relatives there. They will return to Brady within the next few days.

L. M. Farmer was in from Fife Saturday mingling with friends. Mr. Farmer stated that the small grain was needing rain, but other things were looking O. K.

O. D. Mann & Sons report the following sales of Overland machines during the past week: J. A. F. Carroll, Lohn, an 83 Model; R. H. Wyres, Lohn, touring car; C. B. Bray, Lohn, touring car; and Ben Baker, Pasche, a touring car. Mr. Mann stated he believed they had found the car the people needed.

Mrs. Clara Millerkin returned Sunday from a two weeks' stay in Dallas and Chicago markets, during which time she purchased an extensive line of millinery and notions for the Popular Dry Goods Co. She reports a very pleasant trip, although having encountered considerable cold and disagreeable weather.

H. R. Hodges drove to Menard to carry Mrs. Hodges, who has been visiting her parents there, back to Brady. They returned Sunday evening, making the trip via Hext, a distance of 43 miles, in two hours and eight minutes. The time included three stops for water and slight adjustments on the machine.

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Terms: Strictly cash in advance. No announcement inserted unless cash accompanies same. Fees do not include subscription to The Brady Standard. The Standard is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:

- For District Clerk:** P. A. CAMPBELL
- For County Judge:** JOHN E. BROWN.
- For County Sheriff:** J. C. (Jim) WALL.
- For County Clerk:** W. J. YANTIS.
- For County Tax Assessor:** H. R. (Henry) HODGES
- For County Tax Collector:** S. H. (Silas) MAYO. JERRY L. SPILLER. S. M. RICHARDSON. ARTHUR L. NEAL.
- For County Treasurer:** JOHN RAINBOLT.
- For County Attorney:** EVANS J. ADKINS HARVEY WALKER.
- For County Superintendent:** E. L. WHITE.
- For Commissioner, Pre. No. 1:** CHAS. SAMUELSON.
- For Commissioner Pre. No. 3:** D. C. MIDDLETON. J. M. CARROLL.
- For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 1:** T. J. KING.
- For Public Weigher:** J. U. SILVERS. ERNEST F. TETENS.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Election April 4, 1916
- For City Mayor:** JOHN P. SHERIDAN.
- For City Secretary:** FIRMAN JACKSON. DIMMITT WOOD. W. J. BLAIR.
- For City Attorney:** E. P. LEA.
- For City Recorder:** T. J. KING.
- For City Marshal:** LOUIE BAKER. JACK WINFREY. S. M. WOOTEN. LEONARD J. WOOD. JOHN MARTIN.

Do You Find Fault With Everybody?
An irritable, fault-finding disposition is often due to a disordered stomach. A man with good digestion is nearly always good natured. A great many have been permanently benefited by Chamberlain's Tablets after years of suffering. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.

How about your watch? Is it keeping correct time? If not, let us remedy the trouble for you. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Grant, jeweler, east side square.

Pencil Sharpeners. Standard office.

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

EDEN ECHO

From Eden Echo: Joe Spoons and Will Globber came over from Ballinger last week and Mr. Globber leased the City meat market. He is an experienced butcher and will welcome your trade. Mr. Spoons likes Eden and we expect to land him as a citizen before long. We extend the glad hand to Mr. Globber.

Cotton ginned in Concho county prior to January 16, for the years 1914 and 1915 is 18,985 bales.

Who Is This?



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Mann Brothers

Miss Ryan: "Will, give the three tenses of the verb, 'love'?"
Will: "I love; you love; we both love."

"If all the eighth graders pass at the end of the term, we wonder what the high school will do for an eighth grade next year."

Miss Ryan, (in English class) "Now, as today is our day for a story or theme, who will tell us one?"

Pupil: "I make good grades. Now isn't that a story?"

Mrs. Anderson, to seventh grade: "Who was our first president?"

For Sale—A first-class Fuier & Johnson gasoline engine. Price \$40.00. Shropshire & House.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 1/4 oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and removes dandruff. It is excellent for falling hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.

You will find the best of meats in our market. We are selling nice steak and roast meats for 15c per pound. E. J. Broad.

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Meets Every Tuesday night. Visitors cordially welcome.
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Mrs. H. R. Hodges, Sec'y



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Will practice in District Court of McCulloch County. Office in Court House.

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Will appreciate your draying of all kinds.
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PREMIUM LIST OF BIG STOCK SHOW AWARDS \$18,000

EVERY CLASS OF LIVE-STOCK IN SOUTHWEST IS GIVEN AMPLE CONSIDERATION.

MANY "SIDE" EVENTS

Saddle Horse Classes Are Given Special Notice and Baby Beef Classes Arouse Much Interest.

Approximately \$18,000 in prizes are offered in the various classes of the National Feeders and Breeders show, which will be held at Fort Worth March 13-18. Every class of livestock produced in the Southwest is given ample consideration in the comprehensive premium list that has just been spread broadcast among big stockmen and small producers alike and it is anticipated that the greatest and finest exhibit ever witnessed in the twenty years of the show's existence will be on hand when opening day arrives.

Because of the repeated solicitation of prominent breeders of Texas and Oklahoma, the management of the show changed the dates back to spring. It has been argued that the exhibitors were able to get their offering in much better condition for spring showing than for fall. In acceding to the wishes of the breeders, the stock show earned a co-operation that will go far towards making the coming event the best in history.

Comparatively few changes have been made in the premium list, inasmuch as the management has been studying livestock conditions in this state for years and had never hesitated to take any step to amplify the list when it was warranted. Several additions, however, have been made. Among the most important of these is an increase in the classes for saddle animals. During the past year and a half, foreign powers have been making extensive purchases of Texas saddle horses and have greatly depleted the supply of good stuff. The breeders have found that there is an excellent future for the saddle horse business in this state and are going into the business on a more extensive scale. The stock show is always willing to push a good thing along and it amplified its classes so as to give further encouragement.

The baby beef classes will again prove of greatest interest and early indications are that the greatest number of entries in history will be rolled up in this department. From all over the state have come inquiries about this department and information to the effect that the youngsters are getting their product into condition to send to the show. The fight for the state baby beef championship for county exhibits is expected to be one of the keenest that will be staged in the great arena of the Coliseum building.

Outside of the stock show proper, there will be many events that will thrill and attract. Most interesting of these will be the Big Round-Up, which will be this year's night entertainment. This will be under the direction of Miller Bros., of 101 Ranch Show fame, and will be a varied and interesting performance.

A splendid carnival will pitch its tents on the Coliseum grounds, a magnificent industrial display will be held in the vast halls on either side of the Coliseum, a poultry show, the finest in the Southwest, will come in for a large share of consideration and many and varied special attractions will be staged during the great livestock exposition.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The total number of city poll taxes for 1915 are 352, against 258 for 1914, showing a gain of 94.

The total county poll taxes for 1915 were 1816, against 1653, making a gain of 163 polls paid.

Brady Auto Co. Saturday unloaded another car of Buicks, and report having already made one delivery—a six, 45-h. p. 5-passenger car to G. R. White. This is Mr. White's third car.

Surveyor W. P. Doty was in town for a few days last week, returning Saturday to finish some work in Concho county. He stated that it would take him him about six weeks to complete the work now in hand.

A meeting of the McCulloch County Poultry and Hog association is called for Saturday, February 19th, at 2:00 o'clock in the court house by Sec. D. W. Rowlett, and a full attendance is urged, as matters of importance will come up before the members.

W. J. Yantis suffered a bad fall Sunday when he attempted to board his Ford while it was in motion. His foot slipped on the runningboard, throwing him under the car, which ran over his foot and leg. The injury was quite painful, and Mr. Yantis is getting about with an effort and a decided limp.

Assessor H. R. Hodges returned Friday from a week's stay in the country, having visited Stacy, Waldrip and the Lohn districts. He reported everything in pretty good condition; grain looking all right, and some of the farmers thinking about planting corn. Mrs. Hodges accompanied him on the trip.

K. S. Hull, division superintendent, J. G. Fitzhugh, division freight agent and W. N. Knowl, trainmaster of the Santa Fe, were in town Saturday, the party coming over in Mr. Hull's private car from San Saba. From here they went on to Eden, returning at 6:00 p. m. The party left over the Frisco for Brownwood where they transferred to the Santa Fe for Temple.

W. D. Crothers and B. A. Hallum returned Saturday morning from Dallas where they attended the auto dealers convention given by the Chalmers Motor Co. Invitations to the affair were extended some 700 auto dealers in Texas, and something over 200 guests were in attendance at the banquet Friday night. A very enjoyable and interesting meeting is reported by the local representatives.

R. W. Lee says we didn't report the best part of his recent fishing trip, viz: That he caught fourteen fish, mostly bass, the total weight of which aggregated twenty-two pounds, and one of the number weighing four pounds. The Standard admits the oversight, and claims justification. In the first place, we were telling about R. W.'s efforts to reduce, and not a fishing yarn. In the second place, R. W. admits to having "passed" our office with the aforesaid string of fish—but never a stop did he make.

What a transformation a little care and attention may bring about is exemplified in the office surroundings of the Brady Compress Co. Manager R. W. Lee has had the interior rearranged to further its convenience, as well as to improve its general aspect and appearance, and in addition, the plot of ground surrounding it has been parked and fenced; trees and shrubs have been set out, and when the lawn is well started, it is going to be a beauty spot worth noticing. Brady needs more such improvements.

Vegetables at all times. Baze's Grocery.

Constipation.
When constive or troubled with constipation take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

COMMISSIONERS COURT.

Appoints Road Overseers and Election Officers for 1916.
Upon petition, the court ordered the Corn Creek public road to be changed, the right-of-way to be furnished by S. F. Wicker, and the road to be put in good condition by him without expense to the county.

The court ordered change made in the Brady and Santa Anna road so as to give better roadbed. Consideration for the change was to be the deeding by W. R. Sneed of a strip of land 60 feet wide and three-quarters of a mile in length to the county, and the county to deed to W. R. Sneed the old roadbed and ground now running across Sneed's 160 acres of land.

The sum of \$100 was ordered paid to G. L. and E. V. Helge for right-of-way conveyed by them to the county for the Helge road.

The court ordered change made in the laying out of a public road beginning at the Brady and Coleman road and intersecting the Broadmoor and Pear Valley road, so as to avoid damage to land of E. W. Harris and also to avoid the necessity of building culverts. E. W. Harris is to deed to the county land for this purpose, and is to receive as compensation \$120 awarded him by the jury of view in laying out the road originally. J. F. Weldon was appointed overseer of said road.

Election officers for the various voting boxes were appointed as follows:

- Rochelle—J. P. Waddill, presiding judge; E. E. Mitchell, J. M. Burk, S. H. Gainer.
 - Placid—S. W. Turnell, Frank Wicker.
 - Mercury—J. N. Holland, F. Shumate.
 - Milburn—C. P. Cain, J. E. Long.
 - Cowboy—A. A. Jordan, Tom Powell.
 - Voca—W. M. Deans, presiding judge; E. P. Elliott, assistant judge; George Darley, assistant judge; F. M. Hopkins, assistant judge.
 - Camp San Saba—A. F. Turner, presiding judge; F. W. Otte, assistant judge.
 - Mt. Tabor—R. L. Burns, presiding judge; E. M. Bratton, assistant judge.
 - Lost Creek—J. J. Armor, presiding judge; J. E. Spiller, assistant judge.
 - Lohn—W. F. Roberts, Jr., M. Z. Bates, B. A. Cornils, G. R. Browning.
 - Pear Valley—Henry Smith, J. W. Jones.
 - East Gansel—J. R. Herd, S. C. Crumley.
 - Stacy—J. H. Snodgrass, W. S. Dickerson.
 - Fife—Jas. Finlay, E. B. Baldrige.
 - Waldrip—John R. Winstead, Jim Hill.
 - Brady—John M. Duke, presiding judge; L. Ballou, assistant judge; W. W. Jordan, assistant judge; G. P. Moore, assistant judge.
 - Melvin—Geo. W. Scott, presiding judge; O. L. Sellers, assistant judge; J. K. Woods, assistant judge; E. D. Hale, assistant judge.
 - Calf Creek—J. W. Attaway, presiding judge; C. B. Whitehead, assistant judge.
 - Nine—D. Harkrider, Jr., presiding judge; Joe Wilder, assistant judge.
 - Whiteland—H. D. Cottrell, presiding judge; W. B. Harris, assistant judge.
- Court allowed the sum of \$10 per month allowed and paid to Eli Pinard for the care of H. F. Landis, a pauper.
Marvin Hunter was appointed J. P. Pre. No. 3, to fill a vacancy.
Butcher's bond in the sum of \$500 by E. J. Broad, with O. E. Jackson and Ben Strickland as sureties, approved.
Quarterly report of T. J. King.

Children Cry for Fletcher's



The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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J. P. Pre. No. 1, J. R. Herd, J. P. Pre. No. 8, and J. C. Wall, sheriff, were examined and approved.

Warrant for \$15.00 was ordered issued in favor of Brown county commissioners in payment of half the expenses incurred by them in coming to Brady to confer with McCulloch county commissioners regarding rebuilding the Colorado river bridge at Milburn.

Contract for county printing was awarded The Brady Standard for 1916.
Returns of the election in the Placid Common School district, held on January 15th for increase of 5c tax were canvassed as follows: For increase, 9 votes; against, 6 votes. The additional tax was ordered levied.

Returns of the election in the Waldrip Common School district held on January 15th for increase of a 5c tax, were canvassed as follows: For increase: 13 votes; against, 13 votes. The increased tax was accordingly declared not carried.

Monthly report of S. H. Mayo, tax collector, was examined and approved.

Tabular statement of W. J. Yantis, county clerk, was examined and approved.

Quarterly report of John Rainbolt, county treasurer, was examined and approved. Following amounts of county scrip were ordered cancelled:
Jury fund \$ 125.59
R. and B. fund 3240.27
General fund 3317.20
Road Dis. No. 1 18.00
Total \$6700.97

County judge and commissioners were allowed their per diem.

Court adjourned Thursday, February 17th.

Rheumatism and Allied Pains—They Must Go.
The congestion of the blood in its flow causes pain. Sloan's Liniment penetrates to the congestion and starts the blood to flow freely. The body's warmth is renewed; the pain is gone. The "man or woman who has rheumatism, neuralgia or other pain and fails to keep Sloan's Liniment in their home is like a drowning man refusing a rope." Why suffer? Get a bottle of Sloan's. 25c and 50c. \$1.00 bottle holds six times as much as 25c size.

The next pair of shoes you get, be sure they are Walk-Overs or Edwin Clapp, and get ten free shins with them. Kirk, Nuf Sed.

For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes, 25c and 50c. At all drug stores.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

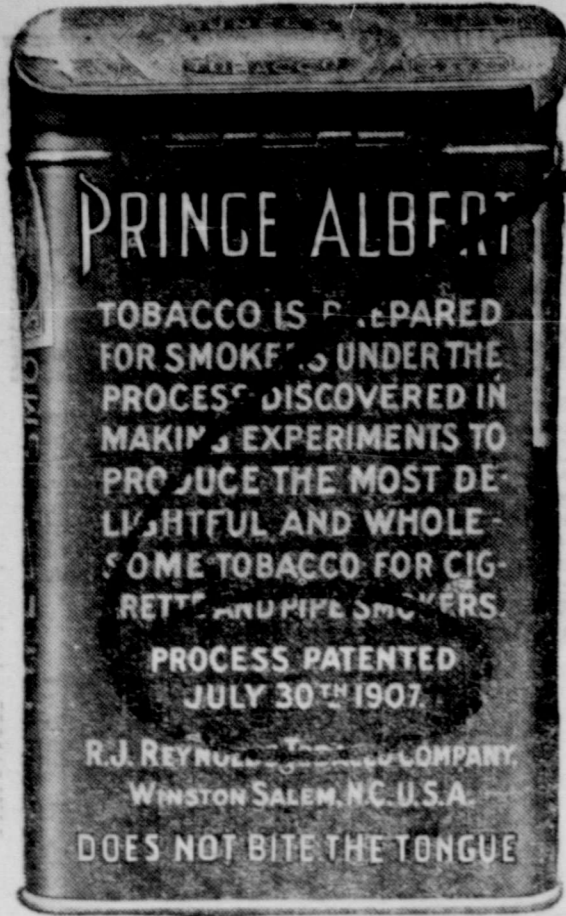
J. C. Throop and S. A. D. Coppy and family were here from Austin Wednesday enroute to Menard on a camping trip. Mr. Throop is a linotype operator, and tried out The Standard's machine, just to "keep his hand in the game."

E. B. Baldrige was one of a bunch of Fife folks here the first of the week, and reported that locality quite dry as a consequence of having had no rain recently, the recent cold spells have dried out the ground quite thoroughly. A good rain is needed to save the oats.

E. R. Simpson, sales manager for Borschow Salvage Co., is carrying his right arm in a sling as a result of the backfiring of an auto while he was attempting to crank the same. The bone was broken at the wrist, and the injury will incapacitate Mr. Simpson for some time.

Judge John E. Brown returned Tuesday morning from a business trip to North Carolina, and gives an interesting account of his journey. On account of the heavy floods throughout Arkansas, the trains were derailed over both the Cotton Belt and the Iron Mountain routes, and at that they encountered many soft and dangerous tracks, while in special portions of Arkansas, especially along the White river, the flood waters were up to the railroad embankments almost level with the tracks, and telephone poles were practically out of sight in the swirling waters. Many fields and farms were inundated, and Mr. Brown saw houses with the water reaching up to the eaves. He arrived at his destination about a day late, and while conditions were somewhat improved upon the return, he was nevertheless several hours late. The flood was first encountered after leaving Texarkana, and did not extend beyond Memphis, Tenn.

How Mr. Davis Got Rid of a Bad Cough.
"Some time ago I had a very bad cough," writes Lewis T. Davis, Blackwater, Del. "My brother, McCabe Davis, gave me a small bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. After taking this I bought a dozen bottles of it but only used one of them, as the cough left me and I have not been troubled since." Obtainable everywhere.



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PERSONAL MENTION.

Bert Vaughn, who has been a guest of his grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Melton, this week, left last night for his home in Plainview.

L. O. Marshall was here from Lohm Wednesday.

T. L. Sansom was here from Mercury Wednesday.

B. A. Hallum drove to Brownwood Wednesday on a business trip.

B. A. Cornils was among the Lohm visitors in Brady Wednesday.

W. H. and Ed Gibbons were here from Richland Springs yesterday.

M. Sellman and Mrs. R. Sellman were here from Rochelle yesterday.

E. W. and Will Harris were among the Brady visitors Wednesday from Broadmoor.

J. D. Hipp was here from Voca Tuesday and reported conditions very satisfactory in his locality.

Frank Kiser was up from Katemcy the first of the week, giving a good report from his community.

Miss Cora Hill spent Sunday with home folks, returning to Daniel Baker college at Brownwood Monday.

W. C. Dofflemyer, G. B. Clark and G. A. Arhelger were business visitors here yesterday from San Saba.

Mrs. A. M. Finlay and daughter, Mrs. Robert Finlay and Miss Maggie Finlay were visitors from Fife Tuesday.

J. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Shelton and Mrs. W. W. Butler were among the Lohm visitors here Wednesday.

V. M. Loring, editor of the Mason News, made a brief visit here Tuesday while enroute to Dallas on a business trip.

Miss Bernice Bell left last night for Rochelle, where she will be a guest of Miss Olive Phillips at a house party.

L. W. St. Clair left Wednesday night for Rochelle, where he took a group picture of the pupils of the Rochelle school.

DELINQUENT TAXES.

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The law is very strict and provides for the removal of officers who fail to do this within the prescribed time.

No taxes have been sued upon in many counties of the state for years. This leaves a large list of delinquents, all of whom must be sued by January 1st, 1917, if they do not make settlement.

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You cannot use anything better for your child's cough than Dr. King's New Discovery. It is prepared from Pine Tar mixed with healing and soothing balsams. It does not contain anything harmful and is slightly laxative, just enough to expel the poisons from the system. Dr. King's New Discovery is antiseptic—kills the cold germs—raises the phlegm—loosens the cough and soothes the irritation. Don't put off treatment. Coughs and colds often lead to serious lung troubles. It is also good for adults and the aged. Get a bottle today. All druggists.

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Basketball at Rochelle.

Upon an invitation, the high school girls of the Lohm school came to Rochelle Saturday evening and crossed colors with the Rochelle high school team, which resulted in a victory for the Lohm girls, the score being 19 to 10.

The Lohm girls played a clean game, which was appreciated by the Rochelle girls, who realized they were outmatched in alacrity and steadiness in the game.

Quite a lot of balls were thrown all the afternoon, which was interesting to some and yet some grew weary at so much ball at one time, for the Milburn boys and girls came with floating colors and dared both boys and girls with their colors, and soon the boys were hard at the game, which was a fast and hard-fought game from the first pitch to the end. The Rochelle boys were outmatched in weight and age—the Milburn boys being much older and some heavier, and, too, Prof. Smith played with his own squad—and we do not attempt to say how old he might be—while none of the Rochelle boys are as much as 18 years of age, and each one in regular attendance at school. They fought for the scoreboard count, which resulted in a victory for the Rochelle boys, the score being 17 to 14.

After this game the Milburn girls crossed colors with the Rochelle team, which resulted in a score of 9 to 7 in Milburn's favor. The lady teacher at Milburn played with their girls. The Rochelle girls are young and none of them over-size, but they play good basket ball, and we can say to the credit of the Rochelle girls that both visiting teams used their own referee, which, if any doubt, the referee would have likely given the benefit to his own team in the game.

The basket ball teams of both boys and girls of the Rochelle school are composed of students of scholastic age and are in attendance regularly at school and correctly represent the student body of the school, and not the teachers nor the town, and they do not appreciate a victory or a defeat over another team composed of over ages and teachers, more especially after having asked the latter visiting team to furnish a student team. But the Rochelle teams can take a clean defeat as cheerful as anyone, so we hand the ribbon to Lohm.

A brisk norther made its arrival just about the time the game was called, which made it very disagreeable on all the players to continue the games. A large crowd was present to witness the games, which shows an increased interest in high school athletics in the local school, and each member of the student body appreciates the increased interest and we hope to be able to entertain you better in the future. We pronounce the evening an enjoyable one to all present. So let's have more clean, evenly matched, inter-scholastic athletics.



QUITTING BUSINESS.

Wm. Connolly & Co. to Close Out Brady Stock and Retire.

While the news is scarcely credible, it is a fact that the firm of Wm. Connolly & Co. is to close out its local store and retire from the Brady business field. The firm has inaugurated a big "Quit Business" sale, and will reduce the stock as low as possible, removing the remainder of the stock to Hamilton or some other point after the close of the sale, and consolidating it with the store at such place. J. H. Hill, who has had charge of the local branch since its establishment here in 1910, expects to retire to the ranch south of town, purchased by him a year or two ago, and devote his entire time to his ranch interests. W. E. McKenzie, who has been with the company as bookkeeper and assistant manager, will very likely be transferred to one of the company's string of stores elsewhere.

The big "Quit Business" sale is in charge of A. J. Holder, who arrived from headquarters last week with instructions to close out the entire stock. Mr. Holder is one of the most successful sales managers in West Texas, and has held the position of general advertising manager for the Wm. Connolly & Co.'s string of six stores for the past five years, with the exception of a few months last winter, when he had charge of an extensive sale on a \$150,000.00 stock of goods for one of the leading merchandising firms of Houston, Texas.

Mr. Holder gives an interesting account of the big sale conducted at that place. Much of the goods on sale there was damaged by the Galveston flood, and he says it was a remarkable sight to see folks carrying out big rolls of goods, from which the water was seeping.

Mr. Holder says it is not such a tremendous task to conduct a successful sale, providing you have the goods and the prices. In this big "Quit Business" sale he has the goods of highest quality, and the prices quoted are certain to make the goods move; consequently he is confident of having the greatest sale ever inaugurated in Brady.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is cataract. Cataract being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Cataract Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Cataract Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Jitney service to any part of the city, 10c. Service cars anywhere. Day phone 41; night phone 188. E. J. BROAD.

All kinds bicycle repairing done at F. B. Morgan's.

At Baptist Church.

H. Z. Duke of Dallas, one of the state's greatest laymen, will speak at the Baptist church Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock, and at night. All laymen of other denominations are especially invited.

CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK.

Acts Like Dynamite on a Sluggish Liver and You Lose a Day's Work.

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when fifty cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel.

It is a pleasant vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as quickly as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and can not salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone, because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you.

Tom Ball, And That Ain't All!

If it's a nice, juicy steak or a dozen fried your appetite calls for, come around, as Emmett, you know, the best cook in town, is back in his place. You all know his face as well as his cooking suits your taste. Come when in town. Give us a call. Tom Ball; and that ain't all.

Service Cars.

E. J. Broad has inaugurated a service that should prove a great benefit to Brady citizens. Mr. Broad has a number of cars on hand that he is fitting up for service, and he proposes to operate a jitney service to any part of the city for 10c. He also proposes to operate service cars anywhere at any time, and will be in position to care for a large or small parties desiring to make trips. M. C. Allman will have charge of the service operations, and phone calls to 41 during the day time, or to 188 at night will receive prompt attention.

See us for the best grades of coal, or phone your order to 295. Macy Grain Co.

Special Campaign Rates.

Until March 1, 1916, we are authorized to announce special political campaign rates on the Fort Worth Record as follows: Daily and Sunday, 6 mos. \$2.10 Daily without Sun., 6 mos. 1.60 These rates good only to patrons of rural routes, and offices where no local distributor is had.

THE BRADY STANDARD.

SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months.

I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

Our family doctor told my husband he could not do me any good, and he had to give it up. We tried another doctor, but he did not help me.

At last, my mother advised me to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. I thought it was no use for I was nearly dead and nothing seemed to do me any good. But I took eleven bottles, and now I am able to do all of my work and my own washing.

I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, get a bottle of Cardui today. Delay is dangerous. We know it will help you, for it has helped so many thousands of other weak women in the past 50 years.

At all druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and a 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. R.C. 158

Card of Thanks

We desire to express to the kind friends and neighbors who have been so thoughtful and attentive during the serious and lengthy illness of Mrs. J. R. Brown of Waldrip our sincere thanks. Your kindness will ever be remembered.

MRS. S. J. HOWARD,
MRS. J. R. BROWN,