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## PAGE EIGHT



# LYRIC THEATRE 

Friday, Jan. 12
presents the great favorite Wm S. Hart
In the Great Phoos Play HELL'S HIIMEES ,
"Wife and Auto Troubles" kerstone comedy

Price 25c; Children 10c SHOW STARTS AT 7:45 COMING; "THE GOOD BAD MAN"

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that the ingredients and compoundings are just as they should be. Physicians and nurses know that we fill prescriptions with absolute accuracy. They know that we use the best drugs
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Rexall Store Money Back if You On Want It" Corner

## Died Saturday. <br> A. Luckie of Sonora died at Miss Ethyl Lee

 local sanitarium at $1: 000^{\circ}$ - and $\approx$ Mr. Wilfrey Wear were dock Saturday morning follow- married Wednesday evening at ing an operation for gall blad- the home of the bride's parents,der, aged 51 years. Mr. Luckie Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Graham of came here for treatment, being Mercury, Rev. C. M. Ashmore of accompanied by his wife, who
Brownwood officiating. Miss
with him at the time of Cawyer was a student at Daniel was with him at the time of Cawyer was a student at Daniei
his death. The body was ship- Baker college last year and Mr. ed Saturday moring over the Wear was a employe of Brooke Frisco to Menard, from which Smith \& Co's. bank. He is a son
point it was carried to Sonora of G. W. Wear of Brownwood. point it was carried to Sonora
for burial.
We have some retty rugs and art squares. Phone your orders for coal to days each year. 295, Best Swastika or McAlister oal. Macy \& Co. For Sale Cheap-A nice little 4-room house; bath room, front
and back porch, nice location

MEETING JANUARY 23RD,
Safe Farming and High Priced Cotton" Subject.
Announcement was made tha
"There will be held in Brady o Tuesday; January 23rd, a meeting of the Texas Bankers assoçiation in connection with the campaign of "Safe Farming and High Priced Cotton." The an nouncements come from W. A. Philpott, Jr., Secretary of
Texas Bankers association Texas Bankers association.
All farmers and citizens All farmers and citizens will be interested in the discussion
of the subject and the presenta of the subject and the presenta-
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meeting in mind and attend meeting in mind and _attend
without fail. S. S. Graham, aswithout fail. S. S. Graham, as
sistant cashier of the Commer sistant cashier of Che Commer-
cial National bank, and D. W. Rowlett, secretary of the Brady Y. M. B. L., have been appointed a committee to complecte
rangements for the holding the meeting, and will announce in the next issue the details of the same.

## South Side Bible Class The South Side Bible Cl

 The South Side Bible Clas esting meeting with their teach-and er, Mrs. J. H. Martin, Friday afterngon.
Much in he wown in hour delicious refreshments were served.
The class meets again Friday afternoon at $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. with Mrs L. A. Williams, and is very anx
ous to enroll new members.
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## Furniture

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> Brother Dead.

The many friends Keller will sympathize with him in the death of his brother, Joh Keller, at Fredericksburg on
Tuesday of last week. Mr. Kel Tuesday of last week. Mr. Kel.
ler visited with his brother only the, Saturday before. While his brother was very feeble, his strength having been sapped by
pellagra with which he had suf-
fered for several years, yet A. fered for several years, yet A.
W. found him gone to the river fishing. Upon his return home, hey might never see one an was ill in bed when the news of he death came, and was unable to attend the funeral, which was eld Wednesday.
John Keller was 65 years and 10 months old and was one of ed citizend most highly respected citizens in Mason and Gilles. county- Mason cilesounty. For a long number mith shop at Hedwig's Hill, but me in Fredericksburg. His
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brothers survive.

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Your haulage can be simplified and made cheaper.
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ation will convince you.


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## "HELL'S HINGES."

Spectacular Picture at Opera future on Monday night at in
House Friday Night.
Wm. S. Hart, Night. $\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { old prices of } 10 \mathrm{c} \text { and } 15 \mathrm{c} \text {. This } \\ & \text { will give a high class show at }\end{aligned}$
15,423 BALES GINNED

Wavorite. Hart, the great movie
a very moderate cost and will
IcCulloch County Up Vorite will be seen at the opera a very moderate cost and will The U. S. Bureau of Cen spectacular, widely advertised good attendance on this night. $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Dounces a total of }\end{array}$ d hugely successful play, bales ginned in Texas prior to Mule Teams. 25 head young mules, two to December 13th 1916, as comparfive years old. See as if you ed with $2,868,663$ up to the same want a team. MANN BRO date last year. The following is MANN BROS. the cumber of bales ginned in How about your watch? Is it Mct _och and surrounding keeping correct time? If not, 1916, as up to December 13, let us remedy the trouble for 1916 , as compared with the A. F. Gatisfaction guaranteed. number ginned up to the same square.

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| Standard office. |  | Cole |  |  | $\square \quad$ Coleman $\quad 26,905 \quad 28,379$ Parent-Teachers Association Comanche The Parent-Teachers associa- Concho tion will meet at $3: 30$ oclock Gillespie

the Central school 10 th, at Runnels
Subject for discussion: "Prac. Lampas
tical Child Study." Report of Mason
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## To the People of Texas and their Legislators Elect:

This is a paid advertisement intended to give reasons why the present law of Texas relating to the incorpoof the several branches of this single business.

The Texas Company is engaged in purchasing, refining and marketing petroleum, and as a part of its business owns and operates a system of pipe lines. It is incorporated under the laws of Texas and is handicapped seAnd as the law now stands it can obtain this power only by reorganizing and taking out a charter in some other state, thus becoming a corporation of that state and ceasing to be a corporation of Texas,

Heretofore the stockholders, by a separate producing organization, have borne the burden of obtaining the necessary crude supplies; and buc for this arrangement the company could not have succeeded. This was workable when the organization was small and operations were on a narrow scale. But with the growth of the busines now manurying and shifting stock ownership it has become subject to too many complications. The company is Texas crude oil. It now has more than 10,000 employees, and its stockholders number about 4,000 , including approximately 2,000 employees.

The competitors of this company are engaged in all branches of the business. Two of its principal competi ors in Texas operate as limited partnerships or joint stock associations and therefore may pursue any business that an individual might pursue, the only restriction being such stipulations as the shareholders see fit to make among hemselves. Another principal competitor is organized as a holding company, incorporated under the laws of another state, and owns the stock of three. Texas corporations, one engaged in producing oil, another in refining and marketing, and a third in operating pipe lines, so that on the whole the stockholders have the benent of an organization which covers all branches of the business.

The statement just made is not in criticism. The plan of including all branches of a single business is logical Horeover, as applied to the oil business it is universal in all of the oil producing states and in foreign countrie In practically every state of the Union, except Texas, a corporation of this kind has the, charter power to produce oil.

And it may not be inappropriate to say further in this connection that the limitations which the laws of Texas place on the charter powers of The Texas Company do not stop at the boundaries of the state; they follow the company wherever it goes; they follow it into other states and foreign countries where its competitgrs carry on all branches of the business and where the state of Texas can not prevent them from doing so. If anywhere n the Globe this company should would be subject to forfeiture.

No one would think of precluding a company engaged in the lumber business from going directly to the natural source of supply, taking timber leases or buying standing timber, and in that way acquiring its raw material There as in the oil business the manufacturing merchant takes the raw or crude material and turns it into imined prodies of the particular kinds needed and obtaining the the the s- of supreme importance. The same thought may be applied to mining or any industry where the operator mut ay out large sums in plant and marketing facilities and is not warranted in doing so unless he is to have a fre sand in obtaining the raw material. He must be allowed to protect his investment, otherwise he is at the mercy of hostile forces and can be destroyed at their will or upon an event of chance. To exclude an oil company from taking leases and producing oil, and thereby require it to buy from those who may happen to have wells and produce some oil, would mean to any concern operating on a large scale precisely the same that it would mear to the owner of a sawmint he should be mited from acquiring standing limber and required to buy his logs at reail. And furthermore, as previously indicated, it is not a question of what might be ideal if we were at the inception of this industry ; the business has pitched itself along certain lines; and these lines are universal and world-wide.

The position of The Texas Company was fully explained to the last legislature, but there was opposition to the bill introduced for its relief, and the matterwas delayed and finally crowded out near adjournment. The company did not then, and it does not now, ask any special favors, or for the enactment of a law which would not apply to all similarly situated, or for any change in the settled policies of the state; but it did desire and it still dorires sts that fire and sult by corporate sent the matter to the Thirty-fifth Legislature.

THE TEXAS COMPANY

## Methodists Let Contract Saturday for $\$ 17,000$ Church Building.

 tees of the Methodist church the choir upon all occasion for the erection of the new while prism glass will be use or the erection of the new to diffuse the rays of light and
Methodist church building to soften the glare of the sun Contractor Wm. Johnson of San Surrounding the immense arch
Antonio on his bid of $\$ 17,000,00$. ed dome will be, windows per-
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$\qquad$Impressive ceremonies will
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earned the confidence of Brady
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temple, which was designated bythe north-west corner and an- ing will likewise reboundof the building, a flight of about source of pride with and comtwelve steps leading to the first mendation to the communityfloor and auditorium. Not onlyfice doubly imposing, but it. willenable a well-lighted and wellventilated basement. The base
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cided upon. Class rooms will be ments-we lead them all in priccided upon. Class rooms will be
placed on the south, west andnorth sides of the basement, andogether with the rooms similary located on the 1st floor willque example of the perfect floorplan is had in the fact that allass rooms are connected, andthe pastor can begin at his
Guns quality, E. J. BRMunition.
O. D. Mann \& Sons.IN FIVE MINUTES: No
INDIGESTION, GAS ORSOUR, ACID STOMACHnd visit all the class cornerboth in the basement roomsboth in the basement and onbuilding. The floor of the basement will be of concrete$42 \times 42$ feet in dimension. On theensions, which will be used asastor's study, and in the east and aches; breath foul; tounguewill be the pulpit and chancel. coated; your insides filled withThe choir room will be north of $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { bile and indigestible waste, re- } \\ & \text { member the moment "Pape's }\end{aligned}\right.$nd adjoining the pastor's study Diapepsin" comes into contacand will enable the members of with the stomach all such disthe choir to pass directly to the tress vanishes. It's truly astonhoir loft to the rear of the ishing-almost marvelousi andthe north is readily convertibleinto a dining hall with a capaci-ty of 150 people.The Sunday school rooms onthe joy is its harmlessness.
A fifty-cent case of Pape's
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Reaches "Pape's DiapepReally does" put bad stom-
ach in order- "really does"come indigestion, dyspepsia, ga,
heartburn and sourness in fiveminutes-just that-makesPape's Diapepsin the largestworld. If what you eat ferment
home Saturday, after spendingTuscola.
Miss May Jones of Lordsburg,New Mexico, is receiving ThStandard as compliments of
S . Pence.
Karl Steffins was here from
Temple over Sunday visiting
Mrs. Steffins and
Miss Myrtle Wall left this
week for Wace, where
week for Wace, where she will
be a guest of her aunt, Mrs. M
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Spiller, wh
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with Mrs. Schaeg
daughter, Miss Lucile, droover to Lampasas last Thursdaywhere they have been spendingseveral days, guests of Rev. an
Mrs. D. R. Hardison and familyProf. E. L. White was a pasenger for Brownwood, Monday
Iid-Texas Teachers' associatio
Iarch.
D. F. Savage arrived last Friand Mrs. Savage have been sinceearly last summer, and will
spend several days here lookingafter property and business in-
terests.
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cated at Talpa, Texas, sends hiscated at Talpa, Texas, sends his
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Every citizen should be for cood roads. Every citizen should good roads, but when the ques. tions comes up at the polls, let
his voice be for good roads.
DELINQUENTS.

With this issue The Standard begins the publication of the
delinquent tax list, showing property upon which there now放 assessed a delinquent tax. d year 1885 up to 1916 , and its mandatory upon the part of the d county oficias under the pro

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## Will Pay the Highest Gash Price on These Three Days for

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## BRADY, TEXAS

|  | An Appreciative Subseriber. <br> The following letter receive will be of interest to McCullock county friends of the writer: <br> Abbott, New Mexico, Jan. 1 <br> Editor Brady Standard: <br> Find enclosed subscription for The Standard. We feel we don't want to miss a copy, as it is a welcome visitor to our home and |
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| Brady Auto Co. Complete line of gasoline, oils and sup. plies. | we are always glad to get it away out here in this new country. Obd McCulloch is a dear old |
| Another shipment of Dollar Pencil Sharpeners. Better than a jack knife for the boy or girl. | place to us. Hoping one and all a Happy New Year. <br> Mrs. W. J. Kuykendall. |
| All kinds automobile accesStandard office. |  |
|  | Shipment loston Dollar Pen- cil Pointers just received. Does the work of any on the market. $\$ 5.00$ sharpener $\$ 1.00$ each. $B y$ mail, postpaid. 81.05 . The Bra dy Standard. |
| remaining unclaimed at brady, Texas, for the week ending | UP ON CURRENT EVE |
| January 9, 1917 <br> Ladies List. <br> 1. Forward, Mrs. | A commercial traveler found himself in a remote village inn when a heavy downpour of rain |
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| 3. Philip | (Like what?" the girl inquir- |
| 5. White, R. L Mexican | "Like the flood. You have |
| 6. Garcia, E | read of the flood, and how the |
| When calling for any of tne | Mount 'Ararat. |
| above listed letter | haven't you?" . |
| that they were advertised, and give number and date of adver | "No sir," admitted the wait ess, "I ain't seen a newspaper |
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