

THE BRADY STANDARD

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Brady, the Coming Railroad Center of West Texas! - - - - Are You On?

Practice Economy

and Save

Make up your mind to save---think of something other than having "a good time." You will be surprised to see how quick you will accumulate a nest egg for a savings account at the bank.

By depositing your savings in a conservative bank like ours, you not only add to them as you can, but the interest which we pay on the amount previously deposited adds to your account, without effort on your part. Begin today and watch it grow.

WE KNOW YOUR WANTS and WANT YOUR BUSINESS.

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The
Brady National Bank
of Brady

SURVEYOR IN THE FIELD SHOT OUT BOTH EYES

The Coleman-Llano and Southern Being Pushed Rapidly and Will be Completed at an Early Date.

Last Monday Mr. F. M. Reber arrived here and at once proceeded to business. He is now making a preliminary examination of the route between Coleman and Brady. Just as soon as this is done he will organize a force of surveyors and begin a permanent survey. The people behind this road are in earnest and are determined to push it to an early completion. It is confidently believed that Coleman and Brady will be connected by rail within the next twelve months.

Mr. Reber is the surveyor who made the original survey for the Santa Fe when that road first penetrated West Texas. He thoroughly understands his business and the Coleman people were fortunate in securing his services for their road.

There is no doubt now that Coleman will soon be connected with the coal and iron fields, the greatest in Texas.—Coleman News.

Irve Ellis Visits Brady.

Irve Ellis, the well-known Menard ranchman, and more recently of White Steamer fame, was over from his home in San Angelo last week with his son Bud. They brought over with them three White Steamers, to show Brady buzz wagon enthusiasts just what a good automobile looked like.

Mr. Ellis has recently located at San Angelo and established a West Texas agency for these fine machines. He says they are the best in the world and that he has money to back up the claim, and the half-page advertisement found elsewhere in this issue of The Standard is in accordance with that statement.

This editor don't know much about an automobile; in fact what we don't know would fill a large sized book, but after taking a ride with Mr. Ellis in a White Steamer we are prepared to say that it is the nearest thing to flying we have ever experienced. Mr. Ellis is making some strong claims in his ad, and issues a challenge the tenor of which cannot possibly be misunderstood, and which he earnestly desires to get before every gasoline car man in this locality. Read the ad. You can't miss it if you look for it.

Death of Little Child.

The little 2-year-old boy baby of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kindley died at the family home in the southwest part of the city Monday afternoon after a short illness. The death was the result of the child eating some mesquite beans which in playing about the yard it had gotten hold of. The doctors, parents and neighbors worked hard to save the little fellow, but to no avail, and the little spirit took its flight to realms above. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon.

Couch & Carter, of Childress, Texas, are in the city demonstrating the Little Crater Crude Oil Burner, said to be a fuel saver and a most excellent attachment for any stove. They have offices up stairs in the Gibbons building and will remain here for a considerable length of time.

Another Scrap Among the Colored Population Sunday--Injured Negro Will Probably Die.

A family row among some negroes in Carroll Colony Sunday morning resulted in Simon Bankie taking a fancy shot at his son-in-law, Al Watkins. The weapon used was a shot gun loaded with bird shot, and at a distance of about twenty steps. Watkins received the entire charge in his head and face.

After the shooting Bankie loaded the wounded man in a wagon, brought him in and turned him over to Dr. Holly, then surrendered to the authorities. The physician reports Watkins' wounds of a very dangerous nature. Both eyes were shot out, the eye balls having collapsed entirely; and there is a strong probability of the darkey making a die of it. At the rate the negroes of this county have been going the past few months they will soon all be killed off. It might be found cheaper to the county and state to get rid of them in some other manner.

Drank Coal Oil.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall was made very sick Saturday by drinking a quantity of coal oil. Prompt action by physicians saved the little one's life.

We Sell Land and Brady Town Property



MEERS LAND COMPANY

Office over Jones Drug Co.

Paid \$45 Per Acre.

Melton Land Co., last week sold to Alex Youngquest, of Manor, Texas, 160 acres in the Melvin community belonging to C. A. Anderson, at \$45 per acre. This is said to be the best price ever paid for land in the west part of the county.

Wire, nails and staples, things that are sold every day. Our stock is complete, our prices are right. O. D. Mann & Sons.

WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

Brady Gins:	
McAnally & Wells	1054
Perry two gins	1147
Guthrie	
Yard Receipts:	
Public Yard	2,947
Farmers' Union Warehouse	898
Prevailing Prices:	
Middling Basis	12.87 1/2
Cotton Seed	\$25.25

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

SANTA FE SURVEYORS WILL RE-BUILD BRIDGE

Work Now Under Way on Santa Fe Route Leading from Brady to the East Line of This County.

A corps of Santa Fe surveyors came in Sunday and on Monday began their work of surveying out a route for the San Saba extension to Brady. The first work done was in Brady, and the route laid out extends parallel with the Frisco's new survey on the north side of the creek. The surveyors are now headed east toward the county line, where they will meet the surveyed line in San Saba county.

We have a number of good smooth work horses for sale. Don't forget the place. The price is right. O. D. Mann & Sons.

We have a fine proposition to offer any body. Come see us, over Jones Bros. barber shop, Couch & Carter.

Commissioners Court Takes Preliminary Steps Looking to Providing Bridge at Waldrip.

The commissioners' court in special session last week provided for a joint meeting of the commissioners' court of this county with the commissioners' court of Coleman county to take place at Waldrip, on the Colorado river, for the purpose of arranging for the rebuilding of the county bridge across the river at that place. The proposition now before the two courts provides that each county is to bear equal portions of the expense of the rebuilding. The conference is to be held Oct. 25. This bridge was destroyed by the overflow of the river in 1906.

The Little Crater Oil Burner will cut your fuel bill half in two. Over Jones Bros. shop. Couch & Carter.



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



GREAT INTRODUCTION SALE



THIS great sale will be conducted on fair dealing, honest and upright business principles—a sale for the masses—and a money-saver for all the people. We want to meet every man, woman and child within a radius of 100 miles of Brady. Come to this great sale, see the good things we have to offer you for less money than you can get them elsewhere. If you don't buy a dollar's worth of goods, come and get acquainted.

We want your business. We will get your business if you only give us a chance to show and price the goods. This great sale will be our introduction as a new firm and we intend to make the greatest effort of our life to step out on the right foot. We intend to close out the largest line of Men's Clothing in Brady during this great sale.

Ten big cases of high grade merchandise just received especially for this great sale—but no "remnants," as the Grand Leader goes on record as a store that will not handle second-hand goods, but we will sell full-bolt goods at very near second-hand "remnant" prices.

See Our Big Circular for Prices

Be here at 9 a. m. Saturday, October 2nd, and get your tickets for the

Fifteen Beautiful Presents Absolutely Given Away

TIPTON & STRIEGLER

Over the County

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	12.87
Cotton Seed, per ton	25.25
Butter, per lb.	15 to 25c
Eggs, per doz.	17 to 18c
Hens, per lb.	7c
Spring Chickens, per lb.	10 to 11c
Milo Maize, per bu.	None Offered
Oats, per bu.	50c to 60c
Hay (Johnson grass) new crop	\$12.00
Hay (cane), per ton	\$10.00
Cane seed, (red top)	None Offered
Hides, green, per lb.	7c to 8c
Hides, dry, per lb.	15c to 16c
Millet, per bu.	None Offered
Pecans, per bu.	7c to 8c

NINE NUGGETS.

Nine, Texas, Oct. 4.
Editor Brady Standard:
A big crowd is expected here to attend conference on Tuesday, the 5th, and everybody is expecting a glorious time and a good dinner.
Nearly all the cotton in this locality has been picked over once and business will not be so rushing for awhile until the second opening is ready to pick. Nearly all the cotton yielded more than was for awhile expected.
Miss Roy Ewing of Brady is visiting Mrs. Harkrider this week.
Mr. Ferguson and Mrs. Nettie Clark were married here last Thursday.
Miss Maude McCoy is quite sick with fever. We hope for her a speedy recovery.
On Friday evening quite a crowd of young people enjoyed an ice cream supper and party at the home of J. I. Smith.
Mrs. Rose has returned home after a ten days' visit to Mrs. Bob Jay.

Compare the values we are offering throughout our entire furniture department, note the quality, the styles, the finish, and best of all the prices are within reach of all. O. D. Mann & Sons.

LOHN LOGIC.

Lohn, Texas, Oct. 24.
Editor Standard:
Lohn is still building. Mr. Trichel is erecting a hotel which will be quite an addition to our little town.
Cotton is a little late this year. The price for picking is 50 cents per hundred.
Some Santa Fe officials were in Lohn a few days ago looking at the country.
G. W. Blanton and wife are visiting friends and relatives near Leonard.
Miss Freida Tetens gave a delightful birthday party Saturday night to a number of friends.
Mr. Tom Robinson and Miss Carrie Nance were married Sunday evening at the home of Rev. Z. T. Blanton. May much happiness be theirs on the voyage of life.
The display of Rockers we are offering has never been equaled for beauty, value and price, three essentials to be considered in selecting a good rocker. O. D. Mann & Sons.

WALDRIP WARBLINGS

Waldrip, Texas, Oct. 4.
Editor Brady Standard:
Whatever may have been prospects for a busy fall, it is being fully realized now. Between cotton picking, pecan gathering, etc., we can barely

find time to listen to news, and to write it down is almost impossible. Our hands are so covered with pecan stain that we have to look twice to separate ink and hands. Don't tell me McCulloch isn't a cornucopia. The editor should excuse us for working instead of talking.
D. W. Hill was attending business in Brady last Monday.
The ice cream supper at Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Metts last Tuesday night was a very enjoyable affair.
Jno. Cox and the civil engineer for our proposed railroad, were here last Tuesday looking over the Lacke and Vining survey. Two old railroad surveys were both found practical. But do not know which one they will use, if either.
Geo. Cathey went to Santa Anna last Wednesday and re-leased the old Kellett place from W. R. Kelley.
J. R. Winstead sent five bales of cotton to Brady the first of the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Mose Johnson visited at Rockwood last Saturday.
Prof. J. E. Kelley of Lohn, is busy laying in his winter supply of coal.
Rev. Moran, the new Baptist pastor, came in from Brady last Wednesday and held services Wednesday night, Saturday and Sunday.
The W. O. W. Lodge here is about as busy as can be. About six weeks ago they divided forces. The banker taking half the membership and the clerk the other half. Now quite a rush is on to see which half secures the largest number of new members. The losing side to furnish an oyster supper in November.

PROGRESS.
For a clear head, a stout heart and strong mind, DeWitt's Little Early Risers gentle, safe, easy, pleasant, little pills, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is unequalled for anything where a salve is needed, and is especially good for Piles. Sold by Central Drug Store.
PRAIRIE VIEW VIEWS.
Prairie View, Oct. 4, 1909.
Editor Brady Standard:
After an absence of several weeks I'll give you the news from here as well as I know it.
Stacking feed and picking cotton is the order of the day now.
A good crowd of our people gathered at the school house last Sunday evening and organized a Sunday school. We wish for a success.
Miss Belle Knoy of Brady was here Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Satterwhite visited at R. C. Satterwhite's Sunday.
The young folks enjoyed a singing at the home of Henry Satterwhite Sunday night.
Willie Spoonmoore of Live Oak community is picking cotton for Henry Satterwhite.
Bro. Edwards, a Primitive Baptist preacher, preached to a good crowd at Mr. Lee's residence Saturday night.
Well, I'll ring off for today, as news is scarce. BLUE BELL.

Your cough annoys you. Keep on hacking and tearing the delicate membranes of your throat if you want to be annoyed. But if you want relief, want to be cured, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold by Jones Drug Co.
MERCURY MUSINGS.
Mercury, Texas, Oct. 4.
Editor Standard:
We are still right side up down this way. People are very busy gathering and marketing their crops, and the people are rejoicing over the good prices cotton is bringing. The Mercury gin has ginned 263 bales to date. There has been about 750 bales marketed up to Saturday night.
There has been several changes in

real estate in and around Mercury the last week and plenty of land for sale left. There has also been some trading in business property.
Rev. S. C. Collins of Fife passed through Mercury one day last week on his way to Brownwood. Bro. Collins contemplates entering Howard Payne college in a few days.
Mr. Pumphrey of Taylor was here last week looking after his ranch interests.
Dr. A. B. McKnight has sold out and contemplates leaving Mercury in a short time. We all regret to lose the doctor and his estimable family.
Mrs. Beckham and family of near Milburn are moving to Mercury.
While in Mercury last Saturday the team which Joe Penn and family was driving became frightened at an automobile and ran away, throwing Mr. Penn and daughter, Miss Etta, and his little son out of the buggy, bruising them up considerably. It was at first thought that Mr. Penn's injuries were serious, but he is able to be up at this writing.
Rev. J. T. Hamilton and wife went to Brownwood yesterday.
The school at this place will open in about two weeks. H. B.

DODGE DOINGS.

Brady, Texas, Oct. 4.
Editor Brady Standard:
I will give the news of our settlement after being absent some time.
Some of the farmers are almost through picking cotton, while others are just about half through. Cotton is turning out very well in this part of the county.
The Dodge school house has been completed and the seats have been ordered. It is thought the school will open about Nov. 1st, with Miss Jeanette Miller as teacher.
Several boys from here attended a party at John L. Smith's at Nine Friday night.
There was a dance at John McGaughey's Saturday night.
Mrs. R. Blackwell and daughter, Miss Liddia, spent Saturday night with Mrs. J. D. Conner.
Roy Miller is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.
The prayer meeting at Carroll Colony Sunday night was well attended. Mrs. Dan Zimmerman was shopping in Brady Saturday.
Mrs. Will King was in Brady Saturday.
Messrs. Newman and Alexander of Brady were here Sunday.
Dave Hargrove and wife attended church at Ward Sunday.
Success to The Standard and its readers. BROWN EYES.

Special Railroad Rates to Brady Fair.
A rate of one and one-third fare from all stations, Fort Worth to Brady, has been allowed by the Frisco. Tickets on sale from Oct. 19 to 22, limited to Oct. 23 for return.
On the 21st the Frisco will run a special train from Brownwood to Brady with a special round trip rate of less than one fare. The schedule will be as follows:
Lv. Brownwood 8 00 a. m. fare \$1.00
" Brooksmith 8 37 " " .75
" Winchell 8 55 " " .60
" Mercury 9 07 " " .50
" Placid 9 24 " " .50
" Rochelle 9 45 " " .50
Ar. Brady 10 15 " "
Returning, leaves Brady 8 00 p. m.
No baggage accepted and no reduction for children. Tickets limited for use on special train.
On the same date, 21st, a one fare rate for the round trip will also be granted from all stations, Fort Worth to Dublin, inclusive, tickets limited to 23rd.

GREAT WEALTH NOT DESIRED.

Senator Depew Thankful for Escaping the Responsibility and Result of Vast Fortune.
Senator Depew, after telling his Brooklyn friends how near he once came to buying for \$10,000 a sixth interest in the telephone, proceeded to express satisfaction instead of regret over his failure to invest and to thank the man whose advice had prevented him from doing it. The result would have been a fortune of \$100,000,000, and said the senator: "What a lucky escape! I would have been dead long ago from high living and my family ruined by too much prosperity."
Now how much of that was sincere and how much a jest? To ask the question may seem like a confession of inability to see a joke, but both the senator's statements may well be true in gravest earnest, and many a philosopher—with no chance of getting even one million—would say that there was no doubt about the accuracy of either of them.
Nevertheless, the "lucky escape" was one that most people would be content to miss, and the well recognized and often demonstrated perils of great wealth are usually confronted with reckless audacity by everybody who has even half an opportunity to risk them.
The Standard \$1 per year.

KEEN KUTTER TOOLS

At the North Pole

Commander Peary
IN OUTFITTING FOR HIS DASH TO THE NORTH POLE
SELECTED
KEEN KUTTER TOOLS
IN PREFERENCE TO ALL OTHERS.
BECAUSE OF THEIR PERFECT TEMPER AND ABSOLUTE RELIABILITY.
We carry KEEN KUTTER Quality Tools for bench, home, garden and farm—pocket-knives, razors, scissors and shears and table cutlery.
O. D. Mann & Sons

Fife Singing Convention.

PIPE, TEXAS, OCT. 4, 1909.
The singing convention at this place last Sunday without doubt eclipsed anything that McCulloch county has had in the line of entertainment.
We were very fortunate in having with us a number of visiting singers who are not members of the league, and who added greatly to our pre-arranged program. An automobile loaded with No. 1 singers came as a pleasant surprise about 2 p. m. They came late, but got busy at once and declared their intentions and willingness to sing anything in the books, and upon being asked to demonstrate they convinced the crowd that they could sing. The crowd was composed of Wm. S. Baker, Jack West, Baze Bros., and Mr. Moore. We wish also to make special mention of Profs. Smith and Maxey of Paint Rock who are actively engaged in promoting the cause of song at all times and numerous places. Prof. Smith, with his cornet, made music worth going to hear. There were many visitors from Rockwood, Lohn, Stacy and Gould Busk. The good people of Lohn are to have the pleasure of entertaining the singers next first Sunday. The people who sing and those who enjoy good music are a happy lot and are easy to entertain. It is in truth a pleasure to have them meet with us.
We appreciate the interest manifested by people outside the league and hope to have more of them with us at each successive convention.
Luther Manship, under the auspices of the Ladies' Tuesday Club, will give an evening's entertainment at the opera house next Monday night, Oct. 11, beginning at 8:15 o'clock.
J. V. Searcy, Jeweler, can sell you a watch from \$1.00 up.
Mesdames J. C. Wall and J. D. Branscum were among the Brady visitors to the San Angelo Fair this week.
Bring your poultry, eggs and cow hides to Sim Brown now at Conner's Wagon Yard. Highest prices all the time.
T. C. Allen was in Brownwood Sunday.

COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

CAPITAL	- - -	\$100,000.00
SURPLUS	- - -	35,000.00

OFFICERS:
G. R. WHITE, Pres. W. D. CROTHERS, Cash.
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We Want Your Business

Brady Fair Season Tickets will be on sale with merchants from this date until Oct. 19, 1909. Season tickets entitle holder to enter and leave the grounds at will. This will be quite an advantage, as there will be no return checks issued under any circumstances.

BRADY FAIR ASSOCIATION,
T. P. GRANT, Secretary

Accident at Cotton Yard.

While unloading cotton from a wagon, piled three bales high, Tom Jordan, public weigher, was quite badly injured last Saturday, a bale of cotton falling from the top of the pile and striking Mr. Jordan, knocking him down and crushing and bruising him seriously. No bones were broken, however, and he is recovering nicely.
Pat Mayes went to Ft. Worth Saturday.

Cold Weather Advice

To all is to beware of coughs and colds on the chest; as neglected they readily lead to pneumonia, consumption or other pulmonary troubles. Just as soon as the cough appears treat it with Ballard's Horehound Syrup the standard cure of America. A cure and preventive for all diseases of the lungs.
Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle.
Sold by Jones Drug Store.
Have You Seen that new design in silver on display at J. V. Searcy's, jeweler.

O. N. GUTHRIE GINNER

To the Farmers:—My gin is ready for business and I solicit your patronage. This is an entirely new outfit, best machinery made, and operated by experienced gin men who guarantee you a good sample and first-class work in every respect. With eight stands we are in a position to give you quick service.
Remember the Place—Just East of Cotton Yard.

Brady Machine & Auto Garage Co.

All kinds blacksmithing, machine and woodwork. Horseshoeing a specialty. Can do your work on short notice; let us do your drill work.
OUR AUTO GARAGE
Is in charge of Amos Soward who learned his trade in the north and who is an expert workman. Don't ask him if he can do it—let him show you. All auto work guaranteed. We carry at all times a full line of repair parts and supplies for any make machine.
Agents Goodyear Tires and Inner Tubes; Best on Earth.
WILLBANKS & KERR



THE
American
Gentleman
SHOE

Boots and Shoes

Everybody knows Hamilton-Brown Shoes are good shoes. Our stock is large and complete and the price will be greatly reduced on the entire line. You can't afford to miss this opportunity of buying your winter shoes at the prices we will offer.

Women's Kid Shoes as low as, per pair 65c
Men's Calf Shoes as low as, per pair 90c
Biggest and best line of Boots to be found in Brady will go at

Profit Sharing Prices



MEN'S AND BOY'S CLOTHING

We have the largest and best stock of Clothing that has ever been shown in Brady. No old shop worn goods, but all are this season's latest patterns and fabrics. The entire stock is included in this Great Profit Sharing Sale, and you can buy your Clothing here for decidedly less money than you would pay elsewhere.

Men's three-piece Corduroy Suits (coat, pants and vest) only	\$ 3.45
Men's \$7.50 Worsted Suits only	4.10
Men's \$10 Woolen Suits only	6.05
Men's \$12.50 All Wool Suits only	7.50
Men's \$15 All Wool Suits only	10.05
Men's \$20 Plain and Fancy Worsted Suits only	15.00
Men's \$25 Plain and Fancy Worsted Suits only	17.50

Men's 50c Negligee Shirts now	29c
Men's 75c Shirts now only	50c
Men's Monarch Shirts, regular \$1 and \$1.25, now only	75c
Men's Cluett Shirts, regular \$1.50 and \$1.75, now only	95c
Men's Pleece Underwear, regular 50c and 65c values, Profit Sharing Sale Price	38c

MEN'S HATS AND CAPS

Our line of Men's Hats includes all the nobby styles, as well as the staple numbers. Also the biggest line of Stetsons to be found in town. All go in this great sale at Profit Sharing Prices.

STAPLES

Extra heavy Cotton Flannel, good 12 1-2c value, at per yard	8 1-3c
Good yard-wide Brown Domestic, Profit Sharing Sale price per yard	5c
Extra heavy yard-wide Brown Domestic Profit Sharing Sale price, per yard	7 1-2c
Good yard-wide Bleached Domestic, Profit Sharing Sale price per yard	6 1-4c
Good round thread Cotton Checks, Profit Sharing Sale price, per yard	4 1-2c
Good, Heavy Cotton Blankets, worth \$1.25, now only	98c
65c and 75c Cotton Blankets, Profit Sharing Sale price	39c
Big line of Comforts to go at Profit Sharing prices.	



MILLINERY

Our Millinery Department, under the management of Miss Bryant, has the busiest department in our store. There you will find the very

Latest Styles in Ladies' Hats at the Lowest Possible Prices

GROCERIES, HARDWARE, LEATHER GOODS

Our entire line of Groceries, Hardware, Graniteware and Leather Goods will be included in this Great Profit Sharing Sale, giving you the opportunity of buying everything you want at these money saving prices:

\$1 Buckets of Coffee, now only	\$.75	1 Kit new Mackerel	.85
7 lbs. good Rio Coffee now only	1.00	5-gal. Keg New Kraut	1.20
6 lbs. best Peaberry Coffee	1.00	3 25c Cans Baking Powder for	.50
25 lbs. new crop Broken Rice	1.00	Good Navy Tobacco, per plug	.25
18 lbs. new crop Whole Rice	1.00	Best Natural Leaf Tobacco, per lb.	.50

GRANITEWARE, Etc.

17-qt. Dishpan, worth 65c, now	\$.40	now	50c
14-qt. Dishpan, worth 50c, now	.35	Medium Galvanized Tubs, worth 60c, now	.40
10-qt. Dishpan, worth 40c, now	.25	\$16 Double Harness now	11.00
Large Stove Kettles, worth \$1 now	.65	\$25 Double Harness now	18.50
Extra large Galvanized Tubs, worth 75c, now	.60	\$17.50 Single Buggy Harness, now	13.50
Large Galvanized Tubs, worth 65c,		\$15 Single Buggy Harness now	11.00

LITTLE THINGS AT LITTLE PRICES

One lot Dress Buttons, per dozen	.02
Wool Braid, 5-yard bunches, each	.02
Long Lace Mitts, per pair	.04
Long Silk Gloves, per pair	.25
25c Box Colgate's Dental Powder	.19
25c Box Talcum Powder	.19
Six Good Lead Pencils for	.05
One lot Finishing Braid, per bunch	.03

MISCELLANEOUS

Ladies' Rain Coats, regular \$2.50, now	\$1.25
Children's Union Suits worth 35c	.19
Men's 35c Underwear now	.25
Men's 25c Underwear now	.19
Men's 25c Suspenders now	.19
Men's 35c Suspenders now	.25
Men's 15c Half Hose now three pair for	.25
Men's 15c Water Proof Collars now three for	.25
Men's 35c Four-in-Hand Ties now	.25
Men's Fancy Vests, one-fourth off the regular price.	

Don't Forget the Time and Place!

Abney & Vincent
THE ONE PRICE STORE

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE

BRADY, - TEXAS

OUR LADIES' SUIT DEPARTMENT

Our Ladies' Suit Department is the largest and best arranged department of its kind to be found in the city. Here you will find the very latest things in Ladies' Tailored Suits, Coats, Skirts, Misses' and Children's Wraps of all kinds, all specially priced for this Great Profit Sharing Sale.

HARDWARE

Kelly Perfect Axe, with handle, worth \$1.25, Profit Sharing Sale price	\$.85
300-lb Cotton Scales, regular price \$2.50, now	1.75
250-lb Cotton Scales, regular price \$2, now	1.35
Henry Diston Hand Saw reduced to	1.50
Good Rex Hand Saw now	.75
David Madol guaranteed \$1 Hammer reduced to	.75
\$25 Springfield Double Barrel Shot Guns now	18.50
\$20 Hopkins & Allen Hammerless Double Barrel Guns	15.00
Stevens Double Barrel Hammerless Guns, worth \$16.50, now	12.50
Hartford Double Barrel Shot Guns, worth \$13.50, now	10.75
\$7.50 Single Barrel Shot Guns now	6.00
\$5 Single Barrel Shot Guns now	4.25
\$4 Stevens Rifles now	3.35
\$1 Safety Razors now	.75
25c Bread Knives now	.15
75c Lanterns now	.50
\$1.25 Fruit Jars now	.90
12 1-2c Stone Jars now	8 1-3c
15c Jugs now	.10
\$5 Block and Tackle now	3.50
\$1.25 Stove Boilers now	.90
25c Granite Washpans now	.15



ELEPHANT LABOR TOO COSTLY

Modern Machinery Will Soon Displace Animal Workers in Lumber Yards of India.

The laboring elephants are in their prime when they are 25 years old. They are expensive to feed, literally eating their heads off. It is declared that an elephant eats a quarter of his weight in feed every day. Certain it is that the average amount required to keep one of the gigantic workers in good condition is 800 pounds a day. While perfectly tractable and reliable when properly tamed and trained, an elephant is likely to become frightened and stampede without warning. In spite of his massive body and immense strength, he is timid in the extreme and becomes frenzied at the sight of a rat, or dog or an automobile. Every elephant has a small hole in the side of its head, from which, periodically, a white fluid is discharged. Unless the animal is chained during the entire period of this discharge, he is liable to turn rogue and kill every body within reach. At other times he is easy to manage. The time is not far distant when the elephant will disappear from the lumber yards of Rangoon to give place to modern machinery, which is much cheaper and more reliable than animal labor. Even now they are vanishing, but a few old ones may still be seen doing their work in the mills and yards.—Southern Workman.

The wholesome, harmless green leaves and tender stem of a lung healing mountainous shrub give to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy its curative properties. Tickling or dry bronchial coughs quickly and safely yield to this highly effective cough medicine. Dr. Shoop assures mothers that they can with safety give it to even very young babes. No opium, no chloroform—absolutely nothing harsh or harmful. It calms the distressing cough and heals the sensitive membranes. Accept no other. Demand Dr. Shoop's Sold by Central Drug Store.

Public Dinner.

The Methodist ladies will serve dinner Saturday, Oct. 9, in the building formerly occupied by American Beauty restaurant.

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THE LOVING CUP IN HISTORY.

Believed to Be of Danish Origin, Its Traditions Go Back Many Centuries.

The loving cup is supposed to be of Danish origin, dating back more generations than memory can go. Not only is the cup attributed to the drink-loving Danes, but the peculiar ceremonies generally observed in drinking from it are credited to them by good authorities.

The loving cup is really older than English history, and it is in that country that it has formed such a prominent feature of banquets for lo! these centuries. Tradition tells us that there is an excellent reason for the three handles to the cup and the peculiar ceremony attending the drinking from it.

One historian says that in the ancient times it was deemed a wise precaution to have both hands of both of those engaged in drinking and passing the cup employed, lest while the pledger of "Gesundheit" was in the act the pledgee should seize the opportunity to stick a knife into him.

Another writer says the wisdom of the three-handled cup lay in the fact that after a certain stage of the good old English banquet it took both hands of his next neighbor to get the vessel lifted to the proper spot with any degree of accuracy.

Stomach troubles would more quickly disappear if the cause, rather than the effect would come into practice. A tiny, inside, hidden nerve, says Dr. Shoop, governs and gives strength to the stomach. A branch also goes to the heart, and one to the kidneys. When these "inside nerves" fail, then the organs must falter. Dr. Shoop's Restorative is directed specifically to these failing nerves. Within 48 hours after starting the Restorative treatment patients say they realize a gain. Sold by Central Drug Store.

HISTORICAL FOOTNOTE.

The prince of Orange had just refused, for the second time, to become the ruler of the united provinces.

"It would be too much like handing them a lemon," he said.

Thus we get a glimpse of the apparently artless yet masterful way in which William the Silent managed to make his name go thundering down the ages.

It is in time of sudden mishap or accident that Chamberlain's Liniment can be relied upon to take the place of the family doctor, who cannot always be found at the moment. Then it is that Chamberlain's Liniment is never found wanting. In cases of sprains, cuts, wounds, and bruises Chamberlain's Liniment takes out the soreness and drives away the pain. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

NOT SO DIFFERENT.

A Kentucky copperhead snake attacked an auto, wrapped himself around the brake lever and the driver's leg and made the machine run two miles at full speed before it could be controlled. Thus is the cheering though borne in on us that, despite the ravages of prohibition, Kentucky is still more or less herself.—Washington Post.

A pain prescription is printed upon each 25c box of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. Ask your doctor or druggist if this formula is not complete. Head pains, womanly pains, pains anywhere get instant relief from a Pink Pain Tablet. Central Drug Store.

THE CAPTAIN WAS RIGHT.

During the recent financial depression in England, Pat and Mike enlisted in the British army. After their first drill the captain, thinking the circumstances opportune for a little lecture on patriotism, demanded eloquently: "Soldiers, why should a man die for his king and country?"

This struck Pat as a proper question. Turning to Mike he said:

"Faith, Moike, the captain is right! Whoi?"—Everybody's.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of coughs, colds, croup and influenza. Try it when in need. It contains no harmful substance and always gives prompt relief. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

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.

—Typewriter ribbons and carbon papers at Standard office.

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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.

BOLD CHINESE BRIGANDS.

Whole districts in the province of Kiangsu, China, are reported to be terrorized by brigands. East of Yao-wan, on the Grand canal, close on 100 cases of kidnaping have occurred during the last winter. Scholars on the road to school, rich men and even men worth only \$50 or \$100 have been caught and held for ransom. The prices paid have ranged from \$20 to \$1,000. Schools are being closed and men are afraid to go from home. In Pichow the conditions are said to be worse. Recently a man who was acting as a spy on the robbers was found by the roadside with his heart cut out. The brigands have established a regular tariff of blackmail. While the supineness of the authorities is largely responsible, their difficulties are increased by the fact that the people compound with the robbers and agree not to report and prosecute on the promise of immunity.

Served as coffee, the new coffee substitute known to grocers everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, will trick even a coffee expert. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Pure healthful roasted grains, malt, nuts, etc., have been cleverly blended as to give a wonderfully satisfying coffee taste and flavor. And it is "made in a minute", too. No tedious 20 to 30 minutes boiling. Test it and see. Dr. Shoop created Health Coffee that the people might have a genuine coffee substitute, and one that would be thoroughly satisfying in every possible respect. Sold by all grocers.

UPS AND DOWNS.

"Matrimony has its ups and downs," remarked the scanty-haired benedict.

"What's the answer?" queried the confirmed bachelor.

"It keeps the wife busy trying to keep up appearances, and the husband busy trying to keep down expenses," replied the other, with a large, open-face sigh.

Hoarseness in a child subject to croup is a sure indication of the approach of the disease. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given at once, or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Contains no poison. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

THE POOR LOSER.

Mrs. Newlywed (indignantly)—You are the breadwinner of this family.

Mr. Newlywed (despairingly)—Well, considering the kind of bread you give me, I should call myself the loser.

To quickly check a cold, druggists are dispensing everywhere a clever Candy Cold Cure Tablet called Preventies. Preventies are also fine for feverish children. Take Preventies at the sneeze stage, to head off all colds. Box of 48—25c. Central Drug Store.

FLYING HIGH.

"Which one of the baseball clubs do you think will come out at the end of the season with flying colors?"

"It ought to be the Birds."

The pleasant purgative effect experienced by all who use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and the healthy condition of the body and mind they create, makes one feel joyful. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

—Chattel Mortgage blanks for sale at Standard office.

Foley's Kidney Pills

What They Will Do for You

They will cure your backache, strengthen your kidneys, correct urinary irregularities, build up the worn out tissues, and eliminate the excess uric acid that causes rheumatism. Prevent Bright's Disease and Diabates, and restore health and strength. Refuse substitutes.

JONES DRUG CO.

Sold.

I am not a leader but a mixer and make the best harness and saddles that the best material and expert workmanship can make and positively guarantee that I will not be undersold for cash or gilt edged notes and its not a late thing by any means. This is not hot air but the real article. Come look and learn. Respectfully,

J. F. SCHAEG.

Cotton Seed Wanted.

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

Farmers!

Be wise and hold your cotton. Draw your money on it and held her. She is your nest egg this year. Sell when you please.

TOM ELLIOT, Brady, Texas.

Pasturage Wanted.

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

FINE SORGHUM MOLASSES

I am now in a position to furnish you with good, old-home-made sorghum molasses in any quantities you may want. See me, at my place, nine miles north of Brady, on Santa Anna road.

Z. E. LEE

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Brady, Texas

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 eistern 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.

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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.

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Place all orders through this office.

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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

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

Hear Luther Manship at the opera house Monday night

Henry Miller is moving his family back to town from the ranch.

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

Miss Stella Sayle has returned from her trip to the Alaska-Yukon Exposition and reports a grand time.

We have just received and unloaded our car of Corrugated Iron, both painted and galvanized in all standard lengths. Will appreciate your order. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The members of the Baptist Ladies' Aid desire to publicly thank all for their liberal patronage and generous donations for the dinner given for the benefit of the Buckner Orphans' Home.

Fall is the season for fence building. Have you investigated the Pioneer Square Mesh Fence? It is the fence that will stand every requirement and then some. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williams, and Messrs. Martin and Rector, of San Saba, were in the city Sunday enroute to Angelo to take in the fair. They were traveling in a big 7-passenger Mitchell touring car, bought recently from Dick Dyer.

A better meal was never cooked than the ones cooked on the Lily Darling Stoves and Ranges. They are the stoves that are made for service and are an ornament to any home. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Tom Jordan, the popular cotton weigher, is able to be out again and is recovering rapidly from his accident of last week.

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

Another Accident.

Frank Hamby, an employe of the Brady Cotton Oil Co. (the Hille mill) was painfully injured Tuesday. He had climbed to the top of the overhead shafting to oil a journal, and while so engaged lost his balance and fell to the floor, sustaining numerous painful bruises.

Wanted:

A young lady to learn to set type at The Standard office. A fair education necessary.

Also a good big boy to learn the printing trade.

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

Get Well First

Don't risk even a penny—until health first returns.

And I mean just exactly that. I am the one physician who says to the sick "I will, out of my own pocket, pay for your medicine if it fails to bring you help." And for 20 years Dr. Shoop's medicines have been used and recommended in every city and hamlet in America. They are positively standard in every community—and everywhere. Then why pay the cash, and at your risk, for other unwarranted and uncertain medicines? Thousands upon thousands have in the past successfully used Dr. Shoop's Restorative. When the Stomach nerves, or the Heart or Kidney nerves fail, these sick ones know how quickly Dr. Shoop's Restorative will bring them back to health again. But best of all, they positively take no money risk whatever. They know that when health fails to return, Dr. Shoop will himself gladly pay the drug test. And for that test a full 30 day treatment is freely granted. But write me first for an order. This will save delay and disappointment. All druggists sell Dr. Shoop's Restorative and Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy, but all are not authorized to give the 30 day test. So drop me a line please—for I have appointed an honest and responsible drug-gist in almost every community, everywhere, to issue my "no pay, no medicine" plan. My best of good wishes to those who are not well. Besides you are perfectly free to consult me just 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 personal advice plan. My best of good wishes to those who are not well. Besides you are perfectly free to consult me just as you would your home physician. My advice and the book below are yours—and without cost.

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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.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

Change in Real Estate Firm.

Miles Abernathy has bought a one-third interest in the real estate business of Adkins & Crawford, and has already imbibed the town-building, boosting characteristics of this hustling firm. Mr. Abernathy brings to the business a solidity of character and energy, made for himself with all with whom he has come in contact during his residence in Brady. The Standard trusts they will sell a million dollars worth of land this year and get the money.

Porch Party.

Mrs. W. D. Crothers entertained Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5:30 o'clock with a porch party in honor of Mrs. Jas. Graham, guest of Mrs. S. S. Graham. The afternoon was enlivened by games of "42", while music was rendered by Miss Matthews and Mrs. Paul Willoughby. A salad course luncheon was served, and altogether the occasion was one of the most pleasant little affairs of the season.

LOOK AFTER YOUR PROPERTY.

It is a safe rule in this world to look carefully after the details of your own property. Be sure your title deeds are recorded, that your insurance is kept up, that you alone have the key to your strong box in the safety vault. Do not leave your securities with your broker. If he is doing a conservative business he has no need of them. If he isn't you don't want him to handle your property. The wonder is that with all the confidence reposed in financial matters there are so few defalcations. There is no use in making it easy for some one to get your property. In this world it is hard for most persons to acquire anything, and they should be careful to the last degree in seeing that they are fully protected in it.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

HE AIMED TO PLEASE.

"I haven't sized up that father-in-law to be of mine. Curious old chap. Doesn't seem to be able to get his mind off his business."

"I shouldn't think that would worry you."

"I suppose it's all right, but when I asked for his daughter he said: 'Take her with you and if she isn't up to our advertisement bring her back and exchange her.'"

Most women are troubled with Kidney complaint, and you know very many serious and even fatal diseases result from these neglected Kidney troubles. If you will take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills as directed, you may be confident of good results. Try them and see how really good they are. Beware of imitations; pills that are intended to deceive you. Be sure you get DeWitt's. Sold by Central Drug Store.

C. E. Welch, of Morgan, Texas, is the new manager at the Brady Auto Co. Mr. Welch is an experienced man in this line of business, and comes to Brady highly recommended. A big lot of improvements are now being made at the garage, which, when completed, will give Brady one of the most complete plants of its character in West Texas.

J. P. Dobbs, of Tucker, made us a pleasant call Saturday just after selling three bales of cotton at 12c flat, a total of \$209.40 for the three and seed not yet sold. Mr. Dobbs will market 16 or 17 bales this season, his crop averaging a little less than a quarter-bale. He says picking will be over in his section in two weeks.

You need not be troubled in any way with the stomach, if you will simply take Kodol at those times when you feel that you need it. Kodol is guaranteed to relieve you. If it fails your money will be refunded to you by the druggist from whom you purchased it. Try it today on this guarantee. Sold by Central Drug Store.

Expend your money here where it will bring its utmost. Values are unequalled, prices are consistent with quality, everything guaranteed as represented or your money refunded. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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

Will Sprinkle Streets.

All Brady people will rejoice at the news that Brady's business section will soon be kept nicely wet down. That enterprising firm, O. D. Mann & Sons, have voluntarily undertaken the work and now have on the road to Brady the best street sprinkler which money could buy. As soon as it arrives they will put it to work. The Standard welcomes the sprinkler and will be glad to pay its proportionate frontage tax.

A New Factory.

Thos. Bell informs The Standard that he is contemplating the erection of a "hot air" factory for Brady, and asks our help, aid and assistance. However, as we understand Jack McGaughey is to be superintendent of the factory we do not see the need of further assistance and have so informed the promoter.

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

There was never a better flour in Brady than the La France. Broad Mercantile Co.

There will be preaching at the Church of Christ next Sunday by Brother Ferguson.

The city council in session Monday ordered all sidewalk obstructing signs taken down.

Have you seen our groceryman. It is now time. You want the goods, he wants to sell them. We make the price. Broad Mercantile Co.

J. B. Brown, of Hope, Ark., has come to Brady and will open a notion store in the Gibbons building on the east side.

Listen! Next week we will have on display 31 new patterns, the season's latest creations in grays; don't fail to see them. Wesson, the tailor, at Conley's.

Mrs. A. Lewis, wife of Brady's former street contractor, was here Monday from her home in Comanche.

We seldom lose a deal in our grocery department. See our groceryman, he has the prices up his sleeve for you. Broad Mercantile Co.

"Boy" Crothers is now a student at A. & M. College, and writes that he is, more than pleased with the school.

A. D. Moss & Co. sold Tuesday for T. B. Drinkard 46 acres to McCall & Anderson, of Brady, at private terms. This land consists of 16 lots in the Drinkard addition to town, and thirty acres in a square lying along the lane north of the church.—Eden Echo.

J. H. WHITE, Pres.

G. R. WHITE, V. Pres.

H. N. COOK, Sec.-Treas.

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New Goods Every Few Days

**High Price
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Will Hit
You Hard!**

AS SOON AS 13-cent cotton comes back in yard goods you will see where you have hurt your pocket book by not coming to Conley's Loom End Sale and buying all you will need. You have 17 days yet to come and get some of the great bargains. We are offering 7 to 10 yard pieces extra heavy Outing, 12 1-2c grade goes at 7 1-2c, and 10c grade at 5c. Hundreds of other bargains await you. Everything in the house marked in Red Tickets at 15 to 25 per cent cut. Sixty-five cases of new goods to pick from. No old junk to unload. All-leather Shoes, the largest line in West Texas to pick from. Ladies' and Misses' Suits. We are the Ladies' Ready-to-Wear House of Brady. Sole agents for The Model Fit and Duchess lines, 500 garments to pick from. 100 more of those \$1.50 Rugs to arrive next Saturday; they still go at 98c. **STOP AND THINK!** You cannot afford to miss this sale. We will save you \$10 to \$15 on every bale of cotton you spend here for all new high grade merchandise. Remember, only 17 more days and it won't cost you anything to come and see and be convinced. Ask your neighbors who have been here. You see some of them have been here, as Friday, the first day of the sale, we sold over \$1100, while on Saturday, the second day, we sold over \$2200. So come and watch the goods pour out the front door.

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CAN'T PLEASE 'EM ALL

The country editor who worried himself to death trying to please each one of his subscribers, individually, probably had a collection of such letters as the following:

—Texas September 28, 1909, the Brady Standard Dear Sirs: I don't like to pay for advertise ments you can please stop my paper You know it isn't worth a dollar I can't find a thing But Some one going to Sell Some thing I written a long letter to You for Publication, and you Couldnt for ads—I owe you 25 cents I will Pay when I come to Brady

yours truly

LOOK alive, now, for the next railroad. Brady must next have a road north and south. The Coleman, Llano & Southern will do very nicely.

A CREAMERY is the next industry for Brady. The farmers want it and will support it. Let Brady get busy, and watch us grow.

THAT smell of cotton seed meal pervading the atmosphere is not the most delectable odor in the world, perhaps, but it isn't unhealthy and denotes industry and thrift. Let Brady grow.

BRADY is the largest shipping point in the world for cotton, cattle and pecans (combined). With the railroads now secured and in view Brady will in a few years be noted as a manufacturing center as well. A cotton mill and packing house are neither of them unreasonable possibilities. Watch Brady grow!

THE editor saw some baled peanut and peavine hay at a local grain store this week. There is not a more valuable hay crop produced than peavine hay. It is the best feed in the world for milch cows and brings a price equal to the best alfalfa. McCulloch county farmers are neglecting their own interests when they fail to raise such a fine crop and one grown so easily.

THE coal fields of the northern part part of McCulloch and the southern part of Coleman counties are at last beginning to receive attention, and a railroad will certainly be built to them. Brady must of course secure this road wherever its source. A road direct from these fields to Brady would make this city quite an important place and would give us a chance to become a manufacturing center. With good fuel so close and so cheap many manufacturing industries would naturally gravitate this

way, and with a little judicious work Brady could be a city of factories. This is neither hot air nor idle chatter, but facts well within the bounds of probability.

THE Brownwood Bulletin is becoming worried about Brady's "boom," and sees disaster ahead for this city. Brady has no boom, Brother Mayes, but is experiencing a quick and satisfactory growth, the result of perfectly natural causes. While we do not like "booms," still we had rather have one than to experience a slow death by stagnation, which seems to be Brownwood's trouble, judging from frequent recent Bulletin utterances.

SOUNDING THE ALARM

C. H. Jenkins, in arriving home from Brady, says that he realizes more than ever that Brownwood has to get busy on railroad matters. "The roads," said Mr. Jenkins to a Bulletin man, "that are building out of Brownwood will either make a great city here or will kill the town, and it all depends on whether Brownwood property owners get busy and bring about the building of two lines of road, one through Brownwood north and south, and the other through the town from the east to the southwest. With these two roads Brownwood will soon be one of the great cities of Texas, but I shudder to think what will happen if they are not built. The life of the town depends on this being done." Every student of conditions is compelled to admit that he is correct.—Brownwood Bulletin.

It seems now that all the railroads in southwest Texas are trying to head into Brady. From present prospects that city will secure anyway three new lines of road right away. All of West Texas is coming very much alive in the railroad line.—Hall County Herald.

And Brady is the livest wire in the bunch. Watch Brady grow!

Farmers' Union Meeting.

The McCulloch County Farmers Union will hold its regular quarterly meeting at Rochelle on Friday afternoon, Oct. 8, at 2:00 p. m. A full attendance is requested.

J. D. BENSON,
Secretary.

For Sale.

New auto seat, rubber tire buggy for sale at a bargain. Will take a good milch cow in trade. Apply at office of Justice E. P. Lea.

I have for sale 300 coming 3-year-old steers and from 300 to 600 coming 2-year-old steers. If you are in the market, write me.

W. J. HILL,
San Saba, Texas.

We want your stove business. We have the price and the stove. If you are going to need a stove, you will be a heavy loser, both in quality of stove and also of price, if you do not see our line. Broad Mercantile Co.

To Exchange.

Good buggy for a good milch cow. Apply at office of Justice E. P. Lea.

J. V. Searcy sells 'em cheap and keeps 'em—**Wedding Rings.**

One Farmer's Statement.

W. G. Joyce says he wasn't talking for publication last week, but if we really wanted to tell anything on him we should have said so, in order that he might have been given an opportunity to show what bookkeeping and headwork on a farm is actually worth. He submits the following figures on 10 bales of cotton, the number he had marketed up to Tuesday night of last week:

10 bales lint\$686.55
Seed from four bales sold 55.70

Total gross earnings 742.25
Cost of ginning and weighing 32.30
Cost of picking 60.80

Total expense 93.10
Total net from 10 bales 649.15
Average per bale 64.91

Besides averaging \$64.91 net profit from each bale Mr. Joyce has yet on hand the seed from six bales, worth about \$80 at present market prices. He will gather five or six more bales yet from his little 30 acres.

No expense is figured in the raising of the cotton because none of the labor was hired. The land was flat broke, the crop planted, chopped and cultivated by home labor, and at the same time attention was paid to the cows, the chickens, the pigs and the horse stock. The Standard stated a few weeks ago that Mr. Joyce had been making his family expenses off of his cows and chickens, besides raising his own pork and looking after the breeding of some good horse stock. So it is seen that while making a good living thus, this farmer has raised 30 acres of cotton on the side, has marketed about two-thirds of same and has about \$650 cash to show for it, with almost as much more in sight from the remainder of his crop, and with the usual amount of feed stuffs for his own use. His children have attended school, too.

Business methods can be applied to the farm as well as to the dry goods store, and Texas needs more business farmers.

J. V. Searcy is the Howard watch man for Brady. Get acquainted with him.

\$100.00 Reward

would gladly be paid for a cure by many people who are crippled with rheumatism, yet if they only knew it, they can be cured by a few bottles of Ballard's Snow Liniment, and the price is only, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 per bottle.

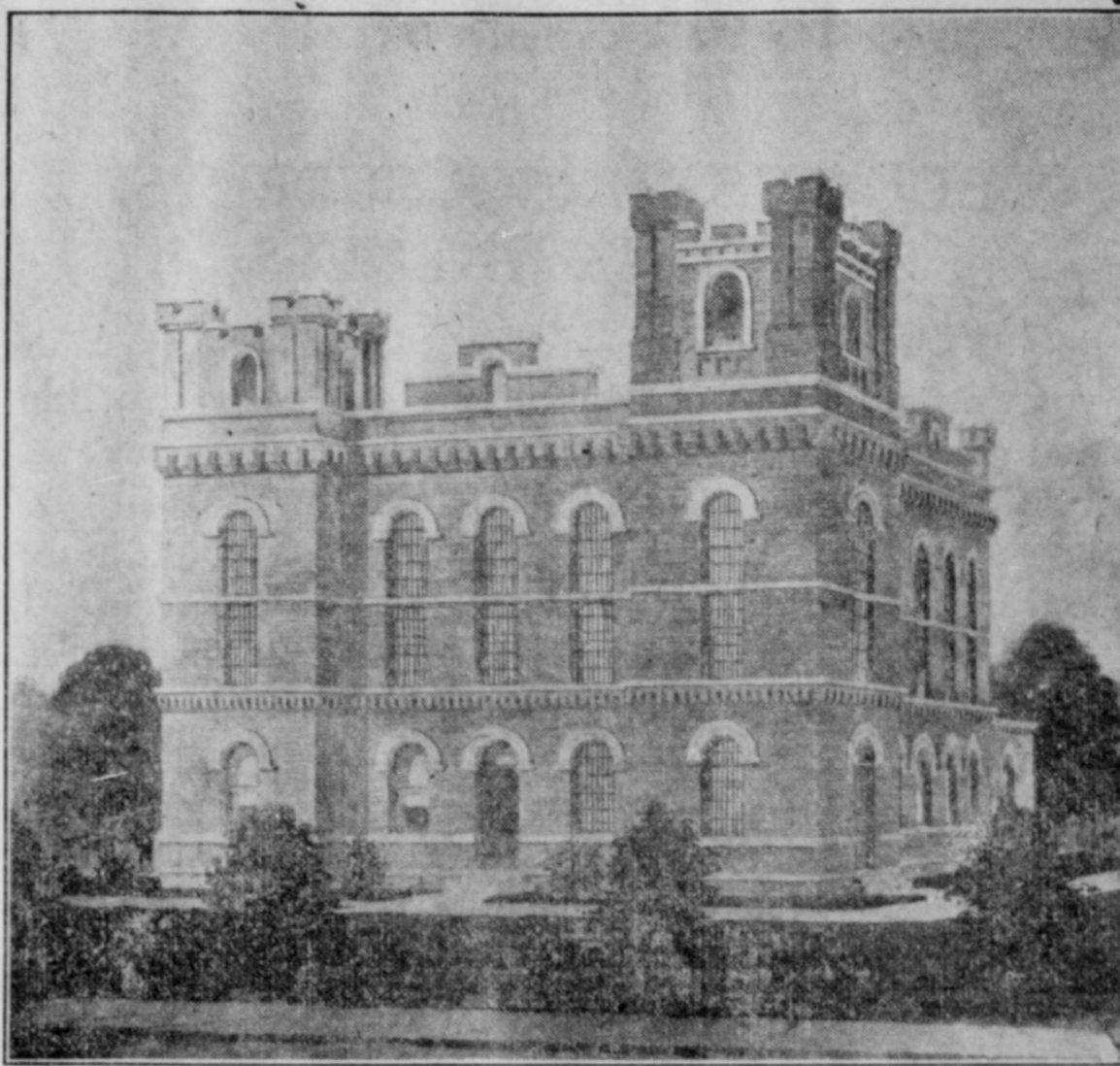
Sold by Jones Drug Store.

The people are appreciating the price we are putting on Iron Beds. Especially the cut price on the \$17.50 bed which we are now offering for \$12.50. This is a bronze bed, and the best bargain ever shown in the city. Come before they are all gone, we may never have such a bargain to offer you again. Broad Mercantile Co.

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W. J. HILL,
San Saba, Texas.

Opera house next Monday night, Oct 11—Luther Manship, the noted humorist. A big evening's entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Tuesday Club for a worthy cause.



Brady's New \$14,000 Jail Now in Course of Construction by the Southern Structural Steel Co., of San Antonio, Texas. Mr. Ed Holcombe, Superintendent.

Accident at Oil Mill.

Charles Womack, an employe at the Bencini Oil Mill, was quite seriously injured Monday morning in an accident. An elevated board broke under his weight when he jumped on it, precipitating him to the floor below. Three ribs were broken and numerous bruises sustained.

Slightly Colder with Snow.

When you see that kind of weather forecast you know that rheumatism weather is at hand. Get ready for it now by getting a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. Finest thing made for rheumatism, chilblains, frost bite, sore and stiff joints and muscles, all aches and pains.

25c, 50c, and \$1.00 a bottle.
Sold by Jones Drug Store.

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

A Worthy Cause.

The Ladies' Tuesday Club has undertaken the education of Miss Waldine Tauch as a sculptress, the young lady having shown such talent in that line of art as to entitle her to the kind offices of her Brady friends. On next Monday evening at the opera house under auspices of the Club Luther Manship, the celebrated humorist, will give an entertainment, the proceeds of which will be applied by the ladies to the educational fund.

The entertainment will be a splendid one in every respect, and patrons will not only assist the ladies of this popular club in a worthy cause, but will be assured of their money's worth in entertainment as well.

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

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 \$8,000. 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.

GREAT EVENTS IN THE LIFE OF JESUS

A Series of Sermons to be Delivered at the Baptist Church on Sunday Mornings as Follows:

1. Sunday, Oct. 3rd.—The World Hope or the desire of all Nations.
2. Sunday, Oct. 10th.—The incarnation or Birth of Jesus.
3. Sunday, Oct. 17th.—The Baptism of Jesus.
4. Sunday, Oct. 24th.—Quick Success Promised or His Temptation.
5. Sunday, Oct. 31st.—Feeding the Five Thousand.
6. Sunday, Nov. 7th.—The Apostolic Confession.
7. Sunday, Nov. 14th.—A glimpse of Glory or the Transfiguration.
8. Sunday, Nov. 21st.—Sorrow Turned into Joy or the Raising of Lazarus.
9. Sunday, Nov. 28th.—His Condemnation and Death.
10. Sunday, Dec. 5th.—His Resurrection.
11. Sunday, Dec. 12th.—The Great Commission and Ascension.

DEAR FRIEND:

You are hereby earnestly invited to hear this series of sermons. The pastor will do his best to make them interesting and instructive. If you are a Christian he desires that your Christian faith may be built up and strengthened. If you are troubled with doubts, the desire of his heart is that your doubts may all be dispelled and that you may see Jesus as the Son of God and Savior of Sinners. And if you are just a plain sinner his prayer is that you may trust Him to save your soul.

Another series will be preached at night on the teachings of Jesus concerning God, Satan, Man, Kingdom of Heaven, Law, Money, Love, Sabbath, Home, Judgment and Neighbor.

Fraternally yours,
W. A. KNIGHT,
Pastor Baptist Church.

GRAND FALL OPENING SALE

BRADY'S EXCLUSIVE CLOTHING AND SHOE STORE

\$25,000 Stock of High Grade Tailored Clothing for Men, Young Men and Boys at Prices to Defy all Competition

We are exclusive agents for the well-known Hart Schaffner & Marx and Spero, Michael & Son high-grade tailored Clothing. These goods are the best that can be bought--perfect fitting and of very best material. Our prices will meet all competition who handle cheaper grades and makes.



Our Shoe Department is the largest west of Ft. Worth. We carry only the best makes of solid Leather Shoes sold and warranted at popular prices.

A full line of the well-known John B. Stetson Hats which we will sell at lowest possible prices.

Boots, all styles, prices range from \$4.50 to \$7.50.

100 Men's Suits, regular 10.00 and 12.50 values, while they last at 6.95 a suit.

100 dozen Men's and Boys' sanitary fleece lined Shirts and Drawers best quality, 50c values, at 25c a garment; only two suits to each customer.

25 dozen Army Work Shirts, all sizes, assorted colors, regular 75c value; during this sale 50c each.

100 Wool Sweaters, assorted colors, regular 2.00 values; at 1.00 each.

300 Star Brand and Great Western Hats, \$2 and 2.50 values; at 1.48.

Trunks, Suit Cases and Traveling Bags--Largest Assortment in Brady



S. NEUMEYER

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

CHOICE.

She Did Not Pick and What He Discovered.

By CLARISSA MACKIE.
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Beth Lewis was lost.
 On every side were sand and crisp brown vegetation and the hopelessness of the Arizona desert. Overhead were a cloudless blue sky and a burning sun.
 Beth's red lips closed resolutely as she urged her tired horse along the faintly defined trail which had led her astray.
 "We will make for that little canyon, Lightfoot—that little break in the rise beyond," said Beth, stroking the shiny black mane. "Perhaps—perhaps—there will be shade and water for us there."
 When miles of burning sand had been traversed she rode down the dry bed of a water course and into the small canyon. Her heart sank, for there was nothing save an expanse of shimmering sand and some tall, spiny cactus on the steep, rocky sides.
 But the large leaved cactuses might afford some shelter from the sun, and she urged Lightfoot to the edge of the shimmering sand. There he paused and snorted shrilly. Another step and his feet sank in the yielding sand. With a scream of terror the beast settled back on his haunches and then made an ineffectual leap forward.
 Beth shot over his head and fell a crumpled heap on the ground beyond the outer circle of shimmering sand.
 When she recovered consciousness Lightfoot was struggling shoulder deep in the quicksand, his strained eyes turned in agony upon her face.
 She turned away and sobbed her helplessness into her hands. When she looked again there was nothing save the yellow sand undulating in the sunlight.
 How horrible it was! If Lightfoot had not tossed her over his head into



WHEN SHE LOOKED AGAIN THERE WAS NOTHING BUT THE YELLOW SAND.

safety she, too, might have been drawn beneath those treacherous quicksands. was her lot much better, alone, Brad's food or water, lost in a grove. all of rock and on the quicksand, the quicksand pervading the atmosphere from the most delectable heat did world, perhaps, but and its healthy and denotes its thrift. Let Brady's back with the path of the come—if it point in the worl ranch house, breakfast for the railroad would attempt to view Brad it be Buck Hayden's ally?
 He returned the two men, loose and graceful, stretching along necks of their horses with eyes bent for a glimpse of the girl they both loved and were fighting with amicable rivalry. Together they had courted Beth Lewis with a certain dogged persistence, and she felt somehow that side by side they would come searching for her.
 The sunlight was still glowing on the opposite wall of the canyon when they came riding through the narrow opening, Judson Bailey in the lead, his dark face keenly alert.
 At his flank rode Buck Hayden, his sunburned countenance grim with anxiety. His jaws were set, and all of his homely features were knotted with care.
 Beth's heart quickened as they sighted her and whooped joyously. She leaped to her feet and sprang toward them.
 "The quicksand!" she cried sharply. "You cannot cross! Lightfoot went down there!" She pointed with trembling fingers at the quivering sand at her feet.
 The two men halted at the edge of the sand and looked up and down the canyon. Their eyes met, and Judson Bailey's face blanched to a dull gray. Buck Hayden's jaw set firmly.
 "We can't get her any other way. One of us 'll have to cross here, Jud." He looked the other man squarely in the eye.
 Bailey licked his dry lips and tried to smile. He looked at the wide expanse of palpitating sand and then across at the girl.
 "Ask her," he said suddenly.
 Buck Hayden's face paled. "Beth," he called thickly, "one of us has got to cross over after you. Which one

to you want? It's a good chance to make a choice!"
 Beth was trembling with agitation. "Don't ask me. I can't choose!" she cried appealingly.
 "You've got to choose," said Buck grimly.
 "Let Judson come," she said faintly, hiding her face in her hands.
 Buck's hands dropped to his sides as he turned to his successful rival. "I'm out of it, Jud," he said hoarsely. "I'll stand by to help you if you get in trouble. Will your mare make it?"
 Bailey was staring with horror-stricken eyes at the crawling, beckoning, shifting particles of sand at his feet. Death by that slow torture would be—"Will your mare make it?" repeated Buck impatiently.
 "Sure to," responded Bailey, tightening his rein with a jerk.
 "Ready, then," said Hayden. "I'll stand by, Jud—remember that!"
 With a muttered ejaculation of terror, Judson Bailey wheeled his horse and spurred toward the canyon's mouth. In a minute he had disappeared from view.
 "I'll have to come after you anyway, Beth," said Buck quietly.
 She watched with bated breath as the sorrel sprang forward and then sank on the opposite side with scrambling feet.
 Again the sorrel hovered over the quicksand and once more clattered to a footing, and then slowly, with Beth before him in the saddle, Buck Hayden rode out of the canyon with miserable eyes fixed straight ahead, unseeing, unaring.
 The heavens were thick with stars when they neared the ranch house, and then for the first time Buck addressed the girl sitting rigidly silent before him, her bright hair so near to his beating heart.
 "I'm sorry about what happened, Beth," he said in a low voice. "If ever I catch up with that coyote I'll—"
 A soft hand covered his lips. "Let him alone, Buck," whispered Beth. "I am ashamed to tell you how selfish I am, but I chose Judson because—I was afraid—I did not want you to take the risk!"
 She paused, and the rest of the sentence was whispered within Buck Hayden's encircling arms.

Hindoo Dancing.

Hindoo dancing bears no similarity to that of the European. Stage acting in the shape of comedies and tragedies is hardly to be found among the Hindoos. The chief characteristic of their dancing is their dress, which very often is horrible and grotesque to look at. Their dances consist in wrestling, jumping and moving the shoulders, head, hands, legs, as if agitated by violent convulsions, to the sound of musical instruments.
 The Hindoo taste for music is so marked that there is not a single gathering, however small, which has not some musicians at its head. The instruments on which they play are for the most part clarinets and trumpets; they have also cymbals and several kinds of small drums. The sounds produced by these instruments are far from pleasing and may even appear hideous to European ears.
 The matava, or conductor, is the most remarkable of all the musicians. In beating time he taps with his fingers on a narrow drum. As he beats, his shoulders, head, arms, thighs and, in fact, all the parts of his body perform successive movements, and simultaneously he utters inarticulate cries, thus animating the musicians both by voice and gesture.

Much Abbreviated.

A customer from one of the suburbs dropped into a city paintshop, took a slip of paper from his pocket, looked at it, knitted his brows, shook his head, put on his glasses, inspected the paper again and gave it up as a bad job.
 "I made a hasty memorandum," he said to the proprietor of the shop, "of something I was to call here and buy, but I trusted too much to my memory. I seem to have jotted down nothing but the initials, and I've forgotten what they mean."
 "Let me see the memorandum," said the proprietor. "It may be that I can help you."
 "It's nothing but three letters," replied the customer, handing it over. "Only 'C. P. A.'"
 "So I see. 'C. P. A.' Why, that's septa, a kind of brown paint. Wasn't that it?"
 "What a fool I am! Of course it was."
 He got the septa, threw a big red apple on the counter in lieu of "hush money" and went away with a sheepish look on his face.—Exchange.

What He Would Bid.

Fake auction sales are a great industry in New York city, and genuine antiques, manufactured in New Jersey, sometimes bring handsome prices. A man who knows paused at one of these places the other afternoon, and instantly the auctioneer spotted him.
 "Now this exquisite, genuine old mahogany dresser, ladies and gentlemen!" he shouted. "Do you mean to say that I hear only \$46.50 bid for this? Why, it is enough to bring tears to my eyes! Come, now, \$46.50 only is bid. A dealer is going to get this magnificent antique if you don't watch out. Won't you bid, sir?" he suddenly demanded, turning to the man who is wise. "Come, now, sir, don't let an opportunity like this slip. Won't you bid?"
 "Well, yes, I'll bid you," the man replied, smiling pleasantly.
 "And you'll be lucky if you get it, sir," the auctioneer assured him. "I have \$46.50 offered. What do you bid, sir?"
 "Why, I bid you good afternoon," the man said and resumed his walk.—Exchange.

THE IMPOSSIBLE.

It Lies Just Beyond the Limit of Our Own Understanding.
 Here is a striking parable by Miss E. Fox Howard, which we take from the "Friends' Fellowship Papers."
 "A dog tried to open a door. He scratched it, threw himself against it, struggled to get his nose under it and burrow his way out, but at last he decided that the door would not open and never could open, so he lay down before it and went to sleep.
 "A child was watching the dog, and he laughed and turned the handle with his small fingers, and the door was open. Then he took a book, and, sitting on the floor, he turned over the leaves one by one and gazed at the queer black marks upon them without knowing what they meant, for he was a very little child and he could not read. As there were no pictures to be found he tossed it away.
 "But a boy picked up the book and laughed and read page after page of a wonderful fairy tale. Then he went to school and puzzled his head over a sum which had to be brought to the class that morning. Try as he might the sum would not prove, and the boy said: 'I can't do it. I'm sure it can't be done. There must be a mistake in the book.'
 "But the pupil's teacher laughed, and, taking the blotted exercise book from the boy, he quickly worked out and proved the sum. Then he turned to his own studies and went into the laboratory, for he was learning chemistry. All the morning he labored among the gases and the acids, but he could not get the right combinations and only succeeded in making a loud explosion. 'It's all rubbish to say that potash and carbon form potassium!' he said. 'They simply explode, and I defy any one to say they don't!'
 "But the master, who had heard the noise, came and took it into his own hands, and soon the metal was dropping from the condenser. After school was over the master, who was getting an old man, sat in his study reading a paper on modern scientific thought. As he read his brow darkened, and at last he flung it down and said: 'It is a monstrous idea. How can the creation of the world have taken millions of years? The good old Bible account of the six days of creation is good enough for me.' And he wrote an angry letter of remonstrance to the great professor who had sent him the paper.
 "But the professor only smiled, for he was a geologist and had read the message of the rocks. He himself, one of the deepest thinkers of the day, sat late into the night among his books, trying to fit some newly discovered laws of physics into his schemes of things and to bring his mind nearer to a solution of the great why of the universe. At last he bowed his head and said: 'It is impossible. Facts are too conflicting. I cannot explain them, and I doubt if there is any explanation.'

"Just beyond the limit of our own understanding lies the impossible."

Reward of Industry.

Faithful Housewife—Mrs. Candour, is it? I can't stop my sewing now. Tell her I'm not at home.
 Ann—Please, mum, I've been tellin' so many you're not at home I wish you'd see some uv 'em.
 "Why, Ann?"
 "I don't like the way they act. They look at each other and snicker so."
 "Mercy! Do they suspect I am at home?"
 "No, mum; I wish they did. I heard one uv 'em say they wouldn't like your husband to know uv your goin' on."
 "Goin' on! What do they mean?"
 "They think, mum, you're the worst gadabout in town!"—Exchange.

With Reservation.

Here is the story of covenanting times in Scotland, of which an old laird of Galloway was the central figure:
 Learning that he was about to be raided by Claverhouse, whose dragons were coming in search of him, the old laird effected his escape disguised as one of his own plowmen. As he was leaving the house he was stopped by the dragons, who asked if the laird was at home.
 "Well," said the old covenanter, "he was there when I was there."
 The dragons went their way, and the old laird went his and lived to tell the truth another day.

His Mite of Sense.

"Well, gentlemen," said Tompkins to a couple of his friends, "you can talk as much as you please about the inferiority of women, but there are lots of them that can discount most of us for brains. Take my wife, for instance. She's got twice as much sense as I have, and I ain't ashamed to acknowledge it, either."
 "But don't you think," said one of his auditors, "that you put rather a low estimate on your wife's intellectual powers?"—Liverpool Mercury.

More Interesting.

"At the last meeting of our club we were scheduled to discuss Henry VIII. and his numerous divorces."
 "And didn't you?"
 "No; one of the members knew of an impending divorce right in our own set."—Kansas City Journal.

A Possible Reason.

"I can't understand why Brown should have failed."
 "Nor can I. I always thought he was doing finely. He often came to me for advice."—Detroit Free Press.

What the eye sees not the heart sees not.—Hugo.

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

BRADY MEAT MARKET,

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FRESH, BEEF, PORK AND SAUSAGE

We Want Your Trade.

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HOT AND COLD BATHS

Wants Your Trade. E. Side Sq.

Notice—Sheriff's Sale.

The State of Texas, County of McCulloch.
 By virtue of an execution, issued out of the Honorable Justice Court, Precinct No. 1, of Brown county, on the 27th day of May, A. D., 1895, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of G. D. Davis versus F. M. Campbell, No. 1126, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in November, A. D., 1909, it being the 2nd day of said month, before the courthouse door of said McCulloch county, in the town of Brady, the following described property, to-wit:
 Lots 1, 2 and 3, block 22; lot 4, block 12; lots 1 and 4, block 1. All of above described property is located in Fuleher addition to the town of Brady, McCulloch county, Texas, levied on as the property of F. M. Campbell to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$106.27 in favor of G. D. Davis, and costs of suit.
 Given under my hand, this 13th day of September, A. D. 1909.
 T. L. SANSON, Sheriff.

Wanted.
 I handle good gloves. Respectfully,
 J. F. SCHAEGER.
 Dr. T. P. Doole, of Fredonia, was here Monday and took train for a business trip to Fort Worth.

Surprising, What Kodol Will Do

For you, when you need it. But the longer you neglect indigestion, the more you will suffer before Kodol can restore Good Digestion.

And, of course, indigestion if neglected long enough, brings on serious diseases in which Kodol cannot benefit you. Some of these there is no help for at all.
 There are, in fact, very few ailments which cannot be traced directly to impure blood. And impure blood is always due to a disordered stomach.
 Use Kodol and prevent Nervous Dyspepsia.
 Kodol will effectually assist Nature to secure a complete restoration of good digestion. It does this by at once digesting all food in the stomach and keeping it digested, until the stomach is rested and can resume its own work. Kodol removes the cause—and the effect quickly removes itself.
 When it is recalled that Apoplexy, Heart Disease, Cancer—and even Consumption—are due to poor digestion and poisons thus transmitted to the blood, and throughout the system—the importance of maintaining good digestion is at once realized.
 We knew what Kodol would do before ever the first bottle was sold. If we did not know just what it will do, we would not guarantee it the way we do.
 It is easy for you to prove Kodol—the next (or the first) time you have an attack of indigestion. And you will certainly be surprised at the results. It is perfectly harmless.
 There can be no harm in trying something that may do you a great deal of good—when it costs you nothing if it doesn't.
 Go to your druggist today and get a dollar bottle. Then after you have used the entire contents of the bottle if you can honestly say, that it has not done you any good, return the bottle to the druggist and he will refund your money without question or delay. We will then pay the druggist for the bottle. Don't hesitate, all druggists know that our guarantee is good. This offer applies to the large bottle only and to but one in a family. The large bottle contains 2 1/2 times as much as the fifty-cent bottle.
 Kodol is prepared at the laboratories of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

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Registered and High Grade Red Polled Cattle.

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Wants Your Whiskers for Business Reasons

Bath Rooms Fitted Up With the Latest Sanitary Plumbing

NORTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE

The Man From Home

A Novelization of the Play of the Same Name

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

and your friend Glenwood before you went back to Siberia.

The Russian tore himself away with a gasping cry, but Daniel caught his wrist.

"If that prayer is answered through me," he went on, "will you promise to remember that it's my fight?"

Ivanoff covered his face with his hands, and his breath came chokingly. "It is impossible! You wish to play with me!" he gasped.

"Do I look playful?" demanded Daniel. And as he spoke a bugle sounded sharply outside the window off to the right. At the sound Ivanoff shrank into himself, and his fingers trembled in the other's grasp.

"The carabinieri—for me?" he cried. Both men turned quickly to the window, and Pike thrust Ivanoff behind him as he drew aside the heavy curtain.

"Don't show yourself!" he commanded. But there was a smothered exclamation from the fugitive, and he pointed over Pike's shoulder.

"Look! Near the lamp yonder—there by the gates—the carabinieri!"

His arm trembled as it rested for an instant on the American's shoulder, and Pike returned quietly:

"Foul! They've been there since we hid you beneath the machine." He stopped and shaded his eyes with his hand from the glare of the lamps inside the room, then started. "Why—who on earth—who's that they've got with 'em? Why, good Lord, it's doe!"

Ivanoff strained over his shoulder to look and then replied bitterly:

"It is Herr von Grollenhagen! Did I not tell you he was a Russian? He has betrayed me himself! He was not satisfied that others should. Ah, I knew I was in the wolf's throat here!"

Pike swore emphatically and exhaustively.

"Don't you believe it!" he snarled. "They've arrested poor old doe! Got him as he went out!"

"No!" cried Ivanoff. "They speak respectfully to him! They bow to him!"

"They'll be bowing to us in a minute. That's probably the way these colonels run you in!" snarled Daniel.

As he spoke there was a sharp knock on the outer door, and he seized Ivanoff by the arm.

"Back into the room with you! Wait until I call, and remember it's my fight!"

He was about to add more when the door opened and Mariano appeared. Instantly the American changed his tone to one of severe command.

"And don't you forget what I've been telling you. You get the sand out of that gear box first thing tomorrow morning, or I'll see that you draw your last pay Saturday night!"

Ivanoff caught the idea and bowed silently and then turned and entered the door to the inner chamber. Mariano came forward and bowed.

"Mees Granger-Seempson?" said he and went out, stepping to one side to make room for Ethel as she entered with a look of complete astonishment on her face. Pike approached her.

"I'm much obliged to you for taking my note the right way," he said. "I've got some pretty good reasons for not leaving this room."

She inclined her head left and nodded with the note she held.

"Your note seemed so extraordinarily urgent," she began, but he interrupted.

"It had to be," he said. "Some folks who want to see me are coming here, and I want you to see them—here. They'd stopped you from coming if they could."

She flashed a look of disbelief at him.

"There was no effort to prevent me," she said coldly.

"I didn't give 'em time," he smiled.

"May I ask to whom you refer?" she inquired.

"Ivanoff!" he called, and the Russian came into the room. At the sight of him Hawcastle fell back against the mantel, and the countess collapsed in a heap on the floor. Ivanoff saw none but her and, striding to her, lifted both clinched hands above her head.

"Ivan—oh, mother of God! Ivan! Don't kill me!" she gasped.

For a moment he stood over her, then collapsed into a chair, where he wilted, sobbing violently.

"Well, I can call a person cap or doe or colonel, but I don't just know how to use the words you have over here for those things. I don't mean any disrespect. Just let me run on in my own way. Jim says your brother-in-law was in business in Russia—he stopped suddenly, for an idea had occurred to him—"in business in Russia!" he repeated dazedly. "Why didn't I think of that?"

"Since some of your officials have been spying"—Lady Creech began, but he interrupted.

"Never mind. He was in business in Russia. I don't say he was peddling

shoestrings or wienerwurst"—she screamed. "He was probably"—he stopped a moment and looked at her.



"Have you ever heard of the name of—Glenwood?" he asked quickly.

"He did not have contracts with the government for hydraulic machinery, I suppose?" he asked tensely. The old woman tossed her head.

"Even if he did, he protected the historic name," she replied proudly.

"I believe you!" said Daniel fervently. "Have you ever heard of the name of—Glenwood?" he asked quickly.

"Is your mind wandering?" asked Lady Creech. "Glenwood Priory is the name of the property Hawcastle inherited from his mother. Can you state its connection with the subject?"

Daniel almost staggered with the thought—the knowledge that came to him. He looked up.

"That's how he protected it," he said. "He took the name of—Glenwood. God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform! Lady Creech, tell your brother-in-law he can have his answer here—in ten minutes."

As she swept from the room in dignified amazement Pike sank into a chair for a moment and fairly glowed with eagerness.

CHAPTER XVII

A WHISPER OF VENGEANCE

THE moment Lady Creech had gone Daniel smiled broadly for the first time since he had set eyes upon Ivanoff. He could see his way clear now to the thorough accomplishment of his mission, and he mentally thanked heaven for putting into his hands such a weapon as the Russian fugitive.

"Glenwood, eh? And he protected the historic name of St. Aubyn, that noble earl; protected it on the surface while he dragged it in the mire of another man's disgrace and humiliation in private. He was a sweet lot, that noble earl! He carried himself high, and his keen eye lost no whit of its dignity and importance from that conscience that must be uneasy within his breast."

And the woman, too, "Helene," Ivanoff had called her. So they had stuck together all those ten years, with Lady Creech as a most complaisant and discreet chaperon—but that couldn't be, for whatever else Lady Creech might be, worldly wise and haughty, she was at least an English gentleman at heart, and she would have starved rather than connive at a scandal of that sort.

No, Daniel reflected, he would have to leave Lady Creech out of the mess, even though she was a bitter old dame. But Hawcastle should feel the touch of the iron. It should burn him deeply, and the scar would remain.

And the fair countess, who was angling for that adde pated Horace and his share of the estate! That woman, who had deliberately sent a good man to what was worse than death, should have any pity for her? Not for a single instant.

He leaped up and hastily crossed the room to the writing desk, scribbled a note and, before he put it in the envelope, rang the bell.

As he sealed the note Mariano tapped discreetly at the door, and Pike called:

"Come in!"

"Look here, Mariano, I want you to take this note to Miss Simpson," he said quickly.

"To Mees Granger-Seempson?" asked the man deferentially.

"Yes. Do you know where she is?"

"She walk upon the terrace alone, sir," replied Mariano.

"Then give it to her yourself—to no one else—and do it now!" he went on emphatically, pushing the servant out of the door in his haste. When he had closed it he went to the door of the suit, threw it open and called:

"Ivanoff!"

Almost immediately the Russian came into the room, and Pike noted the suffering upon his face, the look of timid apprehension with which he glanced furtively about. For him there was a carabinieri in every cor-

ner. "Have they come?" he whispered tensely. Daniel went over to him and laid a lank hand upon the bent shoulder, looking him triumphantly in the eyes.

IF the roof of the building had collapsed and had left the persons there assembled in the room confronting death itself, there could have been no more complete astonishment.

It was Horace who first appreciated the somberness of the crouching, terror-stricken woman upon the floor.

"Helene!" he whispered, but Pike stepped forward and waved him back. "You stand back!" said the lawyer. "She's his wife!" And at the words Horace fairly staggered. Daniel went on, pointing to the cowering Hawcastle. "And there's his best friend."

The words seemed to rouse some of the fighting St. Aubyn instinct in the earl, and his eyes flashed.

"It's a lie!" he cried hoarsely. "I never saw the man in all my life before."

"The lady seemed to recognize him," said Pike grimly. "I guess you won't have to jab your memory too hard. It's only ten years to St. Petersburg, Mr. Glenwood!"

"Almeric, go for the police!" ordered the earl.

"No, no!" cried the countess. "I can't stand it!"

Pike laid his hand upon Ivanoff's shoulder and spoke loudly:

"Call 'em in! We're ready!"

Almeric, with a frightened glance around, stepped to the doors and threw them wide, calling as he reached the passage:

"Tell that officer to bring his men here!"

He turned and again entered the room, and Pike's face lit up unpleasantly as he looked at him, then softened as he turned to Ethel.

"I want you always to remember that I consider it cheap at the price," he said.

There was a quick step without, and Von Grollenhagen entered, followed by Ribiere. For an instant he glanced about the circle and then spoke in a clear, ringing voice.

"There will be no arrests tonight, my friends," he said, and at the words Hawcastle sneered openly.

"This man goes, too!" he declared violently. "Call those carabinieri!" he reiterated to Almeric.

Von Grollenhagen smiled sweetly and raised his hand deprecatingly.

"The officer is not here. You see, the carabinieri have been withdrawn."

He turned to Daniel. "For you, my friend, I have relinquished my incognito," Pike stared at him uncompromisingly, and the German turned to Lord Hawcastle.

"This man Ivanoff," he said, "is in my custody."

For a moment the two men measured each other, and then Hawcastle burst out violently:

"By whose authority? Do you know you are speaking to the Earl of Hawcastle?"

Von Grollenhagen smiled. Ribiere stepped forward and addressed Hawcastle directly.

"More respect, sir!" he cried. "You are addressing the Grand Duke Vassil of Russia!"

Hawcastle paled and fairly staggered into the arms of his son, who reeled from the shock. The others stared uncomprehendingly, and Pike looked up with a curious frightened look upon his lean face. Quite slowly he moved to the table and rested a hand upon it and with the other caressed his chin. His eyes were looking straight ahead, and he murmured in a westerk tone:

"Good Lord! And think what—why, I've been calling him—doe!"

The grand duke perceived the agitation on Pike's face and came forward to take his hand.

"My friend," he said gently, "it has been refreshing." He spoke to Ribiere.

"I shall take the man Ivanoff's statement in writing. Bring him to me with you."

He turned on his heel quickly and went off through the door on the other



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side of the room that led to his private chamber. When he had gone Ribiere touched Ivanoff on the shoulder as a signal, and the stricken man arose. One glance he cast upon the guilty woman, who shrank so shiveringly into a corner as he gazed upon her, and then said:

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strangle you!" and then to the thunderstruck Hawcastle he said:

"God will let me pay my debt to the Earl of Hawcastle!"

In an instant he was gone, and Hawcastle, pale with rage and anguish, strode forward to Pike, who was smiling.

"Why, you"—the earl began, but Daniel raised his hand. He spoke softly and gently.

"Oh, I hated to hand you this, my lord," he said. "I didn't come over here to make the fine flower of Europe any more trouble than they've got. But I had to show John Simpson's daughter, and I reckon now she ain't wanting any alliance with the remnants of Creecy and Agincourt."

From the other side of the sofa, where she had been sobbing on her brother's shoulder, Ethel came tremblingly.

"I have no choice," she said slowly. "You see, I gave Almeric my promise when I thought it an honor to bear his name. Now that you have shown me

terrible place is not for you. Let us go."

Horace came suddenly to life and closed his drooping jaw. He stepped forward and faced the old lady.

"My sister will remain for a time, Lady Creech," he said. "I will look after her—in the future."

Lady Creech put up her lorgnette and stared at him and with a haughty sniff left the room with the air of a conqueror. Pike gazed after her whimsically.

"There goes the last of the empresses," he said and looked down at his feet.

Twice Ethel essayed to speak, and twice she put out her hand in his direction, and both times she failed. Then, with a choking little sob, she picked up her dress and fairly ran from the room. Horace followed her quickly, and still Pike stood there in an attitude of incomprehension.

The point he had striven for had failed. He had shown this girl the true rottenness of the people she had tried so hard to ally herself with, and the knowledge had failed to move her. His brilliant plan had resulted in more firmly implanting a sense of duty in her heart. He saw no way out now.

At first it had been a desire—now it had become a duty, and he wondered if he had the right to withhold from her her patrimony.

It was not until he saw a dark figure with a bag in his hand walk quickly down the steps and out through the entrance garden, not until he had heard the creak of carriage springs and the muttered directions and then the crunch of the wheels, that he awoke. He called a passing servant—Mariano, it proved it be—and questioned him.

"Who was that?" he asked. Mariano bowed deeply.

"It is minor' the Earl of Hawcastle," he replied. "He has gone to keep the appointment he have made some days since at Napoli, it is said."

CHAPTER XVIII

MISUNDERSTOOD

LADY CREECH was out early the next morning. Perhaps she had hoped that something might be saved from the wreck and rec-

ollected the ancient adage about the early bird. She was seated on the terrace having breakfast and keeping a keen eye on the main entrance when the hopeful Almeric appeared, yawning and inexpressibly bored.

"Mornin', aunt," he said. "Where's your father, Almeric?" she demanded.

"Flew the bally coop for Naples last night. Seemed to be jolly well up to you-know. Feared this beastly convict chap would take a shot at him or something like that."

Lady Creech snorted.

"He always was a fool. Don't he should have stayed. Where's the countess?"

"Naples; to look after the governor, I'd say. Went off this morning. Beastly about this convict chap, you know. What's to become of him?"

"I can at least give you some information," the old lady replied. "This grand duke person's obtained for the fellow a pardon by telegraph from St. Petersburg."

"How's the dear Ethel this morning?" asked Almeric when he had digested his astonishment.

"Behaving very peculiarly—outrageously, I might say."

"How?" demanded Almeric, stifling a yawn.

"Shedding tears over this Ivanoff's story. What's more, she has sent that dreadful Pike person to him with assistance."

"Money! By Jove! Good girl! Buying the beggar off to keep him from making a scandal for us! How's that?"

Lady Creech looked at him with something akin to admiration.

"Almeric! How clever of you! Of course she is! Your father will be pleased. What a pity he didn't wait!"

Daniel appeared at the top of the steps and, seeing the pair, came slowly toward them. As he reached the table where they sat he addressed Almeric.

"Your pa seemed in a hurry last night," he said.

Almeric started violently, but Lady Creech arose and, with a haughty glance, swept into the hotel. Pike looked after her and then back to Almeric.

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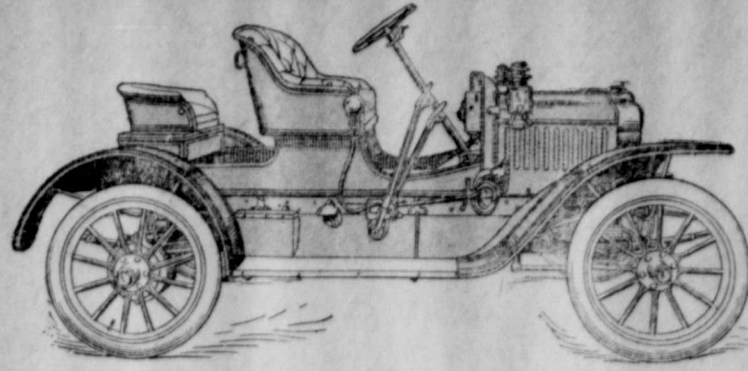
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To the inexperienced it is difficult to manage the couscous without making an awful mess of it. The small grain must be judiciously compressed into a loose ball and then shot into the mouth with the back of the thumb. The Moors take extreme delight in watching the ineffectual efforts of Europeans who are in difficulties with their couscous. Moors are very great eaters, and little conversation is carried on during the meal. A bowl of water is passed from hand to hand for those who require drink. The last course finished, the bowl and water are once more requisitioned and the hands and mouth washed.

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As a particular mark of favor the host will from time to time place before you a little thribit which he has torn off with his greasy fingers. However your stomach rebels against it, you have to swallow the morsel. During the meal the national dish of couscous is invariably served. This dish is made from broken grains of wheat specially prepared by the women. It is served piled up like a huge cone, with the meat on top. Each person scoops out his own little hole in the side and must not trespass on his neighbor's portion.

To the inexperienced it is difficult to manage the couscous without making an awful mess of it. The small grain must be judiciously compressed into a loose ball and then shot into the mouth with the back of the thumb. The Moors take extreme delight in watching the ineffectual efforts of Europeans who are in difficulties with their couscous. Moors are very great eaters, and little conversation is carried on during the meal. A bowl of water is passed from hand to hand for those who require drink. The last course finished, the bowl and water are once more requisitioned and the hands and mouth washed.

The Poor Man's Gym.
"Would you mind telling me," asked Mrs. Bourdget, glancing admiringly at the athletic shoulders of the prospective boarder, "how do you keep in such splendid physical condition?"

"I go through a few gymnastic exercises every morning," confessed the young man, flushing.

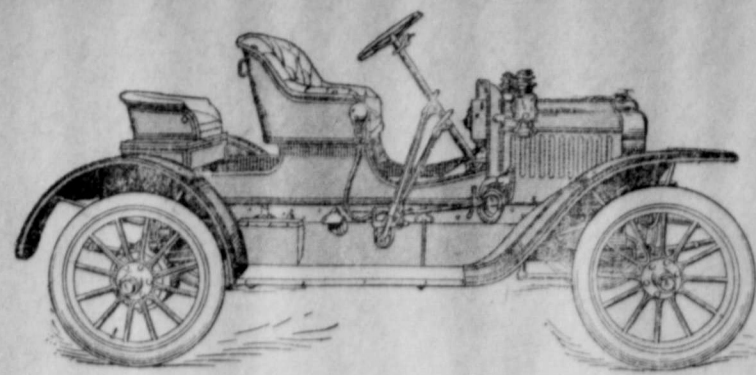
"Well, I'm sorry, but we can't board you. I've had the bathroom monopolized that way before."—Kansas City Times.

His Criticism.
Mrs. Gollightly (to eminent musical critic)—What do you think of the new opera, Mr. Crochet? Eminent Musical Critic—Well, it wouldn't be bad if somebody would set it to music.—London Pick-Me-Up.

His Definition.
Teacher—Wilfred, a bee is something we get wax from. Now, tell me, what is a bee? Wilfred—Our teacher is a bee because he's something we get whacks from.—London Telegraph.

One "Take this" is better than ten "God bless yous."—German Proverb.

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All of these are 1910 Models and will soon be here. If you want an Automobile call and see us. We have the best equipped Garage in West Texas and will take care of your cars.

BRADY AUTO CO.

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Lady Teacher Married.

Brady is short one teacher in the public school faculty this week, Miss Helen Brady, in charge of the sixth grade, was quietly married to Judge Eugene Fry, county judge of Young county, the ceremony taking place at the Presbyterian church at 3:00 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, Rev. T. P. Grant officiating, with H. C. Yeager as maid of honor and W. G. Nunn as best man. The happy couple left on the 4:00 o'clock train for their future home at Graham.

The marriage was an entire surprise to the school authorities, but fortunately the new teacher recently employed for supplementary work had arrived, and the sixth grade was given her. This young lady is Miss Edith Massey, of Ladonia, Texas, who comes highly recommended as a teacher of ability and merit.

Yes, we have a large stock of Heaters, coal and wood, in box and air-tight heaters, we are heavily loaded, and as usual, we have the price to correspond with the size, and quality is never overlooked at our store. Broad Mercantile Co.

The Pecan Crop.

The pecan crop is coming on now, and is reported to be somewhat heavier than at first thought likely. The McCully Company has already contracted one car, and the market is reported at 7c for green and 8c for dry nuts. The nuts are of exceptionally good size and fine flavor this season, though the crop is undeniably short.

Brady has the distinction of being just about the biggest shipping point in the United States for pecans, and it is unfortunate that the crop is so short this season.

The Best Selected Stock of watches, jewelry and cut glass, hand-painted china, clocks and silverware in Brady is to be found at J. V. Searcy's, south side square.

Attorney J. T. Stapleton and wife, of El Paso, were in the city Sunday, enroute to Mason, their former home, where they will visit friends.

There is an individuality about our clothing that cannot be duplicated. Wesson, the tailor, at Conley's.

FORT WORTH MARKET.

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

Steers	5.00
Cows	3.50
Calves	5.50
Hogs	7.95
Sheep	4.50

NEVER WORRY

about a cough—there's no need of worry if you will treat it at its first appearance with Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It will stop the cough at once and put your lungs and throat back into perfectly healthy condition.

Sold by Jones Drug Store.

It is Not a Late Thing

That we make the best saddles and harness in West Texas for less money than the other fellow. Evers, east side square.

See our line of Furniture, please, before buying elsewhere. We want your business, not merely on friendship, but on a business proposition. We believe, in fact we know, that we can give you more for the money than any other concern doing business in the city. You ask why? The greatest reason is, we have the smallest expense account. That's what counts. Broad Mercantile Co.

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 of any kind, address T. P. Grant, Sec.

WHY

Do we Enjoy the Largest Cold Drink Trade in Brady?

- BECAUSE Our Fountain is at all times clean. We wash our glasses in running water.
- BECAUSE Our drinks are always served as cold as ice can make them.
- BECAUSE We don't make you wait. You are always served promptly.
- BECAUSE of our courteous service. Just note the difference.

We Lead for Hot Drinks in Season.

Palace Drug Store

Only the Best

D. W. BOZEMAN,
Reg. Druggist and Manager

B. A. HALLUM
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Twelve Pages This Week.

The Standard greets you with twelve pages this issue. This was made necessary by the demands of Brady business people upon us for advertising space, and a disinclination on our part to give our readers too much display and not enough reading matter. We really ought to have given you four extra pages last week, but a shortage of printers in town made it a matter of impossibility.

The Standard has been giving its readers a good paper all spring and summer, with a shortage of advertising. These readers, all being imbued with a strict sense of justice, will not begrudge us the increased advertising we are now carrying. The advertising season is short enough at best, and they realize the importance of the ads to the life of the paper. Without the ads there could be no paper.

The serial story which was of necessity omitted from last week's issue, also the week before, appears again this week and will not be left out again. The closing chapters will appear next week.

A splendid opportunity is now placed before you to enjoy the real comforts of a good heater. Winter is fast approaching and in selecting a heater great care should be taken to see that you have the best. This is only found in the Lily Darling line, the kind that pleases, both in service and beauty. O. D. Mann & Sons.

We are selling and trading for horses and mules every day. If you want to sell or if you want to buy, see us. Broad Mercantile Company.

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

Tom Elliot is after your cotton for H. Kempner.

Mexican Cutting Affray.

Saturday afternoon two Mexicans became involved in a dispute over a debt of \$3.00 and a fight ensued. The fight started on the sidewalk in front of Anderson & Moffatt's store, and the first results were only some bruised fists and a broken window light. Later the fight was renewed out in the street and one of the hombres was badly cut with an ordinary pocket knife. Several gashes were inflicted, the most serious being a deep cut on the left arm and back.

Come, consider, criticize and compare the great values we are offering throughout our entire line of furniture and be convinced of the matchless values, the values that appeal to the careful buyer. O. D. Mann & Sons.

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.

You will say, when you see the fire back in our stove, that it is the best you ever saw. Don't you think this is one of the very important features in a stove? We can show you the best stove in the city for the price. See us. Broad Mercantile Co.

I have for sale 300 coming 3-year-old steers and from 300 to 600 coming 2-year-old steers. If you are in the market, write me.

W. J. HILL,
San Saba, Texas.

W. T. Melton & Co. last week closed up a deal whereby D. W. McNatt buys 290 acres of land near Placid from the McCulloch County Land & Cattle Co., consideration \$4644.80.

FALL DRUGS

Depend on Us for Your Drug Needs



We do not wish to have you think that drugs and medicines change, as do the fashions, but the change of Seasons brings the need of entirely different things from the drug store. For every change and every need we are well supplied, as our long experience in the drug business in this country serves us well in keeping our stock right. There'll be no need that you may have that cannot be supplied instantly from our big stock.



Central Drug Store

"Has It"

NORTH SIDE SQUARE, BRADY, TEXAS

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

You know this is the best year to hold cotton. Ship it through Tom Elliot.

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

That Old Watch can be repaired by J. V. Searcy, the jeweler, who will repair it as it should be done.

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

The South Bend Watch, the one that will run while frozen in a solid block of ice, sold by J. V. Searcy, jeweler.

We want your trade, your good will and offer you the best the market affords and the price is right, ever consistent with the value we give. O. D. Mann & Sons.

Blank notes for sale at The Standard office.

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

Band sawing, wood turning and stair work done right at Ramsay's planing mill.

We are offering you an opportunity to buy your furniture at prices that cut deep into competition. They are worth taking advantage of. O. D. Mann & Sons.

The Standard \$1 per year.

Let Ramsay do your planing work and window glass fitting.

Don't fail to see the Little Crater Crude Oil Burner in operation, over Jones Bros. barber shop. Couch & Carter.

We are still selling the genuine McCormick twine, none better, for 10c per pound where you buy as much as 50 pounds. Broad Mercantile Co.

THE WHITE STEAMER

A CHALLENGE:

THE White Steamer is the best automobile in the world. As West Texas agent for these wonderful machines I make the above statement unreservedly and stand ready to back it up with cash. In and around Brady there has been much criticism and some "knocking" on the White Steamer. I challenge any and all gasoline machines to a test of the relative merits of the two types. Come out and give me a test in any one or all of the different points to be considered in buying an automobile. White Steamer is the

- Fastest
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- Best Mud Puller
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- Lightest Running
- Best Hill Climber

- Best Sand Bucker
- Best Long Distance Runner
- Best in every respect.

A premium of five dollars or more and an assurance of competition from gasoline machines will bring the White Steamer to the Brady Fair to prove these assertions. I challenge a test in any and all points of operation. This is not hot air but a bona fide challenge. All I want is an opportunity to show that the White Steamer is the best automobile in the world. Bring on your gasoline car and meet the White Steamer in a competitive trial. I'll put money up if you want it that way, or I'll compete for a prize or a blue ribbon—just anything to make the test official.

Now you gasoline car men come through or quit your knocking.

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