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It was reported that quite a number more oil men would arrive here within the next twenty-four hours, while several have been here for two or three days and lease and royalty assignments have been made. - Ballinger Banner-Ledger.

O. B. WESTBROOK TRANSFER-RED TO BROWNWOOD POST-

Oscar Westbrook, popular assistant were set forth. postoffice, where he takes the position was had, at which the decision was SUNDAY NIGHT Robertson, whose death occurred at veterans of both the War Between Westbrook leaves Wednesday night will be invited. The time was set in for Brownwood to assume his new the last week before the July primary, duties. B. J. Harrison of Waco will and will be the occasion of a great arrive tomorrow to take Mr. West- gathering here from the entire county brook's place as dispatcher in the loc- and surroundings. A big barbecue is al office.

In the transfer of Mr. Westbrook, that occasion. the Brady postoffice loses one of its | Initiation of a class of 41 candidatoldest and most efficient employes. es for membership in the local post Mr Westbrook has been with the local was delayed until the next meeting office for the past fifteen years, and on account of inability to secure the has been assistant postmaster for the lodge hall adjoining. past three years For the past two years, the postoffice department has TOM GREEN COUNTY had under consideration the transferring of Mr. Westbrook to the Waco office, but has yielded to Postmaster Reagan's repeated requests that he be retained in the local office. Recently, as motorcycle cop on Tom Green when it appeared that further re- county highway. A motorcycle has quests from Mr. Reagan would be un- been purchased from the State Highavailing, a petition was signed by way department at a cost to the counleading citizens of Brady asking the ty of \$50. This action was taken on department not to transfer Mr. West- the authorization of the County combrook. However, before the petition missioners in the recent meeting in came to the notice of the postoffice January, when belief was expressed department, arrangements had been that a traffic officer would greatly completed to transfer Mr. Westbrook aid in keeping the improved highways

In the move, Brady loses not only a It will be Mr. Alexander's duty to most courteous, efficient and oblig-place obstructions on the hard suring postoffice man, but the local Ma- face Sonora highway in order to make of its most valued and popular mem- of surface and thus thoroughly iron bers. Mr. Westbrook is a Knight it out. Continual tracking down a Templar, and is a certificate man as two-foot space in the center will wear well, and his knowledge and love of ruts and necessitate continual repairs, the work, has made him almost indis- it is pointed out when all the surface

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Barley Feed Meal—a better feed, makes more and better We desire with all our heart to

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Don't delay ordering your of service in our repair department; also carry a line of the money by getting in on our next shipment. MACY & CO. Jeweler, West Side Square.

VETERANS THREE WARS REUNION **IULY 12-13-14TH**

The Veterans of three wars will nesday, Thursday and Friday, July The new well is beating the old well 12-13-14th. This decision was reachby such odds as to create much en- ed at the meeting of the Elijah F. thusiasm among the citizens who have Allin Post of the American Legion been watching developments here for Thursday night in the Legion hall, at the last four years, and many are which time a banquet was tendered banking heavily on this city exper- members of the Post and of the Post Auxiliary, together with a few invited

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"The Auxiliary"-Chas. Williams. "The Eden Post"-Evans J. Adkins. Response .- Messrs. Joe Clifford and Sansom of Eden.

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It was reported that quite a number more oil men would arrive here within the next twenty-four hours, while several have been here for two or three days and lease and royalty assignments have been made. - Ballinger Banner-Ledger.

O. B. WESTBROOK TRANSFER-RED TO BROWNWOOD POST-

Oscar Westbrook, popular assistant were set forth. SUNDAY NIGHT Robertson, whose death occurred at veterans of both the War Between The girl got into the car when the movement must have gently put the car into motion, as the first thing anyone knew the car jumped several anyone knew the car jumped several feet off a four-foot embankment into al office In the transfer of Mr. Westbrook, that occasion.

> Mr Westbrook has been with the local was delayed until the next meeting office for the past fifteen years, and on account of inability to secure the has been assistant postmaster for the lodge hall adjoining. past three years For the past two years, the postoffice department has TOM GREEN COUNTY had under consideration the transferring of Mr. Westbrook to the Waco office, but has yielded to Postmaster Reagan's repeated requests that he be retained in the local office. Recently, as motorcycle cop on Tom Green when it appeared that further re- county highway. A motorcycle has quests from Mr. Reagan would be un- been purchased from the State Highavailing, a petition was signed by way department at a cost to the counleading citizens of Brady asking the ty of \$50. This action was taken on department not to transfer Mr. West- the authorization of the County combrook. However, before the petition missioners in the recent meeting in came to the notice of the postoffice January, when belief was expressed department, arrangements had been that a traffic officer would greatly completed to transfer Mr. Westbrook aid in keeping the improved highways

> In the move, Brady loses not only a It will be Mr. Alexander's duty to most courteous, efficient and oblig-place obstructions on the hard suring postoffice man, but the local Ma- face Sonora highway in order to make sonic order will likewise give up one trucks travel over the eighteen feet of its most valued and popular mem- of surface and thus thoroughly iron bers. Mr. Westbrook is a Knight it out. Continual tracking down a Templar, and is a certificate man as two-foot space in the center will wear well, and his knowledge and love of ruts and necessitate continual repairs. the work, has made him almost indis- it is pointed out when all the surface pensable in the local lodge room.

The citizenship of Brady commends The highway laws regarding truck Mr. Westbrook to the good graces of tonnage and the loads that may be the Brownwood citizenship, with the carried as well as the requirement of assurance that in him, they are ac- having rear view mirrors on trucks quiring a most valuable, progressive will be enforced.-San Angelo Standand desirable citizen.

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lac will produce results. You usually and everyone, is our prayer. feel better from the very first dose. Trigg Drug Co.

Carter's Show Card Colors for sign writing. The Brady Standard.

VETERANS THREE WARS REUNION **TULY 12-13-14TB**

The Veterans of three wars will nesday, Thursday and Friday, July The new well is beating the old well 12-13-14th. This decision was reachby such odds as to create much en- ed at the meeting of the Elijah F. thusiasm among the citizens who have Allin Post of the American Legion been watching developments here for Thursday night in the Legion hall, at the last four years, and many are which time a banquet was tendered banking heavily on this city exper- members of the Post and of the Post Auxiliary, together with a few invited

ner, and a number of toasts were re-When drilling is resumed and the sponded to. Chief among the speak-

acreage, and numerous oil scouts as | The following were the toasts giv-

"The Auxiliary"-Chas. Williams. "The Eden Post"-Evans J. Adkins. Response .- Messrs. Joe Clifford and Sansom of Eden.

"Brady's Newspapers"-Joe Ogden. Response .- M. S. Sellers. "Brady's Band"-Tom Jones.

Response .- Harold Deaton. Judge Evans J. Adkins made the closing speech of the evening, which OFFICE AS DISPATCHER was a most patriotic and inspiring appeal, and in which the Legion's aims

postmaster in the local office, has Following the departure of the been transferred to the Brownwood guests, a business session of the post postoffice, where he takes the position was had, at which the decision was of dispatcher, succeeding the late Mr. reached to hold the reunion, to which Brownwood a few weeks ago. Mr. the States and Spanish-American War Westbrook leaves Wednesday night will be invited. The time was set in

the Brady postoffice loses one of its | Initiation of a class of 41 candidatoldest and most efficient employes. es for membership in the local post

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might as well be used,

ard.

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BRADY, TEXAS, Feb. 28, 1922

HONEST INJUN.

The fellow who predicted the coldest winter in years because the fur on wild animals was exceptionally thick and the husks on the corn was extra-heavy, now has his inning.

MORE WATER FOR BRADY CITIZENS.

Believing that Brady water consumers desire, above all else, a more liberal apportionment of water, the Board of Trustees of the Brady Water & Light Works, has under contemplation a plan to give consumers all the water they may desire, at a price but goes its way feeling grateful.- Oregon Rain and Snow-Printer's Er which they may pay, and yet which Fort Worth Record. will insure against a loss in revenue to the plant. This statement is authoritative, and is made by The Standard upon authorization by Mr. E. L. Jones, member of the board of trus-

From Mr. Jones' statement, published in last Friday's issue, it appears that there are approximately forty citizens holding notes against the water and light works for money advanced by them to the municipal plant to assure its continued operation at the time of the breakdown of the old plant, and the threatened suspension of operations. These notes are partly past due, due at present, or will fall due during the next two quitoes. All filth and offal should be flakes from one to three inches long, dy, Texas. months. Quite naturally, as a whole, the note holders wish to be repaid the money advanced, at the earliest possible moment, and to do this, the board of trustees must maintain the present average of net income to the plant. At the same time, they are desirous of giving the consumers as much water as their requirements may call thereby set an example for others! ciable" instead. And also where I Formerly leased by W. D. Priest. MONTHLY MEETINGS HELD LAST for. The plan the board has in mind will accomplish this two-fold purpose, and will be put into effect until the notes have all been cared for, which should be accomplished by the first of June, at which time a downward revision of both water and light rates is promised

Announcement of the plan of the water board will be made in the Friday issue of The Standard.

A newspaper refers to the modesty New York Telegraph, he is modest, guest. but if the newspaper meant that Edison did not know what he had acown ability, the newspaper is mistak-Every superman knows what he These men of fame do not go about the world bragging; they are too busy doing things. Mr. Edison, while I am here. I believe that while who has just celebrated his birthday, a guest in another country, I should has more than 900 inventions to his If you see a motion picture today, bear in mind that Mr. Edison nation." made it possible. If you have a phonograph, you owe it to Mr. Edison. He invented the megaphone, the concrete house and the electric light that brated the birthday of the Emperor burns in your room every night. The

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OBEDIENCE TO THE COUNTRY'S LAWS.

fact that on the day Marshal Foch put it, "a bare tail." landed in the United States, his physician made a public statement to the any liquor with him, did not carry Americans to understand that he would respect the laws and customs of Thomas A. Edison and, says the of the country of which he was a

complished and failed to realize his country, and only last week a guest of several Ohio cities, is reported in the Washington Post of October 24th, as saying, "I have brought no liquor do more than I would have done. show the same respect for their laws

Japan to the Disarmament Conference, together with his party, celeof Japan the other day. It is a Japato the health of the Emperor, but Kato said, "This is a Prohibition country and we will not drink a toast, but celebrate with banzais," which is equivalent to three American cheers.

much respect for the laws of their country as have these foreign visitors.

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A Harmful Mixture.

"Never ask a girl for the makings." "Why not?"

"Too careless. Get their tobacco all mixed up with face powder and lip rouge."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

WONDER WORDS.

rors-And Hog Tales.

Wonder, Or., Feb. 21. Editor Brady Standard:

Effective tomorrow, and continu- The sun is shining today for the FOR SALE - 70-acre farm, ing for a period of ten days, a Clean- first time this month. "It's the cli- mostly in cultivation; or will Up campaign will be on in the City mate!" Some roguish fellow in trade for mules, horses, cattle, of Brady. His Honor, Mayor J. E. Grants Pass changed the sign of their good automobile, or good resi-Shropshire, last week issued a procla- slogan and made it read, "It's the dent property in Brady. Locatmation to this effect, and all good cit- limit!" which I think is more fitting. ed 71/2 miles northwest of Brady. izens owe it to their city, not to say, You can't begin to appreciate the V. L. BRADLEY, 8 miles northto themselves, to place their premises enormity of Oregon weather, at times. | West of Brady. in the best possible sanitary condition. Day after day, night after night, EGGS FOR HATCHING-From The winter's accumulation of rubbish week after week without intermisshould be sent to the dump-ground. sion; snow, rain, rain, snow. Part of Cockerels are sired by \$100 No tin cans should be left lying about the time one at a time and part of Cock, from E. B. Thompson, New to accumulate water (if it rains) and the time rain and snow—both at the York. \$2.00 per setting, or \$8.00 to provide a breeding pace for mos- same time. It is wet, sticky snowcarted away, lest it afford a hot-bed like white swan plumes; and at times for flies, and all the various human they collect on telephone wires till FOR LEASE they roll as large as your coat sleeve which breaks the wire in many places. It played havoc with orchards, too. changed the meaning somewhat, but Antonio, Texas. not quite as much as when the fellow The country is familiar with the wrote "a bear tale" and the printer

I am sorry that "A Citizen's" rope to his uncle the fact that he had broke before he got his pig weighed, started on his school career. effect that the Marshal did not bring I have cross-bred pigs here that I liquors on his travels while here, and don't attempt to find a rope strong neither would he taste liquors while enough to weigh. One of my neighin this country. The Marshal wanted bors said "I can just see those pigs in a very lofty manner, "there's angrow!" And to test the matter I other gentleman who comes in a pertook sights on the pig and a post and ambulator." - Pittsburgh Chroniclesure enough I could see the pig mov- | Telegraph, General Diaz, Italy's great military ing out past the post just like a cloud leader in the World War, now in this moves by the tree top. Of course I

Mr. Editor, I hate to impose upon your generosity, but acting-upon the hypothesis that what you print is for as I would show for those of my own the benefit of your patrons, some time in the near future I sholl state more Baron Admiral Kato, delegate from explicitly my reasons for advocating my system of swine improvement, coupled with years of successful experiments. For the present let it sufnese custom on such occasions to drink fice to state that I should like to compete with every kind of thorobred. viz: Berkshire, Hampshire, Yorkshire, Poland, Duroc and Chester. One out of the six might excell, but I would be Surely Americans should have as sure to win the other five. I never you'd think the world couldn't wag feed my hogs but twice every twenty- without him." -American Issue, as quoted in The four hours and keep them in a pasture where they can get all the water and exercise they want, and I never have a sick hog.

The snow is said to be eleven feet deep on the summit of the coast range and only the first-class mail is being carried across on snow shoes, a distance of three miles. The ground is thoroly saturated and we are assured of plenty irrigation water.

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Where Gentlemen Meet,

A small boy had just communicated "Indeed," said his uncle, "why, you

must be the youngest there." "Oh, no," answered the youngster

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"Oh, I don't know. Did you ever ee one who did not like to hunt bargains, fish for compliments, be in the swim, play a love game, make a hit with her clothes____

"'Snough! I was wrong!"-Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Lightweight Citizen. "Just to look at Mr. Pomleigh,

"Maybe so," said Mr. Grumpson, "but after hearing him talk for five minutes you'd realize that he wouldn't be indispensable to a town of only 500 inhabitants."-Birmingham Age-

Ink Pads of various sizes and colors. The Brady Standard.

A Tough Adversary. Archdeacon Whateley was having an argument with a friend, as re lated in a book of anecdotes, and the friend said: "One can not argue with you, for you will never admit one's premises. I don't believe that you would admit without argument that

two and two make four." "Certainly not," said the archdeacon. "For instance, they might make 22."-Outlook.

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SOCIAL ITEMS.

Theatre Party.

Miss Beatrice Myers was hostess to a theatre party Friday night. The occasion was her 15th birthday anniversary. After the show the girls motored home and spent the evening very pleasantly in dancing until the wee-small hours of the morning.

Those participating in the delightful affair were Misses Euclid Smith, Gladys Caudle, Ebba Carlson, Hattie Wilensky, Eunice Kirby, Zola Spiller, Vada Hibdon, Ina Mae Braley, Mary Violet Horn, and the hostess.

Positive. "Was Mr. Grabcoin in his office

when you called?" "No, he must have been playing

"Are you sure about that?" "Reasonably sure. The office force seemed to think he wouldn't be back soon. Most of the clerks had their feet up on their desks and three stenographers were glued to telephones."

Wanted Little Brother.

Fort Worth Record.

Bobby had prayed for a little brother and was very much disappointed when a sister came instead, but the nurse explained there were four babies born in the hospital that day, and they were all boys. The next day he was somewhat reconciled, and asked the nurse:

"Well, how are they running today?"-Fort Worth Record.

He Had Known Danger, Too. Host (showing hunting trophies)-I tell you, my boy, I've had many a hair-breadth escape getting these to-

Guest-Very interesting. You must come to my place some time and see my stamp collection.—Life.

The GIRLAHORSE ANDADOG By FRANCIS LYNDE COPYRIGHT BY CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS

name and gas going skyward beyone

the machinery barrier, taking a full

half of the roof with it, as if the blast

had come from the mouth of a gigan-

tic cannon. We were dazed and deaf-

ened by the shock, and half choked

by the fumes, but neither of us was

so far gone as not to hear distinctly a

prolonged and rumbling crash like the

thunder of a small Niagara, coming

"The shaft!" shrilled Daddy Hiram.

in a thin, choked voice; "it went off

down in the shaft! And, say!-

what-all's that we're a-listenin' to

If there had been a dozen of the

bombs raining down I don't believe

the threat of them would have kept

us from bursting out of our dodge-hole

to go and see what had happened in

the mine shaft. But before we could

determine anything more than that

the mouth of the shaft was complete-

ly hidden under a mass of wreckage,

and that the mysterious Niagara roar,

dwindled somewhat, but yet hollowly

audible, was still going on under the

concealing mass of broken timbers

and sheet-iron, there was a masterful

interruption. Shots, yells, shoutings

and hot curses told us that a fierce

battle of some kind was staging itself

just outside of our wrecked fortress;

whereupon Daddy Hiram began paw-

ing his way to the door, yelling like a

"That there's old Ike Beasley-

dad-blame his old hide!" he chittered.

"There ain't nary 'nother man in the

Timanyonis 's can cuss like that.

He's come with a posse, and they're

layin' out Charley Bullerton's crowd!"

There was a fine little tableau

spreading itself out for us when we

had clambered over the wreckage and

had withdrawn the wooden bar and

flung the door wide. Daddy Hiram

had called the turn and named the

trump. The large, desperadoish-look-

ing man who had once interviewed me

paused in his combing of the moun-

tains in search of me to usurp my

place at the Twomblys' breakfast ta-

ble, this bewhiskered giant, with a

goodish bunch of followers-hard-

boiled to a man, they looked to be-

had surrounded a fair half of the

self, square-jawed and peremptory,

was shoving Bullerton up against the

side of the shaft-house, snapping the

irons upon his wrists and counseling

him, with choice epithets intermin-

gled, to save up his troubles and tell

fortress, other members of the posse

were scattering to round up the out-

lying bomb-throwers, who had appar-

ently taken to the tall timber in a

panic-stricken effort to escape. Down

on the bench below there were horses

and horse-holders; and among the

horses one whose boyish-looking rider

was just slipping from the saddle

While I was wondering vaguely why

the Angels town marshal had let a

mere boy come along on such a battle

errand, the boytsh figure ran up the

road and darted in among us to fling

itself into Daddy Hiram's arms, gur-

gling and half crying and begging to

I didn't know at the time how much

or how little the big marshal knew of

the various and muddled involvements

which were climaxing right there in

the early morning sunshine on the old

Cinnabar dump head; but I do know

that he quickly turned his captures

over to some of his deputies and had

them promptly hustled down stage

and off scene. While this was going

on I was merely waiting for my cue,

and I got it, or thought I got it when

the boy who wasn't a boy slipped

to say, hoping that the brain storm

had subsided sufficiently to make me

visible. "Welcome home, Miss Twom-

bly-or should I say Mrs. Bullerton?"

deadly; you wouldn't think that vio-

let-blue eyes could do it, but they can.

Then she drew a folded paper from

somewhere inside of her clothes and

"There is the deed to your mine

Mr. Broughton," she said nippingly,

and with a fairly tragical emphasis on

the courtesy title. "You wouldn't

take the trouble to go to Copah and get it recorded, so I thought I'd better

do it. I hope you'll pardon me for be-

It was the super-climax of the en

tire Arabian-Nights business, and be-

cause my feelings would no longer be

depled their rightful fling, I sat down

on the shaft-house doorstep and shouted and laughed like a fool. But

after all, it was Mr. Isaac Beasley,

der ty sheriff and marshal of Angels,

put the weather-vane, so k, upon the fantastic structure.

ing so forward and meddlesome."

The look she gave me was just plain

"I'm not hurt, either," I ventured

from Daddy's arms and faced me.

be told if he was hurt.

As we emerged from our wrecked

them to the judge.

Angels, and a little later had

man suddenly gone dotty.

after the smash!

now!"

SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Under his grandfather's will, Stanford Broughton, society idler, finds his share of the estate, valued at something like \$440,000, lies in a "safe repository," latitude and longitude described, and that is all. It may be identified by the presence nearby of a brownhaired, blue-eyed girl, a piebald horse, and a dog with a split face, half black and half white. Stanford at first regards the bequest as a joke, but after consideration sets out to find his legacy.

CHAPTER II.—On his way to Denver, the city nearest the meridian described in his grandfather's will, Stanford hears from a fellow traveler a story having to do with a flooded mine.

CHAPTER III.—Thinking things over, he begins to imagine there may be something in his grandfather's bequest worth while, his idea finally centering on the possibility of a mine, as a "safe repository." Recalling the narrative on the train, he ascertains that his fellow traveler was a mining engineer, Charles Bullerton. Bullerton refuses him information, but from other sources Broughton learns enough to make him proceed to Placerville, in the Red desert.

CHAPTER IV.-On the station platform CHAPTER IV.—On the station platform at Atropia, just as the train pulls out, Stanford sees what appear to be the identical horse and dog described in his grandfather's will. Impressed, he leaves the train at the next stop, Angels, There he finds that Atropia was originally Placerville, his destination. Unable to secure a conveyance at once to take him to Placerville, Broughton seizes a construction car and escapes, leaving the impression on the town marshal, Beasley, that he is slightly demented.

CHAPTER V.—Pursued, he abandons the car, which is wrecked, and escapes on foot. In the darkness, he is overtaken by a girl on horseback, and THE dog. After he explains his presence, she invites him to her home, at the Old Cinnabar mine, to meet her father.

CHAPTER VI.—Broughton's hosts are Hiram Twombly, caretaker of the mine, and his daughter Jeanie. Seeing the girl, stanford is satisfied he has located his property, but does not reveal his identity.

CHAPTER VII.—Next morning, with Hiram, he visits the mine. Hiram asks him to look over the machinery, and he does so, glad of an excuse to be near Jeanle, in whom he has become inter-ested, and he engages in the first real work he has ever done.

CHAPTER VIII.—Broughton and Hiram get the pumps started, but are unable to make an impression on the water. Bullerton, apparently an old friend of the Twomblys, visits the mine. He offers to drain it in consideration of Broughton's giving hm fifty-one per cent of the property. Stanford refuses. Then Bullerton offers to buy the mine outright for \$50,000. It had cost Broughton's grand-father more than half a million. Stanford again refuses.

CHAPTER IX.—Jeanie cautions Brough-ton against selling the mine, under any circumstances, and, apparently in a spirit of mischief, allows him to kiss her. After a conversation with Daddy Hiram, Broughton decides he will stick to the

CHAPTER X .- Next day, during Stanford's temporary absence from the mine, an enemy, without doubt Bullerton, wrecks the pumping machinery. Brough-ton decides to have it out with him next

CHAPTER XI.—In the morning he finds Bullerton and Jeanie have disappeared, apparently eloped. He also discovers that his deed to the mine has been stolen, and as it has not been recorded, he has no proof of ownership. Mysterious actions of the log cause Hiram and Broughton to take the trail in search of Jeanie.

CHAPTER XII.—They find Jeanle's pony, abandoned, but no trace of the girl. When they get back to the cabin, Bullerton there, apparently awaiting their retui

CHAPTER XIII.—Believing Jeanle to have gone with Bullerton, the sight of the man is too much for Broughton, and he uses him roughly. Bullerton denies knowing the whereabouts of Jeanle. Broughton orders him off his property, and he departs vowing vengeance. Satisfied Bullerton means mischief, Broughton and Hiram fortify themselves in the mine shafthouse and prepare for a siege. Bullerton comes with a crowd of desperadoes and on their refusal to vacate, begins an attack.

CHAPTER XV.—Almost ready to give up. Broughton is heartened by Hiram's assertion that the sounds of the firing must have reached Atropia, and an inves-tigating party will soon appear.

CHAPTER XVI.—The siege continues, Builerton vainly endeavoring to induce Hiram to abandon Broughton. He final-ly announces his purpose to destroy the shatthouse, with its defenders. They de-ty im.

The Atropia that I remembered was so nearly moribund that I didn't wonder it wasn't making any stir in our behalf; so, when a few pattering rifle, shots which seemed to originate on the great bench below began to sift in among the bomb echoes, I took it that Bullerton had divided his force and was trying to rattle us two ways at once. As for that, however, the bigger bombardment kept us irom my ulating very curiously upon anyg else. Two more of the giant kers had fallen to the right of us. of them into the wreck of the tsmith shop, to send up a spouting volcano of scrap which fell a second or so later in a thunderous rain;

For a flitting instant it seemed as if it must drop squarely in front of the iron shield under which we jammed-in which case even the undertaker wouldn't have been needednot any whatsover, as Daddy Hiram would have said. But at the critical point in its flight the hurtling thing "ticked" the top of the hoist frame and its downward course was deflected the needed hair's-breadth, causing it to come down beyond the machinery, and not on our side of things. Nevertheless, we were cowering in anticipation of a blast which would most likely heave the entire machinery aggregation over bodily upon us when

We saw the belching colum

sashay over the hills f'r exercise, ye can come along with me and go to jail fr stealin' that railroad car."

CHAPTER XVIII.

The Hold-Up.

Bensley left me sitting on the doorstep-I've a notion he had run out of handcuffs, else he might have clapped a pair of them on me-while he started his posse down to Atropia with the captured faiders and their leader. When he came back we took time, Daddy and I and the big marshal, to size up the damage that had been wrought, and beyond that, to dig into



'Hooray!" He Yelled. "Charley Bull erton's Dreened Your Mine for Ye!"

the mystery of the continuous grum bling roar which was still ascending out of the wreck-covered mine shaft

Beasley stayed with us, waiting, as I took it, to get his breakfast before he ran me off to jail, and the three of us fell to work clearing away the fallen timbers and roofing iron, Daddy Hiram leading the attack and be ing the first to stick his head through what remained of the tangle and hang it over the edge of the shaft's mouth

"Hooray!" he yelled, his voice sounding as if it came from the inside of a barrel; and then again, "Hooray Stannie, son !- by the ghosts of old Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego, Charley Bullerton's done gone and done eggs-zac'ly what he said he could do-dreened your mine for ye! Climb in here and take a look at her. She's

empty-empty as a gourd-but, at that, she ain't goin' to be, very long!' would-be "jumpers" and were hand- exploded in the shaft had wrought a vision with all the needful precautions cuffing them with a celerity that was complete transformation. The stand- taken against publicity. The tight truls admirable. And Beasley, him- ing flood, which all of our pumping wooden box-which would figure as a much as a fraction of an inch, was gone, and with it had vanished the two big centrifugals, the platform upon which they had stood, and their pipe connections. Gone, likewise, was the greater part of the heavy wooden shaft-lining. A "ttle of this remained in the upper part of the shaft, but from a point possibly twenty-five feet down, there was nothing but the bare rock sides of the square pit swept by

the receding flood. As for the hollow roaring noise which had followed the crash of the explosion, and which still continued. there was a good and sufficient reason plainly visible from the pit's mouth. Some twenty feet down, and on the eastern side of the shaft, a stream of water big enough to run a good-sized hydro-electric plant was pouring into the perpendicular cavern, and it was its plunging descent into the bowels of the earth which was making the mimic thunder.

Beasley was the first to find speech. "Where the blazes is all that water comin' from?" he exploded.

"That's just what we're going to find out!" I barked. "Can you and Daddy handle my weight in a rope sling?

They both protested that they could handle two of me if necessary, and a sling was quickly rigged and I was lowered into the pit. At the nearer view thus obtained, some of the mysteries were instantly made clear. The reason why the wooden boxing disappeared below a certain point in the shaft was that it had never extended any farther down. It had been merely a box with a bottom !- and all those pipe-dream impressions which had tried to register themselves on the day when I had my struggle with the suction-pipe octopus were instantly translated into facts. I could have sworn, then, that there was a bottom in the box, and there was a bottom And that other impression—that I had encountered an inrushing stream of ice-cold water in the chilling depths; here was the stream; a foot-thick, never-failing cataract, pouring in through a perfectly good and substantial conduit of twelve-inch iron pipe

In a flash the whole criminal mystery involving the ostensibly flooded mine was illuminated for me. "Haul away!" I called to the two above; and when they had drawn me up to and when they had drawn me up to the pit's mouth and I could get upon my feet, I yipped at Daddy and the marshal to come on, and led them in an out-door race along the mine ledge to the eastward; a hundred-yards dash which brought us to the banks of the swift little mountain torrent in

the right-hand guich.

A brief search revealed precisely what I was expecting to find; what anyone in possession of the facts precedent would have expected to find. In the middle of a small pool slightly upstream from the path level-a pocketed bit of water neatly screened and half hidden by a growth of lowbranching spruces-we saw a coneshaped whirlpool swirl into which a good third of the stream flow was vanishing. Below this pool an apparently accidental heaping of rocks formed a small dam which kept the little reservoir full.

Without a word, Daddy Hiram and the Angelic frarshal plunged recklessly into the stream and with their bare hands tore away the loose-rock dam. With the removal of the slight barrier and the consequent clearing of the course of the stream, the pocket reservoir immediately sucked dry, the inlet of the cataracting pipe was exposed, and the secret of the flooded Cinnabar was a secret no longer.

The scheme which had been elaborated and set in motion to "soak" Grandfather Jasper was a premeditated "holdup." The Cinnabar, in operation and producing to its capacity, was worth, so Beasley asserted, all that my grandfather had paid for it, and more. But with the branch railroad built to its very door, its value would be doubled. Two alternatives had thus presented themselves to the owners, who were Cripple Creek mining speculators who had bought in the stock at a low figure while the main vein was as yet unexploited: they could go on mining the ore and storing it against the time when the railroad, with its cost-reducing advantages, should come along; or they could suspend operations for the same length of time, setting the losses of a shut-down over against the increased profits when they should start up

With our discoveries of the morning the plan of the robbery became perfectly plain. Some giant of finance among the speculators had evolved a scheme by which the mine not only might be shut down during the interval of waiting for the railroad to build over the bench, but at the same time be made to yield a bumper crop of profits.

Taking its various steps in their orser, the first move in the game was to sell the mine to Grandfather Jasper while it was still a going proposition; and this was done. But one of the conditions of the sale (Beasley told us this) was that the selling corporation should continue to operate the mine, not as a lessee, but under a contract by which the operating company should receive a certain percentage of the output; an arrangement which gave the heldup artists ample opportunity to prepare for the coup de main.

How these preparations were made, and the secret of them kept from leaking out, still remained one of the unsolved mysteries, though Beasley sug-A few more minutes of the strenu- gested that probably imported work ous toll cleared the pit mouth so that | men were employed, and that the work we could all see. The bomb which had had been done under jealous superthe shaft lining-had been built, and into the box the creek had been diverted by means of the small dam and the underground conduit, With the water admitted, to rise in the box to the level of its intake in the creek reservoir, the trap was set and was ready to be sprung.

Beyond this point there was a gap we were obliged to bridge by conjecture, but the inferences were all plausible enough. Doubtless the plotters had notified my grandfather that his mine was flooded and was no longer workable. Doubtless, again, he had authorized them to buy the needful pumping machinery and to install itwhich they did.

In this barefaced imposture the plotters had conceivably builded something upon Grandfather Jasper's advanced age as an insurance against any too-searching investigation; but beyond this they had carefully disarmed any suspicion that he might otherwise have harbored by encouraging him-in the actual purchase of the property-to take expert advice, and by craftily priming him, by understatements of the facts, to trust them.

Only rumors of what had occurred at this visit reached Angels; but Beasley could testify that my grandfather had come and returned alone, and that after the pumping demonstration had been made he had seemed disposed to pocket his huge loss and to call it a bad day's work.

The later developments were not hard to figure out. Beasley was able to tell us that the proposed railroad branch to run to the new copper propertles in Little Cinnabar gulch was now a certainty for the very near future. Hence the time was fully ripe for the recovery of the Cinnabar by the plotters. No doubt they had confidently assumed that a repurchase of the property-not directly by themselves, of course, but by an agent who would figure as a disinterested third party-would be easy. Beasley said that there had been some talk of an underrunning drainage tunnel, such as Daddy and I had figured upon-this at the time of the springing of the flood trap-and that the cost had been estimated at half a million. Unquestionably the robbers had assumed that an old man who had already charged his venture up to profit and loss would sell for a song rather than to venture again; and in this they were probably well within the truth.

But at the moment when they were rendy to complete the circle of imposture, death—the death of Grandather Jasper—had stepped in to complete matters. Somebody—possibly

Cousin Percy-had corresponded with whoever was representing the robber syndicate, and by this means the plotters had learned that they would now have to reckon with an heir. How Bullerton came to be employed by them almost at the instant of his return from South America we did not know; but we could easily understand that with the new complication which had risen by reason of Grandfather Jasper's death, it was highly necessary for some emissary of the syndicate to get on the ground quickly, pre pared to forestall by purchase, guile, or, in the last resort by force, any attempt of the Dudley heirs to pry into things they were not to be permitted to know.

The pushing of the fight for posses sion to the final and property-destroy ing extremity was another matter that Beasley was able to explain.

"Ye see, it was a case o' fish 'r cutbalt, and do it quick," the marshal ex-



I Was Looking at Jeanie When I Replied.

plained. "If he could run you folks out, pronto, and get possession afore anybody come along to ask a lot o' p'inted questions, he stood about one chance in a dozen to lie out of it some way. If you-all got killed in the scrimmage, he'd scatter his men in the woods and try to make me b'lieve that you'd got done up trying to run him

"Would you have believed him?" I asked, grinning across the table at

"It'd a-been a question of vee-racity,



"Now You're Talking Like a White Man."

as the court says: with maybe you and Hi Twombly too dead to testify.' At this, Daddy, who had been eating like a man half-starved, put in his word.

"I reckon you can't get at them galoots higher up, Stannie, but if you don't shove Charley Bullerton just about as far as the law 'll allow, I'm goin' to call ye a quitter."

At that moment Jeanie had just brought in another heaping plate of the luscious corn cakes, and I was

looking at her when I replied. "We'll see about the shoving a bit later, Daddy. The first thing to do is to put the old Cinnabar in shape to shell us out some money. I'm broke,

When I made this admission, Beas-

ley, the last man in the world from whom help could come, I should have said, looked me squarely in the eyes. "Stannie Broughton-if that's your name-you ain't so dad-blamed crazy as you look and act," he remarked. "Money's what talks. Are you aimin' to swing onto this thing with your own

hands?—for keeps, I mean; not to sell

it out to the first set o' minin' sharps

that comes along?" "Sure!-you said it; I'm going to keep it and work it-after I get out of the jail where you're going to land me for pinching that inspection car and getting it smashed. Why Why

for a girl, a horse and a dog?"

He let the latter half of my reply so without comment; charging it up

to some last ungering remains or

"Well, let's see about where you'd crack your whip first," he invited.

"That part of it is easy," I laughed. "What I don't know about the practical end of the mining job would load a wagon. I'll pitch out and hunt me up a real, for-sure miner, of course." "Nothin' so awfully crazy about

that," he granted. Then: "What's the matter with Hi Twombly, here, for your boss miner?"

"Not a thing in the wide worldexcept that he can't be because he is going to be my partner in the deal." "Now you're talkin' a whole heap Ilke a white man," said the desperadoish one. "Dog-goned if I don't b'lieve

you are white! What do you say to givin' me a whack at the bossin'

I took just one little glance at Daddy, and the mild blue eyes said "yes." "But you've got me under arrest, Mr. Beasley," I pointed out, just to see what he'd say. "You can't very well close a business deal with your

prisoner, can you?" "Kill two 'r three birds with the one rock," he mumbled, cramming the siruped half of his breakfast-finishing corn cake into his capacious mouth. "I'll chase you down to Angels and turn you over to the majesty o' the law-the same bein' by name old Squire Dubbin. Then I'll jump my job o' sortin' out the bad angels from amongst the good angels and go out and rustle your bail. Time old Bill Dubbin's chewin' over the law in sich cases made and pervided-like he's bound to do-I'll scrape up a bunch o' men and start 'em up hereaways to begin on the repairs. How does all that strike you?"

If my laugh was a bit grim there was a warrant for it.

"It strikes me fair in the empty pocket, my good friend," I told him.

'Just at this present moment I couldn't finance one solitary, lonesome carpenter-to say nothing of a gang of them, with half a dozen steamfitters and boilermakers thrown in." "Huh! workin' capital, you mean?

That's about the easiest thing this side o' Hades-with a mine like the old Cinnabar-with no more water in it than what can be pumped out-to back you. I reckon your title to the property's all right, ain't it?"

"It is; I have a deed from my grandfather." So much I said, but I didn't go on to explain how the quick wit of a girl who now hated me had saved that deed from being a mere scrap of waste paper. Not that I knew how she had done it-but the tangible fact was safely in my pocket.

Fifteen minutes after this breakfast table talk I was bidding a temporary good-by to the wreck on the Cinnabar ledge, and was about to take the road to Atropia with Beasley; both of us intent upon catching a wayfreight to Angels. Daddy had lent me the piebald pony for the ride to the

railroad station-this either with or without Jeanie's consent; I didn't know and forbore to ask-and the harlequin-faced dog was ready to trot at the pony's heels. But the blue-eyed maiden had shut herself up in her room, and I thought she wasn't going to come out and see me off.

At the final moment, however, after Beasley had already steered his nag across the dump head, and I was about to climb into my saddle, she came to the cabin door, and was both curiously embarrassed and a bit breathless.

"Please !- one minute !" she begged; and as I took my foot out of the stirrup: "Do you know what they have

done with-with-" "With Bullerton?" I helped out. "No, I don't know; but I suppose they've taken him on to the county

seat at Copah with the others." "Then-then-please let him go! If you refuse to prosecute-"

"Make yourself entirely easy," I broke is, a bit sourly, maybe. agree not to play the part of the dog in the manger."

"Thank you-so much!" she murmured: and then she backed away quickly and went in and on through to the kitchen, leaving me to follow Beasley, which I did, with the sour bumor telling me that of all the puzzling, unaccountable things in a world of enigmas, a woman's vagaries were the least understandable. For, after all was said and done, and after all that had happened and been made to happen, it seemed to be palpably apparent that Jeanie Twombly was still in love with the jeet.

(Continued Next Week

Mohammed in Court. It was in a court of law, and a wit-

ness was being cross-examined. Said counsel: "Why do you assert that the plaintiff is insane?"

Witness-"Because he goes about declaring he is the prophet Mohammed."

Counsel-"And do you consider that clear proof of his insanity?"

Witness-"I do." Counsel-"Why?"

"Because," answered the witness,

with a complacement smile, "I am the prophet Mohammed myself." -Edinburgh Scotsman.

A Fine Start.

"Dearest, I am not worthy of you." "That's what mother says, Jack, dear. How lovely to see you two agreeing."—Boston Transcript.

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been lookin' 'round for you a smart while," he told me gruffly. so you get plum' over your laugh

Mr. Gilder's Reply to Mr. Shropshire

In calling attention of the voters to my candidacy for the office of city secretary through The Brady Standard under date of the 21st instant, I did not intend to open up a controversy with the Hon. J. E. Shropshire, the present Mayor, or any one else.

In the last issue of The Standard, the 24th inst., Mr. Shropshire undertakes in a very feeble way to justify and defend the action of the council in placing \$1.00 per month as a salary for the office of secretary, thereby rendering it impossible for anyone elected by the people to serve them in this capacity. Mr. Shropshire points out his objections, using as his main weapon of defense the words "Interfering" and "Interfere;" he seems to know these words better than any others, in the English language. He begins by calling your attention to the "inadvisability of interfering with the present system of keeping our city records, books, and etc." And we cannot expect them, the council, to do efficient work, if we "interfere with them," and closes with the statement: "To counsel with them but do not INTER-FERE." Mr. Shropshire uses these words in their wrong application.

IT IS THE COUNCIL INTERFERING WITH THE RIGHTS OF THE PEOPLE.

The office of city secretary is elective, and the council is powerless to abolish it. They can no more abolish this office than they can the Aldermen or Mayor's office, and they know it.

On the 21st day of this month the council did abolish the city marshal's office, and now the people have no voice in choosing a man for their city officer. When you paid your property taxes, you were compelled to pay your city poll tax. Is this TAXATION without REPRESENTATION? Why "Interfere," with the council on the 4th day of April, when we will elect two aldermen and a mayor?

Mr. Shropshire places great stress on the present appointce's ability as a bookkeeper, and among other things, says: "We have a set of books that need no auditing," and in the next breath Mr. Shropshire tells you that "Your Mayor and board of Aldermen have not the time to wade into these records and do this work themselves; that they are not paid for what they do." Not doubting the accuracy of the books, Mr. Shropshire, but how do you know they do not need auditing, as you say that yourself and the board have no time to wade into the records? You have no one to blame, if you and the board are not paid for what you do. YOU CLAIM THE RIGHT TO PLACE ON RECORD THE PRICE OF SALARIES.

No doubt your appointee is competent, but this does not indicate or prove that he has all of the knowledge of bookkeeping down and hog-tied. As to the tax rolls, everybody knows, we always have back taxes on record, and it is the duty of a lawyer looking into titles to go over the delinquent rolls and dig them up. This is a part of his duty in earning his fee. If I did not know that I could fill the office of secretary to the full and entire satisfaction of the council and people, I certainly would not ask for the job. Why not place your man along with me and let the people choose between us in the election on the 4th of April? Let the people have something to say. I know the majority want to.

No. Mr. Shropshire, no one wants to revert to a former system that has proven a failure. by electing a man incompetent to fill the office of city secretary. And I assure you, that in me you will find no such failure. If elected, and I believe that I will be by the largest vote ever received by anyone who ever ran for this office, I will at all times be at my post of duty, and will readily convince the council of my willingness to work, and ability to fill the office. I am a poor man, need the office, and not physically able to do manual labor are some of the reasons why I am asking the voters for their support and influence to help me get this job.

As to Mr. Shropshire and those on the board who oppose me, I wish to say, that each and all of them are good men, and have the best interest of the city at heart. If it is impossible to convince them of the justice of my claims, they will have to wait until the returns of the election, and read them and weep.

-BILL -

salary paid him during the two years women. he has served as City Secretary. Mr. Joyce is always willing and glad to show any courtesy within his power. and any citizen who desires to learn anything about conditions pertaining look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c. to the city or its affairs, will find Mr. Joyce ready to assist in every way possible. Mr. Joyce has the various city funds now so systematized that stopped his friend, the professor, one the standing of any account may be afternoon. ascertained in a minute's time. He "Professor Diggs, have you ever will appreciate and respectfully solic- discovered a buried city?" its the vote and support of every citizen, and especially will he appreciate the vote of the ladies.

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"You look dejected." "Yes, Married life gets on my

"Been married long?" "No. The wedding takes place tomorrow."-American Legion Weekly.

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For Commissioner Pre. No. 4.

After careful consideration of the In the announcement column this upon at the next regular meeting and G. Joyce this week announces him- prominent and most highly esteemed soon as the lodge can be gotten in City Secretary of Brady. In so do- Commissioner of Precinct No. 4. Mr. begin to lay plans for the instituting ing, Mr. Joyce rests his candidacy Parker has been in Texas for thirty of a Canton here, which will give to and believes that if the citizens and more has resided in McCulloch coun- the order. Inasmuch as the local Envoters will carefully investigate his ty. He taught in the public schools campment is enabled to draw its memrecord, they will be convinced that he of San Saba county for six years, and bers not only from the McCulloch has served the rity and the best in- for two years was cashier of the Mer- county subordinate lodges, but from terests of the citizens in a manner to cury State bank. Mr. Parker is one Menard, Eden, Junction and various deserve their support and vote. Mr. of the substantial and progressive other neighboring points adjacent to Joyce respectfully asks consideration citizens of the Placid community, and this territory, the membership is cerof the following: Aggregate collec- no one questions his ability to serve tain to grow by leaps and bounds. tions made by him on the city tax the people efficiently and capably, Still another ambition of the local rolls for 1920 are 99.3%, and collec- should he be the choice of the voters members is to provide the order with roll. Few, if any cities, can claim al, Mr. Parker is a man of most agree- able location for the erection of a such an efficient record for clean col- able disposition, yet firm in his con- modern and strikingly handsome lodge lection of taxes. Aside from the fore- viction, and ever ready to stand up hall to be one of its actions in the going, the delinquent taxes collected for what he believes to be right and no-distant future. by Mr. Joyce for the city, much of just towards all. Mr. Parker asks which was practically lost, has earnest consideration of his candidacy. amounted to \$1,735.28, which sum and his merits, and will appreciate alone covers more than half of the the votes of both the men and the the wilds of America, and strange to

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head

Fact.

"And what did you chiefly enjoy about that kind of work?"

earth a city that has been buried for while, then said: "Oi'm glad it's only two or three thousands years, you guessin' ye are, for the fall was don't have to listen to the reminiscen- enough to kill it."-Argonaut. ces of the oldest inhabitant."-Fort Worth Record.

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BRADY ENCAMP-

Last Thursday was a red letter day in local Odd Fellow history, for it marked the biggest step forward since the organization of the local lodge many years ago. The occasion was the institution here of an Encampment, to be known as Brady Encampment No. 161, and which was set to work under dispensation from the Grand Encampment of Texas, I. O.

The institution of the Encampment was marked by the visit here of notables high in the councils of Oddfellowship, chief among the number being Grand Patriarch F. A. Howell of Fort Worth, District Deputy Grand Patriarch Jewell A. Johnson of Brownwood, and W. D. Carroll of Comanche. The instituting of the Encampment and the election and installation of officers was had Thursday morning under the supervision of Grand Patriarch Howell, District Grand Patriarch Howell and by W. D. Carroll putting on the work. The following were the officers elected and installed:

A. L. Quicksall, Chief Patriarch.

C. P. Swim, Senior Warden. G. E. Shore, Junior Warden.

C. G. Thornbloom, High Priest. M. R. Moore, Scribe.

A. N. Awalt, Treasurer.

Charter members of the Encamp ment were the following: C. P Swim, G. E. Shore, C. G. Thornbloom A. L. Quicksall, M. R. Moore, J. J. Mayse, J. H. Purdy, A. N. Awalt. Al of the charter members were transferred to the local Encampment from the Brownwood Encampment, with the exception of Mr. Quicksall, who transferred from Cleburne.

The formal opening of the lodge was had at 4:00 o'clock p. m. Thurs day, when a class of twenty-four candidates had the Encampment degrees conferred upon them, a degree team of ten members of the Brownwood Public Weigher 10.00 lodge being here to put on the work. Following the conferring of the degrees, a banquet was tendered members and visitors present in the lodge hall, Chief Patriarch Quicksall officiating as toastmaster. Talks by Grand Patriarch Howell asd by W. D. Carroll were among the most interesting and appreciated at the banqhet.

night at 7:30 o'clock for the present, in order to enable the new officers to perfect themselves in the workings of

The new Encampment starts off with not only a large and enthusiastic E. G. (BILL) GILDER ing of prospects, having already eight applications for membership to act matter, and acting upon the advice week appears the name of Geo. C. numbers of others to follow. So en- to the action of the Democratic Priand solicitation of many friends, W. Parker, one of McCulloch county's thusiastic are the members that as self as a candidate for the office of citizens, who offers as a candidate for good working order, it is expected to squarely upon his merits as an officer, years, and for the past 15 years or the Odd Fellows a military branch of tions for 1921 ran 95.5% of the total for commissioner of Precinct 4. With- its own home, the purchase of a suit-

It was an Irishman's first visit to say, he was soon fast friends with an American. The American was a dead shot. One day, while they were strolling together through the woods, the American, wishing to show off his shooting abilities, said: "Say, pard, d'ye see that bi-r-d high up For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: yonder tree?" "Yes," answered the The very inquisitive young man Irishman, "Waal," replied Sam, "I'll get that bi-r-d, first shot." As he spoke he raised his gun to his shoulder, took careful aim and fired. It was a good shot, and the bird, after several somersaults, fell at their feet. The American picked it up. "I guess I've killed this bi-r-d, pard," he drawl- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: "Well, for one thing, when you un- ed proudly. The Irishman pondered a

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The season's most popular designs. Smart and chic Tailored Hats. Hats to match your costume. Hats for every occasion.

Teachers Attending the Meeting of the McCulloch County Teachers' Association Next Saturday are especially invited to come in and see our exhibit of these beautiful new spring styles.

South C. H. Vincent

Justice of the Peace City Offices(One insertion per week.)

No announcements inserted unless zens, arrived this morning from Ranesting and appreciated at the banqhet.

The regular meeting of the Encampment will be on each Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock for the present. The Brady Standard:

City Announcements.

For City Secretary: W. G. JOYCE

the following announcements, subject itable."-Birmingham Age-Herald.

For District Clerk: FRANK W. LOHN MISS MAGGIE McKEAND

For County Tax Assessor: H. R. HODGES (Re-Election) P. A. CAMPBELL

S. R. (DICK) HAYS For County Treasurer: JUNE COORPENDER (Re-Elec-

MRS. NONA MONTGOMERY D. H. HENDERSON For County Judge: EVANS J. ADKINS (Re-Election)

For County Sheriff: J. C. WALL (Re-Election) For County Clerk:

W. J. YANTIS (Re-Election) HENRY D. BRADLEY For County Tax Collector: HUBERT K. ADKINS (Re-Elec-

tion.) For County Surveyor: E. A. BURROW

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction: W. M. DEANS (Re-Election)

Mrs. M. L. STALLINGS For Commissioner Pre. No. 1: WALTER W. JORDAN CHAS SAMUELSON (Re-Election) R. L. (Bob) BURNS (Re-Election)

LEONARD PASSMORE For Commissioner Precinct No. 3: J. F. PRIEST (Re-Election)

W. J. REED JOHN R. WINSTEAD J. M. CARROLL

L. A. WATKINS. S. H. GAINER

J. F. KYZAR H. H. KNIGHT GEO. C. PARKER

For Public Weigher Pre. No. 1: ED JACOBY (Re-Election) H. C. (HENRY) KING

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PERSONAL MENTION + +

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Levinson have The Texas-Meers Oil Co. have come returned to their home in Dallas, aft- back to the Shultz Oil Well No. 3 and er a two weeks' visit with their aunt are this week setting up the rig prepand uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Myers. aratory to resume drilling. The con-County 10.00 Percy Paschall returned yesterday tract calls for a deep test. - Paint 5.00 from an extended trip West, having Rock Herald. visited in the Comstock and Del Rio 5.00 border country, and also having made 5.00 a trip into Merico.

5.00 John McCleary, one of Brady's oldtime and widely-known former citi- tor, for a bright little Miss arrived at cash accompan's same. Announcements inserted unless ger on a business visit. Mr. Mc-ments inserted in order in which fees are paid at this office. Fee includes the past five or six years, being em-

Buying Freely.

"Jack Grabcoin announced that he was going abroad to help restore devastated France."

"How's he getting along with the

"The last I heard of him he was The Standard is authorized to make helping to make the wine crop prof-

After the fire: Friends may

Congratulations are in order when next you see Frank Ogden, The Brady Sentinel's efficient machinist-operathe Ogden home Sunday evening, and both Mother and Father Ogden are mighty proud of the little newcomer. The many friends of the family will be pleased to know that both mother and babe are doing nicely.

YOUNG MAN!

Don't be a renter; be a homeowner; J. F. Schaeg will give you an opportunity to buy a home just like paying rent. The time to buy is when everyone else wants to sell. See J. F. SCHAEG; let's talk it over-all his property is for sale on these

"We have sold 97,000 bottles of sympathize, but we pay cash. Tanlac and have never had a single Anderson & Carrithers, Insur- complaint."-Jacobs' Pharmacy, Atlanta, Ga. Sold by Trigg Drug Co.

The

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In Observance of

Texas Independence



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