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Get out that winter suit and have it put in shape for the first norther. I do the best cleaning and pressing and altering in the city. Kirk. Nuf Sed.

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If you want to sell your property in McCulloch county, we have a buyer ready. ACOSTA BROS.

Notice to Water Consumers.

By order of the water commission, I am instructed to notify the public that the further use of water for lawns and shrubbery is forbidden until our supply be replenished.

Therefore, all parties using water for the above purposes will be disconnected and deprived of water.

We are forced to do this to conserve our domestic supply of water. JOE LYLE, Supt.

See our line of kitchen cabinets. Broad Mercantile Co.

Notice to Jurors.

I am instructed by District Judge John W. Goodwin to notify all jurors summoned for the third week of the September term of district court that they need not appear for duty.

J. C. WALL, Sheriff.

MRS. MARSDEN DEAD

ONE OF OLD CITIZENS PASSES TO HER REWARD.

Had Passed Allotted Three Score Years and Ten—Nine Children Left to Mourn Loss.

The death of Mrs. T. H. Marsden, one of Brady's early settlers and well-known throughout this section, occurred Wednesday night at 10:30 o'clock, at the advanced age of 74 years. Death was due to various causes, superinduced by old age.

Mrs. Marsden was born at Bedias, Grimes county, Texas, on July 29, 1842, her maiden name

Methodist church for over half a century, and was a devout Christian woman. She had been in feeble health for some time, and about the first of June became bedridden. Upon several occasions she lay at death's door, but her remarkable vitality pulled her through. On account of her advanced age it was recognized that it was only a question of time until the final summons would come, and consequently her death was not unexpected.

Surviving her are nine children, six boys and three girls, as follows: Allen C. and T. T. Marsden of Beeville, Crosby Marsden of San Antonio, Duke Marsden of Mereta, Will and Dick Marsden of Brady; Mrs. M. Jones of Austin, and Mrs. J. P.

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having been Miss Fannie Ann Jones. She was married fifty years ago on the 27th of last June at Beeville, Texas, to T. H. Marsden, who preceded her to the Great Beyond in February, 1910.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsden came to McCulloch county in October, 1885, and throughout their long residence here were numbered among Brady's best-known and most loved citizens. Mrs. Marsden was a woman of great refinement, and a sweet, gentle nature that endeared her to all. She had been a member of the

Jones and Miss Clara Marsden of Brady.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the family home. The body will be laid beside that of her husband in the family burial place in Brady cemetery.

These cool mornings make one think of heating stoves. Let us show you a Darling hot blast. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Coal bills are a large part of your living expense—reduce both by using Coles Hot Blast Heaters.

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We have been appointed factory distributors in West Texas for the well-known and popular Velie and Maxwell automobiles. We are, therefore, in a position to offer to live dealers a very good proposition and some fine territory. We would like to hear from anyone interested in handling either or both of these famous cars.

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CITY FATHERS MEET.

Repeal Traffic Ordinance—Accept Resignation of Watchman

The city council met last Tuesday night in regular session, with Mayor John P. Sheridan presiding, and Aldermen N. T. Cook, B. A. Hallum, H. P. Roddie and L. A. Williams present.

A petition signed by fifty business men of the city asking the repeal of the traffic ordinance passed by the council September 5th, was read, and, upon motion duly seconded, the ordinance was unanimously repealed.

Nightwatchman S. W. Baize tendered his resignation as officer in that capacity, such resignation to take effect October 1, which was accepted by the council.

Alderman H. P. Roddie tendered his resignation as councilman. Upon motion of L. A. Williams action upon the resignation was deferred to a special session to be called later.

The following accounts were allowed and ordered paid:

Broad Merc. Co.	\$ 4.50
J. H. White	10.00
W. P. Doty	2.50
S. J. Durnett	2.00
F. Y. Jackson	4.00
Per Diem	15.00

Upon motion council adjourned.

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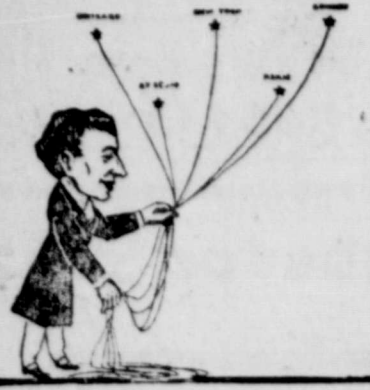
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NORTH BRADY.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman Entertaining New Girl Now.

Brady, Texas, Sept. 20.

Editor Brady Standard:

Well, as my missive missed our editor's table and hit the waste basket last week, will send in a few more notes this time.

We are still hauling water and picking cotton in our part of the country.

C. P. Eklund has made some nice improvements by building a real chicken house.

Mrs. Nannie Cottrell visited Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Cottrell at Whiteland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. McShan or near Lohn visited Mr. and Mrs. Fonso Gressett and J. B. Cottrell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Knoy and daughter, Miss Ella, visited Mr. and Mrs. John M. Johnson Friday.

Morgan Sanders' mother visited him this past week and will return to her home in Travis county Saturday.

Messrs. Johnson and Bell have stopped their children from school a week or two to pick cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Newman are entertaining a new girl at their home since last Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barker visited their daughter, Mrs. Newman, last Sunday.

Mrs. John M. Johnson and children visited her sister, Mrs. King, in South Brady Sunday.

Mrs. Nannie Cottrell and Aunt Jane and Uncle Joe Moore attended church at Placid Sunday, making the trip in the latter's car.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wash visited Jonah Bell and family Sunday. TOPAZ.

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For Sale—Three or four good second-hand disc plows, John Deere and Canton. E. J. BROAD

COW CREEK NEWS.

Local Visitors to and From Community.

Lohn, Texas, Sept. 18

Editor Brady Standard:
Miss Julia Tetens of Lohn visited at the Cornils home Monday.

E. W. Woods went to Lohn Tuesday.

Misses Elsie and Elizabeth Cornils went to Brady Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kinsel and Mrs. A. H. Hardison and little daughter, Alberta, were Lohn visitors Friday.

Driscoe Woods went to Lohn Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clements of Melvin attended church here Sunday.

W. S. Young and family visited relatives near Lohn Sunday.

Cleve Draper and sisters, Misses Lorna and Grace, attended church here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester of Dallas are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Plummer this week.

J. T. Smith and wife went to Brady Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Moore visited at the Kinsel home Sunday afternoon.

LITTLE WILLIE.

DEEP CREEK NEWS.

Farmers Picking Cotton, Breaking Land and Watering Cattle.

Mercury, Texas, Sept. 19.

Editor Brady Standard:

We haven't any howl to make this week because we can't tell of a good rain. We will say we know it has rained here. Don't ask the writer when.

Our farmers are moving along nicely, breaking land, picking cotton and watering cattle when they can find water.

W. J. Powell and family spent Sunday in Placid; also attended the services conducted by Bro. Swinney, the Christian preacher. They report one of the most enjoyable days in times past.

All on the sick list are on the road to recovery at this writing.

Little Miss Ruth Hester spent a most enjoyable birthday Saturday. She was 11 and everyone present had a delightful time. They served tea, cake and fruit, and had a pleasant afternoon.

Bro. Swinney is conducting a meeting in Mercury this week.

Mr. Parks is progressing with his gasoline plow.

Mr. Powell has begun a well for Jim Cawyer with his gasoline drill.

Most everybody is picking cotton and attending church this week, so no news from GARLAND.

Bad Temper From Bad Liver.

You can generally blame your grouch on a lazy liver. Liver ills are back of coated tongue, bad breath, biliousness and muddy, sallow complexion. Insufficient flow of bile leaves impurities in the liver which poison the entire system. Po-Do-Lax is Nature's remedy. It stimulates the activity of the liver, increases the flow of bile, and by its laxative quality carries off the waste matter and clears the complexion. At your druggist, 25c.

VOCA VOICES.

Baptist Meeting to Begin Friday Night at Rock House.

Voca, Texas, Sept. 20.

Editor Brady Standard:

The farmers of our community are busy picking cotton. Some are almost through picking, but a few whose cotton was late have just begun. Crops have made good this year.

The party at V. C. Miller's on Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. All reported a fine time.

Mr. Shannon purchased a new buggy last week.

Mr. Shields and family have been picking cotton for Mr. Click.

The singing at Mr. Shafer's Sunday afternoon was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Misses Lola and Ethel Fleming visited friends here Sunday afternoon. Also Miss Myrtle Fleming and Leslie Behrens.

Quite a number of our people

attended prayer meeting at Dusty Sunday night.

Bro. Green will begin the Baptist meeting Friday night, Sept. 22. The meeting will be held at the Rock house. Everyone is cordially invited to come and help make the meeting a success.

John Deans, Jr., baled cane for several of our people last week.

School will begin Monday, October 2nd, and we are anticipating a fine school this year.

Miss Mamie Leigh Miller will leave this week for San Marcos to enter school.

TOUGHEY.

Head Off That Winter Cough.

At the first sign of sore throat, tight chest or stuffed-up head take a dose of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. The healing pine-tar, soothing honey and glycerine quickly relieve the congestion, loosen the phlegm and break up your cold. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey has all the benefits of the healing aroma from a pine forest, it is pleasant to take and antiseptic. The formula on the bottle tells why it relieves colds and coughs. At your druggist, 25c.

Time to buy a new hat. Get yours while I have lots of sizes. I have them from \$2.50 to \$5.00—the only place in town where you have a selection. I have them and lots of them. Kirk, the tailor. Nuf Sed.

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PLACID BUDGET.

Would Ship Water to Placid on Account of Drouth.

Placid, Texas, Sept. 19.

Editor Brady Standard:

A movement has been started to have a car of water shipped to Placid. At present this is surely the dryest place on earth.

Miss Florence Jones of Dublin is visiting friends in Placid this week.

Misses Celia Gault and Linda Underwood have entered Howard Payne college for the coming year.

Prof. C. I. Turnell spent last week in Goldthwaite attending the teachers' institute. He teaches in Mills county this year.

Clay Oldham of Deep Creek was a guest of John Nichols Sunday.

G. W. Jones, our blacksmith, had the misfortune to lose his fine Jersey cow Monday night. We fear this extremely dry weather will bring on an epidemic of fever among our cows.

Placid is a very small village. Only fifty-eight scholastics enrolled in school. But she has more churches and more religious enthusiasm to the square inch than any other place in the county. Four protracted meetings have been pulled off here this summer. The writer, living near the center of disturbance, has listened to the preaching of the gospel continuously from early in July to last Sunday night, when the people of Christ

church closed their meeting.

The Apostolic people held their meeting in July and had twenty-eight baptisms. The Baptists then held an eight-day meeting, resulting in nine baptisms. The Nazarenes followed with an eight-day meeting resulting in one baptism. The Church of Christ held the meeting last week. Rev. W. L. Swinney did the preaching, and while there were no visible results, the gospel was preached in its purity and simplicity and no doubt much good was accomplished. The meeting closed Sunday with dinner on the ground and preaching all day. BOOSTER.

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CONSTABLE'S SALE.
 The State of Texas, County of McCulloch.

Notice is hereby given That by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of McCulloch County, on the 16th day of August 1916, by W. J. Yantis, Clerk of said County Court for sum of Five Hundred Fifty-one and 17/100 (\$551.17) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of J. J. Oates in a certain cause in said Court, No. 568 and styled J. J. Oates vs. W. T. Stacy and H. L. Bratton, placed in my hands for service, I, M. F. Fuller as constable of Precinct No. One, McCulloch County, Texas, did, on the 17th day of August 1916, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in McCulloch County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of the defendant, W. T. Stacy's interest in and to the following described land, the same being an undivided one-sixth (1/6) interest in and to One Hundred Thirty-one (131) acres of land, more or less, out of and a part of the Johann Waldschmidt Survey No. 1713, Certificate No. 517, Abstract No. 1425, said 131 acres of land, more or less, being in two contiguous tracts out of the South East portion of said Johann Waldschmidt Survey No. 1713, and which two tracts are more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

FIRST:—Sixty-eight and one-half (68 1/2) acres, more or less, bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the North East corner of a 236 acre tract formerly owned by M. R. Shirley, a rock mound from which a mesquite 4 inches in diameter bears North 36 degrees, West 8 4-5 varas; Thence South with East line of said Shirley tract 581 varas to a rock mound from which a mesquite 4 inches in diameter bears South 24 degrees West 7 3-5 varas, Do. 5 inches in diameter bears South 54 1-2 degrees West 10 2-3 varas; Thence East 666 varas a stake in the East line of said Survey No. 1713, for the South East corner of this tract; Thence North 581 varas with East line of said Survey No. 1713 to South East corner of a tract formerly owned by Powell for the North East corner of this tract; Thence West 606 varas to the place of beginning.

SECOND:—Sixty-two and one-half (62 1/2) acres of land, more or less, bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a rock mound in East line of said Johann Waldschmidt Survey No. 1713, set for the South East corner of a tract formerly owned by R. C. Sloan to M. J. Stacy, and which tract contains 68 1-2 acres, and being the tract above described; Thence South with East line of said Waldschmidt Survey, 531 varas to a stake and mound set for the South East corner of said Waldschmidt Survey No. 1713; Thence West with South line of said Waldschmidt Survey No. 1713, a distance of 666 varas to a stone mound set for the South West corner of this Survey; Thence North 531 varas to a stone mound set for the South West corner of the aforesaid M. J. Stacy 68 1-2 acre tract, from which a mesquite 4 inches in diameter bears South 24 degrees West 7 3-5 varas, Do. 5 inches in diameter bears South 54 1-2 degrees West 10 2-3 varas; Thence East 666 varas to the place of beginning.

The above land is located in the North West corner of McCulloch county, Texas, about one-half mile South from the town of Stacy, and is generally known as the J. B. Stacy tract of land; and levied upon as the property of W. T. Stacy and that on the first Tuesday in October 1916, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door, of McCulloch County, in the City of Brady, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. T. Stacy.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by 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.

Witness my hand, this 17th day of August 1916.
 M. F. FULLER,
 Constable Precinct No. One, McCulloch County, Texas.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
 The State of Texas, County of McCulloch.
 Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable Justice's Court of Precinct No. 1, McCulloch County, Texas, on the 11th day of August A. D. 1916, by T. J. King, Justice of the Peace of said court, for the sum of One Hundred One and 35/100 (\$101.35) Dollars, with interest thereon from 8th day of October, 1914 at rate of 8 per cent per annum, together with cost of execution of said writ, under a judgment in favor of Norvell-Shapleigh Hardware Company, an incorporation in a certain cause in said Court No. 1435, and styled, Norvell-Shapleigh Hardware Company, an Incorporation vs. M. J. Stacy, placed in my hands for service, I, M. F. Fuller, Constable of Precinct No. 1, McCulloch County, Texas, did on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1916, levy on certain real estate, situated in McCulloch county, Texas, and described as follows, to-wit:

SWEDEN NEWS.

Moonlight Picnic Given By En-deavorers Last Week.
 Rochelle, Texas, Sept. 20.
 Editor Brady Standard:
 Cotton picking is the order of the day.

Mrs. Swenson and Mrs. Hurd were guests of Mrs. H. C. Johnson last Monday afternoon. Rev. J. A. Irvine of Fort Worth is down here transacting business and visiting relatives and friends at the same time.

Mrs. C. O. Johnson and daughter, Amy, were callers at the S. L. Hurd home last Monday morning.
 One of our prominent young men, Mr. Herbert Henderson, left last Saturday night for Waxahachie where he will enter school. We hate to see him go, but may success be with him wherever he may go.
 The Crochet club met with Miss Lillian Henderson last Tuesday afternoon.
 Messrs. Wm. and Frank Hurd took a motorcycle ride to Cow Gap last Sunday afternoon.
 Mrs. J. G. Milburn and son, H. B., and daughter-in-law were shopping in Brady last Tuesday.
 The Endeavorers had a moonlight picnic last Monday night a week ago. Lemonade and cake was served by the social committee. Everyone had a nice time. Will write more next time.
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Witness my hand, this 17th day of August, A. D. 1916.
 M. F. FULLER,
 Constable, Precinct No. One, McCulloch County, Texas.

Constipation the Father of Many Ills.
 Of the numerous ills that affect humanity a large share start with constipation. Keep your bowels regular and they may be avoided. When a laxative is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. Obtainable everywhere.

STACY HAPPENINGS.

Rain Last Tuesday Filled Tanks to Overflowing.
 Stacy, Texas, Sept. 20.
 Editor Brady Standard:

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Trott were visiting in Eden last Sunday. Mrs. Bertie Hanson of Laredo accompanied them home for a visit of a few days the past week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor were shopping in Brownwood this week.
 Mrs. Bodiner of Throckmorton has been the guest of Mrs. Lester Cox a few days this week.
 G. F. Kirk is among the visitors to Brady this week.

Mrs. L. M. Griffin and little Miss Reba Griffin visited relatives at Eden Sunday.
 Miss Agnes Burrow leaves this week for Brownwood where she will enter school at Daniel Baker college.
 Ernest Blackburn visited his mother at Eden Sunday.
 Miss Althamae Dubois, who is attending school in Brady, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Our people are all rejoicing over the splendid rain we had Tuesday. Tanks were filled to overflowing, putting out abundant stock water, which was badly needed. Will be of untold benefit to late feed and oats.
 B. Akers was in Brady Monday on business.

Miss Carrie McLaughy, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clements for several weeks, returned to her home at Pear Valley Saturday.
 Mrs. Bertie Hanson, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Trott, returned to Eden Sunday, where she will visit relatives before returning to her home at Laredo.

SUNFLOWER.
 There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surface of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
 F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
 Sold by Druggists, 75c.
 Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

ACOSTA BROS. will save you money on Groceries.
 Notice! My store is headquarters for STETSON HATS. I have them and a big shipment of them has just been received. Kirk's, the Hat Shop. Nuf Sed.

A large shipment of guns. If you are thinking of getting one, better come and get pick. They are sure to be gone early. O. D. Mann & Sons.
 Cotton sacks and knee pads. Broad Mercantile Co.
 We have plenty of all kinds of ammunition. O. D. Mann & Sons.
 Tires and inner tubes. Murphy the auto accessories man. Next to Standard office.

Just received a full line of the celebrated Dittman shoes for ladies, men and children. I. G. Abney.

Brownwood Girl Suicides.
 Miss Helen Terry, aged 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Terry of Brownwood, ended her own life Monday afternoon by shooting herself through the heart with a .38 or .41 calibre pistol. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. Boyd Rainbolt, who is well-known in Brady. The reason assigned for the act was said to have been that she was despondent over her failure to enter the high school this year, and being sensitive over the fact that practically all of her school chums had advanced a grade. She was a sweet and beautiful girl, and a great favorite with many friends, as well as with her parents.

CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children.
Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria
 Always Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Hutchins*
 In Use For Over Thirty Years
CASTORIA
 THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

SIGNS
The Y Co.
 Always Busy--Advertising Pays
 Let Us Monogram Your Car

OUR SHELVES ARE LADEN
 with good paint, varnishes, enamels, etc. For those who wish to do their own painting we have the prepared paints all ready to apply. Let us tell you of them. Remember our promise to save you money on everything in the paint line.

Ramsay's Planing Mill.

Get Your School Supplies from Us
 We have a complete line of Composition and Theme Tablets, as well as Pens, Inks, Rulers, Pencils, Erasers, etc., and will be pleased to supply your wants.

Central Drug Store
 "HAS IT"
 North Side Square Brady, Texas

BID E-A-WEE STOCK FARM
 Registered and High-Grade Red Polled Cattle. Choice Mich Cows and Young Bulls For Sale.
 G. B. AWALT, Prop.
 Camp San Sabo, Texas

New goods received every day
 Call on ACOSTA BROS. for your Groceries.
 at I. G. Abney's.

THE BRADY STANDARD

Official Paper of McCulloch County.
Official Paper City of Brady.

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the McCulloch County Star
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Published on Tuesday and Friday
each week by

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S. M. Richardson, Manager

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ing the attention of the management
to the article in question.

The management assumes no re-
sponsibility for any indebtedness in-
curred by any employe, unless upon
the written order of the editor.

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

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

BRADY, TEXAS, Sept. 22, 1916

A SOFT WORD.

The Standard has no desire to tread on anyone's sore toes, but wishes to speak a word of commendation of the work of the Brady city council and of the Brady fire department, and in this we believe we are expressing the practically unanimous sentiment of Brady citizens.

The Brady city council has labored under untoward circumstances at all times. Shortage of funds has compelled rigid economy in all departments, and has handicapped all work. Despite this fact, improvement has everywhere marked the course of action followed by the city council. The waterworks system is on a paying basis; the sanitary department is not only on a self-supporting basis, but is also on a paying basis; the streets all about the resident district show the result of the work done upon them, and Blackburn street has been appreciably improved. There are better times a-coming. The new 15c road tax is going to help matters; the waterworks system will, in the course of a few years contribute wonderfully towards civic improvement; the national highways agitation cannot but result in benefit to Brady. There is much still to be done; but as far as is humanly possible, we believe the city council has done their part.

The fire boys have been town builders. The efficiency developed in this department has not only prevented destruction of property, but has decreased the cost of maintenance by reason of the fact that the fire insurance key rate has been reduced time after time, with resultant saving of thousands of dollars to the citizens.

All these matters are for serious consideration, and when you scatter flowers for the living, don't forget the city dads and the fire boys.

Just had two more evidences that it pays to use The Standard's classy Classified ad column. A. B. Reagan said: "I don't know whether you've run my ad about the stove the number of times I told you, but I wish you would take it out. I've sold the stove. Yes, The Standard did it." "Your ad did the work," said J. F. Schaeg, "and you might as well discontinue it and put this ad in its place." It's mighty convenient to look up The Standard's classy Classified ad column, and week after week this silent little salesman is bringing buyer and seller, finder and loser together. Try a Classified ad—it works while you sleep.

NATIONAL HIGHWAY.

Some idea of the benefit derived from the National Highway is already becoming apparent in Brady. One automobile supply station here alone reports an average of fifteen long distance cars passing through Brady a day—and this with no great effort having been made to get the roads in proper shape. Merely the fact that Brady has her name on the map as being on the national highway turns this traffic in this direction. Other stores, too, report a noticeable increase in business from tourists—particularly in the sale of fishing tackle and camping equipment. Then think what it will mean to Brady and to all points in McCulloch county on the national highway when all the roads have been placed in first-class condition from one end of the county to the other, and from Puget Sound to the Gulf, with every quarter mile of the highway marked so that tourists will not turn off the road.

And had you thought that the money spent by tourists is the best money in the world. It is new money brought and put into circulation in the community. It is money made elsewhere that is added to the wealth of the local communities.

Brady has much work to do. There are about twenty miles of road in her territory that must be put in first-class shape—and putting them in first-class shape will cost about \$1500 per mile. But at that, once the roads are in shape, the government stands ready to meet us half way, sharing the burden of road improvement and maintenance. And, too, Brady and McCulloch county are fortunately situated in that the road bed and material for improvement are right at hand. Other communities have built roads under the most unfavorable circumstances. The engineer on the highway in one of the southern counties estimated the cost of road building in that county as having been about \$7,000 per mile. In places the soil was of such nature that concrete and gravel roads simply disappeared. Huge cracks appeared in the earth and the rock and gravel were engulfed in them. These roads were paved at enormous outlay.

There is another feature worthy of consideration. The Puget Sound to the Gulf highway is one of the greatest of national highways. Starting from the most northwestern corner of the United States, it passes by the loftiest mountain heights in this country, through Yellowstone National park, beautiful Colorado Springs and Denver on down through the great Staked Plains of Texas, through the wonderful scenic regions between Brady and San Antonio, the latter one of the most interesting cities in Texas, on to the Gulf. It is a wonderful trip, and one which will become immensely popular with tourists.

And, as we before remarked, tourist money is the best money in the world to have brought into a community.

There's small chance for the hard-time croaker in McCulloch county. Everyone is too busy attending to business and business is good. The jingle of silver drowns out the voice of any would-be complainer.

HAVE YOU BEEN SICK?

Then you realize the utter weakness that robs ambition, destroys appetite, and makes work a burden. To restore that strength and stamina that is so essential, nothing has ever equaled or compared with Scott's Emulsion, because its strength-sustaining nourishment invigorates the blood to distribute energy throughout the body while its tonic value sharpens the appetite and restores health in a natural, permanent way. If you are run down, tired, nervous, overworked or lack strength, get Scott's Emulsion to-day. It is free from alcohol. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

SUBSCRIPTION ADVANCE.

The time has come when the \$1.00 weekly newspaper is about to become as extinct as the dodo. The price of news print is advancing daily—since September 1st there have been three advances up to last week, and there may have been others since. In this time the advance has amounted to \$1.50 per cwt., until the last quotation we had was \$7.25 per cwt. This compared with quotation of \$3.15 per cwt. the first of the year—an increase of 133 per cent. It has been prophesied that news print would go to 10.00 per cwt. and it looks as though this prediction would be verified. Such a price would mean that subscription prices would have to be advanced to \$2.00. As it is, the publishers are now forced to advance their prices to \$1.50, or lose on each paper turned out.

Beginning October 15th the price of The Brady Standard will be advanced to \$1.50 on all subscriptions sent to points lying more than 50 miles distant from Brady. Within the radius of 50 miles the subscription price will be temporarily maintained at the old rate of \$1.00 per year. We cannot guarantee these prices for any definite period, and reserve the right to advance or change prices without previous notice. Until October 15th the price will remain at \$1.00 per year, and new subscriptions and renewals will be received at this figure. Bring in your dollar today and take advantage of the old rate while you have the opportunity.

Let us sell you one of our \$3.50 L. & P. bed springs. They are guaranteed for a life time. O. D. Mann & Sons.

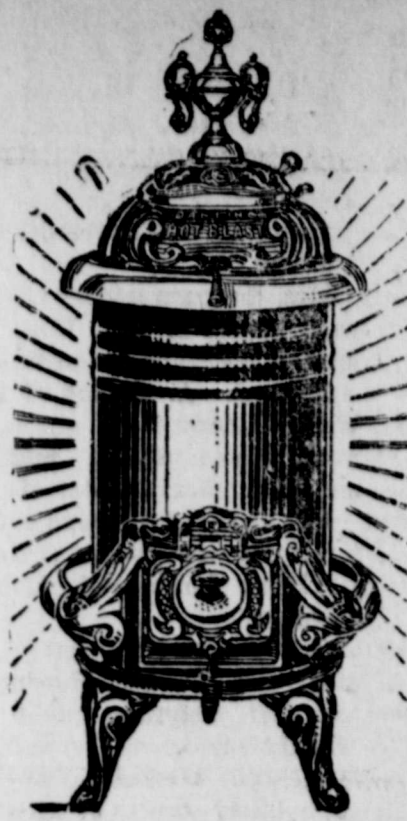
NEW EQUIPMENT.

Brady Auto Co. Has Unique Bookkeeping Register.

There is something new under the sun. Almost every day you run across that particular something. Just yesterday The Standard reporter visited the Brady Auto Co. and was confronted upon entering the office by a huge receptacle that looked like a safe turned on its back. Of course he asked questions! That's part of his business!

The Brady Auto Co. has just installed a Champion Register, which comprises one of the most complete and comprehensive bookkeeping and accounting systems it has ever been our privilege to see. To begin with, when a cash sale is made, or when money is received on account it is entered on a slip, and when the cash drawer is opened to place the amount thereon, the slip is automatically advanced under a glass cover so as to prevent erasure or alteration, although the figures still remain in plain view. At night, or whenever or as often as desired, the day's sales slips are distributed to each customer's individual compartment in the box, the customer's name in the index, together with the number of his compartment, furnishing the key to his account. The index is arranged in alphabetical order and is in plain view, making it an easy matter to look up the customer's account—in fact, it makes it at once accessible and right up-to-the-minute. The register will accommodate 450 accounts. To its other good features must be added the fact that it is entirely fire-proof.

D. Doole, Jr., who was instrumental in placing the register with Brady Auto Co., will be in the city within the next few days and will give Mr. Hailum full instructions as to how to safeguard his money and his interests by daily use of the register.



Why You Should Buy a "DARLING" HOT BLAST HEATER

The "Darling" Hot Blast is a new airtight stove with improved ideas over the old style hot blast stoves.

Improvement No. 1:

The "Darling" Hot Blast stands as level after fifteen years' service as the day it was bought. Why? Because it has not a steel bottom, but a cast iron bottom, which does not buckle from use or get bent in handling.

Improvement No. 2:

One can readily understand how much trouble clinkers can cause where they have to be taken out through the top of the stove. If you have a "Darling" simply punch the clinkers through the large opening of the draw center grate.

Improvement No. 3:

The rear draft check is located in the cast iron pipe collar of the stove and not in the collar joint of the pipe. When you have a "Darling" Hot Blast you can use the regular stove pipe and not have to send to the factory for a special joint when the old one wears out.

There all kinds of Hot Blasts, but there is only one "Darling"

O. D. Mann & Sons

"We Appreciate Your Good Will as Well as Your Trade"

Notice to School Children.

The Embury Poster Advertising Co. is offering some nice prizes for the best work in copying the advertisements on bill boards. Each pupil who enters the contest is to hand in one drawing a month for the nine months of school. At the end of school the pupil who has the best average for the nine months will receive a \$4.00 fountain pen; the second best a \$3.00 fountain pen; and to the third best, a prize worth \$1.50.

B. L. Malone & Co. makes the following offer: A \$4.00 ivory clothes brush to the student who will make the best poster advertising their business.

S. A. Benham makes the following offer: A \$2.50 parasol or hat to the pupil making the best poster advertising his business.

The Central Drug Store offers a Brownie Camera No. 2 to the pupil making the best poster for them.

The Brady Auto Co. offers \$3.00 in cash for the best poster advertising their auto business.

The Broad Mercantile Co. offers the following: A \$3.50 rocker to the girl, and a .22 rifle to the boy, making the best poster for them.

A. A. Lange offers \$2.50 in merchandise for the best poster advertising his business.

Lots of soft collars and ties at Kirk's, the up-to-date furnisher.

Full stock of casings and inner tubes at Murphy's. Next to Standard office.

A new 5-passenger Ford touring car for sale. Broad Mercantile Co.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of THE MERCURY STATE BANK

At Mercury, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 12th day of September, 1916, published in The Brady Standard, a newspaper printed and published at Brady, State of Texas, on the 22nd day of September, 1916.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$36,136.88
Loans, real estate	1,190.00
Overdrafts	268.41
Furniture and fixtures	2,000.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	6,913.25
Cash items	74.90
Currency	3,156.00
Specie	793.59
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	345.65
Other Resources as follows	148.24
Total	\$51,026.92

Liabilities.	
Capital Stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,447.80
Individual Deposits subject to check	25,534.58
Time Certificates of Deposit	3.50
Demand Certificates of Deposit	41.04
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	8,000.00
Total	\$51,026.92

State of Texas, County of McCulloch—We, J. F. Cawyer as president, and Roscoe Cawyer as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. F. CAWYER, President.
ROSCOE CAWYER, Cashier.
Subscribed and affirmed to before me, this 19th day of Sept. A. D. 1916.
A. C. WRIGHT,
Notary Public, McCulloch County, Texas.
J. F. CAWYER,
JOHN B. CAWYER,
Directors.

Connally's Dairy

THE HOME OF PURE MILK

On account of water being so scarce, I am now selling m'l'k undiluted—just as it comes from my fine herd of Jerseys.

Can still take on a few more customers—Get your order in now. Deliver milk anytime you want it—early or late.

J. M. Connally

Please set your bottles out every day, so driver can have them for the next run.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

Rally Day Service.

At Methodist tabernacle Sunday, October 1, 1916:

Every member present on the first Sunday in October is our aim. This rally is in the interest of the Sunday school. What do you know about the Sunday school? First, we want all the babies on the Cradle Roll present. Parents wishing their children baptized can have it done on that morning. There will be no sermon on that morning. There will be, first, the regular lessons, which will be followed by an interesting program of songs, talks, recitations, baptism of children and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. From 9:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m.

We want everybody there, old and young.

L. P. COOKE, Supt.
J. T. MANN, Asst. Supt.
I. T. MORRIS, Pastor.

EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE?

Calomel Is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury, quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

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 cannot salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.

One way to relieve habitual constipation is to take regularly a mild laxative. Doan's Regulets are recommended for this purpose. 25c a box at all drug stores.

WANTED—McCulloch county farms. We have buyers for your property. ACOSTA BROS.

For Sale—Bain, Studebaker and Fort Smith wagons, the world's best. Let us sell you a wagon. E. J. BROAD.

Disc plows are dry time plows. The Standard is made to do the best work when the ground is good and hard, as it is now. O. D. Mann & Sons.

You cannot beat our prices on furniture. A chance to figure with you is all we ask. Broad Mercantile Co.

List your property for sale with us. We can get you a buyer. ACOSTA BROS.

Bucket Limited coffee, \$1.60 at I. G. Abney's.

Large stock linoleum. Broad Mercantile Co.

Money to Loan

We have \$150,000 to loan on McCulloch County Improved Farms at a reasonable rate of interest. No red tape—We have the money and want to loan it.

JORDAN & McCOLLUM
The Abstract People.

Over Com. Nat'l. Bank, Brady, Texas

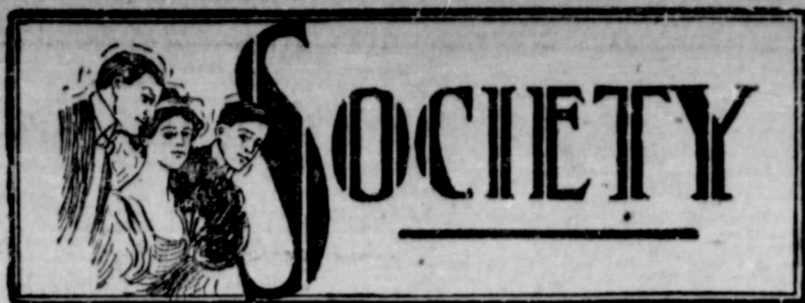
W. P. GRAY

General Contractor and Builder. Out of Town, As Well As In Town Work Solicited.

All Kinds of Construction Work—Cement, Stone and Brick.

Build Concrete Sidewalks, Walls, Cellars or Vats. Work guaranteed.

Give me a trial. Phone 153, or address W. P. Gray, Brady, Texas.



Ring 163 If You Have Items for These Columns—

Five Hundred Club.

No meeting of the Five Hundred club was held last Friday. The club meets this afternoon with Mrs. Wiley W. Walker.

Parent-Teachers Association.

The Parent-Teachers Association meets Wednesday, Sept. 27, in Central school building.

Reports of the different committees.

Paper by Mrs. Joe White, subject: "Preventing Bad Habits in Children."

All interested in school work are cordially invited to attend. MRS. JOE ADKINS, Pres. MRS. J. A. SNIDER, Sec.

North Side Bible Class No. 1.

North Side Bible Class No. 1 met last Friday afternoon with Mrs. Tom Elliot, and on account of quite a number of the class having been absent, it was decided to postpone the lesson that had been assigned for last week until this afternoon, when the class will meet with Mrs. F. H. Kruse. The lesson assigned is from the 21st to the 29th chapters inclusive of II Chronicles.

North Side Bible Class No. 2.

North Side Bible Class No. 2 met yesterday afternoon with Miss Pearl Conner, fifteen being present, including one member of the North Side Bible class No. 1. Bro. Keynoids taught the class and made the lesson very interesting.

The class meets next Thursday at 3:00 o'clock with Mrs. Emily Zimmerman. The lesson will be Exodus 36th to 40th chapters inclusive; also the Sunday school lesson for October 1.

Merry Maids and Matrons.

The Merry Maids and Matrons met Monday afternoon with Mrs. George Davis, enjoying three tables of "42." Members in attendance were Misses Minna Elliot, Fannie Lyle, Irma Woodard, Ona Snearly; Mesdames W. J. Dawson, V. L. Sessions. Invited guests were Mesdames Virgil Jones, Claud Baker, Tom Elliot; Misses Mary Snider, Esther Creath of Abilene, Ollie Miers of Coleman.

Mrs. Davis served sandwiches, iced tea, salad and cake.

The club meets next Wednesday with Mrs. Virgil Lee Sessions.

Inter Se.

The Inter Se enjoyed last Friday afternoon as guests of Miss Carrie Sessions, members present being Misses Mozelle Glenn, Ruth Schaege, Flora Schaege, Ruth Wood, Ruth Campbell, Margaret McGhee, Minna Elliot, Mesdames Claud Baker, J. B. Granville; and guests: Misses Ona Snearly, Fannie Lyle, Irma Woodard, Lessie Samuel; Mrs. W. J. Dawson.

In the series of "42," Miss Ruth Campbell received high score.

The hostess served a salad course.

The club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Claud Baker.

Entre Nous.

Miss Lucile Benham entertained the Entre Nous on Wednesday afternoon with the usual two tables of "500." Members in attendance were Mesdames H. B. Ogden, Herbert L. Wood; Misses Mary Brook, Esther Anderson. Guests were Mesdames A. B. Jarvis of Henderson, Ky., Harry F. Schwenker, J. R. Stone, F. R. Wulff.

Mrs. Stone received guest

prize, and Miss Anderson, club prize.

The hostess served sandwiches, potato chips, fruit salad, olives and iced tea.

Mrs. W. E. Campbell will be hostess for the Entre Nous next Wednesday afternoon.

Five-Forty Club.

The Five-Forty club met last Friday afternoon with Mrs. F. M. Richards, and the afternoon was enjoyably spent at three tables of "Five-Forty." Members spending the afternoon with Mrs. Richards were Mesdames Wm. Bauhof, J. E. Shropshire, Walter Gallemore, Ben Anderson, H. R. Hodges, A. B. Campbell, C. P. Gray, Roy Wilkerson, Lee Vaughn, D. M. Stone; Guests were Mesdames Campbell, E. E. Spiller, R. A. King, Clyde Hall, A. Rogers, C. D. Allen.

Following the series of games a salad course was served by the hostess.

The club meets this afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Shropshire.

We need our milk bottles daily, and must request our patrons to put empty bottles where the driver can get them. Help us give first-class service.

BRADY SANITARY DAIRY.

New Perfection oil stoves—both short and long burners. Broad Mercantile Co.

Fill up your coal bin before cold weather sets in. Phone your order to 295. Macy & Co.

For Sale or Trade—One or two good second-hand automobiles. E. J. BROAD.

The most courteous treatment from our salespeople, with the best and quickest delivery service at I. G. Abney's.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Daisy Hill was a Dallas passenger Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jordan were visitors here yesterday from Melvin.

W. B. Taylor left Monday to spend the week looking after business at Buckholts.

Attorney L. E. Laurence was over from Eden the early part of the week attending court.

Mrs. John Wall and daughter, Miss Fay, returned yesterday from a visit with friends in Fort Worth.

H. W. Winslow has been here this week from Camp San Saba while engaged as riding bailiff for the grand jury.

Messrs. Chas. Koerth, Robert White and Lit Walker expect to leave Sunday night for College Station to re-enter A. & M. college.

Rev. R. M. Bailey left Wednesday to attend the Christian church convention at Santa Anna. He will return Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Broad and son, Chas., Jr., returned Tuesday evening from Waco, having made the trip of two hundred miles each way in their auto.

Mrs. C. R. Mathis, who has been a guest of Mesdames A. C. Baze, O. D. Mann, M. E. Plummer and other relatives, left on last evening's passenger for her home in Amity, Oregon.

J. A. Liverman was in town from the Long Valley, Mason

BUSINESS IS GOOD

WITH US

We are Selling Lots of New Fall Goods

Since the opening of our Fall Opening Sale hundreds of people have attended and made very satisfactory purchases. We are showing very pretty styles this fall.

Coats, Waists and Millinery—Our wonderful low prices are the talk of the town. New and better assortments of Fall Goods are coming in every day. Come and let us show you the snappiest, newest styles at ridiculously low prices.

Ladies' Wool Serge Suits, \$17.50 values, on sale for	\$12.00	Ladies' Shoes, \$3.50 values, on sale for	\$2.95
Ladies' Wool Poplin Suits, \$20.00 values, on sale for	\$16.50	Ladies' Shoes, \$5.00 values, on sale for	\$3.95
Ladies' Serge Dresses, \$12.00 values, on sale for	\$8.50	Ladies' Shoes, \$6.50 values, on sale for	\$4.90
Ladies' Poplin Dresses, \$14.50 values, on sale for	\$9.95	Ladies' Crepe de Chine Waists, \$3.00 values, on sale for	\$2.45
Ladies' Skirts, \$5.00 values, on sale for	\$3.98	Children's Coats, \$5.00 values, on sale for	\$3.95
Ladies' Skirts, \$6.95 values, on sale for	\$5.50	Children's Coats, \$4.00 values, on sale for	\$3.25
Ladies' Waists, \$1.50 values, on sale for	\$1.00		

We have Ladies' Coat Suits from \$7.00 to \$35.00, including the best styles and materials of the season, and our prices cannot be beat. Come let us show you the new Big Plaid Coats. Prices from \$7.00 to \$18.50.

You can save money by buying your Fall Hat from us. We have a big assortment at very reasonable prices.

Fall Opening Sale is now on and many bargains await you here.

HUB DRY GOODS CO.

Henry W. Zweig, Prop.

Report of the Condition of THE BRADY NATIONAL BANK

At Brady, in the State of Texas, at the Close of Business on September 12th, 1916.

Resources.

Loans and discounts (except those shown on b)	\$219,166.75	\$219,166.75
Overdrafts, unsecured	22.61	22.61
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00	50,000.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		3,600.00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	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		1,179.10
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	3,626.71	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	56,078.14	59,704.85
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11)		21,062.40
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		417.29
Outside checks and other cash items	840.60	
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	175.00	1,015.60
Notes of other national banks		1,035.00
Federal Reserve notes		5,000.00
Coin and certificates		9,293.75
Legal tender notes		6,500.00
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. (See Sec. 13, Federal Reserve Act.)		29,053.18
Total		\$442,800.85

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits	14,639.34
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	1,984.73
Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
Net amount due to banks and bankers (other than included in 31 or 32)	7,411.77
Dividends unpaid	50.00
Individual deposits subject to check	252,236.32
Cashier's checks outstanding	448.15
Total	\$442,800.85

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 21st day of September, 1916. S. P. BOON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

B. L. CRADDNCK
F. M. RICHARDS
JNO. P. SHERIDAN
Directors.

FARMS WANTED.

We have buyers for McCulloch county property. List your land with us. ACOSTA BROS.

See our new line of ribbons and laces. I. G. Abney.

UNIQUE BUILDING LOTS in select addition. Jackson Land Co.

Get a Springfield wagon—the wagon that stands. Broad Mercantile Co.

How to Give Good Advice.

The best way to give good advice is to set a good example. When others see how quickly you get over your cold by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they are likely to follow your example. This remedy has been in use for many years and enjoys an excellent reputation. Obtainable everywhere.



Join Our Scientific Stocking Club

Wear CADETS and your hosiery troubles will be over. For men, women, boys and girls.

Every Pair Guaranteed

Your money back if you are not satisfied.

Staple Goods

We have the largest stock of Staple Dry Goods in McCulloch county.

Standard Brands of Bleached Domestic, Brown Domestic, Outings, Cotton Flannels, Wide Sheetings, Tickings, Calicoes; Percales, Ginghams, etc.

No house in Texas, large or small, will offer lower prices on staple dry goods.

BLANKET TIME

These cool mornings suggest the necessity of replenishing the blanket stock. We were exceedingly fortunate on our blanket purchases, and you will be surprised at the values we are offering in Cotton and Wool Blankets Crib blankets, plain and nursery designs 35c, 40c, 75c Cotton blankets, extra values, per pair \$1, \$1.50, \$2.00 Woolen blankets, plaids and plain colors, per pair \$2.50 and \$3.50

All Wool blankets in solid colors and beautiful big plaids, per pair \$5.00 to \$7.50

C. H. Vincent
DRY GOODS
SOUTH SIDE

Please put out your milk bottles every day. After October 1st no milk will be delivered to parties who fail to put out their milk bottles.

BRADY SANITARY DAIRY.

For Sale—The best disc plow on the market, the Canton and the John Deere, and they are going at the old price. We will save you money. See us before buying elsewhere. E. J. BROAD.

See our line of dishes. Broad Mercantile Co.

Try the Firestone tubes and casings next time. Guaranteed as good as the best. W. M. Murphy. King building. North side square.

Some way down low prices on buggies and hacks. See us. E. J. BROAD.

Wagon sheets and tents—large stock. Broad Merc. Co.

We have recently instanced another compressed air tank and can now supply our customers with free air. Brady Auto Co.

For earache, toothache, pains, burns, scalds, sore throat, try Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil, a splendid remedy for emergencies.

All kinds and sizes of coal and wood heating stoves. Get our prices and look over what we have to offer you in this line before buying. Broad Mercantile Co.

When you want a sack of the best flour, try Oriole. At I. G. Abney's.

NOTICE!

List your property with us; we have buyers for McCulloch county land. ACOSTA BROS.

PAY-UP WEEK.

Will Be Observed Nationally, October 2 to 7th.

National Pay-Up week is scheduled for October 2nd to 7th.

It is the week during which special effort will be put forth all over the nation to "square up" accounts. Mr. A. will pay Mr. B. and Mr. B. will pay Mr. C., and the old rusty dollar will be kept circulating until it grows bright and shiny, and in so doing it will cancel many a debt and keep circulating in the community.

Anyone may start the ball rolling. The only thing necessary is for someone of them to pay his account to date and put the money in circulation. This, with an honest desire on the part of everyone to pay his debts helps the entire community. The object of National Pay-Up Week is to wipe out all the accounts possible in this community. Everybody is in it and everyone will be helped. Every time a debt is paid, a load is lifted. Let's unload during National Pay-Up Week. Let's start the lazy dollar going. Men of every calling in life all over the United States, farmers, doctors, lawyers, merchants, bankers, working men, are attracted by the possibilities of National Pay-Up Week, because it is not a bad debt collection device, but a plan which results in the payment of good debts.

Do you know which dollar it is that makes the most trouble for business? It is the dollar that is as good as "old wheat in the mill," but which does not move on when it is most needed. It is the debts people owe that they could easily pay but simply neglect to pay that cause the trouble. It is not the dead-beat account that worries you or any other man.

When National Pay-Up Week publicity gets into action it focuses the attention of careless folks on the subject of community payment and gets them to realize that those few dollars that they owe to local people have an enormous number of idle brothers, sisters, uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, cousins and other near kin which might be doing a lot of good in business circles but are loafing

around and not doing the community any good by circulating.

It is the circulating dollars, the busy rolling dollars that make the life-blood of local business. That same rolling dollar may pass in one day through fifteen or twenty different hands and pay off \$15 to \$20 in small debts. The problem is just to get it rolling.

National Pay-Up Week solves that problem. It impresses the perfectly good but indifferent, careless, forgetting debtor with the fact that he is imposing upon a man who has done him a favor when he persistently neglects to pay his small debts. Not only is he imposing upon one man, but he is imposing upon the community. He is imposing by keeping lazy dollars that should be doing useful, beneficial work by circulating.

It makes them realize that if everybody gets in line and pays off that debt, or as much as he can, thousands of dollars are taken out of the lazy class and put into busy business at the same time. Everybody is benefited, directly or indirectly.

Pay-Up Week comes in the time of year when business needs just a little added impulse to make it go faster than it ever did before. National Pay-Up Week gives every man a polite means of letting every other man know that he is indebted to him and that small favors are appreciated.

Let every citizen of Brady and McCulloch county make plans now to take part in Pay-Up Week. Let's put the dollars in circulation—times are always good when money keeps moving.

New, fresh groceries—anything you want at I. G. Abney's. Most disgusting skin eruptions, scrofula, pimples, rashes, etc., are due to impure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters as a cleansing blood tonic, is well recommended. \$1.00 at all stores. Call on Acosta Bros. if you want to sell your farm.



THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other States. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2995 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Could be druggists.—Adv.

Cotton Ginnings.

Amount of cotton ginned up to Friday noon:

Brady Gin 538
N. B. Embury 720
J. C. Koerth 959

2217
No bales is cotton yard about 3750.

Cotton seed, per ton, \$41.00.
Cotton is bringing 15 1-4c.

Before You Buy a Car
See J. S. Abernathy about the Birch. Price \$700.00, delivered. Phone 3002.

New fall gingham for school dresses at I. G. Abney's.

LIST YOUR PROPERTY with us. Jackson Land Co.

Are You Looking Old?
Old age comes quickly enough without inviting it. Some look old at forty. That is because they neglect the liver and bowels. Keep your bowels regular and your liver healthy and you will not only feel younger but look younger. When troubled with constipation or biliousness take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are intended especially for these ailments and are excellent. Easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

All kinds automobile accessories at Murphy's. Next to Standard office.

See us for good hand-made Team Harness, Breeching, Lines and Bridles. H. P. C. Evers.

WANT TO SELL?
If you want to sell your property in McCulloch county, we have a buyer ready. ACOSTA BROS.



E. B. RAMSAY
UNDERTAKER

Caskets, Coffins, Burial Robes. Hearse in Connection.

PHONE NO. 56, OR CALL AT DISPLAY ROOMS

Murphy's Garage

North Side of Square Brady, Texas

Auto Accessories, Gasoline, Oils and Grease our Specialties.

Courteous Treatment, Low Prices, Standard Goods.

W. M. MURPHY

NEXT TO STANDARD OFFICE
North Side Square Brady, Texas.



Are you going to hide your money in a hole in the ground or in your house and always be worried fearing that you may be watched by a robber?

No. It is the robber's business to learn who keeps money hidden, and he will kill you, if he must, to steal. Be a careful man.

BANK WITH US.

Commercial Nat'l Bank
BRADY Capital and Surplus \$200,000 TEXAS

DON'T MAKE A MISTAKE IN BUYING YOUR GROCERIES

It you are not buying them from us, you are making one big mistake. You are not treating us nor yourself right.

WE SAVE YOU MONEY

HEADQUARTERS FOR CREAM OF WHEAT FLOUR

ACOSTA BROS.

The Big Store of Middle Texas

When you spend YOUR good money for merchandise, you certainly must bear in mind:

The reputation of an establishment; what its guarantee is worth, and the location and convenience.

The size of the stocks from which you may choose. This is determined by the volume of business done.

The buying prestige, the methods of buying, and the financial resources.

The people that conduct the establishment.

For nearly twenty-one years this house has borne the reputation of giving true value for money; for having the largest stocks from which to select; and having a wonderful outlet in volume.

Wonderfully strong is the vast showing of Women's Wear and Apparel for Children, to say nothing of the great stock of Fashionable Millinery for Mothers and their Daughters.

The three thousand feet of floor space that is devoted to the Ready-to-Wear department, is brimful of pretty wearables that invite a look and a comparison of prices with all others.

Mr. Rogers, owner and manager of this good store, personally directs the daily transactions of all this store's business; and sees to it, through experienced assistants in each of the many departments, that you and your mail orders have the quickest and most satisfactory attention.

To you who are reading this announcement, it is easily worth a trip to Brownwood—when you have the advantage of shopping here.

You and your mail orders are always welcome.

R. B. ROGERS

BROWNWOOD

--since '96

TEXAS

LOCAL BRIEFS.

R. K. Finlay, Sr., accompanied by his daughters, Misses Maggie and Mary, were here from Fife yesterday on business. R. K. was wearing a big smile and would have nothing to do with hard time talk. He said he was making a third of a bale off cotton planted the 15th of June after hail had destroyed the previous crop, and which had not had a bit of rain since. He has 55 acres of this cotton, and the 15c price made his smile both broaden and deepen.

Dr. J. P. Barton was in from Lohn yesterday and preached us a brief McCulloch booster sermon that made us feel good all over. The doctor would have no complaint about dry weather. Had he not just brought in a bale of cotton that netted him in the seed \$113.50? Yea, verily! And did he not remember the time when he figured out the profit for a poor man who was raising cotton on the shares, and after deducting cost of gathering, marketing, etc., find that the man made the sum of 65c clear profit on the entire bale? Talk about rain—and wherever it had rained the boll weevils did three times as much damage as the rain had done good. Which reminded the doctor of one year while he was living in Falls county. Cotton promised to yield a bale to the acre when the rains set in. The cotton grew almost as tall as a tree and when it came time to gather there wasn't a boll in the entire field. The immense woody growth made it extremely difficult to use a stalk cutter to advantage and get the ground in shape, so the following year the doctor planted corn on the land. The result was an 80 bushel per acre yield, with 35c per bushel paid for the corn in the field.

Then there's C. W. Scott from way out at Tahoka, Lynn county, Texas, who is some ill' bender himself. Mr. Scott is spending several weeks here on business and dropped in The Standard office to pass the time of day, and incidentally to make us feel bad by trying to tell us how much better a country he lived in than did we. Mr. Scott says they have had three good rains there since August. He made a good early spring 1922 crop, and now his feed crop is finer than ever. Two gardens are made each year, and the fall garden is better than the spring. Right now Mr. Scott has every sort of vegetable flourishing in his garden, and his watermelons are big and fat and juicy. Water is had in abundance, it being only necessary to punch a hole in the ground to a depth of about 60 feet to secure an abundant

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 to-day. 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, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. B.C. 134

What The War Is Doing For The Farmer

The European war is not an unmitigated evil; nor yet an unmitigated blessing for this country. We shall not attempt to go into the ethical side of the question at all, nor shall we discuss "war brides", munition plants or other similar phases of the situation. We shall look at the war purely from the standpoint of prices for raw products, either produced here in this country or imported from foreign countries.



Of course when we consider raw products we must carry the subject further on into the matter of the prices we get and the prices we must pay for finished products. We shall consider our commodities, too, to those products which have their origin on the farm either in the raw state or finished and manufactured into usable or wearable articles.

Let us take wheat, for example. We all know that the war has put the price of wheat very high. Very well—this means that the whole country, city, town and rural population is well being more for their flour—therefore the wheat raiser should theoretically be getting rich on a product which costs him no more to raise than formerly and for which he gets more money.

But wait a minute—there are other things to consider in this matter of growing rich off the war. Cotton and wool and masts and farm machinery and sugar have gone up too. This means that while the wheat raiser is getting more for his product, he is also paying some other agriculturist more for his product. This cuts down somewhat on the profits the war is bringing to the farmer. Then it would seem that the best way to keep ahead of the game is for the farmer to pay the farmer who raises his necessities the increased prices that the war has brought about and when buying his luxuries on those things that are not necessities of life to pick and choose from

supply, and he has water at his house, in his big pasture and in his little pasture; in fact, wherever needed. Within the memory of man there was but one year when that country raised a short crop of feed, and that was many years ago. Not only do they raise an abundance, but feed is shipped by the car and trainload. Mr. Scott and family are all delighted with the climate, the hottest month being June, following which the weather is delightful the balance of the year, although somewhat cooler in winter on account of the high altitude—2800 feet. The country is rapidly settling up, new homes are being built and the towns are growing rapidly. Since Mr. Scott bought last year, land adjoining his has advanced \$5.00 per acre in value. He has promised to reserve a place for this editor, and whenever the citizens here decide we had better seek other fields, they will please give us time to first get into communication with Mr. Scott before turning us out in the cold world.

Peter Schuttler wagons. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Largest stock ammunition in the city. Broad Mercantile Co.

Walk-Over, Edwin Clapp and Florsheim shoes—three of the best makes of shoes are here, so come in and get yours and remember you get ten free shiners—and they help out. Kirk. Nuff Sed.

We have some very pretty patterns of linoleum. O. D. Mann & Sons.

OUR GUARANTEE



On Each Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater

Your Money Back! You get back the original cost of your stove in the fuel money saved each winter. Could you ask for more?

1. We guarantee a saving of one-third in fuel over any lower draft stove of the same size, with soft coal, lignite or slack.
2. We guarantee Cole's Hot Blast to use less hard coal for heating a given space than any base burner made with same size frepot.
3. We guarantee that the rooms can be heated from one to two hours each morning with the fuel put in the stove the evening before.
4. We guarantee that the stove will hold fire with soft coal or hard coal from Saturday evening to Monday morning.
5. We guarantee a uniform heat day and night with soft coal, hard coal or lignite.
6. We guarantee every stove to remain absolutely air-tight as long as used.
7. We guarantee the feed door to be knock and dust proof.
8. We guarantee the anti-puffing draft to prevent puffing.

All we ask is that the stove be operated according to directions and connected with a good flue.

(Signed) COLE MANUFACTURING CO. (Not Inc.) (Makers of the Original Patented Hot Blast Stove)

This guarantee cannot be made on any other heating stove. If you want comfort and economy put one of these heaters in your home.

"Cole's Hot Blast Makes Your Coal File Last" Look for the name Cole's on feed door to avoid imitations

BROAD Mercantile Co

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rate 5c per line per insertion.

Wanted.

Mules from 4 to 8 years old; from 14.1 to 16 hands high; good flesh and sound; broke to harness.

Will be in Brady until Tuesday, October 3rd.

C. B. WHITE.

For Sale—300 candle-power gasoline lamp. Will sell cheap. H. P. C. Evers.

For Sale—The E. L. Wade residence and hotel; also wagons and harness. See Mrs. E. L. Wade, or phone 87.

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

For Sale—Good coming 2-year-old Suffolk colt from O. A. McShan horse. See J. F. Schaeg.

For Sale—Sharples separator, good as new. Or will trade. See J. M. Connally.

Notice.

Want to trade good motorcycle for young cow or heifer. For information write Box 164, Brady.

Lost—Pair of glasses, gold frame with bows, in B. L. Malone & Co. case; "E. I. C." scratched on back of case. Return to Eph Cummins.

Notice.

I have a nice home west of the county jail for sale or trade. JAS. CASTRO, Phone 211.

WANTED—McCulloch county farms. We have buyers for your property. ACOSTA BROS.

Rheumatism Follows Exposure.

In the rain all day is generally followed by painful twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Sloan's Liniment will give you quick relief and prevent the twinges from becoming torture. It quickly penetrates without rubbing and soothes the sore and aching joints. For sore, stiff, exhausted muscles that ache and throb from overwork, Sloan's Liniment affords quick relief. Bruises, sprains and other minor injuries to children are quickly soothed by Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle today at your druggist's, 25c.

Phone 295 for best McAister or Swastika coal.

How about your watch? Is it keeping correct time? If not, let us remedy the trouble for you. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Grant, jeweler, east side square.

Plenty of hog wire and barb wire at E. J. BROAD'S. Get their prices.

We have added the famous Firestone line of casings and tubes to our stock of automobile accessories, and can supply them in any size. Nothing better than the Firestone. W. M. Murphy, King building, North side square.

A complete stock of iron beds to choose from. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Neutral.

The bad men of history had been the subject of the lesson, and the master had spoken very eloquently of the wrongs committed by Nero. He really thought he had made an impression, and confidently asked:

"Now, boys, what do you think of Nero?"

Not a single answer—not even a waving hand. Then he made a fresh start.

"Tommy Jones," he said, "what do you think of Nero? Do you think he was a good man?"

"Well," replied young Jones, after some hard thinking, "he never done nothing to me." —Chicago News.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The grand jury is still in session, and will very likely not complete their labors until late tonight. No bills have so far been given out.

John E. Swenson, living near Whiteland, is one of the recent converts to the automobile habit, having let his choice fall upon a Studebaker Four, purchased from Simpson & Co.

Cotton brought around 147-8 cents early yesterday morning, middling basis, while cotton seed remained steady at \$41.00 per ton. Tuesday was high-water mark for the week in cotton, 15 1-8c having been paid for the fleecy staple.

On account of the criticism made of the city council's recent ordinance regulating driving and placing of cars on the streets within the fire limits, the members of the council have had in mind tendering their resignations as councilmen in a body. This action, it was said, would be followed by the resignation in a body of the members of the Brady fire department. As a result a petition was circulated about town yesterday addressed to the Brady City Council requesting that body to continue their service as heretofore. The petition was liberally signed, and it is to be hoped that this vote of confidence will restore civic matters to their usual smooth running.

For Sale—Three or four second-hand wagons. E. J. BROAD.

Why buy a cheaper mattress when you have to pay only a little more for a Sealy? O. D. Mann & Sons.

How Important It Is to Have GOOD, FRESH GROCERIES.

Phone 247 Auto Delivery

Buying your groceries should claim your most careful attention, just as they receive ours. You should know what you are buying and if they are good goods. We sell nothing but goods of the highest quality, and make care and cleanliness added inducements to attract your patronage.

RAINBOLT'S CASH GROCERY

We Sell the Best! We Sell for Less!

MELVIN ENTHUSIASTIC.

Good Roads Bug Invades That Thriving Settlement.

Melvin has the good roads bug, and has gone into the good roads work with a vim that promises to accomplish results, and a bond issue for road improvement is under contemplation. A good meeting was had Tuesday night when T. P. Grant, Sec. D. W. Rowlett and others boosters from Brady met with the Melvin citizens and addressed them on the highways proposition. Melvin has already lined up with Brady in the McCulloch County Highway league, and is prepared to join in any movement towards making the National highway through McCulloch county a permanent institution. Following the meeting Tuesday a special committee was named to confer with Doole citizens towards getting the road running ten miles north of Melvin in proper shape.

Like the Melvin citizens, the citizens of Doole are alive on the good roads proposition. By reason of the present unwieldy system of handling mails, Doole is to a great extent isolated from the balance of the county, a letter from Brady or Melvin addressed to Doole now requiring three days to reach its destination, and vice versa. Uncle Sam now takes the letter from Melvin or Brady, carries it to Brownwood, thence to Coleman and from Coleman by star route to Stacy and Doole. The Doole

citizens for a long time have hoped to get the route changed via Melvin, and with the completion of the contemplated road improvement, success will, no doubt, be had in these endeavors. A committee of Melvin citizens met with the citizens of Doole last night to get together on the problem of road improvement.

A peculiar situation confronts the citizens of Melvin. Their main highway lies within a quarter of a mile of the county line, and the school district includes part of Concho county, making it impractical to attempt to vote a good roads bond issue in the school district. On the other hand the commissioners district comprises a large amount of territory, much of which has no direct or interlinking interest with Melvin, which again makes the voting of bonds by commissioners precinct impractical. The problem is quite a knotty one, and a committee of Melvin citizens was in Brady yesterday to have the tangle unraveled by local attorneys, none of whom were able to advise what to do to evade the obstacles. It is certain, however, that some way out will be found, and Melvin and Doole will vote the necessary bonds for road improvement.

Charter Oak stoves and ranges. Do not pass us up on a cook stove or range. Broad Mercantile Co.

For monuments, any size or description, see J. W. Embry.

Announcement.

We wish to announce to the milk consumers of this vicinity the installation of a Milk Clarifier. From now on we will be able to supply our trade with special clarified milk.

The process of clarification is positively the greatest step yet made toward the production of absolutely clean milk. Clarification removes from raw milk every particle of sediment, thick milk, dust and all objectionable matter it may contain.

We have gone to a great expense in buying this machine in order to give you clean milk in its most palatable form. Bottles and bottle caps have advanced in price and we are forced to adopt this measure: Unless the driver finds your empty bottle in its place each day he will not leave you any milk.

It is very important that you do not neglect to return your bottles. It is not sanitary to fill bottles on the route and there is a state law against this practice. So don't let them accumulate, but put them out each day and give us a chance to sterilize them and fill all bottles before leaving the dairy. We kindly ask your co-operation in this matter and you may depend upon the purity of the milk you buy from us.

Convenient deliveries and prompt service are also a part of our plan. Why not try a sample of our Special Clarified Milk?

THE SANITARY DAIRY.

DISTRICT COURT GRIST

VICENTI CASTANELA SENTENCED TO PEN.

Violated Local Option Law—T. C. Childers Gets Suspended Sentence—Divorce Cases.

District court began its regular session here Monday, and several cases were cleared from the civil and criminal docket.

Cases on the civil docket were disposed of as follows:

Beulah Woodward vs. Joe Brook et al, habeas corpus proceedings; dismissed for want of prosecution.

McCulloch County Land & Cattle Co. vs. J. M. Jonas et al, suit on notes and foreclosure of mortgage; dismissed.

Ida Clark vs. George Clark, divorce; granted.

Ruby Boyd vs. J. C. Boyd, divorce; granted and maiden name restored to plaintiff.

Viola Kerr et al vs. W. W. Willbanks et al, division of property; report of commissioners on division of property accepted by court and so ordered.

Guadalupe Salome vs. Jesus Salome, divorce; granted, and custody of child given plaintiff.

Hildah Winfrey vs. I. B. Winfrey, divorce; granted, and maiden name restored to plaintiff.

Ex-parte Claud Cowser, application to remove disabilities; removed as prayed for.

Ralph Laurence vs. Ethel Laurence, divorce; denied.

Ex-parte Helen Beckham, application for removal of disabilities; dismissed.

Criminal Docket. Cases on criminal docket were disposed of as follows:

State vs. Will Bennett, attempt at subornation of perjury; dismissed for want of evidence.

Vicenti Castanela, violating local option law; plea of guilty and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

H. E. Roberts, perjury; dismissed for want of evidence.

T. C. Childers, forgery; plea of guilty entered and sentence of five years imposed, with suspension of sentence recommended, which was granted by the court.

Civil Jury Docket. The civil jury docket will be taken up next week by the court.

Changing Seasons Bring Colds. "Stuffed-up head," clogged-up nose, tight chest, sore throat are sure signs of cold, and Dr. King's New Discovery is sure relief. A dose of this combination of antiseptic balsams soothes the irritated membrane, clears the head, loosens the phlegm, you breathe easier and realize your cold is broken up. Treat a cold persistently; half-way measures leave a lingering cough. Take Dr. King's New Discovery until your cold is gone. For 47 years the favorite remedy for young and old. At your druggist's, 50c.

Find Them If You Can. Look under the house and see if you haven't some milk bottles stowed away there. Put them out and it will enable us to give you the very best service. After October 1st, remember, no empty bottles, no milk. BRADY SANITARY DAIRY.

R. K. Hallum Store Robbed. R. K. Hallum, formerly engaged in the jewelry business in Brady, and now located in Brownwood is loser of between \$300 and \$500 by reason of jewelry stolen from his stock Monday night. The thief gained entrance to the store through the skylight, and was evidently experienced, as he left no clue.

STUDEBAKERS IN DETROIT POPULAR.

Official automobile registrations for the first six months of 1916 show that Studebaker cars maintained the lead they first established in 1915 in the city of Detroit, the center of the automobile business and the city where three-fourths of the world's cars are built.

According to the official figures more Studebakers were registered in Detroit from January 1 to June 30 than any other make of car selling above the \$500 mark.

For the first six months of 1916 a total of 1709 Studebakers were registered in Detroit, as compared with 1592 of the second highest in point of numbers, a make of car selling at less than \$700. Third in rank was a car selling above \$2,000, of which 1210 were registered. Figuring Studebaker at the rate of 100 per cent, the next highest was 93 per cent, the third highest 71 per cent and the fourth highest 64 per cent.

At the rate Studebaker cars are being sold to Detroit people, the present year's registrations in that city will surpass the 1915 figures by more than 1200 cars.

The choice of automobile buyers in Detroit is considered significant in view of the fact that Detroit people are recognized as the best informed in the country as to automobile values. Most of them are either directly or indirectly connected with the motor car industry. They talk, eat and sleep automobiles.

While Detroit is not the only city in which Studebaker cars lead among automobiles selling above \$500, it is generally considered the most interesting example because of that city's prominence as the hub of the great automobile industry.

We have a 5-passenger Overland car in good shape that we will sell cheap. Broad Mercantile Co.

REBEKAHS ENTERTAIN.

Celebrate Sixty-Fifth Anniversary of Organization.

The Ruthel Rebekahs entertained their members and friends in very enjoyable fashion Tuesday night with a program and refreshments, the occasion being the observance of the sixty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the Rebekah lodge. All present report the most enjoyable of times, and the refreshments that followed the program rendered proved not the least of the evening's enjoyment.

The following was the program rendered:

Piano Solo, Miss Fannie Lyle. Recitation, "Long Ago," Little Estelle Bumguardner.

Vocal Duet, Misses Jewel Westbrook and Naomi Burk.

Reading, "The Advantages of Being a Rebekah," Miss Kate Bumguardner.

Vocal Solo, "I'll Be Much Obligated to You," Little Irene Taylor.

Piano Solo, Miss Fannie Lyle. Vocal Solo, "Garden of Roses" Miss Ella Borschow.

Reading, "The Noble Work of the Rebekahs," Miss Kate Westbrook.

Vocal Solo, Miss Minna Elliot. Recitation, Mrs. C. W. Basha.

A Short Talk on Growth and Good of the Rebekahs, Bro. Dave Pliner.

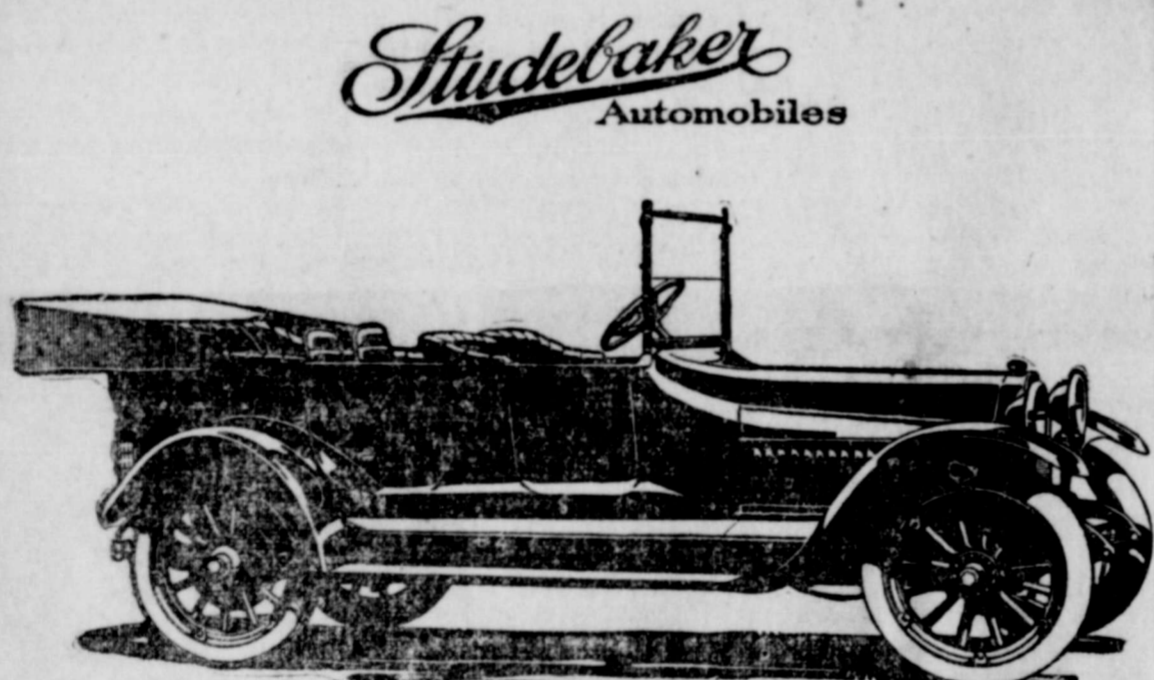
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