Another Million Dollar Rain Visited the Brady Country During the Past Week

OUR DALLAS VISITORS

Trade Excursionists in Informal Luncheon Monday Night.

The ninth annual trade excursion of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, traveling in a special train of Pullman sleepers with dining car attached, visited Brady Monday. There were about 100 of the Dallas jobbers and business men in the party, and they brought their band along, and a good one it was. The party arrived in Brady about 6:30 Monday afternoon. Brady business men had arranged a somewhat hurried and informal program for their entertainment, maining open for the occasion bulk.—San Saba News. until long after the usual 7:00 o'clock closing hour.

About 9:00 o'clock the band called the visitors and local citiluncheon, and the hall was soon had a relapse of the mumps some the concensus of opinion that the occasion. Mr. Stallings in his on Saturday's train. address called the attention of the visitors to Brady's commercial importance, giving an array of facts and figures which im: vacant lot in the rear of the up the work and complete it, pressed the Dallas men visibly. Brady National Bank and it can Messrs. Matthews and Savage

Dallas Chamber of Commerce, make comfortable arrangements that the money secured is propresponded briefly, and intro- for a summer resort for enter- perly expended in localities duced Mike T. Lively, whose address was brim full of humor always enjoyed the confidence of be thrown away, but competent and brought a smile that the public and the manner in men will be employed—men who wouldn't rub off for the balance which they have conducted the can be depended on to do the of the evening. Other speakers Lyric commends them to all. for the evening were Messrs. J. E. Shropshire and D. Doole, Jr., turned Saturday from Temple is at liberty to drive out and infor Brady, and W. L. Crawford, and Belton, where they had been spect the work as it proceeds, Jr., and J. H. Ardry, for Dallas. for some weeks.

The luncheon, while not an elaborate affair, was nicely arranged and handled by Mine Host H. N. .Cook, of the Queen Hotel. Mr. Cook had everything Brady and Fife This Week, Brady and in splendid order, and served without confusion. The menu consisted of olives, pickles, several kinds of sandwiches, coffee, ice cream and cake. The evening was most pleasantly spent and the guests repaired to their cars at a late hour. Their train left for Brownwood at 5:30 next morning.

Dallas is the great jobbing town of Texas, and is rapidly developing into one of the greatest jobbing centers of the South. These trades excursions of the Dallas men are doing much to games-today, Friday and Saturbring about this condition. They serve to keep the Texas jobber in touch with the retail dealers over the state, and promote a feeling of friendliness and cooperation that is worth much to the trade. Brady is glad to have has the opportunity of entertaining these men, and extends them an invitation to call again.

Paul Willoughby smashed a lamp and fender on his new Cadillac Monday evening in the lish bull dog lost his life yesterautomobile procession by running into the machine in front of ing auto driven by G. W. Vierhim.

A cement walk and curbing has been completed in front the Craddock building and an awning is being erected, which adds consid- Lockhart attended commenceerably to the attractiveness of the new building.

W. H. Ballou, for a number of years past acting cashier of the ed his position to take effect within the next few weeks. Mr. Ballou will try ranch life awhile, and will shortly move to his ranch in Midland county.

Mr. Ballou is deservedly popular with both the patrons and officers of the Brady National. He is a strict business man, ever courteous and obliging, and posable asset to the bank for all these years.

The Standard trusts that Mr. prove both pleasant and profitable to him.

and the visitors were turned others will store their clips here will contribute. loose to hunt up their respective with Mr. Edwards and they will

> twenty-eight years of age, who work of Brady died Saturday at

L. O. Daniel, president of the be depended on that they will say that they will personally see tainment. These gentlemen have where most needed. It will not

GAMES MATCHED

Ballinger Next Week, Each in Three Same Series.

Manager Lee Jones is meeting with success in his work of raising funds for the baseball team, and while he has not quite reached the \$600 mark necessary to guarantee a three-months season, the list now totals over \$500 witha strong possibility of growing larger.

Fife will be here for three day. Ballinger will be here next week for three games-Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The local team has been putting in considerable time at practice and Brady expects to annex a majority of the six games. Grounds have been prepared at the cotton yard, and a grandstand will be erected. Games will be called at 4:00 p. m. each day.

Mrs. M. L. Stallings' fine Engday by getting in front of a movling. Prof. Stallings is thus deing lodge meetings hereafter.

Will Roberts, Jr., and Frank ment exercises at Brownwood, returning yesterday.

WILL WORK EDEN ROAD WAS SENSON TO THE WORK EDEN ROAD WAS SENSON TO

Brady Business Men Entertain Dallas Brady National Bank, has resign- Brady Citizens Interested in Important Matter Called to Their Attention by The Standard,

Tuesday morning Joe Matthews and D. F. Savage started a subscription paper to secure funds for working the Brady-Eden road, which has been in bad shape for some time. They reedge which has made him a valusuccess than they expected, and the list hereto appended shows how the business men of Brady Ballou's life on the ranch will Matthews and Savage say that regard the matter, Messrs. they did not get to see everybody, and that any others wish-W. C. Edwards has completed ing to contribute may leave their and they were met at the depot shearing his sheep and is stor- money with Mr. Matthews. by citizens in automobiles and a ing his clip in the Farmers' There are a number of such parade formed to the business Union Warehouse. He has about parties whose names do not apdistrict. Here the band played, 7000 pounds. J. H. Lindsey and pear and whom they feel sure

These gentlemen say that in lines of business, all stores re- bring buyers here and sell in making the rounds it was frequently stated that, while the Will Boldra, a man about party approached did not think this was the right method of has been working on the street having the road worked, still they were all more than willing zens to the place prepared for the home of John Russell. He to contribute. It seemed to be comfortably filled. The festiv- time ago and also contracted commissioners court should atities were opened by Tom Bell, slow fever, which resulted in his tend to this road matter, in which who in his usual happy vein in- death after an illness of about opinion they agree. But the troduced Prof. M. L. Stallings, forty days. The body was ship- road being in such bad shape who acted as toastmaster for the ped to his former home at Cisco there is no time to wait upon the court, as action must be had at once. They think that by the The managers of the Lyric are time this fund is exhausted the erecting an Air Dome on the court will be in position to take

> work right, and they say fur-A. R. Crawford and family re. ther, that any party interested and see for himself how the money is being used. The list

follows:	50000
C. A Trigg	\$10 00
E. L. Jones	5 00
J. W. Matthews	5 00
J. D. Hudson	10 00
D. F. Savage	5 00
G. V. Gansel	5 00
McCall & Anderson	10 00
Souther & Co	5 00
Savage Bros	5 00
Tom Bell	5 00
Commercial Nat'l Bank	
W. T. Melton & Co.	10 00
F. M. Newman	5 00
S. A. Benham	5 00
S. Neumegen	2 50
Paul Willoughby	5 00
T. C. Allen	5 00
Central Drug Store	5 00
A. E. Ballou	2 50
J. I. Daker	5 00
O. D. Mann & Sons	10 00
Brady Lumber Co	5 00
Walker Smith Co	5 00
S. A. Conley	5 00
Scott & Co	5 00
Brady Nat'l Bank	
Rainbolt & Plummer	
J. B. McKnight	
Abney & Vincent	
J. F. Schaeg & Bro	5 00
Alfalfa Lumber Co	5 00
Satterwhite & Martin	2 50
Thompson & Co	5 00
Ino Samuelson was th	rown

jury by having two or three ribs his wool as soon as possible infractured, but we are glad to say stead of storing same with some he is improving nicely.

Mrs. J. G. McCall visited in whereas wool stored is sold in a Brownwood this week.

EXTRA SPECIALS

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX and SPERO, MICHAEL & SON High Grade Tailored Clothing, guaranteed to give entire satisfaction at 1-4 regular prices

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Brady This Week-Many

More to Foilow. Brady is getting to be noted for its wool receipts as well as for cotton, cattle and pecans. Four cars of wool were shipped from Brady this week by Tom Elliott, representing parts of the Ellis, Murchison, Bradford and Harris clips. Mr. Elliott informs The Standard that the wool is coming in pretty lively now, and that by the 1st of the month of wool on the Brady market this wood. season will be heavier than last year, or any other previous year, and will aggregate not less than half a million pounds. Parties desiring to know how much money Brady will pay for wool this season can get an idea by multiplying 500,000 pounds by 25c, which will doubtless be an average price. Mr. Elliott says there were shipped from this point last year 29 cars of wool. Jno. Samuelson was thrown This year there will be more, of from his buggy Saturday even: course. He is an advocate of the prived of the privilege of attending and sustained a painful in-plan of the wool grower selling

storage concern, as he says the

grades thus bring better prices,

lump and the entire storage is

classed together and sold at a

Four Cars of Spring Wool Shipped From is quite an item in the Brady will be held in Memphis, Tenn. country. Aside from the price on the 8th, 9th, and 10th of June, of the wool the sheep man has and we note by press dispatches his increase as additional profit, that Memphis is making great and it is a fact that the meek and preparations for the entertainlowly sheep will graze land not ment of the old soldiers. The fit for any other purpose and rate from Brady is \$15 for the grow fat on the grazing. The round trip, selling June 6, and improved methods of pasturing good for return June 14th, with of the past few years also means privilege of having tickets exmuch to the wool grower. With tended at the other end of the extra high wolf-proof fences the line. The local camp has two annual loss is minimized, and al- delegates who will probably attogether the sheep is a most pro- tend, and there will possibly be fitable animal.

there will probably have been ship- have been working for Broad Lampasas visited the home of ped eighteen or twenty cars. He Mercantile Co., have returned to Mrs. Noble's mother, Mrs. E. E. says, further, that the receipts their former home in Brown- Matthews and incidentally at-

Confederate Re-Union.

The national annual re-union of The wool and sheep industry the United Confederate Veterans other visitors from this section.

Mr. McCorkle and wife, who Earnest Noble and wife of tended the races last week.



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The Brady National Bank

BRADY, TEXAS.

Lee Norrell, of the firm of Batton & Norrell, of Brownwood, is in the city this week in the in
Horace Harden, of Rochelle, ful accident at the ball game Saturation & Norrell, of Brownwood, is in the city this week in the in
Horace Harden, of Rochelle, ful accident at the ball game Saturation and the condition and the caused him to lose one of his nails. The San Saba river and all the whole country through has re-

and Friday.

Over the County News Notes of Interest From Our Country Correspondents

few days and he will be ready for

Grandma Lively, who has been very

Singing Convention.

Convention will meet with the

All singers and lovers of music

SWEDEN ECHOES,

John Nelin was seen going to Brady

with three bales of cotton Saturday.

Sunday evening was well attended.

We notice that Sharp Shooter has

Miss Ruby Hurd was the guest of

R. O. Cowser and family spent Sun-

Hog Breeders.

PLACID PARAGRAPHS.

tary and treasurer; O. H. Robbins, leader; W. V. Day, assistant leader; Mrs. J. R. Gaalt, Organist; and W.

Tom and Frank Powell and Mr.

Wood and Andrew Price, of the

Cawyer farm, were in our town last

Mr. Turnnell, recently from Oregon, has purchased land adjoining our

Mrs. G. W. Bell returned Sunday

Everybody is likely to have kidney

night from a trip to Brady. EFRA.

We extend to him a welcome

Editor Standard:

for Lem West.

Placid, Texas, May 20.

Miss Esther Turn Saturday.

evening with her.

family.

The Stacy District Singing

THE FROG POND FROG.

SECRETARY.

Brady, Texas, May 24.

ill, is improving slowly.

CORN CREEK COBS.

Corn Creek, Texas, May 21 Editor Standard:

We will try to give a few items of nterest from this part of the Creek. About the most interesting thing happened was the few nice showers that fell lately, they put most of the farmers to planting cotton. You can hear them hallowing get up "Jude" from sun to sun. Farmers our way do not think there is enough moisture in the ground to bring up cotton that was planted on flat broke land, still are invited. are hoping to receive another rain to bring it up.

Y. T. Crouch delivered his yearlings last week to Kid Jefferies.

The Corn Creek school closed last Prady, Tex. Priday. We regret to see Miss Max- Editor Brady Standard: well, the teacher, leave for her home, but hope to see her in our midst again soon. While teaching us a successful past term Miss Maxwell has made many friends here who also request to see her leave. gret to see her leave.

A. L. McCoy and family, from Rochelle came over last week and spent the night with his son, Lindsay.

We think G. W. Trowbridge must be a Farmer's Union man, judging from the way he has divided his crop this year. The larger part of his crop he will plant in dry weather beans, and they must evidently be what their name indicates for they would do no good if they were the wet weather kind. Say G. W. where did you get the water to soak those beans in. Well as news is scarce as well as time is I'll close by wishing the editor

Wanted.

Brown & Cline at Conner's wagon yard want to buy all your if he thinks they will keep out the dust eggs and poultry. See them be- and high winds. fore selling.

NEW HOPE HAPPENINGS.

New Hope, Texas, May 20. Editor Brady Standard:

As I missed last week I will try to this week be on time this week.

We are having plenty of rain at day with Mrs. Johanson's parents resent, which is making corn and otton look fine as well as crab grass.

BIG BONNET. Frank Loterdail has a position with The unveiling at Locker last Sun-

lay was well attended. Tuesday night by a Farmer's Union speaking. The attendance was very

Rev. Matlock preached at Locker ast Sunday morning. Mrs. J. A. Crouch is on the sick

ist this week. Joe Eckerts baby has the whooping

Oh My,

Just see the fresh line of can- to be enthused with the organization. On the afternoon of the dies, all new, just on display. Call and see 56 kinds of choice, good sellers at Tom Ball's stand. Yes, it's Tom-the restaurant

The Standard-a winner.

FROG POND CROAKS.

Ruth, Texas, May 19.

Editor Brady Standard: At the time of this writing it is very Friday.

most of the stockmen have survived business in Rochelle last week. so far but they will have to get out

for their stock.

and hunt grass and water pretty soon

Our merchants are in good spirits yet. They say it is going to rain some day. If it don't it will be a long dry spell, won't it Mr. Editor?

Ruth had an interesting best sections of the last Section of the

last Saturday, between the first and second nines. It resulted in victory for the second nine by a score of 10 to

Accidents will happen. Tobe Whitand bladder trouble. in fact nearly ley was walking the place the other day when he saw a hawk dart down everybody has some trouble of this and catch a chicken and while the mother hen was fighting for her young Tobe being fleet on foot ran up and caught the hawk. Tobe says he would like to see some one else do etc.-that's your kidneys. The best daughter, Miss Linda, is a gradthe same thing.

very nicely. week or so and you will feel all right.

ter Mrs. Cumbie and her two pretty little girls attended the all-day sing-dangerous and possibly serious ailng at the Hills Sunday and report a ments. They are perfectly harmless, olly time and a nice singing. and are not only antiseptic, but allay

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lively, W. A. Jackson and wife, Harvey Hall and wife were the pleasant guests of Mr. and Mrs, J. B. Lively Sunday.

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A. J. Bushong and wife have just returned from Coleman County, where they have been visiting relatives the past few days.

Edd Farrar and Charley Smith are courting in Paint Rock this week. Miss Ella Lathem has been visiting er brother, Prof. Lathem of Ruth the

Jim Spiller began shearing his sheep last week

T. J. Spiller has gone to Ballinger. He has a place there and will spend several months in that country seeking better health.

D. F. Sommers, who came into our midst last fall from Oklahoma has gone to Lampasas county for a short stay. His health has been greatly benefited by his trip to McCulloch county, and he says he thinks he will Store.

soon be as stout as he ever was. Misses Ellen and Lona Henderson and Mrs. W. W. Henderson went over to the Spiller ranch Saturday to

e the men shear sheep. Another good rain visited this section of the country last Saturday Stacy Singing Class on June 6th. evening.

Strange about some folks when asked about the rain, they say: Oh we had a good shower, after a genteel good rain has fallen from one to four hours. Wonder what they would call a good rain as

a good rain. The last number of The Standard was a good one. Of course they are all good ones, but I thought the last a dandy.

The correspondents are sure good ones. It is nice to be a reader of the Standard and hear from nearly every part of the county each week.

E. C. Bailey and wife were in Brady Saturday, trading with the merchants

Everybody is invited to the meeting I notice some folks say we order the Meers Gustaff and Oscar Johnson went to Brady to the races on Thursday.

The Ladies Aid Society was entertained by Mrs. Irvine Thursday last.

The Meers Gustaff and Oscar Johnson most of our goods. When such people have anything to sell, such as chickens, turkeys, eggs, butter, vegetables, corn, cotton, hay, hogs, sheep, cattle or horses the home people should tell them that they beg to be excused. Do you think the meal only Meers Gustaff and Oscar Johnson went to Brady to the races on Thurs-Mrs. W. H. Cowser is on the sick excused. Do you think the mail order people would buy these things?

The singing at the church house Nay, all they want is what money you The singing at the church house have. I am a strong advocate of patronizing home industry and home Res. Phone 260 Brady, Texas The Sewing Society met with Mrs. people by: this we keep our money at home. You help me and I will help A. E. Helge Thursday, all report a nice time, and hope to have the pleasyou is my motto. ure of spending just such another

Jim Schooley, one of our old time boys, but now of Paint Rock, is back again. Jim says the upper country was dry when he left it.

N. Woods has leased out his place here and gone to the Fife country. The young folks enjoyed a singing at J. B. Sessom's Sunday night.

Some of our citizens began chop-ping cotton here Monday morning of day with Mr. W. H. Cowser and

Miss Annie Norton is the guest of Misses Annie and Victoria Johnson With best wishes to the editor and correspondents of The Brady Standard and all the people of McCulloch county of which I am A CITIZEN. C. G. Johanson and wife spent Sun-

A pain prescription is printed upon each 25c. box of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. Ask your Doctor or Druggist if this formula is not com-I have registered Poland China plete. Pain means congestion, blood New Hope was brought to life last Boar for service at my place 1 pressure. Head pains, womanly pains, mile south of Sweden church, 5 pain anywhere gets instant relief from

Children's Day at Rochelle.

Rev. D. C. Ross, pastor of the Methodist church at Rochelle, The riding contest came off last Tuesday at A. F. Washe's. The rider was thrown off the mule and that worthy animal proceeded to run off with the saddle but was captured by F. O. Crouch. E. O. won the prize by running on to the out-law and roping him.

As news is scarce I suppose I'll quit for this time with best wishes to all.

Description:

At the request of Rev. Killingsworth who preached for us Sunday afternoon after the reglar B. Y. P. Uservice, we went into a singing class organization for the purpose of sending delegates to a singing convention which meets at Cow Boy on the fifth Sunday. Mat Gault was elected president; Miss Ovia Haywood secretary and treasurer; O. H. Robbins, leader; W. V. Day, assistant leader; that purpose. There will be nother than the request of Rev. Killingsworth who preached for us Sunday afternoon after the reglar B. Y. P. Uservice, we went into a singing class organization for the purpose of sending delegates to a singing convention which meets at Cow Boy on the fifth Sunday. Mat Gault was elected president; Miss Ovia Haywood secretary and treasurer; O. H. Robbins, leader; W. V. Day, assistant leader; sermon, but a program will be O. Long and Osear Gault, delegates to

> On the afternoon of the same Burch, all of Deep Creek set their day the Woodmen will have a well drill here Friday to drill a well decoration service, with dinner Miss Ollie King is visiting the John on the grounds. Westbrook home at Brady.

> Mrs. Will Haywood and little son, and Mrs. W. Z. Stapleton have all been very sick but are better at this price.
>
> —See our bargain counter for GOOD shoes at less than half price.
>
> ABNEY & VINCENT.

A. H. Murchison delivered 200 head of his white face yearlings Willie Vick went to Mercury last to R. H. Flutsch, Saturday at \$17 per head, and they were worth the money. Mr. Murchison is raising some of the best cattle in West Texas, and loses no opportunity to improve his herd .-Menardville Messenger.

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C. A. Anderson and family left Wednesday for Austin, to attend the graduation exercises of the preparatory school in which their thing to do is to get some of DeWitt's uate. Mr. Anderson will be Miss Ruth Coffey, who has been kidney and Bladdder Pills right away about a week, but his fam-Mr. and Mrs. Edd Farrar and sis-In this way, too, you will ward off there for a month or more.

try, the best part of the greatest state in the Union. It will help to gain new citizens. We will do our part, now it's up to you to do A reliable, trustworthy, Democratic .

Lithink Jim's toe will be all O. K. in a creeks here have been on a rise lately. Ceived rain and is looking well.

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The Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Record

Voca, Texas, May 24.

Editor Standard:

We did not show up last week, we were too busy farming to go to the post office.

Everything is looking fine here, all the crops are in fine condition and trip across country.

You help us and we'll help the country.

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BRADY. - TEXAS

C. B. Pugh, a prominent business man of Bangs, was in the city Friday taking in the races and looking over the city. Mr. Pugh expressed himself as being very favorably impressed with Brady.

Miss Helen Latham, of Deer Creek, San Saba county, is visit- 3-year-olds, \$10—Gilette, 1st; ing her sister, Mrs Dr. J. B. Wood, 2nd; best time 0:27 2-5. McKnight.

\$25 Reward.

one who will make affidavit that they have seen either Mr. Miller Brown," 2nd, 2-2-2; W. B. Mckin or Mr. Brown turning stock Lean's "Major," 3rd, 3-3-3; best out of their pens in order to get time 1:03 4-5. them in the city pound. If you don't see these things please quit lying about it.

PAUL SHERIDAN, City Marshal.

Legal blanks in stock at The Standard office:-Blank Notes, Chattel Mortgage, Crop Mort. \$50-E. D. Smith's "Prince," 1st, gage, Release of Vendors Lien, 1-1; John May's "Walton," 2nd, L. C. Woods, of Lohn, was a Single and Joint Acknowledg. 3-2; E. D. Smith's "Pet," 3rd, pleasant caller at The Standard ments, Vendor's Lien Notes; for sale in any quantity. Other blanks in preparation. Call when you need them, or use the

J. C. Bourland, manager of the Bourland Music Co., Brady, came over Monday with a Cable Nelson piano for Miss Lillie Wheeler and sold, while here, Dr. Baze one of those sold with the single of the Wheeler and sold, while here, Dr. Baze one of those sold with the single of the sick, is a sold that was worthless—would you?

Here is what should and can be done!

Now you would not willing y pay for food that was worthless—would you?

Then why pay for medicine until that medicine first proves to you its actual worth?

Positively knowing what Dr. Shoop's Restorative and so for the sick, i say to all "don't pay unless health first returns". And I back my Restorative with a signed and sealed 30 day "No help, No pay" contract.

Brady Machine And Auto Garage CO.

BRADY MACHINE AND AUTO GARAGE CO.

An error made us say last week that Postmaster Doole attended a meeting of the Texas Postmasters' Association at Fort Worth. Mr. Doole attended a meeting of the executive compared to the executive com meeting of the executive committee of the association. The association will meet later in the summer at Waco, and Mr. Doole will be on hand, as he is president of the body.

Notice.

I now have a 'phone at my tailor shop. Those wanting any thing done in the cleaning and pressing line ring 129, and I will call and get same.

CHALK, THE TAILOR, Syndicate Building.

RACE MEET A SUCCESS

Spring Race Meet Attended by Large Crowds Both Days and Some Splendid Horses Entered.

The spring race meet by the Brady Fair Association was pulled off last Thursday and Friday as advertised, and we are informed by the directors that the affair was a success in every sense of the word. Not only were the cash receipts more than enough to pay all expenses incurred, but the meet attracted some unusually good horses, and the races were good. There were more horses here than was the case at the meet during the fair last fall, while the attendance was even better than the directors anticipated. On top of all that everybody was pleased and satisfied, and the association has reason to be proud of the success of the affair. The following are the results of the races:

FIRST DAY:

Free-for-all trot, purse \$100, best 2 in 3-O. J. Stokes' "Barron Banzie," 1st; T. T. Wood's Texas Starmore," 2nd; only two heats necessary; best time

Free-for-all pace, purse \$100-O. J. Stokes' "Hal Geers," 1st, 1-1;-Ed Smith's "Prince," 2nd, -3; W. B. McLean's "Major," rd, 2-4; T. T. Wood's "Hugh Brown," 4th, 3-4; best time 1:08. One-half mile running race, \$50—Oscar Scott's "Old Ira," 1st; Clyde Dyche's "Gray Snob," 2nd; C. D. Kyser's "Tony," 3rd; J. W. Jackson's "Tas Deaver," 4th; best time 0:52 3-5.

Relay race, \$25-Thos. F. Wood, 1st; J. C. Woodward, 2nd; Ed Baker, 3rd.

One-fourth mile dash, \$25-F. M. Edmonson's horse, 1st; Oscar Scott's "Miss May," 2nd; Oscar Wood's "Joe Bailey," 3rd; E. M. Hall's "San Angelo Duck," 4th; best time 0:25.

One-fourth mile dash for

SECOND DAY:

Free-for-all pace, 3 in 5, \$100-I will pay \$25 reward to any. O. J. Stokes' "Hal Geers," 1st, 1-1-1; T. T. Wood's "Hugh

Free-for-all trot, 2 in 3, \$100_ O. J. Stokes' "Barron Banzie," 1st, 1-1; T. T. Wood's "Starmore," 2nd, 2-2.

Relay Race, \$25-Booger Red, 1st; Tom Smith, 2nd; J. C. Woodward, 3rd.

County pace, one-half mile,

IF SICK--WHY PAY

Unless Health First Returns.

Wheeler and sold, while here, Dr. B a ze one of those celebrated Story & Clark pianos. Two more homes made happy.—Mason Herald.

—Men's low cut shoes—tans, ox-bloods and patents—\$2.50 to \$5.00. Abney & Vincent.

—Story & Vincent.

—These books will open up new and beliefed to the same—or else pass their prescriptions by.

If you need more strength, more vitality, more vigor or more vim, use my Restorative a few days and note the immediate improvement.

When the Stomach, Heart, or Kidneys go wrong, then test Dr. Shoop's Restorative is absolutely free if it fails". Let others do the same—or else pass their prescriptions by.

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So write me today for the order.

I have appointed honest and responsible druggists in nearly every community to issue my medicines to the siek.

But write me first for the order.

All druggists sell Dr. Shoop's Restoration and are not authorized to give the 30 day.

So drop me a line please—and thus a disappointment and delays. Tell me also with book you need.

PIONEER STOCK FARM

MERCURY, TEXAS

Dealers in and Breeders of

Fine Stock. Registered Red Polled Cattle, Berkshire Hogs, Barred and White Rock Chickens. Owner of the Celebrated

German Coach Stallion, "VERO 3487" Also Two Fine Jacks, "GIP" and "BLACK TOM"

RED POLL CATTLE

HERD BULL---Oyama 12955. COWS--- "Elsie 16561", "May Blossom 27185", "Hulda 18374", "Xanna 22436", "Rainbow 27380", "Bennenna 27379", "Queen Anne 23125", "Skein 5th 14259", "Lena Roosevelt 16984", "Lula 17044."

BERKSHIRE HOGS

Texas Chief 91355", "Longfellow's Gem 96815." Twenty-five pigs for sale, price \$10 per pig.

CHICKENS --- Two pens of prize winning chickens, both White and Barred Rocks. Prices on application.

The above named stock cannot be surpassed in any country for health, strength, weight and beauty. The breeding is of the purest strains of registered blood, and parties desiring to improve their stock cannot do better than to buy from this stock. By patronizing your home people you get stuff that you can depend upon as being all they are represented to be, thoroughly acclimated and just what you want and need. Call and see for yourself, or address. ant and need. Call and see for yourself, or address,

PIONEER STOCK FARM

J. M. ROBINSON, Prop. MERCURY, TEXAS



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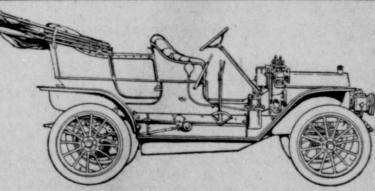
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the special introductory price quoted above; or write for our big Tire and Sundry Catalogue which describes and quotes all makes and kinds of tires at about half the usual prices.

DO NOT WAIT but write us a postal today. Do NOT THINK OF BUYING a bicycl offers we are making. It only costs a postal to learn everything. Write it NOW.

J. L. MEAD CYCLE COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL



2:3; O. J. Stokes' "Buckshot," 4th, 4-3; best time 1:15.

M. Hall's "Angelo Duck," 1st; that purchased.

and fancy vests at \$1.50 to \$3.50. expects the value of his property ABNEY & VINCENT.

Prof. G. C. Sloan of the Brady High School left Saturday for his home in Comanche, where he will spend his vacation.

Taken Up.

Bay horse 10 or 11 years old, about 14 1-2 hands high, branded HE connected on left hip. Apply Standard office.

Lindley Invests in Brady.

Last week Dr. R. A. Lindley Cigar race-200 yards, get on closed a deal by which he bought the ground, light cigar, and re- from W. D. Crothers 50 acres of turn with cigar smoking-P. pretty mesquite land adjoining Woods 1st; J. C. Woodward, 2nd; the Crothers home in north Brady. He also took an option One-fourth mile dash, \$20-E. on 60 acres more land next to

The doctor says Brady is making rapid strides in the onward march and his purchases there -A swell line of men's white were purely for speculation. He to double within a short time .--San Saba News.

The Standard is the largest newspaprr published in the Brady Country. Our readers tell us it is also the "best." What all the people say must be

Dub Doran, of Rochelle was a visitor in the city Friday.

TYPEWRITER SUPPLIES

Users of Typewriters will find a full stock of supplies at The Standard office. The line inludes Ribbons, Carbon Paper, Linen Papers of several qualities, Onion Skin Papers for Manifolding, Manuscript Covers, etc. Anything you need in stock, cut and boxed ready for immediate delivery.

Also the finest grade of Typewriter Oil in small bottles at 10c--enough to run a machine twelve months. These supplies will be sold in any quantity from 10c up.

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North Side Square

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BRADY, TEXAS, MAY 27, 1909

BRADY should be on the look out for the establishment of a college.

BULLY old Brady continues to build and her citizens continue to keep busy.

they're not only just behind but and the business houses have are also just ahead.

croaking now. The dry weather is piled up in the alleys and the croaker is stuck in the mud. EVERY increase made in the

to the length of the Brady pay NOTHING like a little rain to in carrying it out. make the smiles come. Watch

the Brady Country come to the

smoke stack district but adds to

escape you. Brady needs it. per they can be proud of, provid-Why not provide it now while ed they will extend Mr. Goff a time is spent in explaining that we property is cheap?

working order will inspire more town boosters than anything. Let's have one for Brady!

SAY, was thereever finer growing weather than this? The Brady country is all abloom with the breath of spring, and the farm-

San Saba county has ordered an its career.—Bangs Enterprise. election on the question of a bond new court house, and \$72,000 for ed hands, G. H. Hagan, of Stephissue for \$75,000 for building a road improvement.

Brady Fair Association was a shining light in this section, and big success. Now let's all get he now proposes to enter the in the collar and make the fair land business, paying particular this fall the biggest booster attention to immigration. The busy, building, bully old Brady Standard wishes him success, has ever had.

THE McCulloch county farmer has joy in his heart these days.

commercial club worse than any honor her distinguished visitors. thing else. A live, pushing, working organization, with a piad secretary, whose business it ments going on in Brady let the shall be to attend to the club's cement sidewalks be not overaffairs exclusively. Brady's looked. Work is now progresspresent organization is in name ing on over half a mile of these only. The secretary is the only man who is working, and he is By the way, Blackburn street is the busiest man in town with his going to be one of which any own affairs; that's a fact, and city might well be proud when everybody who knows Mr. Doole knows it to be a fact. As postmaster of a third-class office doing the business of a second-class he has as much to attend to as This statement will bear the one man ought to be called upon to attend to, and The Standard is one local institution that can appreciate that fact. Let's reorganize the club on sound business principles. Place the be interested in our clubbing "Yes. Do you know his valet at the club?" membership fee at a nominal rates. We can send you the sum, and grade the monthly Semi-weekly Dallas News, the dues according to the ability Semi-weekly Fort Worth Record, and willingness of a man or firm or the twice-a-week St. Louis Reto pay. There ought to be at public, together with The Standleast ten \$10-a-month members; ard, one year for \$1.75. Call or twenty \$5-a-month; thirty \$2.50- send in your orders.

a-month, and a whole horde of \$1-a-month members. Then the club would have some money to A Single Ballot Has Often Decided an spend in boosting Brady and Mc-Culloch county. A good man there is no telling the good that Hancock. can be accomplished through his efforts. There are many grave this town in the face right now. How else are we to meet them except through organized effort? Now let's get busy. The Standard speaks now for a \$5-a-month membership in such an organiza-

AGAIN The Standard respect-

t. She needs it badly. At this life on the Palisades at Weehawken. season of the year every town needs it, and a drive through the city will show that Brady is, to the majority of other towns. The Standard notes that some towns over the state are appoint-GET ready for good times; ing a day for a general clean-up, agreed to close for a portion of that 'day in order that all may IT's only the frogs that are clean their premises. The trash necessary to decide.-Chicago Journal, city officials furnish men and teams to haul it away. In this manner the entire town could be effectually cleaned up in one day's time, and the plan is so

Our old friend, C. W. Goff, has revived the Bangs Enterprise, and while we have not yet seen a copy we are sure the people of Don't let that city park matter Bangs will now have a newspasufficient patronage. There are A GOOD commercial club in Goff, and The Standard sincerely trusts that his efforts at Bangs will be appreciated and his success will be great—Brady

Those appreciated words are from the last copy of Brady's newest and brightest paper and you, John. The Standard is setting a pace for newspaper ex-THE commissioners court of forefront of journalism early in ing me insane, I tell you; it's driving

THE San Saba Star has changenville, being the purchaser. H. W. Gaston, the retiring THE spring race meet of the editnr, has made The Star a and trusts The Star will continue to shine as brightly as before.

MEMPHIS, Tennessee, With almost the entire county making great preparations for good and wet, farming operations the entertainment of the Confedwill proceed uninterruptedly, erate Veterans in their annual There is no reason why old re-union, June 8, 9 and 10. All McCulloch should not come to veterans who desire free acthe front as usual with a bumper commodations will be cared for in a liberal manner. Hotel rates have been agreed upon, and the Brady needs a rejuvenated city is otherwise getting ready to

> AMONG all the other improvewalks on one street-Blackburn. fully completed.

BRADY is the largest shipping his wife: point in the world for cotton, cattle and pecans, COMBINED. might be added and the statement still be entirely true.

Our readers in the country will his return?"

POWER OF ONE VOTE.

Important Contest.

In the Continental congress of 1775 Benjamin Harrison defeated John could be employed as secretary, Hancock by one vote for the presiding and if we get the right man office. But the Virginian insisted on a new ballot and by his own vote chose

In 1784 the illness of one delegate from New Jersey kept slavery out of states admitted to the Union after business propositions staring 1800 and thus confined the civil war contestants to the south Atlantic

> July 25, 1788, one vote ratified the constitution after the famous debate between Madison and Henry at Rich-The next day the debate between Hamilton and Clinton ended with New York following suit. In 1790 Rhode Island came in with an equally small margin.

Alexander Hamilton swung one vote to Thomas Jefferson in the electoral fully suggests to the city council college of 1800, thus breaking a deadthat a general "clean-up" day be lock after thirty-six ballots and deappointed for Brady. She needs feating Aaron Burr. This really began the feud which cost Hamilton his

In 1808 Jesse Thomas by his own vote went to congress from the Indiana district. He succeeded in moving the northern boundary of Illinois say the least, no better off than fifty miles north, thus giving it a lake outlet. Had Illinois been united commercially with the south and her interests tinged with southern ideas the election of Lincoln could never have taken place, and the whole history of the country would have been different.

May 26, 1868, the senate of the United States declared against the impeachment of Andrew Johnson by one vote, 35 to 19, when two-thirds were

A MISNAMED EXHIBIT.

Brings Joy to the Museum Visitors and Worries the Curator.

A curator at the Metropolitan Museum of Art is threatened with insansimple as to admit of little delay exhibit in the gallery outside his office ity, the cause being a small misnamed

"Twenty times a day," declared the harassed man, "people discover that that china statuette out in the Franklin collection is named General Washington instead of Benjamin Franklin. Then they burst in here and announce their discovery and wonder that no one ever noticed it before. Half my few better writers in Texas than take of the potter who labeled it in France over a century ago and that we cannot change it nor wouldn't if we

"Of course I tell them this courteously and patiently, and you know what a strain that is when you are going over the same thing for the thousandth time! I'd latch the door, only there are too many employee seeking me all day long, so here I we want to say the same back to must sit and listen to the names of George Washington and Benjamin Franklin repeated a million times till I wish that neither of those glorious cellence that will put it in the patriots had ever lived. And it's driv-

Just then the door opened and a lady ped in with:

"There's a statue out here named General Washington, but I'm sure'-And the weary curator, being a southerner, rose smilingly to his task.-New York Times.

A Telegram That Talked.

cisco a fabulous sum was offered her by a local theater for her services for Charles Frohman stood in the way. However, on the nothing-venture-nothing-won theory, she telegraphed a dereceived to Frohman in New York, explained how anxious she was to accept it and wound up with the plea, "Will you release me?" In due course of time she received the following telegram in answer:

Mrs. Georgie Drew Barrymore, Palace Hotel, San Francisco: CHARLES FROHMAN. Albeit disappointed, Mrs. Barrymore at once sent this characteristic reply: Charles Frohman, New York City:

GEORGIE DREW BARRYMORE

Doing Double Duty. "It was one of those sleepy, one

horse, back water towns, like Squash," said a congressman, describing at a Hot Springs dinner a town that he dis. house. They offer him a hand-

"Squash is the limit. A gentleman arrived there the other day and wanted a hair cut. He found the barber shop and, after shaking the barber vigorously, managed to awaken him. "'How long will it take you to cut my bair, barber?' he asked.

"'Not long, boss,' said the barber. "And he rose, yawned and stretched himself. Then he called upstairs to

"'Hey, send the kid down to the closest analysis. Possibly wool here waitin' for a hair cut."-Washington Star.

> "Isp't McCorkie awfully thin since "Yes. Do you know what they call

A Slight.

"They call him the valet of the shadow."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Receive no satisfaction for premedigive it, but keep inexorably at a distance from him who offered it.-Lava-

WAIT A MINUTE

And while you are waiting let us prove to you that we can save you money on each purchase. Some day it will rain---we do not claim to be prophets, but anyone can tell this, and when it does come you are going to need a good planter right now. We realized this and while the cost is more than we expect to get out of it, yet we knew you would have to plant on short time and wanted to assist you in every way possible, and have rushed a car of J. I. Case direct from the factory.

SOME DAY

---it may be soon, we don't know, you are going to need a nice buggy. You are entitled to the best, for in the long run it is the cheapest, and we have selected with great care a variety of Buggies, Hacks, Surreys and Runabouts which we know to be the best the market affords.

We have spent the winter planning for your needs, picking the best from many builders, and immering the prices down by means of cash purchases and large orders until we are satisfied with our buggies. Every buggy is the product of a house of standing --- something we're sure of and therefore willing to offer you with our strongest recommendations.

O. D. MANN & SONS

The Store of Quality

BRADY,

TEXAS

DEPARTMENT STORE

Brownwood, Lampassas and Goldthwaite Capital Wanting to Come Here With New Business.

The Standard stated two weeks ago that Messrs. R. B. Rogers, of Brownwood, A. L. Higdon, of Lampasas, and J. M. Skaggs, At one time when Georgie Drew of Goldthwaite, were investigat-Barrymore was playing in San Fran- ing Brady with a view to putting in an uptodate dry goods estaba few weeks. The offer was exceed- lishment. At that time these ingly tempting, but her contract with gentlemen were figuring on buyinga businessalready established, but having failed to do so we are tailed statement of the offer she had now informed that they will come into this field anyhow, provided a suitable business house can be

> All three were here Monday, and made Mr. G. V. Gansel a rental proposition for a building Y to be erected on the southeast Y coner of the square, on the lots Y now occupied by the Brown I grocery store. Mr. Gansel is figuring with contractors, and I states that if he can make suitable contracts he will build the some rental on a five-year lease, for a building 50x90 feet to be built of brick or stone. Regarding the gentlemen who contemplate this move the Brownwood Bulletin of Monday says:

Messrs. A. L. Higdon of Lampasas, J. M. Skaggs of Gold-thwaite and R. B. Rogers of this city are in Brady today looking newspaper office to tell the editor I over the field with a view of want my scissors just as soon as he's establishing a large department done editin' the paper. There's a gent store there. These gentlemen are among the best merchants in the central west and should they decide to embark at Brady the good people of that section of the country would have cause to rejoice, for they would have large stocks and would be worthy enterprises.

A party of school teachers composed of Miss Campbell, Miss tated impertinence. Forget it and for- Cooper, Miss Matthews, and Miss Caperton left this morning for Mason on visit.

Town?

You live here. Your business interests are here. Your home is

You are reading a Mail Order Catalogue. That indicates that you are not spending your money in this town. You are spending it with strangers in a big city. That city has no use for this town except to get your money.

This town has use for your money. If spent here, your money will help to build up the town. It will help to build up your own busi-



In the long run more of your money will come back to you if you spend it at home than if you send it to Chicago or some other large city. You spend a dollar with Smith, up the street. Smith spends it with Brown, around the corner. Brown is just as likely to spend it with you as with anybody else. Did you ever think of that?

'All of us have to spend money. There is an art in spending it where it will do the most good. If spent so that it will circulate around this town and community, it will help this town and community. You belong to this town and community. Therefore it will help you. Isn't that good logic?

> Suppose you think it over next time you pick up the Mail Order Catalogue.

PATRONIZING HOME **INDUSTRY**

Then buy your ice from the Brady Ice Co., a home institution operated by home people, of and for Brady and the Brady country. We have put in an up-to-date ice plant and are making a first-class quality of ice, and have brought the price down to a basis where all can afford to use it. Therefore, we are entitled to your patronage, and we will appreciate your business. Our wagon is out every day and will call at your house on request. We sell on the coupon book plan, the cheapest and best way to buy ice. We want your business and guarantee satisfaction.

THE BRADY ICE CO..

Wholesale and Retail

Phone 214

S. G. KIMBROUGH, Mgr.

_The Victor Cultivator—nothing its equal shown in Brady. Broad Merc. Co.

Building a reputation on reliability. J. V. Searcy, the new jeweler at Jones Drug Co.

city Saturday and Sunday.

The biggest and best-The

-Stoves at prices that count. Broad Merc. Co.

A. S. Hall, manager of the building on the south side of the driver had three lady passen-Stacy Telephone Co., was in the square, which adds consider gers, and they were forced to ably to the looks of that corner. wade out in water almost waist

Buggies and buggy harness Mrs. Maggie McCan is moving deep. is our hobby. We want your her house to lots purchased in Broad Merc. Co. | the Jones addition.

TALKS ON ADVERTISING

V.—Getting New Customers And Holding Them

By Henry Herbert Huff

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"Mr. Business Man, it costs just so much for running expenses-rent, light, fuel, clerk hire-whether you sell ten or a hundred dollars' worth of goods per day, does it not? You call them fixed expenses. Now, the only way to lower fixed expenses is to increase sales. Up to a certain point all excess business brings you an added profit. It pays to lay hold on all you possibly -can. Advertising offers the best means for increasing trade. New customers are attracted by leaders-merchandise at unusually low prices. An instance is told of an old lady who came nine miles to get a spool of cotton thread for 3 cents, but she purchased several dollars' worth of goods before leaving the store. The ad. has accomplished its mission when it gets a prospective patron within the doors. That is the most difficult part. It is then up to the merchant to make the most of the opportunity and win him for a permanent customer.

"The merchant who utilizes newspaper publicity has the whole world to draw trade from. He is confined to no particular neighborhood. He knows no barriers. Wherever he can send his advertising, there he can solicit business. Some of the more ambitious country merchants are drawing business from the big towns! The advertiser's opportunities are unlimited. Through the newspaper he can reach people he never saw or who perhaps never

heard of his store."

"But how about holding them?" "That depends quite as much upon the merchant as the advertising. If customers receive satisfaction, they will continue to But nothing HOLDS them like continued bargain offers. Have a few new specials every Saturday. Keep the farmers guess-

ing what will come next.'

What advice can you give to the dealer starting in business?" "What more at variance with good judgment could be imagined than for a merchant to come to town, rent a store, fill the shelves and counters with new goods, arrange attractive displays in the windows, put competent salesmen behind the counters and then-WAIT for business; WAIT for people to come in and buy; WAIT for them to find out what he has to sell; WAIT for the public to learn of his very existence? And yet it is not uncommon for one to do this! Advertising would have carried all such information to prospective buyers. He spares no expense to have stock and fixtures the finest and yet neglects the greatest essential of all. Should you inquire why he spends nothing for publicity he would probably say that pleased patrons and his window displays are sufficient advertising. Word of mouth publicity he best, but it is too slow. Gossip has wings, but favorable news travels slowly. And as to the window-a newspaper announcement is often necessary to call attention to it."

BIG RISE IN THE CREEK

Heavy Rains on Upper South Brady Put Creek on Big Tear Saturday Night and Sunday.

Parties living in the lowlands day the water had reached its highest point in years. It came nearly up to the square in the business section, while west of the square the water spread out over a considerable acreage of lowlands. All the campers along since we visited you last. The the creek moved out Saturday rain was very much needed and the railway company. night, and Sunday morning the farmers will now have to get vacate. Still other houses were not inundated and their occupants did not move.

tric light plant, and flowed the pies the editor ate. around the Shore hotel. buildings in this vicinity were below the water mark and had their floors wet, though no par- them a seven pound baby girl. ticular damage was done. The water receded as rapidly as it mother, Mrs. Ince, left one day rose, and by Sunday afternoon last week for Mills county. the creek was again within its

The rain was not heavy in and around Brady, though it constituted a splendid growing, Mrs. Emma Hale. seasoning rain. Melvin reports that the Brady-Eden automobile A cement walk and curbing was caught ten miles out of Eden house-hold goods. They lost a

> rains except the Fife and Wal- most all his cotton seed. drip communities. In these two neighborhoods it is still dry, the showers received not being as yet sufficient to supply the demands. At almost all other points Editor Brady Standard: in the county, however, so far as The Standard is able to ascertain, farming conditions are now tiptop and everybody is in good making rapid progress. Speaking generally, old McCulloch county is now in as good agricultural shape as could be wished for, though crops as a whole are Pearl Cain have also been on the probably a little late for the season. However, there is nothing to prevent a big yield yet in sight.

> "No-Drip" is the most clever little silver Coffee Strainer ever invented. Get one free from Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. by the Coupon Plan. The Coupon and Dr. Shoop's new book on Health them. You can trick any one by as he took the mumps while here. secretly serving Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee at meal time. Your visitor or your husband will declare he is drink- Gap. ing real coffee-and yet there is not a grain of real coffee in Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. Pure grains, malt and nuts give Health Coffee its exquisite taste and flavor. No 20 to 30 minutes boiling. "Made in a minute." Try it from your grocer and get a pleasant surprise. 111b. package 25c. All Grocers.

A Chance to Save Money.

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MELVIN NOTES.

Melvin, Texas, May 24. Editor Standard:

Well we are all wearing smile as we have had a good rain the rain.

Bashful Boy would certainly have liked to been in the editor's place at the Nine barbecue, it The water surrounded the elec- made me hungry to read about

> The old stork which sailed through our midst Thursday night, stopped at the home of Tom Satterfield and wife and left Nathon Woods and grand-

The ice cream supper at Geo.

Hale's Monday night of last week school house Sunday morning. was enjoyed by all.

Misses Alma and Lucy Deering of Lohn, are visiting their sister,

Our big rain Saturday night a very heavy rain, while up in put the creek out of its banks. waterspout. It is reported here and the high water got into the men. house of Mr. Dunn's and completely ruined several of their sion bachelor citizen, Mr. Anderson, but he was asleep at the time and knew nothing about it until All of McCulloch county has about 2 inches on his floor. now been visited by splendid also got into his barn and ruined

BASHFUL BOY.

MILBURN MIX-UPS.

Milburn, Texas, May 24.

We had a fine rain Saturday

The Sunday school picnic here was a very pleasant affair, and humor and hard at work. This dinner was plentiful. Rev. Hull is fine growing weather, and did all he could to make the little where crops are up they are folks have a good time, and I with bents in the back, six at Palacios and other points think the old, as well as the months out of date, but go to in the Gulf Coast Country. She young, enjoyed the day.

Misses Beulah Johnson and sick list but are better.

Little Otho, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Jones, while swinging on a plum limb Thursday, fell and broke his arm.

J. W. Jones went to Zephyr Friday to visit his brother Bob Jones.

F. C. Thames returned to Brownwood Tuesday. Said he Coffee sent to any lady requesting had quite a swell time in Milburn show you. ABNEY & VINCENT.

Rev. Thames attended a rally

meeting Friday night at Onion Milburn and Mercury ball teams crossed bats here Satur-

day, and ended in a victory for Milburn. The boys all think they can go to work now as it has rained.

They say McCulloch county is the best thing they can find. Good wishes for The Stand-

METHOD.

Idaho.



Geraldine-Oh, Johnnie, you've got candy all over your new suit! M-m-m-m! What will mamma say? Johnnie-Well, I know it, but she won't let me have any fun in this suit till it's dirty, so I might's well start.

ROCHELLE RATTLINGS

Rochelle, Texas May, 24

Chester Jones, son of aur townsman lighted with the remarkable growth of our little city and may decide to locate with us permanently.

ed the races in your city last week.

one of the courses of the college during was a visitor to our city this week. Drs. Anderson, McCall and Mc-

The Methodist ladies intend giving known. Among the losses were others in the same locality living busy to get their crops planted as they have all been waiting for the building fund for a new church cattle for Tom McCall, 450 sheep which they plan to erect in the near future. Rev. Ross will act as chief

were here Wednesday on business for

splendid time. Horace Hardin was visiting in your city one day the past week.

for his health. We hope he shall soon be restored to his usual happy self.

your city, was visiting here Sunday. spend several weeks on a recreation trip on the river.

Rev. A. E. Baten, of Brownwood considerable damage. preached an excellent sermon at the services were conducted

light on account of the rain. attending school at Burnett, returned Sunday and will spend the vacation reaching into the thousands. with home-folks.

Several cars of cattle were shipped from the stockpens last week by Dick cannon balls. the Eden country it was almost a The whole valley was under water Sellman, one of our prominent stockmen. "Verily, verily, we say unto you that Rochelle is becoming a cattle shipping point of no mean dimen-

Mr. Oliver, our gin man, is moving A line. are being put down at the Wood and washed into a thicket. The building on the south side of the driver had three lady passen- also got into the house of our portion of two to a farm several

engage in farming this year. Miss Kittie Ranne returned Monday he awoke and found the water been teaching a school for the past trip to Brownwood this week.

> trie light plant system is making some needed improvements, which will add greatly to the light service of this

Joe Burt and family have moved to occupied by Mr. Stewart and family. church July 4th

To Men Who Care.

If you are going to buy a new say's planing mill. Don't buy an old hand-me-down, yesterday to spend her vacation Kirk, the tailor, and be fitted will also visit Colorado during Mrs. Mack Dillard is quite with the latest styles and cloths. the summer. My prices are no higher than you pay for hand-me-downs. Nuf

> chinery. Broad Merc. Co.

bracelets at J. V. Searcy's, the Tuesday.

new jeweler at Jones Drug Co. \$12.50 look like \$20 values. Let us say's planing mill.

carbon papers at Standard office.

BIG STORM AT EDEN

Many Stock Killed and Much Damage Done In Concho County Last Saturday Afternoon.

Portions of Concho county restorm of last Saturday. The rainfall was great, and the hail-Messrs. Tom Heath, Arthur Neel, storm was described as the Paul Haddow and Jim Matlock attendheaviest ever known. The coun-Miss Ruth Sellman is attending the commencement exercises of Howard damaged, consisting of fences and telephone line. week. Miss Olive Sellman, one of our popular young ladies, will finish in cattle and sheep killed and houses moved. Hail stones to J. T. Sinclair, of Richland Springs, the depth of from six to twelve inches covered the prairies, and Knight, of Brady, and Drs. Tottenham and Anderson, of Brownwood, absolutely frozen. The creek was higher than ever before table waiter and we are assured of a Sam Waring, a number of sheep and horses for J. S. Lloyd, and many other losses. Calves, colts, Henry Hardin has gone to Mineral pigs and other smaller animals Wells where he will spend a few weeks were killed by the hail. The were killed by the hail. The storm was about six miles square Mr. Craig, a newspaper man from and extended five miles west of George Brown will leave soon for San Angelo, where he will visit and east and two miles north. Other portions of the county also had

At San Angelo a severe hail Saturday storm raged and the damage to houses and other property in Miss Lela Waddell, who has been that city is said to be immense, Hailstones penetrated roofs like

The Standard, \$1.

-Summer lap robes. The 5-Broad Merc. Co.

-Chattel Mortgage blanks for where he will sale at Standard office.

Claude Baker made a business

Don't fail to hear J. B. Coombs

-Typewriter ribbons and carbon papers at Standard office

Williamson county, where they will reside for a few months. During their absence their residence will be meeting to begin at the Christian

glass work a specialty at Ram

suit, have it made to order. Miss Senath Stewart left

Mrs. Henry P. Jordan and children left Sunday afternoon for a visit to relatives and friends -McCormick harvesting ma- at Stanton, Texas, and Roswell, N. M. Mr. Jordan accompanied See those new designs in them to Fort Worth, returning

-Band sawing, wood turning -Our men's suits at \$10.00 to and stair work done right at Ram-

-A swell line of men's white -Typewriter ribbons and and fancy vests at \$1.50 to \$3.50. ABNEY & VINCENT.

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BRADY should be on the lookout for the establishment of a college.

BULLY old Brady continues to build and her citizens continue to keep busy.

they're not only just behind but and the business houses have are also just ahead.

croaking now. The dry weather is piled up in the alleys and the croaker is stuck in the mud.

EVERY increase made in the smoke stack district but adds to to the length of the Brady pay

NOTHING like a little rain to in carrying it out.

make the smiles come. Watch the Brady Country come to the

escape you. Brady needs it.

Why not provide it now while property is cheap? working order will inspire more

town boosters than anything. Let's have one for Brady SAY, was thereever finer growing weather than this? The Brady country is all abloom with the breath of spring, and the farm-

San Saba county has ordered an its career.—Bangs Enterprise. issue for \$75,000 for building a new court house, and \$72,000 for ed hands, G. H. Hagan, of Stephroad improvement.

Brady Fair Association was a shining light in this section, and big success. Now let's all get he now proposes to enter the in the collar and make the fair land business, paying particular this fall the biggest booster attention to immigration. The a few weeks. The offer was exceedbusy, building, bully old Brady Standard wishes him success, has ever had.

THE McCulloch county farmer has joy in his heart these days. With almost the entire county good and wet, farming operations There is no reason why old re-union, June 8, 9 and 10. All McCulloch should not come to veterans who desire free acthe front as usual with a bumper commodations will be cared for

commercial club worse than any- honor her distinguished visitors. thing else. A live, pushing, working organization, with a piad secretary, whose business it ments going on in Brady let the shall be to attend to the club's cement sidewalks be not overaffairs exclusively. Brady's looked. Work is now progresspresent organization is in name ing on over half a mile of these arrived there the other day and wantonly. The secretary is the only walks on one street-Blackburn. man who is working, and he is By the way, Blackburn street is the busiest man in town with his going to be one of which any own affairs; that's a fact, and city might well be proud when everybody who knows Mr. Doole fully completed. knows it to be a fact. As postmaster of a third-class office doing the business of a second-class he has as much to attend to as one man ought to be called upon to attend to, and The Standard is one local institution that can appreciate that fact. Let's reorganize the club on sound business principles. Place the be interested in our clubbing membership fee at a nominal rates. We can send you the sum, and grade the monthly Semi-weekly Dallas News, the dues according to the ability Semi-weekly Fort Worth Record, and willingness of a man or firm or the twice-a-week St. Louis Reto pay. There ought to be at public, together with The Standleast ten \$10-a-month members; ard, one year for \$1.75. Call or give it, but keep inexorably at a distwenty \$5-a-month; thirty \$2.50- send in your orders.

a-month, and a whole horde of \$1-a-month members. Then the club would have some money to A Single Ballot Has Often Decided ar spend in boosting Brady and Mc-Culloch county. A good man could be employed as secretary, Hancock by one vote for the presiding and if we get the right man there is no telling the good that Hancock. can be accomplished through his efforts. There are many grave business propositions staring 1800 and thus confined the civil war this town in the face right now. How else are we to meet them states. except through organized effort? Now let's get busy. The Stand- between Madison and Henry at Richard speaks now for a \$5-a-month mond. membership in such an organiza-

AGAIN The Standard respectfully suggests to the city council that a general "clean-up" day be appointed for Brady. She needs it. She needs it badly. At this season of the year every town needs it, and a drive through the city will show that Brady is, to ing the northern boundary of Illinois say the least, no better off than fifty miles north, thus giving it a lake the majority of other towns. The Standard notes that some towns over the state are appoint-GET ready for good times; ing a day for a general clean-up, agreed to close for a portion of ed States declared against the imthat day in order that all may It's only the frogs that are clean their premises. The trash city officials furnish men and teams to haul it away. In this manner the entire town could be effectually cleaned up in one day's time, and the plan is so

revived the Bangs Enterprise. and while we have not yet seen a A GOOD commercial club in Goff, and The Standard sincerely trusts that his efforts at Bangs will be appreciated and his success will be great—Brady

Those appreciated words are from the last copy of Brady's newest and brightest paper and you, John. The Standard is set-THE commissioners court of forefront of journalism early in

The San Saba Star has changenville, being the purchaser. H. W. Gaston, the retiring York Times. THE spring race meet of the editnr, has made The Star a and trusts The Star will continue to shine as brightly as before.

MEMPHIS, Tennessee, is the entertainment of the Confedwill proceed uninterruptedly, erate Veterans in their annual of time she received the following telein a liberal manner. Hotel rates have been agreed upon, and the Charles Frohman, New York City: Brady needs a rejuvenated city is otherwise getting ready to

AMONG all the other improve-

Brady is the largest shipping his wife: point in the world for cotton, cattle and pecans, COMBINED. This statement will bear the closest analysis. Possibly wool might be added and the statement still be entirely true.

Our readers in the country will his return?"

POWER OF ONE VOTE.

Important Contest.

In the Continental congress of 1775 Benjamin Harrison defeated John office. But the Virginian insisted on a new ballot and by his own vote chose

In 1784 the illness of one delegate from New Jersey kept slavery out of states admitted to the Union after contestants to the south Atlantic

July 25, 1788, one vote ratified the constitution after the famous debate The next day the debate between Hamilton and Clinton ended with New York following suit. In 1790 Rhode Island came in with an equally small margin

Alexander Hamilton swung one vote to Thomas Jefferson in the electoral college of 1800, thus breaking a deadlock after thirty-six balkets and defeating Aaron Burr. This really be-

life on the Palisades at Weehawken. In 1808 Jesse Thomas by his own diana district. He succeeded in movoutlet. Had Illinois been united commercially with the south and her in terests tinged with southern ideas the election of Lincoln could never have taken place, and the whole history of the country would have been different. May 26, 1868, the senate of the Unitpeachment of Andrew Johnson by one vote, 35 to 19, when two-thirds were

A MISNAMED EXHIBIT.

necessary to decide.-Chicago Journal.

and Worries the Curator. A curator at the Metropolitan Museum of Art is threatened with insansimple as to admit of little delay exhibit in the gallery outside his office ity, the cause being a small misnamed

"Twenty times a day," declared the Our old friend, C. W. Goff, has barassed man, "people discover that that china statuette out in the Franklin collection is named General Wash ington instead of Benjamin Franklin copy we are sure the people of Then they burst in here and announce Don't let that city park matter Bangs will now have a newspather discovery and wonder that no per they can be proughof, provid- one ever noticed it before. Half my ed they will extend Mr. Goff a time is spent in explaining that we sufficient patronage. There are know it well, that it was simply a misfew better writers in Texas than take of the potter who labeled it in France over a century ago and that we

teously and patiently, and you know what a strain that is when you are thousandth time! I'd latch the door only there are too many employed we want to say the same back to must sit and listen to the names of George Washington and Benjamin Franklin repeated a million times till ting a pace for newspaper ex- I wish that neither of those glorious cellence that will put it in the patriots had ever lived. And it's driving me insane, I tell you; it's driving

Just then the door opened and a lady

"There's a statue out here named General Washington, but I'm sure'-And the weary curator, being a south-

A Telegram That Talked. cisco a fabulous sum was offered her by a local theater for her services for ingly tempting, but her contract with Charles Frohman stood in the way However, on the nothing-venture-nothing-won theory, she telegraphed a detailed statement of the offer she had received to Frohman in New York, exmaking great preparations for plained how anxious she was to accept it and wound up with the plea, "Will you release me?" In due course

> Mrs. Georgie Drew Barrymore, Palace CHARLES FROHMAN. Albeit disappointed, Mrs. Barrymore at once sent this characteristic reply

GEORGIE DREW BARRYMORE Doing Double Duty.

"It was one of those sleepy, on horse, back water towns, like Squash," said a congressman, describing at a

"Squash is the limit. A gentleman ed a hair cut. He found the barber shop and, after shaking the barber ing the gentlemen who contemvigorously, managed to awaken him. "'How long will it take you to cut my hair, barber?' he asked.

'Not long, boss,' said the barber. "And he rose, yawned and stretched himself. Then he called upstairs to

ington Star.

A Slight. "Isn't McCorkie awfully thin since

"Yes. Do you know what they call his valet at the club?" "They call him the valet of the

shadow."-Cleveland Plain Dealer. tance from him who offered it .- Lava-

WAIT A MINUTE

And while you are waiting let us prove to you that we can save you money on each purchase. Some day it will rain---we do not claim to be prophets, but anyone can tell this, and when it does come you are going to need a good planter right now. We realized this and while the cost is more than we expect to get out of it, yet we knew you would have to plant on short time and wanted to assist you in every way possible, and have rushed a car of J. I. Case direct from the factory.

SOME DAY

---it may be soon, we don't know, you are going to need a nice buggy. You are entitled to the best, for in the long run it is the cheapest, and we have selected with great care a variety of Buggies, Hacks, Surreys and Runabouts which we know to be the best the market affords.

We have spent the winter planning for your needs, picking the best from many builders, and hammering the prices down by means of cash purchases and large orders until we are satisfied with our buggies. Every buggy is the product of a house of standing --- something we're sure of and therefore willing to offer you with our strongest recommendations.

O. D. MANN & SONS

The Store of Quality

BRADY,

TEXAS

DEPARTMENT STORE

Brownwood, Lampassas and Goldthwaite Capital Wanting to Come Here With New Business.

The Standard stated two weeks erner, rose smilingly to his task.-New ago that Messrs. R. B. Rogers, of Brownwood, A. L. Higdon, of Lampasas, and J. M. Skaggs, At one time when Georgie Drew of Goldthwaite, were investigat-Barrymore was playing in San Fran- ing Brady with a view to putting in an uptodate dry goods establishment. At that time these gentlemen were figuring on buyingabusinessalreadyestablished, but having failed to do so we are now informed that they will come into this field anyhow, provided a suitable business house can be

All three were here Monday, and made Mr. G. V. Gansel a rental proposition for a building to be erected on the southeast coner of the square, on the lots now occupied by the Brown grocery store. Mr. Gansel is figuring with contractors, and states that if he can make suitable contracts he will build the Hot Springs dinner a town that he dis- house. They offer him a handsome rental on a five-year lease, for a building 50x90 feet to be built of brick or stone. Regardplate this move the Brownwood Bulletin of Monday says:

Messrs. A. L. Higden of Lampasas, J. M. Skaggs of Goldthwaite and R. B. Rogers of this "Hey, send the kid down to the city are in Brady today looking newspaper office to tell the editor I over the field with a view of want my scissors just as soon as he's establishing a large department done editin' the paper. There's a gent store there. These gentlemen here waitin' for a hair cut."-Wash- are among the best merchants in the central west and should they decide to embark at Brady the good people of that section of the country would have cause to rejoice, for they would have large stocks and would be worthy

A party of school teachers Receive no satisfaction for premedi. composed of Miss Campbell, Miss tated impertinence. Forget it and for- Cooper, Miss Matthews, and Miss Caperton left this morning for Mason on visit.

You live here. Your business interests are here. Your home is

You are reading a Mail Order Catalogue. That indicates that you are not spending your money in this town. You are spending it with strangers in a big city. That city has no use for this town except to get your money.

This town has use for your money. If spent here, your money will help to build up the town. It will help to build up your own busi-



In the long run more of your money will come back to you if you spend it at home than if you send it to Chicago or some other large city. You spend a dollar with Smith, up the street. Smith spends it with Brown, around the corner. Brown is just as likely to spend it with you as with anybody else. Did you ever think of that?

All of us have to spend money. There is an art in spending it where it will do the most good. If spent so that it will circulate around this town and community, it will help this town and community. You belong to this town and community. Therefore it will help you. Isn't that good logic?

> Suppose you think it over next time you pick up the Mail Order Catalogue.

PATRONIZING HOME **INDUSTRY**

Then buy your ice from the Brady Ice Co., a home institution operated by home people, of and for Brady and the Brady country. We have put in an up-to-date ice plant and are making a first-class quality of ice, and have brought the price down to a basis where all can afford to use it. Therefore, we are entitled to your patronage, and we will appreciate your business. Our wagon is out every day and will call at your house on request. We sell on the coupon book plan, the cheapest and best way to buy ice. We want your business and guarantee satisfaction.

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city Saturday and Sunday.

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The biggest and best-The

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Buggies and buggy harness Mrs. Maggie McCan is moving is our hobby. We want your her house to lots purchased in

TALKS ON ADVERTISING

V.—Getting New Customers And Holding Them

By Henry Herbert Huff

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"Mr. Business Man, it costs just so much for running expenses-rent, light, fuel, clerk hire-whether you sell ten or a hundred dollars' worth of goods per day, does it not? You call them fixed expenses. Now, the only way to lower fixed expenses is to increase sales. Up to a certain point all excess business brings you an added profit. It pays to lay hold on all you possibly -can. Advertising offers the best means for increasing trade. New customers are attracted by leaders-merchandise at unusually low prices. An instance is told of an old lady who came nine miles to get a spool of cotton thread for 3 cents, but she purchased several dollars' worth of goods before leaving the store. The ad. has accomplished its mission when it gets a prospective patron within the doors. That is the most difficult part. It is then up to the merchant to make the most of the opportunity and win him for a permanent customer.

"The merchant who utilizes newspaper publicity has the whole world to draw trade from. He is confined to no particular neighborhood. He knows no barriers. Wherever he can send his advertising, there he can solicit business. Some of the more ambitious country merchants are drawing business from the big towns! The advertiser's opportunities are unlimited. Through the newspaper he can reach people he never saw or who perhaps never

"But how about holding them?"

"That depends quite as much upon the merchant as the advertising. If customers receive satisfaction, they will continue to come. But nothing HOLDS them like continued bargain offers. Have a few new specials every Saturday. Keep the farmers guessing what will come next."

"What advice can you give to the dealer starting in business?" What more at variance with good judgment could be imagined than for a merchant to come to town, rent a store, fill the shelves and counters with new goods, arrange attractive displays in the windows, put competent salesmen behind the counters and then-WAIT for business; WAIT for people to come in and buy; WAIT for them to find out what he has to sell; WAIT for the public to learn of his very existence? And yet it is not uncommon for one to do this! Advertising would have carried all such information to prospective buyers. He spares no expense to have stock and fixtures the finest and yet neglects the greatest essential of all. Should you inquire why he spends nothing for publicity he would probably say that pleased patrons and his window displays are sufficient advertising. Word of mouth publicity h he best, but it is too slow. Gossip has wings, but favorable news travels slowly. And as to the window-a newspaper announcement is often necessary to call attention to it."

BIG RISE IN THE CREEK

Heavy Rains on Upper South Brady Put Creek on Big Tear Saturday Night and Sunday.

Parties living in the lowlands venience of moving out Saturday A good letter from Prairie View is left out this week for this reason. We night and Sunday morning. A would be glad for this party to write heavy rain near Eden, in Concho each week and will send stationery and stemps if the page is supplied us county, put the old creek on a but each correspondent MUST sign tear right, and by 11 a. m. Sun- his or her real name each week as an day the water had reached its highest point in years. It came nearly up to the square in the business section, while west of the square the water spread out over a considerable acreage of lowlands. All the campers along since we visited you last. The the creek moved out Saturday rain was very much needed and the railway company. not inundated and their occupants did not move.

tric light plant, and flowed the pies the editor ate. around the Shore hotel. Some buildings in this vicinity were below the water mark and had Tom Satterfield and wife and left their floors wet, though no parthem a seven pound baby girl. ticular damage was done. The rose, and by Sunday afternoon last week for Mills county. the creek was again within its

The rain was not heavy in and around Brady, though it constituted a splendid growing, Mrs. Emma Hale. seasoning rain. Melvin reports a very heavy rain, while up in waterspout. It is reported here that the Brady-Eden automobile A cement walk and curbing was caught ten miles out of Eden are being put down at the Wood and washed into a thicket. The hog and several chickens. It from the Crew residence in the western A. S. Hall, manager of the building on the south side of the driver had three lady passen- also got into the house of our portion of town to a farm severa Stacy Telephone Co., was in the square, which adds consider gers, and they were forced to ably to the looks of that corner. wade out in water almost waist but he was asleep at the time and knew nothing about it until from Fikes, at which place she has

> rains except the Fife and Wal- most all his cotton seed. drip communities. In these two neighborhoods it is still dry, the showers received not being as yet sufficient to supply the demands. At almost all other points | Editor Brady Standard: in the county, however, so far as The Standard is able to ascer tain, farming conditions are now tiptop and everybody is in good where crops are up they are making rapid progress. Speaking generally, old McCulloch county is now in as good agricultural shape as could be wished for, though crops as a whole are probably a little late for the season. However, there is nothing to prevent a big yield yet in

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The ice cream supper at Geo. Preached an excellent sermon at the At San Angelo a Hale's Monday night of last week school house Sunday morning. was enjoyed by all.

Misses Alma and Lucy Deering of Lohn, are visiting their sister, attending school at Burnett, returned

Our big rain Saturday night put the creek out of its banks. the Eden country it was almost a The whole valley was under water Sellman, one of our prominent stock and the high water got into the men. house of Mr. Dunn's and completely ruined several of their sion. house-hold goods. They lost a Mr. Oliver, our gin man, is moving bachelor citizen, Mr. Anderson, but he was asleep at the time he awoke and found the water All of McCulloch county has about 2 inches on his floor. It term. now been visited by splendid also got into his barn and rained

BASHFUL BOY.

MILBURN MIX-UPS.

Milburn, Texas, May 24.

We had a fine rain Saturday night, and good prospects for

The Sunday school picnic here was a very pleasant affair, and humor and hard at work. This dinner was plentiful. Rev. Hull is fine growing weather, and did all he could to make the little young, enjoyed the day.

Mrs. Mack Dillard is quite with the latest styles and cloths. the summer.

Misses Beulah Johnson and you pay for hand-me-downs. Nuf Pearl Cain have also been on the sick list but are better.

Little Otho, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Jones, while swinging chinery. on a plum limb Thursday, fell and broke his arm.

J. W. Jones went to Zephyr bracelets at J. V. Searcy's, the Tuesday. Friday to visit his brother Bob new jeweler at Jones Drug Co.

F. C. Thames returned to Brownwood Tuesday. Said he \$12.50 look like \$20 values. Let us had quite a swell time in Milburn show you. ABNEY & VINCENT. as he took the mumps while here. Rev. Thames attended a rally meeting Friday night at Onion

Milburn and Mercury ball teams crossed bats here Saturday, and ended in a victory for

The boys all think they can go to work now as it has rained. They say McCulloch county is the best thing they can find.

Good wishes for The Stand-Idaho.

METHOD.



Geraldine-Oh, Johnnie, you've got candy all over your new suit! M-m-m-m! What will mamma say? Johnnie-Well, I know it, but she won't let me have any fun in this suit till it's dirty, so I might's well start.

BIG STORM AT EDEN

ROCHELLE RATTLINGS.

Messrs. Tom Heath, Arthur Neel, Paul Haddow and Jim Matlock attend-

J. T. Sinclair, of Richland Springs,

Drs. Anderson, McCall and Mc-

Horace Hardin was visiting in your

Wells where he will spend a few weeks for his health. We hope he shall soon

ervices were conducted Saturday

Miss Lela Waddell, who has been

Several cars of cattle were shipped

men. "Verily, verily, we say unto you that Rochelle is becoming a cat-

tle shipping point of no mean dimen-

miles east of Rochelle, where he will

een teaching a school for the past

tric light plant system is making some needed improvements, which will add

greatly to the light service of this

Joe Burt and family have moved to

Williamson county, where they will reside for a few months. During

their absence their residence will be

To Men Who Care.

My prices are no higher than

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carbon papers at Standard office.

Broad Merc. Co.

engage in farming this year.

night on account of the rain.

be restored to his usual happy self.

was a visitor to our city this week.

splendid time.

trip on the river.

with home-folks.

ed the races in your city last week.

cate with us permanently.

Rochelle, Texas May, 24.

Many Stock Killed and Much Damage Done In Concho County Last Saturday Afternoon.

Chester Jones, son of aur townsman Portions of Concho county received heavy damage by the storm of last Saturday. The rainfall was great, and the hailstorm was described as the heaviest ever known. The country around Eden was the worst Miss Ruth Sellman is attending the commencement exercises of Howard damaged, consisting of fences and telephone lines washed away. week. Miss Olive Sellman, one of our popular young ladies, will finish in one of the courses of the college during houses moved. Heil stones to houses moved. Hail stones to the depth of from six to twelve inches covered the prairies, and many fish in Brady Creek were Knight, of Brady, and Drs. Totten-ham and Anderson, of Brownwood, absolutely frozen. was higher than ever before night, and Sunday morning others in the same locality living in houses were also forced to vacate. Still other houses were Bashful Boy would certainly the farmers will now have to get busy to get their crops planted as they have all been waiting for the building fund for a new church which they plan to erect in the near future. Rev. Ross will act as chief table weight and twelve registered cattle for Sam Waring a number of sheep. Sam Waring, a number of sheep table waiter and we are assured of a and horses for J. S. Lloyd, and many other losses. Calves, colts, Henry Hardin has gone to Mineral pigs and other smaller animals were killed by the hail. The storm was about six miles square Mr. Craig, a newspaper man from your city, was visiting here Sunday. Eden, five miles south, nine miles George Brown will leave soon for Eden, five miles south, nine miles San Angelo, where he will visit and east and two miles north. Other spend several weeks on a recreation portions of the county also had

At San Angelo a severe hailstorm raged and the damage to houses and other property in that city is said to be immense, Sunday and will spend the vacation reaching into the thousands. Hailstones penetrated roofs like rom the stockpens last week by Dick | cannon balls.

The Standard, \$1.

-Summer lap robes. The 5-Broad Merc. Co.

-Chattel Mortgage blanks for sale at Standard office.

Claude Baker made a business trip to Brownwood this week.

Don't fail to hear J. B. Coombs at the Christian church July 4th.

-Typewriter ribbons and carbon papers at Standard office.

Don't forget about the revival meeting to begin at the Christian occupied by Mr. Stewart and family. church July 4th,

-Window screens and window glass work a specialty at Ram-If you are going to buy a new say's planing mill.

suit, have it made to order. Miss Senath Stewart left Don't buy an old hand-me-down, yesterday to spend her vacation folks have a good time, and I with bents in the back. six at Palacios and other points think the old, as well as the months out of date, but go to in the Gulf Coast Country. She Kirk, the tailor, and be fitted will also visit Colorado during

> Mrs. Henry P. Jordan and children left Sunday afternoon for a visit to relatives and friends -McCormick harvesting ma- at Stanton, Texas, and Roswell, N. M. Mr. Jordan accompanied See those new designs in them to Fort Worth, returning

> -Band sawing, wood turning -Our men's suits at \$10.00 to and stair work done right at Ramsay's planing mill.

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SYNDICATE BUILDING

Green's Column Current Comment J. Walker Green

ked southward through the wilder- "the noblest work of God." These ness of the Bryson ranch, toward are the ones of whom it is written Salt Gap. Losing my way, and with "whom God hath joined together;" no one to put me right, I drove around the others are the ones of whom it is "promiscuous like" and just at sun- "not written" but whom probably the down I reached the home of Mr. C. devil hathfoined together. When the H. Fish, who lives near Salt Gap, former are joined together the wedding and was glad indeed to find a place to bells give the signal for the gladsome rest; and such a good place too. Just song of chorussed stars; when the latbefore reaching this hospitable home, ter-well I dare not say: But a "good I applied for a night's lodging, but man!" Did you ever stop to think was referred to the residence of Mr. what these two little words stand for? Fish, (which was in sight) with the Name every virtue, add every adornassurance "he will be sure to take ment of human character, and it is care of you;" and he did. But those but a slight expression of worth; bewords of his neighbor, "he will be cause his soul remains unwritten yet sure to take care of you," meant more, in a worldly way I doubt if there is much more to me, than a night's lodg- any "hand-writing on the wall" of ing, and even had I heard them earlier life, that gives a clearer or more exin the day I would have gone many act insight into the deeper depths of a miles out of my way, to have done man's nature, characteristics, trend myself the pleasure of grasping his of thought and habit than these three hand. I doubt if a greater compli- words; "He is hospitable." ment than those words imply, could Pope of Rome lectured the suffragetts be paid to any man although not in- quite severely recently for their fortended as such. They meant the posses- wardness in claiming equality with sion of every factor that goes to make man, basing his argument on the fact the truest and best of all religious_ that man was created first. But the "the brotherhood of man." Many a magnate's reasoning was fatally time at night-fall when I begin to faulty, because it if were true or logithink of home and the babies, and cal the Pope and "me too" would wonder where I will find a shelter, I have to sit away back behind Mr. am sent on down the road to Bill Elephant and Mr. Snake, Mr. Ourang work in taking the scholastic Smith's and he sends me on to Jim Outang and Mr. and Mrs. Katydid Jones' and Jones sends me on to Tom and perchance Mr. Nigger, (since Brown's, while the shadows grow there are a lot of intelligent people darker and deeper. At such times who doubt his humanity) because ac- in so far as he is able to ascerthe shadows invade my spirit and a cepting the Edenic Version they may tain, and that he finds 621 childmomentary bitterness finds lodgment, rightly claim priority of creation. I ren of scholastic age in the disbut nearly always I find a family that believe that creation was progres- trict as against 448 last year. repays me three-folds for all I have sive toward perfection, and woman endured in the quest, and such a being last the Almighty embodied in family was Mr. Fish and his good her His most cherished ideals, and that if there are any who have erection of a sanitarium in Brady wife. Mrs. Fish is just as hospitable endowed her with every grace His been overlooked, or who shall for some time, inform The and kind as her good man, and does omniscient skill could devise. Is move into the district later, they Standard that their plans have not mind in the least, the little extra there in the whole realm of history, will please report to Albert matured to the point where it effort she thinks necessary to provide poetry and art a sweeter picture than Baze, secretary of the school can be authoritatively stated that suitably for a guest. And right here the Virgin Eve dainty, fresh and lies the main trouble at some homes; divinely fair, decked out in fig-leaf board, who will enroll them. The the institution will soon be a the fact is most women-with the ex- garniture, dancing along the limpid great increase as shown by this reality. The architect's plans ception of two short intervals, mon- mirroring pools of Eden's crystal census but emphasizes the need call for a two-story building, opolized by sweet-hearts and honey- waters daring Adam not to love her? of a ward school building for modern in all its appointments, moons, -play dolls all their lives; And her daughters are doing the same Brady. first as little girls fixing their play. thing today: Daring us not to love her. houses, adorning them with bright Well! the man does not live who A book on Rheumatism, and a trial rooms, laboratory, bath, toilet, colored paper, broken glass and loves her more than I do, -who loves treatment of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic crockery; setting up their little stoves her more deeply, more sincerely, more Remedy-liquid or Tablets-is being etc. Contractors are now preand baking Lilliputian biscuits and everlastingly than I do; but with sent free to sufferers by Dr. Shoop, of paring estimates of the cost of mud pies; when the table is ready and every factor of my being I do hate a Racine, Wis. You that are well, get construction, and Dr. Anderson shining and loaded with viands they are ready for the next step-i-e- "lad- let the crowing hens have being, to heartened sufferer! Do a simple act ably begin on the building within ies come to see." The sweet-heart days and honey-moop intervene; then think of what might have been, to quick and certain relief! Surprise ably begin on the building within the next ten days. It will be they play dolls with their "sho-nough" accentuate and lend emphasis to his some sufferer, by first getting from me located some where in North babies in a "she-nough" doll-house; beneficence in giving us the "true, the booklet and the test. He will appreciate your aid. Central Drug been decided on at the time of child-hood days-ornamentation. It must not be supposed from this Store. ornementation, here, yonder, every- screed that I have been a sufferer where: Bright, shiney and useless from inhospitality in McCulloch BORN-To Mr. and Mrs. T. gold-striped set of dishes, set upon a but once have I been put to inconveni- 23rd, a fine boy showy table is the pride and joy of ence in this respect, during my nine her soul. When she has all these and weeks travel in this county. I rememher doll-house is fixed to her heart's ber with the greatest pleasure the of men's and young men's suits content, she is good and ready to kindness showered upon me every- at \$15, \$18 and \$20. We guaranplay "company" every day in the where. The more especially and I tee our clothing to give satisfac- be one among the most urgent week. But man, mere man, has no grateful to the ladies-to Mrs. W. B. tion. share in this doll-house parapher- Pence, Mrs. L. F. Downs, Mrs. R. D. nalia; he is a thing apart; a knot on a Dilliard, Mrs. W. B. Holmes, Mrs. log as it were; and if he should take W. M. Campbell, Mrs. R. H. Coonrod, here Sunday and reported a big it into his head to "play-company" Mrs. J. A. Low, Mrs. N. T. Williams, rain in the Melvin country. The when the doll-house is not in shape Mrs. J. S. Walter, Mrs. C. H. Fish, she quite often kicks and kicks hard: Mrs. Carl Schmidt, Miss Ettie Penn. as the boys say "she sulls like a Miss Pearl Johnson and many others,

stances I can't help but think that 'Tis better to have loved and lost Than to have won-at such a cost! Yes! better to have loved and lost Than to be forever bossed.

hour thank God:) some sweet and the heart of a mocking bird, as the lovable little girls, whose papa's and stars are to the night. What would Dr. Shoop doesn't drug the Stomach, pay the regular hospital fees. mama's are poor-or at least not life be without them? A desert and a nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. This is a very valuable and comrich-who do not become obsessed waste, a torture and misery forever. with the senseless mania for fine ef- Their husbands have wealth beyond to the weak and failing nerves. Each fects-in whom the "show-off" habit the riches of gold and jewels, they are organ has its own controlling nerve. ium, when completed, will rep-These keep the "even tenor of their hold on to their religion—the best organs must of necessity falter. This between \$4000 and \$5000. way, be it along the high-roads or there is the brotherhood of man. plain, yet vital truth, clearly tells why secluded paths of life with all the "Abou Ben Adhem (may his tribe brightness and warmth and good-cheer of God's sun-light in their souls bear- Awoke one night from a deep dream leading druggists everywhere to give ing a blessing to whomsoever their footsteps lead them. If they cannot have their doll-houses as they would Making it rich and like a lily in bloom have them they take them as they are and make of them shrines of happiness. Such women find their true mates-sometimes; men of great and

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Leaving Stacy, Sandy and I trek- and splendid gifts of head and heart

'possum." As I run across such in- I want to express my sincere appreciation of their gentle graciousness drowning. and sweet womanly kindness to the lonely newspaper man. Such women

An angel writing in a book of gold; Exceeding peace had made Ben Adhem bold,

And to the presence in the room he What writest thou?" The vision in a long time.

accord Answered: "The names of those who love the Lord'

"And mine is one," said Adhem.
"Nay not so" Replied the angel. Adhem spoke more

The angel wrote and vanished: the He came again with a great awaking And showed the names whom love of

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621 Sholastics.

T. J. Bradley reports that his census of the Brady Independ- Local Firm of Surgeons Now Having Estient School District is completed

ounty; entirely the reverse, for never W. Galloway, of Sweden, on the that every town needs when it

ABNEY & VINCENT.

Gus Mitchell, of Melvin, was creek in his pasture was a mile wide, and Mr. Mitchell was afraid he had lost some stock by

are the salt of the earth. They are to are weak, try at least, a few doses only the world as light is to the blossom, of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. In five or as crystal waters to the thirsty, as ten days only, the results will surprise Dr. Shoop's Restorative goes directly Dr. Shoop's Restorative is so universally successful. Its success is it universal preference. A test will

Anderson & Moffatt showed the editor Monday some Irish potatoes, as fine as we have seen They were And with a look made all of sweet grown by Mr. Parker, of Voca, him and asked if he wanted to be and they brought him \$1.50 per bushel. It pays to diversify crops in McCulloch county.

Jones Drug Co.

D. C. Randals and son were in from Waldrip Friday and paid And lo! Ben Adhem's name led all the rest.''—J. W. G! from Waldrip Friday and paid the rest.''—J. W. G!

> Cadet Hose for men, women and children, 25c the pair-ABNEY & VINCENT.

TO BUILD SANITARIUM

mates Prepared for Up-to-date Sanitarium in Brady.

Drs. Anderson & McCall, who Mr. Bradley asks us to state have been contemplating the and containing twelve or fourteen rooms, besides operating "crowing hen." I think the Lord this book for some discouraged, dis-informs us that work will probpreciate your aid. Central Drug been decided on at the time of

The institution is something reaches the proportions to which Brady is fast developing. Indeed, these gentlemen say that they have found a sanitarium to needs of their practice, as they do all their own surgical work instead of sending it off to some city. The Brady sanitarium will be supplied with trained nurses, and all modern instruments and appliances necessary for such an institution. Another feature of the proposition which If your Stomach, Heart or Kidneys appeals to all is that the sanitarium will be open to local physicians for the treatment of But there are born (every day and fragrance to the flowers, as music to you. A few cents will cover the cost. any cases they may desire to And here is why help comes so quickly. take, it only being necessary to mendable feature. The sanitarwas never formed or cultivated. the princes of happiness! May they When these nerves fail, the depending resent an actual cost value of J. H. WHITE, Pres.

Did This Occur in Brady?

A nervous looking man went And saw within the moonlight in surely tell. Sold by Central Drug sat for half an hour or so, when a clerk asked him if there was anything he could do for him. He said there wasn't anything. The clerk went away, and the stranger sat an hour or so longshown anything. "No," said the nervous little man; "I just wanted to sit around. My phy-A full line of Howard, Elgin, sician recommended quiet for But cheerily still and said, "I pray Waltham, South Bend, New Eng- me and says above all things I Write me as one who loves his fellow. land and Ingersoll watches at J. should avoid being in a crowd. V. Seacy's, the new jeweler, with Noticing that you do not advertise in the home paper, I thought this would be as quiet a place as I could find, so I just dropped in for a few hours."

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Everyone is subject to indiges. as we do. tion. Stomach derangement follows stomach abuse, just as naturally and just as surely as a sound and to be cured, the stomach must rest. and just as surely as a sound and to be cured, the stomach must rest, healthy stomach results upon the That is what Kodol does—rests the

taking of Kodol. When you experience sourness of stomach, belching of gas and nauseating fluid, bloated sensation, nauseating fluid, bloated sensation, gnawing pain in the pit of the stomach, heart burn (so-called), diarrhoea, headaches, dullness or chronic tired feeling—you need Kodol. And then the quicker you take Kodol—the better. Eat what you Kodol-the better. Eat what you

want, let Kodol digest it. Ordinary pepsin "dyspepsia tablets," physics, etc., are not likely cent bottle. to be of much banefit to you, in Kodol is prepared at the labora-digestive ailments. Pepsin is only tories of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

A great many people who have a partial digester—and physics are trifled with indigestion, have been not digesters at all.

sorry for it—when nervous or chronic dyspepsia resulted, and you could see Kodoldigesting every you would know this just as well

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but there's a limit even to what I can particular pleasure in helping you get him in vague alarm. take from you," he said at last. "I don't ever seem to have noticed it before, but there is. No. I've got to do this thing alone tonight, all of it, for a girl's troubles, and I can't talk about you have no place in it, and I can't let the little girl go on like this. The sooner that soldier knows the better." He leaned down and touched her you?" brown mouth with his grizzled lips. "Thank you, Alluna, for making a man of me when I'd nearly forgotten. Now, you stay here." He knew he could count on her obedience, and so he left her. When he had gone she drew the shawl up over her face and crouched in the doorway, straining her eyes after him through the dark. In time she began to rock and sway and then to chant until the night moaned with the death song of her people

Necia had no idea whither she went. Would do angthing to make him hap-Her only thought was to flee from her Dy." kin, who could not understand; to hide under cover in some solitary place; to Stark said perplexedly. let the darkness swallow her up, so that she might give way to her grief up. I'm a squaw." and be just a poor weak woman. On she stumbled blindly through the murk Ifke some fair creature of light cast ont and banished.

She had not succeeded in thoroughly isolating herself, however, for a man who was steering his course by the sense of feel and the wind's direction heard her and paused. His steps were muffled in the soft footing, so that she had no warning of his presence until he was near enough to distinguish her dimly where she leaned against the log wall of a half completed cabin.

To his question, "What's the trouble here?" she made no answer, but moved away, whereupon he detained her. "There's something wrong. Who are you anyhow?"

"It's only Necia, Mr. Stark," said the girl, at which he advanced and took her by the arm.

"What alls you, child? What in the world are you doing here? Come! It's only a step to my cabin. You stat come in and rest awhile, and you'll soon be all right. Why, you'll break your neck in this darkness.

She hung back, but he compelled her to go with him in spite of her unwill-

"Now, now," he admonished, with unusual kindliness for him; "you know you're my little friend, and I can't let you go on this way. It's scandalous. I won't stand for it. I like you too much."

He led her inside his cabin and closed the door in the face of the night wind before he struck a light.

"I can't stand to see you cry," he repeated as he adjusted the wick. "Now. as soon as"- He stopped in astonishment, for he had turned to behold instead of the little half breed girl this slender, sorrowful stranger in her amazingly wonderful raiment.

bly and stood motionless for a long

"I-I-hope you'll excuse me for actously; then, observing his strange fea- How could he?" tures: "Why, what is the matter, Mr.

Stark? Are you angry?" polorless, his black eyes fierce and eager, his body bent as if to pounce upon a victim. In truth, he was now the predatory animal.

"No," he replied as if her question carried no meaning; then, coming to himself. "No, no; of course not. But you gave me a start. You reminded me of some one. How do you come to be dressed like that? I never knew you had such clothes."

"Poleon brought them from Dawson. They are the first I ever had." He shook his head in a slow, puzzled

fashion

mean-I don't know what I mean." This time he roused himself fully, the effort being more like a shudder. "So I have always thought," she said, and her eyes filled again.

He shoved forward a big chair with she sank dejectedly, while he stepped

apologized. "I've been too busy at the dian. I've always dreamed and fansaloon to waste time on living quar- cled I was different, and I am in my ters. But it's comfortable enough for soul. I know I am! The white is so an old roadster like me."

He was talking to give her leeway and when he had concocted a weak not like the other two. They are brown toddy insisted that she must drink it, and silent and as cold as little toads. which she did listlessly, while he rampled on:

life, Miss Necia, and one of them is have my visions of the beautiful snow that it often does a heap of good to let white mother with the tender mouth out and talk things over-not that a and the sad eyes that always smile at fellow gains any real advantage from me." disseminating his troubles, but it serves to sort of ease his mind. Folks eh?" don't often come to me for advice or sympathy. I don't have it to give. But maybe it will help you to tell me what caused this night marauding expedition of yours." Seeing that she hesitated, he went on: "I suppose there's a lot of reasons why you shouldn't afide in me. I don't like that old man of yours nor any of your friends, but maybe that's why I'm interested. His voice was pitched in a different

"By heaven, you're game, Alluna, If any of them has upset you I'll take

"I don't want to get even, and there is nothing to tell," said Necia, "except them." She smiled a painful, crooked smile at him. "Your old man has been rough to

"No, no! Nothing of that sort." "Then it's that soldier?" he quizzed shrewdly. "I knew you cared a heap

for him. Don't he love you?" "Yes. That's the trouble, and he wants to marry me. He swears he will in spite of everything." "See here. I don't quite follow.

thought you liked him. He's the kind most women go daffy over." "Like him!" The girl trembled with emotion. "Like him! Why-why, I

"I guess I must be kind of dull,"

"Don't you see? I've got to give him



and was in danger of betraying himself to the girl. In every encounter the young man had bested him, and these petty defeats had crystallized his antipathy to Burrell into a hatred so strong that he had begun to lie awake

nights planning a systematic quarrel. He had brooded over his quarrel with Gale and the lieutenant ever since ercised. She must not learn too much, their first clash, for in this place they furnished the only objects upon which his mania could work, and it was a mania, the derangement of a diseased, back. That would block the vengedistorted mind.

"So you like him too much to stand "By"- He checked himself insensi- in his way," he said meditatively. "How does your father look at it?"

"He wants the lleutenant to marry me. He says he will fix it up all ing this way," she smiled at him pite- right. But he doesn't understand.

"You are doing just right," concurred the man hypocritically, "and you'll His hawklike face was strained and live to be glad you stood out." Now that both his enemies desired this thing he was set on preventing it regardless of the girl. "How did the lieutenant take it when you refused

"He wouldn't take it at all. He only laughed and declared be would marry me anyhow." The very thought thrilled her.

"Does he know you love him?" The tender, sobbing laugh she gave

was ample answer. "Well, what's your plan?"

"I-I-I don't know. I am so torn and twisted with it all that I can't "You look just like a white girl-I plan, but I have thought I-ought-to

go-away." "Good!" he said quickly, but his acquiescence, instead of soothing her, had the contrary effect, and she burst

out impulsively: "Oh-I can't-I can't! I can't go away a wolfskin flung over it, into which and never see him! I can't do it! I want to stay where he is!" She had to the shelves beside the Yukon stove been holding herself in stubbornly, but and took down a bottle and some at last gave way with reckless abandon. "Why wasn't I born white like "I'm not fixed up very well yet," he other girls? I've never felt like an Instrong in me that it has killed the red, and I'm one of father's people. I'm But I'm white and full of life all over. They never see the men and women "I've noticed a few things in my that I see in my dreams. They never

"You have visions of such things,

"Yes, but I came a generation late, that's all, and I've got that other woman's soul. I'm not a half breed. I'm not me at all. I'm Merridy-Merridy!

That's who I am." Her face was turned away from him so that she did not notice the frightful

effect her words had upon Stark.

added, "From the story I told you at the mine that night, I suppose?"

"Oh, no," she answered. "I've always had it, though they call me Necia. Merridy was my father's mother. I guess I'm like her in many ways, for I often imagine she is a part of me, that her spirit is mine. It's the only way I can account for the sights I

"Your father's mother?" he said mechanically. "That's queer." He seemed to be trying to shake himself free from something. "It's heredity, I suppose. You have visions of a white woman, a woman named Merridy, eh?" Suddenly his manner changed, and he spoke so roughly that she looked at

"How do you know? How do you know she was his mother?"

"He told me so." Stark snarled. "He lied!"

"I can show you her wedding ring. I've always worn it." She fumbled for the chain about her neck, but it eluded her trembling fingers. "It has her name in it-'From Dan to Merridy.'" Stark's hand darted forward and tore the thing from her shoulders. Then he heaven, this is my night!" thrust it under the lamp and glared at the inscription, while his fingers shook so that he could barely distinguish the words. His eyes were blazing and his

Necia cried out, but he dropped the ornament and seized her flercely, lifting her from the chair to her feet. Then with one swift, downward clutch he laid hold of her dress at the left shoulder and ripped it half to her waist. A hoarse sound came from his

of triumph. "Let me go! Let me go!" She struggled to free herself, but he held her in forecast new complications. a viselike grip, while he peered closely at a blemish well down upon her back. Then he let her slip from his grasp, and, seized with terror, she staggered away from him. He was leaning heavily with both hands upon the table, his thin lips grinning, his whole manner so terrifying that she shrank back. whereupon he straightened up and said n a queer, commanding voice:

Wait, Don't go. I-I-you"- He dry, passed an uncertain hand across his beaded brow and, raising the wa- til tomorrow?" ter pail beside the door to his mouth, drank heavily in great, noisy gulps. "Let me out of here!" the girl de-

manded imperiously. "Don't be scared," he said, more quietly now. "You must excuse me. You-you gave me an awful fright. Yes, that was it. Don't worry. I you to let me tell this story the way didn't mean any harm."

almost ready to cry. "And you tore this has to do with you and Necia. my dress," she added angrily-"my fine Yes; she told me about you and her, dress. Are you crazy?"

Merridy and that ring-well, the whole jou?" Stark checked himself, for he found thing was so startling I-I went off he was rejoicing in his enemy's defeat my head. It came sudden, and I thought-it don't matter what I thought, but I'm sorry. I'll apologize, and I'll get you a whole lot of dresses

if you like." was thankful for it. Care must be exfor if she suspected the truth she would go to her soldier lover at once, and no power on earth could hold her ance that he saw shaping in the dank recesses of his distorted brain.

First, and above all, he must get the girl away from Flambean These last few moments had driven

Necia's own worries from her mind. but he was bent on recalling them and so continued cautiously:

"You were saying that you thought plan, and you'd be wise to do it for



"Let me out of here!" the girl demanded imperiously.

more reasons than one. It will give you time to think it all over and know an interest in you like you were mine." Again he betrayed that strange, mirth- and then resumed: less amusement.

Necia blankly, "except the mission, and I have no way of getting there." "Don't you worry. I'll furnish the means, and you'd better go tonight"-

"There is no place for me to go," said

she flinched-"yes, tonight. There's no use prolonging your agony. I'll get a rows well you can make it by tomor row evening. That's only one night out, and I'll put some blankets aboard so you can wrap up and have a sleep." "I must go back and get some clothes," she said, at which he would

key now. Then after a moment he have demurred had he not seen that live thing that couldn't talk was my they fived, and past the lights of Bendition.

> see you." "Of course not."

"It's getting late, and your folks will be abed." He looked at his watch. "Midnight! Be here in an hour."

The light of sacrifice was in Necia's with the pallor of a great resolution. "I'll be here in an hour," she said simply.

He let her out, closed the door after breath, he raised his clinched hands above his head and gave a great sigh of exultation. Next he took out his tell a man from a dog, and there six shooter and examined it carefully. The shells did not suit him, so he filled the gun with new ones, loosened the three lower buttons of his vest and slid then, facing the direction of Gale's trading post, he spoke aloud:

"I was a long time coming, Gaylord, but I'm here, and I've got you where began coming to Chandon. Under-I've wanted you these fifteen years! Yes, and I've got you, too, Burrell! By

His lithe body became panther-like in poise, his bearing that of the meat eating animal, and his face set in a fierce, exultant crueity as he blew out his light and left the cabin.

CHAPTER XIV.

A MYSTERY IS UNRAVELED. TIEUTENANT BURRELL was considerably taken aback when a quarter of an hour after the young lover's ecstatic return to throat, a cry half of amazement, half his quarters Gale knocked at his door, for the trader's visit, coupled with the late hour and his somber countenance,

"He's here to object, but it won't go," thought the lieutenant as he made

his visitor welcome. Meade swung his big reading chair ing to the sideboard, brought back a bottle, some glasses and a pouch of tobacco. Noting the old man's sigh of She turned and made for the door, fatigue as he sat himself down heavily, he remarked sympathetically:

"Mr. Gale, you've made a long trip today and you must be tired. If this I had hard work handling the buttons icked his lips as if they were dust talk is to be lengthy, why not have a drink with me now and postpone it un-

"I've been tired for eighteen years," the other replied. "Tonight I hope to

get rested." "Well, let's get at it," the younger

man finally said. "I suppose you'll want to interrupt and question me a heap, but I'll ask it comes to me till I get it out. Like-"You hurt my shoulder," she said, wise you'll want to know what all and that's why I'm here." He paused. "You see, it's like this-that name of "You really think you love her, do

> Burrell removed his pipe and gazed at its coal impersonally.

only thing that can't be lived down or rather dreamy. that have been bred into me from front room and that the bride looked The sight of her baby did it. into giving her up, but I've had my times, and by and by she asked if I the mother had, and she began to plan you'd go away. I think that's a good do it the day after tomorrow, Sunday, to come in and rest. I wasn't tired, so that night, back through the streets of ber, when she turns eighteen. We'd hated now. both like your consent, of course. I'd be sorry to marry her without it. But if you refuse we'll be forced to displease you." He looked up and met

the father's gaze steadily. The other man's lips framed a faint

"We'll see. I wish to God I'd had your decision when I was your age. This story would be different and easier to tell." He waited a moment, then settled to his self appointed task. "I was mining at the time up in the mother lode country of California, which was the frontier then, pretty much as this is now, only we had better things to eat. I was one of the first men into a camp named Chandonhelped to build it, in fact-and got hold of some ground that looked real good. It was hard mining, however, and, being poor, I was still gripping my drill and hammer after the town had grown

"A woman came out from the east-Vermont it was-and schoolteaching hadn't been raised to it, and this was her first clatter at the game. Her folks died and left her up against it, I gathered from what little she told

"It don't make any difference to you how I first saw her and how I began to forget that anything else in the uncinched my gear and hung it up world was worth having but her. I'd and waited and waited and waited. lived in the woods all my life, as I Three long, endless years I waited, alsaid, and knew more about birds and most within sound of her voice, withbugs and bees than I did about wom-en. I hadn't been broke proper and didn't know how to act with them, but on the by as slowly as if I had held boat ready and send a trusty man with didn't know how to act with them, but went by as slowly as if I had held you. The current is swift, and if he I laid out to get this girl, and I did my breath. Then she called to me, and fairly well. There's something wild in every woman that needs to be tamed, and it isn't like the wildness that runs in wood critters. You can win that over by gentleness, but you have to like Death on a windstorm. I rode take it away from a woman France to the control of the take it away from a woman. Every through the streets of Mesa,

"Very well. But don't let anybody not knowing that when two of any species mate the male must rule. I Dan Bennett was his name-the kind that dumb animals hate, and-well, that takes his measure. His range eyes, and her cheeks were blanched adjoined mine, and, though I'd never seen him, I heard stories now and then-the sort of tales you can't tell to a good woman-so it worried me when I heard of his attentions to this her and locked it; then, drawing a deep girl. Still, I thought she'd surely find him out and recognize the kind of fel-

wasn't any one to warn her. "This Bennett came from the town below, where he ran a saloon and a brace game or two; but, being as he the night and as I didn't drink nor she breathed: listen to the music of the little rolling ball, why, we never met even after he stand, I wasn't too good for those amusements. I just didn't happen to hanker after them, for I was living with the image of the little schoolma'am in my mind, and that destroyed what bad habits I'd formed.

"It was along in the early spring that she began to see I had notions about her, but my d-d backwardness wouldn't let me speak, and, in addltion, I was getting closer to ore every shot at the mine and was holding off until I could lay both myself and my gold mine at her feet and ask her to out the other might. But it seemed like I'd never get into pay. The closer I got the harder I worked, and, of the oftener Bennett came. I reckon no a day, eighteen hours, with six to sleep. The skin came off of my hands, out beneath the hanging lamp and, gothe daylight. At last I struck it, and still I waited awhile longer till I could be sure. Then I went down to my little shack and put on my other clothes. I remember I'd gone so thin that they hung loose, and my palms were so raw and got my shirt all bloody, for I'd been in the drift forty hours without sleep and breathing powder smoke till my knees buckled and wabbled under me. To this day the smell of stale powder smoke makes a woman of me, but that morning I sang, for I was going for my bride, and the world was brighter than it has ever been for eighteen years. The little schoolhouse was closed, at which I remembered that the term was over. I'd been living underground for weeks and lost track of the days, so that I had to and approval. count them up on my fingers. It took me a long time, for I was pretty tired

in my head, but when I'd figured it out I went on to where she was boarding. "The woman of the place came to nothing you can say will affect me. ish black mole with three hairs in it. and I remember my boots made I-I hesitated at first about asking her She were an apron, too, that was kind a devil of a thumping on he floor to be my wife because—you'll appre- of checkered, and three buttons were she laid her slim white finger on her

overlooked, and I've been raised with "I asked for Merridy, and she told generations back. They run in the beautiful. She had cried a bit on leavblood of every old family in my coun- ing Chandon and-and-that was about 'and I'll spend my life making her try, and so, I'm ashamed to say, I all. I counted the buttons on the happy and making a lady of her, hesitated and tried to reason myself Scotchwoman's waist eight or ten which clinched what wavering doubt eyes opened, and I see how little those was sick. But I wasn't. She was a quickly, the fear coming on her of a things amount to, after all. I'm going kind hearted woman, and I'd been to sudden that our scheme might fail. I to marry Necia, Mr. Gale. I'd like to her house a good deal, so she asked me was for riding away with both of them but she isn't of age yet, and if you ob- I went away and climbed back up to Mesa and up into the hills, where I'd ject we'll have to wait until Novem- the little shack and the mine that I have held them single handed against

"I turned into a kind of hermit after of it. that, and I wasn't good to associate with. Men got so they shunned me, and I knew they told strange stories, because I heard them whisper when I went to the stores for grub once a month.

"From time to time I heard of her, but the news, instead of gladdening me, as it would have gladdened some men wrung out what bits of suffering were left in me, and I fairly ached for her. Nobody comes to see clearer than a woman deceived, so it didn't take her long to find out the kind of man Bennett was. He wasn't like her at all, and the reason he had courted her so hotly was just that he had had everything that rightly belongs to a man like him and had sickened of it. so he wanted her because she was clean and pure and different, and, realizing that he couldn't get her any other way, he had married her. But she was a treasure no bad man could appreciwas her line of business, only she ate, and so he tired quickly, even before the little one came.

"When I heard that she had borne him a daughter I wrote her a letter, which took me a month to compose me-sort of an old story, I guess, and and which I tore up. One day a story your own mind. I want to help you— usual, too, only for her. She was came to me that made me saddle my horse to ride down and bill blooms. He seemed to ponder this a moment | mind you, I was a man who made pets of little wild, trusting things. But I knew she would surely send for me when her pain became too great, so I

she could not travel in her present con- friend, but I made the mistake of nett's big saloon, where I heard the courting my own kind the same way, sound of devil's reveiry and a shrill voiced woman singing-a woman the like of which he had tried to make my was too gentle. Even so, I reckon I'd Merridy. I never skulked or sneaked have won out only for another man. in those days, and no man ever made me take back roads, so I came up to his house from the front and tied my horse to his gatepost. She heard me on the steps and opened the door.

"'You sent for me,' said I. 'Where is he?' But he had gone away to a neighboring camp and wouldn't be back until morning, at which I felt the way a thief must feel, for I'd hoped to meet him in his own house. low he was; but, Lord, a' woman can't | I couldn't think very clearly, however, because of the change in her. She was so thin and worn and sad-sadder than any woman I'd ever seen. I'd changed a heap myself. Anyhow that was the first thing she spoke about, the weapon inside his trousers band; rode into our camp and out again in and the tears came into her eyes as

"'Poor boy! You took it very hard, didn't you?

"'You sent for me,' said I. 'Which road did he take? "There's nothing you can do,' she answered. 'I sent to make sure that

you still love me. "'Did you ever doubt it?' said I, at which she began to cry like a woman

who has worn out all emotion. "'Can you feel the same after what I've made you suffer?' she said, and I reckon she must have read the answer in my eyes, for I never was much good at talking, and the sight of her, so changed, had taken the speech out of me, leaving nothing but aches and take the two of us, so if one didn't pan pains and ashes in its place. When she saw what she wished to know she told me the story-the whole miserable story-that I'd heard enough of to suspect. course, the less I saw of her, likewise Why she'd married the other man she couldn't explain herself, except that man ever worked like I did-two shifts it was a woman's whim-I had stayed away, and he had come the oftenerpart pique and part the man's daredevil fascination.

"'He's a fiend,' she told me. T've stood all I can. He'll make a bad woman of me as sure as he will of the little one if I stay on here, so I have decided to go and take her with me.'

"'Where? said I. ""Wherever you say,' she answered, and yet I did not understand, not till I saw the look in her eyes. Then as it dawned on me she broke down, for it was a terrible thing for a good woman to offer.

"'It's all for the little girl!' she cried. More than her life depends upon it. We must get her away from him.'

"She saw it was her only course and went where her heart was calling.' The lieutenant met the look of appeal in the trader's eyes and nodded to imply his complete understanding

"We love some women for their goodness, others we love for their frailness, but there never was one who combined the two like her, and now that I knew she loved me I began to the door, a Scotchwoman. She had a where. I'd never seen the youngster, "I love her so well, Mr. Gale, that mole on her chin, I remember, a brownso she led me in where it was sleeping,

His first impulse had been to tell her clate the unusual—well, her unusual open at the neck of her dress. I recall lips and smiled at me. All the fingers everything, but his amazement had rendered him speechless, and now he rendered him speechless, and now he throat and all the blood in me commenced to pound at my heart when I looked on that little sleeping kiddle. notions of family honor and pride of me she'd gone away—gone with Ben- The tears began to roll out of my eyes, race and birth, and so forth, that nett the night before, while I was and because they had been dry for four might seem preposterous and absurd coughing blood from the powder years they scalded like melted metal. to you. But a heap of conceits like smoke; that they were married in the That was the only time I ever wept.

"'I love her already,' I whispered. man or devil, but she wouldn't hear

"'We must go away,' she said, 'a long way from here, where the world



"Leaving the wild country behind, I came into a region I didn't know."

was or what her mother did. We will start all over, you and I and the baby, and forget. Do you love me well enough to do it?

"I uttered a cry and took her in my arms, the arms that had ached for her all those years. Then I kissed her for the first time."

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PERSONAL MENTION

J. B. Davis and wife visited in Brownwood Sunday.

trip to Ft. Worth this week.

Joe J. McCall is recovering from an attack of the mumps.

J. T. Baker had business in Fort Worth during the week.

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Will Roberts, of Lohn made a

-Weeding hoes. We have all sizes. We can supply you. Broad Mercantile Co.

Frank Lockhart left for Austin this week on a visit to his

R. K. Finlay, the Fife mer-

San Angelo.

Miss Willie Duke has been elected to a position in the Brady High School.

until Monday. Mrs. F. M. Richards and mother, Mrs. Smiley, left Tuesday

evening for Marlin. Tom Heath, the handsome barper, of Rochelle, was seeing the races here last week.

from Friday till Sunday.

J. D. Conner of West Sweden,

Miss Jewell Caperton is at You must "be shown," and home spending vacation with her 5jc to 6jc that is where the Mitchell line parents, Rev. and Mrs. Caper-

The heavy rain Saturday even-

Messrs. Tom Russell and Jas. Bevans, of Menardville, were visitors at the O. D. Mann home

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Adkins are in our city visiting lamented the fact that no boys

O. D. Mann & Sons received autos for sale.

Dallas, was a passenger on Tues- will go on in his noble work of one just west of it which was day's train, enroute home to inspiring the boys and girls of spend vacation.

Mrs. Ida Priddy leaves today deeds. with her father who has been -It is foolishness on your, part in Mills county, where she will the board of trustees, presented public spirit manifested.

> here Tuesday enroute to Cole. lings brought the exercises to a man. He will return in a few close in a short speech, and then days in a new Ford automobile which he has purchased.

Bird Davis and family left the first of this week for Paint Rock, where they will make their future home. Mr. Davis, while here was an employe of Polk's barber

school at Fife last Friday. She office. spent Saturday and Sunday in Brady, guest of Miss Louise Bradley, going to her home in Mason Monday.

Mr. Zella, of St. Louis, well known to "old time" Bradyites was in our city on Wednesday returning from a visit to the ranch furniture? We have the most of his long-time friend, S. E. Mc- complete line in the city.

Last week was commence ment week for the school and we Joe Williams made a business are glad to say that it was spent very pleasantly. Several of the programs were rendered in time for last week's paper, so we will pass over them.

The declamatory contest Thursday night was a pleasing and interesting affair. Though there were only three contestants, it is a beginning for greater things. Prof. Stallings wishes business trip to Brownwood this to make this contest a permanent thing, inviting not only Brady boys to participate, but pupils from all parts of McCulloch county.

Leonard Sansom, Tom King and Evans Adkins were the contestants, and while each did his part well and with credit to himself, Evans won first honors with chant, was here yesterday on the declamation entitled "The Fireman's Prayer." Prof. Stal-Miss Clara Wilhelm was a pas- lings presented the winner with senger on Tuesday's train for a beautiful gold medal, and said that he wished for two more to give to the other two boys. The boys were very ably assisted with their program by Miss Stewart and Miss Campbell, each Wiley Walker of Waldrip, was contributing from her special a Brady visitor from Friday line of work.

> Perhaps the most important and interesting of all programs was that rendered on Friday. The graduating exercises, were held at the opera house.

The music was of that high grade with which every one is Henry and Frank Bradley of delighted, and we are proud to Fife, visited friends in the city know that we have such talent in Brady. The graduating class was composed of four young ladies and each had made a fine record in the classroom. It was hard to tell which brought up the best Ed Scales is up again after a article as a graduating essay. the best that high school graduates are capable of producing. In these essays they reflect not only much credit upon themselves, but a great deal upon their English teacher, who has spared no pains in teaching and training every class.

The address of Prof. J. D. Sandefer was one of the most legislature a legal holiday in this -Baby buggies and all kinds of sharp wit, his delicate humor, entertains but instructs every listener in the plain practical Miss Nellie and Master Ryan things of every day life. He ing class. Then in his plain and and be there in all the years to come. We trust that we may John Lewis, of Menardville, again have the pleasure of hear-

visiting her, for the latter's home Mr. J. D. Hudson, president of are to be congratulated for the the diplomas to the members of Dr. Thompson, of Mason, was the class. After this Prof. Stal--well the school year of 1908-09 was ended.

> FOR SALE—A ladies' wheel as good as new, terms reasonable. See SATTERWHITE & MARTIN.

WANTED-A two or three-room house, or rooms for light housekeeping. North side of city pre-Miss Ruby Payne closed her ferred. Ed Clark at Standard

> Miss May Belle Tisdale left yesterday afternoon for Pampa, Texas, where she will spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. M. S. Thompson.

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Methodist Revival.

Methodist church Sunday, Rev. Sweden Presbyterian Church of C. L. Ballard, of Sherman, in the Sweden will give a box supper pulpit. The meeting will con- at the school house on Friday tinue for at least two weeks. night, June 4th. All are cordial-Services are being held in the ly invited to attend. old American Beauty restaurant building on the north side of the square, where comfortable ar rangements have been made to vices twice daily, 10 a. m. and hurt at the fair grounds last p. m. The general public cordially invited to attend all ser- a broken collar bone, a gashed

the birth of Jefferson Davis. This date is now by act of the Texas Jones Drug Co.'s, will have to be June 3rd is the anniversary of eloquent appeals to young man. state, and we are informed that -Don't take our word for it, hood and young womanhood that the local Daughters of Confeder. when we say that the Victor we have ever heard, with his acy will have a suitable program Cultivator is the best made. Just for the occasion.

Standard office.

To Work Pecan Street.

Pecan street, the street leading from the Gay Hotel to the Doty straightforward manner, he told blocks, will soon be put in good ice cream freezers and weeding would rouse themselves to duty fund of \$300 and have contracted counts. with John Tulk to grade the entire eleven blocks, work to begin this week. When completed who has been attending school at ing Prof. Sandefer, and that he this street will be similar to the graded by Mr. Tulk over two our land to do greater and nobler years ago, and which is one of the poor guide has passed in his checks." best thoroughfares in the city. In a few well chosen words The men who are doing this work

Box Supper.

A revival meeting began at the The ladies Aid Society of the

Mrs. C. J. Hendrickson, Pres. Mrs. W. F. Dutton, Secretary.

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"Yes, but that's the trouble. Some of you didn't miss him."

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