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The frame buildings, which have occupied the lot belonging to the local Masonic lodge, have been vacated, and are being removed from the site in order to clear the ground for building operations just as soon as the local lodge secures and accepts the plans of the architect engaged in designing the three-story structure which will house the Masonic fraternity.

E. B. Ramsay, whose purchase of the frame buildings was recently confirmed by the lodge, is engaged in removal, and will place the buildings on his own property for use in connection with his planing mill.

The buildings removed covered the Masonic lot, and also part of the lot adjoining, and the new Masonic temple will thus stand clear of adjoining buildings. With its height of three stories, and the elevated location, the new temple will be a

most imposing building and will be a credit to the town and community.

Card of Thanks.

Upon behalf of the citizens of the Mountain View community, we wish to thank the Live Oak church for the use of their seats; also the Bowman Lumber Co. for the use of lumber at our school entertainment and picnic last Saturday. We appreciate these courtesies more than we can say.

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EVERY ONE—Men, Women, Boys, Girls, Little Children, the Baby, should have a Bank account. Many keep putting off starting one until they have some money saved up—but they never start. How easy it is for all of these to join our Christmas Banking Club.

HOW TO JOIN

Joining the Club is very easy. All you need to do is: Come into our Bank with 10c, 5c, 2c, or 25c, 50c, \$1.00 or \$2.00 and tell us which club you want to join. We will make you a member of the club and give you a BANK BOOK showing the club you have joined.

That is all there is to it. It costs nothing to join.

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IT IS UP TO YOU!

Are you going to spend every dollar you earn, or are you going to be wise? Join our Christmas Banking Club and save money.

"The mill will never grind with the water that has passed"—Money spent is gone forever; Money banked is Money Saved.

And what about "Rainy Days"—sure to come; that little home you've wanted so long; having a business of your own, and the other things you have dreamed of? They CAN'T come true till you save. They WILL come true when you Save. **START TODAY.** Come in and join our Christmas Banking Club.

WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN THE CLUB

Because it is the easiest way to Save and Have Money.

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2d Week 4c	2d Week 10c	2d Week 20c	2d Week 50c	2d Week \$1.00	2d Week \$2.00	2d Week \$4.00	
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Increase Every Week by 2c	Increase Every Week by 5c	Increase Every Week by 10c	Total in 40 Weeks	Total in 40 Weeks	Total in 40 Weeks	Total in 40 Weeks	or more
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COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

FIFE FINDINGS

Oats and Barley Looking Fine—Will Make Part Crop

Fife, Texas, May 9, 1916.

Editor Brady Standard:

Most of our farmers are replanting cotton this week. Owing to the heavy rain last week the ground was packed so that freshly planted seed would not come up.

Oats and barley are looking fine and a part of a crop will be made in spite of the dry winter.

C. M. and R. H. Coonrod and Jas Finlay transacted business at Brady Saturday.

Several of our people attended the debate on "Preparedness" at Lohn Friday night, most of them coming back disappointed because the pros won the decision.

R. K. Finlay, Tom J. Bradley, E. B. Baldrige and Jas. Finlay were elected delegates to the County Convention by the Democratic precinct convention here last Saturday.

We will cast our vote this month for the Stacy Correspondent.

The singing convention held here Sunday was a decided success in every particular, Lohn, Waldrip, Onion Gap, Pear Valley and Fife singing classes being in attendance as well as the largest crowd the Fife people have had the honor to entertain. We are indebted to Mr. G. W. Bourland of Rochelle for the use of the piano and our neighbors of Lohn and Waldrip for their

assistance in making everybody enjoy themselves. The next meeting will be at Waldrip on the first Sunday in June. The following were elected officers of the convention for the next year: W. T. Roudon, Midway, Pres; D. M. Beauchamp, Fife, V. Pres; Jas. Finlay, Fife, Secy; L. W. Amorine, Fife, Chap.

Friday evening after a most successful session of six and one half months. Prof. J. O. Beck and Miss Virginia Mullin as teachers have given us the best school we have had for many years, having given entire satisfaction to the community. For taking an interest in building up a school, we Fife people think they are the best there is.

It's funny how our preparedness friends dried up when the House passed the Government Munitions plant appropriation. If the governments would all make their own munitions, we would not have so much war talk.

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COW CREEK NEWS

Visitors in Community and to Other Points

Lohn, Texas, May 8, 1916.

Editor Brady Standard:

Robert Young of Fife called at the A. C. Harrison home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. J. S. Wyres went to Brady Wednesday.

Willie Purdy visited Charlie Harrison Tuesday.

Charles Hanley and sister, Miss Susie, spent Sunday night at the Wyres' home.

B. A. Cornils, Jr., made a business (?) trip to Lohn Monday evening.

Misses Elsie and Elizabeth Cornils visited Miss Mary V. Plummer Sunday of last week.

Miss Alma Cunningham called on Mrs. Knowles Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Cunningham went to Mercury Friday to be at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Mentel Weldon, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Young and children attended the singing convention at Fife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kinsel called at the Marshall home Sunday afternoon.

There was a singing at Mrs. Petty's Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mitchell and children and L. Tedder and wife of Fife and Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Killingsworth and children and Allen Harrison, wife and baby spent Saturday night and Sunday on the river. They report plenty of fish and a dandy good time.

Mr. W. B. Wood visited Mrs. Knowles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Garner visited the Spraggins' home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Marshall are visiting Mrs. Marshall's mother this week.

Mr. Arthur Cain and family

visited W. L. Spraggins and family Sunday.

Little Willie.

Everybody is wearing or will wear Palm-Beach clothes this season. We are prepared to take care of your wants in this line. **MANN BROS.**

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NINE NEWS

Calf Creek Sunday School to Invite Nine.

Nine, Texas, May 8, 1916

Editor Brady Standard:

Summer time is really here at last. Every one is real busy planting. Some few had to plant over.

Last Sunday was Bro. Boatman's day at this place and all enjoyed a great sermon. Bro. Russell of Menard made an interesting talk to the Sunday school on 'Efficiency'.

Calf Creek Sunday school has invited the Nine Sunday school to visit them in the near future. They are thinking of accepting the invitation.

Mr. Weeks has returned to this part of the country.

Grandma Harkrider has been sick. We are glad to report her better.

Mrs. Percy Dutton and children visited at Dr. Harkrider's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thornton were at preaching Sunday.

No more for this time. Old Maid.

CALF CREEK HAPPENINGS.

House Occupied by A. J. Young Was Burned Sunday.

Calf Creek, Texas, May 9, 1916.

Editor Brady Standard:—

Farmers are busy killing the weeds in this part of the county.

Mr. A. J. Young's house burned Sunday evening. Quite a number went from Sunday school to assist in quenching the fire, but it was impossible. Nothing was saved. Fifty dollars was donated to Mr. Young at church Sunday night. Some of the people took their wagons on Monday morning and collected household goods for them. If the merchants of Brady would donate just a little to Mr. Young, I am sure it would be appreciated. Only think! How can he furnish his home on not more than seventy-five dollars?

Mrs. E. M. Young is improving very slowly.

Quite a number of Brady, Nine and Davis school people were over Sunday and enjoyed the services. Calf Creek extends a

hearty welcome to them. Only come more often.

Mrs. Carmon of Rising Star is paying her son of the Mann Bros.' ranch a visit.

Calf Creek and Nine will clash bats next Saturday.

I endorse the editor's note in last Friday's paper about having a County Base Ball league. Now, who will help the editor boost? I am in favor of getting up an athletic association also. If people do not think Calf Creek can put out a track team, let them send in their challenge. I want to hear from some of the other correspondents on this subject.

Mr. C. W. Tucker is having a concrete granery erected on his farm.

Recruit.

"Chamberlain's Tablets Have Done Wonders for Me."

"I have been a sufferer from stomach trouble for a number of years, and although I have used a great number of remedies recommended for this complaint, Chamberlain's Tablets is the first medicine that has given me positive and lasting relief," writes Mrs. Anna Kadin, Spencerport, N. Y. "Chamberlain's Tablets have done wonders for me and I value them very highly." Obtainable everywhere.

ATTENTION FARMERS!

I have purchased the Hardware Stock of J. F. Tindel, and will move same to the King building, north side of the square, next door to The Standard office.

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All Sweeps, Plows, Pitchforks, Hoes, Rakes, etc., at **HALF PRICE.** Nails, Bolts, Screws and similar goods at **ACTUAL COST.**

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PEAR VALLEY WHISPERS.

School Closes Friday—Have Picnic on Saturday

Pear Valley, Texas, May 9, 1916.

Editor Brady Standard:

My! Aren't we having warm, sunny days now? The farmers are showing their appreciation for them, too, by planting cotton from early morn till late night.

Mr. Craven Ferguson who went to Temple about three weeks ago to undergo an operation for appendicitis, returned home Saturday. He is doing nicely.

Mr. J. W. Jones has purchased a new Ford.

Mrs. Jaynie Howard and baby of Mission, Texas, are visiting at the home of S. J. Howard, this week. Mrs. Howard, formerly Miss Rush, lived here three years ago, and we are very glad to have her in our midst again.

A large crowd of Pear Valley people attended singing convention at Fife Sunday. The singing was fine, and the dinner couldn't be beat.

Bill Fowler's little daughter Gladys, has been real sick, but is better now.

Our school closes Friday, and we are to have a picnic Saturday. Of course, we are anticipating a grand time. Everybody, including you, Mr. Editor, has a special invitation.

Miss Ocha Slaughter and mother, spent Friday night with Mrs. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon are enjoying a visit this week from their daughter and family of Goldthwaite.

Smarty.

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ONION GAP SAYINGS.

Rotted Seed Necessitate Planting Over Cotton and Feed.

Rochelle, Texas, May 10, 1916.

Editor Brady Standard:—

The crops are growing very fast. Some cotton and feed had to be planted over on account of the drop in temperature last week, which just rotted the seed.

Gardens are coming to the front now, Mr. Andy Hall being the first to eat fresh "taters" out of his own garden.

Church meeting was discontinued Sunday on account of so many going to Fife.

Mr. Jim Bell and daughters, Misses Mary and Bernice, spent Thursday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Eubank.

Mr. and Mrs. White of Live Oak spent Sunday at the Turner home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gressett called at the Davis home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Pearl Bell was visiting in the county site the past week, a guest of Misses Mary and Bernice Bell.

W. R. Ince visited his father at Melvin last week.

Judd Bratton was visiting at the Gap Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sutton visited at Rochelle Saturday night.

C. M. Bell and wife spent Tuesday with their daughter at Corn Creek.

Ye writer visited Grandpa and Grandma Holden Saturday eve. Grandpa can't see this beautiful new coat Mother Earth is robed in. Still he says he is contented. While he is quite old, Grandpa says we are now living in the best and the most prosperous age he has ever lived in. He says just the grouch is all that can complain of the times. Grandpa is a pioneer of McCulloch having herded sheep during 12 years on the Melvin sheep ranch.

Mr. Jim Bell and family of Brady, Aunt Ann of North Brady, C. M. Bell and family, Clyde Eubank and wife, enjoyed a dinner all day and the fun on the Grand Picnic Sunday at the Boys' Camp.

J. B. Cottrell was visiting in the Gap Sunday.

To clear the minds of a few, I will state that Mr. Bell only has purchased 7 sections of land in the south part of the Company ranch, which he is improving. He will have one of the nicest little ranches in this part of the country.

Fairy.

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Dangerously Ill

A telegram was received here yesterday afternoon from R. A. Rutherford, Jr., at Lockhart stating that R. P. Carr, a former Brady citizen, but for the past few years making his home at Victoria, was seriously ill at that place and was not expected to live more than a day or two.

Mr. Carr has been in ill health for some time, and on account of his advanced age, of about 85 years, is not expected to survive.

He is well known throughout this section, having resided at Brady for twenty or twenty-five years, leaving a few years ago to make his home with a son at Victoria.

NEWS FROM ROCHELLE

Singing Convention and Goat Roping Draw Attention

Rochelle, Texas, May 9, 1916.

Editor Brady Standard:

Mr. Tom Sellman and family were guests of relatives in Brownwood from Friday to Sunday.

Mr. Marion Edwards, of Voca is here this week on business.

Mrs. Richard Moseley and children were guests of relatives in Brady several days last week.

Mr. O. B. White went to Camp San Saba Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Rice made a trip to Dallas last week and returned.

Misses Lou Townsend and Rubie Barton went to Fife last Friday and returned Sunday.

Mr. J. E. Samuelson and family of East Sweden were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Kid Jeffers returned last Saturday from Fort Worth. He was there several days in interest of cattle.

Mrs. Billie Poole Harrison of Bangs was guest of friends here last week for a few days.

Miss Neoma Burk of Brady is guest this week of the Misses Ranne's.

Mr. A. L. Neal and wife attended the picnic at Prairie View last Saturday.

Mr. Shad Simpson and family visited friends in Brady Sunday.

Mrs. J. K. Baze left last week for Sonora to guest of friends.

Mr. Lewis Bratton went to Fife last Sunday to attend the singing convention there.

Messrs. Jess and Melvin Burk, Roy Morris and Emmitt Hall, went to Brownwood last Saturday to witness the "goat roping" contest.

Mr. Arthur Neal and wife went to Fife last Sunday to be at the singing convention held there.

Miss Sweetie Jones of Deep Creek is guest this week of Messes Dollie and Alta Ranne.

Messrs. Charlie, Lewis, and Jud Bratton, Alvin Neal and W. E. Humphrey went to Brownwood last Saturday.

Mr. V. H. Humphrey and wife of Eldorado are guests this week of their parents, Mr. W. Humphrey and wife.

Mr. O. E. Rice went to Mercury Sunday.

Mr. J. T. Price and John Burk went to Brady Monday.

The Tattler.

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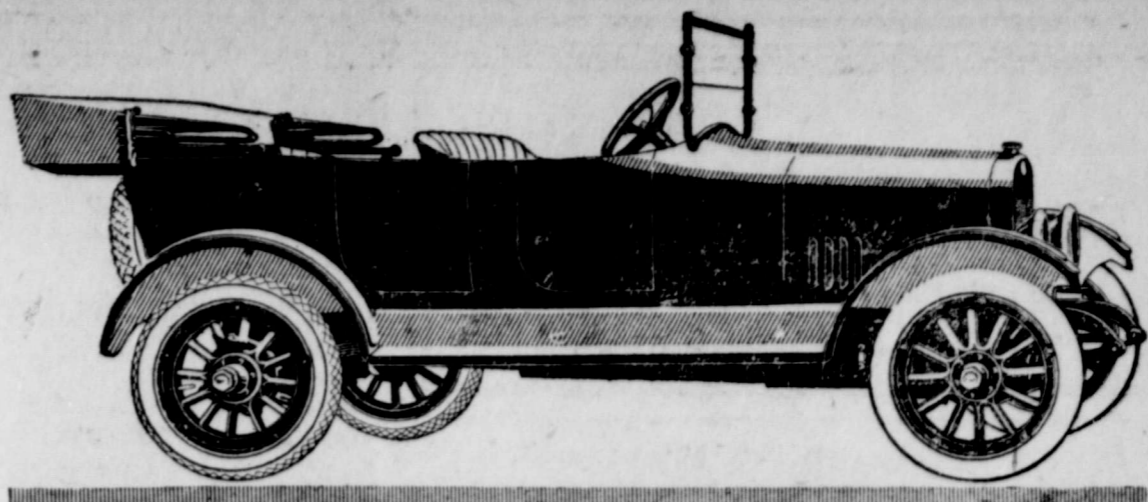
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STACY HAPPENINGS

Dr. and Mrs. Mannering Entertain for Young Folks.

Stacy Texas, May 8, 1916.

Editor Brady Standard:

Every one seems to be very busy fighting weeds and planting cotton. The recent rains made the farmers get busy.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burrow were visiting in Eden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cox were visiting at Gouldbush Friday.

Dr. Mannering was in Coleman this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dun were in Coleman this week on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Mannering entertained quite a number of young folks Saturday evening with an ice cream supper. Those in attendance report a very enjoyable time.

Pink Hinds was in Brady Monday on business.

Master Joe Idle of Gouldbush is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Lester Cox, this week.

Mrs. Lester Cox entertained the members of the Priscilla club with their husbands on last Thursday night and a very delightful time was spent in playing "42" and cards. The rooms were beautifully decorated with pink roses and honey-suckles, the color scheme being carried out in pink and green. Ice cream, cake and punch was served to the following members and invited guests: Messrs and Mesdames Johnnie Burrow, Dr. M. Mannering, W. D. Trott, M. Hammons, Sam Johnson, Archie Johnson, J. Dun, Joe Brooks, W. A. Brown, J. H. Snodgrass; Misses Ruth and Mattie Williams, Adle and Elva Hammons, Lucile Glazner, Anie Kirk, Ola Dulaney. Invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Clay Norwood, Mrs. Fred Taylor, Clarence Trott, Walter Trott, Doil Hammons, Ivan Mannering, John Alexander and brother of Millersview, Oscar Betsill, John Dickinson, Bird Kirk, Mason Chadwell, Richard Dickinson. In the series of "42" Mrs. Ruth Williams received club prize for high score; Mrs. W. A. Brown received prize for high score in "pitch".

Mr. J. Wilson is visiting his sister and father, Mr. Wilson and Mrs. W. S. Dickinson, of

this place.

Mrs. Fred Taylor and children of Brownwood are back at the ranch again and will spend the summer here.

Quite a large crowd went fishing Saturday night. They reported lots of fun, but not much fish.

Talking about baseball team, I think Stacy can boast of as fine a team as there is in the county. They haven't lost a game this season, and I think will play any team in the county.

Sunflower.

A GOOD FAMILY COUGH SYRUP. Can be made by mixing Pine-Tar, Aconite, Sugar, Hyoscyamus, Sassafras, Peppermint, Ipecac, Rhubarb, Mandrake, Capsicum, Muriate Ammonia, Honey and Glycerine. It is pleasant, healing and soothing, raises the phlegm and gives almost instant relief. For convenience of those who prefer not to fuss, it is supplied ready made in 25c bottles under name of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Can be had at your druggist. Insist on getting Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey and see that the formula is on the package.

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WEST SWEDEN NEWS

Prof. Miller Teaching Music Class at Night.

Brady, Texas, May 9, 1916.

Editor Brady Standard:

Prof. Miller from San Augustine is teaching a music school here at night. The student force consists of the young people of this and the Dodge community.

Miss Myrtle Broman of Melvin is visiting her sister, Mrs. Youngdale, this week.

John Swenson of Whiteand visited A. G. Spong last Sunday.

A. Benson and family of Melvin were guests at John Hanson's Sunday.

Miss Mary Hanson of Dodge is visiting relatives here this week.

Farmers here are very busy; some planting cotton over, since the recent rains destroyed much of it. However, the farmers are elated over the bright prospects that now prevail.

Bachelor.

WALDRIP LOCALS

Sunday School Preparing Program for "Mothers Day"

Waldrip, Texas, May 8, 1916.

We are so very busy that we haven't time to do visiting; therefore, a scarcity of news.

The Sunday school people are preparing a program for Mothers Day. All who will, may come; a hearty welcome will be given you, and a good dinner.

Mr. Heath, a Baptist minister from Brownwood, preached here Sunday, but owing to the rain, there was no preaching Sunday night.

The Crochet Club met with Mrs. Nat Randals. The house and yard were full and all had an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Julian Davis and daughter Mary Louise, visited J. R. Winstead and family last week.

Messrs. Tom Gattis and Turner Kennedy, of Donley County, are here on a visit to relatives.

The young people enjoyed a tucky party at Walton Hill's Friday night. They report a splendid time and some unusually tucky folks, Elbert Briscoe and Lois Bratton being the prize winners.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright (who live on the Dr. Jones place) have a new boy at their home. The young man arrived Monday, the 24th.

One of Mr. Malone's children fell and stuck a pair of scissors in her arm and almost bled to death before medical aid could be summoned.

Country Lass.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic, pains and diarrhoea. McGEE'S BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Central Drug Store.

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BRADY, TEXAS, MAY 12, 1916

THE SEMI-WEEKLY

The Brownwood News last week announced a change from weekly to semi-weekly edition, the change to be made this week. The Brownwood News is one of the best and most readable of county papers in this section of the State, and, needless to say, the change cannot do otherwise than improve the paper, inasmuch as its subscribers will receive the news twice-a-week, thereby getting the "news white it is new."

To out mind, the semi-weekly paper fills a want that is supplied neither by the weekly nor the daily paper. But comparatively few folks living outside of the cities subscribe or care for a daily paper. At the same time, the news as given by a weekly paper frequently "stales" so as to be unreadable, or else items of more than ordinary interest are never published because they are "stale" before the weekly is again issued.

On the other hand the semi-weekly edition gets the cream of the news to the subscriber before the "cream" has "soured." There is not the haste and attendant inaccuracies of the daily paper; and at the same time the advertiser can reach the reading and buying public for both the first-of-the-week and the last-of-the-week trading.

In a nut-shell, the semi-weekly is the happy medium.

Bro. Hill of the Brownwood News has materially improved his plant in the past year, having installed a modern linotype and other up-to-date equipment, and the innovation is one of the resultant improvements in the service he is rendering.

GOOD ROADS

In scattering flowers for the living, none could be better bestowed, nor more deserved, than upon the builders and maintainers of good roads. And heading the list, The Standard wishes to place R. M. Russell, with D. D. Hargroves as a close second. To "Bob" Russell is due the credit for the excellent condition of the Nine road. From the city limits to Nine, a better road could not be imagined nor de-

sired. It is as smooth as a table top, well crowned to facilitate drainage, and as near ideal as could be made. Mr. Russell is, without doubt, one of the best and most faithful overseers in the county, and after each rain he uses the drags on the road in his care, with results that speak for themselves.

Mr. Hargroves is likewise deserving of commendation for his work on the Whiteland road. Mr. Hargroves is one of our best citizens as well as one of the leading citizens of Dodge community, where he lives. Mr. Hargroves takes pride in keeping the Whiteland road in first-class condition, and the county as a whole owes him, and Mr. Russell as well, a hearty vote of thanks.

ROAD TAX MONEY.

The idea has prevailed that funds raised by county road tax cannot be used in improving the streets of incorporated towns. According to a recent ruling of the attorney general's department this is erroneous, and the commissioners may spend and should spend part of the money so raised within the corporate limits of town contributing towards the tax. The Coleman Democrat-Voice says anent this matter:

"According to a ruling made by the attorney general's department at Austin, the county commissioners not only can use funds raised by county road tax to improve streets in incorporated towns, but it is their duty to do so. Runnels county recently voted a special road tax, and as Ballinger pays a big part of this tax, the question was raised as to whether the city was entitled to a share of the benefits."

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For Friday night feature, Manager Levy of the Brady opera house will present that famous drama, "A Fool There Was," made famous throughout the United States by Theda Bara and which, in turn, made Theda Bara famous as the Vampire Woman. The play is presented in six reels, and is well worth the price asked for admission.

NOT ENOUGH CHILDREN

ever receive the proper balance of food to sufficiently nourish both body and brain during the growing period when nature's demands are greater than in mature life. This is shown in so many pale faces, lean bodies, frequent colds, and lack of ambition.

For all such children we say with unmistakable earnestness: They need Scott's Emulsion, and need it now. It possesses in concentrated form the very food elements to enrich their blood. It changes weakness to strength; it makes them sturdy and strong. No alcohol.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Recent Deals in Dirt Recorded in Office of County Clerk.

The following transfers of real estate have been recently recorded in the office of County Clerk W. J. Yantis:

S. A. Conley and wife to Sanger Bros., 160 acres out of Anton Muller Survey No. 592; 80 acres out of Anton Muller Survey No. 593; \$2000.00.

Mrs. Hannah Conley and husband to Sanger Bros. and McKean, Eilers Co., 5.39 acres of land in Dallas County and 20x69 1-4 feet in Brooks addition to Brady; \$1500.00.

B. F. Chandler to J. C. Turnbow, north half of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 16, North Brady addition; \$500.00 and exchange of other property.

M. F. Fuller to Earl Miller, north half of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, North Brady addition; \$500.00.

A. C. Wilkerson and wife to N. C. Walker and Leigh Burleson, lot 6 in block 6, Sutton addition to Brady; \$250.00.

H. C. McDowell, lot 3 in block 182, Luhr addition to Brady; \$600.00.

T. J. Bradley to Mrs. Fannie Bradley, Northwest quarter of block 170, Luhr addition to Brady; love and affection.

J. F. Gault to W. A. Nichols, 1 acre of A. Molzenberg Survey No. 855; \$360.00.

J. H. Allen and wife to M. A. Leddy, 20 acres out of F. F. Berger Survey No. 200; \$3600.00. Norman Woods and wife to E. M. Bratton, the T. S. Wood 160 acre Survey No. 716; \$280.00.

W. D. Crothers and wife to J. E. White, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 77, Crothers addition to Brady; lots 3, 4 and part of 5 in block 78, Crothers addition to Brady; \$250.00.

J. U. Ewing and wife to R. N. Ewing, 301 acres out of H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey No. 114; \$25.00 and other valuable considerations.

Mrs. Martha E. Baze to J. H. White, 100x200 feet out of Luhr addition to Brady, being the west half of block 154; \$2100.00.

J. M. Smith and wife to P. G. Hanes, an undivided one half interest in lot 10, block 10, town of Melvin; \$150.00.

E. E. Willoughby to C. J. Mitchell 90.3 acres out of Gilbert Smith Survey No. 1797; \$3100.

T. R. Poole and wife to S. L. Everett, 160 acres out of A. Mescof Survey No. 605; \$5600.00.

Hoffman Merc. Co. to J. H. Cason, Mrs. R. Brown Survey No. 1479; \$1600.00.

Warren Brantley and wife to Hoffman Merc. Co., Mrs. R. Brown Survey No. 1479; \$1600.

Warren Brantley and wife to Hoffman Merc. Co., Mrs. R. Brown Survey No. 724; \$1230 and other valuable considerations.

R. W. Scoggin and wife to J. B. Cawyer, lot 16 in block 10, town of Mercury; \$50.00.

A. D. Bowen to O. B. Jarrett, 15 acres out of the South part of G. E. Trott Survey No. 732; \$1375.00.

W. M. Mayfield and wife to H. M. Myers and G. M. Hufstutler, lot 16 in block 10, town of Mercury; \$600.00.

G. M. Hufstutler to H. M. Myers, one half interest in lot 16, block 10, town of Mercury; \$300.00.

B. F. Frankum and wife to J. T. Gressett, 61 1-2 acres out of the Southeast part of Rusk Transportation Co. Survey No. 99; \$1300.00.

E. O. Kerr and wife to J. S. Cox, 320 acres out of Ludwig Kage Survey No. 130x; \$2400.00.

J. C. Turnbow to M. F. Fuller, North half of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block 16, North Brady addition; \$750.00.

R. E. Peel and wife to B. L. Craddock, 160 acres out of the Northeast corner of G. H. & S. A. Ry. Co. Survey No. 1; \$2850.

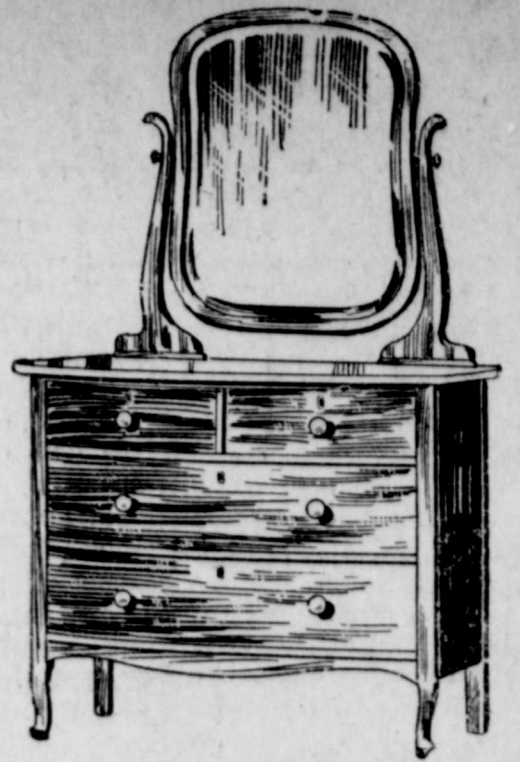


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J. S. Neal and wife to E. E. Mitchel, 100 acres out of Christian Frollich Survey No. 750; \$600.00.

H. C. McDowell and wife to M. C. Allman, lot 3 in block 182, Luhr addition to Brady; \$522.50.

McCulloch Co. Land & Cattle Co. to D. S. Pumphrey, 327.6 acres out of C. H. Booth Survey No. 274; 71.4 acres out of G. Jung Survey No. 808; 1 acre out of G. Jung Survey No. 807; \$3000.00.

M. L. Stallings and wife to W. R. Davidson, Jr., lots 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 28, Crothers & White addition to Brady; \$3441.

A. C. Baze to M. L. Stallings, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8 in block 28, Crothers & White addition to Brady; \$3000.00.

G. S. Watkins and wife to A. W. Keller, lots 2 and 3 in block 8, Sutton addition to Brady; \$400.00.

Rheumatism.

If you are troubled with chronic or muscular rheumatism give Chamberlain's Liniment a trial. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. Obtainable everywhere.

Mixed Meal and Hulls.

Make good cow feed. Phone your order to Macy & Co.

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If you will investigate the many superior points in the Coons Cypress Silo, you will be convinced it is the best to buy. We only ask an opportunity to demonstrate with the model in our office. South Texas Lumber Co.

Watch this paper
GRAPE SM

A Correction.

The Standard was in error in reporting the blaze in the servant's house at Mrs. Laura White's as having originated from a defect in the wiring. It appears the servant was ironing, and allowed the iron to set on the floor so long that a hole was burnt therein, and the blaze originated from the cause.

SAFETY (Razors) FIRST.

A Durham Duplex Safety Razor for only 10c. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles have yielded to Doan's Ointment. 50c at all stores.

Fruit jars. O. D. Mann & Sons.

During May Only.

We will accept subscriptions to the Fort Worth Star-Telegram (Daily and Sunday) from time of subscription until January 1, 1917, at only \$2.50. In this connection we will have a number of wall maps of Mexico showing every town, railroad, river, mountain pass and, in fact everything of geographical interest in the whole country. These maps are furnished by the Star-Telegram and will be sold to Standard subscribers for only 30c. Remember, offer good only during May.

FURNITURE, BIG STOCK, sold on easy payments. E. J. BROAD.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the MERCURY STATE BANK At Mercury, State of Texas, at the close of Business on the 1st Day of May, 1916, published in The Brady Standard, a Newspaper Printed and Published at Brady, State of Texas, on the 12th Day of May, 1916.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$33,315.26
Loans, real estate	1,190.00
Overdrafts	1,115.46
Furniture and Fixtures	2,000.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	7,358.10
Cash Items	21.10
Currency	1,072.00
Specie	819.89
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	345.65
Other Resources as follows	87.16
Total	\$47,324.62
Liabilities	
Capital Stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,582.57
Individual Deposits, subject to check	20,501.75
Time Certificates of Deposit	1,224.50
Demand Certificates of Deposit	15.80
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	8,000.00
Total	\$47,324.62

State of Texas, County of McCulloch—I, Roscoe Cawyer, as cashier of said bank, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ROSCOE CAWYER, Cashier.
Subscribed and affirmed to before me this 8th day of May, A. D. 1916.
A. C. WRIGHT,
Notary Public, McCulloch County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:
JOHN B. CAWYER,
J. F. CAWYER,
Directors.

CHALMERS AGENCY.

Rochelle-Brady Motor Car Co. Receives Demonstration Car.

The Rochelle-Brady Motor Car Co. has accepted the agency for the Chalmers automobile, their representation covering five counties in this immediate section of Texas. The company has received and has on display the Chalmers Bluebird—a light six that is considered one of the classiest cars on the market. The Chalmers is famed far and wide for its possession of a motor making 3400 r. p. m.—the speediest motor in the United States. The Chalmers sells for \$1175.00 f. o. b. Brady, and Mr. Jones or his assistants will take pleasure in demonstrating the car.

The Chalmers, in connection with the Dort, makes an ideal combination for the company, giving the purchaser choice of the higher priced auto or the moderate priced car. The popularity of the Dort is demonstrated in repeated sales made by the company during the short time they have been established. E. J. S. Lee of Placid is the most recent purchaser, having last Tuesday driven out a Dort car for his personal use.

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Calomel Is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

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When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

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Carload of binder twine just arrived. Let us sell you. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Don't forget that I have the largest stock and best prices on Kool Krash suits in town and we alter them to fit you also. The price is \$8.50. Kirk, the tailor. Nuf Sed.

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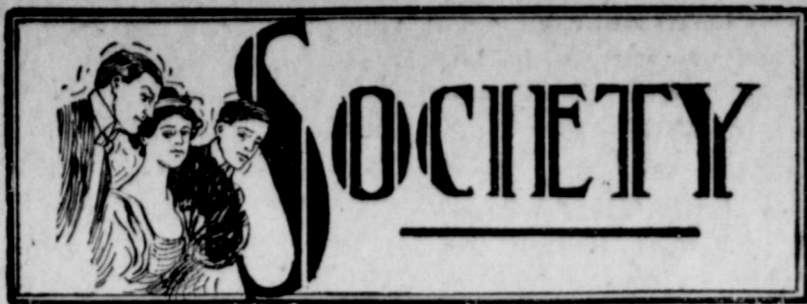
NOTICE—The sun, moon and stars may rise, But the price of cleaning and pressing Palm-Beach clothes will remain the same as last year, 50 cents. Phone 148, and our big steam press will make them look like new.

MANN BROS.

O-Cedar polish and Johnson's floor wax. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Cow Feed.

Have quantity of mixed meal and hulls for cow feed. Macy & Co.



Ring 163 If You Have Items for These Columns—

North Side Bible Class.

The North Side Bible class met last Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. N. Bryson, and a splendid attendance and good lesson is reported.

The class meets this afternoon at 3:30 with Mrs. M. A. Carroll for a study of the 13th to 18th chapters inclusive of II Samuel.

All members of the class are urged to attend, and visitors are cordially invited.

Mothers and Teachers Meeting.

The Mothers and Teachers club will meet at the Presbyterian church next Monday afternoon, at which time all members are urged to be present.

On account of the churches giving way for the baccalaureate sermon to be preached at the Methodist tabernacle next Sunday by Rev. George W. Sherman, the special service at the Presbyterian church arranged for Mothers Day, has been postponed until the following Sunday.

Merry Maids and Matrons.

The Merry Maids and Matrons met Wednesday as guests of Mrs. W. E. Lyle, and enjoyed the afternoon at three tables of "42". Present were Misses Trix Gay, Minna Elliot, Carrie Sessions, Ona Searly, Mesdames George Davis, J. B. Whiteman, Will Kennerly. Invited guests were Mesdames Tom Elliot, Claud Baker; Misses Mozelle Glenn, Irma Woodard.

The hostess served refreshments of grape ice and cake. Miss Elliot received prize for high score, and Miss Sessions received consolation.

The members will participate in a picnic on next Tuesday.

Inter Se.

Mrs. W. E. Lyle entertained pleasantly for the members of the Inter Se on last Friday, the following members being present: Misses Carrie Sessions, Carrie Berry, Ruth and Ruby Wood, Mozelle Glenn, Flora Schaege, Mamy Spiller, Margaret Todd, Margaret McGhee, Sarah Johanson; Mrs. Sam McCollum. Guests were Mesdames O. T. Clark, M. P. Wegner, George Davis, J. B. Whiteman.

The hostess served refreshments consisting of ice tea, chicken salad, hot rolls, olives and mints.

Miss Todd received a vase for high score, and Miss Johanson received consolation, a lingerie pin.

The club meets this afternoon with Miss Margaret McGhee.

Five Hundred Club.

Mrs. R. G. Prater was hostess on last Friday afternoon to the members and invited guests of the Five Hundred club at five tables. Club members present included the following: Mesdames J. R. Stone, J. S. Anderson, J. G. McCall, C. T. White, G. R. White, J. S. Wall, W. W. Walker, W. L. Hughes, W. E. Campbell, G. V. Gansel. Invited guests of the club for the afternoon were Mesdames W. D. Crothers, F. R. Wulff, R. W. Turner, S. A. Benham, S. W. Moffatt, F. W. Henderson, W. R. Davidson, Bailey Jones; Miss Harriet Cook.

Club prize for high score was received by Mrs. G. V. Gansel, and guest prize was awarded Mrs. S. A. Benham.

Delicious refreshments of chicken salad, sandwiches, olives and orange ice were served by the hostess.

The club meets this afternoon with Mrs. B. Simpson.

Ladies Tuesday Club.

The Tuesday Club met at the regular hour Tuesday afternoon with thirteen members answering roll call.

The course of study for the coming year will be Norway Sweden, Holland, and Spain.

An interesting lesson on curious religious sights and scenes in India, and American Missions in India, was led by Mrs. Freeman.

Next Tuesday the Club will close its years work with its annual picnic, which will be held at Hudson Springs on the Brook ranch.

All members are requested to meet at Mrs. W. N. White's residence at 8:00 A. M. and don't forget your dinner baskets.

With Mrs. Moffatt.

Mrs. S. W. Moffatt entertained a number of friends most pleasantly on Wednesday afternoon with a Five Hundred party, a series of eight games being enjoyed by six tables of players. Tasty decorations of baskets of wild flowers adorned the rooms.

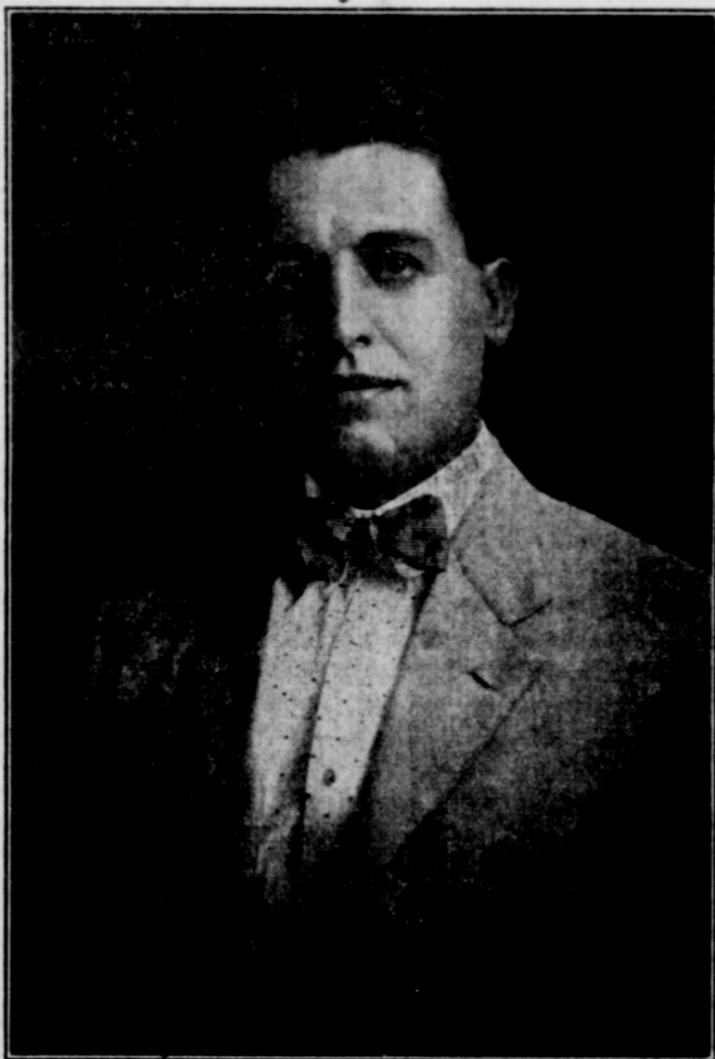
BRADY SCHOOL CLOSES

BACCALAUREATE SERMON BY REV. G. W. SHERMAN.

Commencement Exercises on Thursday Night at Methodist Tabernacle—7 Grads.

Friday night of next week will mark the close of one of the greatest and most successful years in Brady school history. Under the efficient charge of Supt. W. L. Hughes, the Brady high school has gained greater recognition than at any time since its beginning, and, in fact, Brady high school is one of out a comparatively few high schools in Texas having affiliation with all Southern universities. This distinction places the school in a class with the high schools of the largest cities. The additional three units of credit obtained during the past year still further illuminates the brilliant record of the school.

There are seven graduates in the Class of 1916—three girls: Misses Bernice Hall, Willie Martin, Anita Fahrenthold; four boys, Clarence Bell, Herbert Marshall, Lawrence Knox, Irvin Marshall. All have made splendid records in the Brady school, and with the excellent training given them by the faculty of the Brady high school, they stand on the threshold of life's useful-



W. L. HUGHES
Superintendent Brady Public Schools
and Instructor in Mathematics

On arrival of the guests Mrs. J. R. Stone served delicious grape juice, and at the conclusion of the games the hostess, graciously assisted by Miss Esther Anderson, served a salad course with an ice and angel food cake.

A dainty negligee for high score was received by Miss Harriet Cook, and Mrs. W. D. Crothers received a Harrison Fisher picture as consolation.

The guests included Mesdames W. E. Campbell, J. G. McCall, J. R. Stone, J. S. Wall, C. T. White, G. R. White, R. G. Prater, W. W. Walker, Bailey Jones, W. D. Crothers, D. J. Wood, F. R. Wulff, G. C. Kirk, C. D. Allen, S. A. Benham, Lewis Brook, R. W. Turner, F. W. Henderson, B. Simpson, C. C. Johanson; Misses Sarah Johanson, Harriet Cook, Mary Brook, Esther Anderson, Allie Mae Anderson, Tilda Burke of Granger.

Entre Nous.

No meeting of the Entre Nous club was held this week, but will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. W. D. Crothers.

KEEP KOOL KLOTHES FOR GENTLEMEN



We have a splendid line of men's summer clothing, Palm Beach, Mohair, and Crash, made especially for the hot summer days.

Come in and let us show you clothes that you will be glad to wear; clothing that makes you feel perfectly comfortable during the hot and sultry days.

We have it in all the newest shades, at prices within the reach of all.

\$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50

To appreciate the values you must see them, come in and let us show them to you, no trouble to show goods.

THE HUB DRY GOODS CO.

Invocation, Rev. R. M. Bailey.
"Swing Song," girl's chorus.
Address, Prof. W. S. Taylor, University of Texas.
"The Gypsy Trail," boy's quartette.
Valedictory, Herbert Marshall.
"Estudiantina," girl's chorus.
Presentation of diplomas, scholarships, etc.
"Anchored," M. Watson.
"Over the Summer Sea," Verdi Rigoletto.
Benediction.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is cataract. Cataract being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Cataract Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Cataract Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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Program for Junior Missionary Society, May 14, 1916.

Song.
Bible lesson, Climbing for the Light. (Luke 19:2-10)
Sentence Prayers.
Roll Call Answered by Bible Quotations.
Report of Officers.
Reading of Minutes.
Plenty for Ourselves, A Pitance for God. (Johnnie Baty)
Human Flesh As A Chinese Remedy. (Louise Richardson)
Song.
Dismissal.

A Sled cultivator will get the small weeds easily. O. D. Mann & Sons.

TWO GOOD SECOND HAND AUTOS FOR SALE CHEAP. IN GOOD CONDITION. E. J. BROAD.

When your pencil sharpener gets dull, we can supply new cutter blades at a trifling cost. The Brady Standard.

WONDERFUL PROSPERITY IN TEXAS

The people of Texas have never seen such wonderful prosperity as they are enjoying at present.

Farmers have a ready sale at high prices for everything they can grow. Stockmen can not supply the increasing demand for all kinds of livestock.

In addition to this, Texas has been blessed with fine weather and plenty of rain. For several years we have enjoyed most favorable seasons for farm and grass lands.

This is the time to improve the comforts of your home, enlarge your barn, arrange for permanent and convenient water about your premises.

As the amount of land never changes and the population increases rapidly, land will never be any cheaper. This is the time to buy a tract adjoining you so as to give you more land to cultivate, or more grass and water so you can grow more livestock.

If you have land to offer as security you can get money on easy terms and at low interest from Brown Bros. of Austin, Texas.

Applications for loans may be made through S. W. Hughes & Co., of Brady. Abstracts of title to your land may be submitted to Brown Bros. along with your application for loan, which will insure prompt service.

Monte Carlo Pool Hall

Good, clean, scientific sport at a trifling cost. Steadies your nerves and relieves brain fag. Come and spend your idle moments with us.

Next door to the Standard office.

J. C. WOODWARD, Prop.

SINCE TAKING PERUNA

I can say my bowels are much more regular. My heart is stronger. My appetite is much better. My throat is much better.



Mrs. William H. Hinchliffe, 20 Myrtle St., Beverly, Mass., writes: "I have taken four bottles of Peruna, and I can say that it has done me a great deal of good for catarrh of the head and throat. I recommend Peruna to all sufferers with catarrh. I do not think I ever felt much better. I am really surprised at the work I can do. I do not think too much praise can be said for Peruna."

Those who object to fluid medicines can now procure Peruna Tablets.

ROCK ISLAND NEWS

Former McCulloch County Boy Writes of South Texas.

Rock Island, Texas, May 4, 1916. Editor Brady Standard:—

Well, as this is my first attempt to write will write a short letter.

The farmers are all smiles over the big 1-2 inch rain leaving a fine prospect for a good crop this year.

I wish some of my Brady friends were down here to get a mess of green peas and beans.

Some of the farmers have corn laid by, and cotton with squares on it. So McCulloch County farmers can see what South Texas is good for.

John B. Kerr is the King of the Prairie in cotton and sweet potatoes. He seems to think he will make a bale of cotton to the acre, so look out, Brady friends, when he comes up he will be loaded with "hot air" and will tell you about his jersey herd which is making a total of about \$12 a week, although he is only milking 9 head.

Dewey Kerr has purchased the big bay mare from his father. It is a beauty and is known all over South Texas, as she has won many races.

We have some awful good land here from \$8 to \$100 per acre and awfully healthy. Would like to see this county settled up by Texas people, as they are the only kind that will stay down here.

Will ring off and not delay

the game any longer. Wish The Standard and its many readers success.

Mutt

Whooping Cough.

One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. S. W. McClinton, Blandon Springs, Ala., writes, "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as most any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got well." Obtainable everywhere.

Refrigerators. O. D. Mann & Sons.

BINDER TWINE. E. J. BROAD.

At Christian Tabernacle.

Evangelistic meetings beginning Tuesday night, May 16th, at the First Christian tabernacle, led by Evangelist Arthur W. Jones of Dallas, assisted by his singer, Omer S. Jones, of Marshall, Texas.

Bro. Jones is not a stranger in Brady, having been the regular minister to the church a number of years ago. He is known as a fine Christian man, a strong gospel preacher, and a rich treat is in store for everyone who will attend his meetings.

Mr. Omer S. Jones is a fine soloist and song evangelist of wide reputation, and the singers of Brady will be delighted to be in his chorus. All of the singers of the community are invited to come and help him in the singing.

Everybody cordially invited to come to this meeting. Remember the date, Tuesday night, May 16th, the beginning. R. M. BAILEY, Minister.

Found Simple Remedy that Relieved Child

Mild Laxative Compound Corrects Stubborn Case of Constipation.

An important duty that devolves on parents is the regulation of their children's bowels. Health in later life depends in large measure on early training and a child should be taught from infancy to regular habits.

When from any cause the bowel becomes congested with stomach waste a mild laxative should be employed to open up the passage gently and carry off the congested mass. A most effective remedy for this purpose is the combination of simple laxative herbs known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Mrs. W. D. Bulls, of Reed, Okla., used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin for her baby boy, Harley Buren Bulls, and says "It did him more good than anything we have given him. His bowels are very stubborn about acting, but they act easily every time I give him Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin."



HARLEY BUREN BULLS

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin contains no opiate or narcotic drug and is a splendid remedy for children and older people as well. It has been on the market for more than twenty-five years and is the family standby in thousands of homes. Druggists everywhere sell it for fifty cents a bottle. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 454 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

PICNIC AT VOCA.

Committee Announces Program for Thursday, May 18th.

A cordial invitation is being sent to the citizens of McCulloch and surrounding counties to attend the "Old Time Picnic" to be given at Voca next Thursday, May 18th. The committee announces a continuous round of pleasure and amusement for old and young alike. There will be base ball, basket ball, goat roping, cigar races, hobby horses and all the various entertaining features that go to make up a great holiday event. Likewise the candidates will be present and contribute to the excitement of the day by telling of their own merits and those of the world at large, in silver-tongued oratory.

Don't forget the date, and remember the citizens of Voca are extending the glad hand of hospitality and friendship to one and all.

RHEUMATIC PAIN STOPPED.

The drawing of muscles, the soreness, stiffness and agonizing pain of rheumatism quickly yield to Sloan's Liniment. It stimulates circulation to the painful part. Just apply as directed to the sore spots. In a short time the pain gives way to a tingling sensation of comfort and warmth. Here's proof—"I have had wonderful relief since I used your liniment on my knee. To think one application gave me relief. Sorry I haven't space to tell you the history. Thanking you for what your remedy has done for me."—James S. Ferguson, Philada, Pa. Sloan's Liniment kills pain. 25c. at druggists.

Water coolers. O. D. Mann & Sons.

YOU CAN BUY AN ICE CREAM FREEZER, LAWN MOWER, REFRIGERATOR on easy payments. E. J. BROAD.

Porch swings and porch shades. O. D. Mann & Sons.

COMPARE our line of Palm-Beach, Mohair and crash clothes with others regarding WORKMANSHIP, STYLE, QUALITY AND FIT. We have the largest stock to select from. Sizes 33 to 48.

MANN BROS. AUTO TIRES—the HARTFORD. Can fit any size; also all sizes of inner TUBES. E. J. BROAD.

Visit the City Bakery. Best in bread, cakes, pastries, etc.

Lawn mowers. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Doan's Regulets are recommended by many who say they operate easily, without griping and without bad after effects. 25c at all drug stores.

Cotton chopping hoes and files. O. D. Mann & Sons.

When you begin to improve your property, remember we have the best paint on the market. Call and let us convince you. Ramsay Planing Mill.

For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Eucletic Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes—25c and 50c. At all drug stores.

Mercury School Closes. Supt. F. M. Morris of the Mercury school closed a very successful and satisfactory year on last Saturday night with the commencement exercises at that place. The people of Mercury are justly proud of their excellent school, and the appreciation of the faculty's effort at making still greater progress during the past year was shown by the great attendance that marked the closing exercises.

The following was the program rendered: Class Prophecy, Miss Edna Sawyer.

"The Image of the Marble," Miss Myrtle Sansom.

Piano solo, Miss Ruth Beakley.

"Significance of Browning's 'Rabbi Ben Ezra,'" Miss Vera Scoggin.

"True Nobility," Miss Ruth Beakley.

Piano solo, Miss Edna Sawyer. Class History, Miss Ethel Matlock. Address and presentation of Diplomas, Judge Joe A. Adkins.

GETS RELIEF

Brownwoodite Discharges Load of Poisonous Gas.

In an article headed "Hard to Buy Gas in Sleepy Village," the Brownwood Bulletin last Friday printed an article which would lead one to believe that the traveler mentioned therein was suffering from an overcharge of gas on his system. Unfortunately (for the traveler) the gas developed no power for the traveler's Ford limousine; rather only a headache. No doubt after getting the gas off his system by recounting his woes in the Bulletin, the traveler's head was as empty as was his gasoline tank in Brady. For future convenience, we would like to advise Brownwood citizens who stray as far as fifty miles from home, that there is no livery stable in connection with the fire station; however, there is a wagon yard just across the way from the fire station at which, no doubt, every comfort of Brownwood's night travelers will be looked after.

The article from the Bulletin follows:

"That it is a difficult matter to find anybody sufficiently awake in Brady to sell a man a few gallons of gasoline is the testimony offered by a Brownwood citizen who recently jitted."

"Arriving at Brady after midnight, the Brownwood man found that his gas tank was about empty, and decided to fill it before starting back to Brownwood. He had been told that one could, if necessary, buy gasoline at a livery stable, which was next door to the fire station; and that in case there was nobody home at the livery stable, some one at the fire station would measure out the gasoline and take the money.

"Brady was sleeping peacefully, dreaming that times were good and business brisk, when the Brownwoodite reached the city. He visited the livery stable, and found nobody on the premises. He then visited the fire station, and there was also a noticeable scarcity of humanity there. As a last resort, the Brownwood man decided to telephone somebody and start something. He approached the telephone apparatus in the fire station, gave the crank a vicious twist—and bedlam broke loose. It seems that the telephone was automatically connected with the fire alarm, and when the crank of the apparatus was turned the lights in the fire station were turned on, the fire alarm sounded, and half a dozen firemen came tumbling down from the regions up above. Brady citizens were rudely awakened from their slumbers, and within a few minutes everybody was out

looking for the flames.

"In the meantime the Brownwood autoist was having troubles of his own explaining to the sleepy-eyed firemen that all he wanted was a chance to buy some gasoline. For a time there were fears of mob violence, but the gasoline purchase was finally made, and peace again reigned in McCulloch county."

Dressers in all finishes—bird's eye maple, oak, walnut or quartered gum. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Sallow complexion is due to a torpid liver. HERBINE purifies and strengthens the liver and bowels and restores the rosy bloom of health to the cheek. Price 50c. Sold by Central Drug Store.

When you begin your spring house cleaning, call and see our beautiful assortment of wall papers. Ramsay Planing Mill.

Palm-Beach clothes save you money, \$5. and up per suit, and we clean and press suit for the same old price 50 cents. Phone 148.

MANN BROS. Have you bought that binder yet? We want to sell you an improved Buckeye. Let us show you one. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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My jack will make the season at my place on Cow Creek. Fee, \$8.00 to insure. Joshua Epps.

SEVERE PUNISHMENT Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years' Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Mt. Airy, N. C.—Mrs. Sarah M. Chappell of this town, says: "I suffered for five years with womanly troubles, also stomach troubles, and my punishment was more than any one could tell."

I tried most every kind of medicine, but none did me any good. I read one day about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I decided to try it. I had not taken but about six bottles until I was almost cured. It did me more good than all the other medicines I had tried, put together.

My friends began asking me why I looked so well, and I told them about Cardui. Several are now taking it.

Do you, lady reader, suffer from any of the ailments due to womanly trouble, such as headache, backache, sideache, sleeplessness, and that everlastingly tired feeling?

If so, let us urge you to give Cardui a trial. We feel confident it will help you, just as it has a million other women in the past half century.

Begin taking Cardui today. You won't regret it. All druggists. Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Hints for Women," in plain wrapper. B. G. 1916

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Wanted. To keep house for family without children. References required and given. Prefer ranch. Phone Mrs. S., at 146. Box 152.

For Sale—Pure strain prize-winning Black Minorca eggs; \$150 per 15. Eggs delivered any time. A. C. Wood, Brady.

320 acres of land; 100 acres good farm land, balance good grass land; no improvements. \$8.50 per acre, part cash. Five miles from Lohn. Meers Land Company.

For Sale. 280 Rambouillet sheep—140 ewes, 60 weathers, 5 bucks, 75 lambs. Year's clip of wool. HARRY McCAIN, Whon, Texas.

A Bargain in A Fine Home Situated 1-2 mile from public square, just outside of the corporate limits, avoiding the city tax, and having all advantages of the city; 9-room home, bath with hot and cold water, well finished throughout. Situated on elevation overlooking the town; 21 1-2 acres of land goes in with place; 10 acres fine tillable land. balance good grass. Well and windmill; good tank. Price \$5,000.00; \$2000.00 cash, balance terms.

MEERS LAND CO. FOR SALE—A few choice registered Duroc-Jersey pigs; good shape. See me, or call at my home on Blackburn St. MARSHALL RANKIN

CREAM-CUSTOMERS. Will pay highest market price for your cream, receiving same on Wednesdays and Saturdays. F. A. KNOX, Agent, Nissley Creamery Co.

For windmills, pipe, and mill supplies, bath tubs, etc., see Wm. Bauhof, or phone 109.

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What Would We Do Without Sugar?



GATHERING SUGAR CANES

We are so used to sugar that we are likely to forget to give it its proper place. Right now if somebody asked you what sugar was good for you'd probably say—"Oh! to put in coffee and tea and for making candies and desserts." That's it—we all think of sugar as a sweetener and overlook its value as a food. The chemists classify sugar as a hydrocarbon—that name may or may not be interesting to us, but what is interesting is their statement that it has, as a hydrocarbon, equal food value with the starchy foods and by digestion largely adds to the fatty tissues of the body.

Why do we eat sugar anyway? Your first answer might be: "Because it is sweet and tastes good." Of itself the answer would be correct, but the more important fact is that the body craves sugar because it needs it. And when the body craves something it gives us an appetite for it. So primarily that's why we like sugar and things made with sugar and not just because they are sweet.

In view of the fact that sugar has gone up so tremendously of late these facts are interesting because we find that instead of the luxury sugar having gone up it is the FOOD sugar that has raised its price. Yet—even though the price is up we have to have our sweet food just the same.

Certainly the makers of that delicious beverage Coca-Cola must have discovered that sugar is up, because one of the principal ingredients in making Coca-Cola syrup is fine cane sugar. Think of it—they use an average of 80 tons of sugar a day—about 4 carloads. But unlike many manufacturers that company has itself borne the raises and so you and I pay just the same today for our bottle or glass of Coca-Cola that we've always paid. Incidentally, this phase of the situation is a good reminder of the benefits one gets from drinking a beverage as pure and good as Coca-Cola. Not only do we please our palates and derive wholesome refreshment from the drink but we also give our systems that bit of sugar sweetness that they crave and which is necessary to health and tissues. Is it any wonder then that Coca-Cola is so popular and so universally drunk that it has been called "the drink the nation drinks"?



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AUTOMOBILE OWNERS!

I have received and am opening up my stock of Automobile accessories in the R. A. King building, next to The Standard office. My stock includes everything in the accessory line and will also carry a complete assortment of Automobile Novelties. Everything will be sold at a living profit and I will appreciate a liberal share of your patronage. Free Air and Water. Only the best Gasoline and Lubricating Oils.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

J. M. Fuller left Wednesday night for Fort Worth on a business trip.

Luther Parks of Mercury spent several days here the first of the week.

R. W. Lee went to Brownwood Wednesday night to spend a few days on business.

Miss Tilda Burke of Granger is a guest of Miss Esther Anderson for a short visit.

W. C. Wagner returned Wednesday afternoon from a business trip to San Saba county.

I. E. Larimore arrived Tuesday from Mason, and has joined The Brady Standard force as linotype operator.

Supt. Joe M. Lyle of the Brady Water & Light Works returned yesterday morning from a short business trip to Waco.

H. P. Roddie is spending several days this week in the San Angelo country looking after the spring clip of wool and mohair.

W. D. Crothers went to Fort Worth Tuesday night to attend a meeting of the Frisco Railway directorate, of which he is a member.

Miss Lena Vinson left Tuesday night for Brownwood, having been called there by the illness of her father, Rev. Wade D. Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Kirk drove to San Angelo in their car Wednesday, returning yesterday accompanied by his father, S. S. Kirk, who will be their guest for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dial and children came in from the ranch in Kimble county Wednesday to spend a few days here as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dial.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCall left Wednesday afternoon in their car for a trip of two or three weeks to the Gulf Coast country. They will visit in Houston, Galveston and Port Arthur while away.

Mrs. Burk Yeager and little daughter arrived yesterday morning from Stephenville for a visit with Mrs. H. B. Yeager and family. Mr. Yeager expects to join them here the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ogden returned Wednesday morning from their trip to New York, Kentucky and other points east and north. They report a very pleasant trip, and an enjoyable visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Stallings returned from Lometa the latter part of last week and have been guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. R. Davidson. Mr. Stallings returned to Lometa the first of the week, but Mrs. Stallings will continue her visit for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Matthews and son, Norton, came in from Hext Thursday, having been called here by the illness of Mrs. Matthews' father, A. Ogden. Mr. Matthews returned to the ranch yesterday, but Mrs. Matthews and Norton will continue their visit here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Savage left Wednesday night for Philadelphia. They expect to spend the summer visiting there and in northern and eastern points, but have promised to return to Brady in the fall, to which time their Brady friends are looking forward with a great deal of pleasant anticipation.

W. B. Shaw of Dallas is in the city representing Leopold, Solomon & Eisendrath, clothing manufacturers of Chicago. Mr. Shaw and the editor attended school together in Burlington, Iowa, some fifteen years ago, and the present chance meeting was the first in that length of time. Quite naturally somewhat of a pow-wow resulted and the "good old days" were recalled and reviewed.

E. R. Stiles, a former well known business man of this city, is here for a few days' visit with friends.

Rev. T. P. Grant left last night for Comanche, where he will spend several days looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Parker of Pecan Gap are in the city for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Summers and family.

Tom King was over from Brownwood Wednesday and Thursday for a visit with his parents, Judge and Mrs. T. J. King.

E. S. Wickes was here from Bryan last week visiting his cousin, Mrs. W. H. Ballou. Mr. Wickes announces that he expects to move his family here from Bryan about July 1st, and that they will make their permanent home here.

A. N. Bryson is receiving many compliments upon the handsome appearance of the new Reo car just recently purchased by him. The car is a 4-cylinder, 5-passenger model, and has many features that make it one of the most desirable cars on the market.

Have your vulcanizing done by steam at Brady Auto Co.

AVOID SPRING COLDS. Sudden changes, high winds, shifting seasons cause colds and grippe, and these spring colds are annoying and dangerous and are likely to turn into a chronic summer cough, in such cases take a treatment of Dr. King's New Discovery, a pleasant laxative Tar Syrup. It soothes the cough, checks the cold and helps break up an attack of grippe. It's already prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. Tested and tried for over 40 years.

SUCCESSFUL PICNIC Mountain View Citizens Entertain Friends Last Saturday.

The citizens of the Mountain View community entertained their friends last Saturday with the first picnic of the season, the day proving a most delightful and enjoyable one in every respect. The day was ideal and everyone entered into the spirit of the occasion with a zest that insured the fullest enjoyment of all.

No set program was followed, but a short time in the forenoon was given over to speaking by the county candidates, a number of whom were present to place their claims and expound their superior qualifications for the offices to which they aspire.

At the close of the speaking, dinner was announced. And such a dinner it was. Roast meats, salads, vegetables, cakes, pies and every description of good things to eat were on hand in plentiful profusion, enough in fact, to have satisfied a crowd of twice the size.

In the afternoon a base ball game between a team from Lohn and the Prairie View nine was pulled off for the entertainment of the visitors and resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 15 to 7.

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS WELL? Many Brady People Know the Importance of Healthy Kidneys.

The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. Well kidneys remove impurities. Weak kidneys allow impurities to multiply.

No kidney ill should be neglected. There is possible danger in delay. If you have backache or urinary troubles, if you are nervous, dizzy or worn out, Begin treating your kidneys at once.

Use a proven kidney remedy—None endorsed like Doan's Kidney Pills.

Recommended by thousands. Proved by Brady testimony. Mrs. T. S. Wood, Brady, says: "Not only myself, but another in the family, has found excellent results from Doan's Kidney Pills. They strengthened my back and gave me relief from headache, dizzy spells and nervousness. I had used another kidney medicine before, but I can say that Doan's Kidney Pills gave me results that were far superior to the other."

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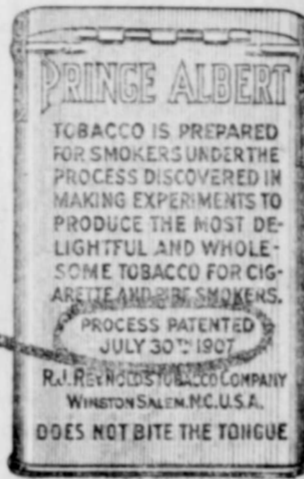
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It answers every smoke desire you or any other man ever had! It is so cool and fragrant and appealing to your smokeappetite that you will get chummy with it in a mighty short time!

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This is the reverse side of the Prince Albert tidy red tin. Read this "Patented Process" message-to-you and realize what it means in making Prince Albert so much to your liking.

J. W. NORRIS SUICIDES. Former Brady Man Kills Self in Brownwood.

The funeral of J. W. Norris, who early Tuesday morning committed suicide in his shop on East Broadway, will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, at the family residence, 116 Greenleaf street. The funeral service will be conducted by Rev. L. J. Mims, pastor of the First Baptist church, assisted by the Knights of Pythias, Modern Woodmen and Loyal Order of Moose, of which orders he was a member. The funeral is delayed until tomorrow in order to permit the arrival of relatives and friends from distant points.

Mrs. Norris, who was prostrated by the tragedy of yesterday, was resting very well today, though still suffering severely from the shock. She has been given the care and attention of a host of friends who sympathize with her in her deep bereavement.

So far no motive has been found for the suicide yesterday. Friends and relatives have been checking up the business affairs of the deceased, but so far have

authorized no statement. Ill health and resulting despondency is apparently the only cause of the tragedy.

The bullet which caused the death of Mr. Norris was found yesterday. After having passed entirely through the body the bullet pierced a two-inch piece of wood, and struck the wall of the building.—Brownwood Bulletin.

I have now procured a preparation which I can recommend to all my friends as being a splendid remedy for all forms of stomach and bowel trouble, indigestion, bloating, sick headache, heartburn, etc., and those suffering from being "sick at the stomach."

Natal Pineapple Pepsin Compound is sold on a positive guarantee of satisfaction or money back. It is made from fresh pineapple juice and pure scale pepsin. I ask every man and woman in Brady and the surrounding country who has stomach trouble of any kind to call and examine this splendid medicine. Jones Drug Co.

We have a few cultivators left. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. To restore digestion, normal weight, good health and purify the blood, use Burdock Blood Bitters. Sold at all drug stores. Price \$1.00.

Go-carts and sulkeys for the baby. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Ours is the sanitary bake shop. The City Bakery.

Licensed to Wed. Marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk W. J. Yantis to the following couples the past week:—

- Eugene Sanchez and Miss Allie Mayfield.
- Joseph A. Conley and Miss Adline Steelhammer.
- L. Collins and Sarah Stewart (col).
- Gus Cain and Miss Anna Robinson.
- Albert Long and Miss Ada Powell.

When it comes to shoes, I can fit you, and the prices are right. Kirk. Nuf Sed.

A complete line of bread, pies and pastry at all times. The City Bakery.

An oil stove in any style you may want. Perfection or others. O. D. Mann & Sons.

BUY A BUGGY from E. J. BROAD.

Save the polish on your dining table with asbestos pads. We have them in all sizes. O. D. Mann & Sons.

A Symbol of Health. The Pythagorians of Ancient Greece ate simple food, practiced temperance and purity. As a badge they used the five-pointed star which they regarded as a symbol of health. A red five-pointed star appears on each package of Chamberlain's Tablets, and still fulfils its ancient mission as a symbol of health. If you are troubled with indigestion, biliousness or constipation, get a package of these tablets from your druggist. You will be surprised at the quick relief which they afford. Obtainable everywhere.

Vital Statistics
The following births were reported to the county clerk during the month of April:
Mr. and Mrs. H. Truett, Pear Valley, April 22; boy.
Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Cain, Lohn, April 10; girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Eric Helge, Brady, April 12; girl.
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Nichois, Brady, April 11; boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burk, April 3; girl.
Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Stewart, March 10; girl.

COUNTY CONVENTION

Endorses National Administration and Pledges Support.

The Democratic Delegates from the various precincts of McCulloch County, met in County Convention at the court-house in Brady on May 9, 1916 at 2 o'clock P. M., and thereupon the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

J. E. Shropshire, Ch'm Dem. Ex. Committee was elected chairman of said convention, and J. L. Smith of Lohn was elected secretary.

F. M. Newman, Lee McShan, and G. E. Cobern were selected as Credential Committee and reported the following delegates entitled to participate in the convention, to-wit: From Fife, E. B. Baldrige, R. K. Finlay, Tom J. Bradley and James Finlay; from Lost Creek, J. J. Armor; from Placid, J. C. Nichols, and J. F. Gault; from Lohn, J. P. Barton, J. L. Smith, and N. J. Huie; from Brady, John Martin, H. Meers, L. Ballou, W. P. Doty, T. J. Wood, Duke Mann, Lee McShan, A. Burton Reagan, G. F. Champion, and Joe A. Adkins. Upon motion R. L. Burns was seated in the convention in lieu of Mr. Williams, who failed to attend as a delegate from Mt. Tabor; also J. W. Graham was seated as a delegate from East Gansel; and G. B. Awalt as delegate from Camp San Saba.

Upon motion, J. J. Armor, Dr. J. P. Barton and A. B. Reagan were appointed on committee to draft resolutions.

On motion the following delegates were nominated and elected to attend the State Convention at San Antonio on May 23, 1916, to-wit: A. B. Reagan, F. M. Newman, J. C. Wall, John E. Brown, Dr. J. P. Barton, J. F. Gault, and J. J. Armor.

On motion the said above delegation to San Antonio were instructed to vote for C. L. McCartney of Brownwood as a delegate to the National Convention to be held at St. Louis. The said delegates were also further instructed to vote for Thomas S. Love of Dallas as National Committeeman from Texas.

The Resolution Committee reported the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted, to-wit:

Be it resolved, by the Democrats of McCulloch County in Convention assembled, at Brady, May 9, 1916, that we hereby renew our allegiance to the time-honored principles of Democracy as adhered to and taught by our fathers in laying the foundations of our party.

We hereby re-indorse those principles as enumerated in the last Dem. National platform and put into execution by the present Democratic Administration; We hereby indorse President Wilson as being one of the purest patriots, ablest diplomats, and most efficient presidents in American history;

We believe in the righteousness of his course in dealing with foreign nations, recognizing that the wisdom of his course has kept the Country in dignified peace and given to us the greatest prosperity ever enjoyed in our history;

With these sentiments in mind we therefore represent that the Texas Delegation to the

AN OLD TIME PICNIC AT VOCA

Thursday, May 18th

Everybody Come and Bring Some One With You

The following privileges will be sold to the highest bidder at Voca, Saturday, May 13th, 1916, at 3:30 P. M.

- One Cold Drinks and Cigar Stand
- One Ice Cream and Confectionery Stand.
- One Hobby Horse.
- One Novelty Stand.

And such other privileges as may be thought advisable.

Bids to be accompanied by a deposit of one half cash and the other half on acceptance of bid.

There will be Base Ball, Basket Ball, Goat Roping, Cigar Races and other amusements.

The Candidates will all be here and will entertain the voters with an account of their qualifications for office and why they should be elected, rather than their opponents.

Come and enjoy a day of fun and mirth and give your smiling muscles some exercise.

Don't Forget the Time, Thursday, May 18.

COMMITTEE

National Democratic Convention should be instructed to support the re-nomination of President Wilson first, last and all the time.

Respect.

J. P. Barton,
J. J. Armour,
A. B. Reagan.

There being no further business, the convention adjourned.

Blacksmith coal that is good. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Pound Notice.

This will give due notice that I have taken charge of the City Pound. Citizens will please notify me of any stock running at large, in order that I may have same impounded promptly.

L. M. BAKER,
City Marshal.

If you need a mower or rake let us sell you. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Report of the Condition of the BRADY NATIONAL BANK At Brady in the State of Texas, at the close of Business on May 1st, 1916.

Resources.		
Loans and discounts (except those shown on b)	\$195,686.26	\$195,686.26
Overdrafts, unsecured	\$16.91	16.91
Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits	50,000.00	50,000.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$7,200.00	
Less amount unpaid	3,600.00	3,600.00
Value of banking house (if unincumbered)	26,500.00	26,500.00
Furniture and fixtures		6,095.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		655.32
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank		8,555.84
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	4,164.72	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	35,483.31	39,648.03
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11)		20,334.03
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		12,960.80
Outside checks and other cash items	3,006.78	
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	212.00	3,218.78
Notes of other national banks		2,500.00
Federal Reserve bank notes		1,425.00
Coin and certificates		8,274.00
Legal-tender notes		6,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Customers' liability account of "Acceptances" by this bank based on imports and exports only		13,091.80
Total		\$401,061.77

Liabilities		
Capital stock paid in		\$100,000.00
Surplus fund		20,000.00
Undivided profits	\$17,324.08	\$17,324.08
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	5,244.66	12,079.42
Circulating notes outstanding		50,000.00
Net amount due to banks and bankers (other than included in 29 or 30)		119.15
Individual deposits subject to check		218,627.26
Cashier's checks outstanding		235.94
Total		\$401,061.77

State of Texas, County of McCulloch, ss:—I, E. L. Ogden, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
E. L. OGDEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1916.
S. P. BOON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. E. BELL,
F. M. RICHARDS,
B. L. CRADDOCK,
Directors.

Price Announcement FORD CARS

The following prices delivered in Brady effective August 2nd, 1915.

Ford Roadster	\$427.15
Ford Touring Car	477.15

There can be no assurance given against an advance in these prices. We guarantee however that there will be no reduction in these prices prior to August 1, 1916. People are booking orders everywhere for the next cars to arrive. Give us your order now for the next car load that comes to Brady.

WM. CONNOLLY & CO.

LOCAL AGENTS

You'll want more GRAP—S—