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If idleness is really the mother of vice there are some of our dear Brady boys who are becoming thoroughly inoculated with viciousness and will become criminally vile as they grow into manhood. Every parent who loves their children should encourage them to secure some wholesome employment which will fit them for useful citizenship and keep them off the streets where the germs of vice breed and poison the very atmosphere of such society and association. As a matter of course, each parent has an abiding confidence in their own child, but no child is absolutely immune from the effect of evil association, and there is, according to the old adage, no time when the mind is so susceptible to evil influences as when idle. Would the owner of a horse or cow of value allow them to range when glanders or murrain was prevalent? Surely not! Then why expose the boy to the deadly disease of vice by allowing him to remain idle in the infected places—the streets.

OUR ARTESIAN BELT

BRADY boosters should never fail to remind those who seek information relating to our resources that we have an artesian belt of a large proven area where an abundant and continual flow of water can be secured at a depth of less than 200 feet and that the soil throughout this artesian belt is peculiarly adapted to fruits and vegetables. The discovery of this great subterranean stream of water has been too recent for accurate estimates to be made as to its boundaries but it is known to underlie thousands of acres of this fertile soil and its great value is as little realized as its scope is unknown. It requires no wild imagination to draw a mind picture of this section of McCulloch County providing fruits and vegetables for shipping to the large markets because it all will date from the day of its development.

THE STANDARD acknowledges receipt of a copy of the Texas Almanac, compliments of the Galveston-Dallas News. The Almanac is virtually an encyclopedia of Texas, and contains information upon almost every subject under the sun relative to the greatest state in the Union, and as a book of handy reference it has no equal. The price of this unique work is but 30c which places it within reach of every man, woman and child in the State of Texas.

AND to think that glorious rain came just in time to assist Brady to make her best bow to the Bankers Convention, makes us feel kind of chesty.

THOSE bankers are a mighty jolly bunch, alright, alright,—when they aren't on duty tending to loans.

THE man who plants a few trees is a benefactor, not only to himself and his family, but to future generations. Today we

are enjoying the fruits of the labor of others who have long since passed to their reward. In the gratefulness of our hearts should we not do something for which future generations may think with gratitude of us? Plant a few trees.

GIVE us a few more good rains and fat pocket books and purses will be the fall style for the farmers and they will be worn in either front or rear pocket, to suit the taste of the wearer. No trimming will be in vogue unless it be in old-gold, silver or currency green back accounts. Elephant pressed purses are going out of style with the summer season.

ST. VALENTINE'S day has passed and the old maids have again been reminded of their looks and age, the old bachelors of their backwardness and hashfulness, the boaster of his boasting, the knocker of his knocking and the kicker has been given something to do. Great is ST. VALENTINE and great the day commemorating him.

THE Brady bankers did themselves proud in their entertainment of the visiting delegates to the Sixth District Texas Bankers Convention.

TOMORROW (Wednesday) is Arbor day. Plant a few trees.

We do not try to make all the profit from one customer. Let us demonstrate that we will treat you right.

O. D. Mann & Sons.
Contractor McCarty, who has been working on the grade for the Frisco at Menard, has returned and is grading for the Santa Fe between North Bridge street and the Live Oak creek crossing.

We have been harping to you for a long time on the quality of the Moon Bros. Buggy. We still say that there is no better buggy than the Moon Bros. and we refer you to any one who has ever used a Moon Bros. You will see that they look better and wear better, for the money, than any buggy, surrey or hack on the market. They cost no more than others supposed to be good buggies and it is foolish for you to work against your own interest by not buying the best to be had.

Broad Mercantile Company.
J. A. F. Carroll who purchased property in the Pear Valley community, moving here from Williamson county the first of the year, was in town Friday and dropped in at The Standard office to add his name to our list.

Visiting Cards, engraved or printed. Latest styles in type and cards, at The Brady Standard.

We are taking special interest in our hardware department and we do not believe there are many things you can call for that we do not have in stock. When you come here you can depend upon finding what you want.

Notice.
I will thresh cane and maize at my place on Feb. 24 and 25, 1911.
G. A. RUDOLPH,
82-2-St. Lohn, Texas.

Our Contestants.
Nora Boyd, Brady
Rachael Walker, Brady
Gladys Brown, Brady
Gertrude Sanders, Brady
Fannie Martin, Brady
Gertrude Priddy, Brady
Maggie Finlay, Fife
Quincy Cooper, Fife
Mamie Wade, Fife
Belle Owens, Katemcy
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Anna Davenport, Katemcy
Ruth Hamilton, Mercury
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ROYAL



BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure
The only baking powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar
NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

\$690,000 Bonds for Waterworks, Etc.

Muskogee, Ok., Feb. 16.—In a special election held today the city of Muskogee voted bonds to the amount of \$690,000 for a complete waterworks plant, with the twin pump and reservoir system, for a sewage disposal system to the Arkansas River and for a city garbage plant. There were 1,600 votes cast and every proposition carried by a five-to-one vote.

Cow's Friend.

The best feed for milch cows. Plenty of it now on hand at the Brady (Bencini) Oil Mill. 68-2-tf

A satisfied customer our best advertisement.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

We want you to know that we are not going to leave Brady, not by a great deal, as some of our competitors have stated they thought we were. We have never had the least idea of leaving and so far as we now know, we are here forever. We want your business on a business basis.
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WALL PAPER

Just received 5000 rolls of late styles in wall paper, ranging in price from 5c to \$2.50 per roll. The best and most varied stock ever brought to Brady.

C. W. RAMSAY,

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AT THE

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KIRK

Brings joy to the heart of the man that dresses well by the perfect fit of his Globe tailoring. Nothing is more pleasing than to know that your suit is a perfect fit.

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J. W. Stewart,
Draying and Heavy Hauling of All Kinds

Will appreciate your draying and hauling business. Your freight and packages handled by careful and painstaking employees. Only one in Brady prepared to handle hauling of boilers, etc.

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EDITORIAL SIDE LIGHTS

You can always bank on the bankers having a "bang-up banquet."—San Antonio Express.

A Philadelphia girl sang as surgeons operated on her for appendicitis. She will probably whistle when she gets the bill.—Ft. Worth Record.

An Indiana man 60 years of age has just cut his wisdom teeth. We suppose it was a direct result of his voting the democratic ticket last year for the first time.—Houston Post.

A Georgia evangelist says a man is a fool to go to hell for a woman. Indeed he is. Anybody with three grains of sense knows one can do better in Texas or Mississippi or North Carolina.—Houston Post.

Roosevelt is regaining the power of speech. By the time he reaches Texas he will be in his old form—just our luck.—Ft. Worth Record.

To all outlander and outlandish republicans: Two days in Texas make an imported republican respectable, one year makes him a democrat, two years make him a patriot and ten years make him a saint incarnate. As Dr. Munyon says, "there is hope." (Come on.—Houston Post.

A Georgia man drank sixty-six bottles of coca cola. That's the Atlanta spirit—coca cola.—Ft. Worth Record.

The American consul general at Shanghai informs the department of state that unless assistance is promptly rendered, 2,000,000 people in China will starve to death. We feel sure that any number of people in this country will be glad to pray for these starving people.—Houston Post.

First West Texan: "Have you heard the good news?" Second West Texan: "No: what is it?" First West Texan: "The big railroad bridge is washed out, the ferry boat has been drowned and the footlogbusted by flood water; the bottoms are overflowed, cattle are standing with their noses only half an inch above water, and all the streams are still rising." Second West Texan: "Glorious! It is God's country again."—Dallas News.

Cracked Cake.

The Brady (Bencini) Oil Mill now has on hand plenty of cracked cake, thoroughly screened and for sale in any quantity. 68-2-tf

Art squares, rugs and matting.
O. D. Mann & Sons.

Typewriter paper, manifold paper, typewriter ribbons, typewriter oil and all supplies at The Standard office.

M. F. Fuller has been acting sheriff in the District court in Sheriff Wall's absence.

The Standard disc, the best on the market.
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Rev. Hardison Moncay morning at 8 o'clock united in marriage Mr. Jim Hemphill and Miss Edna Davis, a popular Melvin couple. Their marriage was in the nature of a surprise to both friends and relatives but the news brought forth a shower of congratulations and well wishes.

D. W. Bozeman has been spending several days in Vaco and other points on business.

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WILL OPERATE SPECIAL TRAIN

Leaving Brady 7:30 a. m., arriving Menard 9:30 a. m. Returning Trains Leave Menard 7:00 p. m., 9:45 p. m. and 10:00 p. m.

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No reduction for children. No baggage will be checked on these tickets.

W. M. HUNDLEY, AGENT, BRADY

Child Gored by Cow.

A frightful accident occurred last Thursday afternoon at Brownwood, when the two year old son of Bob Mauldin was attacked by a cow and terribly gored. The animal's horn struck the child on the right cheek, splintering the cheek bone, and came out just under the right eye. It was necessary to remove a portion of the cheek bone but it is thought the sight will not be injured.

Harness, collars, leather goods especially adapted to this climate.

O. D. Mann & Sons.

Gas in the stomach or bowels is a disagreeable symptom of a torpid liver. To get rid of it quickly take HERBINE. It is a marvelous liver stimulant and bowel purifier. Price 50c. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Our Furniture Department is up to the snuff, when it comes to having the goods and the prices. You need not be afraid of getting skinned when buying of us for we want to keep the reputation of being the up-to-date furniture house of Brady. We try to keep anything you want and at least let us figure with you.

Broad Mercantile Company.

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

We are pleased to advise, we know your wants and want your trade.

O. D. Mann & Sons.

See Ball at the Hole in the Wall for fresh fruit, butter and eggs.

Chickens Wanted.

100 Broilers or Fryers.
100 Hens.

86-3t WHITELAND HOTEL.

\$5.00 IN GOLD MONDAY

First Special Prize in the Standard's Contest Will be Awarded Monday. Deposit Your Votes.

The first count in the Brady Standard's subscription contest will be made next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which time \$5.00 in gold will be awarded the contestant having the largest number of votes up to that time. This prize will in no way conflict with the winning of any of the chief prizes but is just an added inducement to the contestants to "get up and hustle."

To our contestants we would say be polite, be persistent, be pleasant. Remember, no one is obliged to assist or favor you with their subscriptions, and if they see fit to do so regard it as a personal favor and appreciate it accordingly. At the same time be persistent. Don't be discouraged because one person refuses your request. Impress upon the people that in The Standard they are receiving the biggest value ever offered in a county paper for one dollar. And above all be pleasant. If a man refuses to subscribe treat it as a part of the game. A smile goes farther than anything you might say, and the man that refuses you today may change his mind ere tomorrow.

KIRK

Is showing those beautiful Spring samples from the Globe Tailoring Co., Cincinnati. Our reputation depends upon our pleasing our customers—and we know how to please.

Nuf Sed

Commissioners Court.

Commissioners court adjourned last Saturday to meet again the 1st of next month. Among other business transacted since last report was the ordering of the road bond election to be held March 25th. An order was passed complimenting W. F. Davis for his efficient service as janitor for the past two years and re-engaging his services for the next two years at a salary of \$45 per month, an increase of \$5.00. The printing of the Treasurer's quarterly report was awarded to the Brady Sentinel. The court also turned the Brady bridge over to the City of Brady with the offer of \$200.00 towards its construction.

A child that has intestinal worms is handicapped in its growth. A few doses of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE destroys and expels worms; the child immediately improves and thrives wonderfully. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by Central Drug Store.

We handle the Pearsall pear burners.

O. D. Mann & Sons.

Never before has our line of dishes been more complete. We can fit you up in dishes any way you want them.

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For the very best rust-proof, guaranteed seed oats, see C. W. L. Schaeg. 87-2-3t

Cow For Sale.

A jim dandy Jersey, be fresh in about 30 days. Don't apply unless you want a good cow at a reasonable price for spot cash. t-f tf JOHN E. COOKE.

Wanted.

Mules from 14 1-2 to 16 1-2 hands high, from 4 to 8 years old, good flesh, broke to harness. Mares from 4 to 8 years old, in good flesh and broke to harness. A few little horses.

Will be in Brady at Bumgardner's Stable until Saturday, Feb. 25. t-f-86-3t C. B. WHITE.

BANKERS ENTERTAINED

Local Bankers Hosts of Sixth District Texas Bankers Association—Select Brownwood for Next Year.

The local bankers proved themselves admirable hosts Monday when they had as their guests about seventy delegates to the Sixth District Texas Bankers Association, and despite the coolness of the weather and the lateness of the train the program was carried out without a single slip in the arrangements.

Immediately upon the arrival of the train Monday noon the visitors were escorted to the Syndicate building where lunch and barbecued meats and chickens were served by main host, Cook, in an abundance that would touch any man's heart.

Music was furnished throughout the day by the Brady Concert band and the Mexican orchestra.

At 2:30 o'clock the convention was called to order in the district court room, where the following program was given:

Invocation by Rev. D. R. Hardison, Brady.

Address of Welcome, Hon. Thos. Bell, Brady.

Response, Brooke Smith, of Brooke Smith & Co., Brownwood. Address "What of the Future?" by Hon. James Callan, banker and cattleman, Menard.

Address, "Some Suggestions" by Oscar Wells, Commercial National Bank, Houston.

Paper, "Relation of Country Banks to City Banks," Mr. Lewis of the National Bank of Commerce, St. Louis.

At the conclusion of the program W. D. Crothers was elected Chairman of the District for the coming year and W. B. Cross, of the Brownwood National Bank, Brownwood, Secretary. Brownwood was selected as the place of holding the next annual convention.

The entertainment concluded with dinner at the Queen Hotel.

The visitors were unanimous in their expressions of appreciation of the entertainment accorded them, and on the other hand Brady never felt more honored than when these gentlemen were her guests. We are all glad they came and hope they will come again.

The Brady Standard for printing—that's our business

J. E. Richey, of the Richey-DeFreest Land Co., is in the city.

We print programs and fancy stationery of every description. The Standard.

Belmont Sammons was up from Wincheell over Sunday.

Boost your favorite candidate by asking for voting coupons when paying your subscription.

For the very best rust-proof, guaranteed seed oats, see C. W. L. Schaeg. 87-2-3t

Texas Standard form legal blanks—we carry them in stock. The Standard.

Nineteen hundred and eleven is the first year since 1799 having all odd figures. It is the first year in a century to contain three ones. This will not occur again until 2111.

Typewriter carbon and skin. The Standard.

A. W. Keller is placing eggs from his famous Rhode Island Red pens on sale this week. See his ad elsewhere in this issue.

Clip the free paper coupons.

There will be services at the Catholic church every third Sunday, by Rev. F. X. Gagnon, priest in charge. tf

Ruled headings and loose leaf sheets—we print them. The Standard.

A Gill Edge Investment.

A dollar invested in a year's subscription to The Brady Standard—all the news twice-a-week.

Settings At \$1.50 Per 15 Eggs

I am now selling settings of 15 eggs from my full blood Rhode Island pens for \$1.50. Last year I sold these eggs at \$2.00 per setting, and since then I have improved the stock by careful breeding and have imported new stock. I guarantee these Reds to be the finest in the country. When you send off for eggs you run the risk of securing only a few chicks from the entire setting. My settings are gathered fresh every day. Also have a small pen of White Orpingtons. See me.

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"The Style Store" C. B. WATTERS & CO., WEST SIDE.....

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KIRK DISTRICT COURT OPENS

Represents the Globe Tailoring Co., of Cincinnati, famous the world over for clothes that are shaped right, fit right and wear right. Once a Globe suit, always a Globe suit.

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A GLORIOUS RAINFALL

McCulloch County Thoroughly Soaked by Magnificent Rains Last Friday Night and Saturday.

The man who remembered the time "when it never did rain" is now a back number in McCulloch county and no longer do crowds of devotees listen with awe-stricken faces to his oracular words. For it has rained. Commencing Friday night when the steady fall of rain thoroughly soaked the ground, the Heavens fairly opened up Saturday morning and poured forth upon old mother earth. The rain fell steadily at all times and varied from a resemblance of a spring shower to the heaviest of thunder storms. From all over the county came reports of the same thorough wetting. State papers report rain in fifty counties—including all North-Central and West-Central Texas and the Panhandle. In the Panhandle considerable snow fell.

According to the government gauge, 2.75 inches fell here, which together with the .78 inch of rainfall up to that time makes a total of 3.53 inches that has fallen in McCulloch county this month.

Following close upon the heels of the rain came a blizzardly norther Sunday, causing overcoats to be in great demand. The thermometer dropped to 28 degrees above zero both Sunday and Monday nights and something like an inch and a half of ice was frozen. Up to the time we go to press no signs of warmer weather are apparent.

Printing that pleases. The Standard.

We want to sell you a drag harrow. Our price is right and not a better harrow to be found anywhere. At least give us a call. Broad Mercantile Company.

Fire last week at Stacy entirely destroyed the building, together with the contents, owned by W. D. Trott & Son. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

Most anything that can be made with type, paper and ink at The Standard office.

Unanimous approval—the rain. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Fifty metallic cuspidors are being installed in the courthouse rooms and corridors. That ought to hold the spitters for a while.

J. G. Axtell leaves tomorrow night with his family for Fort Worth where they will again make their home.

All up-to-date hardware, queensware, etc. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Much Business on Hand—State Files Motion for Special Venire in Murder Cases.

District court opened Monday and the following men were empaneled as Grand Jurors by Judge Goodwin: C. A. Hodges, A. F. McCoy, W. H. Cottle, S. M. Young, H. F. Winslow, Luther Stephens, John Nichols, A. A. Jordan, E. B. Baldrige, Polk Jones, J. T. Ward, Thos. Wood, W. N. White was fined \$10 for non-appearance as Grand Juror.

The following were also called to serve as Petit Jurors for the first week: H. J. Huffman, Geo. Darley, Jim Harkrider, C. A. Engdahl, Burley Lively, G. N. Chamberlain, Charlie Cain, Geo. Russell, J. R. Faught, Mack Coalson, Sid Espy, E. A. G. Broad, M. Z. Bates, H. L. Blasdell, G. R. Baisden, F. M. Jonas, J. W. Wilder, T. L. Hodges, Joe Long, W. M. Bryson, Henry Miller, W. M. Allen, Josh Epps, Fred Otte, J. M. Bell, H. J. Baker, J. F. Cawyer, O. T. Baird, W. G. Bundick, C. D. Allen, Joe Cottle, A. C. Baze, A. J. Adams, S. F. Tedder.

A motion was filed by the State for a special venire for the murder cases next week. Judge Goodwin then adjourned court until today, and turned the court room over to the bankers.

Today the case of R. D. Dyer vs John Martin, suit on commission, is before the court.

LIVE LOCAL LINEUPS IN RUSTLING ROCHELLE.

(From the Rochelle Record.)

P. H. Charnquist returned Tuesday from a business trip to Ballinger. He says they had from three to four inches of rain in that section.

Mrs. J. M. Williams returned Monday from Temple, where she was operated on recently for appendicitis. Her many friends will be glad to know that the operation was successful and that she is rapidly recovering.

Good rains, fine business and everybody happy in Rustling, Righteous Rochelle. We will soon be ready for the summer meetings.

We are often asked the population of Rochelle. Rochelle has 1,139 sainted inhabitants, besides the progenitor of this ger-ate and gal-orious banner of reform and righteousness.

For the benefit of outsiders we will state that there is fair prospect of another big stone business house being erected in Rochelle in the near future. We have plenty of type to say that it will be twenty stories, but as our devotion to the truth will not allow us to misrepresent it we will acknowledge that it is to be only three stories high.

Coke Martin is suffering this week from a badly sprained wrist.

"The Heir of Mt. Vernon," a colonial play is a home talent and will be given in the school building Friday night, Feb. 24, for the benefit of the school.

To the Prohibitionists of McCulloch County.

A prohibition County Mass Meeting will be held at the court house in Brady at 2:00 o'clock p. m., Saturday, Feb. 25th, 1911, for the purpose of perfecting a McCulloch County Statewide Prohibition Amendment Association.

A county chairman, secretary and treasurer are to be elected and arrangements made for a precinct chairman at each voting box in the county. At any box where the present precinct chairman of the Anti-Saloon League appears to be the right man, there is no reason why he should not be chosen. The County Anti-Saloon League will be subordinate to and work in perfect harmony with the State and County Amendment Association.

We want each voting box in the county to have a delegation at Brady on the above date. Let every prohibitionist in McCulloch county consider himself a delegate and attend this mass meeting on Feb. 25th.

Yours for a stainless flag and Texas dry in 1911.

JEFF F. MONTGOMERY, Chairman McCulloch County Anti-Saloon League.

We have the largest assortment of Art Squares that we have ever shown and you will not find a larger line in the city. The prices range from \$5 to \$25. We want the pleasure of showing them to you.

Broad Mercantile Company.

We have just received a car of buggies, new styles, new everything. O. D. Mann & Sons.

For the very best rust-proof, guaranteed seed oats, see C. W. L. Schaeg. 87-2-3t

THERE'S NO RISK

If This Medicine Does Not Benefit You Pay Nothing.

A physician who made a specialty of stomach troubles, particularly dyspepsia, after years of study perfected the formula from which Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are made.

Our experience with Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets leads us to believe them to be the greatest remedy known for the relief of acute indigestion and chronic dyspepsia. Their ingredients are soothing and healing to the inflamed membranes of the stomach. They are rich in pepsin, one of the greatest digestive aids known to medicine. The relief they afford is almost immediate. Their use with persistency and regularity for a short time brings about a cessation of the pains caused by stomach disorders.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets will insure healthy appetite, and digestion and promote nutrition. As evidence of our sincere faith in Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, we ask you to try them at our risk. If they do not give you entire satisfaction, we will return you the money you paid us for them, without question or formality. They come in three sizes, price 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain them only at—The Rexall Store.—The Jones Drug Store

CHARGE COTTON THEFT

F. M. Parker Charged With Selling Stolen Cotton to Tom Wood Brought Back by Sheriff Wall.

F. M. Green, alias F. M. Parker, wanted here on a charge of selling two bales of cotton, stolen from the J. K. Shelton gin at Lohn, to Tom Wood a year ago last fall, was brought back today to answer the charge. Parker is serving a term on the convict farm near Cameron, Milam county, having been sent there last fall from Coleman on a similar charge. Sheriff Wall left last week for Cameron armed with a bench warrant issued by Judge Goodwin. Parker is said to have previously served a 2-years' term for cotton stealing in McLennan county.

Tea Party.

The Methodist ladies will give a tea at the Methodist parsonage Thursday afternoon, March 2nd, from 3:00 to 5:30 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend.

THE STANDARD would like to see some good, energetic boy or girl from Rochelle enter as a contestant for our pony and cart. The Rochelle field is a most inviting one and offers plenty of material to the one who will get up and hustle.

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

Placid Paragraphs.

Placid, Texas, Feb. 15, 1911.

Editor Brady Standard:

Since last writing we have had a little rain but not enough to put any water in the tanks.

Spring will soon be here and farmers are very busy preparing their land for another crop.

Health of this community is very good at this writing.

Messrs. Irvy Turnell and Tomie Cox attended the Holiness meeting at Winchell Saturday night and Sunday.

Placid Public School is progressing nicely. We have a fine teacher here this year.

Misses Ovie Haywood and Sophronia Nichols were the guests of Miss Nellye Turnell Sunday.

Rev. E. D. Morton filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday at 11 o'clock, going to Mercury Sunday night to preach there.

We have two fine Sunday schools here. The Baptist brethren holding theirs at the school house and the Holiness at their church.

Mr. Clarence Turnell made a flying trip to Deep Creek Sunday afternoon.

Miss Maggie Lee was the guest of Miss Lillie Mae Jordan Sunday.

Mr. Jim Harrison of Regency is visiting his sister Mrs. S. W. Turnell.

J. W. Haywood made a business trip to Mercury Monday.

The Christian minister will preach at the Holiness church Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night; every body invited to attend.

George Parker was at this city Sunday.

Mr. Walter Moore and family were the guests of Professor Hanes and wife Sunday.

Nellie Jonas of near San Saba is visiting her sister, Mrs. Vallye Holmes of Corn creek.

Mrs. J. S. Seago returned Monday from a visit to her parents near San Saba.

We have cottage prayer meeting every Friday night and prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Every thing is picking up at the city of Placid. VIOLET.

Whiteland Improvements.

The Whiteland hotel was opened to the public last Friday, with Mr. and Mrs. L. Titsworth in charge. They are said to be first-class hotel people, and will conduct a business strictly in keeping with their elegant new building and furnishings.

Manager Beckham, of the Richey-DeFreest Land Co., spent about ten days in Fort Worth recently, and while there complete furnishings for the new hotel were purchased. The car was unloaded early last week and the hotel was ready for business Friday. The first big commission for the new hotel will be supplying breakfast for the passengers on the special excursion train out of Fort Worth for the Menard celebration next Saturday.

Messrs. W. K. and L. P. Creasy, of Idaho, have purchased business lots in Whiteland and have begun work on a new store building in which they will conduct a grocery store. Other improvements and additions to the town's business interests are in sight.

Look around all over town, get the prices of our competitors, then come to us with your furniture list. If we don't save you some money you will have good consolation of knowing that you bought your furniture right. We carry the stock, we have the quality and the price and there is no excuse for us letting a bill get away from us. It is up to you to see whether or not we make good our advertisement.

Broad Mercantile Company.

We have some of the prettiest jobs in the Staver line that ever came to Brady. Let us show them to you.

O. D. Mann & Sons.

When the bowels become irregular you are uncomfortable and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. You can get rid of this misery quickly by using HERBINE. Take a dose on going to bed and see how fine you feel next day. Price 50c. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Two negro women charged with aggravated assault plead guilty in county court last Saturday and were fined \$25 and trimmings, amounting to close to \$50 each. The women indulged in some reckless shooting and raised disturbance in general in the railroad camp at Melvin.

KIRK

Gets the grease spots and puts the crease in your clothes. Let him Keep-U-Neat.

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Paid in Full.

The United Play Co. presented "Paid in Full" at the Cozy Theatre Saturday evening to a small but appreciative audience. The play was one of the very best seen here this season and was presented by a most capable company whose efforts to please seemed not to be affected by the size of their audience.

The play is different from the usual run of dramas presented here this season and is a story that gets next to you and will cause you, at several different times during the play, to attempt to swallow the lump that persistently rises in your throat.

Each character of the play was presented by an artist and the show deserved a full house, which undoubtedly would have been present had the weather not been so inclement.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is regular partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 4th day of December, A. D. 1910. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A good many knowing the value of the Canton Planter and Victor Cultivator are already placing their orders with us and several have already carried them to their homes. We want you to see us, if you are going to need a planter or cultivator this spring, as we have only a limited supply and if we do not sell in time to get in order for another car some of our customers might get disappointed. You know there is absolutely nothing on the market better than the Canton line and we want your business and will appreciate your coming in and letting us show this line to you right away. We want your business. Broad Mercantile Company.

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