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Cut this out, bring it to

Jones Drug Co.

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De Voe Weather Chart

Regular Price 10c. Free with this coupon

Jones Drug Company

C. A. TRIGG, Manager
The Rexall Store On the Corner

THE BEST EVER

Baird & Wilson's Comedians Make Big Hit.

The Baird & Wilson Comedians opened a week's engagement at the opera house last night in the 4-act drama entitled "The Call of the Woods." That they more than made good with the big audience was attested by the fact that the crowd was kept in an uproar from beginning to end.

Last night's bill was an exceptionally strong one, and the cast equally as strong. The company is one of the most evenly balanced theatrical organizations which has visited Brady in recent years.

"The Call of the Woods" is a beautiful story of the Canadian woods. Dave Ferguson, the son of Mrs. Hughes, and a half-brother of Willis Hughes, is in love with Doras. Willis is also in love with the girl, but she cares nothing for him, preferring the love of Dave, the woodsman. Willis poses as a student for the ministry, and is generally considered an upright, honorable, Christian young man by the people of the community in which they live. He is a rogue, however, but he succeeds in his purpose of having Dave driven from the home by making it appear that he had stolen a sum of money from their mother, when in reality he himself was the thief.

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BUYS A FIRE TRUCK

CONTRACT CLOSED FOR UP-TO-DATE EQUIPMENT

Triple Combination Pumping Engine, Chemical and Hose Car Will Give Protection

A contract for the purchase of one of the most complete and up-to-date pieces of fire fighting equipment on the market was signed up last week between the city and the American-LaFrance Fire Engine Co., of Elmira, N. Y., represented by J. Ed Schmitz of Dallas, state agent.

The new equipment is what is known as a Triple Combination Pumping Engine, Chemical Engine and Hose Car, and one of the most complete pieces of fire fighting apparatus made by the American-LaFrance Co. The car has a 105-horse-power motor, is equipped with electric starter and lights and carries all the necessary equipment for successfully combatting fires.

The car also carries a pump which will deliver 1100 gallons of water per minute at a pressure of from 60 to 200 pounds per square inch, and is operated by the same motor which propels the car. This enables the firemen to regulate the matter of water pressure at the fire, instead of depending upon the city's pumping plant, and

Do Not Throw Your Money Away!

In buying old junk, when you can come to the Elite Dry Goods Store, next to the Post Office, and buy all high-grade listed goods at less prices, as we are quitting dry goods, and the entire dry goods stock must go at cost and less.

Stetson and all other high grade hats, boots and shoes, Konklin Gloves, Ladies' Cloaks, Suits and Skirts, warm outings, and in fact, an all-high grade \$12,000 stock at your own price.

Warm Overcoats — \$7.00 and \$8.00 coats at \$4.50 and \$5.00.
Men's gun metal shoes, regular \$4.00 ones go at \$2.75.

The largest line of toys in West Texas at one-half our competitors' price. Nice sound Christmas apples at \$1.00 per bushel.

Now, all we ask is to come and see our goods and get our prices before you give up your hard-earned cash for junk. Brady is full of it. All we ask is to come and look at goods and get prices.

The Elite Dry Goods Co.

H. CONLEY, Prop. POST OFFICE BLOCK. S. A. CONLEY, Mgr.

A Cause For It.

The many friends of Frank Hurd were considerably disturbed by the look of grave concern which overspread his usually smiling countenance Saturday. As a usual thing Frank is always smiling from ear to ear and is generally as happy as his smile would indicate, and it was hard to account for the look on his face.

One kindly-disposed friend whom he met on the street thought that some great sorrow must have come into his life to cause such a look of distress, and stopped to inquire the nature of the trouble. When asked what the trouble was, a faint smile overspread his countenance as he replied, "It's a boy."

"Well," his friend replied, "It seems to me that an event of that kind would cause you to smile, instead of looking as if you had lost the only friend you had in the world."

"Why, I did not know I was looking like that," said Frank, "I was only trying to look dignified."

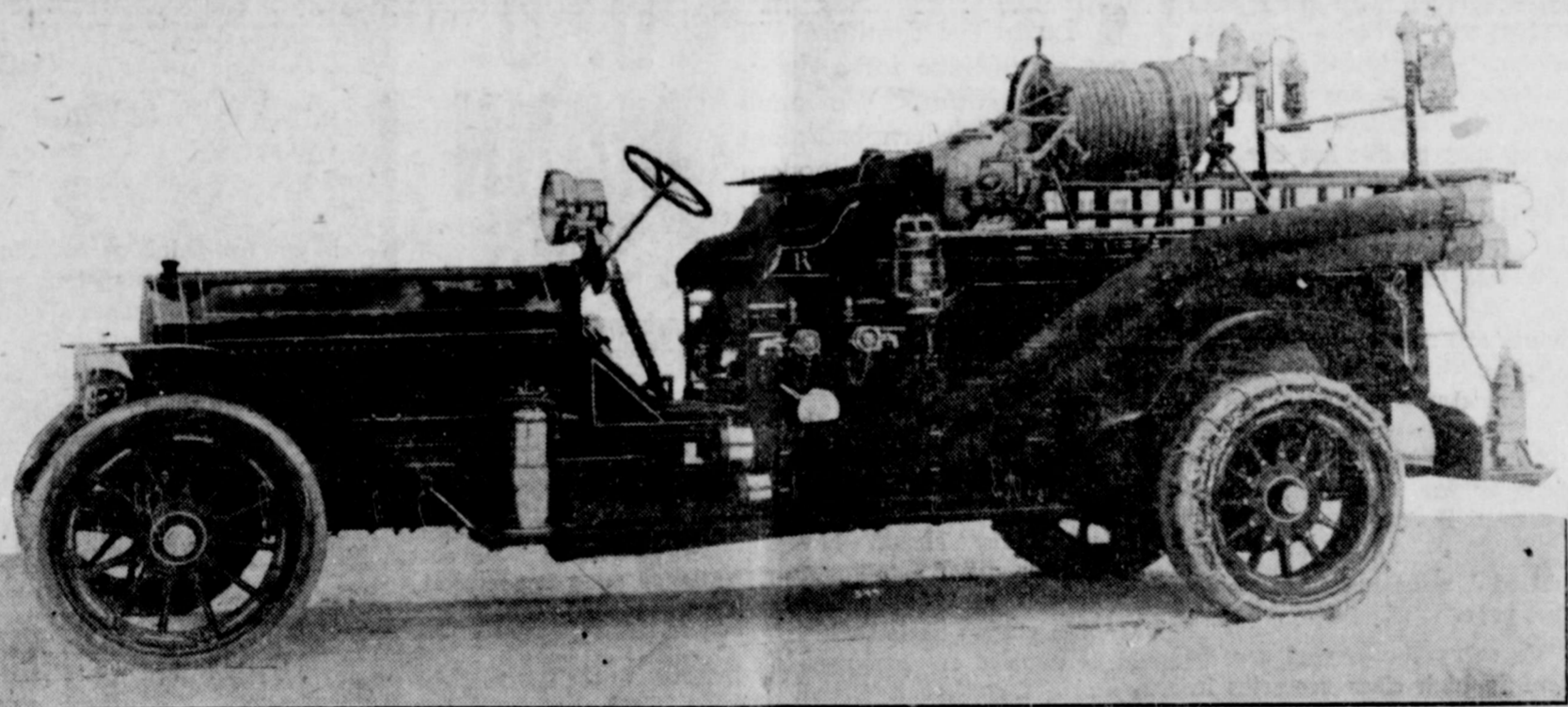
For the best service in vulcanizing automobile inner tubes, go to Simpson & Co.

Hardware for hard wear. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Just received, a shipment of Big Ben alarm clocks. A. F. Grant, Jeweler.

Phone 295 when you want any feed or coal, and we will make prompt delivery. Macy & Co.

Let us demonstrate a Frantz Premier Electric Cleaner to you. They do the work. O. D. Mann & Sons.



THE CITY'S NEW \$8,500 AUTOMOBILE FIRE TRUCK.

Highest class photos made by S. I. Clair.

All kinds of toys at E. J. Broad's.

Let us show you through our stock of furniture. O. D. Mann & Sons.

is one of the best features of the new equipment. In addition to the pump the truck also carries 1,200 feet of 2 1/2 inch hose, a 40-gallon chemical engine with 200 feet of hose, two chemical hand extinguishers, ladders, axes, pike poles, crow bars, lanterns, etc.

The acquisition of this new equipment by the city will furnish ample fire protection to many portions of the city which are now wholly without protection of any sort. Because of the high speed of the car many fires can be reached in time to be controlled by the chemical engine alone, while property within reach of the water mains will be afforded the same protection as is given in the larger cities. In addition to the protection given property owners, the key rate of insurance will also be considerably reduced when the truck is put into service. In this way, the cost of the truck will soon be saved to the citizens of the town, by furnishing protec-

tion which they do not now enjoy.

The new truck will be delivered here about March 15. Each machine turned out by the American-LaFrance Co. is built after the order is received, and requires about three months to complete a truck of the type purchased by the city. The company is to make delivery and furnish demonstrators to thoroughly test the machine before its acceptance by the city. If accepted, an engineer is fur-

Baby in an Old Grip

Carrying an old grip with a two days' old child in it, an aged couple, a man and his wife, about 50 years of age, stepped from a south bound Abilene & Southern train Monday night. They went to a cheap rooming house and asked for a room. The landlady a few minutes after the assignment of the quarters, passing down the corridor heard the voice of a small child, lying by the side of the worn grip. Officers were called, who

Dead Letter List.

List of unclaimed mail matter remaining in the postoffice at Brady, McCulloch county, Texas, for the week ending December 12th:

- Ladies' List.**
Mosly, Mrs. Mandý.
Nichlis, Miss Mirtle.
Raglin, Miss Arrtta.
Stevens, Mrs. W. C.

- Gentleman's List.**
Alford, S. W.
Akers, G. B.
Farris, R. D.
Gaines, Lou.
Henry, R. M. (2).
McGown, Elijah.
Rabon, Rabe.
Roberts, S. N.
Sawyer, R. W.
Segrest, W. J.
Smith, W. S.
Shuttlefield, Judge J. R.
Williams, M. D.

- Mexican List.**
Dominguez, Gabino.
Martinez, Francisco.
Ortuga, Romana.

When calling for any of the above listed letters or cards, please say that they are advertised and give the number of the piece claimed and the date shown at the top of this list.

A. BURTON REAGAN,
Postmaster.

Films developed for 5c per roll of six exposures. Send them to me. St. Clair.

We are agents for the Ivers & Pond piano, the best one made. O. D. Mann & Sons.

See our holiday goods; we are selling these goods cheap. E. J. Broad.

FOR YOUR XMAS PRESENT

Come to see me—have something for the mother, father, brother, sister, baby and your sweetheart. The most complete line of

Toys, Dishes, Aluminum, Granite, and many other things,

ever shown in Brady. You have a standing invitation to pay us a visit.

Lange's 5c-10c-25c Store

BRADY, TEXAS

Hereford Cattle Exhibit!

We will have an exhibit of our herd of Registered Hereford Cattle on the Public Square Friday and Saturday, Dec. 18-19.

We have specially prepared these animals expecting to show them at the fair here this fall, but since that event has been declared off, we decided to exhibit them anyway, and would like very much to have all those who are interested in fine cattle to see them.

RICHARDS & HALL

THE BRADY STANDARD

TWICE-A-WEEK

Official Paper of McCulloch County

Absorbed the Brady Enterprise and the McCulloch County Star May 2nd, 1910

Published on Tuesday and Friday S. M. RICHARDSON, Editor H. F. SCHWENKER, Prop.

OFFICE IN CARROLL BUILDING, North Side Square, Brady, Texas.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$1 PER YR. Six months.....50c Three months.....25c

Entered as second-class matter May 17, 1910, at the postoffice at Brady, Texas, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Notices of church entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all matters not news, will be charged for at the regular rates.

Local advertising rate, 5c per line, each insertion.

Classified advertising rate, 5c per line each insertion.

The management assumes no responsibility for any indebtedness incurred by any employe, unless upon the written order of the editor.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.

BRADY, TEXAS, Dec. 15, 1914



Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo says: "Through the prompt and effective action of the treasury department and with the cordial and intelligent co-operation of the banking and business interests of the country a catastrophe of calamitous proportions has been averted. Confidence has been restored and specie payments have been maintained in the face of the world. The general revival of business throughout the country is the best evidence that confidence has been restored. There is every reason why the country should look forward to the future with confidence so far as its trade, commerce and industry are concerned."

Foreign countries during last October called on the United States for practically three times as much corn and wheat as for the same month a year ago, and the same thing is true of beef. They took only one-third as much cotton. Of course, cotton exports will improve; but with a three-fold demand for corn, wheat, beef, eggs, etc., and a diminished demand for cotton, there ought not to be any question as to what crops will be the real "money crops" in 1915.

Never has there been a better time to make improvements of every kind than now. Labor and material is cheaper than it will be a year hence, and there is nothing to be gained by fear except a sure loss. Especially is this true of building operations.

The falling off of revenue from United States customs owing to the European war for the month of October was \$13,866,220, as compared with the same month a year ago.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Holt.

"Grow something to eat," is the word passed down the line to farmers. Every pig and lamb, and calf and hen will be worth its weight in gold, is the opinion of experts. Egg will soar sky-high and chickens will be a luxury to the rich. Everything that breathes on the farm should be housed and fed with the tender care of a child. The wise farmer will be in position to have both sides of his bread buttered, for the era of prosperity is in sight.

"The farmers are wide awake on the meat proposition through this section. We never saw such a rush for the possession of hogs and cows. Live stock of any size, or age, is in demand and find a ready market. Every farmer who owns pigs or cows will make almost any sacrifice before parting with them, and, on the other hand, the man who hasn't them is exerting every effort to procure them."—Ex.

Experts today emphasize the idea that advertising should go to the very heart of a proposition, and should use only arguments appealing to the economic desires of the reading public. The consuming public simply wants to know what merchants have the best goods and are willing to sell for the lowest prices.—Ex.

The people of Texas annually import \$52,000,000 worth of meat. What a golden chance is here, to reduce the living expenses. By far the easiest and cheapest way to do this is by raising poultry. Little money and care is required and returns are big, in the dooryard of citizen or farmer.

Farmers who desire to take advantage of the six per cent loans on cotton under the syndicate pool plan should get in immediate touch with their local banker, who will take it up with headquarters. It will be only a matter of a few days until the loans are available and the money may go like hot tamales.

Christmas advertising in all our exchanges is causing the papers to balloon out with extra pages. Evidently merchants are not in business for their health and have caught the Christmas spirit.

Do your Christmas shopping early, or you may find what you want is gone.

Read Jones Drug Co.'s ad on first page.

We carry the largest assortment in high class groceries in Brady. E. J. Broad.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's
The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood, and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

A Sealy mattress is appreciated. We sell them. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Words of Appreciation (Communicated)
Editor Brady Standard:

Feeling that the Brady Standard is in deep sympathy with all the movements for good, regardless of denomination, endorses right and helps it along and is a journal for public enterprise and advancement of the interests of Brady, we would thank The Standard for the publication of the Brady Associational Rally in its last issue, and which will begin next Friday morning at 10 o'clock a. m., continuing until Sunday night. During this meeting there will be questions discuss-

ed by men from abroad, as well as men of your acquaintance. These questions are selected with a view to aid church life and not only Baptists are requested to be present, but any, whether religious or not, will be more than welcome to any and all these gatherings at the Baptist church.

On Friday night Dr. Graves will give the Baptists another treat in the way of a Biblical discourse. The subject will be, "The Quest of a Human Soul for Happiness; How and When Fully Attained." Brother Vinson, who is known to all and loved, will give us a sermon replete with Gospel truths.

We cannot, for want of space, enumerate all the good things in store for you, but come thou and be with us all the way through.
A CITIZEN.

Convicts Learning Shorthand.
Omaha, Neb., Dec. 14.—Night school has been started in Nebraska's state prison and 130 prisoners attend classes in shorthand, typewriting bookkeeping and all common school branches.

Graft Among Chicago Police.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Clarence Cass prominent wire tapper and swindler has charged the police with protecting swindlers for a money consideration. He charges that Capt. Halpin and Lieut. Tobin were regularly on the pay roll and that the swindlers were furnished identification cards which secured their release.

A nice rocker or rug makes an ideal Xmas present. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Peanuts and Pigs for Profit.

The value of the peanut in Texas is no longer in doubt. That as a money crop it is disputing the ground with cotton seems to be a foregone conclusion. A good crop of peanuts at a fair price will equal a bale of cotton per acre. Is that good enough? If not, we can do better.

It has been verified in this country that an acre of good peanuts will give a return of 1,200 pounds of pork on foot ready for the market. At seven cents per pound we have \$84, and nothing out for picking, ginning, sampling and hauling to market, for the pigs are usually worth seven cents at home.

The crop costs less to cultivate than cotton and can be grown and marketed without taking children of the farmer out of school. As a part of a rotation in soil conservation and soil builder this crop must be considered. It is a legume or nitrogen gatherer, and all know that nitrogen plays a very large part in the growing of all crops, and that when bought it costs more than any other fertilizer. The inquirer asks "has this good and great crop no faults?" No; but the grower can use it in a way to ruin his farm quicker than with any crop, by plowing up and removing the entire crop, root and branch, and leaving nothing to produce the needed humus or decayed vegetable matter. This can be prevented by pasturing the crop to hogs and turning under the vines soon after, and sowing wheat, oats or rye. This provides for maintenance of fertility.—Rockdale Reporter.

Try a sack of our Missouri flour. E. J. Broad.

How To Give Quinine To Children.
FEBRILINE is the trade-mark name given to an improved Quinine. It is a Tasteless Syrup, pleasant to take and does not disturb the stomach. Children take it and never know it is Quinine. Also especially adapted to adults who cannot take ordinary Quinine. Does not nauseate nor cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Try it the next time you need Quinine for any purpose. Ask for 2-ounce original package. The name FEBRILINE is blown in bottle. 25 cents.

Do you like good coffee? Try a package of our Acme and you will buy some more. E. J. Broad.

If you are thinking of buying a piano, let us tell you about the Ivers & Pond. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Have your vulcanizing done by steam at Brady Auto Co.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rate 5c per line per insertion.

FOUND—On South Blackburn street, small purse containing sum of money. Owner may recover property by describing same and paying for this ad.

FOR SALE—Full-blooded Mammoth Bronze Toms. See Edwin B. Carroll, Lohn, Texas; or phone 378, Brady.

FOR SALE—Seven cottages, close in. Long time; 5 or 6 years. Apply to A. T. Jordan, Brady, Texas.

FOR SALE—Second hand surrey, good as new, at a bargain. See Tom Donnell.

For Sale—Some nice Jersey heifers, will soon be fresh. J. F. Schaeeg.

I have purchased the F. M. Richards Hereford grade calves and will sell a few of the tops for bulls, Frans Johnson, Brady. Phone 2112.

The Magic Washing Stick
"The Magic Washing Stick is the finest thing in the world. Cleans clothes without rubbing—makes the whitest clothes I ever saw. I cannot do without it any more. All you say is true, it does all you say it will. I would give it for nothing I have ever used. Hope every lady will try it," writes Mrs. W. F. Gammill, Ashdown, Ark. This peculiar article is sold by Jones Drug Store, three 10c sticks for 25c or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

New Cabbage Potpourri Recipe

Remove all outer leaves from a cabbage and soak the head in cold water one-half hour. Scald the head in boiling water with one-third teaspoon soda for about 15 minutes, and chop fine. Make a dressing of one pound sausage meat, 1 onion, 1 red pepper, 1 slice ham or a slice of bacon, 1 cup canned tomatoes, salt and pepper. Mince ham, bacon, onion and red pepper. Stir dressing into the minced cabbage, put into a buttered bake dish; pour over it 1 cup water, sprinkle top with bread crumbs and bake until tender; adding more water if needed.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

BUY THE BEST O. D. MANN SONS

Luxurious furniture will not compensate for a defective bathroom. We install "Standard" modern bathroom fixtures by the most modern plumbing methods, and always guarantee satisfaction.
How is your bathroom?

To City Taxpayers

I beg to call attention of the citizens of the city to the matter of paying their taxes. The payments to date have been far below what they should have been. This condition is going to cause a rush the last few days of the tax paying period which could be avoided as easily as not, and I feel that it is only necessary to call attention to the matter in order to prevent this.

Call at Room 6, upstairs in the Brady National bank building, and I will be glad to receive and receipt for your taxes.
Respectfully,
J. M. ANDERSON,
City Marshal.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

New Cassaday sulkeys and extras. See us. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Bring the kiddies to our store and see the prettiest assortment of dolls and Santa Claus goods. E. J. Broad.

We have recently installed a steam vulcanizer and are now in position to do vulcanizing in the most approved manner. With this machine we are enabled to vulcanize any size puncture, and there is no danger of burning the tube. Bring us your work. Brady Auto Co.

MR. STOCKMAN

The Fort worth Market is good. If you have Cattle, Sheep or Hogs to ship write or wire us at our expense at once for market prices.

DAGGETT-KEEN CO. CO.
Stock Yards :: Fort Worth

JORDAN & McCOLLUM LANDS

LOANS AND ABSTRACTS
Office Over Commercial National Bank

Disc plows and all kinds of implements. E. J. Broad.

Guns and ammunition. O. D. Mann & Sons.

For the best service in vulcanizing automobile inner tubes, go to Simpson & Co.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

DIAMOND BRAND
Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutions.

LADIES! Get your Druggist for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbons. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for twenty-five years regarded as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS
WORTH TRYING EVERYWHERE

POLK'S BARBER SHOP
Wants Your Whiskers for Business Reasons
Bath Rooms Fitted Up With the Latest Sanitary Plumbing
NORTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE

JONES BROS. BARBER SHOP
WE EMPLOY NONE BUT FIRST CLASS WORKMEN
HOT AND COLD BATHS
GIBBONS BUILDING BRADY, TEXAS

RAY LOVELACE
I s back again, at his old stand in the pool hall, where he will be glad to shave you or cut your hair. Ben Lovelace will also be found at his same chair, and good quick barber service is assured by these two experts.
TRY THE LOVELACE BARBER SHOP

TEXACO

Bringing Trade to Texas

From many countries scattered throughout the world the demand for the oil products of Texas comes in ever-increasing volume. Month after month large cargoes of oil in cases, barrels and bulk are shipped to ports throughout the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans.

Up among the snows, down on the equator, in the miasma districts of Africa, East of Suez throughout the mysterious Oriental countries; back of the Red Sea into Persia and Asia Minor, in the Balkans and other parts of Europe, from Panama to the Magellan Straits, the money starts back to Texas in payment for the manufactured oil products of The Texas Company.

Conducting all its manufacturing in the State of Texas, giving employment to thousands of workers in Texas and support to a score of industries, the growth of The Texas Company in the export field is bringing trade of many millions to this State from the whole world.

One thing made the growth possible—that one idea established by the founders of The Texas Company and carried out to this day—quality goods and adequate service.

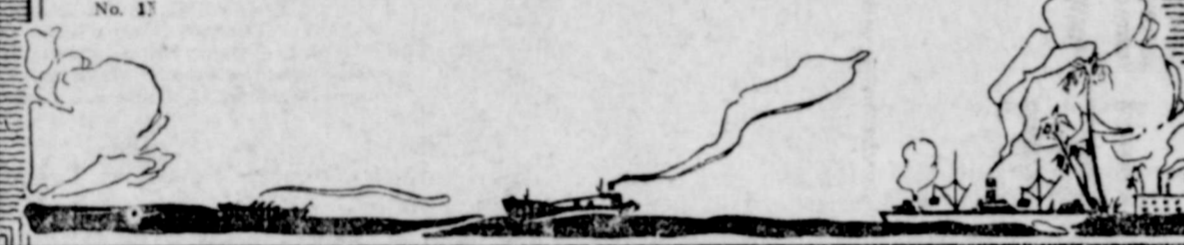
Quality and service are bringing this enormous and rapidly increasing trade to the State. The quality and service which have made the five-pointed star and T emblem of The Texas Company known from the Atlantic Coast of America to the East of China.

You can secure this same quality and service in your town. A Texaco distributing station is at hand, our agent is ready to serve you.

Call on him, quality and service are of value to you as they are to the foreign users of oil. Take advantage of it by ordering from him.

The Texas Company
General Offices: Houston, Texas

No. 17



PERSONAL & LOCAL

Tom Woodress was here yesterday from Lohn.

A. S. Hall of Lohn was transacting business in the city yesterday.

P. W. Appleton was here Friday from Camp San Saba on business.

George Darley was in the city Friday from Voca looking after business.

Judge Joe A. Adkins went to Brownwood Sunday night on legal business.

J. P. Williamson of the Rochelle community was a business visitor to the city Saturday.

Prof. J. N. Hall, superintendent of the Rochelle schools, was a visitor to the city Saturday.

W. H. Birdwell returned Friday afternoon from a short business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. L. G. Pitzer of Los Angeles, Cal., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. S. A. Conley, for the winter.

Miss Ruth Wood left Sunday night for Fort Worth, where she will spend a month as guest of her cousin, Mrs. Ted Collins.

Messrs. and Mesdames B. A. Hallum and J. C. Jones returned Thursday afternoon from a

short visit to the J. M. Stewart ranch near Sonora.

Henry A. Hodge, president of the San Antonio Life Insurance Co., was in town Thursday and Friday of last week, doing business with Tom Case.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shaver of Lohn, a girl, on the 10th inst.

Stalk cutters. E. J. Broad.

Parties desiring choice Christmas trees may leave their orders for same at The Standard office.

See our line of fruits, nuts and candies. E. J. Broad.

When you want anything in the feed line just ring 295. We'll do the rest. Macy Grain Co.

State of Texas, County of McCulloch.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mason County, Texas, on the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1914, by S. C. Brockman, clerk of said District court, for the sum of Eight Hundred and ninety-one and 60/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of T. D. Lindsay vs. Carroll Gray et al., placed in my hands for service, I, J. C. Wall as sheriff of McCulloch County, Texas, did on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1914, levy upon certain real estate, situated in the town of Brady, McCulloch County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: That certain lot or parcel of land lying and situated in the town of Brady, McCulloch County, Texas, and being the south half of block 74, Luhr addition to the town of Brady, Texas, and being out of and a part of H. Luhr survey No. 405 and levied upon as the property of Carroll Gray, being the same land deeded to Carroll Gray by said T. D. Lindsay on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1913, as shown by the Deed Records of McCulloch County, Texas, Book 28, page 538, and that I will proceed on the 1st Tuesday in January, 1915, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door in the town of Brady, McCulloch County, Texas, between the hour of 10 a. m. and the hour of 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell the above described real estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of Carroll Gray, and in compliance with the law I give this notice of publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Brady Standard, a newspaper published in McCulloch County, Texas.

Witness my hand this the 4th day of December, A. D. 1914.

J. C. WALL,
Sheriff of McCulloch County, Texas.

HORSES FOR SALE

All Kinds of Horses and Mules for Sale

Also will exchange anything in our line for Good, Young, Merchantable Horses and Mules, and as usual will give Special Bargains for Cash.



C. W. L. SCHAEGER

Murdered for Motorcycle

Dallas, Dec. 14.—Murdered for possession of his motorcycle and his body thrown into a well is believed to be the fate of Oscar Scroggins, a 17-year-old messenger boy. A negro with whom he was last seen accuses other negroes of the crime and pointed out the well where the body was thrown.

Mary Phagan's Murderer to Die

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 14.—The execution of Leo Frank, charged and found guilty by a court in connection with the murder of Mary Phagan, a 14-year-old factory girl, has been set for January 22, 1915. Unless the governor of Georgia steps in and takes a hand by granting a pardon to Frank, he will die.

Italy Buying War Supplies

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Immense stores of war munitions, together with five million bushels of wheat and 25,000 horses, purchased in Chicago and New York for the Italian government, has brought out the explanation that that nation will protect the powers who are defeated in the present war, to prevent their being ground out forever. Italy will have 2,200,000 men reserved for this purpose.

We are making a big reduction in Xmas goods. E. J. Broad.

SHERIFF'S SALE

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Frederick Wilson, with Baird & Wilson Stock Co., at Opera House all This Week.

Railroad Crisis Coming

"There will be one of two things happen after the war is over," declared E. P. Ripley, president of the Santa Fe, during an interview with a Los Angeles newspaper man. "The showdown is coming then and it will mean that the government must either allow an advance in rates or take absolute control of the railroads."

"The present system of government control will break down when good times return, which will be after the nations of Europe have quit beating each other's brains out. When that new period comes the railroads will be utterly unable to keep pace with the country's development. They will be as unable as now to build extensions, for capital will go into more remunerative investments. They will not be able to handle the traffic with their present lines and equipment. Then the showdown will come; the people will demand that transportation facilities keep pace with the country's needs and the government will be compelled to either take over the ownership and management of the railroads or to shoulder the present roads or to abandon the present harsh system of control and permit rates that will attract capital to us again."

JEW'S INTERESTED IN WAR.

It Promises to Solve the Dearest Hope of the Hebrew Race

London, Eng., Dec. 14.—One result of the present war may be the realization of the dream of centuries past—the setting up of Palestine as an independent Jewish state. Both England and Russia will favor the project, says the London Globe. England because a small neutral state in the Holy Land will be the best possible protection to Suez and Egypt. Russia because it will make the way easier for her to settle certain Jewish problems within her own borders.

Continuing, the Globe says: "The events of the moment show how immediately Egyptian integrity is imperiled by the fact that a right of way through Palestine is open to a hostile power. Palestine must become either British or neutral. There is an obvious political objection to a British occupation. Neutrality is the more desirable solution."

"But, if Palestine is to become neutral, who is to govern it? Directly that question is raised the claim of the Jews forces itself upon our attention. We have to deal with the remarkable fact that a people which lost its country over two thousand years ago still cherishes the memory of that loss, and links the hope of recovery with its deepest religious instincts, which seem now about to be realized."

"Here, then, we have two influences at work for the re-establishment of a Jewish state—the British desire for a neutral Palestine, and the territorial instinct of the Jews themselves."

"There is a third influence. Russia has pledged herself to the re-establishment of an autonomous Poland under the czar. But in Poland, as we know it now, there is one obvious obstacle to the development of a Polish state strong in its national consciousness, and that is the presence of a large Jewish element. All who know Russian Poland will agree that a settlement of the Jewish question is essential to the complete success of the great scheme to which Russia is pledged, and will recognize that it is precisely to the Polish Jews that the reconstruction of the Jewish state would make the strongest appeal."

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Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

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SAN SABA SAYINGS

From the Star.

The teachers institute closed last Friday after a week of labor which is claimed by those in attendance has been the most beneficial institute they ever attended. County Supt. Brown deserves the meed of praise for the successful meeting, as he has worked for that end since early last summer and his untiring efforts was the result of the attendance of a large number of able educators who lectured during the week.

W. N. Ellis left today for Mullin, where he will be a witness in a case coming up before district court this week.

Doran Bros shipped a car of fat hogs to Ft. Worth this week. Will Doran went with them.

From The News.

Baker Williams was severely hurt Monday morning at A. J. Gatlin & Son's meat market. His left hand was caught in the market sausage mill and the end of the middle finger torn off. Dr. Beaumont dressed the wound immediately and it is getting along nicely, though it is possible that the finger may have to be amputated to the second joint, or entirely.

Paul Heath has returned from a trip to the Brady county.

Will Doran went to Ft. Worth Sunday with a car of fat hogs for Doran Bros.

Walker Winslow was here from McCulloch county last week to see his father, H. W. Winslow, who was stricken with a partial stroke of paralysis a few days before. Mr. Winslow is much improved, to the great satisfaction of his many friends.

A rainfall of four inches is reported from Doran on Tuesday morning and a good rain in all parts of the county. Quite a little cyclone formed in the river bottom and swept the fair grounds park and down the river a short distance, then rising. Several trees were toppled and the wagon of a camper on the river near the bridge was blown about thirty yards and overturned. No lives were lost.

The Magic Washing Stick

"The Magic Washing Stick is just fine. It did just what you said it would do and the clothes were so nice and white with all that hard rubbing left off." writes Mrs. Sarah Goodale, Preston, Texas. The Magic Stick is not a soap nor a washing powder. Sold by Jones Drug Co., three 10c sticks for 25c, or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Tex.

I'm here to stay. St. Clair, the photo man.

For feed of all kind phone 298.

LIVE LOCAL LINEUPS IN RUSTLING ROCHELLE

From the Record.

Robert Haddow transacted business in Brady Wednesday.

George Sutton of Brady visited his son, Bud Sutton, and family, here the first of the week.

J. D. Huches went to Brady Monday on business.

MASON MAVERICKS.

From The News.

June Coopender was here several days the past week from Brady.

W. D. Vinson, assistant editor of the Central Messenger at Brownwood, and Brother S. H. Green, a Baptist missionary worker of Brady, were here last Saturday and Sunday and held service at the Baptist church on Sunday.

Seth Martin was unfortunate last week Wednesday. His right arm was torn open by a wild hog. He was loading hogs when one of them caught his tusk in his arm, tearing a gash about five inches long. Dr. McCollum was called and found it necessary to take several stitches in the wound. We are pleased to report Seth doing nicely.

From The Enterprise.

John and Alf Linsay took a bunch of hogs to Brady last week to ship to the market.

The Magic Washing Stick

"I cannot speak highly enough in praise of the Magic Washing Stick. It saves half the labor in washing. Makes the clothes sweet, clean and white as snow without the use of rub-board," writes Mrs. R. M. Cardwell, Forney, Texas. Sold by Jones Drug Co., three 10c sticks for 25c, or by mail from A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

CALLAN CONCOCTIONS FOR MAGNIFICENT MENARD

From The Messenger.

Rev. Henderson of Brady preached at the Presbyterian church here Sunday.

Dr. Anderson and family of Brady came in Tuesday for a visit at the L. G. Callan home and were in attendance at the reception and dance given by the Harmony club.

W. C. Kiehne was in Brady Sunday, between trains.

Mrs. Buddie Callan returned home Monday from a visit with friends in Brady.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE. BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

EDEN ECHOES

From Eden Echo:

F. M. Adams of London was elected for a five-year term on the committee on works of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas. He is well qualified for the position and we rejoice with him in his preferment. So far as we know he is the first selection from this section to be thus honored.

J. E. Henderson shipped several cars of cattle last Sunday.

A shipment of cattle went out from the Henderson ranch Wednesday.

Mr. Savage informs us that he will likely get out the first issue of his new paper next week.

RIGHLAND SPRINGS RIPPLES

From The Eye-Witness:

W. C. Knutson was in Brady last week, looking after some recently acquired property.



LITTLE FOLKS LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Brady, Texas, Dec. 13.

Dear Santa Claus.—I will tell you what I want. I want an air gun and an auto and a fire wagon, and some fire crackers. Good-bye,
Jesse Lawrence.

Waldrip, Texas, Dec. 13.

Dear Santa Claus.—Please bring me a pretty doll and doll buggy, and a pair of red bedroom slippers and a pair of little red gloves and a little set of chairs. I believe that is all I want this time. With best wishes.

Your little friend,
Marjorie Winstead.

Brady, Texas, Dec. 13.

Dear Santa Claus.—I want a little train and a fire wagon and a pop gun and some fire-crackers. Also some apples and candy.

Good-bye,
L. E. Lawrence, Jr.

Nine, Texas, Dec. 12.

Dear Santa.—Please bring me a set of dishes and a lock-et and a trunk.

Bring my two little brothers a hack and some fireworks, some oranges, apples and candy.

Bring my other little brother a train of cars. I am 8 years old. Don't forget my friends.

Good-bye,
Vivian Smith.

Lohn, Texas, Dec. 9.

Dear Santa Claus.—I want a tricycle and a pocket knife, some apples and candy. My baby sister wants a purse and a doll and a doll bed. My big sister wants a doll and dishes.

Otis Young.

Lohn, Texas, Dec. 10.

Dear Santa.—Please bring me a muff, a pair of gloves, a set of little dishes and a doll bed. Please bring brother a nice book.

Wishing you a Merry Xmas,
Fay Woods.

Dear Santa Claus.—I think it is time to write to you for Xmas. I want a baby doll and a teddy bear, some apples, oranges, bananas and candy. Be sure and come. I live by the school house. Good-bye,
Maggie Harlow.

Sherman, Texas, Dec. 8.

Dear Santa.—We have a large chimney, so please don't forget me. I want a pair of leggings and some warm gloves for I ride six miles to school. I want some good books, and fruit and candy.

Please remember my friends at Brady; and I want a set of furs.

Your loving friend,
Beryl Bradley.

Brady, Texas, Dec. 12.

Dear Santa Claus.—Will you please bring me a little rocking horse and a train and track? I want a drum, and please bring me a little wagon and some fireworks and candy and nuts. Bye-bye, Santa.

R. M. Cummins.

Brady, Texas, Dec. 8.

Dear Santa.—I want a big doll, a doll buggy, some dishes and apples and candy.

Winnie Pauline Lawrence.

Voca, Texas, Dec. 6.

Dear Santa Claus.—Will you please bring me an air rifle and a bugle. Now, Santa, please

We want to supply your oat bags this year. Pieces right. Macy & Co.

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don't forget me.

With love,
Charles Dailey.

Menard, Texas, Dec. 6.

Dear Santa Claus — I am so glad you are coming again this Xmas. I am sure I will be proud to see you. I want you to bring me a boy negro doll and a big doll bed. Bring my little sister one doll and a little thimble. Bring my little brother a rattler. So hurry, and bring you wife this time. I have been good all the time.

Your little friend,
Bernice Jones.

Brady, Texas, Dec. 10.

Dear Santa.—Please bring me a doll and everything good to eat. So good-bye. Please don't forget papa and mama.

Selma Peters.

Brady, Texas, Dec. 13.

Dear Santa Claus.—Please bring me a little wagon and horses hitched to it, and some popcorn and candy. I'll try to be good till Christmas. Don't forget little sister, Jewel; she wants a little doll.

Your little friend,
Moman Johnson.

Menard, Texas, Dec. 7.

Dear Santa Claus.—I am glad you are coming again. I want you to bring me a little puppy dog and a pair of red top boots. I want a pistol and caps and a few bananas; that's all.

Jimmie Simpson.

Lohn, Texas, Dec. 12.

Dear Old Santa Claus — I write these few lines to you to tell you what I want you to bring me. I want lots of candy and apples and some oranges and nuts; and please bring me a big doll and a buggy for her.

Your little friend,
Allie Bowen.

Brady, Texas, Dec. 13.

Dear Santa Claus.—Please bring me a set of little dishes, some fruit and candy and nuts. Cora wants a string of beads and candy. Pearl wants a baby doll and some nuts and fruit. Be sure and bring all these to us.

Your friend,
Sue Ellen Johnson.

Brady Texas, Dec. 3.

Dear Old Santa.—I think it is time to write to you for Xmas. I want a doll, doll buggy, set of dishes and oranges, and apples; and don't forget to bring me some chocolate candy and nuts. Be sure and come.

Bye-bye,
Myrtle Bowden.

Brady, Texas, Dec. 3.

Brady, Texas, Dec. 12.

Dear Santa Claus.—Will you please bring me a big doll and buggy and a little iron stove and a table and chairs and some fireworks and candy and nuts.

A Merry Christmas to Santa Claus,

Bertie Lee Cummins.

Lohn, Texas, Dec. 10.

Dear Santa Claus.—I want a big doll, a little work box, a tooth brush and tooth paste, oranges, apples and candy.

Please remember the poor children in Europe who are without fathers.

With love,
Blake Draper.

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THE BEST EVER

(Continued from Page 1.)

Hilda, the daughter of Old Flapjack, a French-Canadian trapper, is in love with Willis, but he makes use of her love for him to gain her assistance in widening the breach between Dave and their mother, as well as to convince Doras that Dave is a thief and a scoundrel. In these designs he all but succeeds when he induces Hilda to go to Chicago, promising to meet her there later when they will be married. Just as they are stealing away from Hilda's home at night, Dave suddenly confronts them and prevents the girl going to Chicago, and thus incurs the deadly hatred of his half brother.

Later Hilda goes to Dave's cabin in the woods, where she unexpectedly encounters Willis. Her eyes have been opened, and she denounces Willis for the scoundrel that he is and refuses to aid him further in his designs against Dave. He deals the girl a fearful blow on the head with an axe handle, and after her recovery her mind is a complete blank. The crime, as usual, was placed on Dave, who is arrested and tried for the offense. A runaway occurs on the day of the trial just as the jury returns a verdict of guilt against Dave, in which Old Flapjack and Hilda figure. The girl receives a blow on the head which restores her memory and she places responsibility for the crime where it rightfully belongs, and all ends just as it should.

Comedy of the side-splitting variety runs through the entire bill in the lines of Toby Quackenbush, who has a terrible time "bringing up" his father, the doctor. Frederick Wilson as "Toby Quackenbush" is inimitable, and he kept the audience in an uproar throughout the entire performance. Jack Carringington as "Dave Furgeson" was strong, while the work of Herbert McDonald as "Old Flapjack," J. B. Burton as "Willis Hughes," Miss Pearl Burton as "Hilda" and Miss Pearl Wilson as "Doras" were excellent. A. Dale in the role of "Dr. Quackenbush" was far above the average.

One of the most enjoyable features of the performance last night was the excellent musical numbers by the Baird & Wilson orchestra. Vaudeville numbers between the acts were of the highest order, the offering of Dale brothers in a comedy musical sketch proving the most popular.

For tonight the company will

present the 4-act comedy drama entitled "Marion Grey," and tomorrow night "A Romance of the Hills."

On Friday night the company will present the celebrated play of "St. Elmo." After the regular performance a motion picture and vaudeville show will be put on, in which the eighth installment of "The Million Dollar Mystery" will be shown. Five high-class vaudeville acts will be a feature and are guaranteed to be worth the money.

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Cotton Gets Big Boost

Houston, Dec. 14.—The Interstate Hotel Men's association at its recent meeting adopted a cotton boosting resolution that henceforth all hotel men of that association would use cotton napkins, tablecloths, towels, etc., instead of those made of linen. It is asserted by them that cotton is actually better and the president of one hotel company claims a saving of \$3,000 of \$4,000.

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