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### WILL EXTEND ROAD.

#### B. N. & S. Stockholders to Issue \$60,000 Worth of Bonds.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Brownwood North and South Railway, held Monday afternoon at the company's general offices in Brownwood, it was decided to issue 6 per cent bonds to the amount of \$60,000 for the purpose of extending the line from its present terminus at May to some point on the Texas and Pacific or to a connection with the Texas Central. In doing this the Frisco will fulfill a promise that was made to the citizens of Brownwood when they took over the Brownwood North and South. They promised to build to a connection with either of the roads within a reasonable time. It is believed the road will go to Rising Star if the proper inducements are offered, if not, then it will evidently go towards Cisco.

San Angelo Business College teaches bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, penmanship, etc. Literary Department. Free catalogue.

Our grocery department is chuck full of good values that cannot be duplicated anywhere. Wm. Connolly & Co.

### District Convention Call.

By virtue of authority vested in me as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the 114th Representative District, I hereby call the district convention of said district to meet in San Saba, Texas, on the fourth Saturday in August, 1912, the same being the 24th day of August, 1912, for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the votes cast in the various counties of the district for each candidate, and to declare the person receiving the highest number of votes the nominee of the Democratic Party for Representative of the 114th Representative District and to transact such other business as may come before such convention.

S. E. KELLEY,  
Chairman Ex. Com. of the 114th Representative District.

### COMMERCIAL SECRETARIES

#### Will Meet in Wichita Falls August 26-28th.

In the program of the Fifth Annual Institute of the Texas Commercial Executives Association, to be held at Wichita Falls August 26th to 28th, Sec. D. R. Hardison of the Brady Commercial club appears as one of the principal speakers upon the second day of the institute. The subject upon which Bro. Hardison will address the body is "Truthfulness in Exploitation." Rev. Hardison has always advocated the carrying out of this method of exploitation, and will be perfectly at home in addressing the body upon this subject.

### First Bale at Melvin.

The first bale of cotton was ginned and sold at Melvin Tuesday by S. L. Wood of Salt Gap. The cotton was ginned by R. B. Hardin and bought by John R. Day for Noyes & Co., selling at 13c, with a premium of \$12.85 given by the merchants of Melvin. The bale totaled Mr. Wood \$91.15.

See the advance styles in misses' ladies' and children's high cut shoes. Latest out. In patents, tans, unfinished kid and white. Abney & Vincent's.

Get a Moon Bros. buggy—the kind that actually stands in McCulloch county. Broad Mercantile Co.

Miss Helen Walker will teach kindergarten the coming school year, beginning the first Monday in September. Room located across the street from the high school building, in the Ramsey cottage.

### First Christian Church.

As there will be an outline of church work given Sunday, we sincerely desire the presence of the members and all our friends at both the morning and evening services.

The subject for the morning hour at 11 o'clock will be "The Deciding Battle." For the service at 8 p. m. "Is the Young Man Absalom Safe?"

D. R. HARDISON, Pastor.

## McCULLOCH OIL FIELDS

### GOOD SHOW OF OIL IN THE W. N. WHITE WELL.

#### Machinery Being Moved to Harris Ranch—New Use for the Watermelon.

The most important news of the week is to the effect that the well being drilled on the W. N. White ranch for F. C. Henderson et al, sub-lessees of the McCulloch County Oil Co., has reached a depth of about 1000 feet and operations have been suspended until heavy casing is received. It is stated on good authority that the drill has reached the top of the cap rock which is expected to cover the oil formation and in this cap rock a good show of oil has already been encountered. It has been penetrated but a few inches and on account of the very favorable indications drilling has been suspended until the hole is in proper condition to bring in a good well. The gas from the 300 foot formation is holding up well and visitors to the well are warned to be careful on account of danger from accidentally igniting the gas as it flows from the well.

The well on the Bradley farm near Fife to be drilled by the Fife Oil Co., sub-lessees of the McCulloch County Oil Co., will no doubt be drilling very soon. Much of the tools and fuel has been hauled to the location.

The well east of Whiteland drilling on the J. E. White ranch by the Cleo Oil Co. has been in the midst of a serious fishing job for ten days past. The tools were stuck at about 650 feet, after having broken into a dry cave at that depth in a thick limestone formation. The fishing tools have arrived and it is reported today that the drilling stem was loosened early this morning and the hole should be cleared today and drilling resumed. A small showing of gas was found at shallow depth in this well, but it is expected that the oil sands should be found at something more than 900 feet from the surface.

The wells on the Meers farm near Lohn which are producing from the shallow sands at about 225 feet have been found partly filled with sand and cavings and their production of oil thereby greatly diminished. A drilling outfit is to be moved in at once and the wells cleaned out. The steady production of some of these wells for the past seven or eight years is a good indication of the prospects of long-lived wells in the deeper sands.

Well No. 1 on the W. F. Robert farm near Lohn drilling by the Four Oil Co., sub-lessees of the McCulloch County Oil Co., reached a sand containing water at about 1250 feet. The owners of the well have been very sanguine of finding the oil at less than 1500 feet and on account of difficulty with their casing may have to abandon this well. If such is the case a well will no doubt be drilled to a greater depth on a location nearby.

The machinery is being moved to the Harris ranch from the Meers farm for the first deep test well near Broadmoor. Egan & Kiskaddon will drill the well for the Okla Oil Co and McCulloch County Oil Co. Preparations are being made for a deep test well if oil or gas is not found in the shallow sands.

M. E. Moore of Muskogee was a visitor to Brady Wednesday. He expressed himself as greatly pleased with the outlook for a good field.

Mrs. Chas. Smith of Marion, Ind., is visiting her husband, who is one of the contractors on the W. N. White well. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Mr. John Marks were visitors to Brady Tuesday and Wednesday, returning to camp Wednesday evening.

The heavy wind last Friday night caused some uneasiness in the camps of the various wells drilling in the county. No serious damage was done, although some of the tents were badly torn. The heavy rain that followed the storm and the two local rains since then have greatly increased the supply of water at all the drilling plants.

It is reported from Coleman county that the well three miles west of Trickham is dry at 1370 feet and the well at the north edge of the town is also dry. The well two miles southwest of Trickham being drilled by the Producers Oil Co. is about 400 feet deep. Progress is very slow at this well, only 400 feet having been drilled in two months. A heavy rotary outfit is being used for drilling.

Two more wells are to be drilled near Trickham, one about 800 feet from the gas well and the other about three miles west of town.

Mr. John Marks, one of the contractors on the W. N. White well, states that he has had to use but forty feet of casing in drilling nearly 1000 feet of 8-inch hole, but incidentally added that they had used fifty-eight watermelons in reaching their present depth.

We are making them every day—the best stock saddles on the market. Also team harness, single and double buggy harness at low prices. See H. P. C. Evers.

### GROVER CRUMP ALIVE.

#### Message States on His Return to Brady.

After numerous attempts to learn the particulars of the reported death of Grover Crump at Tucumcari, N. M., Monday a message was received from the sheriff stating that he was alive and had left the early part of the week for Amarillo, enroute to Brady.

The mystery connected with the spurious messages so far remains unexplained.

### Praetorians Hold Open Meeting.

A very enjoyable program was rendered by the Praetorians at the I. O. O. F. hall on Monday night. Members were present from Rochelle, Mason, Lohn and Eden. Delicious refreshments were served. This order is growing rapidly and bids fair to become the leading lodge of the city.

When it comes to a wagon that will actually stand you can not pass up the Bain, for they are worth more. Broad Mercantile Co.

### Wanted.

Mules from four to six years old, in good flesh, from 15 to 16 hands high, broke to harness.

Will be in Brady, Texas, until Saturday, August 24th, at the C. C. Bumgardner stable. C. B. WHITE.



## Just Received

A fresh lot of Paints, Varnishes, Stains, etc. All colors and for every purpose. Paint up your buildings and polish your furniture. We have the best of either for the least money.

We call your especial attention to our handsome line of wall papers in all designs. We can please you both in price and quality.

## E. B. Ramsay

At Planing Mill Office

## COMMISSIONERS COURT

### APPROPRIATE \$625.00 FOR DEMONSTRATION WORK.

#### Levy School Taxes in Various Districts—Approve Reports of the County Officers.

Commissioners court, in regular session this week, transacted the following business up to yesterday noon:

Chas. K. Wood was appointed to fill position of public weigher in Melvin Public Weigher Precinct No. 4.

Petition to have Gansel Common School district changed to Doole Common School district granted.

Monthly report of P. A. Campbell, district clerk, S. H. Mayo, tax collector, and quarterly reports of W. P. Burleson, J. P. of precinct No. 5, N. G. Lyle, J. P. precinct No. 1, and C. C. House, county attorney, examined and approved.

The Santa Fe having purchased property in Melvin, part of Savage and Camp avenues and an alley were ordered permanently closed.

In addition to the county tax rate of 41c and the tax of 22c in Road District No. 1, the court set the county poll tax at 25c per capita, and the occupation tax rate at one-half the state rate now levied.

The court levied school tax as follows: 20c in School Districts Nos. 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 32, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 43; special tax of 10c in districts 4, 18, 19, 20 and 21; 25c special tax districts 7, 15, 16, 18, 20, 36 and 41; 20c in district 29; 15c in district 42; for the purpose of paying interest and creating a sinking fund. Also a tax of 25c in district 42 for school purposes.

The trustees of Placid Common School District No. 36 were authorized to dispose of the old school building at public or private sale, the proceeds to supplement the building fund.

The sum of \$625 was set aside for farm co-operative demon-

stration work, with the understanding that the U. S. Department of Agriculture was to appropriate the sum of \$375 for the same purpose.

A jury of view was appointed on the Carroll Colony road. The road will be widened and extended.

The total number of rabbit scalps ordered redeemed this month by the court up to yesterday noon was 5,642.

We can save you money on your shoe repairs. You may get work done cheaper, but if you consider quality of leather, workmanship and the difference in the length of wear, you will have your work done by us. Excelsior Shoe Store.

Work is progressing at a lively rate on the new Abney & Vincent building. The west wall of the old bank building having been deemed unsafe and accordingly torn down, is being rebuilt of handsome buff pressed brick laid upon a cut stone foundation. Work upon the brickwork for the store front is also well under way. The carpenters have the roof of the main building practically covered over, and indications are that the building will be in readiness the early part of September.

### At the Baptist Church.

We are requested to announce that Rev. E. M. Francis will return to Brady and fill his appointment at the Baptist church Sunday. All are cordially invited to attend the services.

Rev. Francis is this week at Fife assisting in the holding of the revival meeting at that place.

Mrs. A. G. Walker will resume her school of music the first Monday in September. Room, same as last year, Ramsey cottage, south of high school building.

Rev. F. X. Gagnon reports the church building in course of erection at Fife having been blown down during the high winds last Friday. The studs and rafters had been placed and the building partly sheathed when the accident occurred.

## BARNEY HARMSSEN

GENERAL CONTRACTOR

Brady, - - TEXAS

## The City Bakery

Wants Your Business.

We take a pride in our business and can give your orders prompt attention.

# COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

## ONION GAP ITEMS.

Rochelle, Texas, Aug. 13.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 After a week's absence I will venture in and chat awhile with you.  
 Messrs. Hubert Anderson and Will Clayton went to Rochelle Tuesday.  
 Mr. Charlie Sallee took a hay ride to Rochelle Monday.  
 Misses Dora Green, Exie and Mattie Lee Frazier of Menard have been visiting at the O. P. Sallee home for a couple of week.  
 Mr. Harry Clark and sister, Miss Beatrice, of San Gabriel are visiting at Mr. W. W. Terry's this week.  
 Mr. L. A. Marshall, who has been visiting near Waco, returned home Monday and was accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. L. Z. Marshall, and children of that place. They will remain for a couple of weeks.  
 Mr. Joe Russell and family of Pear Valley and Mr. H. E. Finegan and family of this place went fishing on Brady creek last week and report a nice time.  
 Mr. Scott Ince has been fishing on the Colorado this week.  
 Quite a number of us go to folks have been attending the M. E. church at Live Oak, also the Baptist at Rochelle.

It is still dry in this part of the country. Cotton and the young feed needing rain awfully bad. Most of the feed has been cut and shocked.  
 Mr. C. M. Bell and son, Clint, went to Rochelle Tuesday.  
 Messrs. Clint Bell, Albert Finegan and Ben Frankum went to Rochelle Saturday.  
 Mr. Meloy Huff of Midway visited in the Gap last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis of near Brady have been visiting in the Gap.  
 Mr. Dewey Pence visited in Pear Valley Sunday.  
 Mr. R. L. Frankum and boys and Albert Finegan went to Pear Valley this week to work on a tank.  
 Miss Katie Crider visited Miss Pearl Bell Sunday.  
 Come again, "R-cas-saw Traveler," glad some one likes my letters.  
 Mr. Will Russell of Pear Valley is visiting in the Gap this week.  
 Mr. L. A. Marshall and granddaughter, Hattie Crider, went to Rochelle Monday.  
 Mr. Bill Brown of the Sand is visiting here.  
 Mr. Charlie Reynolds went to Rochelle Tuesday.  
 Oh, say! All you good folks listen. A big Christian meeting begins here on Friday before the first Sunday in September and will continue for a couple of weeks; everybody is invited to come and help with the meeting. So let's all go and try to make it as interesting as possible.  
 Will bid you all adieu. I am the same. SUGAR DOLLY.

Two good shows you'll enjoy at the Lyric-Vendome next week—"The Indian" and "The Savage."  
 In our shoe department we have made especially big cuts. All well known brands. You can't go wrong here. Wm. Connolly & Co.  
 Stand's Ahead.  
 There is something about Hunt's Lighter Oil that no other lubricant possesses. Others may be good, but it is surely the best. It does all you recommend it for, and more. For sprains it has no equal on earth. It stands head on my medicine shelf. Very truly yours, T. J. Brownlow, Livingston, Tenn.  
 Macy & Co.  
 Are selling both blacksmith and fuel coal at the lowest prices. See or phone them.

## WALDRIP WHOOPS.

Waldrip, Texas, Aug. 12.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 We had a slight rain here last Thursday night, but not enough to do much good unless it continues. We are thankful for it, as it filled most of the tanks and creeks.  
 Mrs. Roxa Nettlehip and son, Clyde, came in last Friday night for a visit to her mother, Mrs. J. H. Lafferty.  
 Mrs. May Wright and children returned Friday from a visit to Mrs. Wright's mother at Eagle Springs, Texas.  
 Miss Sybil Hayes spent last week with Miss Ethel Newton at Lohn.  
 Misses Maude and Mary Bratton, Mabel Winstead and Maggie Powell; Messrs. John R. Winstead, Jr., Grover Gattis, Glenn Wright and Jeff Bratton attended church at Lohn one night last week.  
 Miss Bosley and Mr. Will Bradley were in Waldrip Tuesday afternoon.  
 Mrs. W. S. Briscoe and Miss Verna Briscoe returned Sunday from their visit to Comanche. They were accompanied by Miss Briscoe's sister, Mrs. W. B. Looney, of Wilson, who will spend the remainder of the summer here.

The Baptist meeting began Sunday night, being conducted by Rev. Robison, the pastor, and Rev. E. M. Francis of Brady.  
 Mr. Harry Epps of Rockwood is attending the meeting here.  
 THE KID.  
 See the specialties at the Lyric-Vendome next week—they're worth the price of admission.  
 When we decide to make room for the next season's goods, price cuts no figure with us. That's why we are making such unheard-of low prices in every department. Come and see. Wm. Connolly & Co.  
 No Calomel Necessary.  
 The injurious effect and unpleasantness of taking calomel is done away with by Simmons' Liver Purifier, the mildest known liver medicine, yet the most thorough in action. Put up in yellow tin boxes only. Price 25c. Tried once, used always.  
 Charcoal in any quantity. Broad Mercantile Co.  
 See Wylder Walters, the comedian, at the Lyric-Vendome next week.  
 Kirk's Needle-Molded clothes are the best in the long run. Nuf Sed.  
 We will give you more for your money in furniture than any other concern in Brady. We need the money, and the price will be the least consideration. Broad Mercantile Co.  
 For good wearing gloves and high grade stock knives, go to H. P. C. Evers Saddle Shop.  
 The Brady Standard, \$1.00.

**SALIVATED BY DAN-GEROUS CALOMEL.**  
 If You Ever Saw a Man Salivated, You Don't Want Any More Calomel Yourself.  
 There's no real reason why a person should take calomel anyway, when fifty cents will buy a large bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant tasting vegetable liquid which will start the liver just as surely as calomel and which has absolutely no bad after-effects.  
 Children and grown people can take Dodson's Liver-Tone without any restriction of habit or diet.  
 Jones Drug Co. sells it and guarantees it to take the place of calomel, and will refund your money if it fails in your case.

**Wanted**  
 Second hand cotton seed meal sacks that are in good condition, at the Bencini Oil Mill.

## PRAIRIE VIEW NEWS.

Brady, Texas, Aug. 8.  
 Editor Brady Standard:

Dear readers and correspondents, here I come again. It sure is dry in this part of the world.  
 Mr. Ed Barker and family and Miss Minnie Fann returned last Tuesday from Lampasas. They report a nice time.  
 Mr. Willie Knoy was the guest of Mr. Owen Barker Sunday.  
 Mr. Singleton of Burnet is teaching a singing school at this place.  
 Mrs. L. Young and children attended the encampment at Rochelle.  
 Mr. Jim Ranne and family were the guests of his sister, Mrs. Kittie Huffman, Saturday night.  
 Messrs. Arthur Barker, Lewis West and Willie Knoy attended the encampment at Rochele.  
 Mr. Charlie Young returned last Sunday from Eden, where he spent the past two weeks visiting relatives and friends.  
 Miss Maggie Barker was the guest of Mrs. Mary Ranne Wednesday.  
 Mr. C. M. Rumbaugh of Lohn was the guest of Mr. C. Young Sunday.

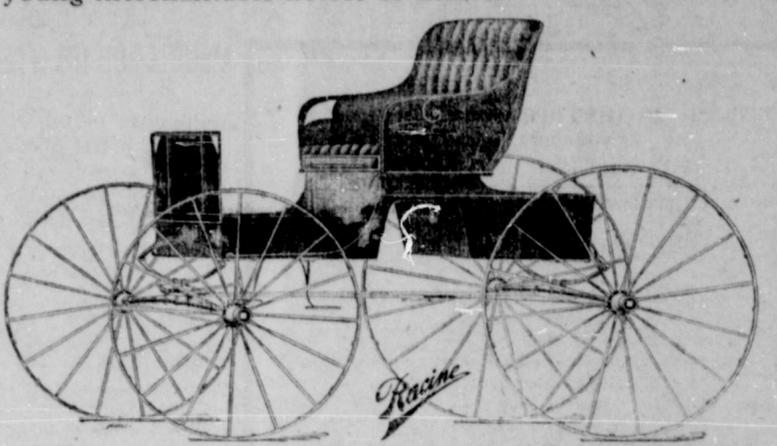
Well, I will ring off. If this escapes the waste basket, I will come again.  
**BLUE EYES.**  
**\$100 Reward, \$100.**  
 The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is an easy and sure method of curing that annoying eye trouble known as Catarrh. It is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the system strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors feel so much faith in its curative powers that they offer the Hundred Dollar Reward for any case that it fails to cure. Sent for list of testimonials.  
 Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.  
 Sold by all Druggists. 5c.  
 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

See the specialties at the Lyric-Vendome next week—they're worth the price of admission.  
 No matter what your wants are, we can supply you. More and better goods for less money. Wm. Connolly & Co.  
 See Leonard Andrews in "The Indian" at the Lyric-Vendome next week.  
 Shot guns and ammunition. Anything in this line that you might want. Broad Mercantile Co.  
 Flying Men Fall victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles, just like other people, with like result in loss of appetite, back-ache, nervousness, headaches and tired listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. "Six bottles of Electric Bitters," he writes, "did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. It's folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50c at Jones Drug Co.

**CALF CREEK WINDIES.**  
 Nine, Texas, Aug. 11.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 Well, here's for a cooler breeze. Let it rain all it may, but it does not help the crops to amount to anything.  
 Ye correspondent visited in and beyond Brady last week.  
 Frying chickens were plentiful, but crops are a failure. Cotton won't average a bale to every ten acres anywhere I've been but be it as it may, we all get as much as we deserve. We should be more thankful for the blessings we do get.  
 Well, fixing for the big camp meeting is the order of the day. Everybody in McCulloch and adjoining counties are invited to attend. We are expecting one of those old time camp meetings like we had back in the 80's.  
 Bros. Wren and Cude returned home last week, after spending ten days in the cause of the Lord at the Double Knobs, Mason county.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Zed Bingham are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine girl at their house.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Julius Dacy are back from the Davis ranch visiting relatives and friends.

## Just In, A Car of Vehicles

And more to follow. Call around and inspect them. Good bargains for the cash, or will exchange for good, young merchantable horses or mules.



# G. W. L. SCHAEEG

Mrs. Walter Kolb and two little children are visiting in Erath county.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Carrie Whitehead have returned from an extended visit to relatives and friends in Brown county, in and around the prosperous town of Blanket.  
 Mr. H. L. Blasdel and son spent Saturday night on the river.  
 Let's all bundle up and go over to Mr. Bradshaw's and help eat some of those fine Rock Island cabbage they are feasting on this week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bowyer have returned from an extended visit to relatives and friends in Fred-

ericksburg. Mr. Bowyer says they have postponed their dipping until late fall on account of the grass being so short.  
 J. W. Attaway and family are visiting R. M. today.  
**OLD WOMAN.**  
 The Walters-Robb Company at the Lyric-Vendome next week. Popular prices.  
 Plenty of charcoal. Phone us your orders. Broad Mercantile Co.  
 One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts thoroughly at each application, and you will get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

**EAST BRADY.**  
 Brady, Texas, Aug. 10.  
 Editor Brady Standard:  
 Well, as I have been absent some time, will come again.  
 Mrs. Bud Callan and son, Francis, and Mrs. Will Callan and son, Joe, spent a few days with their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tindel.  
 Mrs. S. P. Allen and daughter, Miss Evie, were in Brady Tuesday on business.  
 Miss Carrie Tipton is the guest of Miss Nola Tindel this week. She is a Menard lady.  
 A fine 6-pound girl was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Castleman.  
 Mr. Ed Miller made a business trip to San Angelo Thursday.  
 Grandpa Wade made a flying trip to San Angelo Wednesday returning Friday.  
 Miss Nola Brown of Brownwood is a guest at the Ed Miller home.  
 Mr. Albert Broomfield of Brownwood is in Brady on business this week.  
 Little Miss Edna Maud Miller has been on the sick list this week, but is much better now. She is the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller.  
 Miss Garland Castleman is spending this week at Calf Creek.  
 Mr. Bruce Wren and Alford Blasdel were in town Thursday night to hear Mr. Hampton preach one sermon and returned to Calf Creek that night.  
 Miss Pearl Castleman has returned from a two weeks' visit at Dusty. She was the guest of Miss Evie Allen. She reports lots of fruit and water melons and a good old time at Dusty.  
 Many good wishes to the many readers and the good old editor.  
**THE BABE.**  
 Mr. W. S. Gunshus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he has found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by all dealers.  
 See Leonard Andrews in "The Indian" at the Lyric-Vendome next week.  
 "My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."—Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Hamburg, N. Y.

## WE CARRY the BEST LINE of FIRE ARMS MADE AMMUNITION TOO



**YOU CANT MISS IT**

Jim loaned me this gun and I am hunting jack rabbits. I killed six yesterday which makes me 36 scalps. Next Monday when I get to town I am going to take my rabbit scalps to Mr. Yantis and get \$1.80. This is a dandy gun I've got. It shoots as straight and Jim told me I could keep it as long as I took good care of it. You bet I am careful. We've got lots more just as good as it is and we are selling them cheap too. When you need anything in this line come in and see me at

# O. D. Mann & Sons

BRADY, TEXAS

## Ray Lovelace Barber Shop

I have opened a barber shop in the McAfee pool hall, and will be pleased to have all my old friends and customers call on me.

## Ray Lovelace

## MOLES and WARTS

Removed with Molesoff, without pain or danger, no matter how large or how far raised above the surface of the skin. And they will never return, and no trace or scar will be left, where the mole or wart was seated. Molesoff is applied directly to the Mole or Wart, which entirely disappears in a short six days, killing the germ, leaving the skin smooth and natural. Letters from personages we all know, together with much valuable information, are contained in an attractive booklet, which will be mailed you free upon request. Molesoff is put up only in one dollar bottles. Orders are filled immediately upon receipt of price and mailed in a plain case, accompanied by full directions, and contains enough remedy to remove six to ten ordinary Moles or Warts. We sell Molesoff under positive guarantee. If it fails to remove your Mole or Wart, we will promptly refund you your dollar.

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Pensacola, Florida.**

Please mention this paper when answering.

## Texas Needs Great Men

### XXV. COURAGE

WHEN Julius Caesar was crossing the sea with his army a storm arose, threatening to destroy the ships and badly frightened, the despairing sailors were in the act of returning to the harbor when Caesar stepped upon the deck and said, "Fear not, Caesar is with you." The ship of progress meets many a stormy sea in Texas and sometimes those who man the boats are tempted to return to still waters, but "Fear not, the Commercial Secretaries are with you." Courage is the nurse of genius and Caesar was the greatest genius of any race or age. We need a genius to fire us with courage and inspire us with faith in the Lone Star State.



"FEAR NOT, CAESAR IS WITH YOU."

Let him who would weave his name in the fibre of his country step upon the forum of the nation and speak words that call forth courage in the hearts of men as the chisel of a sculptor brings forth a spirit from the rock; rise like a genius born to command and light the signal fires of progress on the hearthstone of the nation, and awaken the spirit of industrial enterprise and commercial adventure throughout the length and breadth of the land. Texas Needs Great Men.

W. L. Oliver was over from Menard Tuesday to arrange for the publication of the Menard Public School catalogues. To meet Mr. Oliver on the streets one would never believe him to be a resident of that vile and iniquitous burg. In fact he may be said to be on a par with our own most influential and benignant citizens. It must be a source of eternal wonder to the denizens of Menard that they should be able to boast of one such an exemplary citizen.

See Leonard Andrews in "The Indian" at the Lyric-Vendome

Two good shows you'll enjoy at the Lyric-Vendome next week—"The Indian" and "The Savage."

No matter what your wants may be, see us first. We are sure to save you money. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Our hardware stock is complete. We want you to fit in with us. Broad Mercantile Co. Visiting cards for married and single ladies at The Standard office. We have the latest and most approved sizes and styles. Engraved cards to order.

## Sensible Women Know Foundation of Health

As health talks to women become more general, both in the newspapers and on the platform, the mass of women are beginning to realize what the more cultivated have always known. That good health cannot be found in a powder box. The externals of health may be obtained in that way, but the basis of health lies deeper, and yet is just as easily obtained.

The most important thing that a woman can do for herself, and about which she is often most neglectful, is to watch the condition of her stomach and bowels. The weary eyes, the bad breath, the frequent headaches, the pimples, the general air of lassitude in nine times out of ten the result of constipation or indigestion, or both. Many simple remedies can be obtained, but the best in the estimation of most women is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is mild, pleasant to the taste and exactly suited to her needs. It is far

superior to salts, cathartic pills, waters, etc. which are entirely too violent.

Women should see to it that they have at least one movement of the bowels each day, and when showing any tendency to constipation should take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in the small dose prescribed. A brief use of it will so train the stomach and bowel muscles that all forms of medicine can be dispensed with. These opinions are voiced by thousands of women, after personal experience, among them Cora Baldwin, Moscow, Texas, and Esther Giddings, Wooten Wells, Texas.

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 the home free of charge by simply addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 465 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Your name and address on a postal card will do.

### SALT GAP SALTINGS.

Salt Gap, Texas, Aug. 12.  
Editor Brady Standard:

How are all you correspondents and Mr. Editor? I am enjoying the fine rains.

Mr. Horace Craig was the guest of Miss Edna Peel Sunday afternoon.

Misses Maggie Haywood, Alice Haywood, Annie Mae Henderson, Messrs. Joe Love, Elven Conley, Frank Bailey and John Love were guests of Misses Jennie and Jessie Ramsey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Mack Peel and family have just returned from a visit to Concho county.

Mrs. Addie Peel spent Sunday with Mrs. Minnie Ramsey.

Miss Minnie Peel spent Sunday night with her sister, Mrs. Allie Sherman.

Little Miss Velma Haywood has been on the sick list. She is reported better at this writing.

Messrs. Claude Owens and Jim Love have gone to Denton to be gone some time.

Messrs. Dave and Elven Conley were guests at the Ramsey home Friday afternoon.

Miss Oshie Slaughter of Pear Valley has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Brown, for the past week.

Miss Jennie Ramsey visited the Peel home Thursday.

Misses Jessie, Mattie and Mr. Ernest Ramsey of Waldrip have been visiting their brother and family the past few days.

Messrs. Tom Kellum, Clyde Peel were the guests of Mr. Lonnie Peel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Peel Monday.

Mr. Will Ramsey and little son, Willie, made a trip to Pear Valley Saturday. DICK.

### Indian Killed on Track.

Near Rochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness with his life. Often it's that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat and lung trouble. "It completely cured me in a short time of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of grip," writes Mrs. J. R. Watts, Floydada, Texas, "and I regained 15 pounds in weight that I had lost." Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at Jones Drug Co.

See Miss Robb in "The Savage" at the Lyric-Vendome next week.

In good times or bad, our prices talk for themselves. Wm. Connolly & Co.

The Brady Standard and Dallas News each one year, \$1.75.

See Wylder Walters, the comedian, at the Lyric-Vendome next week.

### Cotton Seed.

Would like to buy a few cotton seed, market price. J. K. Baze.

### WHITELAND WRITEUPS.

Whiteland, Texas, Aug. 12.  
Editor Brady Standard:

A fine rain fell here yesterday which will help the young cotton very much.

Mr. Sam White has been very sick, but is up and about again. Health is good, generally speaking, in this community.

The Cleo Oil Co. has lost their bit, so they have been fishing the past few days; that is, they have been fishing for the bit, but at this writing they have not got a (bite) bit.

The protracted meeting closed Thursday night with four additions to the church.

Misses Lonie Haley and Emma Harris spent Sunday with the Misses Mitchell.

Mr. Frank Davison and wife returned home yesterday from Comanche, where they have been visiting relatives.

J. A. Wyatt and family of Brown county have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harris. Mr. Wyatt is Mrs. Harris' father.

Mr. Will Keng shipped two cars of steers yesterday for Mr.

### Charley White.

Mr. Haley, a young man from Fredonia is here to see his uncle, A. W. Haley.

Miss Alice Corbell is visiting at the Mitchell farm.

Vance Mitchell says that the rain Sunday was the only one that he ever saw fall just at the right time, because it gave him an opportunity to lend his horse and buggy to young ladies, as it would be impossible for them to walk home through the mud. What pleased Vance most was having to act as driver, but he failed to tell us whether the ladies were pleased or not.

### AUNT NED.

See Miss Robb in "The Savage" at the Lyric-Vendome next week.

### DUSTY ITEMS.

Voca, Texas, Aug. 12.

Editor Brady Standard:

Here comes Uno with some more dust.

Health of this community is very good. Crops look shabby on account of needing rain.

Some of our Camps friends happened to a very serious accident while on their way to church at Voca Sunday. Mr. Willie Freeman and family and Grandma Baze were in the hack working two wild mules and met Mr. Broad of Brady in his car. The mules became frightened and started running and threw Mrs. Freeman and child and Grandma Baze out. They were all hurt to some extent, although none serious but Grandma and the baby. The baby was seriously injured, but Grandma not so bad. They were taken to Mr. Dean's and the doctor called at once. They all seem to be some better. We hope for their speedy recovery.

Mr. J. M. Lewallen and family have returned from Eden, where they have been visiting for quite awhile.

Mr. Bill Carter and daughter, Mamie, of Eden are visiting in this community this week.

Miss Pearl Hopkins spent the night with Miss Annie Darley Sunday night.

Mr. Ed and Miss Ola Williams are visiting at Willow Creek this week.

Well, as news is scarce and I am weak eyed, I'll stop and give room to some better scribe.

### UNO.

### PLACID PICKUPS.

Placid, Texas, Aug. 13.

Editor Brady Standard:

How are you and all the correspondents by this time? Hope you are feeling better than I am just now. I have been going to church nearly every night for the past six weeks, so you can imagine how I feel.

People in this part of the country are very busy putting up their feed.

Cotton is opening right along; the next on the program will be cotton picking.

We had a right nice little rain Thursday night, but there's not much to be appreciated.

Mr. Jim Penn and wife visited at E. H. Beakley's Monday.

Miss Fronia Nichols is all smiles since a certain little fellow returned to Placid.

Several of the Mercury people attended church here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. Willie Bell of Menard visited Mr. Tom Bell from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Beakley of Mercury visited in Placid last week.

Mr. Jimmie Swoap and Mr. Bailey are over in Brown and Comanche counties prospecting this week.

A. Lane spent from Saturday until Monday at Mercury.

Hurrah for Placid! She is gradually coming to the front. The Baptist church will soon be completed, and the school building is going up; it will be ready for use this winter. I am sure it will be greatly appreciated both by teachers and pupils.

I will ring off for this time.

### GOLDIE.

Manuscript covers. The Standard.

# EXCUSE ME!

## RUPERT HUGHES

NOVELIZED FROM THE COMEDY OF THE SAME NAME.

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"I see it. Don't look no mo'. Here it is—up in yo' hatband." He lifted it out and chuckled. "Had it right next his brains and couldn't remember it!" He took up the appropriately huge luggage of the bibulous wanderer and led him to the other end of the aisle.

"Numba two is yours, sah. Right head—all nice and cosy, and already made up."

The big man looked through the curtains into the cabined confinement, and groaned:

"That! Haven't you got a man's size berth?"

"Sorry, sah. That's as big a bunk as they is on the train."

"Have I got to be locked up in that pigeon-hole for—how many days is it to Reno?"

"Reno?" The porter greeted that meaningful name with a smile. "We're

went right on getting acquainted: "Are you married, Mr.—Mr.—?"

"No!"

"My heartfelt congratulations. Hang on to yo' luck, my boy. Don't let any female take it away from you." He slapped the Englishman on the elbow amiably, and his prisoner was too stifled with wrath to emit more than one feeble "Pawtah!"

Mr. Wellington mused on aloud: "Oh, if I had only remained single. But she was so beautiful and she swore to love, honor and obey. Mrs. Wellington is a queen among women, and I have nothing to say against her except that she has the temper of a tarantula." He italicized the word with a light flip of his left hand along the back of the seat. He did not notice that he flipped the angry head of Mr. Ira Lathrop in the next seat. He went on with his por-



THE PORTER FELL ON ONE KNEE AND GOT TO WORK.

doer in Reno the—the-maw'nin' of the fo' th' day, sah. Yassah." He put the baggage down and started away, but the fat man seized his hand, with great emotion:

"Don't leave me all alone in there, porter, for I'm a broken-hearted man."

"Is that so? Too bad, sah."

"Were you ever a broken-hearted man, porter?"

"Always, sah."

"Did you ever put your trust in a false-hearted woman?"

"Often, sah."

"Was she ever true to you, porter?"

"Never, sah."

"Porter, we are partners in misery."

trait of his wife. "She has the 'stravaganza of a sultans"—another flip for Mr. Lathrop—the jealousy of a cobra, the flirtatiousness of a hummingbird." Mr. Lathrop was glaring round like a man-eating tiger, but Wellington talked on. "She drinks, swears and smokes cigars, otherwise she's fine—a queen among women."

Neither this amazing vision of woman-kind, nor this beautiful example of longing for confession and sympathy awakened a response in the Englishman's frozen bosom. His only action was another violent effort to disengage his cramped knees from the knees of his tormentor; his only comment a vain and weakening cry for help. "Pawtah! Pawtah!"

And he wrung the rough, black hand with a solemnity that embarrassed the porter almost as much as it would have embarrassed the passenger himself if he could have understood what he was doing. The porter disengaged himself with a patient but hasty:

"I'm afraid you'll have to 'accuse me. I got to be p—the other passengers on board."

"Don't let me keep you from your duty. Duty is the—the—" But he could not remember what duty was, and he would have dropped off to sleep, if he had not been startled by a familiar voice which the porter had luckily escaped.

"Pawtah! Pawtah! Can't you raise this light—or rather can't you lower it? Pawtah! This light is so infernally dim I can't read."

Wellington's biary, teary eyes were lighted with triumph. "Finally I saw I couldn't stand it any longer so I bought a tie-hic-et to Reno. I 'establish a residens in six months—got a divorce—no shendal. Even m'own wife won't know anything about it."

The Englishman was almost attracted by this astounding picture of the divorce laws in America. It sounded so barbarically quaint that he leaned forward to hear more, but Mr. Wellington's hand, like a mischievous runaway, had wandered back into the shaggy locks atop of Mr. Lathrop. His right hand did not let his left know what it was doing, but proceeded quite independently to grip as much of Lathrop's hair as it would hold.

To the Englishman's intense amazement his call brought to him not the porter, but a rising moon with the profound query:

"Whass a ll' thing like dim light, when the light of your life has gone out?"

"I beg your pardon."

Without further invitation, the mammoth descended on the Englishman's territory.

Then as Mr. Wellington shook with joy at the prospect of "Dear old Reno!" he began unconsciously to draw Ira Lathrop's head after his hair across the seat. The pain of it shot the tears into Lathrop's eyes, and as he writhed and twisted he was too full of profanity to get any one word out.

"I'm a broken-hearted man, Mr.—Mr.—I didn't get your name."

"Er—ah—I dare say."

"Thanks, I will sit down." He lifted a great carry-all and airily tossed it into the aisle, set the Gladstone on the lap of the infuriated Englishman, and squeezed into the seat opposite, making a sad mix-up of knees.

"My name's Wellington. Ever hear of ll' Jimmie Wellington? That's me."

When he managed to wrench his skull free, he was ready to murder his tormentor. But as soon as he confronted the doddering and blinking toper, he was helpless. Drunken men have always been treated with great tenderness in America, and when Wellington, seeing Lathrop's white hair, exclaimed with rapture: "Why, hello, Pop! here's Pop!" the most that Lathrop could do was to tear loose those fat groping hands, slap them like a school teacher, and push the man away.

"Any relation to the Duke?"

"Nah!"

He no longer interested Mr. Wedgewood. But Mr. Wellington was not aware that he was being stubbed. He

But that one shove upset Mr. Wellington and sent him toppling down upon the pit of the Englishman's stomach.

For Wedgewood, it was suddenly as

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# THE BRADY STANDARD

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BRADY, TEXAS, Aug. 16, 1912

BE CHEERFUL.

You old grunter, you ought to have a smile on your face!

You go about scattering the blues faster than an escaped small-pox patient could start an epidemic.

What good do you do? You make yourself miserable; you destroy the confidence and buoyant spirit of others, and you remedy not one whit of the trouble.

Somehow there's something attractive about the man who can keep his head and a cheerful spirit throughout his misfortune; in his very appearance there's something contagious; something that draws you to him; makes you feel better for having talked to him; makes you realize to a fuller extent the bounties that have befallen you. He is the man worth while, despite his misfortunes or ills.

And, too, the oil men operating in the local field. They are a whole-souled, jolly bunch; yet they are taking a big chance on every dollar they invest. When they lose, or an accident delays them, it's part of the game—the smile and the good words are there just the same.

If you can't be cheerful yourself, there's no reason on earth why you should unload your ills upon another and make him feel "down in the mouth." Look on the sunny side of things, and you'll feel better and live longer.

Just because it has been cloudy several times this week, dear reader, is no indication that we are needing rain—or that it is going to rain.

As several of our houses now in course of construction have not yet been roofed over, we are obliged to postpone the rain until a more convenient occasion.

Claude Callan reports vegetables as being plentiful in munnish menard. As he did not specify the quality of the same, we infer that some bum actor attempted to put on a show there.

Owing to the fact that the moon has not been hung out this week, all Brady citizens should provide themselves with 32-candle power lanterns to ease their journeys about the city after nightfall.

Menard girls are not only prettier and smarter than those of Brady, but their daddies are all rich, which latter is not to be sneezed at when one goes to

figure on matrimony.—Menard Messenger.

We have seen two Menard girls who were pretty and smart. One of them was pretty ugly and the other was pretty plump. Both had faces that would make anyone smart. Also their daddies were both rich. The one was a fifth cousin to a lady who owned a 30-acre McCulloch county farm and the other owned a working interest in a Brady bank. We did not sneeze at either of the old gents, neither did they sneeze at us, but we thought they hiccupped entirely too much.

The best typewriter ribbons on the market at The Standard office. For all makes of machines.

Price does not always mean quality, but in Excelsior shoes you get both value and quality. Excelsior Shoe Store.

The biggest values for the least money. Wm. Connolly & Co.

It is saying a whole lot to say that the Bain wagon is worth \$10 more than any other wagon, but it is a fact that you cannot get around. Broad Mercantile Co.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

### \$500.00 Cash.

And balance on terms as easy as paying rent, buys the Dr. Hampshire home in Crothers addition. Get Mr. Conley to show you this bargain.

#### Land for Lease.

I will lease 640 acres of grass land, being the John Bering surveys Nos. 156, 157, 158 and 159, situate in the southern part of McCulloch, to the highest bidder for four years. For grazing purposes only. Bids to be in not later than August 20th.

W. H. CALDWELL.

Wanted—Will take good care of piano for use of same. This office.

For Sale—Life scholarship in the Draughon Practical Business college. This office.

Lost—Scotch collie dog; white with red spots. Answers to name of "Bruce." Reward for return. This office.

For Sale or Trade—332 acres land, 2 miles east of Lohn. Call on or write A. D. Wright, Brady, Texas.

I will sell my farm two and one-half miles northeast of Melvin for \$23 per acre. 70 acres in cultivation; 80 in grass. I will take one-fourth payment in horses and cattle, balance in two years. Write A. P. Wilkin, Bowser, Texas.

For this week and next week I will sell the remainder of my Buff Orpington pullets at \$1.00 apiece; roosters at \$1.50 apiece. Fine stock, and fall layers. R. H. Long.

For Sale or Trade—One rubber tired, 2-seated, canopy top surrey. This office.

Have some good Brady property to trade for vendors lien notes. Will give or take difference. Address J. Box 222, Brady, Texas.

For Rent—Several good houses close to square. See J. F. Schaeg.

For Sale—Scholarship in the Teachers Correspondence Normal, Nashville, Tenn. This office.

# "STOP"

"My ad," said R. W. Magill, "I have already gotten results. In fact, I got them from the first issue. I never have failed to get satisfactory returns from a STANDARD ad."

## There's A Reason:

Let us explain it to you.

## The Brady Standard

"GETS RESULTS"

## PERSONAL & LOCAL

Miss Mary McKnight visited in Menard this week.

H. P. Roddie was in San Saba Wednesday on business.

J. Q. Triplett was here from Pasche yesterday on business.

E. B. Baldrige was in from Fife this week looking cheerful as usual.

Henry and Walter Jordan left Wednesday for Lampasas on a business trip.

Miss Ree Shropshire of Yoakum is visiting her brothers, J. E. and W. S. Shropshire.

Mrs. S. S. Dumas of San Angelo was the guest of her brother, O. D. Mann, and wife last week and the first of this.

Mrs. John Wilson and son are here from Brownwood for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rutherford.

Misses Inez and Mildred Irvine returned Monday from Ft. Worth, where they have been spending the summer with their father.

Fred Hess was out from Dallas this week representing Hess

& Skinner, bridge contractors, and permitted us to absorb one of his dollars.

Lee McShan has returned from a trip to Waco and reports some fine crops in that neighborhood.

U. S. Deputy Director Payne of Temple was here Wednesday in the interest of the farm demonstration work for the coming season.

J. C. Wall is extending the porch on the front and east sides of his home, and otherwise improving the appearance and comforts of the place.

J. W. Griffin left on the Frisco Wednesday evening for Comanche to visit his father-in-law, who is dangerously ill. Mrs. Griffin was summoned there a few days ago.

Word from Prof. W. L. Hughes, who is in San Angelo to arrange for the removal of his family to Brady, is to the effect that he has been detained by the illness of his son. He and his family will probably arrive tomorrow or the early part of next week.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer? All druggists sell it.

PERFECT PURITY

WE AIM --TO-- PLEASE

But it has come to us that all are not wholly satisfied with the service and amount of ice they are getting. We put out the ice so you will get full weight. Our instructions to the drivers are to give FULL WEIGHT and you are entitled to receive full weight, regardless of meltage or anything. We would be glad to hear from anyone not getting the service they are entitled to, and assure them it will be a pleasure to adjust matters, but unless we hear from you we cannot do anything, for that is our only way of knowing things are wrong.

## MANN BROS. ICE CO.

BRADY, TEXAS

## Son and Heir

Last year all that Salyer could do at the golf club was to brag about his baby, who was too youthful actually to chum with his father's companions. When a baby is at that crumpled, reddish stage which indicates that its age is still reckoning in days all that any father ever does is to brag at a safe distance. He would be exceedingly bored by any closer companionship with his progeny.

This spring, however, Salyer felt that Robert, Jr., really was approaching a grown-up stage. He could walk. He could make noises that sounded almost like words. He could smile intelligently. Hence Salyer felt that Robert, Jr., had developed into a son who was quite a human being and entirely worthy of introduction into intelligent circles.

"Why not let me take the kid out to the club?" Salyer asked his wife on a recent Saturday afternoon. "I want to show him to the fellows. Oh, of course he'll be good—and I won't stay long. It'll give you a chance to get a little rest, too."

"It's a perfectly crazy idea!" declared Salyer's wife. "What do they care about babies at a golf club? They want to play golf!"

"I guess it won't hurt 'em to look at my son!" declared Salyer, fatuously. "They're always shouting about their kids. I want to show 'em a real boy."

Salyer and his son created all the interest that Salyer had hoped for. They arrived about 2 o'clock when the verandas were well filled and there was a rush to see the baby, who was exceedingly sporty in his new spring clothes. The men shook hands with him gravely and he bore himself with equal gravity, greatly to his father's delight. When the several women began to coo over him Salyer withdrew to the company of the men and beamed.

Chief among the enthusiastic feminine admirers of Robert, Jr., was Miss Quigley. Salyer grinned a bit when he observed her lift the baby upon her knee, for he felt that Miss Quigley was making a grand stand play and was not above getting solid even with the juvenile members of the Salyer family. It was well known that she had her eye upon Salyer's brother, Bob. Beyond the fact that she could play a disgustingly good game of golf, Salyer admitted that he couldn't object to Miss Quigley as a sister-in-law, though as a rule it did not do for a woman in a family to outshine the men in any line. She doubtless was waiting for Bob now.

Salyer turned to greet an acquaintance. Five minutes later he was deep in a discussion of the virtues of a new ball. Ten minutes later he had furiously accepted a challenge to a game to prove his contention. Fifteen minutes later he was teeing off at the first hole with energy and absorption.

It was a hotly contested game. At its finish Salyer and his opponent found their argument still undecided, so they played another round. It was a glorious afternoon and they idled over the course. "When I can drink in air like this," Salyer said every little while, "it makes me feel that life is really worth living!"

After he had finished playing Salyer and a group of men strolled into a clump of apple trees and smoked and then simultaneously sipped and arose, for they must catch the 5:50 train. Beaming, flushed with exercise and general happiness, Salyer tramped into the clubhouse. As he passed the big living room door shrill, angry yells smote his ear. Something at the back of his brain was disturbed, but not till he had walked straight by a little group in the window did some dim thought put the brakes on Salyer's feet.

He blinked a moment at the tableau of Miss Quigley with Robert, Jr., in her arms before he comprehended. Miss Quigley was flushed, disheveled, every angry Robert, Jr., struggling in her grasp, was furious. An unprejudiced person might have said that at one particularly vicious yell of Robert Jr.'s, Miss Quigley shook him.

"Great snakes!" gasped Salyer as he comprehended. "I forgot—I forgot all about his being here!"

"I should think you had!" Miss Quigley assured him. "He seems a very active child. I never worked so hard in my life as I have since 2 o'clock. And your wife has telephoned five times for you!"

She added this as though rejoiced to know that retribution awaited Salyer at the other end of the line.

"Say," Salyer begged, "I'm scared. Come on home with me and help temper the atmosphere when I arrive. I fancy Bob will drop in for dinner, since he isn't out here!"

"Well," said Miss Quigley, "you deserve all you are going to get—but I'm just mad enough at you to go along and see you get it!"—Chicago Daily News.

#### Under Suspicion.

"Your prejudice against Mr. Young-rake is entirely unreasonable, pa," protested the willful young heiress. "There's a great deal in that young man."

"Yes," replied her shrewd old father, "and sometimes I'm afraid it's a great deal of the stuff I smelted on his breath the other day."—Catholie Standard and Times.

## WM. YOUNG & CO.

Staple and Fancy GROCERIES

WHITELAND --- TEXAS

The customer that appreciates first class groceries, is certain to be pleased here. We sell only the best, and our goods talk for themselves.

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## MONEY TO LOAN

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## BROWN BROTHERS

Austin, Texas

## Announcements

The following are the nominees of the Democratic Party for the general election, November 5th:

For Representative, 120th Dist: MATT F. ALLISON.

For District Clerk: P. A. CAMPBELL.

For County Judge: HARVEY WALKER.

For County Sheriff: J. C. (Jim) WALL.

For Tax Assessor: J. A. WATKINS.

For County Tax Collector: S. H. (Silas) MAYO.

For County Treasurer: JOHN RAINBOLT.

For County Clerk: W. J. YANTIS.

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction: J. K. BAZE.

For County Surveyor: W. P. DOTY.

For County Attorney: C. C. HOUSE.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 1: HENRY MILLER.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 2: G. B. AWALT.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 3: J. L. SMITH.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 4: H. E. McBRIDE.

For Constable Precinct No. 2: S. A. LAWSON.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: N. G. LYLE.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 2: MARION DEANS.

For Public Weigher: TOM JORDAN.

For Constable Precinct No. 1: ED S. CLARK.

Oscar Doell has been spending a few days here enroute to Dallas to purchase a new set of watchmakers' repair tools, having had the misfortune to lose his tools and stock of jewelry in the recent Mason fire. He has not yet definitely decided where he will locate.

Both our Notion and Staple departments are chuck full of bargains. Everything you need at a great saving. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Remember H. P. C. Evers when you break up your harness and saddle. We fix 'em while you wait.

Can't look well, eat well or feel well with impure blood feeding your body. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean and you will have long life.

We have an approved form of breeders' record for sale at 50c per pad. Standard office.

Brady Auto Co. solicits your business. Phone 152.

"I was cured of diarrhoea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes M. E. Richards, Oriole, Pa. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

# Weekly Calendar of Good Cheer

READ THIS IN THE MORNING AND AGAIN IN THE EVENING.

WE NEED never bear more than one kind of trouble at a time. Some people bear three kinds—all they have had, all they have now, and all they expect to have. Let us keep cheery. Hopefulness puts energy into the muscles, clears dim eyes, steadies tired nerves, and fits one to do the most and the best of which he is capable. On the other hand, despondency just as certainly saps nerve force and weakens muscles. A little hill becomes a great mountain to the climber with a despondent heart. Work hard, intelligently, honestly; don't worry and you will be happy.



## Thru Sleepers to Denver

Leave Ft. Worth 8:25 a. m. and 11:20 a. m. Arrive at Denver following evening.

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### Results of the Democratic Primary Election Held on July 27, 1912, in McCulloch County, Texas.

Following are the county and precinct officers of McCulloch County, Texas, having received the highest vote in the primary election held in McCulloch County, Texas, on July 27, 1912:

- For County Judge: Harvey Walker.
- For County Clerk: W. J. Yantis.
- For County Attorney: C. C. House.
- For Tax Assessor: J. A. Watkins.
- For Tax Collector: S. H. Mayo.
- For Sheriff: J. C. Wall.
- For County Treasurer: John Rainbolt.
- For District Clerk: P. A. Campbell.
- For Supt. Public Instruction: J. K. Baze.
- For County Surveyor: W. P. Doty.
- For County Chairman: J. E. Shropshire.
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 1: Henry Miller.
- For Justice Peace Prec. No. 1: N. G. Lyle.
- For Constable Prec. No. 1: Ed S. Clark.
- For Public Weigher Prec. No. 1: Tom Jordan.
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 2: G. B. Awalt.
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 3: J. L. Smith.
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 4: H. E. McBride.
- For Justice Peace Prec. No. 2: Marion Deans.
- For Constable Prec. No. 2: Sid Lawson.
- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 2: J. A. House.
- For Justice Peace Prec. No. 3: Russell Bailey.
- For Constable Prec. No. 3: W. L. Cain.
- For Justice Peace Prec. No. 4: S. A. Newton.
- For Constable Prec. No. 4: D. A. Webb.
- For Justice Peace Prec. No. 8: J. M. Burrow.
- For Constable Prec. No. 8: Mr. Haywood.
- For Justice Peace Prec. No. 5: W. P. Burselson.
- For Constable Prec. No. 5: Walter Beakley.
- For Justice Peace Prec. No. 7: Will Cole.
- For Constable Prec. No. 7: Tom Heath.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 1: A. B. Reagan.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 2: A. F. McCoy.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 3: G. A. McLean.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 4: O. C. Jackson.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 5: O. E. Rice.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 6: W. G. S. Hughes.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 7: C. P. Caine.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 8: S. E. McKnight.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 9: W. T. Stacy.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 10: M. J. Stacy.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 11: Ernest Poole.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 12: None elected, two tied.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 13: J. H. Smith.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 14: T. C. Ward.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 15: Arch Brown.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 16: J. W. Attaway.

- For Chairman Prec. No. 17: Oscar Gault.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 18: J. J. Armor.
- For Chairman Prec. No. 19: C. D. Cobb.

The above officers are declared to be the nominees of the Democratic Primary election held in McCulloch County, Texas, on July 27, 1912.

THOS. BELL, County Chairman McCulloch Co.

### Socialist Democratic Nominees.

- Brady, Texas, Aug. 3, 1912.
- Socialist-Democratic Party of McCulloch County, Texas, met in session August 3, at 3:45 p. m. Wes A. Townsend nominated for county chairman. The votes duly ratified the following candidates were nominated:
- For County Judge: D. A. Lanford.
- For Tax Collector: O. A. Townsend.
- For Treasurer: G. W. Moore.
- For Public Weigher: J. A. Westbrook.
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 1: Will Clements.
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 3: J. W. Jones.
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 4: E. E. Mitchell.
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 2: John Whiteland.
- For Justice Peace Prec. No. 3: Ed Hall.
- WES A. TOWNSEND, County Chairman.
- G. L. MERS, Secretary.

The many friends of Porter Cooke are pleased to greet him again at the Brady National bank, he having accepted a position succeeding Frank Lockhart, who resigned to go to Austin. Porter looks quite natural operating the adding machine or perched upon a high stool behind the daily ledger.

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### TIME TABLE.

Frisco.	
South Bound	
No. 5 ar.	7:50 a. m.; lv. 8:05 a. m.
No. 3 ar.	5:15 p. m.; stops Brady
North Bound	
No. 4 lv.	6:30 a. m.; Makes up at Brady.
No. 6 ar.	9:00 p. m.; lv. 9:10 p. m.
G. C. & S. F.	
East Bound	
Arrive	Leave
No. 54.	10:50 a. m. 1:00 p. m.
West Bound	
No. 53.	2:10 p. m. 3:30 p. m.

### COURT CALENDAR.

McCULLOCH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT—Meets second Mondays in each month.

COUNTY COURT—Convenes third Mondays in January, April, July and October; each term, two weeks. Criminal docket, first week; Civil docket, second.

DISTRICT COURT—Convenes second Mondays after first Mondays in February and September; each term, three weeks. Civil docket first week; Criminal docket, second and third weeks.

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To the Sheriff or Any Constable of McCulloch County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon D. H. Miller by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 35th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 35th judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of McCulloch County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Brady, on the 3rd Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 16th day of September, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1912 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 1353, where in E. E. Willoughby is plaintiff, and D. H. Miller is defendant, and said petition alleging:

To the Honorable District Court of McCulloch County, Texas:

E. E. Willoughby, plaintiff herein, complaining of D. H. Miller, defendant herein, says that plaintiff resides in McCulloch county, Texas, and that the residence of defendant is unknown to plaintiff, and that heretofore, to-wit: by deed dated October 19th, 1910, plaintiff sold and conveyed to defendant certain land and premises situated in McCulloch county, Texas, and being part of W. P. Beebe School Section No. 264, Abstract 1616, Certificate No. 264, patented to E. E. Willoughby by Patent No. 481, Vol. 18, Beginning at a stake and mound in south line of said survey 264, east 510 varas east from the S. W. corner of said survey 264, from which stake and mound a Mes. 4 in. brs. S. 29 deg. E. 7 vrs. Thence north 149 varas to a stake and mound, from which a L. O. 10 in. brs. S. 16 deg. W. 3 1/2 vrs. Thence west 187 vrs. to a stake and mound in east line of a six acre tract heretofore sold by E. E. Willoughby to B. E. Snowden, from which a L. O. 16 in. brs. N. 67 1/2 deg. E. 17 1/2 vrs. Thence along east line of said Snowden tract 38 degrees west 12 varas to a stake and mound set up for the S. E. corner of said Snowden tract, and from which stake and mound a Mes. 5 in. brs. N. 71 1/2 deg. E. 5 1/4 vrs. do. 8 in. brs. S. 31 1/4 deg. E. 3 1/4 vrs. Thence S. 52 degrees E. 47 1/2 vrs. to a stake and mound. Thence south 30 vrs. to a stake and mound set up for N. W. corner of one acre tract heretofore sold by E. E. Willoughby to B. B. Nail. Thence along the north line of said Nail one acre tract, east 75 vrs. to a stake and mound set for N. E. corner of said Nail one acre tract. Thence along east line of said Nail one acre tract, south 75 vrs. to a stake and mound in the south line of said Survey No. 264 set for S. E. corner of said Nail one acre tract, from which stake and mound a L. O. 13 in. brs. N. 70 degrees W. 9 3/4 vrs. Thence with south line of said survey No. 264, east 75 varas to the place of beginning, containing three acres, more or less, and situate in the town of Rochelle and the maps of the town of Rochelle now in general use and here referred to and made part hereof for description. As part of the purchase money agreed to be paid by defendant, D. H. Miller, to plaintiff, the defendant, D. H. Miller, executed and delivered to plaintiff three certain vendor's lien notes for the sum of \$83.33 each, all dated October 19, 1910, one due on or before January 1st of each and every year for years 1912, 1913 and 1914, all said notes providing for interest from date at the rate of ten per cent per annum, the interest payable Jan. 1, 1912, and annually thereafter, and all providing that all past due interest shall bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and all providing that the failure to pay any of said notes or any part thereof, or interest thereon when due shall at the election of the holder of said notes, or any of them, mature all of said notes, and thereby all said notes shall at once become due and payable and the vendors lien retained to secure payment of said notes shall become subject to foreclosure proceedings, all as vendor may elect; and said notes also provide that if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or if collected by suit, at the obligation is to pay ten per cent additional on the principal amount as attorney's fees. A vendor's lien was retained in said three said notes on said land and premises to secure payment of said notes. E. E. Willoughby and any party to E. E. Willoughby or any party to E. E. Willoughby, said note due on or before January 1st, 1912, is in the possession of notes given by defendant to plaintiff for said land, and is in debt and owes substantially as follows, to-wit:

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and that plaintiff have judgment for the amount of principal, interest and attorney's fees provided for in said notes and that he have judgment foreclosing plaintiff's lien on above described land and premises and that the land be decreed to be sold according to law to satisfy the judgment rendered on said notes, and that plaintiff have such other and further relief, both general and special, to which he may be entitled in law and in equity.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Brady, Texas, this 8th day of July, A. D. 1912.

P. A. CAMPBELL, Clerk District Court, McCulloch Co.

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And it is hereby specially agreed, that if this note is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, or if collected by suit or in probate or bankruptcy proceedings, I, we or either of us agree to pay 10 per cent additional on the principal and interest due, as attorney's fees. D. H. Miller.

Said note due on or before January 1st, 1913, is note No. 2 of said series of notes and is in words and figures substantially the same as Note No. 1, except said note No. 2 is due on or before January 1st, 1913. Said note due on or before January 1st, 1914, is note No. 3 in said series of notes, and is in words and figures substantially the same as said Note No. 1 above set out, except said Note No. 3 is due on or before January 1st, 1914.

Plaintiff is now the legal and equitable owner of said notes, and on January 1st, 1912, Note No. 1 and interest on all said notes from their date to January 1st, 1912, was due and payable, but the defendant failed and refused to pay said Note No. 1 when it was due or to pay the interest on any of said notes at said date when it was due or at any time since then, and he still fails and refuses to pay said Note No. 1 or any part thereof or any of said interest, and plaintiff elected and declared all said notes due on account of such failure to pay said notes and interest, and has placed said notes in the hands of F. M. Newman and Sam McCollum, attorneys, for collection and has agreed to pay said attorneys the ten per cent on principal and interest provided for in said notes as attorney's fees. And which said ten per cent attorney's fees is a reasonable fee in this case.

Wherefore plaintiff prays that defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and that plaintiff have judgment for the amount of principal, interest and attorney's fees provided for in said notes and that he have judgment foreclosing plaintiff's lien on above described land and premises and that the land be decreed to be sold according to law to satisfy the judgment rendered on said notes, and that plaintiff have such other and further relief, both general and special, to which he may be entitled in law and in equity.

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(Continued from Page 3.)

If all the air had been removed from the world, He gulped like a fish drowning for lack of breath. He was a long while getting breath enough for words, but his first words were wild demands that Mr. Wellington remove himself forthwith.

Wellington accepted the banishment with the sorrowful eyes of a dying deer, and tottered away wagging his fat head and walling:

"I'm a broken-hearted man, and nobody gives a— At this point he came over into Mrs. Lathrop's berth and was welcomed with a savage roar:

"What the devil's the matter with you?"

"I'm a broken-hearted man, that's all."

"Oh, is that all," Lathrop snapped, vanishing behind his newspaper. The desperately melancholy seeker for a word of human kindness beamed at the blurred newspaper wall a while, then waded into a new attempt at acquaintance. Laying his hand on Lathrop's knee, he stammered: "Excuse me, Mr.—Mr—"

From behind the newspaper came a stinging answer: "Lathrop's my name—if you want to know."

"Pleased to meet you, Mr. Lathrop."

"Lathrop!"

"Lathrop! My name's Wellington. Lill Jimmie Wellington. Ever hear of me?"

He waited with the genial smile of a famous man; the smile froze at Lathrop's curt, "Don't think so."

He tried again: "Ever hear of well-known Chicago belle, Mrs. Jimmie Wellington?"

"Yes, I've heard of her!" There was an ominous grin in the tone.

Wellington waved his hand with modest pride. "Well, I'm Jimmie."

"Serves you right."

"This jolt was so discourteous that Wellington decided to protest: "Mister Lathrop!"

"Lathrop!"

The name came out with a whip-snap. He tried to echo it, "La-throp!"

"I don't like that Throp. That's a kind of a seasick name, isn't it?" Finding the newspaper still intervening between him and his prey, he calmly tore it down the middle and pushed through it like a moon coming through a cloud. "But a man can't change his name by marrying, can he? That's the worst of it. A woman can. Think of a heartless cobra di capello in woman's form wearing my fair name—and wearing it out. Mr. La-throp, did you ever put your trust in a false-hearted woman?"

"Never put my trust in anybody."

"Didn't you ever love a woman?"

"No!"

"Well, then, didn't you ever 'marry a woman'?"

"Not ones. I've had the measles and the mumps, but I've never had matrimony."

"Oh, lucky man," beamed Wellington. "Hang on to your luck."

"I intend to," said Lathrop. "I was born single and I like it."

"Oh, how I envy you! You see, Mrs. Wellington—she's a queen among women, mind you—a queen among women, but she has the 'stravagance of a—"

Lathrop had endured all he could endure, even from a privileged character like little Jimmy Wellington. He rose to take refuge in the smoking-room. But the very vigor of this departure only served to help Wellington to his feet, for he seized Lathrop's coat and hung on, through the door, down the little corridor, always explaining:

"Mrs. Wellington is a queen among women, mind you, but I can't stand her temper any longer."

He had hardly squeezed into the smoking-room when the porter and an usher almost invisible under the baggage they carried brought in a new passenger. Her first question was:

"Oh, porter, did a box of flowers, or candy, or anything, come for me?"

"What name would they be in, miss?"

"Mrs. Wellington—Mrs. James Wellington."

CHAPTER V. A Queen Among Women.

Miss Anne Gattie, seated in Mrs. Jimmie Wellington's seat, had not heard Mr. Jimmie Wellington's sketch of his wife. But she needed hardly more than a glance to satisfy herself that she and Mrs. Jimmie were as hopelessly antipathetic as only two polite women can be.

Mrs. Jimmie was accustomed something of a snob in Chicago society, but perhaps the missionary was a trifle the snobbisher of the two when they met.

Miss Gattie could overlook a hundred vices in a Zulu queen more easily than a few in a fellow countrywoman. She did not like Mrs. Jimmie, and she was proud of it.

When the porter said, "I'm afraid you got this lady's seat," Miss Gattie shot one glance at the intruder and rose stiffly. "Then I suppose I'll have to—"

"Oh, please don't go, there's plenty of room." Mrs. Wellington insisted, pressing her to remain. This nettled Miss Gattie still more, but she sank back, while the porter piled up expensive traveling-bags and hat boxes till there was hardly a place to sit. But even at that Mrs. Jimmie felt called on to apologize:

"I haven't brought much luggage. How I'll ever live four days with this, I can't imagine. It will be such a relief to get my trunks at Reno."

"Reno?" echoed Miss Gattie. "Do you live there?"

"Well, theoretically, yes."

"I don't understand you."

"I've got to live there to get it."

"To get it? Oh!" A look of sudden and dreadful realization came over the missionary. Mrs. Wellington inter-



Jimmie Wellington.

rupted it with a smile of gay defiance: "Do you believe in divorces?"

Anne Gattie stuck to her guns. "I must say I don't. I think a law ought to be passed stopping them."

"So do I," Mrs. Wellington amiably agreed, "and I hope they'll pass just such a law—after I get mine." Then she ventured a little shaft of her own. "You don't believe in divorces, I judge you've never been married."

"Not once!" The spinster drew herself up, but Mrs. Wellington disarmed her with an unexpected bouquet:

"Oh, lucky woman! Don't let any heartless man delude you into taking the fatal step."

Anne Gattie was nothing if not honest. She confessed frankly: "I must say that nobody has made any violent efforts to compel me to. That's why I'm going to China."

"To China!" Mrs. Wellington gasped, hardly believing her ears. "My dear! You don't intend to marry a laundryman?"

"The idea! I'm going as a missionary."

"A missionary? Why leave Chicago?" Mrs. Wellington's eye softened more or less convincingly: "Oh, love! How I should love upon being a missionary. I really think that after I get my divorce I might have a try at it. I had thought of a convent, but being a missionary must be much more exciting." She dismissed the dream with an abrupt shake of the head. "Excuse me, but do you happen

to have any matches?"

"Matches! I never carry them!"

"They never have matches in the women's room, and I've used my last one."

Miss Gattie took another reef in her tight lips. "Do you smoke cigarettes?"

Mrs. Wellington's echoed disgust with disgust: "Oh, no, indeed, I loathe them. I have the most dainty little cigars. Did you ever try one?"

Miss Gattie stiffened into one exclamation point: "Cigars? Me!"

Mrs. Jimmie was so well used to being disapproved of that it never disturbed her. She went on as if the face opposite were not alive with horror: "I should think that cigars might be a great consolation to a lady mis-

tionary in the long lone hours of what do missionaries do when they're not missionarying?"

"That depends."

"There was something almost spiritual in Mrs. Jimmie's beatific look. 'I can't tell you what consolation my cigars have given me in my troubles. Mr. Wellington objected—but then Mr. Wellington objected to nearly everything I did. That's why I am forced to this dreadful step.'

"Cigars?"

"Divorces."

"Divorces?"

"Well, this will be only my second—my other was such a nuisance. I got that from Jimmie, too. But it didn't take. Then we made up and remarried. Rather odd, having a second honeymoon with one's first husband. But remarriage didn't succeed any better. Jimmie fell off the water-wagon with an awful splash, and he quite misunderstood my purely platonic interest in Sammy Whitcomb, a nice young fellow with a fool of a wife. Did you ever meet Mrs. Sammy Whitcomb—no? Oh, but you are a lucky woman! Indeed you are! Well, when Jimmie got jealous, I just gave him up entirely. I'm running away to Reno. I sent a note to my husband's club, saying that I had gone to Europe, and he needn't try to find me. Poor fellow, he will. He'll hunt the continent high and low for me, but all the while I'll be in Nevada. Rather good joke on little Jimmie, eh?"

"Excuse me."

"But now I must go. Now I must go. I've really been quite addicted to them."

"Cigars? Do stay here till I come back. I have so much to say to you."

Miss Gattie shook her head in despair. She could understand a dozen heathen dialects better than the speech of so utter a foreigner as her fellow-countrywoman. Mrs. Jimmie hastened away, rather pleased at the shocks she had administered. She enjoyed her own electricity.

In the corridor she administered another thrill—this time to a tall young man—a stranger, as alert for flirtation as a weasel for mischief. He huddled himself and his suitcases into as flat a space as possible, murmuring: "These corridors are so narrow, aren't they?"

"Aren't they?" said Mrs. Jimmie. "So sorry to trouble you."

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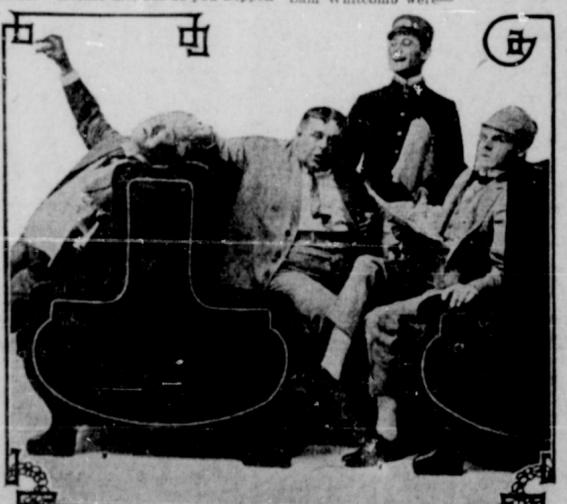
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"Mrs. Wellington? Don't believe I know her."

"I thought everybody had heard of Mrs. Jimmie Wellington."

"Mrs. Jimmie—oh, yes, I've heard of her! Everybody seemed to have heard of Mrs. Jimmie Wellington."

"What a dance she has led her poor husband!" Mrs. Whitcomb said. "And my poor Sammy fell into her trap, too."



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**For Miss Malloy.**

The prettiest party of the week was that given by Miss Maud Sheridan at her suburb home on Tuesday evening, the guest of honor being Miss Hattie Malloy of Ferris.

The parlor, hall and living room were thrown open for the enjoyment of the guests, and the ease and grace with which so large a party was entertained was due to the fact of the hostess' charm and skill.

Before departing, refreshments of black and white cake and grape ice were served.

The party included Misses Ruth Campbell, Mary Johanson, Ruth Wood, Mary Schaege, Estella Bradley, Louise Hardison, Olga Schaege, Loise Bradley, Ruby Wood, Nora Sheridan and the honoree, Miss Hattie Malloy; Messrs. Ulna Hardison, Harry Schwenker, Oscar Thompson, Burl Wiley, Clarence Snider, Porter Cooke, Oscar Lang, Elmer Baze, Ben Moffatt.

**Club Meeting.**

The Girls' Embroidery club was delightfully entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Miss Ruth Campbell at her home.

As is always the case when Miss Campbell is hostess, the occasion was indeed a most delightful one. Refreshments of iced tea, sandwiches and olives were daintily served.

The attendants were Misses Louise Hardison, Ferole Ford, Olga Schaege, Estella Bradley, Zuma Long, Mary Johanson, Iva Goodson, Esther Anderson, Ruby Wood, Mary Schaege and Ruth Wood.

**Pleasant Outing.**

The young set enjoyed an outing on the creek yesterday with their former friend and companion, Mrs. A. M. Martin of Waco, as chaperone. The party was conveyed to the picnic grounds in a large float, thus the fun began at the very start, and did not cease throughout the day. A most appetizing

basket spread was served at the noon hour.

**Theatre Party.**

Mrs. G. H. Young of Dallas was honoree at a very jolly theatre party given by Mrs. Marvin Crites on Monday evening. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Crites, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kiskaddon, Mrs. G. H. Young, Miss Loise Rae Bradley and Messrs. Egan Martin, Maupin and Colton.

Two good shows you'll enjoy at the Lyric-Vendome next week—"The Indian" and "The Savage."

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**Senior League Program.**

Subject, "Renunciation of the Spectacular Methods; The Modesty of Strength." Matt. 4:5-7, I. Sam. 17:38-40.

**Special music.**

Leader's talk, Miss Erna Tauch.

Prayer and bible readings. Note the Evil Effect upon Society of the Foolish Attempt to "Keep in Fashion," Rev. J. T. King.

Distinguish Between Modesty and Timidity, Mr. A. D. Wright. Music.

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See Miss Robb in "The Savage" at the Lyric-Vendome next week.

**PERSONAL ITEMS.**

Miss Ruth Campbell returned Monday from a pleasant visit in Lohn.

Mr. Will Spiller is in San Antonio this week attending to business.

Miss Minnie Jones of Millersview is here spending the week with relatives.

Mrs. Coleman and children of Coleman are here this week visiting friends.

Miss Nell Traweck of Mason was here the first of the week visiting friends.

Mrs. True Harmsen and children went to Houston Saturday to visit relatives for some two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Baker went to Mason Wednesday to spend some two weeks with relatives.

Messrs. Paul Sheridan and True Harmsen made a business trip to Mason Saturday, returning Monday.

Miss Harriet Cook returned Tuesday from a pleasant stay at Camp Independence, near Brownwood.

Miss Clara Webster of Pontotoc came in yesterday and will be here a few days visiting relatives and friends.

Messrs. Joe A. Adkins and A. B. Carrithers went to San Antonio Sunday to attend the Democratic convention.

Mrs. F. W. Henderson returned from the Alta Vista farm last Friday night after spending a month in camp there.

Mrs. G. H. Young returned to her home in Dallas Wednesday after a ten days' stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bradley.

Miss Hayde Willoughby and her guest, Miss Sadie Hudson of Georgetown, are in Brownwood this week the guests of Miss Ora Hurlbut.

Mrs. A. M. Martin and son, Marion, of Waco came in Wednesday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Johanson and family at present.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Macy and daughter, Miss Gillie, and Miss Addie Conner came in yesterday morning from an extended trip through Arkansas, Iowa and California. They report a most interesting, as well as enjoyable journey.

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**Saved Him.**

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**Junior B. Y. P. U. Program.**

Subject, John the Baptist. Leader, Zula Meers. Scripture. Prayer. Song. Character Sketch, "The Father and Mother of John the Baptist," Bessie Scott. "The Story of John's Birth," Mrs. Tidd.

"How Was John Fitted to Tell the People About Jesus," Mabel McCracken.

"John, the Preacher," Wiley Writen.

"John's Message and His Audience," Dollie Ogden.

"Tell All You Can About John the Baptist As the Forerunner of Jesus," Emmett Meers.

"John's Humility," Charles Tidd.

Sword drill, Carrie Lynn Bates. Closing songs and prayer.

Ashton recovered quickly. "That's what I started to say. Will he contest the divorce?"  
"Of course not," she beamed. "The dear fellow would never deny me anything. Sammy offered to get it himself, but I told him he'd better stay in Chicago and stick to business. I shall need such a lot of alimony."  
"Too bad he couldn't have come along," Ashton insinuated.  
But the irony was wasted for she sighed: "Yes, I shall miss him terribly. But we feared that if he were with me it might hamper me in getting a divorce on the ground of desertion."  
She was trying to look earnest and thoughtful and heartbroken, but the result was hardly plausible, for Mrs. Sammy Whitcomb could not possibly have been really earnest or really thoughtful; and her heart was quite too elastic to break. She proved it instantly, for when she heard behind her the voice of a young man asking her to let him pass, she turned to protest, but seeing that he was a handsome young man, her starch was instantly changed to sugar. And she rewarded his good looks with a smile, as he rewarded hers with another.  
Then Ashton intervened like a dog in the manger and dragged her off to her seat, leaving the young man to exclaim:  
"Some tamarind, that!"  
Another young man behind him growled: "Cut out the tamarinds and get to business. Mallory will be here any minute."  
"I hate to think what he'll do to us when he sees what we've done to him."  
"Oh, he won't dare to fight in the presence of his little bride-widely. Do you see the porter in there?"  
"Yes, suppose he objects."  
"Well, we have the tickets. We'll claim it's our section till Mallory and Mrs. Mallory come."  
They moved on into the car, where the porter confronted them. When he saw that they were loaded with bundles of all shapes and sizes, he waved them away with scorn:  
"The emigrant sleeps, runs only toodays and thuzdays."  
From behind the first mass of packages came a brisk military answer:  
"You black hound! About face—forward march! Section number one."  
The porter retreated down the aisle, apologizing glibly. "Sense me for questioning you, but you-all's baggage looked kind o' eccentric at first; the two young men dumped their parcels on the seats and began to unwrap them hastily.  
"If Mallory catches us, he'll kill us," said Lieutenant Shaw. Lieutenant Hudson only laughed and drew out a long streamer of white satin ribbon. Its glimmer, and the glimmering eyes of the young man excited Mrs. Whitcomb so much that after a little hesitance she moved forward, followed by the jealous Ashton.  
"Oh, what's up?" she ventured. "It looks like something bridal."  
"Talk about womanly intuition!" said Lieutenant Hudson, with an in gratiating salaam.  
And then they explained to her that their classmate at West Point, being ordered suddenly to the Philippines, had arranged to elope with his beloved Marjorie Newton; had asked them to get the tickets and check the baggage while he stopped at a minister's to "get spliced and hike for Manila by this train."  
Having recounted this plan in the full belief that it was even at that moment being carried out successfully, Lieutenant Hudson, with a ghoulish smile, explained:  
"Being old friends of the bride and groom, we want to fix their section up in style and make them truly comfortable."  
"Delicious!" gushed Mrs. Whitcomb. "But you ought to have some rice and old shoes."  
"Here's the rice," said Hudson.  
"Here's the old shoes," said Shaw.  
"Lovely!" cried Mrs. Whitcomb, but then she grew soberer. "I should think, though, that they—the young couple—would have preferred a stateroom."  
"Of course," said Hudson, almost blushing, "but it was taken. This was the best we could do for them."  
"That's why we want to make it nice and bride-like," said Shaw. "Perhaps you could help us—a woman's touch."  
"Oh, I'd love to," she glowed, hastening into the section among the young men and the bundles. The unusual stir attracted the porter's suspicions. He came forward with a look of authority:  
"Sense me, but wha—wha's all this?"  
"Vanish—get out," said Hudson, poking a coin at him. As he turned to obey, Mrs. Whitcomb checked him with: "Oh, Porter, could you get us a hammer and some nails?"  
The porter almost blushed: "Good Laed, Miss, you ain't allowin' to drive nails in that woodwork, is you?" That woodwork was to him what the altar is to the priest.  
But Hudson, resorting to heroic measures, hypnotized him with a two-dollar bill: "Here, take this and see nothing, hear nothing, say nothing." The porter caressed it and chuckled: "I'm blind, deaf and speechless." He turned away, only to come back at once with a timid "Sense me!"  
"You here yet?" growled Hudson. Anxiously the porter pleaded: "I just want to get one question. Is you all fixin' up for a bridal couple?"  
"Foolish question, number eight million, forty-three," said Shaw. "Answer, no, we are."  
The porter's face glistened like fresh stove polish as he gazed over the prospect. "I tell you, it is most refreshin' to have a bridal couple on hodel. This dog on Reno train don't carry nothin' much but divorcees. I'm just awfully hungry for a bridal couple."  
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### COMMERCIAL CORNER By the Secretary.

There are some things in the way of public improvements to which I want to call the attention of our people. Among some of the things that Brady needs at this time, nothing is more needed than are street lights. Such towns as Dublin, Stephenville and others of approximate population have lights. These places are in no better financial condition than Brady. They seem to afford this necessity without any serious effort. The expense for the maintenance of a dozen or a half-dozen street lamps would hardly be felt by our treasury. It is true that at this time we have what is commonly called a "depleted treasury", but arrangements can be made to put the

lights in and pay for them without financial embarrassment. Brady does not look good to the outside world after business hours. Visitors remark upon this, and therefore hurt our city.

Another matter: Along the east side of the square too much space is taken up by some fruit dealers. We are not complaining about their business; that is a necessity. But quite a number have asked us to call attention of our people to the monopoly of the sidewalk. So much space is allowed each business man upon the sidewalk, but beyond that amount he should not go. But sometimes but little space is given the public and frequently there is a jam and crowded condition that should not be. These good fellows do not intend to violate the law, but sometimes forget and take up too much space in the display of their goods.

There is at this time of the year an imperative need for a city park. Now, about the only places where the crowds can go to find recreation is around the post office, along the sides of the streets and the union passenger depot. There should be a park where seats could be placed, swings hung for children and where people could get a little fresh air and rest. With the proper push we can secure such place where, after business hours are over and the household cares are put aside, they can have the real joy of meeting their friends and getting a little fresh air at the close of the day.

These things should be talked about, and then pushed until we get them. There are other things we will speak about in our next issue.

Plenty of duck at Abney & Vincent's.

### NEW ARRIVALS.

#### Births Reported to County Clerk for July.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ruston, Waldrip, June 7th; boy.  
R. L. Baxter, Voca, July 2; girl.  
Will Carter, Voca, July 7; boy  
J. H. Snodgrass, Stacy, July 10; boy.  
S. A. Richardson, Mercury, July 12; girl.  
J. S. Wilson, Fredonia, July 14; boy.  
B. T. Schooley, Voca, July 17; boy.  
I. A. Wyckoff, Voca, July 18; girl.  
W. L. Bradford, Mercury, July 29; girl.  
Oscar Woods, Melvin, July 22;  
John Rodgers, Melvin, July 19 boy.  
M. D. Law, Melvin, July 29;

boy.  
Oliver Poe, Melvin, July 17; girl.  
T. W. Bell, Placid, Aug. 3; girl.

#### Mules Wanted.

All mules from 3 to 8 years old, broke to harness. Will be here Saturday, at Brady Market. Kellerman Cage.

We have sold out remarkably clean for this season of the year, but still have numerous excellent values in every department. Wm. Connolly & Co.

Sid Snell, a former Bradyite, was here Wednesday. Mr. Snell was leaving the misfit city of Menard to its fate, being bound for Dallas, and the only period of calm in his haste was when he spent the twelve or more hours feasting upon the delights and gorgeousness of beautiful, bountiful, bully Brady.

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