

# THE BRADY STANDARD

**Secure a Home in McCulloch County, the Land of Opportunity. Do it Now!**

## BANK MANAGEMENT

Our management permeates every detail of the business, from up-to-date methods of bookkeeping with the aid of mechanical appliances to the proper investment and judicious care of every cent deposited with us by the people.

To you, as a depositor, this is important. Your bank account should be permanent. Therefore, make a wise choice of your bank connection. Investigate before you decide.

WE KNOW YOUR WANTS and WANT YOUR BUSINESS.

### The Brady National Bank of Brady

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS:

F. M. Richards, Pres. J. F. Montgomery, Cashier.  
 F. W. Henderson, Vice-Pres.  
 John P. Sheridan, Vice-Pres.  
 Clarence Snyder, Ass't Cashier.  
 T. J. Wood, E. E. Willoughby, J. S. Neal.

### THE CREAMERY STARTS

The Brady Creamery Now Supplying Ice Cream to the Home Trade—More Milk Wanted.

The Brady Creamery began operations Monday, and while the amount of milk and cream supplied by the farmers is not nearly as much as the plant desires, yet the promoters say the business outlook is good. The first product of the plant was ice cream for the local trade, and the quality of the product is as good as the best and is entirely satisfactory to the consumers.

The Standard is very anxious to see this enterprise prove a success, and if the people will milk cows and sell the creamery the milk there can be no doubt of its success. Moreover, the plant will pay handsomely for the butter fat, and it has been demonstrated over and over again that there is more money in milking cows for a creamery than could possibly be made from the same cows by churning at home and selling the product individually. The Standard would again urge all farmers and cow owners within reach of this plant to patronize this most commendable home enterprise.

We are glad to see the plant's ice cream product meeting with such favor, and trust that every dealer in the city will buy and serve Brady Creamery ice cream. If you love your town

## Our Four Specialties

They Appeal to the Very Best Trade in the World.

*Dorothy Dodd*  
 DAINTY SHOES  
 SPRING & SUMMER

JUST received—The new Spring models. Shoes of style and character for particular women. Selected Spring and Summer fashions, in the smartest new shapes and designs. Clever patterns in all sorts of leathers for either indoor or outdoor wear, morning, afternoon or evening.

**Tipton & Striegler**

## Special Sale of Boys' Clothing

A Complete Assortment of the Newest Spring Styles, Boys' Suits and odd Pants. All sizes, 4 to 17 years. On sale this week at the following prices:

Our regular \$6.50 and \$7.50 Suits during sale \$4.95

Our regular \$5.00 and \$6.00 Suits during sale \$4.25

Our regular \$4.00 and \$3.50 Suits during Sale 3.15

Our regular \$1.75 and 2.00 Odd Pants during Sale 1.40

Our regular \$1.25 and 1.50 Odd Pants during Sale 1.00

Our regular 75c and \$1.00 Odd Pants during sale 65c

**S. NEUMEGEN, CORRECT DRESS FOR MEN**



Waldorf Dresses.



American Lady



and its enterprises call for home made ice cream at your favorite soda fount, and insist on getting it.

Lillie May McFarland, the 21-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McFarland, died at the family home in this city Tuesday night, the interment taking place Wednesday afternoon in the Brady Cemetery. Rev. D. R. Hardison officiating.

Buy a genuine John B. Stetson hat for \$3.85. Wm. Connolly & Co., west side.

Cold drinks at Brady Cafe, new and modern fixtures, east side.

**Stewart-Mann Auto Company.**

The Stewart-Mann Auto Co. is one of Brady's newest business concerns, and is now preparing for the erection of a large garage on the lots north of C. D. Allen Grain Co. The firm is composed of J. M. Stewart, of Mason, and Jim and Duke Mann, of Brady, and will be substantially capitalized. Three new Moline cars were received by the firm this week.

Dr. E. L. Lewis, the veterinary surgeon, has located at Denton and writes The Standard that he is "ice-lighted" with that city.

F. J. Neal is the new express agent in Brady, succeeding A. L. Coleman, who, with his family, left Saturday for Alvarado where they will remain temporarily until Mr. Coleman gets located. Mr. Neal is from Bellvue, and with his family will occupy the Coleman home.

County court convened Monday, and the criminal docket was practically all continued and court adjourned till next week when the civil docket will be taken up.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Julian Davis, on the 10th, a fine girl.



# FRANKLIN Tent Theatre

Tonight and All This Week



MYRTLE AND MAUDE

The Show You Know Is Good

## HOLLINGSWORTH TWINS DRAMATIC CO.

POPULAR PRICES

N. W. CORNER SQUARE

### School Bonds Approved.

Secretary Albert Baze, of the school board, is just in receipt of a letter from the attorney general's department conveying the information that all requirements of the law in the matter of the bonds for Brady's ward school building had been complied with, and that he would approve the bonds as soon as they were signed.

This is good news indeed to the school interests of Brady.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney and bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

\$8,000 stock of W. L. Douglas and Peters' shoes at Wm. Connolly & Co.'s for wholesale cost, West Side.

See McCully Co., for wool bags and twine.

The Standard \$1 per year.

### Grim Scot Wit.

A Scottish minister had among his parishioners a man who dealt in old horses, alternating his spells of labor with heavy sprints. During the period of depression which followed each overindulgence John habitually took to bed and there diligently studied the family Bible. During one of these fits of attempted reformation his condition prompted his wife to call in the Rev. Mr. Wallace, the parish minister, who at the time happened to be passing.

"Oh, Maister Wallace, come in and see our John; he's rale bad!"

"What's wrang w' him?"

"He's feart to meet his Makker," said Mrs. John.

Quick as fire came the crushing reply:

"Humph! Thell'm he need na be feart for that; he'll never see'm."

### The Taj Mahal.

The Taj Mahal, at Agra, India, is said to be the most beautiful structure in the world. It was built by Shah Jehan as a tomb for his wife and is of the purest white marble. It shines so dazzlingly in the sun that you can scarcely look at it except in the morning or evening. Every part is inlaid with the most exquisite designs in marble of different colors, the finish being so perfect that the entire building may be said to resemble in the delicacy of its workmanship one of those Chinese caskets of ivory and ebony which are now so common in Europe and America. — New York American.

### Rapid Army Mobilization.

The finest example of rapid organization of an army was certainly the mobilization of the German army in 1870. On July 17 in that year the famous telegram, the shortest and most momentous ever dispatched, "Krieg. Mobil." went forth from the headquarters at Berlin, and within a fortnight an army of 500,000 men, fully uniformed, equipped and provided with commissariat, was on its way to the French frontier. Of course it must be remembered that all these men had been previously warned and that all had been through their period of military training.—London Answers.

### 1-4 of Pound a Week

at least, is what a young baby ought to gain in weight. Does yours? If not there's something wrong with its digestion. Give it McGee's Baby Elixir and it will begin gaining at once. Cures stomach and bowel troubles, aids digestion, stops fretfulness, good for teething babies. Price 25c and 50c. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

P. W. Morrow has begun the erection of a big frame hotel just north of the Santa Fe station grounds on Bridge street, and will be conveniently located in a good business by the time the Santa Fe gets its road built.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are the well known remedy of today for all kidney trouble—but when you ask for DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills, insist on having them. Beware of imitations; avoid substitutes; get the original DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Sold by Central Drug Store.

If you need a spring suit Wm. Connolly & Co. will sell you the best suits on the market for less than actual wholesale cost, west side.

Dr. Geo. W. Hampshire is busy this week fitting up his new offices over the First State Bank. The Dr. will have commodious quarters, elegantly furnished, and thoroughly equipped with the latest in surgical appliances.

Diarrhoea should be cured without loss of time and by a medicine which like Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy not only cures promptly but produces no unpleasant after effects. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

# Abney & Vincent

THE ONE PRICE STORE

## Dry Goods, Groceries Hardware, Implements

Every Department Filled with the Season's best Merchandise. Our Personal Guarantee is behind Every Article We Sell . . . . .

### New Styles in Spring Millinery

We are making a specialty of our Millinery Department and are showing the very newest shapes and styles at prices to suit everybody.

### Summer Dress Goods

We are now showing a nice line of Summer Dress Goods in light woollens; also a beautiful line of White Linen, Linen Lawn, Dimity, Etc. Our line of Printed Lawns at 5c to 15c can't be equaled.

### Men's Hats

We are showing all the shapes in Men's Soft Hats—novelties and staples. You can't get better values at \$1.50 to \$3.00. Stetson—all grades—\$4.50 to \$10. Straw Hats—all kinds—for men, for girls, for boys.

### New Coat Suits and Dresses

We have just received another shipment of Linen Coat Suits and one-piece Dresses. These are the very best models the season is offering. We have them in all colors, priced at

\$3.50 to \$15

### Our Shoe Department

Every week brings us new shoes, fresh from the factory. Hamilton-Brown Shoes are recognized the world over as the best styles and values that money can buy. We have the exclusive sale of these shoes in Brady and our own, as well as the factory's guarantee, is behind every pair sold. American Lady Pumps and Oxfords—\$3 and \$3.50. American Gentleman Oxfords—blacks and tans—\$3.50 to \$5. Misses and Children's Slippers and Pumps—\$1.00 to \$2.50. Barefoot Sandals—all sizes for Boys and Girls.

Cadet Hose for Men, Women and Children—25c the Pair. Every Pair Guaranteed by Us.

### New Jail Received.

The new jail was formally turned over to the county last Saturday by Superintendent Holcombe representing the Southern Structural Steel Co., of San Antonio, and on Monday Sheriff Sansom brought over from Brownwood all the prisoners. Mr. Sansom and family have also moved into the lower story which has been fitted up as a residence—one of the most comfortable in the city, with all modern conveniences.

The jail, complete with the sewer attachments and everything else, cost the county \$14,335. It is a very handsome structure, an ornament to the city and will fulfill the demands of the county for years to come.

Cloudy days as good as any at St. Clair's Studio.

### The Rochelle School Bonds.

Quick action was taken the past week in the matter of the Rochelle school bonds turned down by the attorney general. The commissioners court met and created the Rochelle School District anew, and County Judge Walker ordered another election for Saturday, April 30. The amount of the bonds issued this time will be \$12,500, instead of \$10,000 as before, and the people of that bustling little city will no doubt do just as they did before—vote them unanimously. Rochelle will have her school building in time for next term.

Why pay \$3.50, the regular price for the W. L. Douglas shoe, when you can buy them for \$2.85 from Wm. Connolly & Co., west side?

## KING OF ALL THROAT & LUNG REMEDIES

# DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

QUICKEST, SAFEST, SUREST  
COUGH AND COLD  
—CURE—

AND HEALER OF ALL DISEASES OF LUNGS,  
THROAT AND CHEST

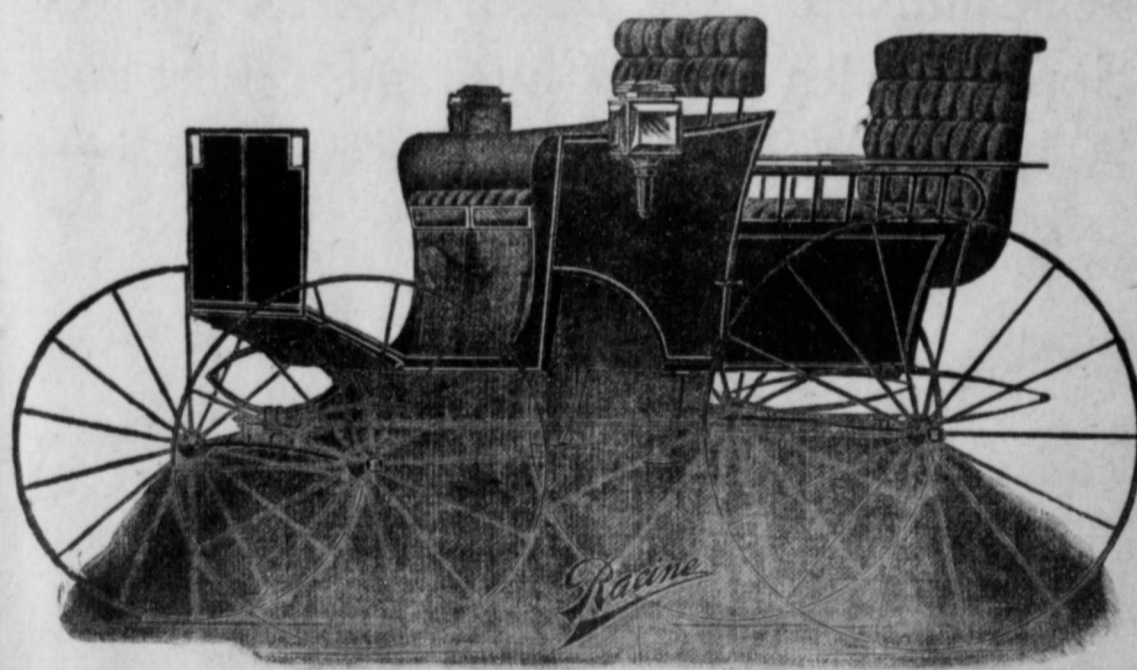
### CURED BY HALF A BOTTLE

Half a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery cured me of the worst cold and cough I ever had.— J. R. Pitt, Rocky Mount, N. C.

PRICE 50c

AND \$1.00

SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY  
CENTRAL DRUG STORE



# C. W. L. SCHAEEG

The Only Exclusive Vehicle Man in Brady

## I Want to Trade for Some Horses



**SWEET MILK WANTED**

**Highest Market Price Paid For Butter Fat**

**THE BRADY CREAMERY At Their Plant**

**SOME LAND BARGAINS**

We have some choice farm lands that we will sell for one-tenth cash, balance on long time. If you want to get in a good location see us about this land. . . 4160-acre ranch, 85 per cent tillable, good improvements, \$8.00 per acre—well worth the money.

**Brady Loan and Inv. Co.**

**NOTICE!**

After Sunday, April 17, we will discontinue delivering 5c worth of ice.

**Brady Ice and Bottling Co.**  
By Albert Hennesdorf

**BULLS FOR SALE**

Registered and High Grade Shorthorn Bulls, 2 to 4 years old, for sale.

**P. G. SHEPPARD, LLANO, TEXAS**

**ABSOLUTELY NEW---ALTOGETHER DIFFERENT**

Therefore Cures Where Others Fail  
**Ware's Black Powder** and **Ware's Baby Powder** are tasteless and perfectly harmless antiseptics that kill the little germs in the Stomach and Bowels which cause Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Flatulence, Sick Headache, Dysentery, Cholera-Morbus, Intestinal Indigestion, Catarrh of the Stomach and Bowels, and Diarrhoea—thereby removing the cause and relieving the trouble.  
**Ware's Baby Powder** is for children, and if your baby is suffering from bad bowels, irritation from teething and conditions that we call summer complaint, stomach ailment, food undigested, use **Ware's Baby Powder**. It cures the little ones.

For Sale By **JONES DRUG CO.**

**Brady Transfer Line**

J. T. LINDSAY & SONS, Proprietors, Brady, Texas.  
Successor to E. L. Wade.

Ample bus accommodations for all trains. Prompt attention to all calls from any part of the city. Baggage delivered promptly. Teaming and general hauling. Phone 270.

**That Lame Back Means Kidney Disease**

And to Relieve the Lame and Aching Back, You Must First Relieve the Kidneys

There is no question about that at all—for the lame and aching back is caused by a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder. It is only common sense, any way—that you must cure a condition by removing the cause of the condition. And lame and aching back are not by any means the only symptoms of derangement of the kidneys and bladder. There are a multitude of well-known and unmistakable indications of a more or less dangerous condition. Some of these are, for instance: Extreme and unnatural lassitude and weariness, nervous irritability, heart irregularity, "nerves on edge," sleeplessness and inability to secure rest, scalding sensation and sediment in the urine, inflammation of the bladder and passages, etc.



DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are an exceptionally meritorious remedy for any and all affections or diseased conditions of these organs. These Pills operate directly and promptly—and their beneficial results are at once felt. They regulate, purify, and effectually heal and restore the kidneys, bladder and liver, to perfect and healthy condition—even in some of the most advanced cases.

E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill., want every man and woman who have the least suspicion that they are afflicted with kidney and bladder diseases to at once write them, and a trial box of these Pills will be sent free by return mail postpaid.

For Sale by Central Drug Store.

The price is always right when it is in line with quality. Inferior goods can be bought for less money, but no amount of money can buy a plow as good as the John Deere. Satterwhite & Martin.

Ready-made trot lines at Central Drug Store, leading drug stores.

Spring time. Flower time. Yes, and time for rubber hose. The largest and best selected stock in the city. All new stock from the factory. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Send The Standard "back yonder." It's the best advertising matter you can circulate concerning McCulloch county.

**MISSION RALLY**

To Be Held With the Union Gap Baptist Church, April 22-24, 1910

Friday, 8:00 p. m.—Sermon..... J. T. Hamilton.  
Saturday, 10:00 a. m.—"Why do Baptists Believe in Supporting Buckner Orphan's Home?"..... W. D. Vinson.  
11:00 a. m.—Sermon..... W. G. Caperton.  
2:30 p. m.—"What is the Best Plan for Carrying Out the Commission?"..... W. A. Knight.  
3:30 p. m.—"Can a Child of God Fall Away and Be Eternally Lost?"..... W. G. Caperton.  
8:00 p. m.—Sermon..... W. A. Knight.  
Sunday, 10:00 a. m.—"Is it Scriptural to Take Up Public Collections?"..... J. T. Hamilton.  
11:00 a. m.—Mission Sermon..... H. R. Moran.  
3:00 p. m.—Sunday School..... J. C. Thames.  
4:00 p. m.—Sunday School Talk..... J. T. Hamilton.  
8:00 p. m.—Sermon.....

W. C. BERT,  
J. T. CUNNINGHAM, } Committee  
ED FINNIGAN.

**Plenty of Capital.**

J. E. Boog-Scott, of Coleman, is authority for the information that there is sufficient capital to carry through the Texas North & South railway plans. Mr. Boog-Scott is interested in the project and he says that the projected line starts from Vernon on the Fort Worth & Denver and passes through the counties of Throckmorton, Shackelford, Callahan, Coleman, McCulloch, Mason, Gillespie and Comal, with San Antonio the southern terminus. The line will be 360 miles long.

More than half a million of the stock is owned by Coleman people, and Mr. Boog-Scott has considerable invested. Surveyors are now at work in the vicinity of Coleman.

Our stock of corrugated iron is now good, can fill your orders for the present. We are prepared to make your well casing on short notice. Just call No. 4 and the tinner will be at work. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Mrs. A. G. Walker has been quite ill the past ten days, but is reported convalescing at this writing.

If it's good goods and a big assortment of fishing tackle you want, Central Drug Store "Has It."

Do you want a real good liver pill, the best made—be sure to get Dewitt's Little Early Risers. They are safe, sure, easy to take. Wherever a salve is needed, DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is the original—there are many imitations, so be sure that you get what you ask for. It is good for cuts, burns, bruises, scratches, but is especially good for piles. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Why the Samson wind mill? The answer is, it is the best and the one mill that will serve you faithfully and at a nominal cost. Everything you need for the well, we have it. O. D. Mann & Sons.

R. M. Carter, of Haskell, is here for a visit with his cousin, Miles Abernathy.

Take the baby to St. Clair's Studio and get a perfect likeness.

A national reputation is built on quality—not price. That's the reason the John Deere implements are the best sellers. They give the best service. Satterwhite & Martin,

**THE CIRCUS**

acrobats find it necessary at all times to keep his muscles and joints supple. That is the reason that hundreds of them keep a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment always on hand. A sure cure for rheumatism, cuts, sprains, sore throat, lame back, contracted muscles, corns, bunions and all pains. Price 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Job work neatly and promptly executed at The Standard.

**The Hollingsworth Twins.**

The Franklin Tent Theatre has been a popular place the past week, and the little ladies, Maud and Myrtle Hollingsworth, have made good here as they do everywhere. The plays presented have shown a wide range of dramatic art and the Twins have shown remarkable ability and a surprising adaptability in their varied roles.

The program has been varied so as to suit the different patrons and to try and please all. The plays in the company's repertoire consist of dramas, melodramas, comedies and emotional dramas and one of each kind was presented last week. The bills for this week will be of the same high class, the company making a feature of "East Lynn" and "The Christian."

Messrs. Bert Russell and Sam Flint joined the company last week and materially strengthened an already strong show.

Pleasing specialties by Miss Howard, Jack McGinn, Sam Flint and the Hollingsworth Twins are given between acts each night.

An elaborate production of "The Christian" is on for Friday night with Miss Maud Hollingsworth in the role of Glory Quayle. This is one of the hardest emotional roles and one of the strongest ever written and Miss Maud is undoubtedly the youngest actress that has ever attempted and successfully carried out such a serious and dramatic part.

This company closes its engagement here on Saturday night when the great western play of the "Cowboy and the Lady" will be presented.

We want to sell you a Standard mower, or a Deering. Two mowers that have no equals—extras always in stock. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Mrs. Annie Collins arrived today from Philadelphia, Pa., to make her home with her son, W. A. Collins.

**President Roosevelt Says**

that outdoor exercise is needed by the American people. That's all very well, but how can people with rheumatism follow that advice. The answer is simple—use Ballard's Snow Liniment and the rheumatism will go; leaving you as spry as a colt. Gives quick and permanent relief from rheumatism, neuralgia, lame back and all pains. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

The Pioneer fence is the best. You will see more of it in this country than all other makes combined. O. D. Mann & Sons.

**Corn For Sale.**

Two cars of good shelled corn for sale at wholesale prices at Brady Farmer's Union Warehouse.

**Coleman County's Fiasco.**

County Judge Walker received news by phone from Coleman that the election held in that county last Saturday on the question of issuing bonds to secure money with which to build that county's half of the two bridges over the Colorado river at Waldrip and Stacy, had been defeated by a vote of two to one.

Thus ends Coleman's bluff to capture the trade of the northern portion of McCulloch county. After repeated statements by the county commissioners of Coleman county to the effect that they were only waiting for McCulloch to raise its half of the necessary money; after public speeches by Coleman business men at the Stacy picnic declaring that all they wanted was the privilege of building these bridges; after a joint conference of the commissioners of the two counties held at Waldrip, at which time the Coleman men declared they had the money ready in the treasury; after all this, the matter turns out to have been a colossal bluff on the part of our neighbor on the north.

One thing is certain; McCulloch county has shown the right spirit, and the citizens of the Stacy and Waldrip communities are now enabled to see which is their best friend—Brady or Coleman.

Mss. covers, typewriter papers, carbons, onion skins and typewriter ribbons at Standard office.

**Smothering Spells**

"I suffered for nine or ten years. Had spells of smothering, finally went into convulsions. Dr. Miles' Nerve brought complete relief, and I believe saved my life."

MRS. ROSA BONNER,  
185 N. 18th St., Birmingham, Ala.  
The blood is the channel through which is transported the nourishment that sustains life. When the circulation is poor, your vitality is low, your nervous system exhausted and you are weak and debilitated. You can restore nervous energy by taking

Dr. Miles' Nerve. Its strengthening influence upon the nervous system gives it power to send life-giving blood through the veins. The first bottle will benefit; if not, the druggist will return your money.

**More Rain Past Week.**

The Brady Country has had more rain during the past week and the situation is one to bring gladness to the hearts of everyone. The rain began late Friday afternoon and continued intermittently throughout Friday night, Saturday and Saturday night. Sunday was cloudy, but the sun came out Monday and warm spring weather has prevailed since.

Reports from all parts of the county are to the effect that the small grain crop is going to be much better than was thought possible after the long dry spell. Oats that were thought to be too far gone to recover have taken on new life and now promise to make a good yield. The general crop condition was never better at this time of the year.

The sweetness of low price never equals the bitterness of poor quality. It is always the best policy to insist on the best values. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Your tongue is coated. Your breath is foul. Headaches come and go. These symptoms show that your stomach is in trouble. To remove the cause is the first think, and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will do that. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

**UNDERTAKER'S GOODS.**

I have added to my stock of General Merchandise at Lohn, a good line of Coffins and Caskets and Undertaker's Supplies. If the need should come for anything in this line I can supply same, saving a long trip to any other point. Prices right.

**W. F. ROBERTS,**  
Lohn, Texas.

**Three Years Old**

And It Has Won the Trade  
1800 Bottles sold in one town in 1908 and has gained ground each day since.

**TEXAS WORM KILLER**  
GUARANTEED

Sold by all first-class druggists

**TO THE PUBLIC**

We have secured the services of Mr. T. A. Bartlett to take charge of the mechanical department of our garage. Mr. Bartlett is an experienced, up-to-date automobile man and thoroughly understands manufacturing and repairing of all makes of automobiles.

He has had three years experience in an automobile factory in Detroit, Mich., seven years as automobile repairer and ten years as a machinist.

We are now in a shape to serve the automobile public in a satisfactory and efficient manner. We solicit your business and guarantee satisfaction in every respect.

Yours very truly,

**Brady Auto Company,**

By C. E. Welch, Mgr.



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BRADY, TEXAS, APRIL 14, 1910

### AS TO PROHIBITION.

One of The Standard's good friends jokingly accused the editor this week of being an "anti," basing his meaningless statement on the little editorial of last week wherein we said Doctor Rankin had made an ass of himself and the entire prohibition element. Of course, we know that our friend did not mean what he said, for he knows positively that we are for prohibition in any form the question may come up. What we said about Dr. Rankin we believe to be true, and we further believe that that opinion is held by many other good prohibitionists over the state. We are inclined to believe, further, that even Dr. Rankin himself has come to see the big mistake made in pitching the fight in the gubernatorial race alone, as witness the following statement from him as we find it in Sunday's Fort Worth Record, wherein he is answering some queries propounded by one J. R. Waddell:

"You ask me if we can elect a two-thirds majority of the legislature. I do not know. But I am sure, if we will stop fighting in our own ranks and turn our attention all over the state toward the election of a legislature, we would come more nearly electing that body in our favor than we will do if we continue to bite and devour each other. To my mind, it would prove more profitable to prohibition were we to drop this gubernatorial contention for a time and concentrate upon the election of a legislature. True, we need a governor who favors our cause, but we need a legislature also. The probability is we could unite on this issue, but we are badly divided on the governor's contest, and while we are wrangling over the contest for governor the antis are laying all their wiles to capture enough of the legislature to forestall submission."

In this paragraph Dr. Rankin says just about what The Standard said last week, and acknowledges the error which has been made by himself and other leaders in the prohibition ranks.

BRADY ought to have a flour mill, and with a good, live commercial club she'll get it, too. Mark the prediction.

A GOOD, fat, 10-months-old hog at present prices is worth almost as much as a bale of cotton, is easier produced and yields a bigger profit. McCulloch county needs more hogs.

DON'T lay down on the creamery; if you have promised to milk a certain number of cows for it fulfill your promise. It will make you some good money, and the creamery cannot do business without the milk.

TONIGHT'S the night. Tomorrow we will have a commercial club and things will begin to hum. The lack of a commercial club has not stopped Brady from growing, but the possession of one will do wonders to make Brady a bigger, better town. Watch our smoke!

OVER at San Angelo a State Bank and a National Bank are scrapping each other through the advertising columns of the town's leading newspaper, and to the man who has been keeping

up with the argument the affair has become quite interesting. If no other good results obtain, the fact that the newspaper is getting some mighty good cash for some mighty big advertising space is sufficient to interest us. Sam Graham and Jeff Montgomery please take notice.

THE STANDARD would be glad to see a large number of Brady and McCulloch county people attend the ex-Confederate reunion at Mobile the latter part of this month. The local camp has called a special meeting for Saturday, the 16th, for the purpose of selecting a route and attending to other details, and the old soldiers are very anxious to have all others interested to meet with them. We wish that every ex-Confederate in the Brady Country could attend this meeting, and that numbers of Sons and Daughters could go with them and help do honor to the fast disappearing ranks of the heroes in gray.

A PLANK in the platform of the new commercial club should read, "For an enlargement of Brady's smokestack district."

### PROMISES TO REFORM.

The Brady Standard accuses us of being a victim of the book-worm and suggests a cure, the chief ingredient of which is a big stout wife. We're not to be blamed for being single. Many are the times we have donned our Sunday clothes, which includes a streaked neck-tie and one or two bright spotted sox, and sallied forth, each and every razor terminating in an inglorious failure. We expect, however, to inaugurate an aggressive matrimonial campaign just as soon as we get a governor elected, and take this method of putting the ladies next.—Rochelle Record.

There is little doubt but that Rochelle is getting all that's coming to her. Any skeptically inclined person will be convinced if they will but stroll over town and note the many improvements and the air of progress to be found on every hand.—Rochelle Record.

Rochelle is peopled with a progressive citizenship, the kind who, if things don't come just right, will get up and go after them. With that class in the majority any town will get "all that is coming to her." Rochelle is all right; she's a good town and going to be better, for she's got a farming country to back her up than which there is no better in the world.

W. H. Gibbons closed a cattle deal Tuesday by which he delivered to Mr. Watson, of Brownwood, 1700 2's, 3's and 4-year-old steers at \$32 per head, or in round numbers \$54,400 for the bunch.—Richland Springs Eye Witness.

The new Case cultivator is going to make many friends. It will pay you to investigate before you buy. Our terms are liberal, our price, well, it has always been right for quality. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Mrs. Mary Jernigan died Sunday at her home in the southeast part of town. The funeral was held Monday at the Brady Cemetery, Rev. Hardison, of the Christian church officiating. Deceased had been a resident of Brady about one year. She leaves eight children all grown.

Refrigerator time, yes, and its Gurney for me. Cleanliness, dryness, low temperature, economy, and durability. Everything that constitutes a good refrigerator. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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Albert Hennersdorf returned Saturday from a business trip to Fort Worth.

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## SOME CURRENT COMMENT

BY J. WALKER GREEN

"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." This is the Golden Rule. The antithesis of this is, "ultima, ratio, regum"; war, the right of might; force in all its phases; force of arms, force of military equipment, force of superior generalship—which means force of superior mental qualities—force of financial strength—dollars; in which the degree of force in one or all of these is always the decisive factor. But while the world, so far, at least, has yielded consent to this law of might, there has always been a class of men of the highest ability and intelligence who have not failed to voice a mighty protest against the moral cowardice of recognizing such a law as a controlling factor in human affairs. That such a law is contradictory to all that is best, noblest and most generous in the human race need not be argued. This being true, the obvious corollary is that the Golden Rule as a law of life—whether as between individuals, towns, cities or nations is not only in harmony with law of God, but awakens and nurses to potential strength the loftiest and most ennobling ideals of mankind. Were it universally practiced by men and governments we might quite safely make a bonfire of all the law books the world has written because broadly interpreted, it covers all law and most of the gospel. Is it not? Then, in the midst of our proud civilization of the twentieth century, would it not be wise to forever renounce our worship at the shrine of selfishness and egotism and become votaries at the altar of Reason, Justice, Brotherhood and the Eternal Right? Too often these days, especially in city building, Truth is reviled and laughed to scorn, crucified and nailed to the cross, but like that other divinity, it will live again, "for God's eternal years are hers." Vain! vain and empty are all the machinations of falsehood, masked though it be in all the habiliments of truth, for ultimately the disguise will be torn away and the horrid front of the snarling beast will be revealed in all its repulsive hideousness.

Brady—I am thankful to be able to say—has never indulged in exaggerated fiction as a boosting asset. Indeed, she has never been tempted, for the truth, well told, will always be more than enough to satisfy the most discriminating judgment as to the wonderful opportunities this country offers. But Brady as the capitol of the whole county and that the upbuilding of all sections of it is as much a part (or should be) of its future labors as the building of the city itself. There should be no jealousy, no rivalry, no envious Cascas in any town of McCulloch county. Our interests, individual, commercial and social, are so amalgamated that any injury to one factor of the body politic injures all. This is axiomatic; it may be broadened to include the state, the United States, Europe and all the wide world. Where man "lives, moves and has his being" for the betterment or uplift of the human race anywhere reflects its beneficence over all the earth and its influence is felt directly or indirectly, in shaping the destinies of all mankind. Analyze this statement for a moment: Of what benefit are the cities of Galveston and Houston to Texas; of what benefit is New Orleans, New York, London, Tokio? Is it necessary that we should board a steamer at Galveston or New York and travel with our cotton or other produce to the marts of London or Tokio to realize the influence these cities exercise to feed and clothe and house our families comfortably? Can we not see as clearly and distinctly, with the "mind's eye" as we would if we actually made the trip across seas,—that if the peoples of Europe and Asia were to retrograde to savagery and nakedness—or the skins of wild-beasts for clothing—Texas; McCulloch county, would feel the effects of it almost within the hour? Is it not just as plain that every advance, progressive step of civilization in Africa, India, China and the Pacific islands will be felt right here in Rochelle? Then how much more important are the correlated business interests of sister towns like Brady and Rochelle. What a pity that any difference should arise to beget resentment, and disturb the unity of purpose and energy that is so necessary to realize upon the hopes of both towns. Now is the time to exercise the precepts of the golden rule; print it on our letter-heads, put it above our office door, LIVE IT. Personally, I don't believe that the routing of the Santa Fe trains over the Frisco rails from Rochelle to Brady would have worked any injury to Brady. There is a reasonable conception even that such an arrangement would have been of considerable advantage. It would have saved the railway management the large con-

struction cost of twelve or fourteen miles and enabled it—had it been appreciative of generous deeds—to build a handsome and commodious depot building with such savings; whereas the insistence that this great cost be incurred will not encourage a friendly mood and may have the effect of persuading the powers that be in Santa Fe councils to give Brady just as little as the law will allow. My grey matter may be inactive and faulty—I may be fat-brained and all that, but I confess that I am absolutely unable to conceive of any advantage to Brady in its insistence upon paralleling the Frisco from Rochelle; such an arrangement will not command any new trade territory; it will not increase shipping facilities in or out; it will have no effect upon rates, because the consent of the Frisco to carry the Santa Fe over its rails from Rochelle to Brady, thence toward Melvin eight or ten miles, proves, if it proves anything, that there is a definite understanding as to rates. Then where is the milk in the cocoanut for Brady? It is not inside the nut sure; it has been cracked and the juice spilled somewhere along the right-of-way. And really this paralleling business is of little moment after all to Rochelle. The town is not hurt financially—that is, from a business view point; the coming of the Santa Fe, through the Hall's Valley and Richland Springs country will deprive the town of a rich business constituency, but that would have occurred anyway, no matter from which direction the Santa Fe entered Brady. So I repeat the town will not be hurt by the parallel line, financially, but it is hurt spiritually—temperamentally—by what they consider an unwarranted exhibition of spleen. I don't believe that Brady had any conscious intention of injuring our sister city and feel perfectly assured that a large majority of her citizens would do anything within reason to promote and foster unfailing prosperity and happiness for everybody in and around Rochelle. I am positive at least that The Standard will corroborate the writer in the assertion that our paper stands for McCulloch county, all of it, every inch of it, and not for one section against any other section, or one town against any other town. You have no doubt read the couplet in Ingomar:

"Two souls with but a single thought,  
Two hearts that beat as one."  
Well there are five of us in the personnel of The Standard so I paraphrase thus:  
"Five souls with but a single thought,  
Five hearts that beat as one."  
For McCulloch county, for the happiness and prosperity of ALL the people in all the county, forever! You bet! Amen! J. W. G.

The old fashioned way of dosing a weak stomach, or stimulating the heart or kidneys is all wrong. Dr. Shoop first pointed out this error. This is why his prescription—Dr. Shoop's Restorative—is directed entirely to the cause of these ailments—the weak inside or controlling nerves. It isn't so difficult, says Dr. Shoop, to strengthen a weak stomach, heart, or kidneys, if one goes at it correctly. Each inside organ has its controlling or inside nerve. When these nerves fail, then those organs will surely falter. These vital truths are leading druggists everywhere to dispense and recommend Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Test it a few days and see! Improvement will quickly and surely follow. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

### The Top of the Market.

Sam Warring sold this week to Jim Callan 200 steers, 2's, at \$30. This beats the record price as reported in the San Angelo Standard of this week, by \$2. Concho county leads in fine stock and in good prices. Elsewhere in this issue will be seen where Mr. Warring sold about 300 head of yearlings at \$20. Mr. Callan purchased these two for a Kansas City party. They will be fed and shipped to market as Kansas steers, but no matter we have good stuff and get good prices for it.—Eden Echo.

Read the pain formula on the box of Pink Pill Tablets. Then ask your Doctor if there is a better one. Pain means congestion—blood pressure somewhere. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets check head pains, womanly pains, pain anywhere. Try one, and see! 20 for 25c. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

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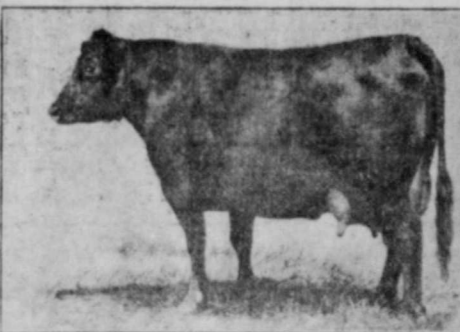
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#### Judge Jones Announces.

Judge J. H. Jones, of Mason county, authorizes The Standard to announce him as a candidate for the legislature from this district, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, July 23. Judge Jones is a prominent man in his county, and was county judge for several years. Judge Jones submits the following statement in connection with his announcement:

Jones Ranch, Mason County, April 8th, 1910.  
To the Democratic Voters of This the 88th Legislative District of Texas:

I have heretofore hesitated to ask the Democratic party of this district to nominate me to the Legislature, but encouraged by an expression of the press, and by many of its substantial, honest and patriotic citizens, I have concluded to ask to be considered as a candidate to the Legislature of Texas from this district, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

Should I be chosen as your representative I shall not be in favor of many new laws, for I believe there are now too many laws without enacting others. I rather think the Legislature should amend, expunge and otherwise improve those now in force.

To develop a great state like Texas successfully there must be concessions, union of effort, and fair dealing, and the laws should be such as to restrain and prohibit unfair dealing, but fair and just to protect legitimate investments, stimulate industry and encourage development.

I favor laws that will improve our system of public education; better the condition of our state educational institutions; tend to the enlargement and betterment of our state elementary institutions; straighten out our penitentiary tanrels.

I think the codes of civil and criminal procedure should be revised and simplified.

I shall try, if elected, to steer clear of personal strife and political factions, be fair to all, honest and conservative.

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#### Water Works Improvements.

The foundation for the big standpipe is being put down this week, and if the structure is to be as big as the foundation indicates it will hold enough water to supply several towns this size. Two cars of the new 8-inch mains have been received and placed along the street leading down from the standpipe. There will be 3000 feet of 8-inch main laid.

General Manager Martin reports the details of the many improvements working out as rapidly as could be expected and satisfactory progress being made.

Any lady reader of this paper will receive, on request, a clever, "No-Drip" coffee strainer coupon privilege from Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. It is silver-plated, very pretty, and positively prevents all dripping of tea or coffee. The Doctor sends it, with his new free book on "Health Coffee" simply to introduce this clever substitute for real coffee. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee is gaining its great popularity because of: first, its exquisite taste and flavor; second, its absolute healthfulness; third, its economy—1 1/2 lb 25c; fourth, its convenience. No tedious 20 to 30 minutes boiling. "Made in a minute" says Dr. Shoop. Try it at your grocer's, for a pleasant surprise. All Grocers.

#### Tillman Lays Out Townsite

E. F. Tillman, the popular live stock agent of the Frisco, has laid out a new townsite on his ranch property between Brady and Menard, and has let the contract for a handsome residence to be erected thereon at once. The new town is 33 miles from Brady and 14 miles from Menard.

Rheumatic poisons are quickly and surely driven out of the blood with Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy—liquid or tablet form. Dr. Shoop's booklet on Rheumatism plainly and interestingly tells just how this is done. Tell some sufferer of this book, or better still, write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wisconsin for the book and free test samples. Send no money. Just join with Dr. Shoop and give some sufferer a pleasant surprise. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

#### Caught a Night Prowler.

The Brownwood Bulletin tells of how B. J. Fitzgerald, the popular Frisco passenger conductor, put the fixin's on a night prowler last Saturday night. Fitz caught sight of the fellow prowling about his premises about 3:00 a. m., and quietly unfastening the window screen he jumped out the window and in "track costume of pure white" started after the man who took to his heels. After a chase of several blocks Fitz caught his man and proceeded to pummel him until he gave in and squalled for quarter. An officer arrived on the scene and the prowler plead guilty next day and was fined for trespassing.

The Frisco boys say Fitz was dreaming about a tramp trying to steal a ride, hence his decisive action.

#### The Sound Sleep of Good Health

The restorative power of sound sleep cannot be over estimated and any ailment that prevents it is a menace to health. J. L. Southers, Eau Claire, Wis., says:—"For a long time I have been unable to sleep soundly nights, because of pains across my back and soreness of my kidneys. My appetite was very poor and my general condition was much run down. I have been taking Foley's Kidney Pills but a short time and now sleep as sound as a rock. I eat and enjoy my meals, and my general condition is greatly improved. I can honestly recommend Foley's Kidney Pills as I know they have cured me." Sold by Jones Drug Co.

The various enumerators for McCulloch county have received their supplies and instructions and the work will begin tomorrow, the 15th. W. D. Cowan and W. A. Hamilton will work Brady, the former having everything north of Commerce street and the latter everything south of the same street.

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I am temporarily located in the Willbanks & Kerr old garage, where I am in position to do all kinds of automobile repairing and rebuilding in the shortest possible time and at reasonable prices. About April 1st, work will begin on the finest automobile garage in West Texas, about which more will be told you later. For the present see me at Willbanks & Kerr's for your auto troubles. Full line of accessories, gasoline, oil and supplies. Will appreciate your patronage.

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| Shrimp.                     | Norway Anchovies.         |
| White-fish.                 | Cervelat Sausage.         |
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#### Over the County News Notes of Interest From Our Country Correspondents

##### LOST CREEK ECHOES.

Voca, Texas, April 10.  
Editor Brady Standard.  
Well, here I come again for a chat with you after several weeks.  
We are having rain, more rain and wetter rain.  
The grass and crops are all growing fine. Some cotton has been planted and planting will begin in earnest as soon as the ground dries.  
What was left of the small grain crop from the late freeze is looking fine and promises a fine yield.  
By the way, we are sure glad to see the name of J. Walker Green appear in The Standard. We sure do appreciate his letters. Would be glad to meet Mr. Green and hereby extend to him a cordial invitation to visit our part of the county.  
T. J. Eubanks, of Hico, is here visiting relatives and taking a layoff from business and recuperating his health. Mr. Eubanks is an old-time citizen of McCulloch county, being present when the county was organized and voted for the present location of Brady city. He says he was one among the first, if not the first, to obtain marriage license in McCulloch county.  
J. P. Lemons, wife and daughter, Mrs. Fannie McEee, in company with Charlie Jackson and family, left one day last week for points in the Panhandle and New Mexico, the former for rest and pleasure, and the latter seeking better health.

A CITIZEN.

There isn't anything that you can take for stomach trouble, indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach and gas on the stomach, better than Kodol. Kodol relieves promptly, it digests all the food that you eat. Try Kodol today on our guarantee. It is pleasant to take. Sold by Central Drug Store.

##### COW CREEK NEWS.

Editor Brady Standard.  
Here we come to tell our news to the paper for the first time. Everything is doing nicely since the rain.  
The young people, of Cow Creek, enjoyed a singing at Mrs. Purdy's Sunday night.  
Al Harrison was very sick with the measles the past week.  
Elisha Carvin has a new buggy.  
Mr. Roberts, from Rochelle, has been visiting in our community.  
Verna Shields has been quite sick for the past month but is now able to go to school.  
Misses Nannie Carvin and Verna Shields are great chums, they say they are going to have a nice time the 14th on Miss Nannie's birthday.  
We will ring off for this time, happy wishes to every one.

CHICAGO KID.

##### PLACID PARAGRAPHS.

Placid, Texas, April 11.  
Editor Brady Standard.  
Since our last writing this section of the county has been blessed with one of the finest rains that has fallen here in nearly twelve months. Grass is springing up fast, the outlook for a full crop this season is very promising.  
The Perry gin company will begin boring for oil about two and a half miles north from Placid, now in a few days. The machinery for this purpose arrived one day last week.  
Bert Hamford, of Mercury, was in our town Saturday working in the interest of the South Texas Lumber Co.  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bell are rejoicing over the arrival of a little girl baby which took up its abode in their home Wednesday morning.  
Miss Olive Jones, of Deep Creek, spent several days the latter part of the week with friends at Placid.  
Rev. Hall filled his regular appointment here Sunday preaching an excellent sermon on the Evils of Our Modern Fashions.  
Clarence Wyatt is reported very ill with the measles at the present writing.  
J. H. Vick made a business trip to Brady Saturday.  
Little Beatrice Moore is on the sick list this week.  
Rev. Dillingham returned home on the morning train Monday from Bangs, he reported that that section was visited by a fine rain Friday night.  
Mrs. J. L. Moore visited Mrs. Tom Bell Monday evening.  
Good luck to The Standard.

BLUE BELL.

That the quality is there is attested by the fact that more farmers use John Deere plows than use any other make on earth. Satterwhite & Martin.

##### SWEDEN ITEMS.

Rochelle, Texas, April 10.  
Editor Standard:  
I don't agree with you in what you wished in your last paper. You wished that Mr. Vierling could make enough broom corn on his land he bought to sweep out the Republican party. There are a good many things in the Republican Party that could be improved but we need the Republican Party in spite of all its faults. We need the tariff which is a protection especially to the farmers and the manufacturers.

##### FIFE FINDINGS.

Fife, Texas, Apr. 11.  
Editor Standard:  
Another fine rain this week has put the farmers in fine spirits and unless something else happens insures a good crop for this year.

Cotton planting is in full blast this week.

Rev. S. C. Collins, of Brownwood, filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

G. A. Rudolph, wife and mother visited with Henry Martin and mother Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Doyle has been very sick the past week but is improving at present. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Jas. Finlay and F. M. Bradley made a business trip to Waldrip Friday.

Dair Baldrige is up again after an attack of the measles.

Mrs. W. A. Neil visited with Mrs. J. R. Williams Sunday.

R. K. Finlay made a business trip to the Gansel ranch Thursday.

Thos. Elliott, the drummer of Brady, was here interviewing our merchants Saturday.

In the trustee election here last week very little interest was taken only 19 votes being cast resulting in the election of J. P. Adams.

H. D. Bradley made a business trip to Brady Wednesday.

Chas. Bratton, the jolly cow buyer of Rochelle, was buying in our community the past week.

Everyone in this neck of the woods is contemplating a big time at the I. O. O. F. picnic and celebration at Lohn on the 26th. The Lohn people never do things by halves and we have all learned it. Go early and avoid the rush.

There is move on foot to erect a tabernacle for church purposes at this place. The Fife people have helped Lohn and Waldrip build their tabernacle and now they have decided they want one themselves and they will get it too as we always get what we go after. X. Y. Z.

##### NINE NUGGETS.

Nine, Texas, April 10.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
While all of us people at Nine are thankful for the fine rains we have had we are sorry that mud caused us to all miss our regular prayer meeting and Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dutton and little son, David, are sick with colds at Mrs. Harkrider's.

Will Allcorn is spending the week with J. F. Stanton, thus avoiding the measles scare. Since our last communication

to The Standard, God has seen fit, in His greater wisdom, to call from our midst one whom we all loved and respected, and while we feel that what is our loss is heaven's gain, we all mourn, never-the-less, the death of Mr. D. Harkrider, Sr. Mrs. Harkrider, who has been dangerously ill, is some better. May God sustain her and the bereaved children and relatives in this, their great loss.

On account of sickness our school closed last Monday, 4th, until the fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, of Sonora, spent Sunday night at Nine on their way to Brady, where Mr. Cooper will ship out some cattle.

Nearly everyone has quite a good deal of planting done in the way of maize, cane and corn, so will have the benefit of these fine rains. ELIZA.

##### BROADMOOR BREEZES.

Broadmoor, Texas, April 10.  
Editor Standard:  
Here comes the "Red Rattler" again.

Everybody from Broadmoor to Salt Gap is wearing smiles over the fine rains. Cotton planting is all the go now, corn is looking fine, and every farmer hereabouts is rushing his teams to the front. All this part of the county needs is a few more settlers to put in more farms. We have the land and it is fine farming land too.

J. I. Peel is wearing a broad smile over that premium mug he drew a few days ago while in Brady.

Business is getting lively on our new road running from Salt Gap to Lohn.

We had our first trustee election at Union Band the first Saturday in this month. J. H. Neel and S. Briggs were elected. If Mr. Neel makes as good a trustee as he has a road overseer we certainly will have no room to kick. He is a man who believes in good roads and good schools. I will ring off for this time.

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HENRY MILLER  
OSCAR LATTA  
SILAS MAYO  
J. C. (JIM) WALL
- For County Judge:  
HARVEY WALKER
- For County Superintendent:  
W. J. GAULT  
J. K. BAZE
- For County Treasurer:  
JOHN RAINBOLT  
H. A. MARTIN
- For Tax Assessor:  
W. G. JOYCE  
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JOHN P. DUKE  
H. S. ESPY  
JEFF D. BENSON  
JACK BEASLEY  
J. A. WATKINS
- For District and County Clerk:  
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Victor graphophones in stock. Various sizes and prices suitable for you. Also Victor records and needles. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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SOCIETY NOTES

MRS. A. G. WALKER, Editor  
PHONE 149

Mesdames C. A. Trigg, John E. Cooke and J. F. Schaege compose the committee from the Mothers Club to confer with the trustees of the public school and arrange with Contractor Ramsay for the re-hanging of the doors at the school building to swing outward. The woodwork will be completed Saturday and if it meets the requirements will be accepted by the committee. The Club did not get to make a complete canvass of the town but expects to do so in the near future as they will have only a small sum left after settling for the door work and they are expecting to place a fire escape by the coming school year. This is a work that everyone should be interested in, and those who have not contributed would confer a favor by sending a contribution in to Mrs. John E. Cooke, secretary of the Club. This would lighten labors of committee and assist in protecting the children.

The ladies of the Baptist church will have a tea pouring at the home of Mrs. C. W. Scott next Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock for the benefit of the church.

The Calvary Circle of the Christian church met on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. John Wall. The Circle not only contemplates strengthening the different departments of co-operative work but add to the social features and create a musical and literary interest among the young members.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurlbut will be the guests of their niece, Mrs. Clarence Trigg, Thursday until Friday to attend the banquet of the Commercial Club of Brady. Mr. Hurlbut is president of the Commercial Club of Brownwood.

Mrs. W. N. White left Tuesday as a delegate from the Tuesday Club to attend the fifth district convention of Federated Clubs of Texas, which will convene at Yoakum on the fourteenth of April continuing over the sixteenth. Mrs. White will visit her sister Miss Hadie Willoughby at Austin, on her trip, and also stop over at San Antonio and have a talk with Cappeni and make special arrangements in regard to the work of Waldine Tauch for the coming year.

The Misses Sammons, Prof. Gibson and Jim Willoughby composed a horseback party Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. Nothing gives more pleasure than to be able to manage a good horse and know the art of graceful riding. An organized club would be a pleasant feature for the young people.

Every family and especially those who reside in the country should be provided at all times with a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. There is no telling when it may be wanted in case of an accident or emergency. It is most excellent in all cases of rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Notice.

A special meeting of Ben McCulloch Camp, U. C. V., will be held on Saturday, 16th inst., at Odd Fellows Hall, at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of selecting route and perfecting arrangements for attendance at Mobile Reunion, April 26, 27 and 28. A full attendance is requested and Sons and Daughters are also invited to be present, as also all persons who may contemplate going. We are promised one day stop-over at New Orleans, going or returning. Let us have a big delegation, from Brady to this grand re-union of the old boys who wore the gray. We are invited to go with the Brownwood camp.

By order,  
S. T. BALLOU, Com'dr,  
L. BALLOU, Adj't.

COMMUNITY TALK

ANY old time you can buy dry goods from the GREAT DAY-LIGHT STORE as cheap, and most times, for less than you would have to pay elsewhere. We will continue this Loom End Sale until Saturday, April 16th, and will absolutely save you from 20 to 50 per cent on your purchases. You are in a notion to buy now, as you have been blessed with a good season and are feeling good, so come where you can get more for your money.

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Regular Size Ladies' Vests, Loom End price, each.....4c  
Best 10-4 Sheetting, this week only.....25c

Best 8-4 Sheetting, this week only.....22c  
Best 25c Men's Talcum Powder for.....15c  
All 43 Davis Hats this week for only.....82.32

Every other thing as cheap in proportion, and no junk to offer

Come and see our line of Boys' Clothing and Men's Odd Pants--these are specials. When we make mention of anything special it means much to you. All solid leather Shoes go this week at reduced prices, and if not solid when worn out we will refund the purchase price.

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MILBURN MIX-UPS.

Milburn, Texas, April 11.  
Editor Standard:

Oh, the rain! The glorious rain! It was the finest we have had in a long time. It put new life into everybody and everything. Planting is the order of the day now, and the farmer is all smiles.

The country is beautiful now. The trees in full leaf, the grass so green, and flowers everywhere.

Our school closed Friday, April 1st. Prof. C. P. Taylor taught a successful term, and we hope he and his pleasant family will decide to remain with us for another term.

BORN--to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McBee, on the 3rd, a boy.

Prof. J. W. Gault, of Placid, was in our town Saturday, shaking hands with old friends.

The families of J. R. Johnson and A. J. Martin will leave this week for Eddy county New Mexico, where they expect to reside in the future. We regret very much to lose them from our community.

We welcome J. Walker Green back to The Standard staff. His writings are fine, and he certainly understands the art of boosting.

Grandpa Jones, Milburn's noted fisherman, went to the river one night last week, and came

in next morning with 26 pounds of nice fish.

Rev. J. B. Jones and Prof. C. P. Taylor have gone to the coast on a prospecting trip.

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Mrs. Cameron has returned to Belton after several weeks visit to her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Cain.

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J. M. Cryer has been very sick but is improving.

Mrs. V. A. White made a business trip to Brady last week.

Mrs. M. A. McAllister fell and broke her arm one day last week, which has caused her a great deal of pain.

Mrs. R. Griffith has been on the sick list, but is some better.

With such fine crop and fruit prospects, we hope to have a successful year.

Who has seen the comet in the east just before daylight?

There is talk of oil here again and we do hope that work will begin soon and it will be developed.

Success to The Standard, the best paper in the county.

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Two newly furnished front rooms, delightful for summer, nice location. Phone 238.

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Brownwood, Texas

Our Clubbing Rates.

Until further notice the following clubbing rates will be in force with The Standard:

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Other clubbing propositions on application. All other clubbing rates heretofore quoted are now void.

Will the party who borrowed Judge F. M. Newman's survey or's chain please return same?

IF SICK--WHY PAY

Unless Health First Returns.

Here is what should and can be done? Now you would not willingly pay for food that was worthless--would you?

Then why pay for medicine until that medicine first proves to you its actual worth? Positively knowing what Dr. Shoop's Restorative can do for the sick, I say to all "don't pay unless health first returns. And I back my Restorative with a signed and sealed 30 day "No Help, No Pay" contract.

I positively pledge to the sick everywhere that "Dr. Shoop's Restorative is absolutely free if it fails". Let others do the same--or else pass their prescriptions by.

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

When the stomach, heart, or kidneys go wrong, then test Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I do not dose the stomach nor stimulate the heart or kidneys, for that is wrong. You see, I cast away that mistaken idea in medicine. The books below will best tell you how I am succeeding.

These books also tell of a tiny hidden "in-gate nerve," no larger than a silken thread. They tell how that nerve, until it fails, actually gives to the heart its power, its tone, its never-ending action or impulse.

These books will open up new and helpful ideas to those who are not well. They tell how the stomach and kidneys each have their "inside" or power nerve. They tell how the Restorative was especially made to reach and revitalize those weak or failing inside nerves. All of these facts tell why I am able to say "It is free if it fails."

This is why I say "take no chance on a medicine whose maker dare not back it just as I do by this remarkable offer".

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

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Besides, you are free to consult me as you would your home physician. My advice and the book below are yours--and without cost.

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### Over the County

News Notes of Interest From Our Country Correspondents

#### LOST CREEK ECHOES.

Voca, Texas, April 10.  
Editor Brady Standard.  
Well, here I come again for a chat with you after several weeks.

We are having rain, more rain and wetter rain.

The grass and crops are all growing fine. Some cotton has been planted and planting will begin in earnest as soon as the ground dries.

What was left of the small grain crop from the late freeze is looking fine and promises a fine yield.

By the way, we are sure glad to see the name of J. Walker Green appear in The Standard. We sure do appreciate his letters. Would be glad to meet Mr. Green and hereby extend to him a cordial invitation to visit our part of the county.

T. J. Eubanks, of Hico, is here visiting relatives and taking a layoff from business and recuperating his health. Mr. Eubanks is an old-time citizen of McCulloch county, being present when the county was organized and voted for the present location of Brady city. He says he was one among the first, if not the first, to obtain marriage license in McCulloch county.

J. F. Lemons, wife and daughter, Mrs. Fannie McBees, in company with Charlie Jackson and family, left one day last week for points in the Panhandle and New Mexico, the former for rest and pleasure, and the latter seeking better health.

A CITIZEN.

There isn't anything that you can take for stomach trouble, indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach and gas on the stomach, better than Kodol. Kodol relieves promptly, it digests all the food that you eat. Try Kodol today on our guarantee. It is pleasant to take. Sold by Central Drug Store.

#### COW CREEK NEWS.

Editor Brady Standard.  
Here we come to tell our news to the paper for the first time. Everything is doing nicely since the rain.

The young people, of Cow Creek, enjoyed a singing at Mrs. Purdy's Sunday night.

Al Harrison was very sick with the measles the past week.

Elisha Cavin has a new buggy.

Mr. Roberts, from Rochelle, has been visiting in our community.

Vernia Shields has been quite sick for the past month but is now able to go to school.

Misses Nannie Cavin and Vernia Shields are great chums, they say they are going to have a nice time the 14th on Miss Nannie's birthday.

We will ring off for this time, happy wishes to every one.

CHICAGO KID.

#### PLACID PARAGRAPHS.

Placid, Texas, April 11.  
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Since our last writing this section of the county has been blessed with one of the finest rains that has fallen here in nearly twelve months. Grass is springing up fast, the outlook for a full crop this season is very promising.

The Perry gin company will begin boring for oil about two and a half miles north from Placid, now in a few days. The machinery for this purpose arrived one day last week.

Bert Hanniford, of Mercury, was in our town Saturday working in the interest of the South Texas Lumber Co. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bell are rejoicing over the arrival of a little girl baby which took up its abode in their home Wednesday morning.

Miss Olive Jones, of Deep Creek, spent several days the latter part of the week with friends at Placid.

Rev. Hall filled his regular appointment here Sunday preaching an excellent sermon on the Evils of Our Modern Fashions.

Clarence Wyatt is reported very ill with the measles at the present writing.

J. H. Viek made a business trip to Brady Saturday.

Little Beatrice Moore is on the sick list this week.

Rev. Dillingham returned home on the morning train Monday from Bangs, he reported that that section was visited by a fine rain Friday night.

Mrs. J. L. Moore visited Mrs. Tom Bell Monday evening.

Good luck to The Standard.

BLUE BELL.

That the quality is there is attested by the fact that more farmers use John Deere plows than use any other make on earth. Satterwhite & Martin.

#### SWEDEN ITEMS.

Rochelle, Texas, April 10.  
Editor Standard:

I don't agree with you in what you wished in your last paper. You wished that Mr. Vierling could make enough broom corn on his land he bought to sweep out the Republican party. There are a good many things in the Republican Party that could be improved but we need the Republican Party in spite of all its faults. We need the tariff which is a protection especially to the farmers and the manufacturers.

#### FIFE FINDINGS.

Fife, Texas, Apr. 11.  
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Another fine rain this week has put the farmers in fine spirits and unless something else happens insures a good crop for this year.

Cotton planting is in full blast this week.

Rev. S. C. Collins, of Brownwood, filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

G. A. Rudolph, wife and mother visited with Henry Martin and mother Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Doyle has been very sick the past week but is improving at present. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Jas. Finlay and F. M. Bradley made a business trip to Waldrip Friday.

Dair Baldridge is up again after an attack of the measles.

Mrs. W. A. Neil visited with Mrs. J. R. Williams Sunday.

R. K. Finlay made a business trip to the Gansel ranch Thursday.

Thos. Elliott, the drummer of Brady, was here interviewing our merchants Saturday.

In the trustee election here last week very little interest was taken only 19 votes being cast resulting in the election of J. P. Adams.

H. D. Bradley made a business trip to Brady Wednesday.

Chas. Bratton, the jolly cow buyer of Rochelle, was buying in our community the past week.

Everyone in this neck of the woods is contemplating a big time at the I. O. O. F. picnic and celebration at Lohn on the 26th. The Lohn people never do things by halves and we have all learned it. Go early and avoid the rush.

There is move on foot to erect a tabernacle for church purposes at this place. The Fife people have helped Lohn and Waldrip build their tabernacle and now they have decided they want one themselves and they will get it too as we always get what we go after. X. Y. Z.

#### NINE NUGGETS.

Nine, Texas, April 10.  
Editor Brady Standard:

While all of we people at Nine are thankful for the fine rains we have had we are sorry that mud caused us to all miss our regular prayer meeting and Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dutton and little son, David, are sick with colds at Mrs. Harkrider's.

Will Allcorn is spending the week with J. F. Stanton, thus avoiding the measles scare.

Since our last communication

to The Standard, God has seen fit, in His greater wisdom, to call from our midst one whom we all loved and respected, and while we feel that what is our loss is heaven's gain, we all mourn, never-the-less, the death of Mr. D. Harkrider, Sr. Mrs. Harkrider, who has been dangerously ill, is some better. May God sustain her and the bereaved children and relatives in this, their great loss.

On account of sickness our school closed last Monday, 4th, until the fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, of Sonora, spent Sunday night at Nine on their way to Brady, where Mr. Cooper will ship out some cattle.

Nearly everyone has quite a good deal of planting done in the way of maize, cane and corn, so will have the benefit of these fine rains. ELIZA.

#### BROADMOOR BREEZES.

Broadmoor, Texas, April 10.  
Editor Standard:

Here comes the "Red Rattler" again.

Everybody from Broadmoor to Salt Gap is wearing smiles over the fine rains. Cotton planting is all the go now, corn is looking fine, and every farmer hereabouts is rushing his teams to the front. All this part of the county needs is a few more settlers to put in more farms. We have the land and it is fine farming land too.

J. I. Peel is wearing a broad smile over that premium mug he drew a few days ago while in Brady.

Business is getting lively on our new road running from Salt Gap to Lohn.

We had our first trustee election at Union Band the first Saturday in this month. J. H. Neel and S. Briggs were elected. If Mr. Neel makes as good a trustee as he has a road overseer we certainly will have no room to kick. He is a man who believes in good roads and good schools. I will ring off for this time.

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The Red Dragon of the sky. Watch the children for spring coughs and colds. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. It is the best and safest prevention and cure for croup where the need is urgent and immediate relief a vital necessity. Contains no opiates or harmful drugs. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

The Brady Land Co. reports the sale by them of 140 acres near Lohn for W. D. Crothers to J. W. Rogers, consideration \$3,850.

Victor graphophones in stock. Various sizes and prices suitable for you. Also Victor records and needles. O. D. Mann & Sons.

A KNOCKER

is a man who can't see good in any person or thing. It's a habit caused by a disordered liver. If you find that you are beginning to see things through blue spectacles, treat your liver to a good cleaning out process with Ballard's Herbine. A sure cure for constipation, dyspepsia, indigestion, sick headache, biliousness, all liver, stomach and bowel troubles. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Howard Broad and Chas. Vincent are both at home in their new residences, two of the handsomest bungalows in Brady.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets assist nature in driving all impurities out of the system, insuring a free and regular condition and restoring the organs of the body to health and strength. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

SOCIETY NOTES

MRS. A. G. WALKER, Editor  
PHONE 149

Mesdames C. A. Trigg, John E. Cooke and J. F. Schaeg compose the committee from the Mothers Club to confer with the trustees of the public school and arrange with Contractor Ramsay for the re-hanging of the doors at the school building to swing outward. The woodwork will be completed Saturday and if it meets the requirements will be accepted by the committee. The Club did not get to make a complete canvass of the town but expects to do so in the near future as they will have only a small sum left after settling for the door work and they are expecting to place a fire escape by the coming school year. This is a work that everyone should be interested in, and those who have not contributed would confer a favor by sending a contribution to Mrs. John E. Cooke, secretary of the Club. This would lighten labors of committee and assist in protecting the children.

The ladies of the Baptist church will have a tea pouring at the home of Mrs. C. W. Scott next Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock for the benefit of the church.

The Calvary Circle of the Christian church met on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock with Mrs. John Wall. The Circle not only contemplates strengthening the different departments of co-operative work but add to the social features and create a musical and literary interest among the young members.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurlbut will be the guests of their niece, Mrs. Clarence Trigg, Thursday until Friday to attend the banquet of the Commercial Club of Brady. Mr. Hurlbut is president of the Commercial Club of Brownwood.

Mrs. W. N. White left Tuesday as a delegate from the Tuesday Club to attend the fifth district convention of Federated Clubs of Texas, which will convene at Yoakum on the fourteenth of April continuing over the sixteenth. Mrs. White will visit her sister Miss Hadie Willoughby at Austin, on her trip, and also stop over at San Antonio and have a talk with Cappeni and make special arrangements in regard to the work of Waldine Taugh for the coming year.

The Misses Sammons, Prof. Gibson and Jim Willoughby composed a horseback party Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. Nothing gives more pleasure than to be able to manage a good horse and know the art of graceful riding. An organized club would be a pleasant feature for the young people.

Every family and especially those who reside in the country should be provided at all times with a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. There is no telling when it may be wanted in case of an accident or emergency. It is most excellent in all cases of rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Notice.

A special meeting of Ben McCulloch Camp, U. C. V., will be held on Saturday, 16th inst., at Odd Fellows Hall, at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of selecting route and perfecting arrangements for attendance at Mobile Reunion, April 26, 27 and 28. A full attendance is requested and Sons and Daughters are also invited to be present, as also all persons who may contemplate going. We are promised one day stop-over at New Orleans, going or returning. Let us have a big delegation from Brady to this grand re-union of the old boys who wore the gray. We are invited to go with the Brownwood camp. By order, S. T. BALLOU, Com'dr, L. BALLOU, Adj.

COMMUNITY TALK

**ANY** old time you can buy dry goods from the **GREAT DAY-LIGHT STORE** as cheap, and most times, for less than you would have to pay elsewhere. We will continue this Loom End Sale until Saturday, April 16th, and will absolutely save you from 20 to 50 per cent on your purchases. You are in a notion to buy now, as you have been blessed with a good season and are feeling good, so come where you can get more for your money.

READ THESE PRICES

Regular Size Ladies' Vests, Loom End price, each ..... 4c  
Best 10-4 Shirting, this week only ..... 25c  
Best 9-4 Shirting, this week only ..... 22c  
Best 25c Men's Talcum Powder for ..... 15c  
All \$3 Davis Hats this week for only ..... \$2.32

Every other thing as cheap in proportion, and no junk to offer

Come and see our line of **Boys' Clothing and Men's Odd Pants**--these are specials. When we make mention of anything special it means much to you. All solid leather **Shoes** go this week at reduced prices, and if not solid when worn out we will refund the purchase price.

**MORE NEW MILLINERY THIS WEEK**--This department grown to something enormous, and we have new arrivals every day. More community talk--Conley's is the place to get the niftiest headwear for the ladies and children. Millinery buying here is easy. City millinery at half city prices.

Head this Way When You Start to Town; It Will Pay You

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The Original Price Cutters of West Texas

MILBURN MIX-UPS.

Milburn, Texas, April 11.  
Editor Standard:  
Oh, the rain! The glorious rain! It was the finest we have had in a long time. It put new life into everybody and everything. Planting is the order of the day now, and the farmer is all smiles.  
The country is beautiful now. The trees in full leaf, the grass so green, and flowers everywhere.  
Our school closed Friday, April 1st. Prof. C. P. Taylor taught a successful term, and we hope he and his pleasant family will decide to remain with us for another term.  
BORN--to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McBee, on the 3rd, a boy.  
Prof. J. W. Gault, of Placid, was in our town Saturday, shaking hands with old friends.  
The families of J. R. Johnson and A. J. Martin will leave this week for Eddy county New Mexico, where they expect to reside in the future. We regret very much to lose them from our community.  
We welcome J. Walker Green back to The Standard staff. His writings are fine, and he certainly understands the art of boosting.

\* Grandpa Jones, Milburn's noted fisherman, went to the river one night last week, and came

**Foley's Orino Laxative**  
For Stomach Trouble, Sluggish Liver and Habitual Constipation.

It cures by aiding all of the digestive organs--gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels--the only way that chronic constipation can be cured. Especially recommended for women and children. Clears blotched complexions. Pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes.

**JONES DRUG CO.**

in next morning with 26 pounds of nice fish.  
Rev. J. B. Jones and Prof. C. P. Taylor have gone to the coast on a prospecting trip.  
Mrs. J. D. Cain has just returned home from a visit to her daughter at Rochelle.  
Mrs. Cameron has returned to Belton after several weeks visit to her daughter, Mrs. C. P. Cain.  
T. J. Hamilton filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.  
J. M. Cryer has been very sick but is improving.  
Mrs. V. A. White made a business trip to Brady last week.  
Mrs. M. A. McAllister fell and broke her arm one day last week, which has caused her a great deal of pain.  
Mrs. R. Griffith has been on the sick list, but is some better.

With such fine crop and fruit prospects, we hope to have a successful year.  
Who has seen the comet in the east just before daylight?  
There is talk of oil here again and we do hope that work will begin soon and it will be developed.  
Success to The Standard, the best paper in the county.  
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To Rent.  
Two newly furnished front rooms, delightful for summer, nice location. Phone 238.

There is no cough medicine so popular as Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to cure coughs, colds, croup and bronchitis. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Furnished lines are our specialty. Central Drug Store "Has It."

For Sale

Jersey Bull, 15-month-old, eligible to registration. St. Lambert strain. Crated F. O. B. Brownwood, \$52.00.  
**J. B. WATTS,**  
Brownwood, Texas

Our Clubbing Rates.

Until further notice the following clubbing rates will be in force with The Standard: Standard and Dallas S-W.  
News, ..... \$1.75  
Standard and Fort Worth Record, ..... \$1.75  
Standard and Farm and Ranch, ..... \$1.50  
Standard and Houston S-W. Post, ..... \$1.75  
Standard and Holland's Magazine, ..... \$1.50  
Other clubbing propositions on application. All other clubbing rates heretofore quoted are now void.  
Will the party who borrowed Judge F. M. Newman's survey or's chain please return same?

IF SICK--WHY PAY

**Unless Health First Returns.**  
Here is what should and can be done!  
Now you would not willingly pay for food that was worthless--would you?  
Then why pay for medicine until that medicine first proves to you its actual worth?  
Positively know when Dr. Shoop's Restorative can do for the sick. I say to all "don't pay unless health first returns". And I back my Restorative with a signed and sealed 30 day "No help, No pay" contract.  
Positively pledge to the sick everywhere that "Dr. Shoop's Restorative is absolutely free if it fails". Let others do the same--or else pass their prescriptions by.  
If you need more strength, more vitality, more vigor or more vim, use my Restorative a few days and note the immediate improvement.  
When the stomach, heart, or kidneys go wrong, then test Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I do not dose the stomach nor stimulate the heart or kidneys, for that is wrong. You say I cast away that mistaken idea in medicine. The books below will best tell you how I am succeeding.  
These books also tell of a tiny hidden "inside nerve," no larger than a silken thread. They tell how that nerve, until it fails, actually gives to the heart its power, its tone, its never-ending action or impulse.  
These books will open up new and helpful ideas to those who are not well. They tell how the stomach, and kidneys reach by their "inside" or power nerves. They tell how the Restorative was especially made to reach and revitalize these weak or failing inside nerves. All of these facts tell why I am able to say, "It is free if it fails."  
This is why I say "take no chances on a medicine whose maker dare not back it just as I do by this remarkable offer".  
So write me today for the order.  
I have appointed honest and responsible druggists in nearly every community to issue my medicines to the sick.  
But write me first for the order.  
All druggists sell Dr. Shoop's Restorative, but all are not authorized to give the 30 day test.  
So drop me a line please--and thus save disappointment and delays. Tell me also which book you need.  
A postal will do.  
Besides, you are free to consult me as you would your home physician. My advice and the book below are yours--and without cost.  
Perhaps a word or two from me will clear up some serious ailment. I have helped thousands upon thousands by my private prescription or personal advice plan. My best effort is surely worth your simple request. So write now while you have it fresh in mind, for tomorrow nerves come. Dr. Shoop, Box 12, Racine, Wis.  
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No. 1 On Dyspepsia No. 4 For Women  
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Only the Best Incorporated

D. W. BOZEMAN, Manager

We sell Agents Sparrow and Ramers Candies

Merwin Dead.

Mr. Merwin died at a Fort in Sunday at 1:00 a. m. wherein he succumbed a sur- queries for cancer of the lung. The remains will ar- rive on today's train and the in- terment will take place in the Brady Cemetery this afternoon.

Mr. Merwin had been in bad health for many months, and specialists had told him that an operation was the only thing that would ever benefit him, holding out grave doubts even that he would be able to successfully undergo that. In company with Mrs. Merwin he went to Fort Worth Sunday. The operation was successful, but the shock to the nervous system was too great and death resulted.

Mr. Merwin had been a citizen of Brady many years and was well known and respected. His close friends affectionately called him "Dad" Merwin, and

the news of his death will be received with regret by people all over the Brady Country. The Standard joins with these friends in extending sympathy to the be- lieved relatives.

For nice styles, good values and dependable buggies, you can't afford to pass us by. Columbus, Studebaker and Staver, and the Hynes for the ranch. O. D. Mann & Sons.

### First Christian Church.

Next Sunday our subject will be "Hebrew History from Solo- mon to the Great Dispersion." The evening subject appeals to all classes. "Modern Amusements" will be discussed in a spirit of fairness and without abuse. Come and worship with us.

D. R. HARDISON, Pastor.

The Gurney refrigerator will cut your ice bill just half. Get ahead of the ice man for once. O. D. Mann & Sons.

## Chance of the Year to Buy WAISTS AND COLLARS

C. B. Watters & Co. have just received a big ship- ment of sample Ladies' Shirt Waists and Collars, bought at half price and they, with all their stock—about 400 in all—will be put on sale for two days

Saturday, April 16 and Monday, April 18

at actual wholesale cost to clean them out quick.

These waists are profusely trimmed with Valenciennes lace, Swiss embroidery, tucks, etc., in many charm- ing ways in novel, beautiful and intricate designs—all new spring and summer styles. Many of them are hand em- broidered.

Here are some of our prices for the two days' only:

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| White Lawn Waists, regular price 75c and 85c, sale price | \$.49 |
| " Lingerie " " " \$1.25 and \$1.35, sale price           | .89   |
| " " " " \$1.75 and \$2.00, " "                           | 1.19  |
| " " " " \$2.50 and \$2.75, " "                           | 1.69  |
| Silk Waists " " \$3.00 and \$3.50, " "                   | 1.99  |
| " " " " \$4.50 and \$5.00, " "                           | 3.49  |

250 Sample Ladies' Collars, latest styles, at half price

Don't forget the dates and place—Saturday, April 16th and Monday, April 15.

## C. B. WATTERS & CO.

The New Style Store

W. SIDE SQUARE

BRADY, TEXAS

## NEW COUNCIL MEETS

Mayor Conley and Other Newly Elected Officers Assume the Reins of the City Government.

The new city council was in session parts of Monday and Tuesday. On Monday nothing was done except to swear in all the new officers.

Tuesday a called meeting was held with the following officers present: Mayor S. A. Conley, Aldermen Reagan, Martin, Schaege, Jones and Baze, Recorder N. G. Lyle, City Marshal Sheridan and City Secretary and Treasurer Richardson. The following business was transacted:

Bond of S. M. Richardson in the sum of \$6000 as treasurer, accepted. Sureties H. P. Jordan, R. A. Rutherford, Jr., J. G. McCall and Jeff F. Montgomery.

Bond of S. M. Richardson as secretary in the sum of \$500 accepted. Sureties, John Rainbolt, J. C. Wall and John E. Cooke.

Bond of Paul Sheridan as city marshal in the sum of \$500 accepted. Sureties, F. M. Richards and J. G. McCall.

Bond of Paul Sheridan as tax assessor and collector in the sum of \$6000 accepted. Sureties, F. M. Richards and J. G. McCall.

Bond of J. W. Matthews as city attorney in the sum of \$500 accepted. Sureties, W. D. Crothers and E. L. Ogden.

Bond of S. A. Conley as mayor in the sum of \$500 accepted. Sureties, A. E. Ballou and A. W. Keller.

Bond of N. G. Lyle as recorder in the sum of \$500 accepted. Sureties, E. E. Polk and C. C. Bumgardner.

A. B. Reagan, was appointed chairman of the committee selected by the old council to confer with the Presbyterian church officials concerning the damage sustained to the building by reason of blasting.

Ex-City Treasurer A. R. Crawford stated that he was not ready to make his final report. The matter was referred to the finance committee.

Motion prevailed that the city recorder and city marshal be called on for a report to the finance committee as to funds coming into their hands since report of Special Auditor Oglesby.

The mayor announced the selection of the following standing committees, which appointments will be ratified at the first regular meeting of the council:

Streets—Jones, Martin, Reagan.

Finance—Baze, Reagan, Jones.

Claims—Reagan, Schaege and Baze.

Taxes—Martin, Schaege, Baze.

Police—Schaege, Jones, Baze.

Fire Department and Water—Reagan, Jones, Baze.

Printing—Jones, Martin and Schaege.

Sanitary—Martin, Baze and Schaege.

Ordinances—Jones, Reagan, Baze.

Cemetery—Schaege, Martin, Jones.

John Deere implements have been on the market more than 70 years, and there never has been one single moment during all those years when a farmer could not buy some other plow for less money than he would pay for a John Deere; and still John Deere plows out-sell all others, and there are more of them in actual use today than all other makes combined. There's a reason:—John Deere plows give the greatest returns on the investment. Satterwhite & Martin.

Two fisticuffs Monday indicates the opening of the spring season.

St. Clair's new studio is the place to get the best photo work ever turned out in Brady.

## Transportation

in discussing the cost of transportation the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association says that, as a rule, the producer pays the freight to the factory or market and the consumer pays the freight from the factory to the point of consumption. Texas has comparatively few factories, and the cost of transportation is, therefore, of paramount importance in fixing the value of our articles of production and consumption. We have four methods of transportation, viz.: Public Highways, Railroads, Waterways and Pipe Lines.

### Public Highways.

We have 121,500 miles of public highways in Texas with only 2,000 miles classed as improved public roads. The average cost of hauling freight over the public highways of Texas is 43 cents per ton per mile.



43 Cents Per Ton Per Mile.

The average cost of hauling freight over the public roads of the United States is 23 cents per ton per mile. As a producer the farmer gets the same price for his products whether hauled over good roads or bad roads, and as a consumer the farmer pays the same price for merchandise whether he hauls it over good roads or bad roads. The farmer receives the benefits of good roads, but pays the penalty of bad roads.

The Texas farmer in 1905 raised 8,000,000 tons of products. It cost approximately \$17,000,000 to haul these products to town. By improving our public highways to the government average we can reduce the cost of transportation one-half and save \$8,000,000 per annum.



Mud Road Tax \$8,000,000 Per Annum.

The Texas farmer pays in State and county taxes, all purposes, \$7,000,000 per annum, which is a million dollars less than the bad roads tax. The money paid to support of government continues to circulate; it is not destroyed. But the tax levied by the bad hole is lost as completely as if it were destroyed by fire.



Fire Losses \$4,000,000.

The fires of Texas last year burned \$4,000,000 worth of property while the bad roads loss was \$8,000,000.

Bad roads cause an unnecessary and useless waste of time and money, increase illiteracy, destroy society and encourage profanity in the community.

### Burglarized Store.

The store of Abney & Vincent was burglarized Saturday night, entrance being effected by breaking a window light in the rear. A number of articles of merchandise were missing. Monday morning Deputy Marshal Holmig arrested Nathan Johnson, a negro who drifted in here two weeks ago with the railroad graders. A search of the premises where Johnson was stopping revealed a portion of the stolen goods, and the negro confessed to having entered the store. He was placed in jail to await the action of the grand jury.

The worthless negroes are getting to be a serious problem to Brady. This black rascal will obtain several months free board and otherwise be an expense to the county, and history will repeat itself over and over as long as this class of negroes are allowed to drift in here.

We have the largest and best assorted line of baseball goods ever shipped to Brady. Get busy, boys, and buy your baseball supplies from Central Drug Store, leading druggists.

Rev. W. A. Knight and wife are at home again after a vacation of several weeks. Bro. Knight spent his vacation at Miles, while Mrs. Knight was visiting in Oklahoma.

In furniture and hardware, as in implements, our lines are the best in quality to be had. We want your trade. Satterwhite & Martin.

Ware's Baby Powder for bad bowels in infants.

## Individuality

IS A POTENT FACTOR in our special showing of charming New Hat Styles. Fashionable Models in which latest achievements in stylish millinery are authoritatively featured. For Dress Wear we exhibit a wonderful array of exclusive colorings and designs. We also show extensively new styles for street wear.

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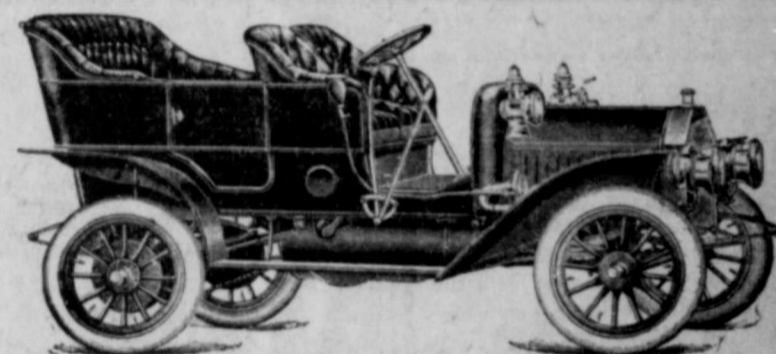
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There's a reason—The BUICK is the best car in the world for good hard service. See us for particulars.

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At Brady Auto Co.

## I. O. O. F. CELEBRATION

The Odd Fellows' will celebrate the 26th of this month at Lohn. All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are cordially invited to attend and take part in the exercises. We expect to have some good speakers for the occasion and dinner on the ground. The night following we expect to organize an Encampment.

Sealed bids will be received until the 20th for use of grounds, cold drink, merry-go-round, etc. Money must accompany bids. The committee retains the right to reject any and all bids. Address all communications to

### J. L. SMITH, Secretary

J. R. HILL, S. M. YOUNG, Committee.

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