

THE BRADY STANDARD

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Brady Must Have that Santa Fe Railroad. All Together! It Can be Done

EVERY FARMER

As well as every business man should have a bank account.

WHY?

BECAUSE: Your money is safer in the bank than anywhere else.

Paying your bills by check is the simplest and most convenient method.

Your check becomes a legal receipt for the debt it pays.

It gives you a better standing with business men.

A bank account teaches, helps and encourages you to save.

This bank does all the bookkeeping.

Your bank book is a record of your business.

Money in the bank strengthens your credit in the community and establishes your credit with the bank. The Brady National always takes care of its customers.

To those Desiring Banking Connections with an Old Established Bank, We Extend Our Services

WE KNOW YOUR WANTS and WANT YOUR BUSINESS.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS:

F. M. Richards, Pres. J. F. Montgomery, Cashier.
F. W. Henderson, Vice-Pres.
John P. Sheridan, Vice-Pres.
S. S. Graham, Ass't Cashier.
T. J. Wood. E. E. Willoughby. J. S. Neal.

The
Brady National Bank
of Brady

NEARLY \$60,000 OF THE REQUIRED BONUS RAISED

A Glorious Get-Together Mass Meeting Held Monday and the Santa Fe Proposition Given Great Boost. Brady Will Get the Road.

There is just one thing that might prevent Brady from securing the Santa Fe railroad, and that is for the property owners and citizens who have not yet done their duty to "lay down" on the proposition. There is a possibility that this may happen. But The Standard does not believe it. The Standard believes in Brady and in the loyalty and patriotism of Brady people, and we feel sure that the required amount will be raised. Only about \$80,000 is required, and at time of going to press nearly \$60,000 of this amount has been subscribed. Those who have taken the lead in the matter have done their duty nobly; those who have not yet done their duty are to be convinced, and we feel sure they will come through.

The mass meeting held Monday morning was something long to be remembered in Brady. Everybody was a booster. It resembled an old fashioned Methodist love feast, where each person vied with his neighbor in an endeavor to get right and do right. Judge F. M. Newman was the wheel horse. He made a speech that roused the enthusiasm of the meeting and ended it with a subscription of \$2000. Joe Matthews followed with a similar address and gave \$750. Other addresses followed, all of them to the point, and within thirty minutes \$40,000 had been subscribed. The committee has been hard at work since and as above stated the amount has now reached nearly \$60,000. The exact figures and names of donors will be found in another column.

The committee, through the local press, would urge every man to do his full duty in this matter. An inspection of the list will show that those upon whom the burden should fall heaviest have done their part. Some of them have given more than their part—even the rank and file will admit it. Now let those who have not been approached, and those who have not yet made up their minds, and those who have refused—let all take this matter carefully and honestly to heart and DO THEIR DUTY. Then we will make it. Remember, it takes \$60,000 cash bonus, and about \$20,000 more for right-of-way and depot grounds.

Jake Alexander, the premier cotton buyer of this section of Texas, came in last week from his home in Cisco and will make Brady headquarters during the coming season. Mr. Alexander has scores of friends in the Brady country who will be glad to see his cheerful face again this season.

Lee Walker left last Friday for Courtland, Ariz., where he has a position of trust with a large mercantile firm. Lee has the best wishes of hundreds of friends in Brady and surrounding country.

H. B. Yeager, the popular cotton man, came in last week from his home at Stephenville, and will mix with the Brady bunch again this season. W. G. Nunn, of Ladonia, is also here for the season. Both of these gentlemen were members of the local squad some forty-odd strong last year.

—Figure with us on your window glass. Jones Drug Co.

Medical Association To Meet.

Brady will have the honor of entertaining the annual convention of the Fourth San Angelo District Medical Association on Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 26 and 27. Local physicians are already beginning to formulate plans for the entertainment of the visiting M. D.'s on those dates.

—We are the only people in Brady who buy glass in quantities, thereby enabling us to sell for less than the other fellow. Jones Drug Co.

MEERS LAND COMPANY



**We Sell Land and
Brady Town
Property**

Office over Jones Drug Co.

Sold Telephone Exchange.

A. D. Gentry, the Rochelle telephone man, was here last week and reported having sold his exchange to E. P. McGarrity, of Como, Texas, who took charge this week. Mr. Gentry will engage in the cotton business at Rochelle.

Miss Ellen Ryan, who has been making her home in Brady with her sister, Mrs. L. Ballou, left last week for Temple where she will in the future reside.

Good Rain Monday.

A slow gentle rain fell Monday night nearly all night, resulting in great good to feed stuffs and late cotton. So far as The Standard has been able to learn the rain was general over the county and duly appreciated by all.

About a hundred more feet of cement walks on Blackburn street is now under construction. The Jones property and the Benham millinery store are the beneficiaries.

Fat Cows At \$21.

F. S. Kountz, a cattleman of Junction territory in Kimble county, was here last week and made The Standard a call. He reported the sale by Turner & Kountz to Tom Wood of 100 head fat cows at \$21, and to Bennett & Teague 70 calves at about \$8.00. Mr. Kountz brought up 350 fat cattle for Turner & Kountz and shipped to the Ft. Worth market Thursday. He reports cattle in good condition in his country, range fair and plenty stockwater. There will be considerable stuff shipped to market in the near future.

To the Public.

The livery business of Thompson & Co., The Brady Auto Co., and the auto business of Thompson & Co., have been all consolidated under the name of the Brady Auto Company. The garage will at once be enlarged to twice its size and a full line of automobile supplies will be kept always on hand and also a nice line of automobiles will soon be shipped in. The best efforts will be used to make it the biggest and most up-to-date concern in the West.

Messrs. D. F. Savage and J. E. Thompson will have the management of this concern with a paid up capital of \$30,000 and surplus of \$6,000. This promises to be quite an addition to the business interests of the town.

D. F. Savage, President.
J. E. Thompson, Gen'l Manager.
Directors:—J. E. Thompson,
D. F. Savage, W. D. Crothers.

—We will sell you window glass cheaper than anyone, and will put them in for you. Jones Drug Co.

DR. O. S. TATUM

Graduate Veterinary Surgeon

now permanently located in Brady. Office at

Shropshire's Drug Store



BOTH NEAT AND REFRESHING

Our Violet Ammonia--25c for Pint Bottle

TRY A PACKAGE OF SEA SALT

25c for 12 Baths, if You Want to be Cooled and Refreshed

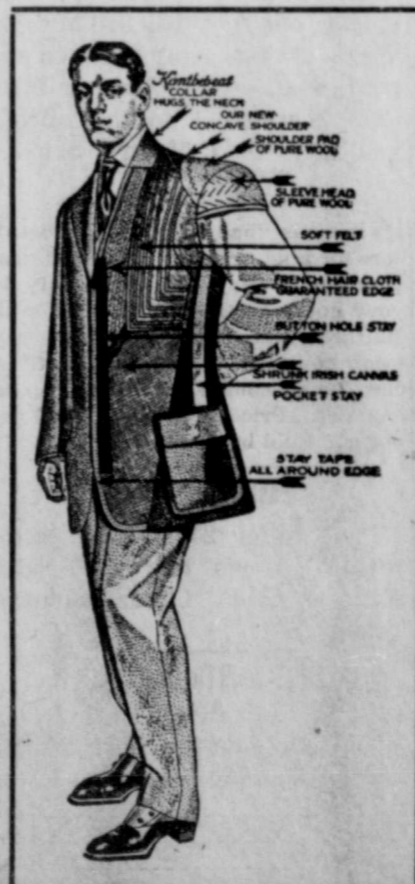
"It's the Only Way."

Jones Drug Co. Inc.
C. A. TRIGG MGR.

Where the People Trade



Receiving New Goods Every Day



OUR Men's Clothing and Furnishing Department is not as large as Washer Bros., but it is the largest and most complete in Brady. The "Kant Be Beat" line of Suits have the right name, as they can't be beat for the price—and bear in mind, Men's Clothing will be our leader this season.

Our Boys'

**Perfection "Can't Rip"
Clothing**

is in stock, and if your boy wants to look dressed up and also have a suit that will retain its shape, fit him up in a PERFECTION suit at the Grand Leader.

We are receiving our Ladies' Suits and we are selling them, or in other words they sell themselves.

Our Cluett and Monarch Men's Shirts are the only standard brands of shirts handled in Brady and we have the assortment of sleeve lengths.

Ladies' Auto Scarfs and Gloves

Ladies' Sweaters in all the Late Styles

Ladies' Kid Gloves in all Shades

We Do a Wholesale and Retail Business

and a word to out-of-town merchants: Our stock will be heavy and if you need anything in our line we will give you merchants prices.

A Special Invitation to All to Visit the Grand Leader

TIPTON & STRIEGLER

THE ROLL OF HONOR

List of Names of Brady Patriots Who Are Giving to the Santa Fe Railroad Bonus.

F M Newman	82,000.00
J W Matthews	750
Crothers & Matthews	250
W D Crothers	2,500
Crothers & White	1,000
Commercial National Bank	2,000
Brady Auto Company	1,250
Brady Water and Light Co.	2,000
O D Mann & Sons	2,500
Brady National Bank	1,500
M C Dutton	1,000
J H White	1,000
F W Henderson	1,000
W T Melton & Co.	1,000
HP Jordan	500
J E Bell	1,250
C C Bumgardner	1,000
G R White	1,000
J G McCall	1,000
August F Behrens	700
D F Savage	1,250
John Savage	625
S A Conley	1,250
Hardin & Jones	1,000
T J Wood	1,250
T C Allen	500
C A Trigg	750
Souther & Co.	500
Thos Bell	500
H H Sessions	500
R A Rutherford, Jr.	650
J S Anderson	500
W F Dutton	500
Meers Ladd Co.	500
J Meers	250
Abney & Vincent	750
Farmer's Union Cotton Co. of Houston	500
J F Schaeg	400
S S Graham	500
Tipton & Striegler	500
G W Vierling	625
J S Wall	500
F M Richards	500
C T and J E White	500
J L Jordan	500
W N White	500
Jones Drug Co.	350
E E Willoughby	500
J T Baker	300
W L Souther	250
J C Wall	125
John Rainbolt	250
Lee Morgan	100
L G Callan	100
A G Walker	100
W W Jordan	100
E E Polk	250
B F Baker	100
Satterwhite & Martin	150
J M Satterwhite	100
A W Wood	100
Joe McCall	100
Graham & Son	100
John E Cooke	100
G C Kirk	100
Jones Bros	100
J V Seary	100
A R Crawford	100
E R Stiles	100
C W L Schaeg	200
C D Allen Grain Co	250
J P Baze	100
S V Wood	125
J F Quicksall	100
Oscar Latta	100
C P Gray	100
Anderson & Moffatt	300
C A Anderson	200
L H King	25
Doty & Stone	200
A Ogden	500
J D Hudson	100
J V Ewing	100
Jno Kerr	100
W W Willbanks	150
D. W. Bozenann	35
J B Granville	100
A S Holly	100
C C Utsey	50
A J Priddy	25
W W Sammons	625
Jim Matthews	200
Ben Strickland	12 50
O S Macy	12 50
W J Day	25
W W Spiller	250
T S King	50
J D Benson	25
Lewis Brook	500
S A Benham	500

June Coopender	50 00
J H Blackwell	50
Clara Ballou	25
Mrs J E Merwin	25
H A Martin	100
Shropshire & Hughes	650
B L Craddock	500
A H Conner	125
W P Yeary	100
R Hutschenreuter	100
E B Ramsay	250
T A Christianus	100
J S Mayse	200
C R Alexander	200
R M Elliott	25
Carleta Matthews	100
W S Roberts	100
McAnally & Wells	100
A Steelhammer	100
C C Johanson	300
D Doole Jr.	100
M Simon	100
H N Cook	100
A B Reagan	50
N B Embry	100
W E Simpson	50
White Estate	1500
W A Kiehne	100
W M Deans	50
F M Miller	100
J B McKnight	100
Keller & Doell	50
B B Gaubert	50
S H Mayo	50
ST Ward	100
W C Jones	100
V B Deaton	50
J E Brown	100
J F Davis	50
P P Phillips	50
T M Ball	50
Lee Schuler	200
R B McClure	50
C R Tisdale	60
	856,945.00

Late Contributions.

Just before going to press the railroad committee supplied The Standard with the following additional amounts, bringing the total up to above the sixty-thousand mark:

W H Gibbons	85,000.00
T M Jordan	50
A J Johnson	50
J D Branscum	100
Walker-Smith Co.	1,000
C J Hendrickson	50
W J Yantis	50
H P C Evers	35
E L Wade	250
D B Mays	50
M E Abernathy	50
W B Hall	50
Ben Bennett	50
Total	\$ 6,785.00
Grand Total	\$63,730.00

Gambling

your life against 25 cents is just exactly what you are doing when you neglect a cough or cold on the chest instead of treating it with Ballard's Horehound Syrup. A 25 cent bottle of this splendid remedy will cure an ordinary cough, heal the lungs and act as a tonic for your entire system. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

There is no use talking or bragging, what we want is for you to call and inspect our line of Furniture. We have just received our new supply, and in Beds, Davenports, Rockers, Dressers, Sideboards and Parlor Suits, we have the swellest line ever shown in Brady. We will appreciate your calling and taking a look. You don't always have to buy when you come, we are anxious to show you what we have. Broad Mercantile Co.

Listen, I am still selling the old reliable Elgin and Waltham watches, the best on earth. Allen, the jeweler.

Cleaning, pressing, altering—our specialty. We do the best work in town. Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.

Hay bale ties. Broad Mercantile Co.

Crothers & White Addition

To the City of Brady is Now on Sale by

W. T. Melton & Company

250 Superb Residence Lots, Situated on a High Plateau, Adjoining the Luhr Addition to Brady on the South. Only Ten Minutes Walk from the Public Square.

These lots all face a 66-foot street, with a 20-foot alley in the rear—except on Grand Avenue, which is 80 feet wide. Money put in this property will pay better than 10 per cent on the investment. This is the golden opportunity for the man who wants a nice home at a nominal cost. This addition will be settled by the best class of citizens which will make it an ideal place for homes.

For Prices and Terms See

W. T. Melton & Co., Sole Agents.

JAIL SITE IS SELECTED

Commissioners Court Decides to Locate the New Jail Just West of the Public Square.

Commissioners court in session this week decided on a site for the new jail, and this vexatious question is now settled for good and all, and, perhaps, to the satisfaction of everybody concerned. The site is situated just in the rear of W. R. Rice's wholesale establishment on the west side of the square. The county owned one 25-foot lot here and bought two more adjoining for \$300.

Judge Walker wired the contractors immediately and work will begin at an early date.

Every day is bargain day at our store. Money always will look good to us. We have the stock, and it's a cinch we have the price. If you are not aware of the fact, it is time you were looking into it, especially for your pocket book's sake. Broad Mercantile Co.

Dental Notice.

I have discontinued making trips out of the city and hereafter may be found at any time in my office in the Syndicate building over Anderson & Moffatt's. Prompt and reliable service in all cases.

DR. H. W. LINDLEY, Dentist.

A real springy article is a good spring, one that will last always. We do not place any limit on our guarantee. See that the little "L" is attached to the spring you buy. O. D. Mann & Sons.

A Burglar in Town

his name is "bad cough". He doesn't care for gold or silver but he will steal your health away. If he appears in your house arrest him at once with Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it may mean consumption if you don't. A cure for all coughs, colds and chest troubles. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Pastorage Wanted.

Pasture for 250 head of cattle within a day's drive of Brady. Address C. F. Green, Sonora, Texas.

FORT WORTH MARKET.

Top prices on the Fort Worth market Monday were as follows:

Steers	3.65
Cows	3.60
Calves	5.50
Hogs	8.20
Sheep	5.10

Health and Beauty Aid

Cosmetics and lotions will not clear your complexion of pimples and blotches like Foley's Orino Laxative, for indigestion, stomach and liver trouble and habitual constipation. Cleanses the system and is pleasant to take. Jones Drug Co.

Everything in hardware and furniture, home of low prices, good goods and plenty of them. O. D. Mann & Sons.

A \$7000 Deal on East Side.

J. W. Coulson, of Coleman, on last Saturday bought the business property on the east side of the square known as the "Klondike corner," from R. A. King, the consideration being \$7,350. The lot is 50x90 feet and is at present occupied by two frame buildings. It is rumored that the buyer will erect a modern business house on these lots at an early date. The property is considered one among the best business sites in Brady, and the price paid makes it a bargain.

Mr. King also sold Saturday to J. C. Wall the 25x50 foot lot on Bridge street, just in the rear of Satterwhite & Martin's, consideration \$750. Mr. Wall informs us that he will erect a stone building on this lot. Watch Brady grow!

Do you want to make money? If so, trade with us. Broad Mercantile Co.

Do not be deceived by unscrupulous imitators who would have you believe that the imitation pills are as good as DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. There isn't anything just as good as those wonderful pills for the relief of Backache, Weak Back, inflammation of the bladder, urinary disorders and all kidney complaints. Anyone can take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills as directed in perfect confidence of good results. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Order now that winter suit; we will deliver when you want it. Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.

Will McClellan came in last week from his home at Lockhart and has accepted a position with the Jones Drug Co. He was accompanied by a friend, Jesse Teas, who will make Brady his home.

Don't wear hand-me-downs when Kirk will make you a nice suit in latest style for the same money. Nuf sed.

Do you wish the best at the least cost? Then decision is necessary for time is limited. Only a few more of these beautiful art squares will be offered at the prevailing prices. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Demere & Coggins of McCulloch county sold on Monday's Fort Worth market 88 cows of 769-lbs at \$2.70; 29 of 620 at \$2.65; 2 of 1070 at \$3; 6 of 685 at \$2.30, and 2 of 725 at \$1.85.

Collar pads and knee pads. Broad Mercantile Co.

Pennsylvania Petrified Roof Paint.

Is the best roof paint on the market. Will not crack or scale; keeps out rain and dew; makes roof last twice as long; does not hurt your cistern water; does not taste or smell, but is pure as the water itself. Is put on roof boiling hot; it penetrates the shingles instead of simply sticking to them; preserves the shingles from rot. In short, it is the best roof paint in the world. We have the exclusive agency for McCulloch county and guarantee that this paint will look as well as any other paint and will last twice as long. See us for prices and sample of work. We can prove that it is both the cheapest and best. Contains no tar.

Schaeg & Hopper, West Side Square.

New Tailoring Shop.

The undersigned have opened a new tailoring shop just across the street from the T. J. Wood building, and solicit a share of your business. Agency for three of the best Tailoring houses in the United States. Special attention to cleaning, pressing and repairing. Cleaning ladies' skirts a specialty.

Williams & Boudinot.

WADE'S TRANSFER LINE.

Meet all trains. Prompt attention to all calls from any part of the city. Baggage delivered promptly. Teaming and general hauling. Leave calls at Frisco Hotel.

E. L. WADE, Brady, Texas.

R. M. Russell Dray Line

All kinds of hauling promptly and carefully attended to. Phone 182.

SPECIAL CLUBBING OFFER

Every intelligent man wants to keep up with the news of his own community and his country. Therefore he needs a good local paper. He also needs a paper of general news, and for State, National and world-wide happenings he will find that

The Semi-Weekly Farm News

has no superior. The secret of its great success is that it gives the farmer and his family just what they need in the way of a family newspaper. In addition to its general news and agricultural features, it has special pages for the wife, the boys and the girls. It gives the latest market reports and publishes more special crop reports during the year than any other paper. For \$1.75 cash in advance, we will send the Semi-Weekly Farm News and The Brady Standard each for one year. This means you will get a total of 156 copies. It's a combination which can't be beat, and you will secure your money's worth many times over. Subscribe at once at the office of this paper.

Phone No. 163 for up-to-date job printing. tf

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Is better equipped to handle your work and guarantees a class of work second to none obtainable from any source.

BRADY, TEXAS

The Best Bargain

In reading matter your money can buy is THE BRADY STANDARD, your home paper. It tells you the things you want to know in an entertaining way. You should, however, have a paper for the world-wide general news. No paper will suit your entire family so well as

The Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Record

A reliable, trustworthy, Democratic newspaper, and always the plain people's reliance. By subscribing for THE STANDARD and the Ft. Worth Semi-Weekly Record together, you get both papers together for \$1.75. The Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Record alone one year, \$1; six months, 50c; three months, 25c. Place all orders through this office.

Specials SATURDAY

12 1-2c Dress Gingham, per yard, 10c
All Calicos, per yard, - - - 5c
Best 8-oz. Duck, per yard, - - 8c
One Door East of the Scott Grocery Co.

JEFF STILL DRY GOODS

Notice to Gin and Auto People

WE Are prepared to fill your orders for any oils in the Gin or Auto lines on short notice. Engine and Lubricating Oils, Hard Oils of all kinds, Linseed Oils in barrels or cases, Turpentine and Castor Oil. All goods sold under a strict guarantee. Office at W. R. Rice's Wholesale Hardware House.

Waters-Pierce Oil Company, JAMES L. SHELTON, Agent, Brady, Texas

A Music Store For Brady

Seeing the need for a first-class music house for Brady we are now opening up such a stock in the Syndicate building. We will carry a full stock of

*Pianos, Organs, Stringed
Instruments, Sheet Music*

and everything else pertaining to the music business. Our line of Sheet Music will be complete, and we will keep on hand all the latest hits in both songs and instrumental pieces. Our stock will be complete just as soon as we can get the goods in the house and we are already beginning to get them in. There will be no necessity hereafter for sending your orders for this line away from home. You can get what you want right here in Brady.

BOURLAND MUSIC COMPANY

J. C. BOURLAND, Manager.

SYNDICATE BUILDING

Women Suffer Agonies from Diseased Kidneys

And Most Women Do This Not Knowing the Real Cause of their Condition

These poor, suffering women have been led to believe that their misery of mind and body is entirely due to "ills of their sex." Usually the kidneys and bladder are responsible—or largely so. And in such cases, the kidneys and bladder are the organs, that need and must have attention.

These torturing, enervating sick headaches, dragging pains in back, groin and limbs, bloating and swelling of the extremities, extreme nervousness or hysteria, listlessness and constant tired, worn-out feeling—are almost certain symptoms of disordered and diseased kidneys, bladder and liver.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills have, in thousands of cases, been demonstrated as remarkably beneficial in all such conditions of female organism—affording the most prompt relief and permanent benefit.



As an illustration of what these Pills will do, Mrs. F. M. Bray of Columbus, Ga., writes that she was very ill with kidney trouble, and that she is now well—and that these Pills are what cured her.

They are very pleasant to take, and can in no case, produce any deleterious effects upon the system—as syrupy, alcoholic, liquid preparations are apt to do.

E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill., want every man and woman who have the least suspicion that they are afflicted with kidney and bladder diseases to at once write them, and a trial box of these Pills will be sent free by return mail post-paid. Do it to-day.

For Sale By CENTRAL DRUG STORE.

POLK'S BARBER SHOP

Wants Your Whiskers for Business Reasons

Bath Rooms Fitted Up With the Latest Sanitary Plumbing

NORTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE

BIDE-A-WEE STOCK FARM

G. B. AWALT, Proprietor

Registered and High Grade Red Polled Cattle.

Camp San Saba, Texas



PIONEER STOCK FARM

J. M. ROBINSON, Proprietor
Breeder of

RED POLL CATTLE,
BERKSHIRE HOGS,
BARRED AND WHITE
ROCK CHICKENS

STOCK FOR SALE
MERCURY, TEXAS

STAR MEAT MARKET

MILLER & DEANS, Props.

Fresh Meats of All Kinds,
Especially the Good Kind

WE SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE

PHONE 68

Foley's Kidney Pills cure backache, rheumatism, kidney, bladder and urinary trouble. Do not risk having Bright's disease or diabetes. Jones Drug Co.

Buying Melvin Townsite.

O. C. Utsey, the gin man at Melvin, is on a deal to buy from W. H. Melvin, of California, the Melvin townsite, about fourteen miles west of Brady, and has signed a tentative contract. The Melvin townsite consists of 80 acres platted, and the deal embraces the entire town with the exception of possibly a dozen lots already sold. Melvin is in a fine country and should make a nice little town. It already has two stores, and is surrounded by a fine farming country.

Mr. Utsey started up his gin Saturday and turned out 24 bales the first day. He expects to gin about 1500 bales this season.

The Standard is equipped to print wedding announcements and invitations, ladies' calling cards, dance programs, etc., in the latest styles of type and stationery and on short notice. When you need anything in this line it will be to your interest as well as our's to call on The Standard.

We have just added to our mammoth stock of furniture two large cars direct from the factories. You cannot realize the values we are offering unless you visit this great store. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Finest line of samples in the city to select from and the best work guaranteed. Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.

Everything under the sun, except dry goods. Broad Mercantile Company.

Cement sidewalks have been put down on the east side in front of the business houses of Shropshire's drug store, Evers' saddle store and Kirk's tailoring establishment since our last sidewalk report.

Join the great army of satisfied people using the Staver Buggy, and then you will know the real pleasure of a good buggy. O. D. Mann & Sons.

—Band sawing, wood turning and stair work done right at Ramsay's planing mill. 1-4t

Just received, a car of Corrugated Iron. Can fill your orders. Broad Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tulk have returned from a several days fishing trip on the San Saba and Llano rivers.

Go to O. D. Mann & Sons when you want a great money's worth in a real good buggy—a value that needs only to be seen to be appreciated. O. D. Mann & Sons.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Crawford, Tuesday morning, a fine boy, destined to become a Brady booster of the finest quality.

When we clean, press or repair your clothes the work is done right. Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.

The Bain and Weber wagons. Did you ever hear of any better? Broad Mercantile Co.

Listen, when in town come to see me. Allen, the jeweler.

Mrs. S. M. Richardson and daughter have returned from a month's visit to relatives in Denton.

Enter this store and get your money's worth, each value rises triumphant over competition. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The best and latest graphophone records in town at Kirk's. Nuf sed.

Miss Chase Crothers left last week for Dallas to attend St. Mary's Academy.

Have you seen our line of art squares? If not, why not? Broad Mercantile Co.

Abney & Vincent call your attention to their new goods in a half-page in this issue.

Cotton scales, wagon sheets, wagon bows and tents. Broad Mercantile Co.

They Act As One Great Pendulum In Regulating The Time of The World....

Elgin and Waltham Watches

They have stood the test, and the place to get them is at

ALLEN THE JEWELER'S

Complete line of high grade Jewelry, Silverware and Novelties. Fine repairing; I do the best. Spectacles fitted and satisfaction guaranteed or no pay.

ALLEN The Jeweler

Uncle Ben Henton Dead.

Benjamin Henton, known to all Brady people as "Uncle Ben" or "Grandpa" Henton, dropped dead Tuesday afternoon about 4:00 o'clock while walking from the postoffice to his home. "Uncle Ben" had been down after the mail and was returning home when stricken with heart failure, and fell dead on the street.

Mr. Henton was one of Brady's oldest and best beloved citizens. He located here about forty years ago, and for many years was prominent in all affairs of business life in the community. He was 78 years of age, and had suffered from heart trouble for the last two years. He leaves a wife and four children: Billie Henton, now in Oklahoma; Jesse Henton, now resides on a ranch in this county; Mrs. Al Odgen and Mrs. Emma Campbell, both of this city. To these and the numerous grandchildren and other relatives the sympathy of the community is extended.

The funeral was held at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday, and was conducted by Rev. Mathis, pastor of the Methodist church, of which organization Uncle Ben had been a consistent member for many years.

Impelled by force of circumstance we place the great money saving chance before you. The great opportunity of buying your furniture at prices pulsating with economy. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Just received a new shipment of graphophone records, in both the indestructible and double disc styles, Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.

—Just received—100 boxes of window glass. We can beat anybody's prices. Jones Drug Co.

Car of Leader stoves will be received in a few days. More for the money than any stove sold. Broad Mercantile Co.

Fair Catalogs.

The catalogs for the approaching Fair are now out and we have tried to mail one to every citizen of this county and surrounding territory. However, if we missed you or if you want another book to send to some one else, please call at my office or address me and same will be gladly supplied.

T. P. GRANT, Secretary.

Joggle your memory well and remember that Peter Shuttler Wagons have withstood every test imposed upon them and now have mounted the pinnacle of perfection. O. D. Mann & Sons.

—Typewriter ribbons and carbon papers at Standard office.

IF SICK--WHY PAY

Unless Health First Returns.

Here is what should and can be done! Now you would not willingly pay for food that was worthless—would you? Then why pay for medicine until that medicine first proves to you its actual worth? Positively knowing what Dr. Shoop's Restorative can do for the sick, I say to all "don't pay unless health first returns". And I back my Restorative with a signed and sealed 30 day "No help, No pay" contract. I positively pledge to the sick everywhere that "Dr. Shoop's Restorative is absolutely free if it fails". Let others do the same—or else pass their prescriptions by.

If you need more strength, more vitality, more vigor or more vim, use my Restorative a few days and note the immediate improvement. When the Stomach, Heart, or Kidneys go wrong, then test Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I do not dose the stomach nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys, for that is wrong. Years ago I cast away that mistaken idea in medicine. The books below will best tell you how I am succeeding. A hidden "inside nerve," no larger than a silk thread. They tell how that nerve, until it fails, actually gives to the Heart its power, its tone, its never-ending action or impulse.

These books will open up new and helpful ideas to those who are not well. They tell how the Stomach, and Kidneys each have their "inside" or power nerves. They tell how the Restorative was especially made to reach and revitalize these weak or failing inside nerves. All of these facts tell why I am able to say, "It is free if it fails". This is why I say, "Take no chances on a medicine whose maker dare not back it just as I do by this remarkable offer".

So write me today for the order. I have appointed honest and responsible druggists in nearly every community to issue my medicines to the sick. But write me first for the order. All druggists sell Dr. Shoop's Restorative, but all are not authorized to give the 30 day test. So drop me a line please—and thus save disappointment and delays. Tell me also which book you need.

A postal will do. Besides, you are free to consult me as you would your home physician. My advice and the book below are yours—and without cost.

Perhaps a word or two from me will clear up some serious ailment. I have helped thousands upon thousands by my private prescription or personal advice plan. My best effort is surely worth your simple request. So write now while you have it fresh in mind, for tomorrow never comes. Dr. Shoop, Box 12, Racine, Wis.

Which Book Shall I Send You?
No. 1 On Dyspepsia No. 4 For Women
No. 2 On the Heart No. 5 For Men
No. 3 On the Kidneys No. 6 On Rheumatism

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HAVE you done your duty?

Oh, you Santa Fe! Oh, you Brady!

THE Morgan Jones road from Ballinger next.

BULLY, bustling, busy Brady will be bigger and better, busier and bullier than ever. Oh, you Santa Fe!

A LARGER dinner bucket brigade makes a bigger payroll and causes greater prosperity. Let Brady grow!

LET every citizen do his duty in the Santa Fe bonus. A long pull, a strong pull and a pull all together will secure the Santa Fe.

REMEMBER, if we get the Santa Fe Brady's future is assured. If we don't get it this town is a back number henceforth and forever. Face the situation squarely; this is no time for hedging. The Santa Fe will MAKE Brady or will RUIN Brady.

THE San Angelo Standard is now putting out a morning edition. The new sheet is like the evening edition—a good one. The Standard now issues fourteen papers a week. Angelo has reason to be proud of her newspapers, and of Pat Murphy and Clifford Tupper especially.

THE SILVER LINING.

The cotton crop will be shorter in the Brady country this year, yet the silver lining to the cloud is found in the better price which the staple is bringing and the curtailed expense in gathering the crop. Last year the crop was so big that fancy prices for picking had to be paid—a dollar a hundred, and even more. This year the price is around fifty cents a hundred, and no cotton will be lost in the field.

Again, the price of seed is soaring. Last season the highest price paid for seed was \$17 per ton. This season buyers are already paying as high as \$23, and with two oil mills and four gins buying the prospects are that the farmer's seed will continue to bring him big prices. The Standard man heard a

farmer say the other day that last year he made sixty bales of cotton, and that if he made twenty bales this year on the same acreage he would clear more money than last year. The seed will pay for the gathering and ginning of the cotton, leaving the farmer his entire bale of lint as "velvet." It's a mighty poor bale of cotton which won't net its owner \$60 this season, and the outlook is that the price will go higher.

Brady will not market 50,000 bales this season as she did last, but the farmers—the men who raise the staple, the bone and sinew of the land—will make more money out of their short crop than they made last year out of their big crop. Great is McCulloch county! Now is the time to buy a home in this wonderful country.

HOW ABOUT your part of the bonus?

AS soon as we can get over this railroad excitement let's vote bonds and build better county roads and some bridges.

THE "pull all together" is the pull that counts. It is the pull that is landing the Santa Fe for Brady. Now let's try the same pull on a commercial club. We need it.

AND while building railroads let's not forget the smaller industries. Brady ought to have a creamery, a broom factory, an overall factory, a peanut factory, and half a dozen other industries. We can have them if we want them.

BRADY and McCulloch county received over a page write-up at the hands of Will H. Mayes, in Monday's Brownwood Bulletin. Editor Mays is a splendid writer and knows how to string a lot of facts together without making a lot of hot air out of his subject. The write-up was one of the best ever accorded Brady, and the thanks of all our people are due Editor Mays for his generous donation of space.

RAISE HOGS.

The Standard has been watching the market reports at Fort Worth anxiously, hoping to see the name of some McCulloch county citizen mentioned as having just marketed a car of McCulloch county hogs. But so far we have been disappointed. There are plenty of cattle shippers from this territory, but for the past six months to our certain knowledge there has not been a hog from this county shipped.

This is all wrong. Last week hogs sold at Fort Worth at \$8.20 per hundred, and the average hog in the load brought as much as a good steer. Needless to say it cost the producer a much smaller sum to raise the hog than to have raised a steer of equal value. In this county maize and kafir corn

are natural crops and never fail. It has been demonstrated that these grains are as good hog feed as corn and much cheaper. There does seem to be little excuse for this neglect on the part of McCulloch county farmers to raise hogs. A kafir corn and hog combination will net the farmer more money than cotton or any other one crop.

EVERY editor has a "pick and choice" among his exchanges, and The Standard man is no exception to the rule and doesn't mind saying that the Brownwood Evening Bulletin is the first paper picked up each day. The Bulletin is one of the best little dailies in Texas. Besides keeping right up with the procession in the matter of state news hot off the bat, it is edited in a manner which makes it a pleasure to the exchange editor, and we get a lot of enjoyment from it. Brownwood should be proud of the Bulletin.

Music Teacher.

Miss Edith Lucas will continue her music school during the term 1909-10. Piano, Theory, Harmony and History of Music taught. Recital and Club work given due attention. Up-to-date methods. Thorough musicianship the standard aimed at. She will take pleasure in conferring with and explaining her methods of teaching to anyone interested. A share of the public patronage would be appreciated.

Studio southwest corner of college campus at J. H. Drinkard's. Send The Standard "back yonder." It will tell your friends all about the great Brady Country, the best part of the greatest state in the Union. It will help to gain new citizens. We will do our part, now it's up to you to do yours. You help us and we'll help the country.

A clever, popular Candy Cold Cure Tablet—called Preventies—is being dispensed by druggists everywhere. In a few hours Preventies are said to break any cold—completely. And Preventies being so safe and toothsome, are very fine for children. No quinine, no laxative, nothing harsh or sickening. Box of 48—25c. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Cotton Seed Wanted.

By C. H. Bencini for Brady Oil Mill. A. W. Wood, Manager. See him for best prices.

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Piano Tuning

Prof. Newfield, of Austin, Texas, the artistic piano tuner, will visit our town on Sept. 20th. All persons needing work in his line will have an opportunity of having their instruments put in first class condition. Leave orders with Bourland Music Co.

Hopply Hap.

Are you just barely getting around by the aid of crutches or a cane? Unless you have lost a limb or have a deformity—if your trouble is rheumatism, lumbago, sprain, stiff joints, or anything of a like nature use Ballard's Snow Liniment and in no time you can throw away your crutches and be as well as anyone. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

O. D. Mann & Sons have material on the ground for about 300 feet of cement sidewalks at their business property. Mr. Mann is also preparing to construct several hundred feet at his residence. Let the good work go on and watch Brady grow.

Take care of your stomach. Let Kodol digest all the food you eat, for that is what Kodol does. Every tablespoonful of Kodol digests 2 1/2 pounds of food. Try it today. It is guaranteed to relieve you or your money back. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Horse for Sale.

Good all-round family buggy horse, gentle and will work anywhere, or ride. Six years old. For information apply at this office.

George House, of Waldrip, made us a call yesterday, reporting a good rain in his section which will be of benefit to feed stuffs and late cotton.

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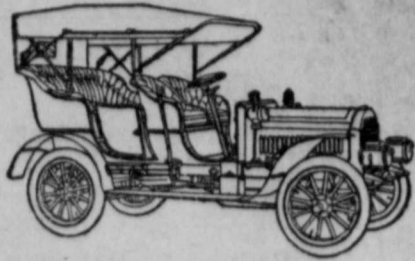
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Remember the Place---Just East of Cotton Yard.

FOR SALE

Lots 7 and 8 in block 15, in North Brady Addition to the town of Brady, Texas. You will oblige us by looking up these lots and submitting an offer on same.

Baker & Withers

511 Navarro St.

San Antonio, Tex.

R. D. YOAKUM TALKS

Brother of B. F. Yoakum Sees Marvelous Future for Brady and the Brady Country, Properly Developed.

R. D. Yoakum, special representative of the Executive Department of the Rock Island-Frisco lines, was in Brady last week and on Wednesday night dropped in on The Standard for a few minutes chat. Mr. Yoakum is greatly impressed with the future outlook for Brady and her tributary territory. Speaking along these lines he said:

"I see no reason why Brady should not be a railroad center within a few years. She really has but one rival in all this territory—San Angelo—and Brady is far enough from San Angelo that the two towns should not interfere, either with the other's prospects. Brady is the center of a marvelous country; one of the finest in the world, and but just beginning to develop. As this country develops your city should develop with it, and will do so if your people will just get together, pull together and stay together."

Continuing he said: "I am surprised that Brady has no commercial club. It is now your chiefest need. A live, working organization with a paid secretary to devote his time to advertising and boosting will do more

for your town than any other one thing. Put \$3000 in the bank, secure the services of such a man and turn him loose. It's a small amount to risk, and by the time he has spent half of it your people will awake to the value of it and the organization will become a permanent thing."

Mr. Yoakum said the San Saba river was one of our natural resources that should be developed. "With an unlimited supply of such water as that only a dozen miles away, something should be done by your town. I understand also that artesian water is found at a reasonable depth. Brady seems to have plenty of water if she would only avail herself of it."

Mr. Yoakum was here on business connected with the Frisco's survey toward Menardville, but did not talk concerning same. In that respect comment seems unnecessary, anyhow, as it looks to be very plain that the Frisco will build from Brady to Menardville just as soon as the work can be done.

—The largest stock of window glass west of Fort Worth. Jones Drug Co.

Miss Clara Ballou visited friends in Brownwood from Thursday until Sunday.

We make the best clothes in town, and guarantee a fit. Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.

—No glass order too large for us to handle. Jones Drug Co.

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LIVE WIRES

We buy Hides, Wool, Furs, Beeswax, Sheep Pelts, Tallow, Goat Skins, Turkeys, Poultry, Pecañs, Etc.

We sell Wool Bags and Twine. Call and See us.

H. P. Roddie, Mgr.

BOARD IS ENDORSED

Mass Meeting Last Friday Night Votes Unanimously To Stand Behind School Board in All Its Actions.

In response to the call of the school board of Brady Independent School District about half a hundred of Brady's leading citizens assembled at the courthouse last Friday night to discuss the situation as regards local school conditions.

Thos. Bell was elected chairman and Jeff Montgomery secretary. J. D. Hudson, president of the school board, announced the purpose of the meeting and asked Supt. M. L. Stallings to make a statement as to the exact situation. Prof. Stallings did so, stating the situation in few words and dealing only in facts. He said the school was badly crowded; that the enrollment the opening day was about 500; that the number of scholastics enumerated was 633, not counting the transfers since the census had been completed, which were many; that the seating capacity of the building was only 515; that the board had ordered another room partitioned off in the auditorium on third floor, would employ another teacher and had instructed him to purchase 50 seats for same, which, when completed will give the school seating capacity of 565; that indications point strongly to the probability that this seating capacity will be over-taxed in a short time; that some of the grades, notably the first, third, fourth and eighth, were so badly congested that the best work was a matter of impossibility; and finally, that more room was imperative.

The matter was then generally discussed by the meeting, and the board announced that, the citizens concurring, they had decided it best to erect a ward school building on the north side to cost somewhere in the neighborhood of \$10,000. Owing to the fact that it will be necessary for the next legislature to make good the recent constitutional amendment permitting the special tax of 20 cents the levy of this additional tax cannot be made for about eighteen months yet, and there is no way to get the money for this new building except through the aid of some local capitalist who might be willing to lend the board the money for the intervening time. It was announced by J. D. Hudson, president of the board, that Brady had such a citizen; That W. D. Crothers was willing to do this, and furthermore that he had offered to donate to the school a block of land on the north side for school purposes.

A resolution unanimously prevailed that this meeting fully endorse the board in any action it might take; instructing them that it was the sense of the meeting that the new building be erected as soon as possible, and that the school's interests should be served to the best of their ability and as their judgment might decide. The resolution strongly favored a substantial brick or stone building as against any cheap frame or temporary structure.

A. C. Baze, secretary of the board, being called upon, stated that it was the purpose of the board to give the district a full nine months term of school this year, notwithstanding the fact that the tax of 50c was 20 cents short of what it had been in previous years; and that the expense of running the school was proportionately higher in ratio to enrollment. To do otherwise, he said, would deprive us of affiliation with the State University.

The meeting was harmonious throughout, and the sentiment was plainly in favor of progress in all things pertaining to Brady's school interests.

—Blank notes for sale at The Standard office.

Stoves & Ranges



THE STOVE SEASON IS RIGHT AT HAND

And we have prepared for it by stocking up with the best line that the market affords.

National Stoves and Ranges Are the Best Made

Our stock shows Cook Stoves, Ranges, Heaters of all kinds—both air-tight and plain. These stoves are made extra heavy and are built for service. The heaters are the most powerful to be found. The cooks and ranges are quick bakers, fuel savers, fine cookers. More loaves of bread can be baked in less time and with less fuel than in any other stove or range made. This line was awarded gold medal at World's Fair in 1904. We have the exclusive agency for this city.

Satterwhite & Martin

VOCA ARTESIAN WELL FRISCO OFFICIALS HERE

J. E. Spiller Secures Flow of 72,000 Gallons Per Day From Well Only 140 Feet in Depth.

J. L. Spiller, of Voca, was a pleasant caller at The Standard office Friday. Mr. Spiller was a little enthusiastic about the apparent ease with which artesian water can be secured in his locality. His brother, J. E. Spiller, a week or two ago brought in a well which measures a flow of 50 gallons a minute, 3000 per hour, 72,000 per day, the well being only 140 feet deep. This well is two and one-half miles east of Voca, and was bored by Abe Taylor. Mr. Taylor is now engaged in boring for artesian water on D. H. Henderson's farm, about a quarter-mile from the first well, and Jeff Parker will have J. E. Davis start on a well at his place at once.

With artesian water so easy and plentiful there is a great future for the Voca section as a truck growing region. The soil is peculiarly adapted to truck, and with plenty of water for irrigation a big success in this line of business is assured.

Mr. Spiller thinks the Frisco ought to build by Voca on their way to Mason. He says it would only make the road about three miles longer between Brady and Mason, and would tap a strip of country rich in undeveloped resources. With truck growing established, the iron mines developed, and the granite industry in operation there would be tonnage sufficient to make it a desirable place to build a road. Besides this there is building sand, cotton and other products in large quantities.

—We can sell you glass and put it in as cheap as the other fellow sells the glass alone. Jones Drug Co.

Mrs. Jessie Hill, accompanied by little Miss Clara Esten Cooke, left last Friday for a month's visit with friends at Clarendon, Texas, and Frederick, Ok.

St. Louis Officials Make Hurried Trip to Brady and Spend Several Days in Surrounding Country.

A party of Frisco officials, among whom were A. B. Davidson, president, and W. C. Nixon, vice president, of St. Louis; and W. B. Drake, general manager, of Fort Worth, came to Brady on a fast special train Monday. Autos were in waiting and the entire party immediately embarked for an inspection of the country lying towards Menardville, in which direction the surveying party is at work.

So far as we have heard no interviews were granted, and no information given out. But the activity of the Frisco has reached that stage where it is unnecessary for them to talk. It is understood anyway that the road will push on to the southwest, and of course the coming of the Santa Fe in this direction has much to do with the matter.

Listen, your eyes carefully tested and glasses fitted. Allen, the jeweler.

The Brady Lumber Co. is erecting new sheds and otherwise improving their business.

—Take your kodak work to St. Clair at the Penny Store. All finishing done promptly and well.

Tom Elliot went to Dallas Saturday on business.

BRADY MEAT MARKET,

WEGNER & SNEARLY,
Proprietors

FRESH, BEEF, PORK AND SAUSAGE

We Want Your Trade.

Card Of Thanks.

Mr. J. T. Marshall, of Dallas, who was here last week to attend the funeral of his father, T. B. Marshall, who died at Pear Valley on the third, requests The Standard to extend the heartfelt thanks of himself, mother and brothers to the good people of the Pear Valley neighborhood for their many acts of kindness during the illness of Mr. Marshall, Sr. He says he never in his life saw such good people as Pear Valley numbers. Mr. Marshall returned home last week, accompanied by his mother who will make her home with him.

Listen, I am still in the jewelry business in Brady. Allen, the jeweler.

F. L. Burk has his paper changed to Rochelle, where he will be with the mercantile firm of W. H. Cottle & Co.

The largest line of Stetson Hats Just Received, Ever Shipped to Brady at one Time Come & See them. The Conley Merc. Co.

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HEARSE IN CONNECTION

The Man From Home

A Novelization of the Play of the Same Name

Copyright, 1909, by American Press Association

By **BOOTH TARKINGTON** and **HARRY LEON WILSON**

"The young lady's father trusted me to look after her, and if I won't promise to let her pay £150,000 for that—well, you've seen it around here, haven't you?"

"I have observed it, if you refer to the son of Lord Hawcastle," answered Von Grollerhagen gravely.

"Well, if I don't agree to that Ivanoff goes to Siberia and you and I to jail."

Von Grollerhagen looked at him quickly.

"He threatens that! What do you intend to do?"

"I can't agree. There wouldn't be any trouble to it if it was only me. They could land me for two years or twenty. But I can't do what they want, even to let you and Ivanoff out. It ain't my money. All I can do is to hint that you get out right away. Ivanoff can't go. They've got a ring around this place."

"You could get away, too, my friend," said the German, watching him softly. "You had not thought of that?"

"No, sir, and I'm not going to think of it. But you—"

"As for me, I shall go," said Von Grollerhagen, standing up.

"Well, that's part of the load off my mind. I haven't had the nerve to tell that poor fellow in there, though."

Von Grollerhagen motioned to Ribiere.

"Appellez le monsieur la" he commanded and pointed to the other door of the chamber. The man opened it at once and beckoned to Ivanoff.

"Ivanoff, some unexpected difficulties have arisen," said the German. "The police have discovered your presence here, and persons who wish evil to my friend have threatened to make trouble. He can do nothing further to save you unless he betrays a sacred trust."

"It's the truth, old man," said Daniel feelingly. "I can't do it."

For a moment the Russian refugee staggered and supported himself with his hand on the table. Then he looked up.

"I thank you for what you have tried to do."

Von Grollerhagen went on:

"In the meantime my friend believes Naples a safe place for me. And so auf wiedersehen."

Pike extended his hand, which the German took.

"Goodby, doc, and God bless you!" he said. And Von Grollerhagen squeezed Pike's fingers.

"To our next meeting," he said and in a moment was gone.

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she said.

"Yes, ma'am," answered Daniel.

"My brother-in-law has made us aware of the state of affairs, and we are all quite in sympathy as to what should be done to you, but in the kindness of our hearts we condone your offense—if you accede to our reasonable demands."

Daniel looked at his watch.

"In twenty minutes?" he asked.

"In twenty minutes," she replied frigidly.

"You say he told all of you. Did he tell Miss Ethel?" Daniel asked.

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She dropped her head.

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"You are odious, insufferable!" she cried, with a flash of temper.

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There was a bustling without and some loud talking, and Pike smiled wanly.

"I think them gentlemen are here," he said. As he spoke the door was thrown open, and Lady Creech hurriedly entered, followed by the countess, Horace, Almeric and the earl. The latter bowed sardonically to Pike, and Lady Creech hurried to Ethel with a cry of astonishment.

"My dear child! What are you doing here in this dreadful place with this dreadful person?" she demanded shrilly.

"My dear! Les convenances!" cried madame.

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"An answer to what?" he demanded, looking the other in the eye.

"An answer to our request that you accede to the wishes of this young lady," replied the earl uneasily.

"And if I don't what are you going to do?" demanded Pike quickly. Horace at once broke in.

"It's—it's a ghastly lie!" croaked Hawcastle, his face livid.

"You came for your answer," went on Pike stridently, "and, by the living

the cards we shall have a disagreeable scene here."

Hawcastle smiled evilly.

"I see no reason for it. We're here simply for Mr. Pike's answer. He knows where he stands, and he knows where we stand," said the earl suavely, and the American met his smile evenly.

"I reckon you're right so far," he said.

"And your answer will be yes?" asked the earl, but Pike shook his head.

"You're wrong there," he answered, and Hawcastle changed front in an instant.

"Perhaps you are right, Mr. Granger-Simpson," he said. "There may be painful things done. Better your sister were spared them. Take her away."

Pike snapped at them all and moved to the door, where he faced them.

"Miss Ethel, you'll stay right where you are!" he commanded, and, paying no attention, Pike turned to Hawcastle.

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News Notes of Interest From
Our Country Correspondents

MARKET REPORT.

The following prices are being paid by Brady dealers for farm produce. Report changed each Wednesday afternoon:

Cotton, middling basis.....	12.00
Cotton Seed, per ton.....	\$23.50
Butter, per lb.....	15 to 25c
Eggs, per doz.....	15c
Hens, per lb.....	51c
Spring Chickens, per lb.....	10c
Milo Maize, per bu.....	None Offered
Oats, per bu.....	50c to 60c
Hay (Johnson grass) new crop.....	\$10.00
Hay, (cane), per ton.....	None Offered
Cane seed, (red top).....	7c to 8c
Hides, green, per lb.....	15c to 16c
Hides, dry, per lb.....	None Offered
Millet, per bu.....	None Offered

RUTH RUSTLINGS.

Ruth, Texas, Sept. 14.
Editor Standard:

Well I thought I would drop a few lines as I have't seen any thing written from this place since I have been reading The Standard.

We are needing rain in this part of the country as we have not had much this year.

We want make half the crop this year as we did last year.

There is a Baptist meeting going on here which is doing much good.

We have added more room to our school house this year.

We certainly need a gin in this neighborhood.

Well I will close for this time so good luck to all.

HONEY SUCKLE.

Tickling or dry coughs will loosen when using Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. And it is so thoroughly harmless, that Dr. Shoop tells mothers to use nothing else, even for very young babies. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub give the curative properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. It calms the cough and heals the sensitive bronchial membranes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or suppress. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Accept no other. Sold by Central Drug Store.

MILBURN MIX-UPS.

Milburn, Texas, Sept. 11.
Editor Brady Standard:

Rev. S. M. Hull and family returned from Varga Chapel last eve, where they have been engaged in a very successful and interesting meeting. They go to Mercury today to begin a meeting there.

The Home Mission society gave a box supper at the school house here Friday night for the benefit of the M. E. church.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Smith, Sept. 3, a girl.

The Milburn gin has turned out 21 bales of cotton this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Doran of Menard county, are here visiting their sister, Mrs. Griffith.

Rev. J. C. Thames and wife attended church at Cowboy Sunday.

Jim Shanks is quite sick at this writing.

F. M. Butler and daughter, of Bangs, were here Saturday the guests

of Mrs. Will Gault. Miss Butler will be assistant teacher in our school.

Ezelle Thompson has returned from a visit to Fort Worth.

A. K. Grimes left for Ballinger Sunday where he will seek employment.

J. Walker Green made us a call yesterday on his way to Brownwood. We regret to lose him from The Standard force, as we always enjoyed reading his column. IDAHO.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the safe, sure easy, gentle little liver pills. The original Carbolyzed Witch Hazel Salve is DeWitt's. The name is plainly stamped on every box. It is good for cuts, burns, bruises, sores, boils and sunburn—but it is especially good for Piles. Sold by Central Drug Store

WALDRIP WHISPERINGS.

Waldrip, Texas, Sept. 13.
Editor Brady Standard:

The Misses Daniels, of Anson, who have been spending the summer here, returned to their home Wednesday morning. We regret very much to see them leave.

Messrs. E. L. Hill and M. T. Bratton left Monday morning for Jordan, on a prospecting trip.

Marvin Daniels of Grandview, returned to his home Monday morning.

The young people enjoyed themselves at a party Monday night, given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Franklin, in honor of the Misses Daniels.

Messrs. Earl Kennedy and Tom Franklin, of Marble Falls, are visiting relatives here.

Dr. G. H. Garrett left Sunday morning for San Angelo on a business trip.

W. T. Stacy made a trip to San Angelo last week.

Mack Duncan, of Lohn, was in Waldrip Sunday.

RAINBOW.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

CORN CREEK COBS.

Corn Creek, Texas, Sept. 13.
Editor Brady Standard:

Well, Mr. Editor, as business has been so rushing we have not had time to write up the cobs for some time.

The protracted meetings are over and the farmers are busy saving feed.

The Crouch and McCoy row binder has been busy for two weeks and lots of ripe grain is waiting for them.

We will have the best feed crop we have ever raised on Corn Creek, but the cotton crop is short.

Dan Hinsley, Him Trowbridge and families of San Saba are visiting in this community this week.

Loy and Ples Crouch are visiting in San Saba this week.

The school trustees have employed a teacher and added ten feet more to the school building and are having some other work done on the house.

We are expecting a good school the coming term.

Well, as scarce, we will hang up for this time. TEXAS BOY.

WALDRIP WARBLINGS

Waldrip, Texas, Sept. 14.
Editor Standard:

Dry as possible to get in so short a time and the heat and drought combined have fixed Mr. Boll Weevil for this year and next. Had this year been as wet as last the boll weevil would have had a picnic, as it is we are pretty safe from him and a fair dry year crop of cotton is now beginning to open. Picking will be cheap and prices good. So don't get blue. Stay with your goods and be as careful in gathering your crop as possible. Be economical in your expenditures and try the frugal route to make your cash take you through until next year's crop is gathered. Easy credit looks good but that has been the stumbling block for more poor people than all the dry years and sickness that this section ever knew.

When you see a farmer looking well to his dairy cows, garden, bees and chickens—four things that are practically no expense when once started—you see a man who lives at home, and lives well too. He has the "paper sack" fellow beat as to ease, health and economy. With meat so high as to be a luxury, a farmer is blind who does not add several extra hogs to his pens for market purposes.

Let all get out to hear the Farmers' Union lecturer and do all we can to help him put the farmers in the place they belong—the thinking list.

Mr. Johnson is putting in a cistern and many others are busy "figgerin'" At any expense a cistern is a good investment.

Mrs. E. B. Kennedy is quite ill and has been for some time.

Mr. Brooks and son, Joe, who have been quite sick, are up again.

Rev. Sylvester Collins will leave soon to attend Howard Payne college at Brownwood. He expects to prepare for the Baptist ministry and we wish him much success as he has been an earnest worker here in that line and has many friends who appreciate his christian life and work.

We will just have to get that railroad also one running north and south, clear across the county, as that would give us shipping points for our produce. When we have to haul everything fifteen to twenty-five miles to ship it garden and dairy produce will not stand it. With a railroad in operation through it Lohn (a pretty centrally located town) could have a cotton mill and McCulloch could furnish the cotton. It could have a creamery, with cream furnished by the same parties. Of course I live on the extreme north, but it is better that all should haul fifteen miles than that part should go two miles and part twenty-five miles. You Lohn people get busy, we are with you. If we could interest the Farmers' Union men in trying to put a cotton mill and creamery in every county that showed an ability to support them we would solve a problem and cut the bears out of cotton business, put money in the farmers pocket and contentment in his heart. We do not need fanatical Socialism to right our public wrongs, but we do need brotherly co-operation on a business basis. PROGRESS.

It's a pity when sick ones drug the stomach or stimulate the Heart and Kidneys. That is all wrong! A weak Stomach, means weak Stomach nerves always. And this is also true of the Heart and Kidneys. The weak nerves are instead crying out for help. This explains why Dr. Shoop's Restorative is promptly helping Stomach, Heart and Kidney ailments. The Restorative reaches out for the actual cause of these ailments—the falling "inside nerves." Anyway test the Restorative 48 hours. It won't cure so soon as that, but you will surely know that help is coming. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Now is the time to get your rugs, art squares, etc. Days—yes weeks—will come before such values can be matched. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Legal blanks in stock at The Standard office:—Blank Notes, Chattel Mortgage, Crop Mortgage, Release of Vendors Lien, Single and Joint Acknowledgments, Vendor's Lien Notes; for sale in any quantity. Other blanks in preparation. Call when you need them, or use the phone, 163.

The swellest styles in buggies, more especially auto seats, than can be found in most places, will be found in our repository. Figure with us. Broad Mercantile Company.

Don't waste your money buying plasters when you can get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment for twenty-five cents. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment is superior to any plaster for lame back, pains in the side and chest, and much cheaper. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Keep ahead of competition—that's us. Just a little better for just a little less. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Russel Callan passed through Tuesday from Ft. Worth on his way home to Menardville.

Buy your graphophone records and needles from Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.

Fritz Roak, of Menardville, is here this week on business.

C. A. Anderson has bought O. C. Utsey's house and lot.

Nearly \$5,000 in Premiums and Purses

The Brady Fair

Oct. 20, 21 and 22.

Get ready to come to Brady and see the best Fair ever held in this section of Texas.

Livestock and Agricultural Exhibits will be the best ever. Complete arrangements being made to make this feature of the fair especially attractive.

3--Days' Racing--3

Some of the best horses in the entire South have been entered and the track is the fastest in the state.

The Parker Carnival Co. has been engaged and will have big free attractions on the fair grounds each day. See the high dive, the wire walker, etc.

For Catalog Or any information T. P. Grant, Sec. of any kind, address

Band Organized.

A meeting was held Tuesday night at the courthouse and the Brady Concert Band was organized with sixteen members. Officers were elected as follows:

S. M. Richardson, president; W. H. Brown, vice-president; L. P. Cooke, secretary; C. Snider, treasurer; Albert Rose, director.

Messrs. Rose, Cooke, and M. E. Roberts were appointed a committee to draft constitution and by-laws, and another meeting will be held tonight to pass on same.

The band possesses some excellent talent, and the chances seem most promising for Brady to have at last something she has long needed—a good band. The purpose of the organization is to be self-sustaining, and no demands for contributions will be made on the citizenship. This fact in itself is one that will commend itself to the public and will mean much to the band. The Standard is glad indeed to see this matter taken up by business-like men in a business-like manner.

A Narrow Escape

Edgar N. Bayliss, a merchant of Robinsonville, Del., wrote: "About two years ago I was thin and sick and coughed all the time and if I did not have consumption it was near to it. I commenced using Foley's Honey and Tar, and it stopped my cough, and I am now entirely well, and have gained twenty-eight pounds, all due to the good results from taking Foley's Honey and Tar. Jones Drug Co."

We want your business and whether you think you can beat our prices somewhere else or not, makes no difference, we want a chance to figure with you. For your pocket book's sake why don't you call. Broad Mercantile Co.

We never slight any job of cleaning, pressing or altering. We take a pride in doing each individual job right. That's why we have the best business in Brady. Kirk, the tailor, nuf sed.

—Window screens and window glass work a specialty at Ram say's planing mill. 1-4t

That wedding present, you can get it from Allen, the jeweler.

Best goods, best styles, best materials, best workmanship, best values—that is the kind of furniture we are now offering—a great money's worth given with every purchase. O. D. Mann & Sons.

J. H. WHITE, Pres.

G. R. WHITE, V.-Pres.

H. N. COOK, Sec.-Treas.

The Brady Water and Light Company

Wants Your Business

Let us wire your residence. For terms see the Secretary. Rates most reasonable.

Successful Truck Farmer.

W. W. Weaver, of Winchell, called on The Standard Tuesday with some samples of tomatoes which he raised by irrigation on the Colorado river in this county. The tomatoes were very fine and Mr. Weaver was offered a good price for all he had by local produce men. He says truck farming is a paying proposition in McCulloch county, and he is now looking for land close to Brady on which to establish an irrigated truck farm for next season. Mr. Weaver says he raised twenty-three varieties of vegetables this year, and notwithstanding it was a hard year on the industry he made fairly good returns on everything. The Standard would be glad to see Mr. Weaver locate close to Brady, as there is a never-failing market here for fruits and vegetables.

Our grocery man will treat you right. Broad Mercantile Co.

A Burnt Child.

dreads the fire. The dread is wholesome, but not the burn; that can be healed and instantly relieved by applying Ballard's Snow Liniment. Be prepared for accidents by keeping a bottle always in the house. Best for sprains, bruises, cuts, scalds, rheumatism, neuralgia, bunions—any and all aches and pains. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

We have come here to stay, and the next time you hear of us, we will still be here, always getting our share of the business. We have to have it, because we have a stock of goods that commands a certain amount of patronage anywhere. It is to your interest people, to deal with us, because there is no concern doing business in the city, that can do more for you than we. We are at your service. Broad Mercantile Co.

FOR SALE

My farm, one mile south of Pontotoc, Mason county. 200 acres, 100 acres in cultivation, good 4-room house, cistern, tank and a good well. Will take \$15 per acre or will exchange for good grazing land. Address

MRS. S. E. OHLHAUSEN

Pontotoc, Texas

Farmers Union Lectures.

S. B. Crouch, county lecturer, will address the public at the different local unions at 8:00 p. m. on dates given below:

Sweden, September 15.

Lone Star, September 20.

Cowboy, September 21.

Mercury, September 22.

Five, September 24.

Waldrip, September 25.

Lohn, September 27.

Pear Valley, September 28.

J. D. BENSON,
Sec. McCulloch County Union.

A pleasing, good, high grade, truly flavored, amber colored cup of coffee can be had—and without the real Coffee danger, or damage to health—by simply using Dr. Shoop's new substitute, called "Health Coffee." Pure, wholesome! toasted cereals, malt, nuts, etc. make Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee both healthful and satisfying. No 20 to 30 minutes tedious boiling. "Made in a minute," says Dr. Shoop. If served as coffee its taste will even trick an expert. Test it and see. Sold by all grocers.

Knee Pads! Knee Pads!

At Evers', the place to get all your leather goods and whips at lowest prices.

Every day, people say, I am surprised, certainly did not think you boys were making as good prices as you are. We think you will say it too, if you will call. Broad Mercantile Co.

Good Reading

The Standard will until further notice give the following rates on clubbing subscriptions. All other rates heretofore quoted are hereby withdrawn:

Brady Standard and Farm & Ranch.....	\$1.50
Brady Standard and Holland's Magazine.....	1.50
Brady Standard and Dallas Semi-Weekly News.....	1.50
Brady Standard and Ft. Worth Semi-Weekly Record 1.50	
Brady Standard and Youth's Companion.....	2.25
Brady Standard and Houston Semi-Weekly Post... 1.50	

We can figure you an attractive price on a club order for three or more of these papers. At these prices there is no reason why every home in the Brady Country should not be supplied with good reading matter. See our traveling representative, J. Walker Green, or address

THE BRADY STANDARD

The Paper of Character

BRADY, TEXAS

HORSE AND MULE TEAMS FOR SALE

I have some good horses and mules for sale and always have a few on hand in lot near my store. Will sell for cash or good notes. I also sell Racine and Banner Buggies, and the famous Racine Wagon, one of the best wagons made. Call and see me before you buy.

C. W. L. SCHAEG

WHY

Does the Public Patronize Our Drug Store?

Because--We have every modern convenience for better service.

Because--The owners of this store are both men who have spent a good portion of their lives in a drug store.

Because--We treat a customer who buys 5c worth just the same as one who buys \$20.

We want to invite you to our store.

Palace Drug Store

Only the Best

D. W. BOZEMAN.
Reg. Druggist and Manager

B. A. HALLUM
Registered Druggist

—Blank notes for sale at The Standard office.

—Kodak finishing at the Penny Store by L. W. St. Clair.

Listen, buy your scissors from Allen, the jeweler.

Lee Myers is visiting his father, A. Myers, who is sick at Rock Springs.

Listen, that old watch, I know how to repair it. Allen, the jeweler.

—See St. Clair at the Penny Store for your kodak finishing.

Judge Joe Adkins and City Marshal Paul Sheridan went to Dallas Saturday.

Why go without seeing when you can have your eyes fitted as it should be done, by Allen, the jeweler.

Miss Sadie Hudson left Monday for Dallas where she will be a student in St. Mary's Academy.

—If it's glass you want we have it. Jones Drug Co.

Fine silverware, fine cut glass, at Allen's, the jeweler.

Wesson The Tailor is selling the Suits. Why Because he Can Fit You at Conley's Store.

If you want a Suit or Ladies Skirt Cleaned or Pressed See Wesson The Tailor at Conley's Store.

Allen's Hospital for sick watches and don't forget it. Allen, the jeweler.

—Carbon paper in large sheets, 19x25 now in stock at Standard office. Just the thing for ladies who do tracing.

J. T. Baker had a load of cows on last Wednesday's Ft. Worth market, selling 27 of 750-lbs at \$2.65, and 3 of \$10 at \$2.25.

Wanted—To buy a ton or two of kaffir or maize heads. No bundle stuff wanted. Apply at Standard office.

Listen, your eyes, I can fit them with spectacles. Allen, the jeweler.

T. C. Allen, Brady's substantial jeweler, has an ad in this issue to which he calls the attention of the public.

A. D. Wright and family and C. R. Horn left last week for Christoval, where these gentlemen have the contract to build the new \$7000 public school building.

Your complexion as well as your temper is rendered miserable by a disordered liver. By taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets you can improve both. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

Miss Myrtle Mauldin returned Sunday from a professional visit to Katemey. Miss Mauldin spent a portion of last week at Rock Springs also on professional business in her capacity as trained nurse.

—Glass cut any size by an expert cutter. Jones Drug Co.

\$400,000.00 INCREASE

Tax Assessor's Rolls Just Completed Show Nearly Half a Million Increase Over Last Year.

Tax Assessor Quicksall has just completed his rolls for 1909 and the commissioner's court is this week checking them over. The rolls show a substantial increase in taxable values over last year, in round numbers this increase being \$395,716. The following items are gleaned from an inspection of the rolls.

RESIDENT	VALUE
488,125 acres of land	\$2,405,776
Town property	388,796
7,998 horses and mules	283,886
28,977 cattle	269,480
101 jacks and jennets	2,606
9,742 sheep	17,393
1,131 goats	1,755
1,558 hogs	1,881
87 dogs	1,515
2,743 buggies, wagons	65,613
Merchandise	191,214
Tools and machinery	30,218
Engines and boilers	7,975
Money of banks	13,624
Credits of banks	16,203
Money on hand	106,367
Credits other than banks	277,676
Shares of capital stock	11,000
Miscellaneous property	31,647
Total	\$4,124,625

NON-RESIDENT	VALUE
159,898 acres land	\$644,965
Town property	81,500
125 horses and mules	3,175
3,837 cattle	36,386
Miscellaneous	89,304
Total	\$855,330

Bank stocks and property 168,000
Rendered and unrendered railroads, telegraph & telephone 465,528
Unrendered acres 23,427 126,400
Unrendered city property 19,925

Total \$779,853
Total taxable values for 1909 5,754,800
Total taxable values for 1908 5,364,092
Increase in values 395,716

Listen, your eyes will see when your eyes are fitted by Allen, the jeweler.

Watch the Grand Leader windows and keep posted.

SCHOOL BOOKS

AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES

This store is headquarters for the state-adopted school books, and our stock is complete. Send your children to the "Central." They will get the same careful attention as if you came yourself. Full line of School Supplies, such as Tablets, Pens, Papers, Pencils, Inks, Etc. Remember, the



Central Drug Store

"Has It"

NORTH SIDE SQUARE, BRADY, TEXAS

Listen, that watch, I can fix it. Allen, the jeweler.

Mrs. George Kidd, of Katemey, died at her home Sunday afternoon after about two weeks' illness, and in spite of all that loving hands, careful nurses and skilled physicians could do. Mrs. Kidd leaves a husband and six children to whom the sympathy of our people is extended. The family is one among the most prominent in the Brady Country.

The Standard \$1 per year.

—Let Ramsay do your planing work and window glass fitting.

Your eyes, I can fix you with glasses. Allen, the jeweler.

300 Yard Dark 10c Outing goes Saturday 18th at 5c Per Yard & 300 Yards Dark Extra Heavy 12.1-2c Outings at 7.1-2c Per Yard Remember Saturday Sept. 18th Only. Conley Merc. Co.

We Handle the Latest Styles in Dress Shoes

Abney & Vincent

THE ONE PRICE STORE

We Will Make Prices that Competition Cannot Touch

OUR FALL ANNOUNCEMENT



Staple Department

We have the largest assortment of Staples to select from of any house in Brady. We will give only a few prices:

- Calico, best grade.....5c
- Cotton Plaid, per yd.....5c
- Bleached Domestic, per yard.....5c
- "Hope" Bleached Domestic.....10c
- 2000 yards Amoskeag Outing, worth 12c, our price.....10c
- Pretty assorted Dress Gingham, worth 12c.....10c
- One lot Gingham, good value for.....5c
- Six Spools best Thread.....25c

All New Goods and Every Department is Full of the Most Seasonable Goods That Could Be Bought in the Eastern Markets

SUIT DEPARTMENT



We have added 2000 feet of floor space for our Suit Department and have experienced ladies to wait on you and can make any change in garments to fit.

Our Ladies' Suits are up-to-date in every way, both in styles and colors. Our prices are just as low as can be sold and we cordially invite you to visit this department where you will find we are strictly in line with all the best houses in the East.

Dress Goods Department

Consists of all the new weaves and shades and colors.

Messalines, Brocaded Pongee, Shantung, Prunella and Moire. The leading shades are Mulberry, Plum, Cadet Blue, Dark Rose and Garnet. Everything new in Jet Trimmings, Fancy and Rimmed Buttons, Notions and Novelties, all new and up-to-date.

Millinery Department

We have styles for everyone and at prices that will surprise you. We were careful in our selection and would have only the latest designs.

If you want the latest things out we have them, and all we ask is for you to call and see our line.

Men's and Boys Clothing

TO BARGAIN HUNTERS:

We have the largest and best selected stock of Clothing for Men and Boys ever brought to Brady. We have rearranged our store and have added sixty feet of wardrobes to hang our clothing and keep them in first-class order. We will duplicate any prices made, quality considered. They are tailor made, in the latest styles, weaves, etc. Just a few prices to show you:

\$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$8 and up to \$25

Boots and Shoes

The time is now here to buy Shoes. Our line leads them all. We sell a good child's shoe at 90c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$1.50.

Men's Satin Calf at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75.
Ladies' Every Day-Wear, 95c, \$1.50 to \$2.

The "Security" School Shoe for Boys and Girls are the Best Shoes on the Market



WE HANDLE THE HANAN & SON LINE OF SHOES