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OF COMANCHE COUNTY

Candidate for

STATE SENATE

From the Twenty-sixth Senatorial District, composed of Erath, Comanche, Brown, Coleman, Rannels, Concho, McCulloch, San Saba, Llano and Mills counties.

PLATFORM

- S—cholastic age raised from 17 to 21 years
- C—otton Ware House established for the farmers
- F—our year term for State and County officers
- I—ncreased appropriation for Agricultural demonstration
- N—ew State Normal School for 26 Senatorial District
- D—ay light closing of all saloons, and other Restrictions
- L—iberal appropriations for "Old Confederates"
- E—lection Laws amended and simplified
- Y—early expenses of our State Government cut down

SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

PERSONAL ITEMS.

Jeff Montgomery has been attending court in Eastland county this week.

Mrs. L. M. Baker and son, L. M., Jr., are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Fuller.

J. M. Clayton was in from the Onion Gap community Wednesday and reported fine prospects.

Paul Willoughby is enjoying a trip to San Antonio, Sanderson, Del Rio and other points this week.

Misses Helen Hill and Mary Conolly of Hico are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hill this week.

Mrs. W. E. Adkins and son, Ryan, left yesterday for Menard, where they will visit Mrs. Dick Russell.

Lee Russell, of the Russell Commission Co., of Fort Worth, was in Brady Monday enroute to Menard to visit relatives.

John Campbell, cashier of the San Saba National bank, is here for a visit with his brother, P. A. Campbell and family.

Mrs. Wesley Bryson and two sons, who have been the guests of relatives and friends here the past several weeks, left yesterday morning for their home at Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Power left the first of the week for Gainesville, where they will enjoy a visit of a month with relatives and friends.

A picnic was enjoyed in the Josh Epps pasture at Cow Gap by the members of the union Sunday school yesterday, and a good time is reported.

The West Sweden Sunday school entertained its members with a picnic at West Sweden Tuesday. There was a fine crowd present and a fine dinner and the occasion was greatly enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Ernest Noble returned last night from Fort Worth, where she has been attending Mr. Noble, who is undergoing treatment. Latest reports from Mr. Noble are that he shows some improvement.

Judge Joe A. Adkins, Louie Baker and P. O. Neel were among those who attended court at Menard the first of the week. While there the first two named were observed in unholy conspiracy with the editor of the Bugtown Bugle.

We have everything to make the fishing trip a success. Get your fishing tackle here, and the big ones will never get away. Wm. Connolly & Co.

When you want a doctor, ring or call at the Palace Drug store.

More new summer dress goods here than anywhere in town. Wm. Connolly & Co.

After the Fourth. You'll want your clothes cleaned and pressed. Bring them to Kirk—the best cleaning and pressing in Brady. Phone 54. Nuf sed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Nine Were Issued During the Month of June.

Mr. M. E. Dunn and Miss Zella Alexander.

Mr. J. Britton Embry and Miss Sue Ella Hyde.

Mr. Ernest Thigpen and Miss Ora Heaton.

Mr. Andrew Nichols and Miss Emma Jones.

Mr. Guenther Kiehne and Miss Era Miers.

Mr. H. C. Bridge and Mrs. Mary V. Hall.

Mr. R. S. Russell and Miss Mabel Taylor.

Mr. J. J. Haywood and Miss Inez Henderson.

Mr. R. B. Hardin and Miss Ida McDonald.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Subject, "The Growth of the B. Y. P. U."

Leader, Mr. John Doole.

Short talk on "The Purpose of a Young People's Union" by leader.

"How Can I Help the B. Y. P. U. to Grow?" Mr. James Coalsen.

"Some Improvements We Might Make in Our B. Y. P. U.," Miss Floyce King.

Readings: Miss Katie Alexander, Miss Katie Westbrook, Mr. Marshall Rankin, Mr. Sam McCollum.

Drowned at Mercury.

Word was received in Brady the first of the week of the drowning of a man named Johnson in the Colorado river near Mercury. Particulars of the affair are meager, but the man was said to be a wood chopper and his home was in Brownwood. He was seen to pass through Mercury Monday driving a team to a hack enroute toward Milburn. Monday afternoon his team was discovered grazing in a lane, and a little later his cap was found floating in the river. Search revealed his body, fully clothed, lying in the water. Deceased was about 55 or 60 years old. How he came to his tragic end will probably always remain a mystery.

Brady Boy Honored.

From the McKinney Courier-Gazette we note the re-election of A. G. (Pat) Mayase as secretary of the ex-Confederates and Old Settlers Picnic Association at that place. The article speaks in very complimentary terms of Pat and the work accomplished for the association by him.

This hot summer weather will not be so hot if you wear one of our light poplin suits. From \$5.00 to \$7.50—coat and trousers. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Pigs for sale. See J. B. Davis.

A Duplex safety razor will pull you out of many a tight, and there's both comfort and satisfaction in a shave with the Duplex. Wm. Connolly & Co.

You want the best—ask for dry cleaning when your clothes need cleaning and pressing. Everybody is delighted with the work turned out in our dry cleaning department. Nuf sed. Kirk.

When you want a prescription filled, take it to the Palace Drug store.

COMMERCIAL CORNER By the Secretary.

We have stated in former articles the attitude of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce as to the raising of freight rates in this section of the state. For the benefit of our business men who will have to pay the raise and then make their customers foot the bill, we wish to give in part some correspondence between one of our special committeemen and the vice president of the San Angelo Chamber of Commerce and the freight manager of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce. I will only quote enough to show the attitude of the Dallas people toward us. Mr. Blanks of San Angelo, under date of June 18th, asked the secretary at Dallas what was the disposition and desire of the Chamber of Commerce at that place in regard to the proposed change in freight rates as proposed by the railroads doing business in Central West Texas; and second, what statements did they make to the Interstate Commerce Commission concerning this change. Third, did they, after the recent suspension, file protest against said suspension and fourth, would this proposed change be satisfactory to Dallas. Answer, in part: "At a recent meeting of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce this proposition was discussed at considerable length, and after the deliberations it was decided that the railroad companies in this matter were fully justified by all the circumstances, and the object of this letter is to advise your honorable board that the jobbers and manufacturers of Dallas are in no manner opposed to the change and that we feel that the railroads are entitled to some additional revenue for the extra service performed in serving these far western and sparsely settled Texas people." I also have Mr. Maxwell's letter to the Hon. John L. Wortham, our railroad commissioner at Austin, endeavoring to explain their attitude and protesting against the suspension of rates as was recently ordered by the commission at Washington. In view of the above facts, brought out as to the position of the Dallas people regarding this imposition suggested by the railroads no better deed can be rendered by our people, and especially our business men, than for them to get busy and do a little protesting themselves by writing their respective wholesale houses and ask them to "sit up and take notice." We will be glad to furnish our merchants and all other classes of business men further evidence at the office and tell just what is being done by those who are interested in the welfare of themselves and their customers. We will re-further; we will help draft letters to jobbers and wholesalers of Dallas.

It would be no trouble in the world to win out on the 5th of October if we have no opposition in Texas. If Dallas continues in her selfish way to help put additional tax on us, it will be that much harder to secure absolute suspension of the threatened increase of tariff rates on interstate shipments. It seems to us that this is of sufficient importance to arouse the interest of any live, wide-awake business man. Let us get busy.

Iron Clad silk hose—the kind that wear like iron. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Lost—A box of fishing tackle near Camp San Saba. Finder will please notify Brady Standard and receive reward.

Fishing tackle for every kind of fish and every kind of fishing at Wm. Connolly & Co.

W. M. R. DAVIDSON, Chmn. Democratic Executive Com.

When you want a cold drink, come in at the Palace Drug store.

If you wear one of our linen or poplin wash suits and Panama hats you will be comfortable and look nice. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Stockholders Meeting.

There will be a stockholders' meeting at the office of the Brady Farmers' Union Warehouse on July 12th, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing four directors and transacting some other very important business. Every stockholder is earnestly requested to be present.

Respt.

R. A. RUTHERFORD,
Chairman Executive Committee.

Marsden Bros. & Co.'s grocery store and the Black barber shop on the east side are resplendent in a bright new coat of Emerald Isle paint.

A new line of Arrow shirts and collars; any style and color you may wish. Wm. Connolly & Co.

When you want the right goods at the right time and at the right price, call at the Palace Drug store.

THE DEVIL.

Played Before a Crowded House at the Lyric Wednesday Night.

Crowds that tax the capacity of the house have been the rule this week at the Lyric-Vendome. The attraction is, of course, the Detroit Stock company, and truly they are an attraction. Their plays are of the highest class, and the actors themselves are artists of no mean ability. The company presents a line of plays entirely new to this section, and is gaining the reputation of being the best stock company that has ever visited our city.

Wednesday night was presented that thrilling, living, vivid story "The Devil." Mr. Truman DeRoane in the leading role of the Devil, who calls himself Dr. Miller, kept the audience fascinated from the very start till the final curtain with his dare-devil acts and satanic machinations. Miss Dorothy Earle as Olga Hoffman and Bert Muerling as Karl Blahler, both excelled in their respective parts, and their struggles against the insidious temptations of the devil, and their fall, were as realistic as has ever been enacted in real life.

For tonight this company presents Kipling's great story "The Light That Failed," the longest and most difficult play ever presented by any company anywhere, and played exclusively by this company. This is a strong and virile play and one that will hold the attention of the audience from start to finish.

For next week the Lyric management announces a high-class specialty in vaudeville, with an entertaining program of moving pictures.

Mrs. S. R. Sellers Dead.

The death of Mrs. S. R. Sellers occurred Tuesday afternoon at her home in the Crothers addition, near the Santa Fe depot. Mrs. Sellers had been an invalid for about ten years and her death was not unexpected. She was 67 years of age, and was a life-long member of the Methodist church. The funeral took place Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. T. King officiating, and interment was made in the Brady cemetery. To the relatives of the deceased is extended the heartfelt sympathy of the community.

Something no man should be without—a Duplex safety razor. Let us show how superior they are to all others. Wm. Connolly & Co.

A. D. Wright has just completed the plans for the new Waldrip school building to be erected at a cost of \$2,500. The contract will be let next week. The plan is that of a handsome two-story structure, modern and complete in every detail, and one that will be a credit to the citizens of Waldrip for years to come.

The name Packard means to every man who ever wore the Packard shoe the very best, nicest, most comfortable and most reasonable priced shoe on earth. We have all the leathers, styles, sizes and shapes. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Protracted Meeting.

A protracted meeting is announced at the Christian tabernacle to begin the fourth Sunday in this month. Rev. W. C. Hilton of Fayetteville, Ark. will have charge of the meeting, and will be assisted by his wife, who will look after the music. Rev. Hilton is said to be a speaker of exceptional ability and one whom everyone will delight in hearing. Mrs. Hilton, likewise, is gifted as a soloist. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

It Grows in McCulloch.

H. L. Blasdel, one of the foremost citizens of the Tucker community, has been showing Brady folks how to raise corn out his way. Mr. Blasdel exhibited half a dozen or more ears of corn averaging not less than eleven inches in length, and being splendidly developed. This corn was raised on but half an inch of rain; yet some folks say corn doesn't grow in McCulloch. Mr. Blasdel's exhibit is on display at the Commercial club rooms.

Your hosiery troubles are all over when you wear Iron Clad; all sizes and in all colors. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Every lady in Brady who has given our dry cleaning a trial will testify that it is the best ever for white and linen dresses. When your dresses need cleaning, we do the work right. Kirk. Nuf sed.

When you want your watch or clock fixed, take it to Harold Wroten, at the Palace Drug store.

Going fishing? Need some new lines or hooks, a minnow seine or a bucket? We have everything in the fishing line. Wm. Connolly & Co.

When you want to rest, have a seat in the Palace Drug store.

Install Officers.

A number of local Odd Fellows went to Rochelle last Tuesday night to install the newly elected officers at that place. Included in the party were T. J. Bradley, D. G. M.; H. C. Boyd, Ed F. Bauhof and A. W. Walker.

Make your next pair of oxfords or shoes a pair of Packards. Every one guaranteed. Wm. Connolly & Co.

THE CONVENIENT TRAIN

VIA



Effective Sunday June 23rd, the Schedule of Our Train No. 4 was changed as follows:

Leave Brady 6:30 a. m.; Arrive Brownwood 8:20 a. m.; Arrive Comanche 9:45 a. m.; Arrive Dublin 10:47 a. m.; Arrive Stephenville 11:30 a. m.; Arrive Fort Worth 3:05 p. m.

At Brownwood connection is made with the west bound Santa Fe leaving Brownwood 9:50 a. m., arrives Santa Anna 10:40 a. m., Coleman 11 a. m., Ballinger 12:40 p. m., Miles 1:15 p. m., Paint Rock 2:10 p. m., San Angelo 1:55 p. m., Sterling City 7 p. m., Sweetwater 6:40 p. m.

At Comanche connection made with Cotton Belt east, leaving Comanche 10:50 a. m., arrive Hamilton 12:35 p. m., Gatesville 2:25 p. m., McGregor 4 p. m., Waco 5 p. m., Connections at Waco with all lines.

At Dublin connection with Texas Central west, leaving Dublin 1:40 p. m., arrive Cisco 3:45 p. m., Stamford 6:40 p. m., East bound leaves Dublin 11:40 a. m., arrives Hico 12:30 p. m., Walnut Springs 1:15 p. m., Morgan 1:40 p. m., Waco 3:40 p. m., Connections at Waco with all lines.

At Fort Worth connection is made with all lines, and don't forget that the "Texan" leaving Fort Worth for St. Louis and Chicago is the finest train being operated from the Southwest.

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BRADY, TEXAS, JULY 5, 1912

NO APOLOGY.

Owing to the fact that yesterday was the glorious Fourth of July, which occasion was duly celebrated by everyone in Brady with the exception of the printers and one or two other plutocrats, there resulted a great dearth of news and advertising as well. Consequently, we are issuing The Standard in abbreviated form. The remaining four pages of the customary eight having been printed blank, this issue should meet with the entire approval of both friend and knocker.

HANDING IT BACK.

Some time ago the railroads decided to move the common point territory about one hundred miles east of San Angelo. This affected freight rates here as well as in many other West Texas towns. A protest was filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, then someone at Dallas filed a protest insisting that the common point boundary be changed as contemplated. There is no doubt but a change in common point territory would greatly benefit Dallas and Fort Worth and other North Texas jobbing points. Fort Worth has remained neutral in the matter while Dallas has tried to hog it, as usual. As a result, San Angelo merchants are giving Dallas drummers the icy stare. San Angelo has always paid a stiff price for even being on speaking terms with this North Texas village that will be at the head of trinity navigation when they get the water. And moreover, Dallas expects West Texas support in a very large measure in the matter of her State Fair, a support heretofore liberally given. West Texas has the stuff to make attractive exhibits. West Texas, also, has a remarkably good memory, and Dallas will not be forgotten.—San Angelo Record.

Wilson and Marshall—sounds like a winner, that war-cry.

Crop conditions are below average in the report in the state press. And 'way above average in McCulloch. That's where we get our inning.

The greatest fight ever witnessed is about to be pulled off in McCulloch county, when Prosperity will land an uppercut on the jaw of Hard Times and forever put him to sleep.

The villainous editor of the Menderville Messenger (of evil tidings, we suppose) this week again assails our spotless character in a most undesired and uncalled for manner. It is quite natural, however, for anyone who is forever doomed to drag out a mere existence in that vale of woe and dissatisfaction to become jealous of anyone so fortunate as to call Brady his home, for Brady is the home of all good things—that's us.

+ TALKING ABOUT US. +

SHOWERS COOLED THE FEVER.

The town of Brady has the rain-making fever and has a committee at work trying to induce the required \$3,000 to induce the Hatfields to come to Brady and deliver the goods.—Coleman Democrat.

The windows of the heavens flew open and Brady was deluged before the \$3,000 was raised. The Brady Standard then got up on a housetop and told the people that the Hatfields deserved no credit for that flood; that it was Rev. Morrow of Fort Worth and the fervent and effective prayers of the Baptist brethren and sisters in Brady that provoked the precipitation—or words to that effect. If The Standard is right, then that Brady committee should hasten to finish the collection and turn over that \$3,000 to Bro. Morrow and the church in Brady and have those brethren to pray without ceasing for more rain.—San Angelo Record.

One farmer in McCulloch county will market between 600 and 800 bushels of peaches this season, is the report made by the Brady Standard. If one farmer in that section can raise 600 bushels of peaches, why cannot twenty farmers there do as well? If there were twenty farmers each raising that many bushels, there would be 12,000 bushels of peaches raised in McCulloch county this year. Of course, a ready market for that many fresh, ripe peaches might not be readily found near home, but with a factory to can and preserve the fruit, not a peach need be lost, but a very large sum of money would be saved to the county. The farmer who is making this good crop deserves credit for his enterprise, and his example should be followed by a good many of his neighbors.—San Antonio Express.

BURNING DAYLIGHT

By JACK LONDON

Author of "The Call of the Wild," "White Fang," "Martin Eden," etc.

Illustrations by Dearborn, Melvill

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CHAPTER XXI.

But there came the day, one year, in early April, when Dede sat in an easy chair on the porch, sewing on certain small garments, while Daylight read aloud to her. It was in the afternoon, and a bright sun was shining down on a world of new green. Along the irrigation channels of the vegetable garden streams of water were flowing, and now and again Daylight broke off from his reading to run out and change the flow of water. Also, he was teasingly interested in the certain small garments on which Dede worked, while she was radiantly happy over them, though at times, when his tender fun was too insistent, she was roily confused or affectionately resentful. It was a few minutes later that Daylight, breaking off from his reading to change the streams of irrigation, found that the water had ceased flowing. He shouldered a pick and shovel, took a hammer and a pipe-wrench from the tool-house, and returned to Dede on the porch.

"I reckon I'll have to go down and dig the pipe out," he told her. "It's that slide that's threatened all winter. I guess she's come down at last."

"Don't you read ahead, now," he warned, as he passed around the house and took the trail that led down the well of the canyon.

Halfway down the trail, he came upon the slide. It was a small affair, only a few tons of earth and crumbling rock; but, starting from fifty feet above, it had struck the water-pipe with force sufficient to break it at a connection. Before proceeding to work, he glanced up the path of the slide, and he saw what made his eyes startle and cease for the moment from questing farther.

"Hello," he communed aloud, "look who's here."

His glance moved on up the steep broken surface, and across it from side to side. Here and there, in places, small twisted manzanitas were rooted precariously, but in the main, save for weeds and grass, that portion of the canyon was bare. There were signs of a surface that had shifted often as the rain poured a flow of rich eroded soil from above over the lip of the canyon.

"A true fissure vein, or I never saw one," he proclaimed softly.

Dropping the hammer and pipe-wrench, but retaining pick and shovel, he climbed up the slide to where a vague line of out-jutting but mostly soil-covered rock could be seen. It was all but indiscernible, but his practiced eye had sketched the hidden information which it signified. Here and there, along this wall of the vein, he attacked the crumbling rock with the pick and shoveled the encumbering soil away. Several times he examined this rock. So soft was some of it that he could break it in his fingers. Shifting a dozen feet higher up, he again attacked with pick and shovel. And this time, when he rubbed the soil from a chunk of rock and looked, he straightened up suddenly, gasping with delight. And then, like a deer at a drinking pool in fear of its enemies, he flung a quick glance around to see if any eye were gazing upon him. He grinned at his own foolishness and returned to his examination of the chunk. A slant of sunlight fell on it, and it was all aglitter with tiny specks of unmistakable free gold.

"From the grass roots down," he muttered in an awe-stricken voice, as he swung his pick into the yielding surface.

Sometimes he started small slides of earth that covered up his work and compelled him to dig again. Once he was swept fifty feet down the canyon-side; but he floundered and scrambled up again without pausing for breath. He hit upon quartz that was so rotten that it was almost like clay, and here the gold was richer than ever. It was a veritable treasure chamber. For a hundred feet up and down he traced the walls of the vein. He even climbed over the canyon-lip to look along the brow of the hill for signs of the outcrop. But that could wait, and he hurried back to his find.

He toiled on in the same mad haste, until exhaustion and an intolerable ache in his back compelled him to pause. He straightened up with even a richer piece of gold-laden quartz. Stopping, the sweat from his forehead had fallen to the ground. It now ran into his eyes, blinding him. He wiped it from him with the back of his hand and returned to a scrutiny of the gold. It would run thirty thousand to the ton, fifty thousand anything—he knew that. And as he gazed upon the yellow lure, and panted for air, and wiped the sweat away, his quick vision leaped and set to work. He saw the spur-track that must run up from the valley and across the upland pastures, and he ran the grades and built the bridge that would span the canyon, until it was real before his eyes. Across the canyon was the place for the mill, and there he erected it; and he erected, also, the endless chain of

buckets, suspended from a cable and operated by gravity, that would cross the canyon to the quartz-crusher. Likewise, the whole mine grew before him and beneath him—tunnels, shafts, and galleries, and hoisting plants. The blasts of the miners were in his ears, and from across the canyon he could hear the roar of the stamps. The hand that held the lump of quartz was trembling, and there was a tired, nervous palpitation apparently in the pit of his stomach. It came to him abruptly that what he wanted was a drink—whisky, cocktails, anything, a drink. And even then, with this new hot yearning for the alcohol upon him, he heard, faint and far, drifting down the green abyss of the canyon, Dede's voice, crying:—

"Here, chick, chick, chick, chick, chick! Here, chick, chick, chick!"

He was astounded at the lapse of time. She had left her sewing on the porch and was feeding the chickens preparatory to getting supper. The afternoon was gone. He could not conceive that he had been away that long.

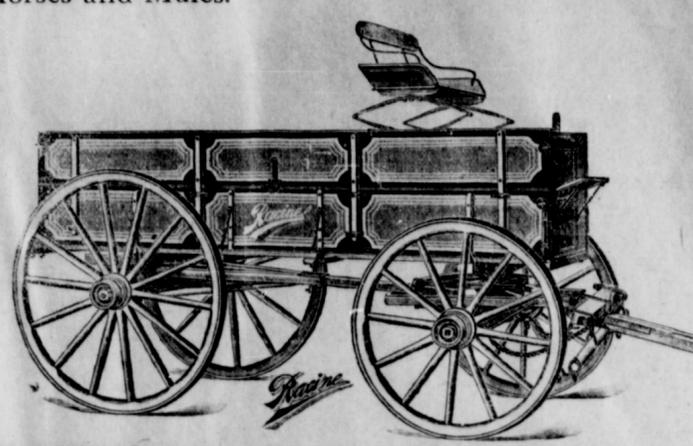
Again came the call: "Here, chick, chick, chick, chick, chick! Here, chick, chick, chick!"

It was the way she always called—first five, and then three. He had long since noticed it. And from these thoughts of her arose other thoughts that caused a great fear slowly to grow in his face. For it seemed to him that he had almost lost her. Not once had he thought of her in those frenzied hours, and for that much, at least, had she truly been lost to him. He dropped the piece of quartz, slid down the slide, and started up the trail, running heavily. At the edge of the clearing he eased down and almost crept to a point of vantage whence he could peer out, himself unseen. She was feeding the chickens, tossing to them handfuls of grain and laughing at their antics.

The sight of her seemed to relieve the panic fear into which he had been flung, and he turned and ran back down the trail. Again he climbed the slide, but this time he climbed higher, carrying the pick and shovel with him. And again he toiled frenziedly, but this time with a different purpose. He worked artfully, losing slide after slide of the red soil and sending it streaming down and covering up all he had uncovered, hiding from the light of day the treasure he had discovered. He even went into the woods and scooped armfuls of last year's fallen leaves, which he scattered over the slide. But this he gave up as a vain task, and he sent more slides of soil down upon the scene of his labor, until no sign remained of the out-jutting walls of the vein. Next he repaired the broken pipe, gathered his tools together, and started up the trail. He walked slowly, feeling a great weariness, as of a man who had

Wanted! Wanted!

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G. W. L. SCHAEGER

passed through a frightful crisis. He put the tools away, took a great drink of the water that again flowed through the pipes, and sat down on the bench by the open kitchen door. Dede was inside, preparing supper, and the sound of her footsteps gave him a vast content.

He breathed the balmy mountain air in great gulps, like a diver fresh-risen from the sea. And, as he drank in the air, he gazed with all his eyes at the clouds and sky and valley, as if he were drinking in that, too, along with the air.

Dede did not know he had come back, and at times he turned his head and stole glances in at her—at her efficient hands, at the bronze of her brown hair that smoldered with fire, when she crossed the path of sunshine that streamed through the window, at the promise of her figure that shot through him a pang most strangely sweet and sweetly dear. He heard

her approaching the door, and kept his head turned resolutely toward the valley. And next, he thrilled, as he had always thrilled, when he felt the caressing gentleness of her fingers through his hair.

"I didn't know you were back," she said. "Was it serious?"

"Pretty bad, that slide," he answered, still gazing away and thrilling to her touch. "More serious than I reckoned. But I've got the plan. Do you know what I'm going to do?—I'm going to plant eucalyptus all over it. They'll hold it. I'll plant them thick as grass, so that even a hungry rabbit can't squeeze between them; and when they get their roots agoin', nothing in creation will ever move that dirt again."

(To be continued.)

Insect Bite Costs Leg.
A Boston man lost a leg from the bite of an insect two years before. To avert such calamities from stings and bites of insects use Bucklen's Arnica Salve promptly to kill the poison and prevent inflammation, swelling and pain. Heals boils, burns, ulcers, piles, eczema, cuts, bruises. Only 25c at Jones Drug Co.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for the kind assistance extended us during the long illness of our little daughter, Nova, and other members of the family who were sick during the same time.
We further feel under obligations that cannot be expressed in words to all those who assisted in working our crop clean of weeds and grass.
J. M. DOYLE and Family.

SALT GAP ITEMS.

Salt Gap, Texas, July 2.
Editor Brady Standard:
Here I come with some of our Salt Gap news.

Messrs. Banty and Bryson were visiting the Ramsey ranch Monday.

Miss Jennie Ramsey was the guest of Miss Thompson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riggs were called to Brady Tuesday. Mrs. Riggs' mother is very ill.

Mr. Will Ramsey and family visited the Peel home Sunday.

Misses Edna Peel and Jennie Ramsey were the guests of Miss Ruby Thompson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. John Haywood and Miss Inez Henderson were united in marriage. We all wish them much happiness through life.

Mr. Edward Peel was the guest of Mr. Charlie Sherman Sunday.

Mr. Will Ramsey gave an ice cream supper Friday night which all present enjoyed until a late hour.

Miss Carr of San Antonio is visiting her many friends here.

A crowd of young folks took a pleasure trip after plums Wednesday.

Well, I will ring off for fear my letter will be too long. DICK.

Dysentery is always serious and often a dangerous disease, but it can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured it even when malignant and epidemic. For sale by all dealers.

DEEP CREEK DOINGS.

Cowboy, Texas, June 30.

Editor Brady Standard:

As today is Sunday, I will spend a few moments in writing to The Standard.

The grasshoppers don't seem to be as plentiful as they were before the rain, and don't seem to be doing any damage now. We sure hope they will quit, for they have certainly played havoc with a good many in this vicinity. Mr. T. S. Shaw planted his cotton the third time.

The picnic over on Corn Creek was a howling success. Malcomb Jonas ran a lemonade stand; also had ice cream and soda pop. I don't think he slighted anybody. He even treated the old women. So now, girls, don't you think that nice?

Mrs. Alma Jonas spent yesterday with her mother.

Mrs. Patterson visited Mrs. Jonas

yesterday.

Mrs. Shaw and children chopped cotton for Mr. Moran the past week.

Oh, if we could get another good rain just now, the farmers would be overjoyed.

Those roasting ears we are having now are simply fine.

What has become of Pug Muggins? I guess lots of the correspondents are like myself—too busy to write every week.

How many like to read the story, "Burning Daylight?" I like it fine. I am afraid it is nearly ended now, as Daylight has got married.

Good luck and best wishes to all. T. R. E.

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Miss Annie Estela Bradley, Editor; Phone 179

Bazaar of the Nations.

The members of the B. Y. P. U. gave a delightful feature on the court house lawn last Tuesday evening in the way of a bazaar of the nations, the four represented being France, Japan, Mexico and the United States. Beautifully decorated booths signified the different nations by the national decorations, flags and costumes worn by the keepers of each. Among gay flying streamers of red, white and blue, you were served with dainty sandwiches, salad and coffee. Typical Mexicans passed chili con carne in their tent of red and yellow. Little Japanese maidens bade you enter their garden and be seated on cushions while you were served with delicious tea and wafers. Perhaps the most inviting and also attractive booth was that presided over by a number of pretty girls clad in French attire. Snowy linen spreads covered their tables which were arranged among banks of green and white. Ice cream and cake were served in this parlor. Some two hundred people attended this affair, and a neat sum of forty-odd dollars was the result. This sum will go to the treasury of the B. Y. P. U.

Birthday Dinner.

Much to the joy of the honoree, and too, an occasion that will not soon be forgotten by all present, was a six o'clock dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Adkins on last Saturday at their home in the Spiller addition, honoring their mother, Mrs. Josie Adkins. It was grandma's seventy-first birthday, and her greatest happiness was to have all her children with her on this day. A long table had been built on the porch and it was here that the bounteous spread was laid. Covers were placed for Mrs. Josie Adkins, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Walker and daughter, Miss Helen, Mrs. Callie Wolf and daughters, Misses Nita, Bernice and Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wolf and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkerson and two children, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Luhn, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Adkins and children and Miss Ettie Adkins. The love and esteem by which this

What's The Matter With Your Baby?

The young mother—and many an old one, too—is often puzzled to know the cause of her child's ill nature. The loudness of its crying does not necessarily indicate the seriousness of its trouble. It may have nothing more the matter with it than a headache or a feeling of general dullness. It cannot, of course, describe its feelings, but as a preliminary measure you are safe in trying a mild laxative. Nine times out of ten, you will find it in all the child's ills, for its restlessness and peevishness are perhaps due to obstruction of the bowels, and once that has been remedied the headache, the sluggishness and the many other evidences of constipation and indigestion will quickly disappear. Don't give the little one salts, cathartic pills or nasty waters, for these will act as purgatives, and they are too strong for a child. In the families of

Mrs. J. H. Sowders, Morgan, Texas, and Mrs. B. B. Rosser, 1011 34th St., Galveston, Texas, the only laxative given is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It has been found to answer most perfectly all the purposes of a laxative, and its very mildness and freedom from griping recommend it especially for the use of children, women, and old folks generally—people who need a gentle bowel stimulant. Thousands of American families have been enthusiastic about it for more than a quarter of a century. Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way of a druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size), can have a sample bottle sent to them free of charge by simply adding 10c to the price of the regular bottle. Write to W. B. Caldwell, 405 Wash. Monticello, Ill. Your name on a postal card will do.

Louise Hardison and Miss Lucile Yantis at the piano. Dainty refreshments of ice cream and nut cake were served. Those present were: Misses Ruth Campbell, Ferole Ford, Olga Schaefer, Louise Hardison, Marie Cornell, Rosa Stallings, Lucile Yantis, Estella Bradley, Nettie Lou Morrow, Lois Bradley, Iva Goodson, Clara Webster, Mozelle Glenn, Maud McCann, Fannie Jones, Carrie Berry, Nora and Maude Sheridan, Stella Sayle, Linnie Bell of Luling, Ruby Morris of Brownwood and the guest of honor.

Theatre Party.

At the Lyric-Vendome on Friday evening a crowd of girls enjoyed a theatre party, after which they were complimented with drinks at the ever popular Palace Drug store fountain. The party included Misses Lucile Yantis, Vera King, Ruth Wood, Marnie Spiller, Olga Schaefer, Carrie Berry, Ruth Campbell, Louise Hardison, Estella Bradley, Laura McNeil of Evant, Marie Cornell, Mary Johnson, Catherine Chilton of Comanche, Mary Schaefer, Ruth Reader of Mason and Bell of Luling.

Tea.

At the home of Mrs. A. G. Walker on Tuesday evening the Christian Calvary Circle entertained with a "Tea". Some fifty guests were present to whom sandwiches, tea and cake were charmingly served. Home-made candy was for sale, and a very nice sum was made, which will go to a fund for repairing the church.

Miss Julia Louise Sheppard of Brownwood was honoree on Wednesday afternoon at a party given by Mrs. G. R. White from 4 until 6 o'clock. Music and gay conversation lasted throughout the afternoon. A pretty plate service was enjoyed by the following guests: Misses Leslie Samuels, Flora Schaefer, Mary Brook, Wilbur Ford, Sallie Miller, Leslie Bradley and Julia Louise Sheppard.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hundley chaperoned a jolly party of young people to the San Saba river Saturday and Sunday. The usual good times of fishing, hunting and boating was had. The party consisted of Misses Marnie Spiller, Estella Bradley, Sallie Nance, Clara Webster, Gladys Yeager; Messrs. John Henry Ogden, Bretette Tipton, Firman Jackson, Fred Spiller and Mrs. Yeager.



Miss Sallie Nance returned to Menard Tuesday morning.

Miss Vera King left Tuesday for an extended visit in San Angelo.

Mrs. Ev Simpson is enjoying a visit this week from her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn of Mathis.

Miss Ruby Morris of Brownwood came over Friday and will be the guest of Miss Ferole Ford for several days.

Mrs. Sheppard of Brownwood came in yesterday morning and will be a guest of Mrs. F. W. Henderson for a week.

Miss Catherine Chilton left Wednesday for Comanche, after a six weeks' visit with her cousin, Miss Lucile Yantis.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Willoughby and son and Roy Walker, also Miss Helen Walker left yesterday in Mr. Willoughby's car for Lampasas, to be gone ten days.

Mr. Jeff Wood and daughters, Misses Ruth and Ruby, also Misses Mary Schaefer, Alma Christianus, Lena and Marnie Spiller and Mr. Ed Campbell were among the large crowd of Brady people who went to Mason Wednesday to enjoy the Fourth at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Benham and daughter, Miss Lucile, and Miss Fay Wall, also Mrs. Callie Wolf and Mr. Porter Cooke composed a party that left Tuesday morning at 4:00 o'clock in their cars for points in East Texas. Mrs. Wolf will stop off in Lampasas, while Mr. Cooke will continue his trip to Taylor for a visit to relatives, and the remainder of the party will go to Port Arthur, Aransas Pass and Corpus Christi before returning.

Any skin itching is a temper-tester. The more you scratch the worse it itches. Doan's Ointment cures piles, eczema—any skin itching. At all drug stores.

OBSERVED THE FOURTH.

Brady's Doctors and Druggists Celebrated With an Outing.

Something unusual in the history of Brady happened yesterday. By a unanimous vote all the Brady doctors and druggists declared the Fourth of July a legal holiday and held themselves down on the banks of the creek, where they whiled away the day shooting turtles and making raids on the chuck box. Everything transpired according to the program with the single exception of the fish not being inclined to bite. Meanwhile all victims of a consuming thirst, as well as those who have acquired the cold drink habit, were strictly on the ice-water wagon.

A specific for pain—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, strongest, cheapest liniment ever devised. A household remedy in America for 25 years.

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He who has little wealth has little cares. During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unusual looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble is avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be relied upon. For sale by all dealers.

Report of Condition of the Commercial National Bank

Brady, Texas

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JUNE 14TH, 1912.

United States Depository

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|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Loans and Discounts | \$443,442.42 | Capital Stock | \$130,000.00 |
| Overdrafts | 917.58 | Surplus and Profits | 82,131.20 |
| Bonds | 52,000.00 | Circulation | 50,000.00 |
| Banking House | 10,000.00 | DEPOSITS | 347,510.80 |
| Other Real Estate | 1,900.00 | | |
| Cash & Exchange | \$100,678.84 | | |
| Cotton | 703.16 | | |
| | 101,382.00 | | |
| Total | \$609,642.00 | Total | \$609,642.00 |

STATE OF TEXAS (I, W. D. Crothers, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly County of McCulloch) swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. D. CROTHERS, Cashier

Succeeded The Commercial Bank, of Brady, March 11, 1907

The stock in this bank is owned by some of the most progressive business men, farmers and stockmen of the country, whose individual responsibility is over Six Million Dollars.

We Want Your Business

DUSTY ITEMS.

Voca, Texas, June 28.

Editor Brady Standard:

Well, as my last letter escaped the waste basket, I'll try again.

Health of this community is very good at present, although Grandpa Carter is laid up with rheumatism.

Crops are looking fine since the good rain on the 17th of this month.

Rev. Simpson preached at the Dusty school house Sunday.

Quite a large crowd of people enjoyed themselves at the singing at Mr. Andy Somerville's Sunday night.

Misses Paralee and Mae Stewart are visiting relatives and friends in this community.

There was a party at Mr. Will Darley's Saturday night and also one at Mr. Wood's. A large crowd was present at both places and all report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of N. S. Allen.

Misses Bertha Allen, Lena Taylor and Pearl Crambley spent Sunday evening with Evie Allen.

Mr. Henry Behrens took Grandpa Carter to Mason Monday to see the doctor.

Mr. Harrison Brown is down from Val Verde visiting relatives and friends this week.

Messdames Allen and Poe spent the day with Mrs. H. N. Lewallen Saturday.

Mr. Boyd Somerville was operated upon for appendicitis Thursday and is getting along slowly.

Mr. Somerville's baby happened to a very bad accident. A tree fell on the child and it has been in a trance ever since. We hope for a speedy recovery. UNO.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by E. J. Cheney, Hall's Catarrh Cure, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address E. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists.

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Lady in Goodwater Describes Her Distressing Experience and Tells How She Was Finally Relieved.

Goodwater, Mo.—"Ever since I was a little girl," says Mrs. Riley Laramore, "I was a great sufferer from dyspepsia. I suffered misery after eating, and had terrible heartburn.

I thought I had to suffer this way as long as I lived, but when I began to take Theford's Black-Draught, in small doses, every night, the heartburn was all gone in a few days, and I could eat without distress.

I took two small packages in all, and although that was some time ago, the dyspepsia has not returned.

I speak a good word for Theford's Black-Draught whenever I have the opportunity."

If eating causes distress, we urge you to try Theford's Black-Draught. It cleanses the system, helps the stomach to digest its food, regulates the bowels, and stimulates the liver.

It acts gently and is without bad after-effects. Try it. Price 25c.

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"Standard" Porcelain Enameled plumbing fixtures provide qualities which assure you sanitary satisfaction combined with durability and beauty. We sell these fixtures and combine with their installation the quality of work which has given us a reputation. A large contract or a hurried call for repairs secures equal attention and prompt service.

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COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

WALDRIP WHOOPS.

Waldrip, Texas, July 1.
Editor Brady Standard:
I wonder if I am really the one to blame because I did not write last week. I do not think I am, for my stationery failed to reach me in time. However, I am here now, and that's sufficient.

I think it's time I was boosting our farmers and their crops. There is some of the finest cotton around here there is in the county. It is almost waist high and loaded down with grown bolls; will be ready to gather by the middle of August. Now, who can beat that? Prospects look "gooder" than ever now.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Campbell were host and hostess to a merry crowd of young folks last Saturday night week. Fruits and candies were served.

Mr. Roscoe Ware of Mercury is visiting relatives here.

W. S. Briscoe, J. O. and J. F. Chaffin attended the picnic at Gouldbusk last Saturday.

Mr. Benton Willey leaves today for Iowa, where he will visit his brother.

Messrs. John Martin and John Briscoe visited friends at Stacy last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Verna Briscoe has been employed as organist at the Baptist meeting at Lohn beginning next Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bradley attended the picnic at Gouldbusk Saturday, and report the "bestest" time.

Mrs. Mattie Hill has been on the sick list for the past week.

The candidates were here in full force and their speeches were greatly enjoyed by all present.

Miss Verna and Mr. John Briscoe visited Miss Bumgardner Sunday.

Mr. McPherson and sons, Clint and Kerby, of Gainesville are visiting his daughter, Mrs. Nannie Hayes. This is their first meeting in eleven years, and they are enjoying themselves greatly.

Last Friday morning J. K. Hayes and family and guests, together with several other families, went fishing and stayed until Saturday afternoon. Needless to say, they enjoyed themselves.

Miss Maggie Powell spent last week with Mrs. Will Campbell. Among their sports was a fishing trip.

Last Friday a crowd of jolly girls met at the home of Misses Lottie and Mary Daniels for a "hew hop." They carried on their jolly good times until about 12 o'clock. Those present were Misses Pearl and Grace Lohn, Maude and Mary Bratton, Maggie Powell and Mabel Winstead.

Dr. Powell has been on the sick list.

Mr. John R. Winstead, Jr., one of Waldrip's estimable young men, returned to his home last week from Dallas, where he has been attending a business college.

Miss Clyde Wright is visiting her sister, Mina, at the McKnight ranch. The music club met at Mrs. J. R. Winstead's Sunday night.

Little June McKee is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. June Coopender.

Mr. Selma R. Browning is here from Algeria hunting a school.

Mrs. Dock Morrow has a very sick baby this week.

Mr. Coopender has a very bad leg. He happened to a very serious accident. Stepped off the edge of the porch and either brok or badly sprained his knee.

Mrs. Dean and little son, Carl, were here from Voca on business this week.

Miss Annie Dean returned from Eden this week, where she has been visiting her sister.

Little Miss Lela Bumgardner is visiting her sister this week.

Mr. Bruce Wren and Mr. Emmett Young were in Brady Monday. Claimed to be breaking wild horses. Don't know what you would call it.

Mr. John and Miss Verna Briscoe were visiting in Brady last Sunday.

Mrs. S. P. Allen and Mrs. Lewallen were in Brady on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Davidson and baby, Millie Marie, were in town visiting relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Davidson's little sister, Miss Eda Bell Castleman, returned with her for a few weeks' visit.

Mr. P. S. Castleman has returned to his work at Miles.

THE BABE.

Mail Carriers Will Fly.
This is an age of great discoveries. Progress rides in the air. Soon we may see Uncle Sam's mail carriers flying in all directions, transporting mail. People take a wonderful interest in a discovery that benefits them. That's why Dr. King's New Discovery for coughs, colds and other throat and lung diseases is the most popular medicine in America. "It cured me of a dreadful cough," writes Mrs. J. F. Davis, Stickney Corner, Me., "after doctor's treatment and all other remedies had failed." For coughs, colds or any bronchial affection it is unequalled. Trial bottle free at Jones Drug Co.

A few Panamas left, in all shapes. They are cool and look nice. Wm. Connolly & Co.

CALF CREEK WINDIES.

Nine, Texas, July 3.
Editor Brady Standard:
Well, I'll tell a little of the great blessings we Calf Creek people are enjoying.

We are all blessed with the best of health; plenty to eat, plenty to wear and plenty of places to go, such as church, Sunday school, singings and numerous barbecues and other gatherings of different natures; lots of good well water to drink; stock water getting a little scarce in some places, but as long as one has stock water, the rest won't have to do without, so who wouldn't be thankful?

Calf Creek was well represented at the Ten Mile barbecue Thursday. All are over-joyed with the hospitality the Ten Mile people showed them.

Mr. Jake Bourland and son, Harold, of Comanche county spent a few days with us Calf Creek people last week. They left Sunday for Llano and other southwestern points, where they are expecting to buy a couple of carloads of cattle, and perhaps lease a few sections of land. Jake says he intends to eat some of Llano's big fish.

Messrs. Jake Bourland and J. T. Gressett and family had a pleasant outing on the San Saba at the block house. The outing was all, as every form thing around there had been caught except the mosquitos.

The stork has made several visits here the last few days. Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook, a boy; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Young, a boy.

Thelma Blasdell has as her guest this week, her little Harkrider cousin.

H. L. Blasdell made a flying trip to Brady Tuesday.

If you want a good, cool drink, call on J. T. Gressett, as he cleaned his well of salty water and there flowed in good, fresh, cool water.

Alfred Blasdell reports the time of his life over in the Onion Gap country last week.

J. T. Bingham and wife spent Sunday night with J. B. Cottrell and family. Tom says he got all the peaches and plums he could eat.

Cutting and saving feed is the most important business out now.

J. W. and E. M. Attaway are walking the streets of Brady today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wooten, who have been traveling for the latter's health, returned Tuesday to their home near the block house.

Well, the Old Lady has been eating peaches and cream, plums and lots of other good things, so she has no room to grumble.

ADIEU.

OLD WOMAN.

THE KID.

Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

EAST BRADY.

Brady, Texas, June 29.
Editor Brady Standard:
Here I come again to the dear old Standard to say a few words to you.

Mr. Reisser has gone to the Wilhelm ranch for a few hours' visit.

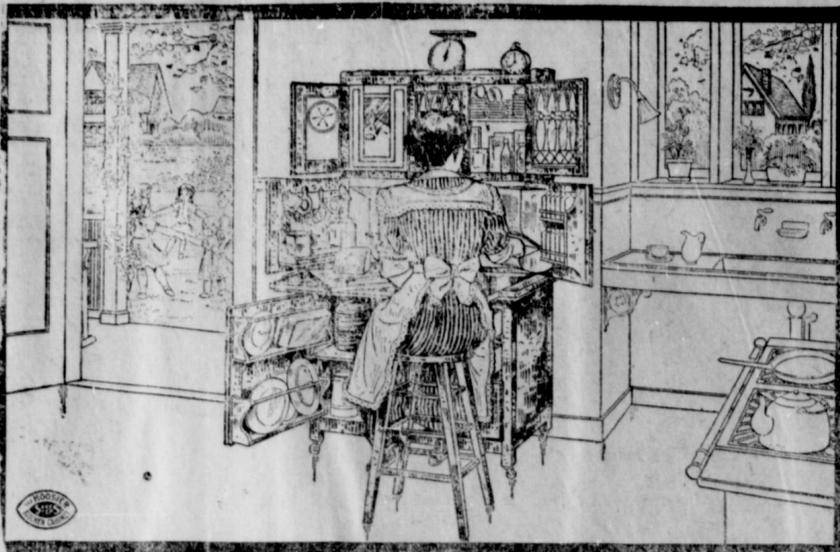
Mrs. Edd Wade and her little son, Charlie, are visiting the great oil wells at Lohn this week.

THE BEST PROOF.

Brady Citizens Cannot Doubt It.
Doan's Kidney Pills were used—they cured.
The story was told to Brady residents.
Time has strengthened the evidence.
Has proven the cure permanent.
The testimony is from this locality.
The proof convincing.
Mrs. Mollie Pierce, Brownwood, Texas, says "Since I used Doan's Kidney Pills, I have had no return attacks of kidney trouble, and I willingly confirm my former statement. You may continue its publication. For nearly a year I endured torture. The physicians did not know what ailed me and said that I would have to undergo an operation. I came to Brownwood for that purpose, but the change made me feel better and I put off the operation. Finally I got to feeling bad again and suffered from intense pains across my back. I noticed Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and sent for a box. The third day after I began using them, I passed three gravel stones, with great agony. I have been feeling good since, and I am sure that Doan's Kidney Pills will do as much for others."
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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

What Makes a Woman?

One hundred and twenty pounds, more or less, of bone and muscle don't make a woman. It's a good foundation. Put into it health and strength and she may rule a kingdom. But that's just what Electric Bitters give her. Thousands bless them for overcoming fainting and dizzy spells and for dispelling weakness, nervousness, backache and tired listless worn out feeling. "Electric Bitters have done me a world of good," writes Eliza Pool, Depew, Ok., "and I thank you with all my heart for making such a good medicine." Only 50c. Guaranteed by Jones Drug Co.



See how compactly this Hoosier Cabinet is arranged to hold hundreds of dishes and packages. This lady saves miles of steps!

Save Steps This Summer

How the Hoosier Cabinet on the Famous Club Plan is Delivered to Your Home and Twenty-four Others on payment of only \$1.00.

Out of your kitchen an hour or two longer each day during the sweltering hot months! Save miles of steps daily!

A half million enthusiastic owners of Hoosier Cabinets urge you to enjoy this extra vacation. TODAY! NOW!

Everything at Fingers' End

Put a hundred dishes and forty or fifty packages and canned articles in the Hoosier china closet, your sugar, spices, tea, coffee, salt and extracts in the jars for them just under your hand.

You have a perfect hygienic flour bin and roomy places for cutlery, linen, bread and cake, besides 12,000 cubic inches for pots and pans.

Pull out the roomy table of pure aluminum. Sit down in front of your Hoosier with everything before you, and work easily and rapidly. Save miles of steps.

No wonder women say "My silent servant," "I wouldn't trade mine for \$100.00," "Seems to hand things to me," "Everything at fingers' ends," "Automatic servant," "My friend." You never heard of a second-hand Hoosier for sale anywhere.

Hoosier Club Plan in Detail

This month a limited number of Hoosier Cabinets will be sold on the famous new Hoosier Club Plan.

Club members pay merely \$1.00 membership fee; balance in weekly dues of \$1.00. Each member receives her Hoosier Cabinet immediately.

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Low Fixed Prices Protect You.

The famous Hoosier Cabinet Plan differs from all other credit plans, in that the low price of the Hoosier Cabinet is fixed everywhere by the Hoosier Manufacturing Company to give everyone full benefit of the low cost of manufacture resulting from enormous sales. No Hoosier agent can change this price. Not a penny is added for the liberal credit of the club.

Demand Enormous Club Limit 25 Members

The fixed low price, coupled with the club plan, is making an irresistible appeal to thousands of women all over America. The Hoosier Company cannot supply half the cabinets called for. Our allotment is limited to 25. When these are gone the club is closed. No more can be supplied. Judging from past experience here and elsewhere, only those women who come early will be able to enroll in this club and get a Hoosier this summer.

O. D. MANN & SONS

A Model Kitchen



HOOSIER KITCHEN CABINETS



ONION GAP ITEMS.

Rochelle, Texas, July 1.
Editor Brady Standard:
As I am lonely today, will try and send a few more items from here.

Mrs. I. A. Marshall left Sunday for Voca, where she will remain for quite a while visiting relatives and friends.

Messrs. Charlie Sallee and Curtis Reynolds visited their friend, Mr. Levi Clayton, Sunday.

Mr. Curtis Reynolds made a flying trip to Rochelle one day last week.

Mr. Will Clayton and daughter, Cora, went to Rochelle Saturday.

Messrs. Andy Brown and Charlie Reynolds made a shopping trip to Rochelle Saturday.

Misses Ola and Zola Anderson, Coreene Finegan and Pearl Bell visited at the home of Mr. Sam Crider Sunday.

Miss Hattie Crider, who has been very sick with appendicitis the past week, left Sunday for Temple for the purpose of having an operation performed, and was accompanied by her father, Mr. Sam Crider. We all wish them success on their trip, and a return home soon.

Mrs. Nettie Sallee of Brady visited her sister, Mrs. Edd Finegan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Finegan made a business trip to Brady Monday.

Quite a number of the Gap folks enjoyed the box and ice cream supper at Live Oak Friday night.

Mr. Lige Jowers and sister, May, visited at Mr. Sam Crider's Sunday.

Mr. Sam Crider visited at the home of E. J. Howard Friday.

Singing at the school house Sunday evening was very much enjoyed.

Mr. George Sallee is visiting relatives at Camp San Saba this week.

Mr. Elbert Bentley made a flying trip to Rochelle Monday.

Mr. W. V. Day of Placid was in our midst Sunday.

Singing at Mr. Edd Finegan's Sunday night was very much enjoyed by all.

Grandma Bratton and daughter, Miss Lura, visited at Mr. Sam Crider's Friday.

Miss Frankie Ince visited her friends, Misses Ollie and Dollie Bell, Sunday.

Miss Stella Patterson visited her

friend, Miss Pearl Bell, Sunday evening late.

Miss Myrtle Cleary and brother, Ernest, went to Rochelle Sunday.

Messrs. Clint Bell and Albert Finegan went to Rochelle Saturday.

Mr. Arthur Wingo of Rochelle visited his friend, Mr. Clint Bell, Saturday and Sunday.

Fond wishes to one and all.

SUGAR DOLLY

CAMP SAN SABA LETTER.

Camp San Saba, Texas, June 27.
Editor Brady Standard:

We are having a hot old time in this section at present awaiting for 'two of the most eventful events that can bless an anxious people, and they are a good rain and that Brady and Mason railroad.

We are thankful for the rain of two weeks ago (but only one-fourth enough). Think it may rain from the 5th to the 15th of July. If it fails to rain then, the weather clerk may as well quit us, as far as this year's crops are concerned. We have three morning (daylight) moons, and though the moon will be on its back the last quarter, the new moon comes on in its point, with all the water run out and no more prospects for rain till after winter has passed. Yet we must grin and bear the weather as it comes and goes.

Camp San Saba has been indulging in a protracted meeting the last week. Don't think the devil plays a very extensive hand in this section, as "mourners" and "joiners" seemed scarce. Rev. J. G. Rankin was taken sick during the week and services were continued by two other preachers.

This section furnished a pretty marriage today in high life, at the home of Mr. W. T. Lake, one of our most worthy citizens, whose pretty home is near Kateyem creek, out two miles. The young men of this section allowed a Mason county young blood, Mr. Carl Frenzel, to come over here and appropriate one of McCulloch's fairest young ladies, Miss Mabel Lake, for his Mason county ranch. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. G. Rankin, who did it up in matrimonial style. Then such another dinner I don't expect to see for many whiles. Well, we wish Carl and his good girl, Miss Mabel, a prosperous future.

Mrs. Alma are the guests this week with her mother, Mrs. Patter-

Mr. Ollie Davis regaled Brady on a wagon load of watermelons last Saturday to the tune of several dollars, which come handy these times.

Bro. Homer Vance will soon bring in a load of melons if the hogs and rabbits will give his patch a quietus.

Messrs. Davis and Vance have fine prospects for a big crop.

Mr. Ab Turner and sons also have good crops and it's such citizens as these who make McCulloch county hum with progress and prosperity.

Col. P. A. Appleton takes the world and times easy these days, heat and conventions considered, while his worthy son, Fred, is getting in all the loose change, since he beats Brady selling cheap goods and everybody likes Fred. That's half the secret of his success.

Well, hurry up and tell us about that railroad, as we want to see it coming at the rate of ten miles a month.

Wishing The Standard the cream of the best, I'll ring off.

UNCLE CHARLIE.

NO MORE CALOMEL FOR THEM

Persons Who Have Tried Dodson's Liver-Tone Find It Safer Than Calomel and Just as Sure.

Dodson's Liver-Tone is a vegetable substitute for calomel that starts the liver to work just as successfully as calomel does, and hundreds of persons have stopped using the powerful drug calomel to use Dodson's Liver-Tone, mild, vegetable liquid, instead.

Calomel often shakes on the liver too much, and brings on bad after-effects and sometimes salivation—a terrible condition.

Jones Drug Co. sells Dodson's Liver-Tone at fifty cents per large bottle, and guarantees it to be harmless to both children and grown-ups. Remember this guarantee and try a bottle next time your liver gets lazy.

A crowd of about thirty Brady people went to Rochelle Sunday afternoon to attend the protracted meeting which is being conducted at the Christian tabernacle at that place. Misses Lucile and Edith Grady of Brady are the guests this week with her mother, Mrs. Patter-

PEAR VALLEY GLEANINGS.

Pear Valley, Texas, June 26.
Editor Brady Standard:
Well, as our old correspondent has failed to put in his appearance for some time, I thought I'd give a few items.

Everybody is all smiles since the big rain.

The health of the community is good.

Mr. S. J. Howard and wife visited Mr. Otis Howard at Gouldbusk Sunday.

Grandma Bolton is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Winham, at Gansel ranch.

Mr. Owen Rush visited at Dodge last week.

Quite a crowd of young people from Pear Valley attended the picnic at Melvin last Saturday. They report a good time.

Miss Lizzie Faulkner was visiting Mrs. Frankie Watts Wednesday evening.

Mr. G. R. Thacker and family, also Mr. Weldon and family went over to the oil wells Sunday evening.

Mr. John Slaughter and Miss Maggie Jones attended church at Lohn Sunday evening.

Miss Minnie Seaborn of Brady is visiting her sister, Mrs. Della Hill.

Bro. Young says Pear Valley has one of the best Sunday schools in McCulloch county. If you don't believe it, come and see. We meet every Sunday at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers made a trip to Brady Monday.

Mrs. Lillie Ludwick of Cow Gap is visiting Mrs. M. C. Ludwick this week.

Quite a number of our citizens met at the school house Tuesday night to discuss the probability of building a tabernacle for our protracted meetings.

Well, as it has been so long since this part was heard from, I guess you have forgotten us, and we will land in the waste basket. If not, will try to come again.

JOHN'S POLLY.

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing housework all day, and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

MIDWAY POINTERS.

Live Oak, Texas, July 1.
Editor Brady Standard:
Well, I will try to come again, as it has been some time since I wrote.

I see so many good, interesting letters in The Standard until it makes me want to write too.

All crops in this part of the country are looking nice since the rain on the 17th ult.

Plowing cotton is the order of the day.

A singing at Mr. John Ake's of Prairieview Sunday evening was enjoyed by all present.

A singing at Mr. Pool's of Midway was given out for Sunday evening, but was not much of a success. Six boys were in the crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kney of Cow Gap visited their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Johnson, Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr. Jim Ranne and family and Mr. Perry Stewart and family were guests at the McDavid home Sunday.

Mr. Boas Stewart was visited by his sister, Mrs. Moony, and family Sunday.

Mr. Victor Jacobson visited his father at Midway Sunday.

Messrs. Albin and Freidhof Jacobson were guests at the McLemore home Saturday evening. They spent a very pleasant hour eating ice cream and cracking jokes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson are contemplating starting next Thursday on their two months' trip to East and South Texas. We all hope them a pleasant trip.

Will come again soon.

DIXIE.

Dyspepsia is our national ailment. Burdock Blood Bitters is the national cure for it. It strengthens stomach membranes, promotes flow of digestive juices, purifies the blood, builds you up.

PRAIRIEVIEW ITEMS.

Brady, Texas, July 3.
Editor Brady Standard:
Here I come again with the news of Prairieview.

Mr. Clarence Robbins of Melvin spent Monday with his sister, Mrs. Mary Ranne.

Mr. Joe Sutherland of Fife spent Monday with Mrs. Ann Young and children.

Mrs. Mary Ranne spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. Bell, of Brady. Lewis West, George Little, Charlie Young, Minnie Fann, Lillian Crump and Maggie Barker were seen out kodaking Sunday evening.

Mr. George Garms of Eden is spending the week with Charlie Young of Brady.

Singing at Mr. Ake's Sunday night was much enjoyed by all.

The box supper at Live Oak was a nice one.

Mr. Joe Eanne and wife spent Sunday evening with Mr. Ake and wife.

Mr. Jim Ranne and wife and two little daughters, Allie and Zell, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. McDavid.

Come on Dixie, we love to hear from you.

BLUE EYES.

"I have been somewhat costive, but Doan's Regulets gave just the results desired. They act mildly and regulate the bowels perfectly."—Geo. B. Krause, 306 Walnut Ave., Altoona, Pa.