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### BRADY POULTRY MARKET IS ENVY OF NEIGHBORS

From time to time have come reports that Brady's poultry market has excited the astonishment and envy of neighbor towns, who marvel at the pace Brady sits in attracting trade from all over and beyond the charmed circle of Brady trade territory. From several hundred miles south of here have come inquiries as to how Brady maintains a direct market with New York City. This inquiry was directed by Dr. J. B. Granville by his brother, who said that San Antonio was hard put to offer anything like inducements to compare with Brady's offerings in the poultry market.

The live-wire citizens of Fredericksburg also see in the Brady market an opportunity which makes them long for a through highway such as will enable them to make deliveries to Brady instead of to San Antonio.

S. J. Striegler and family, who visited home folks in Fredericksburg last week, tell the experience of his father, F. C. Striegler, which is indicative of this fact. The elder Mr. Striegler had some thirty or forty turkeys, of a late hatch, which were too light for the Thanksgiving and Christmas market, and which he at first decided to hold over another year. However, he figured that this would be rather expensive, and so decided to offer them on the Fredericksburg market, where he was quoted 18c per pound. Inquiry developed the fact that the Brady quotation was 22c, so Mr. Striegler decided to load up his turkeys and bring them to Brady. If Brady had a pike road to connect with Mason and Gillespie county pikes, this would not be the only such trip by Mr. Striegler, and in this he would be joined by the great mass of Mason and Gillespie county citizens.

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### BURGLARS AGAIN ACTIVE FOLLOWING PERIOD REST

Following a period of several weeks' quiet, burglars have again begun their activities in Brady. The Model meet market operated by W. C. Wegner, was last night broken into, and the till tapped for some three or four dollars of loose change. Entrance was effected by cutting a hole in the back screen door. From the market, the burglar or burglars entered the Jordan & Wood grocery, using the same method, viz: cutting an opening in the screen door separating the two stores. At the grocery they secured about the same amount of cash as at the market and, in addition, a .25 automatic. Apparently nothing else was disturbed. The holes through which entrance was effected, were small. Footprints were trailed across the west side of the square, but lost in the alley between Commerce and South First streets.

### "BOY HOWDY" WALKER AND "SHORTY" STANTON RESUME CHARGE DRILLING AT D'HANIS

Messrs. Lit Walker and J. W. Stanton, who were in charge of the drilling operations on the Zelle ranch a couple years ago, have again gone to D'Hanis, down in Medina county, where they engaged in oil well drilling operations, and where they have resumed charge of the drilling outfit. The following item is reprinted from the D'Hanis Star of last week:

Mr. C. E. Hoffman of Alameda, Calif., arrived here last week to look after the interests of the California-Medina Oil Co. The machinery is being moved to location about seven miles north of Seco Switch. "Boy Howdy" Walker and "Shorty" Stanton of Brady, Texas, are in active charge of this work.

### TO BREAK GROUND FOR BRADY HOTEL ON NEXT TUESDAY

H. H. Richards yesterday completed the making of his bond as contractor for the new Brady hotel, and immediately began placing orders for material and supplies with the intention of getting construction under way at the earliest possible moment. Mr. Richards leaves tonight for Dallas to place orders for additional building material. If the weather continues favorable, ground will be broken next Tuesday, and actual construction work will be begun at that time.

The rapid progress made since the plans for a new hotel for Brady were first promulgated has been a source of pride and satisfaction to every citizen, and now that actual construction work is soon to be under way, it can be said that Brady has achieved two of the greatest and most beneficial undertakings ever begun here—the first, the securing of an inexhaustible supply of pure water, and the second, the providing of hotel facilities in keeping with Brady's rapid progress cityward.

### JUNIOR BAND TO BE ORGANIZED AND PLANS FOR ORGANIZATION WORKED OUT TONITE

Lester T. Callaway, instructor and manager of Brady band activities, announces that there will be held at the band hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock, a meeting of the Junior Band, now being organized, for the intention of working out the details and making arrangements for rehearsals. Mr. Callaway requests everyone interested in the Junior band to be present, regardless of whether or not they have intentions of taking part in the organization.

The Junior band now has twenty-one members and it is hoped that by the end of the week the band can be strengthened by a dozen or more new members.

Aluminum Pen Points. The Brady Standard office.

### MILLION DOLLAR MOISTURE MAKES McCULLOCH GLAD

McCulloch county's annual Million Dollar moisture got an early start in this good year of 1923, whereat everyone is rejoicing. All points in McCulloch were visited by the downpour which came about 7:00 o'clock Wednesday morning and which appears to have been general over this section. The precipitation in Brady registered a fraction less than nine-tenths of an inch, and all points in the county report an equal amount of precipitation, or better. The rain fell sharply and, coming on top of the slow-falling moisture of a week previous, served to put out considerable stock water, although another heavy rain will be required to fill tanks. Early-morning reports Wednesday were that the Camp San Saba community had had only a light rain, but later reports are that this community also shared in the general precipitation and that the rain extended on far down into Mason county.

It is reported that the rain was splendid all along the line of the Frisco to Fort Worth, passengers on the morning train reporting the furrows on freshly-plowed ground standing full of water.

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### G. R. WHITE PLACES 60,000 ACRES AT DISPOSAL OF C. OF C. FOR SETTLERS

#### McCULLOCH COUNTY FARMS IN GREAT DEMAND BY PROSPECTIVE CITIZENS, AND FARMS HARD TO OBTAIN—OFFER INCLUDES SPLENDID VIRGIN SOIL.

The great demand for land in McCulloch county by prospective citizens has resulted in special effort being put forth by Wm. D. Cargill, secretary of the Brady Chamber of Commerce, to provide suitable farms for those who would locate here. Mr. Cargill has prevailed upon G. R. White, one of Brady's most progressive citizens, and, as well, one of the most prominent ranch and stockmen of this section of Texas, to place at the disposal of the Brady Chamber of Commerce for settlement, 60,000 acres located west and south of Brady. This vast tract of land will be cut up into farms of suitable size and made available at prices which accord with current prices for similar land in this section.

This noteworthy colonization plan offers a unique opportunity to new settlers, who are privileged to select tracts of size and nature to meet their requirements. The fact that this land is well-watered and readily adaptable to farming pur-

poses, is certain to result in a notable influx of new citizens. Already, the publicity given the project through a special article by Hamilton Wright, and which was published in last Sunday's Fort Worth Star-Telegram, has resulted in a flood of inquiries by citizens of other counties and other states who would come to this section of Texas. The article by Mr. Wright sets forth the plan in succinct form, and incidentally the article calls attention to other potential possibilities offered by McCulloch county, such as her artesian belt in the south part of the county, and other resources.

The article by Mr. Wright is as follows:

Brady, Texas, Jan. 27.—The Brady Chamber of Commerce is preparing to put 60,000 acres of ranch lands on the market in proximity to Brady for bona fide settlers, William D. Cargill, secretary of the organization announced today.

The scheme to colonize this land is unique. Cargill, with an eagle eye for country and town development, recently pondered on the question of settlement of great areas of land to the end that the maximum of production and benefit might accrue to the country in which it lies.

**Thinks Plan Good One.**  
G. R. White, a prominent, progressive ranchman, was approached by Cargill and the idea broached. White appreciated the interest of Cargill and believed the plan a good one.

The conference resulted in White allotting 60,000 acres to the Chamber of Commerce for settlement purposes, the sale of which is to be conducted by the Chamber of Commerce beginning May 1, and to continue over

### CITY RECEIVES GOV'T TRUCK FOR STREET SP'KLING

Messrs. B. Simpson and Frank Hurd went to Austin Friday, returning here Sunday with the government truck allotted to the City of Brady for conversion into a street sprinkler. Both gentlemen were highly pleased with the truck received, a Liberty 3-ton truck, and which has been leased by the government to the City of Brady for a total of \$324, which amount covers freight and other incidental charges upon the same. The city proposes to secure and place upon the chassis a regulation sprinkler outfit, which will then become available for use in the city.

The plan of operation has not yet been decided upon, but cost will in all probability be pro-rata among the business men of the city, and, as well, such citizens in the resident district as may desire to have the dust laid in their respective portions of the city. The cost of operation would be limited to the driver's salary, gas and lub, and city water, with sufficient added revenue to provide a sinking fund for necessary repairs and upkeep. One big advantage to be derived from the use of a truck, is that it can be kept going all through the day without rest, as has been necessary with a team, thereby covering much more ground, and covering it more thoroughly than has ever before been possible.

er a period of six months, provided the lands are not sold before the expiration of that period.

The Chamber of Commerce proposes to put the price of the land down to the lowest notch compatible with current land prices, and to make provisions to enable bona fide settlers to pay for the lands on the amortized plan. No effort is to be made to speculate or to exaggerate conditions.

**Water Plentiful.**  
The prospective purchasers are to be shown the land, told what the land may be expected to produce, and shown comparative statements of what contiguous lands are going in the way of "helping on the agricultural dreams of McCulloch county."

The land is described by Cargill as "good raw land, well watered." It is located just west of Brady, beginning about eight miles and going west and south. The farmers of that territory consider the buy as a good one. The country has come into the limelight for its cotton and corn.

Artesian wells are procurable in the south part of the county, which make for possible future irrigation on a scale as extensive as potentially possible in the plains country of Texas.

### NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

Since my last letter the Legislature has been grinding out bills by the hat-full. Most of them are local bills with a few Constitutional amendments and corrections of laws already in force. It seems to be the style down here to see who can introduce the most bills. We have something over five hundred already in and the end is not yet.

The West Texas "Tech" bill was passed Friday by a vote of ninety-nine to twenty. It was amended to provide for the teaching of textile manufacturing and leather tanning and other trades used in manufacturing raw material. The bill calls for a one million dollar appropriation, and is likely to be vetoed by the Governor, as he has said that he will veto everything until we get the money to pay off. I would like to have voted for the "Texas Tech" but we have just so much money, and as we have not yet made any provision to raise any more, somebody is coming out in the hole if we do not do it. There is a bunch here who would spend a hundred million tomorrow if we had it.

There has been some criticism of the Legislature in regards to the textbook matter. I wish to say that we are trying to find out why our Text Book Commission should see fit to taken nearly two million dollars of the children's money to give to any book trust at this time, when the schools are struggling for existence. I expect to vote for every bill that comes before us that will stop the award. I do not favor spending this

money for a new set of books when those we have now are in as good condition as they are. In regard to the Geographies; they have raised the howl that they were not up to date. We have no assurance that Europe's map will not be changed again within the next few months, and I think we will have plenty of time to change our maps of Europe and Asia when they decide on their boundaries. There are a lot of facts (I believe them facts) concerning this book row, that I cannot write about, and I am sure that if those who disagree with us knew as much of this business as we do, they would be satisfied. Even if there is no graft to it, it was at least, inadvisable for the change in books at this time. We sent out inquiries to thirteen hundred superintendents and presidents of boards of the State, inquiring as to whether they were asked if they wanted a change in books. Out of eleven hundred replies only eight favored a change, so we think the folks back home want us to proceed in the quickest way we can to stop the payment of this enormous amount to the book trust.

Our "Bad Check Law" was reported favorable out of the committee on banking last Thursday, and will come up some time this week, unless we run into a snag on the Revenue measures that will be before us.

I am very busy, and may not have time to let you hear from me any more. Everything is dull.

JAS. FINLAY.

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**LIGHTNER COMMENTS.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fields Entertain—Car Cattle Shipped. (Delayed from last week)  
Whiteland, Texas, Jan. 29.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
We had a nice rain Sunday which was needed very much.  
Tom McCloud of near Melvin was in our community the first of the week.  
Ed Hale, Frank Fields and families attended the Stout Jackson show Monday afternoon at Melvin.  
C. Zimmerman and John Morrow were in Brady on business Thursday.  
Mrs. John Gormes was in Brady shopping Monday.  
The young people were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fields Friday night with a party. Quite a large crowd was there, each having a delightful time and are looking forward with pleasure for another party there soon.  
Miss Ethel Locket was the guest of Miss Pauline Gormes Saturday night.  
Miss Betty Morrow and her escort, Mr. Thornbloom, of Brady, were the guests of Miss Ella Lee Morrow Sunday.  
Mrs. J. H. Dunagan of Riverside was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. V. Zimmerman Saturday.  
Clarence Gormes, Jeanne Priest, and Misses Pauline Gormes, Ella Lee Morrow, Ethel Lockhart attended a dance at Mr. Davis' near Whiteland Saturday night.  
Another car of cattle was shipped from here Sunday.  
Ace Turk and family were in Melvin shopping Saturday.  
"FLOWER BELL."

**FREDONIA LOCALS.**  
School Re-Opened Monday After Two Weeks—Flu Caused Closing.  
Fredonia, Texas, Jan. 29.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
The road hands are preparing the road between Fredonia and East Lost Creek slab.  
Quite a lot of moving has taken place here. John Latham moved to the Dan Thomas place, while Mr. Thomas moved to Wagram to take charge of the Wagram store. Mr. Marvin McMillan will move to the Wood residence and Mr. Robt. Saunders will move to the W. C. Ellison residence vacated by Mr. McMillan.  
Elder Burleson of Mercury preached here Sunday morning.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Perry of Cherokee visited several days here the past week.  
The la grippe epidemic is checking since the rain. Practically all the people of this community have been confined to their bed with this disease.  
School opened January 29th, after two weeks' vacation, due to the la-grippe.  
Mr. and Mrs. Corbin of Fort Worth are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morea.  
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**LEDBETTER HAPPENINGS.**  
Brother Smith Fills Appointment—Bro. McKinzie Also Preaches.  
Lohn, Texas, Jan. 30.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
Well, here I come after so long a time with a few items.  
Everyone has been enjoying the rain, but are ready to begin their work, if it only stops raining for a while.  
Most everybody in this community has been on the sick list. Suppose it must be the flu. Hoping everyone will soon recover.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cozart of Trichinosis visited her sister, Mrs. P. C. Clifton Saturday, Sunday and Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Moran and family were visitors at Voca Saturday and Sunday.  
Brother Smith of Melvin filled his regular appointment at Fife Saturday and Sunday, with very good attendance.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Clifton were Brady visitors Friday.  
Douglas Matthews of this community has moved to Menard to make their home.  
Brother McKinzie has been preaching at Red Top this week.  
Miss Mary Plummer and Miss Lola Miller visited Mrs. Killingsworth Saturday afternoon.  
Miss Lucy Purdy was a guest of her brother, Walter Purdy, Saturday.  
"PALS."

**COW CREEK NEWS.**  
Considerable Sickness in Community—Splendid Rain Had.  
Lohn, Texas, Jan. 20.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
We are glad to report a fine rain for our part of the state, something like one and one-half inches, with good indications for more.  
We are also glad to report Mrs. E. W. Woods, who has been real sick for some few days as better.  
Mrs. Young and children were Brady visitors Saturday.  
Miss Mary Plummer, also Miss Lola Miller visited Mrs. Killingsworth Saturday afternoon.  
Miss Lucy Purdy visited her brother and family, Walter Purdy, Saturday.  
Mr. S. B. Turner and L. B. Turner were in Brady Saturday on business.  
Mrs. S. B. Turner visited Mrs. L. B. Turner Friday.  
P. C. Clifton and wife went to Brady Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Moran and family, went to Voca Saturday to visit Mrs. Moran's sisters, Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Williams.  
There is quite a lot of sickness now but glad to say, none serious.  
Well, as news is scarce, will quit.  
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**CALF CREEK NEWS.**  
Report of Snow at Desdemona—Basket Ball Games.  
Brady, Texas, Jan. 31.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
The farmers are all smiles over the good rains we have had. Most all of the farmers have got their land broke and if we have a few more warm days we will have grass for the stock.  
Mrs. E. L. Bridge has returned home from Desdemona, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Walker, who has been very sick with pneumonia. Glad to report she doing lots better.  
Mrs. Bridge says she saw her first snow this winter while she was at Desdemona. Everything was covered white with snow.  
Vernon Harlow who has been quite sick with pneumonia is able to be up and also Mrs. W. R. Duncan who has been quite sick is some better.  
Calf Creek basket ball teams went over to Rochelle last Saturday afternoon and the girls defeated the Rochelle girls 18 to 10; the Rochelle boys beat the Calf Creek boys 25 to 0.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clint Spivey of Lampasas spent Sunday night at the Bridge home. Mr. Spivey reports having a good gain, lots better than we have had.  
Well, as news is scarce, I will step to one side and give space for a better writer.

**LOST CREEK ECHOES.**  
Marvin Burns Buys Old J. J. Armor Place—Wonderful Rains.  
Voca, Texas, Jan. 31.  
Editor Brady Standard:  
The fine rain of last week put an end to the several weeks' drouth and put a fine season in the ground. Land that was breaking hard and dry is now turning good.  
Quite a lot of our farmers were waiting for a rain to start to breaking their land, but all are now busy at work.  
The mild winter and good moisture is causing the winter weeds to grow fast. It looks like we will soon have fine grazing for stock.  
While lots of people have had the flu close around, this community has so far escaped the dreadful disease.  
Marvin Burns has bought the 900-acre tract of land, known as the J. J. Armor place from Marvin McMillan and is now building a neat five-room bungalow residence which he will occupy as soon as completed. He has already stocked the place with sheep.  
This writer appreciates the news from the State Capitol by Rep. James Finlay, published in The Standard. Give us the news often, James.  
Jay Cochran, one of the school boys here who had the misfortune of getting one of his arms broken recently playing basket ball is getting along fine and will soon be in school again.  
This letter was written Tuesday the 30th, but I did not get it to the office and this Wednesday it has been raining all day. We are getting the finest rain ever. Sure is putting the water in the ground.  
"A CITIZEN."

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**Curiosity Killed the Cat.**  
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Eversharp Checking Pencils—big colored leads—red, green, black. The Brady Standard.

**POINTED PARAGRAPHS.**  
Chinamen are engage in capturing large sea turtles which abound on the western coast of Mexico. The meat of these turtles is dried and shipped to China where it finds a ready sale.  
Three-quarters of the mineral-bearing area of Alaska has never had a prospector's pick in it.  
Kentucky has another world wonder in Onyx Cave, near Mammoth Cave. The caverns are close together and it is possible to include both in the same trip. Mammoth Cave has for more than a century attracted tourists from all over the world.  
For the first time in history a woman, Mrs. Annie L. Swynnerton, a painter, has been elected an associate of the Royal Academy of England.  
A new cable-way among the clouds is being built up Mont Blanc. Passengers will be transported in 90 minutes from summer heat to frigid cold while snow and ice avalanches crash harmlessly by, hundreds of feet beneath the suspended cable cars. Each car will seat 20 persons.  
The undergraduates of Wesleyan University have voted to abstain from drinking rum while the college is in session. First offenders will be ineligible for sports or student office. Second offenders will be expelled or suspended. The action outlined above was not taken as the result of any outbreak of drinking at the college but as a further step in self-government.  
Leper patients on the island of Molokai, anticipating release on parole or full discharge as a result of the Chaulmoogra oil treatment are asking permission to take up land on the island adjacent to the leper colony.  
Radio broadcasting is becoming popular in Australia. To operate a receiving set, crystal only, it is necessary to obtain a license costing about \$5. Permits for transmitting are rarely issued to individuals and there are only about 12 transmitting stations in the whole country.

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Trichinosis, a disease caused by eating imperfectly cooked pork in which the trichina parasite is lodged, may be prevented if the pork is cooked thoroughly.  
Western music is becoming fashionable in Japan and a study of the piano is now considered a necessary part of the education of a native girl. The playing of the "samisen" and the "Koto," the national harp, has not been abandoned, but the younger generation is taking to foreign instruments.  
A bill prohibiting girls and women from cutting the hair so that it does not fall below the shoulders is to be introduced to the legislature of Hawaii.  
All contributors of \$100 or more to the campaign fund of Senator Geo. Wharton Pepper, of Pennsylvania, will receive a refund of 10 per cent as the entire sum of money contributed was not spent.

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**CONGRESSMAN THOS. L. BLANTON REPORTS WINNING FIGHT AGAINST STATIONERY ROOM**

The Standard is in receipt of the following letter from Congressman Thomas L. Blanton in regard to his fight against permitting members of the House to use their allowance for the purchase of stationery to be used in the purchase of general merchandise from the House Stationery room. Mr. Blanton's letter, written at Washington, D. C., under date of January 22nd, is as follows:

"Truth crushed to earth will rise again." You will remember my fights against permitting the House Stationery Room to sell general merchandise to Members; also my contention that the House Restaurant was run at a loss paid for by the people, which should stop. Protected by the law, which allowed no recourse against him in court or otherwise, Mr. Garner said that I was lying on Congressmen. Time has vindicated me.

I am enclosing you yesterday's Record. On page 2144 you will see that the House Restaurant, above all income, costs the people \$36,000 loss annually. Wages for the cooks, waiters and restaurant helpers alone costs \$3,874 per month. Congressman Ireland, who has it in charge, admitted (see page 2145) that each month: the restaurant laundry costs \$300, broken glassware \$300, dishes \$50, and that there has been carried away much linen, china, glassware and silverware, including 150 dozen linen napkins that cost the Government \$7 per dozen, and ten dozen linen table cloths.

My fights on the Stationery Room have gathered strength. My sacrifice was not in vain. Others have seen the justice of my position. On page 2156 you will note that Mr. Wingo yesterday offered an amendment providing that:

"No part of the sums herein appropriated shall be used for the purpose of purchasing by or through the stationery rooms other articles than stationery and office supplies essential and necessary, etc."

At that time his amendment failed, and though I tried to get a teller-vote, not enough members would rise to require it. But when the House met today, Mr. Wingo forced a vote on his amendment through a motion to recommit the bill, and the proposition passed by a vote of 33 ayes to only 3 noes. On page 2156 you will note that Mr. Wingo concerning it said:

"It provides that they cannot use public funds for the purchase or procuring through the stationery room of articles other than stationery and office supplies. In every campaign you have to go through the nauseating experience of having a detailed statement of the ridiculous things that are procured through the stationery

rooms of the respective houses. It is not necessary for members, and I think that we ought to stop the practice."

My sacrifice was not in vain. Reporting upon Mr. Wingo's measure, the Washington Evening Star, says, in its issue of January 22nd: "The miniature department store in the House office building, through which members heretofore were able to buy poker chips and almost anything they wanted out of the allotment for stationery, went on the rocks today."

"Before passing the legislature appropriation bill the House adopted an amendment by Representative Wingo, democrat, Arkansas, which stipulated that a member should get through the little store, at government expense, only paper and articles needed for the proper conduct of his office. The bill also was changed, under the Wingo amendment, to prevent use of government money for keeping a member's motor car out of the wet."

"Mr. Wingo declared the activities of the store had been brought up in every campaign, and others recalled the report that a member's wife had sent her shoes there to be patched out of her husband's stationery account, while another had ordered a ton of coal. In a recent debate in the House it was charged that pocket liquor flasks were sold under the same roof that covers the offices of the men who made the country dry."

**THINGS TO THINK ABOUT.**

If we have this Coue idea right—when things look dark one simply makes light of them.—Lincoln Star. Canned beef found in the tomb of Tutankhamun in Egypt. And is that what killed the old chap?—Omaha World-Herald.

About all St. Peter need know about you is the number of times you have had to hire a lawyer.—St. Joseph News Press.

Getting coal this winter has been a matter of long waits for the big consumers and short weights for the small.—Boston Herald.

"I've often wondered," said the man in the barber shop, "what some men are saving their common sense for."—Des Moines Tribune.

It will be mildly interesting to note whether Percy Stickney Grant will act in harmony with his first, or his middle, or his last name.—Columbia State.

A Russian armored cruiser named Trotsky has sunk in the Black Sea. It is hard to float a ship or an international loan with that name.—Seattle Times.

January is the month of Janus, god of doors. We would not mind that if it were not also the month of a collector at every one of them.—Tacoma Ledger.

The dogs of war are bloodhounds.—Greenville Piedmont. They are starting the new fire in the Near East with kerosene.—Seattle Times.

Thank goodness automobiles do not need any subsidy.—New York Tribune.

What the country needs is more railroading and less railriding.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Another simple task in bookkeeping is keeping the credit side of the ledger after the war.—Detroit News.

One of the Congressmen points out that a great part of our country has been settled by immigrants. He fails to make mention, however, of the parts that have been unsettled by them.—Manila Bulletin.

**PUBLIC FORUM.**  
**Building Better Roads or Highways.**  
Voca, Texas, Jan. 27.  
Editor Brady Standard:

I have seen, a few weeks ago, that you would give space in The Standard to anyone; in fact, you invited all who would give their views as to what they thought was the best method or plan, as they saw it, which would equalize the burden of taxation for a system by which all could agree upon (or at least the majority) building better roads or highways. There are but two ways by which money can be raised for road building, or for any other public enterprise, and the one is by voting bonds and the other is by taxation. We have tried several times to vote bonds in this county for road building, which takes a two-thirds majority vote to get an issue through. Well, the bond issue is one way by which the burden of taxation is equalized. But when we vote a bond we bind ourselves and not only ourselves but our children for a long period of time—say twenty or forty years, and the road is built and worn out and still the bond is on us and the interest is still being counted and drawn. So I for one, for these reasons, do not like the bonds. And for these reasons I would prefer a special tax so then I will, as best I can, set forth my plan of procedure under the plan of taxation. For an illustration, I will say, take the Brady-Fredonia road, starting from the Mason county line, a distance of about twelve miles to the line of precinct No. 1, leaving out Camp San Saba voting precinct. Let all the people this side of Brady voting precinct and Camp San Saba that would include Voca, Lost Creek and Mt. Tabor voting precincts, let them estimate the cost of building this twelve miles of road, and divide it in four or five or six equal payments, or years, and each year build a permanent road as far as the taxes or the money in its equals or years will build, and let the regular road funds go to keep up the rest of the roads in this district, while years of road building is in progress and at the end of the five years or whatever it may be, the roads will be finished and paid for, and this pay-as-you-go a plan that I like.

But some one will say, we are already paying the limit as a road tax and under the law can not vote any more taxes for roads. I do not know the points of law in regard to voting a special road tax. But it seems to me that there should be some way to fix that, if the people are willing to pay the tax.

D. H. HENDERSON.

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**The Still Small Voice**

When the son of a millionaire can shoot to death an American sailor boy and walk out of court without even the formality of a trial—when the mother of his victim must stand outside the court and, as she weeps in vain, see the man who killed her son drive to his luxurious home in a high-powered motor car, telling his wife he "is so happy," it is time this country revamped its method of administering the law, or at least establish some form of recall that would enable the people to drive from both bench and bar those who maladminister a sacred trust.

Walter S. Ward, of Westchester County, New York, son of the millionaire bread king, shoots to death Clarence Peters, formerly a sailor boy in the U. S. Navy. The police, hot on the trail, get dangerously near to solving the crime. Then the young slayer gives himself up and confesses the cowardly assassination. Ordinarily, such a menace to society would be locked up, tried for murder, sent to the electric chair, to prison for life, or acquitted according to the facts developed. But this was not an ordinary murder. There were millions ready to save the young man from even the shadow of the chair. Father with his influence and untold wealth got into action. Forty thousand lines of bread advertising were placed with every influential newspaper in New York City. Soon the slayer son was turned loose without even the semblance of a trial.

The mother of the murdered boy? The voice of the mother was the still, small voice; so still, so small, that she cried as in the wilderness.

It will be to the eternal shame of America if the plea of this unhappy mother is drowned by the clink of gold. Governor Smith, of New York, has promised a new investigation. Every mother in America should write a letter to the governor of the great state of New York demanding that the investigation be searching, at least that it be more thoroughly undertaken than the travesty on justice that set free the gilded assassin.

**Dame Nature Teaches Farming**

The silent but irresistible forces of nature have brought the comforts of man to their present standard and in all probability eventually will compel the application of a higher science to food production. The old-fashioned farmer may resist to the last "your new-fangled notions" but Dame Nature will have her way despite the reactionary tendency.

The time is now at hand when the farmer must solve the problem of the insect. The Agricultural Department has done much to help, but in all likelihood the farmer must work out his own salvation. The Hessian fly could not exist were it not for the growing of wheat, barley and rye; the Colorado beetle would run back to his native weeds were not potato crops supplied to him as food. The boll weevil could not exist where cotton is not grown.

There are few insects that have several food plants, though some may live a little time on any vegetation, but the habits and customs of the pests would indicate that though they are so numerous, it is impossible for the farmer to cope with them individually, their ill effects can be greatly overcome by a thoughtful system of crop rotation. Not all insects can be controlled in this way, but many of them can. Seemingly, once more, natural compulsion is going to give us more scientific farming.

Traces of petroleum found in the Philippines. No; the islands are not ready for independence yet.—Omaha World-Herald.

Judging by some of the men said to have been stung by it, the presidential bee is often a humbug.—Washington Post.

Maybe we'd do a little better in this country if all our statesmen were not so busy reforming Europe.—New York Tribune.

**Punchettes**



**DEBAUCHERY PREVENTABLE**

SOMEONE has said that the mother of debauchery is not joy, but joylessness.

If that is true, then you have a reason for the debauchery that has soaked the world in blood and death.

There is no joy in sordid materialism.

There is no joy in extreme selfishness.

There is no joy in loose passion, greed, and gluttony.

There is no joy in materialism, murder, war, disaster.

The real joy that feeds the soul is the joy that comes from the spiritual things and from the spiritual conception of things, and, from participation in the spiritual things of life.

Therefore, if materialism has produced debauchery, if the joyless life has resulted in the drunken debauch to drown the monotony and to awaken the sleeping cords of happiness, then let the people understand that they can come away from that deadly monotony.

He who eats of the material food will hunger. He who eats of that Bread which cannot be provided by the world never hungers, and he is never cursed with a joyless moment or with a dull, monotonous hour.

He has happiness that cannot be purchased, and he has pleasure continuously.

The debauchery of life can be prevented by the spiritual power and food that come with the salvation furnished by Christ.

**Chickens! Chickens! Chickens!**

We will load another car of chickens the first of next week.

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# THE BRADY STANDARD

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BRADY, TEXAS, Feb. 2, 1923.

## HONEST INJUN.

Like unto the parable of the workers in the vineyard, those who paid their poll tax at the eleventh hour are just as good voters and entitled to the same privileges as those who paid when the New Year had just dawned.

### THE PUBLIC VOICE.

The Standard editor is pleased to note that various of our readers are availing themselves of the opportunity to give expression through the "Public Forum" column to their opinions upon matters of public interest. As has been stated numbers of times, The Standard freely opens this column to its readers. The only restriction is that articles be limited to not exceeding 500 words, that personal abuse be absolutely eliminated, that articles tending to make for religious dissension be barred, and, finally, and most important of all, that each article be signed by the true name of the writer. Anonymous articles will invariably be consigned to the waste basket. This for the reason that each writer must assume responsibility for the thoughts he expresses, and which may, or may not, be in accord with the views of this editor.

To put the matter plainly, the editor expresses his thoughts and opinions through his editorial column, but does not necessarily endorse or approve the ideas expressed by contributors to the columns of The Standard.

### MILLIONS IN MOISTURE.

"What kind of a rain do you call this," The Standard editor was asked dozens of times Wednesday morning, and we unhesitatingly replied, "A 'Million Dollar Rain', as sure as you were born." We have yet to hear a denial.

Those millions of drops of rain have their counterpart in the millions of miles of smiles everywhere in the McCulloch country. For now we have water, water everywhere, and many a drop (of water) to drink!

Hadn't had a doctor in one hundred years is the enviable record of a Lampasas man, 110 years young. Most of us would be satisfied if we could lay claim to one-tenth as good a record.

It is very likely that the present legislature will enact a "Bad Check" law, with teeth in it. This is as it should be. The man who gives a "dry" or "hot" check is pretty close kin to the man who knowingly passes counterfeit money.

There is something rather pathetic in the news item emanating from St. Louis, and which states that 40%

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## POULTRY IN M'COLLOCH COUNTY

Poultry will be the Moses that will lead McCulloch County out of the Wilderness, and the sooner we take advantage of climate and other conditions here, and get into the poultry business right, the better we will be.

Petaluma, Sonoma County, California, has an investment in poultry that amounts to \$21,000,000.00, their income from poultry being \$15,000,000.00 annually, against our \$2,000,000 from cotton. They get seven and a half times as much from their poultry as we do from cotton, and their county is not near as large as McCulloch county.

How many farmers get rich from cotton? NONE! Yet we make a fuss about the cotton crop and we miss good cotton crops frequently, while with poultry, the laying kind (not mongrels) money comes in the year around regardless of drouths or other hazards. A hen that will lay 180 eggs a year will bring its owner about \$4.50 gross, and if you were very extravagant you couldn't feed her more than two dollars worth of feed, while the real poultry man will get by with a cost of 95c per hen per year. Suppose you had two thousand hens that would average 180 eggs per year per hen, it would mean a gross income of \$9,000.00 per year from eggs; allow \$200.00 per month for feed, you would still have \$6500.00 in the clear. What two hundred-acre cotton farm is going to give you that much money? And you know that a cotton farm means hard work, while the chicken business requires steady work, it is not the back-breaking kind like cotton requires.

Many people have become millionaires in the poultry business, but few farmers ever made much out of cotton. Why not try poultry—the Chamber of Commerce is willing to help you get started.

One common mistake about the poultry business, is that many people think that they must sell breeding eggs at \$1.50 per setting or they will not make money. Now the easiest money in the poultry business is the egg business, that is, selling eggs at the market price, infertile eggs; a man who has an egg farm and does not have to feed a bunch of roosters is reducing the cost of operation and will make more money than the breeder does. The breeder has to tie up a lot of money in roosters, incubators, and then the feed bill for the roosters during the year amounts to big money. Now the best way is to buy Baby Chicks and not try to breed your own chicks; and another reason for that is that the reliable hatchery can furnish you chicks with guaranteed records, while if you try to do your own breeding, you may hatch off any kind of a chicken and, at least, you are not improving your chickens.

In addition to being the most profitable, the egg business is so much easier than the breeding business for you are not tied at home so closely. Let's start one hundred poultry farms in this county this year; easy work and easy money. Three essentials in the poultry business: proper housing, proper sanitation and proper feeding. Follow these essentials and you will not be bothered with any poultry disease or insect.

The Brady Chamber of Commerce has gotten in touch with a few reliable dealers in Baby Chicks, and will assist anyone in getting their start. The County Agent and the County Home Demonstrator, both experts in the poultry business, will give you information in regard to the three essentials of the poultry industry. Call on us and we will assist you.

BRADY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

of over 5,000 school children, when questioned, had never seen a sheep, 17% had never seen a mule and 12% had never seen a cow. Compared with New York City and northern and eastern metropolises, St. Louis has rather appeared in the light of a rural city; yet within her confines are hundreds of children who know nothing of the most common of domesticated animals, other than what they see and learn from books. "See America First" should become an ever-increasingly popular slogan.

### R. K. FINLAY QUALIFIES FOR MEMBERSHIP IN RADIO TRUTH SOCIETY BY NEW EXPERIENCE

Brady radio enthusiasts are contemplating making application to the Radio Truth society of Fort Worth Star-Telegram in behalf of R. K. Finlay, Sr., Fife's original radio bug. Friend Finlay brought the most remarkable radio story of the year to Brady last Saturday, and not only vouches for the truth of the experience but has available witnesses to prove the facts in the case. Mr. Finlay relates that last week while tuning up for a concert program, he plainly overheard a telephone conversation between J. M. Young, superintendent of the Fife school, and parties at Pear Valley, with whom Mr. Young was attempting to arrange a basket ball game. So astounded was Mr. Finlay that he called his son who verified the fact that it was an actual telephone conversation they overheard. They then called Mr. Young on the phone and repeated his conversation to him, much to his astonishment.

The experience evidently is a rare one, as no other radio fan has been known to duplicate the feat. Mr. Finlay has one of the best radio sets in the county and derives much pleasure from the many programs broadcasted from all corners of U. S. and with which he has been enabled to tune in.

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Postal Scales. Brady Standard.

## GUS NOYES, PIONEER SETTLER, DIES IN FLORIDA

Gus Noyes, pioneer settler, and one of the best-known, as well as extensive land-holders in this section, passed away Tuesday at his home in Orlando, Florida. The sad news was contained in a message received by G. W. Scott, manager of the Noyes & Co. store at Melvin. A letter received Monday by Mr. Noyes told of Mr. Noyes' serious illness with pneumonia. Mr. Noyes was about 70 years of age, at the time of death. Surviving are his widow and one daughter, Miss Aileen, both of whom were at his bedside when the end came.

Gus Noyes was one of the early-day settlers in Menard county, and was one of the pioneers in the move to irrigate the Menard valley. After residing in Menard county for a number of years, Mr. Noyes took up his residence in Ballinger. He became one of the extensive land-holders of West Texas, and among other holdings, acquired a large ranch in the Melvin section. In 1909 he acquired the Duke Marsden store at Melvin, which he operated continuously since under the name of Noyes & Co., with G. W. Scott as manager.

Six years ago Mr. Noyes only son was killed in a fall from his horse, and which resulted in a fracture of the skull which caused his death at the local sanitarium. As a memorial to this son, whose body lies in the Melvin cemetery, Mr. Noyes had erected in Ballinger a life-size bronze monument, representing his son on horseback, the famous sculptor, Coppini, executing the work.

A few years ago, Mr. Noyes moved with his family to Florida, where he purchased a ranch, and where he had engaged in stock farming since. News of his death was received here with genuine regret, and the sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved family.

### To Cure a Cold in One Day

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## IN RELIGIOUS CIRCLES

Presbyterian Church.  
The usual services will be held Sunday, February 4, both morning and evening. Everyone invited to come and worship with us.  
S. H. JONES, Pastor.

### League Program for Sunday, Feb. 4.

Leader: Ethel Bates.  
Opening song—No. 102.  
Responsive Scripture—342.  
Prayer—Sentence Prayers—Closing with Lord's Prayer.  
Bible Story, "Joseph"—Arvie Wegner.  
Piano Solo—Florence Bates.  
Review of Conferences—Bro. Browning.  
Song—No. 9.  
"How Young People Can Be Useful in the Church"—Leslie Lee Erickson.  
Roll Call and Enlistment of New Members.  
Song—No. 7.  
Benediction.

### Intermediate B. Y. P. U.

Program for Sunday, Feb. 4, 4:30 p. m.  
Song.  
Prayer.  
Scripture reading, Psalms 106:7-12—Marjorie Cottrell.  
Subject: "The March Through the Red Sea."  
Introduction—Marjorie Cottrell.  
"The Tenth Plague"—Lydia Mae Blount.  
Introduction—Marjorie Cottrell.  
"The Israelites Leave Egypt"—

Fred Pool.  
"Pharaoh Decides to Bring His Slaves Back"—Opal Mitchell.  
"The Israelites Lack Faith"—Euna Mae Rogers.  
"God Saves His People"—Harvey Smith.  
"God Destroys Their Enemies"—Barney McCoy.  
Song.  
Prayer.

### The Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9:45, J. W. Townsend, superintendent.  
Our Sunday school has made rapid and splendid growth in the past few months, and an enthusiastic interest is manifested in all departments of the school.

The pastor will preach at the eleven o'clock hour Sunday morning. He is anxious to have a full representation at that time, as an important matter will come up pertaining to the new church house.

Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3:15, Mrs. Earl Pate, leader.  
Intermediate B. Y. P. U. at 4:30, Mrs. D. Branscum, leader.

A Senior Union will be organized at 6:15. All young people between ages of 17 to 95 are invited to be present and go into this organization.

Evening preaching service at 7:15. Every Monday afternoon at four o'clock the pastor will teach a ladies Bible class under the auspices of the W. M. U. The public is invited to attend these lectures.

BUREN SPARKS, Pastor.

At the Methodist Church.  
Sunday school is growing. A good

increase last Sunday. There are many people in Brady who should be in Sunday school. We shall look for some of them next Sunday. We begin at 9:45. Let the basement children meet in the basement for their opening exercises.

Preaching at 11 by Dr. Horace Bishop, of the Central Texas Conference. Dr. Bishop will probably preach at night. Come out and hear this beloved preacher.

Epworth League at 6:30. The League is taking on new life and they want all the young people to be with them in these services.

The second quarterly conference for this church will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:00. The stewards, the trustees, the Sunday school superintendent, the presidents of the League and the Missionary society and the Charge Lay leader are members of the conference. Besides these, the public is invited.

C. L. BROWNING, Pastor.

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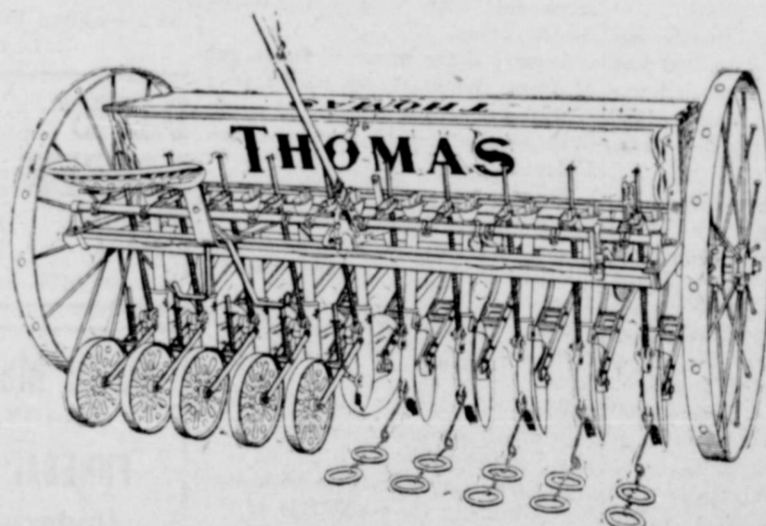
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### Friday Forty-Two Club.

Mrs. H. R. Hodges entertained Thursday with a night party for the Friday Forty-Two club, five tables being set for "42," which provided the diversion for the occasion.

Violets were used in effective decoration by the hostess.

Following the series of games, a salad course was served members present as follows: Messrs. and Mesdames Edd Broad, O. F. Bates, A. B. Cox, Mrs. W. J. Day, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Lyle, Jr., F. M. Richards, J. E. Shropshire; Mrs. W. J. Day; and guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall; Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Tipton; Misses Elizabeth Cunningham, Ruby Granger.

### Bridge Club.

The Bridge club was entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Sam McCollum, with members present as follows: Mesdames W. D. Crothers, G. V. Gansel, R. W. Turner, J. G. McCall, Dimmitt Wood, Jack Ragsdale; Miss Lucille Benham. Guests were Mesdames J. S. Anderson, H. M. Brannum; Miss Erin Yantis.

Following the usual series of games the hostess served refreshments consisting of a salad course and candy.

Mrs. H. B. Oglen entertains for the club on Thursday afternoon of next week.

### Five Hundred Club.

Mrs. G. C. Kirk entertained last Friday with a night party for the Five Hundred club, the gentlemen being guests of honor. A series of "500" at four tables furnished the evening's diversion, Mrs. B. L. Malone receiving high score and ladies' prize, and Dr. J. S. Anderson receiving the gentlemen's prize.

The hostess served a salad course.

Attending were club members as follows: Drs. and Mesdames J. S. Anderson, H. W. Lindley; Messrs. and Mesdames C. T. White, Herbert L. Wood, P. B. Melton; Mesdames Ed Campbell, B. L. Malone, J. G. McCall;

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Mr. G. R. White. Club guests were Mesdames Sam McCollum and H. M. Brannum.

Mrs. Anderson entertains this afternoon for the club.

### CHORAL CLUB ORGANIZED HERE WITH TWENTY MEMBERS—MISS RAY, BROWNWOOD, INSTRUCTOR

Through the efforts of the Brady Music club, a Choral club was organized here last week with an initial membership of twenty. The new club is enthusiastic over their program of study, and promises to round out in shape to make a public appearance in the no-distant future. Miss Jewell Ray, a talented vocalist of Brownwood, will instruct the choral club. Miss Ray has for some time been making visits to Brady for the purpose of instructing a class in voice, using Miss Pinkie Jones studio on Wednesdays of each week. She is a graduate of Howard Payne college in Voice and Literary, and also studied last year in New York City. Last Monday, in company with her sister, also a splendid vocalist, Miss Ray sang for the radio broadcasting station at Fort Worth, their number being one of the most enjoyable of the program offered.

### COURT YARD TO BE CENTRAL ATTRACTION OF "CITY BEAUTIFUL MOVEMENT" IN BRADY

As is fitting, the McCulloch court yard is to be made the central attraction in the "City Beautiful" movement, originated last year by the Brady Civic league. Initial work was begun a week ago by Ab Oldham, who set out the rows of violets which will form a border to the lateral walks running in the four directions from the court house entrances. Arbor vitas have been set out in the star-shaped flower beds which stud the four sections of the lawn, and other shrubs and flowers are to be set out as the season advances. Around the courthouse proper, ornamental climbing vines have been set out, and which will serve to add stately beauty to the courthouse.

The work of arranging the flowers, shrubs and general beautification of the court lawn has been given in charge of the ladies of the Civic league, under whose care this already-attractive spot is certain to develop into the most beautiful public place in this section.

The topping and pruning of the trees has just been completed by J. R. Kennedy, a tree specialist, and his work will serve to provide greater density of shade and more symmetrical growth of the trees. Incidentally, all the trees have been treated a specially prepared coat of whitewash, which serves to kill out the borers, and which adds to the neat appearance of the court lawn.

The commissioners court is to be commended for their efforts to complete the work so well begun last year, and in providing so attractive a community spot for rest and recreation.

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### PERSONAL MENTION.

John Goodrich, former Bradyite, was here from San Antonio this week greeting old-time friends.

Miss Kathryn Nicholson of Rosebud spent Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs. G. L. Hollon. Miss Nicholson, who has been attending Howard Payne college, has accepted the position of primary teacher in the Lohn school.

The many friends of Mrs. Fred Spiller will be pleased to learn that she is now making an excellent recovery from a severe case of flu, with a threatened attack of pneumonia, and trust she soon will have entirely recovered from the effects of her illness.

Mrs. Oscar Willison, who has been a guest of her daughter for the past several months, while recuperating her health, left Sunday night upon the return to her home at Eldorado, Kans. Mrs. Ragsdale accompanied her and will make a stay of a week or so with her in Eldorado.

Oscar Westbrook spent Wednesday in Brady. It's mighty hard to take a Brady boy and transplant him to Brownwood, because the old home town always looks good to him, and, as in Oscar's case, it looks better and better. He never fails to make a visit here when opportunity offers.

B. L. Malone was called to Woodland, Miss., the past week by news of the serious illness of his mother, who has developed pneumonia as a consequence of the flu. His many friends are hoping to hear good news from Mr. Malone, and trust that his mother may successfully combat the ailment.

Dr. Jack Ragsdale has the sympathy of all his many friends in the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. P. C. Ragsdale, at Brownwood, with bronchial pneumonia. Dr. Ragsdale was again summoned to her bedside Wednesday night by news of a turn for the worse, but yesterday morning reported an apparent passing of the crisis with marked improvement in her condition. All his friends trust to hear of her continued improvement and hope for her speedy recovery.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of McCulloch County, Greeting:

You Are Hereby Commanded to summon E. D. Brisbon by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County to appear at the next regular term of the Court of McCulloch County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Brady, Texas, on the third Monday in April A. D. 1923, the same being the 10th day of April A. D. 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 27th day of December A. D. 1922 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 728, wherein W. C. Bowman Lumber Company is Plaintiff, and E. D. Brisbon, Roy Huffman and S. R. Fickling are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on June 24th, 1921 for value received, defendants, signed, executed and delivered to plaintiff their certain promissory note in the sum of \$225.00, due three months after date, payable to the order of W. C. Bowman Lumber Co., at Brady, Texas, with interest thereon from date at the rate of ten percent per annum, and providing for additional ten per cent attorneys fees if not paid at maturity and placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, signed by E. D. Brisbon, Roy Huffman and S. R. Fickling, whereby defendants became liable and bound, jointly and severally to pay plaintiff the sum of money, principal, interest, and attorneys fees specified and provided for in said note according to the provisions thereof. That plaintiff has at all times been and is still the legal and equitable owner and holder of said note. That said note is long past due and wholly unpaid, and though often requested defendants have wholly failed and refused and still refuses to pay said note or any part hereof; That said E. D. Brisbon is also indebted to said plaintiff the additional sum of \$7.25 on open account for goods, wares and merchandise sold to said defendant, at various times from June 24, 1921 to July 20, 1921, and that said open account is past due and unpaid. Premises considered, plaintiff prays that defendants be cited as the law directs to appear and answer this suit, and that upon hearing plaintiff have judgment against defendants, jointly and severally for principal, interest and attorneys fees, according to the terms of said note, and judgment against said E. D. Brisbon for the additional \$7.25 due on said open account, and for all costs of this suit, and for such other and further relief, general and special as plaintiff may be entitled to receive.

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

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Brady, Texas, this 1st day of February A. D. 1923.

W. J. YANTIS,  
Clerk, County Court, McCulloch County, Texas.

## BROWNWOOD LIONS WILL LUNCH AT BRADY FEB. 8TH

Accepting the cordial invitation extended by the Lions club of Brownwood to Brady citizens, four members of the local Lion Tamers club journeyed to Brownwood Tuesday, where they were guests of the Lions club at its noon-day luncheon. Messrs. Geo. E. Ehlinger, Wm. D. Cargill, S. W. Hughes and J. B. Whiteman made up the Brady delegates, and they report a royal time, with the most cordial of treatment by our Brownwood friends and neighbors. Each of the visitors was given opportunity to address the assembled Lions, and so effectively did they boost Brady, and so well taken were their speeches that the Lions of Brownwood voted forthwith to accept the invitation extended for a return visit with the Brady club. Some twenty-five or thirty Brownwoodites signified their intention of coming to Brady and meeting with the Brady Lion Tamers at their regular meeting Thursday noon of next week.

The Brownwood Lions have a membership of fifty-eight, and they are all live-wire, progressive citizens who are doing a great work in boosting Brownwood and keeping her in the public eye.

Special preparations will be made by the Brady Lion Tamers to provide a snappy entertainment program upon the occasion of the visit of the Brownwood Lions, and it goes without saying that Brady will put over the meeting in great shape, and that the members of the local club will put forth every effort to cement more closely the ties of friendship binding us to our neighbors.

The following report of the Brownwood meeting was contained in Tuesday's Brownwood Bulletin:

As usual the luncheon program of the Lions club Tuesday was of most interesting and entertaining order. President A. L. Anderson presided, and there were several guests from Brady who made talks in regard to matters of certain industrial nature in that interesting and hustling town—claimed by the visitors to be the coming city of central west Texas, for many reasons. The visitors invited the Lions to come to Brady on February 8th, and be the guests of the Lions there. The invitation was accepted and several roaring lions from Brownwood will be in Brady with a good appetite on the day mentioned. The committee on program suggested that ladies might be set for February 5th and that among the attractive features of the program on that occasion interesting radio concert service would be on the schedule.

Will Talbot announced that Cameron Marshall, director of music of Howard Payne College, and his excellent concert organization would go to Dallas in the near future by request and sing at the broadcasting station of the Dallas News. The date will be announced at the proper time and this will give Brownwood people opportunity, and the people of the south-west opportunity also of hearing some really first-class radio music.

H. R. Barlow, the genial manager of the Southern Hotel dining room, was accepted as a member.

The motion was made and carried that cigars be eliminated from the program hereafter, individual smoking and the purchase of cigars for distribution at various functions. Thus Brownwood has the enviable distinction of having the only known smokeless Lions club on record.

J. Harrell of Coleman was introduced as the guest of J. B. Denman.

Dr. W. R. Hornburg, president of Howard Payne college, spoke briefly on the principles of Lionism.

C. E. Boyett spoke briefly on cooperation and gave some excellent suggestions as to why the Lions club should co-operate with other clubs of the city in all matters that pertained to the welfare of the city.

R. D. McClellan touched an enthusiastic chord when he said he was very much pleased to see so much interest being taken in matters of an agricultural nature by the Chamber of Commerce. He said the Chamber of Commerce deserved every encouragement in this important matter.

J. B. Whiteman, manager of the West Texas Telephone Company at Brady, was among the speakers and his talk, although brief, was full of a number of important things that optimism. He told in a succinct way, had been accomplished at Brady during the past year.

### UNITED HOME BUILDERS OF AMERICA IN THE HANDS OF RECEIVER AT DALLAS THURS.

Much local interest will, no doubt, be manifested in the daily news report which tells of the United Home Builders of America, which went on the rocks, and for which a receiver was appointed in Dallas last Thursday. There are many stockholders of the association scattered about in McCulloch county, who may derive some consolation from the statement in the papers that it is hoped to liquidate the affairs of the association with comparative small loss to the stockholders. If this is accomplished in fact, then the association will perform a mighty unusual feat for a stock company, and the stockholders may consider themselves in rare good luck.

The following report upon the collapse of the association was contained in the daily press the past week: "Dallas, Jan. 25.—C. G. Wright of Dallas was appointed receiver for the United Home Builders of America by T. A. Work in Sixty-eighth Civil District Court here Thursday. The receivership was sought by small contract holders who intervened in a suit between A. A. Cooke, former head of the firm, and W. M. Webb and William Sachs of St. Louis.

Judge Work took under advisement a motion offered by plaintiff's attorneys in which they asserted \$4,000,000 was owed by trustees of the company to contract holders and stated they believed this amount should be paid by the trustees to the receiver.

Headquarters of the United Home Builders recently was removed to St. Louis from Dallas.

### JONES BARBER SHOP HAS NEW FRONT AND EFFECTS OF EXPLOSION ERASED

The Jones Barber shop is this week resplendent in a new plate glass front, replacing the glass which was shattered a couple weeks ago in the explosion of the water heater there. Bob Jones last week also repaired all damage done to the plaster and walls, making them over good as new, and with the installation of a new water heater, everything at the shop has gotten back to normal. Virgil Jones, the popular proprietor, is smiling happily over the restoration of his attractive shop, and is trying to forget there ever was such an occurrence as a near-wreck.

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## Autocaster Service

In enlarging its scope, The Standard on September 1st last inaugurated the Autocaster service by means of which it has been enabled to present in pictures, timely news events, cartoons upon live topics of the day, comic strips, as well as providing illustrations for both news and advertising such as make for a really readable paper. This has served to keep The Brady Standard up in the march of progression with the big dailies, none of which offer more timely or newsy features than The Standard presents in its Autocaster Service.



## Another Big New Feature Next Month Eight-Page Magazine Section

Starting with the second week in February, The Standard will offer its subscribers and readers another valuable feature in an eight-page Magazine section, which becomes a regular monthly feature. Heretofore the magazine feature has been exclusive with the Sunday dailies, which have not been available to rural readers because of their having no Sunday mail deliveries. Not only are many interesting magazine features thus denied the rural population, but the ever-popular colored comics are also lost to these readers. The Standard's Monthly Magazine section will, to a great degree, overcome this deficiency. Here is what we offer our readers in the magazine section—

**A FULL-PAGE COLORED COMIC** — DEPICTING THE ADVENTURES OF "PETE AND PINTO," THE COW-KIDS OF O-JOY RANCH. THIS COMIC IS NOT DUPLICATED BY ANY DAILY NEWSPAPER AND IS AN EXCLUSIVE FEATURE OF THE BRADY STANDARD'S.

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# THE SANDMAN STORY

## CLEVER MR. RABBIT

IT WAS the first snow of the winter, and Mr. Fox knew very well that his tracks would be plainly seen by Mr. Dog or Mr. Man, so he had to set his wits at work to think out a plan to throw them off his track.

There was an old sled lying at the side of the road by the woods and while he was thinking Mr. Fox spied it and at once he had an idea he would like Jack Rabbit and Mrs. Rabbit and all the little Rabbits for a sleigh ride over near the farm, then he would dump them all off the sled and when they walked back, of course, their tracks would show on the snow.

He would be careful to step in his own tracks when he went home, so no one would notice them, and Jack Rab-



Jack Rabbit Picked Up the Reins.

bit and his family would be pestered by Mr. Dog and Mr. Man while he would be safe.

Mr. Fox was very busy all day making a harness for himself of rope, for he knew he would have to be careful that Jack Rabbit did not have the least suspicion that he was taking his sleigh riding for anything but pleasure.

By and by he had everything ready, and, putting on the harness, he fastened himself to the sled and off he trotted to Jack Rabbit's home and knocked at the door.

"Want to take a sleigh ride?" he asked, when Jack opened the door. "I feel just like a gallop, the air is so crisp. I thought the children and the missus might like to go, so I fixed up this rig just to please the bunnies."

Jack Rabbit from long experience knew that Mr. Fox never went to any trouble for anyone but himself, and though he did not understand why Mr. Fox was so very kind and polite he decided to go and be on his guard all the time.

Mrs. Rabbit and the little Rabbits put on their hoods and coats and mittens and all of the Rabbit family were soon tucked on the sled. Jack Rabbit picked up the reins and off trotted Mr. Fox over the snow, the ears of the little rabbits sticking right up straight as they flew along.

Mr. Fox was so sure that he was smarter than Jack Rabbit that he did not notice anything he did—he was too busy thinking of his clever plan—but if he had kept his eyes on Jack he would have seen him tuck under the straw on the sled a nice long whip, but he didn't and so he dashed over the hill near the farm.

When he reached there he began to prance and caper in a way that threatened to upset the sled and Jack Rabbit began to think there was something wrong, and that it was time to use the whip.

"Whoa there, whoa!" he said, giving the reins a sharp twitch, and then, to the great surprise of Mr. Fox, right over his head and neck he felt a sharp sting. Mr. Fox was smart enough to know what was going on and that for once Jack Rabbit had outwitted him, so he pretended he was cutting up to make the little Bunnies laugh, but he didn't go any farther from home. He turned right around and ran back and he was very careful not to cut up.

"That was a splendid ride you gave us," said Mrs. Rabbit as she and the Bunnies jumped to the ground, and Jack Rabbit thanked him also, but there was a twinkle in his eyes that told Mr. Fox that though he did not know just his scheme he had been too clever for him this time and had spoiled it.

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## BEAUTY SPOT MADE MOCKERY

Honeymoon Island, in the Pacific Ocean, Once Knew All the Cruelties of a Convict Station.

"Honeymoon Island," the nickname for Norfolk Island in the Pacific, is so called from a prevailing superstition that honeymoon couples who pass the first month of their married life there are certain to enjoy lasting happiness. Apart from the legend it would be an ideal place for a honeymoon, for it has been called the most beautiful spot on earth. This earthly paradise started its career as a convict station. The history of those early days is a tale of horror. Ruins of the famous "silent cells" are still to be seen. These cells, made of concrete, four feet thick, were just large enough to enable a man to stand up or lie down. On the walls can be seen the prayers carved by convicts. Known as "the tombs," the silent cells provided the worst form of punishment, and those confined in them rarely came out sane. Hardly a day passed without a murder taking place, and the convicts became worse than savages. Some even became cannibals. There are only eight families on the island. Money is very scarce. The islanders, however, are entirely self-supporting, and have everything they need, as well as a number of luxuries. The island has its own government, which is presided over by a governor sent out from Australia.

## ANOTHER GAIN FOR SCIENCE!

Information as to Respiration of Insects Said to Have Been Accurately Ascertained.

A scientist abroad has constructed a delicate instrument that registers and measures the respiration of insects. The apparatus is composed of a crystal tube with an aperture in the end. Imprisoned in this, the locust, in the effort to extricate itself, turns over, bringing his thorax immediately under a needle having a ball in the point. In this way, thanks to the ascending and descending movement of the needle working over a lever, the movements of the thorax are registered on a plate or metal leaf. It is thus possible to study attentively the quickness and the length of each breath of the insect and, what is more important, the strength and action. By this means it has been ascertained that insects respire in a manner directly the reverse of human beings. We are required to put the necessary strength into the inspiration, while expelling it is largely automatic. The locust, on the other hand, inhales automatically, but expels with more trouble.

## What is "Sheffield Plate"?

The process of welding silver plates on both sides of a copper sheet took the name of "Sheffield plate" from the English town. Electroplating superseded this practice, and today the term is used recklessly in the trade, for products of superior and inferior quality alike, because it conveys a suggestion of "quality" to the buyer. Fifty per cent of the manufacturers, in conference with the federal trade commission, have condemned this practice, defined the word as meaning "an article well plated on a base metal of nickel silver of not less than 10 per cent nickel content," and agreed to abide by this definition in their own business. The federal trade commission is inclined to disapprove of the use of the word as a trade name or mark for silver-plated hollow-ware, irrespective of definition.—Scientific American.

## Time's Changes Since 1869.

Times have changed since 1869 when John Eaton, Jr., was superintendent of schools for Tennessee. In Eaton's biennial report, published in 1889, the following excerpt appears:

"The prejudice existing in most communities to this class of instructors (women teachers) is as groundless as it is unjust. The eight lady teachers who have so honorably acquitted themselves in our school have proven beyond a doubt their capacity to teach govern and manage the largest and most unruly. They are not only equal to male teachers in the exercise of the common duties of the school room but far better adapted to advance the class of scholars now attending free schools."

## In Your Garden.

It is truly wonderful how many birds will visit modest gardens during a year. They will, during the spring migration, be most in evidence from early daylight till breakfast time, and then again as evening comes on, says the American Forestry Magazine. When autumn approaches, the migration that takes place is equally interesting. In winter we may look for various finches, sparrows, crossbills, hawks, owls and not a few other species that come to us during that time of the year.

## Could Supply Either.

There was no sign above the tiny office to denote what went on inside, except that it was a general agency. But underneath that description was the following sentence:

"Anything you want at a moment's notice." So the humorist knocked, entered and found himself facing a sleek young man across a small desk-table.

"I want a lawyer," said the humorist.

"Certainly, sir," said the young man.

"Smart or straight?"

## PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

Two men labor continually in the Pennsylvania Station in New York City to remove wads of chewing gum travelers have tossed on the floor.

The delta of the Mississippi has just been surveyed for the first time with accuracy by using cameras from airplanes.

A synthetic apple oil possessing the aroma of ripe apples has been prepared by the Bureau of Chemistry. The preparation has the merit of having no substance in it that does not occur naturally in the apple. The oil, being volatile, may not be used in the preparation of food products that have to be heated, but is especially suitable for flavoring ice cream and cold drinks.

Becoming enamored with the army posters describing life in the tropics, a young girl, dressed as a boy, tried to enlist in the army at Rochester, New York, recently.

There will be no settlement of land in that portion of Southwestern Colorado and Southeastern Utah on which are a number of prehistoric towers erected by Indians. The towers are among the finest examples of prehistoric masonry in the United States, according to the Smithsonian Institution. The land in question is in three strips about 50 miles west of Mesa Verde National Park.

The Carnegie gold medal has been awarded Professor Bergonie, of Bordeaux University, who lost his right arm and three fingers while experimenting with X-ray.

The Nobel Peace prize has been awarded Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, noted Norwegian explorer. He was prominent in Russian relief work during the famine of 1921. Dr. Nansen is professor of oceanography at Christiania University. He has announced that he will devote the money awarded him in fostering his international task of promoting a brotherhood of nations.

During 1922, 7,469 miles of road projects were completed in the United States and 17,978 miles under construction were estimated at 50 per cent complete. Federal aid earned by the states on all road projects amounted to \$194,560,135, of which \$166,911,552 had actually been paid.

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By MARY MARSHALL DUFFEE

### FIRST CALLS

Rigorous law is often rigorous injustice.—Terence.

BEHIND almost all our modern rules of etiquette there is a basis of common sense. Sometimes it is hard to see; but usually, if you delved deep enough, you would see that the way laid down by that particular rule was really the most convenient.

The rules of etiquette for first calls are quite clearly rules of convenience. Thus the old resident calls upon the newcomer because it is her place, as it were, to extend the courtesies and hospitality of the neighborhood to the newcomer. The newcomer would feel timid at introducing herself to the drawing rooms of people who have lived so much longer in a neighborhood, but the very fact that a person has come to live in a new neighborhood is usually indicative that she has left old ties and friends behind her and would like to take up new ones.

In Washington, official etiquette requires that the newly arrived officials pay their respects by calling first at the White House, then upon the vice president and other persons in high position, rather than wait for these important persons to call upon them—a custom that came has proved to be the best one.

If a person moves from one neighborhood to another in the same city or town—what about first calls then? This is a question that is sometimes asked. In most cases there would be little excuse or necessity for the older residents in the new neighborhood to make any calls, because the chances are that the newcomer then has acquaintances aplenty in the same town. It would sometimes seem a little intrusive for an old resident to take this opportunity to know a person with whom she might not ever have had an opportunity of exchanging calls in any other way. In such case, then, it would be somewhat better to wait until the newcomer in the neighborhood asks you to call before you do so. At any rate, you are not obliged in any way to do so. In fact, even when a total stranger comes to live near you, there is no social necessity for making a first call. In large cities one almost never makes a first call of this sort, simply because a newcomer is a stranger. Even in small towns it is not a matter of social obligation. However,

is necessary to return the first call within ten days, whether the recipient of it wishes to continue the acquaintance or not. Later calls need not be returned, but it is extremely rude not to acknowledge that first call.

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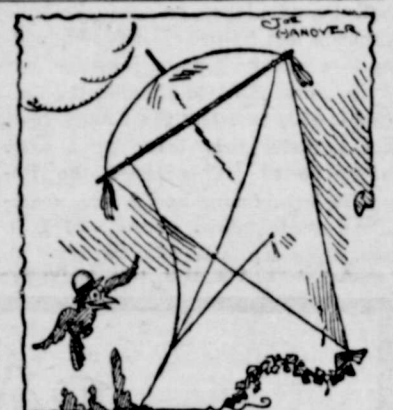
### Slight Mistake.

"Hello, Smith, old man. It's a long time since we met."

"That may explain matters."

"How?"

"I am Brown, old man."



A PUZZLE  
Bird—Well, I always thought a "Kite" was a bird.

**YOUR HAND** How to Reveal Your Characteristics and Tendencies—the Capabilities or Weaknesses That Make for Success or Failure as Shown in Your Palm

## UN SOUNDNESS OF MIND SHOWN IN THE HAND

ACCORDING to some authorities, unsoundness of mind (insanity) is shown by the sign of the moon, a crescent, on the mount of the moon, which lies on the outside of the hand toward the wrist. If the same sign is seen on the upper mount of Mars, violent insanity is to be dreaded. Other signs of weakness of mind in varying degrees are as follows:

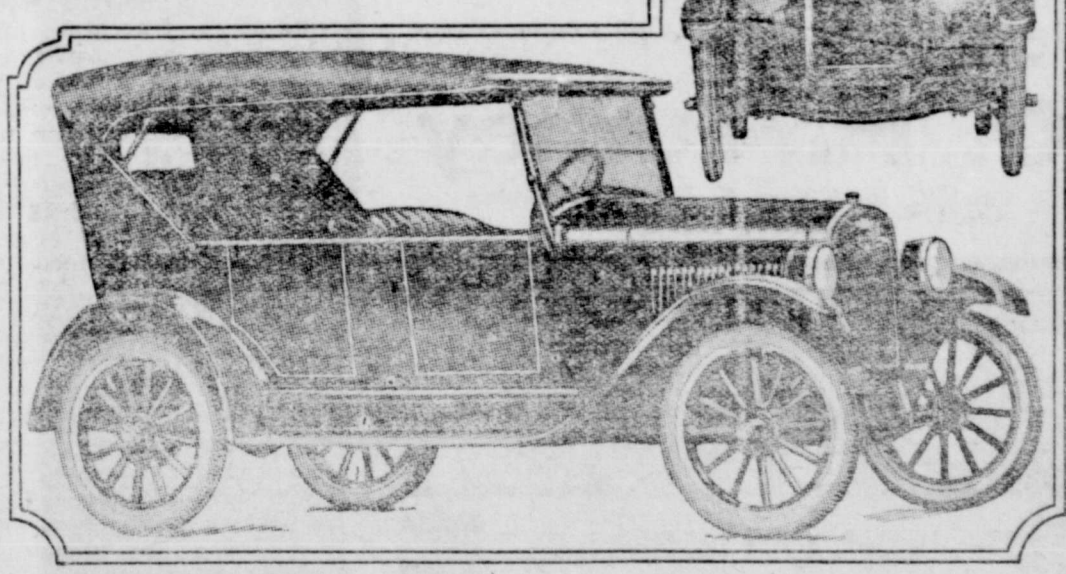
The line of life tasseled at the end, one tassel going to the mount of the moon. The line of the head wavy and rising in a curve toward the line of the heart under the mount of the sun or Mercury. The line of the head stopping abruptly toward the mount of the moon, with a star on the first finger. The line of the head broken under the mount of Saturn, and sloping toward a very prominent mount of the moon. Broken or curved lines on a sloping line of the head. If there is danger of religious insanity, it is indicated, according to some authorities, by the line of the head forming a large cross with the line of health on the mount of the moon.

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LOST—Monday, between Christian church and court house, leather change purse, containing \$10 bill, \$1 bill and 5 nickels. Finder please return to Standard office.

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FOR SALE—Good Bronze Turkeys. See M. D. SLAUGHTER, at the Southern Hotel.

FOR SALE—Dresser, Dining Room Table, Kitchen Cabinet, Ice Box, Bedsteads, Springs and Mattresses, 4-Burner Oil Stove, Heater. See J. F. SCHAEG.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

One of the most unusual, and at the same time, fortunate of accidents occurred last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kinman, when their little three-year old son, William Gray, found a big .38 army pistol hidden under the mattress of the bed. Perching himself up on top of the bed, the little fellow, according to his own statement, proceeded to "shoot a deer," and succeeded in discharging the gun, powder-burning his wrist in so doing. The bullet bored through the mattress of the bed, setting it afire, and then tore through the mattress of the baby crib, on which the little fellows' eight-months old sister was lying. The bullet missed the babe by not over an inch. After going through the mattress, the bullet was splintered into bits on the bed springs. Neither child made any outcry, and Mrs. Kinman, wild with fear that both had been killed, rushed to the scene, put out the blaze in the mattress, and was overjoyed to find neither harmed, except for the little fellows' burned wrist.

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FOR SALE—My residence, household goods, cow, chickens, tools, and everything I possess. See J. T. WADE, Brady.

FOR SALE—Water Well Rig. Also team to trade for the right car. Call on or write owner, J. A. HARVISON, Mercury, Texas.

## DEPOSITORY NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the Commissioners Court of McCulloch County, Texas, up to 10 o'clock a. m., February 12, 1923, from any banking corporation, association or individual banker of McCulloch county, for the purpose of selecting a depository for the funds of said county for the ensuing two years. Such bid shall be delivered to the County Judge of McCulloch county, on or before 10 o'clock a. m., February 12, 1923, stating the rate of interest to be paid on the funds for the term between the date of such bid and the next regular time for selecting a depository.

Said bid shall provide for the rate of interest to be paid on the permanent school fund of said county, and the rate of interest to be paid on all other funds of said county, and shall be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of \$150.00, as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, and that if said bid should be accepted he or they will enter into a bond as provided by law, and upon failure of such bidder to execute said bond the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidating damages and the County Judge shall re-advertise for bids.

Witness my hand and the seal of the county court of McCulloch county, Texas, this the 25th day of January, A. D. 1923.

EVANS J. ADKINS,  
County Judge, McCulloch County, Texas.

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS FOR SPECIAL LEGISLATION.

ST. LOUIS, SAN FRANCISCO AND TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY hereby gives notice in accordance with Section 57, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas that it will apply to the Thirty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas for the passage of an act or law among other things authorizing it to purchase, own and operate as a part of its line the railroad of INTERNATIONAL - GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY, the railroad of FORT WORTH AND RIO GRANDE RAILWAY COMPANY; the railroad of PARIS AND GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY; the railroad of THE BROWNWOOD NORTH AND SOUTH RAILWAY COMPANY; the railroad of QUANAH, ACME AND PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, or any one or more of said railroads, together with all the franchises, properties, rights and privileges of said companies or any of them, and authorizing said companies and each or any of them, to sell and convey all of its or their said railroads, constructed or to be constructed, and all other properties, rights, franchises and privileges to said ST. LOUIS, SAN FRANCISCO AND TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY, and authorizing said ST. LOUIS, SAN FRANCISCO AND TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY, in connection with the purchase of said properties, or any of them, to assume the payment in whole or in part of any or all bonds secured by mortgage or mortgages upon the properties so purchased, and/or to issue its stock and/or bonds in respect of the properties so purchased, and authorizing said ST. LOUIS, SAN FRANCISCO AND TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY to construct, own and operate as a part or parts of its line the unfinished portion or portions of said railroads or any of them between the termini as defined in their respective charters, and to construct, own and operate as a part or parts of its line all extensions and branches of said railroads, or any of them, under or as authorized in and by the charter of said ST. LOUIS, SAN FRANCISCO AND TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY, or any amendment thereof, made or to be made in pursuance of the General Laws of the State of Texas.

Dated Fort Worth, Texas, January 22, 1923.  
ST. LOUIS, SAN FRANCISCO AND TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY.  
By J. M. Kurn, President.

## ALLIN LEGION ASSISTS ORGANIZING MENARD POST

Brady members of the Elijah F. Allin Post of the American Legion journeyed to Menard last Saturday, where they assisted in the organizing of a Legion Post for Menard county. Joe T. Ogden, vice-commander of the McCulloch county legion, was in charge of the meeting at Menard, and succeeded in getting a splendid organization effected, with much enthusiasm evinced among the membership. While the attendance because of so much illness, was not as large as had been anticipated, the new Roy Shelby McCoy Post, named in honor of one of Menard county's hero-soldiers, was started off in good working order. The initial membership was divided into sides, for the purpose of a membership drive, the side securing the greatest number of new members to be entertained at a dinner to be arranged by the losing side. By getting up early Sunday morning and starting immediately on their drive, one side secured eighteen new members, thereby virtually cinching the contest. Accompanying Mr. Ogden to Menard were Messrs. Hubert K. Adkins, W. E. McCall, J. C. Benson, Louie Glenn, W. A. Knox and Hardin Jones. The entire Brady party enjoyed camping and fishing on the river, as part of their Menard visit.

Concerning the organizing of the Menard Post, the Menard Messenger reports as follows:

At a mass meeting of ex-service men, held in the District Court room Saturday night, the Roy Shelby McCoy Post of the American Legion was organized and the following officers were elected:

- Dr. C. M. Oliver, Post Commander.
  - E. Griffith, Vice-Commander.
  - W. M. Lewis, Adjutant.
  - H. H. Wheelless, Finance Officer.
  - Rev. H. W. Bennett, Chaplain.
  - Frank Goodner, Sgt. at Arms.
  - Larry O'Neill, Historian.
- Executive committee:  
B. B. Burke, Chairman.  
H. E. Thornton, Vice-Chairman.  
Lloyd Jackson, Secretary.
- Members: D. M. Bowers, Geo. W. Kothmann, Andy Wyatt, Roger Mabry, Chas. C. Klett, Oscar Beyer, I. A. Helms, Louis Waddell.

The meeting was called to order by Joe T. Ogden of Brady, and Hon. Frank Hartgraves was called on for an address and responded with a soul-stirring address which was loudly applauded. This was followed by an able and inspiring address by Hon. F. Neel.

After the organization refreshments of sandwiches and chocolate were served. Visitors were Joe T. Ogden, Hubert K. Adkins, W. E. McCall, J. C. Benson, Louie Glenn, W. A. Knox and Hardin Jones, all of Brady.

It is the duty and privilege of every ex-soldier to become a member of the organization. It teaches the highest ideals of government and individual conduct. It will be an asset to the town and county and will reflect credit upon our county.

Owing to so much sickness in the country, the attendance was not up to what it would have been under normal conditions. The soliciting committee reports a number of new members secured.

**NOTICE.**  
On and after Feb. 1st, 1923, I will do strictly a cash and carry business. I thank you one and all for the very liberal patronage you have given me in the past and solicit a continuation of the same, promising you the very best brands of goods, at Rock Bottom Prices.  
Yours very truly,  
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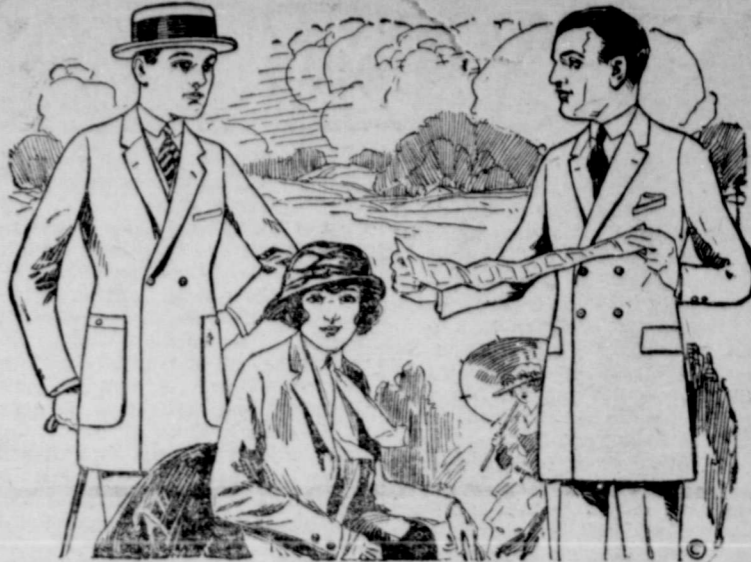
### NO REASON FOR IT.

When Brady Citizens Shows a Way. There can be no reason why any reader of this who suffers the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders, the pains and dangers of kidney ills will fail to heed the words of a neighbor who has found relief. Read what a Brady citizen says:

B. Strickland, says: "About the only indication of kidney complaint I endured was getting down with my back. This came on often and I suffered badly with it. I found Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me of this trouble. I always keep them on hand and use them if needed."

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**BASKET BALL HONORS SATURDAY GO TO ROCHELLE BOYS AND CALF CREEK GIRLS TEAMS**  
Comanche for entrance in the district meet to be held there February 9th and 10th.  
The Calf Creek girls have developed into a splendid organization, and Frank Lohn, coach, lays claim to having the fastest girls team in West Texas.  
The final game of the season between Rochelle and Calf Creek basket ball teams played on the Rochelle grounds last Saturday afternoon, ended in a victory for the Rochelle boys by a score of 25 to 0, while the Calf Creek girls wrested the honors from the Rochelle girls' team by a score of 18 to 10. This leaves the Rochelle boys' team undefeated champions of McCulloch county, and J. D. Conner, coach, will take the team to

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