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BRADY FAST BECOMING CENTER OIL ACTIVITIES McCULLOCH THE BIG ATTRACTION IN WEST TEXAS OIL FIELD

McCULLOCH CO. OFFERS BIGGEST INDUCEMENTS OF ANY FIELD IN TEXAS

"McCulloch county offers the biggest inducements of any field in Texas," said Ed Overholser, former mayor of Oklahoma City and one of the liveliest wires of that city and state. "I find greater activity here than anywhere; an assured test of the field, and acreage very reasonable—more so than any undeveloped field I have been in. You folks have the greatest opportunity I ever saw, because you have the biggest chance for your money."

Mr. Overholser for four years was mayor of Oklahoma City, and during his administration built all of the public utilities in that city, including a million and a half dollar water works system, the court house, and many other public enterprises. Following an attack of influenza, he was forced to resign a few months ago, and has since been visiting various sections of Texas seeking to regain his health. At present he is a guest of G. V. Gansel, of this city, a former school

mate when both he and Mr. Gansel lived in Wisconsin.

Mr. Overholser has spent considerable time in the fields of North Texas, South Texas and West Texas, and he makes the unqualified statement that opportunity is standing waiting at the door of McCulloch county for admittance. He has been interested in the oil game in times past, and only wishes that his health would permit him to get back in the game, for he believes that the opportunity is here.

During his visit here, Mr. Overholser has met with most of the leading citizens of Brady, all of whom have been deeply impressed with his far-seeing vision of what the future holds in store for Brady and McCulloch county, and of the opportunities for advancing the interests of the town and community. In fact, so great has been the impression made by his personality and his up-to-the-minute views, that he was invited to address

a meeting of members of the Brady Chamber of Commerce and citizens at the court house Wednesday night, during which he not only repeated his former statements as to the wonderful possibilities he sees in the McCulloch county oil field, but pointed out numerous instances wherein McCulloch county might easily have won a place in the limelight and have gained for herself much favorable publicity.

That Mr. Overholser's visit and views have been appreciated is evidenced by renewed activity on the part of the Brady Chamber of Commerce and all citizens interested in boosting Brady and McCulloch county and the opportunities for developing here the greatest of all oil fields in Texas.

LITTLE SON OF MR. AND MRS. KIRBY HUFFMAN WAS SERIOUSLY INJURED TUES.

H. J., son of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Huffman happened to a very serious and probably fatal accident Tuesday afternoon about 4 o'clock, when he got caught between the discs in the center of a disc harrow. No bones were broken and no broken places are to be found in the flesh, nor cuts anywhere, but the doctor pronounced his right lung crushed, and internal injuries.

WANTED!
To hear from oil lease owners in Brady, county and vicinity.
W. L. GEORGE
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\$75,000 REFINERY, ALSO PIPE LINE TO LOHN FIELDS, NEW PROJECT

A \$75,000 refinery for Brady is the newest project to be brought before the directors of the Brady Chamber of Commerce for consideration, and with it another project of equal importance and significance, viz: a pipe line to Brady from the Lohn shallow fields.

While the Brady Chamber of Commerce has had these two important propositions in mind all the time, the visit here this week of Mr. Jack Cross, of Pittsburgh, but whose home office is in Fort Worth, accompanied by C. A. Purcell, capitalist and postmaster of Burkburnett, and Dick Rathbone, construction man, and who for the past 26 years have been in the employ of the Standard Co., brought the matter into public attention as one of the next big developments to result from the oil activities in the county.

The proposition made by Mr. Rathbone was to secure a suitable site of about five acres on the line of one of Brady's railroads on which he proposed to erect a \$75,000 refinery with a capacity of 1,000 barrels per day. In addition to building the refinery, Mr. Cross proposed to furnish tank

cars, and also build a pipe line to the Lohn shallow fields. He proposed that the citizens of Brady take \$35,000 worth of stock in the company, while he would take \$40,000, and also furnish tank cars and build the pipe line. As representative of one of the biggest refining companies in the world, he announced himself ready to start work on the building of the refinery without any delay and proposed to have it in operation in the course of only a few weeks. He further quoted figures showing the refinery to be one of the best-paying of all branches of the oil industry.

Mr. Cross laid his proposition before the citizens at a meeting of the members of the Brady Chamber of Commerce, and a committee was appointed by W. D. Crothers, who acted as chairman of the meeting, to take up the matter. This committee was composed of Messrs. Sam McCollum, chairman; C. H. Vincent, G. V. Gansel, Howard Broad, J. E. Bell and W. D. Crothers. Messrs. Ed Overholser, L. F. Ehlers and Thad O. Day, were named honorary members of the committee, which now has the proposition under consideration.

WEEKLY RESUME OF OPERATIONS IN McCULLOCH COUNTY OIL FIELDS

BURFORD & BRIMM EXPECTING TO DRILL IN GOOD WELL AT MERCURY—PRAIRIE CO. DRILLING AGAIN—TUCKER NO. 5 MAKING 35 BBLs.

Interest in the McCulloch county oil field was suddenly shifted Wednesday to the Northeast part of the county, by word that Burford & Brimm were expecting to bring in a good well at about 1200 feet. The breaking of a cable Wednesday has delayed the test, and repairs are being rushed out from Brownwood, and it is thought a test will be made today. Burford & Brimm struck some good showings in their well No. 1, but were unable to control the flow of water. After drilling to a depth of about 2200 ft. they abandoned this well and moved 1-4 mile further southeast, and since spudding in on No. 2 have been making good progress. Profiting by their previous experience, they have succeeded in controlling all water, and it is believed this well will be drilled into pay sands before the week is out. Numbers of Brady citizens have gone to Mercury to be on the ground should the well be brought in. As a result of the anticipated well, leases in the vicinity are showing great activity, and are changing hands at rapidly advancing prices.

From this section also comes reports of the taking over of the defunct Globe Oil Co. by a new company, with promise of immediate resumption of operations.

The Irons well, drilling about 7 miles almost directly east of Mercury is drilling steadily.

In the Lohn field, Tucker well No. 5, which has been rated at a 35-barrel producer, has made good when given a thorough test. Heretofore,

these wells have been pumped by small engines, and were never brought up to capacity production since being first tested out. Last Thursday Tucker No. 5 was given a thorough test with a large Stover Jack 3-h. p. engine, the pump making twenty-six 16-inch strokes per minute on a 2-inch pipe. The well pumped three parts water to one part oil, and at the most conservative estimate produced fully 35 barrels per day. The Tucker company, with A. W. Cooper and the Empire Gas & Fuel Co. co-operating, expect to install a modern pumping station at once to pump all the wells of these three parties, and it is anticipated that this splendid production will be fully maintained.

The Smith & Jergins rig on Survey No. 42 has been completed, according to Dave Kinsey, field superintendent for the company, the pipe line has been laid and the tanks about completed. The company's Star rig on Survey No. 1331 is drilling steadily.

The Prairie Oil & Gas Co. has completed underreaming and clearing out their hole, and yesterday resumed drilling at about 1200 ft. On their shallow test they have set 250 ft. of 8 1-4 inch casing to shut off water and are again drilling.

The Texas Oil & Refining Co. are now pulling the casing from the old Day well, and as soon as this task is completed will be ready to move the machinery to the new location and be ready to spud in.

The C. S. Thomas Salt Gap well is making good progress, and drilling

is proceeding nicely at Whiteland as well.

The Texas Eastern Oil Co., northeast of Rochelle has completed the setting of casing and the cleaning out of the hole, and last Friday resumed drilling.

The Shultz Oil Co. near Paint Rock in Concho county has recovered all its

tools from the well and has cleaned out the hole and is ready to resume drilling.

W. P. Doty Wednesday surveyed the location for the well to be drilled by John M. Hembree and associates on the line of Surveys 1276 and 1277. A Star rig is now enroute and drilling will begin at an early date.

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DEEDS, OIL AND GAS LEASES RECORDED DURING MONTH OF FEBRUARY

Assignment.

Western Oil & Gas Co. to T. S. Lowry, 160 acres, C. Welge, Surv. 299, Abst. 1429, Cert. 370. \$840.00.
W. F. Roberts to O. Lykes, 1-2 interest in the following: (1) 45 acres Surv. 206, Abst. 1311, Cert. 70. (2) 45 acres Surv. 209, Abst. 1314, Cert. 70. (3) 5 acres Surv. 207, Abst. 1312, Cert. 70. (4) 5 acres Surv. 208, Abst. 1313.
Abner Hanson and M. W. Elser to J. E. McGinley: (1) 80 acres north part Surv. 24, Abst. 445. (2) 160 acres in E half Surv. 1135, Abst. 142. (3) 166 1-2 acres north Half Surv. 6, Abst. 1579. (4) 164 acres Surv. 24, Abst. 445. (5) North half Surv. 129, Abst. 668. (6) 164 acres Surv. 1136, Abst. 162. (7) 2 1-2 acres Surv. 1136, Abst. 162. (8) 53 1-2 acres Surv. 24, Abst. 445. (9) 108 acres, Surv. 1136 1-2, Abst. 2101. (10) 164 acres, Surv. 24, Abst. 445. (11) 164 acres, Surv. 1136, Abst. 162. (12) 197.79 acres west end Surv. 1031, Abst. 1334. (13) 165 acres N side E half Surv. 6, Abst. 1712. (14) 25.7 acres being 17.3 acres Surv. 1135, Abst. 142 and 8.4 acres S part Surv. 1134, Abst. 141, and 5 acres of E 1-2 Surv. 1134, Abst. 141, and 2 1-2 acres Surv. 1135, Abst. 142. (15) 75.2 acres NE part Surv. 23, Abst. 1556. (16) 100 acres NE corner School Section 26, Abst. 1661. (17) 380 acres Surv. 26, Abst. 1661. (18) 177 acres Surv. 26, Abst. 1661. (19) 155 acres E 1-2 Surv. 1131, Abst. 141. (20) 39 1-2 acres Surv. 23, Abst. 1556. (21) 164 acres Surv. 1133, Abst. 940. (22) 166 acres W part Surv. 1133, Abst. 940. (23) 162 acres being 161 acres E 1-2 Surv. 1, Abst. 20, and 1 acre Surv. 27-2, Abst. 1748. (24) 100 acres W side Surv. 27-2, Abst. 1748. (25) 160 acres Surv. 23, Abst. 1556.
James M. Ellis to G. D. Doughty, 200 acres Surv. 271, Abst. 976, Cert. 710.
Ray M. Dunnett to Philip W. Branton, 40 acres W side of 60-acre tract out of S 1-2 Surv. 141, Abst. 674, Cert. 33-3269.
Moses Jones to Houghton Brownlee, 25 acres SW corner Surv. 1087, Abst. 573.
S. J. Howard to H. W. Lindley, S. 80 acres Surv. 772, Abst. 542, Cert. 118.
J. B. Russell to M. A. Rice, W 160 acres, Surv. 1212, Abst. 376, Cert. 655. \$480.00.

T. P. Jenkins to McFadden, Patterson and McMains, 200 acres Survs. 709 and 710. \$200.00.
Moman Pruiett to T. J. Pannill, W 1-2 Surv. 999, Abst. 127; W 1-2 Surv. 313, Abst. 704; W 1-2 Surv. 302, Abst. 1918. W 1-2 Surv. 905, Abst. 1792; S.E. quarter Surv. 895, Abst. 1768, Cert. 3.
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MT. TABOR TATTLES.
Aunt Jane Henderson Very Low.—No Hope for Recovery.
Freedonia, Texas, March 10.
Editor Brady Standard:
We had a nice shower Friday night and also today; it was a great help. We hear the flu is around close to us. We are very sorry, for it is a dreaded disease.
Aunt Jane Henderson is still very low. The doctors have no hope for her recovery.
Mr. A. Miller returned home yesterday from Mason where he has been at the bedside of his father, who is seriously ill. He reports his father no better.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Samuelson of Brady visited at the home of Mrs. S. A. Brown from Saturday till Sunday. Miss Flora Brown returned with them for a short visit.
Miss Doris Brown of Freedonia visited Miss Alma Wilson Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Longley, visited at Riley-Latham's Sunday.
Messrs. C. H. and John Williams made a business trip to Brady today. Oscar Hill is working at Hay Springs this week.
Grandpa Horn is visiting in Brady at present.
"BUDDIE."

COW CREEK NEWS.

E. W. Wood Completes School Census.—Shower of Benefit.
Lohn, Texas, March 11.
Editor Brady Standard:
We had a nice little shower Saturday night which will be of great benefit to oats and all grain planted. Most everyone is through preparing their land and some few have their corn planted.
Miss Susie Hanley spent Wednesday night with Mrs. John Ake. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Young and E. W. Wood and wife went to Brady Friday.
Mrs. A. L. Plummer spent Friday with Mrs. J. T. Smith.
J. S. Wyres was a Brady visitor Friday.
E. W. Wood was taking up the school census for another year; some 23 or 24 children were enrolled.
Maggie Petty visited Mrs. Smith Thursday.
Mrs. John Ake visited her niece Mrs. Cavin, Saturday.
Mrs. Ira Killingsworth spent Saturday evening with Otis Young.
Tom Mitchell and sons, of the Fife community were at Mrs. Killingsworth's Thursday.
Miss Fay Woods spent Sunday with Miss Willie Mae and Gladys Young.
Mr. Moody Smart and wife of Pasche were guests at the Cornils home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ake visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Woods Sunday.
Fred Lehn and Misses Lattitia and Caroline Barton of Lohn visited at the Cornils home Sunday afternoon.
J. F. Moore was a Brady visitor Monday.
B. A. Cornils and son, Ernest, went to Lohn Monday on business.
Susie Hanley spent Saturday night at the Gary home.
Mrs. Killingsworth and Delta, called on Mrs. Cornils Monday afternoon. "SUNSHINE."
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ROCHELLE RUMBLINGS.
Wedding Bells Soon to Ring.—New Arrival at Larkin Williamson's.
Rochelle, Texas, March 3.
Editor Brady Standard:
Oh, the wind, the wind, how it does blow, and takes along with it all the dust and sand possible, and we don't get the dust swept out from one's nose till there is another one on us. Will surely be glad when March is gone.
We had a nice little shower, accompanied with considerable thunder on last Friday night, and we think this may lay the dust for a few days and will also help the wheat and oats, and gardens as well. We feel very thankful for the shower as it was beginning to be needed.
Corn planting was the order of the day last week and will be again this week, and until the farmers are all through planting. We hope to have more rain along as it is needed to bring up and keep the crop growing.
Bob Sellman has been on the sick list this week, but is reported some better at this writing, and we hope he may continue to improve until in a short time he will be at himself again.
Mrs. R. H. Rogers and children, visited at the home of her parents, J. P. Waddell and wife on Saturday and Sunday. Object of her visit being to see her Auntie, Mrs. M. J. Sewell who is visiting in the Waddell home at present.
Albert Rogers who has been home on a visit of a couple months, left last week for his home at Lordsburg, New Mexico.
A letter from Vernon Waddell, written at Molheim, Germany, on Feb. 16, says he is well and doing fine over there but has no idea when he will start home. He has been working on a lumber detail now for over a month and speaks of the ice bergs and the tall pines being full of ice. He also states it was a most beautiful scene and he is well pleased with his work for U. S.
Tom and Leslie Rogers came to Rochelle this a. m. for their feed oats previously ordered. Feed is certainly high and will cost the farmers a big sum to make a crop, but if they can only have rain when needed will come out all right yet.
Health in this community was never better than at present. No more new cases of flu, but instead it is rumored that the wedding bells will be ringing in Rochelle again soon.
Bro. Harley Smith filled the pulpit at the Baptist church again Sunday, and we understand he has been called to the pastorate and care of the church at this place, and we feel it would be hard to fill it with better material.
Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Williamson of near Rochelle are rejoicing over the arrival of a son who came last week to spend an indefinite period of time with them. Mother and child both doing fine. "AMOSKETTER."

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The Texas Oil Fields

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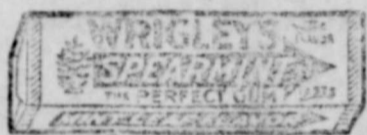
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Bridge Club.

The Bridge club has been disbanded during the period of Lent.

Five Hundred Club.

Mrs. Dick Winters entertained the Five Hundred club last Friday afternoon, members present being Mesdames J. G. McCall, John Wall, G. C. Kirk, W. E. Campbell, Wiley W. Walker, C. D. Allen; Miss Lucile Benham; and guests: Mesdames Cal Estill of Grapevine, Bailey Jones, J. R. Stone, of Brownwood, Geo. F. King, W. L. Hughes; Misses Ruth Culbreath, Sarah Johanson.

Club prize, a string of beads, was received by Mrs. Walker, and guest prize, a vanity case, by Mrs. Jones. The hostess served creamed oysters, potato chips, hot rolls and hot tea. No further meetings of the club will be had until after Lent.

W. M. S.

The W. M. S. held a meeting last Monday evening by Mrs. J. T. Mann and mother, Mrs. Alice Smith.

Music selections were rendered by Miss Nettie Bellamy and Mrs. Duke Mann, and Victrola music also helped furnish entertainment.

Several readings were rendered by Miss Alma Cowan, which were most interesting.

Refreshments were served to some 30 odd guests.

Business meeting next Monday at 3:00 o'clock, at church.

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to express heartfelt appreciation of the many kind words spoken and the sympathy extended us in our recent bereavement, and to thank the friends attending the funeral services and also those who so kindly sent flowers. We ask God's richest blessings upon you all.

MR. AND MRS. J. E. CARLSON, and Family.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Finlay of Fife, are receiving congratulations over the fine young man, who arrived at their home Friday, March 7th. Father Finlay is just as delighted as anyone could be.

A message received by Mrs. P. A. Campbell stated that her son, Jack Winfrey, was leaving Camp Mills at Hempstead, N. Y., for the base hospital at Camp Travis, San Antonio. Evidently Jack is slowly but surely coming home!

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Shultz of Paint Rock were visitors in the city the first of the week. Mr. Shultz is confident that they will soon bring in the Shultz well near Paint Rock. The hole has been cleared of all tools and cavings and operations will be resumed at once.

Mrs. Ben Anderson, who has been in a Dallas sanitarium the past couple weeks, returned home last Saturday morning, and her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is convalescing nicely, and hopes to soon effect a complete recovery following the operation for appendicitis.

B. F. Noland came in from Brownwood Tuesday for the purpose of repairing some Frisco cars, so they could be moved out. Mr. Noland expected to complete the job in the course of a few days, but was delayed at the start by having his tools put off at Rochelle, instead of at Brady.

A letter from Chas Fuller to his parents states that he is still in France and will not be home for some time yet, possible not until late in summer. The news was a distinct disappointment to relatives and friends, since it had been thought he would be home in just a few weeks now.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Welch have returned from Waco and are again to make their home in Brady. Mr. Welch having again taken up his former position with the Brady Auto Co. as auto repair man, in which line he is an expert. Mr. Welch says he is mighty glad to be back in Brady once more, and thinks he will never want to live any other place.

The Trigg Drug Co. has a novelty attraction in a "Mystery Clock," which adorns the large mirror of the soda fountain. The clock is a perfect time keeper, yet no clockworks are visible—only the hands and the clock dial. Everyone who sees this unique instrument in operation is privileged to guess at, or attempt to explain its operation—and the solutions offered are many and various, as well as almost as ingenious as the clock itself.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Benson arrived home from Camp Travis Wednesday. Curtis has been in army service the past nine months, being in a B. & C. school. He is delighted to be back, more especially since McCulloch county prospects are now the brightest of any county in Texas. He says he received The Standard regularly and found it one of the most welcome visitors he ever had.

Wm. J. High came in Tuesday, returning from overseas. He received his discharge at Camp Travis, a few days ago, and is spending a few days in Brady, visiting Mrs. Lee King and family, and friends. Mr. High received machine gun wounds in action in France, in fact, he had an almost miraculous escape from death, a machine gun bullet having struck him on the nose, cutting through the fleshy part of his cheek, and coming out near his right ear. The sight of one eye has been impaired as a result of the injury, but no other ill effects have been apparent. High lost a brother in the fighting "over there." After spending a few days here, he will go to his former home at Huntsville, Texas.

When S. P. Boon returned the first of the month and resumed his position as bookkeeper with the Brady National bank, he slipped so naturally into his former place, that it hardly seemed possible that he had ever been gone. This probably is the

Hosiery--Underwear

Spring and Summer Weights

Ladies Full Fashioned Silk Hose--Cadets--Onyx--in browns, greys, blacks, whites, at a pair **\$1 to \$3.00**

Misses Ribbed Silk Hose---Sizes 6 1/2 to 9 1/2, white only **\$1.25 to \$1.50**

Ladies Lisle Thread Hose---in blacks, whites and browns at **40c to 85c**

Ladies Cotton Hose---blacks only [Special] at two pair for **35c**

Misses' and Children's Lisle Hose---Cadets, Oneidas, in blacks, whites, browns, at **35c to 65c**

Ladies' Summer Union Suits

Munsings' Summer Weight, V Neck, No Sleeve, No Buttons, Closed Gore--Loose Open Knee, Glove Knit Fabric, a suit **85c**

KOZY UNION SUITS, has non-slip shoulders, will not bind the arms, prevents under-arm exposure. The cosiest of all, a suit **50c**

CADET HOSE are guaranteed--your money back if you're not satisfied

C. H. Vincent
DRY GOODS

South Side

reason we overlooked mentioning his return in last week's issue, but The Standard will take occasion to say that in common with all his friends, it is mighty glad to see him back. Boon, strictly upon his own merits, rose to the rank of lieutenant at Headquarters of the 111th Supply train and was stationed at Camp Meade, Maryland, for a number of months. He was just ready for overseas service when an outbreak of influenza spoiled the trip and held them in camp until after the signing of the armistice. He received his discharge from the service about a month ago, but visited home folks and friends at Elgin, Texas, for a few weeks before returning to Brady.

Last week The Standard published a "Dere Mabel" article written by Capt. Chas. C. Ingram of the 36th Division. The article dealt with all the exasperating and onerous experiences of the captain during his lifetime, and stated that of all, the worst was the mud of so-called "Sunny France." The letter wound up by the simple statement, "I want to go home." The article was a clipping from one of the state papers, and had been handed us by a Brady lady because of its humorous and altogether unique exposition of the captain's complaint. Its publication in The Standard was quite a co-incident, however, inasmuch as it chanced that this same Ingram was a lieutenant at Camp Bowie, and was with the same company as was McCord Harrison of this city. Ingram was well remembered for many courtesies to Mrs. Harrison and mother, Mrs. J. P. Schaeg of this city. He was promoted to captain just before the 36th

was moved out of Camp Bowie. Mrs. Schaeg is preserving Capt. Ingram's "Dere Mabel" letter for the scrap book she is preparing for her grand-daughter, Virginia Frances Harrison.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, it has pleased the Grand Ruler of the Universe to call from the Bible class here to the Grand class above, our beloved sister, Mrs. B. A. Hallum, and

Whereas, we, as a class, have lost a beloved and faithful member—we deeply deplore her loss as a classmate, neighbor and friend, and her family a most precious companion and tender mother.

Therefore, be it resolved, that we tender our heartfelt sympathy to her loved ones in their deep sorrow and especially ask God to comfort and keep her companion, and motherless children.

Lovingly submitted,
MRS. J. A. SNIDER,
MRS. L. E. GLOVER,
MRS. L. A. WILLIAMS,
Committee.

Lily Darling Stoves. O. D. Mann & Sons.

JOHN A. ROLES REVISES POPULAR SONG TO FIT THE HAPPY HOME-COMING

Feb. 13, 1919.

"Editor Brady Standard:
To tune of 'Good-Bye Broadway, Hello France':

"Good-bye trenches, hello States, we're coming back to stay; good-bye whizz-bang, Huns and cooties, we don't like your way. Bully Beef we're full of you—we want no more hard-tack, so good-bye trenches, hello States, your Soldier boys are coming back.

"Pvt. John A. Roles,
"U. S. Army. A. E. F."

DISCHARGED SOLDIERS. WRITE FINANCE OFFICER FOR \$60 BONUS DUE

Persons who were discharged from the army prior to the signing of the bill providing \$60 bonus for all soldiers honorably discharged from the army who enlisted or were inducted during the world war, may obtain the bonus by writing to the Zone Finance Officer at the Lemon Building, Washington, D. C.

In order to obtain the money the discharge certificate must be sent or the order of relief or the paper bearing the indorsement of final pay, with a statement of military service since April 6, 1916, giving the place of induction, the first military station and the address to which the check must be sent.

When settled, all the personal papers will be returned and no further correspondence will be held. Persons are advised to apply for the bonus immediately.

Persons who are discharged after the passage of this bill will receive the bonus with their final pay check, which will include all back pay.—Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

You will find we have as complete a stock as will be found in this section, in Hardware, Furniture, Implements, Harvesting Machinery, Wagons, etc. We are anxious to have you figure with us on your wants in our line, knowing we can save you some money on your purchases. Broad Mercantile Co.

Woodbury Soap, 25c per box. A. R. HOOPER.

The Special

Train Load of PAN Cars

is on its way to San Antonio and is expected to arrive early next week. There are sixty cars in this shipment.

The live dealer will be on the ground early to take advantage of the opportunity to secure immediate delivery and choice territory.

S. C. Pandolfo, President and General Manager of the company, will arrive in San Antonio Monday and will be ready to give his personal attention to all applications for territory and cars. You will find him at the St. Anthony Hotel.

PAN MOTOR COMPANY
SAINT CLOUD, MINNESOTA.

TAN-NO-MORE

The Skin Beautifier

The most scientific and most wonderful

facial preparation of the modern age. It imparts to the skin a velvety softness and delicacy which is delightful appearance and pleasing in its effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the Sun and Wind. In the evening its use causes a faultless complexion. All dealers 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Baker-Wheeler Bldg., Dallas Tex.



EASTER

Is Only a Few Weeks Off. Now is the Time to Order Your New Spring Suit

For the young man who likes novelty and class in his clothes--for the business man who wants a substantial, well-fitting business suit, there is no better line than the famous Ed V. Price & Co.

Our Samples are Ready for Inspection--Let Us Fit You

Mann Bros.

Tailoring

Gents' Furnishings



ED V. PRICE & CO.

The Best In Fresh and Cured Meats

Always to be had at our market. We kill our own meat, and select only the best and choicest stock.

Give Us a Trial--You'll Come Back
We buy Butter and Eggs, Fat Hogs Cows and Yearlings

Townsend & Strickland Market
PHONE 75

THE Acid Test

The acid test of Paint is Time

Masury Paint Lasts

WE SELL IT

E. B. RAMSAY



Central Drug Store, Brady, Texas

HENRY KING SENDS RELICS TO HOME FOLKS—PROMOTED TO RANK ORDERLY SERGEANT

T. J. King and family are in receipt of a number of relics of the great war from their son, Henry, who has been in overseas service for over a year now. The souvenirs include a German gas mask, mess kit, machine gun belt and German time fuse. Writing from Maubege, France, Henry states that he has been promoted to rank of Orderly Sergeant, jumping the rank of Sergeant of the 1st class entirely. His new rank is the highest of the enlisted men, and makes him a staff officer. He was scheduled to go before an examining board for promotion, but was exempted and given his new rank without any examination whatever. He thinks this will be his last promotion, as since the armistice, they have not been handing out commissions anyway. At that, he is fully satisfied and states he does not care in the least for the rank of second lieutenant.

For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes 30c and 60c at all drug stores.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S APPLICATION TO MAKE MINERAL LEASE.

No. 336.
In the Guardianship of the Estate of Eunice Stevens et al, Minors.
R. L. Stevens, Guardian.
In County Court, McCulloch County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, R. L. Stevens, Guardian of the Estate of Eunice Stevens, Gladys Stevens, Lucile Stevens, Oscar Lee Stevens, and Joe Stevens, Minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of McCulloch County, Texas, authorizing me as Guardian of the estate of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the Court may order and direct of the following described real estate belonging to the estate of said wards, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to 135 acres of land more or less, in McCulloch County, Texas, out of M. Burkhardt Survey No. 929, Certificate No. 877, patented to M. Burkhardt by Patent No. 189, Volume 13, and being the portion of said Survey that lies West of the right of way of the Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railroad Company, which application is here referred to and made part hereof for all purposes; said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in the City of Brady, Texas, on the 22nd day of March A. D. 1919.

R. L. STEVENS,
Guardian of the Estate of said Minors.

Bad Taste in Your Mouth.
When you have a bad taste in your mouth you may know that your digestion is faulty. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will usually correct the disorder. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. You will find this to be one of the best medicines you have ever become acquainted with.

Window Scrim, per yard, 10c.
A. R. HOOPER.

Mr. Oil Man—We want your business in Pipe and Pipe Fittings, Oil Well Casing, in fact we handle everything you need for pumping, from the bottom to the top. Your business will be appreciated and taken care of if entrusted to us. Broad Mercantile Co.

A lot of good second-hand Corrugated Roofing for sale, cheap. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Nothing to keep; everything for sale. McCulloch County Oil-Lease Exchange.

Good Quality bleached Domestic, 25c per yard. A. R. HOOPER.

Flashlights, and Flash Light Batteries. Broad Mercantile Co.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the Brady Independent School District on the 5th day of April, 1919, the same being the first Saturday in said month, for the purpose of electing (4) four trustees for said School District to serve for a period of two years.

J. M. Duke is hereby appointed manager of said election and he is directed to appoint such assistance as is necessary to aid him in holding said election, and shall hold said election in accordance with the laws of Texas governing elections and shall make returns of said election to the Board of Trustees of the Brady Independent School District within the time prescribed by law.

Dated this 11th day of March, 1919.

W. H. BALLOU,
Secretary Board Trustees, Brady Independent School District.
E. L. JONES,
President of Board.

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. \$1.25 a bottle.

1250 Extra Copies Of The Brady Standard

This week being sent to a selected list of citizens in all parts of Texas, who are interested in the oil game.

Next Week We will again circulate 1250 Extra Copies to the same list--completing a three weeks advertising campaign for the McCulloch county oil fields.

Place Your Ad in Our Next Week's Issue, and Take Advantage of This Additional Circulation.

The Brady Standard Always a Leader---All Ways

Have big stock of hay, oats and grain. Let us supply you.

MACY & CO.

Coming to Brady?

When you come to Brady be sure to EAT at the CITY CAFE

First-Class Short Order Service

Tables for parties and for the ladies. The best of everything the market affords

An Attractive, Well-Cared-for Place to Dine

Tailoring in Connecticut.

We have a Cleaning and Pressing department in connection, and are prepared to give prompt, satisfactory and reliable service in this line.

WE INVITE A TRIAL---WE'LL PLEASE YOU

The City Cafe

G. L. HOLLON, Prop.

East Side Square Next Door to Penny Store

The Security National Bank

DALLAS, TEXAS

Condensed Statement of Condition as Made to Comptroller of Currency on March 4th, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$11,061,955.47
United States Bonds, Par	1,501,000.00
United States Liberty Bonds and Certificates	2,443,933.61
United States Bonds Borrowed	743,400.00
Other Bonds, Stocks and Securities	576,788.33
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	60,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures and Other Real Estate	339,766.27
Cash—	
On Hand in Vault	\$ 931,737.06
With Federal Reserve Bank	736,987.17
With Other Banks	3,937,314.84
With United States Treasury	75,000.00
Customers Liability Account Acceptances	500,000.00
	\$22,907,882.75

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in	\$1,500,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	585,894.30
Dividends Unpaid	598.50
Circulation	1,500,000.00
Customers United States Bonds Deposited	743,400.00
Rediscunts with Federal Reserve Bank	1,195,752.45
Bills Payable with Federal Reserve Bank	500,000.00
Deposits—	
Individual	\$10,641,502.62
Banks and Bankers	4,502,834.88
United States Government	1,237,900.00
Acceptances Account Customers Liability	500,000.00
	\$22,907,882.75

FINANCIAL institutions, corporations and individuals whose interests require a Dallas connection will find this bank equipped to render distinctly efficient service.

OFFICERS

D. E. WAGGONER, President	D. D. ROGERS, Asst. Cashier
M. H. WOLFE, Vice-President	J. W. ROYALL, Asst. Cashier
S. J. McFARLAND, Active Vice-President	FRANK AYRES, Asst. Cashier
R. B. STICHTER, Vice-President	RUPERT ELDRIDGE, Asst. Cashier
W. H. GASTON, Vice-President	A. E. KENDRICK, Asst. Cashier
EDWIN HOBBY, Vice President and Cashier	

WILD CAT NO. 2

If you do not want to pinch a Wildcat's tail do not read the rest of this advertisement. JAS. E. FERGUSON.

Five weeks ago I announced that an \$80,000.00 company would be organized to drill for oil on my 6202 acres in Bosque County, Texas.

I asked for 600 people to put up \$100.00 each to be spent in drilling a well. In three week's time there was subscribed over \$85,000.00 or \$25,000.00 more than was asked for, and subscriptions continue to come in.

As a result of my action the oil people have been attracted to Bosque County and business has picked up. It is now plainly evident that a thorough test is going to be made to find Bosque oil. Drilling on my First Wildcat will begin in a very short time, and there are five more wells under contract to be drilled just as soon as the machinery can be put on the ground. Prices of land have jumped up and large tracts of land for leases are now exceedingly difficult to obtain.

Seeing this condition coming, I began ten days ago to secure 5000 acres of land in the immediate vicinity of the 6202 acres upon which my first Wildcat runs, for development in case we were oversubscribed. So now I am organizing an association of \$100,000.00 stock, reserving \$25,000.00 of same and the usual one-eighth royalty goes to the owners of the land; and I am asking 750 people to buy as much as one share for \$100.00 each, making a total of \$75,000.00 to be spent in actual drilling for oil less only the actual expense of advertising and organizing the association.

Liberty bonds taken at face value.

No commissions paid or stock salesmen employed. There is no guarantee that we will strike oil, and you may lose your money, if you invest. Therefore, do not put any more in this or any other oil speculation than you can afford to lose. Any man that guarantees that his company is going to strike pay oil is either a crook or fool.

I guarantee to give my personal attention to the drilling of the well and that each stockholder will have his proportionate interest in any well drilled and all the revenues of the company from every source.

If we have no bad luck we will be able to drill two wells 3500 feet deep and if we hit a gusher on this 5000 acres situated near Meridian, it will be worth ten million dollars and a \$100.00 investment will be worth anywhere from ten to twenty thousand dollars.

So if this appeals to you just write me direct at Temple, Texas, or send your money to W. W. Lynch, cashier of Temple State Bank who will act as temporary trustee pending organization of the company. Do not delay as I expect to be drilling by April first. We may organize for \$50,000.00.

This Wildcat is black just like Number One; the same color of the oil and when they begin walking nights and messing in that greasy stuff, really there will be a rattling of dry bones and something doing.

JAS. E. FERGUSON

JEFF MEERS OIL CO. 1ST ALL HOME CO. ORGANIZED

The Jeff Meers Oil Co. is the first all-home oil company to be organized in Brady and McCulloch county. The company is to be capitalized at \$100,000.00, and is to be operated under a declaration of trust, with shares selling at \$1.00 par value.

Mr. Meers recently acquired control of 3,840 acres in Concho county from the Shultz Oil Co., and Mrs. Cora Hargroves. This acreage is located 4 1-2 miles Northeast of the Shultz well in Concho county, 4 miles Southwest of the Tidal Miller No. 1 in Coleman county, 6 1-2 miles South of the Gulf Production Co.'s Russell well No. 1 and 20 miles Northwest of the Lohn shallow field. Mr. Meers is including with this acreage a 40-acre offset to C. S. Thomas No. 1 Salt Gap well, and an 80-acre tract out of the Hall-Dutton tract and close in.

The first well to be drilled by the company will be a 3500 ft. test on

the Concho county acreage, and in the meantime the development of the various tests in McCulloch county will prove up the other acreage. In the Shultz well, the Lohn sand was had at 1400 ft., and Mr. Meers expects to get a good producer in his test at that depth, as the structural conditions are ideal. The report of the geologists on this tract is all that could be asked for, and Julius Fohs' report in one of the leading oil journals, regarding the probable extent of the oil field area, places the Northwest part of McCulloch county and the Northwest three-fifths of Concho county as being in some of the most likely territory. Consequently Mr. Meers is very sanguine of bringing in a big producer.

The location for the well will be made as soon as engineers can complete the surveying of the tract, and in the meantime the organization of the company will be pushed to completion.

New Home Sewing Machines. O. D. Mann & Sons.

McCulloch County Oil-Lease Exchange. Nothing to keep; everything to sell.

BRIEF HISTORY OF OPERATIONS IN COUNTY-DEVELOPMENT RAPID

PAST 90 DAYS SEES OPERATIONS JUMP FROM DOZEN TESTS IN ALL TO TWENTY-FOUR DEEP AND FORTY-TWO SHALLOW TESTS CONTRACTED OR IN OPERATION.

The Standard is being sent this week to between 1,000 and 1,250 new readers, and in order to acquaint these readers with the past and present operations, The Standard has prepared the following brief history of the McCulloch county oil operations.

Oil operations in McCulloch county date back seven years, when J. Meers and H. Meers bought a tract of 208 acres near Lohn and began trying for oil. The tract was part of Survey No. 1105, and seven wells were drilled by the Meers brothers, only one of which was a dry hole. The production from the seven wells ran from eight to twenty-five barrels, which tested out a very high grade, with paraffine base. However, with no roads, no trucks or other adequate means of transportation, and with no market for the oil (oil was then selling for 70c a barrel) the venture did not prove a great success. The more wells that were drilled, the greater the expense became to the owners to provide storage and to find a market. Consequently, after a year's work, interest in the oil proposition subsided and the wells were abandoned. The wells gradually became obstructed; some were plugged up by boys at play and, in fact, the whole of Meers Bros.' early efforts were lost in the course of time. Besides the shallow wells, which were all brought in at a depth of from 210 to 215 feet, Meers Brothers also drilled a 1,078-foot hole on the same survey and besides striking the 200-foot sand, struck two other showings of oil, one at 600 feet and the other at 1,088 feet. The log of this well is still preserved and is an accurate bit of information for the drillers now operating in the county.

There were a number of other shallow wells drilled about the same time as those mentioned above, in all of which gas and oil in greater or less quantities were found. Although Meers Brothers abandoned their attempts, they did not lose their enthusiasm and after years of efforts, about a year and a half ago, succeeded in interesting C. S. Thomas of Los Angeles, Calif., in the McCulloch county structure. Thomas sent Prof. W. L. Watts, for thirteen years head of the geological department of the State of California, to McCulloch county, and Prof. Watts made a seven months' technical survey of the county. In his final report he approved of three tracts of acreage in the county for his company—one at Whiteland, the second at Salt Gap and the third at Cow Gap.

Prof. Watts, however, was not alone in his favorable report on McCulloch county. Geologists who have visited here state they have never before seen such splendid structure exposed as is to be found in McCulloch county. After making a survey of the western part of the county, M. J. Munn of Tulsa, Okla., expressed his opinion of this territory by saying he "would not be surprised to see Mexico production" developed there. The shallow sands at Lohn have been proven to extend out into the Salt Gap section in the Prairie Oil & Gas Company's test on the Zelle tract, which is drilling on Salt Gap structure. In fact, the whole northwestern part of the county has been proven up as a shallow field.

The structure that is found in the west and northwest part of the county appears to be the major structure of the Pennsylvania area in Texas, from the fact that it has been traced from south of Salt Gap to Ranger, Texas, and wherever drilled, has proven to be productive. The Prairie Oil & Gas location, the Smith & Jergins location, the C. S. Thomas Salt Gap location and the Cooper-Shields location are all on this structure, and as all of the wells drilled on this structure as far south as the Sinclair well and the Bailey well in Brown county, and southeast of Santa Anna in Coleman county, have proven productive great things are being anticipated from all wells drilled on this structure in McCulloch county.

The reports of the geologists were not confined to this one section, however, and numerous geologists have

only interested in the McCulloch county field, will find Opportunity knocking at his door NOW!

No Worms in a Healthy Child
All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the Child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 5c per bottle.

Our stock of Pipe and Pipe fittings is complete. Can fill your orders promptly. O. D. Mann & Sons.

ADVERTISING OF HILL RANCH COMPLETED FOR WIDESPREAD DISTRIBUTION

The Standard has this week completed the printing of a large quantity of advertising material for Lawrence Miller of Dallas, who recently acquired the J. H. Hill 5,383 acre ranch, and which lies four miles south of Brady. Mr. Miller proposes to cut this ranch up into 10, 20 and 40-acre blocks, to be sold at \$15 per acre. The Hill ranch is daily becoming a better proposition for the investor, because of its proximity to the tests being made and under contract south, southeast and southwest of Brady, and which will serve to prove up this tract. In fact, it is but one of a number of large tracts in this section of the county that have recently been purchased by prominent oil men and investors, and it now appears that development in this part of the county will become as rapid and as extensive as has been the case in other sections.

Included in McCulloch county, by reason of the extensive advertising being obtained much added publicity, and this in turn is sure to result in extensive additional development. In other words, like a snowball, the development is growing as it gains momentum.

BRADY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Offers its Services Freely
TO OIL MEN AND INVESTORS

Interested in
McCULLOCH COUNTY

**The Next Big Attraction in
The West Texas Oil Field
Development Spreads**

FOUR MORE DEEP TESTS

Contracted; Also Seven Additional Shallow Wells, Making

24 DEEP TESTS--42 SHALLOW WELLS

Shallow wells are being brought in at around 215 feet, producing 15 to 40 barrels per day. Values are advancing steadily. Some of the deep tests should reach production soon, then the big jump will come.

**Your Opportunity is Now!
Come to McCulloch County!**

Write for our new map, giving detailed information
Inquiries for special information given prompt attention

Brady Chamber of Commerce

Brady, Texas

DR. COOK, ARCTIC EXPLORER VISITS OIL FIELDS HERE

That Brady and McCulloch county are attracting the big guns interested in the oil game received further proof the past week when Dr. Frederick Cook, famous explorer and scientist, and W. D. R. Eccles, sugar refiner and representative of accumulated millions of capital, accompanied by other oil men of prominence, visited here. The party came unannounced last Friday and their stay in Brady was only a brief one, consequently they were seen and interviewed by only a comparative few citizens. They left here for a visit to the Comanche county fields, going out by way of Lohn to visit the field there.

Dr. Cook is internationally famous by reason of his remarkable Arctic explorations, and also because of his claim to having been the first to discover the North Pole. He and his associates have been interested in the Wyoming oil fields, and have only recently come to Texas, making their headquarters in Fort Worth. Dr. Cook is a magnificent specimen of manhood, and has a very engaging personality, as a result of which he has won many friends and warm adherents in Texas.

FOR QUICK SALE.
Fifteen 10-acre blocks 3 miles south of C. S. Thomas well No. 2, E. 1-2 of Surv. No. 1667. Will not furnish abstract, but will furnish Atty's. on the land. Act now! O. L. McSHAN.

Black-Eyed Peas, per lb. 10c. A. R. HOOPER.

De Laval cream separators. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Myers Brothers

Cheap Cash Grocers

Just arrived a car of Bowley's Best Extra High Patent Flour same as pre-war flour. If in need in the line of Groceries we are here to save you money on your purchases.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT WAY BELOW THE MARKET PRICES.

Myers Brothers

For Groceries and Feed

Attend Our DOLLAR SALES And Save Dollars

Every Week We Will Offer Big Dollar Values in Our Dry Goods Department

35c Gingham Five yards	\$1.00
Blue Chambray Shirts, regular 75c value, three for	\$1.00
25c Cretonnes Five yards	\$1.00
\$1.25 and \$1.50 All Color Wool Serge	\$1.00
25c Dimity Checks Five yards	\$1.00
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Ladies' Waists	\$1.00
35c White Cambric Five yards	\$1.00
30c Brown Domestic Seven yards	\$1.00
50c value, good heavy Bath Towels, 3 for	\$1.00
75c and \$1.00 Silk Hose, 2 pair	\$1.00
\$1.50 Corset Covers for	\$1.00
Good Heavy Bleached Domestic, 5 1-2 yards for	\$1.00
Narrow Percales Seven yards for	\$1.00
Wide Percales, regular 35c and 50c values, Four yards	\$1.00
Ladies' Hose, regular 25c and 35c sellers, six pairs for	\$1.00

H. WILENSKY

"The Price is The Thing" M. Simon Building

EXCESSIVE ACIDITY
is at the bottom of most digestive ills.

KI-MOIDS

for indigestion afford pleasant and prompt relief from the distress of acid-dyspepsia.

MADE BY SCOTT & BOWNE
MAKERS OF SCOTT'S EMULSION